

TRAINS CRASH IN STORM

Head-On Collision Between Passenger and Freight.

FIREMAN IS SCALDED TO DEATH

Others Seriously Injured in Wreck Near Johnson on the B. & M. Road.

Johnson, Neb., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A head-on collision on the Burlington in which one man lost his life and another was severely injured, occurred about three miles east of Johnson shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Between Auburn and Johnson are two or three country sidetracks at the stone quarries. It is unusual thing for the freight trains to take these sidetracks to allow the passenger trains to pass.

The passenger train got under full headway and on account of the blinding blizzard none of the trainmen on either train knew of the impending accident.

The engineer and fireman on the freight jumped at the moment of collision. Engineer George McMillen of the passenger pumped and suffered a broken leg, but fireman Fred Jansen of the passenger was not so fortunate.

Word was sent to Johnson and the citizens went out to lend what assistance was possible. Engineer McMillen was taken to town and given surgical care, and the body of Fireman Jansen was prepared for shipment.

FREMONT SOLDIER RETURNS

William A. Hanson of Thirty-Ninth Volunteers Comes Home for His Health.

FREMONT, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—William A. Hanson, private Company H, Thirty-ninth volunteer infantry, returned home yesterday from Manila. In September last he was detailed as transport at headquarters and December 21 discharged to accept a position in the office of the military secretary of the islands as typewriter and record clerk.

Hanson was in seven battles and skirmishes and escaped without a scratch. He has a poor opinion of the Philippines as a place for a man without money, but thinks there are good opportunities for capitalists there.

At the United Evangelical conference just closed here, Bishop W. M. Stanford of Harrisburg, Pa., presided. Every minister in the conference was present, also a large number of lay delegates.

At the missionary meeting Sunday 11,000 was received for the coming year. Four men were ordained as deacons and two as elders. A number of important moves were made.

Hunters' Bonanza at Humboldt. HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—Monday night about 10 o'clock, during the blinding snow and rain storm several flocks of geese on their way northward became bewildered by the gale and attracted prob-

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BECOME TOO FREE WITH JUG

Two Men Throw It Through Window and Are Fined Accordingly.

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—About a year ago yesterday morning there Wilson and Rolly Curtis, who were under the influence of liquor, went to the home of Charles Gabriel and demanded admission.

Gabriel and Mrs. Pearson, Mr. Gabriel being out of the city. Admission was refused when, whereupon one of them threw a jug through the window and another proceeded to kick down the door.

After going through these places they visited the general merchandise store of Samuel Galley, where they carried fifteen suits of clothes to the cellar, presumably to try them on, but were frightened away and left the bulk of the clothing scattered on the floor.

WIFE SUES SALOON KEEPERS

Asserts Husband Has Become Worthless Through Influence of Liquor Furnished Him.

COLUMBUS, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The wife of John F. Hilliard, a farmer residing near Platte Center, has filed suit for damages in the district court. In her petition she recites that her husband has become an habitual drunkard by being furnished with liquor at the saloons in the town.

Temperance Nominations. WEEPING WATER, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the temperance business men last night the following nominations were made: Mayor, M. M. Butler; clerk, William H. Pool; treasurer, F. J. Davis; members of the school board, O. K. Cromwell and Thomas Murty; councilman first ward, W. D. Ambler; second ward, A. U. Marshall; third ward, A. W. Beach.

Coal Discovered at Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A splendid specimen of coal was discovered here Saturday by workmen who were engaged in excavating for brick clay, one mile from the postoffice.

Wayne Republicans Nominated. WAYNE, Neb., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—At the republican city caucus held here at the anti-license meeting, Fred French was nominated for mayor, Fred French for city clerk, I. G. Woolston for treasurer and E. Hunter and F. L. Neely for members of the school board.

Kennard Trustees Nominated. KENNARD, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The citizens of Kennard met at the Metropolitan hall Monday night and nominated as trustees the following citizens' ticket: H. H. Abel, C. H. H. Bowman, W. H. French, for one year; Herbert Brewster and John Nissen, for two years.

Both Parties Nominated. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The republican city convention last night named the following ticket: Henry Schlotz, Frank Buttery, William Weeber, Perry Gass, Henry Barthold, Eli Churchill.

YORK'S NEW PASTOR. YORK, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—E. B. Maurer of Butler county is the new United Brethren pastor who succeeds Rev. E. Bowers, resigned.

Real Estate Men Give Hints to Those with Small Means.

Said a real estate man the other day: "So far as my experience goes, I believe that from 20 to 50 per cent of the people who are now renting homes in Omaha are figuring on owning a home of their own. When I advertise a piece of residence property for sale I always get responses and many of them come from people whom I should least expect to be in the market."

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