NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.

Stockert sells carpets and rugs.

Mauthe, fine watch repairing, 228 B'way.

Leffert, eyesight specialist, 409 Broadway.

All wool suits made to order, $13.50 up. N. Y. Tailoring Co., 337 B'way.

For sale, two-seated buggy, good condition, $30. A. B. Howe, 216 Broadway.

The regular meeting of White Rose Rebekah lodge will be held this evening.

Pyrographic outfits and supplies. C. E. Alexander & Co., 333 Broadway. Tel. 306.

Take your prescription to Morgan & Dickey, 142 Broadway, the reliable drug men, to be filled.

Mayor and Mrs. Butler of Avoca, Ia., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bonham of East Pierce street.

Work on the cleaning of Indian creek is nearly completed. The cost so far this year has been about $2,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Southwick announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Arthur Beatty of Kansas City.

Devoe's ready mixed paints are recognized as the best in the world. Morgan & Dickey, 142 Broadway, are headquarters for these paints.

E. E. Spetman and Floyd Flickinger will leave Sunday for Madison, Wis., to enter the Wisconsin State university. They graduated from the high school last June.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harris and daughter of Montezuma, Ia., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wyman. They are enroute to California, where they will spend the winter.

John Hale, jr., and George Baugh Miles are planning to organize a local chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution in this city. Both are members of the Iowa society.

The first quarterly meeting will be held Sunday evening at the Fifth Avenue Methodist church. Rev. A. E. Griffith, the newly-appointed elder of the Council Bluffs district, will preside.

Attorney Paul C. Aylesworth, who recently left here with his family to seek a location in the west, has written to relatives that he has decided to settle in Whatcom, Wash., where he will engage in the practice of law.

Drs. J. M. Barstow, J. C. Waterman, J. H. Cleaver and D. Macrae, sr., returned yesterday from Sioux City, where they attended the meeting of the Medical Society of the Missouri Valley. Dr. Barstow was honored by being elected president.

John Hogan, formerly of this city, died Thursday at Sheldon, Ia. The remains will arrive here this morning and the funeral will be held at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church. Burial will be in St. Joseph cemetery. His wife and four children survive him. He was 49 years of age.

Hans Olsen, aged 76, died yesterday at his home in Boomer township. His wife, one daughter, Mrs. Ole Jensen of this city, and one son, Peter Olsen of Boomer, survive him. The funeral will be held Sunday at 11 o'clock from the family residence and burial will be in the Boomer township cemetery.

Judge Macy left yesterday afternoon for his home in Harlan, where he will spend Sunday with his family. He will reconvene district court Monday afternoon, at which time the petit jury is summoned to attend. As there are a number of jury cases this term, County Attorney Kilpack does not expect to be able to take up the criminal docket before the middle of October, at the earliest.

Robert Langford Montgomery, grandson of General Grenville M. Dodge, is the guest of Earl Hooker of Willow avenue. Mr. Montgomery will enter the Naval academy at Annapolis next spring. He and Mr. Hooker will leave this morning for an extended hunting and pleasure trip, the itinerary of which will include New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah and Arizona. They expect to be gone about two months.

Mansel Wix, a former resident of Council Bluffs, died yesterday morning at Palestine, Tex. Mr. Wix came to Council Bluffs in the early days of the city, but later moved to Texas, where he was engaged in the railroad business. Four daughters and two sons survive him. Two daughters, Mrs. W. C. Ross and Mrs. Ida Able, reside in this city. The remains will be brought to Council Bluffs for burial.

Millinery opening, Saturday September 20. Grand display of Bonnets, Pattern Hats, Street Hats and novelties on exhibition in our new store, all are cordially invited to attend. ANNIE H. MOORE. 339-341 Broadway.

Notice to Subscribers.

All the numbers of "The Living Animals of the World" are now complete and can be obtained for the next few days at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee. It is requested that those desiring to fill out their numbers call at once and get them, as unsold copies will be returned in a short time.

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broadway.

Graders Down with Fever.

Local physicians report an unusual number of cases of typhoid fever in Council Bluffs and vicinity. There are thirteen patients at present in St. Bernard's hospital suffering from typhoid fever, most of whom are men employed in the grading camps on the Great Western extension. Physicians say these men contracted the fever by drinking impure surface water around the grading camps. Council Bluffs has as a rule been free from typhoid fever, and local physicians are unable to account for its prevalence in the city at this time.

Davis sells glass.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 256.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street.

Adam A. Prentice to Eliza Roberts, part sh nw¼ 25-76-44, w. d.	$2,100
A. Frazier to William Southern, lot 1, block 2, Honey Creek, w. d.	150
Jennie E. Reusch to W. H. Kimball, lot 11, block 11, Potter & Cobb's add., q. c. d.	161
Richard E. Turner to Ella M. Keegan, lots 4 and 5, block 9, Hughes & Doniphan's add., w. d.	400
Mary Esther Poole to Mary E. Poole, lots 8 and 9, and s½ lot 7, in Rohrer's subdiv. of part ne¼ sw¼ 8-74-43, w. d.	500
Five transfers—total	$3,311

Albrook Enters the Race.

ELDORA, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Charles E. Albrook of Eldora today decided to become a candidate for the republican nomination for congress from the Third district, to succeed Colonel David B. Henderson. Mr. Albrook is an intimate friend of the speaker, an attorney of much ability and a splendid campaigner.

Child Drinks Kerosene.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The 2-year-old child of N. G. Patterson drank a pint of kerosene which was left in a pan within the child's reach. The babe is in a serious condition.

A·B·C BEERS
Pure, Healthful, Snappy.
Fully Matured.
THE AMERICAN BREWING CO., St. Louis, Mo.

LEWIS CUTLER
MORTICIAN.
23 Pearl St., Council Bluffs. Phone 91.

CHARGE MURDER TO SMITH

Held by Coroner to Answer for the Shooting of Charles Edwards.

MEN HAD QUARRELED EARLIER IN NIGHT

Three Boys Who Were Talking with Edwards Just Before the Shooting the Principal Witnesses at Inquest.

Coroner Treynor of this city held an inquest yesterday afternoon at Avoca, over Charles Edwards, a colored man who was shot and killed Thursday night at the Rock Island depot, in that place. As a result of the inquest, Irwin Smith, also colored, was held on the charge of having killed Edwards. Smith was locked up in the county jail at Avoca.

The principal testimony at the inquest was that of three young white lads, who were sitting and talking with Edwards when he was shot. They testified that they were sitting on the platform of the depot with Edwards who told them that earlier in the night he had trouble with another negro named Irvin Smith, and that Smith had struck him over the head with a piece of gas pipe, inflicting a severe wound. While they were talking a man appeared about twenty feet in front of them and called out "Is that you, D. C.," the nickname by which Edwards was known by his friends. Before Edwards had time to answer, the man shot and Edwards started to his feet. Another shot was fired and Edwards stumbled back dead. The boys scattered and ran, and the man who did the shooting also ran and disappeared up an alley.

The boys after going to a livery barn and telling about the shooting returned to the depot where Mayor Hazen had taken charge of the body. Smith, who was carrying a bundle, also showed up at the depot and looking at Edwards said "Yes, that is D. C. sure enough." The boys recognized his voice as that of the man who had addressed Edwards before shooting him and they so informed Mayor Hazen, who ordered Smith placed under arrest. Smith denied shooting Edwards. The boys also testified that the man who did the shooting carried a bundle in one hand.

Edwards and Smith are well known to the police, both of this city and Omaha. About three years ago Edwards and a colored woman named Frankie Fashion, were arrested for robbing a white man in an old rookery on Broadway. The woman was convicted and sent to the penitentiary, but the evidence against Edwards was lacking and he was acquitted. The letter signed "Frankie" found on Edwards at Avoca was supposedly from this woman, as he is known to have taken up with her after her release from the penitentiary.

Smith was arrested in Council Bluffs a few years ago, charged with being implicated with another negro in robbing a white man of a gold watch. He was also arrested on several occasions for vagrancy.

Plumbing and heating. Sixby & Son.

TAKE ROAD FUND INTO COURT

Efforts to Reach Agreement Over Its Distribution Proves a Failure.

As a result of a conference between Alderman McDonald, chairman of the streets and alleys committee, and County Supervisor Baker yesterday morning it is likely that the controversy between the city and the county board over the portion of the county road fund levied within the corporate limits of Council Bluffs will be taken into the courts with a view of having the city's rights in the matter finally decided.

In previous years the county has turned over to the city 60 per cent of the portion of the fund collected in the city for the municipal authorities to expend as they deemed best, the county retaining the other 40 per cent and expending it on the county roads. The city was willing to accept the same proposition this year, but Supervisor Baker flatly refused to consent to any such disposition of the fund. He took the position that the law intended that while the city had the power to direct where the money should be expended, the county alone should do the work and expend the fund.

When it was discovered a few weeks ago that the streets and alleys fund was practically depleted the city was all the more anxious to secure the exclusive control of a portion of the county road fund as in former years and overtures were made to Supervisor Baker. Colonel Baker, however, remained obdurate, although on one occasion it is said he offered to let the city have 40 per cent of the fund, he to retain the control of the expenditure of the remaining 60 per cent. To this the streets and alleys committee would not listen. Recently further trouble between the streets and alleys committee and Colonel Baker arose, owing, it is said, to Cofonel Baker's refusal to expend the money as directed by the committee.

The conference between Alderman McDonald and Colonel Baker yesterday was for the purpose of trying to arrive at some agreement satisfactory to both sides, but it failed. The city officials assert that Colonel Baker is too exacting in his demands.

Davis sells paints.

ATTORNEY BALDWIN IS BUSY

Has No Time in Which to Try Damage Suit Against Motor Company.

The second trial of the personal injury damage suit of Chris Peterson against The Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge Company is set for next Tuesday in district court, but the motor company has asked for a continuance to the next term, as its attorney, John N. Baldwin, is too busy with matters connected with the Union Pacific strike in Omaha to be in court on that day. Attached to the motion for a continuance filed yesterday by the motor company is an affidavit of Attorney Baldwin, in which, after reciting that he has had the sole charge of the defense in the action at the former trial, in which the jury disagreed, and that no other attorney could be fully advised in the case at this time for the defendant company, he says:

"That I am so engaged at this time in important and pressing matters that it will be impossible for me to give any time or attention to said case at this term; that I have charge of the legal matters connected with a 'strike' instituted by certain employes of the Union Pacific Railroad company, on behalf of said railroad company, and that a proper attention to said matter will require practically all my time for a considerable period of time; that the reason this application was not filed sooner is because I had hoped that matters in connection with said 'strike' would have settled down so that same would not require all my attention, but that during the last week acts of violence and intimidation on the part of said strikers have been multiplying, culminating finally in the killing of one of said railroad company's employes; that on yesterday I commenced proceedings in the United States court at Omaha on behalf of said railroad company for injunction against strikers and procured a temporary restraining order from said court and said matter is set for hearing in said court on the 25th of September, 1902; that, as above stated, said matter is of great importance, involving a great deal of labor and research and will require my whole time and attention for a considerable period of time."

In conclusion, it is set forth in the affidavit that if the continuance asked for is granted the motor company will be ready and willing to try this case at the next term of court.

Peterson, the plaintiff in this suit, received injuries in an accident on the motor company's bridge over the Missouri river which necessitated the amputation of both arms and left him a helpless cripple.

NO EFFECT IN THE SECOND

Withdrawal of Speaker Henderson Has Not Alarmed Republicans in that Section of Iowa.

CLINTON, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The republicans of this, the Second Iowa district, are not alarmed in the least over the withdrawal of Speaker Henderson. In fact, the action of the speaker and the discussion which has followed has stirred up considerable enthusiasm, just what is always needed in an off year.

Everybody is talking politics now and each has his opinion and the result will be much more interest in the campaign than would have been had nothing occurred to arouse the people. Furthermore, the republicans of the Second district, at least a large majority of them, favor a revision of the tariff and stand on the Iowa platform.

It is propable that there is not a district in the state where the Iowa platform has more supporters than in the Second. All of the republican papers, with the exception of one, agree in every particular with the Des Moines platform. There will be no division in the district and Mr. Hoffman, the republican nominee, will receive hearty support of every republican.

Some of the democratic papers of the district are publishing sensational stories to the effect that there will be a split in the republican ranks over the Henderson withdrawal, but there is absolutely no foundation for such reports. These papers are making every possible effort to stir up friction, but in this they will be unsuccessful.

The republicans of the district feel greatly encouraged over the present outlook. There is no question but Mr. Hoffman will put up a strong campaign. He is not as polished a man as the democratic nominee, but is a much better vote-getter. He especially attracts those living in the rural districts and the workingmen. He is a plain, everyday man, and at once impresses one with his honesty and sterling worth.

Judge Wade, the democratic nominee, will not be able to make friends among the class alluded to like his opponent. Mr. Wade is a gifted orator, however, of the polished and exclusive order, which will prove repulsive to many of the voters of the district. Mr. Hoffman is a German and speaks that language, and will be a strong favorite among the many Germans of the district.

FAILURE AT MARSHALLTOWN

Rhoades-Carmine Buggy Company Goes Into Hands of Receivers for Benefit of Creditors.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Sept. 19.—The Rhoads-Carmine Buggy company, one of the largest carriage concerns in the west, made an assignment today. A. A. Moore and C. C. Price of this city were appointed assignees.

There are about 100 creditors, including many eastern firms and Chicago banks and brokers. Assets, $266,588; liabilities, $212,263. The largest creditor is the Marshalltown State bank, whose claim is $40,000.

Junk Dealer is Arrested.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—M. Kozberg, a junk dealer who was negotiating for a branch store here, has been placed on trial at Traer for the theft of money contained in the boots sold by a farmer's wife, not knowing the money was in the boots. Kozberg denies being guilty. He had a large sum of money on his person when arrested. He was bound over at the preliminary trial to the district court.

Veterans Elect Officers.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The reunion of the Third Iowa infantry closed yesterday and the veterans held a goodby handshake. They decided to hold the next reunion at West Union. The officers elected were: President, Lieutenant Colonel John Scott, Des Moines; secretary, C. H. Talmadge, West Union; chairman, Dr. A. B. Robinson, West Union; temporary vice chairman, J. D. Dooley, West Union.

Iowa State News Notes.

The electrical strikers have won their fight at Ottumwa.

Glenwood will hold an apple carnival October 7, 8 and 9.

A girl named Wealthy at Charles City is getting $6 per week.

Mrs. Amy Cavanaugh who has resided in Iowa fifty-four years, has just died at Iowa City at the age of 96.

It requires fifteen clubs to serve the literary aspirations of Newton, and it is said several more are organizing.

Richard Hellyrod, a blacksmith at Fonda, attempted suicide by drowning, but he made a blacksmithing job of it and will live.

A new savings bank, with $10,000 capital, has been chartered at Underwood, Pottawattamie county, and another one with $12,000 at Columbia, Marion county.

The Business Men's association at Cedar Falls hasn't courts enough and are proceeding to establish a superior court under the act passed by the last legislature.

They have not discovered the perpetrators of several recent murders at Des Moines, but someone has discovered lead there. However, he won't tell where it is.

A good many Iowa counties raise money in a lump by taxation to build court houses, but Audubon will vote on a proposition to sell $50,000 bonds for that purpose.

While Des Moines is struggling with the asphalt combine, Cedar Rapids boasts that it is getting the cheapest paving ever laid in that city, a contract for brick having been let at $1.29 per yard.

In Washington county sixty-five democrats have signed a pledge not to vote for any candidate who will not pledge himself to the Kansas City platform, notwithstanding the action of the state convention.

It cost a saloon keeper at Waukon $1,600 to sell a man liquor enough to make him crazy drunk. He was arrested, put in jail, the jail burned, causing his death, and then his wife sued the seller for damages.

The Des Moines milkmen have stirred up a tempest in a milk can by agreeing to advance the price of their commodity to 7 cents per quart, as they did last winter, on the plea that feed was scarce and high-priced.

TO BIRTHPLACE OF ORDER

Sovereign Lodge of Odd Fellows Decides Upon Going to Baltimore.

NO BENEFITS FOR SUSPENDED MEMBERS

Minnesota Parties Who Swindled Perry Men on Land Deal Decide to Make Matters Right.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows today decided upon going to Baltimore for the next meeting. The vote was 95 for Baltimore and 93 for Hot Springs. The Hot Springs people had been working for the meeting some time and the Baltimore people only entered the race at the last. The selection of Baltimore was largely because of the feeling that the order had its inception there and because it has always been so strong in the order. The grand lodge today adopted a rule or change in the laws cutting off attentive benefits from delinquent or suspended members. A suspended member or one in arrearage has no claim whatever on the membership of the order.

A number of other routine or business matters were disposed of at the session this forenoon. Reports of amendments of constitutions of grand lodges in the states of Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Nevada, Maryland, Missouri, Ohio, Oregon, Montana, Tennessee, Colorado, Connecticut, Washington, Alabama and Indian Territory and from subordinate lodges under direct control of the sovereign grand lodge were received and approved.

It was moved by Representative Nolen of Tennessee that the grand secretary be ordered to print an appendix to the journal in which should appear in codified and indexed form the laws of each session of the sovereign grand lodge.

The grand lodge today defeated a proposition for a change in the constitution which would permit of the sale of liquors of any kind at Odd Fellows' entertainments.

The financial budget or estimate on the condition of the grand lodge for the coming year was reported this morning. It is expected that the receipts from the present time up till the next sovereign grand lodge meeting will be $72,156.89 and that the expenditures for the same period will be $59,023.45, leaving a balance over and above the cost of maintaining and running the lodge of $12,583.44.

The drilling of the patriarchs was completed today. In the class A competition Elwood, Ind., won first prize.

Delivered the Right Township.

Some of the officers of the Perry Land and Investment company purchased a township of land in Mercer county, North Dakota, of the Interstate Land company of Minneapolis. The price paid was $46,000. An agent of the Minneapolis company, Mr. McMahon, showed a committee what was represented to be the land which was to be transferred, but afterward, when the Iowa people commenced to dispose of their land, they had deeds for an entirely different tract of land. They went to St. Paul and procured the indictment of McMahon. He has since offered to settle and made a proposition to deliver the township which was shown the committee and complete the transaction. He had already sold parts of that township, but has since purchased back the parts sold, and on completion of the deal the indictments will be dismissed. The company which made the purchase is composed of local capitalists of Perry, Ia., and $22,000 cash was paid on the deal at the outset.

Increasing the Reward.

Farmers living in Muscatine county, near where the murder of Jesse and Martha Tuman took place some weeks ago, are raising a purse to be offered as additional reward for the capture of the murderer. It is supposed that Dan Williams, a tramp, committed the murder, but he has never been traced. The governor offered a reward, but it is not regarded as sufficient and the people of Muscatine propose to increase it to at least $1,000.

The republicans of Crawford county have nominated Dr. J. I. Gibson of Denison for member of the house of representatives to succeed the late Hugh Langan, who died since the close of the legislative session. Dr. Gibson was until recently state veterinary surgeon.

Reese Resigns Office.

John P. Reese of Albia, president of District No. 13, United Mine Workers of America, appeared in this city today before the official board of the mine workers' organization and formally tendered his resignation of the office of president. He is succeeded by Vice President Perry of Oskaloosa. The board accepted the resignation of Reese and presented him with a fine fountain pen. Reese resigns in order that he may devote his entire time to the political campaign, as he is the democratic candidate for congress in the Sixth district. He will open his campaign about October 1 and expects to do a great deal of speaking. There are about 5,000 mine voters in the Sixth district and Reese hopes to secure nearly all of them.

Fruit Dealers Organized.

The articles of incorporation of the Aetna Fruit Dealers' association of Cedar Rapids were filed with the secretary of state today. The capital is $5,000, with Pasquale Pusateri as president and John Campagna treasurer.

The Eddyville Telephone company incorporated today with $15,000 capital, by N. B. Halliday and others.

State Superintendent Barrett went to Bedford today to speak before the Taylor county fair on educational day.

New Court House Dedicated.

J. H. Dyer of this city spoke today at the dedication of the new Dallas county courthouse at Adel. The courthouse is a new and handsome one and the people of Dallas county made much of the day. It was also the last day of their county fair and great crowds were in attendance. The courthouse has just been completed at a cost of about $80,000.

ALL READY FOR THE LAUNCHING

Governor Cummins and Rest of the Iowa Party Are Now in Boston.

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Governor A. B. Cummins of Iowa, with Mrs. Cummins and thirty-five men and women from the Des Moines christening party, arrived here today. The cruiser Des Moines is to be launched at the yard of the Fore River Ship and Engine company, Quincy, tomorrow, and prominent people of the western states and cities will be present.

With Governor Cummins were: Miss Elsie Macomber, who will christen the cruiser; John Briar, secretary to the governor, and Mrs. Briar; W. B. Martin, secretary of state; G. S. Gilbertson, state treasurer; F. A. Merriam, state auditor; Attorney General H. M. Byers and members of the governor's staff; Mayor James Brenton, P. O. Bangor of the Board of Public Works and a delegation of the Board of Aldermen of Des Moines.

Lieutenant Governor John L. Bates will do the honors for Massachusetts at the launching and during the visit of the Iowans.

Burglars Rob the Poor.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Burlington is in the throes of an epidemic of burglary. During the last week a dozen residences were looted in different parts of the city. Nothing of value has been taken, the burglars in several cases stupidly overlooking watches and other jewelry and money in the houses they have visited. Only the homes of the humbler class of citizens have been disturbed, the prowlers fighting shy of the residences of the rich. In spite of the fact that the police have increased their vigilance tenfold, the house-breaking operations continue. Last night two burglaries occurred in different parts of the city, fully two miles apart, almost simultaneously. In both cases, however, the burglars were frightened away before they could steal anything. It is thought that a regularly organized gang is at work and when they finish the town, they will move to some other place. Matters have come to such a pass that the police have orders to stop and question everyone found on the streets after midnight. If they cannot give a good account of themselves they will be locked up.

FATE OF WOMAN IN DOUBT

She Was in the Postoffice at Minot, North Dakota, When the Building Collapsed.

MINOT, N. D., Sept. 19.—Nehmiah Davis, cut about the head, wrist and legs; John Lynch, badly cut about the face and head, are the only persons known to have been injured by the collapse of the postoffice in this city yesterday.

At the time of the disaster there were known to have been four people in the postoffice lobby, one woman and three men. The presence of Nehmiah Davis, a prominent attorney, and John Lynch, clerk of the district court, account for two of the three men.

The names of the woman and the third man could not be ascertained. It is known, however, that the man escaped, but no word has been received regarding the fate of the woman. Assistant Postmaster Harry Frank and Miss Della Foster were absent when the accident occurred, Postmaster Peter Gelso being in charge. The accident was evidently caused by the placing of about 3,000 brick on the postoffice roof. The bricks were taken from the main portion of the building adjoining, with a view of making provision for the construction of an opera house.

PRAIRIE FIRES DESTRUCTIVE

Large Amount of Grain and Hay and Some Buildings Are Consumed.

HURON, S. D., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Reports of losses from yesterday afternoon's prairie fire in Theresa and Fairfield townships continue to come in. Frank and Walter Oviatt lost all their wheat and much hay. John Steaks lost 200 tons of hay, besides his wheat and barley crop. John Nelson had 800 bushels of grain burned, Kelly's Land company, owners of the Caldwell ranch, lost a large barn and cattle sheds, together with hay and feed. The losses aggregate many thousand dollars. Farmers will experience difficulty in obtaining hay for winter feeding. The fire was driven with terrific rapidity by a strong wind. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks from the Chicago & Northwestern locomotive. News is also received of destructive fires between Alpena and Virgil and also northwest of Virgil, where many farmers lost hay and grain.

Railroad Officials Visit Mining Camp.

RAWLINS, Wyo., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—General Manager Ed Dickinson and Traffic Manager Munroe of the Union Pacific have returned from a visit to Grand Encampment. They were surprised at what they saw and, it is believed, will make a report to President Burt that will have much to do with hastening the decision of the directors to build a branch line from Walcott to the copper district. The officials would say nothing while here as to whether the branch would be built or not, but it could be seen from their manner that they think favorably of the proposition.

Good Attendance at University.

LARAMIE, Wyo., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Students are applying for admission to the State university in large numbers and it is believed the attendance this year will be as large if not larger than last year. Acting President Ridgaway is negotiating with a Chicago military man for military instructor, and he may be secured. Among the out-of-town students already enrolled are: Mary and Elsie Marshall of Omaha, Mark Chapman of Cheyenne, Tom and Dean Hunton of Wheatland and Sadie Kirkwood of Cambria.

Coal and Coke Traffic.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—The statement of coal and coke traffic originating on the Pennsylvania Railroad company's lines east of Pittsburg and Erie for the week ending September 13 shows: Anthracite coal, 308 tons; bituminous, 511,240 tons; coke, 206,450 tons. The company has so far this year hauled 5,000,000 tons of soft coal more than during the same period last year and more than 1,000,000 more tons of coke. Nearly all the increase is due to the coal strike.

SEVEN KILLED IN WRECKS

One Occurs Near Pittsburg and the Other Near Chillicothe, Ohio.

EXCURSIONISTS ON B. & O. DERAILED

Eight Crowded Coaches Leave Track at Open Switch—Forty-Four Names on List of Injured.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 19.—Five men were killed and two seriously injured as the result of a head-on collision between Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg and Pittsburg & Western passenger trains at Wilmer station, on the Pittsburg & Western railroad, about 10 o'clock today. A number of passengers were cut and bruised by flying splinters and broken glass, but none were seriously hurt.

The dead:

GEORGE CHUGERTY, brakeman.

WILLIAM BENEDICT, engineer of the B. R. & P. train.

THOMAS E. DUGAN, fireman of the B. R. & P. train.

FAY DE MOSS, a boilermaker, who had been traveling on the P. & W. engine.

WILLIAM GRAHAM, fireman of the P. & W. train.

The following are seriously injured:

H. E. Chambers, engineer of the P. & W. train, taken to a hospital, may die.

C. W. Crossman, express messenger B. R. & P. train, will recover.

The accident is alleged to be due to the failure to flag the passenger trains. The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg and the Pittsburg & Western railroads occupy the same tracks to Butler, Pa. About a half mile this side of Wilmer station is a long curve. A freight train became disabled and as work is being done on a new tunnel it necessitated all trains being run on the other track. By some mistake, it is said, the trains were allowed to come together instead of holding the lone until the other had passed.

Runs Into a Switch at Full Speed.

CHILLICOTHE, O., Sept. 19.—Two persons were killed and forty-four injured in a wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern road at Leesburg, thirty-three miles from here, last night.

The dead:

PHILIP ROE, engineer, Chillicothe.

CHARLES STUDER, fireman, Chillicothe.

The most seriously injured are:

Mrs. John Sellers, Wellston; will probably die.

Miss Sylvester, Wellston; injured about the head.

Charles Masher, Chillicothe; hurt about back.

Mrs. George Warner; hurt about the head and arms.

Mabel Warner, bruised about face.

John W. Johnson, bruised about face and head.

Mrs. Sylvester, Wellston; body badly bruised.

Mrs. Otto Wissler, Chillicothe; hurt about body; baby child also injured.

Henry Greenbaum, Chillicothe; mass of bruises about body.

Unidentified Englishman, badly cut about head.

Among passengers slightly injured were: F. B. Cross and wife, Fayette, Mo., Charles Martin, Green City, Mo.; George D. Castor, St. Louis, Mo.; G. H. Caskey, Fort Riley, Kan.

Crowded with Passengers.

The train was No. 2, "Royal Blue Flyer," which left Cincinnati at 6:10 p. m. It consisted of eight coaches and was crowded with passengers returning from the Cincinnati fall festival. The train was running at the rate of fifty miles an hour when it ran into an open switch, every car leaving the track. The engine exploded and Engineer Roe and Fireman Studer were killed outright. The postal and baggage cars were piled on top of the engine tank and the rest of the coaches were more or less damaged.

General Manager I. G. Rown was in his private car on the rear of the train and he immediately began superintending the removal of the injured. He ordered two coaches and an engine from this city and had the injured brought here. They arrived here after midnight and were at once taken to the Warner House, where they were placed in the hands of local physicians, who were hastily summoned to attend them.

Eighteenth Enroute to Riley.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Companies E, F, G and H, comprising the second battalion of the Eighteenth infantry, headquarters and band, will leave Fort Russell at 6 o'clock in the morning in a special train for Fort Riley, Kan., to attend the army maneuvers there. Colonel M. J. Sanno will be in command, with Adjutant McFarland and the following officers: Captains Arrasmith, Gordon, Martin, Murray, Butts and Hunt; Lieutenants Herron, Barnes, Pendleton, Morrow, Baker, Pike, La Motte and Alfonte. Chief Musician Wurm of the regimental band is ill and will not accompany his command, the band going in charge of the drum major. The special train will leave Cheyenne over the Denver Pacific and will be joined at Denver by the First and Third battalions of the Eighteenth from Fort Logan.

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