

Council Bluffs Minor Mention

The Council Bluffs office of the Omaha Bee is at 15 South Street, both phones 62. Davis, druggist. The Clark barber shop for baths. Corrigans, undertakers. 'Phones 145. FAUST BEER AT ROGERS' BUFFET. Picture framing, Jensen, Masonic temple. Woodring Undertaking company, Tel. 329. Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'Phone 97. New Brunswick first for painting, 151 Main. FOR EXCHANGE OF REAL ESTATE TRUST SWAPS. Hudson Broadway studio new location West Broadway. Miss Katherine Bencio has resumed her school studies at Montello. For Sale at a Bargain—Walnut Piano, slightly used, 1515 First street. Halland's, Schuster's, and Stora malt extract for sale by J. J. Kilke Co., 162 1/2 W. 15th. The nursing mothers drink Anheuser-Busch malt. Rosenthal Liquor Co., 519 Main St. Mrs. J. H. Mulholland and daughter, Marie, left on Wednesday for Winnetka, Ill., to continue her studies at the Grison school there. Have your auto fitted or repaired by J. J. O'Connell, 411 Broadway, office with George Gerner. Mrs. J. H. Mulholland and daughter, Marie, left on Wednesday for Winnetka, Ill., to continue her studies at the Grison school there. Mrs. J. H. Mulholland and daughter, Marie, left on Wednesday for Winnetka, Ill., to continue her studies at the Grison school there.

Council Bluffs BOOSTERS TRAVEL TO AVOCA

Special Train Takes Three Hundred to East End Fair. SCATTER EXPOSITION BADGES. Promise from Avoca Citizens to Return Compliment During Fruit and Corn Show—Great Crowd Comes. The special train that left here yesterday shortly after 10 o'clock carried about 300 boosters and picked up many others at the stations on the way to the Avoca fair. The coaches were decorated with flags and bunting and the big canvas banners that have been prepared by George F. Hamilton, chairman of the publicity committee advertising the Horticultural Congress, Exposition and Corn show. The Council Bluffs crowd was liberally supplied with exposition memoranda. There were about 1,000 people at the fair all eager to get the badges and the Council Bluffs boosters pinned them on coat lapels as long as the supply lasted. The Avoca people met the train with a band and shouts of welcome and every attention was shown the visitors. At the fair grounds the Council Bluffs boosters were met by a committee of the special program that had been arranged for the day was suspended for half an hour to listen to speeches from Council Bluffs men. Among the orators was Judge G. H. Scott, who railed the enthusiasm and attendance of the fair as brilliant as twenty minutes' duration. He talked chiefly about the big combined exposition and secured the approval of the entire audience. The boosters introduced several novel and original ideas. On the way Avoca by arrangement with the railroad officials the train was held at each station long enough to permit the Council Bluffs men to march in a long procession through the main parts of the town, scattering fruit and corn show and exhibition badges and yellow silk badges. Another feature was the presence of the wives and daughters of many of the Council Bluffs men, who joined most heartily in the processions and the bonfire. The Avoca fair this season has been the most successful in the history of the association. The attendance has been good each day, but it remained for Council Bluffs to draw the record-breaking attendance when it reached the town, the largest crowd was there that had ever gathered in the town. An agreement was definitely reached yesterday that Avoca is to have a day at the big fruit and corn show and the promise was given that half of the people in the east end of the county and the other territory tributary to Avoca would come to Council Bluffs on that day. The Commercial club, executive committee of the fruit and corn show will go to Mitchell, Minn., to attend the county county picnic at the county farm. It is expected that several thousand people will be present and one of the most eventful days in the history of the village will be enjoyed. A lengthy program has been prepared, and will have some interesting and instructive features, including lectures on corn growing and seed selection.

Council Bluffs Boys and Staples Cause Trouble

Concerted Effort Being Made to Stop Practice that is Doing Much Damage in City. There was a general roundup of the boys attending the Washington avenue school made by order of the principal, Miss Manum, yesterday afternoon in the effort to break up a dangerous practice that has developed among the pupils—shooting heavy metal staples from rubber bands and "slingshot" devices. The boys were taken to the pockets of every lad and confiscated their supply of ammunition. The youngsters have assumed that the street lamps are the natural targets, and the electric light company has been compelled continuously to replace the expensive tungsten lights that have been smashed. Many complaints have been made from persons who have been struck by the dangerous missiles. Yesterday Abe Stahlmaster, 1018 Avenue A, and Harold Luce, 777 Avenue E, were using the rubber band devices on Scott street as they were returning from school at noon. One of the sharp points struck one of The Bee office boys on the hand, inflicting a painful wound. The Stahlmaster boy admitted the mischief, but claimed it was accidental. Each boy had a pocketful of the staples. Some of the boys by the staples, but many of them steal them. Thousands of the keen pointed staples have been scattered around the streets in this manner and scores of automobile tires have been punctured. If the appeal made to the teachers in the schools fails the police and juvenile courts will be called upon to assist in breaking up the practice. Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee Thursday, September 29, by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs: George G. Clark and wife to James Heywood, W. 1/2 Sec. 10, T. 28 N., R. 10 W., \$2,000. Greenleaf to Robert E. Gerner, \$2,000. Mary E. Malley, lots 4 and 5 in block 11 in Evans second bridge add. to Council Bluffs, \$1,400. George A. Headland and wife to Standard Manufacturing company, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block 11 in Wright's addition to Council Bluffs, w. d. 900. William A. Seest, 21 N. 4th sub. of Slump part lot 21 in Auld's sub. of SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of 7-16-40, w. d. 650. Total, four transfers, \$6,000. N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 50. Night, L-1102. WANTED—Of neat, clean, nimble-fingered boys to pack and wrap candy. John G. Woodward & Co., "The Candy Man."

CURB BROKERS ARRESTED

Sensational Raid Made by Federal Authorities in New York. USED THE MAILS TO DEFRAUD. Firm Estimated to Have Filched Five Millions from Investors All Over World—Sixteen Warrants Are Issued. NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Following one of the most sensational raids ever engineered by federal authorities in this city, arrested today against the firm of B. H. Scheffels & Co., curb brokers in Broad street, seven members of the company, including B. H. Scheffels, its president, were held in heavy hall this evening by United States Commissioner Shields for hearing in October on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Tonight search is being made by the police and by government inspectors for George Graham Rice, whose real name is said to be Simon Herzig, the originator of the race track bet tipping system, who is believed to be the real head of the concern. At the time of the raid here announcement was made from Washington that warrants had been issued for the managers of the company's branch offices in Boston, Providence, Philadelphia, Detroit, Chicago and Milwaukee. Sold Mining Securities. According to agents of the Department of Justice, the Scheffels company has been engaged in promoting the sale of mining securities of doubtful value in all parts of the country. Estimates of the firm's dealings are placed as high as \$5,000,000. The seven men arraigned here are B. H. Scheffels, Charles F. Belser, secretary of the company; George T. Sullivan, Clarence McCormack, John Delaney, William T. Seagrave and Charles B. Stone. Warrants for Rice had been issued in the quarters including Rice and Charles S. Herzig, who is said to be his brother, eluded the raiders. Rice had been in his office earlier in the day, but left before the officers swooped down on the place. A surety company got bail in \$2,500 for Rice and \$5,000 for the others. The seven men were committed to the Tombs, as bondsmen were not forthcoming. While the hearing was set for October 5, it is expected the federal grand jury will have taken action before that time. Dealings Were Large. The firm of B. H. Scheffels & Co. was organized about two years ago and had conducted a large business, mainly through an extensive advertising propaganda. Mining specialties were its chief offering to investors. A weekly newspaper was published to reach clients and a corps of thirty-five stenographers is said to have been required to attend to its correspondence. After the arrests today two patrol wagon loads of papers, books and memoranda were seized by the inspectors. Another charge against the company by George Scarborough, the government inspector who made the complaint, is that it had resorted to what is called a "crooked bucket shop scheme." He said the "crooked bucket shop" was a company that had charged customers 5 per cent on margin and had collected commissions without giving any service in return. The difference between the actual prices of stocks on the curb market and fictitious quotations given customers, Scarborough also alleged, were also converted to the company's use. In his complaint the defendants are accused of attempting to defraud William A. Childs, Charles H. H. Slack and Dr. D. J. Hopmann. The raid was made today when the curb market was in a lull and attracted much attention. Thousands rushed to the scene and police reserves had to be called out to clear a path for the patrol wagons. China Ripe for Another Revolt. Leader Only is Needed to Put Spark of Life Into Open Rebellion. WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—China is declared to be on the verge of another upheaval similar to the Boxer uprising and the lives of foreigners are in jeopardy. Advisers here are confident that the government officials in China are not the better that an outbreak at any time would not surprise them. The State department has instructed officials to maintain a close watch on all internal conditions. All through the summer months there have been mutterings of discontent in some of the Chinese provinces due to the rice famine, dynamic difficulties and dissatisfaction over the acts of the Peking government as to foreign investments in China. Good harvests mitigated to some extent the gravity of the situation, but there still a general feeling of unrest, according to personal letters received here from men on duty in that quarter. The army and the navy are prepared for any emergency, but their readiness is purely a precautionary measure, it is said, and should not be taken as an indication of immediate danger. Authentic advices from those charged with keeping in touch with conditions indicate that the Boxer movement is still the present situation with that preceding the Boxer troubles, which drew into China the American forces as well as those of other nations, is the matter of organization and that it only needs a leader to effect that.

Woman's Work

Activities of the Organized Bodies Along the Lines of Uplifting of Concern to Women. With the announcement of the complete list of committees and their chairmen it may be considered that preparation for the opening of the year for the Omaha Women's club is at hand. Such announcement, which is of those elected by the club and those appointed by the executive committee, has just been made by the president, Mrs. M. D. Cameron, and is as follows: Auditing Committee—Mrs. F. R. Straight, chairman; Mrs. H. J. Fenford, Mrs. Charles Ware. Constitution—Mrs. A. K. Gault, chairman; Mrs. Draper Smith, Mrs. J. E. Lummore. Courtesy—Mrs. Edward Johnson, chairman; Mrs. C. T. Platt, Mrs. Helen Kelly. House and Home—Mrs. E. Douglas, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Marley, Mrs. Samuel Ross, Mrs. T. R. Ward, Mrs. F. R. Straight, Mrs. C. H. Townsend, Mrs. C. H. Chisam, Mrs. C. D. Summy, Mrs. Thomas Brown, Mrs. J. J. Penfold, Mrs. B. C. Cook, Mrs. James Liddell, Mrs. F. L. Haller, Mrs. Ed. Johnson, Mrs. George Swoboda. Library—Committee elects its own chairman. For two years: Mrs. A. B. Somers, Mrs. C. J. Roberts. For one year: Mrs. Millard Langford, Mrs. M. A. Standish, Mrs. G. S. Rogers. Membership—Mrs. C. H. Aull, chairman, for three years; Mrs. Edward Johnson, Mrs. C. H. Chisam, Mrs. C. H. Aull, Mrs. L. Haller, Miss Helms. For two years: Mrs. Isaac Douglas, Mrs. C. D. Summy, Mrs. George Henderson. For one year: Mrs. E. J. Penfold, Mrs. H. P. Hamlin, Mrs. Linda Beard, Mrs. C. B. Cook, Mrs. S. W. Lindsay. Education—Committee elects its own chairman. For three years: Mrs. George T. High. For two years: Mrs. George T. High. For one year: Mrs. Warren Switzer. Civic—Mrs. G. W. Cherrington, chairman; Mrs. Albert Edholm, Mrs. B. B. Towle. Civil Service Reform—Mrs. F. H. Cole, chairman; Mrs. E. J. Penfold, Mrs. E. J. Penfold, Mrs. C. D. Summy, Mrs. F. J. Burnett, Mrs. William Berry, chairman; Mrs. F. J. Burnett, Mrs. William Alderson. That the members might listen to the accounts of Dr. and Mrs. Kelly, who have recently returned from Hainan, China, where they are stationed as missionaries, the Presbyterian Missionary union of Omaha changed the schedule for the quarterly meetings and held one of these at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon. The union includes the missionary societies of the various Presbyterian churches, and the opportunity to listen to the accounts of the real work in the foreign field was appreciated by the lay members. Congregationalists Meet. GLENWOOD, Ia., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—The Council Bluffs Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers convened with the Glenwood church September 27 and 28. R. Washington Burton and his people had made ample arrangements for the entertainment of the association. Rev. J. W. Turner, pastor at Shenandoah, was elected moderator to succeed Rev. George E. Ladd of Red Oak. Rev. J. L. Blanchard of Harlan was elected registrar. The following churches were represented by pastors and delegates: Atlantic, Corning, Council Bluffs, First Council Bluffs People's, Dunlap, Lewis, Harlan, Red Oak, Farquhar, Creston, Tabor and Marion County First and Second. Dr. O. Smith of Council Bluffs preached the association sermon. With but one exception all who were assigned work upon the program were present to execute the work allotted to them. Many excellent papers and addresses were heard and the meeting throughout was a success. A special feature was the ordination of Rev. P. E. Wells of Menkauburg at the evening session on September 27. Sealed by Steam or scorched by fire, apply Buckler's Antica Salve. Cures Piles, tows, and the worst sores. Guaranteed 3c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

CAMPAGNERS AT AUBURN

Senator Burkett and Colonel Hayward Address Large Crowd. REPUBLICAN DAY AT TECUMSEH. Senator Norris Brown Delivers Address at York—Meetings Held in Other Cities Over the State. AUBURN, Neb., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The opera house at this place was comfortably filled tonight with an enthusiastic audience composed almost wholly of voters. In company with Colonel T. J. Major, first candidate for the legislature from Nemaha and Johnson counties, the automobile party composed of Senator Burkett and Colonel William Hayward arrived in the city from Tecumseh, where they had been in attendance at the Johnson county fair during the afternoon. Mayor Gillian presided without any preliminaries introduced Colonel Hayward, candidate for congress, as the first speaker. Colonel Hayward, as in previous meetings, spoke along state and congressional lines and held the audience interested for nearly an hour. At this meeting Senator Burkett was the principal speaker and covered national matters very thoroughly. His explanations of the different questions before the people in this campaign were plain and forcible and the large audience showed its approval. The assemblage was one of the largest ever attending a popular meeting here for some time. Republican Day at Tecumseh. TECUMSEH, Neb., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Today was republican day at the Johnson county fair. The speakers were Senator E. J. Burkett, C. H. Aldrich and William Hayward, candidate for congress in this district. Some races by local horses were pulled off and in addition a wild west show was given in connection with the fair. Tomorrow will be democratic day and James C. Dahman of Omaha will be the speaker. Counterfeit Bill Hard to Detect. Ten-Dollar Note in Circulation is Said to Be Very Difficult to Pick Out. WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—One of the best counterfeit \$10 bills of recent years has been discovered by secret service officers. The note is such a fine piece of work that Chief Willie, in a notice sent broadcast today, declares the bill will give a great deal of trouble. The bill is a counterfeit national bank note on the Pasadena, Cal., bank. It is composed of two pieces of paper, a front and back stuck together, with the silk fibres between. It has the portrait of President McKinley and one of the marks which will identify it to the public is a bad break in the background under McKinley's left shoulder. The face of the note is a little lighter than the genuine. The printing and rough work on the back are poorly done. It is of the series of 1908, bearing the check letter "E". Epidemic of Diphtheria. BEAUFORT, Neb., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The little town of Cortland, twenty miles north of this place is in the grasp of an epidemic of diphtheria. Two deaths, one in the family of C. A. Gardner and the other in the family of John Parrish occurred today. The State Board of Health declares the town today and as a result the public schools are closed. No more public meetings will be held until the disease is stamped out. Separator Crashes Man. COLUMBIUS, Neb., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—While helping with a threshing outfit about fifteen miles northwest of this city, Elmer Gules met with an accident that cost his life. The machine was being moved from one setting to another and Gules he lost his balance and fell in front of the separator, which passed over his body and crushed him so that he died in a short time.

Carroll Freed on Libel Charge at Des Moines

Judge Howe Instructs Letter Published Privileged, and Jury Makes Finding in Accord. DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 30.—The jury in the libel case against Governor B. F. Carroll returned a verdict of not guilty tonight. Governor Carroll was placed on trial a week ago charged with criminally libeling John Cowine, former chairman of the State Board of Control. The governor on May 24 authorized the publication in a Des Moines newspaper of an article declaring that Mr. Cowine had sold diseased cattle in the markets of Omaha; that he had let state contracts without receiving estimates and that he had been unduly familiar with girls at the Mitchell industrial school. Mr. Cowine in a previous letter had referred to these charges, which were made known to him in a private conference with the governor, in a letter issued previous to the Carroll article. On this account Judge Howe in his instructions to the jury held that the governor's communication was a privileged one and the jury found in keeping with these instructions. Roosevelt is Proud of His New Victory. Scalp of Old Guard Dangling at Belt. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Theodore Roosevelt returned early this evening from Saratoga with the scalp of the republican old guard of New York added to his big collection of trophies. When he reached Troy, N. Y., last Monday on his way to Saratoga he told the crowd which met him at the station that he had returned from Africa with a lot of trophies, and that when he came back from Saratoga he would have some more. The colonel made good his word by returning to his home town the generally accepted leader of the republican party in the state and immensely proud of his new trophy, to win which he was compelled to make one of the hardest fights of his life. Colonel Roosevelt went to bed early tonight to get a good night's sleep, for he expects to have little rest until after election time. He was tired and hoarse when he reached Sagamore hill, but in fine spirits. He expressed himself as well pleased with the results of the convention, but had no other comment to make on anything related to politics. The colonel took a train from Saratoga at 8 o'clock this morning. Reaching Poughkeepsie at noon, he attended a luncheon, drove two miles to the Dutchess county fair grounds, made a speech there and returned to the station in an hour and a half. Separator Crashes Man. COLUMBIUS, Neb., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—While helping with a threshing outfit about fifteen miles northwest of this city, Elmer Gules met with an accident that cost his life. The machine was being moved from one setting to another and Gules he lost his balance and fell in front of the separator, which passed over his body and crushed him so that he died in a short time.

PROBLET'S SUIT ON TRIAL

Damage Case for Loss of Life Being Prosecuted Against Railway Company. The \$10,000 damage suit against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company, which was filed in the district court two months ago for the death of William Probelt, is now on trial. The suit is brought by R. P. Tellander of Des Moines, who is the husband of the niece of Probelt and brings suit as administrator. The accident occurred on the night of February 15, 1906, at the corner of Main street and Broadway. Probelt was struck by a street car as he was walking diagonally across the street in the direction of the Manhattan station. The street pavement was a glare of ice, and when he reached the street car and before he could recover himself or the car could be stopped he was killed. Two amendments were made to the plaintiff's petition yesterday, one alleging that the car was going at a higher rate of speed than was permitted by the city ordinance and the other that the apparatus for putting sand on the tracks and stopping the car were defective. The suit is being tried by jury and has already occupied two days and but half of the plaintiff's testimony has been heard. The witness who was called in the case yesterday was a well known character about town and had lived here nearly all of his life. WILLIAM E. MASON FOUND DEAD IN BED. Canvasser, Apparently Successful in Business, Dies Suddenly of Heart Disease. William E. Mason, a salesman, who had been making his home at 2907 West Broadway, was found dead in his bed yesterday morning. He appeared to be in his usual health Wednesday afternoon and had not complained of any illness recently. He ate a hearty supper and retired at his usual hour. When he did not appear at breakfast yesterday morning members of the family went to his room and found that he was dead. Investigation indicated that he had been dead several hours, supposedly from heart disease. There was some talk yesterday of an autopsy to determine this definitely. The little is known here concerning the cause of death beyond the fact that he was a canvasser, apparently successful in his business and well satisfied with life. He is survived by two sons, one, Albert Mason, residing in Springfield, Mo., and the other in Omaha. The latter was located and telephoned last evening that he would be here this morning. "The Cat and the Fiddle," the new musical extravaganza will come to Dobany theatre Sunday matinee and night. It is claimed to be the most attractive and elaborate novelty, the characters being entirely new to the stage in many instances. The play takes its name from the old Mother Goose fable and delights both old and young. "The Cat" is a stage impersonation being one of the funniest and most interesting bits of pantomime acting witnessed in a long time. Harry B. Watson, the Baylans, Rose and Arthur, the Gotthards, George E. Wakefield, J. O. Campbell, George E. Hart, Marty Marx, together with many other well-known stage favorites and a beautifully dressed and well-trained chorus are promised. Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were granted yesterday to the following named persons: Name and Address. Age. LeRoy H. Lansing, Lincoln, Neb., 29. LeRoy H. Lansing, Lincoln, Neb., 29. George Gronow, Minden, Ia., 41. Olga Stoldt, Omaha, 34. Cole's Hot Blast stoves and ranges, \$8 up. We have the exclusive sale. P. C. DeVol Hardware company, 504 Broadway.

Economy Still the Watchword

Taft's Conferences with Cabinet Take Form of Examination of Estimates of Appropriations. WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The daily sessions of the cabinet were continued at the White House today. It is thought all matters of interest have been disposed of and that the cabinet now is devoting itself to the details of the estimates submitted by the various departments. The president and General Wood, chief of staff, continued their examination of the estimates for the War department for next year and further reductions than the \$10,000,000 already announced in the total as compared with the current appropriation were determined upon. The revised estimates provide for \$2,000,000 for immediate use in the fortification of the Panama canal and it is probable that before the work is started the total of approximately \$20,000,000 altogether will be needed. The consideration of the army estimates will be completed today. The naval estimates, as finally passed upon today, show a total of \$4,000,000 under the appropriations for the present year and as announced by Secretary Meyer, the building program for the next year is two battleships and two colliers. LITCHFIELD WOMAN LOSES EYE. BULLET FLYING WILD. Mrs. Albert Dickerson is Seriously Wounded at Durango, Colo., When Near Shooting Gallery. DURANGO, Colo., Sept. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Just at the close of the sport program at the fair grounds this afternoon a bullet from a shooting gallery pierced a two-inch plank and an inch board and then passed through the face of Mrs. Albert Dickerson of Litchfield, Neb., who is visiting friends here. Mrs. Dickerson was in a carriage driving along the road at the time. The bullet entered the side of her face about an inch below the right eye, coming out at the lower edge of the left eye. One eye may be saved, but one will be lost. It is not believed the wound will be fatal unless blood poisoning sets in. WASHINGTON WILL CELEBRATE. Veterans Will Hold Big Encampment There Next Fall. WASHINGTON, Ia., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—At the fifteenth biennial reunion of Brooker's brigade, held here, plans were put on foot to hold a bigger encampment next fall, composed of the fourteen companies raised by that county during the civil war. The claim is made that this county sent more men to the war than any other in the state, population considered, and it is proposed to celebrate this raising of the fourteen companies of infantry recruited during the first year of the war. As some from each company are still living, it is planned to bring as many of these together as possible. The following companies composed Washington county's quota: Company H, Second Iowa infantry, Captain Henry Cowles, went to the front May 23, 1861. Company H, Seventh Iowa infantry, Captain Benjamin Crabbe, July 30, 1861. Company K, Ninth Iowa infantry, Captain W. B. Bell, August 29, 1861. Company E, Tenth Iowa infantry, Captain N. H. Holton, September 2, 1861. Company F, Eleventh Iowa infantry, Captain J. Moore, September 2, 1861. Company I, Twelfth Iowa infantry, Captain Samuel A. Russell, September 25, 1861. Company E, Thirtieth Iowa infantry, Captain W. T. Burgess, August 22, 1862. Company K, Thirtieth Iowa infantry, Captain W. C. Cook, September 23, 1861. Company B, Forty-fifth Iowa infantry, Captain W. A. Allen, May 1864. Company I, Thirtieth Iowa infantry, Captain E. K. Woodford, October 27, 1861. Company I, Eighteenth Iowa infantry, Captain Thomas Blanchard, August 5, 1862. Company C, Ninety-fifth Iowa infantry, Captain C. H. Stanton, August 15, 1862. Company A, Twenty-fifth Iowa infantry, Captain J. Palmer, September 23, 1862. T. H. Stanton, who afterwards became paymaster general of the United States army, was from Washington county also.

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