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#### RECORDS BROKEN Judge H. M. Trimble AT ELGIN RACES in-Chief Grand Army

All But Five Cars Out of Eighteen Starters Finish in Three Events Over Fast Track.

MOTORS AND TIRES ACT WELL Crowd of Thirty Thousand Persons Witnesses the Contests.

FINISH IS CLOSE IN EACH RUN Two Nationals Finish Nine Seconds Apart'in Cup Race.

MERCERS BEAT FIELD OF ELEVEN

Abbott-Detroit Cars and Ford Have Aurora Cup Fight to Themselves, Running Close Race Throughout.

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 25/-Thirty thousand automobile road records of the Elgin ment will close the encampment. course established last year were shat-

any one of them a severe test of a car, and all but five finished. Of these three were running grandly when, the winners having crossed the line, they were called off the course.

The races were remarkable for the absence of 'tire trouble. Not a pneumatic was changed at the repair pits and the number shifted at other parts of the course was a negligible quantity. The mottrs were exceedingly well behaved and idle day.

were perfectly handled by militia men and of his age. no unbidden vehicles strayes off the country roads onto the speed route as was the onse a year ago.

Thrilling Finishes the Rule. The finishes were replete with thrills. the only other entrants in this event.

Two Mercer cars in a field of eleven "Indianola," serving until captured below finished two minutes apart in the Kane Vicksburg in 1863. county cup run. These contests kept the

nt throughout the racing. throughout the day.

a Mercer turned the trick in 0:07:40.

Herr Leads from Start. given him the victory, Stickney ran a afternoon. plucky and speedy race, but lost three laps

Hughes, winner of the Kane county cup. Jay Burns Honored at the pit with engine trouble. started fourth among eleven ears, but it took him only thirty-three miles to gain the lead, which he held to the end. Barnes was in first place for seventeen miles, but thereafter he had to be content with the Omaha Man is Elected Member of place position. Pearce gradually won third position from Maisonville and held it during

the second half of the contest. ane county oup, 169.46 miles, trophy alled at \$1,000; \$300 in cash and \$800 in

H. Pearce (Colby), second, time Winner's average per hour, 63.4 miles. Hilnois cup; 203.35 miles, trophy valued at \$1,600; \$400 in cash and \$460 worth of equip-

cond, Charles Mers in National Time: Third, Rupert Jeffkins in Velle, Flagged B. F. Whiteca at 176 miles.
Fourth, J. H. Stickney in Velle, Flagged chosen serretary.
Louisville, Ky.

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### The Weather.

FOR NEBRASKA-Fair. Temperature at Omaha Testerday.



Comparative Local Record

1911, 1910, 1909. Highest yesterday...... Lowest yesterday...... Mean temperature..... Precipitation. Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:
Normal temperature......
Deficiency for the day.......
Total excess since March h. Normal precipitation... Deficiency for the day. Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Temp. High-Rain-7 p. m. est. fall. ..... 76 78 .00 ..... 74 78 .01 Station and State of Weather. of Weather. 7p
Cheyenne, clear
Davenport, clear
Denwer, clear
Den Moines, part cloudy
Dodge City, clear.
Lander, cloudy.
Omaha, clear
Pueblo, Cloudy
Rapid City, cloudy
Salt Lake City, clear.
Santa Fe, cloudy
Sheridan, cloudy
Sloux Lity, clear

## Elected Commander-

Colonel Nicholas Day of New York is Senior Vice Commander-Sherwood Pension Bill is Endorsed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 25 .- Judge Harvey M. Trimble of Illinois was unantnously elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at noon today when Colonel John McElroy of Washington, his opponent, ended a bitter con-

test by withdrawing from the race. On recommendation of committee on resoutions the New York encampment ondorsed the Sherwood pension bill which Democratic Leader Underwood has promised congress will pass at the forthcoming VICE PRESIDENT IS RETICENT session, but the endorsement carries the provise that the bill be made to conform as closely as possible to the Sulloway bill which was pigeonholed in congress. The Sherwood bill was favored by Judge Trimble.

Colonel Nicholas Day of New York City was elected senior vice commander The installation of officers and the selecspectators were witnesses today when the tion of Los Angeles for the next encamp-

## Eighteen cars started in the three events. David Hawksworth

Man Prominent in Business in Cass County for Forty Years Dies of Old Age.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 26 .- (Speial.)-David Hawksworth, who has been prominent in business and banking circles the mechanics, ordinarily busy, spent an in this city for almost forty years, died this morning at 5 o'clock of allments in-A prediction of rain failed of fullfilment sident to old age. The deceased was born and the weather was ideal. The crowds in England in 1831, being in the 81st year

He was employed as a mechanic by the Manchester Southern & Liverpool aRilway company before coming to America. He migrated to this country in 1849, and later settled in Burlington, Ia., where in Two Nationals fought it out for first and 1859 he entered the employ of the Burlingsecond positions to the last inch in the ton & Missouri River Rallway company. Illinois cup event at 206 miles and finished In 1862 he enlisted in the United States nine second apart. Two Veile cars were navy, and was appointed second assistant engineer of the United States gunboat

Mr. Hawksworth was a prisoner of war ctators on their feet. There were many for three months when he was released shes for position among other cars and served as assistant engineer on the tich maintained a steady level of excite- gunbout "Marmora" until mustered out in

wo Abbott-Detroit cars and one Ford Returning to his home Mr. Hawksworth the Aurora cup fight to themselves again entered the employ of the Burlington, and ran a close race from start to finish, and was made general foreman of the Not one of the three winning machines shops at Burlington, la., and came to Nestopped for any reason whatsoever braska in 1875, where he was appointed master mechanic of the lines west of the Governor Deneen and his staff witnessed Missouri river. He served in this capacity the struggles from a box. Mrs. J. B. until 1888, when he was promoted to super-Adams of Phoenix, Arisona, with a party intendent of motive power for the lines of women in her car arrived overland from west in which place he did good service the newly-made state just in time to secure for the road until 1901 when he retired from the company's service.

The fastest lap, eight miles, 2,494 feet Mr. Hawksworth has long been a large made in 0:07:52 last year by Al Livingstone stockholder and one of the directors of in a National, was lowered today by the First National bank of this city. In Donald Herr, also a National driver to 1998 he was elected on the republican ticket 9:07:15, which is at the rate of about as county commissioner, filling the office seventy miles an hour. Hugh Hughes in very creditably for three years, declining a second term.

Mr. Hawksworth was married in 1863 at Burlington to Miss Kate Schaefer. His Here-started in first place in the Illinois widow and four sons and one daughter cup and held it without a quiver through- survive. The sons are Frank of Lincoln. out Mers and Jeffkins struggled for second Joe of Fort Madison, In.; Dave of Detroit, place for 100 miles, when Mers secured it Mich., and Fred of Plattsmouth. His and began crawling upon Herr. At the daughter is Mrs. E. W. Cook of Plattsrate he was going another lap would have mouth. The funeral will be held Sunday

### by Master Bakers

Executive Committee of National Association.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 25.-George F. Clarke of Jamestown, N. Y.; was elected uipment to winner:
High Hughes (Mercer), won. time 2.37:21.
W. F. Barnes, Jr. (Mercer), second, time
Master Bakers at the final session of the annual convention of that body here today M. J. Mulgrew of Dubuque, Ia., vice president, and Charles E. Abbott of New York, treasurer, were re-elected.

Jay Burns of Omaha and William K. ment:
First, Donald Herr in National. Time: Korn of Davenport, Ia., were elected members of the executive committee to serve bers of the executive committee to serve

B. F. Whitecar of Philadelphia was Louisville, Ky., was chosen as next year's

### Farm in Oklahoma Mysteriously Sinking

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 25.-The strange behavior of the farm of N. K. Farmer, ad oining Yahola, fifteen miles west of this city, has siarmed the people of that viilage. Mysterious holes began to appear in Mr. Farmer's fields several weeks ago, some of them sinking to a depth of ten feet and covering the fields so thickly as to unfit them either for cultivation or for

use as a pasture. Farmer believes the strange falling away of the land is due to the recent drouth. The farm lies in a bend of the Arkansas river. The soil is about twelve feet deep. Below that is sand. Farmer's theory is that the low stage of the river sucked water and sand from under the soil, which sank, giving a Swiss cheese appearance to his farm. He is attempting to level his and by hauling soil from adjoining farms.

#### GOOD RAIN IN SOUTH DAKOTA Country Between Pierre and Rapid City is Given a Good

Sonking.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 24.-Reports from all points between here and Rapid City, indicate soaking rains last night, which will help along the growth of grass on the praries, and further help settle the problem of securing fodder for stock the coming winter. At this city the government record is about a half inch, but it came so slowly that there was no collection of water on the surface, all going into the ground, and giving the grass another big boost, which will mean plenty of pasturage in the Mis-

souri valley for the fall and winter. New Census of Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—Chicago's population is now 2.264.184 according to announcement made today by the publishers of the new city directory. These figures show an increase of 78.301 over the federal census made a year ago.

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### HARRIMAN LINES IN FOR STRUGGLE

Vice President Kruttschnitt Visits Omaha and Discusses Situation.

MEN TREATED FARRLY, SAYS HE

Official Travels Over System to Learn Sentiment of the Employes.

STRIKE RESTS WITH EMPLOYES One Big Railroader Declares System Anticipates a Struggle.

Official of One Bond Declares that Strike is to Be Declared and that Harriman System is Selected. for the Attnek.

En route to San kranelsco and traveling in the private car Gaudalupe of the Southern Pacific, which was attached to lillnois Central train No. 1. Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president and director of maintenance and operation of the Harriman railway system, arrived in Omaha Friday morning and an hour and a half Dies at Plattsmouth later left for the west, his car attached to the Union Pacific fast mail, No. 19. Although the hour was early, Mr. Kruttschnitt was met at the station by A. L. Mobler, vice president and general manager of the Union Pacific, and C. E. Fuller, assistant general manager and superintendent of motive power and machinery of the same road.

The two local officials of the Union Pacific held a conference with Mr. Kruttschnitt in the latter's private car for for nearly an hour, and then with him. took a short walk up town. To The Bee Mr. Kruttschnitt said there was little to say relative to possibility of a strike on the Harriman system, adding that at no time had he refused to confer with the men employed by the lines of the road

which he represents. YSo far as we are concerned, we are having no trouble with our men. We are paying the best wages of any of the roads of the country, and notwithstanding that business has been bad, for months we have been carrying on our payrolls a large number of people not needed. We have always treated our men with fairness and at the present time are paying out annually between \$300,000 and \$400,000 tq superannuated employes." Asked if a strike on the Harriman sys-

tem was expected, Mr. Kruttschnitt replied: It is Up to Employes. "That is something that is up to the men. We are not seeking, neither are we bringing on a strike. We have treated SCANDINAVIAN IN APPEARANCE with our men, and they, or a large portion of them, are familiar with the conditions as they exist at the present time." Asked if the Harriman system would

recognize the proposed demands of the federated labor organizations, Mr. Kruttschnitt answered that he had nothing to say upon this subject. Getting down to the matter of retrenchment and asked if it

tem answered that he could not say.

business man finds there is a falling off in received from him in Brooklyn today. the man with a family discovers that his within a year, Stefansson says: living expenses are increasing, while his a certain kind of meat he procures something cheaper.

No Favoritism Shown. "The railroads are like any other kind of business in this respect and might be compared to a family. When it is discovered that the expenses are increasing, or are greater than what they formerly were and business is falling off, it becomes necessary to cut out some of the expenses. "in reducing forces no favoritism has been shown. The reduction has been gen-

eral. In my own office I have reduced my force and the same thing has been done in the office of Mr. Mohler. We have simply followed a plan of general retrenchment and have laid off the people we could best get along without. I would be glad to have all of the people taken back and at good wages, for I like to see people prosperous and earning good salaries."

Mr. Kruttschnitt said it was impossible to tell when the employes laid off would be restored to their old positions, but feit that nothing of the kind could occur until the business conditions, particularly with the railroads, improved. Mr. Kruttschnitt will make no lengthy

stops between here and the Pacific coast. His car will be hauled by No. 19, the fast mail, all the way to San Francisco. He will remain there several days, possibly two weeks. At this time he does not know over what route he will return.

Strike is Certain. Another railroad man, who refuses to let his name be published, though he is not with the Union Pacific, discussing the strike situation, said:

"A strike is almost sure to be declared. The roads of the Harriman system have thrown down the gauntlet and on those roads will the battle be waged. It will be a fight to the death, for the Harriman interests, backed by the other railroad interests of the country, will never submit to a recognition of the federated alliance of the labor organizations. In the past, rallroads have been willing to treat with the ndividual unions, but they will never agree o permitting the federated organization lictating the management of their affairs. system against which the battle is to be ity on Arctic exploration. waged, the federation has done so knowing that it is one of the most powerful rail-

long one. "This labor war is not to be one in which fact, it will be only a side issue. The real issue is to be whether or not the federated union shall be officially recognized by the

railroads of the United States."

Says Federation of Unions Will In-

elst Upon Recognition. CHICAGO, Aug. S.-J. W. Kline, international president of the Blacksmiths union, was busy today communicating with officers of unions in different parts of the country arranging for a conference of Vice

The Eternal Democratic Question

From the Washington Herald

### Explorer Stefansson Announces Im-

portant Discovery in Victorialand.

May Be Descendants of Three Thousand People Who Disappeared from Greenland Three Centuries Ago.

who have never before beheld a white man Dressed Beef and Provisions company, is or an Indian has been discovered in the being sought by the police, following the to a greater extent, the director of main- Arotic regions of British Columbia by tenance and operation of the Harriman sys- Vilhjmar Stefansson, leader of the American museum's scientific expedition, which "It is like this," he continued. "If the left here in April, 1908, according to a letter

his business, he cuts expenses wherever he In his letter, which is dated Mouth of can in order to bring that business up to the Dease river, Oct. 18, 1916, and is the the point where it will be profitable. If first intelligence received from the party

"We have discovered people in a region acome is constantly decreasing, he re- supposed to be uninhabited and have lived duces his expenses; if he has been eating a few months among people who had never seen a white man or an Indian (though they had heard of both) and did not even know I was not an Eskimo-so little were they informed on what white men are like. We have discovered Eskimos (in speech and habits) who are Scandinavians in appearance.

May Solve Important Question. "This find is the beginning of the solution of one of two problems: "What became of some of Franklin's

"What became of the 3,000 Scandinavians who disappeared from Greenland in the fifteenth century? "Or, if neither of these questions is to

be answered, then we have introduced a new problem of scientific interest: Why do some of the people of Victorialand differ markedly from the rest of their race? Why are they so European in type? We have discovered the nonexistence of a stream which the maps make the size of the Hudson river-when the River La. Ronciere disappears from the map I shall feel I have done some housecleaning.

"We have found a certain cape to be an sland and a certain Island to be a cape; we know the source of Rae river, of which the mouth and lowest ten miles were seen by Dr. Rae. And a few other odd things we have done that are in the nature of discoveries. But, of course, if we deserve any credit it will be more for our routine work than for any discoveries, properly, socalled."

Started Three Years Ago. Stefansson left New York on the present expedition in April, 1908. His principal purpose was to study the different tribes of Eskimos in the northwest and more especially an unknown tribe living in Victoria-

The explorer is about 23 years old and a graduate of Harvard university. He is more than six feet tall, of robust physique and has devoted many years to anthropological research, particularly among the Eskimos of the northwest.

Several letters have been received from him describing his experiences and hardships. The letter received today was ad-"In selecting the Harriman system as the dressed to Herbert L. Bridgman, an author-

Stefansson was accompanied by Dr. R. M. Anderson of Harvard. During the long, dreary journey to the land of the midnight stale or tainted egg unfit for food. The road alliances in the country. If the federation wins, it wins everything, and if it sun the party met with many a hardship, loses, it will lose all. The fight will be a the explorer writes. Once, when the food supply ran out and no relief was in sight, tionary nature in the egg trade, members he says, they ate the skins from their fur of the Butter, Egg and Poultry exchange wages will be the paramount issue. In clothing, In midwinter in 1969 Dr. Anderson regard it favorably and believe it can be fell ill with pneumonia and remained so for a month.

"Had it not been that we had a small cache of flour, etc., at Camp Parry, we should not have been able to pull KLINE DISCUSSES SITUATION through," the explorer writes.

### Congressman Latta Has a Good Night

### NEW RACE IN THE NORTH Police Hunting for St. Louis Man Who is on Honeymoon

C. L. Brown, Until Recently Auditor for Dressed Beef Company, is Charged with Embezzlment.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 25.-While he is on his NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A race of people cently general auditor of the St. Louis issuance of a warrant for his arrest on the charge that he obtained \$1,0% from his employers by false pretenses. It is alleged that Brown gave his per-

sonal checks to the company on the representation that he had money deposited in a bank. The checks were returned marked. "No funds." He is alleged to have obtained the money

on worthless checks August 15 and to have resigned his position later the same day. Brown and a Miss Grace Greenway were married August 16. After vainly trying to find Brown officials of the company applied for warrant.

### Strong Evidence Against William Lee

Suit of Blood-Stained Underclothes Partly Burned Found in House Identified as His.

BOONVILLE, Ind., Aug. 25.-Bloodstreaked and partly burned underclothes of a man, positively identified before Coroner Farley's inquest today as belonging to William Lee, were found in a search of the bedding of the Lee nome this morning and furnish what the authorities believe is a strong link in the evidence connecting Lee with the murder and partial burning of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee, and bis younger brother, Clarence Lee, yesterday. There is strong feeling against Lee today. He shows no signs of breaking down, how-

Miss Mins Taylor, to whom Lee was to have been married last night, declares her desire to see him punished if he is guilty.

#### ST. LOUIS MARKET PUTS BAN ON MIXED EGGS

State Food Commissioner Rules that "Current Receipts" System of Sales is Illegal.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. M .- The St. Louis Butter, Egg and Poultry exchange has been notified of a forthcoming order by Dr. W. sioner, which will put a ban on the "current receipts" or "shippers' count" system of buying eggs in the wholesale market. Dr. Cutler has ruled that the practice of buying good and bad eggs mixed in consignis in violation of the Missouri food law. general terms of the 1907 statute, which ing in possession with intent to sell any steady.

penalty is fine and imprisonment. Althought the new order is of a revolu-

### BROOKS' COMET WILL SOON

GENEVA, N. Y., Aug. 24.-The new come recently discovered by Dr. W. R. Brooks, director of observatory and professor of ROCHESTER, Minn., Aug. 25.—(Special or small telescope, and will soon be visible course and his automobile. Tomorrow he Telegram.)—Congressman J. P. Latta to the naked eye. The comet is now in will speak to the Essex County Republican passed another very good night, but suf- constellation cygnus, about 2 degrees north club at Hamilton. Mass. The president fered more pain this morning. The condi-tions, however, continue to favor the directy overhead in the early evening, president will celebrate his fifty-fourth Motion is northwest

### ATWOOD FINISHES HIS FLIGHT

Aviator Lands on Governor's Island This Afternoon at 2:38.

He Covers Thirty Miles Across City from Thursday's Landing Place in Forty-Five Minutes-Had Been in Pocket,

BULLETIN. NEW YORK, Aug. 25,-Atwood landed at Jovernor's Island at 2:38.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.-Harry N. Atwood, the American aviator, ended his long record breaking aeroplane flight from St. Louis when he landed at Governor's Island at 2:38 o'clock this afternoon. Atwood flew to town from Nyack, a distance of thirty miles, in forty-five minutes.

NYACK, N. Y., Aug. 25.-Harry N. Atwood, holding the world's record for dong distance aeroplane flying, planned this norning to wait here until 3 o'clock before concluding his flight from St. Louis to New York. A steady southeast breeze made conditions ideal for Atwood to take wing out of the meadow, where he was forced to land yesterday on account of ngine trouble when within twenty-five miles of New York City. The engine was repaired during the night and nothing remains for Atwood but to fly down the river and land at Sheepshead Bay race track. Atwood said this morning that he would

not fly to Boston. The little wind there was early this morning came from the southwest and was favorable to the aviator's purpose. Behind his machine the mountain rose like a wall, cutting off all hope of escape in that direction. Toward the river were trees over which he had to fly before he could reach the open air spaces. A head wind ncreased his chances of making a sharp rise that would carry him over the trees and out of danger. Once beyond the tree barrier, there were open fields a short distance down the river, where he could land and wait for a favorable opportunity to start the last jump of his leng journey later in the day.

Slight Rain Falling. Atwood returned to notel for breakfast, after inspecting the biplane, he said that the damaged engine had been repaired and that the weather and the physical difficulties surrounding his landing place were now the only factors in the situation.

The aviator did not spend a long time at breakfast, for he found the wind to his liking and feared that any minute it might veer to an unfavorable quarter. When a slight rain began to fall he said this would not keep him from attempting P. Cutler, state food and drug commis- a flight if other conditions were favorable. The field where the record-breaking aeroplane rested was a center of attraction all night. A crowd watched the machinists, who passed back and forth through the gloom carrying lanterns and tinkering with ments from the country and then weeding the broken machinery. It was nearly dawn out the bad eggs by the candling process when they pronounced everything in shipshape form and when Atwood visited the This ruling is made possible under the place before breakfast he endorsed their report. Atwood was delighted when he forbids the sale, effering for sale or hav- observed that the wind was true and

"If the wind holds in this direction, can fly out of the trap here quite easily, said Atwood, "and it won't be necessary to start for New York until 3 o'clock this afternoon. If, however, I find that the wind is starting to veer to the westward, shall fly from here in a hurry."

REAL VACATION FOR TAFT BE VISIBLE TO NAKED EYE President Refuses to Receive Callers for Two Weeks Beginning Monday.

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 25.-The presiastronomy, Hobart college, and named by dent decided today to deny himself to all him the Brooks comet, has become so callers for two weeks, beginning Monday. bright as to be seen with opera glasses He will keep close to the Myopia golf birthday on September 16.

### TWENTY-FIVE DIE IN TRAIN WRECK

Lehigh Valley Passenger Train Carrying Returning Army Veterans Goes Into Ditch.

DEFECTIVE RAILS THE CAUSE Two Cars Roll Down Embankment Sixty Feet in Height

WERE MAKING UP LOST TIME Two Engines Pulling Coaches in Effort to Make Speed.

SIXTY PERSONS ARE INJURED

oncussion Throws Every Passenger from Seat and Scores Receive Injuries-Bodies Nearly All Recovered.

MANCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 28 - Twentyfive persons were killed and about sixty burt when passenger train No. 4, on the Lehigh Valley railroad jumped the track here this afternoon.

The cars rolled down an embankment sixty feet in height and it was in these cars

that the greatest mortality occurred.
The wreck was due to defective wills. The engines and two forward coaches passed over the bad spot, which was about 100 feet east of the station, without accident, but when the diner struck the defective rails they spread and the last two coaches were brown from the track and rolled down the embankment.

Several persons in the dining car were killed, but the largest number of dead were in the last two coaches. Following is a partial list of the dead.

HARRY BACKER, brakeman, aged 30 years, Waverly, N. Y., died on the relief years, Waverly, N. Y., died on the relief train.

EDGAR PANGBURN, Ellis Island, N. Y. CHARLES HICKS, Newark, N. J. MRS. H. ZUDEK, Philadelphia.

MRS. C. C. JOHNSTON, Philadelphia.

GEORGE S. GUNCLE, Smithville, N. J. E. POWER, no address.

THOMAS MURRAY, fireman.

COLONEL D. M. Belch, Los Angeles, died in St. Mary's hospital, Rochester.

Veterans on Train. A number of veterans returning from the

Grand Army encampment at Rochester were on the train. At 2:45 o'clock twenty-two bodies had been taken from the wreck. Mangled bodies were in plain sight, pintoned under the debris. Most of the victims are old

nen and women. The train was forty minutes late and was running fast, hauled by two powerful engines, in an effort to make up lost time. It does not stop in Manchester.

The third and fourth cars plunged over MAKES QUICK TRIP FROM NYACK the side of the bridge to the outlet below. The third car struck flat on its side in the water, while the fourth landed on its front end. The remaining five scars left the rails, but did not go off the bridge. The concussion threw every passenger from the seats and scores received slight injuries. The cars in the creek were crowded and it was in these the easualties occurred. The train was in charge of Conductor

### Fred Callen of Buffalo. FRANKLIN HAS FIGHT

B. Hillock of Geneva, N. Y., and Engineer

OVER COUNTY SEAT Approach of Election Brings Question to Front, Since New Court

House is Needed. HILDRETH, Neb., Aug. 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-Again the county seat fight is to the fore. The county-seat committee is mailing literature to all voters, setting forth the advantages of Franklin and the drawbacks of Bloomington, and the committee emphasizes the fact that last falt Bloomington asked for an appropriation of \$60,000 for that purpose. They explain that Franklin will not ask for a stated amount of money, should the county seat be located there, but will ask delegates from each township to meet and decide

as to the amount a new court house should Franklin was formerly the county seat. and great bitterness resulted when it was removed to Bloomington. Each year this feeling comes to the surface at election time, increasing with each revival. The law bearing on the case is being scattered, in circulars, all over the county.

CLAY COUNTY NEWS NOTES Teachers' Institute Closes Session After Attendance that Will Prove

Record Breaker. CLAY CENTER, Neb., Aug. B .- (Special.)-Miss Hazel Burlingame of this city won the medal in the Clay county Woman's Christian Temperance union gold medal contest held at the Methodist Episcopal

church here last night. J. B. Cabeen, editor of the Ong Weekly Visitor, was adjudged insane by the board of insanity today, and ordered committed to the hospital at Hastings.

The Clay county teachers' institute closed a week's session today. About 155 teachers have been in attendance this week and much interest manifested. Miss Edith A. Lathrop, county superintendent; Miss Eleanor Lally of Lincoln, Superintendent R. V. Clark of Harvard, and Prof. J. W. Searson of Manhattan, Kan., have been the instructors. Superintendent J. W. Crabtree, Dr. Cutter of Lincoln, and Mrs. Anna Morey of Hastings have delivered special

### Round trip tickets to Lake Manawa

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