

WAS FAULT OF THE CHILDREN

Cause of the Distressing Accident on the K. & W. Wednesday Afternoon at Arbelia, Missouri.

THE TRAINMEN'S STORY

One Girl Ran Across Track and the Others Tried to Follow Her in Front of the Train.

The sad death of the two little girls at Arbelia, Mo., on Wednesday afternoon, was caused by a thoughtless dare given by one of the three Flick sisters, who ran across the track ahead of the train...

Engineer H. W. Lewis, of this city, saw the little girls hand in hand rush onto the track only a few feet in front of the engine...

"I could not see the little girls until they ran onto the track," said Engineer Lewis, in telling of the occurrence this morning...

Engineer Lewis and Fireman Cheney Reiser went this morning on No. 4 to testify before the coroner's inquest which was set for 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Arbelia depot is located on the north side of the track which runs east and west at that point.

The train which struck the girls was freight No. 11, which left Keokuk for Centerville in the morning and was doing work along the road.

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Foul Breath WORST NIGHT IN ITS HISTORY

Made Pure and Sweet by the Use of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

A HOUSE WAS DESTROYED

Water Was Frozen to the Men and They Became Human Icicles During Three Hours' Work.

"The worst night in the history of the paid fire department," said Fire Chief Anderson this morning just before he went to bed to catch up some lost sleep.

From 11:30 o'clock until 3 o'clock in the morning the men were out at Eighteenth and Concert streets in the raging blizzard, fighting the blaze of a frame house which was burned to the ground with all of the contents.

STEPHENSON IS SHY THE VOTES

Legislature Failed to Elect. Resolutions Filed Requiring Statement of Campaign Expenses.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 29.—U. S. Senator Stephenson again failed of election today when the legislature met in joint session.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of Letters Remaining in the Keokuk Postoffice Uncalled for Week Ending Jan. 30.

LADIES—Mrs. Brenner, Miss Eliza Correll, Miss Lou Meek, Mrs. Alice Smith, Mrs. Chas. E. Schenk.

GENTLEMEN—J. D. Bayes, Thos. Bowden, Jeff Hamlin, Wm. Johnson, R. C. Miller, R. F. D. L. L. Tolison.

Persons calling for letters in above list will please say they are advertised.

S. W. MOOREHEAD, Postmaster.

Mrs. Atherton Testifies.

EDINBURGH, Jan. 29.—The climax of the trial in the divorce petition of John Stirling and wife came today when Mrs. Mabel Atherton took the stand to clear herself of the charges of misconduct with Stirling.

Deneen Goes to Chicago.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 29.—Deneen left this afternoon for Chicago upon an urgent telephone call.

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RECEIPT THAT CURES WEAK MEN—FREE

Send Name and Address Today—You Can Have It Free and Be Strong and Vigorous.

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CUPID IS BUSY IN CLARK COUNTY

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REV. TROUTMAN SENDS BEST WISHES FOR PE-RU-NA

Rev. George A. E. Troutman, Mt. Washington, Mo., Writes, "My Wife and I Are Strong Believers in Pe-Ru-NA."

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LOAD OF SHOT INTO HIS FOOT

Farmer Near Downing Mutilates His Foot With Load of Shot, While Hunting.

A GENEROUS GIFT

Professor Munyon has just issued a most beautiful, useful and complete Almanac. It contains not only all the scientific information concerning the moon's phases, in all the latitudes, but has illustrated articles on how to read character by phrenology, palmistry and birth month.

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Flour Talks # 3

Food fads come and food fads go—but there has never been found a satisfactory substitute for good home-made white bread "like mother used to make."

WATCH FOR # 4

To get evenness of quality—full food value and perfect bread, pay a few cents more and tell your dealer he must supply you with Occident Special Patent Flour.

No other contains so much "food." No other makes so many loaves. No other is always the same—always produces good bread. Occident costs a few cents more than ordinary flour. Saves many cents more than any flour.

Get a 50-lb. sack of Occident flour. Use a full measure of yeast—a little less flour than usual and mix the dough as wet as you can handle it. You'll be delighted with the result—better bread—more loaves—money saved—satisfaction or your money back. Ask your favorite grocer. Insist on this label.

S. HAMILL CO. WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS. SOLD BY ALL DEALERS IN KEOKUK, IOWA.

He was conveyed to his home and physicians summoned. Up to the time of mailing this communication the exact extent of Mr. Puder's injuries have not been ascertained by the doctors, but it is thought a couple of ribs are broken, and that he may have other internal injuries.

The bill boards referred to above were an eyesore to the town, and should never have been permitted to be erected. There are a few others around town that should be removed.

Report comes from Union township this afternoon that Miss Clark, aged about sixty years, arose from her bed some time during Thursday night and wandered away from home and into the woods and when found was dead from the cold.

Owing to the severe storm Kahoka public schools were dismissed Friday afternoon.

The inward effects of humors are worse than the outward. They endanger the whole system. Hood's Sarsaparilla eradicates all humors, cures all their inward and outward effects. It is the great alternative and tonic, whose merit has been everywhere established.

Every Woman is interested and should know of the new MARVEL Whirling Spray. The new Vaginal Hygiene Remedy. It cures all women's ailments.

HESTER's Gold Medal Flour makes the lightest sponge cake I ever saw.

The Professional Baker Uses WASHBURN-CROSBY'S GOLD MEDAL FLOUR. Well? If its good for the Baker Its good for the Homemaker. THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY.

CASCARETS Best For The Bowels. THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP. Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good. Before I began using Cascarets, I had a bad complexion, pimples on my face, and my food was not digested as it should have been.