

BOSSSE HAD AN ICY VOYAGE

The U. S. Dredge Tender Returned Last Evening From Dubuque After Battling With Heavy River Ice.

TIPTON TO ST. PAUL

Grace Will Attend the New Dredge Aetna—Personal of Men on Mississippi and Boat Movements.

The steamer Henry Bosse, U. S. government dredge tender, arrived at the guard lock last evening after a week's absence, having taken the pilot driver, recently built at the second lock, up to Dubuque, where it will be used in government service at that place.

The crew of the "Bosse" claims to have had a very rough and icy voyage after leaving Savannah, Ill., and an ice breaker had to be placed on the front of the steamer to get through the ice which was nineteen inches thick at Dubuque. The weather is also crummy at present at Dubuque and it was with glad hearts that the crew of the boat returned at 6:30 last evening and tied up at the first lock.

The Henry Bosse will remain here for a few days when it will probably go to Quincy with the dredge Aetna and commence work on the large bar, which has formed above the bridge at that place and for which an appropriation of \$10,000 has been made by the government for improvements to be made at the opening of Quincy bay and harbor.

An appropriation of \$400,000 has been made by the government this year for improvement work from St. Paul to the Missouri river, which though not a large amount will be sufficient to keep things moving and in first class shape it is thought.

The amount of \$35,000 has been allotted for general river improvements between Hannibal and Burlington, and the contracts will be let shortly for this. About \$20,000 will be used for repairs to dams and shore protection between Hannibal and Keokuk, and about \$15,000 for similar work between Keokuk and Burlington. It is probable that several dams will be built in addition to the regular work. Near Quincy it is probable that considerable work will be done at Cottonwood Island, which was a bad place last season. The engineer in charge of the work at and near Quincy will be Mr. Gosline.

Other Boats Moving.
The large government boat, David Dupon, which has been anchored at the first lock, since Tuesday, will leave tomorrow for St. Paul. The Tipton is a snag boat and runs during the navigation season between St. Paul and St. Louis, taking snags and other objects that are a menace to boats from the river.

The little steamer Grace will work in the canal during the coming summer months and will be the tender of the new dredge Aetna, which is now almost complete but for the encasing of the flue and will be ready to move probably by the fifteenth or a little later as was stated by the engineer of the boat.

The Aetna will be slightly longer than the Hecla, which is also at the first lock at present, and about four feet wider. \$30,000 was the amount appropriated for her building and the craft is a fine one, everything about the dredge being new. The hull is of iron encased in wood, making it one of the strongest and best equipped boats of its kind on the river. After a tryout in the canal, with the Grace as its tender it will probably be taken to Quincy and assist in work at that place. Captain Adams is master of the Grace and last years crew will be on the boat.

Repairing Boats.
The Tipton and Grace have both been overhauled and repainted and make a pretty appearance with the outer dredging outfits and boats at present anchored above the first lock.

The Ottumwa Belle and barge Columbus, belonging to Sam Atlee of the Atlee Lumber Company of Fort Madison have not yet been taken out of the canal. The Ottumwa Belle is used for towing logs to the lumber mill at Fort Madison and is chartered by different churches and other societies for running excursions during the summer months.

The Nauvoo ferry is still in the canal and is being repaired and repainted and will be taken up to Nauvoo shortly to be put into service, crossing the river from the Mormon city to Montrose. A new ferry company has been formed, the parties owning the boat last year having run in debt and the boat was seized one dark night by the sheriff.

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dredge out" for the Aetna have not yet been completed but will be in a short time. The fleet of pontoons and other craft used by the Aetna will be entirely new and will be used in the canal, between the guard locks.

Boats Arriving.
The steamer Gardie Eastman which was the first steamboat to go down the river past this place this season, came up and landed at the local port yesterday afternoon with two large barges of cord wood. 175 cords were contained in the two barge loads and are consigned to the Spain brick yards outside the city.

A number of teams were backed into the river this morning with drays and the wood thrown from the barges into the wagons. The cargo was a valuable one, wood coming high these days and selling at the regular price per cord would bring the consigners a pretty figure.

The Gardie Eastman arrived at about 3:30 and returned down stream immediately after cutting loose from the barges. The boat is at present towing logs from Louisiana to Quincy. The Wenona arrived in port at 8:35 last evening after a good trip as did the Keokuk. Both boats are doing well considering the early season.

River Men.
This morning's St. Louis Globe states that the Dubuque arrived safely in port at St. Louis and will remain in that city until the 10th or 12th. Jim Richtman who piloted the boat down to that city returned to Keokuk this morning where he is employed watching the Fort Madison boat and Nauvoo ferry above the first lock. He and his brother Jack Richtman are pilots on the steamer Quincy and will take charge of the wheel alternately this year. The two brothers are well known for their ability as river pilots.

Charlie Delsile will be first mate on the steamer David Tipton this season. Captain Martin will be master of the boat.

Captain A. C. Decker will make a trip east the first of next week and will make Peoria on his way home and have a talk with Thomas Webb, commodore of the Illinois Valley Yacht club the two being good friends and will speak of the plans of the clubs for the coming summer.

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April 14—Torrence vs McKinley at Grammar school, Garfield and St. Mary, and Corey and Wells at Y. M. C. A.

April 17—Corey and Torrence at Grammar school, McKinley and Wells and Lincoln and Garfield at Y. M. C. A.

April 21—McKinley and Carey at Grammar school, Torrence and Wells at St. Mary's and Lincoln at Y. M. C. A.

April 24—Torrence and St. Mary's at Grammar school, Corey and Garfield and McKinley and Lincoln at Y. M. C. A.

April 28—Wells and Lincoln at Grammar school, Torrence and Garfield and McKinley and St. Mary's at Y. M. C. A.

May 1—Garfield and Wells at Grammar school, Corey and St. Mary and Torrence and Lincoln at Y. M. C. A.

May 5—Corey and Lincoln at Grammar school, McKinley and Garfield, and Wells and St. Mary's at Y. M. C. A.

REV. LILLIEFORS WILL COME HERE

Will Fill the Pulpit Made Vacant by the Absence of Rev. Rowena Morse During Six Months.

COMES FROM ST. CLOUD

A Sketch of His Life in Brief is Given Which Will be of Interest to Keokuk Unitarians.

Rev. Manfred W. Lilliefors, who is to preach at the First Unitarian church on next Sunday and will probably fill the pulpit left vacant by Miss Morse who sailed for Europe from Philadelphia today.

A. St. Cloud, Minn., has the following to say of the Rev. Lilliefors which will be of much interest to Keokuk parishioners of the First Unitarian society and others interested:

Rev. Lilliefors was born in Sweden in 1866, and came to this country when twenty-six years of age, at once entering a Swedish theological school, where he graduated in 1895. His first ministerial work was as pastor of the New Church at Contookook, New Hampshire, he having also general charge of the work of that denomination throughout the state.

In 1897 he entered the postgraduate department of Harvard University, from which he received the degree of Master of Arts in 1898; the same year he enrolled in Harvard Divinity school and received the degree of Bachelor of Theology in 1899. After graduating he went to Holland and Germany, entering Ludwig's University at Glessen, where he continued his Semitic studies under the famous Prof. Bernhard Stade, receiving in 1900 the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, and is still a member of the Historical-Philological Society of Glessen, Germany.

Dr. Lilliefors had fitted himself for the professorship of Biblical Theology, but during his studies had become convinced of the untenability of the Swedenborgians, as well as the orthodox position in general, and joined the Unitarian church. In 1901 he took charge of the First Church of Salem, Massachusetts (the oldest Protestant church in the country), and has since been pastor of the Unitarian church at Wolsboro, among the hills of New Hampshire, and at Tyngsboro, Massachusetts.

The natural endowments and mental equipment, supplemented by years of systematic and industrious labor in the best educational institutions of the world, have produced in Dr. Lilliefors not only an eloquent and forcible preacher, but also a journalist of considerable note. He has for several years been on the editorial staff of the Boston Transcript, one of the ablest and best edited papers in this, or any other country.

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