

DES MOINES RIVER WATERS FALLING

The Turbulent Little Stream is Falling Back to Normal Again After Overrunning its Banks.

MISSISSIPPI IS RISING

A Rise of Two Tenths of a Foot Since Yesterday—Other Notes of Interest Along the River.

The Mississippi river is still rising, the stage the morning reading 12.5 feet, a rise of two tenths of a foot since yesterday morning.

Des Moines is Falling. The Des Moines river is now falling. Today the stage of the river at Ottumwa was 12.5 feet and the stream will continue to fall.

Canal Choked. The canal is full of floating, dirty debris from the recent rains which washed dirt from the banks of the ditch and the floating mass has become clogged above the gates at the lower locks.

The break in the viaduct of the Hennepin canal has been repaired and the launch Viper which has been lying at the lower lock for the past several weeks awaiting repairs on the Hennepin, will be taken up in a day or two to be used in that neighborhood for much the same purpose as the launch Mudge is used in a hurry.

Christian Excursion.

The excursion given to Quincy yesterday on the steamer Keokuk by the second Christian church, returned last evening at 8:30 after an enjoyable day's outing on the river.

A large number are planning to take on the excursion given next Monday to Quincy on the large steamer J. S. by the Unitarian society. This will be the first appearance at this port this season of the J. S., one of the largest excursion steamers on the Mississippi.

The steamer Dubuque arrived in port last evening from Burlington at 7:05 and left at 8:30 from the landing with a crowd of five hundred excursionists for a trip on the river. The excursion was given by the Catholic Men's club and the large number who took the ride on the river highly enjoyed the trip.

Foley's Honey and Tar is especially recommended for chronic throat and lung troubles and many sufferers from bronchitis, asthma and consumption have found comfort and relief, by using Foley's Honey and Tar.

SOMETHING OF AN EATER.

Terre Haute, Ill., Man Distances all Competitors as a Gourmand.

La Harpe Quill: Terre Haute may be a small place and there may be some who never heard of the town in the grand old Prairie state, yet she is not wholly without reputation.

Terre Haute stepped into the limelight Tuesday night when one of her citizens surpassed all known records in the eating line, the amount he ate and the time required in the act.

Jim Perry is the man who has suddenly come into notoriety, and stands unchallenged thus far as an eater.

Now Jim is an ordinary looking man, of medium height and size,

A CLOSE SHAVE

Many of Them Happen Every Day But Soon Forgotten.

Close shaves would be of more frequent occurrence but for the tender faces of many men, which will not permit of shaving often. Heretofore, nothing has been said in these columns about poison a new skin discovery, in connection with its use after shaving.

Posiam can be had for fifty cents at any reliable druggists particularly Wilkinson & Co., who make a specialty of it.

but it is his capacity that astonishes all who bump up against him.

Tuesday night he ate three large pineapples, two dozen bananas, some cheese and crackers, together with a quantity of cakes and candy, but this was nothing.

Wagers were made, and time set for Jim to get on the outside of the hen fruit. Postmaster Mathews was appointed as time keeper; the eggs were counted out and Jim set to work, and in forty-five seconds the last egg was down Jim's throat.

Some years ago they had an eating contest between Jim and John Bundy of this city. La Harpe thought she had a man who could eat so a contest was arranged and the menu gotten up consisted of thirteen pounds.

It is nothing for Mr. Perry to go up town after he has had supper and eat a pound of honey without any eating else.

The feat of Tuesday night, one dozen raw eggs in 45 seconds, is what Jim is proud of.

Alone in Sawmill at Midnight unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as night watchman at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lung.

Mr. Perry declares that he can eat one hundred quail in one hundred days, as has been said that no man can do.

To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as backache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion, and you will soon be well.

The Mauretania's New Record. NEW YORK, June 11.—The Giant Cunard Mauretania arrived here at the pier today with a new record made in her west bound trip.

Many of our citizens are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure.

All Pipe Lines Get a Shine. WASHINGTON, June 11.—It was announced today that the secretary of the Interior has decided to amend the regulations governing the oil and gas pipe lines in Oklahoma.

Do Children Need Alcohol? Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely."

CHILDRENS' DAY NEXT SUNDAY

Program Has Been Arranged for Exercises at St. Paul's Church.

Next Sunday will be observed as Children's day at St. Paul's German Evangelical church, the following program having been arranged, to take place at 10 o'clock in the morning:

Program. Opening Song, by the primary classes. Selection by the orchestra. Song. Prayer. Song. Address, by Rev. Nuesch. Song. Recitation, "Children's Day," by Bertha Pfing.

Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels.

Dolliver and Cummins Endorsed. DAVENPORT, Ia., June 10.—The Iowa State Manufacturers' association today adopted resolutions endorsing Senators Dolliver and Cummins for the stand they are taking in the tariff discussion.

The social given last evening at the United Presbyterian church by the Women's Sewing Society, was much enjoyed by the large number who attended during the evening.

CITY NEWS.

—Read The Daily Gate City, 10 cents per week.

—Miss Sarah H. Saffle of the post office department, begins a two weeks' vacation tomorrow.

—Choice spring chickens, spring lamb, beef, pork and veal loaf at Haubert's, 709 Main st.

—A. L. Massa, traveling representative of the Empire line, with headquarters in Burlington, was a visitor at the Wabash office today.

—An information was filed this afternoon against a man named McGee, by Officer Leindecker of the Humane society, charging him with the abuse of a horse which was lying in a stable on Sixth street between Des Moines and Palesan streets.

—The early part of the coffee week, A. M. Clark of this city and Logan Dodds, D. S., of Davenport, will depart for Seattle, Wash., to remain during the summer at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

—J. Mohammed Ali, of Lahore, India, and salesman for an eastern tea house, is in the city for a few days. Last evening he was present at a meeting of the Trinity Men's Club held at the home of E. W. Pierce and proved a very interesting guest.

—A little girl whose name was not learned, was thrown from her bicycle at Third and Johnson street last evening and sustained several injuries about the head.

—The members of the A. M. E. Sunday school left this morning for Wild Cat Springs with well filled picnic baskets where they will spend the day. The crowd was conveyed to the picnic grounds in excursion cars.

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A granite shower was given last evening at the home of Miss Nellie Schuler in honor of Miss Ella Vermillion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sharp entertained the Misses Anna Comer, Katie Johns, Birdie Kennedy, at breakfast Wednesday morning at their home, 1216 Orleans street.

Mrs. W. N. Sage is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Stafford of Kahoka, Mo., and Mrs. S. Bruce Stafford of Chicago, at her home on Franklin street.

A moonlight excursion and dance will be given by the Elks on next Friday evening, the orchestra will furnish music during the evening.

A private dance will be given at Hamilton this evening by Miss Pence and Mr. Pence.

The members of the Country Club will enjoy a dance tomorrow evening, Agne's orchestra to furnish music for the occasion.

Miss Ella Vermillion will entertain a number of young lady friends at her home, 812 Fulton street, this evening.

The Misses Mary L. and Emma Seibert of 727 Exchange street, entertained a few friends at dinner last evening in honor of Misses Rose and Mayme Huverstahl of Los Angeles, California.

Misses Angle and Hannah Hawkes, and Messrs. Victor Lytle and Geo. Hartel last evening went to Hawkes' Nest for supper and to spend the evening.

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The Ladies Aid society of the German Methodist church, corner Fourteenth and Johnson streets, was pleasantly entertained at a coffee yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Wustrow on Belknap Boulevard. A fine luncheon was served and highly enjoyed by the large number of ladies who attended during the afternoon.

The Royal Neighbors and friends were very pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Steiger at Fourteenth and Fulton streets. During the evening a short musical program was given which was much enjoyed by the large number present.

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—A tennis tournament is being arranged for members of the athletic field.

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—A petition was filed this afternoon with the city clerk by W. B. Collins asking that the grade of the street be changed at Fifteenth and Grand Avenue at the Rand park gate, so that the water will be carried down to Thirteenth street instead of through the park.

Beware of Ointments for Cataract That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them.

Kill the Fly. Sioux City Journal: A squashed fly in time saves nine millions.

Whither Are We Drifting? J. E. Carter in the Sioux Rapids Republican-Press: Where is this country going to land? We, of the north, have been forty-five years trying to reconcile the difference that existed in 1861.

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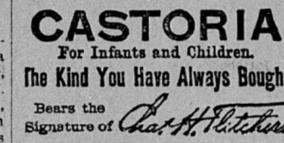
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WANTED—Ladies to learn hair-dressing, manicuring, facial massage, electrolysis or chiropody. Largest and most complete institution of the kind in the world. Few weeks complete. Tools given, catalogue mailed free. Moler College, St. Louis, Mo. 11

WANTED—By young gentleman room with board preferred on north side. Address "E" this office.

WANTED—300 or 400 feet of seasoned wild cherry lumber by Dr. Coulter of Summitville, Iowa. 11

WANTED—A competent cook. Mrs. W. H. Carter, 328 North Second street. 11

WANTED—Good carpenters, no others need apply. Wages 40 and 45c per hour. Steady work. J. H. Harbo, 1609 Webster Street, Omaha, Nebr. 9-6t

FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Beautiful ten room residence. Hardwood floors, furnace, stationary laundry tubs, cement floor in cellar, and all modern conveniences. Fine large yard. 727 North Ninth. Inquire 417 North Second st. 11-2t

FOR RENT—New modern dwelling, north side, furnace, electric lights, gas, bath. Address 727 Morgan. 11

FOR RENT—House of 5 rooms, good river view, no children. First and Concert. Enquire there. 6-8-t

LOST. LOST—On streets Thursday, pocket book containing \$55.00 currency, a Columbian half dollar and Canadian dime. Reward if returned to Mrs. Geo. A. Hopkins, 829 High street. 11

FOUND. FOUND—Child's red coat. Owner call at this office. 11

PERSONALS. A. L. Snodgrass, local agent of the Rock Island, left yesterday afternoon for Oskaloosa where he will visit.

Mrs. W. H. Shattuck and son Ross left yesterday for a three weeks visit with relatives at St. Joe, Mo., and Caldwell, Kans.

Mr. Mrs. Warren J. Smith of Waterloo, Iowa, are expected to arrive in the city tonight to visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pond.

Max Bloomfield has returned after a couple of weeks visit in Canada with his parents.

Mrs. J. J. Smith of Chicago is here for a visit with her sister, Miss Brownell of No. 620 North Fifth street.

CITY NEWS.

—The Iowa Federation of Labor, in session at Dubuque, voted by a vote of 42 to 33 against a resolution for women suffrage. A resolution was adopted requesting the state to provide a system of insurance against sickness, accident and old age, for both men and women.

Chicago Grain. CHICAGO, Ill., June 11.—Open. High. Low. Close. Wheat . . . 117 1/2 117 1/2 115 1/2 116 1/2. Corn . . . 73 73 72 72 1/2. Oats . . . 53 53 52 52 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock. CHICAGO, June 11.—Receipts, 1,500, steady; beefs, \$5.20@7.25; stockers, \$3.60@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 26,000, active and weak; light \$6.50@7.35; heavy \$7.10@7.50; pigs \$6.00@6.80.

Kansas City Live Stock. KANSAS CITY, June 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, steady, 10c lower; steers \$5.00@7.00; stockers \$3.75@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000, 5c lower; bulk, \$7.10@7.55; pigs \$5.75@6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000, steady; nuttens \$4.85@6.00; lambs \$6.50@8.75.

New York Produce. NEW YORK, June 11.—Dressed poultry dull; live poultry dull; easy. Cheese—Steady; full creams specials, 13 1/2@14c; skims specials, 11c; full skims, 12@13c. Butter—Strong; creamery extra, 26 1/2c; state dairy tubs, 21@22c; imitation creamery firsts, 21@22c. Eggs—Quiet; nearby white fancy, 23 1/2c; fresh firsts, 21@22 1/2c.

New York Stocks. NEW YORK, June 11.—A large part of the trading was of a professional character, with the west through wire houses buying heavily at the start. The western buying was the most pronounced in Reading, causing an advance of over two points, which was lost later. Other stocks moved in about the same manner, early advances being followed by a fairly rapid downward movement, with reaction in progress as the first hour ended. Some specialties were well held. Government bonds unchanged, other bonds strong.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY. KEOKUK COUNCIL, No. 1039. Meet the first and third Monday of each month, at A. O. U. W. hall at 8 o'clock. E. E. Hawkes, president; Dr. O. W. Rowe, financier; Mayme C. Schenk, secretary.

The Sunrise of Life. Infants and children are constantly needing a laxative. It is important to know what to give them. Their stomachs at 3 bowls are not strong enough for salts, purgative waters or cathartic pills, powders or tablets. Give them a mild, pleasant, gentle, laxative tonic like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which sells at the small sum of 50 cents or \$1 at drug stores. It is the one great remedy for you to have in the house to give children when they need it.

FRATERNAL CAJONS

MASONIC.

Hall, corner Fourth and Main Eagle lodge, No. 12—holds its regular meeting the first Tuesday evening of each month.

Hardin Lodge, No. 29—holds its regular monthly meetings the second Monday evening of each month.

Gate City Royal Arch Chapter, No. 7—holds its regular meetings the second Friday in each month.

Damascus Communion of Light Tempair, No. 5—Regular convocations Tuesday of each month.

Elmira Chapter, No. 40, Order of the Eastern Star, holds its regular meeting the second Tuesday evening of each month. Mrs. E. A. Eaton, W. M.; Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, Secretary.

G. A. R. The Hawkes Hall. Torrence post No. 2, Department of Iowa. Regular meetings second Thursday evening of each month at 7:30 o'clock. B. F. Crow, Post Commander; S. H. Johnston, Adjutant.

W. R. C.—The Hawkes Hall—Regular meeting of Torrence Relief Corps, No. 100, the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 2:30 o'clock p. m. sharp. Mrs. Chas. M. Cook, President; Mrs. Lena Van Fleet, secretary.

Belknap Post O. A. R., No. 515—Schouten's Hall, Tenth and Main streets—Meets the first Wednesday of each month. L. A. Berryhill, Commander.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS. Hall Seventh and Main Streets. Keokuk Lodge, No. 18, meets regularly Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. H. R. Miller, N. G.; A. J. Hershey, Recording Secretary.

Fuchshtuek Lodge No. 43, meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. E. S. Cushman, N. G.; Geo. W. Imregart, Per. Sec.

Hertman Lodge, No. 116 (German), meets regularly every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. C. Loeffler, N. G.; Albert Keifer, Rec. Sec.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 4—Meets regularly every second and fourth Tuesday of month at Odd Fellows' hall, corner Seventh and Main streets. Mrs. Effie Boler, N. G.; Nellie Hardesty, Financial Secretary; Nina Phillips, V. G.; Miss Minnie Brienstein, Recording Secretary.

Puckchuck Encampment, N. 7.—Meets first and third Tuesday evening of each month. Otto Anschutz, Scribe.

Canton Leach, No. 4, P. M.; I. O. O. F.—Meets every second Tuesday of each month. Frank Wahlgren Captain; Geo. W. Hardin, Clerk.

MODERN WOMEN OF AMERICA Gibbons Hall. Keokuk camp No. 622—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Our latch string is out to neighbors. John P. Johnson, V. C.; J. A. Pollard, Clerk.

B. P. O. Elks. Keokuk Lodge No. 106—Meets first and third Thursday nights at Elks' hall Gibbons opera house block, Sixth and Main streets. Club rooms open daily. Visiting brothers cordially invited. L. J. Wolf, E. R.; William Reinbold, Secretary.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES. Keokuk Aerie, No. 683—Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at Horn hall, corner Eighth and Main. Visiting brothers cordially invited. Leo Anschutz, W. President; A. Noaks, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR. Hall over Savings Bank. Keokuk Lodge, No. 544—Meets regularly on the second and fourth Fridays of each month. J. W. Steiger, Director; C. Loeffler, Reporter.

COURT OF HONOR. A. O. U. W. hall, Eighth and Main. Meets the first and third Friday nights of each month. Visiting members cordially invited. W. J. Keesler, chap.

IOWA LEGION OF HONOR. Hall over Savings Bank. Lee Lodge, No. 58—Meets the fourth Monday in each month. S. B. Lowitz, President; Ira W. DeMoss, Recording Secretary.

A. O. U. W. Keokuk Lodge, No. 256 Meets every Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock at Hall over Keokuk Savings bank, corner Fifth and Main streets. Visiting brother cordially invited. C. W. Trotter, M. W.; Ed. W. Moore, Recorder.

K. O. P. Morning Star Lodge No. 5—Meets Fifth and Blcndeu, K. of P. building, Tuesday at 8:00 p. m. W. E. Strimback, Chancellor; Commander; Edward F. Carter, K. of R. and S. Visiting Knights fraternally invited.

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