

ROY MILLION DIED FROM ACCIDENT

Employe of Taber Lumber Company Who Was Run Over by Wagon This Morning Passed Away at 1 O'Clock.

THE HORSES FRIGHTENED

Driver Had Fallen From Top of Load of Pickets and Under Wheels of Heavy Lumber Wagon.

Roy Million whose chest was badly crushed when he was run over this morning by a lumber wagon, died at 12:50 o'clock this noon in Graham hospital. At the time of his death the unfortunate man's wife and sister were present.

How He Met Death. Roy Million, one of the extra drivers of the Taber Lumber company, had been called on duty at the lumber yards this morning by the absence of a regular driver who had been called to his home by a death in the family.

The foremost of the pickets sliding forward, fell to the road and in doing so struck the heels of the horses. The team, though an old one, started to run, being frightened by the pickets falling against them.

The police patrol was called and the injured man removed to Graham hospital where he was given immediate medical attention. His injuries were at once seen to be fatal and little hopes were entertained for his recovery after he had been taken to the hospital.

Roy Million was forty years old last April. The grief stricken wife and sister were unable this afternoon to talk regarding the birth and life of the husband and brother and the friends and relatives of the deceased have been plunged into deep sorrow by the awful mishap of this morning.

The deceased was formerly employed at the Hubinger Brother cereal works and was an industrious young man in the prime of life.

The sorrowing wife has the sympathy of all in the death of her husband. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made but will be announced later.

No Coroner's Inquest. Coroner's inquest was waived this afternoon by the relatives of the deceased as there were several witnesses to the accident, which caused the death.

PERSONALS

J. A. Cotter, roadmaster for the K. & W. was in the city last night. Mrs. Bert Clark is visiting relatives in Galesburg. Mr. Clark will go to Galesburg Sunday and accompany Mrs. Clark home.

Mrs. L. W. Hall has returned from a few weeks' visit to Des Moines. M. A. McCaffrey of Quincy, Ill., was in Keokuk yesterday attending the commencement exercises at St. Peter's high school.

Miss Henrietta Fenor of Warsaw, Ill., came up to be present at the graduating exercises of St. Peter's high school. While in the city she was the guest of Miss Cornelia McCaffrey of 924 Palean street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnsons left for Chicago Wednesday afternoon. They are expected home tonight. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Eckland have returned from Chicago and will be at home at 727 Concert street after July 1.

SOCIETY

Mrs. De Young for Guest. A very pretty company of forty ladies will be entertained at the residence of Mrs. John De Young, 211 Blondeau street, on Saturday afternoon, from 3 until 6 o'clock.

The event will be in honor of the house guest of the hostess, Mrs. William F. Coles of Mount Pleasant. The function will be a unique one in every way and the idea throughout will present a miniature "bird carnival."

The hostess has issued very neat and attractive invitations for her affair, reading in verse as follows: Since birds in a feather flock together I see no reason why, this same little trick, (For I'm sure you're a bird) Cannot work 'twixt you and I.

At 211 Blondeau street you will find the nest, On Saturday at three, if you'll seek the perch, I'll do my best to see that the birds agree.

Her Birthday. Miss June Rowe, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Rowe, was the charming little hostess to about fifteen of her young friends at a birthday party at her residence, 116 North Third street, this afternoon. The hours were very happily spent by the young people in celebrating the twelfth birthday of their hostess, various games being indulged in and a fine birthday luncheon being served the guests.

Porch Party This Evening. A company of ladies and gentlemen will be entertained at a porch party this evening at the residence of H. T. Graham, 329 North Second street.

Held Beautiful Reception. Mrs. Mary Phillips entertained at a delightful evening reception at her residence, 317 North Second street, on Tuesday evening of this week. The affair, which was one of the most charming formal functions of its kind during the present season, was attended by twenty-five guests. An evening of music was indulged in, Miss Culver and Mr. William Farmer, being among those favored and entertaining during the several enjoyable hours. Pleasing refreshments were served and the occasion made a beautiful event for those invited guests.

A Pretty Wedding. A very pretty wedding ceremony was performed last evening at eight o'clock, when Miss Maud Orilly, gold, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Arnold, became the bride of Mr. William Oscar Burris, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elwell. Those present were the following: Misses Gladys Burris, Marie Ferris, Hazel Arnold, Emma Arnold, Lettie Arnold, Alice Arnold, Minnie Griffin, Minnie Blink, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elwell, Miles Arnold, Warner Arnold, Mrs. Charlie Isaac, Rosa Griffin, Messrs. Lester Nelson Burris, Loren Mecum, Glenn Clark, Miles, Harry, Frank, and Edd. Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. William Burris will live for the present at the home of Mrs. Burris' parents, at 619 S. Second street.

CITY NEWS

One lady residing near Fourth and Blondeau streets reported to the police this morning that some one had entered her yard, taken the collar from her dog, which had a tax tag attached and threw it into the yard. Then they ran away with the dog. As proof, the Fourth street resident brought the tag and collar to the station and looked through the pound to see if her pet was there. Nothing could be found of the dog, however, and the thief, or whoever threw the collar back, is probably keeping the animal until a good opportunity presents itself to take it to the station and claim a bounty of "two-bits."

The private car of General Manager J. G. Hurley of the Santa Fe Railroad company passed through the city this morning attached to north bound K. line train No. 1. The general manager will go to Fort Madison and thence to his own road. Charles Lamb, a one-legged drunk was fined a dollar and costs in the superior court today. J. R. (Asa) Cutwright was sworn in today as official dog catcher of the city of Keokuk. Dave McClintock, assistant and ex-officio canine grabber, will also serve in the same capacity.

Samuel Cohn Dead.

MUSCATINE, June 16.—Samuel Cohn, one of the best known older residents of this city and for many years head of the Cohn Clothing house here and formerly prominent in democratic politics, passed away at his home. "Tis the irony of fate," sighed the county fair aeronaut. "When a boy I wore patches on my trousers and now that I'm a man I sail the skies in a patched balloon."

Pathetic.

The young lad was brought to Keokuk about two weeks ago suffering from his ailments, accompanied by his mother. His parents hoped that the lower altitude of the middle west would prove beneficial, and in fact he improved steadily after arriving here, until last evening when there came a sudden relapse. He sank quickly until the end today.

He was born in Denver and would have been graduated from the Denver high school next year. Mr. Kille is well remembered in Keokuk, having lived here about twenty years ago.

GRADE PUPILS IN COMMENCEMENT

Program Arranged for Friday Afternoon at St. Peter's Hall, When Pupils Will Leave Eighth Grade.

MEDALS TO BE AWARDED

One for United States History Given by Knights of Columbus and for Irish History by the Hibernians.

Commencement exercises of the eighth grade pupils of St. Peter's school will be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. An excellent program will be carried out and medals in United States history and Irish history will be awarded. A medal for the former study is given by the Knights of Columbus and in the latter by Division No. 1, A. O. H.

Program. Chorus—"Softly and Sweetly Music Should Flow," (Glover)—Girls' Vocal Class. Piano solo—"The Lily Rustic Dance," (Waddington)—Frances Sansone. Piano solo—"May," (Behr)—Anna McAndrew. Lullaby—"Sleep Little Baby of Mine," (Denoe)—primary grade. Piano solo—"Four-Leaf Clover," (Englemann)—Gertrude Rovane. Piano solo—"Butterfly Waltz," (Englemann)—Helen Sargent. Chorus—"The Banner of the Sea," (Ganss)—Boys' vocal class. Piano solo—"La Petite Marche," (Chaput)—Marie Faber. Piano solo—"Carnival Kings," (Buechel)—Adeline Steibinger. Chorus—"Where the Jam-Pots Grow," (Hanson)—the second, third and fourth grades. Light Gymnastics—Elizabeth Donnelly. Piano solo—"Alpine Glow," (Oesten)—Emmanuella Flood. Garland drill—seventh and eighth grade girls. Piano solo—"Sparkling Cascade," (Williams)—Elizabeth Donnelly. Awarding of certificates. Chorus—"Sacred Heart of Jesus,"—school.

LA GRANGE WOMAN DIES IN HOSPITAL. Mrs. Catherine Wheeler Passed Away at Half Past Six this Morning From Shock of Operation. Death occurred at 6:30 o'clock this morning in Graham hospital to Mrs. Catherine Wheeler of LaGrange, Mo., who was brought here on last Saturday evening for operation. The deceased underwent a surgical operation yesterday and death resulted from the shock. The deceased was thirty-eight years old and was a well known resident of the Missouri town. She leaves a husband, William Wheeler, and daughters, Mrs. Ellen Davidson, Catherine, Queen and a son Calvin. The body was taken to LaGrange at 1:15 this afternoon and burial will be held on tomorrow afternoon.

LAHARPE, ILL.

Today at Sterling, Ill., will occur the marriage of I. Ward Hungate of this city and Miss Ethel Lawrence of Sterling. The couple will take an auto trip into Wisconsin for about three weeks, after which they will return to this city, where they will reside. The remains of Mrs. Jim Burr Watson arrived from Pueblo, Colo., today and the funeral will be held from the M. P. church at 2 p. m. tomorrow. Those who accompanied the body from Colorado, were the husband, Chas. M. Watson and infant son, also Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. C. H. Baines, and two daughters, Misses Lulu and Bessie Burr. LaHarpe is planning a big celebration for July 4, and is offering big inducements and attractions to draw a large crowd. A good band has been secured, also many other amusements and efforts are being made to get a couple to be married in the park. A large list of presents is offered to such a couple, including household articles, clothing and money. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guymon of Dade City, Florida, are mourning the death of an infant son, aged about three months. Mrs. Guymon was formerly Miss Clara Soule of this city. Miss Rice left Tuesday for Champaign to join a party of friends who will make a three months European tour. Jno. M. Lyon and sons, Boyd and Arthur, are spending the week in Chicago. Lyell and Ruth Butler, Ralph Soule, Vera and Vern McClure are home from Knox college. The marriage of Miss Pauline Bradshaw of this city and Mr. Harold Mather, of Galesburg, will occur at the home of the bride's father, John H. Bradshaw, this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Arthur Crawford of Kiswick, Iowa, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Louisa Comstock.

CITY NEWS

Ralph Leake, who left here about nine months ago to become the assistant physical director of the Baltimore Y. M. C. A., has resigned from that organization to become director of athletics in the public athletic park of Baltimore. This is just a new organization and is under the direction of the city officials, being run as a public athletic grounds. The park contains four tennis courts, two baseball diamonds, a club house, and a park about the size of Rand park. He has two women and two men directors under him. His work in the Baltimore Y. M. C. A. attracted the attention of the promoters of the new project and they offered him the place which comes as a deserved promotion. He will take up his new duty as soon as the park is finished, which is expected to be about the first of July.

LATE AFTERNOON BULLETINS

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The committee on foreign affairs today declined to decide whether the government should favor San Francisco or New Orleans as the city in which the celebration of the opening of the Panama canal should be held. WASHINGTON, June 16.—The victory of the Omaha Commercial club over various railroads regarding the rates of lumber from the south, was decided today when the Interstate commerce commission decided that the rate should not exceed 25 cents per hundred pounds. This is 2 1/2 cents lower than the roads are now charging.

DEATH ENDED A YOUNG LIFE

Caldwell Kille Came to Keokuk With Mother Two Weeks Ago for Relief, But Died Today. Caldwell Kille, age seventeen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kille of Denver, Colo., former residents of Keokuk, died at 12:20 this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kille's brother, O. E. King, 1003 Blondeau street, of heart trouble. The young lad was brought to Keokuk about two weeks ago suffering from his ailments, accompanied by his mother. His parents hoped that the lower altitude of the middle west would prove beneficial, and in fact he improved steadily after arriving here, until last evening when there came a sudden relapse. He sank quickly until the end today. He was born in Denver and would have been graduated from the Denver high school next year. Mr. Kille is well remembered in Keokuk, having lived here about twenty years ago.

MRS. BLOOD'S FUNERAL TODAY

Services at Five O'clock From the Late Residence on North Fifth Street.

This afternoon at five o'clock Rev. E. B. Newcomb of the First Westminster Presbyterian church will conduct funeral services for the late Mrs. H. B. Blood at the residence, 528 North Fifth street. No flowers other than a beautiful floral robe will be used in consigning the body of the beloved woman to her last resting place. The following gentlemen will assist as active pallbearers: W. C. Howell, A. Hollingsworth, J. I. Annable, J. V. E. Titus, Ed. F. Carter and Hazen I. Sawyer. The honorary pallbearers will be: Captain A. H. Evans, D. W. McElroy, D. B. Hamill, L. H. Ayre, Henry Strickler, Geo. E. Rix, Gavin Herbert and W. J. Fulton. Interment will be in Oakland cemetery.

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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frank left this morning for Nauvoo where they will spend the day. Mrs. M. J. Burke returned to Keokuk today. She was accompanied by Mr. Paul Stabler of Galesburg. Mr. J. Conron, traveling passenger agent of the Grand Trunk, was in the city today. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sinton returned to Keokuk this noon after a few days visit in Fairfield. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Johnson of Good Hope are Keokuk callers today. J. M. Cruze of Vincennes was a Keokuk business caller today. John Lefsy left this noon for Peoria to be gone a few days. E. F. Bisbee arrived in the city this noon from Oklahoma City. Fredrick C. Smith, who has been a student in the University of Chicago for the last year, is expected home this evening. C. F. Newman of Tioga was a Keokuk caller today. Will Durkhop was in the city from Sutter, today. John P. Kennedy of Montrose was a Keokuk caller today. Gillis G. Johnson has returned from Davenport where he attended the

celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Augustana Synod of the Lutheran church. He went as a delegate from the Swedish Lutheran church. Mrs. Zack Owens of Montrose was in the city today.

Supreme Court Decisions.

[Special to The Gate City.] DES MOINES, June 16.—Combe, appellant, against Corrough, Poweshiek district; affirmed. Galloway, appellant, against Turner Improvement company, Polk district; affirmed. Obenchain against Harris and Cole Bros., appellants, Black Hawk district; affirmed. Guardianship of Nelson, Crawford district; affirmed. Estate of Crawford, Des Moines district; affirmed. Watson against American Patriots, appellant, Dallas district; affirmed. Trot against Minneapolis and St. Louis Railway company, appellant, Dallas district; affirmed. Simecke, appellant, against Sayre, Guthrie district; affirmed. Dow against Des Moines City Railway company, appellant, Polk district; affirmed. Bayles against Savery Hotel company, appellant, Polk district; affirmed. Manion, appellant, against Brady, Allamakee district; affirmed. Hamilton against Hamilton, appellant, Carroll district; affirmed. Volquardson against Iowa Telephone company, appellant, Scott district; reversed on defendant's appeal; affirmed on plaintiff's appeal. Gibson, plaintiff, against Hutchison Judge, Woodbury district; annulled. Allen, plaintiff, against Brennan, Polk district; dismissed. Gavin against Des Moines Insurance company, appellant, Polk district; reversed. Francis against Preachers' Aid society, appellant, Polk district; reversed. Ford Brothers, appellant, against Board Park Commissioners, Polk district; reversed. Ashcraft against Davenport Locomotive Works, appellant, Scott district; reversed. Robbins, appellant, against Archer, Taylor district; reversed. Miller against Kramer, appellant, against Archer, Taylor district; reversed. Miller against Kramer, appellant, Lee district; reversed. Hawk, appellant, against Day, Keokuk district; reversed. Botler against Globe Plumbing company, appellant, Polk district; reversed.

MONSTER STAND FOR THE ARMY TOURNEY

Largest Grand Stand Ever Constructed Being Erected at Grant Park, Chicago. CHICAGO, June 16.—The largest grand stand ever constructed is now being built at Grant park on the lake front for the United States Army tournament July 4-14. This stand will seat 40,000 people and will be larger by 10,000 seats than the one now being constructed in San Francisco for the Jeffries-Johnson fight which occurs on the same day that the tournament stands will be used for the first time. It will require 1,000,000 feet of lumber to erect this stand and the estimated cost is \$25,000. They will be built around the great arena 400 by 600 feet in which the daily afternoon and evening exhibitions of the army are to be given. A remarkable feature of these stands is that they will be portable and will be so erected that they can be taken up after the tournament and reconstructed in some other city. The contract for the stands has been awarded to a Cleveland firm which makes a specialty of handling stands for large public celebrations. It was this firm which built the stands and bleachers for the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York City and also the Founders' Week celebration in Philadelphia and the Home Coming tendered to the Wright brothers by Dayton, Ohio.

KAISER NOW HAS SORE KNEE

German Ruler Needs a Dose of Sarsaparilla for His Blood. BERLIN, June 16.—The kaiser is again partially incapacitated today as the result of a sore beneath his right knee. The physicians say it has no connection with the abscess on his right hand.

DIVERS SEARCH THE LAKE BOTTOM

Still Looking for the Body of Porter Charlton, Whose Wife Was Murdered. COMO, June 16.—Divers are today searching the bed of Lake Como near the spot where the body of Mrs. Charlton was drawn from the lake, in the hope of finding the body of her husband, Porter Charlton.

ROOSEVELT WRITES TO THE CONVENTION

World's Missionary Conference Hears From Him While in Meeting in Scotland. EDINBURGH, June 16.—A letter from Colonel Roosevelt in which he pleaded for a united christendom of the world, created enthusiasm among the thousands of delegates attending the world's missionary conference. The delegates cheered the letter for several minutes. He expressed his regret at being unable to attend the convention as a delegate of the Dutch Reform church.

Sewer Gas Fatal.

DES MOINES, June 16.—George Grimes, aged one year, is dead. Stella Grimes, aged three, is dangerously sick. Guy Grimes, aged eight, and Elinore Grimes, aged six are sick as the result of sewer gas. They are the children of Charles C. Grimes, 1605 Capital avenue. Grimes works nights and on returning home found his little son dead and the other children sick. Had he not returned earlier than usual the entire family would probably have been dead.

Murder in First Degree.

IOWA CITY, June 16.—Oliver P. Driver of Lone Tree, who was struck over the head by his employer, Henry Baker, at the Douglas & Baker barns in Lone Tree, as the result of a quarrel over a lap robe, died at his home. He was unconscious for several hours. Baker was released on bonds of \$3,000, but was rearrested by the marshal of Lone Tree and was charged with murder in the first degree. He will be brought to Iowa City and placed in jail. Both men have families.

First English Horse Races.

Chester possesses plausible claims to be the birthplace of the British turf. It was one William Lester, who about 1609, "being mayor of Chester, did cause three silver bells to be made of good value to be run for upon the Rooke Dee." This seems the earliest definite establishment of a horse race. From the nature of the prize was derived the proverb "To bear the bell," though the bells in this case existed long before the "ring." Our ancestors being more easily satisfied in the matter of amusement than their degenerate descendants there was apparently only one contest. The "Chester cup," which has been substituted for the "best bell," is now worth \$2,500, to say nothing of Cheshire cheeses for the three placed horses.—Westminster Gazette.

Arrested for Intoxication.

IOWA CITY, June 16.—Deputy State Fish and Game Warden D. H. Franks and F. P. Lam, both of Cedar Rapids, were arrested here and charged with intoxication. The arrest followed their failure to capture an alleged breaker of the fish laws.

EITHER ACCEPT OR GO TO PENITENTIARY

Man Secured Mail Route in Yellowstone Park and Now is Not Satisfied. ALTON, Ill., June 16.—Charles W. Freeman, traveling salesman, is in a tight place as the result of having applied for a mail route in Yellowstone park. While out west a year ago Freeman made application to the postal department for the position. Since that time he has taken a traveling position which is very lucrative. Yesterday word came to him that he had been awarded the mail route and that he was to begin work July 1st. Freeman wired he could not accept, and the officials wired back that he would have to do it or forfeit a bond of \$5,000, and spend twelve months in jail. They refused to excuse him. He has appealed to Congressman Rodenberg of this district to try to get relief for him. In the meantime he will have to resign his position and start west to pack mail over a lonely route in the Yellowstone.

City Drug Store Special Attention given to Prescriptions The WILLIAMS CARNATION TA CUM POWDER is something FINE--TRY IT. 700 Main St.

Maxwell & Tumelty Insurance & Real Estate 25 North Sixth St. A fine, thoroughly modern, ten-room frame residence, on one of the most desirable corner lots in First ward. This is an exceptional opportunity of securing one of the prettiest homes in this desirable part of the city. See us for price and particulars. Double brick dwelling, five rooms each side, Nos. 917 and 919 Bank street, with full lot. This is good investment property.



Hit The Mark You cannot miss it if you invest your money in real estate. There are more dollars for the investor in real estate than in anything else. Come and make your selection from our large list.

M. S. Ackles "THE REAL ESTATE MAN." Room 1, Estes Building. 9 room brick; modern; N. S. \$3,500 5 room cottage; good; N. S. \$1,500 7 room; fine; modern; N. S. \$2,800 8 room; fine lot; S. S. \$2,250 10 room frame; 2 lots; S. S. \$2,700 4 room cottage; new 426 S. 9th. \$1,700 3 room; 7 lots; bargain \$900 8 room frame; full lot; S. S. \$2,100 Bargains in Farms.

Want Column FOR SALE. HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale at Mrs. T. F. Rickards, 1220 High street. Everything in the way of house furnishings, sideboard, carpets, etc. 5t FOR SALE—\$3 western ewes and 63 lambs; none over 4 years old. L. E. Demiro, Montrose, Iowa, R-4. FOR SALE—319 South Second street. At reduced price for next two weeks. J. C. Howe. FOR SALE—23 foot speed boat "Arrow" 2 cylinder L. A. engine; also 16 foot boat with 3 h.p. Troy engine. Address H. Sillick, box 392, Warsaw, Illinois.

Your Boy Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a strong tonic, entirely free from alcohol.