

# KEOKUK NOISY AT RATE HEARING

John DeWitt, Industrial Agent, Asks That Keokuk be Given a Special Hearing of its Cause.

## GIVES HIS TESTIMONY

Declares That Iowa Will Lose and Illinois and Missouri Gain Unless There Comes a Readjustment.

Keokuk is making its full quota of noise at the big freight hearing which has been on in Des Moines during the past week. The latest move on the part of Keokuk shippers is to ask, through John De Witt, agent for the Keokuk Industrial Association, that a special hearing be had on its complaint. If this is granted by the interstate commerce commission, the Keokuk shippers will be given a hearing at some point in Iowa before January. It is understood that Keokuk wants to impress upon the interstate commerce commission the importance of freight rates in connection with manufacturing concerns which it is hoped will be brought here by the dam. It is pointed out that if Keokuk cannot offer better freight rates many of the concerns will be induced to locate in Illinois and Missouri towns.

According to rate experts present in attendance, the hearings held in Des Moines during the last week have been some of the most important ever held in the United States. The attendance of a large number of railroad representatives from all sections of the east and the middle west is evidence of the fact. If the Iowa and Des Moines complaints are successful a readjustment of rates that will affect all sections of the country will be made by the interstate commerce commission.

**DeWitt on Stand.**  
DES MOINES, Nov. 4.—John DeWitt, representing the Keokuk Industrial Association, took the stand in behalf of the request of Keokuk for a special hearing. He attempted to show how Keokuk is in a worse predicament than any of the other Mississippi river cities in Iowa. The Keokuk petition declares that the concerns who will be attracted to the vicinity of the new dam because of the power to be secured will locate in Illinois and Missouri instead of Iowa, because of the discriminatory rates in effect in and out of Keokuk. Mr. DeWitt also calls attention to the fact that Keokuk is nearer to the prominent cities on the other side of the river than any of the other Iowa cities.

**Unimpeachable.**—If you were to see the unequalled volume of unimpeachable testimony in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, you would upbraid yourself for so long delaying to take this effective medicine for that blood, disease from which you are suffering.

## WAS MEMBER OF FIRST FIRE COMPANY

William H. Thompson Died at His Home Friday Night After Five Week's Illness.

William H. Thompson, chief of the Keokuk fire department in 1868-69 and a member of the first fire company ever organized in Keokuk, died at his home at Nineteenth and Main Friday evening at the age of seventy-three years. He had been ill for more than five weeks.

Ex-chief Thompson was born in Steubenville, Ohio, June 23, 1833 and came to Keokuk in May, 1856. Mr. Thompson was a carpenter by trade and had been employed at Carter's. His marriage was to Miss Carrie Guy on January 12, 1865. He is survived by Mrs. Thompson and three children, W. W. Thompson of Peoria, Ill., George F. Thompson and Miss Carrie A. Thompson.

Mr. Thompson was a member of the First M. E. church and at one time a member of the Knights of Honor.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

# SUFFERED AGONY WITH ITCHING

And Burning. Sores Like Boils All Over Body. Parts of Flesh Raw. Could Scarcely Bear Clothes On. Nearly Worn Out When He Tried Cuticura Remedies and Was Cured.

"About four years ago I broke out with sores on my arms like boils. After two months they were all over my body, some coming, and some going away. In about six months the boils quit, but my arms, neck and body broke out with an itching, burning rash. It would burn and itch, and come out in pimples like grains of wheat. I was in a terrible condition; I could not sleep or rest. Parts of my flesh were raw, and I could scarcely bear my clothes on. I could not lie in bed in any position and rest. In about a year the sores extended down to my feet. Then I suffered agony with the burning, itching sores, I could hardly walk and for a long time I could not put on socks.

"All this time I was trying everything I could hear of, and had the skill of three doctors. They said it was eczema. I got no benefit from all this. I was nearly worn out, and had given up in despair of ever being cured when I was advised by a friend to try Cuticura Remedies. I purchased Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent, and used exactly as directed. I used the Cuticura Remedies constantly for four months, and nothing else, and was perfectly cured. It is now a year, and I have not had the least bit since. I am ready to praise the Cuticura Remedies at any time." (Signed) E. L. Cate, Elk, Ky., Nov. 10, 1910.

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## PERSONALS.

Mrs. August Ristow of Leavenworth, Kansas, is visiting her brother, F. A. Wedler, 913 Leighton Ave.

The Misses Mary and Anna Welsh arrived home from Cedar Rapids to attend the Crowley-Walsh wedding.

Miss Lucielle Knight is visiting friends in Chicago.

George Mattern of Donnellson was in the city Saturday to meet Senator Kenyon at the home of Attorney Hollingsworth.

Mrs. J. Chambers has returned from an extended visit to Peoria, Canton and other Illinois points.

Mrs. M. W. Davis leaves this week for her home in Connecticut after having been a resident here for the past two years. Mr. Davis who has been electrician for the firm of Scott-Madden Co., will not leave until next January. Their many friends will regret to see them leave here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Balleghn leave tomorrow for Ottumwa where Mr. Balleghn has a position with a large wholesale house.

S. A. Worley and son Marion, of Peoria, arrived in the city last evening to visit with Manager I. C. Worley of the Grand Opera house.

Attorney R. N. Johnson of Fort Madison was in the city yesterday and attended the Kenyon reception at the home of Attorney and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth.

Grant Kellogg and family of Golden Point, Ill., are in the city to visit several days with Mr. and Mrs. Bird Kellogg, 822 Morgan Street.

J. E. McAndrew is in the city from Chariton, Iowa, to visit over Sunday with relatives.

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## Motoring at Its Best.

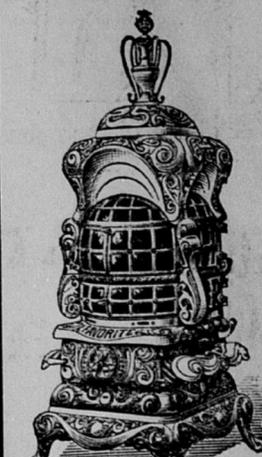
Few motorists know of motoring in all its fullness. They drive along country roads for a hundred miles or so, through towns so closely set that they virtually run through one long village, and they think they have motored. They cross the ocean and enjoy the perfect roads of France and Switzerland, and imagine they have experienced all there is in life in the motor car; but no one has ever been brought to a full realization of what motoring really is, or what the wonderful modern machine of man's creative genius is really capable of doing until they have sat in a racing car side by side with an expert driver and tasted the sport as it is under such conditions. Lord Byron once wrote: "What a delightful thing is a turnpike road, such a means of speeding the earth as scarce the eagle in the broad air can accomplish." He certainly spoke in prophecy of the motor car, and especially of the racing machine, which defies distance and shrinks space into the most tiny proportions.—The Columbian.

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## THE MARKETS

**The Stock Market.**  
[Gate City Leased Wire Service.]  
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Financial America in its edition Monday will say:  
The course of the stock market during the last week was a decided surprise to the street and to the speculative element generally, a belief having been created that filing United States Steel corporation suit would cause a crumbling of values. Instead of serious losses being sustained, prices vigorously advanced up, ranging from 5 to 8 points in many active issues. This improvement was about equally attributed to the tacit approval of the American Tobacco plan and to the good showing made in the statement of earnings of the steel corporation for the quarter ended Sept. 30, last.

The manner in which United States steel recovered the loss of 8 1/2 points on the day after filing the government's suit is one of the noteworthy events in Wall street's history. For a week had passed this loss was not only recovered but a net gain of over 1 point was recorded. The idea was forced in many minds that the institution of suit against the steel corporation did not amply antagonize that corporation on the part of the government but in reality brought it under the pain of the courts and was a step to nullifying the action of the house investigating committee which has been endeavoring for further action against corporations.

Much of the strength of the stock market has been attributed to the sustaining huge outstanding short interest. Covering of shorts progressed on a large scale while the advance was in full swing, but it cannot be said that the developments in the loan crowd show that the short interest has been materially reduced.

There is good reason to believe the United States court of appeals will today announce its decision in regard to the American Tobacco plan that was submitted to it a week ago.

The copper situation is taking a more favorable shape, the fractional advance in the metal being well maintained, and it is expected the statement of the copper producers' association will be of an extremely favorable character.

**The Grain Market.**  
CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Wild rumors of possible federal prosecutions appeared to have worn themselves out, so far as trading in wheat was concerned today. Though there was nothing in the news to stimulate strength, the opening was higher. The market was apparently normal throughout the session. In the close December was down 1/4; May down 1/4.

Corn displayed early strength, due to reports indicating possible approach of unfavorable weather, and the knowledge that gained circulation that a big operator was buying the cereal. His success in previous deals inspired confidence. The close was: December down 1/4; May down 1/4.

Strength in other grains boosted oats at the opening and later reports of a falling off in receipts made the market firm. The close was: December up 1/4; May up 1/4.

Provisions ruled fairly strong, large

purchases by a broker popularly supposed to be purchasing for export.

## Daily Range of Prices.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 4.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
<b>WHEAT—</b>				
Dec. ....	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
May .....	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
July .....	95 1/2	95 1/2	95	95
<b>CORN—</b>				
Dec. ....	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
May .....	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
July .....	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
<b>OATS—</b>				
Dec. ....	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
May .....	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49
July .....	45 1/2	46	45 1/2	45 1/2
<b>PORK—</b>				
Jan. ....	15 1/2	16.07	15.95	16.02
May .....	16.27	16.42	16.27	16.35
<b>LARD—</b>				
Nov. ....	.....	.....	.....	9.02
Dec. ....	.....	.....	.....	9.15
Jan. ....	9.20	9.20	9.17	9.17
May .....	9.27	9.40	9.35	9.35
<b>SHORT RIBS—</b>				
Jan. ....	8.32	8.32	8.30	8.30
May .....	8.40	8.47	8.40	8.45

## Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; estimated, 11,000; left over, 3,750; market opened strong, 9 a. m.—Market steady; receipts 6,450; light, \$5.60@6.30; mixed, \$5.75@6.45; rough, \$5.75@5.95; heavy, \$5.75@6.45.

Cattle—200; market steady. Sheep—Receipts 1,000; market steady.

## St. Louis Hay Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 4.—Market, quiet and unchanged.  
New timothy, \$18.00 to \$23.00, for choice; mixed, new clover, \$17.00 to \$17.50; new clover, \$15.00 to \$17.00; prairie, \$10.00 to \$15.00; alfalfa \$15.00 to \$17.00.

## Local Grain Market.

KEOKUK, Nov. 1.—  
No. 2, Wheat, red ..... \$ .85  
No. 3, Wheat, red ..... .83  
No. 2, Wheat, hard ..... .87  
White oats ..... .41  
Mixed oats ..... .40  
Corn ..... .60

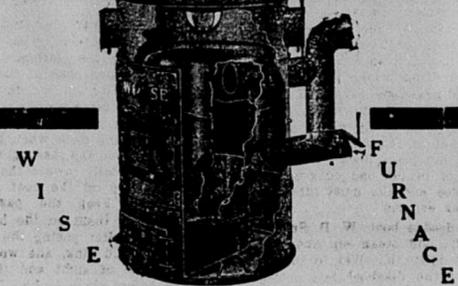
## Local Live Stock.

KEOKUK, Nov. 1.—The following live stock market furnished today by Joseph Haubert:  
Hogs—Good butchers, \$5.50@6.00.  
Sheep—Butchers, \$3.00@4.00.  
Lamb—\$5.00.  
Calves—\$5.00 to \$7.00.

## New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The produce markets are as follows:  
Butter—Creamery, 21 1/2c.  
Process—Special, 24 1/2@25c.  
Eggs—Western frats, 27c.  
Ice—fowls—12@13c.  
Ice—spring—10@12 1/2c.  
Elgin creamery butter, 31c.

**Like Homicidal Mania.**  
"A man who has once murdered the queen's English always feels as if he'd got the body under the sofa. It's like homicidal mania; the poor wretch may be cured, but he lives in terror of an attack returning. He knows it doesn't matter what he is or what he does; he may live like a saint or write like an archangel; but one alitch omitted from his conversation will wreck him at the last."—May Sinclair.



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