

ALL OF THE LATEST NEWS FROM FOUR OLD HOME STATES

NEBRASKA

WATERLOO, Neb., Sept. 28.—R. J. Wolcott, a fireman on Union Pacific local freight No. 58, was injured here quite severely, being struck on the head by the gate of the cattle chutes while the engine was backing on the head and the engine backed in and rendered unconscious and when the engine ran out was struck on the other side.

KIMBALL.—The new high school building in Kimball is finished and school began in eleven grades.

SUTHERLAND.—Hugh Nevin and Miss Ernie Burn, well known people of this vicinity, were married at North Platte, Rev. Greenlee officiating.

NORTH PLATTE.—The North Platte Normal and Commercial college closed this week. The president, Horace F. Carson, was compelled to discontinue it.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Mr. and Mrs. William Breckenridge lived a few miles southeast of this city, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. There were a number of invited guests present and a pleasant time was had.

PLATTSMOUTH.—Mrs. Fred Kroehler, aged 60 years, passed away in Havelock Saturday. The body will be brought to this city over the Burlington and Rev. J. E. Houglate will conduct the funeral services in the Methodist church.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Drilling on the deep well for the Oteo Development company has been resumed and it is thought work will be pushed. The well is 740 feet deep and still in Mississippi limestone.

PALMYRA.—The state Baptist association passed resolutions condemning the recent lynching of the murderer Higgins, and calling upon Governor Sheldon and Attorney General Thompson to punish the men guilty of the crime.

CONNECTICUT

TORRINGTON, Conn., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Minnie Lehmann, aged 88, widow of Frederick Lehmann, died at her home, 325 Main street, after a three years' illness of cancer of the stomach. She leaves four sons, Frank, George, Frederick and Julius of Torrington, and a daughter, Mrs. Frederick Weingart of Winsted.

Joe Pregno, son of Carl Pregno, an employe of the Coe Brass company, was struck by an auto operated by C. H. Cantillon, but escaped with slight injuries.

PUTNAM.—Putnamites are delighted with the pure water service that is now furnished by the Putnam Water company. The new filter plant at Harrisville is working in first class shape and is doing the work that was expected of it.

A special town meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the A. O. H. hall and fifteen voters were present. Lucius H. Fuller was chairman.

TOLLAND.—Nelson Simmons, father of Dr. W. N. Simmons, had a shock and is in a critical condition.

WILLINGTON.—Mrs. Preston attended the annual outing of the U. V. U. of Springfield, Mass., of which her husband, the late Charles T. Preston, was chaplain, at the home of Comrade David Olds in Belchertown.

WILLIAMANTIC.—Friends of Mrs. Adelaide Mason were surprised to hear that she has postponed her wedding with William Clemens of North Woodstock, N. H., who says he is a cousin of Mark Twain. The invitations have been recalled.

DELAWARE

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 28.—From the bench of general sessions court Chief Justice Lore issued a warning against spitting upon the marble steps of the court house, and instructed the bailiffs to bring any dog before the bar who was caught doing so.

DOVER.—Mrs. A. G. Cox of Middletown has been elected by the Wilmington Conference Women's Missionary society a delegate to the thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Philadelphia branch of the society to be held at Sewickley, Pa., beginning Sunday, October 6.

BARRATT'S CHAPEL.—During the funeral of Mrs. R. J. Meredith of the Sixth district, at Barratt's Chapel cemetery, an electric storm broke up the cortege and created consternation. One horse, a fine coach horse belonging to T. A. Kirby, was killed by the lightning.

MILFORD.—Milford Masons propose to open their new Masonic temple during the week of December 1 with an elaborate banquet. A committee of the members of the lodge, with Frank Rickards as chairman, and an auxiliary committee of women, with Mrs. F. L. Grier as chairman, have been appointed to manage the affair.

MILFORD.—S. Green Workman was crushed by a horse which he was endeavoring to relieve in its stall in the stables of J. J. Fouk, where the animal had become tight.

ARKANSAS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 28.—The recent entries in the gubernatorial contest are having considerable bearing on the United States senatorship race and knowing ones will not be surprised to learn that Senator James P. Clarke will have opposition in the March primaries. It was believed two weeks ago that Senator Clarke would not have opposition, but the complications caused by the recent announcement of candidates for governor have changed political conditions, and Representative S. Brundage of Searcy, or a jurist of Western Arkansas who has been in several conferences lately with friends from various sections of the state probably will enter the race soon.

PINE BLUFF.—"Just a few more trips and I'll quit the road for good," was a remark made several times last week by Engineer James C. Atkinson, aged 55, who contemplated retiring from his position. At Stephens, south of Pine Bluff, his train ran into and broke a switch, causing a bad wreck.

Atkinson's body was almost unrecognizable. Fireman E. J. Redding was badly but not seriously scalded.

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SEA CASTS UP A HARVEST OF LEMONS

NAVESINK HIGHLANDS, N. J., Sept. 28.—Beachcombers gathered on the shore of the bay, where the tide went down, the subsiding surf, which for the last two days has been pounding the shore with almost hurricane force, gave up thousands of fresh lemons.

Women and children flocked to the shore with the men, and the rest of the day engine drivers of the fast trains rushing up and down the Sandy Hook line ran with their hearts in their mouths as the people, laden with lemons, dodged the locomotives. The lemons were thick east between Galilee and Seabright, south of this point.

Old timers who remember when the Rusland broke in two at Long Branch at the end of the blue gages, and that the public never knew of a coast with decorative building material which is used in ever smaller fragments until this very day, recall how the ocean once gave up a boat constructor that measured forty feet from nose to tail, at Point Pleasant, and that the boat, proving the number of boxes of cigars, which wouldn't smoke even when dried out, but none could remember that the Atlantic had ever before produced a lemon crop.

Last night's performance was in the hands of the juniors, who eliminated all brutality.

NEW JERSEY

DELANCO, N. J., Sept. 28.—Dr. F. S. Adams at the meeting of the township committee brought that body's attention to the fact that the public service corporation was violating the ordinance under which it operated in the township by refusing to extend its gas mains to new properties.

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MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 28.—Louis Powell, 50 years old, was found dead near Fifth and Wyandotte streets. The body was removed to the emergency hospital, where it was identified by John T. Larson, who keeps a saloon at 114 West Fifth street. Powell had worked as a porter in Larson's saloon for some months.

SPRINGFIELD.—While working in a field near his home, five miles south of Fordland, in Webster county, Jerome Terrell found 400 in gold near the stump of an old oak tree. The coin was in \$1, \$10 and \$20 gold pieces, and the most of it bears date of 1853 and prior thereto. The money was buried in a gourd in 1852 by George and Benjamin Denny, brothers, who lived on the farm at that time. At the close of the war they could not find the money, and this resulted in an estrangement that continued up to the death of Benjamin some years ago. George is now living in Webster county, and the farmer who discovered the long-lost coin is his nephew.

COLUMBIA.—Lewis Dumas, a sophomore, won the M. S. U. freshman-sophomore class rush here after a three-hour struggle. A year the use of paddles has been somewhat freer than usual. A fight on the campus Tuesday night resulted in a few peeled heads, as sticks were used.

Last night's performance was in the hands of the juniors, who eliminated all brutality.

JOSEPH.—Perjury charges will probably be preferred against a score or more St. Joseph parents as the result of the discovery of the recent bogus certificates issued under the new child labor law.

SEDALIA.—The Sacred Heart parochial school, just completed at a cost of more than \$20,000, will be dedicated on the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the parish, by the Right Rev. Bishop Thomas F. Lillis, D. D., of Leavenworth, Kansas.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Sept. 28.—C. A. Shane, who formerly was employed by the city as a sewer inspector, has been arrested on a capias based on an indictment returned by the recent grand jury on the charge of fraud in connection with making reports and returns on sewers built some time ago in the Second and Sixth wards. Shane gave bond in the sum of \$2000 for his appearance.

AURORA.—The funeral of Policeman John Chambers, who was shot and killed while attempting to disperse a disorderly crowd, was held and was largely attended. All business houses in the city were closed during the hours of the funeral. The services were held at the First Christian church, of which the dead man was a member. Mrs. Chambers, wife of the dead officer, is in a serious condition. He carried \$2000 life insurance and was a member of the Woodmen, A. O. U. W. and the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

LAMONTE.—Clifford Shaw, a 12-year-old boy, died of diphtheria at his home. There is another case of diphtheria here and the city board of health has quarantined three houses. The public schools have been ordered closed and all church services and public meetings have been prohibited for two weeks.

ST. LOUIS.—Charles Hamilton, secretary of the Missouri-Lincoln Trust company of this city, announced that the Mercantile Trust company had absorbed the Missouri-Lincoln company.

WOODSVILLE.—The grand jury of the Grafton county superior court reported eighteen indictments, including one for manslaughter against John E. Maguire of Belfast, Maine, who was arrested in Lowell, Mass., and brought here, charged with having fatally stabbed Christ Gerhardt, a German farmer, at Enfield three weeks ago.

BRISTOL.—Intoxicants in the town of Bristol are dispensed solely by the two drug stores. Ever since the passage of the present license law Bristol has been in the 'no' column.

WEST DERRY.—Harry Clough was arraigned before Judge B. T. Bartlett, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon and on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. Clough was unable to plead guilty, but confessed to the latter.

NASHUA.—Joseph Laurendeau, 9 Elm street, and his brother, Anthonie Laurent, dean of Edmonton, P. E., held a reunion in this city, it being twenty-eight years since they had seen each other. Ten years or more ago Joseph Laurendeau made an extensive inquiry to learn if his brother was still living. He was unable to find any trace of him, and since then has believed him dead.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 28.—Mrs. W. S. Richardson, a farmer's wife, living a few miles east of Bowling Green, died within ten minutes after being stung by a honey bee. She had been stung by a bee, whose sting she had heard her cries and hastened to her side, but she became unconscious immediately and died while being carried into the house.

CLEVELAND.—Cheers were given and yells were tossed in air by the Western Reserve university freshmen when it was announced to them that the Bible class, the bugaboo of the first year men, would be abandoned. President Thwing, who formerly presided at these Sunday school affairs, is on a tour of the world. At chapel recently Acting President Harris announced that because of the president's absence the Bible class would be eliminated. The demonstration that followed became so boisterous that the upper classes had to interfere and preserve order.

ASHTABULA.—Mrs. John Blaricum, aged 70, living on a farm near Andover, this county, and so badly crippled with rheumatism that she could not get up, died sitting in her chair weeping and nearly dead for want of food and water. Two days before her old aged husband had gone out to repair an old farm building. While he was thus engaged, it had evidently collapsed, killing him instantly.

KENTON.—A gasoline auto car belonging to Frank Laubis, while making a trip to Kenton from Heppburn, suddenly became a mass of flames and burned for several days.

Cool, indeed, was the captain when the ship began to fill.

That he most had a chill.

—Milwaukee Sentinel.

GIRL GOT BROTHER'S TELEGRAPH JOB YEARS AGO

C. NNEAUT, O., Sept. 28.—Of all the women in the United States now watching the battle between the telegraphers and their employers, one of the most interested is Mrs. Belle Money, a resident of Austintown. Money, who was Belle Farnsworth, worth, handled the key for the first time in a little office in this city, fifty-five years ago, when she was only 16 years of age. Her brother, George F. Farnsworth, was in charge of the telegraph office in Cincinnati but one day in 1852 he decided to run up to Cleveland for a few hours.

Sixteen-year-old Belle spent much of her time in her brother's office. On this particular morning her brother told her that the instrument in his absence. He had been away but a short time when the instrument sounded the Connecticut call. Miss Farnsworth answered, and read from the tape that a district officer wanted the operator.

"Who's at the key?" came the query. "His sister," was the reply. "Why didn't he give notice and ask for a substitute?" was asked. "He intended to be absent but a few hours," was the reply. "When he returns tell him that he is discharged and that his sister has the job," was flashed back.

From that day until her marriage to Mrs. Belle Farnsworth was the Connecticut agent of the Speed's Telegraph lines.

SOUTH DAKOTA

BELLE FOURCHE, S. D., Sept. 28.—So far as this town is concerned the telephone war is over. The trouble started a few weeks ago when the Nebraska Telephone company, which has a monopoly in the Hills, placed a toll charge on all long distance calls. The result in Belle Fourche was the form of a boycott, the subscribers simply refusing to answer central when their bells rang.

LEAD.—Trout fishing in Elk canyon, south of here, has been spoiled for some time to come by a wreck on the Burlington's narrow gauge line between here and Piedmont. A carload of lime rolled into the creek and almost immediately thousands of dead fish made their appearance on the surface for miles down the stream.

Restaurants and hotels have raised prices from 25 cents for meals and \$20 a month for table board to 35 cents for meals and \$25.50 for table board.

SIoux FALLS.—Rt. Rev. William Hobart Hare of this city; the venerable Episcopal bishop of South Dakota, will depart for Omaha, where he will attend a meeting of the state synod of the Episcopal church of America.

BOWLING GREEN.—Dr. Arthur N. McCormack, assistant secretary of the state board of health, was arrested here on the charge of committing a nuisance by emptying the sewage from the Carmack building into an open public sewer and endangering the health and lives of the whole lower portion of the city. The arrest was made on a warrant sworn out by Dr. F. B. Reardon, city health officer.

LOUISVILLE.—A jury composed of Henry county farmers at New Castle, Ky., returned a verdict of guilty against the American Tobacco company and assessed a fine of \$2700. The company was charged with being part of a monopoly in restraining trade.

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ILLINOIS

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 28.—While passing through Peoria en route from his home in Saybrook, Ill., to Omaha, as a member of an automobile party, George Youie, 75 years of age, and the efforts of the other members of the party and the police force have failed to find the least trace of him.

QUINCY.—Robert W. Gardner, president of the Gardner Governor works, presented his employes with \$8000. The money was divided among the employes who had been associated with him more than a year, and was prorated on the basis of one year of service. Fifty-five years ago this month Mr. Gardner came to Quincy and Andrew Kley, his oldest employe, has been in his employment continuously for half a century.

CHICAGO.—A railroad velocipede operated by three men was struck by a north-bound Northwestern freight train near Waukegan. Three were killed. They were: Frank Greenman, telegraph operator at Upton, Ill.; Michael Full of Chicago, and Rofelle Phillip of Waukegan, section hands. All were married. Lack of signal lights on the velocipede caused the accident.

Jewels worth \$500 stolen from the residence of Mrs. E. M. Burke at Hubbard's Wood, Ill., three weeks ago, were recovered in a Chicago pawnshop by detectives from Capt. P. D. O'Brien's office.

WATERLOO.—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Crocker and children attended the St. Clair county fair at Belleville, Ill. The Waterloo district pastoral conference closed a two days' session in the Prairie du Rond Evangelical church near East St. Louis.

Mrs. Simon Schorr has returned home from East St. Louis. The Waterloo Ladies' Flower association is making arrangements to give a flower show this fall.

KENTUCKY

FARMERS, Ky., Sept. 28.—Turner Igo, who is charged by Mrs. Lulu Clark with the assassination of Gov. William Goebel, is dead. Samuel Igo, a cousin of Turner Igo, said he was with him.

"Turner has been dead three or four years. At the time Goebel was killed, he may or may not have been at Frankfort. I never heard of any acquaintance he had with Sanford."

BERGANT.—At Harlan, on the Letcher-Knott border, Chris Jones and Ben Hall on one side and Jack Hughes and Henry Hughes on the other, parties to the Jones-Hughes feud war, fought on the public road. Jones and Jack Hughes were killed and Henry Hughes was fatally wounded.

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