

Aftermath of Storm

Lake Reports Show the Storm Covered a Large Area in Iowa.

Wheat Damage Done by Lightning—A Farmer Struck Dead Near Carroll.

Stock Killed, Windmills and Buildings Wrecked and Crops Badly Damaged.

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Bondurant, June 28.—A severe wind storm, accompanied by rain, lightning and hail, visited this section yesterday morning at 5:30. There was no damage done by hail in town, but west and south of here the crops are destroyed, windmills down and some stock killed by lightning. A barn belonging to Mr. William Baile in town was struck by lightning, but was not much damaged. It is estimated that four inches of water fell in half an hour.

The roof of a store building in Altoona was blown off and the goods, owned by Lundy & Shawner badly damaged by water. The photograph gallery of William Sawyer, in Bondurant, was completely wrecked.

BAD STORM AT ZEARING.

Buildings Damaged by the Severe Wind—Heavy Hailfall.

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Zearing, June 28.—A severe wind and rain storm visited this section of the country yesterday about 3 o'clock. It was rather unexpected, as it was not accompanied by such heavy lightning and thunder as is usual with such storms. A number of small barns and outbuildings were blown down and large limbs of trees broken off. The new house of M. Gogerty, just being built, was moved several inches from its foundation. It was one of the hardest rains that we have had for a long time. The creek, which was almost dry, was soon out over its banks. More thunder showers followed, it raining until near noon Wednesday. The Kansas City's grain elevator at McCallsburg was blown down.

HOUSE FALLS ON CHILDREN.

Struck by Lightning It Collapses and Six Persons Are More or Less Injured.

Whiting, June 28.—Six children were injured, one fatally, and a house wrecked by the most peculiar and destructive freak of the storm two miles south of here this morning. The scene of destruction was on the Ed Bullard farm at the home of Harvey Queen. Lightning struck the house, but no fire was started, and the building collapsed as if blown up with dynamite. Every window light and door was blown out and joists were torn away and scattered over the field. The six children, who were in the lower rooms, were stunned and some were buried in the debris. Verne Queen, 15 years old, was buried deep in the mass of ruins, and when his body was recovered she was still alive, but cannot survive. One shoe was burned from her foot and the waistband of her skirt was burned when she was found. One of her legs was fractured. Ada Queen received a gash on the head and the others were more or less injured.

Severe Electrical Storm.

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Carroll, June 28.—Wednesday forenoon Carroll was visited by a fierce electrical storm in Roselle township, on the farm of Wolfgang Fisher, two of his sons were plowing corn, and a bolt of lightning struck Bernard, one of the boys, killing him instantly, but doing no harm to his brother and not injuring either team. It would seem that Mr. Fisher's farm was at the mercy of the lightning, as two or three years ago his large barn was struck and several head of live stock, also grain and machinery stored there, was all entirely burned up.

Damage at Hayward.

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Hayward, June 28.—A heavy fall of rain and hail, accompanied by a strong wind and lightning, did considerable damage here yesterday. Mr. E. Sauser's new barn was damaged to the extent of \$50 and William Mole's dwelling to about \$100. Corn is quite seriously damaged, but may recover to some extent.

Horses Killed by Lightning.

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Nora Springs, June 28.—A very severe electrical storm without much rain passed over this locality Wednesday morning. The barley and oats were lodged on account of the heavy wind. The lightning struck Mr. Schultz's barn, two miles north of town, and killed a team of horses. There was no damage to the barn. The team was valued at about \$225.

Storm at Marble Rock.

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Marble Rock, June 28.—One of the severest electrical storms of the season occurred here early Wednesday morning. Considerable stock was killed by lightning, a number of farmers reporting the loss of several calves, hogs, etc. A number of windmills were wrecked. The rainfall was the heaviest of the season.

Barn Destroyed at Essex.

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Essex, June 28.—A barn belonging to Sam Binington, who resides two miles north of Essex, was struck by lightning Wednesday morning at 8:30 and was soon consumed by fire. The barn, a corn crib, shed and several hundred bushels of corn were destroyed. Loss, about \$600. Insurance, \$250. Mr. Binington's two sons were standing about four feet from where the bolt struck, but were not injured.

IX-SHERIFF IS LOCATED.

W. W. Sinclair, of Webster City, Located in Colorado.

Special to Times-Republican.

Webster City, June 28.—Yesterday the first news of the whereabouts of ex-Sheriff Sinclair was received. F. A. Wood, a former citizen of this city and a man whose reputation for truth and veracity is good, wrote Marshal Ostrander that Mr. Sinclair was in Boulder, Colo., last week. Mr. Wood is now residing in that city and the letter was mailed there last Saturday. Mr. Wood says he met Sinclair on the street and spoke to him, but Sinclair denied his

identity and declared he was never in Webster City. From this it would appear that Mr. Wood is either mistaken or that Sinclair for some reason wishes to conceal his whereabouts. The letter states that Sinclair was accompanied by a woman.

RICH GIRL WANDERS, INSANE.

Marion Bybee, of San Francisco, Taken into Custody in Iowa.

Special to Times-Republican.

Davenport, June 28.—A young lady with papers in her possession that show her to be Miss Marion Bybee, of San Francisco, appeared at a farm house near here last Saturday, shoeless and with the appearance of having walked a long distance. She said she had slept under a blackberry bush the night before.

In her possession was the will of her grandfather, Francis V. Hubbard, of San Francisco, making her administrator of his estate and bequeathing her stocks of stock of the Union Pacific railway, the Oceanic Steamship Company, the Spring Valley water works and other property. Evidently she has been intelligent and well to do. Her story is that she left San Francisco for New York, failed to find friends there whom she was to visit and started home.

From there her mind is a blank. She left the Northwestern passenger train at Clinton and walked twenty-two miles to the place where she was discovered yesterday. She has been cared for by farmers' families for five days and during that time has never removed her clothing. She is mentally deranged, but is plainly a woman of wealth and refinement.

WAS A VERY BAD SHOT.

Young Lady at Osage Shoots Six Times at Her Lover.

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Charles City, June 28.—As is usually the case in such affairs, there are two parties as to the cause of the shooting affair at Osage yesterday. The young lady, whose name is Jennie Weavering, is about 29 years of age and at one time kept company with the gentleman at whom she directed her shots yesterday. Joe Gillman is about 26 years of age and was a compositor in the Journal office. The young lady was at one time an employee in the same office, but has of late been working in the job office of Mr. Wilverton. Yesterday the young lady entered the Journal office and walking to the end of the row of cases, which was about ten feet from where Gillman sat, drew a revolver and fired twice, both shots going very close to the person of the man. The employer of the office by this time had seized her and as she struggled she shot four times more, the bullets lodging in different parts of the building. During this time Gillman made his escape. After the affair was over the young lady seemed perfectly cool and composed and to work hands of her chair talking to the work hands of her employer to shoot her one time lover. It is said that the friends of the young lady claim that Gillman has been talking about Miss Weavering and making remarks which would tend to injure her reputation and standing in society. It is then rumored by the friends of Gillman that the lady was jealous of him of late and that her jealousy had caused her to attempt the taking of his life. While it is not generally known to where the young man fled, it is rumored that he left word with friends where he was going.

THE COMPANY EXONERATED.

Result of the Inquest Over Ben Cook, Killed at Belle Plaine.

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Belle Plaine, June 28.—The jury in the inquest held over the body of Ben Cook, who was killed yesterday morning, after hearing all the evidence, found he came to his death by being run over by the cars on the Halsey track and exonerated the railway company from all blame. It develops that Cook left for work on Thursday, going to Boone, then coming back to Marshalltown, where he remained for a day or two, returning here Wednesday evening on No. 6 at about 3 o'clock. No. 16 was stopped in the yards to let a freight back in off the main line, and it is supposed he got off the passenger and undertook to cross the Halsey track and was caught under the freight train that was just pulling out. It was a sad loss to his wife and three small children.

BAR ASSOCIATION PROGRAM.

Papers on Vital Legal Questions Will Be Presented.

Iowa City, June 28.—All practical arrangements have been made for the State Bar Association to be held in Iowa City on July 17 and 18. A strong program, which is as follows, has been arranged: Invocation, Rev. George L. Cady; address of welcome, Hon. Milton Remley; annual address, Hon. J. L. Webster, of Omaha, Neb. On the evening of the first day the annual banquet occurs. Papers on vital legal questions will be presented by Judge George H. Carr of Des Moines, Judge S. F. Prouty of Des Moines and Judge M. C. Matthews of Dubuque. The presiding officer is Judge Blanchard, of Oskaloosa. The afternoon of the second day will be devoted to visiting various places of interest about Iowa City.

GORED BY A BULL.

Frank Kline Near Mason City, Gets Badly Wounded.

Mason City, June 28.—News reaches this place that Frank Kline, a tenant on W. E. Millers farm, was badly hurt night before last by an enraged bull. From what we can learn he had gone out into the pasture to drive up the cattle when a dehorned bull objected to his presence in the field and made for him, knocking him down and bruising him badly. He managed to get to the house and was fixed up as comfortably as possible. It is thought that no serious complications will set in.

Spirit Lake Commencement.

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Spirit Lake, June 28.—Tuesday night, at Stevens' opera house, occurred the annual commencement exercises of the Spirit Lake high school. The graduates were Joe Hayward, Frank Abbott, Nettie Magill, Myrtle Magill, Nellie Anderson, Earl Freese, Clarence Mills, Mabel Reeves and Anna Stone. The main feature of the program was the address by Dr. Thomas Nicholson, of Cornell College. The class elicited much praise by their excellent renditions of an original class song.

The Alumni Association gave a banquet in honor of the class at the Grandall House last night.

THE I. N. G. EQUIPMENT

First Installment of Stores for the Militia Due to Arrive June 30.

New Arms Will Not Be Furnished at Present—Total Strength 2,682.

Close of the Epworth League Convention at Tama—News of Iowa.

Des Moines, June 28.—The first installment of stores for the adjutant's department, arising from the \$1,000,000 appropriation made last spring by congress, to be expended for stores, arms and ordinance for the national guard of the different states, is due June 30. It is expected there will be from \$25,000 to \$30,000 in the first consignment. In former years the value of stores due at this time of year, has not exceeded \$12,000. It is learned that for the present no new arms are expected, and it will be several months at least before the guard can be equipped with modern magazine rifles. Ultimately it is the intention to have the guard fitted out with Krag-Jorgensen rifles, or some form of magazine rifle equal to that used in the regular army. All other necessary equipment will be up to the regular army standard. The new revised military code, as formulated by the last legislature, will go into effect July 4. This discontinues the brigade organization, now practically a nullity, and raises the standard of requirements physically, in respect to age, height, weight, etc. Washington, Adj. Gen. Byers has furnished the war department a detailed statement of the strength of the Iowa National Guard. This was mailed yesterday. It shows the total guard strength at 2,682, and on this basis the fund appropriated by congress for the guard will be apportioned to Iowa. The detailed strength of the reorganized guard is given as follows by the adjutant general:

Staff departments—Adjutant general, 1; quartermaster general, 1; inspector general and assistant, 2; commissary general, 1; medical department, commissioned officers, 14; enlisted men, 40; judge advocate general, 1; small arms practice department, 6; engineer department, commissioned officers, 5; enlisted men, 40; signal department, commissioned officers, 5; enlisted men, 40. Total, 156.

Personal staff of commander-in-chief—Military secretary, 1; aides, 7. Total, 8.

Forty-ninth regiment of infantry: headquarters Cedar Rapids, Col. W. G. Downs, commanding—Field and staff, 12; non-commissioned staff and band, 33; Company A, Marshalltown, 43; Company B, Waterloo, 42; Company C, Cedar Rapids, 42; Company D, Charles City, 39; Company E, Independence, 51; Company F, Tipton, 67; Company G, Vinton, 46; Company H, Marshalltown, 61; Company I, Waukon, 47; Company K, Des Moines, 46; Company L, Oelwein, 47; Company M, Maquoketa, 51. Total, 649.

Fiftieth regiment of infantry: headquarters Ottumwa, Col. H. E. Coughlin, commanding—Field and staff, 12; non-commissioned staff and band, 33; Company A, Marshalltown, 43; Company B, Villisca, 42; Company C, Glenwood, 44; Company D, Knoxville, 42; Company E, Shenandoah, 51; Company F, Oskaloosa, 47; Company G, Creston, 45; Company H, Des Moines, 37; Company I, Bedford, 44; Company K, Corning, 49; Company L, Council Bluffs, 38; Company M, Red Oak, 55. Total, 583.

Fifty-second regiment of infantry: headquarters Sioux City, Col. W. B. Humphrey, commanding—Field and staff, 12; non-commissioned staff and band, 33; Company A, Mason City, 49; Company B, Watery, 42; Company C, Webster City, 60; Company D, Hampton, 42; Company E, Hull, 47; Company F, Algona, 42; Company G, Fort Dodge, 50; Company H, Sioux City, 43; Company I, Boone, 52; Company K, Emmetsburg, 44; Company L, Sioux City, 45; Company M, Sac City, 45. Total, 624.

Troop A, Des Moines, cavalry, 33.

Recapitulation—Staff departments, 156; staff of commander-in-chief, 8; Forty-ninth regiment, 649; Fiftieth regiment, 614; Fifty-first regiment, 581; Fifty-second regiment, 624; Troop A, cavalry, 33. Total, 2,681.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Close of the Convention at Tama—News of Iowa.

Special to Times-Republican.

Tama, June 28.—Wednesday's session of the Epworth League convention at Tama was spent in hearing reports of officers and discussions of the work in the different departments. The business and discussions gave a good illustration of the expansion idea which permeates the league. The plea was for broad, deep, liberal, Christian culture.

The convention has been an inspiration to all who attended and impresses upon all with the greatness of the work accomplished and to be still done by the league of the future. The convention battle-cry is "Sworn for Christ and His Church."

The official reports from the leagues of the district show a good, healthy condition and give promise of a splendid growth next year.

Officers of next year: President—Samuel McGrew, Marshalltown.

First Vice President—S. B. Montgomery, Belle Plaine.

Second Vice President—Hattie Scofield, Grundy Center.

Third Vice President—C. O. Ryan, Eldora.

Fourth Vice President—Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Whitten.

Corresponding Secretary—Miss Minnie Ashbrook, Marshalltown.

Recording Secretary—A. B. Cooper, Toledo.

Treasurer—Mrs. Rosa Beckley, Tama.

Superintendent of Junior Epworth League—Mrs. C. W. Cleveland, Laurel.

Executive Committee—J. B. Abbrook, P. E. Mount Vernon; Mrs. D. R. Newell, Albion; E. D. Hacker, Hampton.

Heavy storm at Searsboro.

Special to Times-Republican.

Searsboro, June 28.—The heaviest rain and wind storm of the season struck this vicinity about 5 o'clock Wednesday morning. The corn and oats were blown down badly, but this afternoon the corn is up again and it is thought it is not injured. It is feared the oats will not fare so well. Many apples were blown from the trees. It is thought the damage will be slight on the whole. When the black, threatening cloud rolled up from the north there was a regular stampede for cellars and caves. The rain continued sometime after the wind ceased.

Rev. Mr. Morphy, of Grinnell, will deliver the oration on the Fourth. The Grinnell band is engaged to furnish the music. People are expecting a grand old time.

Miss Nellie Powell inaugurated a surprise on her parents' Monday evening by inviting the members of the Mothers' Club and their families to help celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their marriage and also the birthday of her mother. She managed to get her parents from home so they are more than ready to receive her home to the house ablaze with lights and filled with their friends and neighbors. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent, when all returned to their homes, wishing them many returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cope, of Sugar Creek, a few miles north of here, celebrated their golden wedding Tuesday. A number of their relatives and friends got off the train here and were taken to the Cope home.

New Depot for Nevada.

Special to Times-Republican.

Nevada, June 28.—The city council has passed an ordinance for the vacation of Locust street near the C. & N. W. depot on an agreement made by the Northwestern people to build a new station house if the street was vacated to the terms of the agreement.

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DOOLLIVER'S NEW DOOM

Citizens of Fort Dodge Make His Home Coming Occasion for a Jollification

Incidentally His Boom for a Seat in the National Senate is Launched.

Doolliver Himself Gives Hint That He is Still After "Congressional Honors."

Special to Times-Republican.

Fort Dodge, June 28.—The return of Congressman J. P. Doolliver to his home was the occasion of a tremendously enthusiastic mass meeting reception, participated in by all citizens regardless of party affiliations. Headed by a brass band, a long procession composed of several thousand people wended its way to his modest little cottage, where speeches were made by the prominent citizens and Mr. Doolliver himself. M. F. Healy told of the deep affection all the people of the city felt for the congressman and called upon Mr. Doolliver to address his neighbors. Mr. Doolliver said in part:

"It is a great relief for me to get back to Fort Dodge, which is always and ever will be my home. I have had a little political experience of a new nature down east and to show you how little politics have to do with things I will say that every democrat in the house tendered me his support. I have no regrets at my defeat. I believe that a better man than I, the best and most capable in the nation, has been selected to fill that honorable and dignified position, second in the gift of the people only to the presidency itself. At no time when urged forward and encouraged by my friends did I for a moment think of ceasing to run as a candidate from the old Tenth district and for congressional honors."

This hint was wittily applauded and further elucidated by Hon. E. M. Wright, as it conveyed the idea that while his present seat in the house was satisfactory, a seat in the senate would not be unacceptable. Mr. Doolliver's political backers are firmly resolved that he shall fill the next vacancy in the upper house from Iowa, and his great hold on the people from every portion of the state seems to warrant him being the people's candidate.

THREW BODY INTO FURNACE.

Strange Attempt to Cremate Remains of a Body at Des Moines.

Des Moines, June 28.—Last evening about 5:30 o'clock a man carrying a bundle wrapped in a newspaper went to the boiler rooms at the Kirkwood House and, approaching Engineer J. F. Fields, who was standing at the hearth of the boiler room, asked permission to throw a bundle of rubbish into the furnace. Seeing Field hesitate the stranger stated that he had been given permission by Mr. Macartney to burn rubbish in the furnace at any time he might bring it around. Assured by the self-composure and apparent frank bearing of the man, Field stepped aside and told him to go into the boiler room and throw the bundle into the furnace. The stranger entered the room, and M. J. Dally, the fireman, drew open the doors and the paper and contents were thrown into the furnace. Mr. Dally, ascending the stairs, which opened into the alley at the southwest corner of the hotel building, bowed