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DAMAGE BY THE STORM

Much Destruction of Shade Trees and Windmills Inflicted Saturday Night

NEW BARN IS DEMOLISHED
Property Destroyed Belonged to Mr. John Granzow, Living About Four Miles West of Eldora—Another Barn Blown From Its Foundation—Much Loss Elsewhere.

Flood at Dickens.
Special to Times-Republican. Dickens, May 25.—The spring has been unusually wet, and those who had the dry land have had a picnic farming and their crops give promise of a beautiful yield, but those who have had low or flat land are in very bad shape with their farming. Some of the farmers have got their corn all planted and it is coming up nicely, while others have not yet got their corn ground plowed, and there is very little prospect of plowing some of it this year. Thursday night we had the heaviest rain of the season. It was reported that an earthen jar, with straight sides, setting out caught one and one-fourth inches of water in it. Friday night we had another heavy rain, accompanied by plenty of lightning and thunder. The lightning killed one horse for J. H. Walsh and one for Thomas Gadsby. Every man's cellar, not drained, is a cistern with plenty of good, fresh water in it, and one of the neighbors said his garden was a nice fish pond. It now looks as tho those who had meadow land would make a fortune raising hay this year if it ever stops raining so that they can harvest it.

Tornado at Terril.
Special to Times-Republican. Terril, May 25.—A wind storm, parading very much of the nature of a tornado, hit this section of the country Friday night at 8:30. Nearly all the barns, out buildings and windmills throughout this immediate locality, are either overturned or badly wrecked. A good many of the barns will have to be torn down and rebuilt. In town two barns were smashed into kindling wood, and a good many small outbuildings overturned. The big brick chimney on the creamery was blown down onto the roof, causing such damage that no further work can be done for several days, or until things can be repaired. The restaurant was struck by lightning and the plastering torn loose on the rear walls, but doing no other damage. Strange to relate, there was no loss of life, either of human beings or of stock. North Lake township suffered more severely from hail than wind. Corn that was up ready to be cultivated, can not now be found, and trees in many places were stripped of every vestige of leaves.

Buildings Destroyed.
Special to Times-Republican. Buffalo Center, May 25.—A terrific electrical storm accompanied by heavy wind, passed over this city Friday night, doing hundreds of dollars worth of damage to buildings and windmills. Lightning killed two head of horses for Ole Jorgensen of this city. Wind blew down seven corn cribs, and also damaged the hotel considerably. The country is covered with water, and corn planting is two weeks later than other seasons. Thousands of acres will never be planted. Altogether the outlook is not very promising for the farmers in this vicinity.

Bottom Lands Inundated.
Special to Times-Republican. Clarinda, May 25.—One of the heaviest rain storms of the season visited here Friday night about 10:30 washing out sidewalks and doing immense damage to gardens. Many people living along Water street were compelled to leave their homes for higher ground. Lightning was severe at times, but no damage is reported. The Nodaway river is rising and is overflowing bottom lands. Oldest settlers claim that it is the highest it has been since 1880. About three and one-half inches of rain fell Friday night.

High Wind at Nora Springs.
Special to Times-Republican. Nora Springs, May 25.—The storm Friday night did considerable damage in this section of the country. In one place near the creamery the wind took out seven or eight rods of plank sidewalk, and blew down windmills, sheds and corn cribs. Several windows of houses were broken and trees uprooted. It was one of the worst wind storms Nora Springs has had for quite a few years.

Hard Blow at Kennett.
Special to Times-Republican. Kennett, May 25.—A violent wind storm accompanied by rain, passed over this section Friday night. Barns and sheds as well as trees are reported blown down, in various places, but so far as known no dwellings are damaged. The land is very wet and corn planting much retarded.

Storm at Britt.
Special to Times-Republican. Britt, May 25.—A very heavy wind storm passed over this section Friday night, doing considerable damage to country property. Several school houses, a number of barns and a great many small buildings on farms were completely demolished. Several places were struck by lightning and buildings burned to the ground. No damage has been done to growing crops, however.

Methodist Church Injured.
Dumont, Iowa, May 25.—During the storm last night the lightning struck the Methodist church. Very little damage was done as the galvanised iron

cooping spread the electric fluid. It was a close call.

Railroads Washed Out.
Special to Times-Republican. Mason City, May 25.—This vicinity was visited by a severe wind and rain storm, which came up from the southwest last night. At points south of here the velocity of the wind was terrific, but so far as can be learned no great damage to buildings is reported. The rain caused an earth slide on the Alkoma branch of the Central about a mile and one-half east of that place. Traffic for a time this morning was tied up on that end of the line, altho a work train was on the scene early this morning. It is reported the Northwestern, between this city and Blue Earth, Minn., is badly washed in places.

Special to Times-Republican.
Iowa Falls, May 25.—Reports are coming in from various points south of this city, that indicate the storm of Friday night was more serious than was at first supposed. Extending over a considerable area in south Hardin and Ellis townships, the wind did severe damage, demolishing numerous wind mills and towers, and uprooting and overturning corn cribs and lightly constructed farm buildings. Shade and fruit trees were badly damaged in many localities. But little damage was done in this city, and it is thought that the velocity of the storm was broken before it reached this place.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.
John Coons Victim of the Storm at Clarinda.

Special to Times-Republican.
Clarinda, May 25.—During a heavy storm here Saturday evening lightning struck the house of John Coons, living on the east side of the city, instantly killing Mr. Coons and seriously injuring Raymond, the 7-year-old son, who now lies at the point of death. Mrs. Coons and the 16-year-old daughter received a slight shock. The house is a square house with the chimney in the center. Lightning struck this chimney and ran in opposite directions coming down in the southeast corner and northwest corner. Mr. Coons was raising the top half of the window in the northwest corner when the lightning struck its fatal blow. The family are left destitute. Mr. Coons being a laboring man. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Christian church.

LIGHTS FOR WILLIAMS.
People of That Town to Vote on Light Proposition.

Special to Times-Republican.
Iowa Falls, May 25.—On the 11th of next month, the residents of the town of Williams, will vote on the proposition of granting an electric light franchise to F. R. Payne, of that place, who proposes to establish an electric light plant in connection with his milling property there. The franchise covers a long term of years and involves contract for lighting the streets of the town.

Revival at Dumont.
Special to Times-Republican. Dumont, May 25.—A revival meeting of deep interest and power is in progress here. Wide interest prevails. Rev. Dr. Barclay, of Davenport, conducts it. Three services are held each day. He has just returned from a campaign in the Black Hills.

It's the dispenser of cheerfulness, the distributor of sunshine. One sees bright rainbows across the clouds of despair after taking Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents.

FROM ALL OVER IOWA.

Churdan.
The graduating exercises of the Churdan high school were given at the Presbyterian church, Friday, May 22, the graduates being Mary Fitzpatrick, Nora Fitzpatrick and Mary Perkins.

Humboldt.
The Humboldt Rural Union Telephone company will soon have their line in running order. The line will run in every direction from Pioneer. The switch board will be in J. D. Hunt's drug store and the line will connect with other lines.

LeMars.
The Kamp has purchased the eighty acre farm of William Reimer for the price of \$100 an acre. The eighty acres joins Mr. Kamp's farm and is situated a mile south of LeMars. Eight thousand dollars looks a big price for 80 acres but Plymouth county land is worth that and more.

Iowa Falls.
At a recent meeting of directors of the Iowa Falls Manufacturing Co. the capital stock was increased from \$25,000 to \$40,000 and the amount of stock increased \$4,500. This plant employs 30 to 40 men and its success or failure means considerable to Iowa Falls.

Gravety.
Rev. Marshall, of Gravety, preached at Platte Center and Prairie Star Sunday and was unanimously called to the pastorate of these two churches for the ensuing year. Mr. Marshall has been pastor of the Presbyterian churches at Gravety and Sharpsburg for the past three years.

Mt. Ayr.
The republican county convention of Ringgold county has been called for Saturday, June 6th, at Mt. Ayr. This convention is for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state and senatorial conventions. The county convention to nominate candidates for the various county offices will be held later.

Tremont.
Thru the agency of George W. Akerman & Co. a deal was consummated last week whereby the title to the two story brick building occupied by H. N. Hamilton was transferred from J. Chinoworth, of Muscatine, to John Spiers, of Martinsburg. A farm in Illinois was taken in consideration, the total of which was over \$10,000.

BURGLARS LEAVE TOWN

Gang of Petty Thieves Which Has Been Terrorizing Cedar Falls, Departs

PROBABLY HAD TIP GIVEN THEM
Fifteen or Twenty Houses Were Robbed During the Reign of Terror, But No Arrests or Recoveries of Stolen Articles Were Made—Dealers in Firearms Do Rushing Business.

Special to Times-Republican.
Cedar Falls, May 25.—After terrorizing the city for two or three weeks and burglarizing or attempting to enter some house every night, the gang of petty thieves seem to have shaken the dust from their feet and departed. The officers have kept a special watch for the past week and have had special officers on duty in citizens' clothing, altho no public announcement was made of the fact. H. Yordy, owner of the Waterloo bloodhounds has been on duty at night unknown to anyone except the officials. Whether a tip was given the gang is not known, but they have vanished. All the firearms in the city were sold to residents and the dealers could have sold more had they had them in stock. Fifteen or twenty houses were robbed and not an arrest was made or an article stolen recovered.

CLEGG SAVES HIS TRAIN.
Quick Work Prevents a Wreck on Iowa Central.

Special to Times-Republican.
Hampton, May 25.—Friday night the rain and wind was terrific along the Iowa Central. It blew a box car, which was standing on the side track at Rockwell about two miles up the track, and had it not been for that watchful eye of Engineer Clegg on train No. 6 who discovered the car standing on the track about two miles north of Rockwell his train would have plunged into the car with the usual results. Clegg uncoupled his engine from the train and pushed the car into the Rockwell yards, then went back after his train. So much for the work of the engineer. A passenger train on the C. & W. due at Hampton at 10:15 was delayed about two hours by reason of the storm, which had blown a box car out onto the main line at Clarinda. The engine did not discover the car in time to stop his train. The result was that he struck the car, demolishing his engine. No one was hurt but the passengers were badly frightened and shaken up.

FISHERMAN IS DROWNED.
Emmert Compton, of Ames, Falls Thru Bridge Into Swollen Stream.

Special to Times-Republican.
Ames, May 25.—Emmert Compton, aged 25, and Oscar Johnson, aged 35, while fishing on a bridge over Skunk river, one half mile east of this place, fell into the stream Friday afternoon. Johnson did not discover the car in time to stop his train. The result was that he struck the car, demolishing his engine. No one was hurt but the passengers were badly frightened and shaken up.

Half Rates to Prohibition State Convention at Marshalltown, Ia.

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Denison, May 25.—A memorial service was held Sunday morning at the Methodist church. The John A. Logan Post, Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps, and the Sons of Veterans were present, and the church was rendered by the quartet and the sermon was preached by Rev. Emory Miller of the Methodist church.

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IN BORROWED CLOTHES

State Superintendent Barrett Caught in a Fierce Storm Near Terril

BUGGY UPSET, BARRETT IN MUD
Lands in Water and Mud Up to His Waist and is Compelled to Wade Two Miles and Lead Horse—Borrowers Dry Clothes and Fills Lecture Appointment at Terril

Special to Times-Republican.
Terril, May 25.—State Superintendent R. C. Barrett, who drove from Ruthven to Terril Friday evening to be present at the commencement exercises and address the graduating class, was caught in the wind and hail storm when two miles from Terril. The buggy was overturned and Mr. Barrett and driver were landed in the mud and found water waist deep. They found it necessary to walk to town and lead the horses. Upon arriving, Mr. Barrett borrowed some clothes and gave his address just as if nothing had happened. He had an interesting message for the large audience and all consider themselves fortunate in having been privileged to hear him. Four boys and three girls graduated, and he was the first class graduate from the Lloyd township central school, they were of especial interest to this community.

Democratic Nominations.
Special to Times-Republican. Clarinda, Iowa, May 25.—The democrats held their county convention here Saturday. They nominated a full ticket as follows: R. M. Cameron, of Belmont, for representative; William Kilby, of Eagle Grove, for treasurer; Dick Brooks, sheriff; A. Macdonald, county superintendent of schools; R. E. Eggleston, for supervisor, 3d district.

It is too bad to put them up for slaughter, if they know the prospect ahead of them.

Memorial Service at Denison.
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Appointed County Treasurer.
Waterloo, May 24.—C. W. Illingworth was appointed county treasurer by the board of supervisors to succeed H. B. Cooper, resigned. Mr. Illingworth will begin his new duties June 1. He has been assistant cashier of the Commercial National bank and is a candidate for the republican nomination for the office.

May Organize New Church.
Waterloo, May 25.—At a meeting of the vestry of Christ Episcopal church, it was voted to reorganize the parish of the denomination in West Waterloo, known as St. Marks. It is possible that another pastor will be called and the two churches conducted independent of each other.

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