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THREE SUNDAY FIRES

HARDWARE STORE, LIVERY STABLE AND SALOON DESTROYED AT IDA GROVE.

ELEVEN HORSES BURNED; AGGREGATE LOSS \$18,000

Yard Offices of Minneapolis and St. Louis Railway at Fort Dodge Prey of Flames—Combination Chemical and Hose Wagon Badly Damaged in Run to Fire—Fire at Webster City.

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Ida Grove, May 16.—Fire Sunday destroyed Sauer & Sons' hardware store, Barnes' Corner saloon and Smith's livery stable, with a loss of about \$18,000. The fire started about midnight in the livery stable and in five minutes a quarter of a block was in flames. Eleven horses in the stable were burned. They seemed to have been stifled by the smoke and not a sound was heard from them.

The Sauer & Sons hardware and implement stock was all destroyed, but two automobiles and some shelf stock in the south end of the store were saved. This part of the building was also saved, but the stock was more or less ruined with heat, smoke and water. The Barnes saloon was a complete loss.

Insurance was carried on the properties as follows: Livery stable, \$1,000 in Century of Des Moines; hardware, about \$7,000 in Grain Shippers Co., Ida Grove; saloon and building, \$4,000.

The recent census will show Ida Grove to have less than 2,000 population and this will prevent the Corner saloon being reopened. The fire department did good work in preventing the flames spreading to adjacent buildings. The fire is still smoldering but rain is falling and there is no danger of further trouble.

Fire at Fort Dodge, Special to Times-Republicans.

Fort Dodge, May 16.—During the early morning hours of Sunday the early offices of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Company in this city were destroyed by fire, the blaze originating from a defective chimney. The local fire department made a hard, but unsuccessful fight to save the structure, and was finally compelled to abandon all efforts to subdue the flames in order to give attention to freight cars which had taken fire, in the neighborhood of twenty-five being destroyed.

While making the run to the scene of the blaze the new combination chemical engine struck a telegraph pole and was badly damaged. Three of the members of the fire department were thrown from the wagon, but escaped without serious injury. The damage to the wagon will be in the neighborhood of \$100.

FOR VACATIONAL SCHOOL.

Cedar Rapids Board Returns From Inspection Trip Favorably Impressed. Special to Times-Republicans.

Cedar Rapids, May 16.—The members of the Cedar Rapids school board and Superintendent McConnell have returned from a tour of inspection of the cities in the middle west, where vocational schools are in operation. The board spent the most of the time in Milwaukee and Chicago and returned impressed with the idea that the vocational high school is the thing. Two or three members of the board had previously been antagonistic to the vocational school idea.

The board found that in Chicago 40 per cent of the boys in attendance at the eighteen high schools in that city were enrolled in the three vocational schools. The board found the vocational schools in Chicago and Milwaukee popular and doing a great work. They are well equipped for teaching boys and also girls the rudiments of a practical mechanical or domestic science education.

It is predicted that the erection of a vocational high school here will be quickly followed by the spread of the idea throughout the state.

ANOTHER CENSUS RECORD.

Covered Township in Sixteen Days on Foot—Board Cost Him 50 Cents. Special to Times-Republicans.

Iowa Falls, May 16.—A record in census enumeration has been made in Emmet county, which probably has not equal in the state if in the country when the details of the record are compared.

L. T. Davis was the enumerator and covered the entire township in sixteen days and nights on foot. The expenses for board during the period of enumeration were just 50 cents. This low expenditure for board was due to the hospitality of the people among whom Mr. Davis worked and he was well cared for at the farm houses he visited while making the enumeration.

IOWAN KNIGHTED BY KING.

Former Storm Lake Dentist Gets Job With Italian Royalty. Sioux City, May 15.—Dr. Alfred Tenneyson Webb, of Storm Lake, formerly of Storm Lake, Iowa, has been appointed dentist to the royal family of Italy and has been knighted by Victor Emmanuel III.

This interesting bit of information is contained in a letter from Mrs. D. T. Gilman, now sojourning in Venice, to a friend in Sioux City.

"Even Baedeker comments upon Dr. Webb's exorbitant charges," writes Mrs. Gilman, "and I can testify to the reliability of Baedeker in that respect."

EAGLES PLAN STATE MEETING.

Convention to Be Held in Sioux City June 16, 17 and 18. Sioux City, May 15.—Present prospects indicate that the annual Eagles' convention in Sioux City, June 16, 17 and 18, will be one of the biggest gatherings in the history of the order. Twenty-two members of Sioux City Aerie No. 77 compose a hustling entertainment committee, which has already completed the program for the convention.

The address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor A. A. Smith in the

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Not all barrels are made of wood; there are barrels made of metal. A steel barrel that comes from Germany, used in the importation of aniline dye in powder form, is made with a flat band of the metal, perhaps eight inches in width, around the middle, at the bulge of the barrel, while the two ends of the barrel, tapering from the middle section to the heads, in the ordinary barrel fashion, are made of corrugated steel with the corrugations running lengthwise.

The dyestuff is heavy, 600 or 700 pounds to the barrel; but the steel barrel remains rigid and carries its heavy load securely without racking or twisting.

Health Hint. Masticate every mouthful of food until it liquifies and you will soon be free from the evils of indigestion.

One Day to One Hundred Years. "When is a woman most beautiful?" the Georgian is asked. We want to know how old she is first.—Atlanta Georgian.

Fortunes from Small Sums. People do not always realize the value of small sums of money that have been sometimes the seeds of fortunes.

Life's Link With Death. We begin to die as soon as we are born, and the end is linked to the beginning.—Lucretius.

Pretty Painful. "What selection is that the orchestra just finished?" "I don't know. Sounded to me like neuralgia expressed in music."

THE BEST

S.S.S. SPRING TONIC

Most persons, even those who are ordinarily strong and healthy, need a tonic and blood purifier in the Spring. Some have no particular ailment, but are weak, debilitated and run-down. Winter life with its decreased amount of outdoor exercise, and the fact that cold weather has kept the pores of the skin closed, prevented the proper amount of waste and refuse matter from being expelled from the system. These impurities entering the circulation have thinned and weakened the blood, and the body therefore does not receive a sufficient amount of blood nourishment. The general bodily weakness, tired feeling, sickle appetite, poor digestion, etc., show how anemic the blood has become. Frequently skin diseases, pimples, eruptions, etc., break out and this is evidence of the impurity of the circulation. S. S. S. is the best Spring tonic, because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers. It is the only medicine on which you can rely to enrich your blood. The use of S. S. S. at this time may save you from a long spell of sickness, and it will certainly prepare you for the strain of the long, hot Summer. S. S. S. is made entirely from roots, herbs and barks; it is Nature's tonic, pure and healthful. It regulates digestion, tones up the stomach, improves the appetite and promotes strong, vigorous health. This will be your best Spring season if you use S. S. S. for your tonic.

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