

FIVE HAVE CLOSE CALLS IN ACCIDENTS

MOTORCYCLIST, HURLED INTO FENCE AT TERRIFIC SPEED, ESCAPES WITH BRUISES.

FOUR THROWN FROM BUGGY DURING RUNAWAY

Motorcycle Driven by John Bobzin, of Gilman, Tears Down Section of Fence, But Rider Escapes Serious Injury—Quartet in Runaway Sprained and Bruised But Not Badly Hurt.

Two Sunday accidents, either of which might have resulted in very serious injuries or death, one a motorcycle wreck at the fair grounds and the other a runaway in which four young people narrowly escaped, furnished exciting incidents for those involved.

PARKIN PROVES HERO.

Former Marshalltown Pitcher Saves Life of Boy at Asbury Park. Word from Asbury Park, N. J., tells of a heroic act on the part of Roy Parkin, a pitcher with the Newark, N. J., Tigers, and formerly on the pitching staff of the Marshalltown team of the old Iowa league.

TURNED DOWN HALIFAX CALL.

Rev. C. H. Morris Does Not Consider Flattering Nova Scotia Call. Rev. C. H. Morris, pastor of Central Church of Christ, of this city, who is on his vacation in Nova Scotia, has received a call from the Halifax church, a thriving organization in a city of 20,000 people.

RUNAWAYS ARRESTED

Three Lads Who Escaped From Reform School Taken in This City—Wife of Police Officer Plays Important Part in Capture.

TEARS OUT SECTION OF FENCE.

Bobzin's machine was being speeded at such a terrific pace that, when he lost control of it, it crashed thru the fence of the race track, tearing out three posts and a sixteen-foot section of fence.

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The four young people who were in the runaway, which happened near the corner of South Center and Anson streets at 10 o'clock Sunday night, are unable to say just what frightened the horse or what later caused the buggy to upset.

SEES CASE OF DISEASE.

Child Afflicted With Infantile Paralysis Being Treated Here. A case of infantile paralysis from Baxter is being treated in this city, and so far as known is the first case to come under the observation of local physicians during recent weeks.

PLEASED WITH PROSPECTS.

Local Peach Land Investors Consider Missouri Outlook Good. Judge J. M. Parker, P. A. Hawley, Walter Leach, and A. P. Bratt arrived home Sunday evening from Koshkonong and Brandville, Mo., where they have been for a week looking after peach land interests.

POSTPONE OPENING?

New Said That Denatured Alcohol Plant Will Start in November. The plant of the National Denatured Alcohol Company, which was acquired recently by William F. Wolfner, of Peoria, and which Mr. Wolfner said at the time of the purchase would be started in operation by the latter part of August or the first of September, will not be opened until November.

PLAYETS WANTS DIVORCE.

Lamolle Man Brings Suit Against Wife for Separation. Joseph L. Playets, of Lamolle, has brought suit for divorce from his wife, Mrs. Anna Playets, of this city, asking for a divorce. Some time ago Mrs. Playets sued for divorce and the husband entered a counter petition.

NEW SWING FOR PARK.

Hand Swing Proves Popular, Commissioners Buy Another. The park commissioners Saturday night decided to purchase another hand swing for Riverview. The swing will have one improvement over the one bought recently, in the addition of a tester board.

CITY TO HAVE REST ROOM FOR PUBLIC

COUNTY WILL FURNISH APARTMENTS IN BASEMENT OF THE COURT HOUSE.

WERE ROOMS FORMERLY USED BY LAW FIRM

City Federation of Women's Clubs Co-operating, and a Committee Has Been Chosen to Secure Estimates on the Cost of the Furniture—Rooms Are to Be Ready Soon.

Suitable and even handsomely furnished rest rooms for the use of the public, and especially out-of-town visitors, are to be provided by the board of supervisors in the basement of the court house.

HAVE TWO LARGE ROOMS.

The rooms that have been set aside for this purpose are in the southeast corner of the basement. There were formerly three rooms, but one partition has been removed, making two large-sized compartments that are well lighted and ventilated.

PICKED UP FOR WATCH THEFT.

Evidence, However, is Lacking, and Intoxication Charge is Filed. John Lister, of Chicago, who claims his father is a millionaire of that city, was arrested Saturday afternoon by Officer Edgar. Lister was identified by Oscar Wulff as the man who had stolen four watches from his second-hand store the evening before.

CHICAGO IN EIGHTEEN HOURS.

Dr. A. C. Conaway Drives Motor Car to Templeton. Dr. A. C. Conaway drove his motor car to Chicago Sunday in eighteen hours, and will remain to attend the triennial convocation of Knights Templar.

"ASK ME" BUTTONS.

Marshalltown Club Gets Buttons to Designate "Natives." The Marshalltown Club has bought a quantity of buttons, printed in purple on white, which will be worn by Marshalltown people during the Elks' convention, and the object is to furnish information desired to strangers who are in town, who may want to know directions or some other information.

WHEELER BUILDING HOUSE.

To Erect Nice Residence at Corner Jerome and Fourth Streets. F. E. Wheeler has begun the work of excavating for a new residence on the lot he recently purchased of George Humlong, at the corner of Fourth and Jerome streets.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Max Hoffman, a junk dealer, was arrested Saturday afternoon by Constable E. J. Reed, on the complaint of L. Alman, who charged in the complaint that Hoffman had stolen a bicycle belonging to him.

LOCAL WEATHER RECORD.

Eighty-seven was Sunday's maximum temperature, compared with 85 for Saturday. Last night's minimum was 63 nine degrees warmer than the night before.

CENTRAL WRECKER DERAILLED.

The Iowa Central wrecking derrick, which was sent north Saturday to pick up a car of freight No. 95, that had broken down a journal the night before, was itself derailed one mile south of Hampton, while returning to this city. It required four hours' time to get the derrick back on the track.

GUARD NEGRO WITH SHOT GUN.

While farmers stood guard with a shot gun over a sleeping negro, Sheriff A. A. Nicholson was on his way Sunday afternoon to arrest the man, who was found two miles west of Lamolle. The negro, whose name was not taken, was evidently regarded as dangerous, although the sheriff was unable to learn for just what cause. The negro was brought to this city, where a charge of vagrancy was filed against him, but he has not yet been arraigned for trial.

PRIVILEGES FOR SALE.

Four big days at the Marshall county fair grounds beginning with the big Elks' celebration on the 17th, driving matinee and the big Dr. Carver show on the 18th and for the balance of the week the Dr. Carver shows will give two performances daily afternoon and evening. For privileges see Bert Everist.

NOTICE.

The barber shop under 30 East Main street has moved to 121 East Main. R. A. Julian, proprietor.

CHORAL UNION TO SING

Singers of Norwegian Lutheran Church of the Des Moines District to Give Concert in This City on Sunday, Aug. 28.

The Portress Choral Union, made up of the choirs of the Norwegian Lutheran church of the Des Moines district will give a sacred concert and sing a cantata in this city on Sunday, Aug. 28.

THE UNION WILL MEET HERE ON THE SATURDAY EVENING AUG. 28, FOR REHEARSALS.

Rev. A. Shefelund, of Huxley, is president of the union, and Mr. Elmer Farid, of Stanhope, is treasurer. Charles O. Boyd, of Roland, is director of the union.

PLEASANT WAYS FOR SUMMER DAYS.

Grand Trunk-Lehigh Valley, double track route, Chicago to New York via Niagara Falls, Grand Trunk Central Vermont, Boston & Maine route, from Chicago to Boston and the Grand Trunk Railway System to Montreal, Quebec, and Portland. Double track from Chicago to Montreal.

SALE OF CLEAR LAKE LOTS.

Great auction sale of Clear Lake lots and cottages at Dodge's Point Park Wednesday, Aug. 10. Fifty of the finest timbered lots on Clear Lake, and two cottages. Free boat service, free dinner and entertainment. Full sized lots 50x150 feet on lake shore, splendid beach, good boat service. Everything in first class. Fort particulars and post card views address Hugh H. Shepard, secretary, Mason City, Iowa.

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SPRING WHEAT GOES OVER FORTY BUSHELS

YOUNG GREEN MOUNTAIN FARMER SHOWS FINE RECORD ON RICE PLACE.

TWELVE ACRES YIELD TOTAL OF 518 1/2 BUSHELS

Roy Grimes Has Best Record So Far on Spring Wheat, and Also Produced Average of Thirty and One-Half Bushels of Winter Wheat—Crop Brought \$1 Per Bushel.

The best yield of spring wheat so far this season comes from Green Mountain, where Roy Grimes, a young farmer, raised on the A. H. Rice farm in Marion township a total of 518 1/2 bushels on twelve acres of ground. The grain was threshed last week, showing a yield of a little over forty-three bushels to the acre, and an excellent quality.

Mr. Grimes planted his wheat on March 22, using twenty-two bushels of seed. The grain was sold directly from the machine to the Farmers' Elevator Company at \$1 per bushel.

Mr. Grimes also showed a good yield in winter wheat, having seeded thirty acres on the Guy G. Lane farm. This field yielded thirty and one-half bushels to the acre.

So far as known Mr. Grimes' record for spring wheat is the largest ever known in this county.

BUSCH TO BE IN CHARGE.

Chief Master at Arms, U. S. N., to Recruit Local Recruits. The branch recruiting office for the United States navy, which was established recently in this city, will be under the personal charge of G. Busch, chief master at arms, U. S. N. The office is in the postoffice building, and is open on Thursday of each week.

Licensed to Wed. Homer L. Woodrill, furniture dealer, age 21, and Iona C. Bennett, aged 18, both of Waterloo.

The City In Brief

Eastman lodges at Newton's. Mr. Edward Seely spent Sunday in Hampton with relatives and friends.

Mrs. George Redel, of Minneapolis, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Dr. Exie Burkart spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Z. H. Doan, at New Providence.

Fifty pairs of sample cotton blankets at wholesale prices. Good time to buy. Archie Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Horne returned Saturday evening from a six weeks' visit in Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Miss Mabel Wehrli, of Jefferson, arrived in the city Saturday evening from Naperville, Ill., and will remain for a visit of a week or ten days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Reimer.

George J. Allen, optical specialist. Let us make you a skirt now while we are not so busy, \$1.75. Fits guaranteed. Archie Parker.

Mrs. Jack Watson and son Jack, of Ames, were in the city Saturday afternoon, being on their way to Grinnell for a short visit with Mrs. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Williams.

Dr. Bullard, osteopath, 15 West Main. Mr. George Painter spent Sunday in Ottumwa with Mrs. Painter, who is visiting relatives there.

Mrs. George Olson and son James returned home Sunday night from Chicago, where they have been visiting since the middle of June with Mrs. Olson's parents.

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