PAROLE IS REFUSED

OTIS GREEN, WIFE MURDERER, NOT ENTITLED TO FREEDOM.

GOVERNOR APPROVES PAROLE BOARD FINDINGS

Hunts Wife on Streets and Shoots Her—Green Totally Blind as Result of Self-Inflicted Wound in Effort to Commit Suicide—Willis Workman Returned to Prison.

Special to Times-Republican.

Des Moines, Sept. 22. — Governor Clarke today approved the report of the state board of parole which denies a parole to Otis Green, who was sentenced to life imprisonment in November, 1901, for the murder of his wife. The report was sent in to the governor more than a year ago.

Green had been divorced from his wife because of his dissipation. She obtained employment in Still College of Osteopathy, Des Moines, and was working there at the time of the tragedy. She was walking down Locust street after her day's work when Green rode up on a bicycle and shot her, killing her almost instantly. He then turned the revolver on himself and shot himself in the head. The shot did not kill him but did make him totally blind. He pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree, his defense being that he was crazed with drink at the time the offense was committed. On the same plea he placed his grounds for asking a pardon. Green was 28 years old at the time of his offense. He was committed to Fort Madison but after a few months was transferred to Anamosa as insane, but in June, 1907, he was retransferred to Fort Madison. He declared that for a period before he shot his wife up to and after his arrival at Anamosa his memory was a blank.

Act Premeditated.

Green suffered intense pain from a trouble arising out of his wound and his consequent blindness. His eye balls had been removed soon after he shot himself, and in the course of years the eye lids had grown to the back part of the eye sockets. This made it impossible for him to have glass eyes. A little over a year ago he was taken to Iowa City to the state university hospital and a successful skin grafting operation performed. Skin was taken from his lower limbs and grafted to his eyelids. The growth of the lids to the back part of the eye sockets was thus relieved.

In its ruling the parole board said: "We are compelled to view his act as premeditated and one by which he has forafeited his right to mingle again with his fellow men. The judge in imposing sentence must have believed that the facts warranted extreme penalty and we can not conclude that this should be interfered with."

Parole Violator Caught.

Parole Agent K. G. Lancelot left today for Cynthianna, Ky., to bring back Willis Workman, now under arrest there for violating his parole. Workman was paroled March 29 of this year after having served a part of his sentence on a conviction of forgery. He went back to Charles City. Recently complaint was again lodged against him in Charles City for again forging checks. He had left the country but was apprehended at Cynthianna, Ky.

"Apparently forgery is one of the hardest things to correct in a man who is given to that sort of thing there is," said Mr. Lancelot yesterday. "Petty thieving is another hard thing for persons addicted to that habit to overcome but forgery seems to be especially apt to get a man in its toils. It very often happens that a man once convicted of forgery goes back again to the same habit."

Old Accident Causes Death.

Webster City, Sept. 22. — Walter Townsend, son of S. E. Townsend, residing south of Duncombe, passed away at the family home after a few days' illness. He was only 20 years of age. Last April he was seriously injured in an accident caused from being thrown from a colt which had never been ridden. He rode the colt from the farm house to the watering trough but when riding back to the house was thrown off. He hit against a tree, breaking an arm and injuring one side of his head seriously. However, the wound healed and gave him no more trouble until a few days ago when he was again taken ill, and attending physicians say that internal injuries to the head sustained in the accident last April caused his death.

NOTED SPECIALISTS TO SPEAK.

Missouri Valley Medical Association in Session in Des Moines.

Des Moines, Sept. 22.—A dozen of the very noted medical men of the country will be guests of the Medical Society of Missouri Valley, Dr. Granville N. Ryan, president, at its meeting at the Coliseum in Des Moines today and tomorrow.

More than 600 of the physicians and surgeons of the central west will be present. The list of their distinguished guests follows:

John B. Murphy, Chicago.
John A. Witherspoon, Nashville.
George W. Crile, Cleveland, O.
Charles Lyman Greene, St. Paul.
Samuel Robinson, Rochester, Minn.
Frederick Gaertner, Pittsburgh.
Robert H. Babcock, Chicago.
Jefferson D. Griffith, Kansas City, president of the Medical Associatoin of the Southwest.
Charles R. Woodson, St. Joseph, president Missouri State Medical Association.
E. W. Rowe, Lincoln, Neb., president Nebraska State Medical Society.
W. B. Small, Waterloo, president Iowa State Medical Society.
Lewis Schooler, Des Moines, president Tri-State Medical Society.

COLLEGE BUYS PRIZE STEERS.

Henry County Animals to Be Entered on Grand Championship.

Special to Times-Republican.

Mount Pleasant, Sept. 22.—Once more Henry county has come to the front and won recognition as one of the greatest stock raising as well as agricultural centers in Iowa. At the Henry county fair recently held here, the Shorthorn steer entered by Mr. Ledru Willits, a prominent stockman of this county, won the grand championship, while an Angus steer entered by Hon. W. B. Seeley, was selected as reserve grand champion. The animals were of such unusual grade that they were purchased by the state of Iowa and are now in possession of the agricultural college at Ames. The Ames judges are so well pleased with the excellence of the animals that they will be groomed for and entered with Iowa's exhibit in the international sweepstakes.

WOULD RETAIN PASTOR.

Alden Church Petitions For Return of Rev. Mr. Muhleman.

Special to Times-Republican.

Alden, Sept. 22.—The people of the Alden charge of the M. E. church have declared decisively and emphatically to the district superintendent of the Fort Dodge district, Northwest Iowa conference that they very much desire Rev. Mr. Muhleman returned to this charge for the next conference year. This is the fifth year of Rev. Mr. Muhleman's pastorage on this charge and he has bound the church in the work and inaugurated campaigns for cleaning up civic and social conditions here. The Boy Scout work and the brotherhood have received a great incentive under his efficient direction. The petition to Dr. MacDonald carried 224 names.

Milkman Killed by Train.

Davenport, Sept. 22. — Solomon Scherbonsky, known by his American name of Abraham Scherman, aged 20, a milk peddler for the Economy Fuel Company, met instant death about 5:30 yesterday, when he was struck by Rock Island train No. 4, the Golden State limited, eastbound, at the Division street crossing near Third and Davie streets.

The body was severed at the waist lines and the torso was carried more than thirty feet before it was dropped along the track. The right arm was also amputated by the trucks.

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CORN STILL BACKWARD

NOT MORE THAN 5 PER CENT OF CROP SAFE FROM INJURY BY FROST.

UNFAVORABLE CONDITIONS DURING PAST WEEK

Excessive Rains Retard Ripening Process—Only 20 Per Cent of Entire Growing Crop Reaches Denting Stage—Harvesting of Grape and Apple Crops in Porgress.

Special to Times-Republican.

Des Moines, Sept. 22.—The weekly crop bulletin says:

The average temperature for the week was slightly below the normal, due to prevailing low readings on the last day, which caused frost in many localities on the morning of the 21st. Showers were frequent, and in many sections heavy to excessive, making unfavorable conditions for rapid ripening of corn. The crop is very backward, and not more than 20 per cent of it is dented and not more than 5 per cent is safe from injury by killing frost.

The frequent showers also delayed threshing and in some sections plowing and seeding. The harvesting of a heavy crop of grapes is nearing completion in the western counties, and many apples have been picked. Pastures continue in excellent condition, but reports of potatoes rotting in the ground are still being received.

SECURE GOOD SEED CORN.

Some Corn in Cerro Gordo County Ready to Gather.

Special to Times-Republican.

Mason City, Sept. 22.—Farmers of Cerro Gordo county are now engaged in selecting their seed corn. In a number of localities it is now in good condition to gather. Corn fields vary a great deal. In some places the ears are as plump and well filled as in good corn years. In other places the kernels are shrunken. The seed corn that will be selected for next year's crop will all be good and there will be plenty of it without resorting to 1914 crop.

Eldora News in Brief.

Special to Times-Republican.

Eldora, Sept. 22.—Seven carloads of live stock were shipped from this city to Chicago, Tuesday, Robert Schwark sending five and Earl Putman and Rube Richard one each.

The local B. Y. P. U. gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Harris Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wheeler. The newlyweds were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents.

A large stone weighing nearly a ton fell from the top of the new bank building and crashed to the sidewalk below. Fortunately no one was hit altho several had just passed the spot, and the damage was confined to a broken sidewalk and a few broken bricks of the building adjoining.

Vivian Carpenter, Eleanor Steinberg, Ralph and Ruth Gray, Verna Illif, Delphia Williams, Glenn Whitney and Walter Tabor have left for Iowa City to resume their studies in the state university. Nelson Ellsworth and Charles Beck have entered the same school as freshmen, the former in the college of dentistry and the latter in the college of engineering.

The high school football team were victorious in their game with Iowa Falls last Saturday. The home boys were far superior in all departments of the game. The final score was 18 to 7 in favor of Eldora. A rejuvenated school spirit has taken hold of the local school and never before did prospects look better not only in athletics but in all other departments as well.

Harry Brikle was before the commissioners of insanity Tuesday afternoon and adjudged a fit subject for an asylum. A deputy sheriff took him at once to Independence by auto.

A good delegation of veterans will attend the national G. A. R. encampment at Washington, including Henry Thamer, Rev. W. E. Stanley, department chaplain; J. H. Lytle and daughter Bertha, Allan Meader, L. A. Diefendorf and wife, Mrs. Abagail Runkle and William Bowers. They will be met on their arrival by Rev. Lucius Clark, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in Eldora. They will leave Saturday afternoon, Sept. 25, and will arrive in Washington Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

NEAR DEATH IN FLOOD.

Two Fatal Mishaps Narrowly Averted on Skunk River.

Newton, Sept. 22.—Thru the workings of some strange phenomenon Newton was omitted in the general cloudburst which swept most of the country Monday morning. It reached from Baxter to Kellogg, and took in all the north and east portions of the county, and southern Marshall county, but this immediate vicinity, extending two miles or more into Malaka and Mariposa townships had no rain at all.

About noon Monday Elmer Loupee, a son of John Loupee, attempted to cross the river near the Adolph Bergman farm north from town. He was in a lumber wagon. The water was so high that the horses would not wade it, and in some way they broke loose. The box became separated from the running gears and it began to float down stream. Young Loupee held to it altho it was overturned. His team ran to the Walter Krampe farm, and Mr. Krampe realized that something was wrong and rode down and rescued the young man. If he had not arrived to assist Mr. Loupee, the boy would undoubtedly have lost his life.

Another accident that might have proved disastrous occurred at the crossing near the Kelly homestead, northeast of town, where the Wedermeier family is now residing. Miss Daicy Branter and her little brother, children of Jake Brantner, who lives on the Korff farm, were driving home that way, and realizing that the water was high, they waited until two men came along on horse back to cross before them. Miss Brantner drove behind the men, but one of her horses slipped off from the grade, and was drowned. The men drove back, cut the harness and rescued the occupants of the buggy and the other horse. The buggy soon overturned.

Montezuma News Notes.

Special to Times-Republican.

Montezuma, Sept. 22.—Eldridge, the four and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Allen, died on Monday morning. The little fellow was stricken with typhoid while the family was visiting friends and was very ill when he was brought home. Complications followed and caused the end. The remains were taken to North English for burial.

The brick work on the new jail residence is completed. It will be some weeks before Sheriff Lamb can move in. The present jail is full at present. A number are serving time for minor offenses.

At a congregational meeting at the Presbyterian church on Monday evening it was voted to extend a call to Rev. Mr. Mahaffy, of Dows. Rev. Mr. Mahaffy preached here on Sunday and was well liked. The church has been without a pastor for the past two months.

Frost was noted by many yesterday morning. No damage was done, according to those who have had a chance to examine tender plants and foliage.

Charles B. Harry, a former resident of this vicinity, died at his home near Plymouth from heart trouble. Mr. Harry was connected with many families in this county.

The attention of the railroad commission has been called to the dangerous condition of the Rock Island track east of Montezuma. Since the wreck of last week it has been reported that a work train will commence operations out of Montezuma within a few days.

AFTER CHEAP ROAD LABOR.

Polk County Supervisor Tells Aliens to Work Out Poll Tax.

Des Moines, Sept. 22.—Sixty foreign laborers engaged in railroad construction work in southern Polk county each will put in two days' work on the Polk county roads in lieu of cash payment of poll tax, as the result of the work of a foxy road supervisor.

The supervisor discovered the laborers inside of his district living in bunk cars. He therefore notified them to appear for work on the roads before Oct. 1, threatening the penalties of the law if they fail.

The laborers object to giving Polk county two days of their time. They appealed to the county and state officials for an opinion whether the road supervisor was within his rights in calling on the gang for road work. They declared they are not citizens of Polk county and therefore are not subject to poll tax here.

The officials thought they should be forced to pay it.

The contractor who employs the men has consulted an attorney with view to finding some way around the law, he told the officials.

News of Sheldon.

Special to Times-Republican.

Sheldon, Sept. 22.—A compilation of names of those attending colleges from O'Brien county towns makes such number as 150. Of this number fifty are from Sheldon.

The county committee of the Y. M. C. A. has chosen Hal Coffman, of Emporia, Kan., as the new assistant county secretary to assist the secretary, D. G. Cathcart. Mr. Sonquist, the retiring assistant, goes to continue school work at Chicago University.

Judge Boles has set aside the jury's verdict giving Robert Brewster a verdict of $1,386 against the Milwaukee road for the killing of sheep last fall, on the right-of-way west of Sheldon. The verdict was set aside as exhorbitant and the case will be retried.

Iowa Horses to Exposition.

Cedar Rapids, Sept. 22.—Henry Lefebure & Son, of Fairfax, shipped on Tuesday, by express, a carload of twenty Belgian horses to the Panama exposition, where the horses will be on exhibition the first two weeks in October, and will come in competition with the world. Mr. Lefebure is confident his horses will bring back a number of prizes. He is also enthusiastic over the stock exhibits at the fair from Iowa, and believes it will beat the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefebure left Tuesday night for San Francisco. They will be absent a month.

To the Pubile.

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Northern Iowa Items

North McGregor.

Citizens of McGregor have erected in the cemetery here a beautiful memorial monument to dead members of Harvey Dix post, No. 371, G. A. R.

Waterloo.

Emma Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink, born twelve days ago and weighing only one pound at birth, died Saturday. This was probably the tiniest babe ever born in Iowa that lived at or after birth. The father is an Illinois Central engineer.

Sioux City.

A new record price for steers was established at the local yards when five selected from a car load to be exhibited at the fair, sold at $10.25. They were from the farm of J. W. Carr at Ireton, Iowa. The bunch averaged 1,054 pounds.

Cedar Falls.

Sunday, Otc 3, will be the time of the laying of the cornerstone of the beautiful $50,000 St. Patrick's church in this city, acoerding to the latest advices. The distinguished prelates of the denomination will come here from distant cities to participate in the imposing and impressive ceremonies.

Orange City.

Despite bad weather Wednesday and Thursday receipts at the Sioux county fair only fell off $300 from last year. The exhibits in all the departments were the best in years. From the condition of the corn exhibition it is believed most of the corn of the county will mature if killing frost does not occurs before Oct. 7.

Dewar.

Lightning struck the school house here early Monday morning and the structure was burned to the ground, only a few books being saved. The two-room wooden building was located a quarter of a mile from the town, and was Dewar's only school building. It was expected that the school board will meet to arrange for a new meeting place for the pupils until the school can be rebuilt.

Fort Dodge.

County Attorney Cavanuagh has received from the state auditor a list of the auto owners of Webster county who have not yet paid their license fee for the year of 1914. In the list are 180 names, sixty-five of whom confess Fort Dodge as their home. Motorcyclists also have been declared delinquent. Forty-one of this county have yet to procure an Iowa license, and twenty-four of them are living in Fort Dodge.

Charles City.

The Charles City Western line has been completed to the new station of Colwell, ten miles from Charles City, and the first freight loads of lumber, building materials and live stock are being hauled into the new town. The Simpson brothers of Charles City, formerly with Ruste company grocery department in the department store, have started a general merchandise store. A large elevator is being built and a number of residences are in course of construction. The next extension of the Charles City Western is to Cresco.

Webster City.

A motorcycle costing $250, belonging to Louis Wilson, was made a total wreck Monday when it caught fire from a leaking tank as it stood in front of the Stuart wall paper store, and almost entirely burned up. Water will do no good in a gasolene fire and a chemical extinguisher was brought from the Hanson & Tyler garage to put out the flames. This, too, failed and the machine was demolished. Flour is about the only thing that will put out a gasolene fire and no one attempted the use of that Monday morning.

Cedar Falls.

A large barn on the James Tollar farm, near New Hartford, was burned to the ground Monday morning, the blaze presumably having been caused by a bolt of lightning striking the structure. All live stock in the building, including several head of horses, was lost. There was also destroyed considerable grain, with about forty log will approximate near $5,000. The loss wil lapproximate near $5,000. The tenant on the farm is Fred Winter, but all of the destroyed property was not owned by him. Insurance was carried in the Black Hawk county and Butler county mutual insurance companies.

Sioux City.

Union evangelistic services will be held in Sioux City early next spring, if the approval voiced by congregations are followed by the corresponding action. In nearly all cases church memberships Sunday voted in favor of holding the services. Final action probably will be taken at a meeting of the Ministerial Association at the Y. M. C. A. The attitude taken at each church will be announced and the proposition will be settled. Of the central churches, the only one opposed to joining the meetings is the First Baptist church. Opposition was met here because of the financial end of the meetings, and the fact that previous meetings have not proved exceptionally successful. At the Morning Side Presbyterian church it is felt that the church is too far from the center of the city to be assisted by the meetings.

Fort Dodge.

It was about 11:30 Saturday when a jitney driver drove up in front of Pinsker's lunch room, 510 First avenue south, and stopped. The old machine purred lazily. It had made the trip from the east end to west Fort Dodge so often that even its mechanical brain had ceased to count the trips. The driver left the machine standing at the curb and went into the lunch room for a bite before going home. Thoughts of a comfortable bed ran thru the jitney's transmission and it purred even louder. The street was nearly deserted, and the chances for a getaway fine. Realizing this the jitney softly slipped gears as it had felt the driver do so often and started home of its own accord. Busy biting a hunk out of a piece of pie the driver did not hear the machine start off. Down the hill it went, turned to the left and ran into the feed stalls next to the Bismarck saloon. It nosed its way thru the dark, pushing two or three carriages out of the way, until it reached the shelter of the shed. There some kind hearted person heard it weezing and snorting and turned off the pow

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