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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

Mrs. A. Lindell and daughter Selma, 616 North Green street, left this morning for Villisca, to attend the funeral of little Mildred Lindell, which will be held there Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Lorimer and children, Vincent and Dorothy of Omaha, are guests at the E. Elliott home, 423 North Green street.

Miss Lela Boulton, 333 West Second street, left this morning for Omaha, Neb., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. W. S. Hogue and family.

Mrs. W. F. Sylvester, 341 South Moore street, has gone to Foster to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Phillips of Albia has returned to her home after visiting friends in Ottumwa.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Carson of Des Moines have returned home after visiting in the city.

The Misses Lena and Myrtle Johnson of Blakesburg and Miss Ida Johnson of Ottumwa have gone to Blakesburg.

Miss Eva Elder, 116 North Marion street, has gone to Centerville to visit relatives.

Mrs. L. T. Smith of Cedar Rapids has returned home after visiting relatives in Seymour and Ottumwa.

Mrs. M. R. Springer of Albia has returned home after visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Martha Young, south of the city, and Miss Doris Young, 505 South Madison avenue, have gone to Des Moines to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. O. Judson of Oskaloosa, who has been visiting in the city, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Warder of Farnsworth in the city en route to Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. Harry Buck and four children have returned to Beardstown, Ill., after a two weeks' visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Don Carlos, 609 Ellis avenue.

Mrs. Sarah E. Bryson and son, Herman Bryson, 301 South Ransom street, have returned from Wichita, Kansas, where Mrs. Bryson spent six weeks with relatives.

**Obituary**

Mrs. Ruth C. J. Bunnell.  
Mrs. Ruth C. J. Bunnell of Delta died this morning at 3:30 o'clock at St. Joseph's hospital. The body will be taken Tuesday to Sigourney for burial.

John Clarence Lauer.  
John Clarence Lauer died at the residence at 521 Center avenue, Saturday, June 19. He was born in Jackson, Tenn., on July 7, 1878. Funeral announcements later.

Clyde Neal Lawrence.  
Clyde Neal Lawrence, son of Mrs. Gertie Lawrence, of Bertha street, died this morning at 2:30 o'clock. He was born March 2, 1914. The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from the May Street chapel in charge of Rev. C. A. Montanus. Burial in Shaul cemetery.

Howard William Ladd.  
Howard William Ladd of Madrid was buried Sunday afternoon in the Ottumwa cemetery. The funeral services were held from the home of his mother, Mrs. Kate Ladd, 216 West

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**HORSE MARKET IN THE SAME OLD RUT**

**WAR CLASSES MONOPOLIZE THE TRADE; MAY HAVE ARMY INSPECTION HERE.**

Morris Williams in his weekly horse market letter to The Courier today says that the war type is the predominant animal in the local market. He also hints at an army inspection being conducted in Ottumwa in the near future. His letter follows:

Horse demand continues to run along in just about the same old rut, the war classes practically monopolizing the entire market.

In fact, the inspection of army horses so overshadows the transactions in ordinary commercial barns for domestic use, that the auctions at the leading horse marts have been practically suspended, and the business given over almost entirely to the foreign inspection.

The same conditions prevail over the country. Army buyers are picking up the horses suited to their use, in every neighborhood, thus causing a falling off in the supplies at the local markets and until this condition is changed it is very difficult to hold successful auction sales.

A transaction is now under way whereby an army inspection may be established in the near future at Ottumwa, which will possibly be held instead of the regular auctions, at least until the fall trade opens.

Fourth street, with Rev. Malcolm Dana and Rev. W. C. Hengen in charge.

Donald Robert Meffer.  
Donald Robert Meffer, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meffer, died Sunday at the home on East Main and Ash streets, at the age of 17 days. The funeral was held from the house this morning at 9 o'clock. Burial was in the Shaul cemetery, Rev. C. A. Montanus officiating.

Mrs. Emma C. Swanson.  
Mrs. Emma C. Swanson, 112 South Foster avenue, died at her home Sunday night at 11:30 o'clock, at the age of 53 years.

The funeral will be held from the residence on South Foster avenue, at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon. The services will be in charge of Rev. P. O. Bersell. Burial in the Ottumwa cemetery.

**BLOODHOUNDS RUN DOWN YOUNG BURGLAR**

Agency, June 21.—(Special)—The house of Mrs. Alex Giltner was entered Sunday while Mrs. Giltner was attending church and finding everything in disorder upon her return, she enlisted the aid of the Agency bloodhounds, which led to the early capture of a boy giving the name of Henry Martin of Ottumwa, who later confessed to the crime. Entry was made by a rear window and the dogs took up the scent there and followed it to the south part of town where the lad was captured. Young Martin gave his age as 14 years.

**FARM HANDS UNDER COMPENSATION ACT**

Des Moines, June 21.—Farm hands may recover compensation under the workmen's compensation act, according to a ruling of Industrial Commissioner Warren Garst today. For some time it has been contended that farm hands did not come under the provisions of the act but this question was finally settled in today's decision involving several cases of men who had been injured by horses. Agricultural labor was held to be the same as any trade so far as the provisions of the Iowa statutes are concerned. Considerable interest has been aroused over the state over the outcome of the present cases.

**UPPER IOWA MAN WILL KEEP PLACE.**

Fayette, June 21.—President R. W. Cooper of Upper Iowa university, who announced to the board of trustees three weeks ago that he desired to be relieved of the presidency of Upper Iowa university, to devote himself to larger tasks of less public nature, was prevailed upon by the board of trustees to reconsider his decision and remain with the college. He has assumed the burden of making Upper Iowa university a real intellectual and educational center for all northeastern Iowa.

**HEAR CLARKE'S TALK OVER TELEPHONE**

Des Moines, June 21.—Members of the chamber of commerce want to hear Gov. George W. Clarke when he speaks at the Panama-Pacific exposition June 25. They didn't want to go to Frisco so they have arranged for the speech over the telephone. One hundred receivers will be installed for the day and will be connected for an hour 12:30 to 1:30.

John Nevin, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Nevin, 325 Taft avenue, has returned to Iowa City, where he will attend summer school.

**ACCIDENT PROVES FATAL TO CHESSEB**

**JITNEY BUS AND STREET CAR COLLIDE ON EAST MAIN STREET.**

**AUTO SKIDDED IN MUD**

**Serves on Track Causing Passenger to Be Crushed; Woman Thrown From Rear Seat Onto Paving.**

Charles Chesser, aged 38 years, residing at 517 South Fellows avenue, was fatally injured about 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening when a "jitney" bus on which he was a passenger, collided with an eastbound street car on Main street and Fellows avenue. Death followed at 9:20 o'clock in St. Joseph's hospital where he was rushed immediately after the accident. Mrs. B. H. Meier, 141 South Van Buren avenue, also a passenger on the "jitney," was thrown out of the bus and slightly injured. The auto was driven by J. R. Layman. The skidding of the rear wheels into the catch well near the curbing is believed to have swerved the auto onto the street car tracks and caused the collision.

**Skidded into Catch Basin.**

Various versions of just how the accident occurred are given and the several passengers have slightly different theories. There were six persons riding in the "jitney" besides the driver. Three of these were women, Mrs. B. H. Meier and daughter, Ethel, and Miss Viola Mofitt, all of whom occupied the rear seat. Sitting with driver Layman was Frank Chesser and on the running board on the left of the car Charles Chesser sat in a crouching position on the tool box with one arm about the support of the car top or cover. On the opposite side John Boegus, 211 Adams street, was riding the running board. The car thus laden had just left Iowa avenue for town. In the meantime a street car had left the switch at the foot of Elm street two blocks west and the two met at the corner of Main and Fellows in front of the Meier hardware store. Neither was going fast according to eye witnesses, the motorman of the car and Mr. Layman on the auto. The latter states that he had not changed first speed of his car, running in intermediate just after picking up his passengers and was clear of the car an instant before the collision. In passing in front of the Meier store where the roadway is somewhat narrow the right rear wheel skidded in the mud and slid downward toward the catch basin located there and this swerved the forward wheels into the car tracks just as the street car was about to pass. Mr. Layman states that it all happened in an instant and in this the testimony of passengers, motorman and eye witnesses agree.

Charles Chesser, who rode the running board nearest the car tracks, shouted a warning to the driver as they swerved onto the tracks, but was caught between the two cars in an instant and crushed.

His head was cut and bruised, the skull fractured and his right hip broken. A deep cut in the left leg and several bruises and scratches on various parts of his person were inflicted on Mr. Chesser, who fell or was pitched to the pavement, from which numerous volunteers carefully lifted him in a short time. The ambulance and a physician were soon on the scene and he was taken immediately to St. Joseph's hospital, where he lingered but little more than an hour after reaching there.

John Boegus, who was on the right running board, was pitched off unhurt and Mrs. B. H. Meier was thrown bodily from the rear seat into the street and suffered but a few minor injuries. The two girls and Frank Chesser, who were passengers, were unhurt save for a jarring and fright.

The step on the street car was broken off and the front fender on the left side of the "jitney" was bent somewhat, the tire cut and front wheel damaged. Mr. Layman states that the damage to his auto would not exceed fifteen dollars.

**CONFESS TO ENTERING KIDD DRUG STORE**

The F. Z. Kidd & Co., drug store was broken into Saturday night and a number of baseballs, gloves, cigars and perfumery taken. This morning Henry Doran and Dave Gillipie confessed to Chief of Police Pete Gallagher of having entered the store. They waived preliminary hearing and were bound over to the grand jury. Doran was arrested on suspicion and after being quizzed by Officer Jack Smith gave way and told of having taken the articles and where they were hidden. Officer Cresswell went to the place and found the stolen goods. Gillipie was taken later by the officers and confessed his part in the robbery.

**PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO CONTEMPT CHARGE**

Pearl True was arraigned before Judge Hunter this morning on the charge of contempt of court and pleaded not guilty. True was enjoined by the court last August. Several witnesses were examined and the court will probably make a decision sometime today. Thomas Fitzgerald was arraigned on the same charge and pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for June 28. A petition of contempt was also filed against Willis Garrett, by County Attorney Elmer K. Daugherty.

**IOWA SALARY LIST MAKES INCREASE**

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION DIVERT MONEY TO PAYMENT FOR SERVICE.**

Des Moines, June 21.—The state board of education will take final action of the budgets for the different institutions under its control at a meeting to be held about the first of July. The preliminary drafts of these budgets were presented by the school heads at a meeting of the board in Iowa City yesterday. When the legislature granted a material increase in the amount of money for these institutions it was explicitly understood by the assemblymen that these increases were not to be devoted to salary boosts, except in especially meritorious cases.

**LAND AGENT ASKS FOR HIS COMMISSION**

Cedar Rapids, June 21.—William Harrison, formerly connected with the Central American Land and Development company, has filed suit against the company in the superior court to collect \$1,723.33 alleged to be due as commissions on land in Central America that he has sold in the vicinity of this city. R. E. Glass, manager of the company, is made a party to the suit. Write of attachment have been issued against some fifteen or twenty accounts of the company by Harrison to insure the collection of his fee in the event he wins his case.

**MUSCATINE HAS HAYMARKET CASE**

Muscatine, June 21.—The suit, Gladstien vs. the City of Muscatine, in which an injunction is sought preventing the purchasing of the Stien property on West Second street for a new city hay market, was yesterday opened in the district court. Several witnesses were heard during the afternoon, including Alderman Bowen, City Recorder Caple, Fred Garrison and E. O. Burnside.

Eleven thousand dollars was authorized for the purchasing of the property by the city council, and it was stated on the stand that the valuation of the property did not exceed \$6,000. Alderman Bowen placed the value of the property at \$5,000 while Garrison and Burnside estimated it between the two figures. City Recorder Caple was asked to give details regarding the entering of the contract. The case will occupy the attention of the court for several days as a large number of witnesses are to be heard.



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