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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. M. C. Carlos, 609 Ellis avenue has gone to Russell where she will attend the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tull, 2124 Emma street, have left for Sheridan where they will make their home.

Mrs. B. Cowles and her daughter, Mrs. Claude Lyons were Ottumwa visitors Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Box, 138 North Moore street, has gone to Floris to visit with friends.

Miss Florence Harris of Mystic is visiting Mrs. J. W. Hunter, 311 North McLean street.

Mrs. A. Davey of Minneapolis, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook, 1001 West Second street, has returned home.

Mrs. C. L. Montgomery, 232 East Maple avenue, has left for Bedford,

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where she will visit her mother Mrs. B. Bristow.

Miss Lulu Staples of Corning, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Richards, 110 Orchard street, has returned home.

Ben Schrenkengast and Ross Downard of Keosauqua visited today at the A. E. Platt home, 1023 East Main street.

E. W. Luke of Keosauqua, has returned home after visiting his son, John C. Luke, south of city and his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Platt, at 1023 East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Peck and daughter, Miss Ila, 816 Finley avenue and Mrs. Chas. H. Smith, 621 North Hancock street enjoyed an overland trip to Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gibbs and son, George, 510 East Pinley avenue have returned from Mediapolis and Burlington where they visited relatives and friends since Friday.

Miss Lois King who is attending Grinnell college and roommate, Miss Maybelle Farnes of Clarinda, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, 125 North Sheridan avenue. They returned home Sunday by automobile.

Rev. B. J. Rhodes, 517 Chester avenue received a message Monday telling of the sudden death of his father, Henry Rhodes which occurred Monday morning at his home at Garner. Rev. Rhodes and son Paul left last evening for Garner. Funeral announcements will be made later.

GERMAN REFUGEES
AT FT. MADISON

MANY OF KAISER'S SUBJECTS
HAVE PROPERTY
CONFISCATED.

Ft. Madison, Oct. 13.—One hundred and fourteen German refugees from Kiao Chow, China, passed through here in a special train of nine cars, en route from San Francisco to New York City, from where they will take passage on a neutral vessel to the Fatherland.

The party on board the train were mostly merchants teachers, custom officers and one red cross surgeon. There were seventy-three children under five years of age and fourteen under twelve years of age.

Those in the party had been expelled recently from China by the Japanese, who confiscated all their property before forcing them from the country. Those on board the train, in telling of their experiences, stated that the Japs has treated them very courteously and gave all the assistance possible under the circumstances. One lady on the train said that she had been living in a home of twenty-three rooms and all that she possessed at the present time was in one trunk. Those on board are hastening to New York where they have made arrangements for leaving this country on a neutral ship.

CUTS LEG SEVERELY WITH CORN KNIFE

North English, Oct. 13.—Elmer Guenther, the oldest son of August Guenther, living northeast of town, cut one of his legs severely with a corn knife, almost severing the tendon in the ankle. Notwithstanding the severity of the cut he walked to town from where he was working, about three-quarters of a mile, to Dr. Jones, who dressed the wound.

LOSES JOB BY MERGER.

Iowa City, Oct. 13.—Uncertainty of life in trade journal circles has left another Iowa boy looking for an opening in a big city. Earl H. Emmons, formerly of the Iowa City Daily Press staff, and later with the Register and Leader, Des Moines, went from that city to New York, as associate editor of the Printing Trade News. The magazine has been absorbed by the American Printer, and the young Iowan is out. He may engage in freelance writing in the metropolis or come back to Iowa, he writes to friends.

WOULD BE SUPERINTENDENT.

Iowa City, Oct. 13.—Another candidate for the Johnson county superintendent to succeed the late Superintendent George H. Mullin, who died suddenly last week, is now in the field. It is Superintendent E. L. O'Connor, formerly of Lone Tree; and later, head of the Burt, Ia., schools. He was a noted S. U. I. athlete, before his graduation here in 1913. The convention has been called for October 20.

ENGINE CRUSHES BOY.

Sioux City, Oct. 13.—A threshing outfit fell through a metal culvert near Canton, buckling the engine and tender together, and crushing to death John Lund, C. W. A. Canady and his 12-year old son, who stood on the deck between the engine and the water tender. All three were found standing erect dead, two of them having been instantly killed.

MOTORCYCLE COPS IN BAD SMASHUP

Sioux City, Oct. 13.—Two policemen were so severely injured it was necessary to convey them to a hospital when a motorcycle they were riding in answer to a burglary call, crashed into a delivery team.

The injured men are Neil Anderson, motorcycle patrolman, and Robert Carraher, detective. They were taken to St. Vincent's hospital where Anderson was found to have a deep cut in the back of the head. A gash several inches long in Carraher's head was closed with stitches. Both men were painfully bruised and lacerated about the shoulders and hips. The wagon was stationary when the collision occurred. The two officers were lying in the street unconscious near the wrecked machine when Louis Benton, driver of the team, came from a house where he had just left a parcel.

SHIPS FIRST LOAD OF HICKORY NUTS

Ft. Madison, Oct. 13.—The first carload of hickory nuts ever shipped from Fort Madison was billed by the Fort Madison Produce and Storage company today and the car is now speeding on its way destined for Chicago.

Eight hundred bushels of nuts were in the car and between sixteen hundred and two thousand bushels still remain to be shipped. The great crop of nuts of all kinds has been extremely noticeable this year.

"WILSON TOO HASTY."

Iowa City, Oct. 13.—Girls at the University of Iowa, by a campus vote, declared President Wilson is hasty, getting married again. The question has been discussed pro and con and the resolution reached that he should have waited longer.

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All of our \$18.00 men's and young men's overcoats will be sacrificed at	\$12.45
All of our \$20.00 men's and young men's overcoats — think of it, only	\$14.75
All of our \$22.50 men's and young men's overcoats reduced to only	\$16.65
All of our \$25.00 men's and young men's overcoats cut to only	\$18.75
All of our \$27.50 men's and young men's overcoats now	\$19.95
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All of our men's and young men's \$27.50 suits cut to only	\$19.95
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\$5.00 silk and wool suits	\$3.85

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This law has resulted in better wages to school teachers in those districts where the pay has been small. Some districts, however, and notably Des Moines, for some time have maintained a higher wage scale than this law specifies.

The scarcity of teachers, noticeable a short time before the fall schools opened, is not apparent now, the state superintendent's office says, and the schools of the state are all supplied with teachers. In so far as the state officials are informed, just before the winter term opens there is usually a dearth of teachers noticeable, due to the fact that a good many who have been teaching in the fall drop out.

FAVORS BRINGING UP AN OLD INDICTMENT

Sioux City, Oct. 13.—Judge John W. Anderson of the district court, favors the prosecution of E. J. "Rummy" De Roos upon old indictments standing against him, despite the fact that De Roos was granted immunity for turning state's evidence against George Peirce, former police chief, who was convicted, and against George Ford, ex-saloon keeper, who pleaded guilty to bribery, and paid a \$1,000 fine.

The indictments against De Roos are for running a house of ill fame and conducting a public nuisance. These bills antedate the charges upon which he was granted immunity. C. N. Jepson, former county attorney, says the state has a strong case against De Roos in case it wants to push it.

De Roos was the third member of the so-called graft triumvirate which entered into a conspiracy to collect protection money from resorts. De Roos said all the money was turned over to Peirce who was to warn houses of impending police raids.

TIPTON HAS BEEN BUSY BUILDING

Tipton, Oct. 13.—Although weather has been against contractors this season has been a good building year for Tipton from the standpoint of new structures. Twelve new modern residences have been completed or are now nearing completion. Work on the new \$30,000 opera house is now under way and the \$50,000 county home building is also under construction.

PUTS NAME ON EGG; LETTER COMES BACK

Clarinda, Oct. 13.—Donald Craig, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Craig of this city, last summer was employed in the egg department of the Swift & Co. plant in Clarinda, and when there engaged one day wrote his name and address on the shell of an egg he was packing.

The case in which the egg was packed was sent away from Clarinda and in due time, vacation over, Donald returned to his studies in the Clarinda high school.

A short time ago a letter came all the way from Miss Tillie McMullen of Paisley, Scotland, to Donald Craig, Clarinda, Ia. Miss McMullen over there in Scotland, had come across the egg bearing the name of the young American citizen, Donald Craig, and had written to him. It was a nice, lady-like letter, too, one that the recipient could be proud of. In her letter Miss McMullen said that she knew from his name that Mr. Craig was a Scotchman.

AUTOMOBILE TURNS COMPLETELY OVER

Tipton, Oct. 13.—Dr. E. J. Van Meter and H. R. McNamara sustained serious injuries when the former's auto turned turtle in a ditch about five miles south of town. Dr. Van Meter was driving. The lights went out and before he could stop the car it had turned over. His son, Ure Van Meter, Cedar county clerk, was in the auto but escaped injury. Dr. Van Meter had three ribs and his shoulder broken and Mr. McNamara suffered a broken collar bone.

MASONS HELP TO LAY SCHOOL CORNERSTONE

Fontanelle, Oct. 13.—The cornerstone of Fontanelle's new \$30,000 school building was laid by the Ma-

sonic grand lodge of Iowa. The ceremonies were conducted by Dr. J. A. West of Des Moines, special deputy grand master; Grand Secretary N. R. Parvin of Cedar Rapids, Deputy Grand Master Kingery of Orient, and members of the Fontanelle and Greenfield lodges, specially deputized for the occasion. The Rev. John Young of Greenfield, acted as grand chaplain and orator of the day.

RAILROAD GETTING READY FOR WINTER

Hampton, Oct. 13.—The Rock Island railroad company has a force of men, numbering about 300, at work within ten miles of this place putting the track in the best possible shape before freezing weather comes. Financial troubles seem not to have dampened the ardor of the construction department. The track has been in very good shape for a comparatively new system and good train service has been maintained, but the officials evidently intend to still further perfect the system and prepare it for the heavy traffic it is asserted is in sight.

TOWN OF SIBLEY IS FACING A BIG SUIT

Sioux City, Oct. 13.—The town of Sibley, is asked to pay \$20,000 for causing the death of William E. Freedy, formerly assistant superintendent of the pumping station at that place who was killed when his coat sleeve caught in a belt June 17, 1914.

Suit for the amount was started in the federal court here by Mrs. Eva Freedy, administratrix of her husband's estate. The petition alleges Freedy's right arm was torn out at the shoulder, his left hand was cut off and he was hurled to the floor from a height of thirteen feet.

STILL SHIPPING OUT MANY WALNUT LOGS

Hamburg, Oct. 13.—The shipping of walnut logs continues daily, the demand is getting stronger and the traffic in this section is assuming large proportions. Parties were here last week and bought about 200,000 feet from John and Jones Finnerl and their sisters on the old homestead.

The price ranges according to the size of the trees from \$25 to \$80 a thousand feet. One tree, forty-three inches in diameter scaled out \$110 worth of lumber.