

### Where He Find Them

First Storekeeper—"Say, you always seem to have such good-looking girls for clerks. Where do you find them?"  
"Second Ditto—"Usually way back the corner arranging their hair."

### Wanted

WANTED-MAN TO WORK ON FARM steady job. J. E. West, Drakeville R. 1. 2 Miles west of Carbon.

### For Sale

FOR SALE—REGISTERED SCOTCH Durham bull 3 years old, two extra heavy milch cows, J. E. West Drakeville, R. 1, 2 miles west of Carbon.  
FOR QUICK SALE—ONE S. C. BUFF Orpington cockerel and 6 hens, \$12; one S. C. Buff Orpington cock bird and 6 hens \$11. If more hens are wanted add \$1.50 each. These are heavy laying and of state and county winning stock. Eggs balance of season \$1 per 15 eggs. F. H. Kline, Bloomfield, Iowa.

### Professional Cards

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### Railroad Time Tables

#### C. M. & ST. PAUL TRAINS.

No. Going Southwest Depart.  
25A—Southwest Limited .. 1:50 a. m.  
A stub train will leave station for Junction at 1:45 a. m., returning, arrive at station at 2:15 a. m.  
2A—Kansas City local .. 11:05 a. m.  
25B—Local freight .. 7:00 a. m.  
25C—Local freight .. 7:00 a. m.  
25D—Southwest Limited .. 11:48 p. m.  
A stub train will leave station for Junction at 11:40 p. m., returning, arrive at station at 12:25 a. m.  
92B—Local .. 7:00 a. m.  
2A—Davenport, Chicago .. 8:35 p. m.  
Marion Line, Going North  
2B—Cedar Rapids, Savanna, Chicago .. 9:35 a. m.  
102B—Cedar Rapids, Marion .. 8:20 p. m.  
25B—Local freight .. 8:30 a. m.  
Marion Line, Coming South  
102B—From Marion .. 10:45 a. m.  
112B—From Marion .. 11:45 a. m.  
112B—Local freight .. 4:40 p. m.  
A—Daily.  
B—Except Sunday.  
Local freight depart from and terminate Ottumwa Junction.  
T. H. Jacobs, Agent.

BURLINGTON ROUTE C. M. & ST. P.  
12A—Chic. Dubu. Quincy .. 1:20 p. m.  
22A—Ar. from Des Moines 10:05 p. m.  
6A—Chicago Limited .. 1:48 p. m.  
512B—Fr. Mad. St. Louis .. 2:25 p. m.  
6A—Chic. St. Louis, Qey. .. 7:15 p. m.  
6A—Chic. Peoria .. 11:15 a. m.  
112B—Ottumwa Burlington .. 11:45 a. m.  
112B—Ottumwa Burlington .. 8:35 a. m.  
Going West  
5A—Omaha and Nebraska .. 1:40 a. m.  
5A—Omaha, Ore., Calif. .. 7:37 a. m.  
5A—Des Moines local .. 8:20 p. m.  
5A—Des Moines and Madison .. 11:30 a. m.  
5A—Peoria to Creston .. 11:45 p. m.  
17B—Ar. from Burlington .. 7:15 p. m.  
17A—Chicago to Denver .. 4:35 p. m.  
A—Daily.  
B—Except Sunday.  
J. H. Robinson, Agent.  
All trains stop at freight houses, at foot of Union street.

ROCK ISLAND RAILWAY  
No. Going South Depart  
471B—Des Moines, Omaha .. 6:15 p. m.  
471B—From Keokuk .. 8:20 p. m.  
471B—Des Moines, Keokuk .. 11:45 a. m.  
471B—Des Moines, east, west and north .. 6:15 a. m.  
471B—Elden and K. C. .. 11:30 a. m.  
471B—Keokuk and south .. 8:20 p. m.  
471B—Elden and K. C. .. 10:50 p. m.  
471B—Ottumwa, Keokuk .. 6:50 p. m.  
A—Daily.  
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WABASH RAILWAY  
No. Going South Depart  
5A—Moberly, St. L., K. C. .. 7:40 a. m.  
5B—Moberly and east .. 1:40 p. m.  
7B—Local freight .. 5:30 p. m.  
Coming North  
51B—Moberly local .. 11:50 a. m.  
5A—From Kansas City .. 7:10 p. m.  
51B—Local freight .. 8:40 p. m.  
A—Daily.  
B—Except Sunday.  
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HAS REMARKABLE GRANDCHILD  
Eddyville, June 3.—G. F. Besco of Eddyville is more than proud of his grand child, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Besco of Murray. He reaches for the following remarkable facts: This child, now sixteen months old, weighs forty-three pounds, and has a full set of twenty-four teeth. The father of the child states that he weighed fifty pounds just before he had reached his first birthday anniversary, but owing to an attack of whooping cough since then the child has fallen off in weight.

## MEANT TO STOP GERMAN PLOTS

### GOVERNOR HARDING'S PROCLAMATION DESIGNED TO PREVENT HUN PROPAGANDA.

Des Moines, June 3.—Knowledge of German intrigue and plotting and use of foreign languages to further enemy propaganda prompted Governor Harding to issue his recent "English language only" proclamation, he says in an official statement.  
"I am positive that every person in the state who has questioned the wisdom of my issuing the proclamation," the governor declared, "if he knew what I know as to the use of foreign languages for carrying on propaganda and plots against the government, would have done what I did."  
"German intrigue does not confine itself to the use of the German language. The fact is they find it just as convenient now to use other languages."  
Governor Harding, again points out that the proclamation "does not hamper the use of foreign languages for the purpose of reaching, when necessary, the hearts of any people for patriotic and various war activities, and neither does it prevent religious worship by those who do not speak the English language."  
"No offense should be taken by loyal Americans of foreign birth or descent because the proclamation in no instance classes any of them with the Huns."  
"No charge or suspicion is laid against any church or nationality nor was it at the time the proclamation was issued."

They want on their skins instead of dyes. With the considered it more adornment. But the end benefit properly was that they took up all dressed every morning.  
Indians to scalp each other. And save scalps, all different sized. Instead of giving each other with cannons and guns. Because was sent civilized.  
They live in tents in the open air. And at all places and wild mooses. And instead money they have glass beads. And instead babies papooses.

### FT. MADISON BOY PRISONER OF HUNS

Fort Madison, June 3.—Bert Carter, formerly employed here in the shop of the Fort Madison Electric Co. but more recently serving in a British artillery company in France, has been taken prisoner by the Germans. He has served for more than two years with the British forces.  
The capture of Carter brings to mind the peculiar circumstances under which he left this city. He had been told by physicians that he was suffering from an incurable form of tuberculosis, and this being the case his friends and fellow workers started a subscription paper to send him back to England. It appears however, that he was more homesick for his native land than anything else, and as soon as he landed in England he was accepted for the army by recruiting officers and army physicians who told him his lungs were practically normal.

### 4 MINUTE SPEAKER REPORTED DISLOYAL

Lenox, June 3.—A young man with the Honest Bill show and one of the 4 minute speakers was arrested for disloyal remarks. He claimed to have served 18 months with the allies and was passing as a soldier. He was posted as a federal officer in uniform. All this is believed to be a mere camouflage and he was taken to Burlington where he was taken before the defense board and they bound him over to the federal court. He was taken to Creston and turned over to federal officers.

### EXPEDITION FINDS RARE SPECIMENS

Iowa City, June 3.—Prof. Homer R. Dill's expedition to the delta of the Mississippi and the Gulf of Mexico has returned, with some remarkable curios, flora and fauna collections breaking records. The educators got rare snowy egrets; three species of frogs, unknown to science; a gigantic alligator, 13 feet 4 inches in length, the largest caught in years; a sawfish, nearly 15 feet long, and other specimens of note. The sawfish nearly killed a fisherman, when it destroyed a \$100 net, in taking. The man is a New Orleans hospital now. In all, the expedition is pronounced the most successful, despite this near tragedy, that Prof. Dill has conducted.

### MILITARY HONOR FOR FORMER ALBIA BOY

Albia, June 3.—Hardin F. Morris is the youngest battalion sergeant major in the United States. He is the 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Morris of Aberdeen, S. D. Along with his letter he has sent to his father, his appointment papers, which say: "Corporal Hardin F. Morris, headquarters detachment, 148th machine gun battalion is hereby appointed battalion sergeant major to fill the existing vacancy." Young Morris formerly lived in Albia.

## SAW FRIENDS AMONG BELGIAN SOLDIERS

Busey, June 3.—Prosper Colum went to Des Moines to see the Belgian soldiers when they were in that city; and very much to his surprise, three of the company were from the town where he was born and raised and he knew them personally and learned much about his relatives that are still in Belgium.  
Mrs. Jeanne Schroy Visser also in Des Moines that day to see the soldiers and was given much information about her relatives that are still living in that stricken country, and which these soldiers knew.

## KIRKVILLE IS OVER THE TOP

### SCHOOLS OF NEIGHBORING TOWN DO THEIR BIT IN EVERY PARTICULAR.

Kirkville, June 3.—The public schools closed a very successful year on last Friday under the leadership of Principal Ernest J. Klinker. The good ladies of the community came at noon with well filled baskets and a bountiful picnic dinner was enjoyed in the building owing to the inclemency of the weather.  
The boys and girls of the school are every one anxious to do their bit in helping to win the war. An entertainment was given by the different grades on Wednesday evening prior to the closing of school, from the proceeds of which \$38.85 were given to the Junior and the Senior Red Cross.  
The entire school went "over the top" when organizing the Junior Red Cross, and great enthusiasm was shown by all the grades in the Thrift Stamp and the War Savings Stamp drive. The fourth, fifth and sixth grades ranking the highest. Glen Fuller, Clarence Johnston, Paul Ross, Jess Byers, Flossie Carnes, Paul Mohler, Harold Wynore, Laurence Scharff, Mae Lent, Lee Carnes, Vivian Atkins, Mae Newell, Alice Byers, Helen Shaw, Joseph Forsythe and Carl Evans comprising these grades were 100% in the purchasing of Thrift Stamps and 50% in that of War Savings Stamps.

### PICTURES SHOWN FOR RED CROSS BENEFIT

Russell, June 3.—The picture show gave two shows Saturday afternoon and two Saturday night, the proceeds going to the Red Cross. Two of the reels depicted Red Cross work, two the Rainbow division taken at Ft. Upton, N. Y., and later one taken of them in England and France. The pictures were very plain and some having relatives of the Rainbow division were able to recognize them.

### ALBIA TO GO TO WASHINGTON

Albia, June 3.—More Albia young ladies, Miss Gladje Nichol and Miss Blanch Palmer, have received appointments to government positions in Washington, D. C., and will leave this week to take up their work. Both are well qualified for their work and both have many friends who are rejoicing with them in this opportunity to take up government work at this time. There are now a number of young women in Washington who have gone from Albia and Monroe county within the past few months to take up work for the government.

### PAT CROWE QUIZZED AS TO JEWEL THEFT

Des Moines, June 3.—Police Saturday took Pat Crowe, famous ex-convict to the station and questioned him relative to a jewelry robbery at Hotel Chamberlain Friday night, when \$2,000 worth of jewels were stolen. Crowe was released, however, as no evidence was found against him. He is here to promote a scheme to form a fighting unit of ex-convicts.

### TRAIN HITS STREET CAR

Burlington, June 3.—Mrs. T. E. Craig of Keokuk, was injured, Conductor Ward of the street car company was slightly hurt, others were bruised and all had narrow escapes from death Saturday evening about 5:30, when the Burlington shop train crashed into North Hill street car, No. 88, at the Main street railroad crossing. The train, going at a rapid rate of speed, struck the street car near the rear, broke in the side, broke three sets of seats and swung the car completely around, so that it faced west, although it had been headed north.

## GAVE ALL TIPS TO RED CROSS

### NEGRO WAITERS MADE UP PURSE OF OVER HUNDRED DOLLARS, IN JOPLIN

Hannibal, June 3.—Frank T. Hodgdon has returned from Joplin where he attended the final rally and banquet of the Red Cross workers. The committee which consisted of about 200 persons, held daily luncheons at the Connors hotel. "There was plenty of enthusiasm" said Mr. Hodgdon, "for a brass band donated its services every day for the work and an orchestra furnished music, free of charge. The luncheons were furnished free by the Connors Hotel company.  
At the final rally the chairman thanked the committees—especially the "bludgeon committee" for its splendid work, and all others for their efforts in putting the county over the top in the great Red Cross drive. Near the close of the feast it was suggested that as the colored waiters had worked faithfully and without any tips, that a collection be taken for them. The hat was passed and the money was presented. In a very few minutes one of the waiters approached the chairman and whispered a word or two to him and the chairman arose and stated that the waiters wanted to say a word or two.  
NO PRO-GERMAN NEGROES  
The head waiter was then introduced and after expressing his thanks, on behalf of his colleges, said "You will not find a pro-German negro in Joplin, in this county, in Missouri or in the United States. Every where you will find the additional Red Cross drive. Now that the weather conditions have made it necessary for the farmer to work late and early in order to keep abreast of the season and particularly owing to the additional acreage being planted to increase the food supply, many farm hands are required.  
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### DINNER STORIES

The small boy stood at the garden gate and howled and howled and howled.  
"What's the matter, little man?" she asked in a kindly voice.  
"Oo-oh!" wailed the youngster. "Pa and ma won't take me to the pictures tonight."  
"But don't make such a noise," said the dame, admonishingly. "Do they ever take you when you cry like that?"  
"Sometimes they do, an'—an' sometimes they d-d-don't," bellowed the boy. "But it ain't no trouble to yell!"  
Lady Conductor (to passenger who is monopolizing more than his share of room in the car): "Move up there, please."  
The passenger unconcernedly continues to spread out.  
"Will you move up and make room for the other passengers, please?"  
But the passenger is still indifferent.  
Conductor (as a last resort): "Can any passenger tell me the German for 'Move up,' please?"—Tit-Bits.

### DEATH RESULTS FROM BURNS

Riverside, June 3.—Mrs. Theodore Mouglin died at her home in the north part of town after severe suffering from burns which she received when her clothing caught fire on Wednesday night.  
Mrs. Mouglin had gotten up during the night and had lighted the lamp and in so doing, the curtain caught fire and in trying to extinguish the flames, her clothing caught fire and were completely burned from her body before help could reach her. She received such burns and the suffering was so intense that shortly after this had happened she became unconscious and passed away Friday morning.

### DANISH CHURCHES VOTE TO CLOSE DOORS

Cedar Falls, June 3.—Trustees of the Danish churches of Cedar Falls, Waterloo and Fredsleville voted to close their church yesterday in a loyal movement to observe the recommendation of Governor Harding that only the English language be used in Iowa. Many of the older members of the congregation do not understand English.

### ODEM FAMILY HAS MANY KNITTERS

Eddyville, June 3.—Not all those in Eddyville who are knitting for the Red Cross are of the female persuasion. "John W. Odem, is one of those who doesn't believe in holding back and letting the women do it all. To Mr. Odem's credit be it said that he has knitted two sweaters and three pairs of socks for the Red Cross, and is continuing in the good work.  
Mrs. Odem is also a busy worker in behalf of the Red Cross. She has to her credit a half dozen sweaters, one pair of socks, three pairs of mittens, a scarf and other articles.  
Mr. Odem's little grandson, Harold Odem, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Odem, is also learning to knit for the Red Cross.

## AFTON MAN SUICIDES AT FORT MADISON

Fort Madison, June 3.—The body of J. P. Capps of Afton, who attempted to take his own life at Burlington last week by leaping into the river from a ferry boat, was found in the waters of Green Bay near here Saturday morning by workmen of the Northern Dredge and Dock company who are employed at the drainage district there. The remains were brought to this city by Coroner Walter Clements Saturday afternoon and although there has been no inquest, there is every indication that the man drowned himself as it is understood he made statements that such was his intention.  
Letters and other papers in the pockets of the clothing on the body, together with the general description of Capps, established his identity beyond any doubt. Relatives of the man had been searching for him for several days, it was learned, ever since he left home.  
Early last week Capps attempted to jump from the ferry in mid-stream opposite Burlington, was caught and brought back to shore. No trace could be found of him. Later in the day and the next day relatives were here searching for him, but unable to locate him.

## MURDERERS IN DARING ESCAPE

### USE PRISON TRUCK TO GET OUT OF PRISON WALLS—THEN STEAL CAR

Fort Madison, June 3.—Although officers are on the watch all over the state, no trace has been found of John Newman and Arthur Lumley, the two convicts who, escaped from the state prison here late Friday night. Both of the men were serving time for murder. Newman doing fifteen years for second degree murder and Lumley being in for life. The escape of the men was not discovered for more than an hour, giving them a good lead on their pursuers.  
The method of escape was daring and original, its very simplicity doubtless accounting for its success. Newman was an honor man, being used as helper on the prison's three-ton truck in work outside the walls. Lumley, considered a harder case, was kept inside and worked at the prison garage. The truck, with Newman aboard, was standing in front of the garage shortly after noon Friday and then was ordered to the Hawkeye Lumber company's yards for some lumber for the institution. When it returned about an hour later it was discovered that neither Newman nor Lumley was at his accustomed place and it is believed that Lumley secreted himself under the truck and rode out through the gates as it goes out, but Lumley is small of stature and might easily have hidden under the body, whereas the inspector probably just looked inside to see that everything was right there.  
TRADE TRUCK FOR FLIVER  
The names of the two escaped men were withheld from the public today, until the details of the escape were investigated and the plans for pursuit made. Warden J. R. Perkins was out of the city at the time but has now returned and is using every means to recapture the two murderers.  
Prison officials learned that a Ford car had been stolen from Robert Englehard at 3913 Windmayer street some time during the night, and it is believed that the two convicts appropriated it in order to make good their escape. The door of the Englehard garage had been forced and the lock on the car had been manipulated so that the Ford could be run. Officials point out that the thief must have been someone familiar with the general mechanism of cars and as both Newman and Lumley are mechanics, suspicion falls upon them. If they really took the car they are no doubt far away by this time as there was a good supply of gasoline in the Ford when it was stolen.  
BOTH MEN ATHLETES  
Both Newman and Lumley were athletes having won for individual honors in the prison field meet a short time ago. Newman was to have pitched for the prison team in the benefit baseball game with the Perfection team this afternoon.

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