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### A FATAL EPIDEMIC AMONG LINEVILLE CHILDREN.

Of About 20 to 30 Cases Five Have Already Died, None Thus Far Fully Recovered.

An epidemic of colitis, or flux, has prevailed among the children of Lineville during the past three weeks and as many as twenty cases have been reported, of which five have proved fatal at this writing. The children attacked by the disease mostly range in ages from one and a half to six years although a case or two have been reported of children nine or ten years of age. Physicians inform us that the attack usually begins with cholera morbus followed by a profuse hemorrhage of the bowels, and later in the most violent and fatal cases by convulsions. If the patient survives the acute form of the disease it is in a condition of extreme weakness, but in many cases a slow improvement gives hope of a final recovery. The ravages of the terrible scourge that has robbed so many homes of the most highly prized and most dearly loved of their household treasure, has cast a pall of gloom over the community, every heart is overflowing with sympathy for the bereaved families and all good people earnestly pray that a further progress of the terrible epidemic may be stayed. One of the most heartrending and pathetic incidents of the scourge and one that touched all hearts with pity and sorrow for the stricken family, was the death on Friday of the two youngest children of Mr. and Mrs. George Warnock, who reside on w. O. Mullinix's farm near the southern limits of south Lineville, who passed away within a few hours of each other. No one, without similar experience, can fathom the depths of sorrow and grief into which the fond parents and brother and sisters of the family were plunged by this double bereavement or realize how futile are words of comfort and sympathy to heal the wounds of hearts so cruelly torn. The double funeral was held on Saturday forenoon and both the little forms were tenderly laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.—Lineville Tribune.

### Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

In the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Decatur county. In the matter of the estate of J. E. Sutherland, deceased. To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as administrator of the estate of J. E. Sutherland, late of Decatur county, Iowa, deceased. All persons in any manner indebted to said deceased or his estate will make payment to the undersigned; and those having claims against said deceased or his estate will present them in manner and form as by law required, for allowance and payment. Dated this 17th day of August, A. D. 1916. J. C. COZAD, Administrator of said estate.

### THOSE UNEQUAL RIGHTS.

Why Women Should Not Ask For More of Those Desired Privileges.

The editor of the Henry County Democrat at Clinton, Mo., must have been busily waving a palm leaf fan when he indited this: "Women demand equal rights with men. What does a woman have to wear during the oppressive dog days? "One low-necked, sleeveless, mosquito netting gown. "One pair silk stockings. "One pair slippers. "That's all. "What does a man wear during the said dog days? "One coat. "One vest. "One pair trousers. "One shirt with starched collar. "One pair shoes. "One union suit. "One hat. "One pair suspenders. "One necktie. "If he takes off his coat in a hot restaurant he is thrown out. If he takes his tight collar off, he's a rube. If he wore his trousers-slit up to the knee, he would be sent to the insane asylum. "Equal rights? Huh!"

### Near the Tail End.

When it comes to the taxes we pay for roads and bridges in Iowa we pay more than any other state in the union excepting two, but thirty-eight states have more roads surfaced with gravel or otherwise than we have and only nine have less. We are close to the tail end in results but crowd the top in the amount expended. In Iowa one mile in 175 is gravelled while Indiana has one mile in two surfaced, Ohio one in three, Illinois one in ten, Minnesota one in thirteen, Missouri one in fifteen. In all of these states most of the surfacing is financed with road bonds voted by the people who are taxed. Forty-one per cent of all the counties in the United States have issued road bonds. Down in Texas road bonds have to be authorized and yet they have carried so many counties and districts two to one that Texas has one mile in every twelve surfaced. Iowa paying more taxes than Texas has one mile in 175 surfaced. Such is the mud road tax in this state. Iowa has more automobiles per capita than any other state and less gravelled roads than thirty-eight states. Iowa taxes its autos higher than most states tax theirs and produces fewer hard surfaced roads than all states excepting nine. Practically all of the surfaced roads, whether of gravel or other material, are to be found where road bonds have been issued. Road taxes are lowest where bonds have been issued. By selling bonds in the counties, townships and districts thirty-six states have more miles of surfaced roads than we have in Iowa for less tax money than we pay for mud. New York and California are the only states which raise more taxes than we do for roads and bridges.

### Ruth Law, Queen of Aviators



THE above unique picture shows Miss Ruth Law and the trail of brilliance snapped by the camera man during one of her sensational night rides in her aeroplane. Miss Law is what might be called a high-flyer, literally, for she holds the altitude record for women. At a recent aviation meet at the famous old Sheephead Bay Park she beat all previous records for women by flying to a height of 11,500 feet, more than two miles. As the picture indicates, Miss Law does all the thrilling stunts practiced by her brother aviators, who, though of the sterner sex, have nothing whatever on Miss Law when it comes to stern stuff and stunts. She will be a daily attraction at the Iowa State Fair, her contract calling for three flights every day—two in the afternoon and one in the evening. The contract also specifies not less than three loops to be executed during each flight. Miss Law will prove the sensation of the coming fair.

### Compared With Iowa.

Iowa has every assurance of excellent crops while the government reports from the country at large indicate a very considerable if not serious shortage in general. Demand for farm and food products will be extraordinary. The war must be fed. Millions of producers have turned from producers to destroyers. Five million men are prisoners in Europe. Crop shortage in the United States and consequent demand added to the demands from abroad must result in high prices for Iowa's great crops mean complete recovery from the losses of last year through Iowa shortage in the corn crop. Withal, even though our principal crop was short last year, Iowa remained the center of the efforts of those who had things to sell and desired to sell where they could collect on maturity. The farmers of the state went on buying automobiles at a faster rate than in any previous year. With Iowa rendering bumper crops this season and shortage elsewhere joined to the universal demand for what Iowa produces the prospect is for extraordinary farm prosperity in Iowa. It is most infrequent that Iowa crops fall even partially. It is not uncommon that Iowa produces bumper crops when other sections fail. This



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## Kellerton, Iowa.

### Notice of Probating Will.

To All Whom It May Concern: You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the clerk of the district court of Iowa, in and for Decatur county, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of John Clark, late of said county, deceased, and that 10 o'clock a. m. on the 24th day of October, 1916, has been fixed for the probate of said will, at which time you can appear at the Court House in said county and show cause, if any there be, why said will should not be admitted to probate. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at Leon, Iowa, this 10th day of August, 1916. E. E. BECK, Clerk of said court.

### Motorcycles.

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