

FORMER SOLDIER PASSES BEYOND

Edward G. Scott Dies in Sanitarium at Battle Mountain, South Dakota After Week's Stay.

WAS KEOKUK RESIDENT

Had Served in the Army Eleven Years and Was Sent North About a Week Ago by Public Subscription.

Edward G. Scott, 37 years old, an old resident of Keokuk, but for eleven years a soldier in the regular army, died today at the Battle Mountain sanitarium, in South Dakota, after an illness of several months. He had been in the sanitarium about a week, being taken there by Chris Lock with funds raised here by public subscription. He considered Keokuk his home, and spent several months here during the last few years, while on furloughs. He was a member of Company K, 21st Infantry, U. S. A., the past eleven years. During that time he became proficient in the arts of war, and accustomed to the stern rigor of military life. He was always observant of the strict discipline, enforced in the American army. During his experience as a soldier, he strove to more fully prepare himself for the exigencies of war, and had been called upon to fight for his country, as several times seemed imminent in the last few years, his knowledge of military science would have stood him in good stead. Edward Gillman Scott was born at Mexico, Missouri, April 2, 1879. He spent his boyhood there, and in later years had considered this city his

home. He had many friends here, who will learn of his death. He is survived by the following relatives: his stepfather, Edward Robinson, of Marshalltown, three brothers, Floyd Robinson, of Chicago; Sylvester Scott, of Port Madison and Robert Scott, of Keokuk, and one sister, Mrs. Della Fields, of Keokuk.

ASKS DIVORCE AND ALIMONY

Adaline M. Sullivan Files Action Against Richard Sullivan.

Cupid seems to be faring badly, judging from the divorce actions already being filed for the September term of the district court. Another divorce suit was filed today by Adaline M. Sullivan vs. Richard F. Sullivan. Plaintiff alleges that defendant has been guilty of cruel treatment, that he has been cross, quarrelsome and abusive. Plaintiff asks for decree of divorce, custody of minor children, Hazel C. and Richard L., and alimony of \$50 per month. An appeal has been filed in the district court in the case of the city of Keokuk vs. Eugene Wood. The case is appealed from the justice court.

KEOKUK DAY AT DONNELSON

Special Train Over Burlington Will Leave Station at 12:30 O'clock.

The special train for the Donnellson fair tomorrow will leave at 12:30 o'clock from the union station and go out over the Burlington, arriving at Donnellson an hour later. The plan to have the train leave from the uptown switch did not materialize. It is expected that a good sized delegation will go from Keokuk for this event, and there may be a delegation of merchants going by automobile.

PERSONALS

Mr. Lusk, of the Irwin-Overland Co., Quincy, was in the city today. Joe Marten of Philadelphia, is here visiting relatives. Miss Katherine Lucas has returned from a month's visit with relatives in Ames and Burlington, Iowa.

THOUGHT GHOST WAS BUSY WITH SIGNAL ON BOAT

This is a day-light ghost story. The Klaxon on a motorboat anchored in Snug Harbor was braying loudly this morning shortly after 6 o'clock. Two of the campers in the vicinity hastened to investigate, cursing the boys who had been monkeying with the boat. To their surprise they found the boat deserted, the tarpaulin thrown over it, but the Klaxon still honking away. As soon as the tarpaulin was lifted the noise stopped. It was evident that the ghost was coaxed in the tarpaulin. It was found that the canvas had become heavy and had lain across the connecting wires short circuiting them and causing the horn to sound.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Mandt are spending the week in Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boltz and children left today by auto for California where they intend to make their home. Mrs. L. Ella Wilmes and Miss Emma Estes have returned home after an extended visit in Estes Park. Miss Nellie Schueler has returned home from Gibson, Iowa, where she has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Machin. G. Scott Davies has returned home for a three week's visit after spending the summer in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa in chautauqua work. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller have returned from a visit with friends in LaGrange. Raymond and Florence Atterberry of LaGrange are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller. Miss Emmanuella Flood left Sunday night for a month's visit in Chicago. The Rev. Alfred Lee Jones, curate at St. John's, has gone east for a vacation. Mrs. A. E. Fisher and daughter and Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. Hayman, of St. Louis, are guests of Mrs. W. N. Sage.



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Our life is like a summer day. Some only breakfast, and away; Others to dinner stay and are full fed. The oldest man but sips and to bed. Large is his debt who lingers all the day. Who goes the soonest has the least to pay.

Mrs. Kirkwood's Birthday.

Burlington Hawk-Eye: The senior member of the society of Iowa governors' wives, Mrs. Samuel J. Kirkwood, will celebrate her ninety-fifth birthday at Iowa City on the first day of September. Mrs. Kirkwood remains plain Jane Kirkwood. She never changed her name to Jennie or Jeanette. She is the widow of Iowa's beloved war governor who was elected chief executive of the state at two different periods, a United States senator from 1877 to 1881, when he resigned to enter the cabinet of President Garfield. He was governor of the state from 1860 to 1864 and then again in 1876, resigning in 1877 to become United States senator. Mrs. Kirkwood was his wholesome companion and advisor and knew as many people as her husband. She was a wholesome mistress and hostess of the governor's home and won friends at Des Moines and Washington, because of her genuineness of heart. On her birthday anniversary she will entertain in honor of the event, old time friends. Mrs. Kirkwood is in splendid health, despite her great age, and is finely preserved. Her eyes, without glasses, are better than many people's with "specs." She reads voraciously, is in touch with the old world war, the Mexican situation, the railroad troubles, etc., as thoroughly as if she were forty-five instead of nearing the century mark. Iowa City, which is always planning something of a substantial historical value, should arrange a banquet for Mrs. Kirkwood and invite other wives of former governors to participate. The Iowa Society of Governors' Wives

Mental Strain and Eye Strain

The strain of civilization rests most heavily upon the eyes, and we find that the percentage of children with sub-normal vision increases in the upper grades, proving that the close application of the student tends to increase visual defects. If, for any reason, your child is retarded in his mental or physical development consult our expert. He will tell you if eye strain is at the bottom of his trouble.

Ayres & Chapman SCIENTIFIC OPTICIANS.

would be unique and create a new interest in Iowa affairs because the women who comprise this body have been just as instrumental in the development of the higher educational progress of Iowa as the men who signed the bills. Mrs. Larrabee of Clermont, mother of Mrs. C. B. Robbins of Cedar Rapids, who only last Sunday celebrated her seventy-fourth birthday, is just as young as she ever was and maintains her keen interest in state affairs. The influence of these splendid women should be centralized where it could be utilized for the benefit of the state. There are eight surviving wives of governors of Iowa: Mrs. Kirkwood, Mrs. Larrabee, Mrs. Frank D. Jackson, Mrs. Leslie M. Shaw, Mrs. Albert B. Cummins, Mrs. Warren Garst, Mrs. B. Carroll and Mrs. George W. Clarke. The formation of a society would be a historical event in the state and Mrs. Max Mayer who lives at Iowa City should be present to welcome the new society into the Iowa Federation of Women's club as an honorary auxiliary.

Thimble Club Meeting. Mrs. Ralph Schouten entertained the young women of the Thimble club today at her home on Orleans Ave.

Ald Society Meets. Mrs. Harry Shultz and Mrs. William Hull entertained the Aid society of the Second Presbyterian church at a social and business meeting this afternoon in the chapel.

Celebrate Birthday. The children and grandchildren of W. B. Collins, to the number of fourteen, helped him celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of his birthday yesterday.

Invitations to Two Parties. Dr. and Mrs. Henry Arthur Gray issued invitations today to two dancing parties to be given at the Country club next week. On Monday evening the younger set will be entertained and on Thursday evening the older society people are invited. The one on Monday evening is that the guests may meet Mr. Harold Mayer, Dr. Gray's nephew.

Miss Hueston Returns. Miss Mary Louise Hueston has returned from a month's visit with friends in a number of towns in Missouri. During a part of the time she was one of the guests at a house party given by Miss Ellen Jane Tinsley at Bowling Green.

To Visit in City. Miss Katherine Fisher of St. Louis arrived today to be the guest of Miss Mary Louise Hueston.

Lawn Social Last Night. The Sunday school class of the First Christian church taught by Dr. Stafford, gave a successful lawn social last night at the home of G. R. Whaley, 819 North Eleventh street.

CITY NEWS.

New fall waists, Spec. \$1. Lowitz. Spend Sunday on Str. Dubuque to Burlington and return. Lv. 9:30 a. m. Adults 75c. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dunn of 20 North Fifteenth street, announce the birth of a daughter, August 21. There will be mass at St. Mary's church as usual tomorrow morning. The funeral of Mrs. Carrs will be postponed until Friday. Buy fall garments this month, saving 10 to 30 per cent before advance. Lowitz. High class river outing to Burlington every Sunday on Str. Dubuque. Lv. 9:30 a. m. Adults 75c.

Charged With Swindling. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 23.—Charged with fleeing two Springfield citizens out of \$19,000. H. B. McGregor, who claims Pontiac, Ill., as his home, and J. R. Thomas, are under arrest here awaiting grand jury investigation of the charge.

Additional Cases. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 23.—Additional suspected cases of infantile paralysis was reported to the state board of health today at Waverly, Aurora, Kenney, Forrest and Pekin.

Fly Wheel Burst. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 23.—One man was killed and others injured when a twenty foot fly wheel in the engine room of the Portland Cement company at Prospect Hill burst. The room was damaged \$160,000.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

CARRS—Owing to the late arrival of relatives, the funeral of Mrs. Bertha Betts Carrs will be postponed until Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Services to be held at St. Mary's Catholic church.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

SHEPARD.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary J. Shepard will be held from the Westminster Presbyterian chapel at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD

Civil Service Tests for Stenographer and Rural Mail Carrier Coming.

Two civil service examinations will be held within the next two weeks, and attention is again called to the dates of the examinations. The test for stenographers and typewriters will be held on August 30, one week from today. On September 9 there will be an examination for rural carrier to fill a vacancy at Donnellson. These examinations will be held at Keokuk and applicants are again reminded to secure the necessary blanks and to enroll at once.

PERSONALS.

Charley Buss has gone to Memphis, Mo., to attend a boy scout meeting.

Daily Stock Letter. NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today says:

Although irregular price movements incident to heavy realizing sales developed in today's active trading, new high records on the current movement were made in many issues with United States Steel selling at the best price ever reported. Buying for public account was heavier than on any day in many months and while the profit taking movement reached large proportions, the general market exhibited an enormous capacity to take stocks, particularly in the early dealings, when large blocks of various issues came out with unceasing irregularity.

Steel came out in what Wall street called reams when its price was selling above 98 and in the subsequent operations there were enormous sales above 93 which were readily absorbed, buyers predicting a figure well above par while some of them were quite certain the common would pass the preferred which was quoted at 118. Interest in the copper group was more in evidence.

Rails came strongly into favor in the course of the session and although offerings on the advance were not heavy, buyers exhibited no hesitancy in taking on substantial lines particularly on the reaction.

New York Stocks.

Table with 2 columns: Stock Name and Price. Includes American Car & Foundry, American Smelter, American Tel. and Tel. Co., Anaconda, Atchafalaya, Baltimore & Ohio, Canadian Pacific, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chicago Rock Island & Pacific, Crucible Steel, Erie, Gen. Elec., Illinois Central, Lehigh Valley, Northern Pacific, Pennsylvania, Reading, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, Studebaker, Union Pacific, United States Steel, United States Steel, pd., Western Union, Westinghouse, Willys Overland, Cotton, October 1490@92, December 1498@93.

Deep Wells That Feel the Sea. In their investigation of the underground water resources of the coastal plain of Virginia the geologists of the United States Geological Survey have collected data relating to the many hundreds of artesian wells that yield excellent waters in large areas of the coastal region. Particular note has been made of the quantity and quality of the supply afforded by wells that give flows at the surface. The water of most of these wells is admirably adapted to household uses, though that of some of them contains enough mineral salts in solution to make trouble in boilers used for steam production.

The variation in flow exhibited by these wells with the rise and fall of the tide is of peculiar interest, the flow being notably greater at the flood than at the ebb tide. It is the general opinion among well drillers that practically all flowing wells near tidal rivers or inlets from open bays do feel the distant sea, but some of them so slightly that the variation in flow is not noticeable.

The geologist in charge of the ground-water investigations in Virginia states that changes in water level in wells, due to fluctuations in the height of the surface of some neighboring body of water, have been customary to explain these changes by supposing a direct connection between the river, lake, or bay but in many places, as in eastern Virginia, such connection is clearly impossible, owing to the depth of the wells and the nature of the intervening beds, some of them dense, though marls and clays. These beds, however, though they do not transmit water, nevertheless contain it, and as water is practically incompressible, any variation of level on the river or bay is transmitted to the well through the water-filled gravels, sands, clays, and marls. When a porous bed is tapped by a well the water rises to the point of equilibrium and fluctuates as the hand of the ocean varies its pressure on the beds that confine the artesian flow.

Merely Sounds Better. Springfield, Mass., Republican: "Regrouping" is the new German equivalent for what used to be called "strategic retirement," but the nature of the operation is not affected by the name.

Want Column WANTED.

WANTED—Position on farm by man and wife. Address W, this office.

WANTED—Boy about sixteen years old to work in office. Must be out of school. Address G. X., care Gate City Co.

WANTED—Colored woman dishwasher at Syngie's cafe.

WANTED—Will pay cash for old feather beds this week only. Phone 294. D. C. Wiley.

WANTED—Quarryman and laborers. Burlington Quarry Co., Montrose, Iowa. Good boarding house at plant.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. 512 Concert street.

CARPENTERS WANTED—50, at once. Union job 45 cents per hour. Long job. Apply ready for work. Westinghouse Church Kerr & Company, West Burlington shops C. B. & Q. R. R., or address Business Agent Burlington Local.

WANTED—A truthful, reliable boy about 14 years old to assist a blind man to canvass for a few small articles of endless value to the user. Call this evening or in the morning for S. O'Brien at Union hotel.

WANTED—Man experienced in receiving and salting pickles. Apply National Pickle & Canning Co., First and Johnson streets.

WANTED—Stenographer; must be good at figures. Apply in hand writing, stating salary expected. P. O. Box 163.

WANTED—Experienced waitress at Syngie's cafe.

WANTED—Experienced driver for night work. Auto Sales Co.

WANTED—A dining room girl at Foster's restaurant, 423 Main. Apply at once.

BRICKLAYERS WANTED—50, at once. Union job 75 cents per hour. Long job. Apply ready for work. Westinghouse Church Kerr & Company, West Burlington shops C. B. & Q. R. R.

WANTED—Partner with few hundred dollars, silent or active, to open a sea food parlor by experienced chef in that line. References. Address "Success," Gate City.

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FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished, second floor. Enquire 1113 Concert. Telephone Red 238.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for housekeeping, including piano. Separate front and back entrance. 727 North Ninth street. Phone Black 1330.

FOR RENT—Sept. 1st, modern six room house. Dr. C. A. Jenkins.

FOR RENT—Desirable seven room, modern house, north side, car line. Apply 822 Franklin.

FOR RENT—Nine room newly finished house, modern except furnace, No. 783 North Thirtieth; five room newly finished house with electric lights, gas, city water and inside closet, No. 729 North Twelfth; six room house with gas throughout and furnace heat, No. 822 North Thirtieth; five room house with city water, electric lights and splendid garage, No. 1012 Fulton; seven room house with gas in kitchen, No. 1723 Concert. John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—Modern front rooms, nicely furnished for housekeeping. Enquire 214 Concert street.

FOR RENT—Two dwellings, with 7 and 8 rooms, 20 acres with buildings. Enquire 727 Morgan.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good horse, reasonable. Phone 698.

FOR SALE—Yale motorcycle in first class condition; price \$45. Address postoffice box No. 177, Hamilton, Ill.

FOR SALE—Small cottage with full lot. Special price for short time. Enquire 1901 Main.

FOR SALE—Folding baby buggy and wooden baby crib. 1821 Johnson.

FOR SALE—Medium sized, moderate priced house, good neighborhood, centrally located. Enquire O. S. Cavanaugh, P. O. Gen'l. Del.

FOR SALE—Ten room brick residence, 424 Orleans. Best location in city. Enquire M. B. Johnson, 619 North Fifth.

FOR SALE—Four room house, full lot, good outbuildings and well, \$900.00. Enquire 2127 Bank.

LOST

LOST—Pair eye glasses on the levee between Main street and bridge. Return to Stanton hotel. Reward.

LOST—Yesterday, a pair of nose glasses, in case; I think in the Hippodrome. No use to anyone but owner. Please leave at this office and oblige.

Peddling diplomas of bogus colleges of medicine and dentistry continues a profitable business for Chicago crooks. It lends a tinge of intellectuality to shady lines of taken when fake horse racing stamps.

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