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IOWA NEWS BRIEFS

New coal mines were opened near Elora. Howard A. Burrell, Washington editor, is dead. John W. Ives of Charles City died from the heat. John Taylor, near Guernsey, is dead from sunstroke. Heavy damage was done by lightning near Harlan. A children's playground is being installed at Lansing. Nashua is to be given a \$10,000 Illinois Central depot. R. C. Morse was appointed postmaster at Belmont. A public swimming pool is being installed at Webster City. A new heating plant is being installed at Rock Rapids. A new auto road will be opened between Ottumwa and Eldon. A band of gypsies was seen near Carroll, traveling in autos. Frank McDivitt, Milwaukee fireman, was injured at Coon Rapids. Michael Smith, aged 46, of Exira, died from the sting of a bumble bee. Thirty-eight dollars per ton is being paid for clam shells at Muscatine. Frank Gotch, Iowa wrestler, had his leg broken in a fall at Kenosha, Wis. Clevis Kendall, aged 60, of Iowa City, was killed in an auto accident. Mrs. Arnold Anderson, of Spencer was injured in an auto accident near Algona. Mrs. Ward Moore, near Nevada, was seriously injured when a gasoline iron exploded. Nine new school houses are built or being built in Morgan township, near Hampton. H. C. Shultz, a garage man at Traer, was badly burned when a blow torch exploded. The Ft. Madison penitentiary will have a large exhibit at the State Fair this year. Mrs. Walter Shellabarger, near Muscatine, was hurt when a herd of cows stampeded. William Rowray, an escaped convict from Anamosa, was captured near Orange City. Helen Goos, aged 8, of Belle Plaine, was terribly burned when a kettle of hot water upset. A masked bandit robbed the Northwestern depot at De Witt of \$27.50 and made his escape. A tarantula measuring four inches across was found in a bunch of bananas at Ackley. Harry Thaw was a visitor at Fort Dodge, registering in the hotel under an assumed name. A lungmotor saved the life of Homer Hecker of Ottumwa, when he was overcome with gas. Robert B. Van Dyke, conductor on the Rock Island, lost his leg when he fell from the train. P. L. Robinson, aged 20, of Sioux City, fell six stories down an elevator shaft and was killed. Geo. Andres Coleman, aged 3, of Cedar Rapids, is dead after falling in a pail of scalding water. John A. Jones of Ft. Madison, in a fit of jealousy, shot and killed his wife and then killed himself. Fred Miller, near Hancock, shipped 40 head of black pole Angus cattle, averaging 1,170 pounds. Fred Borch and Adonis Howard, boys at Elma, have installed a large wireless telegraph outfit. Wayne H. White, aged 24, of Council Bluffs, died from tetanus, after stepping on a rusty nail. Dorothy Nokey, aged 3, of Nevada, was badly burned about the mouth when she drank gasoline. Thousands of Ft. Madison people spend Sundays in launches and camping parties along the river. Eugene J. Miller, an honor prisoner at the Flynn Farm prison camp, near Des Moines, has disappeared. Fred Hill, near Angus, was injured when the chain of a stump puller broke and hit him in the face. A runaway occurred near Little Sioux when a swarm of bees settled down upon a team of horses. Mrs. Irma Harriman and daughters of Hampton have started on an auto trip to Long Beach, California. Blady Brothers, wool buyers at Oskaloosa, have just completed the shipment of \$60,000 worth of wool. J. J. Dralla of Clinton had the pleasure of seeing the German submarine, Deutschland, while in Baltimore. Several injuries occurred when a Northwestern train left the tracks near Turin, caused by a "sunkist" rail. A paper balloon sent up by two small boys at Hampton, traveled a distance of 17 1/2 miles in a straight line. A large shepherd dog near Clarksville was stricken with the rabies and kept several children prisoners in a manger. One thousand two hundred feet of heavy copper wire was stolen from a government boat at Keokuk, but later recovered. Racing on the Lincoln highway near Mt. Vernon caused a bad accident when James Spear collided with a motorcycle. Although on his death bed, Charles Waterbury of Sioux City is suing the parties who caused his injuries in an auto accident. Charles Locke, near Cumberland, was frightfully injured when his foot became entangled in the fly wheel of a gasoline engine. Several persons were injured in an auto accident while an attempt was being made to kidnap the bride at a wedding at Sioux City. Orville Brockett, aged 22, of Muscatine, was killed on a farm near Nichols, when he fell between the horses and the hayrack. A hen at Hampton is mothering several kittens. New Hampton held auto races for the first time. Earl Ferguson, aged 12, was drowned at Charles City. Robert Bennett, aged 16, was drowned at Keokuk. A large cheese industry is flourishing in Allamakee county. John Cline, aged 80, died from excessive heat at Davenport. Alex Lishman, miner, was killed by a Milwaukee train near Brazil. John Quinn, aged 13, of Davenport, was drowned in the Mississippi. William Smith, a farmer near Dunlap, was seriously hurt in a runaway. An electrical storm did serious damage to property near New Hampton. William Mansfield, the Villisca murder suspect, was brought to Red Oak. James Flaherty of Ft. Dodge sustained a broken hip in an auto accident. Lloyd Letts, near Letts, was painfully hurt when thrown from his horse. Mrs. Howard M. Jones, aged 64, was found dead in her chair, at Cedar Falls. Mrs. E. P. Williams, of Denison, supplied her husband's pulpit during his illness. Frank Blankenhorn, aged 25, of Muscatine, was drowned in the Mississippi. Leon and Harold Gillespie, 18 and 12 years of age, were drowned at Emmetsburg. Chris Johannsen, aged 35, was killed by a train, while under the influence of liquor. Miss Mary Swaine, laundress at Iowa City, lost a finger in the laundry machinery. The First Congregational church at Parkersburg burned during an electrical storm. The vagrants in the city jail at Sioux City will be put to work in the harvest fields. Mrs. Geo. A. Butcher, of Des Moines, died while testifying in a case in the municipal court. Dr. John Herman, who died at Sioux City some time ago, carried \$90,000 worth of insurance. Miss Eva John, aged 59, of Waukon, died of blood poisoning caused by the scratch of a fish bone. Simon E. Fritchen, age 79, of Boone, old soldier, was granted a pension, after waiting 40 years. A farmer near Ft. Dodge reports he has witnesses that his corn grew seven inches in 24 hours. Mrs. Dave Kratzer, near Center Point, attempted suicide by putting her head in a rain barrel. Lonnie Brown of Dubuque has just returned from Mexico, where he was held as an American spy. The First Congregational church of Newell is holding services at the farm houses in the community. Burlington reports a death from infantile paralysis, being the one year old son of Thomas McKee. Mrs. Willma Alberhanky of Iowa City had her skull fractured when an auto crashed into her buggy. Johnnie Hanrahan of Webster City who was fined for reckless driving, paid the judge 1,035 pennies. Elaborate ceremonies marked the laying of the corner stone of Sioux City's new \$750,000 court house. A big swarm of bees entered the city hall at Sioux City and made it a lively place for a few minutes. Lewis Kline, aged 3, of Anita, had his right cheek shattered when he put a torpedo in his mouth and bit on it. James O'Brien, who will be 100 years old next birthday, was visiting and transacting business in Independence. Ten soldiers at Camp Dodge were injured by lightning and much damage was wrought during an electrical storm. A crowing rooster saved the lives of two men at Pleasantville, when their house was burning early in the morning. Health officials at Dubuque believe the death of 14 months old baby of Wm. Thorp was caused by infantile paralysis. Thirty samples of skin taken from friends were grafted on Miss Elizabeth Lynch of Corning, and will probably save her life. I. W. W.'s at Sioux City put up placards, warning police not to disturb their "jungle camps" along the railroad tracks. John McKinnon, attorney at Mt. Pleasant, died from exhaustion, after saving a girl from drowning at a New York beach. An auto-truck loaded with packages of good things, was presented to the members of the First regiment, by Waterloo citizens. Plans are under way at Sioux City to recover part of the cargo of the packet boat Leonora, sunk in the Missouri river 50 years ago. Harry Sylvester, aged 21, of Ottumwa, is dead from taking 16 poison tablets, supposed to have been giving him by two drug fiends. The five year old son of W. R. Rodman, of Greene, was kicked to death by a horse when he rushed into a barn with his coat over his head. Geo. Ford, farmer near West Liberty, took a tramp to work the other day, and now he is out several suits of clothes and other apparel. Harry Michelsen, aged 17, of Davenport, who has been missing for two years, was found working on a farm not sixty miles from his home. Julius Blockert, aged 22, of Coin, was seriously injured when his brother put some buck shot into a cannon fire-cracker and lit the fuse. Glenn James, of Columbus Junction, waited several hours at the court house at Wapello, until the stroke of 12, when he would be 21 years of age and could get a license to be married.

KING CHRISTIAN.

Danish Ruler Has Narrow Escape When Boat Upsets.



Photo by American Press Association.

King Christian of Denmark had a narrow escape from drowning through the capsizing of a boat which he was sailing near Aarhus, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen. The king went out alone in a small sailboat and a sudden puff of wind capsized the craft, throwing the king into the water. The king immediately swam to the overturned craft, pulled himself up on it and sat astride the keel, where his plight was observed from the shore. Boats immediately hastened to the king's assistance.

SENATE PASSES ARMY MEASURE

Washington, July 29.—Nearly \$700,000,000 for national defense in the fiscal year 1917 is the aggregate of proposed appropriations reached in the senate with passage of the army appropriation bill, carrying in round numbers \$314,000,000. This grand total for preparedness still is subject to revision, however, because the army bill will follow the naval bill into conference, where reductions are probable, despite the firm attitude of President Wilson in supporting the liberal response of the senate to the call for adequate defense.

The appropriations for preparedness as they now stand are:

Army	\$313,970,447.10
Navy	315,820,843.55
Fortifications (law)	25,748,050.00
Military academy	2,238,328.57
Army and navy deficiency	27,559,348.05

Total \$685,343,017.27 As it passed the senate the army bill exceeded the appropriations made by the house by more than \$131,000,000.

CHARLES E. HUGHES OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN

New York, July 31.—Charles E. Hughes tonight outlined in his speech of acceptance the issues upon which he will conduct his campaign for the presidency.

Mr. Hughes assailed the administration for the course it has pursued with reference to Mexico, maintenance of American rights during the European war, preparedness and other great questions of the day.

He declared for a new policy of "firmness and consistency" toward Mexico, for "the unflinching maintenance of all American rights on land and sea," and for "adequate national defense; adequate protection on both our western and eastern coasts."

Mr. Hughes scored alien plots on American soil and declared himself in favor of the vote for women.

The nominee criticized the administration for its "direction of diplomatic intercourse" from the beginning, declaring that there should have been conspicuous strength and expertness there had been weakness and inexpertness.

Arabs Defeat Turks.

London, Aug. 1.—An Arab force dispatched to the Hejaz coast of the Red sea after the fall of Jeddah has opened the Turkish town from Cairo to Yembo, says a dispatch from Cairo to Reuter's Telegram company. Troops in the Turkish garrison were made prisoners and guns and munitions were captured.

Americans Must Come Home.

Washington, July 29.—American Ambassador Page in London cabled the state department that Great Britain insists on excluding from England and Ireland Thomas Hughes Kelly of New York, treasurer of the Irish relief fund; his assistant, Joseph Smith, and Mrs. Kelly.

Beyond Mexico.

Whatever the immediate future may bring forth it is well for Americans to understand as clearly as possible what intervention in Mexican affairs involves. In the first place it means the restoration of order in place of anarchy. Whether or not the individual considers this a defensible reason for interfering across the Rio Grande will depend on whether or not he believes that life and law and property should be protected. Leaving this issue to be fought out by others, F. S. & H. wishes to point out some grave consequences that may follow any action we may take relative to Mexico. The reported action of the Central American states favoring Mexico as against the United States is the natural out-come of a racial and historical association that has known the United States some times in the role of a protector, but more often in the role of a good natured but most determined guardian, more feared than loved. The South American nations likewise have little historical or commercial relationship with the United States; their interests lie with the Latin peoples, among whom the Mexicans, in spite of their preponderance of Indian blood, are included. The literature and the history of all Central and South America, Brazil alone excepted, is of Spanish origin and between Spain and the United States exists a Gulf of language, governmental ideas, social systems that has not been bridged since the days of the Crusades. The Celt and Saxon have never understood the Latin, nor has the Latin understood the Celt and Saxon. Their interpretation of our civilization, its purposes and ends is complimentary neither to our civilization nor to our honesty of motive. The fact is pointed out that the record of history is against us and this history goes back to the conquest of North America by the English and the later American conquest of Florida, our activity in behalf of the independence of the South American republics and our later war whereby we took from Mexico approximately half her territory. The fact of the matter is that in the Mexican War we have little to pride ourselves upon except the valor of our soldiers. About its diplomacy or its necessity the less said the better. One thing the Mexican does not do is to forget and seventy years has not healed the bitterness by that war, nor has it allayed the distrust with which South American nations view the "Colossus of the North." It will require diplomacy of highest order, straight forward speaking; that has about or beyond it no sense of personal or national gain to convince the South American republics that our present intervention in Mexico is not another deliberate step southward toward the isthmus, toward the control of the Caribbean sea and toward the establishment of an empire that shall reach over the South American continent. Were we Americans situated as the South American is we should doubtless take his view of the situation. He cannot understand the reasons for which we wage war, simply because he would not wage war for those reasons, and not understanding our purposes he can only construe it in terms of his own history, which places America along with Great Britain as a nation strong, determined, eager for conquest, a menace to the life and independence of his country. What we need now far more than we need armies and a navy is diplomacy of the highest possible order—a diplomacy seeking justice, friendship, understanding and good will.—Farm, Stock & Home.

Civil Service Examinations.

A series of competitive civil service examinations will be held on various dates between September 11th and November 29, 1916, at Mason City and Dubuque, for a large list of various kinds of positions in the government service. Further information, including lists of positions for which examinations will be held may be secured of Miss Stella O'Brien, secretary of the local civil service board, the secretary of the Board of Examiners at St. Paul, Minn., or at the offices where examinations are held.

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