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NEW ULM, MINNESOTA.

The ex-king of pugilism is evidently determined to die with his skates on.

There are said to be over 23,000 Indians in the United States who can read English, and over 10,000 who can read the Indian languages.

The largest man in Kentucky is Ross Skaggs, of Lawrence county, who weighs 521 pounds and is 6 feet 8 inches tall. His arms measure 2 feet in circumference and his thighs 3 feet. He is 31 years of age.

It is estimated that Chinese are being smuggled into the United States at the rate of 100 a week, via Mexico and Canada. The camera used on Celestials will eventually be loaded with buckshot, when other means fail.

Scientists have estimated that every year a layer equal to 14 feet of the entire surface of all oceans and other waters is taken up into the atmosphere in the shape of vapor, to fall as rain and again flow back into the seas.

The world has been using the ax since prehistoric times, but it remained for the American pioneer to fashion the ideal ax handle, at once light, strong and elastic. The ax such as is familiar to all Americans is rare in Europe, and it sells in all British colonies as the American ax.

Tobacco consumption is increasing in Great Britain. For the last year it averaged one and six-tenths pounds per head of the population. In France it averaged nearly two pounds. In England the consumption of tea is increasing and coffee diminishing. Cocoa has increased 34 per cent in five years.

In the report of her majesty's inspector of explosives for the past year, two samples of gun cotton were referred to, one of which had been under water for sixteen years while the other had been buried under ground for twenty years. Both these samples were in fine condition, and as ready for their work as on the day of their manufacture.

When Corbett can make \$25,000 by thrashing Sullivan and Sullivan can sell more "literature" in a week than Emerson could in a year, a young man ambitious for wealth and literary honors combined is naturally left in doubt whether to develop his brain or his brawn. For the present brawn appears to be in the ascendant.

When Verdi wrote "Aida" it was looked upon as his last work. Sixteen years later he wrote "Otello," and the year following "Falstaff." He now tells a friend that he thinks of writing another opera, with a libretto by Bolto. "It is impossible for me to remain idle," said he. "I am still alive and well, and why should I not begin another work?"

Attention is called to the fact that the present is the first time for over half a century that New England has not had a representative in the Cabinet, excepting only about five weeks under President Polk, and during the summer of 1874, between the resignation of Secretary Richardson and the appointment of Postmaster General Jewell by General Grant.

A Swiss inventor has devised a phonographic clock to take the place of the present alarm appliance, which simply makes a hideous uproar. Details are lacking, but it may be inferred that in extreme cases a man may put into its works a piece of the favorite cheese of the inventor's native country and as soon as the time piece finds its voice it will use language that will murder sleep ninety-nine times in a hundred.

A study of the meteorological data of Idaho leads to the conclusion that the humidity of the atmosphere is increasing year by year. Never since the settlement of Idaho has there been such an immense crop all over the state as during the present season. The product of grass and grain has been wonderful. Scientific estimates attribute this result to a change in climate produced by the multiplication of irrigating canals, which moisten a great extent of country and create a humid atmosphere. It has been observed that frequent rains now fall during the months of July and August. Nature is closing up the gap between wet and dry seasons and equalizing the rainfall. Many believe that the time is not far distant when the arid lands will become arable.

AROUND THE GLOBE.

A Record of the Week's Happenings That are Now Part of the World's History.

The More Important Foreign and Domestic Events Arranged for Rapid Reading.

WASHINGTON.

Postmaster General Wainmaker has accepted all of the bids for ocean mail service which were opened at the department recently with the exception of one.

Acting Secretary Chandler has ordered the payment of \$200,000 authorized by congress as an indemnity to the Sioux Indians for 5,000 ponies taken by the government some years ago, during one of the Indian outbreaks in the Northwest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Col. Taliaferro, the Alabama legal political celebrity, is six feet and five inches tall.

Sir James Chrichton Browne, an eminent dental authority, is quoted as saying that future generations in England are threatened with toothlessness.

Prof. Robert E. Moore, of Philadelphia, who has been giving Mr. Blaine a course of massage treatment, considers him good for fifteen years or more of life yet.

Dr. Pelligrini, who recently resigned the presidency of the Argentine Republic and withdrew the resignation a day or two later, is a relative of the late John Bright, the famous Englishman.

Miss Frances Tallman of Thompson, Conn., to whom Ferdinand Ward is said to be engaged, is a brunette, nineteen years old, rich and a niece of Dr. Thatcher Graves, now under sentence of death at Denver for poisoning Mrs. Barnaby.

UNFORTUNATE EVENTS.

Four miners were killed by an explosion of gas in the Nottingham mine at Plymouth.

Much valuable timber has been destroyed by the forest fires in Washington.

Fire destroyed nine blocks in the business portion of Tekoa, Wash. The total loss is estimated at \$40,000.

The crew at Life Saving Station No. 12 on Lake Superior have found two more of the bodies of the crew of the Western Reserve. They went ashore seven miles west of the station.

U. S. S. Fern from Norfolk for Kittery navy yard, in charge of Lieut. Commander Gibson, went ashore one mile below Portsmouth N. H. River men say that when the tide turns the vessel will sink. The buoy which marks the ledge could not be discerned owing to the fog.

Michael Cuddahy was crushed by a descending skid at the Burt shaft of the Lake Superior mine at Ishpeming, Mich. His right arm was broken and he was badly injured about the head. His recovery is doubtful. He attempted to stop the skid, but through carelessness, was caught by it.

A fire broke out recently in New York causing the destruction of George Meyers carriage factory, in the rear of 225 and 227 East Twenty-ninth street. The flames communicated with two furniture factories on East Thirty-seventh street badly damaging them. The loss on stock and building is estimated at \$100,000.

Fire at Albany, N. Y., destroyed the printing house of J. B. Lyon, the Hotel Columbia, the Hotel Fort Orange and the Jackson Armory. The loss is estimated at \$300,000. Mr. Lyon is the state printer. Several annual reports of the state department are in the hands of the printer. Some departments have lost the original and only copy of their reports in the fire.

News has been received at Fort Townsend, Wash., of a triple drowning in Quets river. A Mr. Harris, his wife and two children were in a canoe which struck a boulder and capsized, throwing the occupants into the river. The husband was thrown on the bank insensible, while the wife and children were drowned.

SINS AND SINNERS.

A Montana rancher is forced to shoot a bully who had killed two men.

Otto Fisher, of the Meisen Credit bank, Berlin, has absconded after misappropriating \$50,000 marks.

Burglars entered H. D. Rifenberger's store at Columbus Junction, O., and stole \$2,000 worth of silks and other goods.

The leader and several members of the notorious gang of train robbers are captured in New Mexico.

Sontag and Evans, the California train robbers, have a fight with United States marshal and posse and shoot and kill four. The robbers escape.

Carl Nold and Henry Baner, anarchists, have been indicted by the grand jury on accessories to the assault made upon H. C. Frick July 23 by Alexander Berkman.

The report sent by special correspondents from Paris, Tex., that the Dalton brothers had been captured at Deming, N. M., is denied by Gov. Ross, who states that the robbers have not been seen in that territory.

Annie Pigeon, a 13-year-old girl of Buckley, Wash., committed suicide by taking a dose of strychnine. She claimed that her reason for killing herself was because her mother wished to send her to the reform school.

The coroner's jury in the case of Michael Broderick, the boy shot by soldiers of the Twenty-second regiment Aug. 25 during the railroad strike in Buffalo, has brought in a verdict declaring the shooting unjustifiable, and recommending that all honorable means be taken to bring this guilty party to justice.

The trial of the Homestead workmen who have been held to the grand jury on varying charges of murder, aggravated riot and conspiracy will not begin in the criminal court until the first week in October. Fifty-five men have been held and against some of them are four and five charges. A large number of arrests are to be made, including many women. The charges against the women will be disorderly conduct and inciting riot.

FOREIGN NUGGETS.

James Louden, M. A., professor of physics in the Toronto University, has been appointed president of the university, succeeding the late Sir Daniel Wilson.

A sailor is murdered in Genoa, Italy, for the crime of being an American.

An epidemic of fever resembling yellow fever has broken out at Morelia, Mex., and twenty-five deaths have occurred from it within three days.

President Rodriguez at San Jose, Costa Rica, has declared himself dictator in that country. Several political arrests have been made and great excitement prevails.

The Canadian cabinet decided to establish rigid quarantine inspection at all

points on the international border where trains enter from the United States.

A machine agent named Turcotte, a student named Cidalo and a stevedore named Turcotte, were burned to death in the Chamberly hotel, Montreal. Many of the guests were injured, but none fatally, by jumping from windows.

Leading government organs at Ottawa are urging the necessity of constructing a canal between Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair. This would make Canada independent of the United States in respect to canals, and save 130 miles of waterway.

The divorce suit instituted by Capt. C. N. F. Armstrong, formerly known in Australia as "Kangaroo Charley," against his wife, the well-known singer, known as Madam Malba, has been settled privately in London, the parties agreeing to an amicable separation.

THE POLITICAL WORLD.

T. E. Collins of Great Falls is nominated for governor by the Montana Democrats.

Senator Hill, it is announced, will come out for Cleveland in a speech in New York city.

Chairman Harrity, of the Democratic committee, issues an address congratulating the country on the result of elections in these states.

Texas Republicans endorse the candidacy of the independent Democratic candidate for governor, which probably insures his election.

Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt will prosecute officers of Republican campaign committees for levying political assessments upon government employes.

THE TOILERS.

Detroit electric light trimmers struck and left half the city in darkness.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen held its biennial session in Cincinnati. The sessions were secret.

The delegates to the national convention of street railway employes in session in Indianapolis have decided to organize independently of the Federated Labor and Knights of Labor.

All the 8,000 coal miners in the river district Pittsburgh formally struck on the 4 cent reduction made by the operators.

About one-third of the mines have been working and the men refused to return to their work. Half of the miners are organized and are prepared for a struggle.

The Amalgamated Association of Street Car Employes of America is the name of the organization formed by representatives of local unions at Indianapolis. J. H. Husted of Toledo was elected president and J. P. Riggs of Indianapolis secretary and treasurer. Headquarters will be established at Indianapolis.

SPORTING TRIFLES.

Garfield Park race track, Chicago, is a goner.

Harrison Nickerson, a Pennsylvania woods man, challenges Corbett.

Frank Bancroft will manage Cincinnati again next season.

Werden, the big first baseman of St. Louis, has been released.

Stivets, of Boston, is credited with the best pitching performance of the season.

"Billy" Barnie has finally thrown up his position of umpire. He couldn't stand the abuse of the players.

Muldoon's untiring faith in the "big fellow" is shared by many of the most prominent sports in the country.

Mark Baldwin, the pitcher recently released by the Pittsburgh club, was arrested Sept. 1 on a charge of alleged complicity in the Homestead strike and riot. Baldwin's home is at Homestead, and he was there on the day of the fight with the Pinkertons, but he claims he was there merely as a spectator and took no part in the riot. Baldwin waived a hearing and gave \$2,000 bail in answer to a court.

An exchange says that "Capt. Greedy," of the Cincinnati club, had a great deal to contend with this season, and has made a fine showing against all of these odds. He lost Rhines and Harrington, and was unsuccessful in retaining Pitcher Mullan, who had been doing as fine work as any pitcher in the country. Then there was the loss of his phenomenal catcher, Morgan Murphy, whose absence caused the loss of many a game. Smith was off the nine two weeks, weakened it greatly, and Conkey himself played for some days when a less gritty man would have been in the hospital.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

The Wisconsin Central meets the Soo's cut rates to Washington.

The Northern Pacific gives notice of its withdrawal from the Transcontinental association.

The Chicago railroads agree not to carry immigrants not having proper health certificates.

The commissioners of the Western Traffic association permit the Northern Pacific to reduce grain rates on account of the Great Northern competition.

The Western Passenger association has authorized a reduction in rates on the certificate basis for the following events: The Wisconsin Congressional union to be held in Milwaukee from the 27th to the 30th inst., and for the races at Holstein, Iowa, Oct. 5 to 8.

GENERAL.

The Peary expedition to Greenland returns, arriving at St. Johns, N. F.

The Hamburg-American and Guion companies entirely suspend their steamer passenger business.

The color line will probably again come up for discussion in the National G. A. R. encampment.

Five fatal cases of cholera are reported in New York city, but the people are assured that an epidemic is improbable.

The convention of the Associated Bichloride of Gold clubs met at Dwight, Ill., Over a thousand delegates were in attendance.

The Roelker Stove and Flow works at Evansville, Ind., have made an assignment. The liabilities are \$300,000; assets, \$180,000.

Spiegel & Co., furniture dealers of Chicago, have confessed judgment for \$100,000. The liabilities, it is said, will exceed \$150,000; assets about the same.

The fourth annual concert and festival of the United Polish Singing Societies of America was held at Grand Rapids, Mich. Many societies from Chicago, Milwaukee, Detroit and other cities were present.

Bridge Jumper Meredith Stanley, of Cincinnati, proposes to float over the Niagara Falls in a barrel of strong oak well hooped and covered with copper. It is eight feet long and six feet in diameter, the inside being padded and is ready for use.

James Fisher, of Harrison, Ill., husband of the woman who was shot by the Wild West people at the fair, brought suit against the Winnebago County, Ill., Agriculture Society for damages.

The official report sent out by the marine hospital service stating that the steamship May had arrived at New Orleans with four cases of yellow fever aboard is incorrect. The steamer mentioned has never visited that port.

THE NORTHWEST.

A Summary of the Important Events of the Week in the Northwestern States.

Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, and North Dakota News in a Nutshell.

MINNESOTA.

The commercial bank, St. Paul, reopens. City Clerk Pendergast of St. Paul will resign.

Minneapolis Democrats nominate Ald. Hayes for mayor.

A St. Paul man commits suicide in the central station in Minneapolis.

A St. Paul boy of seventeen is arrested in Washington State for murder.

A North Dakota cattleman is arrested in St. Paul on the charge of stealing cattle.

The Fourth congressional district Republican and Democratic committees are appointed.

St. Paul residences will soon be furnished by the postoffice department with boxes for the collection of mail.

Carl Johnson, cashier of the Adams Express company in St. Paul, is arrested, charged with embezzlement.

Henry C. Hope of St. Paul, superintendent of telegraph of the Omaha road, is heir to an estate in the North of Ireland worth several millions of dollars.

Louis Basel, of Henderson, was arraigned before Judge Kirby on a charge of assault and battery on the person of his wife, the woman herself being the complainant. Basel got 30 days.

Rose Brezinsky and Emma Lyness, the young girls who pleaded guilty at Duluth to indictments charging larceny, were sentenced to the reform school.

During the absence of the family tramps entered the house of a man named Donahue, on Tenth street north, St. Cloud, and stole a watch and rings.

William Brown, a negro, accused of stealing \$200 from a party on the steamer Pittsburg at Minneka, has been arrested at Winona. The captain of the Pittsburg has been wired for instructions.

Burglars blew open the safe in the Northern Pacific station at Fergus Falls and got \$50 in cash. They also opened M. T. McMahon's safe. Two men have been arrested at Wahpeton who are suspected.

A team driven by John Roach, son of Thomas Roach, of Avon, was struck by a Great Northern train at the crossing just west of St. Cloud. Both horses were killed. Roach was unhurt.

Ole Frederickson was killed by a Great Northern freight train at Sandstone, while attempting to board it. His body was cut to pieces. He leaves one child; his wife is dead. Frederickson was section foreman at Deadham on the Great Northern Railroad.

Askwith, Nevin & Son of St. Cloud had a contract for 6,000 feet of granite curbing for Duluth. They bought part of it from the reformatory stock cut last season. The stonecutters found it out and quit work. The quarry is closed in consequence. About 40 men were employed.

A stock company has been formed in Redwood Falls to put in an electric light plant immediately. Paul Martin, of St. Paul, will be business manager. The company has a franchise for five years and the city has the privilege of buying the plant when the franchise expires.

A recent search of the St. Cloud jail disclosed a number of iron saws, some a foot and more long, and a file, spoon-fashioned, like a key. They were concealed in the top of the cell. This is the second batch found recently and the men evidently have friends outside.

The relatives of Mrs. Martha Kester, the child murderer, of Eagle Lake, have entered suit to recover the money with which to carry on the defense at the coming trial, also for the burial of the murdered children. The defendant is Frederick Kester, of Milwaukee, and his farm at Lake Crystal has been attached.

The Grand hotel, Fergus Falls, which has had such a checkered career, is once more opened under auspices which ought to insure its success. The hotel is now owned by local parties, and has been opened under the management of George H. Woodhouse.

Frank King Thomas McNamara and Dennis McNamara, Jr., of Ravenna were arraigned before justice Johnson at Hastings recently upon the charge of shooting prairie chickens on the 21st ult. King and McNamara pleaded guilty and were fined \$10 each, and Dennis McNamara was discharged. The complaint and arrest was made by Thomas McDonald, deputy game warden.

Mrs. George Brackett, of Paynesville, left her husband last winter and has been living with Martin Johnson's family. At that place she became infatuated with Johnson's brother, William. She came to St. Cloud recently to get a divorce in order to marry him, found she could not, and while out driving with William, swallowed a bottle of laudanum. Physicians saved her life. Brackett is a son of the village banker and is willing to support his wife.

Sank Centre was raided by burglars recently. They first attempted to break into a restaurant but was driven away. The beer warehouse of V. Blaz was then entered and a small quantity of beer taken. The lumber office of V. A. Whipple was entered and the safe door badly battered in an attempt to break into the safe, but in this they were unsuccessful. The machine office of A. Rein & Co. was entered, the safe opened and a small sum of money and about \$2,000 in notes taken. The iron money box in the safe was pried out and taken away.

WISCONSIN.

B. A. Gardner, a Berlin pioneer, is dead. Four men are injured by the fall of a bridge at West Superior.

O. C. Hamon has been appointed postmaster at Unity, Marathon County.

The Eau Claire schools will arrange for a suitable celebration for "Columbus Day."

In the vicinity of Madison nearly 200 acres of growing tobacco was destroyed by the recent hail storm.

Samuel Milford, of Janesville, was attacked by a vicious horse, receiving serious hurts on the arm.

The thirty-third annual fair of the Trenchpelean County Agricultural Society, held at Galeville, was a complete success.

A Phallus filly, owned by James Mc-

Anny, of Racine, and worth \$500, died of distemper.

The public schools of Marinette will observe the Columbus anniversary October 21 as recommended by the Governor.

Marvin H. Broughton, of Broadhead, a student in the State Normal School at Whitewater, died at Whitewater.

Policeman Flatum, of Ashland, was fined \$26 and costs for assault and battery, and was suspended from the force.

Ed. Somers, a fireman on the Omaha road, got one foot under a tender wheel and lost four toes at Superior.

Jennie De Golier, an Appleton miss, has been committed to the Industrial School at Milwaukee.

It is stated at Madison that snow fell at Tonyawatha, on Lake Monona, a few evenings since. A cold rain was falling in Madison at the same time.

Will Davis of Janesville, has sold his fast black trotter, Kirkwood, by Kirkwood Junior, to Strauss, of New York. The price was \$400.

Ashland volunteer firemen claim that they have received no pay in ten weeks, and are making vigorous efforts to secure back pay.

William Mack pleaded guilty at Portage to a charge of stealing a buggy at Morrisonville, and was sentenced to six months in jail.

Two brick walls, 84 feet long and 34 feet long, part of the gas works structure at Madison, were blown down during a recent wind storm.

The Held Grain Company, at Appleton, has purchased the Clough elevator, at Ripon. This added capacity is about 30,000 bushels.

Five of the leaders in the Marinette saw mill strike have been arrested. A large number of police have been sworn in to preserve order. More arrest of strikers will be made.

Otto Storm, 15 years old, was seriously if not fatally injured by the bursting of an emery wheel at which he was at work in the Woodruff Buckley factory at Janesville.

S. E. D. Tuttle of Kenosha, expired suddenly while conversing with her daughter, who had but a few minutes previous returned from Europe.

The authorities of Superior have announced a determination to enforce the school truant law. Lads who fail to attend school will be arrested.

Clinton Textor, of Medford, was nominated for assembly man by the Democrats of the district comprising the counties of Price and Taylor.

George Hawthorne and H. L. Skavlem, of Janesville, captured eighteen black bass at Monteville in four hours, that weighed 54 pounds.

B. R. Wilmut, of Madison, was crushed to death in a well which he was assisting to dig at B. O. head, Ky., where he was visiting friends.

To decide a wager John Burns jumped from the second story of a Superior saloon, receiving injuries that will prove fatal. Burns was an ex-circus rider and gymnast.

Ole B. Olson, of Eau Claire, editor of Reform, a Prohibition weekly paper, is the Prohibition nominee for Congress in the Seventh District.

The Racine Industrial Association will pay all the expenses of the recent fair and net \$100 besides, considered to be a very good showing, in view of the unfavorable weather experienced.

Carlos Williams, the colored man alleed to have stolen \$10,000 from the bank of West Superior, waived examination and was held for trial on the charge of grand larceny.

A large number of hogs died on the farm of A. M. Glenn, in Rock County, from drinking salt water, which came from an ice cream freezer and was poured into the well.

Real estate brokers and dealers of Superior have formed an exchange. The association will be incorporated, and will send delegates to the national real estate convention.

Mrs. Beck, plaintiff in the Beck divorce case, did not appear in court when the case was called in the Washburn County circuit court, and the action was dismissed.

The ordinance of the Oakshoek Street Car Company for electric cars for fifty years to come has been approved by the attorneys for the city. The work of building the road will soon commence.

Thomas Golden, a Brown County pioneer, died in the town of Holland, aged 80. Peter Sweeney, another old settler of the county, died at Gilmore, at the age of 90 years.

NORTH DAKOTA.

The soldiers' home at Lisbon, is dedicated.

Mrs. George Ady, a farmers wife living two miles southeast of St. Thomas, present her husband with triplets, two boys and a girl. All are alive and doing well.

A crazy man, name unknown, boarded the Northern Pacific train at Sanborn the other evening and was taken off at Valley City and deposited in the county jail pending examination.

The Minneapolis & Northern elevator at Grand Harbor, west of Devils Lake burned down. Devils Lake firemen went there but the fire was too far gone for them to render assistance. There was no grain in the building.

The Fifth district Republican convention nominated H. F. Arnold, of Larimore, for the senate, and J. Dexter Pierce, of Hegton, and Mr. Cosmo, of Northwood, representatives.

Alexander Wartenbee of Burton has been in Fargo for a day or two to see what could be done about getting some of his money back. He hit on a green goods swindle in New York a short time ago and sent \$400 in payment for \$2,500 of the "quack," receiving a box of saw dust in return. He does not receive much encouragement as to seeing any of his good money again.

A dead man was found beside the Northern Pacific railroad, eight miles east of Valley City. The coroner's jury found death was caused by being struck by an engine. Three partially empty flasks were found in his pockets, also \$5. He was identified as a stone mason named John, who had been working here for the past few weeks.

Jimmy Flynn, a 4-year-old son of Ald. Flynn, of Fargo, got hold of a powder can thrown out in the back yard of B. D. Schofield's gunsmith shop. The can had a little powder left in it. The boy dropped a match inside of it and while looking at it the powder exploded in the child's face. He will probably lose the sight of both eyes.

At the Independent county convention at Bismarck the following ticket was nominated: Senator, Dan Williams; representatives, Oscar H. Will, Joseph Hare; sheriff, Frank Donnelly; treasurer, Joseph Dieterich; aud-

itor, Frank Reid; judge of probate, I. P. Hunt; state's attorney, J. G. Rapelje; register of deeds, Walter Skelton; clerk of court, Clarence Price.

The reports in regard to Arthur Smith, circulated at Fargo recently, seem to have been overdrawn. He was taking a rest for ten days, and was simply enjoying a quiet time at Detroit Lake. He is a nephew of P. B. Smith, manager of the St. Anthony Elevator company at Minneapolis, and has been employed in the Fargo roller mill as bookkeeper for a couple of years. He is highly esteemed.

Agent E. W. Brenner has just completed the census of the Indians on the Turtle Mountain reservation. There are 245 full blooded Chippewas and 1,089 half bloods, and 293 half bloods residing outside the reservation. In addition to the above there are 177 half bloods on the reservation who should belong to the Canadian side of the line and are not recognized by the agent as Americans.

IOWA.

Ah Poe, a Chinaman in Ottumwa, was found dead in bed, poisoned. Foul play by highbinders is suspected.

Huldah Laurin, aged 21, took carbolic acid at her home in Davenport after a quarrel with her lover, and is dead.

Operators working for the Burlington, and Cedar Rapids & Northern road have again presented that road with a new schedule. It is said a strike may result if not concoded.

An unknown man, well dressed, was found hanging to a tree in Wm. McCunen's pasture, five miles from Ottumwa. He used a barbed wire and the fall broke his neck.

While B. F. Fellows, with his wife, mother and two children were driving over a bridge at Spanning Lime Creek, near Mason City, the wagon went down a twenty-foot embankment. All five of the family were seriously injured, the mother and one child fatally.

How a Little Miss Turned Failure Into a Glorious Success.