

NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

DAVENPORT

Record at Postoffice.—All records of former years in the amount of mail handled in a single day at the Davenport postoffice were broken yesterday. It is estimated that the incoming and outgoing mail numbered no less than 200,000 pieces. All day long the corridors of the postoffice were crowded with senders of Christmas mail. It had the aspect of a bargain counter in a big department store, so eager were the people to reach the various windows with their mail.

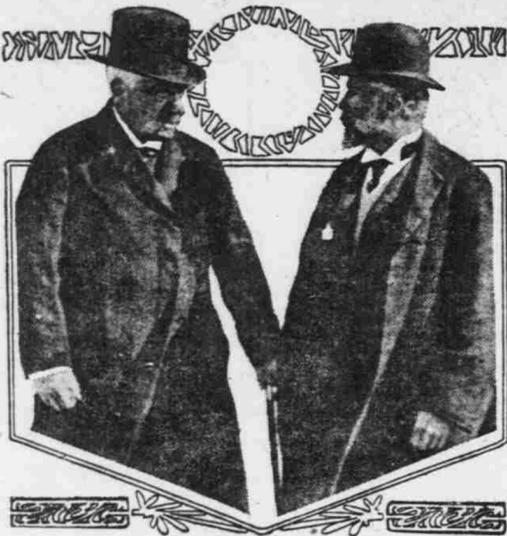
Cars Collide.—Two autos were slightly smashed and one occupant injured Sunday afternoon when a machine driven by H. A. Phoenix, 2319 Brady street, and August Gettert of Muscatine collided at Fifteenth and Brady streets. The injured was Miss Gettert who was slightly bruised by the impact. The car driven by Mr. Gettert was coming south and that of Phoenix going north. Through a misunderstanding in signals, the two drivers took the same side of the street with the crash resulting. The loss to both machines will be about \$100.

Joke Nearly Fatal.—Paul Magdal, the Austrian victim of a joke which turned out to be nearly fatal, now has a fighting chance to survive his injuries. Reports from his physicians at Mercy hospital today are to the effect that unless peritonitis sets in within the next day or two he will in all probability recover. Investigation into the injuries received by the young laborer at the Bettendorf shops Saturday morning, when an air hose with 175 pounds of pressure was applied to him, shows that he suffered 12 perforations of the intestines, the smallest of which is an inch and a half and the largest four inches long. That Louis DeRousse, the young man held for the perpetration of the joke, was unassisted in the affair has been learned through a more complete investigation of the case. There were several other employees in the shop at the time, but none had anything to do with the act. Those who are to be called as witnesses in the case are George Schrader, William Kosak, John Cramer, Emil Goetsch, Charles Hoepner, Frank Lebitz and John Jones. No charge has as yet been filed against DeRousse, this developing upon the outcome of the injured man's condition. DeRousse lives at 1220 West Seventh street.

Church Dedicated.—The dedication of the new church of the Zion German Evangelical Lutheran congregation, which was an event of Sunday, attracted many people from beyond the city as well as all members of the church, and the auditorium was filled to overflowing, necessitating chairs being put in the aisles at the three services of the day. Rev. A. Heltemer, the pastor, was assisted by Dr. F. Richter of Clinton, who preached the sermon of the morning. Professor Gamb of the Wartburg college of Clinton, who spoke at the 2:30 service of the afternoon; Rev. M. Reinmund of the Orphan's home of Muscatine, and Rev. J. Haefner of the Muscatine church, who made the address of the evening.

Mexican Is Held.—Raymond Garcia, charged with assault with intent to commit murder, was held to the grand jury yesterday, at his preliminary hearing before Magistrate Roddewig in police court. Garcia is charged with having inflicted knife wounds on

WHAT IS A MONEY TRUST? QUERY IN NEW YORK SINCE MORGAN TESTIFIED



John Pierpont Morgan and his son-in-law, Herbert L. Satterlee (snapped since Money Trust hearing).

MORGAN'S OWN WORDS AS TO HIS VAST POWER.

My firm had \$100,000,000 of deposits November 1. We act as agents for United States Steel corporation. We are sole bankers for New York Central lines, including four big railway systems. Our firm has handled several hundred millions of New York Central securities in the last ten years. We are sole agents for the New Haven railroad, and act for American Telephone & Telegraph company. I was member of voting trust that reorganized Northern Pacific. I named entire board of directors of United States Steel corporation, said who should stay on and off, picked Judge E. H. Gary for chairman, fixed prices at which subsidiaries should go in; in fact, our company had the whole corporation and did its banking. Members of our firm are on directorates of many banks, entire boards of which are picked by voting trusts, but I see no harm in it.

New York.—The testimony of J. P. Morgan before the money trust investigating committee at Washington last week, to the effect that there is no money trust and can be none, has given rise to a great deal of speculation as to just what a money trust is. Testimony before the Pujo committee

Frank Ponce, another Mexican, in a box car last Saturday. The stabbing affray occurred in the west end yards of the Rock Island railroad.

Seeks a Divorce.—An original notice claiming rights to a decree of divorce has been filed by A. W. Steen vs. Belle Steen. Attorneys Cook & Balluff represent the plaintiff. They were married in Rock Island May 21, 1910. Desertion is charged.

Obituary Record.—Word has been received in Davenport telling of the

death of M. F. Hickey, who passed away Sunday at his home in Chicago. The deceased was the father of W. H. Hickey, No. 7 Argyle flats this city, had been ill several days. W. H. Hickey was called to the home of his father Friday and was with him at the time of his death. Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Mary Hickey; one son, W. H. Hickey of Davenport; and two daughters, Mrs. Rose Lapoint and Mrs. William Arney, and two sisters, Misses Margaret and Irene Hickey of Chicago.

Sorrow has come to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Eggers, 1023 Carroll street, with the death of their infant twins, Thomas and Joseph Eggers, who passed away Sunday and yesterday morning respectively. The babies, who were only a few days old, were taken ill shortly after their birth and despite the efforts to save the little ones they passed away.

One Sin of Housekeeping. The ultimate sin of the housekeeping code is straightening things out in a desk or on a table. When I depart from my quarters in the morning my sitting room table looks self possessed and homelike, bearing three ash trays, four or five books, matches, a pipe, a can of tobacco, papers, magazines, pencils, pens, a letter or two, a bottle of ink and maybe a necktie or so. A place for everything and everything just where it ought to be easy to reach or therabouts. But, alas, on return what a state that table is in. The books have been put back on the shelves, the ash trays mobilized, pen and pencils arranged in orderly lines, neckties stuck away in a dresser and the letters plucked in the most conspicuous place with those containing bills uppermost. —Toledo Blade.

Pliny's Jewel Stories. Pliny declared that a diamond was so hard that if placed on an anvil and struck with a sledge hammer it would give back a blow of such force as to shiver both anvil and hammer to pieces. Another of his wonderful tales states that "on the shore of the island of Cyprus there was a stone lion having eyes formed of emeralds, which shone so brightly that all the fishes were indignantly frightened away. The fishermen accordingly pulled the emeralds out and put in glass eyes instead, whereupon the wise fishes became bolder and returned to their accustomed nets."

MOLINE

Charges Withdrawn.—Complaint against Mrs. Etta Flora, charging her with larceny, was withdrawn by Lundt & Co. yesterday when it was learned that the husband of the woman had deserted her and that she desired to have prosecution dropped. Through her attorney, W. E. Whiteside, the woman paid the costs in the case in the court of Magistrate Frank Gustafson. Last week when employees of the store alleged that the woman had attempted to steal a handbag worth \$3.50, she was taken to the office and then allowed to go to her home after she had consented to have it searched by officers. In the evening, accompanied by her husband, she returned to the store. The man—Claude W. Flora—demanded that the store management either prosecute or exonerate the woman. They replied by swearing out a warrant for her arrest. The case was continued to yesterday. Members of the store force appeared in court yesterday, but when it was learned that the woman had been left by her husband to face the charges alone, and in consideration of the fact that he was the one who had demanded prosecution, it was decided to withdraw charges.

Deere's Income.—Net income for Deere & Co. and its subsidiary concerns for the year ended Oct. 31, 1912, was \$4,265,578, according to the report which has been filed with the New York stock exchange and which is published in the Wall Street Journal.

Y. M. C. A. Growing.—Increase in membership has taken an unusual boost during December declares J. S. Freeman, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and there is every reason to believe that the goal of 1,000 members which has been set for the first year in the new building will be reached in three months remaining. "In this month so far, we have taken in more than during the whole of November," stated Mr. Freeman. The membership roll now totals 757, a figure that already averages well with cities of this size.

Arrested for Fast Driving.—Charles Walters and Ed Bailes of Muscatine were arrested yesterday afternoon in Moline for fast driving. They hired a rig at the Normoyle livery barn in Rock Island at 1:30 yesterday afternoon and entered into a race with a street car on Thirty-eighth street, driving east on Seventh avenue. When the car reached Fifteenth street, the car crew—Charles Lantz and C. L. Walker—made complaint.

Obituary Record.—Mrs. Mary Metcalf passed her rest from the home, 725 Twenty-first and a-half street, Sunday afternoon. She had been an invalid for several years and had been the family removed to this city only a short time ago, the home for five years previous having been in Watertown. Mary Belle Miller was born in Industry, Ill., Feb. 20, 1857. She was married in January, 1885, and two children, born to the union, survive with Mr. Metcalf. They are Ethel and Detlof, both at home. Her aged father, four sisters and two brothers, are also bereaved. They are Alice of Minneapolis, Mrs. Anna Sherbine of Macomb, Mrs. Edith Lowry of Galesburg and Mrs. Elizabeth Lawyer of

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Industry, David of Moline and John of Industry.

Henry Riall, former resident of this city, died at his home, 502 Davenport street, East Moline, Saturday. He had been ill only a short time, death being due to heart trouble. He was born in Mississippi, Nov. 25, 1855, and there grew to manhood. Coming to this state as a young man and to this county 10 years ago, he had been a resident of this vicinity ever since. He was married to Miss Anna Lindsey in July, 1884, at Bath, Ill. While a resident of this city, Mr. Riall was employed as a night watchman at the car barns of the Tri-City Railway company on Sixteenth street. In East Moline, he was employed in the plant of the Marselles company. Beside the widow, he leaves five children, Mrs. A. J. Brecher of Watertown and Olive, Florence, Troy and William at home. The body was taken to Bath for burial.

ALEDO

Miss Alice Park who came to attend the banquet given Thursday evening to the football team returned to her home in Viola Friday.

Mrs. Frank Day and Mrs. Fred Day spent Thursday in Galesburg.

Relatives in this city have received word of the marriage of Miss Mabel Barr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barr, to J. E. Stanley at Champaign.

T. E. Adams of Rolla, Mo., is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Ole Wyltine went to Monmouth Friday to spend the day with friends.

Mrs. Ray Dool and Mrs. W. T. May were Davenport visitors Friday.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Helen Mary McKinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald McKinley, to Roscoe E. Woods of Hammond, Ind.

Mrs. Albert Farm spent Thursday in Rock Island.

Miss Bessie Brown went to Sterling Friday to visit at the home of Mrs. Edith Law and family.

Mrs. Cyrus Frank and children have gone to Alexander, Mo., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Burke.

Mrs. Peter Farm and baby went to New Windsor Friday to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Abercrombie arrived here Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. Abercrombie's father, J. H. Abercrombie. They have just completed the season with the Aborn Opera company.

J. G. Amberg returned home from New Windsor Thursday.

Mrs. Emil Bjorkman went to Viola Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Miss Anna Pearson, who has been spending the last three months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Abercrombie, returned to her home in New Windsor Friday.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Bessie M. Brown and John A. Griffin at noon on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown just south of this city.

Mrs. L. D. Donahue and daughter are visiting friends and relatives in Columbus Junction, Iowa.

Mrs. H. E. Walters returned to her home in Woodhull Friday, after spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Blanch Miller of Beaver Crossing, Neb., and sister, Miss Pearl Miller, of North Henderson, spent Friday at the home of their aunt, Miss Louise Bartlett.

Miss Bridget O'Day went to Davenport Thursday for a few days' visit with Miss Jane Garred.

Miss Katherine Davidson of Chicago spent Wednesday here with her cousin, Mrs. Harry Simpson.

The banquet held at the Merchants' hotel Thursday evening for the members of the William and Vashti football squad was a success in every way. This banquet was of more than usual interest because of the winning of the state championship. The champion squad received their varsity sweaters, of which they are justly proud. These sweaters are white with a red monogram instead of the usual red and gray ones.

The William and Vashti basketball team is now organized, with Thompson as captain, and Martin Justice has been secured to coach the team this season as athletic director. Woodmansee's time is so taken up with other things. Eleven games and the intercollegiate tournament at Decatur comprise the schedule. This is the card for the 1913 season:

- January 15—Hedding college at Abingdon.
- January 17—Lombard at Aledo.
- January 25—St. Ambrose college at Davenport.
- January 29—Bradley Polytechnic at Peoria.
- January 30—Normal university at Normal.
- January 31—Wesleyan university at Bloomington.
- February 7—Augustana college at Aledo.
- February 14—Bradley Polytechnic at Aledo.
- February 19—Hedding college at Aledo.
- February 25—Lombard college at Galesburg.
- February 28—St. Ambrose college at Aledo.
- March 6-7-8—Intercollegiate tournament at Decatur.

The funeral services of Mrs. Charles Rush, who died early Saturday morning, were held at the First. Mrs. Iria Pollock left Thursday for Reason for a short visit with relatives. Aledo's mausoleum is now completed and has been accepted by the city council. It is built of reinforced concrete and is the strongest and most beautiful building in the county. It is cyclopic and fireproof and contains a vestibule, chapel, receiving vault, private and family compartments. This building was made possible by the co-

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operation of a number of prominent Aledo men. The dedication services will be held next spring. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Longley Monday morning, Dec. 16, 1912. Fred Graham has come to visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. M. G. Reynolds. Mrs. L. E. Farr and little son left Thursday for Sandwich to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Walters. Mrs. R. S. Foote, Mrs. J. M. Davis and Mrs. L. N. Lewis were Rock Island visitors Wednesday. Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. A. E. Moody. Burial was made in the Aledo cemetery. Miss Rosa Olin spent Saturday in Rock Island. Miss Margaret Chandler left Saturday for her home in Ottumwa, Iowa, to spend the Christmas vacation. She was accompanied as far as Monmouth by her aunt, Mrs. George Wedding. John Marshall went to Camp Point Saturday to spend a week with his brother and sister. Mrs. A. N. West went to Moline Saturday to spend the day with friends. Mrs. Samuel Durston and daughters, Mrs. Ralph Peck and Miss Ruth Durston, went to New Windsor Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sidney Durston. Miss Vera Caldwell went to her home in Biggsville to spend the Christmas vacation. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Rhea of New Boston spent Saturday with friends in Aledo. Miss Zula Lemon returned home Saturday from Medford, Okla., where she has been making an extended visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Rodgers. Miss Hilma Lundblad has gone to Keokuk to spend a few days with friends. Miss Edith Seacor is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in Greenfield. Mrs. Kennedy and daughters who have been making an extended visit with Mrs. Kennedy's daughter and

husband, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Klein-smid, went to DeKalb Saturday to visit relatives before returning to their home in Oak Park. The Christy cup was won by the Jones brothers of Seaton for the third time, for best ten ears in the Mercer county show. Miss Marjory Verbeck, who is one of the instructors in William and Vashti college, went to Freeport to spend the Christmas vacation. The Presbyterian Sabbath school will give a cantata, "The Gingersbread Boy," at the church on Christmas eve. Santa will be present. The second annual Mercer county short course closed here Friday evening, and the instructors affirm that this has been one of the most satisfactory courses ever held in the state. The large class of boys in the corn judging department, under the instruction of Prof. Hegnauer, who is recognized as one of the leading men in the country in this class of work, has shown a remarkable interest in the work. The corn show held in connection with the short course was by far the best ever held in Mercer county. Over 100 entries were made in the different classes. Carroll D. Kennedy of Aledo won the First National Bank prize of a year's scholarship in the William and Vashti college for the most bushels of corn raised on an acre of ground during the season of 1912, by a boy under 20 years of age. The prize was won by a yield of 115 bushels and 31 pounds, at 70 pounds per bushel. The First National bank will continue the contest another year, with the addition of \$25 in cash if the winner beats Master Kennedy's record.

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