SOME PUBLICATIONS

Fifty Years on the Nebraska Frontier. By Charles Arthur Hawley. Omaha: Presbyterian Theological Seminary. 1941. Pp. 152. Plates. The sub-title of this volume is The History of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Omaha and the volume was written in honor of the semi-centennial of that institution. There is, however, much material on the work of the Presbyterian Church in Iowa and Nebraska and on the history of the region around Council Bluffs and Omaha. Appendices in the back of the book include a bibliography, lists of graduates who have served as missionaries, lists of members of the faculty and board of trustees, and some correspondence relative to gifts of Mrs. Mary C. Thaw and other donors to the Seminary.

The Great Demobilization and Other Essays. By Frederic Logan Paxson. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press. 1941. Pp. 206. Plate. This attractive volume is a collection of the papers and addresses of Frederic L. Paxson and was published by some of his students to express their admiration for the famous historian and teacher. The collection includes the following: "The Great Demobilization" (1938), "A Generation of the Frontier Hypothesis" (1932), "The Cow Country" (1916), "The Pacific Railroads and the Disappearance of the Frontier" (1907), "The Admission of the 'Omnibus' States' (1911), "The Rise of Sport" (1917), "The Agricultural Surplus: A Problem in History" (1931), and "The New Frontier and the Old American Habit" (1935). There is also a bibliography of the writings of Dr. Paxson and a list of the historical writings of his students, compiled by Dr. Marian Silvers and Dr. Berlin B. Chapman. The introduction is by Bayrd Still.

Wisconsin A Guide to the Badger State. By the Writer's Program of the Work Projects Administration of Wisconsin. New York: Duell, Sloan and Pearce. 1941. Pp. 651. Plates and

This Wisconsin guide is one of The American Guide maps. Series. It was sponsored by the Wisconsin Library Association and the foreword is by the late Dr. Joseph Schafer, who was the Superintendent of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin. The preface is by John J. Lyons, State Supervisor. The Wisconsin Guide Book is similar to others in the series. In addition to an introduction the volume is in four parts. The first includes eighteen essays or articles on various phases of life, such as "Indians", "History of Agriculture", and "Literature". Part two contains descriptive material on nine cities - Green Bay, Kenosha, La Crosse, Madison, Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Racine, Sheboygan, and Superior. Part three, entitled "Road Ahead", is made up of a series of twenty-four tours over the State. Part four includes the chronology, bibliography, census figures for 1940, and the index.

The Voyageur's Highway Minnesota's Border Lake Land. By Grace Lee Nute. St. Paul: The Minnesota Historical Society. 1941. Pp. 113. Plates and maps. In his foreword, Arthur J. Larsen, the Superintendent of the Society, explains that this volume was made possible by the coöperation of a number of persons - Frank Brooks Hubachek, a Chicago lawyer who had become interested in the border-lakes country, Dr. Nute, the author, whose study of the careers of Radisson and Des Groseilliers had provided a foundation for this work, and an anonymous member of the Society whose generosity made the publication possible. Proceeds from the sales of this publication will go into a revolving publication fund. The volume is attractively printed and bound and is decorated by clever vignettes which, with the cover design, are the work of Jane McCarthy. The book tells the story of the land along Lake Superior and the chain of lakes which extend between that lake and Rainy Lake. The book is divided into a dozen chapters - "The North Country", "Glimpses of the Past", "Boundary Routes and Disputes", "Famous Men of the Border", "Fur Trading Companies", "Voyageurs", "Border Indians", "An Indian Captive", "Physical Features from Finland and Jugoslavia", "Logging Days", and "Recent History"—and

is provided with a chronology, bibliography, and index. Both in its illustrations and its style this is an unusually attractive historical book, by a trained historian.

American Issues. Edited by Willard Thorp, Merle Curti, and Carlos Baker. New York: J. B. Lippincott Company. 1941. Pp.: Vol. I, 1035; Vol. II, 893. The first volume includes a series of writings on social problems, classified under various headings such as: "The Other World or This, 1630-1790", "The Struggle for Freedom, 1630-1776", "Democracy and Aristocracy, 1783-1840", "Nationalism and Cosmopolitanism, 1825-1860", "The Industrial Revolution, 1791-1801", "The Southern Cause, 1800-1860", "The Passing of the Frontier, 1850-1890", "The Big Money, 1920-1929". Under twenty-two such headings the editors have collected excerpts from the writings or speeches of representative men and women, including Jonathan Edwards, Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Paine, Thomas Jefferson, Alexis de Tocqueville, Timothy Flint, Edward Everett, Carl Schurz, Orestes A. Brownson, Peter Cartwright, Henry David Thoreau, Jefferson Davis, Abraham Lincoln, Frederick J. Turner, Louis Adamic, Mary Baker G. Eddy, George Ade, Woodrow Wilson, Finley Peter Dunne, Jane Addams, Henry Ford, Bartolomeo Vanzetti, Herbert C. Hoover, and F. D. Roosevelt. In the list are two Iowans, James Baird Weaver and George D. Herron. Volume II presents "The Literary Record", with excerpts from American writers, beginning with John Smith of Virginia and ending with R. P. Blackmur. The list includes such writers as Philip Freneau, James Fenimore Cooper, Edgar Allan Poe, Herman Melville, John G. Whittier, Emily Dickinson, Samuel L. Clemens, Hamlin Garland, Edgar Lee Masters, Archibald MacLeish, and Eugene O'Neill.

The issues of *The American Political Science Review* for April and June contain two installments of an article on *Democratic Planning in Agriculture*, by John D. Lewis.

The American Association for State and Local History has

begun the publication of a bi-monthly pamphlet called *The State* and *Local History News*. The first number appeared in July, 1941.

Writings on American History 1936, compiled by Grace Gardner Griffin and Dorothy M. Louraine, has been recently published as Volume II of the Annual Report of the American Historical Association for 1936.

The June number of the Bulletin of The New York Public Library includes an article on American Magazines, 1741-1941, by Frederick Lewis Allen, William L. Chenery, and Fulton Oursler, and a list of Women in the Making of America.

Japan's First Embassy to the United States, 1860, by Allan B. Cole; and Peter John De Smet: The Years of Preparation, 1801–1837, by W. J. Davis, are the two articles in The Pacific Northwest Quarterly for April.

The January-June number of Glimpses of the Past, published by the Missouri Historical Society, contains the Correspondence of Robert C. Campbell, 1834–1845. Campbell was a fur trader along the Missouri River with headquarters at St. Louis.

The Iron Industry of Missouri, by Arthur B. Cozzens; The School Law of 1853, Its Origin and Authors, by Howard I. McKee; and Quality Hill—A Study in Heredity, by Pierre R. Porter, are three articles in the July issue of The Missouri Historical Review.

The Register of the Kentucky State Historical Society for July includes The Diary of the Wilderness Road in the Year 1816, kept by James Walker, and a biographical sketch of Col. Theodore O'Hara, author of "The Bivouac of the Dead", by Major Sidney Herbert.

Historical Research at the State Museum, by Edgar C. Mc-Mechen; The Jewish Colony at Cotopaxi, by Dorothy Roberts; Minerals Named for Colorado Places, by Richard M. Pearl; and an additional installment of Place Names in Colorado are articles in The Colorado Magazine for July.

The first number of Volume XXV of The James Sprunt Studies in History and Political Science is North Carolina Boundary Disputes Involving Her Southern Line, by Marvin Lucian Skaggs.

A ninth volume in the series, The Territorial Papers of the United States, has just been published. Compiled and edited by Clarence Edwin Carter, this volume contains papers relating to the Territory of Orleans for the years 1803–1812. A comprehensive index is included.

The Wisconsin Oneida Wake, by Robert Ritzenthaler; Caches of Flint Disks in Wisconsin, by H. Holmes Ellis; The Erin Cache, by Marion E. Martin; The Blue Springs, by Joseph Lucius; and Some Indian Myths about Iron, by Walter Bubbert, are short articles in The Wisconsin Archeologist for June.

Observations Concerning the Conservation of Monuments in Europe and America, by Hans Huth, has been published by the National Park Service. This deals largely with the danger to monuments and museums from modern war and the preparations which should be made to protect them.

Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, has recently issued the first volume in a series designated as The Archives of Purdue. This is The Trustees and the Officers of Purdue University 1865–1940, prepared by Thomas R. Johnston and Helen Hand. The preface to the series is by Edward C. Elliott.

Mid-America for July contains the following four articles: The French of Old Missouri (1804-1821): A Study in Assimilation, by Harvey Wish; The End of a Jesuit Library, by W. Kane; L'Enfance et la Jeunesse de Pierre Le Moyne, Sieur d'Iberville, by Guy Frégault; and The "De Soto Map", by Barbara Boston.

The Oregon Historical Quarterly for June includes the following articles: History of Christian College at Monmouth, by J. F. Santee; Stage Annals of Early Oregon from 1846 to 1875, by Alice Henson Ernst; Local Road Legislation in Early Oregon, by Jonas A. Jonasson; and Oregon's Historical Esperanto—the Chinook Jargon, by Chester Anders Fee.

Rutgers University Press has recently issued *Ploughs and Politicks Charles Read of New Jersey And His Notes on Agriculture* 1715-1774, by Carl Raymond Woodward. This volume presents an interesting picture of agricultural practices before the Revolution. It is illustrated and has a critical bibliography, a glossary, and an index.

The American Theme in Continental European Literatures, by Carl Wittke; H. Niles, The Man and the Editor, by Norval Neil Luxon; Law and Order in Early Colorado Mining Camps, by Lynn I. Perrigo; and Fort Sumter Again, by David Rankin Barbee and Milledge L. Bonham, Jr., make up the June number of The Mississippi Valley Historical Review.

Abraham Lincoln and the Newspaper Press During the Civil War, by John Paul Jones, Jr.; The French Craze of '93 and the American Press, by William F. Keller; His (Benjamin Franklin) Mother's Kindred, Pt. III, by Ada Harriet Baldwin; Vocational Education, by William H. Clark; and A Review of California Banking, by J. R. Shaw, are some of the articles in Americana for July.

Turtle River State Park, by Russell Reid; Arikara and Cheyenne Earth Lodge Sites in North and South Dakota, by Wm. Duncan Strong; Charles E. Shafer—Hunter, Indian Trader, and Rancher; Dr. Melvin Randolph Gilmore, by George F. Will; and Incidents in the Life of a Pioneer, by Mrs. Kate Eldridge Glaspell, are articles and papers in the North Dakota Historical Quarterly for April.

Ohio, Prize of the Revolution, by Kenneth W. McKinley, is published in the May number of Museum Echoes, a publication of the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society. The June number contains The Anthony Wayne Memorial Association, by M. M. Quaife, and The James Galloway Log Cabin Home, by Edwin Galloway. A list of members takes up most of the space in the issue for July-August.

The June number of Minnesota History contains the following articles and papers: The Hutchinson Family in the Story of

American Music, by Philip D. Jordan; Frank B. Mayer and the Treaties of 1851, by Bertha L. Heilbron; Hamlin Garland, Occasional Minnesotan, by John T. Flanagan; and New Light on the Northhampton Colony, by Charles W. Nichols. Notes and Documents contains Jane Grey Swisshelm and C. A. Lounsberry, by Julius E. Haycraft.

The McGraw-Hill Book Company has recently issued an Economic History of the United States, by Chester W. Wright. It is presented in four parts—"The Colonial Period"; "The Period of Wars and Economic Transition" (1764–1815); "Westward Expansion—and the Rise of National Economy, 1816–1860"; and "The End of the Westward Movement—and the Growth of Capitalistic Industry." A bibliography and an index are also provided.

Western Opposition to the Agricultural College Act, by Paul Wallace Gates; The Old Brookville-Brownstown Road, by George E. Amick; The James Dunn Family in Indiana Education, by Ruth P. Sutherland; The Southwest Territory to the Aid of the Northwest Territory, 1791, by Samuel C. Williams; and An Old Workbook on Cabinetmaking, belonging to William H. Johnson, with an introduction by Agnes McCulloch Hanna, are articles and documents in the Indiana Magazine of History for June.

The 'Ecology' of Middle-western Historians, by John D. Hicks; Van Buren McCollum, by the late Joseph Schafer; Waukesha: 'The Saratoga of the West', by Lillian Krueger; Daniel Greysolon Du Lhut: Coureur de Bois, by Isura Andrus-Juneau; Milwaukee: A City of Good Foods, by Louise W. Mears; The Rainbow in the West, by Belle Cushman Bohn; and Lake Mills: A Dairying Pioneer, by Wilbur Stiles, are the articles in The Wisconsin Magazine of History for June. A fifth installment of the Letters of Charles Richard Van Hise is included.

Articles and papers in the June number of the Journal of the Illinois State Historical Society include the following: The Illinois State Historical Society—A Statement of Policy; The Painted Record of a Community Experiment—Olaf Krans and his Pic-

tures of the Bishop Hill Colony, by Margaret E. Jacobson; Jacob Strawn and John T. Alexander — Central Illinois Stockmen, by Clarence P. McClelland; Was Abraham Lincoln Really a Spiritualist?, by Jay Monaghan; and An Icarian in Nauvoo, by Sherman B. Barnes. Under Historical Notes, Gustav E. Larson contributes More Notes on Rock River Navigation and Lillian Krueger Mary Todd Lincoln Summers in Wisconsin.

The July-September issue of The Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Quarterly contains, in addition to the report of the Society at the annual business session held on April 4th, the following papers and articles: The Relative Functions of State and Local Historical Societies: The Local Viewpoint, by Eugene D. Rigney; The Great Man in History, by Paul F. Bloomhardt; The Beginnings of Higher Education in the Northwest Territory, by Thomas N. Hoover; The Kirtland Phase of Mormonism, by W. J. McNeff; The Study of History—a Hindrance or a Help in the Perfecting of International Organization, by K. C. Leebrick; and The Accomplishments and Future Program of the Ohio Historical Records Survey Project, by James H. Rodabaugh.

The Kansas Historical Quarterly for February contains the following articles and papers: First Newspapers in Kansas Counties 1854–1864, by G. Raymond Gaeddert, and The Fourth of July in Early Kansas 1854–1857, by Cora Dolbee. The number also contains a report of the annual meeting of the Kansas State Historical Society, with the address of the president, Beginnings of the Kansas Judiciary, by T. M. Lillard. Letters of Hugh M. Moore, 1856–1860; a continuation of First Newspapers in Kansas Counties 1865–1871, by G. Raymond Gaeddert; Walt Whitman in Kansas, by Robert R. Hubach; and Development of Common and Employers' Liability Law in Kansas, by Domenico Gagliardo, are the articles in the May number.

The Desert Threat in the Southern Great Plains; The Historical Implications of Soil Erosion, by Alfred B. Sears; Wartime Problems of English Agriculture, by I. D. Blair; Early Cotton Regulation in the Lower Mississippi Valley, by W. B. Hamilton; The

Land-Grant College: A Democratic Adaptation, by Earle D. Ross; A Seventeenth Century "Ever-Normal Granary"; The Alhondiga of Colonial Mexico City, by Chester L. Guthrie; Finland's Agrarian Structure and Overseas Migration, by John Ilmari Kolehmainen; and The Climatic Theory of the Plantation, by Edgar T. Thompson, are the articles in the January issue of Agricultural History. The April issue contains the following articles: Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Clubs, by A. B. Graham; Action Programs in Education, by J. Phil Campbell; World War Food Controls and Archival Sources for Their Study, by Almon R. Wright; Notes on the Early History of Horticulture in Oregon, by W. P. Duruz; Timothy Pickering on Beef Cattle, Dairying, and Cider, by Nannie M. Tilley; and The Effects of Slavery upon Nonslaveholders in the Ante Bellum South, by Robert R. Russel. The Home Life of a Plantation Statesman, John Sharp Williams, by George C. Osborn; The Decline of the Wisconsin Society of Equity, by Theodore Saloutos; and Rural-Urban Migration, by Conrad Taeuber, are the three articles in the number for July.

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The city of Cedar Falls has recently issued a booklet entitled Your City Government. Roger Leavitt contributed a short history of the city.

W. H. Malin is the author of a pamphlet recently published under the title *Early Days in Grand View*, *Iowa*. This is a reminiscent account of life in Tama county.

The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts has reprinted an article on *Graduate Study at the Iowa State College*: An Historical Summary, by Earle D. Ross.

The Sioux Center News for July 31, 1941, includes an historical supplement containing material on the history of Sioux Center and Sioux County, compiled by Anthony Te Paske.

The Bulletin of the Iowa and Illinois Central District Medical Association for March contains part two of Early Medical History of Dubuque County, by Henry G. Langworthy, M. D.

The Ringgold County Bulletin (Mount Ayr) issued an historical edition in August, 1941, with material on the history of the county, the Ringgold County Historical Society, and early day events.

Louis Bernard Schmidt of the Iowa State College of Agriculture has recently issued a revised edition of his *Topical Studies and* References on the History of American Agriculture.

The *Philological Quarterly* for July contains a biographical sketch of Hardin Craig, by Rudolf Kirk. This number of the *Quarterly* is dedicated to Mr. Craig, who was its founder.

E. S. Lynch is the author of Analysis of Accounting Practice in Railroad Abandonments in Iowa From 1926 to 1940, published as Bulletin 149 of the Iowa State College Engineering Experiment Station, Ames, Iowa.

Judicial Review of Tax Assessments in Iowa, by Robert B. Throckmorton; and Treatment of Violence in Labor Disputes by the National Labor Relations Board, by Walter Daykin, are two articles in the Iowa Law Review for May, 1941.

Some Effects of the 1940 Armistice Day Storm on Iowa's Wildlife, by Thomas G. Scott and Thomas S. Baskett, and Gadwall and Franklin's Gull Nesting in Iowa, by Jessop B. Low, are two of the articles in Iowa Bird Life for June.

Farm Taxes and the Cost of Public Services in Relation to Land Resources in Ringgold County, Iowa, by J. Lloyd Spaulding, appears as Research Bulletin 288 in the series published by the Agricultural Experiment Station of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

The Pioneer Bench and Bar of The Twelfth Judicial District of Iowa, by Remley J. Glass; Under Two Flags for the Church, by the Reverend R. E. Harvey; and Western Style of Living, by Bishop Thomas A. Morris, are the three articles in The Annals of Iowa for July. There is also a report on the Iowa Conference on Local History held at Des Moines on May 9, 1941.

Winneshiek County Physicians, by J. J. Daly, M. D., is one of

the articles in The Journal of the Iowa State Medical Society for June. Professional Ethics in 1852, by Ferdinand J. Smith, M. D., appears in the number for July; and The Medical History of Palo Alto County, by Clara Antoinette Rasmussen, is published in the issues for August and September.

The WPA Historical Records Survey Program has recently issued A Check List of Iowa Imprints 1838-1860, a supplement to those recorded by Alexander Moffit in The Iowa Journal of History and Politics for January, 1938. This compilation was prepared by WPA workers under the direction of Douglas C. McMurtrie, National Editor of the American Imprints Inventory, and Geraldine Beard, Chief Editor. The list includes holdings of Iowa imprints in many eastern libraries not included in the survey made by Mr. Moffit.

A new Monroe County History, compiled and written by the Iowa Writers' Program of the Work Projects Administration for the State of Iowa, has recently been published as a pamphlet under the sponsorship of the county superintendent of schools of Monroe County. In addition to an introduction the book includes chapters on: "The Natural Background", "End of Indian Occupation", "The White Man's New Domain", "Beginnings of County and City Development", "When the Mormons Voted", "Claim Club Troubles", "Vanished Villages — and Towns That Remain", "The Civil War", "Coal Mining", "The Early Twentieth Century", and "Monroe County 1917–1940".

SOME RECENT HISTORICAL ITEMS IN IOWA NEWSPAPERS

- The first homesteader in O'Brien County was John W. Kelly, by O. H. Montzheimer, in the O'Brien County (Primghar) Bell, March 26, 1941.
- Old St. Paul's, first Catholic church in Burlington, was erected in 1840, in the *Burlington Hawkeye-Gazette*, May 9, 1941.
- Edward Ryan, Palo Alto County's last Civil War veteran, served in Confederate army, in the *Des Moines Register*, May 11, 1941.

- Martin Birrer, 98, lived in Johnson County since 1845, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, May 11, 1941.
- Daniel Brown, first white settler in Harrison County, came to Calhoun in 1847, in the *Missouri Valley Times*, May 12, 1941.
- Harrison County relics are housed in log cabin museum, in the Misouri Valley Times, May 12, 1941.
- Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Cooper celebrate their sixty-seventh wedding anniversary, in the *Albia News*, May 12, 1941.
- Naming of Sabula, in the Webster City Freeman-Journal, May 12, 1941.
- Sketch of the life of District Judge John E. Purcell, in the Des Moines Tribune and the Davenport Democrat, May 12, 1941.
- Sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Knittel, in the Sheldon Sun, May 14, 1941.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Kirkendall observe sixty-ninth wedding anniversary, in the *Ogden Reporter*, May 15, 1941.
- Some early historical events of New Virginia community, in the New Virginia Virginian, May 15, 1941.
- Early Fayette County history, by T. D. Peterman, in the Arlington News, May 15, 22, 29, June 12, 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1941.
- Some deserted graves of war veterans, in the *Davenport Democrat*, May 18, 1941.
- Reunion of Co. B, 50th Infantry, Iowa National Guard, in the Davenport Democrat, May 18, 1941.
- How Promise City was named, in the Council Bluffs Nonpareil, May 19, 1941.
- Log cabin museum at Smithland, Iowa, in the Des Moines Register, May 19, 1941.
- Death of Col. Thomas F. Cooke, one-time member of Iowa National Guard, in the Algona Advance, May 20, 1941.

- Mr. and Mrs. David T. Campbell celebrate sixtieth wedding anniversary, in the *Missouri Valley Times*, May 21, 1941.
- Mrs. Mary Robinson of Panora has lived in Guthrie County eightysix years, in the *Guthrie County* (Panora) *Vedette*, May 22, 1941.
- Historical papers in the Immanuel Reformed Church of Belmond reveal history of church, in the *Belmond Independent*, May 22, 1941.
- North Liberty Methodist Church observes 100th birthday, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, May 24, 1941.
- Mrs. Andrew Purcell, widow of Indian fighter in 1862, gets pension, in the *Des Moines Register*, May 25, 1941.
- Death of Frank I. Coykendall, former Senator, in the Shenandoah Sentinel, May 26, and the Des Moines Register, May 27, 1941.
- Dr. E. A. Moore, former Representative, was active in promoting medical legislation, in the *Des Moines Register*, May 26, 1941.
- Marker for Richard J. Scarrem, Revolutionary soldier, is dedicated, in the Ottumwa Courier, May 27, the Des Moines Tribune and Council Bluffs Nonpareil, May 28, and the Oskaloosa Herald, May 30, 1941.
- Former State Senator W. C. Kimmel is dead, in the Sheldon Mail, May 28, 1941.
- The old courthouse of Marion County, in the *Knoxville Journal*, May 29, 1941.
- Death of Mrs. Mary Bivin, 99, pioneer of Madison County, in the Winterset News, May 29, 1941.
- Monument to soldiers of all American wars from Minerva Township, Marshall County, in the Clemons cemetery, in the State Center Enterprise, May 29, 1941.
- Some pioneer experiences in the "True Tallcorn Tales" series, in the O'Brien County (Primghar) Bell, June 4, 1941.

- Charters and records of disbanded G.A.R. posts are assembled at Des Moines, in the *Des Moines Register*, June 4, 1941.
- Stock certificates dated 1865 of Eldora & Steamboat Rock Coal Company found, in the *Eldora Herald-Ledger*, June 5, 1941.
- Douglas Miller, messenger and usher in office of Governor Wilson, knew many State officials, in the *Des Moines Register*, June 8, 1941.
- History of St. James Lutheran Church at Fort Atkinson, in the Decorah Public Opinion, June 10, 1941.
- Sketch of Estherville in new directory of the Rock Island Railroad, in the Estherville Vindicator Republican, June 10, 1941.
- Mrs. Eva Simplot was founder of Edgewood, once a school for domestic arts, in the *Iowa Falls Citizen*, June 10, 1941.
- When grasshoppers stopped trains, by C. N. Marvin, in the Shenandoah Sentinel, June 10, 1941.
- Little Baptist church near Winterset was organized in 1848 as Middle River Church, in the Cresco Times, June 11, 1941.
- Six-hundred-year-old Indian village site twelve miles north of Alta has been uncovered, in the *Alta Advertiser*, June 12, and the *Des Moines Register*, June 22, 1941.
- John A. McIntosh, "Mormon Chief", and the Indians, in the Elk Horn Review, June 12, 1941.
- The buffalo hunt in the "True Tallcorn Tales" series, in the Clear Lake Mirror and the St. Ansgar Enterprise, June 12, 1941.
- Publication of the memoirs of Mrs. Eleanora Colton, in the Columbus Junction Gazette, June 12, 1941.
- Remnants of the South in Appanoose County, in the Centerville Iowegian, June 12, 1941.
- Sketch of the life of Ernest M. Miller, former Justice of the Iowa Supreme Court, in the Des Moines Register, June 14, 1941.
- Fragment of Iowa 18th Regiment battle flag found, in the Des Moines Register, June 15, 1941.

- George W. Teed, 92, Webster City pioneer and business man, dies, in the Webster City Freeman-Journal, June 18, 1941.
- History of Earlham Presbyterian Church, in the Earlham Echo, June 19, 1941.
- Incidents in the histories of counties in the "True Tallcorn Tales" series, in the La Porte City Progress-Review, June 19, and the O'Brien County (Primghar) Bell, June 25, 1941.
- Death of Dr. Frank G. Coffin, religious leader, and pastor of Madrid Christian Church, in the *Madrid Register-News*, June 19, 1941.
- Scotch Grove Presbyterian Church celebrates centennial, in the Anamosa Journal, June 19, 1941.
- Naming of De Witt, in the De Witt Observer, June 19, 1941.
- The old Fayette House, in the Fayette Leader, June 19, 1941.
- The Ivanhoe bridge on the Old Military Road in Linn County, by Bayne Freeland, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, June 22, 1941.
- Death of Clarke County's last Civil War veteran, Theodore F. Yetts, in the Des Moines Tribune, June 25, 1941.
- Lattimer's Grove was once popular stage station, in the *Blakesburg*Excelsior, June 26, 1941.
- Elliott Taylor, Commander of the Department of Iowa Grand Army of the Republic, is honored at Fairfield, in the Fairfield Ledger, June 26, 1941.
- First Quaker family came to Iowa in 1835, in the Richland Clarion, June 26, 1941.
- Recollections of fifty years ago, by William G. Kerr, in the *Grundy Register* (Grundy Center), June 26, 1941.
- Diary of Cedar Rapids pioneer, Frank G. Clark, describes battle of Gettysburg, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, June 29, 1941.
- The Pioneers' Club of Woodbury County, in the Sioux City Journal, June 29, 1941.

- The first church in O'Brien County, by C. N. McMillan, in the O'Brien County (Primghar) Bell, July 2, 1941.
- Death of Mrs. Ellen Doolittle, 102, pioneer of Iowa, in the Central City News-Letter, July 3, 1941.
- A Fourth of July celebration in 1861, in the Charles City Press, July 3, 1941.
- Housing conditions in Webster City in 1858, in the Webster City Freeman-Journal, July 7, 1941.
- Sketch of the life of C. N. Marvin, writer for the Shenandoah Sentinel and former publisher, in the Shenandoah Sentinel, July 9, 1941.
- Early newspaper history of Webster City, in the Webster City Freeman-Journal, July 9, 1941.
- Historical sketch of Mason City and how it got its name, in the Mason City Globe-Gazette, July 10, 1941.
- De Soto's discovery of Mississippi River celebrated, in the *Clinton Herald*, July 10, 1941.
- Sketch of life of H. K. Evans, former Congressman and well-known Corydon attorney, in the *Des Moines Register*, July 10, 1941.
- Mrs. William Hausberg, 99, has been resident of Charles City for eighty-four years, in the *Charles City Press*, July 11, 1941.
- Coggon Christian Church celebrates 75th year, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, July 11, 1941.
- Elmer E. Taylor, Iowa's longest-time editor, by Harvey Ingham, in the Des Moines Register, July 15, 1941.
- Naming of Manchester, in the Manchester Press, July 17, 24, 1941.
- Story of the William Scott farms purchased in 1832, in the Mt. Pleasant Free Press, July 17, 1941.
- Death of Mrs. Ellen Haggin, "covered wagon pioneer", in the Marshalltown Times-Republican, July 17, 1941.

- History of the Friends Church at Stuart, in the Stuart Herald, July 17, 1941.
- Ottawa City once sold 2600 lots, in the Grinnell Herald Register, July 21, 1941.
- Death of H. C. Ring, district court judge and former Representative, in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, July 22, 1941.
- Discovery of "Town Book of Putnam Township, Fayette Co., Iowa", in the West Union Argo Gazette, July 23, 1941.
- Episode of pioneer mail-carrier, in the Alden Times, July 24, 1941.
- How Marengo was named, in the Marengo Pioneer-Republican, July 24, 1941.
- Camanche celebrates 105th anniversary, in the Davenport Democrat, July 27, 1941.
- The Swedesburg Diamond Jubilee, in the Mt. Pleasant News, July 28, 1941.
- Organization of the Association of Early Settlers of Polk County in 1868, in the *Altoona Herald*, July 31, 1941.
- Activities of Polk County centennial reveal history of county, in the Altoona Herald, July 31, 1941.
- Historical sketches pertaining to Sioux Center, by Anthony Te Paske, in the historical supplement of the Sioux Center News, July 31, 1941.
- Delhi as it was in 1869, in the Manchester Press, July 31, 1941.
- Abraham Lincoln made visit in Chariton, in the Ackley World-Journal, July 31, 1941.
- Historical sketches relating to Ringgold County, in the Ringgold County Bulletin (Mount Ayr), August, 1941.
- Van Buren people gather at Stockport to recall early Iowa, in the Des Moines Register, August 3, 1941.
- Death of R. J. Reaney, former Representative, in the Columbus Junction Gazette, August 7, 1941.

- Death of District Judge M. E. Hutchison of Lake City, in the *Des Moines Register*, August 6, and the *Lake City Graphic*, August 7, 1941.
- Pioneer stories of Hamilton and Webster counties, by Fred C. Runkle, in the *Randall Review*, August 7, 1941.
- Cherokee to have Tiel Sanford memorial historical building, in the Cherokee Courier, August 7, 1941.
- Naming of Anamosa, in the Anamosa Journal, August 7, 1941.
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- Some military history of Council Bluffs, in the Omaha World-Herald, August 10, 1941.
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