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He said that August sales, too, are well ahead of a year ago, and 3,300 vacant lots are available.

Sales during 1945 up to Aug. 1 totaled \$46,931.13, according to the report. The previous July high was in 1941, when the total was \$9,384.98.

Miller, 78, Dies; Once Legislator

ANAMOSA, IA.—Funeral rites for Henry Delbert Miller, 78, who died at his home near Morley Sunday, will be at Green Center chapel Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Miller was Democratic state senator from Jones and Cedar counties from 1933 to 1939 and was a prominent breeder of black Angus cattle.

Surviving are his wife and one sufficient, Domei said. daughter, Florence.

a week earlier. Mitscher had been forced to transfer his flag from the carrier Bunker Hill when she was hit in a Kamikaze attack. From the Enterprise, he moved to the Randolph.

The attack occurred as the Enwas helping protect terprise troops at Okinawa from Japanese air attack.

In four years, 'the Enterprise's planes and guns shot down 911 Japanese aircraft. Ter pilots sank 71 enemy ships and damaged or probably sank another 192. While covering 275,000 miles, she accumulated 18 of 22 possible combat stars for carriers in the Pacific.

For several months after Dec. 7, 1941, she was the flagship of Admiral William F. Halsey, jr., who dubbed her "The Galloping Ghost of the Oahu Coast."

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Three-year-old Barbara Brutsman who lives 10 miles northwest of Anamosa on the Ridge road is alive and well today, thanks to the quick thinking of her mother and the quick action of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brutsman, Saturday when she was trapped in their blazing farm home.

Brutsman risked his own life, escaping with burns about the head and face, when he dashed into the smoke-filled home to rescue his only child. .

Left In House

Barbara Jean had been left in the house Saturday afternoon while her parents were putting up hay. An oil stove was burning in the house. Mrs. Brutsman left her post as driver of the stacker team to see if everything was all right with the child, and nearing the house, saw the flames through the door.

She immediately called her hus-band, who broke through the door, and re-appeared in a few seconds with his daughter. The child was already semi-hysterical from fear, and nearly overcome by smoke and heat

Answer Call

The Anamosa fire department was summoned, but before they could reach the scene, the home was totally destroyed with all furniture except a radio which Brutsman saved. The loss was partly covered with insurance. Included in the fire loss were

Mrs. Brutsman's diamond ring, wrist watch and 500 pennies which the little girl has saved.

Second Disaster

Fire was the second to destroy a home on the farm in two years. House, owned by an Omaha insurance Co. and rented by the Bruts-mans, was completely destroyed April 14, 1944. All the contents were lost.

That house, situated on the Green farm, was one of the land-marks of Jones county, a brick structure built in 1861. Other buildings on the farm were saved each time. Community shower was held at the K of P hall for the Brutsmans following the first dis-

IOWA ELECTRIC EMPLOYEE DIES

R. O. Breckenridge **Buried Last Sunday**

Funeral service was held at Battle Creek, Ia., Sunday, Aug. 26, for Rae O. Beckenridge who met for Rae O. Beckenridge who met his death while working in Will-iamsburg last Wednesday. The Rev. Albert C. J. Kellow, pastor of the Presbyterian church in which the services were held, of-ficiated. A quartette sang two hymns, "The Old Rugged Cross," and "Sometime We'll Understand." Burial was in Mount Hope ceme-tery at Battle Creek.

Rae O. Breckenridge was born Oct. 21, 1889, in Manilla, Iowa. He encol in his home town, later at tending and graduating at Boyles
Business college in Omaha, Nebr.
He worked in Omaha a short time

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Henry D. Miller

FORMER STATE **SENATOR DIED NEAR MORLEY**

Henry D. Miller. Well Known For **Angus Cattle Herd**

Funeral service for Henry D. Miller, 78, prominent Jones Co. farmer, who died Sunday at his home near Morley, was held Tuesday afternoon at the Green Center church, with burial in the adjoin-ing cemetery. Smykil home was in charge.

Mr. Miller was Democratic state senator from the Jones-Cedar county district from 1933 to 1939. He was widely known as a breed-er of purebred Aberdeen-Angus cattle and was president of the American Aberdeen Angus Asm. in 1939 and 1940.

Well-Known Farmer

The Miller herd, one of the oldest and largest in Iowa, was founded in 1912, when Henry bought out a neighbor. Prior to that time he had been a breeder of Short-horn cattle for 20 years, but dis-posed of them in 1913 to take over the Angus.

At the peak of his career he maintained between 300 and 400 breeding cows on his 1200 acre

Miller operated a store in Morley and a branch in Martelle from 1900 to 1917 and was distributor for the Buick Motor Co. of Cedar Rapids from 1910 to 1926.

Ill Several Weeks

He had been ill for severa weeks at the time of his death. Surviving are his wife, a dau-

chter, Florence, who is superin-tendent of schools at Morley and sebrotres, tennant, sales thories.

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Governor R. D. Blue Speaks Thursday; 21 Classes For Horses

Annual celebration and horse show at Wyoming will be opened Thursday evening, Sept. 6, with an address by Gov. Robert D. Blue. The governor will speak at 8:15 p.m. following a short concert by the Wyoming high school band directed by R. J. Larson.

Warren J. Rees, Anamosa, chairman of the Jones Co. Republican

man of the Jones Co. Republican committee, will present the governor, whose address will be of interest to all persons of this area.

James Fuller of the University of Wisconsin, who also served in Wyoming in 1941, will return by popular request as judge for the

popular request as judge for the big horse show starting at 9 a.m. Friday, Sept. 7.

Hundreds of animals representing the finest horse flesh in eastern Iowa are already expected in the eleventh annual affair, according to Palacet Alden servetary of ing to Robert Alden, secretary of the association. Judging will continue until all animals have been put through the show ring, and in addition to the various single draft horse classes there will be teams and multiple hitches. There will also be a pony show.

Parade Set

There are a total of 21 classes in the 1945 show, each sponsored by one or more Wyoming business men or merchants, who will con-tribute to the more than \$400 in purses being offered.

Prize winners will be paraded at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

Two Dances

Ray Memler's Cowboys will be on hand between 9:45 and 1:00 each night to furnish music for the dances.

High class stage performances have been procured for Thursday night and Friday afternoon and evening, in addition to a big midway with entertainment for every-one. Happy Haines of radio station WMT has agreed to serve as master of ceremonies for Friday evening. The Wyoming high school band will be on hand with brief concerts at regular intervals.

Annual Affair

The event is sponsored annually The event is sponsored annually by the Wyoming Horse Show Assn. and the Wyoming Commercial club. Horse Show Assn. officers are Tom Eichhorn, president; Robert Alden, secretary, and Fred Latare, treasurer. W. W. Bronson, jr., is president of the commercial club. Other officers are Roy Miller, vice-president; R. Morse, secretary, and W. S. R. Morse, secretary, and W. S. Roush, treasurer.

The show, first held Aug. 15 and 16, 1935, has grown from a show of nine classes with \$140 purses, to a show of 21 classes with more than \$400 purses. Quality of the animals entered has increased with the constitution. creased with the quantity, until the show is now ranked among the top in this section of Iowa Monage Managers; listorical Society of Iowa Library, Des Monagers, Anamon, Ana

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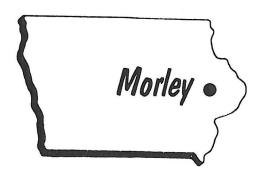
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Rachel Manly Vanderbilt; Mrs. Cora Manly Siver, and Miss Myrtle Manly who lived on the home place from 1921 until her death in 1952.

Thomas Siver, a great-grandson, and his family lived on this farm for ten years. They then moved to the farm of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Siver. It was at this time that Arthur and Mae moved to the Manly farm, where they are living at the present time.

The corporaton composed of Arthur, his wife Mae, Thomas and wife Nola, owns 450 acres of the original farm. A granddaughter, Hyla Bodenhofer Tonne, owns 130 acres.

THE JAMES McMURRIN FARM

William and Isabella McMurrin arrived in the United States in July 1856. They had brought their six children, ranging in age from two months to eight years, from Antrim County, Ireland.

Ten days after boarding a train in New York City, they arrived at Rock Island, Illinois, as far west as they could go by rail. A stage-coach brought them to Tipton, Iowa. Then they had to look for a farm and living quarters.

They lived in Cedar County until August 1, 1857. Then they moved on the present Charlie Davis farm, formerly the James McMurrin farm in Greenfield Township, Jones County, about two miles northwest of Morley.

Of the nine children they raised, four stayed in the area: John, Sarah (Mrs. Peter Duncan), Nathaniel, and James who remained on the home place.

Mary Johnson, a circuit rider's daughter, married James McMurrin in 1884. Their daughter, Bernice, married Reuel O. McColm in 1915 at which time they took over the farming.

Mr. and Mrs. McColm's daughter, Louise, married Charlie Davis and they have lived on the farm since 1942.

Orin Davis, their son, makes the fifth generation involved with this same farm.

JACOB AND MARY KELLER MILLER

Jacob Miller was born in Rockingham County, Virginia, in December, 1799. When he was four years old, his family moved to Ohio.

On April 6, 1823, he was united in marriage to Mary Keller. They lived near the town of Lancaster, Ohio.

In 1844 they moved with their large family to Jones County and settled near Anamosa.

Besides being a farmer, Jacob was an ordained United Brethren minister and spent many years as a Circuit Rider in eastern Iowa. He was absent from home several weeks at a time, leaving his wife and ten children: Elias, Joseph, Sarah, Levi, Rhoda, Elizabeth. David, Amos, Jacob and Benjamin to tend the farm.

After twenty-eight years of circuit riding, Jacob retired in 1872. He continued to preach whenever sent for, especially at the Center Church, commonly called "The Green".

He passed away on July 16, 1881.

After his death, Levi, the fourth son, was appointed Executor of the estate. He had acquired 200 acres of land adjoining his parents' home; therefore, both farms were under his supervision.

Levi was married to Mary Ann Green on September 6, 1852. They were parents of ten children: Milton dance low a territorial and State Legislators Collection compiled by Volunteers and staff at the State Historical Society of Iowa Library, Des Moines, Iowa.

Allen, Alice, Stacy, Jacob, Frank, Howard, Delbert and Emmarella.

Stacy and Delbert ("Del") acquired ownership of both farms -- "Del", the old homestead, and Stacy, Levi's

After the death of Stacy, his daughter, LaVerna Miller Kline, became the owner of her father's farm, and lived there until her death in 1971.

The farm is now owned and lived on by John and Harlene Husmann. They have a son, Johnny III, and a daughter, Janet.

After the death of H. D. "Del" Miller, the homestead remained in the family under the supervision of his wife and daughter, Florence G.

Russell Tenley purchased the homestead farm, where he and his wife, Joyce, live with their children, Billy, (now married to Sue Gleason), Patty and Clarence.

W. R. ROBINSON

William R. Robinson was born November 26, 1836, in Champaign County, Ohio. At the age of four years, he came with his parents to Fairview Township, Jones County, Iowa. He had two brothers and three sisters.

He enlisted August, 1862, in the Civil War, Co. H, 35th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, and was involved in eighteen engagements, including Vicksburg. He was never wounded or in the hospital.

After being honorably discharged about September 1, 1865, he settled in Greenfield Township.

In 1870, he married Miss Lizetta Piper, who was born near Fort Wayne, Indiana, September 28, 1850. Their family consisted of seven daughters and four sons.

One son, William, the subject of the sketch, married Miss Edith Illsley, and they continued to live on the Robinson parental farm. Their family consisted of seven children, as follows: Gorman, Corrine, now Mrs. Marvin Betcher of Davenport, Narvis, Quentin, Victor, and the twins Calvin and Casper. Casper and family reside of the home farm.

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In October, 1930, Mr. Robert Russell flew to Kansas City to purchase feeder cattle. He was a passenger of Pilot Goldsmith, who had been visiting his parents in Clarence, Iowa and was returning south. The trip would take about three hours.

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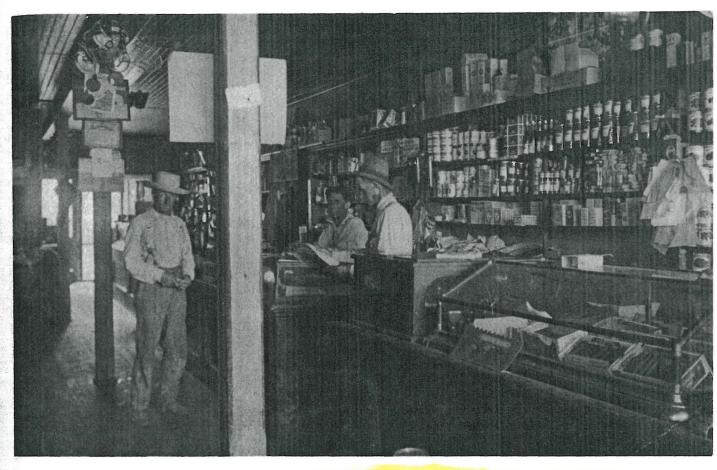
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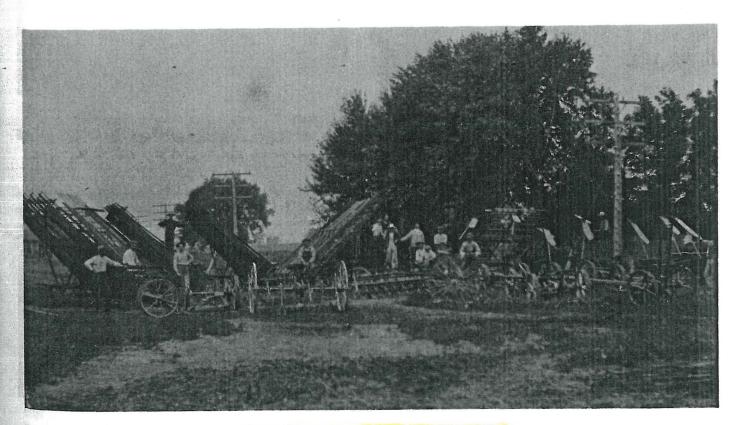
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Interior of H.D. Miller's general store. Left to right: Rob Bickerstaff, Cliff Miller, George Lindley.

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Carload of farm machinery received by H. D. Miller.

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Senator H. D. Miller

H. D. (Del Miller, ninth child of Levi K., and Mary Ann Green Miller, was born January 7, 1867 on a farm near Viroqua (Morley), Iowa. He attended the local Sand Hill rural school and continued his education at the Olin Academy.

When he became of age, he entered into partnership with his father in the management of the old homestead. Later, he acquired eighty acres of this land.

On March 15, 1891, he was married to Myrtle Elizabeth Farnham, now deceased. Two children were born to this union: a son who died in infancy, and a daughter, Florence G.

In 1901, "Del" embarked in mercantile business in Morley, where, in addition to a general line of merchandise, he handled hardware and farm implements of all kinds. A few years later he opened a grocery store in Martelle which Den Claflin operated and later purchased.

Miller's admiration for pure bred cattle led him to build and maintain a herd of pure-bred Shorthorns for several years.

In 1909, he purchased his first automobile, a Buick. In 1910, he was an assistant salesman for the Buick Company commuting to and from Cedar Rapids. The family moved to Cedar Rapids in 1917. He became a dealer and distributor of Buicks over a large area of the state. A train load of these Buicks was shipped to Cedar Rapids for his territory. It has been said that this was the first trainload of automobiles to be shipped into Iowa. Needless to say, he never drove any other make of car during his lifetime.

With all of this business, he decided to sell the general store in Morley. W. A. Ladd purchased it in 1916, and later moved the merchandise to Calmar, Iowa.





Some of H. D. Miller's Aberdeen Angus Cattle.

His herd of pure bred Aberdeen Angus Cattle became the next business project. He and C. W. Wurzbacher were in partnership for several years. In 1927, I. E. Kemp and family moved to one of the farms. This partnership Source: lowa Territorial and State Legislators Collection compiled by volunteers and staff at the State Historical Society of lowa Library, Des Moines, Iowa.

lasted until 1937. Over the years, Mr. Kemp showed cattle at the International Livestock Shows at Chicago, and state fairs of various states, and won many ribbons for prize cattle.

In 1928 he retired from the Buick dealership and the family returned to the old home farm near Morley in the fall of the same year. His time was devoted to overseeing his farms and working with the large Angus herd.

In 1932, Mr. Miller was elected state senator from Jones and Cedar Counties. He served two terms and while in session he was assigned to the following committees: Board of Control - Ranking member: Agriculture; Banks and Banking; Tax Revision and Reorganization; Elections; Insurance; Motor Vehicle Commission; Public Utilities; and the Ways and Means



H. D. Miller.

He was elected president of the National Aberdeen Angus Association in 1938, and with other breeders visited many of the prominent Aberdeen Angus herds in the East.

After the dissolution of the Miller-Kemp partnership, "Del" kept a sizable herd of the Angus that numbered approximately 300 head over the next eight years.

During his lifetime, he was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, Camp Number 4134, and later became a 32nd Degree Mason.

He passed away at his home near Morley on August 26, 1945.

Throughout his lifetime and all his outside interests, his first concern was for his family and the people of his Re Ru

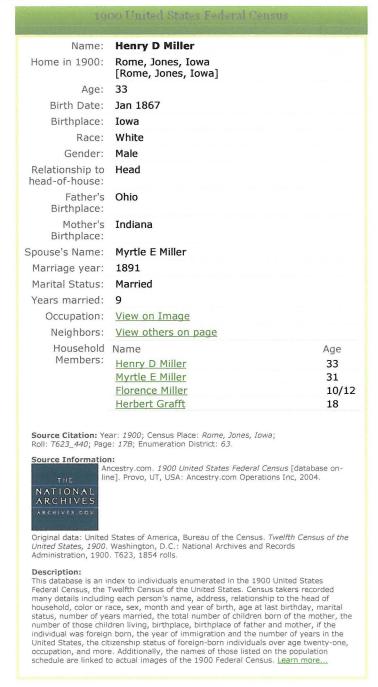
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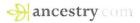
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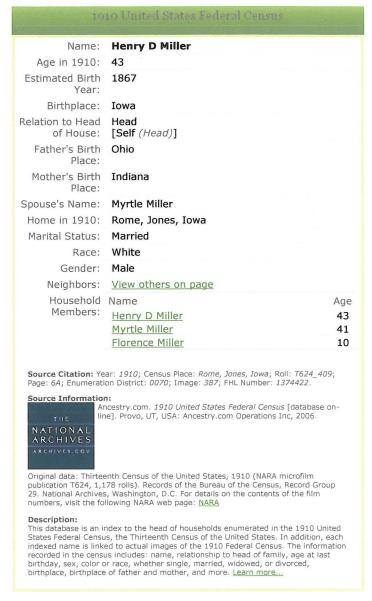
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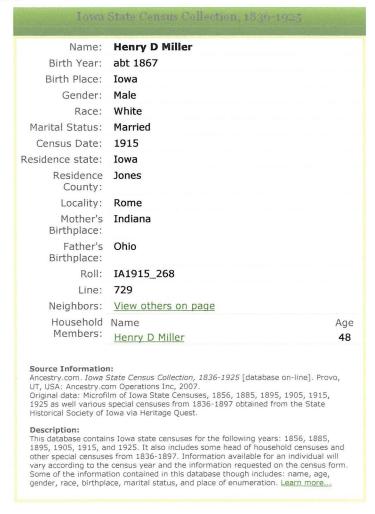
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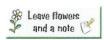


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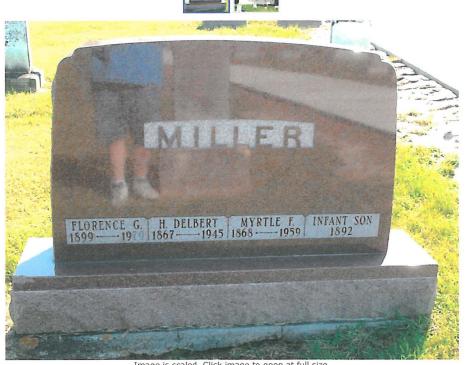


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