Alton, Ill.

In the City Court yesterday the case of John Michaels against John Metz was tried by a jury, and a sealed verdict will be returned into court this morning. Coroner Bailey received a telegram yesterday to go to Stallings, this county, where James Revel, a well-to-do farmer, had been killed by lightning. The accident occurred yesterday morning during the storm which passed through the county and south of Alton. Unitarian Church will be reopened on The Sunday. A vacation has been taken since the last Sunday of June. Angimmense train load of dressed beef passed over the Alton bridge yesterday from South Omaha to Newport News, thus confirming the prediction that the bridge was to be used as a gateway east and west. A tenement house on the place of Joseph Krug at North Alton was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon, entailing a loss of several hundred dollars. Oswald F. Mohr and Mrs. Julia Clacker, of St. Louis, were married here yesterday by Justice Quarton. The painters at work on the Alton bridge have

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