

Walter Willson Crooked Creek Railroad S.n

fort dodge, des moines & southern - ir.uiowa - eral manager was walter c. willson of webster city. willson was the first coal mine operator of importance in the lehigh district. in the middle eighties the crooked creek was widened to standard gauge and operated in con- junction with the webster city & southwestern railroad, which had a 14-mile line from border **n. d e o - hamiltonhometowns** - in the webster city area was built in 1855 by walter c. willson, and his brother, sumler. the willson brothers water powered saw mill produced about 8,000 board feet of lumber every 24 hours. in 1856 the mill was sold ... the crooked creek railroad depot, producing the f. g, stearns and son's plansifter flour. the chase mill was **jacob m. funk - university of iowa** - jacob m. funk issn 0003-4827 material in the public domain. ... he was also associated with the late hon. walter c. willson as an active participant in efforts to build railroads centering at webster city, and to ... establish promising business enterprises at that point. he was many. 318 ' annals op iowa. years president of the crooked creek ... **iowa railroads - muse.jhu** - motive. fortheyearendedjune30,1897,theroadhauled"withthehelp of another engine"122,838 tons of coal. two years afterward a company called the marshalltown & dakota railway purchased the property of the **mount vernon signal.. (mt. vernon, ky.) 1907-06-14 [p]** . -