

RACINE ELOPERS ARE DISMISSED

Evidence Against Them Is
Thought Insufficient to War-
rant Binding Over.

LONG BATTLE IN COURT

Attorneys on Both Sides in Hot Ar-
guments Before Police Mag-
istrate C. J. Smith.

Following one of the hardest and longest legal battles ever witnessed in the local police court, Magistrate C. J. Smith last night dismissed the charges against Charles S. Schultz and Mrs. J. P. Jensen of Racine, Wis., arrested Saturday night for alleged criminal relations. Assistant State's Attorney G. C. Wenger and B. F. Schriver, the latter representing Schultz, brought to bear on the case, all of the law that they could command on the subject. After the case was dismissed Attorney Wenger preferred a charge against Schultz for perjury, but it too was dismissed.

DESERTED HER FAMILY.

Less than a week ago communication from the Racine police department notified the local department that the man and woman had come to Rock Island and were living at a rooming house as man and wife. Chief of Police James Brinn directed the search, and Saturday evening the pair was arrested. The woman carried in her arms a 6-months old babe. Back at her home in Racine were her husband and four daughters. She had deserted them for the man with whom she was arrested. At first it was thought that she had been inveigled into the elopement by Schultz, and was scarcely to blame for the actions of the pair. No charge was preferred against her. Attorney Schriver, representing Schultz, swore out the warrant against her, claiming that if his client was to suffer for the crime, she was equally guilty, and should suffer too. The move saved Schultz.

ALLEGES BAD TREATMENT.

In her testimony yesterday afternoon and last evening Mrs. Jensen denied the charge against her, though she admitted that she lived with Schultz as his wife for two weeks. She declared that she was suffering from illness. Asked as to her reason for leaving her home she said that her husband had driven her to it by his scolding and grumbling. She asserted that he had threatened to drive her away. Taking her youngest child in her arms, she went to Milwaukee, and there Schultz joined her at her invitation. They came to Rock Island, and had fully determined to stay away from the woman's husband, but their plans were checked by the police. Yesterday morning the husband, accompanied by an officer of the Racine force, arrived in Rock Island. They were present at the hearing.

READY TO RETURN.

Following the decision of the magistrate Mrs. Jensen, between her gasping sobs, said that she was thankful for the turn that the matter had taken. She was willing and anxious to return home with her husband, who was warned to be more careful in his treatment of his family. It is safe to say that Schultz will remain away from Racine. Mrs. Jensen declares that it will take more than mere man to drag her away from the shelter of her home again.

ACCUSED OF PERJURY.

For several statements that Schultz made while under oath yesterday, Attorney Wenger preferred the charge of perjury against him. It was conclusively proven that he made statements that were at variance with declarations that he had made to the man

from whom he rented rooms. However, the evidence was not sufficient, and the charge was dismissed. Mr. and Mrs. Schultz, their child, and the Racine officer returned to Racine this morning.

City Chat

Buy a home of Reidy Bros.
Kerler Rug company, cleaners.
Tri-City Towel Supply company.
For express, call Spencer & Trefz.
Wall paper, the best for the money,
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Let William Johnson do your tin and furnace work; 1316 Third avenue.

H. T. Siemon wants your tin and furnace work; 1526-1528 Fourth avenue.

Kindling wood \$3.50 per load at the Rock Island Sand and Gravel company. Old phone 605.

Do your eyes need attention? Do you have eye strain headaches? See L. Marks, the eye-sight specialist, over Dolly Bros' shoe store.

F. T. Shackelford, resident salesman for the Remington Typewriter company, Davenport, Iowa, has just received an order from the Moline Plow company, of Moline, Ill., for 21 latest model visible Remington Typewriters. This, we believe, is the largest individual order for typewriters ever placed in the tri-cities.

GROCERS' PROGRAM IS MADE PUBLIC

Picnic Will Be Held Aug. 10 at Lin-
wood, the Trip Being Made
on Steamer W. W.

Posters announcing the Rock Island Grocers' and Butchers' picnic on Aug. 10, are out and on them is printed the program. Bleuer's orchestra will furnish music for the dance to be given at the pavilion at Linwood where the landing is to be made. Two ball games are to be played. In the morning the West End Grocery clerks will meet the East End clerks, and in the afternoon, the grocers and butchers will cross bats with the traveling men. There will also be a track meet and prizes will be given winners. The steamer W. W. will make two trips to the picnic grounds, leaving on its first run at 8:30 in the morning and on the second at 1:30 in the afternoon. The return trips will be made in the evening.

SEWER DAMAGED BY RAIN BEING REPAIRED

Force of Men Put to Work This
Morning by Rock Island Sand
& Gravel Company.

A force of men were put to work this morning repairing the damage done at the mouth of the Nineteenth street sewer as a result of the heavy rains which fell Friday. On that occasion the rush of waters washed out the ground about the mouth of the sewer and caused a cave-in extending back under the new rock wall put in by the Rock Island Sand and Gravel company. The hardest part of the work of repairing proved to be in removing a part of the wall so that the sewer under it could be reached. The sewer will be relaid in a bed of concrete.

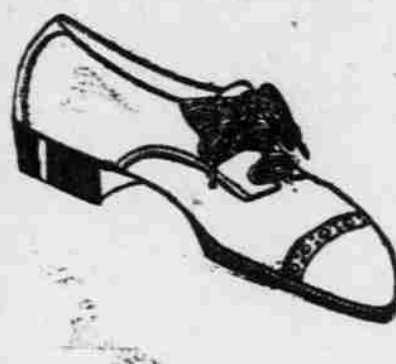
Notice.

All Norwegian men in the Tri-Cities are invited to attend the mass meeting at the Art Gallery, Sixteenth street and Fifth avenue, Moline, Ill., day evening, Aug. 3, at 8 p. m. They will discuss the possibility of organizing a Norwegian society in this locality. Committee.

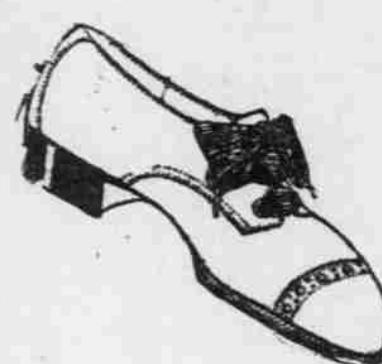
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the big shoe sale.



SHOE SALE



The Place Where the Big Shoe Sale
Is Held.

Commencing Wednesday morning,
Aug. 2, at 8 o'clock, and continues

until Saturday, Aug. 12. \$2.50 Beery will put his entire stock of samples and cancelled orders of Summer Footwear on sale, regardless of cost. The line consists of Oxfords, Pumps, Instep Straps for ladies and girls. They are shown in all the leading styles and leathers. Also in all the leading fabrics and novelties. For men we have Oxfords in all styles and leathers, lace or button, high or medium heel, high toe or freak, also pumps and the two-eyelet tie.

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Two Big Specials

200 pair ladies' low cut, dull
kid oxfords, welled soles, \$3.50
value, all go at

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300 pair ladies' hand turned
kid oxfords, lace, low heel,
good value, all go at

\$1.59

Men's Heavy Work Shoes

Chrome elk, box calf and other
numbers in good leathers, some
real values in either welled
soles or standard screws, all
go at the one price.

\$1.98

Two Big Specials

200 pair men's \$5 gray calf
oxfords, welled soles; a snap-
py number, all go at

\$1.49

One lot of little gent's oxfords,
sizes 12 1/2 to 2, all go at

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BEERY'S SAMPLE SHOE ROOMS

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TAKE
ELEVATOR.

STEAMER ST PAUL TO START AGAIN

Officials of Streckfus Line De-
cide to Continue Through
Service to North.

ACCIDENT UNAVOIDABLE

Might Have Occurred at Flood Stage
—New Start to Be Made From
St. Louis August 6.

The steamer St. Paul of the Streckfus line will continue its through service to St. Paul despite the accident that happened to it Friday. The officials of the line held a brief meeting at Keokuk Sunday and the above was their decision. The present trip of the big liner will be abandoned, however, and when the boat is repaired it will return to St. Louis for a new start instead of continuing up the river three or four days late. All the boat's passengers have been taken care of by the company, some returning to St. Louis with the intention of taking the trip over again and others proceeding on to their destinations by rail.

ON THE WAYS.
The boat was hauled out on the government ways at Keokuk Sunday evening and the work of repairing the damaged hull was started at once. It was expected that two days would be sufficient to repair the damage. It was learned at the meeting Sunday that the accident was one that was unavoidable and not the result of the low stage of water. It was not a rock that the boat struck, but a floating log or tree which had drifted into the channel about a mile above Quincy. An accident of this nature is just as apt, in fact, more liable to happen at flood stage than at the present level. Accordingly there was little hesitation in deciding to continue the through service.

NEXT TRIP IN A WEEK.
The schedule, which was framed Sunday, calls for the next trip of

the St. Paul to start at St. Louis Aug. 6 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. It will be due in this city at 10 o'clock at night Aug. 8. The following morning the boat will run the rapids above this city and then continue on its way to the northern metropolis.

MANY LICENSES ARE ISSUED DURING JULY

New Record Might Have Been Set
by Cupid Had It Not Been for
11 Day Lull.

In spite of the lull of the last 10 days, more licenses to wed were issued through July of this year than have been issued during the same month for the last three years, the total for July 1911 being 73 as against 66 in each of the two preceding years. About the same number were issued the last half as the first half of the month, but during the last 11 days, only 18 were issued, less than one-fourth the month's total. If the present dull period continues August is apt to have a very low record.

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that most tragic and picturesque pe-
riod when Indian warfare revelled on
the frontier, and pioneer of animated
pictures in its mimic depiction—Colo-
nel W. F. Cody—"Buffalo Bill."

Colonel W. F. Cody holds the record
as the world's leading exhibitor and
educator along ethnological lines. In
all parts of this country and in all the
principal centers of population in Eu-
rope he has given exhibitions which
have received the especial plaudits of
masses, the leading men and royalty
of every nation favored with the pres-
ence of the "Wild West." Now the
"Far East" has been added to the
great collection of strenuous people of
many lands, and the exhibition proves
the leading one of the amusement
world. To mark his farewell, Colonel
W. F. Cody and Major Gordon W.
Lillie have united their forces for the
purpose of giving the people of Amer-
ica an anthropological exhibit cover-
ing the globe. Both of their exhibi-
tions have made a wonderful record,
and now that they are combined in
the same arena, an amusement enter-
prise of rare interest will be found
in the present attraction.

One hundred Indians from our west,
representative groups of different
races from the "Far East," cowboys
and ranch girls; jugglers from Hindoo-
stan; two groups of elephants which
play on musical instruments, and feats
of skilled, wild, bucking bronchos,
camel caravans, Persian fire worship-
ers, Asiatic acrobats, Cosacks, Jap-
anese zounaves, the great Texas horse,
"Joe Bailey," leading Rhoda Royal's
and Ray Thompson's combined studs
—28 Haute Ecole graduates, the Uni-
ted States cavalry and artillery, Buf-
falo Bill shooting from horseback, and
Johnny Baker at the traps. All these
and more will be seen.

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that they have struck the keynote in
amusement enterprises. Their suc-
cess is deserved from the fact of al-
ways adding novelties to an already
world-wide endorsed program of re-
allistic features.

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these public processions for over 10
years, their fatiguing effect on men,
women and horses being such as to
affect the snap, ginger and "go" ne-
cessary to a natural exhibition.

There will be two representations
at Moline Wednesday, and Davenport
Thursday, rain or shine. The per-
formances are given in the open while
the spectators are comfortably seated
under shed-canvases sheltered from
sun or shower—arranged to secure
fresh air—a seasonable summer en-
tertainer.

No more appropriate cel-
ebration of the day could be observed
for old, and especially for the young,
than to see the American history re-
produced; the rough riders and the
high school equestrians of the world;
the primitive people from around the
globe—all in action, with periodic
pyrotechnics and patriotism to the
limit, with a reason and purpose, mak-
ing a fitting festival to celebrate the
final salute to his patrons of a man
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