

DAVENPORT MAN KILLED BY AUTO

Thomas J. Rathburn Fatally Hurt When Hit by Machine Driven by W. T. Cotter.

WAS CROSSING THE STREET

Driver Reports to Police Where His Bonds Were Fixed at \$1,500—Unavoidable Accident.

Thomas J. Rathburn, 50 years old, 509 1/2 Brady street, Davenport, was fatally injured about 8:45 o'clock Saturday night while attempting to cross the street in front of his home. He was struck by an automobile, driven by W. T. Cotter, 750 1/2 East High street, and knocked to the pavement, sustaining two fractures of the skull, one of which is at the base, a fractured limb and internal injuries.

The accident seems to have been unavoidable, caused by confusion on the part of the victim and the driver. Mr. Cotter and E. C. Cole were in the machine. They were driving south on Brady street, when suddenly between Fifth and Sixth streets they saw a man crossing the street. He left the curb on the west side and was headed in a diagonal direction for the opposite side. Rathburn evidently did not see the car, which was moving at a moderate speed, until the machine was within a few feet of him. He started to run for safety just as Cotter swerved the course of his machine toward the center of the street.

STRUCK BY LAMP. The unfortunate man was struck by the lamp and knocked down. Discovering that he was injured the police were notified and Dr. Ficker hurried to the scene. Rathburn was rushed to Mercy hospital.

Rathburn lingered at the point of death until shortly after midnight when he passed away.

Cotter drove to the police station and Magistrate Roddewig fixed his bonds at \$1,500, which were signed by himself and Mr. Cole.

NURSE REPORTS 9 TYPHOID CASES

Under Care of Visiting Nurse Association—Annual Meeting Next Monday.

The annual meeting of the Visiting Nurse association is announced for Monday, Nov. 3, at Library hall at 2:30 o'clock. At this time the election of officers to serve for the year will be held, reports will be received and plans arranged for continuing the work that has become of urgent need to the city.

The present staff of officers is: President—Mrs. C. O. Woodruff. Vice President—Mrs. A. Rosenfeld.

Secretary—Mrs. C. E. Sharpe. Treasurer—Miss Mary Carter. Advisory Board—Mrs. T. A. Murphy, Mrs. H. S. Cable, Mrs. John Hauberg, Mrs. Walter Rosenfeld, Mrs. James Connor, Mrs. George Wagner, Mrs. C. S. White, Mrs. C. L. Silvis, Mrs. C. C. Carter, and Miss Carrie Gregg.

The monthly meeting of the board was held Saturday afternoon, at which time Miss Margaret Giles, the visiting nurse, reported on the work for the past month. She, with her assistants, have under their care nine cases of typhoid fever in the section of the city bounded by Fourth and Seventh streets and Fourth and Thirteenth avenues, and which are causing them much care. Infection has been traced to wells in that portion of the city.

PERSONAL POINTS

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Flannigan, 2402 Fifth-and-a-half avenue, have returned from a month's visit in New York.

Rev. Granville H. Sherwood, who has spent the summer months in Boston and other eastern cities, will return home this evening.

Mrs. H. Hickman and Miss Velma Hickman, the latter stenographer in the office of Mayor H. M. Schriver, will leave this evening for a visit with relatives at Wichita, Kan.

Miss Gertrude E. Don, 1218 Second avenue, has returned from St. Francis, Mo., where she has been visiting her brother DeForest Don, who has been ill of typhoid fever. She reports that he is convalescing.

Dr. G. G. Craig, city health physician, returned Saturday from the annual convention of the International Association for Milk and Dairy Inspection, which was held in Chicago Friday and Saturday.

Rev. T. E. Newland, pastor of the

First Methodist church, and H. J. Olmsted will leave this evening for Indianapolis, Ind., as representatives from the local Methodist church to the meeting of Methodist men at that place which convenes tomorrow morning and continues through Friday night. The registration of men from the Methodist church has already reached 5,000 which number will tax the capacity of the largest auditorium in Indianapolis. This meeting will be the largest gathering of men ever held in this country and all the leading men in the church including all the bishops in this country will attend and participate in the program. The sessions are in the interest of the men's forward movement.

DR. W. S. MARQUIS RESIGNS CHARGE

Asks to Be Relieved as Pastor of Broadway to Accept Position in Chicago.

At the morning service at Broadway Presbyterian church yesterday the pastor, Dr. W. S. Marquis, presented his resignation as pastor of that congregation as follows:

"The synod of Illinois at its recent meeting in Decatur unanimously elected me for the second time to the office of superintendent of benevolences. The call comes with such insistence and urgency that I feel it my duty to accept it, and therefore herewith tender my resignation of this pastorate, which has continued, under the blessing of God, now for almost thirty years, without a shadow of trouble between us as pastor and people. Rest assured that only a stern sense of duty and the vision of a great opportunity to serve our Lord and His church could induce me and my faithful helpers to make the sacrifice involved. We feel sure you will help us with your God speed.

"Your friend and servant in the love of Christ,

WILLIAM S. MARQUIS."

The synod of Illinois at its meeting in Decatur, Oct. 23, unanimously elected the pastor of the church to the office of superintendent of benevolences for a period of three years, beginning Nov. 1, 1913. They urged him to resign his pastorate and give all his time and energies to the work. Dr. Marquis is known as the framer of what is called the Illinois plan, and filled the office of superintendent the first year the plan was put in operation. For this reason the synod is very insistent in its call for him to undertake the work again and for his full time.

Dr. Marquis has consented to accept the position when the church and Presbytery shall release him from his pastorate. The work is undertaken not of choice but as a duty he owes to the synod and the church at large.

A meeting of the congregation has been called for Sunday, Nov. 2, to take action upon the resignation.

SHAKEUP FOR THE ROCK ISLAND ROAD

Reported That Chairman Moore of Executive Committee Is to Step Aside.

New York, Oct. 27.—Important changes in the personnel of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway is expected to follow a meeting of the directors in this city Wednesday. Recent weakness of Rock Island issues and Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway collateral trust bonds has given rise to much conjecture concerning the future of these properties. It is expected at the meeting of the directors Wednesday chairman Moore of the executive committee will retire and his successor will be a member of the Phelps-Dodge interests, who already have large holdings in Rock Island preferred. Various Rock Island issues and the railway bonds especially were strong and active today as a result of the reported changes.

CHARLES JOHNSON FURNISHED BAIL

Charles E. Johnson, Moline, charged with murder, appeared in circuit court this morning and was released under \$5,000 bonds furnished by the American Security company. He is charged with having caused the death of John Lindberg, flagman. His attorney is G. A. Shalberg.

Removal Notices. Dr. S. B. Hall has moved his office to Robinson building, 208 Eighteenth street.

Dr. F. H. First has moved his office to Robinson building, 208 Eighteenth street.—(Adv.)

BOOKS FEATURE OF CONFERENCE

Speaker Will Bring Collection of Over One Hundred to Local Meeting.

WHOLE CLASS TO SERVE

Contest at Men's Club of Broadway Church Results in Tie—All Members Will Be Waiters.

A collection of more than 100 books on bible study and religious education is an important feature of the "training conference for men," which will be put on the latter part of this week by the Y. M. C. A. and the men of the churches.

Fred S. Goodman, one of the experts who will be here to speak during the conference, is a well known authority on bible study and religious education, himself being the author of several books on both lines. He has made a special study of the best books which are available for such lines of work, and will bring with him a selected set, which is to be put on exhibition during the conference sessions.

These books will be placed at the public library Friday and Saturday, and all who are interested will thus have a chance to inspect them in a convenient center, whether attending the sessions of the conference or not. Sunday school teachers and other church workers will find much of interest and helpfulness in these books. It should be understood that the books are not for sale by Mr. Goodman, but are merely for the purpose of helping interested students of the problems of religious education to know what books are to be had on that theme.

ALL WILL HELP.

"Who will wait on the tables?" was a live question at the men's class of Broadway Presbyterian Sunday school yesterday. The side which was supposed to have to don aprons and do the serving at the Men's club and bible class supper next Friday night. Neither side wanted the job.

Captain Schoessel's side had a good lead up to yesterday, and the men were feeling quite independent, but Captain Stewart's stalwarts did a lot of gumshoe work, or some other kind of work, and ran in such a group at yesterday morning's session that it looked for a while as though the Schoessel followers would have to turn servers. However, when the score was finally tallied, it was discovered that the two sides were just even—tied in the number of points, and so they agreed that the whole crowd will help with serving Friday night's supper.

The larger number of men will undoubtedly be needed Friday night, as the meeting is to be one of unusual magnitude. Men of all the churches are to meet with the Broadway club Friday evening, in one of the sessions of the "training conference for men," and it is expected that the attendance will put something of a strain even on the unlimited hospitality of the Broadway men. Men who wish to have places at the table should notify Hervey E. Curtis, secretary of the Broadway club, not later than Wednesday of this week.

The meeting of the men's class yesterday morning was of interest in the program, as well as in the attendance contest. This was the last of a series of sessions that have been devoted to the study of the topic "Moral Training in the Public Schools." Beginning next Sunday the class will spend a month in studying "The Problem of the Unemployed," a theme which will no doubt develop much of the greatest interest, and of vital importance.

SANTA CLAUS TO SOON REACH HERE

The Argus as Usual Will Conduct Campaign for Funds for Merry Old Fellow.

The snow flakes of yesterday brought with them a sharp reminder that Christmas will soon be here. In just two months from last Saturday good old Saint Nick will make his yearly visit, bringing with him a wealth of happiness and good cheer.

It is hardly necessary to announce that The Argus will follow its usual custom of conducting a campaign for a Santa Claus fund. An opportunity will be presented for all who want to be "good fellows" to aid in this laudable effort of shedding joy and sunshine into lives that are barren.

CITY CHAT

(Advertisements.) Buy a home of Reddy Bros. For express, call William Trefz. Tri-City Towel Supply company. Independent Express Co. West 981. Six per cent farm mortgages. Litten & Roberts, People's National bank building.

Hobson W. C. T. U. Life Member. New York, Oct. 27.—Congressman Hobson of Alabama, who introduced a resolution in congress to prohibit throughout the United States the sale of alcoholic liquors, was today elected a life member of the World's Women's Temperance union in convention here. Countess Carlisle was reelected president of the organization.

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Business Is BOOMING!

10 Dozen New \$3 Value Shadow Lace Waists in One Mighty Sale at \$1.98

This price is not made because of any inferiority of materials or cut for these waists show the very newest styles and are made of perfect materials. But by purchasing 10 dozen and offering them for quick selling at \$1.98 we will make friends for the store that will be worth this sacrifice.

Sale of the New Genuine Leather Rockers at

1/4 OFF And Even More

For a few days we are going to mark some "wonderfully" low prices on all genuine leather rockers. It will pay you to take advantage of this sale.

- \$49.00 value \$39.00
- \$42.00 value \$33.50
- \$37.00 value \$29.50
- \$35.00 value \$28.00
- \$32.00 value \$25.50
- \$29.00 value \$23.00
- \$25.00 value \$20.00
- \$23.00 value \$17.50

Greatest Mattress Sale of the Year Tuesday

- Kapok \$16.00 value \$13.50
- Victor \$11.50 value \$9.75
- Dixie \$9.75 value \$8.25
- Banner \$8.50 value \$6.75
- Sealy \$20, for this sale, \$18

VantaDiaper Patterns FREE

Avoid pins and other nuisances of ordinary diapers. —2d Floor

Children's Dresses \$3.98

Attractive little frocks, sizes 6 to 14 years, of wool serge. Styles include the new and pretty long waisted effects. Colors brown, blue and red, at \$3.98.

Girl's Coats \$7.50

Box Coats, belted back and Balkan styles in cheviot and novelties, \$7.50; 6 to 14 years. Second Floor.

Colder? Here's Women's Pretty Wear \$10.00 COAT DAY

Let's not misunderstand one another—\$10.00 "Coat Day" doesn't mean we will not show coats at other prices of which we have a splendid collection—but we've set aside Tuesday to feature the many smart coats comprising our stock at \$10.00, many of them new arrivals which those here but a day or two ago haven't seen. We know them to represent the best values in the tri-cities, both as to style and quality. Three-quarter cut-away coats and full-length models are fashioned in low belted styles, draped backs, fancy backs, and yoke back and front models, with kimono or set in sleeves. Materials give choice of Boucle, Zibeline, Mixture Cloth, Fancy Stripes, Diagonal Stripes, Two-Tone, Cut or Plain Chinchilla.

Collars and cuffs of fur, imitation fur and broadcraze plain velvet or plush add considerably to the smartness of these garments—collars made so as to button up close to the chin. Many of these coats are lined throughout with satin; some yoke lined. Sizes for women, misses and juniors. —Second Floor



See These Tailored Suits At 19.50 Well Worth \$25 to \$35 Made by Leading Makers

Styles are the very newest and fabrics the choicest of the season. The variety of both is so great that, no matter what you may have had in mind, you can find a satisfactory model among these beautiful garments. Among the styles featured will be found plain tailored, fancy cutaways, blouse effects, military effects, vested cutaways and half belted models. In the way of materials you can choose from men's wear serges, novelty mannish suitings, plain and novelty suitings, chiffon broadcloth, poplins, eponges, etc. Second Floor.

25% Off on Sample Furs Still Continues

Skirts Exceptional Sale of \$8 to \$10 Dresses \$5.95



There are countless occasions when a dress is just the garment that is needed—when you can buy dresses of quality and embodying the style which these possess there is no reason why you should any longer be without one. French serge, eponge and broadcraze materials have been used with charming results in the making of these strictly tailored dresses in sizes 14 to 44. Styles include:

Blouse waist effects with drop shoulder or set-in sleeves. Net vests and collars in layover or Medici style. Peg top, draped and slashed bottom skirts or tunic effect.

Tri-Cities' Leading Quality Department Store Young & McCombs Co-Operative Store Co., Rock Island, Ill.

TYPHOID CAUSED FROM WELL WATER

Tests Conducted by Superintendent Sharp Show City Fluid Satisfactory.

In one district in this city, Ninth to Seventh streets and Fourth to Thirteenth avenues, there are nine typhoid fever patients under the care of the Visiting Nurses' association, according to the report of Miss Margaret Giles. It is claimed that the disease is traceable to three wells.

Today R. W. Sharp, superintendent of the waterworks, today submitted to Commissioner Archie Hart a report on the water in the locality in question. He has made an analysis and found that the well at the home of Alphonse Powers, 309 Eleventh avenue, was dangerous and that at the Dhondt home, 509 Thirteenth avenue, unsatisfactory, and another test will be taken. The city water was found to be absolutely pure.

The following is a report of the analysis of the water taken from the city water and from wells where typhoid fever exists. Samples No. 2633-2634, from 309 Eleventh avenue, well water. Patient, Alphonse Powers. Gas formers, all tests showed positive. Bacteria per cubic centimeter on gelatine at 20 degrees C., 17,900 and 5,680; bacteria per cubic centimeter on agar at 37 degrees C., 1,368 and 5, acid formers. All tests showed positive.

Samples No. 2635-2636, from 509 Thirteenth avenue, well water. Patient, Ferdinand Albert Dhondt. Bacteria per cubic centimeter on gelatine at 20 degrees C., 240-114; bacteria per cubic centimeter on agar at 37 degrees C., 187-3, acid formers. Gas formers, all tests showed positive.

Samples No. 2637-2638, from 700 Fourth street, city water. Patient, Charles Martins. Gas formers, two negative and one positive. Bacteria per cubic centimeter on gelatine at 20 degrees C., 69 and 53; bacteria per cubic centimeter on agar at 37 degrees C., 43 and 0, acid formers. Samples No. 2637-2638 include tests for city water at 591 Seventh street. Patient, James Craig. The well at 309 Eleventh avenue was reported to health officer to be condemned, while the well at 509 Thir-

OBITUARY

WILLIAM DON.

William Don, aged 75 years, formerly a resident of this city and well known here, died at the home of his brother, Robert Don, 426 Brown street, Davenport, at midnight Sunday.

Death was due to a complication of diseases. He had been ill since August and was confined to his bed for the past ten days.

Mr. Don was born in Montreal, Canada, Sept. 13, 1838, and moved to Rock Island in 1850. He followed the occupation of a bookbinder here for a number of years. In 1900 he and Miss Levada Smith were united in marriage in Des Moines and they resided in that city. Mrs. Don died after a short illness, Nov. 27, 1907, and in 1911 he returned to Davenport.

He is survived by one brother, Robert, two nephews, DeForest Don, St. Francis, Mo., and Elbert Don, this city; and two nieces, Miss Gertrude, this city and Mrs. Joseph Cosma, Chicago.

The funeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Dr. Kaufman, pastor of the Davenport Presbyterian church, will be in charge and burial will be made in the Chipplannock cemetery this city.

MISS FRIEDA LUNDBERG.

Miss Frieda Lundberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lundberg, 2402 Twelfth street, South Rock Island, died yesterday afternoon at 4:45 at her home after a long illness with a complication of diseases.

Deceased was born in Rock Island June 30, 1893, and resided here all her life. She was educated in the public schools and for a time was employed at the L. E. West Gum company. Besides her parents, there survive four sisters: Mrs. Robert Bickelheimer, East Moline; Mrs. Albert Kester, South Rock Island; Misses Mildred and Nina Lundberg, and one brother, Alvin, at home. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the res-

idence. Interment will be made in Chipplannock cemetery.

REUBEN L. ISAACSON.

Reuben L. Isaacson, formerly a resident of this city, aged 21 years, passed away at his home, 801 North Dearborn street, Chicago, last Tuesday and the funeral services were held at the Arntzen chapel that city. Burial was in Rosedale cemetery. He was a son of Albertine Isaacson.

FUNERAL OF DONALD MUELLER.

The funeral services over the remains of Donald Howard Mueller, year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mueller, 619 First street, were held at the home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. M. E. Chatley, pastor of the Christian church, conducted the ceremony and burial was made in Chipplannock cemetery.

FUNERAL OF LANGLEY INFANT.

The remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Langley, 1305 1/2 Second avenue, were laid to rest in Chipplannock cemetery Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at the Knox chapel at 9 o'clock.

ROCK ISLAND PARKS BEING BEAUTIFIED

Although the springtime is usually the season of the year when the city parks receive the bulk of improve-ments, the members of the park commission are taking advantage of the fall weather and have several projects in the beauty spots of the city underway.

Spencer square is being ornamented with eight new art stone posts. The posts are made of cement blocks and one is located on each side of the corner entrances to the park. Iron vases will crown the tops of the posts. The blocks are being erected to the height of over six feet.

Dams are being constructed at Long View park in preparation of erecting a cataraet from the well to the lower lakes.

Murder Suspects Returned.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 27.—Governor Dunne today honored a requisition for the return to Michigan of James Miller, George Franklin and Roy Blackburn, accused of murdering three persons during the robbery of a jewelry store in Grand Rapids, Sept. 15. The men are under arrest in Chicago.

POLICE UNEARTH GREEK BLIND PIG

An alleged "blind pig" was unearthed by the police yesterday afternoon in a raid upon a house located at 145 Forty-fifth street. Ten Greeks were placed under arrest and several cases of beer were confiscated.

Neighbors in that vicinity have been registering complaints with the authorities for several days and there was every reason to believe that liquor was being sold. The police surrounded the place and the prisoners, together with the contraband articles of war, were all bundled into the patrol wagon. The cases are being heard this afternoon.

NO DRUNKENNESS BEYOND RECOVERY

NO CASE, HOWEVER SLIGHT, IS WITHOUT HARM, DECLARES ROBERT A. WOOD.

Boston, Mass., May 31.—"No case of drunkenness, no matter how far advanced, is considered beyond recovery, and no case, however slight, is considered to be without harm," said Robert A. Wood, president of the South End House of Boston, recently in addressing the final session of the 38th annual conference of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, the subject of which was "Drunkenness."

Help some friend or relative to find the Neal Institute for the saving of drunk victims. Do not permit financial difficulties to keep you away. Free consultation. Over 50 Neal Institutes are daily saving drink and drug sufferers and restoring them to happy lives. No hypodermic injections. Lady patients enjoy exclusive privacy.

Full information regarding the Neal Treatment may be obtained by calling at the Neal Institute, 821 Farnam street, Davenport, Iowa. (a quiet retreat for ladies and gentlemen.) Write or phone the manager for free book on "Drink Habit." Phone 3890.—(Adv.)

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