

MOLINE'S SECTION OF THE ARGUS

HEAVY FINE HERE FOR CONTRACTOR

Victor McClain Assessed \$31.15 on Charges of Speeding and Running Minus Lights.

SIX MORE SPEEDERS FINED

Officer Negley Has Busy Day Sunday and Helps Replenish City Larder—All Fined \$12.05.

The heaviest fine of the season on a charge of speeding was levied against Victor McClain by Magistrate Frank Gustafson Saturday afternoon, the amount being \$31.15, with an additional \$12.05 tacked on for running after dark without lights. McClain is an East Moline contractor and paid the fine without parley.

The contractor came here in his car Friday night and traveled through the city streets without lights at a speed of about 35 miles per hour. Officer Pleasant Negley, stationed near the fire station at Fifth street and Third avenue, saw the driver speed past and immediately he gave pursuit on his motorcycle. He finally overhauled McClain at Forty-sixth street, in Rock Island, and ordered him to stop. The contractor refused to do so, and said that he was over the line and could not be arrested while in Rock Island by a Moline officer. He even went so far as to tell Mr. Negley to "Go chase himself."

The Moline officer kept up the race and repeatedly ordered McClain to halt. Finally he broke a pedal on his motorcycle and was forced to give up the chase. Later that evening McClain drove back to Moline with his lights still off, and this time he was placed under arrest.

Six Others Arrested. Officer Negley was a busy man Saturday night and all day Sunday, judging from the number of speeders arraigned for a hearing in police court this morning.

The first to face Police Magistrate Frank Gustafson was A. C. Hoffmann of Davenport, who was picked up on Fourth avenue between Fifth and Fifty-fifth street, while traveling in his automobile at a rate of speed several miles in excess of that permitted by law. He was assessed \$12.05.

E. G. Hurdle, Moline, and R. Snook of Polo were the next two speeders tried. Both were arrested on Fourth avenue in the vicinity of Fifth street Sunday afternoon. Each paid \$12.05.

A. R. Savagart of Galesburg was arrested last evening on Third avenue near Twenty-fifth street while driving his car at the rate of 30 miles per hour. He paid the usual \$12.05. Leo Eldridge of Davenport, who was arrested Saturday night while en route to his home following a trip to Chicago, was also arraigned this morning and paid a fine of \$12.05. He was arrested on Fourth avenue while going at a 28-mile clip.

The last of the speeders arraigned this morning was R. H. Eickstead of this city, who was arrested Sunday evening. He paid the usual fine.

LODGE NOTES.

Plow City Court of Honor, No. 104 held a well attended meeting and initiated three candidates. The attendance of members was larger than was expected and the occasion was made a reunion by those present. After the work, ice cream and cake were enjoyed. Saturday afternoon the members and their families enjoyed a picnic at Black Hawk's Watch Tower.

Steamer Marquette and barge took out a crowd Sunday morning, when the annual excursion and outing of the Carpenters' local was held. This was a get-together session, not only for members and families, but for any who desired to take advantage of the boat ride and picnic. They went up as far as Woodward's grove, where there were ball games and other sports.

Edward Bloomquist, deputy great sashem, assisted by Frank Lohr as great junior sashem, and Victor Shalene as great prophet, installed the following officers of King Philip tribe, No. 94, I. O. R. M., at the regular meeting:

Prophet—William Mueller. Sashem—Hjalmar Cedar. Senior sashem—Clarence Moore. Junior sashem—Otto W. Efflandt. Appointive officers will be installed at the next meeting.

Olive male chorus enjoyed an outing at Camp Recreation in East Moline Sunday and more than 150 were in attendance. At noon a fine fish dinner was served, after which a program of athletic events was the attraction.

Emil Jennisch won the first event, the fat men's 50 yard sprint. The free-for-all men's race brought out a good field of sprinters, but the going was bad for all of them except Carl Anderson, who hit the tape 10 feet ahead of his nearest competitor and won a box of cigars. Harry Olson is the proud owner of a real league baseball and bat, which he was awarded as being the best runner among the boys under 12.

In the married ladies race excitement ran high and as the women lined

Deny Rumors That They're Engaged



Miss Lucy Burleson and Attorney General McReynolds.

Rumors that have been floating around Washington to the effect that Attorney General McReynolds and Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the postmaster general, are engaged, have been denied by friends of both.

up for the start they shed their ox-fur coats, each determined to win the race. After several bad starts the field got away in a bunch. Mrs. Gust Nelson was out to win the handsome prize and she succeeded by a safe margin and was presented with a silver salt and pepper set and a silver spoon.

The race for young ladies brought out a good field. Florence Hogberg showed that she could run as well as play baseball. She was presented with a handsome berry spoon in consequence of her victory. The little girls clamored for a race after seeing their older sisters pound the turf and to please them eight were lined up. They showed themselves to be just as keen on the getaway as the older girls. Margaret Wahlstrom won. She received a cash prize. Owing to the Baseball was one of the amusements of the day and the way some of the ladies played ball proved that they had been practicing. Florence and Esther Hogberg are experts at the game and the way they can sail the ball across the field made the men turn green with envy. The chorus at different times during the day sang popular songs that were well received. All enjoyed the outing.

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In response to an invitation from Elbert C. Ferguson, president of the Illinois Commercial Federation, the names of William Butterworth, Frank G. Allen, and W. H. Van Dervoort of this city have been submitted, one of which is to appear on formal invitation for a banquet to be held in Chicago under auspices of the federation jointly with the Illinois Bankers' association some time during September.

President Woodrow Wilson and members of the federal reserve board are expected to be present. The letter from Mrs. Ferguson in part is as follows:

"The Illinois Bankers' association and the Illinois Commercial Federation are joining in extending to the directors of the federal reserve banks and other leading commercial organizations an invitation to a banquet to be held in Chicago in September, 1914, when the president of the United States and members of the federal reserve board are expected to be present."

"The Illinois Bankers' association has requested me to select a number of gentlemen whose names are to appear on the invitation. They are to come from all over the state and to be men representing manufacturing interests."

All the news all the time—The Argus.

SILVIS PREACHER TRIES OUT IN BOX

Rev. L. M. Thompson Faces Quincy for Plow City This Afternoon at Ball Park.

Rev. L. M. Thompson, pastor of the Memorial Methodist church of Silvis, took the mound for the Moline Three-Eye ball club this afternoon against the Quincyites, last year's champions of the league, and received an innovation from the crowd as he stepped onto the field that would make a potentiate turn green with envy. Rev. Thompson gets his first real tryout in the league baseball today, and he says if he makes good he shall continue the game as a sideline. He will not give up the ministry.

Rev. Thompson first acquired fame as a twirler on the staff of the Northwestern university team, where he attended the theological school. He won many games for Northwestern and was considered one of the best pitchers in the big eight at that time. Local fans are pulling hard for his success on the mound.

TWO WOMEN HURT IN AUTO SMASHUP

Mrs. William Stark, 118 Thirty-ninth street, and Mrs. Emma Parker, 1927 Fifth avenue, had a narrow escape from death Saturday night at 10 o'clock, when a buggy in which they were riding was struck by an automobile on Fourth avenue near Thirty-eighth street. The buggy was demolished and both women were hurled to the pavement. Fortunately neither suffered any broken bones, but Mrs. Stark was so badly bruised and shaken that it was necessary to take her to the city hospital.

ROCK ISLAND WOMAN IS OVERCOME BY THE HEAT

Mrs. Al Swanson, 1539 Thirty-third street, Rock Island, was overcome by heat at noon today while riding on an Elm street car in the vicinity of the bluff. She was removed from the car to Battles' drug store, 1418 Fifteenth street, and later taken to her home in an ambulance. She will recover. She was attended by Dr. H. A. Beam.

\$200 FINE SUSPENDED ON PROMISE TO BEHAVE

Andrew Harp, 507 Twenty-fifth street, was arrested yesterday on complaint of his wife, charged with disorderly conduct. His case came up for a hearing in police court today and Magistrate Frank Gustafson assessed him \$200 and costs. On promise of good behavior the fine was suspended, but if he is brought into court again he will go to jail for 40 days.

Brief Commission Meeting. The Moline city commission held a

brief business session this morning and only routine business was transacted. It was the regular weekly meeting, but there was no matter of importance to act upon. It was decided to wait until tomorrow to officially take up the matter of accepting property on Fourth street, vacated by Ed Coryn, that the street car line in that vicinity may become a reality.

EAST MOLINE WANTS INDIVIDUAL PASTOR

East Moline may have an individual pastor for the Methodist church, judging from the outcome of the fourth quarterly conference held at Watertown. At present East Moline and its newest addition, Watertown, have one joint pastor for the two Methodist churches, and as this is considered too large a field for one man to handle, there is a possibility of a change being made and each church securing its own pastor.

LITTLE GIRL'S DEATH CAUSED BY THE HEAT

Coroner R. C. J. Meyer held an inquest Saturday night over the remains of Lillian Peterson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Peterson, who died Saturday morning without the aid of a physician. The jury brought in a verdict of death due to the excessive heat affixing no blame on the parents because a doctor was not called.

SILVIS SHOPMAN IS HURT; ARM CATCHES IN A DRILL

H. J. Crowder of Silvis was injured this morning while at work in the Rock Island railroad shops when his arm caught in a drill press which he was operating. He was putting a wedge under the drill when the accident occurred, his right arm being terribly lacerated from the elbow to the shoulder. He was rushed to this city on an emergency train, and Dr. A. N. Arp dressed the wound. It was necessary to take several stitches in the injured member.

VIOLA

Mrs. Mable Blake of Letts, Iowa, arrived Saturday and remained with relatives until Wednesday, when in company with her sister, Miss Ida Forsythe, she returned to Letts. John Robinson fractured his wrist Saturday when he undertook to crank Emmet Green's auto.

Ernie Glancy has been awarded the contract for carrying mails. Joe Summers, the old carrier, was faithful to the job for 22 years when he had to give it up, Harry Hopkins taking his place.

The members of the Junior league of the Methodist church held their annual picnic at Pope Creek, south of town, Wednesday. A bounteous dinner and a general good time was enjoyed.

Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Lipton went by auto to Woodhull Monday to take Wilbur Van McQueen, who visited at their home for a week, to visit his grandparents at that place.

August Hummel and Fred Craig are in Peoria where they will spend a few days fishing on the Illinois river.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winter and son, Lewis of Preemption, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Winter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans. Other guests were J. C. Gallager and family from near Alexis and Mrs. M. H. Evans and children of Kilbourne, Wis.

Mrs. Perkins of Sears and Mrs. Doolittle and little granddaughter of Aledo spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Sarah Williams.

Miss Margaret Thomas has returned from her visit with friends at Macomb.

Mrs. Urma Drake is visiting relatives in New Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashenbush attended a 6 o'clock dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller at their home in Aledo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dellzell of Des Moines arrived Wednesday for a visit with the latter's brother, Rev. J. A. Barnes and family.

Peter Lindburg went to Rock Island Wednesday and on Thursday underwent an operation for cancer on the left eye. Dr. Walter Miles was present at the operation.

ICE CREAM MEN TO BE ARRESTED

Moline Company and Davenport Concern Must Face Charges in Moline Court.

CAMPBELL DEFENDS SELF

Says His Product Was Not Honestly Tested—Claims It Contains Standard of Butterfat.

Announcement is made today that two of the ice cream manufacturers whose product was tested and found wanting by City Chemist, Fritze are to be arrested early this week and either forced to stand trial or let off on a promise to discontinue selling impure ice cream to the public. The product turned out by the Davenport Ice Cream company showed a butterfat percentage of 7.5, while that of the Moline concern showed but 3.5.

Moline's city ordinance states that 14 per cent is the lowest amount of butterfat for ice cream, while the state ordinance is 12 per cent. These figures show that the two concerns named above are practically making their product out of nothing more or less than milk.

The other two concerns whose product was tested at the same time, show a much higher percentage of butterfat and will probably be let off with a warning to see that their ice cream in the future measures fully up to the standard.

Seeks to Defend Himself.

H. W. Campbell, proprietor of the Moline Ice Cream company, issues a statement in which he seeks to defend himself and his product. He states that the test is not true and that his cream measures at least 10 per cent. He claims that he uses a cream measuring from 14 to 15 per cent butterfat, and about four per cent of this is frozen out in the process of making. He furthermore says that he wants a fair and honest test made by the state chemist and not by local experts in order to prove that what he says is true.

Either Campbell is seeking a weak defense or there is something radically wrong with City Chemist Fritze. The tests made by the local authority are the same as made by the state chemist and results will be the same in each case providing the same standard of ice cream is tested. There is no doubting the fact that City Chemist Fritze's test last Friday of the Moline Ice Cream company's product, when he found it to contain 3.5 per cent butterfat, is correct. It is up to Campbell to prove that it is not.

Washington, Iowa, for a few days' visit with relatives.

Miss Maude Fegchelson went to Monmouth Monday after spending a week here with friends. She will then return to her home at Montrose, Iowa.

Miss Laura Stewart accompanied her to Monmouth, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Dorman, living west of town, was pleasantly surprised Friday, July 17, by neighbors and friends who came to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. About forty were present and they brought well filled baskets with them from which a sumptuous spread was partaken. Mrs. Dorman was at the home of a neighbor when the company arrived and when she returned home she was completely surprised to find her home filled with friends. Mrs. Dorman in her genial manner proceeded to make every one feel at home. A most delightful time was spent together and upon departing the friends left a purse of money with Mrs. Dorman with which to purchase a present as a pleasant reminder of the occasion.

Wood & Smith purchased a Ford runabout to be used as a delivery.

Miss Anna White came home from Chicago Friday to spend her vacation and visit the home folks.

Mrs. Mary Evans returned to Silvis Saturday after visiting several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dorman.

Fred Greenwood of Chicago joined his wife and children here Friday for a visit with their relatives at Suez.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED SORE, ACHING FEET

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet, swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns, callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ." "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magical; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired. Get a 25 cent box at any drug or department store, and get relief. Harper House Pharmacy.—(Adv.)

HAS U. S. BATTLESHIP OFF HAITIAN COAST



Captain Robert L. Russell.

Captain Robert L. Russell, in command of the battleship South Carolina, is now stationed at Port Haitian, Haiti. He has been given large powers by the war department and may use force to restore peace in the troubled black republic.

Mr. Greenwood is rate clerk in the transcontinental passenger department and returned to Chicago Sunday night. Mrs. Greenwood and children returned home Monday after visiting here for the past two weeks. The Greenwood families formed a picnic party Saturday and went in their autos to Rock Island where they enjoyed the day together.

Mrs. Charles Beard arrived home Tuesday from a month's visit with her son Jay and family at Springfield, S. D.

Mrs. M. H. Evans and children departed Thursday for their home in Kilbourne, Wis., after several weeks' visit with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKinnon.

Mrs. R. A. Walther of Chicago is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Kitzmiller.

Mrs. George Morey and children of Aledo were guests of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Bolt, Wednesday.

Mrs. Maud Hickok of Aledo visited Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Robinson, and was accompanied home by Mrs. Robinson and children who will visit a few days in the country.

Miss Gertrude Kreen of Monmouth visited a few days with friends here, going from here to Pontiac, Ill., to visit with her father, who holds a responsible position in the state reformatory for boys. The Kreen family expect to move from Monmouth to Pontiac in the near future.

Mrs. John Haney and son, Ealma, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dingwell, left Tuesday for Milton, Iowa, where they reside.

Mrs. J. M. Minor of Aledo was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Cooper, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cole of Aledo visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McCreary Sunday.

Mrs. George Heston departed Monday for St. Augustine to visit relatives.

John Frazier visited relatives here the latter part of last week, going from here to Monmouth Saturday for a short visit with relatives before returning to his home in Tarkio.

Miss Nelle Peters of Aledo was a guest of Miss Verl Terrey Tuesday.

Miss Ada Sexton has returned home from a visit in Chicago at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frazier.

Miss Sadie Dornan concluded her visit at the home of her uncle, Sam Robson, and left Thursday for Rock Island where she will spend a few days with relatives before returning to her home in Chicago.

Jim T. McCaughy departed Tuesday on a trip to the west, going to Post Falls, Idaho, to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. G. Cook.

Mrs. James Mahaffey and daughter Grace returned to their home in Alexis Tuesday after visiting friends and neighbors for a few days.

B. K. Harper was a business visitor here the latter part of last week, returning to his home in Galesburg Saturday.

PYTHIANS READY FOR BIG MEETING

Supreme Body Will Hold Golden Jubilee Year Convention on August 4.

750,000 WAS REQUESTED

Every State and Province in North America Will Send Delegates to Gathering.

Mattapan, Mass., July 27.—When the supreme lodge Knights of Pythias meets in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Tuesday, August 4, for its golden jubilee year convention, a distinguished body of men representing every state, province and territory in North America, will inaugurate a session of legislation whose results will be of vital interest to three-quarters of a million of men in the 8,000 lodges of the order.

It will be the second time in the history of the order that a session of the supreme lodge has been held outside the United States—the exception being the meeting at Toronto in 1886. At that convention Hon. John Van Valkenburg of Iowa, a native of Ontario, presided as supreme chancellor, and Justus Henry Rathbone, the founder of the order (February 19, 1864), was present.

Extend Big Welcome. Of those who were present in Toronto, in 1886 only four are expected at Winnipeg—all past supreme chancellors—Edward Dunn of Washington, D. C., who joined the supreme lodge in 1869; Henry Clay Berry of Illinois, 1869; William W. Blackwood of Kentucky, 1882, and Walter L. Richie (author of the ritual) in 1886. The order had 2,700 lodges and 184,000 members.

Winnipeg will extend generous welcome and hospitality to the visitors, and under the direction of City Controller Fred J. McArthur, who is acting as a representative of the supreme lodge, the programme will include receptions, a banquet, a monster parade, excursions and other attractive features during the ten days the supreme lodge is in session.

Thomas J. Carling. Hon. Thomas J. Carling of Massachusetts, will preside, he having succeeded Hon. George M. Hanson, a justice of the supreme court of Maine, as supreme chancellor, at Denver two years ago. The administration of "Uncle Tom" as the leader is being and popularly known, has been in many respects a remarkable one, and the order has a higher rating than ever before. The reports will indicate a biennium of great prosperity and notable achievement.

The order has assets of more than \$19,000,000, and an annual income of \$7,000,000. One feature of its service is the relief of needy members and their families, and in this department there has been expended the immense sum of \$41,000,000. This does not include the cost of maintaining Pythian homes in a dozen states nor the expenditures for relief of lodges under immediate control.

It is noted that at least \$6,000,000 is invested in Pythian homes for aged members, for Pythian widows and for Pythian orphans, and in Pythian temples and castle halls.

Insurance Department. The insurance department of the order, protecting the homes of members, is managed by a board of control, elected by the supreme lodge, and of which Hon. Union B. Hunt of Indiana, is president. This branch has \$6,000,000 in assets, and a balance of \$99,000,000. Since its organization in 1877 it has paid \$2,000,000 in claims, amounting to \$37,000,000.

Hon. Fred E. Wheaton, of Missouri, supreme keeper of records and seal, says: "Pythian Knighthood, during the half century of its splendid career, never has been better equipped for constructive work and opportunities. The Supreme Domain is alive and alert. Better than 5,000 new members a month are being added and are receiving the ennobling instructions in the ranks of Knighthood. The year 1914 should show 100,000 members, the highest one-year record ever attained."

Important Matters. Several important matters will demand the attention of the supreme lodge. Of large interest is the proposition to reduce the age limit for admission from 21 years to 18. This was brought before the Denver convention in 1912 and was passed on the 14th stage by a vote of 83 to 54, with 30 members not recorded. Under the law of the order it was sent to the grand lodges for their consideration. The vote in the grand lodges has been close, and it is believed the sentiment is nearly divided.

An appeal will be made for the supreme lodge to establish or endorse a Pythian sanitarium for the cure of tuberculosis patients.

The Dramatic Order of Khorassan, called "The Playground of Pythias," will ask for recognition, and there are other matters of interest that will receive careful attention.

As a result of improved methods seams of coal have been worked in Britain at a depth of 3,900 feet, and in one mine in Lancashire, 4,000 feet.