

ROMANCE FADES; ASKS ANNULMENT

Youthful Marriage Ends in Petition of Girl-Wife to Divorce Egre-mony Vaid.

WRONG AGES GIVEN TO CLERK

Harry Simmons, 18, Wed in 1912 to Ethel Connelly, 17—Divorce Suits Filed.

An sequel to a child-marriage which occurred in 1912 there has been instituted in the district court action for its annulment.

When Harold Simmons, 18, and Ethel Connelly, 17, decided to wed, re-membrance pictured a rosy future.

Simmons is said to have had consent of his parents and no oath was taken when the girl's age was given as 18.

Married Oct. 13, 1912, the two lived together as man and wife until Jan. 1, 1914.

They separated and lived happily ever afterward it seems. Today both appeared in the circuit court and di-vided the drawing of the petition.

Wants Let Back. David L. Edwards is asking that Louise Edwards return to him a lot in Coal Valley which he, with his wife, now deceased, gave to the defendant in trust.

Anna Louise Snow of this city is suing for divorce from C. T. Snow whom she married Aug. 28, 1911, and with whom she lived until April 15 of this year.

Agnes Mills, defendant in a suit begun by Maurice Beckwith, a real estate dealer who seeks payment of commission for the sale of land, asks that the plaintiff file a bill of particulars.

State's Attorney Floyd Thompson has returned from Roodhouse, Ill., after a week's visit.

Mrs. J. W. Graham and son have returned from a visit to Chicago and Hammond, Ind.

Mrs. Wilson Hale of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting her father, Dr. J. B. Holloway, 838 Twenty-third street.

Miss Florence Beakley of Paducah, Ky., arrived last evening and will remain during the summer, the guest of relatives.

Miss Violet Starnard of Des Moines has returned to her home after a short visit to the tri-cities.

Mrs. Charles Anderson of Thirty-sixth street and Eighteenth avenue has as a guest her father, John Nelson of Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. Mary Smedley, Glenhurst care, who has been at the Tri-City Sanitarium, Moline, for an operation, was able to return home today.

T. Scott Brown, civil war veteran and well known citizen, is lying critically ill at his apartment in the Rock Island house. Mr. Brown suffered a paralytic stroke two weeks ago from which he rallied slowly.

Several days ago, however, his condition became worse and he has been confined to his bed since.

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\$2,000-\$2,300 cash, buys eight rooms, hot water, gas.

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If you want a home, call or phone us. We have the best values in the city.

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BOY BREAKS LEG ROLLER SKATING

Harry, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rietz, First Victim of Sport.

TAKES A PICTURE OF JITBUS WRECK

irate Driver Destroys Camera of Representative of Street Car Magazine.

Like the Ford stories, narratives of the much discussed jitney bus are also becoming frequent.

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YEAR IN JAIL IF RYAN TAKES NIP

Judge Suspends Sentence Over Head of Father Who Fails to Support Children.

HAS HARD TIME TO KEEP SOBER

After Lecture Week Ago Defendant Falls Off Water Wagon and Loses His Job.

One misstep by Thomas Ryan and he will spend a year in Rock Island's county jail.

Judge Larson then gave Ryan a riot-act lecture and ordered him to appear in court this morning.

Falls Off Wagon. He arrived there, after a time, hopelessly drunk.

The county judge learned all this and his patience was exhausted.

Another straight-from-the-shoulder talk was handed the man this morning.

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SPEAKS TO I. B. S. A. AT ODD FELLOWS HALL

Pastor Barton of Philadelphia will discuss "The Last Days and Afterwards" before the International Bible Students' association at Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow morning at 10:30.

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APPLICATIONS OF MORE ARE FILED

Others Seeking Jobs From New Council Send in Petitions for Appointments.

COMMISSIONERS FILE BONDS

M. T. Rudgren and John Murrin Qualify in County Court and Rest Will Before Monday.

More applications were filed today by people seeking appointments from the new council, and included in the list were several for the more important positions to be filled by the incoming council.

C. V. Johnson, 1622 Twelfth street, is after the office of building inspector, while William McNeely seeks the appointment of electrical inspector.

Louis Ohlweider, 1201 Fifth avenue, filed his petition to the council asking for the position of health officer.

Others of the commissioners to take office Monday night have been flooded with applications but it will likely be some time after the first meeting before any decision is reached on any petition.

Commissioner Rudgren filed his personal bond of \$5,000 in county court this morning thereby qualifying.

Commissioner-elect John A. Murrin did likewise and Mayor McConochie and the other two newly named councilmen will do likewise before Monday night.

Thursday night the senior class of the Rock Island high school presented their class play entitled, "The Time of His Life," at the opera house in Orion.

Thursday night the junior and senior baseball teams clashed at the ball park, the contest resulting a junior win by a 5 to 1 count.

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Demonstration "Wear-Ever" ALUMINUM All Next Week We are glad to announce that beginning Monday afternoon Mrs. White will give a FREE Demonstration at our store for the women of this vicinity.

Monday and Tuesday Demonstration Tomatoes and Apples stewed without stirring. Neither fruit nor vegetable acids affect "Wear-Ever" Utensils.

The Laundry of Quality IOWA STEAM LAUNDRY CO. Our Wagons Cover Rock Island Daily. The proper Laundering of Collars is a science with us.

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE Yes, waiting for every farmer or farmer's son - any industrious American who is anxious to establish for himself a happy home and prosperity.

That Feeling of Confidence Without knowing a thing about your disposition or your pocketbook we would select the hose described below, if you left it to us.



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BOY SCOUTS CLEAN UP UNSIGHTLY LOT

More than 100 boys, consisting of John Hauberg's fire and drum corps, and Rev. David Johnson's and W. H. Craig's boy scouts, worked all morning cleaning up the unsightly tract of land between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets and Third and Fourth avenues.

GOOD PROGRAM FOR MOOSE GATHERING

On Monday evening, the Loyal Order of Moose, No. 190, will give an entertainment and dance at Math's hall and the members are requested to invite their friends.

THE CREATIVE IMPULSE

The creative impulse does not itself know the next step it will take or the next form that will arise any more than the creative artist determines beforehand all the thoughts and forms his inventive genius will bring forth.

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ANDALUSIA

Mrs. William Beaumont returned home Monday after a week's visit with relatives in Rock Island.

Mrs. Corlidge and daughter Inez of Davenport came Wednesday for a short visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Curtis.

Mrs. Tom Brown and son Richard of Erie are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dollerhild.

Mrs. Melissa Johnson and Mrs. Ira Johnson and son, Mrs. Beulah Wood and daughter and Mrs. Ira Buffum of Edgington were calling on friends in the village Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Patterson and baby of Edgington spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Patterson's mother, Mrs. Anna Spickler.

Otto Heltzer, Sr., came home Tuesday from Bennett, Iowa, to vote.

Born Saturday, April 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Emory Curtis a son, Charles Burgoine, Sr. Joseph Burgoine and Rev. L. E. Ellison went to Rock Island Wednesday.

Miss Emma Hienze visited in Buffalo Wednesday and Thursday with her sisters, Mrs. Charles Pragnitz and Mrs. William Schultz.

Miss Lottie Householder returned home from Marston Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Johnson Monday a daughter, Mrs. T. Curtis of Letts came Monday to make a short visit at the home of her son, E. Curtis.

Gilman Hobart and sister, Mrs. John Bishop, were called to Rock Island Tuesday to attend the funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hobart.

Goodnow Pleads Guilty. St. Louis, April 24.—Richard F. Goodnow, a real estate dealer here, pleaded guilty to embezzlement. The circuit judge announced he would sentence him to two years imprisonment. Goodnow was charged with the misappropriation of three notes aggregating \$12,000, deposited with him for sale.