

MAN POLICE SAVE GLAD TO BE ALIVE

A. E. Meader, Rescued From River, Emphatically Denies Having Attempted to Suicide.

NEVER SWAM MUCH PREVIOUSLY

Declares He Does Not Know How He Was Able to Keep Afloat in River for Period of Half Hour.

Arthur E. Meader, Davenport insurance man, who a week ago battled death in the Mississippi river for 30 minutes, today in emphatic terms declared that he did not try to commit suicide, but was thrown off the Rock Island bridge by two men who had robbed him.

ACHES AND PAINS

Don't neglect a pain anywhere, but find out what causes it and conquer the cause. A pain in the kidney region may put you on your back tomorrow. Don't blame the weather for swollen feet, it may be an advance warning of Bright's disease.

Dr. Coffee Will Visit Rock Island

AT THE HARPER HOUSE, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH AND 27TH—HE TREATS NEW PATIENTS ONE TIME FREE.



DR. W. O. COFFEE.

Under no obligation to do so. Dr. Coffee originated this treatment. He became very deaf from a severe case of catarrh with closure of the Eustachian tubes and some cavity and thickening of the ear drums and he suffered the most distressing head noises like the chirping of a cricket.

thank the Rock Island police for their promptness in coming to my aid and for the efficiency they showed in rescuing me. In particular, I am most grateful to Merchant Police Dennis Bennett and Patrolman Frank Smith, who saved me from a watery grave.

AUGIE OBSERVER TO BE READY THURSDAY

The first issue of the year, and one of the best in many years of the Augustana Observer will be ready for its subscribers next Thursday. The chief feature of the paper this time will be an announcement of the Augustana Lyceum course, but, as it was not thought best this year to devote an entire issue to the lyceum the paper will contain many valuable articles in addition.

The following appointments to fill vacancies have been made subject to the approval of the Augustana Lyceum association: Florence Lundberg, '17, conservator; Elliott Lundberg, '17, commercial editor; Esther Johnson, '17, academy editor.

All the news all the time—The Argus.

WILSON DEFENDS EIGHT HOUR LAW

Vigorous Reply Made By President to Critics of Enactment Preventing Rail Strike.

CAPITAL AND LABOR APART

President Says Both Sides Must Cast Aside Distrust They Entertain for Each Other.

Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 25.—Addressing several thousand persons who made a pilgrimage to his summer home, President Wilson Saturday afternoon spoke for the first time on the campaign issues raised by Charles Evans Hughes.

"America," said the president, "has devoted itself to the energies and achievements of peace. Business has taken a leading part in this. For World Trade. 'A vision now has come to business. There never was a time when the pulse of success beat so strongly in the veins of business as it does today.

Influence of Labor. 'We are too much under the guidance of the lawyer. He has regarded the relations between capital and labor as merely contractual.

"This thing had to be done when it was done," the president went on, in discussing his entire course in the controversy, including laying before congress the legislation he recommended.

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NEW FALL FURNITURE RUGS and DRAPERIES

This sale offers many advantages in buying because increased cost of production and material for future purchases necessitate advanced prices later on

Get a Cedar Chest \$5.98

Now is the time to be thinking about putting away your summer clothes. What will keep them nicer than a cedar chest? We have them from \$6.50 to \$30. Here's a timely bargain—cedar chest worth \$10, our price for selling during this sale, only

\$5.98

Oak Dining Table \$11.25

This is undoubtedly the greatest bargain ever offered in the tri-cities. We have a limited amount of 45 inch round top extension dining tables, made of genuine oak—no imitations—a table that sells regularly at \$18, our price

\$11.25

Comfortable Oak Rocker \$4.98

Now is the time of the year when you should be making the home comfortable for the long winter evenings that are coming. What is nicer than a good, comfortable rocker? Automobile cushion seat, fumed oak rocker, regular \$8 value, for this sale at

\$4.98

Golden Oak Dresser \$14.98

Just received—a number of golden oak dressers, 24x30 French plate mirrors; size of top is 44x21; a dresser that is worth \$25, going at

\$14.98

Royal Easy Chair \$19.75

We are agents for the Royal Easy Chair which operates with a push button; can be made to recline and also has a foot rest. Just received a number of the very newest patterns, amongst which is the Royal special, regular \$30 value for

\$19.75

Oak Library Table \$9.75

Another lot of those beautiful golden oak library tables, 26x42, with four massive legs, regular \$15 value, now

\$9.75

Quartered Oak Buffet \$25.50

Golden quartered oak buffet—this is not an imitation oak, but is made from the finest selected quartered white oak—48 inches long, 10x40 French plate mirror, hand polished finish, regular \$37.00 value, now for selling during this sale at

\$25.50

Brass Bed \$6.49

Just received a car load of brass and iron beds; our buyer bought these at extremely low prices and we are going to give you the benefit; regular \$13 brass beds, only

\$6.49

Others up to \$15.

Very Strong Taboret 89c

Now that flowers and plants have to be taken inside, we have just the thing to put them on, 28 inches high, very strongly made taborets, finished in fumed oak, we have been regularly selling them at \$1.25, for selling during this sale at

89c

Brussel Rugs \$12.98

Very attractive patterns in 9x12 Brussel rugs, all are regular \$18.50 values and are marked exceptionally low for selling during this sale

\$12.98

only, at

Marquette 14c

1,000 yards of marquette in white, ecru and cream, regular 20c values, to be had at, the yard

14c

Wilton Velvets \$2.19

An exceptionally high pile 27x54 Wilton velvet rugs, all latest patterns; these are regular \$3 values, and are priced at the lowest possible price

\$2.19

Scrim and Voile 15c

One lot of voile and scrim with borders, values up to 40c, we are making a special price, yard

15c

Fibre Matting 39c

Fibre matting in all colors and combinations, 1 yard wide, guaranteed colors, the yard

39c

Linoleum 69c

4 yard wide linoleum in the very best of quality, regular 85c values, special, the square yard

69c

Brussel Rug \$18.80

9x12 Brussel rug, a regular \$23 value, high class weave and colors, for sale at

\$18.80

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for the Sale of Certain Real Estate.

Whereas, the city of Rock Island has acquired and holds the following described real estate: Lots thirty-two and thirty-three, Hale's addition to the city of Rock Island, county of Rock Island, and state of Illinois; and a tract of land commencing at a point 150 feet south of the northwest corner of lot one (1), block two (2), Howard's second addition to the city of Rock Island, Ill.;

Eczema Is Conquered

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of Zemo. When applied as directed, it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is dependable and inexpensive. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

That lot thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in Hale's addition to the city of Rock Island, county of Rock Island and state of Illinois; also a tract of land commencing at a point 150 feet south of the northwest corner of lot one (1), block two (2), Howard's second addition to the city of Rock Island, Ill.;

Whereas, it is the opinion of a majority of the members of the city council that the said real estate is no longer necessary, appropriate, or required for the use of said city or its longer retention for the best interests of said city; Be It

Ordained, by the council of the city of Rock Island, Ill.:

That lot thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in Hale's addition to the city of Rock Island, county of Rock Island and state of Illinois; also a tract of land commencing at a point 150 feet south of the northwest corner of lot one (1), block two (2), Howard's second addition to the city of Rock Island, Ill.;

thence running west to the east line of Elm or Thirtieth street; thence south fifty (50) feet; thence east to the west line of said lot one (1), block two (2), in said Howard's second addition; thence north fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning, all in the city of Rock Island, and.

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thence running west to the place of beginning; and all owned and held by the said city of Rock Island, be sold, in pursuance to an act of the general assembly entitled "An act to authorize cities and villages to convey any real or personal estate, or their right and title therein, when the same shall be no longer necessary for, or profitable to, or its longer retention be for the best interests of such city or village." (Approved March 22, 1889; in force July 1, 1889). The said lots are now vacant and are not used for any purpose.

Bids for the purchase of all or a part of said described lots or tract of land will be received, opened and considered by the said city council at its regular meeting on the first day of December, A. D. 1916, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m.

Cash bids only will be considered. Purchaser will assume all unpaid taxes and special assessments.

This ordinance shall be published in the Rock Island Argus, a daily newspaper published in said city, for at least 60 days prior to the opening of bids on the first day of December, A. D. 1916.

A majority of the council may reject any and all bids and a three-fourths vote may accept any one bid.

WILLIAM McCONOCHIE, Mayor. Passed: Sept. 18, 1916. Attest: M. T. Rudgren, City Clerk.

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