

# STRIKERS' CENTER IN DAVENPORT

Men Claim They Are Getting \$1.25 an Hour in Rock Island and Moline.

Members of the Structural Ironworkers' union No. 111, who have been on strike for the last week, are still holding out for an increase from \$1 to \$1.25 an hour and also request that the Quad-City Builders' exchange contractors sign an agreement with them. However, this latter provision is not the main obstacle preventing the men going back to work, although the union has never had an agreement since its organization 15 years ago, according to Charles Nichols, secretary of the union.

The men are principally haggling on the wage matter, but say that they are willing to sign an agreement covering all matters that could come up between them and their employers, if such an agreement would be signed.

Rock Island and Moline "Fair." The big jobs in the tri-cities that are being affected by the strike are the White Lily Manufacturing company, the Palmer school and the Blackhawk hotel jobs, all of Davenport.

The union officials reported today that the ironworkers employed on the new Fort Armstrong theatre building at the corner of Third

# CLEVER TRICK TO PLAY AT TOWER NEXT FOUR DAYS

Beginning Thursday a new variety bill of five acts will be shown at the Watch Tower for four days.

The two Mitchell brothers will perform with the banjo. Crowden and Swifty comprise a man and woman troupe that pleases. Crowden is an exceptionally droll fellow and Swifty goes through a series of tricks hardly believable.

Four old veterans of the Civil war have an act wherein they show what old fellows can do. They have some songs, comedy, and some dancing as it was in their day. They do some fiddling, too.

Denton and Lee also put on some good singing and comedy. Both are artists on the saxophone besides. The Jean Jackson trio open their act with a lady sitting on a man's shoulders as he rides a unicycle. She sings. Afterward tricks and pantomime are intermingled.

avenue and Nineteenth street, Rock Island, are being paid the \$1.25 rate, as are the men on one big job in Moline. These contractors are outside of the Quad-City Builders' exchange and are termed by the union leaders as "fair." The main argument is between the union and the exchange contractors, and Mr. Nichols said this morning that there had been no meeting arranged to bring about a settlement.

John J. Rogers, representative in congress of the Fifth Massachusetts district, born in Lowell, Mass., 39 years ago today.

# MARITAL LIFE OF BUT 5 DAYS BEFORE COURT

Mae Friebe Brings Suit for Divorce from Hugh Friebe in the Circuit Court.

Mae Friebe and Hugh Friebe were married in Rock Island on June 13, 1920. In five days they parted company. The wife has instituted suit for divorce in the circuit court, alleging her husband guilty of a statutory charge.

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James Clarke in his plea for divorce from Mattie O'Connell Clarke, both of East Moline. They were married in Moline, Ill., Nov. 27, 1914, and separated April 1, 1920.

A charge of desertion is made against George McCollum by Callie McCollum. They were married Nov. 15, 1914, in Iowa City and separated April 28, 1921.

Anna McKee relates a story of too much drunkenness on the part of James McKee, both of East Moline. They were married Nov. 22, 1910, and separated in August, 1919.

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