

## BUTTON WORKERS STILL HOLD OUT

Men Fail to Return to Places in Muscatine Factories Today.

### NON-UNIONISTS FAVORED

Operators Said to Have Promised to Protect the Latter in Readjustment.

Muscatine, Iowa, April 20.—All negotiations between the button manufacturers and employees are again off, the men unanimously voting not to return to work at present.

An official statement issued by the union declares that employees of the various shops in meetings decided not to return to work pending the arrival in the city of Commissioner Van Duhn, to whose efforts Monday's short-lived agreement was due. Failure of several smaller shops to resume operations and a "misunderstanding regarding the nature of the agreement presented by the manufacturers to Commissioner of Labor Van Duhn" are given by the union as reasons for the action taken in the shop meetings.

The union officials state that upon the arrival of Mr. Van Duhn an attempt will be made to arrive at a settlement will be made.

**NON-UNIONISTS PROTECTED.**  
The actual cause of the break in the local situation is believed to be a statement made public in which the manufacturers assured their non-union employees that the men who had remained "loyal" to them during the controversy would not be displaced.

Taking offense, as alleged, at a remark credited to some of the button manufacturers here to the effect that no non-union workmen had stood by them during the strike need fear being dismissed on account of the settlement of the strike, the union workmen, after a lively meeting decided not to return to work today, in spite of the agreement to do so.

This decision was expected, as it was foretold during the day by union leaders, who considered the above remark unnecessary and evidence that the manufacturers were not sincere in

their professions of unhostility to the unions.

### TROOPS MAY RETURN.

President Urick of the Iowa State Federation of Labor addressed the meeting last night, and while advising the course adopted, cautioned the men to act conservatively and within the laws. The state authorities have been apprised of the situation, and it is understood orders will be issued to the troops to be prepared for another call if necessary. It is stated that on the first intimation of rioting the troops will be hurried to Muscatine.

So far the strikers are disposed to remain quiet, and there is belief that the renewed strike will be a "bloodless" one. The hope is that, on the arrival of Commissioner Van Duhn, who has been notified of the change of situation, and is coming to again straighten out the trouble which he was supposed to have settled, the differences will quickly be adjusted.

## Personal Points

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gotwals left this afternoon for Chicago. Mr. Gotwals will go on to Duluth for a business trip.

R. C. Smedley has returned from Bloomington, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother. Her condition is critical.

Mrs. Catherine Huber, Miss Amelia Huber and Otto Huber have gone to Old Point Comfort, Va., where they will visit several weeks.

## SUIT IS SETTLED OUTSIDE OF COURT

Attorneys Reach Agreement and Wickelman Case Is Accordingly Dismissed.

The trial of the damage suit of W. E. Wickelman of East Moline against the village of Carbon Cliff, started in the circuit court yesterday morning, came to an abrupt end in the afternoon after the first of the plaintiff's witnesses had been on the stand a short time. The attorneys for the village agreed upon a settlement out of court and the jury was excused and the suit dismissed. Wickelman sued for \$500 damages because of injuries sustained by his horse when the animal fell through a neglected old bridge in the confines of the village. G. A. Shalberg appeared for the plaintiff and A. B. Johnson and W. E. Whiteside were attorneys for the village.

## SUNDAY CLOSING IS ASKED BY MINISTERS

Better Regulation of Saloons of the City Assured by the Commission.

Rev. F. E. Shult and Rev. W. G. Oglevee, representing the Rock Island Ministerial Alliance, called upon the mayor and commissioners this afternoon and advised them that their organization is strongly in favor of closing of the saloons on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Shult in addressing the commissioners also stated that the ministers would be greatly pleased if the saloons were ordered to close at 10 o'clock at night, as they are in Davenport. He deplored the fact that residents of that city are in the habit of coming to this side of the river to get liquor after the saloons close in that city. The commission refrained from making any promises other than to say that it proposed to have better regulation of the saloons of the city than in the past.

## HUSBANDS ASK DIVORCE

Suits Are Filed by Fred A. Walters and William L. Long.

Fred A. Walters of this city filed suit for divorce this morning in the office of the circuit clerk. In his petition he alleges that his wife, Nellie Walters, has been intimate with other men. Mr. and Mrs. Walters were married Oct. 10, 1909, and they lived together until Nov. 15 of the following year. Clarence J. Schroeder represents the plaintiff. William L. Long of this city also filed suit for divorce this morning. He claims that his wife, Emma L. Long, deserted him in January, 1909, less than a year after their marriage. Searle & Marshall are attorneys for Long.

Mrs. Geneva Taylor of Moline has filed suit for divorce from her husband, Charles Taylor, to whom she was married Sept. 22, 1886. She alleges that the defendant is now in the Joliet penitentiary serving a term as the result of a conviction here in 1907 on a charge of attempted rape. Mrs. Fannie Lee petitions for divorce from her husband, Robert Lee of Moline, on the grounds that he is cruel to her. They were married Jan. 28, 1910, and they lived together but eight months. W. E. Whiteside is attorney for the plaintiffs in each case.

Licensed to Wed.

Ben Kramer ..... South Rock Island  
Miss Elsie J. Eick ..... South Rock Island  
Hal R. Fye ..... Freeport  
Miss Pearl Windecker ..... Freeport  
Albert F. Hentzelmann ..... Chicago  
Miss Anna M. Siemon ..... Rock Island  
Leg Fifer ..... Davenport  
Mrs. Mina Scheef ..... Davenport

Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch of Beetown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. It's the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-sores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it; 25 cents; at all drug stores.

## BOOSTER TRIP IS DATED FOR MAY 9

Rock Island Business Men Forward Plans for Excursion Over the Southern.

### PAPERS PRINT SPECIALS

Idea Is to Distribute Thousands of Copies in Towns—Junketers to Parade.

May 9 has been settled on as the date of the booster excursion over the route of the Rock Island Southern under the auspices of the Rock Island Business Men's association. The arrangements for the trip are in the hands of a committee composed of Simon Mosenfelder, Charles Goff and E. B. Kreis. Simon Mosenfelder, F. G. Young and Warren H. Reek are planning the advertising features.

At a conference of the committees held today it was decided to cooperate with The Argus and the Union in publishing booster editions, each paper to print several thousand additional copies for distributions in the towns on the route of the Southern. In these editions it is proposed to carry illustrations showing the leading business houses, factories, resorts, etc., together with the photographs of men active in the commercial life of the city. The advertising committee is also planning a souvenir to be distributed on the trip. Each business house represented will also be permitted to do what advertising it desires on its own individual responsibility.

### TO PARADE IN TOWNS.

The excursion will probably be the biggest thing of its kind ever promoted in the tri-cities. A band will be carried, and it will head a parade which the boosters will give in each town on the route of the road. At Monmouth the excursionists will take dinner at the Colonial hotel as the guests of the management of the Rock Island Southern. Aleo will be visited on the return trip. It is expected that the boosters will spend an hour or more in the Henry county town.

The Southern is to provide a special train of as many coaches as are needed to carry the crowd. The fare will include all expenses of the trip. The train will leave the city at 8 o'clock in the morning, and be back home in time for supper.

### JUST NEIGHBORLY CALL.

While business is prompting the enterprise primarily, still the people of the city generally feel that they owe a friendly call on their new neighbors in the towns that have been brought in close communication with Rock Island as a result of the opening of the Southern line. Both Monmouth and Aleo have sent out booster junkets which have paid their respects to Rock Island, and the trip to be taken May 9 is in the nature of a return of the compliment.

## BIJOU CIGAR STORE HAS CHANGED HANDS

H. J. Kain and Will Reinhardt, Both of This City, Buy Out Holdings of Lutes & Bay.

The Bijou cigar store and news stand at 1626 Second avenue, changed hands last evening, the firm of Lutes & Bay dissolving after turning over their holdings to the new firm of Kain & Reinhardt. Negotiations have been pending for several months past, and they were consummated yesterday. H. J. Kain of the new firm will be in active charge of the store, and Will Reinhardt, the other member of the firm, expects to put in part of his time at the place. Charles Lutes of the old firm plans a western trip lasting two months before taking up work along new lines. William Bay, his former partner, has not announced his plans for the future. James Brough will remain at the head of the sales department of the store under the new management.

## COLLEGE ORCHESTRA HERE

William and Vashti Organization to Play at Baptist Church.

Thursday evening, April 27 the orchestra of the William and Vashti college, Aleo, will present a program at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Young Men's club. The orchestra has already appeared in the tri-cities, having played in Moline several weeks ago. Those who heard the program were delighted with it. Professor Hannes L. Olson is the director of the orchestra. At present he is director of the school of music in the college. He is a son of the late Olof Olson, former president of Augustana college. With the orchestra as soloist is Miss Edith Morgan, violinist, whose work has charmed audiences over the state. The orchestra is also accompanied by excellent vocal soloists and readers.

## IS RARE ART COLLECTION

On Exhibition at Arts and Crafts Studio in City.

An art collection of exquisite quality is that which is now being exhibited at the Arts and Crafts studio, conducted by Misses Irma and Margo Kohn at 1719 1/2 Second avenue. It includes a number of beautiful miniature productions, the work of Miss Marian Lyle Dunlap of Chicago, who is well known to local people. Miss Dunlap was one of the three Chicago artists invited to participate in the permanent art exhibit of the Chicago

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Dresses from 98c up to \$35

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Art Institute this year. Miss Dunlap is in the city at present, and will remain through Saturday night. In addition to the collection of miniature paintings an exhibit of the jewel work of Miss Jessie M. Preston of Chicago is being shown. Miss Preston has included in her collection for the exhibit a number of unique designs. Her unusually fine workmanship has won considerable recognition from artists. The exhibit will continue through Saturday night.

## WILL OF COLONEL HOBBS

Estate Is Divided Among Widow and Daughters.

The will of the late Lieutenant Colonel Frank E. Hobbs, commandant at Rock Island arsenal, was admitted to probate this morning by Judge R. S. Bell. The instrument provided that each of the two daughters of the deceased, the Misses Eleanor and Marion Hobbs, be given \$1,000 and that the remainder of the estate go to the widow, Mrs. Lydia B. Hobbs. The instrument was drawn and dated July 6, 1910.

## MOLINE GETS CONVENTION

Grand Council of Royal Arcanum Meets There in 1912.

The Illinois grand council of the Royal Arcanum in session at Peoria today, voted the 1912 meeting to Moline.

Proposals for Supplies.  
State of Illinois, board of administration, Springfield, April 17, 1911.—Sealed bids for furnishing eggs, poultry, fish, fresh fruits, green vegetables, straw, hay, corn and oats, excepting matured onions and potatoes, to the Watertown state hospital, will be received on the first day of each month at said institution. For information apply to Dr. W. A. Crooks, managing officer. PURCHASING COMMITTEE, By Frank D. Whipp, Chairman.

The spring term at Brown's Business college opens Monday, May 1st.

## SPECIALS Friday and Saturday

Bulk starch,	
10 pounds for ....	25c
Argo starch,	
seven packages ....	25c
Sweetheart soap,	
seven for .....	25c
Santa Claus soap,	
eight for .....	25c
Elastic starch,	
three for .....	25c
Odor starch,	
three for .....	25c
Good matches,	
eight packages ....	25c
Corn starch,	
package .....	5c
Noodles,	
package .....	5c
Calumet baking powder,	
pound .....	18c
Fancy potatoes,	
peck .....	15c

## R.S. PLACE

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## AIDS OF SHERIFF GIVEN MORE PAY

Wages of Deputies Raised by Additional \$10 Per Month to Each Man.

## COMPLETE AUDIT OF BOOKS

Nothing but Few Clerical Errors Discovered—Undertakers Want Burial Rate Advanced.

At the closing session of the April meeting of the board of supervisors yesterday afternoon, a number of minor matters were attended to. The salaries of the sheriff's deputies were raised, each man getting \$10 additional each month. For 60 years past the pay of the deputies has been \$2.50 a day and of late years it has been pointed out to the board time and again that this was not enough compensation for them. Accordingly the pay of the first deputy, who also acts as jailer, was fixed at \$3 a day or \$90 a month, and that of each of the other deputies was made \$2.85 a day, or about \$75 for a working month, which includes 26 days.

**AUDITOR MAKES REPORT.**  
John A. Goodman, who under direction of the board made an exhaustive audit of the books of all of the county officials, reported yesterday that he had completed his work and that the books of all the officials were in excellent condition. A few clerical errors were discovered, but beyond this the books were found satisfactory.

The report of the retiring committee which was at work on the new bridge over Rock river at Colona reported on having received certain plans and estimates for the building of the piers which are to hold up the bridge on the Rock Island county side. The newly appointed roads and bridges committee was authorized to go ahead with the plans as formulated by the old committee.

**WANT BURIAL RATE RAISED.**  
A petition signed by all the undertakers of the county was presented to the board. The undertakers asked to have the price of pauper burials raised from the present rate of \$10 to the sum of \$25. The matter was referred to the committee on poor claims.

Chairman Richmond named Supervisors S. R. Wright, Swan Dahlberg and Zach Einfeldt as a committee to wait upon the municipal commissions of this city and Moline in an attempt to get them to agree to establish jointly with the county a workhouse where the prisoners of the county and the two cities may be put to work to earn their keep.

**FRANCHISE PETITION REFERRED.**  
The petition of the Tri-City Railway company asking for a renewal of its franchise in South Rock Island, together with additional privileges, was again referred to the judiciary committee which was ordered to bring in a report at the June meeting.

## SILVIS WOOD WORKS BURNED TO GROUND

Flames From Unknown Cause Destroy \$5,000 Worth of Property—Insurance \$4,000.

Fire last night completely destroyed the Variety wood works at Silvis, owned by W. A. Gallaher. The loss is \$5,000, with \$4,000 insurance. The flames broke out about 11:15 and the

cause is unknown. Before the fire department reached the scene the roof had fallen in and it was impossible to save anything. The building was located on First avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets. There had been no fire in the place for several months but there were electric wires furnishing power to run the machinery, to which the origin of the flames may be due.

## RIVER RIPLETS

Captain Walter A. Blair, manager of the Northern Steamboat Line company, owners of the Morning Star, has announced that the big boat will be taken off the dock in the Kahke yards tomorrow morning and will be brought to the Davenport dock, where it will be placed in readiness for the 26-day cruise to New Orleans, leaving here May 4. The boat was brought from southern waters a year ago and since that time has been thoroughly overhauled and placed in shape for the packet and freight traffic between the local port and St. Paul. Its first trip to St. Paul will be immediately after the return from the cruise to the mouth of the Mississippi.

## PATCHING UP PAVEMENTS

City Commission Puts Men at Work Repairing Unsettled Jogs.

One public work that has been started for which the municipal commission will have the gratitude of citizens is the repairing of street pavements. A force of men has been put at work on Second avenue, where there are numerous unsightly jogs. After these have been patched up the pavements in other sections of the city will receive attention.

## GUARD SHORT OF MONEY

Cannot Pay Transportation, Hence Regiments Will Be Scattered.

Springfield, Ill., April 20.—The Illinois National Guard will camp by regiments at various places this year instead of holding a division encampment in any one place, according to an announcement made yesterday by Adjutant General Dickson. The change in plans is due to lack of funds to pay transportation. The Second brigade, consisting of the 4th, 5th, and 6th regiments of infantry, will camp

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at Springfield. The 3rd brigade, composed of the 3rd and 6th regiments of infantry, will camp at Dixon Aug. 12 to 26. The 1st brigade, consisting of the 1st, 2nd, and 7th regiments of infantry and the 1st regiment of cavalry, will camp near Chicago, the place not having been determined upon. The artillery battalion will go in to camp with the United States troops at Sparta, Wis., Sept. 1 to 10.

## Might Not Be Alive.

McMinnville, Tenn.—Mrs. Ocie Jett, of this place, writes: "I don't believe I would be living today, if it hadn't been for Cardui. I lay in bed for 27 days, and the doctor came every day, but he did me no good. Finally, he advised an operation, but I would not consent, and instead took Cardui. Now I am going about the house, doing my work, and even doing my washing. Cardui worked wonders in my case. I am in better health than for five years." Cardui is a strengthening tonic for women. It relieves pain, tones up the nerves, builds strength. Try it. At your druggist's.

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