

DISCOVERS BODY OF DECKHAND WHO FELL FROM BOAT

Joe Mockmore Finds Body of Arthur Schultz Who Was Drowned Tuesday.

WORKED ON BIG STEAMER

Coroner R. C. J. Meyer Conducts Inquest—Remains to Be Taken to St. Paul for Burial.

After remaining in the water for three days, the body of Arthur Schultz, the deck hand who was drowned by falling off the steamer St. Paul last Tuesday morning as the boat was pulling away from the Rock Island shore, came to the surface this morning one mile above Andalusia, where it was discovered floating face downward near the Illinois shore by Joe Mockmore, a clam digger. Immediately after making the discovery Mr. Mockmore notified the authorities of his find and Coroner R. C. J. Meyer held an inquest at 12:30 today. The coroner's jury after hearing the had been caused by accidental drowning.

IDENTIFIES BODY. The identification of the body was made from a description of Schultz sent by the relatives who reside at St. Paul. When found he was dressed in working clothes with his sleeves rolled up and there is no doubt as to whether he is the right party. The body was brought to Rock Island this afternoon and taken to O'Malley's undertaking rooms where it will be prepared for shipment. Relatives of the young man, who is but 19 years of age, are expected in the city this evening to make arrangements for the final disposition of the body.

DEERE PICNIC IS ON AT THE ISLAND

Ten Thousand in Attendance at Big Annual Affair for Factory Employees.

The annual Deere picnic held this afternoon at Campbell's island is one of the biggest features of its kind ever attempted. An attendance of 10,000 or more is easily expected, and with this beautiful weather more than that number will probably turn out to drink their fill of free lemonade and enjoy the day's outing. Some idea of the crowd may be determined from the fact that over 15,000 lemons were squeezed yesterday preparatory to making the thirst-quencher today. Last year this crowd was estimated at over 9,000, and from all appearances that mark will be more than reached this year. However, owing to the lack of street cars and to the limited accommodations on the island, it has been found necessary to limit the attendance this year to those actually employed in the Deere plant at the present time. Every effort, however, was put forth by the street car company to take care of all the crowds, and under the existing circumstances the service was not bad. Races, ball games, fairs of war and other field sports filled the afternoon, all of which the winners received prizes for. One of the greatest events of the day came when the ship men lined up against the office force for their annual tug of war, an event which always causes a great deal of excitement. There were races for every one, both young and old, fat and small. When the fat men got together for their race on the track, you may be sure that there was something doing. The excitement was great throughout the whole day, and nobody went thirsty because of the lack of lemonade.

WEDDING IS A SURPRISE

C. R. Ammerman and Mabel McClellan Take Friends Unawares.

C. R. Ammerman of Moline and Miss Mabel McClellan of Rock Island were married at 10 o'clock this morning at the parsonage of St. John's Methodist church, Davenport, Rev. Frank Cole officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. H. C. McClellan, 538 Thirty-first street. The groom is employed in the office of the Moline Plow company. While the young folks made no secret of the fact that they expected to marry some day, they had dropped no word that would indicate that the date of the wedding was near. They did not even take their own families in on their little secret, making no announcement until after the ceremony had been performed.

VICTIM CLAIMED AT DEATH CURVE

Third Train Fatality in 40 Days Occurs at Fejervary Park Embankment.

Another man was killed by Rock Island passenger train No. 8 at "Death Curve" near the embankment of Fejervary park this afternoon at 1:15, the third to meet a tragic end at this point within a period of 40 days. Eastbound passenger No. 8 has been responsible for two of the killings, the last victim being claimed May 6. There is a high embankment and a sharp curve at this point and one walking on the track cannot hear or see the train until it is upon him. The victim of today, unidentified, appeared to be about 26 years of age. He wore a suit which was purchased at the "S. & L." clothing store, Harrison and Second streets, Davenport, but had no papers or marks of identification on his person.

LOCAL MARKSMEN LEAVE FOR SHOOT

Captain Edward Dunavin and Private Freiberg Go to Chicago.

Captain Edward Dunavin and Private Freiberg of Company A left this morning for Chicago where they will compete in the annual state regimental shoot which will be held at Camp Logan next Saturday and Sunday. The captain and Mr. Freiberg expect to spend tomorrow on the range getting accustomed to things and on Sunday they will take part in the contest. Both Captain Dunavin and Private Freiberg have been making some good scores on the local range during the last week and unless the unexpected happens they will no doubt bring home their share of the honors.

FURNISH BAIL FOR NEGRO PRISONERS

State's Attorney Floyd E. Thompson today announced that he would not prosecute the six negro cases recently appealed to circuit court. The squad of crows was arrested at 2217 Third avenue. He intends to nolle prosequere their cases and order them out of town as he does not want the state to be put to the expense of prosecution. All of the culprits are out of jail on bonds of \$225 each.

PERSONAL POINTS

Mrs. William M. Walker is visiting for several weeks with relatives in Kansas City, Mo.

Sergeant Gus Gustafson of the U. S. S. Ohio, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Tony Gustafson, of this city, leaves this evening for Philadelphia, where he will be stationed for some time at the navy yard.

Mrs. H. K. Mack of Paducah, Ky., is in the city visiting at the home of H. D. Mack. H. K. Mack will arrive in Rock Island early next week to spend the Fourth of July, after which both he and Mrs. Mack will return to their home at Paducah.

COLORED TROOPER GETTING BETTER AT THE HOSPITAL

Frank Rochelle, the colored trooper who was wounded several days ago in a shooting scrape on the Rock Island arsenal, is improving rapidly and it will not be long before he will be able to be around again. He is still in the hospital but his condition is such that he can soon leave.

WANTS DAMAGES FOR HIS ARREST

Harry Dosten Brings Action for \$5,000 Against Village of Silvis and Marshal.

HAD NO WARRANT HE SAYS

Following Fight He Was Put in Lock-up Over Night—Claims False Imprisonment.

Suit for \$5,000 damages has been brought in circuit court by Harry Dosten vs. the village of Silvis and Willis Hopson, town marshal, the grounds being false imprisonment. On Tuesday evening there was a fight in Silvis and the plaintiff was pointed out to the marshal as one of the guilty parties. He was arrested and placed in the lockup where he spent the night. Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock he was liberated and told there was no charge against him.

BRINGS SUIT

Dosten, who is a young man of 20 and is employed in the Silvis switch yards, immediately secured the services of J. B. & J. L. Oakleaf, Moline, and brought suit for \$5,000 for false arrest. A praecipe for summons was filed with the circuit clerk this morning and the declaration will be filed later.

It is understood that the defendant claims he was not in the fight at all and that there was absolutely no reason for his arrest. He claims that in the fuss, Charles Carter was the aggressor but he has not been apprehended. His brother, Harold Dosten, was also arrested and bound over to the grand jury as an outgrowth of the trouble but his attorney says he is to be liberated on a writ of habeas corpus.

AUTOS WRECKED IN BAD COLLISION

Accident Occurs at Twenty-sixth Street and Fifth Avenue—Boy in Jail.

Two automobiles were almost entirely wrecked in a collision at Twenty-sixth street and Fifth avenue this afternoon at 2:30, although the drivers escaped injury. As a result of the accident, 15-year-old Albert G. Simpson of Davenport is under arrest here for violating the traffic ordinance. Fred Grams, who operates a saloon at Thirtieth street and Fourteenth avenue, was driving a Ford west while the Davenport machine, a White, was approaching it from the opposite direction. Wishing to turn out and finding a wagon in his path at the right, young Simpson shot out behind a street car to the left, crashing into the Ford machine. Officer Ginnane placed Simpson under arrest and his case will probably be heard tomorrow morning.

AWARD CONTRACT FOR CEMENT JOB

Andrew Nelson Will Install Walks Around Beautiful Masonic Temple.

With the awarding of the contract for the sidewalk around the new Masonic temple the local Masons signed the final contract connected with the construction of the new home on Eighteenth street at their regular meeting last night. Andrew Nelson, being the lowest bidder, was awarded the job and he expects to have a force of men at work by the first of next week when the new home will be formally entered by the members of the local lodge.

Work of moving the furniture from the old to the new quarters will be started Saturday and by Monday it is expected that the place will be ready for occupancy. At the meeting last night all the unfinished business connected with the construction of the home was disposed of, much to the relief of the members of the building association, who have spent many

busy months in superintending the construction of the building. It was announced this morning that nearly all of the tickets for the Masonic excursion to Clinton, July 8, had been sold and the members of the lodge expect to realize a neat sum from the affair which will be added to the building fund.

OBITUARY

IVAN EVERETT GAPON. Ivan Everett Gapon, the seven-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gapon, passed away at the family home, 802 Second avenue, at 7 o'clock this morning after a brief illness. The funeral will be held at the home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. E. Newland will be in charge of the services and interment will be made in Chippianock cemetery.

FUNERAL OF W. M. WENDT.

The funeral of William Martin Wendt was held this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence at 10 at the German Lutheran church. Rev. Ph. Wilhelm was in charge of the services and interment was made in the German Lutheran cemetery.

SMALLPOX NOW UNDER CONTROL

Recent Epidemic Checked and No New Cases Have Developed.

Within a week Rock Island will be free from the recent epidemic of smallpox that has been worrying the health department during the last six weeks. Dr. Craig stated this morning that during the last few days no new cases had been discovered and all the ones that are under quarantine at the present time are improving rapidly.

The fact that the epidemic has been checked is due to the excellent work of the Rock Island health department, the members of which worked tirelessly night and day seeking cases of the disease. The house to house canvass which was conducted by Dr. Craig was the most important factor in the stamping out of the contagion.

THREE JUDGES PASS ON IMPORTANT MATTER

The hearing of the three judges of this judicial district on the matter of the circuit clerk retaining the fees for naturalization papers was postponed several hours today. Judge Graves stated he could not reach here until 4 o'clock and Judge Ramsay telephoned he could not reach here until 6. The two judges are to express their opinions and when Judge Ramsay arrives he will have his opinion ready, as the matter was submitted to him some time ago.

CITY ENGINEER PROVES REAL GUM FOOT SLEUTH

City Engineer Wallace Treichler came near losing his porch swing last evening. Some one—and the city official is sure he knows who—came to his porch at 1:30 this morning, and taking down the swing, started to carry it from the house. He heard the commotion, and called the man by name, who in his fright dropped his plunder and fell backwards down the embankment.

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE WHILE DEMENTED

At the inquest held yesterday afternoon over the remains of the Moline Belgian who cut his throat with a butcher knife to end his troubles, the jury returned a verdict that he came to his death by taking his own life while demented. An attempt to being made to reach his relatives and if this fails, he will be buried tomorrow.

RIVER RIPLETS

The steamer G. W. Hill will take out Professor Slater's dancing school on the evening of Wednesday, July 2.

The Hill has been engaged by the Presbyterian Sunday school for an excursion on the afternoon of July 2.

On the evening of July 2 the Hill will take out the alumnae of Brown's Business college for their annual excursion on the river, and on July 3 the Masons of Rock Island will go to Clinton for the day. On the evening of July 3 the boat has been chartered by the M. & G. club of Davenport, and on the next evening the Your club will give an excursion.

The steamer Morning Star will be in tomorrow on its regular packet trip.

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Farmer Paid \$2 "Bounty" for 15,000, 000 Cinch Consignment.

Carlinville, Ill., June 26.—Farmers in Macoupin county, Illinois, are making a profit out of a pest by taking advantage of a strange "bounty" offer. Macoupin county business men organized a committee, which offered \$2 a bushel for all cinch bugs sent in by farmers to the committee headquarters at Carlinville. Ike Sneadaker of Jerseyville, who, with his brother, Dr. Frank S. Sneadaker, runs a farm at Pleasantville, was the first to claim the bounty. He shipped thirty-two quarts of bugs, gathered from holes at the side of a field. Sneadaker estimates there were 15,000,000 bugs in the consignment.

WALTER BURRIDGE DEAD

Scenic Artist Succumbs in West—Body to Be Brought to Chicago.

Chicago, June 26.—A telegram announcing the death of Walter W. Burrbridge, 55 years old, a scenic artist of New York, which occurred in Albuquerque, N. M., late on Tuesday, has reached Chicago. Mr. Burrbridge was well known in Chicago art and theatrical circles. Acute indigestion is assigned as the cause of his death. Preceding his last illness he was engaged in painting a series of 100-foot oil reproductions of the Grand canon to be exhibited at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Mrs. Burrbridge, the widow, received the news of her husband's death at the home of Mrs. H. M. Smith, 435 Maple avenue, Oak Park, where she is a guest. She stopped here from a visit on her way west to join her husband.

The artist's body will be brought to Chicago, and the funeral probably will be held at the Grace Episcopal church of Oak Park Saturday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.



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Establish Grades.

The members of the city commission and the city engineer spent this afternoon in the east part of town establishing grades.

Seattle—When the will of H. W. Peters, a Seattle real estate owner, who died Sunday, was opened it was found he had divided his \$20,000 estate between the general convention of the New Jerusalem of America, with headquarters in Boston, and the American Swedenborg Printing and Publishing Society of New York.

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