

DAY IN DAVENPORT

Morrissey is improving.—According to his physician, Ed Morrissey, the St. Ambrose football player who is at Mercy hospital in a precarious condition from blood poisoning resulting from a fractured limb, was slightly improved. The improvement is not at all marked, his temperature continues high and his pulse is stronger. He will not be out of danger under the most favorable circumstances for several days, as the poison remains in his system. A brother of the young man, Dr. Morrissey of Oakes, N. D., arrived in Davenport Saturday. Dr. Morrissey is a practicing physician and is assisting Dr. Donohoe in the case.

Licensed to Wed.—The following marriage licenses have been issued: Earl F. Rowland and Esther McCullough, Cedar Rapids; John Devenyns, Rock Island, and Irene Tetens, Davenport; Chester A. Bird and Mary Allen Brown, Davenport; Harold Anderson and Amanda Kapp, Davenport.

Truck Damages Hose House.—Half of the front of No. 3 hose house on Harrison between Twelfth and Thirteenth was torn out Saturday after-

noon when struck by the big fire truck kept there. The truck was responding to a hurry call. The accident was caused by the driver temporarily losing control of the steering gear as he stooped to prevent his head striking the top of the doorway.

Hands Burned With Gasoline.—As the result of an explosion of a pan of gasoline at 713 LeClaire street Friday night, Mrs. E. Conwell and daughter Margaret are nursing severely burned hands. The gasoline was resting on a range beneath a blazing jet when it exploded, throwing the flaming liquid over the two women. The fire department was called and the blaze quickly extinguished. The burns were dressed by the firemen.

Arm Mangled in Cog.—While engaged in performing his duties at the Western Flour Mills Saturday afternoon, Percy Downs, a machinist, caught his sleeve in a wheel and before he could release himself the arm was drawn into the cog and the member was horribly mangled. Downs was taken to St. Luke's hospital immediately. Although the injury is painful

it is not considered dangerous, and he will probably be out within a week. He lives on Tremont avenue.

Returned to Reformatory.—Burns Schneider, 22 years old, walked into the office of Sheriff Louis Eckhardt Saturday afternoon and asked to be locked in jail. "What have you done?" asked the sheriff. "I escaped from the reformatory at Plankinton, S. D., last April," was the reply.

Since that time the man said he has been wandering all over the country endeavoring to evade the vigilance of the authorities. He believed that he would be apprehended sooner or later and decided that he would give himself up. The sheriff wired the South Dakota authorities of the man's capture.

Maccabee Rally Tuesday.—Dr. Elizabeth M. Hooper, chairman of the supreme medical board of the Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, will deliver the principal address of the evening here Tuesday evening at LeClaire hall, where the district rally of order will be held. Dr. Hooper is an interesting and instructive speaker and all members would do well to hear her. Practically all of the arrangements have been completed

by the local chapter of Maccabees for the grand district rally of the Ladies of the Maccabees of the World held here Tuesday afternoon and evening, when the members of the organization from the district embracing several counties will be in the city. Plans for the entertainment of large delegations from Iowa City, Clinton, Muscatine, Rock Island and Moline, besides several smaller cities in the surrounding territory, have been outlined, and if present indications are realized the gathering will be one of the largest of the kind ever held by the Maccabees order.

Big Real Estate Deal.—The Stark & Ruser jewelry store building at 119 West Second street has been sold to Silberstein Bros., who have a 99-year lease on the ground on which the building stands. The building is understood to have brought \$1,750. On the site Silberstein Bros. are to erect a modern 4-story store building to which place their clothing establishment at the corner of Second and Harrison streets will be transferred. Martin Silberstein has purchased of A. Hombrecht five stores on upper Harrison street, the largest transaction of the year in suburban business property. The stores run from 1514 to 1522 Harrison and include the stores at present occupied by the Cameron Wall Paper Co. and Bolling Pool hall, Julius A. Petersen furnishing and drygoods store, the Heery shoe store branch and the P. H. Van Vliet confectionery and cigar store. The transfer was made through the agency of S. Smiley. The property is understood to have brought \$18,000. Mr. Silberstein makes the purchase as an investment.

Obituary Record.—Melvin C. Chase, 40 years old, died at St. Luke's hospital Saturday afternoon from injuries received a few hours before in a collision between a Rock Island switch engine and a laundry truck at Fifth and Marquette streets. Case lived at 409 East Twelfth street. The automobile was a machine of the Iowa Steam Laundry company, driven by Henry Lemberg. The engine was east bound. The driver of the car failed to see the danger. Case was riding on the front running board of the locomotive and was caught and squeezed between the engine and the automobile. Lemberg was uninjured. The fatally injured switchman was taken to St. Luke's hospital in the city ambulance. There medical attention was given him, but he died a few hours later.

Coroner Rudolph was notified of the man's death and with the assistance of Phil Kahles swore in the jury for the inquest, which will probably be held Tuesday or Wednesday. The jury consists of Henry Hendricksen, Hugo Braun and Walter Brooks. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning from the home, with interment at Oakdale cemetery. The dead man was born May 23, 1873, in Michigan, where he was educated. He is survived by a wife and six children, Roy and Edward, Helen, Thelma, Dorothy and Anna, all at home.

Funeral services for Lloyd M. Schroeder, 6-weeks' old son of Mr. and Mrs. August Schroeder, who died at 3:30 o'clock Saturday morning at the home in Eldridge was held from the late home at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Burial was made in the McCausland cemetery. The child was born Aug. 21, 1913, in Eldridge and is survived by the parents only.

Frances Claire Reimers, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan Reimers, died Friday at the home in the Pasadena flats. The funeral was held from the home Saturday morning with burial in Oakdale cemetery.

VIOLA

Frank Bissel of Colorado Springs arrived Saturday evening on business and a visit to his brothers, E. B. and W. H. Bisselle and families. Rev. B. R. Nesbitt transacted business in Davenport Friday. Miss Mary Winn left Wednesday morning for Henderson, where she will visit friends. Harry Correy visited friends in Orion over Sunday.

The Women's Home and Foreign Mission society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Marie Bradford at Burgess Wednesday, October 8. Mesdames T. A. Dunlap, T. F. Sexton, W. T. Bailey and Miss Lucy Spicer went to New Boston Wednesday, to attend a county convention. Rev. Mr. Nesbitt addressed the convention Wednesday evening.

Miss Fern Hardin, who is teaching near New Windsor, was a guest at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Gwon Thomas, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Dingwell and baby left Tuesday evening for Milton, Iowa, where they will visit Mrs. Dingwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Haney. Mrs. W. H. Mettler returned to her home in Tiskilwa Monday morning, after spending several days at the home of Dr. Lipton with her mother and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Mettler have sold their home in Tiskilwa and have purchased a fine home in LaGrange, a short distance from Chicago. They expected to move there about Oct. 10.

F. D. Gehant of West Brooklyn came Thursday evening and remained until Friday afternoon calling on friends and attending to some business in Rock Island Friday.

Mrs. Charles Hobart and baby of Chicago are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Southern. Mrs. Hobart formerly lived in Viola and is better known here as Miss Hattie Perkins. Her husband will join her in his visit here the last of the week. J. G. Zern and family spent Sunday

at Burgess at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bradford.

Kaveny Brothers received two cars of cattle and Russell & Kennedy one car of cattle from the Kansas City stock yards last Saturday.

Mrs. Hollister, state organizer for the Women's Christian Temperance union, will give an address in the M. E. church next Monday night at 7:30.

Mrs. B. A. Park and daughter, Mrs. Florence Hamilton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park spent Wednesday in New Windsor, the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Lina Rhea of Long Beach, Cal., visited Friday at the home of her cousin, Mrs. James Ashenbush and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ashenbush accompanied her to Monmouth Friday evening. Mrs. Rhea is enroute home from a trip to Europe.

Louis Frey of Rock Island spent Sunday with Fred Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Warner, formerly of this place, but now of Santa Monica, California, arrived Wednesday noon for a visit with relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gardner came home Monday from a trip to the encampment at Chattanooga and other places of interest in the southland.

Mesdames Perry Hardin and Thomas Edgington came from Keithsburg and spent the day Wednesday with the former's mother, Mrs. Gwen Thomas, and family.

Miss Lida Baxter, who has been employed at the Deaconess hospital in Peoria the past two years, resigned her position there and returned to Viola Monday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Park of Clinton, Conn., arrived Friday evening to make a several weeks' visit with Mr. Park's mother, Mrs. B. A. Park, also with brothers and sisters residing here.

E. R. and Fred Frazier and Brom Baxter went by auto to Rock Island Wednesday.

At a called meeting Monday evening the village board granted the Tri-County Light and Power company a further extension of franchise to July 1, 1914, with a proviso that they forfeit \$500 in case they do not furnish service on or before that date.

Mrs. George Heaton was a passenger to Peoria Wednesday to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Hawton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennison moved their household goods to Alexis Friday and will make that city their home. The house vacated by Mr. Dennison will be occupied by Harry Lindburg, who is moving here from Chicago.

Mrs. R. M. Breckenridge and daughter, Mrs. O. C. Bridger returned home Tuesday evening from a visit at the home of H. C. Breckenridge in Chicago.

Miss Grace Bowman concluded her visit with relatives here, returning home at Oneida Monday morning.

Mrs. Ruth Goding Benfett and baby, after spending the summer with her husband morning for her home at Elmira, Ark.

Miss Mae Boyer of Hopewell visited from Saturday until Tuesday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Carnahan departed Friday for Appleton, N. Y., where they will visit their son, Ernest Carnahan and family.

Mesdames E. C. Sexton, Fannie Rush, Gwen Thomas and daughter Gwen visited visitors in Aledo Friday.

Frank Terry, accompanied by Emmet Green and Grant Palmer, left Monday on a trip to Minnesota.

Born Tuesday, Sept. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. John Janson, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Winsteln and children went to Rock Island Wednesday to visit with relatives and attend the celebration of the Jewish New Year.

Mrs. Harper Robinson and two children of Livingston, Montana, came from Galesburg, Monday, to visit at the home of Mr. Robinson's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milligan and uncle, W. C. Milligan.

A number of members of the Alexis Masonic lodge were here Thursday and did some third degree work for the lodge at this place. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the work.

Hugh Kitzmiller left Saturday for Peoria where he expects to remain indefinitely.

SKIRTS FOR MEN IN PARIS; HONOR TO GREEKS WHO SOMETIMES WEAR THEM



Paris, Oct. 6.—The Paris fashion designers have doped out a new one for the men. It is a garment designed to conceal or hide from view the male underpinnings, its function being much the same as the trousers so much in use by the masculine gender. But Parisian tailors have decided that while trousers are perhaps of some value in a utilitarian way, they fall sadly as a means of decoration. And so they have set to work and have created a covering for the male limbs that pleases the eye as well. They are made of the lightest of chiffon, and well, you might as well have it now—they're skirts!

It seems that the peasants and mountaineers of Greece wear little pleated ballet skirts. Not only on the stage and in the moving pictures, but every day during business hours. The Parisian fashion designers feel that the Greeks should be paid some little tribute for their valor in the recent wars and so they are urging the dandies and exquisites of Paris to appear in the toe-dancing garb. The scantiness of the female skirt has thrown a lot of skirtmakers out of work, and this is another reason why the feminine habilliment is being wished on the inoffensive males. Some of the leading duds of Paris are being recruited by the fashion leaders who promise them a pink petticoat free if they'll only wear it in public. In this way the fad will be given some impetus. In Paris the women are highly in favor of this latest bit of evidence that all fashion designers are off their nuts. It is said that Parisian ladies, after a season at the beaches, are eager to see the male limb "en nature" the year round. Forgetting apparently that a hard winter is coming on. They declare that they are weary of the prosy, commonplace trousers so much in use at the present by the men here. Some of the most notorious beaux of Paris, it is whispered in female circles, have lovely legs. They are expected to be among the first to appear in the pink spang-doodles. Not infrequently American male

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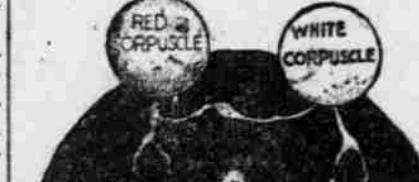
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