

County Settles With Violators Of Zoning Law

Settlements Made With Those Accused of Breaking Rules.

Richard Martens, county engineer and zoning administrator, said Friday that amicable arrangements are being made for settlement of alleged zoning violations brought to his attention in recent weeks.

Five purported violators appeared this week before Martens to present their side of violations. They ranged from building too close to property lines to improper location of trailers.

Several violators showed evidence of having started construction before the zoning law went into effect. The trailer camp in question, now virtually closed, is seeking a zone change to permit legal re-opening.

Martens pointed out that the zoning law is very new, and only in operation in a small part of the county. For this reason, actions at this time must necessarily be tempered with caution.

ANNUAL CRAFT CLASSES WILL START TUESDAY

Davenport Park Board Again Offering Free Instruction.

Classes in arts and crafts, sponsored by the Davenport park board, will begin for the season at 1 p. m. Tuesday, Oct. 4, in the park shop, 236 West Central Park avenue.

The craft room will be open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 4 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m. Tuesdays there will be figure painting in the afternoon and leatherwork at night. Thursday afternoon and night there will be ceramics classes.

Persons interested in classes are being asked to call the park office, 3-9833. There will be no enrollment fee, but materials are to be paid for by the individual. Children's craft classes will start in November.

The park board also announced that the social dance program, sponsored by the recreation department, will begin Tuesday at J. B. Young junior high school. Through the winter months, dances will be held Tuesdays at Young; Wednesday nights at Sudlow; and Thursday at Smart schools.

WILLIAM ORRIS' ARM BROKEN IN AUTO-TRACTOR COLLISION

Washington, Ia.—William A. Orris, 52, Crawfordville, incurred a broken left arm below the elbow when his car and a tractor collided at 5 p. m. Thursday. The tractor was operated by Dell P. Farrier, 29, Crawfordville.

The scope on the tractor struck Orris on his arm protruding from the left window.

At It Again

Davenport's clothesline thief was on the prowl again Thursday night. Mrs. C. Schaab, 1427 West Thirteenth street, reported to police several items of women's underclothing were stolen from the yard at her home, and Mrs. C. F. Walker, 2086 Main street, said five sheets and two children's dresses were missing from the clothesline at her home.

City Briefs

Granted Decree—Marjorie Chandler was granted a decree of separate maintenance from Emery Ray Chandler in district court late Thursday. She was awarded custody of three minor children and \$20 a week support money.

Parents of Son—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moeller of Wilton Junction are the parents of a son born Wednesday in Bellevue hospital, Muscatine. Mrs. Moeller is the former Miss Ruth Langfeldt of Davenport.

Speeder Fined—Arrested by the Iowa state patrol, Edward Crocker, 517 South Dillmer street, was fined \$10 and costs when arraigned Friday before Police Magistrate John J. McSwiggan on a charge of speeding.

Tax Report Filed—The estate of Florence Dougherty, 53, who died April 30, is valued at \$21,967, according to a preliminary inheritance tax report filed Friday in Scott county district court by the law firm of Bollinger & Donegan.

Hunter Kills Bear—Herman Stueben, 2192 Frisco drive, vacationed near Cass lake, Minn., shot a 350-pound black bear Thursday with a .30-30 rifle. He was accompanied by a guide. The animal dressed out to provide 254 pounds of edible meat.

River Traffic—Boats thru the Davenport locks Thursday night and Friday morning included the Richard Moyle with four barges for Dubuque; Husky No. 1 with two barges and the Tri-Cities with six barges, both for Wood River, and the A. H. Truax with eight barges for Alton.

Home on Leave—Edna M. White, W.A.C., is spending leave at her home in LeClaire, after receiving basic training at Camp Lee, Va. She will go to Camp Kimer, N. J., for course in photography. Sgt. Cecil L. Domer is also spending a leave at his home in LeClaire. He is a veteran of 12 years' service and recently reenlisted for three years with the heavy mortar company, Fourth Infantry, Fort Lewis, Wash.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marvin Noll and Mildred J. Howell, both of Davenport.

Paul H. Sanders, Buffalo, Ia., and Wilma A. Starr, Davenport.

VISITS OF DOC STORK

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Garrison, Wilton Junction, Ia., a girl, born Friday in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gordon, 711 Marquette street, a boy, born Thursday in St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius T. Bina, R. R. No. 4, Davenport, a boy, born Thursday in Mercy hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Manning, 1528 West Pleasant street, a boy, born Thursday in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burmeister, New Liberty, Ia., a girl, born Thursday in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nichl, 2131 Galilee street, a boy, born Thursday in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nugent, 2125 Iowa street, a boy, born Thursday in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker, 1001 1/2 West Fourth street, a boy, born Friday in Davenport Osteopathic hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, Buffalo, Ia., born Friday in Davenport Osteopathic hospital.

MONROE INQUEST TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Clinton, Ia.—Coroner Robert Johnson has impounded a jury to hear evidence in the inquest at 7:30 p. m. Friday into the death of Dorrance Monroe, 50, Rock Island, instantly killed when the truck he was riding overturned on highway No. 61 two miles south of DeWitt Wednesday night. Hal Norton, also of Rock Island, driver of the truck, is in technical custody. He has retained Emmett Maloney, Clinton attorney, to represent him at the inquest. Maloney successfully opposed efforts to book Norton for driving while intoxicated. A blood count failed to show the minimum fixing intoxication under the Iowa statute although a urine count in the same test exceeded the minimum.

New Twist in Coroner Question; Supervisors May Pick Physician For Post and Medical Examiner

As the list of applicants for Scott county coroner increased to nine, the board of supervisors Friday was considering creation of a new medical examiner's position, to be held jointly with the job of coroner.

This move will make it mandatory for the successor of Coroner Frank C. Keppy, who died last Sunday, to be a physician.

Establishment of the medical examiner's post is the suggestion of County Attorney Clark O. Filseth.

Thru this means, a permanent salary would indirectly be attached to the coroner's job. The medical director would be paid approximately \$100 per month, in addition to his fees as coroner. At present, the coroner receives payment only from fees on a per case basis. This has made the job comparatively unattractive for physicians.

DELAY ACTION. Because of Filseth's suggestion, the board will probably not take action until next week on appointment of a successor to Keppy. It was originally hoped to name a coroner Saturday.

Meanwhile, three more men have applied for the job, raising the total to nine. The new applicants are Dr. Gilbert F. McCullough, 329 East Fifteenth street, a physician; H. E. Stroehlein, 1623 Washington street, former president of the Walcott school board and active in Blue Cross township politics; and Clifford Wildman, 1517 Robeson street, Holtendorf, registered pharmacist. Previous applicants include Virgil H. Dahms, Frank M. Gray, Louise Engel, Harry Runge, Herbert Thorndyke and Roy B. McGinnis.

Filseth and the board maintain their stand in considering only a physician for the board. With the medical examiner's post in mind, they have no choice other than to name a medical doctor.

"We believe a physician is necessary for coroner," Filseth said. "With the new job in conjunction with it, the post should present a much more financial attraction than the present setup."

Among physicians being mentioned for the combination position are Dr. Roland Eriksson and Dr. F. H. Lamb, Davenport pathologist-informal discussion Friday, termed Dr. F. H. Lamb, Davenport pathologist of note, as their ideal choice for the job, but felt assured that he would be unable to accept the post because of business reasons.

UCCW SEMINAR IS SLATED TUESDAY AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Members of the United Council of Church Women will hold an all-day seminar at St. John's church Tuesday, beginning at 10 a. m. with a worship service conducted by Mrs. W. L. Crowding, of Sunbury, Mass., chairman.

Mrs. N. W. Melicath, Des Moines, co-chairman of the seminar and president of the Iowa State Council of Church Women, will present a program on the Council of Church Women, with a discussion of the organization, finance, promotion and publicity led by Mrs. E. Lester Keyser, Baltimore, Md., president of the Maryland state council.

HUSBAND AWARDED CEMETERY LOT IN DIVORCE DECREE

Title to a cemetery lot was the only property disposition in the divorce case of Walter Roy Hill against his wife, Jean Hill.

Hill, awarded a divorce Friday from his wife in Scott county district court, was given the lot in Memorial Park cemetery. He was represented by J. M. Maloney. The couple was married March 17, 1942.

BUCKLEY TO SEEK CIO RECOGNITION FOR LOCAL GROUP

Bernard Buckley, chairman of the Mississippi Valley CIO Industrial Council, a group seeking official recognition from national CIO to replace the Grand-city CIO council, will attend the national CIO convention which opens in Cleveland Oct. 31.

He will press the cause for his group with top union officials. The decision to send Buckley to the convention was made Thursday night at a meeting of the Mississippi Valley council at the United Steelworkers hall in Rock Island.

Expect Grand Jury To Report in Week

With their investigation nearing an end, members of the Scott county grand jury are expected to report next week, County Attorney Clark O. Filseth said Friday.

The jury, in session for two weeks, will probably file its report Thursday or Friday.

FIREMEN UNREEL 1,400 FEET OF HOSE TO FIGHT FIRE

Firemen were down in the dumps—and for a long time Thursday.

They pumped water more than four and a half hours at the East Thirteenth and Vine street dump, to soak down a refuse blaze. They spent nearly three hours in the morning on the dump, and returned again in the afternoon for nearly an hour and 45 minutes.

More than 1,400 feet of 2 1/2 inch hose was laid to fight the smoldering fire.

FRY ARRESTED ON DRIVING CHARGE AFTER HITTING TREE

Muscatine, Ia.—Roy W. Fry, rural route No. 4, Muscatine, was arrested at 4:40 p. m. Thursday on a charge of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. The case was scheduled for hearing in Justice Robert C. Johnson's court Friday.

Fry was arrested after the car he was driving struck a tree at the corner of Second and Park streets. Arl Johnson, a passenger in the car, was taken to Hershey hospital for treatment of cuts on forehead, neck and hands.



TO SPEAK OCT. 5

Wallace F. Bennett, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, will speak on "Leadership for Liberty" to more than 300 industrial and civic leaders in the Sky-Hi ballroom of LeClaire hotel Wednesday night Oct. 5 at a dinner meeting.

He is president of a motor concern and a paint manufacturing company in Salt Lake City and a jewelry company in Logan, Utah, was president of the Salt Lake Community Chest in 1943-46, has been treasurer of the Latter Day Saints Sunday school general board since 1935, is an apostle in the church of his Mormon ancestors and is a member and past president of the Salt Lake City Rotary club. His appearance in the Quad-cities will be his only engagement in this area at this time.

LIGHTING EXPERT TO GIVE ADDRESS AT ROTARY MEETING

Dr. Matthew Lucklesch, director of lighting research at the laboratory of General Electric Co., Nela Park, Cleveland, Ohio, will speak on "Torch of Civilization" at a meeting of the Davenport Rotary club Oct. 31.

He has been with General Electric since 1910 and has served as lighting research director since 1924.

His work included development of the first accurate gas filter to be used with a Mazda lamp for production of artificial daylight.

Dr. Lucklesch holds an honorary degree of doctor of engineering from Purdue university and at the centennial commencement of the State University of Iowa he was chosen as one of the distinguished alumni to receive the certificate of accomplishment.

ROY A. POWELSON, KIMBALL BATHS OWNER, DIES

Roy Allen Powelson, 61, 210 East Fourth street, No. 103, Vale apartments, died at his home at 11:40 p. m. Thursday, following a four-month illness.

Born in Hannibal, Mo., May 17, 1888, the son of Charles and Daisy Powelson, he came to Davenport with his parents as a small boy. He attended schools here and Duncan's Business college and was married to Edna Wessenberg June 16, 1938, in Davenport.

He operated the Kimball baths here since 1932, had been active in vaudeville in his early days and set a world's speed record for one-mile on roller skates. He was co-owner of Forest Park sanitarium and also vice-president and a member of the board of directors of that institution.

Mr. Powelson was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, No. 28, Davenport, the Chamber of Commerce, the American Association of Masseurs and Masseuses, the American Physiotherapy Institute, the Maryland Naturopathic association and the Iowa Physiotherapy society. He was a graduate of the College of Swedish Massage and was awarded an honorary degree of doctor of natural therapeutics, Sept. 14, 1938.

He is survived by his wife; a sister, Mrs. Irma Zimmerman, Chicago; a brother, Ray Myers, Chicago; a step-sister, Mrs. Emily Demibson, Calif., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held in the Runge chapel at 2:30 p. m. Monday. Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

RETIRE FROM ARSENAL AFTER LONG SERVICE

Ed Carmody and Elmer Sherman Leave Posts Held for Years.

Edward Carmody, 2808 Farnam street, Davenport, widely known arsenal employe, retires Friday after 44 years and seven months in government employment. He attended by 110 fellow employes at Bob Day's Lido's Grove resort Thursday night.

Carmody entered arsenal employment as a machinist March 4, 1909, the day President Taft was inaugurated, and has been continuously employed since. In 1912 he was transferred to the central planning division and at the time of retirement was chief of production material planning of the division.

During his long employment he was active in arsenal organizations. He was president of the Rock Island Arsenal Credit Union, past president of the Fifteen Year Ordinance Service club, past president of the Arsenal Employees' Golf club and vice president of the local chapter of the National Federation of Federal Employes.

At the dinner Thursday night speakers were Col. W. W. Warner, Fred Glass, Martin W. Johnson and Carl Smouse. Smouse presented Mr. Carmody with a portable radio set. Fred Dice was master of ceremonies.

Col. Warner in speaking of Mr. Carmody's retirement called attention to the fact that he is the second oldest employe at the arsenal in point of service. He said he has been prominent in the development and production of artillery material over the years and will be greatly missed in the ordnance department as a whole.

Mr. Carmody who is an ardent golfer and fisherman, will leave Dallas, Texas, to visit their son, Dr. Don Carmody, and then will go to Florida for the winter. They have one other son, Edward L. Carmody, assistant vice president and chief officer of the Davenport Bank & Trust Co.

Another retirement Friday is that of Elmer C. Sherman, 2533 Seventh avenue, Rock Island. He entered arsenal employment in 1914 and has worked there continuously except for the time he served in World War I. His first work was under the classification of laborer, but at the time of retirement was recuperator assembly repairman. He has been an assistant foreman assembler. Mr. Sherman is 55 and is voluntarily retiring after 28 years and three months in government service. His hobbies are fishing and hunting. He expects to travel extensively and plans to spend the coming winter in Florida.

MISSING PLANE TRACED TO CITY

A young pilot for whose safety fears were expressed Friday was believed to have been the pilot who landed at an airport here the same day, had the gas tank refilled and then took off again. Sinclair Gearing, 20, a Boone airport employe, was reported to have taken a blue and white Piper Cub from the Scott Flying Service hangar in Boone, leaving a note to the effect he was using the plane to make a trip.

He has had only 15 hours flying experience and no cross-country experience, Boone acquaintances said. His home is in Annapolis, Md., and it was believed he may have planned to fly there after taking off in Davenport he flew west, sir-port employe said.

Pyramids Again?

Pyramid clubs, the mad craze that had Quad-citians dreaming in thousand dollar figures last spring, are reportedly making an attempt to regain a foothold in this area.

Several groups have started the money game again, after pyramids crumbled four months ago in a state of confusion. Assistant County Attorney Martin Leir said he has received no complaints. He also said no one has asked him to join one.

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Obituary

THE HOFFMAN FUNERAL.

Funeral services for Henry G. Hoffman were held at the Runge chapel at 1 p. m. Friday. The Rev. Fred Ruff officiated.

Ruth Wunschel sang. Bearers were Albert and August Reimers, Frank and Billy Snyder, Raymond Hickson and Leon Wahl.

CHARLES STARR.

Charles Starr, 86, 1319 East Ninth street, died in St. Luke's hospital at 11 p. m. Thursday, following an extended illness.

Born June 28, 1863, Mr. Starr came to Davenport from a farm near Maquoketa after his retirement in 1937. He was married to Mary Edna Andrews, who preceded him in death Jan. 10, 1948. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Beryl Pleasant, and seven sons, Walter, Sam, Frank, and Gilbert Star, all of Davenport; Charles of Clarence, Ia.; Rupert of Maquoketa, and Truman of Calamus. There are 23 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren.

SIMON MOSENFELDER, FORMER ROCK ISLAND BUSINESS MAN, DIES

Simon Mosenfelder, 67, former resident of Rock Island for nearly 50 years, and a prominent business man while there, died at 5:30 p. m. Thursday, in Jewish hospital, St. Louis. He had been in the hospital about six months after suffering a heart attack.

Rabbi Ferdinand Isserman will be in charge of cremation services at Mount Valhalla, St. Louis, Sunday.

Mr. Mosenfelder was born in 1882 in Rock Island; son of Alfonso and Amelia Mosenfelder. He attended public schools there and was graduated from Harvard university in 1904. He was married in 1912 in St. Louis to Evelyn Millius.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Robert, Chicago; two daughters, Mrs. Harold Harris, Chicago, and Mrs. Harold Scheff, St. Louis; two brothers, Hugo and Arthur H., both of Rock Island, and two sisters.

With his brothers he operated a store in Rock Island for many years before moving to St. Louis where he continued in the same business. Prior to operating his own ready-to-wear store, Mr. Mosenfelder was a partner in the old M and K store in Rock Island.

He was a member of Temple Israel in St. Louis.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION STANDS FOR SUPPORT PRICE PROGRAM

Des Moines.—(AP)—The Iowa Poultry Improvement association Friday stood for a break-even or slip jobs, price support program that will encourage production of quality poultry products.

No mention was made in the association's resolution of any of the proposed price support farm programs.

The resolution did say the association does not endorse "a program based on the premise that the federal government must assure a profit to the producers of agricultural products."

In closing its state convention Thursday, the association elected F. W. Schuobel, Riverside, as president. Walter L. Woggoner, Centerville, was elected second vice president.

Fleeing from Indians in 1807, John Colter discovered what is now Yellowstone National Park.

Duluth Man Is Fined \$500 In Theft Case

Harold Sheridan Returns Voluntarily to Answer Charge.

Harold P. Sheridan, Duluth, Minn., principal figure in an extradition hearing set for next Wednesday in St. Paul, turned up voluntarily in Scott county district court late Thursday to plead guilty to a charge of operating a motor vehicle without the owner's consent. Sheridan, wanted here for questioning in the theft April 25 of an automobile later found wrecked on the Harrison street road, admitted taking the vehicle and was fined \$500 by Judge Glenn D. Kelly.

The Duluth man told the court that he took the car, belonging to John Dereu, East Moline, from a parking lot the night of April 25 and abandoned it following an accident on Harrison street road. He said he was in Davenport at that time checking on the possibility of enrolling in school here and that he took the car following a drinking spree. Sheridan said he had made full restitution to the insurance company in the amount of \$1,000 for damage to the vehicle.

Extradition papers requesting return of Sheridan were sent to the Minnesota governor last month following his arrest earlier by Duluth police. County Attorney Clark O. Filseth said extradition proceedings were postponed on the possibility that Sheridan would decide to return to Davenport voluntarily to answer the charge.

New Schedule of Test Patterns Is Fixed by WOC-TV

Regular schedules for WOC-TV test patterns were released Friday by officials of the radio-television station.

Test patterns will be broadcast between 2:30 and 5:30 p. m. and again from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. Friday, Monday and Tuesday.

Starting next Wednesday, and continuing Monday thru Friday until further notice, the patterns will be transmitted between 2 and 4 p. m. and 7:30 and 8:30 p. m.

The patterns will enable owners to adjust their television sets.

CORNELL ALUMNI TO MEET OCT. 13 TO PLAN CENTENNIAL

Muscatine, Ia.—Most of the Cornell college 140 alumni living in Muscatine, Louisa and Washington counties will attend a dinner Thursday evening, Oct. 13, in Hotel Muscatine to plan observance of the 100th birthday, Nov. 14, Mrs. Hugh Chance is chairman. Dr. Russell D. Cole, the college president, will be among representatives to attend from the college. Another speaker will be Dr. Earle A. Baker, vice president. Floyd Scott is chairman of local workers for the centennial project.

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