

Former Officer Sues For Damages To Replace Teeth

Damages amounting to \$500 are being claimed in a suit under way today in justice court at Pontiac against Julius Rabinowitz, 8422 La Salle boulevard, Detroit, who was convicted by Justice Floyd S. Buck, here recently, of assault and battery against Ray M. Field, former patrolman of Bloomfield Hills village, and the plaintiff in the present proceedings. The plaintiff claims to have two front teeth loosened by a blow from Rabinowitz which must be removed. Dentists were unable to save his teeth, he said. The patrolman and the Detroit man engaged in a fight after Rabinowitz had been brought into justice court and fined \$10 on charges of reckless driving through Bloomfield Hills. Several blows were struck, it was found in court, and Rabinowitz was proven to have delivered the first one while trying to escape, to avoid paying the fine. He paid a fine of \$100 on the assault and battery charge. Assistant Prosecutor Charles Wilson represents the plaintiff in the suit which was filed last week. Field demands, no compensation other than expense of having his teeth taken care of, Mr. Wilson stated.

ROTARIANS WILL HOLD ATTENDANCE CONTEST

As a means of stimulating attendance the board of directors of the Birmingham Rotary club last week appointed George R. Averill and Frank J. Mulholland to head two vying teams in a contest to close January 1. It is expected that a good deal of enthusiasm will be developed during the contest. The result that a number of per cent meetings will be held. During its first year the local Rotary club held 17 consecutive 100 per cent meetings, establishing a record in this Rotary District at that time. A price of \$1000.00 has been set aside from the club's treasury to be used for a purpose, as yet undecided, when the contest ends.

LEGAL NOTICES
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Oakland, ss: Suit pending before George B. Hart, a Circuit Court Commissioner, for Oakland County between Southfield Company, Plaintiff and Noble D. Gorman, Defendant. Judgment having been rendered in this case and having been returned and cause and judgment having been entered, and it appearing by affidavit on file that the defendant's address is unknown. IT IS ORDERED, That said Defendant appear at the court room of the undersigned, at my office in the City of Royal Oak, Oakland County, Michigan, at nine o'clock a. m., Eastern Standard Time, on the 7th day of September, 1927, to defend the complaint filed in this case, or judgment will be entered by default, and that an order be served or published as required by statute. This suit is brought to terminate the interest of the defendant in a certain land contract for the sale of premises described as: Lot No. 252 of Magnolia Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland County, Michigan, in Book 14 of 1916 on page 11. GEORGE B. HART, Circuit Court Commissioner. Dated: August 26th, 1927. 20-22

Sports Done Brown

By NORMAN E. BROWN

France, riding on the crest in the tennis world, threatening in golf, plans as her next move a victory in the Olympic games. This victory may not come in 1928, France has not the material to match America, Finland and Germany at this short notice. But France is going into the next games with that end in view—adding the track and field laurels to her international honors. Her participation in the games at Amsterdam was made possible recently when M. Cotte stepped into the breach and produced 2,000,000 francs to finance preparations for the games. The French government had just voted down a similar appropriation on the plea of straightened financial conditions.

France has the determination to produce a winning Olympic team. Year after year, as America continued to rule the tennis world with ridiculous ease, the French net enthusiasts plugged away. Year by year Cochet, Borotra, La Coste and Brugnon came forward as the sporting world knows—they won the honors in the U. S. national tourney and forced the American defenders to fight with their backs to the wall to hold the coveted Davis trophy.

They followed this more recently with a sweeping victory, at Wimbledon.

France already has some feminine net stars who will demand sooner or later the place in the sun held by Suzanne Lenglen and Helen Wills.

In golf, France has long been a factor, and in Mike Smonde-din in Chaume now has a feminine star who will be reckoned within a year or two. France produced Georges Car-

pentier and Eugene Criqui and other good boxers and is now seeking younger stars to replace them. And now come the Olympics. The United States led the other nations in 1924 by a wide margin. The points scored by Uncle Sam's representatives totaled 94. France took second place with 64 and Finland ranked third with 44.14, thanks to the running of Narmi et al.

The French entrants won first in rifle shooting; with the foub and the epee (a type of sword), at water polo and cycling. Second, third and fourth places in these and other events brought up the total.

The French now have their hearts set, however, on developing sprinters and field athletes to compete with the American contingent, Finland, England and Germany.

There is a general feeling that the French government erred in refusing to back the Olympic team at a time when France's athletic star is in the ascendancy.

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Speeders Pay Toll In Justice Court

Three bus drivers were arraigned before Floyd S. Buck, justice of the peace, Tuesday, on charges of speeding and reckless driving preferred by State Trooper H. Gramson. A \$15 fine was paid by Dan Ballig, 112 Benaville avenue, who pleaded guilty to speeding with his bus. H. Regau, who lives in Birmingham, pleaded guilty to the charge of speeding and paid a \$10 fine, and also was placed on a 90 day probation. Charged with reckless driving, Lyle Davis, a villager resident, pleaded not guilty, and his trial was adjourned for two weeks. Six men paid fines to Justice Floyd S. Buck, Saturday and Monday, five of which were speeders taken by Edward Myers, motorcycle patrolman. William Hamerslagh, 441 Manistique avenue, Royal Oak, pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$5 for violation of a traffic signal, after charges were preferred by Patrolman William Green. The speeders are Leslie Kuntz, 1127 Prospect avenue, Ann Arbor; Matt Dean, whose address was not given; Jesse Reid, Romeo; H. J. Millman, 2051 Montgomery avenue.

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