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is much, trade as possible, not only the Yang-Tse-Kiang, but everywhere else in the world, is, however, correct. Do the British act differently? Is for all commercial nations?"

"We understand British astonishment less," says The Kreuz Zeitung, "because German troops have been in Shanghai all along and because Germany, by the terms of the agreement with Great Britain, is simply fulfilling a duty if she furnishes a part of the

troops for the pacification of the district. One would think coal mines in the province of Shan that the British press had grounds for expressing thanks to the German govcrument for such a measure." "The British press," says the Berliner Tageblatt, "seems to have forgotten the Anglo-German Yang-Tse that General William Booth of the agreement, by the terms of which Salvation Army was seriously ill, but hoth powers are mutually bound to exercise no exclusive rights in the an investigation showed that he was merely suffering a slight chill and Yang Tse valley, but to maintain the principle of the open door. Therefore fatigue as a result of his work on the gold, \$95,353,582 the territory is not a sphere of Brit- continent recently. He was in his ish interest any more than of Ger- usual health. TTO A. 11 -

peror Francis Joseph arrived here for a visit of five days. It is the first visit he has made Bohemia during 10 of establishing a United States naval years. He is here in the interest of there not enough room in the world German-Czech conciliation. His ma- inquiry contemplates not only a renjesty is accompanied by a suite of 300 persons, and will attend an elaborate program of festivities.

> Antilles To Exploit Chinese Coal Mines. Berlin, June 13 .- The German government is organizing in the Chinese provinces a large expedition of coal miners, who will go to exploit the dent Rafael Iglesias of Costa Rica an-

officers shortly to proceed to Forto \$10,000. Rico to examine into the advisability station on that island. The present dezvous for ships, but the establishment of a first-class naval station at one of the eastern outposts of the

Costa Rica's President Coming. New York, June 13 .- In a letter to Consul General Juan J. Ulloa, Presinounces his intention of coming to is now endeavoring to get Sullivan's signature



San Francisco, June 13. - General Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas, Min. turned to Boston and was living with jail on an order signed by Commis-

ial association visited Chippewa, Ni-Wilfred Blondin, whose dismembered agara Falls. Queenston and Lewiston, body was found at Chelmsford, came as the guests of the International here with her family from Ireland Navigation company, the Niagara when she was quite young. Last April Falls Park River Railway company while on a visit to her sister, who reand the great gorge route. All busisides here, she said she had some ness was suspended and the newstrouble with her husband because he wanted her to draw her money out of paper men, with their families, devotthe bank and go to Canada with him ed themselves to sightseeing along to live. She asked her sister's advice the picturesque Niagara frontler.

about this matter, but Mrs. Casey told Diamond Smuggler at Liberty. Buffalo, June 13 .- Max Lasar, the her to do as she thought best. Later it was learned that she had not re- diamond smuggler, was released from

Russia's Slap at Germany.

wife of Commandant Louis Botha, ar-Berlin, June 13 .- The order just issued by the Russian minister of finance, M. DeWitte, directing that railway station by Dr. Levds. hereafter the securities of commercial and industrial companies promoted or managed by German subjects shall not be admitted to quotation on Russian bourses except by his special

AMENUMEN

rived here. She was received at the Escaped Arrest. Cincinnati, June 13 .- An unknown man plunged into the waters of Mill creek to avoid arrest and was drowned. His body was found floating near

sanction, is regarded by the Berlin | the Eighth street viaduct.

Mrs. Botha at Brussels.

Brussels, June 13 .- Mrs. Botha

Havana, June 13 .- The Cuban con- | was firm in its attitude regarding the stitutional convention accepted the amendment and that its acceptance Platt amendment by a vote of 16 to 11. would be necessary before the United The resolution to accept was car- States would consent to withdraw its

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ried without discussion. Immediately supervision from the Island. Now after the opening of the session Se- that the Cubans have demonstrated nores Tamayo, Villeuendas and Que- their good faith in the United States sada, constituting a majority of the it is expected that a fairly speedy committee on relations, submitted as evacuation of the island will follow, a substitute for committee's former contingent only upon the establish report the Platt amendment as passed ment of a stable government. by congress, recommending that it be accepted and made an appendix to the constitution.

The convention will now appoint a committee to draw up the electoral

Administration Pleased

Washington, June 13 .- News of the adoption of the Platt amendment by the Cuban constitutional convention was received with gratification here. Administration officials all along have felt confident that its ratification bens realized that this government record for battleships of her size.

pedition pledges to render services in of pneumonia and comes here to re- and the federal grand jury are investhe mines five years. cover his health.

General Booth's Health. London, June 13 .- It was reported

Washington, June 13 .-- Statement of treasury balances in the general reserve in the division of redemption. Available cash balance, \$164,794,680;

ON THE DIAMOND. Results of the Games Played in the

Several Leagues. NATIONAL

Treasury Statement.

CLURS W L P.C. CLURS . W L P.C. Pitts ... 24 17 .585 Phila .. 20 20 .500 N. Y.... 19 15 .559 St. L.... 20 20 .500 Cin'ti... 20 17 .541 Bost.... 15 18 .455 Brook ... 20 20 .500 Chica... 16 27 .372 At Chicago-Chicago 8, Brooklyn 1. At Pitisburg-Pitisburg 5, New York 2. At St. Louis-St. Louis 6, Philadeiphia 0. At Cincinnati-Cincinnati 6, Boston 6; 12 nings; darkuess.

AMERICAN. CLUBS. W. L. P.C. CLUBS. W. L. P.C. Chica... 27 15 .643 Balto... 17 17 .500 Det't .. 24 17 .585 Phila ... 17 22 .436 Wash... 19 15 .559 Milw .. 15 25 .375 Bost.... 19 16 .543 Cleve... 14 25 .342 At Boston-Boston 4, Detroit 2.

Baltimore-Baltimore 8, Chicago 1. Washington-Washington 0, Cleve-At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 5, Milwau-

WESTERN ASSOCIATION. CLUBS. W. L. P.C. CLUBS. W. L. P.

At Columbus-Columbus 5, Marion 7. At Dayton-Dayton 2, Toledo 4. At Indianapolis - Indianapolis-Wheeling no game; rain. At Louisville-Louisville-Ft. Wayne; game; rain

on account of kidney and liver trouble nervous prostration and general debility; but, "Three bottles of Electric Bit ney General Vandeventer. ters enabled me to walk," she writes

person." Women suffering from Head-ache, Backache, Nervousness, Sleepless-ness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it, Satisfaction is guaranteed by Genera & Baker & Son Only 500 George R. Baker & Son. Only 50c.

Tung when peace has been restored this city soon. President Iglesias suf-in China. Each miner joining the ex-fered recently from a serious attack erarl of the department of California, tigating reports of fraud committed in the commissary branch of the army service in this city. That the reports seem to be based on something more

substantial than rumor is evidenced fund, exclusive of \$150,000,000 gold by the disclosures following the arrest of Lewis, Abrams & Sons, dealers in second-hand clothing. The extent of the alleged frauds has not been determined. General Shafter admits that the theft of clothing has been going on, but says there is no shortage in any department.

For some months various stores about the city have been exhibiting signs "Government goods for sale here," and their advertisements have been in the daily papers. Three big wagon loads of goods have already been taken to the hall of justice, and in every instance the men from whom they were seized have admitted buying the goods from Abrams & Son.

Bank Short on Assets.

Peru, Ind., June 13 .- W. S. Greene manager of a private bank at Denver this county, which was forced to suspend payment, made a statement

showing liabilities of \$6,900 with assets of about \$3,300, of which only \$200 is cash. He says he deposited \$3,500 in the bank at Logansport as collateral for his ownership of a basket factory at Denver. An effort is being made to reorganize the bank.

Indians In Court.

Washington, June 13 .- The supreme court of the District of Columbia heard arguments in the matter of the application of Lone Wolf and other representatives of the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indians for an injunc-

terior and other interior department officials, to prevent the issuance of a proclamation opening part of the Indian lands in Oklahoma to settlement in accordance with the act of congress. The Indians were represented by Judge William M. Springer and the government by Assistant Attor-

Reformed Presbyterian Synod. Cincinnati, June 13 .- The general medicine and today she is perfectly synod of the Reformed Presbyterian well." Desperate throat and lung dischurch is holding its session in the eases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery First Reformed Presbyterian church as to no other medicine on earth. Inof this city. It will be in session one week. Delegates are present from Pensylvania, New York, Vermont, Baker & Son. Trial bottles free,

nesota, Tennessee and Nova Scotia. The Rev. J. I. Boyce, D. D., of Philadelphia, is president, and the Rev. J. H. Kendall of Tarentum, Pa., is secretary. Dr. Boyce delivered the opened her cruelly. ing discourse.

Want to Stay In Philippines.

Washington, June 13. -- Adjutant General Corbin received a cablegram from General MacArthur at Manilla saving that a large number of men in regular regiments ordered to the United States wish to remain there. Authority was requested to transfer those desirable to regiments remain-

ing in the Philippines. General Corbin cabled a reply to General MacArthur granting him the authority.

Change In New York Bank. New York, June 13 .- It is annound ed that at the end of this month Eu gene Arnstein and Eugene Meyer will retire from the firm of Lazard Freres, and that their places will be taken by Charles Altschul, at present manager of the London-Paris-California bank of San Francisco, and E. L. Reiser, now of Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Company.

Blondin Disappeared.

Boston, June 13 .- Wilfred Blondin or J. W. Blondin, worked as fireman for Forbes, Hayward & Company here last September. It is learned that he began work a week ago as a night engineer for a local plant. He left work Wednesday and disappeared.

Pardonable Curiosity.

"I have met," remarked the old man, "but two sensible women in my life." . The innocent maid gazed into his face and asked, "Who was the other woman?"-Chicago News.

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almos fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Havi land, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies filed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our

niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful

Cleveland Public Building. Washington, June 13 .- The compe tition among 13 architects of the country for plans for the public building at Cleveland, has been settled by the unanimous agreement of the board of award, which selected the

her husband. Afterwards Blondin sioner Robinson. Lasar was convicted said she had gone to Canada. Mrs. on the charge of smuggling large Casey says from what Mrs. Blondin quantities of diamonds into the Unittold her she believed Blondin was ed States from Canada. The sale of very jealous of her and that he treat- the diamonds seized by customs officials brought \$31,000. He has served

a six months' sentence and was released on the ground that he had no money to pay the \$500 fine imposed.

Boers Captured.

Pretoria, June 13 .--- General Pulte ney's division has captured a party of Boers, including a brother of Acting President Schalkburger, on the Swaziplans submitted by Arnold W. Brunner of New York. The board of award | land border.



Connellsville, Pa., June 13. - Two | When the property is taken over the persons were instantly killed by a Big Four will be pretty close to havrunaway on a lumber track leading ing its own line into Toledo and Defrom Houston Station, on the Balti- troit by way of the Michigan Central more and Ohio railroad, into Stewart and Lake Shore. These are two Station. The engineer lost control of places the Big Four has been trying the engine, which plunged down the to reach for years.

steep grade, and at a curve in the road jumped the track, plunging down the hillside. Mrs. Edward Baldwin and John McPeck, passengers, were the victims.

Secretary Root's Comment.

mand of the legation guard, has led Buffalo, June 13.-Secretary of War to some criticism of the navy depart-Elihu Root was shown the dispatch ment's action on the ground that Capfrom Havana announcing the adop- ain Myers, who was in permanent tion of the Platt amendment by the command, was not similarly brevet-Cuban constitutional convention. He ted. To clear up this point, a state said: "If the Cuban convention has ment was made at the navy departadopted the Platt amendment it has ment showing that in a previous list done the wisest and most patriotic of honors for Chinese service Captain thing possible for Cuba. It-means the Myers was not only brevetted but was independence of Cuba and all that is advanced four numbers for gallantry best and freest in Cuba will be backed at Peking. = =!! that is best in United States.

A Terrible Explosion

Captain Myers Was Honored.

Washington, June 13 .- The recent

brevetting of Captain Hall for gallant

conduct during the siege of Peking,

where he was temporarily in com-

Big Four Getting There. "Of a gasoline stove burned a l dy Cincinnati, June 13 .- It is claimed that in a few days the Big Four will here frightfully," writes N. E. Ps'mer, become the owner of the Cincinnati of Kirkman, Ia. "The best doctors Northern, which will be made a dicouldn't heal the running sore that road is 346 miles long and extends followed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve vision of the Big Four system. This from Addison Junction, Mich., to entirely cured her." Intallible for Cuts. Franklin, O., with branches from Corns, Sores, Boils, Bruises, Skin Dis-Dundee, Mich., to Allegan, Mich., and eases and Piles. 25c at George R other points in Michigan and Ohio. Baker & Son's.

Seven Years in Bed. "Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mrs. L. Pease, of Lawrence, Kan, They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years

"and in three months I felt like a new

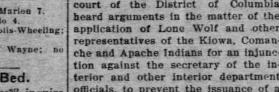
company purchased the property of the Elcho Oil company and Black of this city, consisting of 760 acres of leases and 50 producing wells. The

Ohio Oil Deal.

Findlay, O., June 13 .- The Ohio Oil

price paid is \$175,000. Illinois a Record Breaker.

Boston, June 13. - The battleship Illinois made an average of 17.81 knots per hour on her speed trial of 66 knots, breaking all records for would be accomplished when the Cu- American battleships and the world's





the state convention. He is very popular in his section of the state and is prominent in Elk circles.

and works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold n one day No cure no pay. Price 25 cents

ation met Wednesday evening to elect officers. After the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President-Gail Cooksey.

Treasurer-Mabel Stauffer. Registrar-Anna Phifer. Necrologist-Byrd Styers. Poet-Mrs. Canning. Historian-Mabel Mitchell. Orater-Harry Hyman.

baby's life. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry never fails to conquer them,

township and daughter, Mrs. C. W. Bryan, of Camp Sychar, started Thursday morning to drive will visit their daughter and sisthere Mrs. Bryan will attend the state council of D. of L., which will convene there next week,

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

HOUCK TOOK STAND IN OWN BEHALF

Accused Went Into the Witness Chair brother, and Detective Foster. Saw Closed up and went up stairs. sacked in this room. Heard School- Roach, P. A. Baker, Roy Stoughand Made Complete Denial.

It Was Perhaps the Most Dramatic Incident of the Trial.

and a second and a second Arguments Will Be Commenced at Eight O'Clock Friday Morning.

The Case May Reach the Jury Before the Friday Evening Adjournment,

The Daughter of the Accused, a Sweet Faced Little Cirl, Took the Stand in Her Father's Behalf-The Great Trial is Drawing to a Close-The Arguments Come Next.

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behalf. Defense rested at 11:16 and the hair.

S GIRNER SPORT OF

state in rebuttal at 11:37. hour to a side. No attempt was made to impeach Tom Foster's testimony. The defense was maintained as out lined in Wednesday's Banner. Crowd was not so large Thursday as on previous days. Befendant cried when his little daughter was on the witness stand.

THURSDAY MORNING.

The conrt room was as warm, crowded and uncomfortable as ever. Court opened promptly at eight o'clock.

John Howell. ing and suspenders. This was in George was already in bed. afternoon.

Dempsey Houck. George Houck. Remembered the was in bed and sleeping at the Hess murder. Saw her father at time. Got up several times durhome most of the time on Sunday. ing night to attend baby and Saw him change his overalls, but George was sleeping. Witness did not remember what time it said George positively was not dark in the evening and returned day night. shortly. Katie Hess was there when father returned. Father morning. She got breakfast while later went down stairs and return- George dressed children. He put and secured a lamp. Went on same trousers and went to his down stairs and later returned shop. father.

Geo W. Houck testified in his own | George went down to shop, taking lamp, to cut Charley Porterfield's

George and Dempsey went after Arguments will be made Friday, oysters. This was about 14 hours mmencing at 8 o'clock. Four after cutting Porterfield's hair. George cooked the oysters, probably requiring 15 or 20 minutes. Then placed them on table and all sat down and ate them. Then George put Amy and Pearl to bed. Then they read awhile.

Dempsey was reading in her school books. Sat there probably 20 minutes before Dempsey went to bed and George lay down beside her. Had to coax her to go to bed. Witness put other child to bed and George read to Demp-

It was family habit to remain up late. Lay there 15 or 20 minntes before Dempsey went to sleep Witness went to bed afterwards. Called by defense. Had met George was undressed and ready George Houck on Sunday and no- for bed. Witness fastened pantry ticed he had a new suit of cloth- doors and then went to bed.

Witness got up shortly afterwards to get drink of water for Aged 10 years, daughter of one of the children and George as. Her father was out about out of house again on that Sun-

Katle Hess was there about a Horn, and Louie Denney. Boys Sheriff came again on day George there awhile. Win Darling and ation closed at 10:50. McCamment visiting her home and cut his hair.

and talked with Prosecutor three Took off shoes and sat down and er Horn make a remark. Mrs. ton. times. Elmer Fowls told her first read Saturday Enquirer and other Fowls at gate said who could have that Aunt Sarah had been murder- papers. Wife and Dempsey were done this. there. Witness did not remember mak

Scott that we went to bed early on letc. Dempsey secured the oysters, not tell what kind of wood it was. Sunday night and did not know returned and he cooked them, tak- Noticed lantern and dead body, when it occurred. ing few raw ones, which he ate, Redirect: Witness was very sick on day Ewalt and Foster were children to bed. Read aloud to

there, fainted and was in that con- Dempsey to get her to sleep. He of measuring feet but did not re dition when Ewalt and Foster then got up, removed clothing and member whom he told could meas. talked to her. On Sunday night went to bed. Did not remember ure his feet. Did not remember while eating oysters George looked when his wife went to bed. Wit- whether Melick tried to measure they had not preserved well. at watch, she saw it, and it was ness was not out of bed or out of his feet, and whether he walked ten minutes to eleven. Excused the house any more that night. away. at 9:35.

P. M. Donahey. Was on witness stand for state. fast went to shop. Sold the oysters to Dempsey. Opened shop as usual. Wore called her on Jan. 20, at seven George had not been in store for same clothing as on Sunday. Car. o'clock at night to come over. perhaps a year.

Sherlff Lynde. Arrested George on Tuesday. Asked Hall whether he was going Searched his premises. Rode all to funeral, and started to blacken day morning where he had left the way with George from Blad- shoes. Dropped brush and he and them the night before. Witness ensburg to the county jail.

Lewis B. Houck. Attorney and lives in this city. Brother of George, latter being who stumbled at gate and witness fense rested. three years older. Was at George's went into house. Saw the mureither one or two Sundays before dered woman and came out shortmurder. George had nose bleed ly. Met Elizabeth Fowls at gate while he was there, and bled quite and talked to her, stood by house. a good deal. Saw it bleed once be- Walk to woodpile, and then back fore within a year. Said he owned to shop. light pair of trousers which he Lots of people were about the gave to George probably six months premises. Went back to Hess

Was at Bladensburg with Col. to shop and remained most of day. Cooper and others and examined Number of people were in and out the bed with his clothes on and premises. Stream runs through of shop. People came in and she did not know when he went to the Houck lot. Examined corner stared at him in the afternoon. sleep. of fence where Houck and Hess Crowd talked of measuring feet.

GEO. W. HOUCK ON THE WITNESS STAND.

Hess home.

Arose at usual time, made fire, and

home about 11 o'clock, came back

Emmett Hall. Went into shop. name.

Perhaps the most dramatic incident of the trial was the appearance of George W. Houck, the accused, upon the witness stand in his own behalf. This had been hinted at several times during the trial, but it was not absolutely known until Attorney Owen called his name as the next witness.

When he was called the room took on au intense stillness, and every neck was craned to hear his words. His attorneys led him for an hour through a direct examination, in which he told his actions on the Sunday and Sunday night of the murder, making a complete denial of all the circumstances against him. He was nervous but appeared unconcerned. His face was flushed and did not bear the usual ashen whiteness which has characterized him since the trial.

The state did not take much time with him on cross

When he was skinning a rabbit county. Mr. Charles Ensminger week before the murder when talked of going to church. Went his nose bled. Had worn vest only recently moved from the Cur-George had a bad bleeding spell. to Anson Hess' store. Talked longer than coat. Direct examinitis house in this city to Columbus. The list is as follows:

vas arrested and searched house. Charley Porterfield came in. Por- Cross examination by Waight: E. C. Irvine, George Stoughton, Cross examined. Witness re- terfield asked witness to cut his Wentstraight to Hess home. Nam- Charles B. Burr, E. M. Baldridge. membered Prosecutor and Leander hair. Went to shop, got lamp, ed some persons in Hess home. Ivor Hughes, Charles Ensminger, Did not remember saying any- Dr. J. B. Kirk, D. J. Burtnett, C

after George's arrest. Also visited Porterfield left about time church thing to anyone in the room. F. Warren, L. L. Lacey, J. M. her again with Tom Hess, her was out. Noticed people outside. Heard Tom Hess say nothing ran- Lowe, M. E. Thrailkill, P. A.

> The attorneys for the defense said on Thursday morning that

Had called Sarah Jane Hess

of sickness. Described how he

State In Rebuttal.

es in rebuttal.

The state called several witness

Mrs. Cyrus Darling.

Mrs. Rebecca Hess.

Mrs. Houck say same as testified

Mrs. Alex Scott

Was present at Houck home on

Monday night. Talked with Mrs.

Houck, and said we came along

alley about time murder was com-

mitted, between 10 and 11. Mrs.

Houck said we went to bed early

and did not know anything about

Pearl Scott.

of her mother, Mrs. Alex Scott.

W. H. Melick.

after supper and George said his

thumb was all right. George did

Cross examined: Did not tell

The state rested at 11:37 and the

Moore and Owen that George's

not have coat or cap on.

thumb bled freely.

Witness corroborated testimony

have slept an hour.

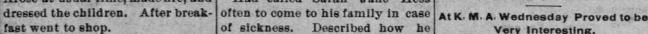
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Cousin of Mrs. Houck. Heard

Walked to Fowls woodpile, east they would not impeach Tom Fos-Wife spoke about getting oys- side, close enough to pick up wood, ter unless he went on the stand in ing statements about the time she ters. He did not have oysters on Tom Hess and Robert Melick were rebuttal to the testimony offered slept, etc., on night of murder. hand and spoke to Dempsey about there. Stick of wood in Hess by Mrs. George Houck. Foster Did not remember saying to Mrs. going for oysters. He went along, home lay in front of stove. Could did not do so and was discharged.

> Why Ruled Out. The real reason why the prespot of blood on floor. Could not served footprints were ruled out After eating the oysters, put the describe interior very accurately.

by Judge Wickham is because the Was in shop when Melick talked state failed to identify them. It is hinted that the state purposely desired them ruled out because



ATHLETICS

Gambier, Ohio June 12. - The Kenyon Military Academy ath-

ried load of wood upstairs. Met Rapped on door and told her his letes held their annual field meet on the college athletic field today Found his shoes on Monwith marked success. Four records were broken. The events

were as follows: Hall closed shop and went over to got the location of Mrs. Hess' body Running Broad Jump-Distance, reversed in his testimony. Houck 18 feet 5 inches, records, Risher Witness went ahead of Hall, was excused at 11:16 and the defirst: Vail second, 18 feet 3 inches; Brassington third, also broke record.

Hammer Throw-87 feet 11 inches, Chambers first; Brassington

second. Cousin to Mrs. George Houck. Running High Jump - 5 feet, Present when prosecutor and de-Risher first, Smith second, Hall tective talked to Mrs. Houck. third. Heard Mrs. Houck say that she 100-Yard Dash-Time 10 2-5 secwent to bed after they ate their onds. Hartman first, Hoglan secoysters and George lay down on ond, Davis third.

One-Mile Run-Time 5 minutes 20 seconds. Woodbury first, Smith second. Shot Put - Distance, 37 feet 2

inches. Risher first. Chambers second, Hartman third.

by Mrs. Darling. She said I drop-The 220-Yard Dash - Time 24 ped asleep and do not remember seconds; Hoglan first, Hartman when George went to bed. I might second. Discus Throw-Distance 85 feet

second. 1-5 seconds; Smith first, Woodbury second.

first, Smith second, Chambers Physician & Surgeon Pole Vault-Height 9 feet; Hall

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2 inches; Chambers first, Rose Smith Hotel Block The 220-Yard Hurdles-Time 33 DR. STANTON E. DEELEY AN EX-HOUSE Of Huron St. Hospital, Cleveland, O. One-Half-Mile Run-Time 2:25; OFFICE and RESIDENCE-Suite 2, Mc Woodbury first, Moulton second. Dermott Building, 106 South Main S Mt Quarter-Mile Run-Time 1:05; Vernon Onio. Both 'phones.

the stand the prisoner broke down Did not learn that Aunt Sarah and cried.

The witness then recited that was dead. after their return home they cook- Did not go to Porterfield funeral ed the oysters, ate them, the but knew George went. Heard smaller children were placed in George in his shop during day. bed, and her father and mother George came up stairs Monday read. When she went to bed her night and said the bloodhounds father lay down on side of bed. were there. Mrs. Scott and daughagain that night.

Cross examined. While they midnight.

Said Donahey told her it was 20 robe. minutes past ten, and when she Had not had their breakfast yet on day of Hess murder.

minutes of ten now. Mrs. George W. Houck. Lives in Bladensburg and was Aunt Sarah. married eleven years ago last January. Four children, Dempsey be- Friday before murder. Came upscribed location of rooms. Said Witness took some sugar and rag they sawed several cuts.

bag a trousers.

day of the murder. That night murder. Remembered it because the per sister, Katie Hess, was at their he was cleaning a rabbit in the home; left about church time. back yard.

Got up at usual time on Monday

with a lamp. Then her father Dempsey told her something read awhile and they went after was the matter over to Hess'. oysters to Donahey's, her father Witness went out on back porch remaining on the Horn porch and Mrs. Hall told her that Mrs. while she secured the oysters. Hess was dead Ran down to bar-Then she returned home with her ber shop and told, George that Aunt Sarah was dead. George While his little daughter was on and Emmett Hall started over.

had been murdered but that she

The prisoner took the stand at Told her to go to sleep. Said her ter were at their house on Monday 9:55 a. m. Is 36 years of age. father did not go out of the house evening. Talked of bloodhounds. Lived in Bladensburg all his life. Mrs. Scott and Pearl left about Married and has four children. The prisoner appeared unconcernwere eating oysters, her father George got up and walked to ed on the stand. Witness' mother fire and sheriff came and arrested took out his watch and remarked door and looked to see where lives near them. Am a barber, about the time. Did not remem- bloodhounds were. Family sat butchered some, and has done othber whether her father had helped up awhile after the Scotts left. er work. Runs lunch counter in ber do any sums either before or George said would wait awhile his barber shop. Sarah Jane Hess for shoe, and witness gave it to after they went after the oysters. until Alex Scott would get his lives just south of his home.

Was at home most of the time

told her father, while they were when the sheriff came with Will Was in shop on Suuday, March esting the oysters he pulled out Fergusson and arrested George. 10. Changed clothing in after. iff. Dogs were in carriage but his watch and said it lacked ten Could not remember a thing that noon, putting on light pair of made no fuss over his presence. would lead her to suspect George. trousers. Then went out on street Did not see Sarah Jane Hess at all Were all on the best of terms with and down to Johnny Martin's, and on day or night of murder. Said

talked. Howells adjusted his sus- he did not take stick and kill Mrs. George cut his thumb on the penders.

Went with Tom Hess and they route of the bloodhounds. ing the oldest. Has always lived stairs and thumb was bleeding carried a pole of wood to back of not been at the race since fishing Wednesday evening the defense time last fall. in the Houck homestead. She de- badly. He was shaking his hand. his house into wareroom, where

George took off averalls on Sunday and tied it up. George and chil. Carried the wood upstairs. Katie murder, with razor while shaving that the witnesses were to be used and changed for light pair of dren often had nose bleed badly. Hese and family were there. Will Melick. Bled bidly. Wrap- in the impeachment of the testi-George had a bad nose bleeding About six. Went to door after ped towel about it and later put mony of detective Tom Foster. George was about home on the spell about three weeks before Katie left, thought he heard her paper on it. Then went upstairs Most of the witnesses summoned calling.

to Blaine McCamment, Verm once while carrying pole.

examination. They devoted their efforts to probing into his testimony in reference to his visit to the home of the murdered woman on the morning after the murder. He also told the state that nobody had worn his shoes on the Sunday night of the murder.

run.

ots join, and palings were off. Went to Bladensburg on morn- ure his feet if they wanted to. ng after murder and met Sheriff Heard talk of bloodhounds. Was

and George near Bladensburg. in shop on Monday evening. People Dogs made no demonstration to- were talking about bloodhounds, witnesses were discharged. Deward George. Said George had 75 people in shop when blood- fendant asked court to charge in on light suit of clothes when he hounds arrived, and they all writing.

met him with Sheriff. On Tues- rushed out. day evening he took coat and vest

seven years George was not tidy there. Asked him about blood- an adjournment until morning. in his clothing.

Ceorge W. Houck.

Hess, and was never along the

Witness said they could meas-

The defense signified its willingness to proceed with the argu-Witness then went up stairs. to Geerge at jail. In last six or Mrs. Scott and daughter were ments, but the state asked to have

> hounds. He got up several times Court Bailiff Tuttle stated that judges were Capt. O. G. Daniels and looked out at bloodhounds, one of the jurors, Alex. McDonald. because they asked him about is slightly indisposed. By agreement the time allowed each side

them. for argument was fixed at four Told Mrs. Scott that Mr. Scott's hours. Thereupon Judge Wicklap robe was in his shop. Got up ham said that the arguments on Tuesday morning and made a would commence at eight o'clock Friday morning. The order will him, placed hand cuffs on him. likely be something like this: Will Fergusson took him to hotel Judge Waight for the state, folwhere Charley Castor asked him lowed by Mr. Owen and Col. Cooper for the defense, with Prosecutor him. Did not remember whether Ewalt making the closing arguhe could see dogs making trial

Had

ment. Court was adjourned.

Defense is Confident. Came to Mt. Vernon, with sher-Attorney Frank Moore, attorney for the defense, stated at the noon adjournment Thursday that he was confident that George W. Houck will be acquitted.

Foster Not Attacked.

At ten minutes past five o'clock filed a precipe for fifteen witnesses Cut his thumb on Friday before from Columbus, the rumor being

and wife wrapped it up. Witness are well-known Columbus attor-Went down on street and talked is subject to nose bleed. Bled neys, Mr. E. C. Irvine being formerly of Fredericktown, this

Quarter-Mile for Juniors' Team Was being shaved in Houck's -Time 1:06; Moulton first. Moulshop on the Friday when George tauge second. cut his thumb. Saw him again

mith first. Chambers second.

third.

ENTERTAINMENT

Civen By the Westminster Cadeta Thursday Evening.

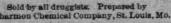
very enjoyable entertainment at the chapel of the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. A pleasant feature of the evening was the Indian club drill given by the cadets. The prize was awarded te Master Donald Snow. The and Capt. M. M. Murphy, Refresh-

ments were served during the evening. COURT HOUSE NOTES.

Probate News. Sale of land in the estate of John J. Taylor has been confirmed. In the estate of Hattie F. Hasson the next of kin have declined the administration and have recommended the appointment of L. M. Bell as administrator.

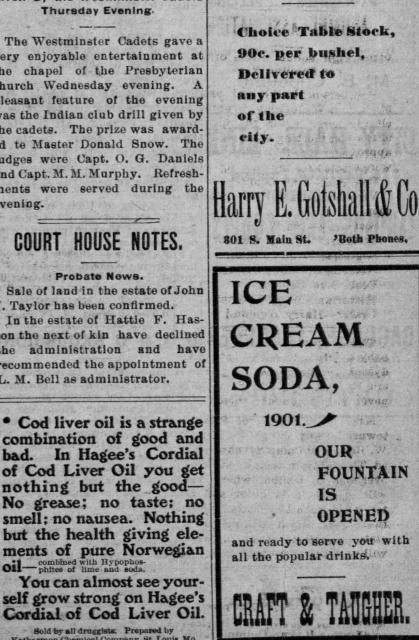
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