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MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1905

PRICE TWO CENTS

A YOUNG OHIO WOMAN WITH BULLET IN HEAD

Found Dead In A Fashionable Hotel Fall River, Mass., Oct. 25.—Although the Fall River Textile council, which held a special meeting to con-In New York

Mystery Shrouds The Deed--Doctor Green Draws Life Sentence For Murder Of Woman--Former Mayor Hinkle Is Dead

New York, Oct. 25.-A woman who daughters, who were with him, sobbed registered as Mary Jane Caley of Cleveland, O., was found dead, shot through the head, in her room at the Aberdeen hotel here, A revolver lay beside her. According to the hotel man gement the woman had been at the hotel about a week.

Akron, O., Oct. 25.-Mary J. Caley was the daughter of Mrs. George A. Clark of this city. She was the wife of Ralph Pitzer of Youngstown, O. She visited her mother, formerly Mrs. Caley, for several weeks, returning to New York city less than a week ago. Her brother also lives in Akron. Miss Caley was 21 years old and was born and raised in Warren O. She has been separated from her husband a short time. Her brother refuses to believe that she committed suicide, and attributes her trouble to a man known #s "Jack." Miss Caley never lived in Akron, Before leaving Cleveland she was seen in company of a well-dressed

Miss Booth at Canton.

Canton, O., Oct. 25.—Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, spoke to a large audience at the auditorium in this city on "Bridging the Gulf." Miss Booth called on Mrs. McKinley and had a talk of 15 minutes with her. She was presented with a pair of slippers made by Mrs. McKinley and a photograph of the late president and Mrs. McKinley. Miss Booth was given permission to enter the McKinley vault at Westlawn cemetery and placed a wreath on the late president's bier.

Railroad Official Arrested.

Norwalk, O., Oct. 25.-E. A. Peck, division superintendent of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, who was in-dicted by the recent Huron county d jury for larceny, was arrested at New Castle, Pa., by Sheriff Snyder of this county. The charge is that through Peck's connivance the Norwalk Traction company's grade crossing was taken away one night at the Baltimore and Ohio crossing near Chi-

Doctor Green Sentenced. Bowling Green, O., Oct. 25.-Dr. Alexander Green, formerly of Delta, O., was found guilty of murder in the secand degree and was sentenced to life sonment. Green shot and killed Mrs. Ella Tippin of Weston last May se she would not marry him, and then attempted suicide. His defense when he was sentenced, although his cinnati.

in a pitiful manner.

Declared Insane. Sandusky, O., Oct. 25.-John Ritzenthaler of Huron, who held up and attempted to rob Fred Ulmer, paymaster of the Wheeling and Lake Erie road, last summer, was adjudged insane by a jury in the common pleas court. Dr. H. C. Rutter, specialist, of Columbus, examined him and he declared him to be insane. Among the marks of degeneracy are webbed hands and an unusually high palate.

Married in Kentucky. Hamilton, O., Oct. 25.—F. W. Boughton, a banker of New York, who is in Hamilton installing a new savings department in the Miami Valley National bank, eloped with Miss Elsie Brown, head waitress in the restaurant where he was taking his meals. Their acquaintance began when Boughton came to the restaurant. They were married in Kentucky.

Former Mayor Hinkle Dead. Columbus, O., Oct. 25.-John N.

Hinkle, 51, president of the Cacti Soap company and ex-mayor of Columbus, died from a complication of heart trouble and a dropsical affection. Mr. Hinkle served the city as mayor from 1901 to 1903. He had been in poor health for some time. A widow and five children survive.

Fall Causes Death. Fremont, O., Oct. 25. - Mrs. David

June, 82, wife of a wealthy pioneer manufacturer, is dead from injuries received in a fall down stairs. Mrs. June died in the same house where she and her husband had lived for 53 years. They celebrated their sixtyfirst wedding anniversary several

Infant's, Sad Fate.

Wapakoneta, O., Oct. 25. — Vernon Cleaves, infant son of Early Cleaves, fell into a tub of hot water while his mother was preparing to give him a bath. His little sister promptly pulled him out, but the hot water had entered through his month and ears and death soon followed from internal

Lost Five Barges of Coal.

Ironton, O., Oct. 25. — The towboat Ironsides, in a fog, struck the cofferdam of the new bridge here, losing five barges of coal. The Ironsides left Pittsburg with 22 Larges, in command insanity. Green was unmoved of Captain Richardson, bound for Cin-

UAMAGE SUIT BEGUN AGAINST IROQUOIS OWNERS

against the proprietors of the ois theater, which was burned 30, 1903, has been commenced in United States circuit court before Landis. Edna Shunter, who badly injured in the fire, has suit for \$25,000 damages the theater company and the A. Fuller Construction comwhich erected the building. Two have been occupied in securing Attorney Charles C. Spencer opening statement for the He declared to the jury that ald show that the building ordiwere grossly violated by the proprietors. This suit is conby lawyers to be of great im-Hundreds of other suits ting Lillions of dollars in damhave been brought, and the evisiven and the verdict to be renn this first trial is of momenequences to all concerned.

President Off to Arkansas. ningham, Ala., Oct. 25.—Presi-Roosevelt concluded a strenuous

Chicago, Oct. 25.—The first damage | period in Alabama by a two hours' visit to Birmingham, where his reception, in keeping with those given him at Montgomery and Tuskegee, was hearty and soul-stirring. Visits to the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute and to the Methodist Female college were crowded into a little less than two hours. At Montgomery he spoke to a great throng under the shadow of the Confederacy's first capitol and soon was on his way again, For several hours the president was the guest of Birmingham, and his train left on the run to Little Rock. The day was unmarked by any special an intoxicated man in his excitement obligation whatever. Mr. Hegeman the pavement. The president saw the had voluntarily given to the policyincident and called the attention of officers to the man, who was quickly

An American, believed to be the noted Joseph Killoran, is under arrest in Vienna charged with being leader of a gang which recently stole 20,000 growns from a Vienna bank.

GENERAL STRIKE

Textile Co.

sider the refusal of the Manufacturers' association to grant a direct wage increase of slightly more than 14 per cent, made no recommendation to the various unions, the indications point to a general strike before the close of the month. Special meetings of the unions will be held tonight to vote on the question of leaving the mills.

TO POLICY-HOLDERS

Equitable Life Trustees Are Forwarding Circular Letters.

New York, Oct. 25.-Grover Cleveland, Morgan J. O'Brien and George Westinghouse, the stock-voting trustees in the Equitable Life Assurance society, sent out through the secretary, George F. Parker, circular letters to all the policy-holders of the society asking for suggestions as to the selection of the 13 directors to be chosen by the president. The circular announces that the next annual election of directors will be held at the offices of the society in New York at noon Wednesday, Dec. 6, when the trustees will vote for 13 directors, of whom seven will be taken from the policy-

Plans To Get Rich

down, due to dyspepsia or constipa-tion. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too. At drug stores; 25c, guaranteed.

EXPLOSION

Is Probable At Fall River Occurs in Tenement House Close All The Dives in Kan-In New York

New York, Oct. 25,-The sevenstory tenement house on the corner of Grand and Mott streets was shaken by an explosion of dynamite which some unknown person had placed on the steps of the butcher shop on the ground floor. The explosion threw the hundreds of tenants in the building and in the houses adjoining into a panic. Men, women and children appeared on the fire escapes screaming that there was a fire and begging for help. Others fled into the streets half clad, and that part of "Little Italy" was thrown into a ferment of excitement which lasted for an hour. The butcher shop was wrecked.

Wants Son Removed.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 25 .- Eric Erickson filed with Governor Johnson a petition asking that his son, Charles M. Erickson, sheriff of Rosseau county, be removed from the office. Governor Johnson wired Sheriff Erickson to place his office in charge of his deputy, A. T. Allenson, until his father's charges could be investigated. Erickson says in his petition that his son has been drunk almost continuously since elected. The father also charges the embezzlement of \$300 collected on an execution by his son, which he had

New Cure For Cancer

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica are often frustrated by sudden break- Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va. writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it and teed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at G. R. Baker & Son's, Mt. Vernon, G. R. Baker & Son's, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hosack's, Fredericktown, and F. F. Hosack's Fredericktown and F. F. Hosack's Fredericktown drug stores.

REPORTS OF THE INQUIRY PREPARED FOR NEWSPAPERS are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Constituent organizations members of constituent organizations to cease all professional activities. At a meeting of 8,000 railways men held in the university it was decided to declare a strike on all the railways radiating from St. Petersburg. It also was decided at the meeting to send deputations to Prince Hilkoff, ministers of constituent organizations to cease all professional activities. At a meeting of 8,000 railways men held in the university it was decided to declare a strike on all the railways radiating from St. Petersburg. It also was decided at the meeting to send deputations to Prince Hilkoff, ministers and the railways and Count Witte, pressure of constituent organizations to cease all professional activities.

New York, Oct. 25.—Emory McClinfor insurance companies except a cer tain supervision to give the reports publicity. He thought the public could take care of themselves, and that publicity was the best law. Asked how far this view was shared in official circles he thought he was somewhat of a missionary along that line. It was brought out that the Mutual has been paying for the dissemination throughout the country of reports of this investigation that were favorable

to the company. Charles J. Smith, a newspaper man, was the witness. He is employed by the Mutual Life Insurance company to do a large number of things, but a month ago was placed in charge of sending out these reports. Mr. Smith had vised a number of vouchers for the payment of this work and these aggregated \$11,000, with more bills to come in. He thought the amount to date would reach \$14,000. Mr. Smith wrote these reports and submitted them to Allan Forman, who owns the Telegraphic News Bureau, and \$1 a line was paid by the Mutual Life for the service. Clippings from various papers about the country were shown to the witness and identified as the dispatches he wrote and sent to Mr. Forman. These were sent to not know whether the papers were paid for inserting them. In one dispatch Mr. Smith wrote that Mr. Mc-Curdy's attitude on the stand made a distinctly favorable impression, and

for this he had to pay \$2 a line. John R. Hegeman, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, was next examined. While lacking the startling features of the testimony of some of the other life insurance presidents who have testified, Mr. Hegeman's remarks and explanations were none the less interesting, espewere none the less interesting, espe-cially his statement that \$876,000 was given to the industrial policy-holders of his company last year without any said that in eight years his company tended insurance, mortuary dividends and liberalized policies during epidemics, floods and fires. It was brought out that, while the company carried collateral loans throughout the year, none appeared in the annual report on Dec. 31. This was explained by the witness, who said that all collateral

loans were transferred on the last day tock, the actuary of the Mutual Life of the year to Vermilye & Company, Insurance company, testified before the bankers, under an agreement, and the legislative insurance committee.

He practically advocated no law for insurance committee. especially the one to President John A. McCall of the New York Life Insurance company, were taken up, and Mr. Hegeman spoke strongly of his friendship for Mr. McCall, who he said was closer than any other man to him in insurance business, outside of his immediate associates.

Farmer's Break.

Chicago, Oct. 25. - The efforts of Patrick McGrath, a farmer of Chesterton, Ind., to "liven things up a bit," proved a success in that town, and he is now in jail. McGrath found things too dull for him, and noticing an engine standing on the tracks of the Lake Shore road announced that he would bet 25 cents that he would waken up the town inside of 10 minutes. The wager was taken and Mc-Grath climbed aboard the engine and pulled the throttle to the last notch. The engine darted down the track and tore into a train of freight cars in which a number of Italians were eating their dinners. Four of the cars and the engine were smashed and four of the Italians seriously but not fatalabout 100 papers, but Mr. Smith did jy injured. McGrath escaped with but few injuries.

> Crew's Experience. Erie, Pa., Oct. 25. - Captain Andrew P. Jansen and his lifesaving crew of eight men of the Erie lifesaving station were towed into port by the tug Desmond after 16 hours on Lake Erie without sleep or food, the result of a bogus call from Northeast, Pa., 16 miles east of this city. Captain Jansen received the message, which stated that a vessel off that port was flying signals of distress. In the teeth of a 35-mile gale the men put off in the large boat, and nothing further was heard from them until towed into port, and anxiety gave way to indig-nation when it was learned that the call was bogus.

Was a Toledo Boy.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—After having been viewed by the parents of a dozen missing boys, the body of a boy who was killed by a streetcar was identiled as that of Roland J. Sheehy, hyng in Toledo, O.

BREWERS

sas City, Mo

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 25.-Thbrewers ordered joint keepers in Kansas City, Kan., and the suburbs of Argentine, Armourdale and Rosedale, to close, and most of the 200 saloons in those places respected the order. What the state and county officials. have not done in years the brewers have themselves accomplished within 24 hours. Most of the joints are owned by the breweries. The others can secure no more beer and their supply is almost exhausted.

Accused of Robbery.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—George Webster, said to be a son of well-to-do parents living in Buffalo, N. Y., and nephew of a former governor of Missouri, was captured by the police after a pistol fight in a little room at 190' Wells street. He is charged with robbery and is alleged to have a long criminal

Don't Borrow Trouble

It is a bad habit to borrow anything but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and wornout by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, biliousness, Bright's disease, and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric through crowds of strikers, and in Bitters. Here you will find sure and many cases were severely handled. permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, and your body will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At G. R. Baker & Son's, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hosack's, Fredericktown. now it is perfectly well." Guaran- drug stores. Price 50c. Guaranteed

Consuls Come Home.

New York, Oct. 25 .- J. Martin Miller, United States consul general at Auckland, New Zealand, and Ma. shall Halstead, United States consul 24 Birmingham, England, were passengers, arriving here from Antwerp.

Full Of Tragic Meaning Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At G. R. Baktions for call loans from the Wall er & Son, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hostreet district. The large loans at sack, Fredericktown druggists; such a low interest as 11/2 per cent, guaranteed; 50c and \$1.00. Trial

IS WOUNDED.

Suspect Arrested In Connection With a Bank Robbery.

Hartford City, Ind., Oct, 25 .- A strange man, suffering from a wound believed to have been inflicted with a shotgun discharged at long range, was found limping along the road four miles west of this city by three resi dents of this city, who overpowered the man and took him to the county infirmary, where he is being held on suspicion of being one of the men who robbed the Ridgeville National bank. The man begged his captors not to summon a physician and refused to explain in what manner he had been wounded. He is well dressed and clean shaven. He gave his name as Isaac Copps, and said he lived at Decatur, Ind. His hands were discolored in a manner that indicates powder

Indicted by Federal Jury. Louisville, Ky., Oct. 25,-An indictment containing nine counts was returned by the federal grand jury against Sebastian Zorn & Company, T. G. Williams and Jesse A. Bushfield, charging violation of the interstate commerce law. The indictments charge that the defendants illegally secured rebates on grain shipments, favoring certain shippers and districts and discriminating against others. The defendants were admitted to bail in the sum of \$2,000 in each case. The indictment is the outcome of the recent investigation of grain rates made here by the United States interstate commerce commission.

Will Have to Revise Scale. Hartford City, Ind., Oct. 25.- Developments in the glass situation took a sudden and unexpected turn when John R. Robinson of this city, president of the National Association of Windowglass Workers, o oted the price of windowglass at 9s and 25 off. This is a new move, gud will mean that the signers of me Amalgamated scale, including the plants that recently deserted the sational association, will have to revise their scale before they can go to work

WITTE TALKS TO WORKMEN ON STRIKE SITUATION

Strike Takes A Violent Turn Number Of Cities

Railway Men Meet And Declare A Strike On All Lines Entering St Petersburg-Trouble Is Spreading In **All Directions**

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.-The government resumed railroad service on a few roads, but under great difficulties. The decision of the railroad men at a meeting here to declare a general strike has immensely complicated the problem. Trains left Moscow over the Nicholai road, but the passengers were notified that communication was guaranteed only as far as Tver.

Several attempts were made to interrupt communication by telegraph and telephone out of Moscow, and the telegraph offices had to be guarded by Cossacks. Persons wishing to send messages had to fight their way

The strike has taken a violent turn in a number of cities, from which reports come of encounters between mobs and the police and troops, Agrarian disorders have broken out in the province of Samara. Troops sent there include a detachment of artillery, indicating that the situation is quite serious.

The executive committee of the league of leagues has adopted resolutions saying that the present moment was favorable for a general strike of all the professions, and recommending doctors, lawyers, engineers and other members of constituent organizations

ter of railways, and Count Witte, president of the committee of ministers, and present to them addresses demanding political reforms, including among them the convocation of a consituent assembly elected by direct universal suffrage. The meeting remained in session until the return of the deputation. The men returned without having succeeded in seeing Prince Hilkoff owing to his absence at Peterhoff, where he was making a report of the railway troubles to Emperor Nicholas. They found Count Witte, who pointed out that the address contained many demands which could not be realized in any country, and also many which were worthy of attention. He said that a constituent assembly was quite impossible, and contended that the suffrage and other political demands had nothing to do with the question of the railroads. He promised that liberty of meeting and of the press would promptly be granted, and said the continued application of martial law

to the railroads was due to a misunderstanding and would be remedied. He declared that he was friendly to all reasonable demands, and promised to confer with Prince Hilkoff as to the best means of dealing with the railroad question. At the same time he advised the deputation to end the strike and then to peaceably formulate the demands of the men. Having listened to the report the meeting deeided to postpone action until the deputation had an interview with Prince

Rosen Mentioned.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.—The repor hat Baron Rosen, the Russian amb sador at Washington, will succe Count Lamsdorff as fereign minister, is not confirmed, but it is definitely stated that the promulgation of an edict establishing a cabinet with Count Witte at its head may be expected in a few days.

Strike at Lodz.

Lodz, Oct. 25.—There are now

ernor has asked the governor general of the province to declare martial law. UNDER THE WHEELS.

38,000 workmen on strike. The gov-

Prominent Shipmaster Killed When He Lost His Balance. Philadelphia, Oct. 25. - Losing his balance as he was about to board a westbound train which was approach-ing the station of the Pennsylvania railroad, B. Frank Olyde, 53, vice president of the William P. Clyde Steam-

ship company, and millionaire club-man, was dragged under the wheels of the locomotive and instantly killed. His body was terribly mangled and his face was crushed beyond recognition, identification being made by means of a tailor's tabet on the clothbearing Mr. Clyde's name

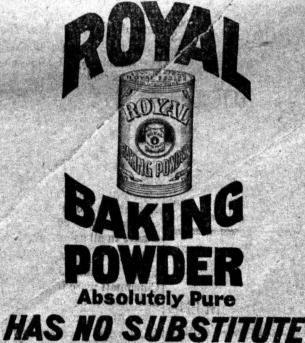
Goes to Prison.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 25. - W. H Harroun, charged with having forged \$700,000 worth of bills of lading and drawing money on them, was found guilty by a jury and the penalty fixed at five years in the penitentiary. The forgeries were committed about a year ago and were principally on Burlington route bills of lading.

Manager of Saints.

St. Paul Minn., Oct. 25.—President Lennon of the St. Paul American a.s. sociation baseball club announced that 'Dick" Padden had been select ed as manager of the St. Paul club for next

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MT. VERNON, O., OCT. 25, 1905

If the Mt. Vernon Ring can "make good"at the election by succeeding in securing an endorsement, they will be in a position to completely dictate cloudy. county affairs next year, the year after, and as long as they choose to, and hand out the offices to themselves and the members of their families. This year is the time to clip their wings.

It grows more and more apparent that a lawyer is needed for probate this morning on business. judge. The questions submitted in the probate court are too intricate spending the day in Columbus. and important to be passed upon by a person who is not a lawyer. Pat. Berry is an experienced lawyer and street. is thoroughly familiar with practice in the probate court. It would be of decided public advantage to elect him probate judge.

The records of the probate court of Knox county show that already \$949.97 have been taken from the widows and orphans of this county under the inheritance tax law and friends. paid into the state treasury. That is just \$949.97 more than should ard this morning where he has a fare plus 25 cents for the round trip, have been taken from them. There contract for finishing the new school account unveiling of monument to is no telling how much will be taken from the widows and orphans of the county in the future. The inheritance tax law was enacted as an administration measure of Gov. 2 Union Blk., Mt. Vernon, O. Merrick. He is responsible for it. and it is one of the things that should condemn him at the polls.

MASCOTS

Two Interesting Games

Idlehour Alleys Tuesday Evening

The second bowling contest of the Mt. Vernon bowling league occurred Tuesday evening on the Idlehour between the Mascots and the Bankers. The following were the scores made:

MASCOTS

WILLIAM	100	TOT	Tor
Schiappacasse	181	143	160
Si'cott		151	140
Hilliar		203	158
Graff		197	102
	815	855	719
BANK	ERS		
Byrns	164	201	168
Beggs		132	17
Baker		148	143
Bendel			15:
Breece		123	11
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Young Americans	3	2	, 1	.66
Mascots	3	2	1	.66
Philadelphias	3	1	2	.33
Bankers	3	1	2	.33
Trigg's Colts				
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1844 CLARKE LECTURE

The first lecoure under the High school entertainmenent course will be given Friday evening why Hon. John R. Clarke. His subject props not yet been announced, but Mr. Chagrke is an eloquent speaker and a rare tranat along orotorical lines can be assured. in

Mt. Vernon, O., Wednesday, Oct. 25, 1905

"MT. VERNON BLEND said.

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Those who use OUAIL FLOUR know its great intrinsic value and would not do with-Absolute out it. purity.

THE WEATHER

Rain tonight; Thursday partly

SHORT LOCALS

Butter 20c., eggs 24c.

Mr. William T. Buxton went to Columbus this morning on business Mr. John Doelfs went to Gambier

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Tissot are

Before you build or buy a house see M. J. Murphy, 600 W. Gambier

Mr. J. J. Henry of Akren was a visitor in the city Wednesday morn-

Miss Rillie Titus of Brink Haven was the guest of friends in the city

Mrs. M. M. McDermott went to Columbus this morning to visit

Mr. Emerson Grubb went to How. building.

Before building see J. F. Adamson, general contractor. Plans furnished on short notice. Rooms 1 and

A large number of wild ducks were observed flying south this Of Cilizens To Be Held morning, a sure indication of early winter weather.

Tired out, worn out woman cannot sleep, eat or work; seems as if she would fly to pieces. Hollister's To Hear Report Of Committee Which the G. U. O. of O. F. hall. Rocky Mountain Tea makes strong Defeated The Bankers In nerves and rich red blood. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Scribner & Co.

Rev. S. S. Fleming left this morning for Tiffin to attend the funeral of the Rev. Mr. Chandler. Rev. The Second Bowling Contest On The Fleming will also visit his daughter in that city.

If you want a pretty face and delightful air,

Rosy cheeks and lovely hair,

Wedding trip across the sea, Put your faith in Rocky Mountain

Tea. Scribner & Co. Mrs. S. D. Wright left Wedn

tended visit with relatives.

was spent by the guests. Delicious zens on Thursday evening. refreshments were served.

Makes digestion and assimilation perfect. Makes new red blood and bone. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. A tonic for the sick and weak. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Scribner & Co.

Mr. H. W. McCammon went to Zanesville Wednesday, being called there by the serious illness of Mr. George Chappelear.

Rev. J. Alfred Selby departed this mornining for Tiffin to attend the funeral of the Rev. Mr. Chandler.

Mr. Robert Cole went to Columbus Wednesday, being called there by the serious illness of William G. Shellenbarger.

For window shades go where you find all kinds to select from and where you are sure of the lowest prices. Whether you want one 10c. shade or an outfit for an entire house you are sure of the most for your Very low price for cash. Edward money at Arnold's. You can get a J. Bunn. cloth shade mounted on spring roller shad in all colors and in all widths.

Messrs . .. D. McCurry of Middletown, O., an gl. Justice Thorner of Cincinnati were in sethe city Tuesday and Wednesday on busheiness.

25 lbs, best granulated sugar, FLOUR"--good bread--'nough \$1,20, when purchased with an border of \$2.00 or more. Kelly Browning tickets to Cleveland via C. A. & C. Grocery & Tea Co.

Maria Russell, who will spend the ing. Apply to Local winter in that city.

Mr. John McElroy went to Butler this morning on business.

Mr. John Q. Porter was a visitor in Columbus Wednesday afternoon. Kelly Bros. will give double Brown BUTHED TO Death When The stamps Thursday, Friday and Satur-

day. Mr. Charles Appleton was a visitor in Centerburg today.

Philips were married Monday evening at the A. M. E. parsonage by Rev. Singleton.

Mrs. E. J. Clark of Columbus is the guest at the home of Senator and Mrs. L. B. Houck of North Main street.

ing on a business trip through the southern part of the state.

If you want to buy a house, lot or farm inquire of James W. Coe, real estate agt. Rms. 5 and 6 Banning Bldg. Mt. Vernon, O.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Woodard of of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Scribner.

Col. Justus Thorner of Cincinnati, president of the Obermayer Foundry company was the guest of Mr. Leopold Mambourg Tuesday.

evening from a visit with Columbus consumed by the flames. friends.

Oct. 31 and November 1, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company will sell excusion tickets from all local stations west of Pittsburg and Wheeling, also Ohio River Division, to Somerset, Ohio, at rate of one General Phil Sheridan, good for return until November 3.

Thursday Evening

Visited The Whitely Plant At Springlield, Tuesday

Messrs L. A. Stream, F. W. Severns, Thomas Anderson, Leander Hays, and Joseph Myers, the committee of citizens who visited the plant of W. N. Whitely at Springfield on Tuesday, returned in the evening very much pleased with their visit to the factory. Accordingly another citizens' meeting will be held in the council chamber alleys when a match game was rolled for Los Angeles, Cal., after an exing in securing a good industry for A very pleasant surprise was the city are requested to attend. tendered Miss Cordelia Garber of The committee will make a report West Vine street Tuesday evening, at the meeting. There is an excelthe event being her birthday lent opportunity for Mt. Vernon to anniversary. Games and music were secure the plant and there should indulged in and a delightful evening be an enthusiastic meeting of citi-

PAID UP STOCK

Do you want to invest your money where you can turn the investment into cash on short notice? If so deposit it with the Knox Building & Loan Co. Paid up Stock is now being issued by this company for amounts of \$1000.00 or over.

This stock pays 5% dividends and can be withdrawn at any time. All money deposited with this company is loaned on first mortgage and Real Estate in Knox County.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR SALE-Horse and buggy, harness and robes. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Seymour's livery barn.

FOR SALE-Rambler touring car.

\$2,300 will buy 7 room house, barn and 2½ acres of land on Belmont ave., from Martin S. Kelly.

WANTED-At once, 20 carpenters. Mt. Vernon Glass Co.

Sunday Excursion To Cleveland via C., A. @ C. Ry Saturday, November 4th excursion

Ry will be sold at \$2:75 round trip Mrs. Robert Lybarger, and infant from Mt. Vernon good going on daughter, Grace, left today for their trains least trains l future home in Washington, Pa. p. m., also on control leaving at 2:03. They were accompanied by Mrs. a. m., Central Tin.

HORSES

Barn Was Destroyed

Mr. John C. May and Mrs. Jennie Serious Fire Visits Waterford At An Early Hour On Wednesday Morning

Waterford, O., Oct. 25.--(Special) The large barn, owned by John Mr. L. Hyman departed this mo. n- Walters of this place, was entirely consumed by fire at three o'clcck this morning and two valuable horses were burned to death.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery. Occupants of the house were aroused at three o'clock when Council Bluffs, Neb., are the guests the barn was in a mass of flames Before Mr. Walters or any of the the horses had been burned to death. | mitted to an operation two days ago In the barn at the time were several Mr. Martin Kelly returned last tons of hay and two rigs, all being

The loss will reach a thousand or Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Faust eight hundred dollars, with one hunwere at Mansfield Tuesday attending dred dol'ars insurance. The cause of the fire is being investigated by Mr. Walters as it is believed that the structure was set on fire.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a regular meeting of Mt. Vernon lodge No. 20, I. O. O. F. this evening. Initiation will be held and all members are urged to be present.

The trustees of Clinton township will meet in regular session on In Thursday evening.

> Shining light court No. 43, I.O.O. C. will give a musical and literary entertainment on Friday evening in

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If you think you have heart disease you are only one of a countless number that are deceived by indi-gestion into believing the heart is

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TERRIBLE BURNS

Sustained By A Columbus Man B Falling Into Lye Vat

Columbus, O., Oct. 25.—(Special) -C. E. Clark, an employe at the Pan Handle shops, became overbalanced and fell into a lye vat this morning. He fell feet foremost. His right foot and leg were burned to a crisp, it being necessary to amputate the leg at the knee. By making a desperate effort Clark saved himself from falling in the vat head-

VERY SERIOUS

is The Condition Of Patrolman W. 6 Shellenbarger

(Columbus Journal.)

Serious in the extreme is the conlition of Patrolman W. G. Shellenbarger, of the Columbus police department, who is at the Protestant neighbors could reach the structure hospital. Mr. Shellenbarger sub-

> Last night Dr. M. F. Cole, his physician, said that complicationhave arisen which makes it improbable that the patient can recover.

DO NOT EXPERIMENT on yourself if you have

Rheumatism IT IS DANGEROUS.

The disease can be cured and we make it our business to cure it. We have a

that we guarantee will remove the poison. ous URIC ACID from your system, and bring your aches and pains to a speedy end, if you will follow the plain and simple directions. No matter what form your Rheumatism takes, Athlophoros wil remove it. Muscular Rheumatism, Inflammatory Rheumatism, Articular Rheumatism, Acute and Chronic attacks all yield to Athlophoros. Don't be skeptical.
Try a bottle. It has cured thousands
and is the best remedy for you. Take
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pleased with results. LOREY'S DRUG STORE

chases of these goods from us, be-

lieving that you will be more than

BOTH PHONES

worth is the length of time they have the confidence of the people. The efficacy of S. S. S. has been thoroughly proven by experience, and so successful has it been that today it is the best known and most widely used blood remedy in the world. For diseases such as Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scroft Skin Diseases, Sores and Ulcers, Contagious Blood Poison, and other troubles due to an impure and poisoned condition of the blood, no remedy acts so

promptly and thoroughly as does S. S., and thousands throughout the country, cured of such diseases, are daily recommending it to others si larly afflicted. ITS FORTY YEARS OF EXISTENCE HAVE BEEN FORTY YEARS OF CURES. S. S. S. is a blood purifier of the highest order, containing properties necessary to cure blood troubles of every character and which make it the greatest of all tonics. It goes into the blood and dri out any and all impurities, and makes this stream of life strong and healthy and when this is done disease cannot remain. Being made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, chosen for their healing, purifying and building-up properties, it does not injure for their healing, purifying and building-up properties. ties, it does not injure any of the delicate organs or tissues of the bo those medicines which contain Potash, Mercury, Arsenic or other harmful minerals, but cures safely and any of the delicate organs or tissues of the body erals, but cures safely as well as permanently. S. S. S. reaches deep-seated and inherited cases of the safely as well as permanently. and inherited cases on which the ordinary Sarsaparillas and tonics have no effect. It is no according effect. It is no experiment to use S. S.; it is a remedy with a record, has proven its worth and ability by its forty years of cures. If you ne blood remedy begin the use of S. S. S.; write us about your case and let on physicians advice with the use of S. S. S.; write us about your case and let on the control of the control of

physicians advise you and send book on the blood; no charge for either. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC GO., ATLANTA. GA.

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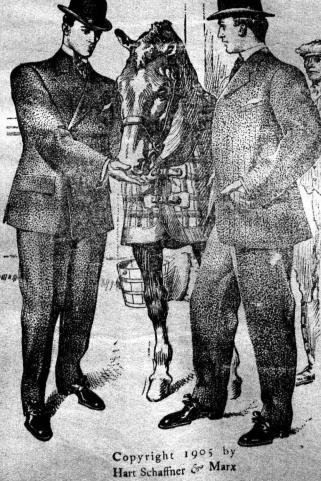
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IMPORTANCE

lf Having A Lawyer For Probate Judge

Jearly Set Out By Judge Kinkead Of Columbus

Noted Author Of Works On **Probate Practice**

Cites Several Instances In His Own Experience To Show That A Lawyer Should Be Probate Judge

The importance of having an exerienced lawyer as probate judge impressing itself upon the people Knox county, on account of the lany intricate legal propositions ubmitted to the probate court for ecision, and which have increased he legislature.

Pat. Berry, the Democratic candiate for probate judge, is an expernced lawyer, while his opponent

Over in Coshocton county the same onditions exist as in Knox county. Coshocton county one of the candates for probate judge is a lawwhile the other is not. A letter written from Coshocton to dge E. B. Kinkead of Columbus, ing his opinion of the matter of ng a lawyer for probate judge, d Judge Kinkead has answered it ry fully, and cites several reasons ly a trained lawyer should be ected to the office.

Judge Kinkead is at present infuctor in the Ohio State University school, teaching pleading, protelaw, practice and proceedure. e is auther of Kinkead's Probate w and Practice, and Kinkead's ings and is regarded as one the leading law authorities of the

Judge Kinkead's letter is as fol-

Columbus, O., Oct. 12th, 1905. e Russell Donley, Coshocton, Ohio.

hardly know how to answer your ter of yesterday in reference to e question of whether or not a of yesterday in reference to judge should be a lawyer. I RIGLER GETS "A. A.". OFFER cate.

years in my early days as a dep-clerk in the probate court and one of the best umpires in the cerk in the probate court and practice, writing and aching, I have found many diffice of the probate court.

I had one rather unique experience the in the probate case which was only the probate.

a famous case which was the probate court of Ottawa Ohio. I was called into the associate counsel, there be- as mercury will surely destroy the as mercury will surely despect the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell and completely despect and it is all engaged in the sense of smell eng case to the court and two argue it after it was heard,

and enlighten the court. of limitations which runs Toledo, Olio, San Tole

ENTRAL LOCATION W

right of an administrator betition to sell real estate.

Sold by druggists. Price 75c. 1 er bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for conwas whether there is any stipation.

time limited in which the widow can obtain her year's allowance. Another was whether or not a widow who has lived on the property and used it is chargeable with the value of the personal property, rents and profits to offset her year's allowance. Another was whet! er or not the widow, as executrix, is subrogated to rights of claims against the estate which she had paid off, and whether she can subject the real estate after Accuses Him Of Driving Her lapse of years to payment of such claims. Then there was a question of the right of innocent purchasers of realty under the circumstances; the question of collateral impeachment of accounts passed upon by the TOO Much Mother-In-Law Is court, and a collateral impeachment of the approval of the inventory and appraisement in the proceedings in the probate court. And so on.

To have the slightest appreciation of these questions, the court must have a thorough knowledge of the fundamental law respecting such matters.

The judge who heard this case was not a lawyer, and he was, undoubtedly, influenced by the personnel of the lawyers and he decided in favor of the petitioner, and on appeal in suit in the probate court against her the common pleas court before an husband, Ray D. Clutter, a promiable judge the finding was against nent school teacher of Knox county, the petitioner on all of the questions. for alimony. The parties were mar-

ber of questions which I have had in one child, 16 months old. Plaintiff ery materially during the last few my practice in order to show that a says that her husband drove her ears growing out of enactments by man who has not some education in away from his home and ordered the ground work of the law would her not to return, and also told her not be qualified to consider and pass to take away their child, saying, "I

> to be a positive law requiring that failed to provide a home for them all judges of probate courts must be and that he has failed to provide her

more fully; but time forbids.

Yours very truly, E. B. Kinkead.

SHELBY "DRYS" NOMINATE Dissatisfied With Old Parties, They Name Their Own Candidates

Shelby, Oct. 25-Dissatisfied with both the Republican and Democratic tickets because both of them are made up principally of wet candidates the "drys" have put a fourth able her to prosecute this suit, and municipal ticket in the field by for her support pending the same, petitioning the Richland county and that at the final hearing of the of Miss Jane Curtis on Mansfield board of elections. The movement created a surprise here.

The candidates on the independent ticket are:

Milton Monn, mayor: David Ervin, marshal; Henry Ott, c'erk; William Austin J. Fickes and J. B. Shatzer, councilmen; Frank Brucker, board has an action for alienation of his Frederick Cooper. of public affairs.

solute judge should be a land.

It see how a probate judge can be good one unless he is a lawyer.

It is a many difficult questions that may come up in the variance of the probate court, that would seem to me to be a very matter for one who is not a league. Rigler is considered the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the matter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in excess of the sum paid by the metter for one who is not a far in Charles Rigler will remain with it account. these two organizations which are executrix of D. D. Struble, has filed far in excess of the sum paid by the an affidavit in lieu of an account.

> Mr. Fred D. Sturges left this morning on a trip to Indiana on

Beware Of Ointments For Catarri That Contain Mercury

and it took me two days to range the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used eks being consumed in the en-al. There were a dozen legal will do is ten fold to the good you will do is ten fold which was entirely new in here lawyers worked hards and the lawyers worked hards a dozen legal will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheyney & Co., Tolcdo, O., by F. J. Cheyney & Co., and it is taken contains no mercury, and it is taken contains no mercury, and it is taken contains no mercury. re earnestly to solve these contains no mercury, and it is contains no mercury. system. In buying Hall's Catarrh stance, one of the questions of limitation there is any Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheyney & Co.

Real Evidence

THE forthcoming statement of the condition of this bank will show the larg-

est figures ever published by any financial institution in Knox Co., which is conclusive evidence that the Knox County Savings.

Bank is closer to the people of Knox county Savings.

than a y other bank.

FUR ALIMONY

A Knox County Teacher Is Sued At Newark

From Their Home

Husband's Defense

Against Whom He Has Pending Suit For Alienating The Affection Of His Wife-Other News From The Courts

Cora D. Clutter has commenced I could go on and recount a num- ried December 10, 1902, and have don't care what you do with him.' My judgment is that there ought She also says that her husband has with the necessaries of life, and that I would be glad to answer you frequently before the separation her husband ordered her to leave him and stay away from him. She says that her husband has assaulted her and declared her mother should not visit her, and that she should not visit her parents' home. She charges her husband with associating with other women. She says her husband is a school teacher in Knox county, earning about \$50 per month. and asks that the First National bank of Utica, O, be enjoined from paying him any money. She also asks for temporary alimony to enpetition she be allowed permanent avenue. alimony. Smythe & Smythe, attor-

neys for the plaintiff. The defendant in his answer says and child, but intimates that the Ryan, treasurer; Frank Remy, action was brought at the instigation of her mother against whom he wife's affections.- Newark Advo-

ACCOUNT FILED

R. W. Colville, guardian of Mary Central League will pay him enough | E. Scott, has filed his first and final

IN LIEU OF ACCOUNT

H. A. Stevenson, trustee under the will of Jennie Struble, who was

INVENTORY FILED

John E. Russell, executor of Sarah L. Russell, has filed an inventory.

APPOINTED GUARDIAN guardian of Wm. H. Shipley, insane team at an early date.

person, and bond in the sum of \$200 has been filed with R. M. Greer and L. T. Cromley as sureties. The guadian has filed a petition to sell real estate.

MARRIAGES

John C. May, laborer, Mt. Vernon, and Jennie Phillips, Mt. Ver-

Frank Flecknoe, laborer, Utica and Ada Wolford, Mt. Vernon.

DEEDS RECORDED

E. L. Warman to T. U. Gains, lot in Banning addition, \$600. H. E. Foote to W. W. Kinney, le

n Fredericktown, \$200. H. E. Foote to H. S. Taylor, lot

n Fredericktown, \$175. H. S. Taylor to W. W. Kinney, lot

n Fredericktown, \$175. Chas. E. Douthit to Ethel M. Chandler, lot in Mt. Vernon, \$2,800.

Henry Stevenson, trustee, to W. H. Patterson, two parcels in Wayne township, \$270. Thos D. Beach, executor, to Anna

Howell, land in Clinton township,

L. M. Workman to Jas. O. Mc-Artor, two lots in Howard, \$200. Legouri Blubaugh to W. N. Ramsey, two parcels, Clinton township,

CLUB DOINGS

·SOROSIS

Sorosis met Tuesday afternoon vith Mrs. Charles Bird at her home as follows:

The Savages of Japan-Mrs. San-

How Japan was Opened to the World-Mrs. Bird.

Current Events-Mrs. Parker. Instead of the social announced for next week, a regular meeting will be held with Mrs. Daniels.

A miscellaneous program will be given to which each member is expected to contribute the most interesting item of her week's reading.

MONDAY CLUB

6, with a lecture on Shakespeare's, a third man and at the point of re-'King John" by Dr. John S. Harrison of Kenyon College at the home

The first regular meeting was held Monday with the president, Mrs. er and Webb managed to make their Chas. F. Colville. Papers were read he is willing to provide for the wife on "King John's Reign" by Mrs. heard Hartsock screaming out as Ewalt and "John, the Man" by Mrs. the men beat him. Williams. The reading of King

INDOOR BASEBALL

To Be Played At The Local Skating Rink This Winter

Manager Goodrich of the local skat- sault will be served. ing rink is making arrangements to have indoor base ball in the rink the coming winter. It has been successful in all large cities and Manager Goodrich is of the belief that it wil interest Mt. Vernon citizens.

A basket ball team will also be organized and will steps be taken H. H. Greer has been appointed towards the organization of a polo

A VERY SENSIBLE OWL

[Written for The Banner by H. M. Cain]

How can a young man, on a street corner stand, And smoke cigarettes, which the ladies eschew, Or load up, on beer, every night in the year, When there's thousands of maidens to woo?

'Twas referred to an owl, as he looked very wise As to which of the three, he would much rather do, He ruffled his feathers; then closing his eyes, Gave out as his answer, to woo.

And then he proceeded to speak of divorce; With knowledge astounding; and all of it true. Denouncing it roundly, throughout the discourse, Yet paying high tribute, to wit and to woo.

How comes it, sir owl, that your plumage is torn? With some of your wisdom, the story relate. "In many fierce battles, with foes who are sworn,
I've parted with feathers, but never my mate".

Next he sailed into the subject of "graft," Just wait; let me think what he likened it to. With a rope round his neck, to a man who is daft, Though he stand at the top, he will surely fall through.

Now here is a point, where we all can agree, I believe it myself, never doubting of you. There are only two toasts, at his home in the tree, And they are, to wit and to woo.

For that speaker I've searched, like a monk in his cowl, Now a much traveled bird, brings the tidings to me; 'Twast the spirit of wisdom, in the form of an owl. That had spok it while perched in a tree.

REVOLVER

Put To His Head And Marched To A Saloon

Where He Was Detained As A Prisoner

Thrilling Experience Of Cen terburg Man At Newark

Growing Out Of The Labor Difficul ties At The Wehrle Foundry Where He Had Taken Position Of A Striker

(Newark Advocate) Another violent outbreak occurred

polishers. Three men, George W. er and Clem Hartsock of Johnstown, polishers who have taken the place of the strikers, were attacked shortly after dark, or about 6:30 o'clock, ly after da'k, or about 6:30 o'clock, on Monday night while going from the Wehrle foundry to the Forry street bridge, where they intended taking a car to the city. Just as the state hoard of charilian hours of the state hoard of charilian hours. pelled the polishers by threats and the convict. force to go to a saloon in the Brothers building, on Union street, where erans, their sons and friends to rethey held them as prisoners. The sent the brutal discharge of veteran two men making the attack finally soldiers in flagrant violation of law went outside the saloon, but told to make room for political henchmen their prisoners that if they attemptmained in the saloon. They claim The Monday club opened October that Felix and Collins returned with volvers took them into the back yard A Tired Stomach where Collins struck at Hoover, who dodged him, and Felix struck Webb escape and as they ran away say they

Hartsock has mysteriously disap-John, Acts I, II was led by Mrs. peared and cannot be found any- treatment is a course of where, although a thorough search The hostess served refreshments has been made for him, and nothing Hood's Sarsaparilla during a pleasant social hour which has been heard of him at Johnstown. which is positively une-Lieut. N. A. Jeffries, who charge of the special officers at the troubles.

Wehrle foundry, says that he attempted to make an investigation, but was unable to obtain any definite information regarding the matter. Warrants for the arrest of the three men charged with making the as-

REPORT IS DENIED

That A Steel Company Has Leased The Spearman Land

There was a report in circulation on Wednesday that a company located in Chicago had purchased the Spearman tract of land on North Sandusky street as a site for a large steel plant. Inquiry at the Spearman home revealed the fact that the land has not been sold to any company.

IN FULL BLOOM

Is A Cherry Tree At The George Property On N. Gay St.

A very unusual sight that is attracting considerable attention is a cherry tree at the Gillmore home, formerly the John George property on North Gay street, coming into full bloom. The tree is stripped of leaves, but the blossoms are coming out as beautiful as in May.

Something Choice in Building Lots

For sale, cheap and on easy payments, the 24 beautiful lots owned by Cooper and Moore, east of and adjoining the Smith Realty Company's Addition. These lots are 50 by 185 feet. Car line, fine pavement and trees in front, alley in rear. First come, first served. Frank Cochran, Agent.

Mr. George C. Vail went to Day ton this morning on business

BOLTS HERRICK

For His Opposition To Farmers And Soldiers

(Columbus Citizen.)

J. Macey Walcutt, one of the most prominent Republicans of this city, has joined the bolt against Governor Herrick.

Mr. Walcutt was formerly chief of police of Columbus, has served the county Republican committee and is a son of the late Charles C. Walcutt, one of the most prominent generals from Ohio in the civil war.

Mr. Walcutt is a heavy holder of farm lands in this county and spends most of his time upon his farm.

"As a life-long Republican I keenly feel the embarrassing condition of the party in this campaign in the unfortunate character of the men on the ticket," says Mr. Walcutt. "Herrick, with deep-rooted prejudice against the farmers, vetoed the appropriation for the benefit of the farming interests, and, smarting under the stern rebuke which even the bossridden state convention administered, he, with sullen dein the West End on Monday night fiance, assailed the plan of the between the union and nonunion establishment of state quarries for convict labor to crush stone to build Webb of Centerburg, Clarence Hoov- good roads. The plan was to dis-

on East Chestnut street. Program taking a car to the city. Just as the unfortunate feeble-minded by they got on the bridge two of the the state board of charities, he favors striking polishers, C. F. Felix and a new penitentiary at great and George E. Collins, met them. Felix useless expense, instead of the and Collins, without any preliminar quarries for cheap road material and ies, drew their revolvers and com- better and healthier conditions for

"I believe it is the duty of all vet-

"I think that every true Republied to escape they would brain them. can will do the best service and The men were terrorized and re- purify the party by voting against Herrick and the entire ticket.

Does not get much good on the head and knocked him down for you out of what you and kicked him in the breast. Hoov- eat, for it does not digest much—it is wasteful. It feels sore and lame and is easily distressed and often upset by food. The best

qualled for all

For testimonials of remarkable cures send for Book on Dyspepsia, No. 5. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

Another Excursion To Co lumbus Via C., A. & C. Ry. Oct. 29th excursion tickets to Columbus via C., A. & C. Ry. will be sold at \$1.00 round trip from Mt. Vernon good going on Special Train eaving at 9:40 a. m., Central Time.

\$3.00 and \$350

Ladies' Shoes

We are showing some extraordinary values in ladies' fine dress shoes at these figures. All the latest and best styles in leathers and lasts.

We keep a larger stock than other store in the county. Shoes for every purpose and the styles that will be comfortable are to be found here.

We stand by every pair

Special quality in Rubber

SILAS PARR RELIABLE FOOTWEAR

WOMEN'S NEGLECT

SUFFERINGTHESUREPENALTY

Health Thus Lost Is Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compo

How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? We hear every day the same story over and over again. "I do not feel well; I am so tired all the time!



More than likely you speak the same words yourself, and no doubt you feel far from well. The cause may be easily traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of anisits reluctance to go depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nerv-ousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhœs. These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger shead, and unless

heeded a life of suffering or a serious operation is the inevitable result.

which made me a physical wreck, and no one thought I would recover, but Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me, and made me well and strong, and I feel it my duty to tell other suffering women what a splendid medicine it is."

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write to Mrs Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice-it is free and always helpful.

WATCHES

While all other lines in my store have been booming trade has been just a little bit slow in

GOOD TIMEPIECES

¶In order to stimulate this line I am now making specially low prices on the best watches to be had. Inquire and you will really he surprised to learn what I am doing in the way of special prices.

HOLIDAY GIFTS

Christmas will soon be here and many persons are having presents laid away and are paying for them in small amounts. The scheme is a good one; don't you think so?

The Quality Store

FRANK L. YOUNG, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

MT. VERNON, OHIO.

AN ORDINANCE

IXIN I PLACES FOR HOLDING THE ELECTION IN THE SEVERAL PRE-CINCTS IN THE CITY OF MT. VER-NON, STATE OF OHIO, NOVEMBER

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUN-BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNcil of the City of Mount Vernon. State
of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the election to be
held November 7, 1995, in said city, in
Precinct "A" of the First Ward, shall
be held in the building on the northeast
corner of Main and Front streets.

That the election in Precinct "B" in
said Ward shall be held in the Blue
Grass Grocery room on the corner of
Division and Front streets.

SECTION 2. That the election in Precinct "A" of the Second Ward shall be
held in the Second Ward Engine House,
and that the election in Precinct "B" of
said Ward shall be held in Back's Furniture store, West Gambier street.

SECTION 3. That the election to be
held in Precinct "A" of the Third Ward
shall be held in the Third Ward Engine
House on North Gay street.

That the election in Precinct "B" of
the Third Ward shall be held in the
Aaron Sharp property on the corner of
Coshocton Avenue and Division streets.

SECTION 4. That the election to be
held in Precinct "A" of the Fourth
Ward shall be held in the
Argen Sharp property on the corner of
Coshocton Avenue and Division streets.

SECTION 4. That the election to be
held in Precinct "A" of the Fourth
Ward shall be held in the
Argen House on North Main street.

That the election in Precinct "B" of
the Fourth Ward shall be held at Aiis m's grocery on North Norton street.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take
effect and be in force from and after
the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed October 25, 1995.

WM. KOONS,

President of Council.

Attest: J. H. WOOTTON,

Clerk.

Clerk.

Approved: S. R. GOTSHALL, Mayor

AN IMPERTINENT QUESTION AND A VERY PERTINENT REPLY

"Who is this man Pattison, anyhow?" inquires one of the sapient orators now on the stump, defending and urging the indefinite continuance of bossism and graft, with reference to Hon. John M. Pattison, whom the Democrats, with the aid of the best Republicans of the state, are going to elect governor of Ohio.

He was born to farmer parents, in Clermont county, June 13, 1847. Was reared on a farm and educated in the common schools.

He enlisted in Co. "I," 153rd O. V. I., in 1864, when a little past 16 years of age. Served to the end of the Civil war. Was honorably discharged and is a member of S. R. S. West Post, G. A. R., Milford, Ohio.

He graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University, was admitted to the law practice and became the attorney for the Committee of Public Safety for Cincinnati, for several years. He afterward entered the life insurance business in which he is still successfully engaged.

He served with credit and distinction as a member in the Ohio house of representatives from Hamilton county; as

a state senator and as a member of congress.

These are the brief annals of a well and usefully spent life of one who rightfully bears the name of gentleman. As governor he will turn the sunlight of honesty upon all the public affairs of the state.

THE CHUKCHEES.

They Live In Siberia and Have a Mania For Suicide. A Russian correspondent was

ing about Siberia. "In that strange land," he said, "the

strangest thing is the suicidal tendency of the Chukchees. Among the Chukchees, actually, suicide is one of the most common forms of death. "The Chukchees live in northeastern

Siberia. They are small and copper colored. They dress in skins and ride reindeer. Tallow and raw kidney are their chief delicacies. In every Chukchee house hangs a death coat.

"A Chukchee doesn't kill himself by his own hand. He appoints his nearest relatives—his wife, son or daughter—to do the deed. And the delegate never rebels, never declines this sad and horrible task.

"Innumerable are the causes of suioide-jealousy, unrequited love, an in-curable disease, melancholy, poverty, and so ou.

"I knew a man who was prosperous and apparently happy. Suddenly a de-sire for death seized him. In three moons,' he said, 'I will go home to my fathers.' And he calmly settled his affairs and at the appointed time bade his wife to knot a cord about his throat and his two sons to pull upon the cord till he should be strangled. He died, they told n.e, joking.

The death coat which hangs in every Chukehee house has a hood. It is for use in suicide. The hood hides the facial contortions of the dving "There are Chukchee families where

in suicide is hereditary, wherein it is a point of honor for the sons to kill themselves, a natural death being regarded in such families as disgraceful and scandalous, a sign of the most unpardonable cowardice.

"The Chukchees, despite their suicidal tendency, are a happy and healthy people, moral, truthful, brave and temperate."-St. Louis Globe-Dem-

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

You can't spend any time hating people if you want to go forward.

After a man has worked hard to get a thing he has to fight hard to keep it. No one loves a crying baby, and the same is true of people who are grown

While your friends promise you big things, the "if" they put in the promise

All your troubles are exaggerated, including the uneasiness that con-

When friends urge you to come and see them "any time" it requires some figuring to find out just when that

Decisions after mature reflections are so often wrong that greater respect should be paid the decisions of a penby coming down heads or tails,-Atchi-

"Hoodlum," the word which has found place in the vernacular of the local lexicon, is well understood to apply to a class of objectionable young toughs who have no respect for sex, age or the rights of decent people and no sense of what is proper or becoming in the character of him to whom the epithet is justly applied-a hoodlum today, a criminal tomorrow.

While the meaning of the term is well understood by the people, few there be who know the derivation of the word and how it came to be forced

lows held a picnic at Redwood City. On that occasion a gang of toughs "butted in" with the otherwise orderly attendance. Among the gang who went from San Francisco was one whose name was Hood Lummix. Nature would seem to have had a farcical part in the creation of the original hoodlum, for Hood Lummix was a most peculiarly formed creature. Clumsy, big footed, with a big mouth and protruding teeth, thick lips, a big bushy head of hair of a dirty brick color, standing out like the quills on a porcupine, this almost malformed specimen, as is usual, attracted the attention of a lot of young rowdies who picked upon him as being an easy guy for a day's sport. Go where he might, he was followed by a gang who hooted and yelled and, in brief, made things unpleasantly lively during the day, but more particularly in the afternoon when the steam beer commenced to do its work.

The amusement of the gang did not confine itself to the picuic grounds. On the contrary, they went outside, broke into orchards and flower gardens, destroying valuable property, and finally wound up the day by shooting a valuable horse belonging to a rancher. This last act was more than the sheriff of San Mateo was prepared to stand, and of the chief offenders. When the cases came up before the justice of the peace in Redwood each and every one of the accused laid the entire blame on Hood Lummix. Poor, simple minded Hood got six months in jail, and in sentencing him the justice, who was very much displeased that he could not send the entire gang to state prison, delivered a lecture to the offenders in which he said: "I now warn you to keep out of this county; we want no more of Hood Lummix or his gang to visit us." Hence the word became coined by dropping the last syllable of the name, making the word as now used. "boodium."-San Francisco Cali,

His Women Folk. "What a beautiful home you have!" said the old time friend.

"You mustn't let mother and the girls hear you speak of it so patronizingly," answered Mr. Cumrox. "This ain't a home; thus is a residence."—Washing

THE WORD "HOODLUM."

Man and Incident From Which I

Sprung In San Francisco.

into our language. It is this: It was in 1872, when the Odd Fel-

MORAL SENTIMENT COUNTS FOR MORE THAN BOSSISM AND GRAFT

"The wave of moral sentiment that is overspreading the state takes me confident of victory. Our adversaries say: O, wait until the reaction comes.' But I can tell them that when the moral sentiments of the peop's are aroused there isn't going to be any reaction. On the other hand, those parts of the state that have not as yet responded very evidently to this sentiment will fall into line before the campaign is much older. Not that the sentiment is not now almost general, but it is more pronounced in some places than in others. For instance, the decent element in Cincinnati seems a little slow in waking up to what the campaign really means. It's a sort of 'corrupt and contented' atmosphere there, but the fog will lift. In fact, before election day I look for the good people of Cincinnati and Hamilton county to arise in their might as they are in other sections in the state, in a determined effort to overthrow their boss, and I predict that they will win and that Judge Dempsey will be Cincinnati's next mayor.

"You needn't look surprised. I know what there is to overcome before such a righteous result can be attained, but Cox's rule can't last forever. His day is bound to come, and why not next November? If the people can't win out now, when there seems to be a wave of sentiment for good government all over the country, when in the world can they expect to win? Are they forever to be bound to the charlot wheels of a corrupt boss?"-John M. Pattison.

AN ENGINE EXPLODED THREE TRAINMEN INJUREI

Terre Haute, Ind, Oct. 25. - Three trainmen were seriously injured by the explosion of engine No. 239, drawing fast freight No. 43, on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, at Jackson yards, north of this city. The injured: Engineer Lemon, two ribs broken, badly cut and burned; Fireman Clarence O'Connell Danville, leg broken; Brakeman John Snyder, Terre Haute, scalded and burned about chest. A southbound passenger train had taken a siding to allow the freight to pass. The freight engine exploded at the entrance to the side track. Several cars were wrecked and the track was torn up for a considerable distance. The injured men were sent to the railroad hospital at Danville.

DISCREPANCY

Found by a Bank Examiner, and an Investigation Follows.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 25. - Lank Examiner John B. Cunningham, while making an examination of the Bank of Pittsburg, N. A., found a discrepancy between the reports made to the comptroller of the currency by the Bank of Pittsburg, N. A., and the Enterprise National bank of Allegheny, which led to the closing of the latter institution, Acting Attorney General Hoyt has directed the United States attorney, John M. Denkle, to make a thorough investigation into the affairs of the Enterprise National bank with a view to criminal proceedings if the evidence warrants such a course.

PANAMA CANAL.

Member of Consulting Board of Engl-

neers Airs His Views, Washington, Oct. 25.-The isthmian canal commission made public a letter written by Isham Randolph, a member of the board of consulting engineers of the Panama canal, to Zina R. Carter, president of the sanitary district of Chicago, which embodies the views of Mr. Randolph concerning canal matters. He has recently returned from a visit to Panama with other members of the board, and his opinions are interesting, and in view of the publication of the letter by the commission may be considered semiofficial. In his letter Mr. Randolph official. In his letter Randolph says: "What we do know is that it can be done; that Americans can do it; and that in as short a time as so stupendous an undertaking can be put through. We do know that almost limitless resources await the demand of the builders, and that the builders represent the highest grade of American engineering talent. Hence we may reasonably look for the passage of the great ocean freighters from the Carib bean to the Pacific before our calendars are headed 1915." He predicts the labor problem will be solved, though he says the introduction of the eight-hour system in the isthmus seems to be a mistake.

Embezzier May Go Free.

Paul, Oct. 25.-Peter August Eckland, in jail in London, England, on his own confession that he embezzled \$11,000 while secretary of the Clay County Land company, may go free because of the refusal of his victims to prosecute him. Secretary Elihu Root telegraphed Governor Johnson information from the London embassy, stating that Eckland was in the custody of the London police, and asking if his extradition to Minnesota was desired. Following the receipt of the telegram communication was at once had with the Clay county authorities, and the answer was that no complaint had been made or his arrest asked for. That he was an embezzler of \$11,000 from the land company was admitted as true, but no particular in-dividual or parties could be found who would admit suffering the loss.

Taft on Japan. New York, Oct. 25 .- The feeling of the Japanese has not been changed as a result of the recent war with Russia. but still tends toward western beliefs and civilization. This opinion was expressed by Secretary of War Taft in an interview which will appear in The Churchman. The secretary says that as a result of the war just concluded the economic outlook is one of high prices, lots of work, and apparently prosperity. He believes that the present era of prosperity may be followed after some years by the same sort of depression the United States had after the war.

Hart to Meet Kauffman. Louisville, Ky., Oct. 25.-Marvin Hart, the champion heavyweight pugilist, has accepted the offer of the Colma club of San Francisco for a match with Al Kauffman. The club's offer, made through Billy Roche, calls for an unlimited round fight for a purse of \$15,000. The offer is contingent on Kauffman winning over Jack O'Brien in San F.

Will Not Interfere.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 25 .- Governor Pennypacker declined to interfere in the suit brought by State Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren against William J. Hall, agent for Swift & Company, in Philadelphia, on the charge of selling sausages adulterated with boracic acid, President Swift, accompanied by his attorney, appeared before the governor and asked

, for the withdrawal of the prosecution. Commissioner Warren, who was present, with Secretary of Agriculture Critchfield, declared that the adulterated sausage had been sold to contractors furnishing meats to the national government, and that the suit against Hall was brought at the instance of Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte. The case will be tried in Philadelphia on Nov. 2.

CUT TO THE QUICK.

Edward Paul, 28, Panhandle brakeman, was killed in the Columbus

Seven robbers blew the safe in the Ridgeville (Ind.) State bank and escaped with about \$6,000. A band of brigands attacked a de-

tachment of Cossacks at Baku. Several Cossacks killed and one wounded. At New Baltimore, Mich., half a dozen persons received severe injuries and nearly 20 more were slightly hurt in a collision betwen an electric car and a construction train.

Dirigible Balloon.

Toulon, France, Oct. 25. - Minister of War Berteaux participated in the most successful trial of the Lebaudy military dirigible balloon. Accompanied by a number of officers he made a half-hour trip in the balloon and reconvoitered the whole range of fortified works and the city.

Brakeman Killed. Akron, O., Oct. 25 .- M. J. Doran, 28, of Auburn, N. Y., a brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad, fell between two cars and was crushed to death.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO-Cattle: Export, good to choice, \$5 00@5 75; shipping steers, \$4 25@5 85; butcher cattle, \$4 35@4 85; heifers, \$3 00@4 25; cows, \$2 25@3 75; bulls, \$2 25@3 75; milkers and springers, \$35 00@55 00. Sheep and Lambs-Good to choice yearlings, \$6 00@6 50; wethers, \$5 50@5 75; mixed, \$5 25@5 59; ewes, \$5 00@5 50; spring lambs, \$6 00@8 20. Calves—Best, \$8 00@8 75. Hogs—Mediums. \$5 40@5 50; heavies, \$5 50@5 60; Yorkers, \$5 30@5 35; pigs. \$5 30; roughs, \$4 25@4 60; stags, \$3 90@4 00. CLEVELAND-Cattle: Steers, choice

fat, \$5 00@6 25; coarse and rough \$3 25@ 4 15; helfers, \$2 75@3 50; cows, \$2 00@ 2 75; bulls, \$2 50@2 75; milkers and springers, \$15 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice lambs, \$7 50@ Lambs—Good to choice lambs, \$7 50\text{90}\$
7 75; culls, \$5 00\text{\$\pi\$} 7 00; yearlings, \$5 50\text{\$\pi\$}\$
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5 25; ewes, \$4 00\text{\$\pi\$} 4 75. Calves—\$7 75
down. Hogs—Mixed weights, \$5 30\text{\$\pi\$}\$
5 35; pigs, \$5 15 down; stags and roughs,

CHICAGO-Cattle: Steers, \$3 15@6 20 stockers and feeders, \$2 00@3 60; heifers, \$2 25@5 00; cows and canners, \$1 50@4 00 bulls, \$2 05@4 10. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$3 25@6 25; lambs, \$4 25@7 75. Sheep, \$3 20@6 25; lambs, \$4 25@7 75. Calves—\$3 00@7 60, Hogs—Shipping and selected, \$5 20@5 50; mixed and heavy packing, \$4 50@5 25; light, \$5 10@5 45; pigs and roughs, \$2 00@5 00. Wheat—No. 2 red, 8834@90c. Corn—No. 2, 5234@5234c. Oats—No. 2, 29c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, \$5 40@

5 60; prime, \$5 10@5 35; tidy butchers, \$4 25@4 60; heifers, \$2 50@3 80; cows. buils and stags, \$2 00@3 65; fresh cows. \$25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, \$5 70@6 00; mixed, \$4 60@5 60; lambs, \$5 00@7 90. Calves—Veal, \$6 00@ 8 00. Hogs—Prime heavy, \$5 55@5 60; mediums, \$5 50@5 55; heavy Yorkers, \$5 50; light Yorkers, \$5 40@5 45; pigs, \$5 20@5 40.

BOSTON-Wool: Ohio and Pennsylvania XX and above, 36@361/2c; X, 34@35c No. 1, 40@41c; No. 2, 40@41c; fine un-washed, 28@29c; unwashed delaine, 30@ 81c; fine washed delaine, 38@39c; unmerchantable, 31@32c; Kentucky, Indiana etc., % and 4-blood, 35@36c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 88@ 89c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 53c. Oats—No. mixed, 301/2@31c. Rye—No. 2, 70@71c. Lard—\$6 60. Bulk meats—\$8 00. Bacon— \$9 25. Hogs-\$4 25@5 40. Cattle-\$2 00@ 4 75. Sheep-\$3 25@5 25. Lambs-\$5 50

NEW YORK—Wheat: No. 2 red, 92%c. Corn—No. 2, 62c. Oats — Mixed, 26@32 lbs., 331/2@341/2;. TOLEDO—Wheat, 87%c; corn, 57%c; pats, 41%c; rye, 68%c; cloverseed, \$8 17%

All Wabbly In Their Walk.

"Nobody in New York walks straight," said the gray headed citizen of the metropolis. "Watch a score of pedestrians on the sidewalk, and not one of them sticks to a straight path. Those deviations are not always due to the crowded condition of the pavement elther. During the rush hours a man is supposed to dodge this way and that in his efforts to make progress, but when given a clear road there is no excuse for so much sidetracking. Yet no matter how favorable the conditions the New Yorker zigzags just the same. He might have a stretch of sidewalk a fectly sober, yet in that distance he would veer from curb to stoop line and back again several times.'

A Queer Recipe. In an ol black letter translation of Albertus Magnus the donkey figures in

the following extraordinary recipe: "Take an Adder's skin, and Auri pigmentum, and greeke pitch of Reupiriticum, and the waxe of newe Bees, and the fat or grease of an Asse, and breake them all, and put them all in a dull seething pot full of water, and make it to seeth at a glowe fire, and after let it waxe cold, and make a taper, and every man that shall see light of it shall eeme headlesse."

Clerk-Now, this, ma'am, is the most popular book of the day. Everybody is reading it. Mrs. Nuritch-I don't want nothin' that everybody reads. Show me somethin' more exclusive.-Phila delphia Ledger.

MEN OF MUSCLE.

Monarchs Who Performed Some

Wonderful Feats of Strength. Augustus the Strong of Saxony in his playful moods would seize a couple of courtiers, one in each hand, and hold them out at arm's length. He would twist stout iron bars around their necks for collars and straighten horseshoes with a wrench of his muscular fingers, while on one occasion, when the horse of one of his attendants refused to budge, he put his herculean shoulders under it and walked away with horse and rider together. George Castriot, prince of Albania,

wielded such a powerful sword that he could sever a bull's head at a single stroke, while once, for a wager, he walked off with ten of his courtiers standing on a platform. Charlemagne, who was reputed to be the strongest man of his time, was able to snap the strongest horseshoe between the fingers of one hand, and Don Sebastian merely by the pressure of his knees could make his charger groan with

Peter the Great of Russia so developed and hardened his naturally strong muscles by years of work as a blacksmith and a carpenter that he became the strongest man in his dominions. He had but one formidable rival in a country blacksmith, whose boast it was that he was the only man in Russia who could lift an anvil from the ground.

When this boast came to the ears of Peter he set out incognito with a single companion and challenged the blacksmith to a trial of strength. Without a word the latter seized his ponderous anvil with both hands and, straining his mighty muscles almost to bursting point, raised it a foot from the ground. When Peter's turn came he, too, raised the anvil higher and higher until, to his rival's consternation, he placed it on his shoulder and walked out of the smithy with it. So startled was the blacksmith by this exhibition of strength that he rushed away to summon the villagers to "come and see the evil one, who had run away with his anvil."

Peter had a worthy successor in Alexander III., father of the present ezar, whose phenomenal strength earned for him the title of the "Russian Samson." Amazing stories are told of Alexander's muscular powers-how he could burst open the stoutest barred doors by a push of his great shoulders, crumple up coins in his hand as if they were leather instead of tough metal, snap iron bars across his knees, tear a whole pack of cards in two and with a few movements of his powerful hands convert a pewter tankard into a bouquet

Nor must we forget that amazonian queen of Poland, Cymburga, who used to crack nuts with her fingers, and when she was training her fruit trees would hammer the nails into the wall with her clinched fist.

The Meanest Man. A well to do Chicago real estate own-

er went into a hardware store in that city and asked the proprietor for a pound of nails. The small package was made up and the price, a nickel, handed to the merchant, when the customer asked if the purchase could be sent to his house, which was in a distant part of the city. The merchant assented and, calling an errand boy, handed him the parcel, with the nickel he had just received for it, and said:

"Here, Johnny; take the car and take this parcel out to Mr. Blank's house," "What!" said the customer. "Are you oing to give the boy the nickel to take the parcel out?"

"Why, certainly," said the merchant, "I wouldn't think of asking him to walk so far." "Well," said the meanest man in

Chicago, "if you would just as soon give me the 5 cents I will take it out myself!"-Minneapolis Journal.

Chemists' Odd Jobs. "Mankind is suspicious," said

chemist of the board of health. "Only last week a wealthy clergyman se me a piece of pie for analysis. He suspected that his daughter, a beautiful and good girl, wanted to put him out of the way. The pie contained, of course, none but the usual ingredients. "Some people send me pickles, sauces, plackings-profitable and widely advertised compositions that they want to learn how to duplicate and vend "There isn't a well known patent

medicine that hasn't been submitted to me for analysis twenty or thirty times."-New York Press. Ready For the Cholera.

Some years ago there was an out-

break of cholera in France, and instructions were forwarded to the mayor of a certain village to take all necessary precautions, as the epidemic was rapidly spreading. At first the worthy magistrate did not know what block long all to himself and be perported that he was ready to receive the dread visitor. Upon inquiry being made it was discovered that by his orders a sufficient number of graves had been dug in the local cemetery to bury the entire parish if required.

> Followed Orders "Confound it!" exclaimed Jackson

What a stupid fellow that jeweler is!" "How so?" inquired his friend. "Why, I told him the other day that I wanted engraved on the engagement ring the letters 'From A. to Z.'-'From Arthur to Zenobia,' you know-and the idiot went and put in the whole alphabet!"

Sure to Fetch Him. Husband-I have a horror of being buried alive, Jane! Wife-Don't worry. Before you've been dead an hour I'll buy a \$40 hat, and if you are alive you'll kick .-- Judge.

It is a pity that opportunity does so much traveling Incog. -Puck.

Hard to Please.

Nobody outside the journalistic profession has any idea how difficult it is for an editor to please some of his patrons. For instance, referring to a man's reputation for carelessness in the matter of his toilet, a paper announced, "Mr. Maguire will wash himself before he assumes the office of town clerk." This made Maguire furious, and he demanded a retraction, which appeared thus: "Mr. Maguire requests us to deny that he will wash himself before he assumes the office of town clerk." Oddly enough, this only enraged Maguire the more.—San Fran-

Good Reason.

"Do you owe Bilker money?"

"Why do you avoid meeting him?" "Don't want him to owe me money." -Cleveland Leader.

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