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BRITT DEFEATS SUMMERS.

Californian is a Victor in His First British Battle.

London, Nov. 2.—Jimmy Britt, the California fighter, defeated Johnny Summers of England in the tenth round tonight at Wonderland. The conditions of the fight called for ten rounds at 133 pounds. The men weighed in at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Summers had the better of the first two rounds and Britt, seeming to realize his disadvantage, put more energy into his work and shaped up much better in the succeeding rounds. The Englishman showed great cleverness and in the sixth, seventh and eighth rounds looked to be a winner. Britt came back, however, and fought his man to the ropes, having a considerable advantage in the ninth and tenth rounds. The American was declared the winner on points, although a considerable section of the spectators who filled the hall questioned the referee's decision.

IN TROUBLE OVER ELECTION.

Bloomington Man Accused of Trying to Sell His Vote.

Bloomington, Ind., Nov. 2.—Charged with offering to sell his vote for \$20 to Vito Solomito an Italian leader, Giuseppe Riviere was arrested tonight. Before Magistrate Morgan he pleaded not guilty. His bond was fixed at \$500 and failing to give it he was sent to jail and his trial is set for Wednesday. Within the past ten days 107 Italians employed in the stone quarries have been naturalized so as to vote at tomorrow's election.

EXPECTS CLEAN ELECTION.

Bloomington Citizens Intend to Prosecute Ballot Violators.

Bloomington, Ind., Nov. 2.—Bloomington likely will have the cleanest election in its history tomorrow. Public sentiment against corruption at the polls was thoroughly aroused at mass meetings. Indianapolis detectives are here to assist the local committees in watching the polls. There is a purse of \$2,000 on deposit in the Monroe County State Bank to be used in punishing violators.

GIRL VICTIM OF PANIC DIES.

Miss Louise Vost, Who Leaped Five Stories in Fire, Succumbs.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 2.—Miss Louise Vost died at her home in Newport, Ky., today of the injuries she suffered in the fire in the Neave building at Fourth and Race streets, last Friday. She leaped from the tenth floor to the roof of an adjoining building, five stories below, and received a fractured skull. Of the other twenty-five persons injured during the panic that followed the smelling of smoke and the spectacle of flames, all will recover.

O. T. Snow and "Dutch" Johns have opened a place of business directly north of the Niblick store in which they will sell the best of fish and all fruits. They expect to treat their customers right so be sure and give them a call.

EARLY RETURNS

(Continued from Page One) they are expecting the more progressive Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and possibly Illinois farmers to show a considerable change, for they are recognized by both sides as being more in touch with the moral side of the campaign and more aggressive in delivering a rebuke if they think one is coming.

While both sides in their blustering have talked landslides—the Republicans at the same time, admitting a big slump in state majorities—both are figuring how they can win without New York—the Republicans as much as the Democrats. Both can do it, but it is safe to say that the die will be cast by the final reports from Indiana and New York.

GUARDING FORESTS IN JAPAN

How They Accomplish This Important Work.

Just at the time when this country is beginning to struggle with the problem of husbanding its forest resources of protecting its mountain slopes, and of improving the waterways, it is interesting to know that the Japanese have successfully attacked the same problem, before the land suffered severely from the evil effects following deforestation. The farsighted people of Nippon have foreseen the results of the destruction of their extensive mountain forests, and have safeguarded themselves by placing all of these under government control. The practice of forestry has been carried on in Japan for a longer time than in any other country. For 1,200 years the people of Japan have been planting and growing forests, with a success that has been a little short of marvelous. Under careful management, the Japanese forests yield very high financial returns. This high yield is only made possible by the close utilization of every bit of the tree so that scarcely a twig is wasted, and by the improvement of the growth of their forests by carefully conducted thinning and tending. The woods are first thinned at the age of thirteen years, and then every five years after that up to the time of the final harvest, at 120 years. It was with the opening up of the hitherto inaccessible mountain forests that the Japanese government became most intensely interested in forestry. The mountains were still government land, so all that was necessary to protect them was to place proper restrictions on the sale and cutting of timber. This was effected by declaring the forests on the steep slopes as reserved forests, in which the only cutting should be done under government direction. The forests on agricultural lands, not needed for protection, are classed as available forests, and here the cutting is not so carefully restricted. Thus Japan has effectively prevented the stripping of her mountain slopes before any great damage has been done. In some district, where the mountains are near the towns, the steep slopes have already been cleared, and this has resulted in floods and the washing down of the soil from the slopes on to the farm lands. But these cases have been exceptional, and have merely served as a warning, which Japan has heeded before it was too late to prevent widespread destruction.

James Chaddock arrived home Saturday night from a thirty days' trip through Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, during which he visited with six nephews and nieces at Oklahoma whom he had never seen. Mr. Chaddock reports that crops in the states he visited were fairly good and the alfalfa, the chief crop in Oklahoma, he says was exceptionally good this year. He says that on some fields five crops have been raised. Mr. Chaddock visited the big Texas state fair at Dallas and says that on one day there were 110,000 people passed the turnstile.—Bluffton Banner.

LETTER FROM A FORTY-NINER.

Here is a simple, interesting and sincere letter from a rugged pioneer of '49, who braved the dangers and hardships of the overland trail to California. It should appeal to all catarrh victims.

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 5, 1908.
Both's Hyomei Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dear Sirs:—I was afflicted with catarrh, and tried a number of remedies, but received no relief. I purchased an outfit of Hyomei, and before I had used the bottle I noted a marked relief. I used it for a month or so, and thought I was cured, and stopped using it for a year or so. Thought I was getting catarrh again, and started using it again. I use it every morning, and keep myself clear of catarrh. I consider it the best catarrh medicine that is used. I have often recommended it to my friends. I am 81 years old. I came to California in 1849, and of course am not as vigorous as I was 58 years ago. My address is 841 4th Street. Yours truly, W. Mock.

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is guaranteed by Holthouse Drug Co. not only for catarrh, but for grip, coughs, colds, bronchitis and croup. A complete outfit, including inhaler, costs only \$1.00; extra bottles of Hyomei if afterward needed, cost but 50 cents.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

The Pocahontas to Give a Box Social at Their Hall

AN OYSTER SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid Society of Mt. Pleasant to Meet

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Frank Gast, Mercer avenue, on Thursday afternoon. A good attendance is desired.

The degree of Pocahontas will give a box social at their hall on Thursday evening, November 5. The ladies will each one bring a box with lunch for two and the gentlemen will be expected to buy the boxes. In addition there has been a fine musical and literary program prepared. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and have a good time. The proceeds from the social are to be used to apply on the new piano recently purchased.

The oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society of Mt. Pleasant at the home of Mrs. Philip Bakers, was total success and we wish to thank the public for their liberal patronage.

The young people of Mt. Pleasant were highly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. King last Sunday at dinner.

The Only Original Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Celia Kinney. The girls will spend the evening playing pedro. The members are looking forward to a good time.

Miss Edith Porter will entertain the members of the Priscilla Club at her home this evening.

The Elterpean Club will hold a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Nachtrieb Wednesday evening. All members take notice.

Spencer Blach, of DeGraff, Ohio, is in the city the guest of Edwin Flederjohann.

D. D. Coffee has returned from Lynn, where he has been for several days on business.

The Knights of Columbus held a business meeting at their hall last evening, which was well attended.

WANTED—A girl who wants to work steady all winter. Good salary. Apply at Decatur Steam Laundry.

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HAD A CLOSE CALL.

Mrs. Ada L. Croon, the widely known proprietor of the Croon Hotel, Vaughn, Miss., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough, and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it, and three bottles affected a complete cure." The fame of this life saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at all dealers. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

ORPHAN HOME IS CROWDED.

Friends Institution Near Wabash Has Inmates Numbering 195.

Richmond, Ind., Nov. 2.—John H. Johnson, one of the trustees of White's Institute, near Wabash, which is under the management of the Indiana Yearly Meeting of Friends, has received a letter from James Moorman, the superintendent, saying that the institution is crowded, there being 195 children. Of this number sixty-one are girls, and there is not sufficient room to care for any more. All Wayne county's orphan children are cared for at White's Institute, the orphans' home having been abandoned some years ago.

PLAN TO RECEIVE FLEET.

Parade of 8,000 to 10,000 Men May Be Held at Jamestown.

Washington, Nov. 2.—It is the present expectation of the navy department to have from 8,000 to 10,000 enlisted men in the parade on the old Jamestown exposition grounds on the same day as the president's annual review of the battleship fleet following its return to this country. It is hoped also to have 2,000 blue jackets in the inaugural parade in Washington on the 4th of March.

NEWS FOR DYSPEPTICS.

"Allow me to congratulate you on your discovery of Mi-o-na. I had several of the best doctors in the city, but none seemed to do me any good. I vomited frequently. I had this trouble four years. I took one box of Mi-o-na tablets, and eat most anything without distress."—Mrs. Mary Becker, 1909 Baily Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

"I would be dead if it wasn't for Mi-o-na. One year ago I weighed only 100 pounds; now my weight is 159 pounds. I eat everything I want—cabbage, ham, fried potatoes—everything doctor said not to eat or I would die."

Mrs. Carrie Vanaman, Bridgeton, N. J.

"I suffered with stomach trouble for 15 years; spent \$300 for medicines, everything failed to do any good until I found Mi-o-na. That has cured me, and it will cure others that suffer."—L. R. Nonket, Mountain Island, N. C.

Holthouse Drug Co. sells Mi-o-na tablets, the dyspepsia remedy that is making such surprising cures throughout America for 50 cents a box, and he guarantees them to cure acute and chronic indigestion, vomiting from any cause, and sea or car sickness.

PUBLIC SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of L. W. Lewton, deceased, will offer for sale at public auction at the late residence of said decedent, 4½ miles northwest of Decatur, 1½ miles northwest of Monmouth and ¼ mile southwest of Interurban Stop No. 23½ in Root township in said county and state, on Friday, Nov. 13, 1908, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the personal property of said estate, consisting of 1 sorrel mare 9 years old, one black mare 9 years old, one grey family mare, two yearling colts, one suckling colt; 4 head of milk cows, 1 2 year old heifer with calf by side, one calf coming yearling; 34 head of first class breeding ewes; 8 head of spring lambs, 2 first class bucks, 2 Duroc Jersey brood sows with pigs by side, six head of spring pigs; 1 broad tire wagon, 1 narrow tire wagon, 1 two-seated carriage, 1 double set work harness, 1 set buggy harness, 1 6 foot 2-horse corn cultivator, 1 single shovel plow, one double shovel plow, one spring tooth harrow, 1 spike tooth harrow, one hay ladder, one set dump boards, one pair bob sleds, hay in mow, corn in the shock and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$5 and under, cash in hand; over \$5 a credit of not to exceed nine months will be given, the purchaser executing his note therefor, bearing six per cent after maturity, waiving relief, providing for attorneys fees and with sufficient sureties thereon.

MAREY D. LEWTON,

Admr. with the will annexed.

PHIL L. SCHIEFERSTEIN will also offer his interest in and to any or all the above property at the same time and under the same terms.

PHIL L. SCHIEFERSTEIN.

John Spuhler, Auctioneer.

WANTED—HICKORY TIMBER.

We are in the market for second growth hickory for which we pay the highest cash price. Are you going to clear anything out your woods?

If so, we want the hickory. Come in and get our prices and dimensions.

A. M. York, Phone 502, Decatur, Ind.

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