

HISGEN FAILS TO SHOW UP

Independent Party's Candidate and His Sponsor, Mr. Hearst, Disappoint Waiting Faithfuls at Gary Yesterday.

LABOR FLYING WEDGE IS COMING HOWEVER

One of the Biggest Meetings in the District Is Planned for the Twenty-Ninth of This Month—Ballard the Live Wire in the Magic Steel City.

In spite of the fact that William Randolph Hearst and Thomas Hisgen, the independent party candidate for president, were not able to speak in Gary yesterday, the Independence League of Gary is planning a big celebration in this city. What is known as the famous Labor Flying Wedge will come to Gary the 29th of this month, where they plan to hold one of the biggest meetings in this district.

Already preparations have been begun by Attorney E. G. Ballard of this city for the meeting, in which five labor men will speak, in addition to a number of state candidates. Among the latter is J. W. Close, candidate for secretary of state.

Hisgen May Still Come.

Hope is still held out, however, that Hisgen may be secured for Gary, as he speaks in Petersburg, his former home, the latter part of this week, and it may be possible that he can be induced to come to Gary. It now seems probable, also, that James Zion, the party candidate for governor, can also be induced to come to this city.

On the 28th, aside from Mr. Close, who will be one of the most prominent speakers of the evening, the independence party will have Edwin Strauss of Toledo, Ohio, one of the best speakers now touring the country for the independence party. There are three other members of the "Flying Wedge" who will also speak in Gary on that date and they are all known to be good men.

May Appear in Hammond.

The tour of the "Flying Wedge" in this district will include the cities of Lafayette, Valparaiso, South Bend and Gary. An attempt will also be made to get them to come to Hammond. Besides this meeting other meetings of importance are planned by the party for the closing week in Gary. The league in Gary is making great efforts to make these meetings a success.

IS IMPRESSED BY GARY

Short Visit May Induce D. H. Davis to Invest a Fortune.

D. H. Davis of Brazil, chairman of the state board of charities, stopped over in Gary yesterday afternoon on his way back from South Bend, where he was attending the state convention of Indiana charities and corrections. Mr. Davis was very much interested in Gary and expressed a desire to invest in property in the new steel city. It is likely that Mr. Davis will return in the near future and buy up some Broadway property. It is said that he may invest about fifty thousand dollars in the city.

Besides being chairman of the board of charities, Mr. Davis is one of the best-known business men of the state, being the owner of the largest hotel in Brazil. He is also interested in many other business projects in the state.

DRINKING MEN NOT RELIABLE

Employers Want Sober Men.

Competition is too keen and life is too strenuous for an employer to keep men on his payroll whose nerves are unsteady and whose brains are not clear.

Every line of business is beginning to close its doors to drinking men.

Drunkennes is a disease and like most diseases—has its remedy. Orrine is the reliable treatment and is sold under a positive guarantee to effect a cure or your money will be refunded. Orrine is in two forms—No. 1, which can be used without the patient's knowledge, in tea, coffee or food; and No. 2, for those who wish to be cured.

The guarantee applies to both forms. Mailed in plain sealed packages, on receipt of \$1.00. Write for free booklet, mailed in plain sealed envelope. The Orrine Co., Washington, D. C., or The Lion Store Pharmacy, Hammond, Ind.

40 HOURS DEVOTION CLOSES AT WHITING

Elaborate Services Mark the Closing Events on Sunday Evening.

LOCAL PASTOR IS ASSISTED

Protestants Who Attended Catholic Services Much Impressed With Ceremonies Carried Out.

Whiting, Ind., Oct. 20.—(Special)—The "forty hours' devotion" which was conducted at the Sacred heart church from Friday morning, closed Sunday evening and was one of the most successful of the similar events which was ever held in the local church.

During the services Rev. John B. Berg was ably assisted by Rev. John Noll, a mission priest from Hartford City, Ind. Father Noll is being given much praise, not only by the members of the Sacred Heart church, but also by the hosts of Protestants who attended the services. His talks appealed to each and every one and to Whitingites he has proven himself to be a brilliant missionary.

Other Priests Participate.

Other priests taking part in the services of Friday and Saturday nights were Rev. Felis Serocynski of the local Polish church; Rev. Thomas Jansen of Gary, and Rev. W. Berg of Schererville, Ind., who is a brother of Father Berg of the local church.

The services on Sunday night were very elaborate. The altar was most beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. There were eight priests in attendance, each taking an active part. Those present besides Father Noll and Father Berg were: Rev. Patrick Welsh of Chicago Heights, Rev. Suerth of East Side, Rev. Edward Barrett of Hammond, Rev. Herman Juraschek of Chesterton, Rev. Thomas Mungoven of Indiana Harbor, and Rev. Benedict of Robertsdale.

Processions Around Church.

The processions around the church at the close of the services was very impressive. In this all the children from St. Michael's school took part. The procession was headed by the altar boys in their surplice gowns and they were followed by the rest of the boys and they in turn were followed by the girls of the school, some wearing wreaths and veils and some merely wearing wreaths on their heads, but all were dressed in snowy white, which presented a most beautiful spectacle.

Father Berg is much pleased with the interest taken in the services this year.

FIRE DISTRACT POLICE

Gary Cops Do Fine Work in Assisting Volunteer

Firemen.

Two fires in Gary came to the attention of the authorities yesterday, and in one came especially, the effective work of the police officers saving the surrounding property from destruction.

A defective due in one of the shacks south of the Michigan Central tracks near Broadway started a blaze and several of the shacks caught fire. Officers Johnson and Miller and Newman formed a bucket brigade and did effective work. The damage was nominal.

Earlier in the day a hot journal set fire to a freight car in an east-bound Wabash train. The fire was noticed about a mile and a half east of Gary and the train was brought to a stop. The car was set out, but the fire had so much of a start that it was impossible to quench the flames. It was left on the side track to burn to the ground. Being empty, the damage was confined to the car.

FIXTURES MOVED AWAY

Former Gary Postoffice Furniture Will Be Used at Buffington.

The old postoffice fixtures in the Knotts building were moved away today and now nothing remains to show where Uncle Sam has held sway for so many months in Gary. Many of the residents in that section of the business district were sorry to see the office moved away, but as they are expecting free delivery any month they feel that it won't make much difference. The fixtures are being taken to Buffington, where they will be used in a new office which is being put in at that place.

In the space formerly occupied by the postoffice will be put a five and ten cent store. The proprietors of this new business are Heltzer and Pierce of Flint, Mich. They have part of their stock on the road and expect to occupy the building by the last of this week.

The insurance office of Knotts and McRoberts will be moved to the second floor, temporarily at least, until the new building is completed.

To Retain Friendship.

Let this be established as a primary law concerning friendship, that we expect from our friends only what is honorable and for our friends' sake do what is honorable.—Cicero.

STEEL MAGNETS MAKE SECOND VISIT

W. E. Corey, E. H. Gary and E. J. Buffington Among the Visitors.

THEY SEE GROWTH OF CITY

Party Taken Over Site and Through Mills Which Are Nearly Completed—Are Highly Pleased.

As announced exclusively in THE TIMES Saturday, William Ellis Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, paid Gary a visit yesterday, together with other distinguished officials of the steel trust. The magnet spent the greater part of the day visiting the steel plant and the city proper. The verdict of them all was that they were delighted with the progress made, both in the mills and the city itself.

The party arrived in Gary at 9 o'clock over the Lake Shore, in special cars. Among them were E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors, after whom the city was named; E. J. Buffington, president of the Indiana Steel company; G. Thorpe, vice president of the Indiana Steel company; Alva Dinkley, president of the Carnegie Steel company; A. L. Banks, president of the Chicago, Lake Shore and Eastern railway, and a number of other officials connected with subsidiary companies of the United States Steel company.

They were taken into the mills at once by Superintendent W. H. Gleason, who took them through the many acres of sand, and were shown the details of the work of construction. The inspection trip of the mills lasted until noon and was very thorough, as it is probable that this will be the last time that they will be enabled to see them before the enormous plant is put in operation.

Immediately after the trip through the mills the party was taken about town by Mr. Gleason in his automobile, and they were shown the progress that has been made in the city. The substantial buildings which line Broadway appealed to them and the progress made in the building of the city seemed equally satisfactory to that of the mills.

After a luncheon in their private car, on the Lake Shore, they returned to Chicago. This is the first trip that Mr. Corey has made to Gary in nearly a year.

DESERTER IS RETURNED

Whiting, Ind., Oct. 20.—(Special)—Chief of Police Patrick Lawler has returned from Norfolk, Va., where he went with Paul Yaska, the 19-year-old Whiting boy who deserted the United States navy after serving eighteen months, and returned to his home in this city. The boy will be compelled to pay a fine of \$250 for taking his departure without the necessary discharge. This fine will have to come out of a salary of \$18 per month. In addition he will not be allowed to put his foot on land for many months.

Yaska himself does not seem to take the matter very seriously, but his mother, who resides in Davidson's addition, is heart-broken over the affair.

GARY REPUBLICANS HOLD AN IMPORTANT MEETING

The most important meeting ever held by the executive committee of the Gary Republican club was held last evening in the Gary hall and the arrangements were made for the big Taft-Beveridge meeting in Gary on Saturday, Oct. 24.

C. H. Maloney was made the chairman of the committee which is to have charge of the parade. Joseph Coffey was made chairman of the music committee. Pontius Heintz was made the chairman of the committee on halls and decorations and W. F. Hodges was made the chairman of the committee on advertising and printing.

As the plans have progressed so far the Casino will be used for the principal meeting and there will be arrangements made for an overflow meeting in the Binsenhofer hall.

It is proposed that Mr. Taft begin speaking in one hall and Mr. Beveridge in the other and that they then change halls so that the entire crowd will hear them.

BY WHEELBARROW IN CHINA.

Two Passengers Go 20 Miles a Day for Ten Cents Each.

Probably more freight and more passengers are transported in China by the wheelbarrow than by any other land method. The wheelbarrow used in China differs from that used in America in the fact that the wheel is set in the center and thus supports practically the entire load, while the handles are supported in part by a strap or rope over the shoulders of the man who operates it.

As a result the coolie in China will transport nearly half a ton on his wheel. Wheelbarrows are much used in the country where the roads are but little developed, and I have heard that passengers sometimes make the entire trip from Shanghai to Peking, a distance of 600 miles, by barrow.

A two-passenger barrow will make about 20 miles a day, and the coolie is content with a pay of about 20 cents a day, or an average of about half a cent a mile for each passenger.

On the level, well-kept streets of the foreign quarters of such cities as Hongkong, Shanghai and Peking the wheelbarrow coolie will struggle along with a load of six or even eight people.

—Washington Herald.

WILL TRY TO OUST E. GARSTON SMITH

Owner of Building in Gary Comes from Cleveland to Press Suit.

TRIAL IS IN SUPERIOR COURT

Defendant Has Taken an Appeal to From Justice Court Where He Lost Out.

W. S. Feuer of Cleveland, owner of the Smith building, arrived in Gary this morning for the purpose of pushing a case against E. G. Smith, the present tenant of his building. Mr. Feuer has been trying for some time to oust Smith and some time ago won his case against him in a justice court. The case, however, was appealed to the superior court, and in the meantime Mr. Smith continued to occupy offices in the building.

Mr. Feuer, however, is now endeavoring to have the case pushed against Smith in the upper court, and expects in a few days to once more gain possession of his own property. The case has been set for trial at this term of the superior court, and unless something unexpected happens Mr. Smith's days in the Smith building are numbered.

The building is one of the best on Broadway and is in a splendid location, and Mr. Feuer thinks that he will have no difficulty in getting in desirable tenants as soon as he can get possession of it.

MANY PERMITS GRANTED YESTERDAY

Much Building To Be Done Very Shortly in the New Steel Town.

It has been a long time since there have been so many building permits issued in Gary as there were granted in one day yesterday. There were permits issued for the construction of seven buildings, most of which are residences, and the business men of the new steel city are very much gratified to know that there is such great building activity.

H. Alschuler, the proprietor of one of Gary's department stores, will erect a two-story frame residence on Van Buren street and Sixth avenue. Amos Crago, a contractor, will build a two-story frame residence on the corner of Harrison street and Fifth avenue.

B. & O. R. R. CO. IS BUSY.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad, according to B. T. Farrell, the Gary agent, will build a large freight house on Virginia street. It will be the largest freight house in the city and will be 190 feet long and 40 feet wide. Construction on this building will begin at once. The building will be located opposite the Lake Shore freight house.

Sam Raff will build a one-story frame residence on Calumet street, near Lincoln street. J. D. Herr will build a one-story residence of frame at the corner of Adams street and Eleventh avenue. H. H. Dee will construct a residence on Tyler street, near Eighth avenue. Mr. Dee is with the Kelly-Dee Electrical Construction company.

CLEAR THE COMPLEXION OVERNIGHT.

Pimples, Rash, Eruptions, Etc., Quickly Eradicated by New Skin Remedy.

Since its discovery one year ago, possum, the new skin remedy, has, in its extraordinary accomplishments, exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the eminent specialist who gave it to the world. It has cured thousands of cases of eczema and eradicated facial and other disfigurement of years' standing.

The terrible itching attending eczema is stopped with the first application, giving proof of its curative properties at the very outset.

In less serious skin affections, such as pimples, rash, herpes, blackheads, acne, barber's itch, etc., results show after an overnight application only a small quantity being required to effect a cure. A muddy or sallow complexion is noticeably improved by a single application. Those who use possum for these minor skin troubles can now avail themselves of the special 50-cent package, recently adopted to meet such needs. Both the 50-cent package and regular \$2 jar may now be obtained in Hammond at J. W. Weil's, 98 State street and other leading drug stores.

Samples for experimental purposes may be had free of charge by writing direct to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City.

The Saving Sense of Humor

Each one of an affectionate couple may be willing, as we say, to die for the other, yet unwilling to utter the agreeable word at the right moment; but if the wits were sufficiently quick for them to perceive that they are in a comic situation, as affectionate couples must be when they quarrel, they would not wait for the moon or the almanac, to bring back the flood-tide of tender feelings, that they should join hands and lips.—George Meredith, in "An Essay on Comedy."

MORE NEWS IN ONE WEEK IN THE TIMES THAN IN ALL THE OTHER PAPERS IN THE CALUMET REGION COMBINED. COMPARE THEM AND SEE IF IT ISN'T SO.

GRAFT CASE OUT OF COURT

Judge V. S. Reiter Disappoints East Chicago Reform Body by Declaring That Council Obeyed the Law.

East Chicago, Ind., Oct. 20.—Judge V. S. Reiter of the superior court, yesterday discharged the proceedings instituted against the members of the East Chicago city council charging them with contempt of court in connection with the awarding of the furniture contracts for the new city hall. The case was one of the interesting links in the so-called graft prosecutions started by Colonel K. F. Walsh and his cohorts, the Citizen's Improvement association, and was prosecuted by Attorney D. J. Moran of Hammond.

History of Case.

Judge Reiter last August issued a temporary restraining order against the city, compelling them to refrain from purchasing the furniture for the municipal offices until the letter of the law in regard to appropriations had been carefully followed. This was done, according to the views of the council, and the contract for \$7,500 worth of furniture awarded to the A. H. Andrews company of Chicago. The disgruntled members of the Improvement association declared that the proper legal steps in the advertising for bids, etc., had not been taken and immediately started the contempt proceedings. Judge Reiter, in his decision absolutely declared the council to have obeyed the law and his decision eliminated the trial from the records of the court.

Couldn't Be Found.

Colonel Walsh could not be found this morning, when an attempt was made to ascertain the course of his future prosecutions. According, however, to past statements made by the watch-dog of the Improvement association, they will not cease to be aggressive and militant in their prosecution of the graft alleged to exist in the chambers of the city council.

WOMAN HANDLES HOBO

Gary Lady Shows Prowess in Handling a Tough Customer.

Mrs. F. J. Larkin, living on Virginia street, is the terror of hobos, and to such an extent has she proven her prowess in dealing with the pests that at least one has been driven to the courts to seek protection.</