

WEALTH CONTROLS YALE

SO J. M. PATTERSON SAYS

Millionaire Socialist Declares Sons of Morgans and Rockefellers Control Elections in the Honorary Societies.

[Publishers' Press.] Madison, Wis., Dec. 12.—"The control of Yale life by the sons of the wealthy is much the same as the large corporations dominance in civic affairs," says Joseph Medill Patterson, the young Chicago millionaire Socialist, who has just begun a course in the Wisconsin Agricultural college.

"The less opulent students, though hard working and worthy, are unable to make the honorary societies, while the sons of the Morgans and Rockefellers control the elections.

"This first example of class discriminations aroused my resentment toward inattentions aroused my resentment toward wealth and modern conditions and gave me my start toward conversion to socialism."

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whisler Observe Sixth Year of Their Marriage in Pleasant Way.

Abington, Dec. 12. (Spl.)—A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whisler, Sunday to celebrate the sixth wedding anniversary and birthday of Mrs. Whisler. An elegant dinner was served at the noon hour, eighty persons being seated at the table. Among those present were Messrs. and Mrs. George Early, Perry Shadle and family, Ernest Wood and family, Parker Jarrett, Elden Wood and family, Albert Bertram and family, Mark Stevens and family, Monroe Stinson, Samuel Ford and family, Wm. Herbert and family, Wm. Smoker, Eugene Fender, Dr. J. B. Meek, Morgan La mot and family, Clarence Ham and family, Mark Meek and family, Joshua Dye, Charles Miller and family, John Adair, Lawrence Whisler of Milton and Lawrence Turner of Richmond. Messrs. John Snider, Sam Jones, Carson Meek and Will Lamott; Misses Mattie Snider and Inez Stinson.

UNIFORM RANK K. OF P. TO HOLD ANNUAL BALL

The annual ball of the Richmond Company Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will be held January 17th at the Pythian Temple. The committee in charge composed of A. L. Stanley, Walter Lichtenfels, Charles Tangeman, Elmer Weisbrodt and Capt. F. Ireton will try and make the event one of the best that has been conducted by the Knights in the past several years. Renk's full orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion.

Harry King Promoted.

Harry King, who had been a passenger brakeman on the Columbus and Indianapolis division for several years, has received a merited promotion on that division at the hands of the company. He will henceforth be known as Head Steam Heat Inspector, a position which carries with it a great deal of responsibility and an increase over his former wages.



BUST OF CAPTAIN JOHN SMITH BY MAJOR GENERAL BADEN-POWELL.

One of the highly interesting things to be seen at the Jamestown exposition, which opens near Norfolk, Va., next April, will be a bust of Captain John Smith by Major General Baden-Powell of the British army, hero of Mafeking during the Boer war. General Baden-Powell is a skillful modeler and sculptor. His interest in John Smith as a subject is augmented by the fact that he is descended from the same family which gave to the world the heroic colonist. But for Captain Smith's intrepidity and wisdom the little English settlement on Jamestown island must have perished.

DIRECTED AT RAILROADS

LA FOLLETTE'S NEW BILL

For of the Railroad Corporations Would Have all United States Mail Cars Equipped with Electricity.

[Publishers' Press.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—Senator La Follette today introduced a joint resolution requiring all railroads within one year, to equip United States mail cars with electricity. He says the use of gas or oil, or other inflammable and explosive lighting materials has been the cause of the death of many postal employees, when accidents to their cars have occurred.

Burton Carr Honored.

Burton Carr, of Springfield, formerly of Richmond, who is a student at Princeton, has been made assistant manager of the Tigers' football team for next season.

Whitewater Beat Lynn.

Whitewater, Ind., Dec. 12. (Spl.)—The local basketball team defeated the Lynn team in a game on the Fountain City floor Saturday evening, by the one sided score of 36 to 11.

Artificial gas, the 20th Century fuel. 10-11.

SET THE ELIGIBILITY RULE

Juniors Decide That Only Those in School Can Attend Their Banquet to Seniors.

The Juniors held a meeting Tuesday evening at which it was decided that no one not attending school this term could come to their banquet that will be held a week from tomorrow night. This was done to protect those that now belong to the two classes. It was only after a very lively debate that this was agreed upon and it will come as a great disappointment to several of the boys that quit school last term. This has been the main contention of the Juniors all this term. This rule will also hold good when the Seniors have their banquet in February.

Served Turkey Dinner.

The ladies of the Grace M. E. church served a turkey dinner last evening in the church parlors. About two hundred and fifty people were served and the event proved a paying one.

Injured in Wreck.

[Publishers' Press.] Batesville, Ark., Dec. 12.—Fourteen persons were injured, three seriously, when a local train of the Iron Mountain railway was derailed near here. One passenger coach rolled down a steep embankment. J. C. Mendenhall of Evansville, Ind., is among those who sustained injuries.

NOW AT ELEVATOR TRUST MOVE TO BREAK IT UP

Suit Instigated Against South Chicago Elevator Company, Asking That Its License be Revoked—Agreement is Alleged.

[Publishers' Press.] Chicago, Dec. 12.—What is declared to be the first step toward breaking up the so-called elevator trust in control of the Chicago grain market, was taken today by John Hill, Jr., board of trade crusader against bucket shops, in the form of a suit demanding the revocation of the license of the South Chicago Elevator Company, one of the leading local grain concerns.

Hill says the company has violated the law by dealing in grain in its own elevators and by selling grain on the board at less than the market price, as an inducement for elevator patronage. It is asserted that a trust agreement has existed between the South Chicago and Central Elevators, and the Peavy and Armour grain companies.

Inspecting Banks.

A committee from the directors of the Second National bank, this city, is making a personal inspection of bank buildings in various cities for the purpose of determining some of the features that shall be embodied in the proposed new home for the Second National. According to Hamilton news papers, the members of this committee spent Monday in that city inspecting a newly constructed bank building.

Time of Visit Unknown.

Supt. T. A. Mott said yesterday that he still was without information concerning the time of the visit of the delegation of English teachers to Richmond. Several of the British pedagogues will be in Indianapolis next week, it is expected, but whether any of these have been assigned to visit Richmond schools is not known.

Don't Trade at Neff & Nusbaum's

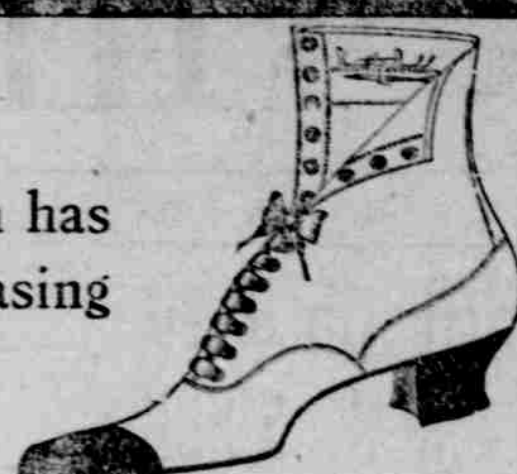
unless you want **First-class Footwear.** Our aim has always been to sell **Reliable Goods,** and an increasing patronage is proof of our success.



We Have Nothing in Holiday Goods

That anyone would be ashamed to give to a friend. We have an immense stock of Ladies' fur trimmed Slippers, all colors, 75c to \$1.50. Ladies' Felt Slippers plush and plain tops, 35c to \$1.25. Misses' and Children's Slippers, plain and fur trimmed, 50c to 85c. Then you will always find a large assortment of **Nice Dress Shoes** in all the different leathers for the entire family at very low prices. **This is not the Best Place to Trade** because we sell the most goods, but we sell the most goods because it's the best place to trade. Try it and see.

Neff & Nusbaum



BUT 27 CASES IN LAST SIXTY DAYS

Dr. Grant, County Health Officer, Says There is No Epidemic of Measles.

CASES UNDER CONTROL

WORST SCOURGE DR. GRANT HAS HAD TO CONTENT WITH WAS THE SCARLET FEVER AT GREENSFORK.

Notwithstanding the wild reports that the measles epidemic was rapidly spreading over Wayne county, outside of Richmond, and the schools of the county would have to be closed to stop the scourge, Dr. Grant, the present County Health Officer, stated last night, that in the last sixty days just twenty seven cases have been reported at his office. This number includes all cases in Cambridge City, Centerville, Greensfork and all other incorporated towns and villages in the county.

Wherever the homes have been affected, Dr. Grant and his assistants have taken special care to thoroughly fumigate the houses in order to prevent the disease from spreading among the different members of the household, and into the adjoining neighborhoods. A rigid quarantine has also been in vogue among the homes that have been affected.

The majority of the cases reported to the county health officer have been among the school children, but these have been scattered and there has been no immediate danger of spreading further.

The most dangerous disease that the county health officer has had to combat, is the scourge of scarlet fever which has swept over Greensfork. Dr. Grant stated last night that this was gradually disappearing and the present cases were on the road to recovery.

Dr. Charles Marvel will take his position as County Health officer after January first, but up until that time Dr. Grant will have control of the office.

LIFE GROWING SHORTER.

Are We Really Dying Earlier Than Our Grandparents Did?

In part one of the third volume of the United States census for 1900 will be found a tabular statement which shows in a very striking way the rise in the death rate during the decade from 1890 to 1900 for all ages from sixty up. The figures given are now six years old, and so I have brought them up to date with the help of fresh information from Washington, a matter of no little importance, inasmuch as the increase has been marked ever since 1900. Thus corrected for accuracy the reckoning shows that since 1890 there has been this increase in the death rate for the entire United States:

For people of ages from 60 to 64, 7 per cent.
For people of ages from 65 to 69, 6 1/2 per cent.
For people of ages from 70 to 74, 16 1/2 per cent.
For people of ages from 75 to 79, 7 per cent.
For people of ages from 80 to 84, 15 per cent.
For people of ages from 85 to 89, 12 per cent.
For people of ages from 90 to 94, 30 1/2 per cent.
For people of ages from 95 and up, 20 1/2 per cent.

These figures tell the story more clearly than the most eloquent discourse on the subject. They show that, notwithstanding improved medical knowledge and the benefits of modern sanitation, we are dying earlier than our grandparents did. The reason why offers a topic for a considerable discussion and is not to be summed up in a word. But one may discover it without much difficulty in the more complex and luxurious life that we lead. The lives of our forebears were comparatively simple, and their constitutions, unweakened by the luxury and intense nervous strain of an existence like that of today, were stronger than ours and better able to withstand the approaches of disease.—Reader Magazine.

Defying the Tooth of Time. The Hungarian chemist Brunn claims to have discovered a liquid chemical compound which renders certain kinds of matter proof against the effects of

Classified Ads.

WANTED.
WANTED—Place for work by day or week as house girl or nurse. Call 400 South 6th street. 13-3t.
WANTED—A boy at 421 Main street. 13-3t.
WANTED—Girl for housework. 45 South 18th street. Phone 584. 11-2t.
WANTED—A place to do some errand work to earn room rent. Address B. K. care of Palladium. 11-3t.
WANTED—Girl for general house work, to go home at nights. Call 227 North 10th street. 11-3t.
WANTED—Boarders who wish a change to take room and board in private Christian home. First class rooms, newly furnished, good home cooking. Will make you feel at home. A ten minutes walk to the shops. Location, large brick homestead east side, 12th street, just north of Richmond Corn Mills. 11-3t.
WANTED—Cabinet maker at the Rowlett Desk Mfg. Co. North 10th street. 13-1t.
WANTED—Plain sewing to do at my home. Will do it neatly and shall be very grateful for the work. I will call for the work. Address Mrs. John Vincent Rural Route No. 4. 11-3t.
WANTED—Wood choppers at \$1.00 per cord. Loggers, Teamsters, etc., wages \$1.70 per day and upward, board \$3.00 per week. Good camps and good board and steady work the year round. Take Grand Rapids & Indiana Ry., to Simons or Antrim, Michigan. Antum Iron Co., Mancelona, Michigan. 11-3t.
WANTED—A boy to strip tobacco at Meyers Cigar store, 713 Main. 12-2t.
FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Papa Poland Ch. at music pigs. Call 801 E. E. M. Norris. 2t week.
FOR SALE—Good second hand 75 gallon steam jacketed glue kettle. Standard Oil Co. 13-2t.
FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Sanford Henning Phone 801 E. 13-3t.
FOR SALE—Two new 14 inch base burners, taken in on trade. For sale at a sacrifice if sold at once. Address O. W. Schultz, 200 North 21st street. 9 & 11-1t.
FOR SALE—Business White Wyandottes, Cockerels and Pullets from winter layers. Prices consistent with quality. Address Frank L. Waidele, 29 Division street. 12-7t.
FOR SALE—The counter and large wall show cases from Hirst's jewel

ry store, for sale at C. B. Hunt's storage room, over grocery, 603 Main street. 23-1t.
FOR SALE—Garland cook stove in good condition. 812 North D St. Old Phone 32, New Phone 418.
FOR SALE—8 quart lard press and sausage stuffer cheap if sold at once. 26 South 6th Street. 8-3t.
Richmond property a specialty. Portland, Kelly Block. Phone 379. 11-3t.
FOR SALE—An excellent roll-top desk. A bargain. Phone No. 1502. 7-3t.
Everybody buys property from Woodburn, 913 Main St. Telephone 491. June 6 11-3t.
FOR RENT.
FORE RENT—Office room on ground floor, 924 Main street. Telephone 171. 13-2t.
FOR RENT—5 room house, bath etc. on Richmond avenue. Benj. F. Harris. 241t.
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, electric light, steam heat, for gentlemen only, at Grand. 14-1t.
FOR RENT—A furnished room, centrally located, steam heat, electric light and bath. Inquire Porterfield office, Kelley block. 12-2t.
LOST.
LOST—Umbrella Sunday evening at the Knights of Columbus Banquet. Return to 221 North 12 street. 13-3t.
LOST—Gold breast pin set with amethysts. Return to 128 South 13th street. 9-3t.
LOST—A gentlemen's kid glove, last night at the Phillips theatre, find please return to 110 Main street or phone 176. 12-2t.
FOUND.
FOUND—Purse containing a few dollars. Call 447 South 4th street. 12-3t.
Money Loaned.
Low Rates, easy terms. Thompson's Loan and Real Estate Agency Wide Stairs, 710 Main street. 13- thu & Fri 11-3t.
AL. H. HUNT, 7 N. 9th
Selling—Several good homes for \$1,000 and \$1,200. See me sick. AL. H. HUNT.

TRAIN AND TRACK.

An English railway locomotive has an average life of fifteen years and an earning capacity of \$300,000. Montana requires its railroads to maintain a station at plotted towns of 100 inhabitants or more.

The New York Central company will install thirty-five electric locomotives immediately to care for its suburban traffic.

Belgian railway engines are fitted with two whistles, one producing a much softer tone than the other. In order to spare residents' nerves the "soft" whistle is used when the train is passing through towns and railway stations.

FLOWER AND TREE.

If your dahlias are not growing in very rich soil they will be improved by a dose of plant food or liquid manure. It takes two years for figs to ripen. The leaf of the bezoula furnishes most of the patterns which adorn cashmere shawls.

By grafting a plant has been produced at Chiswick, England, the grows potatoes underground and tomato above ground. The proud produce of it calls it a "tompot" plant.

In Return Stamps.

"I spent twenty years writing the long poem," he said.
"And it didn't take?"
"Oh, yes; took all I had."—Atlantic Constitution.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Castor* The Kind You Have Always Bought

SUBSTANTIAL CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

Gifts that always Please. At Savings that always Count.

Men's and Boys' Single and Double Breasted Suits	\$ 5.00 to \$25.00	Silk Mufflers, (all styles)	.25 to 1.50
Men's Over Coats, all styles	10.00 to 30.00	Way's Wool Mufflers	.25 to .50
Men's Rain Coats, (Cravennette)	12.00 to 20.00	Men's Dress Kid and Mocha Gloves	1.00 to 2.00
Men's Rubber Coats	3.00 to 5.00	Boys' Leather Gloves, long cuffs	.50
Boys' Rubber Coats	2.00 to 3.00	Boys' Wool Gloves	.50
Boys' Over Coats	5.00 to 10.00	Men's Fur Gloves	3.50 to 5.00
Boys' Double Breasted Knee Pant Suits	2.00 to 7.00	Smoking Jacket and House Coats	5.00
Boys' Knickerbocker Trouser Suits	5.00 to 7.50	Bath Robes	5.00
Children's Over Coats	2.50 to 5.00	All styles Neckwear	.25 to .50
White and Fancy Vests	1.50 to 3.50	Cuff Buttons	.25 to 1.00
Men's Stiff Hats, Black and Brown	2.00 to 3.00	Leather Collar Boxes	1.00 to 1.50
Men's Soft Hats, Black, Brown, Pearl	1.00 to 3.00	Heavy Wool Socks	.15 to .50
Men's Winter Caps	.50 to 1.50	Cardigan Jackets	1.00 to 3.50
Boys' Winter Caps	.50 to .50	Boys' Sweaters	1.00 to 1.50
Men's Stiff Bosom Shirts, (white and fancy)	1.00	Men's Sweaters	1.00 to 5.00
Men's Pleated Shirts	.50 to 1.00	Barker Brand Linen Collars	15c. 2 for 25c
Boys' Shirts	.50 to .50	Rubber Collars	.20 and .25
Men's Corduroy Coats	3.50 to 5.00	Men's Fancy and Black Sox	.10 to .50
Umbrellas, Plain and Fancy Handles	.50 to 5.00	Suspenders, Lisle and Silk	.25 to 1.00
		Ladies' Silk Umbrellas	1.50 to 3.00
		Men's Underwear (all kinds)	.50 to 3.00

CASH BEALL.