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Goulke, who is a stockholder of the Richmond City Mill works, a proceeding was instituted in the Wayne Circuit court late Thursday evening for the appointment of a receiver by the company. This action was taken not because any creditors of the concern are pressing for payment of any obligations by the concern, nor because the company is not in any way defaulted upon payment of any of its indebtedness. It has been evident for some time that the company was not doing sufficient business to maintain itself at a profit, and, for that reason, it was considered advisable to place the concern in the hands of a receiver for the purpose of stopping further losses and in order to treat all creditors and others alike.

"This company has been in existence since 1876, and has from that time to the present employed upon an average from 75 to 100 men, and, in the period of its existence has expended in the city of Richmond, considerably more than a million dollars in wages. It is hoped that the appointment of a receiver is but the first step in the general reorganization of the business. The character and reputation of the products of the Richmond City Mill works, are the best, and something over six thousand flour mills have been built by it in all parts of the United States and Mexico.

"The permanent discontinuance of the company of the size and character of the Richmond City Mill works, would be a loss and detriment to this community, but it is hoped that the appointment of a receiver is but the beginning of a general plan of reorganization which will place the concern in a prosperous situation and enable it to go forward after business to re-establish itself as a large factory in the industrial life of this community.

"No schedule has as yet been made of assets and liabilities, because receiver Henry T. Burns has but just qualified. However, it is believed that the assets will equal, if not exceed the liabilities."

EXCUSES THE JURY UNTIL NEXT WEEK

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He said that each one of the counsel would submit an affidavit to the effect that Thaw had been during the trial and is now capable of advising with his attorneys.

Thaw had a conference in the Tombs prison with A. Russell Peabody, of his counsel, over the question whether Thaw should be permitted to hear the argument over the appointment of a lunacy commission. Thaw wanted his counsel to assure him that he would be allowed to attend the hearing, but the lawyers were of the opinion that he ought not to hear the arguments. Thaw's wife and his sister, the Countess of Yarmouth, visited him today and remained with him for about an hour.



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ASKS LARGE DAMAGES

John R. Walsh Sues the Chicago Daily News.

CRIMINAL LIBEL CHARGED.

Chicago, Mar. 22.—The Chicago Daily News and Victor F. Lawson, owner and proprietor of that newspaper, were made defendants in seven suits for libel on behalf of John R. Walsh, president of the defunct Chicago National bank, in which the damages asked, aggregate \$1,550,000. The declarations in the suits have not been filed but it was learned from Walsh's attorneys, Richter, Montgomery, Hart & Abbott, that an article which appeared in the issue of the Daily News of Wednesday, regarding a "clue" to the disappearance of \$173,000 from the United States subtreasury here, to the effect that the missing money formed only a part of \$300,000 "borrowed" from the subtreasury to tide the Chicago National bank over at the time it was threatened with an investigation by the clearing house commission, was to be the basis of the suits.

INVESTIGATING ACCOUNTS.

James Thurgood Manager of the Western Union at Vincennes Found Dead in an Alley.

Vincennes, Ind., March 22.—An investigation began today into the accounts of James Thurgood, for twenty years local manager of the Western Union, who committed suicide last night. His body was found shortly after midnight lying face downward in an alley. Thurgood left letters saying he was short in his accounts. He was fifty years old.

GREENSFORK, IND.

Greensfork, Ind., March 22.—Miss Nellie Wise spent Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. Melissa Evans spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Janet Foland. Miss Jennie Miller and daughter Lottie of Richmond, spent Wednesday and Thursday here.

Chas. Fagan and family of Jacksonburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Nicholson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Borton of Straughn spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Reiter.

Miss Mabel Squires is the guest of relatives in Cincinnati.

Mrs. C. H. Wood, is the guest of Lewis Oler's and Mathew Brooks and family.

E. S. Martindale and J. F. Clawson attended the automobile show in Indianapolis Thursday.

Mrs. Janet Foland and John Foland of Bartlett, Kansas, were married in Richmond Wednesday.

Walter Veal of Logansport is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Veal.

Mrs. Harry Hort and Mrs. Lute Hatfield spent Thursday in Richmond.

The series of meetings conducted by Revs. Hatfield and Brown at the M. E. church, are still in progress.

Mrs. Thomas Tarkleson was in Richmond Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Rogers, a former resident of this place, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pickett Wischart.

Rev. M. V. Foster of Carthage is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sutson spent Thursday with relatives in Richmond.

Miss Margaret Dixon is clerking for A. L. Keinzel.

CHAUTAUQUA TALENT WILL BE OF BEST

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Interest here and when his victory was announced there was general feeling of pleasure in Richmond. He probably will be the greatest drawing card on the program although other men of equal note have been arranged for.

Miss Pearl Carpenter who had charge of the children at last year's meeting will have charge of the same department again this year and her supply of stories and ideas of entertainment have been greatly enlarged. Miss Carpenter gained hosts of friends during her stay in Richmond last season.

Judge Lindsey Selected.

One of the greatest men selected and who will appear on the program is Benj. Lindsey the famous juvenile judge of the Denver Colo. court. He will speak early in the week and his general subject will be the reforming of delinquent boys. His address will be interesting in its entirety as the juvenile problem is one of the greatest now confronting the country. What shall we do with our delinquent boys? is the question that has been heard everywhere, and Judge Lindsey probably will attempt to solve this most perplexing question to the interest and satisfaction of Richmond people.

Another of the great drawing cards will be David Starr Jordan, president of Leland Stanford university, California, one of the most unique and substantial educational institutions in the United States. Mr. Jordan is an old Indiana man and taught in several of Indiana's colleges before accepting a position in the west. He is a speaker of power and eloquence.

Dr. Hurty on Foods.

Dr. J. N. Hurty has also been selected to give an address before the Chautauqua, and owing to his prominence in Indiana affairs today will be greeted with a large audience. He will speak on food and general health laws.

Senator Bob Taylor, of Tennessee, better known in Richmond as "Governor Bob" or just plain "Bob", was selected and will give one of his famous humorous lectures. Taylor needs no introduction to Richmond people.

Mrs. Leonora N. Lake, vice president of the Catholic Total Abstinence league of America, will deliver an address during the course of the week. Mrs. Lake appeared in Richmond during the course of the sessions of the first Chautauqua. Her lecture will be of interest to many.

Lew J. Beauchamp, humorist, has been engaged.

Panahaska, will present his trained birds and dogs on several occasions and this feature of the program will be highly entertaining to the children as well as the older ones.

Others Who Are to Come.

D. M. Hazlett, who has returned from a six months' visit to the Panama, will give a lecture on the conditions existing in that region, and of the work being carried on by the government on the Panama canal.

Olive Kramer, a native Esquimo woman, will give a lecture in her native garb.

The Weber Male Quartet, of Boston, one of the foremost musical organizations in the east, will give several concerts, while the Richmond City band will furnish the band music during the entire session.

Rev. Herbert S. Bigelow of Cincinnati will deliver a lecture or lectures on the sociological relation between the rich and the poor.

E. B. Bryan, president of Franklin college, and S. Y. Gillan, editor of The Western Teacher's Magazine, have been selected to speak in the instruction course.

Dr. Quale, an eminent Chicago divine, is also under consideration along with a number of other foremost speakers.

Don't be without a Sunday paper. The Palladium served to daily subscribers on Sunday without additional cost.

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In the World of Sport

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PLENTY BASEBALL FOR QUAKER CITY

Clarence Jessup Appears in Field as Promoter of a Stock Company.

PLAN IS WORKING WELL.

DIAMOND IS TO BE LOCATED ACROSS FROM GLEN MILLER PARK—HUCKINS HAS ATHLETIC PARK.

Clarence Jessup, who has been soliciting subscribers to stock in a baseball company, states that the company will soon be incorporated with a capital stock of \$3,000. Mr. Jessup states that already \$1,600 worth of stock has been subscribed and that he anticipates all stock will be placed before the close of the week.

Mr. Jessup assures the local fans that fast independent base ball will be furnished them this year and the base ball field will be the best in eastern Indiana. The grounds of the new base ball team will be located in the Gilbert field, which is on Main street, opposite Glen Miller park. This field was used last year by the Eagles as their carnival grounds. As soon as the company is organized work on a grand stand and bleachers will be started and a fast diamond laid out. There will be a gradual slope from the home plate which assures perfect drainage.

Jessup Will do Catching.

Mr. Jessup will do the catching for the team and will act as manager. This assures the local fans of a fast team. None of the players has yet been signed but Manager Jessup knows where he can pick up a team of fast youngsters who will be a credit to the city. Sunday and week day ball will be played and the opening game will be early in May if the grounds are in readiness by that time. Some of the best known business men have subscribed stock in the company so that clean, healthy base ball is assured.

The grounds of the new team are

JOHNSON WON THE SHOOT

Carried Off Honors at New Paris Thursday.

TROPHY TO THE WINNER.

New Paris, O., March 22.—J. Johnson of West Alexandria, was yesterday declared the champion rifle shot of Ohio and Indiana and with the title, carried off a silver trophy offered by the Peters Cartridge company. The shoot to decide the championship was arranged for by L. H. Reid of New Paris and was highly successful. There were eight events and twenty-one took part.

In the championship event where there were 125 possible shots, twenty-five shots to the man, the best scores were as follows: T. C. Reid, Dublin, 97; Euchenia, 105; A. L. Clemmer, West Alexandria, 106; J. Johnson, West Alexandria, 109; H. H. Barton, West Alexandria, 88; O. Kester, West Alexandria, 97; R. Logan, Castrine, 93; H. Lawrence, Arcanum, 98; H. E. French, Richmond, 81; L. H. Reid, New Paris, 99; Frank Burr, Richmond, 82.

located within five minutes' ride on the street cars from Eighth and Main streets and it is believed to be an assured fact that the venture will be a success.

Will be Well Supplied.

Richmond will be well supplied with base ball this year as Manager Huckins of the Dayton Shilohs will have a team in this city the coming season, having closed a contract for Athletic park about ten days ago. Local capital is also interested in this team and Mr. Huckins states that he has already signed several players for his team. He has secured a franchise in the Indiana Sunday league. If Richmond is as base ball crazy this season as it was last it is almost certain both teams will be liberally patronized.

Basketball at Centerville.

Centerville, Ind., March 22.—The first basket ball team of Centerville, will play the first team of Greensfork and the Little Giants will play the high school team at the town hall of Centerville Friday evening, March 22.

CONDITIONS TO BE BETTERED AT ONCE

Improvements Definitely Decided Upon for South Side Market.

WILL BENEFIT DEALERS.

MARKETMASTER WILL MEET THE FARMERS AT AN EARLY DATE TO DISCUSS THE PROSPECT FOR THE SEASON.

First evidence that the fight waged several weeks ago for better market house facilities in Richmond, was successful, will be shown next week, when active work will begin on placing a new floor in the South Sixth street market house, while cement curbs and gutters will be placed on the south, north and east sides of the structure. The hay market ground will not be disturbed as it stands at present, other than to be rolled by the heavy city roller. Slight repairs will be made on the market house proper, but these will not be at all extensive, but such as were absolutely necessary.

When completed, the general appearance of the market house will be improved, and the slimy mud and water in which the farmers have had to stand when selling produce from their booths, on rainy days, will be a thing of the past.

Some Question Remains.

There remains some question as yet as to just how far out into South Sixth and A streets the cement gutters shall be built. No decision in regard to the matter has been arrived at. In order to properly protect those holding booth rights along the curbs, a six-foot cement gutter is thought best. The small strip of ground between the sidewalk and gutter as it stands at present, will be cemented over and all the rough stone slabs which have heretofore afforded protection against the mud, between the sidewalks and market house proper, will be removed and a cement floor put in on a level with the sidewalk. The south side of the market house will be paved with cement, as are the other sides, and that portion which has heretofore been a "bugbear" to sellers, will be so no longer.

Situation to Be Discussed.

Market Master Waltermann and those farmers who have in the past placed their products on sale at the market house, will meet in two weeks and discuss plans for the trade during the coming summer. The matter of the erection of new booths will be agitated by the farmers, it is understood, but whether the board of public works will accede to such demands, is rather doubtful, as the plans already completed call for an outlay of about \$1,800. Booth privileges will also be let on the night of the meeting, and every-

J. P. DENIES THAT HE EVER SUGGESTED IT

Financier Disclaims Credit for Mentioning Roosevelt Conference.

WOULD NOT TALK MUCH.

SAID HIS CHIEF INTEREST WAS IN A "GOOD THING" HE HAS IN A RACE TO BE RUN THIS AFTERNOON.

Liverpool, March 22.—J. Pierpont Morgan says he did not do it. The great American financier arrived here today and when met at the dock and asked what he thought of the success of his efforts to have the American railway presidents go to Washington for a personal inspection of "the big stick," he denied emphatically that he had ever suggested such an expedition.

Interested in a Race.

Except for this declaration Morgan refused to discuss the railway situation in America, saying that he was more interested in a "good thing" which he has in the grand, national race to be run this afternoon.

thing done to complete arrangements for the opening of the market, which will be about June 1. It will take from now till that time to fully complete contemplated improvements.

A WIDEAWAKE TRUSTEES

Bowman Gets Bridges for Jefferson Township.

FARMERS GIVE SUPPORT.

Hagerstown, Ind., March 22.—L. S. Bowman, trustee of Jefferson township, has been wide awake in looking after the interest of the township. He has succeeded in getting appropriations from the board of commissioners amounting to about six thousand dollars for bridges in the township limits, notwithstanding the township was already well supplied with bridges. At the Strickler bridge, half a mile east of Brown's school house, the appropriation is \$4,350.00; the Allen bridge, southeast of town, \$950.00 and the Fair Grounds bridge, which is to be repaired with steel girders and a new floor, \$426.00. In addition to these appropriations the township will build a number of structures on its own account. At the Strickler bridge neighboring farmers pledged themselves to do \$300 worth of work in making the approaches to the main structure. It is believed this voluntary offer on the

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part of the farmers, showing their interest in the work and their desire to help complete it, influence the board to make the allowance, for it was known that the fate of this bridge was hanging in the balance when the farmers' petition and pledge was received.

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The Baltic sea is not salty enough to sustain the life of the oyster.

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