

# BATTLE AGAINST TAGGART IS NOW JUST BEGINNING

Several Leading Indiana Democrats Are Planning to Defeat "Pluto Tom" for National Committeeman.

**MAYOR HOLTZMAN IS  
A LEADER IN FIGHT.**

**Proposed Plan of Action Is to  
Have the National Delegate  
Chosen in Direct Primaries  
And Action Is Requested.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 11.—Leading Indiana democrats are planning to defeat Tom Taggart for national committeeman from this state. The movement is led by ex-Mayor Holtzman, of Indianapolis; Henry Warriner, and James K. Rish of Lafayette. The proposed plan of action is to have national delegates chosen in direct primaries and the state committee will be asked to act on the resolution setting out the order for primaries. The new deal backs Lew Ellingsham of Decatur, for national committeeman.

## DRYING THIN GLASSES.

**A Dealer Tells Why the Maid Breaks Them So Often.**

"Our maid certainly worked destruction on those sherry glasses, those delicate little glasses," said the customer to the dealer. "There were six, and she broke three inside of three months."

"Oh, you got off easy, judging from the stories that come to us," replied the store man.

"Well, I see how it is," responded the customer. "I tried wiping a few of these glasses myself the other night, and the first thing I knew I wiped the side right out of one. As the maids say, 'Why, they break right in the towel!'"

"Now, if you would wait until they were nearly dry," remarked the dealer, "you'd never break any at all. Take this cordial glass with the very thin stem. You naturally seize it by the foot and turn it while you wipe the bowl with the other hand. While the glass is wet the dish towel, gripped between two fingers, holds the bowl like a vase, and you just naturally twist the stem in two. But if you let the glass get nearly dry the towel slips, and the danger is over."

"Doesn't that make streaked glasses?"

"No, not if the water and towels are clean. Of course you ought to have towels that you use only for glassware. Towels that have been used on dishes are likely to have grease on them, and grease is the great enemy of brilliancy in glassware."

"They can soap be used in the water?"

"Oh, yes. We use pure white soap with ours. The main point is to have the water hot enough. That helps with the drying, too, because when you take a glass out of very hot water and set it aside to drain it will dry itself before you can take a towel to it. Tissue paper is good as a polisher because usually it has never touched grease. Alcohol has a reputation as a polisher, but its function is rather to clean. Cut up potatoes are good to shine up the insides of pitchers and carafes."—New York Post.

## A FAREWELL CHAT.

**Interview Between the Boss and the Man He Fired.**

Neither of the partners had arrived, and the clerks that morning were indulging in their usual bout of gossip.

"Did I tell you, chaps, that I was leaving?" drawled the languid swell of the staff, whose incompetence was as palpable as the splendor of his attire.

"Heard you'd got the sack," replied the spectated cashier gruffly.

"I answered an advertisement yesterday for what looks like a first class job," resumed the overressed one, ignoring the remark. "I've pitched rather a strong yarn, but you've got to do that if you want to keep up with the times."

Just then the senior partner entered, and all wrote intently.

Within five minutes the "old man," who had been opening letters, called the last speaker into his room, and the following dialogue became plainly audible to those outside:

"Have you been in our service seven years?"

"No, sir; only fifteen months."

"And is your salary \$4,000 a week?"

"Uh, no, sir; \$3,000."

"And are you in entire charge of the counting house?"

No reply.

"And are you leaving us because of a difference with the firm regarding the management of our colonial branches?"

Dead silence and a short pause.

Then the old man:

"You should be more careful in your statements, sir. This is a small world. The advertisement you answered was for the situation you are leaving on Saturday. That will do."—London Times.

The curious fact is noted by Prof. Landain, of Breslau, that careful measurements of the intensity of gravitation in different parts of the globe show this to be greater on islands than on continents.

Throw away pills and strong cathartics which are violent in action, and have an laxative effect. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Papain, the guaranteed for constipation and all diseases arising from stomach trouble.

## CHINESE TIDBITS.

**The Way Vegetables and Meats Are Preserved by the Natives.**

In China turnips, several varieties of cabbage and seaweed are often prepared for winter by giving them a coat of salt and drying in the sun. A vegetable resembling cabbage is sometimes dried in the sun without salt and put away in shallow baskets until ready for use. They have a way also of making a kind of sauerkraut very much as Americans do. The treatment of certain vegetables in this way is a common practice. The best native hams come from a region known as the Kin-ning district, in Chekiang province. The hams when dressed and ready for curing are carefully placed in vats. A kind of pickle is then prepared of salt, water and a sauce from the soy bean, which is poured over the fresh hams.

After the hams have been in the pickle a sufficient length of time they are taken out and hung up to dry and occasionally, but not often, smoked, when they are ready for the market. Sometimes a little nitrate of potash is also added to help preserve them, but this addition is the exception and not the rule. It is reported that in the south hams are cured by means of an alkali, earth and common salt, but so far as can be learned no earth of any kind is employed in the middle and northern provinces. The famous pickled eggs of China are preserved with a pickle made of common mud, salt, saltpepper and soy bean sauce, all mixed together. The eggs are coated with a plaster of this mixture and laid away until ripe, when they are ready for the table. Prepared in this way they will keep several months.

## PAPER MAKING IN KOREA.

**Hermit Kingdom Supplies Best to China and Japan.**

It is not generally known that the best kinds of paper met with in China and Japan are the product of Korea. It is claimed by many that the Korean paper excels the very best that is made in China and Japan. It is produced entirely by manual labor and without the use of any machinery. The raw material used for the better kinds is obtained from the bark of the *Pithecellobium papyrifera*, which is collected in the spring and beaten in water containing a large admixture of wood ash until reduced to a thick pulp.

This is taken in large ladies and spread upon frames of bamboo so as to form thin sheets. Another kind of paper is made from old scrapes trodden into pulp, much in the same way that grape juice is extracted in some countries, and, though this mode of pulp is slow, it has the advantage of not breaking the fiber so much as when machinery is used.

After the pulp has been made into paper the sheets are piled up to a height of six feet and then cut into pieces, to be again subjected to the stamping with the feet. At the same time the roots and seeds of a plant called *Malpighia* are added, the soluble parts of which are supposed to give tenacity and toughness to the paper.

Reminded him.

A negro pastor was warming up to the climax of his sermon, and his auditors were waxing more and more excited.

"I wahns yer, O my congregashun," exclaimed the exhorter. "I wahns yer against de sin uv fightin'; I wahns yer against de sin uv whisky drinkin'; an' de sin uv chicken robbin', an' I wahns yer, my breddern, against de sin uv yeller stealin'!"

A devout worshiper in the rear of the church jumped to his feet and snapped his fingers excitedly.

"Whuffo does yer, my brudder, far up an' snap yo' fingers when I speaks uv melon stealin'?" asked the preacher.

"Kaze yo' jes' minds me whar I lef' man overcoat," replied the devout worshiper as he hurried off.

## A Poor Prophet.

Conan Doyle told of an experience which he had when leaving school. His teacher must have been one of those noble old Romans such as Thackeray describes as roaring at young Pendennis when the major, his uncle, called to take the boy away. When Conan Doyle had finished his course in school the head master called him aside, and, after exiling him with ominous disfavor, spoke to him in measured tones as follows: "Doyle, I have known you now for seven years, and I know you thoroughly. I am going to say something which you will remember in after life. Doyle, you will never come to any good"—Bookman.

## Had Been There.

"Here's a film advertises for a general man, not afraid of good pay, one willing to start at 10 and quit at 3. You have all the qualifications to land that job."

"All except the \$10,000 to invest in the business."—Pittsburg Post.

## Not Qualified.

"Did you intend to drown yourself?" asked the magistrate at Marylebone police court when a cab driver was remanded on a charge of attempted suicide.

"No. I cannot swim," replied the man.—London Mail.

## A Substitute.

Customer—Will you give me a copy of "The Art of Being Happy at Home?" Librarian—I'm afraid it's out, but I have here a little treatise on *jiu jitsu*, which makes an excellent substitute for it.—Pele Mele.

The barber as well as the physician can give an upper.—Philadelphia Record.

## SUITS FILED TODAY.

Mary E. Gilbert today filed suit for divorce from Grant J. Gilbert in the circuit court by Allen Cogshall against the estate of John Cogshall.

It requires the expenditure of eight times the energy to go upstairs that is required for the same distance on the level.

## JUVENILES OCCUPIED COURT'S ATTENTION TOOTHACHE REMEDY CAUSES ILLNESS

Eleven Cases Were Heard and Connersville Basket Ball Player Taken Violently Ill  
All Were Disposed of by Judge, Today.

## FEW TO WHITE'S INSTITUTE COMPANIONS WERE NURSES

YOUNG GIRL CONSIDERED INCORRIGIBLE. WAS ORDERED TO BE SENT TO THE GIRL'S INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

Judge Fox, with the assistance of Prosecutor Jessup, Truant Officer Gooch, Bishop, City Missionary, Miss Elizabeth Candler and Clerk Harry E. Penry, cleared up the juvenile docket. Eleven cases were heard and all disposed of. One girl was sent to the girl's industrial school, several children were sent to White's Institute, where they will be given good homes. Others were lectured and allowed to go on their good behavior and two cases were dismissed.

Mabel Lamberson who is incorrigible, was sentenced to the girl's industrial school. Agnes Gaines and Chester Lamb, two youthful tramps were released on good behavior.

Whitford Bode, a little mite who was deserted by his mother, was ordered sent to White's Institute.

Marie Favio, tramp, was allowed their liberty pending further orders of the court.

Ethel and Harry Tuvalier and Eva Thornton, three children whose parents are not fit persons to have the custody of them, were ordered sent to White's Institute.

James Temple, charged with petit larceny, was released on good behavior.

J. Toslog, charged with assault and battery and Foster Webster, charged with petit larceny, were dismissed.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken violently ill.

After suffering during the greater part of the night, he was able to return with his team this morning.

The physician states that the boy will suffer no further inconvenience from his toothache cure.

Following the basket ball game Friday evening between the local high school boys and the Connersville team.

Bullard, one of the visiting boys, was taken suddenly ill at the hotel and it was necessary to call for the services of a physician.

Young Bullard, so his companions say, had been using some toothache remedy during the day, and it is supposed incompletely swallowed some of it.

He suffered an inconvenience until after the game, when he was taken