

NO AGREEMENT ON RECIPROCAL DEMURRAGE

Shippers and Railroad Men Fail to Agree.

High officials of the railroads traversing Indiana met with a committee of Indiana shippers and manufacturers at the Claypool hotel in Indianapolis for the purpose of effecting some kind of a compromise in the Railroad Commission case involving reciprocal demurrage, but no amicable agreement was reached and the case will be fought out before the State commission.

Several months ago the Indiana Bridge Company of Muncie, backed by the Indiana Manufacturers' and Shippers' Association, filed with the Railroad Commission a petition asking for a change in the car service rules of the State so that shippers returning cars twenty-four hours or more before the so-called "free time" of forty-eight hours, granted by the present rules, had expired would get credit for their promptness in unloading or loading as the case might be and returning cars without delay. The present rules give no credit for returning cars promptly, but impose penalties if cars are retained longer than the specified "free time."

The shippers have long chafed under the demurrage system. A dollar a day a car for delay has been charged, though weather conditions might have prevented loading or unloading or the tendency of railroads to "bunch" cars might have given a receiver more cars than he had employees to handle.

UNUSUAL FEAT OF STRENGTH SAVES TRAIN

Man Lifts Telegraph Pole to Let Train Pass Under.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 22.—Officials of the Lehigh Valley railroad learned today of a remarkable manner in which an express train on the road was saved from a wreck near Franklin Junction by Thomas Green, a young man of Newton, near here. Green and Martin Tierney were on their way to work when they saw a fallen telegraph pole over the track on which the express runs and about four feet above it. The express was due and Green saw it could not be stopped in time. Getting beneath the pole he managed to raise it high enough above the track for the train to pass beneath.

PHYSICAL WRECK IS FARMER JUROR

Suicide Contemplated by Man in Walsh Case.

Harvard, Ill., Jan. 22.—Elbert Palmer, the juror who stood out so long for the acquittal of John R. Walsh, the banker who was convicted on Saturday, contemplated suicide rather than return a verdict of guilty.

This fact was stated in an affidavit by C. J. Hendricks, a local lawyer, who recounts a conversation held by him with Palmer.

"I do not believe that Walsh was technically guilty," is the statement made by Palmer to the lawyer, according to the affidavit of the latter.

"I was tortured by sleeplessness and had I known that I could have changed my mind when questioned by Judge Anderson I should have done so. I would have blown out my brains rather than present my verdict in Court."

Palmer is at his farm five miles outside of Harvard, a physical wreck.

The total number of recognized Methodist ministers throughout the world is fixed by the official "Kalendar" at 61,311, with 103,192 lay preachers.

Pain Weakens

Headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, or pains of any nature weaken the system—they are a strain upon the nerves. Almost instant relief can be obtained by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and without any bad after-effects. Take one on first indication of an attack—it will ward it off. They are a pleasant little tablet, sold by druggists everywhere. 25 doses 25 cents; never sold in bulk.

"I was subject to constant headaches for a period of four years, *at* work in which I was almost unfeeling for the station agent. Through the advice of a friend I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and the result has been that I have entirely eradicated the system of those continual headaches. They have done me a great deal of good, and I am sure they have been a blessing to me."

Dr. C. N. W. RUSSELL, of Elkhart, Ind. "I have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for a year now for neuralgia and find there is nothing like them. They surely have been a blessing to me."

MRS. M. A. HARRIS, of Upper Afton, Ill. "Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and we authorize him to sell them at the price of first package (only) if it fails to benefit you."

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.



MISS DORIS KEANE, STAGE BEAUTY.

One of the most stunning beauties on the stage is Miss Doris Keane, who is also a talented actress of the younger class. She is one of Charles Frohman's recent successes. She played a full season at the Hudson theater, New York. In Henry Arthur Jones' "Hypocrites," making a pronounced hit. Miss Keane is an American beauty.

AMUSEMENTS

THEATRICAL CALENDAR.

NEW PHILLIPS.
Week of Jan. 20—Vaudeville.

GENNETT.

Week of Jan. 20—Taylor Stock Co., Jan. 27—"Tempest and Sunshine," Jan. 31—"Under Southern Skies."

Vaudeville at the Phillips.

The Kingsbrys, who are appearing in vaudeville at the New Phillips this week, have a telephone stunt that is the cause of much amusement. It is the very latest device in this line and connects one readily with either the upper or lower regions. An effort is made to reach some one who is supposed to have gone to heaven from Eaton, O., but St. Peter sends back the information that no one from that place has been known to enter the pearly gates in thirty years. Friday night the amateurs will be in evidence and have a standing invitation to appear. The program this week appears to be giving satisfaction and the patronage is liberal.

"Under Southern Skies."

One of the interesting events of the season will be the return to this city of "Under Southern Skies" on Jan. 31, at the Gennett. This favorite attraction is always sure of a big house as its merits are well and favorably known and appreciated here. That this is endorsed by the theatregoers of other cities is proved by the fact that "Under Southern Skies" is now in its seventh year upon the road and reports give the play the credit of playing to even larger houses than year ever before in its history.

Repertoire at the Gennett.

The bill for the remainder of the week at the Gennett, by the Taylor Stock company, is as follows: Wednesday night, "The Angel of the Mines"; Thursday afternoon, "Queen of Queen Street"; Thursday night, "The Royal Wait"; Friday afternoon, "The Angel of the Mines"; Friday night, "The Senator's Daughter"; Saturday afternoon, "Just Plain Folks."

WEIRD SOUNDS POUR FORTH FROM WELL

Cause of Low Rumblings Is a Mystery.

Will Probably Assume Presidency of Railroad.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 22.—On the farm of William Thomas, near this city, there is a well that is attracting attention. At certain times in the night and day, roaring sounds come from the well, seemingly from the very bowels of the earth. The sounds are weird and at night the people give that neighborhood a wide berth. Many timid people would prefer passing a cemetery at night to going by this well at the same hour. The cause is a mystery.

The well was dug twenty-five years ago, and the story runs that Seth Powers, a farm laborer, was accidentally killed nearby while the well was being drilled. Superstitious farm folks say that the sound is the cry of Seth. Some inexplicable freak of nature, however, is really set down as the cause. The sounds were first heard four years ago. They continued for a month and more and then died away till recently. Now they are heard night and day.

Over one thousand years ago Switzerland possessed a forest system, and had developed a scientific forestry by the fifteenth century. As early as Louis XIV France awoke to the fact that her forests and life were draining away together. But it was too late. Today she is spending \$34 an acre to reforest her water sheds. The same experience is costing Italy \$20 an acre.—American Magazine.

LOEB WILL GIVE NOTICE BEFORE LEAVING

Washington, January 22.—As the result of the election Saturday of directors of the Washington Railway & Electric Company and the subsequent election as temporary president of the road of Allan L. McDermott, the plans of the friends of William Loeb, Jr., secretary to President Roosevelt, to place Mr. Loeb at the head of that company, are said to have been carried out.

Mr. Loeb stated today that he did not know how long he should remain in his present position; that it might be until after the fall campaign. The whole matter, he said, would depend entirely on the necessity for his services at the White House. He is making his plans in this connection conform entirely to the wishes and convenience of President Roosevelt.

An interesting experiment is under progress at Sunderland, England. The thousands of unemployed continue to suffer more from the cold than hunger. To mitigate this the public schools are opened every evening and provided with light, fires, reading matter and games.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

CHILD CHOKED TO DEATH ON DOLL

Suffered Three Hours Before Little One Died.

Petersburg, Ind., Jan. 22.—Three small children of Chris Bauer, of Ottwell, last night were playing with a broken doll, and a four-year-old child gave the baby, six months old, a broken doll arm. The little one attempted to swallow it and choked to death within three hours.

DYSPEPSIA PROOF.

How Any Meal Can Be Thoroughly Enjoyed By Any Stomach.

Men, as a rule, are first discovered by their enemies. Their antagonists turn on the searchlight, and the proof of merit will lie in being able to stand the flash.

It was only in this way that Mr. White knew that dyspepsia was one of Mr. Black's worst enemies. Sitting face to face at a two-boy-four-table, he handed his afflicted friend the all of:

Oyster Cocktail. Stuffed Olives

Boiled Onions. Strained Turnips.

Roast Beef Hash.

Baked Pork and Beans.

Combination Crab Salad.

Hot Mince Pie.

Pineapple Fritters.

Mr. White ordered a "little of each" Mr. Dyspepsia Black offered crackers and a glass of milk. "I had such a big breakfast this morning," he said, "that I'll just take a bite to keep you company." But Mr. White could not be deceived: "I am afraid you can't stand the gleam, Mr. Black. Why don't you say you have dyspepsia and be done with it? You'll always have that hungry look anyhow as long as you have dyspepsia. Now listen. My stomach was in just as bad condition as yours at one time. But now I can eat anything at any time. For instance, this clam chowder or sirloin steak or even the lobster would be just as welcome to my stomach as your crackers and milk. You don't realize how this dyspepsia business is robbing you of your spirit, of your energy and ability to think quickly. I can't help notice it. You haven't the cheer and sociability you had three months ago. Now tell you what to do," and theretofore the cheerful Mr. White took a vial from his pocket and extracted a wee tablet. "There is a tablet that contains an ingredient, one grain of which digests 3,000 grains of food. For even the worst dyspepsia it's the only thing that really gives relief. The reason is it relieves the stomach of nearly all the work it has to do, digests everything in the stomach and stimulates the gastric juice. I can't get along without them. They are Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. You can get them anywhere on earth for 50¢ a package.

Yes, it is true, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets absolutely stop heartburn, nausea, indigestion, dyspepsia of the worst type, sour stomach, bloated feeling and all eructations and irritation, and freshen and invigorate the stomach. They cheer you up, and make you get all the good there is in your food. You will forget you ever had a stomach to worry you.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

WEALTHIEST INDIAN CHIEF IS DEAD

Supposed to Be the Richest Redskin in the Country.

Guthrie, Okla., January 22.—James Bigheart, ex-chief of the Osage Indians, who was the richest Indian in the United States, is dead of paralysis at his home near Big Heart in the Osage nation.

The Paris motor omnibuses use a mixture of equal parts of alcohol and benzol for fuel. The average consumption is nine centiliters a ton kilometer.

William Sells, a schoolmaster in the early days of Michigan, now at eighty, feels that he can spell down any high school class in the state.

When You Get Married

remember that Zwissler's bread is infinitely superior to any other made.

This is the best advice for those about to marry, for those who are married, or for those who never expect to be married. For we all must eat bread, so get the kind that tastes best, and is most healthful and nutritious.

Zwissler's BAKERY and RESTAURANT

908 Main St. Phone 1656.

Exhausted

and broken down from overwork and financial troubles a man needs an invigorator and something that will put energy and vitality into him, and he could get in no way that would be as harmless as by drinking a good, pure beer brewed from malt and hops, without adulteration, like the Richmond Export beer. When you want a brace that will brace, try a glass of pure Richmond Export beer.

Minck Brewing Co.

COLISEUM

Skating every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, morning, afternoon and evening.

POLO

Two City League Games

Wednesday Evening, January 22nd.

Greeks vs. Emmons & Chenoweth.

Crescents vs. Bealview.

Admission 10c. No reserved seats.

Friday Evening, January 24.

Emmons & Chenoweth vs. Kibbeys.

New Castle vs. Richmond.

City League Game, 7:30. Big Game at 8:30. Admission to all parts of house, 15c.

Palladium Want Ads Go Into All Homes.

CORONER ADVISES HUSBAND'S ARREST

Believes Grand Jury Should Investigate Death.

Winchester, Ind., Jan. 22.—The grand jury of Randolph county is investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Mrs. Mary A. Porter, at New Pitsburgh, this county, a week ago. Mr. W. Porter, held on suspicion of killing his wife, is in jail pending the result of the inquiry. Meanwhile, Coroner Evans has made the following findings:

"After viewing the body and surroundings, and hearing the evidence, I found some very complicated circumstances connected with the case, in my judgment, pointing to homicide. Therefore, in justice to all concerned I recommend the immediate calling of the grand jury and the arrest of Mr. W. Porter, husband of Mary A. Porter, pending a thorough and impartial investigation by the grand jury."

"A few years ago Porter was a minister of the gospel, but he has been in trouble several times, having served two years and twenty-one days in the Randolph county jail. There was no witness to the death of his wife save himself, and he says that he called her to bring a shotgun that he might kill a chicken hawk, and while answering the summons she stumbled and fell and the weapon was accidentally discharged, the lead striking her in the head."

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