

A REORGANIZATION OF C., C. & L. MADE

It is Now Known as Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company of Indiana.

RICHMOND GETS OFFICES

HEADQUARTERS OF C., C. & L. BRANCH OF HAWLEY SYSTEM IN THIS CITY—MEETING HERE THIS AFTERNOON.

(Palladium Special)
Indianapolis, July 2.—The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company of Indiana, with main offices at Richmond, was incorporated here today for \$2,000,000 to take over the C., C. & L.

This step has been expected since the control of the road passed to the Hawley interests two weeks ago with the purchase of the property, and the incorporators are all Chesapeake and Ohio men except Henry C. Starr, formerly of Richmond, vice president and general counsel of the C., C. & L. The incorporators are James Stewart Mackie, John Galvin, Frank M. Whittaker, Henry C. Starr, A. L. Elliott, Thornton Lewis and J. Paul Stevens.

Following the transaction at the state house, the men left for Richmond, there to meet in official session and complete the organization of the company. As the location of the main offices of the corporation, Richmond will be one of the important administrative centers of the Hawley system.

City Statistics

Deaths and Funerals.
GOIENS.—The funeral of Mrs. Mayme A. Goiens took place this afternoon from Bethel A. M. E. church, the Dr. J. M. Townsend officiating. She is survived by her husband, C. Austin Goiens, and one son, John W. Goiens, a young man well known in Richmond, who is now employed at Dr. Bookert T. Washington's school, in Alabama. Many distant relatives also survive. The loss of Mrs. Goiens is greatly felt by the large number of friends that knew her.

HOCKETT.—Mrs. Celia A. Hockett, aged 82 years, died this morning at the Margaret Smith Home. The funeral will be held on Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Margaret Smith Home. Friends may call at any time. LONG.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Long will take place on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the chapel of Wilson, Pohlmeier & Downing. Interment will be in the Philmont cemetery.

CURE FOR LOSS OF MEMORY.

Case of an American Woman Married Abroad and an Accent.

"Nothing disgusts me more," said a woman who goes abroad every summer, "than to meet in Europe Americans who seem to be ashamed of their own language. I have often come across them, but a woman I met in Carlsbad last year took the pain."

"She was introduced to me as the Countess Komofsky or some name that sounded like that. She married a Russian or a Pole about three years before, and so far as I can gather she had hardly been any nearer Europe than a New York table d'hôte before that time. She looked American, but her English was all broken into bits. She did not even say 'the' but pronounced it 'se.' She had great difficulty in recollecting phrases, and the result at times was a lot of French."

"Next morning I was breakfasting in the Kaiserpark with a party of shawl-wrapped Americans who had drunk the requisite number of glasses from the Sprudel or the Marktbrunnen and had walked out according to prescription. One of those at the table was a New York physician who is none the less popular because he is frank in speech almost to brutality and will not stand for affectation. The countess came along and was invited to join the party. The doctor, it turned out, had known her since she was a child. 'Somebody asked her a question, and she started to reply with that accent of hers. I saw the doctor fidget. Then she made another remark in fair French. The doctor said something that sounded like a swear. Then he blurted out:

"For heaven's sake, Maria Smith, you don't mean to say that three years in Europe have made you forget your native tongue?"

"There was a hush, and then some of the women in the party smiled, but when the countess next spoke it was in purest United States—New York Sun."

Hard to Check.
It was the young hubby's first tour through the big department store.

"What room is that?" he asked innocently when they reached the second floor.

"Why, that is where they check babies," elucidated his wife.

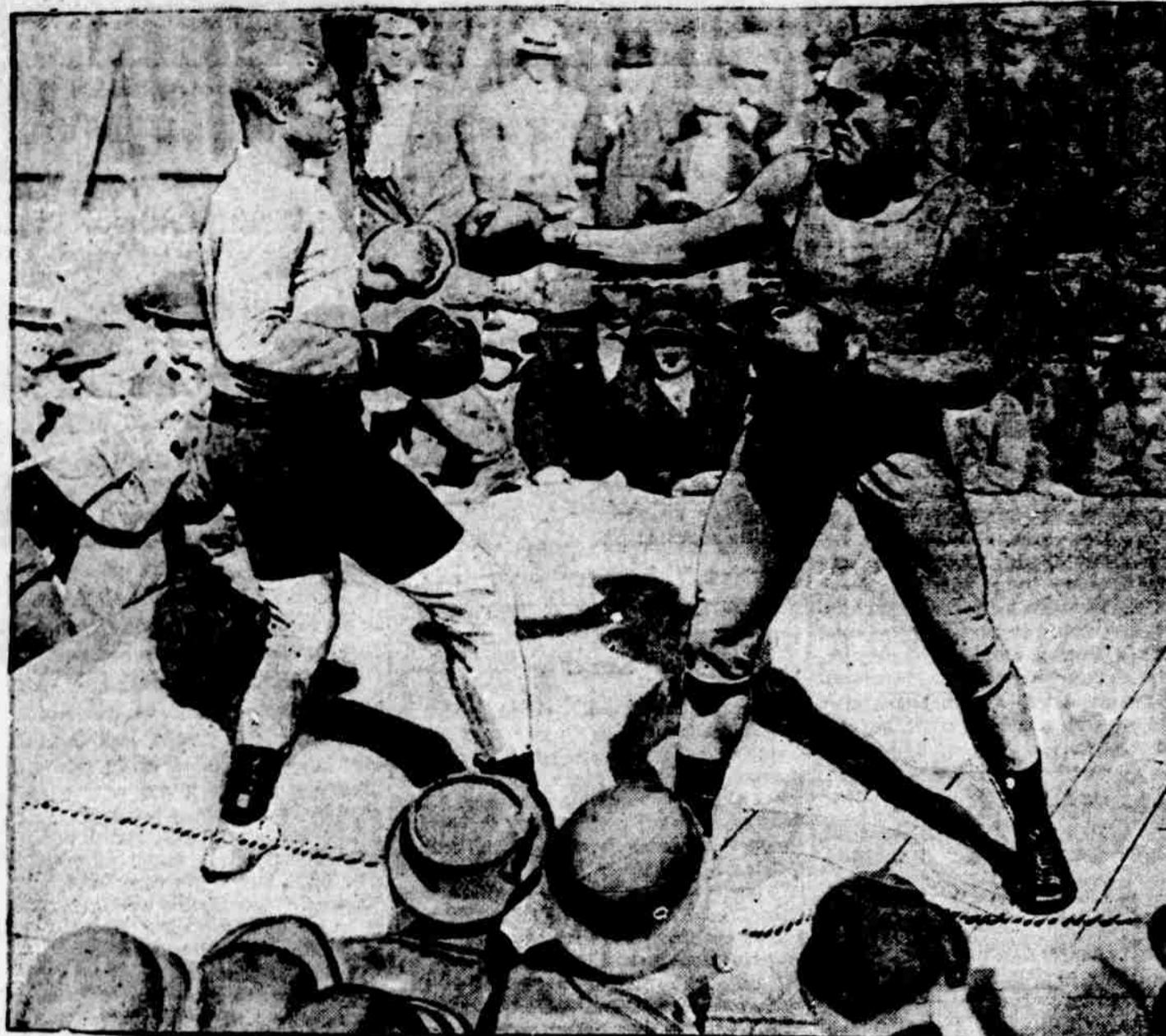
And then young hubby looked at the struggling infant in his arms and the buttons and pins it had dislocated and said simply:

"I wish they'd try to check this one."

—Chicago News.

Mr. CHENET, a man who was born with rugosities—say, even wrinkles—antique chairs that wobbled, antique clocks that were always thirteen hours behind time, antique rugs that some prehistoric Turks wore, antique china, antique bowls, guns and kettle. All this I have ended at, but when you give me antique eggs for breakfast I draw the line, madam: I draw the line.

A Center For Eyes Of the World



Jim Jeffries and Armstrong boxing in the outdoor ring. The ex-champion will meet Jack Johnson, the colored champion at Reno, Nev., for the heavyweight championship of the world on July 4th. It will be a grueling contest as both men are in fine condition. Physicians appointed by the governor of the state of Nevada, who recently examined the two pugilists, declared that both were in perfect shape for their fight.

Fresh Fight Gossip From Reno Flashed Over the Wires Today

(American News Service)
Reno, Nev., July 2.—Henry Pleiffer blew in from Kansas City with a trained chicken which he wanted to trade with Jack Gleason for a ring-side seat. The chicken walked a tightrope for Gleason but Jack wanted one that could whistle so the deal was off.

Jerry the Cricket, Gunshot Grogan, Water tank Kinzel, Smiling Harry, Kid Bullets and Side Wheeler Sweeney are all here to see the fight.

One whole, entire block looks like broadway. Charley White, Big Tim, Jack MacAuliffe, Jim Corbett, Thorley the Florist, Tim McGrath are all doing sentry duty up and down the avenue.

Frank Harting of San Francisco, one of the most experienced ring officials of the country will be chief timer.

The sale of seats continues. The promoters figure \$150,000 for sure and say their profit must come from the pictures.

Brother Jim sauntered into Brother Tom's place and announced he had \$5,000 to put on Jeffries. It was placed at 100 to 65, the best obtainable odds.

Jimmy Lawler is giving odds of 100 to 75 but few sports are placing commissions with but the little known man.

Tom Jones, Ad Wolgast's manager, made one bet of \$1,000 to \$750 that the fight will give five rounds.

J. A. McCullum, representing a Chicago whisky house, said that the best odds he could get were \$100 to \$65 with Jeff as favorite.

The mutual system of betting on the rounds is popular here.

The play in the gambling houses is fierce and standing room is a premium. Excellent winnings are reported from the faro banks. The roulette wheels get small patronage.

Neither Mrs. Jeffries nor Mrs. Johnson will witness the battle, but each will be apprised of the run of things by special service.

Jeff has ordered a supper for twenty-five friends, win or lose, and has chartered a special car for Frisco for Tuesday night. Johnson will pack up at once after the fight and go east.

Frasier reports he has \$62,000 in sight for the big bear and none of them solicited.

The largest number of single bets are from twelve to fifteen and from sixteen to twenty rounds. All the sports report a brisk business in this style of betting.

The betting that it don't go thirty

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedy. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound in your ear, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation is removed, the ear will never be restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but a highly inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular free.

F. J. CHENET & CO., Toledo, O.
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

BEWARE POLITICS!

Washington, July 2.—The civil service commission notified the heads of the executive department that employees in the classified service must refrain from any political activity in the coming campaign.

TARDINESS IN THE SCHOOLS IMPROVES

Attendance During the Spring Term Much Better than the Fall Term.

36 KIDS GOT SPANKINGS

A NUMBER OF HOURS LOST THROUGH SICKNESS DURING PAST TERM—REPORT PLEASES SCHOOL OFFICIALS.

Improvement is shown in regard to tardiness for the spring term of the public schools which closed in June, in comparison with the report for the fall term which ended February 11. In a number of other respects the report for the spring term is very gratifying to the school officials.

During the spring term there were 1,005 cases of tardiness, the total time lost in minutes being 9,056, or an average of 5.61 minutes per child. As compared to this, there were 2,369 cases of tardiness during the fall term, 15,093 minutes being lost, or an average of 6.37 minutes per child.

At the high school the improvement was particularly noticeable, but at the Garfield school the record for the fall term was slightly better than that of last term. At the high school in the fall term there were 78 cases of tardiness. The time lost was 125 minutes in the first term and 92 minutes during the second. There were 85 cases of tardiness during the fall term at the Garfield school as compared to 86 cases in the spring term. The loss in minutes was 308 and 447 for the first and second terms respectively.

Cases of Absence.

Cases of absence owing to sickness were unusually frequent at the spring term. The number of days lost were 12,434 as compared to 0,681 during the fall term. On two or three occasions during the spring term there were epidemics of measles and whooping cough, which accounts for the spring term's showing. The deep snows and severely cold weather in the early part of the term also had its effect.

Truancy was not altogether without its charms during the spring term. The report shows there were 54 cases. There were 36 cases of corporal punishment by teachers or other school officials. The number of visitors was large, the report showing the total number to have been 796.

The fall enrollment is always larger than that in the spring term and this accounts for the decrease shown. At

ONE MORE ATTORNEY

Gus Hoelscher of this city, a graduate of the high school and Earlham college, has just graduated from the law school of Michigan university receiving a degree of J. D. He will open up a law office in this city in September. He completed the three years course at Michigan in two and half years and stood high in his class. When a student at the high school and Earlham his grades were among the best ever made at those two institutions. He was awarded the Haverford scholarship by Earlham college upon his graduation, but instead went to Michigan university.

PLAY THREE GAMES

The Cincinnati Muldoons will play the Giants three fast games of base ball, one on Sunday and a double-header on the Fourth. Lineup: Muldoons—Nordman, 3 b; Korte, c; Brewer, s; Sperber, 1 f; Holte, 1 b; Hoelscher, 2 b; Dell, r f; Anshutz, c; Volker, p; Webb, p. Giants—Carr, 1 b; Stokes, 3 b; Mitchell, c; Patterson, c f; Saines, 1 f; Deviney, r f; Harris, p; Knox, s; Crane, 2 b; Benson, p.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DAME

WOULD BE GOVERNOR



Mrs. Marella Ricker of Concord, New Hampshire. Her formal declaration as a candidate for Governor of New Hampshire, the first declaration for any office under the new primary election law of the state, has been received by her personal attorney and will be filed at the office of the Secretary of State. A check for \$100, the prescribed fee, accompanied the declaration. Mrs. Ricker was the first woman lawyer to be admitted to the bar of the District of Columbia and of New Hampshire. She was also the first woman to be appointed special commissioner in connection with the Department of Justice for the District of Columbia.

WIRE FLASHES!

KILLED IN A FIRE.

St. Louis, July 2.—Captain Michael J. Lyon, acting assistant fire chief was killed and Herman Flicker, an employee of the Waters-Pierce Oil company was fatally burned and three firemen seriously burned in a fire which damaged the oil company's warehouse this morning. The loss is a quarter of a million. The floor collapsed burying Lyons.

POPE IS OVERCOME.

Rome, July 2.—The Pope fainted today from excessive heat. The doctor said his condition was not serious but he requires absolute rest for several days.

DEATHS IN GOTHAM.

New York, July 2.—There were seven deaths today attributed to excessive heat. Suffering in the crowded tenements is frightful.

CHICAGO SCORCHING.

Chicago, July 2.—There were five deaths from heat prostrations today and scores were overcome. No relief is in sight. There have been sixty deaths from heat in two weeks.

PEARY MIGHT KICK

(American News Service)
Kiel, Germany, July 2.—Prince Henry and other members of the Zeppelin arctic expedition promoters, sailed today for Spitzbergen to complete arrangements for a dash to the North Pole in a Zeppelin dirigible balloon.

The United States army officials have been conducting experiments to determine the value of concrete as a means of building fortifications and the behavior of the material has been found so satisfactory that it is extremely probable that it will be made use of to a great extent in the construction of a number of important works to be raised in the Philippines. The experiments were conducted at Sandy Hook, where a wall of concrete twenty feet thick and properly reinforced was hammered by a twelve-inch gun, the projectile of which was capable of penetrating twenty-two inch armor plate, and the concrete under this attack did much batter than was expected.

Sixty percent of the patents granted yearly in this country are worthless. Nearly ninety percent of the electrical patents are practical.

HE WAS ACQUITTED

Ira Porter of Portland, the alleged uxoricide was acquitted by the jury yesterday. Judge Fox of the Wayne circuit court acted as special judge in the case. Evidence against Porter was circumstantial and he claimed that his wife's death was due to accident through her own fault.

Township Trustee James Howarth and wife will spend July 4 in Indianapolis.

English Army Critics Working

Lambast the Army Council for Letting Down the Bars at the Military Academies—Officers Needed.

(American News Service)

London, July 2.—The Army Council is being severely criticised for letting down the bars at Sandhurst and Woolwich in order to relieve the serious shortage of officers in the army.

Sandhurst and Woolwich are England's West Point, and the entrance examinations have generally been so severe that only about 15 percent of the candidates succeeded in getting in.

For some time past, however, it has been public knowledge that a commission in the English army was becoming daily more unattractive to the youth of England, and the shortage of officers became a serious question, the army council admitted between two and three hundred candidates to Sandhurst and Woolwich this year without competition examination of any kind.

One of the high officials in English army circles, after severely criticising this action of the council, gives several reasons for the army's unpopularity.

"First of all," he said, "the openings in life for young men of good breeding have been greatly multiplied in the last twenty years. Careers which formerly would not have been entertained for one moment for their sons are now eagerly welcomed by modern parents. The professions which social caste formerly prescribed for gentlemen were few; they have now become many and mainly because the chief demand is for money.

"Life is more expensive, and the wings of commerce alone can support it. It is the commercial life, in one of its multitudinous phases, which the majority of the well born and moderately educated are now compelled and are willing to live.

The second reason is that the army authorities are themselves to blame for bringing the army into disrepute. The authorities have not kept faith with the parent and the parent is tired of them. Young men have entered the service upon terms which have been repeatedly repudiated by the authorities. There is, in consequence, no sense of confidence in the army authorities, and the prudent parents leave them alone.

"Then while the cost of living has gone up and the number of rival professions has greatly increased, the remuneration offered by the army remains contemptible. The civilian parent especially is badly treated. Though Sandhurst and Woolwich ask for \$150,000 a year from the country they do not forget to mullet the civilian parent a sum little short of \$1,000 a year for the son's training.

"Then when the young man has passed through his course and obtained his commission he is paid the magnificent salary of \$480 a year, the

whole of which for the first year must disappear in his outfit.

"Six years of this brings him to leutenancy, which means \$550 a year and for another six years he has to live on live.

"That is to say that unless a parent can allow his son \$500 a year at least, the army is no place for the boy.

"This means of course that even when commissions were open to competition—and open competition, on the whole, is the fairest means of selection—the candidates were strictly limited to that comparatively small class which can afford the luxury.

"From whatever point of view one may approach this serious problem, it seems to me that the first duty of the government is to restore the entrance competitive examination (making it partly physical and partly intellectual) and, at the same time, introduce a 'living wage' for the junior officers.

"I would pay every second lieutenant \$1.92 a day at least, and every lieutenant \$2.40 a day. A grant should be made of \$500 on account of outfit for every officer on first joining; I would make the training at Sandhurst and Woolwich practically free to those who succeed in securing admission; promotion should be assured to the effective; the underhand system of secret reports should go; and I would abolish the many ridiculous charges which a false regimental pride still enters on the mess bill.