

GAS COMPANY MEETS TERMS OF THE CITY

"The price of artificial gas will not be raised September 1," said Manager Shorenstein, of the Light, Heat and Power company, today. "Any statements to the contrary are absolutely false."

"Artificial gas will not be turned into the gas mains we purchased from the Richmond Natural Gas company, because we have been ordered by the Board of Works, not to do so. At the time the matter first came up our attorney stated we could use the mains and I believe we can. However, putting down new mains would be cheaper than a law suit."

He went on to say that as fast as possible new mains were being laid in the streets because orders for gas were coming into the office every day. He said people were demanding service.

"Besides putting us to additional unnecessary expense," he stated, "the city is just inconveniencing its citizens, and for what reason I can not see," said Shorenstein.

In a statement today City Attorney A. M. Gardner said the city would take no action until the Light, Heat and Power company, violated the order of the board. Mr. Gardner said the company had promised not to do this.

Dealers in stoves in the city say they are noticing a slight increase in the sale of coal stoves. However, the sale of artificial stoves is also increasing rapidly.

BREEZE TOO HEAVY

And Glenn Curtiss Postponed Aeroplane Flight Over Lake Erie.

DISAPPOINTS BIG CROWD

(American News Service.) Cleveland, Aug. 30.—High winds today compelled Glenn Curtiss to abandon his proposed aeroplane flight to Cedar Point. Thousands of excursionists were disappointed.

Early in the day excursion steamers set out from Cleveland and from Sandusky, near Cedar Point, as well as from intermediary ports, jammed to the gunwales with sightseers.

Crowds began gathering so heavily at Euclid Beach this morning that the police were severely taxed. Curtiss, in his camp overhauled his machine early.

"It's in good shape," he remarked, "and I anticipated no difficulty if the weather had been favorable. I not only expect to make the flight, but I hope to win the \$15,000 prize hung up for altitude and speed records."

GOT A RAP ON NOSE

When his nose came in contact with an automatic trip hammer, while working on the Second National Bank building yesterday afternoon, Willard Wtats, a workman, was badly injured. Although not broken his nose was cut to the bone and it was necessary to take him to the Reid Memorial hospital. His condition at first believed to be serious, has improved much today.

REVOKE A CONTRACT

County Commissioners Today End Agreement with Ferret Lowe.

COMPLAINTS AGAINST HIM

This afternoon the board of county commissioners revoked the contract with Washington E. Lowe, the tax ferret. The commissioners took this action late this afternoon. Chairman Beeson and commissioners Farlow and Linderman expressed themselves as being opposed to the tax ferret system. The cause for revoking the license lies chiefly with Lowe, the commissioners say. They have had innumerable complaints made to them, they say, where the ferret has caused annoyance without cause. It is said that many persons were notified to visit the ferret before he had any true evidence against them of sequestering their property or a portion of it.

The commissioners refused to consider Lowe's petition to extend his contract until December 31. The contract expires on September 8. By the county revoking the contract with Lowe, the city's contract with him is likewise null and void.

A Painful Infraction. A teacher was instructing a class of boys and had spent half an hour trying to drive into their heads the difference between man and the lower animals, but apparently with little success.

"Tommy," he said coaxingly to a little chap, "do you know the difference between, say, me and a pig or any other brute?"

"No," replied Tommy innocently, but another teacher standing by laughed.—London Answers.

Turban of Today and Yesterday



Photographs showing the popular turban now being worn by Parisian women on the left, and the similar style worn a century ago, on the right.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	79	37	.681
Pittsburg	69	45	.605
New York	66	48	.579
Philadelphia	59	58	.504
Cincinnati	55	59	.496
St. Louis	47	71	.398
Brooklyn	44	71	.383
Boston	43	76	.361

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	81	36	.692
Boston	71	48	.597
New York	67	50	.573
Detroit	66	53	.555
Washington	55	66	.455
Cleveland	50	66	.431
Chicago	45	70	.391
St. Louis	35	81	.302

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Minneapolis	90	48	.652
Toledo	73	63	.537
St. Paul	73	65	.528
Kansas City	70	65	.519
Columbus	69	65	.515
Milwaukee	60	75	.444
Indianapolis	57	78	.422
Louisville	50	83	.376

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.	
Cincinnati 3; Boston 3 (8 innings; darkness).	
St. Louis 8; Brooklyn 4.	
New York 2-8; Pittsburg 1-3.	
Chicago 6-4; Philadelphia 5-9.	
American League.	
Washington 4-5; St. Louis 0-4.	
Boston 10; Chicago 3.	
Detroit 7; Philadelphia 4.	
New York-Cleveland-Rain.	
American Association.	
Milwaukee 4; Indianapolis 2.	
Louisville 6; St. Paul 1.	
Minneapolis 7; Toledo 1.	
Columbus 5; Kansas City 3.	

GAMES TODAY.

National League.	
Boston at Cincinnati.	
Brooklyn at St. Louis.	
New York at Pittsburg.	
Philadelphia at Chicago.	
American League.	
St. Louis at Washington.	
Detroit at Philadelphia.	
Cleveland at New York.	
Chicago at Boston.	
American Association.	
Milwaukee at Indianapolis.	
St. Paul at Louisville.	
Minneapolis at Toledo.	
Kansas City at Columbus.	

TO BE GREAT RACE

(American News Service.) Saratoga, Aug. 30.—The historic Futurity, the richest two-year-old stakes on the American turf calendar will be decided on the Saratoga track tomorrow, having been transferred here from Sheepshead Bay, where it has been contested since its inauguration in 1888. The race this year will be worth more than \$25,000 to the winner. The distance is six furlongs, and from present indications there will be nearly a score of starters. Entries have been made by the Keene, Belmont, Wilson, Newcastle and other famous stables and the class is such as to insure a spirited race, providing the weather and track conditions are favorable.

LOCAL BOXING BOUT

Manager Gruelich of the Richmond Athletic club has matched Jack Dillon and Battling Kelley for a ten round exhibition at the Coliseum on Wednesday evening, September 7. Both men have good reputations in the fight world and always are said to be earnest in their efforts. There will be the usual number of preliminaries.

MEETING POSTPONED

On account of heavy work in the city controller's office in getting out vehicle licenses, the meeting of heads of city departments and the finance committee of council, was postponed until Thursday night. It was intended to hold the meeting tomorrow evening. At this time the budget will be prepared for presentation to council.

BASEBALL GOSSIP

King Cole is proving to the Chicago Cubs this season what Edgar Willett and Eddie Summers did to the Detroit Tigers in 1908—a life saver.

The veteran twirlers of the Cubs have not shown the class this year that they did in 1906-07-08, when the Chance machine won the National league pennant, or in 1909, when they were runners-up to the Pittsburg Pilgrims. But King Cole has jumped into the breach and by his own individual efforts has landed the Cubs on top of the heap.

To date Cole has won fifteen of eighteen games, a percentage of .833, leading all of the National league pitchers except the veteran Deacon Phillippi of Pittsburg, who has won nine of ten games. The Cubs have a lead of seven games in the old league race. Where would they be without Cole's fifteen victories?

The Tigers would never have won the 1908 flag but for the great work of their old pair. Summers won 24 of 36, showing a .667 mark; while Willett pitched in 15 victories and 9 defeats, a .625 mark. Donovan was the only Bengal veteran who delivered a good brand of pitching goods that year.—Cleveland Press.

Baseball is a wonderful game, and some wonderful men are playing it, as mark the following list of names gathered from big league rosters: Dam, Daum, Mee, Cree, Nee, Ray, Kay, Metz and Gutz. If we ever got this collection together on one St. Louis team the fans would have to sneeze out the batting order.—St. Louis Star.

Manager Griffith of Cincinnati has added a few gray hairs to his scalp since last season. The "Old Fox" has been almost driven insane by the failure of his pitchers to deliver the goods. When the season started the Reds were considered pennant possibilities, but the Rhinelanders have failed to stay up in front on account of the weakness of their twirlers.

Bill Bergen was sold to Brooklyn by Cincinnati about nine years ago for the large sum of \$600. Veteran as he is, he could not be bought even now for anything like that sum. He is still one of the best throwing backstops in the National league.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Sense of Humor. A man has a sense of humor or he has not. If he has not he cannot acquire it; if he has it by birthright he cannot lose it with the passing of years. The only change as life goes on in one who has this inborn sense is that different things appeal to it from those that excited amusement in youth, but in this it is like other mental faculties. As judgment mellow and ripens, so the power of discerning those things that excite smiles becomes more discriminating. Humor is not a physical attribute to fade as the body loses its youthful elasticity, but purely mental. Men who possess it in goodly measure have been known to smile on their deathbeds over the very comedy of life.—Indianapolis Star.

The Flax Plant. Linen is obtained from the flax plant, a small, delicate annual with a tiny blue flower. The plant is pulled by hand in the summer, the seeds, known in commerce as linseed, being removed and the straw subjected to various processes to separate the fibrous part which constitutes the linen. First it is steeped in water and then passed through a drying and heating process on revolving wheels until all foreign matter is removed. It is then ready for manufacture.

Not a Question of Etiquette. Mrs. Hendricks (the landlady)—Can I help you to some more soup, Mr. Dumley? Mr. Dumley—No, thanks. Mrs. Hendricks (engagingly)—Don't refuse, Mr. Dumley, because it isn't considered good form to be helped twice to soup. We're not particular people here. Mr. Dumley—Oh, etiquette has nothing to do with it, madam; it's the soup.

She Learns, Too. There had been a family row. "Well," remarked the alleged head of the house, "a man learns a few things when he gets married. Yes, sir, a man learns and learns." "That may be," retorted the feminine half of the sketch, "but the school of experience doesn't bar co-eds."—Washington Herald.

HAILED AS NEXT HEAD OF NATION

Glaring Type Informs Roosevelt That He Is First Choice of Pueblo.

GREAT CROWD GREETED HIM

EX-PRESIDENT MADE A BIG HIT AT DENVER YESTERDAY BY ATTENTIONS HE SHOWED JUDGE LINDSEY.

Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 30.—"Theodore Roosevelt, Our Next President" in big letters across the top of lithographic pictures displayed in many downtown windows greeted Colonel Roosevelt when he arrived here today to dedicate the new Y. M. C. A. building. Nearly everybody in town turned out to greet the strenuous American idol. He goes from here to Osawatomie, Kas., where tomorrow he will discuss important national problems in a speech.

During the procession in Denver yesterday, the gun of one of the deputy sheriffs dropped from its holster and exploded, wounding one of the Roosevelt guards in the leg. The incident caused a panic in the line for a moment before it was explained.

One of the things that endeared Roosevelt to Denver yesterday was the friendship he displayed for Judge Ben Lindsey of the juvenile court. He invited Judge Lindsey to the speakers platform with him.

RAINING CATS AND DOGS.

Various Explanations of the Origin of This Expression.

Many explanations have been given of the origin of the expression "raining cats and dogs." One is that it is a perversion of the French "catadoue," a waterfall—"it is raining a catadoue," or cataraacts. Another explanation is that the male blossoms of the willow tree, which are used on Palm Sunday to represent the branches of palm, were called "cats and dogs" in some parts of England, where they increase rapidly after a few warm April showers, and the belief prevailed that the rain brought them.

Others trace the saying to northern mythology, in which the cat is said to have great influence on the weather, and sailors still have a saying, "The cat has a gale of wind in her tail," when she is unusually frisky. Witches that rode upon the storms were said to assume the form of cats, and the stormy northwest wind is called "the cat's nose" in the Harz mountains even at the present day. Then the dog is a symbol of wind, which in old German pictures is figured as the head of a dog or wolf from which blasts issue. The cat therefore symbolizes a down-pour of rain; the dog, strong gusts of wind, which accompany it, and so a rain "of cats and dogs" is a heavy rain with wind.

A NIGERIAN LEGEND.

It Tells of the Origin of Man's Subjection to Women.

There is a quaint old Nigerian legend that relates the origin of man's subjection to women. At the beginning of things, the legend runs, the world was peopled by women only. One day the earth god, Awbassi Nai, happened by accident to kill a woman. On hearing this the rest gathered together and prayed that, if he meant to slay them, he would bring destruction on all together rather than kill them one by one.

Awbassi was sorry for the grief he had caused and offered as compensation to give them anything they should choose out of all his possessions. They begged him to mention what he had to give and said that they would all cry "Yes" when he named the thing they wished to have. Awbassi mentioned one by one all his fruits, fowls and beasts, but at each they shouted "No." At length the list was nearly ended—only one thing remained to offer. "Will you, then, take man?" asked Awbassi at last. "Yes," they roared in a great shout, and catching hold of one another, danced for joy at the thought of the gift Awbassi was sending. These men became the servants of women and have to work for them to this day.

WIRE FLASHES!

A SHERMAN BOOM.

(American News Service.) Joplin, Mo., Aug. 30.—Five thousand persons, including many employees of the lead and zinc mines, cheered Vice President Sherman when he extolled the virtues of the zinc schedule in the Payne-Aldrich bill this morning. Several men shouted "Sherman for President." Sherman addressed the crowd from a platform on the brink of a big shaft of the zinc mines.

POSSE CORNERS HIM.

Paris, Ky., Aug. 30.—Jim January, colored, who attempted an assault on Mrs. Virgie Gray, a white woman, was today surrounded in a cornfield here by a posse who desire to lynch him.

A WIRELESS CALL.

New York, Aug. 30.—Wireless calls were received today for detectives to meet the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm, due tomorrow, to help discover a mid-ocean burglar who robbed the state room of Miss Ethel May Davis, of Chicago, an actress and took jewels worth four thousand dollars.

FATAL GUN FIGHT.

St. Paul, Aug. 30.—Al Ray, chief special agent of the Great Northern railway, shot and killed C. P. Welch, who entered Ray's office this forenoon and fired five shots at Ray without hitting him. Welch recently was discharged from the position Ray now holds.

CRIPPEN OVERCOME.

London, Aug. 30.—Dr. Crippen was found in a semi-conscious condition in his cell this morning. The jail doctor said it was the result of a nervous collapse.

CONTRACTS ARE LET

Commissioners Act Today on the Improvements for the Infirmary.

TO BEGIN WORK AT ONCE

The contracts for improvements to the county infirmary were let this morning by the county commissioners to Anderson and Stinson of Centerville, with a bid of \$7,488, for the construction work, underbid two other contractors. The Craighead Plumbing and Electrical Company of this city, received the plumbing contract for \$4,300. It was the only bidder on the plumbing.

The work will be started at once as the contracts call for the completion of the improvements by January 1. A new dining hall for both men and women, new heating system and a kitchen and wash room will be built on the administration building. Repairs will be made to the present quarters for women and sitting rooms made out of the present dining room. The east wing of the administration building will be raised at once and the old brick used on the inside of the walls for the new building.

The combined amount of the bids is \$11,788 which is considerable less than the amount appropriated. It is also lower than the aggregate amount bid two months ago when the commissioners had to reject bids because the total amount exceeded the appropriation.

Have you trouble of any kind arising from a disordered stomach? Go to your druggist and get a 50c or \$1 bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is positively guaranteed to cure you and keep you well.

Time Tables

CHESAPEAKE & OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY.

Phone 3023. In Effect April 17, 1910. East Bound—Chicago-Cincinnati.

Stations.	Lv.	D	Ex	D	D	St
		Sum.				Only
Chicago	8:15a	10:05p				9:15a
Peru	8:25p	10:15a				1:25p
Marion	8:35p	10:25a	6:00a			4:35p
Muncie	8:45p	10:35a	7:00a			5:25p
Richmond	8:55p	10:45a	8:00a			6:15p
Cl. Grove	9:05p	10:55a	9:00a			7:00p
Cincinnati	9:15p	11:05a	10:00a			8:00p

West Bound—Cincinnati-Chicago.

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Cincinnati	8:15a	10:05p				9:15a
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Richmond	8:35a	11:25p	7:00p			10:35a
Muncie	8:45a	11:35p	8:00p			11:45a
Marion	8:55a	11:45p	9:00p			12:45p
Peru	9:05a	11:55p	10:00p			1:25p
Chicago	9:15a	12:05p	11:00p			4:45p

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For headaches. This is a very fine seltzer and better value than most kinds.
4 ounce bottle 25c.
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An Artificial Gas Plant in Your Own Home

A lot of you people who are up against it in the way of future fuel supply and are wondering and figuring just what kind of fuel will be most satisfactory and economical, haven't given gasoline a single thought because you've been led to believe that gasoline stoves are both unhandy and dangerous.

Insurance and Process Gasoline Stoves Are Not Unhandy

The ordinary run of gasoline stoves with their troublesome starting and generating devices and their uncertain, unreliable action have been responsible for the idea that all gasoline burning stoves are of that kind. But the Process stove is really a whole gas plant in itself, it automatically generates its own gas and you merely turn this on and light it just as you would gas, the only extra trouble you have is in filling the tank occasionally. You start it like gas, you turn it off like gas, you use it like gas and it does all the work that gas will do just as satisfactorily.

And but very little more labor is required to start the Insurance Stove. Its burners have to be heated before starting, but there are always as many torches as there are burners setting in little wells on the side of the main tank so that the torches are always ready to light and the starting operation becomes very simple and very rapid.

These Stoves Are Not Dangerous

Gasoline in itself is an explosive and if handled carelessly, naturally is dangerous. And any gasoline stove in the hands of a person with no respect for the laws that govern gasoline become a dangerous stove. And it is to pure carelessness that most gasoline accidents must be traced. And yet in most stoves there are just two sources of danger that can hardly be classed as carelessness. One is the danger of the valves being opened by children and thus letting the gasoline run out and causing an explosion when next the fire is lighted and the other the danger of the wind blowing the fire out. And both of these possible causes of accidents have been provided against in the Insurance.

Just below the burner in the Insurance is a tube with a float valve in it. The gasoline normally stands at such a height in this tube that the float valve keeps any more from flowing in, but when the torch is lighted the heat turns the gasoline into vapor and the float is forced down by this vapor and gasoline is allowed to flow out into the burner. Now if by chance wind should blow the fire out, this gasoline chamber cools, the gas condenses and the gasoline rises the float and cutting off all fur-carrying with it ther supply; there is no escape of gasoline in this case and the same thing is true if children carelessly open the valves. And thus the two greatest causes of unavoidable danger are entirely removed in this stove.

Come and let us tell you more about these. You can buy one at prices ranging from \$2.50 up to \$28.

Jones Hardware Company