

MEAT INSPECTION A VITAL QUESTION

The Councilmanic Committee Will Report Its Findings Next Monday.

The councilmanic committee which investigated the inspection of meats in Richmond will ask the city council at its meeting Monday evening to change the ordinance covering meat inspection.

The committee has not concluded its findings and will meet again to perfect its report. It is known that several members of the committee do not favor inspection by a veterinarian and that a movement is on foot to place the inspection in the hands of a layman.

Dr. T. Henry Davis, city health officer, said today that he was not in favor of changing the clause of the present ordinance which provides that the inspection of meat be done under the rules and regulations laid down by the department of agriculture of the United States.

"At stations where slaughtering is conducted, only veterinarians are placed in charge. All final ante-mortem and post-mortem examinations are conducted by veterinarians."

The foregoing are excerpts from the rules and regulations of the department of agriculture governing the inspection of meats. If the city council amends the ordinance and places the work of inspection in the hands of a layman, the determination of what is wholesome or polluted meat will not be done according to the regulations observed in plants where federal inspection is in vogue.

Butchers Want Inspection.

It is known that all butchers in the city, excepting perhaps two, are in favor of inspection of meat under federal regulations. Butchers say that the indecision of the city council to take action is injuring their business.

The clause in the existing ordinance which insists that inspection be done under federal regulations is a standard method of inspection. Housewives have no assurance that they are securing wholesome meats if the clause is tampered with or rejected. The government places veterinarians in the packing houses so that interstate business to pass on all ante-mortem and post-mortem examinations.

Under the present ordinance the inspection at the Holzapfel plant is done according to the rules and regulations of the department of agriculture, and housewives have the assurance that the meat they buy is untainted. All final examination is passed on by Dr. S. Ferling, whose son makes the preliminary inspection.

At the Stolle plant there is federal inspection, due to the fact that Stolle does an interstate business.

To Increase Efficiency.

Dr. T. H. Davis said today that the changes he proposed in the ordinance would increase the efficiency of the inspection. He proposes rules governing the transportation of meat and additional duties for the inspector.

Should the councilmanic committee report that inspection be done by a layman, housewives have no assurance that competent inspection of meats has taken place. The inspection then would not be under the regulations of the department of agriculture, which are observed generally in standard packing houses. The only recourse open to housewives would be to demand to see the federal inspection seal on the meat they purchase.

City Attorney Gardner believes that the present ordinance is a good one and provides for adequate and honest inspection of the meat supply of the city. The only change necessary, in his opinion, is the fixing of a salary for the inspector by the city council.

The city health board will have the right to nominate an inspector, but his appointment will rest with the city council.

NOT WILL SCHUTTE BUT WILL SHUTE

The suit case, which was discovered hidden in bushes behind Earlham cemetery last week, belonged to Will Shute, instead of Will Schutte of this city. Will Schutte denied being the hickory nut hunter who abandoned the suit case, and an investigation showed that the suit case is the property of Mr. Shute, residing west of the city.

Hauck's Beer

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SHUTTLE TESTIFIES

That Over \$400,000 Was Contributed by Interests.

(National News Association)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—George R. Sheldon, former treasurer of the Republican national committee made startling revelations this afternoon to the campaign of 1904, while he was testifying before the senate committee investigating campaign contributions.

In response to sharp questioning he admitted that the Standard Oil company contributed \$100,000 to the campaign that year under the name of John D. Archbold; that J. P. Morgan gave \$100,000; George Gould \$100,000 and Henry C. Frick \$100,000.

CLAMP ON THE LID

Vice Crusade Effectively Closes Immoral Houses.

(National News Association)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 2.—Every house of prostitution and every house of assignation in this city was declared closed today in a sweeping order issued by Superintendent of Police Hyland.

This means that before nightfall Indianapolis will be in the condition which has been demanded by a reform committee of 100.

The order followed a conference with Mayor Shank, and patrolmen were given instruction to inform resort keepers. The order affects about forty-five immoral houses and while Superintendent Hyland made it plain that he did not believe in the movement and has little confidence that good results will come from it, he declared that the department would do the best it could to meet the conditions as they came up.

COURT NEWS

The petition of Florence Fox, for admission of the will of the late Helen S. Fox, to probate, has been granted. The late Mrs. Fox was the wife of Judge Henry C. Fox, of the circuit court.

Gaar C. Williams has been granted letters of administration in the estate of the late George R. Williams. The bond of the administrator was fixed at \$4,000.

The will of the late Caroline H. Kerlin has been admitted to probate.

William A. Reid has filed a claim against the estate of David A. Reid. Inventory of the estate of Henry Kettman, has been filed in the county clerk's office by Louisa F. Witte, executrix. The inventory shows the personal estate to be valued at \$532.42.

HEALTH REPORT

Nineteen cases of scarlet fever and twelve cases of typhoid fever were reported in September, according to the statement of Health Officer Davis. The scarlet fever cases are extremely light, and but one death resulted from this disease.

The twelve cases of typhoid fever were caused by drinking well water in this city or at summer resorts. No cases have been reported where the sick person drank hydrant water. The nineteen cases of scarlet fever are confined to ten houses.

There were thirteen male children and seventeen female births reported in September.

COURTEOUS "BUCK"

Roy Wenger, patrol driver, was "going some" when he overtook the west bound interurban limited this noon with a passenger, who had just missed the car. Wenger was on Main street with the police Hupmobile and the stranger, who just missed the car was standing aside the machine, and overtook the traction car before it reached Centerville.

COLLIERS ATTACKS HEARST LETTERS

Asserts All Signatures to Letters Made from One Single Electrotypewriter.

(Palladium Special)

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—A two page broadside attack is made in Collier's Weekly of this week on the genuineness of the fac similes of some of the so-called Standard Oil letters which have been published in recent issues of Hearst's Magazine.

Although one letter is dated in 1896, two in 1900, and two in 1904, Collier's asserts that the alleged fac similes published by Hearst were made from copies written by a type-writing machine which was not put on the market until 1905 and from type which was not in existence until 1907.

It seems to be accepted as by Collier's that many of the first letters which were published, perhaps all of them, were genuine, but that those which recently have been printed, and which brought about the investigation by a committee of the United States senate, are bold forgeries.

After the set of letters under suspicion had been carefully examined for an hour the following statement was drawn up:

These letters—namely: letter alleged to have been written by Mr. John D. Archbold to the Hon. M. S. Quay, Feb. 13, 1900; letter alleged to have been written by Gen. Grosvenor to Mr. Archbold Sept. 17, 1904; letter alleged to have been written by Mr. Archbold to Senator Quay, July 18, 1898; letter alleged to have been written by Archbold to Senator Hanna on Jan. 19, 1900; letter alleged to have been written by Mr. Archbold to Senator Penrose, Oct. 13, 1904, are all of them unmistakably written on the L. C. Smith & Bros. typewriter containing elite type, or known to us as No. 6 type. No L. C. Smith & Bros. typewriting machine equipped with elite or No. 6 type was placed on the market or manufactured earlier than June 15, 1905.

L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriting Co.

W. L. Smith, President.

"It is Mr. Smith's conviction," says Collier's, "that some unknown trickster has grossly deceived Mr. Hearst."

Attention is called to some of the peculiarities of the type. For example, the dollar sign in the \$25,000 letter alleged to have been written by John D. Archbold to Senator Boies Penrose has only one upright stroke through the S instead of the usual two. In all of the alleged fac similes the dot is too close to the i and the period is invariably too high.

As a matter of fact, it is said by the typewriting experts all these five letters were written on the same machine, although there were skillful alterations of the ribbon in order to alter the surface impression.

"The Penrose letter," says Collier's, "was done with a wet copying ribbon to give a different weight of impression from the fainter Hanna letter. Three of the leading manufacturers of typewriters in the United States gave us their unanimous judgment a few weeks ago that the five letters are the product of an individual machine."

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STOCK TRAIN HERE DE PALMA IN LEAD

Purdue Demonstration Train Arrives This Evening.

The Purdue stock demonstration train will arrive in Richmond this evening. The animals that accompany the train will be driven to the corner of Ninth and A streets, where they will be on exhibition. A lecture on the proper feeding of cattle will be given in the Commercial club rooms.

Citizens are invited to inspect the cattle and hogs on exhibition. It is said that no experiment station in the United States has made the extended investigation of the proper feeding of cattle which has been made at the Purdue station.

Expected that Italian Will Win the Contest.

(National News Association)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 2.—After jumping into the lead almost at the start, Teddy Tetzlaff, the Pacific coast flyer, in his giant Fiat electrified more than 100,000 enthusiasts for eighteen laps in the Vanderbilt trophy contest here today. He took his first time out through tire trouble and gasoline shortage and 1 o'clock at which time Wichard was second and De Palma third.

Ralph Murford, an early contender, was officially declared out of the race after the third lap. The average time of Tetzlaff was 74 3-10 miles an hour.

Tetzlaff's engine collapsed in the twenty-sixth lap and he was obliged to retire from the race. De Palma had moved up to second position and Tetzlaff's trouble left De Palma the leader with the race well in hand.

PUTHOFF STILL HERE

Raymond Puthoff, the deserter from the United States navy, who has been held in this city, will be sent to Indianapolis tonight or tomorrow morning. From there he will be sent to Philadelphia.

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OLD COUPLES MARRY

Two Prominent Couples Secured Licenses Today.

A number of young men and young women who secure marriage licenses in this county are obliged to secure the consent of their parents or guardians, because of their extreme youth, but two men and two women who secured licenses today were not compelled to secure parental consent.

Davis Wheelock, of West Milton, Indiana, and Emaline Fisher, of Williamsburg and Charles W. Crawford, of Wayne county, and Leah F. Addington, of Richmond, secured licenses.

Mr. Wheelock who is a retired business man is seventy-five years of age and his happy bride-to-be is fifty-two. Mr. Wheelock has been married before, his wife having died in 1892. This is Mrs. Fisher's third marriage, according to the marriage record.

Charles W. Crawford is a well known farmer in Wayne county and is fifty years of age. Mrs. Addington is fifty years of age.

A STEAM BOILER

Explodes, Wrecking Shed and Frightening People.

The explosion of a steam boiler in the rear of the tailor shop of James Scully, 1031 Main street, at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon, completely wrecked the shed in which it was placed. A quantity of gasoline in the shed was also destroyed.

The shed is used for dry cleaning purposes. There was nobody in the building when the boiler exploded.

TAKEN TO EASTHAVEN

Harry N. Taylor, of Dublin, was taken to the Eastern Indiana Hospital for the Insane this afternoon by Sheriff Steen. Taylor has been confined in the insane ward at the county jail for several weeks, pending an insanity inquest. The inquest was held yesterday in the court of Justice of the Peace Morgan.

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