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Sand Piles.

Hundreds of Richmond mothers find it pleasant of spring and summer days, with the household duties done, to take the youngsters to the Glen for a few hours' fresh air and recreation. The park is very beautiful and well kept, with broad, green acres to roam over, but unfortunately there is little for the children to do in this municipal play ground except roll around upon the grass, which young Richmond soon tires of.

All of this is preliminary to a leading question addressed to our city dads, to-wit: why not provide a few attractions at the Glen for the youngsters?

For instance, why not a few sand piles—an irresistible attraction for all little boys and girls?

Then there appears to be plenty of room for two or three giant strides, coasters and other inexpensive paraphernalia which would appeal to the city's most valuable assets, the youngsters.

Incidentally more attention might be paid by the city officials to that very popular but sadly neglected municipal institution, the "zoo," at Glen Miller. The few birds and animals owned by the city have always been objects of great interest to grown-ups as well as children and a pol-

icy of gradually increasing this collection could not fail to meet with popular approval.

Practical Reform.

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Faults at Bottom of Colorado Mines Trouble Disturbances

BY VICTOR C. ANDERSON,
Formerly President of the Colorado
School of Mines, and Chairman of
the State Investigating
Committee.

To comment impartially on the Colorado mine strike—a subject which is so fresh and which has aroused so much bitterness—is not easy. Thorough investigation of the entire difficulty by the state commission showed that the worst offenders against the safety of the miners were not the large corporations, but the small operators. On the large properties every precaution was taken to make the lives of the miners as safe as money and brains could provide.

One feature in connection with the strike has not been sufficiently emphasized. All of the miners' demands, except one, were either embodied in the laws of the state and could be enforced, or have been conceded by the larger companies. This single exception was "recognition of the union." To the ordinary observer, the phrase means no more than a recognition of the existence of the unions, as we recognize the existence of the Masons, the Odd Fellows or other organizations.

But to the unions this meant more than the passive recognition of their existence, but it also meant that the companies should do their duty to pay off men their dues to the union, and any fines that had been inflicted on them by the leaders, and hand sums to the labor union officials. With discontent brewing and the possibility of a strike near at hand, the operators were as likely to yield to such a demand as England would now be to float a German loan, and pass the proceeds over to the German government. This meaning of "recognition of the union" was the crux of the whole matter. Had the labor leaders omitted this demand there would have been no strike, but, with the insistence of this demand, the operators had only one course to pursue.

Another feature not generally appreciated outside of Colorado is that E. M. Ammons, then governor of the state, was warned both by labor leaders and operators that trouble was coming. He had ample time in which to call out the militia and maintain order, but he delayed so long that the strikers became armed before the militia arrived. It did not take much foresight to comprehend what would happen if human

home of her younger son, Charles Pike, on account of the serious illness of Tip Hosier, Mrs. Mull's brother. Mr. Hosier was stricken with paralysis yesterday.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS. PAY.

CENTERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deardorff motored to Brookville, O., Sunday and spent the day with relatives. Their niece Miss Evelyn Stafford returned with them.

The Commercial club meets at the town hall Friday evening, April 9. Charles W. Jordan and Attorney Wilfred Jessup will address the meeting.

Mrs. R. J. Deardorff entertained the Needlecraft club this afternoon at her home on West Spruce street. The club was well represented and one new member came into the society. Mrs. Clara Ratliff Stinson of Richmond. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Laura Mull was called to the

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this 13th day of July, 1909.

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for Van Duren Co., Mich.

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J. P. Chapin and Pigmy in Wilds of Africa



JAMES P. CHAPIN AND PIGMY.

James P. Chapin of the Museum of Natural History's Congo expedition, has arrived back in New York after having spent six years in the wilds of Africa. Despite rumors in the last two or three years that members of the expedition had been killed or died of disease, he reports they all enjoyed the best of health and success, having obtained more than 30,000 specimens. They bagged three okapi, the especial objects of their search. He spent some time in the pigmy country of Belgian Africa, and asserted the little people are great hunters of caterpillars and white ants.

OVERMAN DISCUSSES PREVALENCE OF SINS

vision for relief from guilt, for all must come through the same door, which is Christ.

Oil Treatment for Stomach Troubles

In discussing the subject, "There Is No Difference," at the First Baptist church Wednesday, the Rev. I. C. Overman said that there is no difference as to the fact of sin in the life of the vilest sinner and the respectable man, for all have sinned. There is no difference in the fact of God's love for various classes of men, for God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, and there is no difference in the power and purpose of the cross of Christ, as it applies to all mankind, for Christ died to save all, and there is no difference in the way that all men must accept God's promise.

Furthermore, the confession of Governor Ammons later that the state forces were unable to maintain peace and order, and his appeal to President Wilson for the aid of regular troops is the only case in recent years, probably, where a sovereign state, through its chief executive has confessed its inability to maintain order. Cases have occurred where Federal troops have been used, but in no case has a sovereign state formally confessed its impotency, as Colorado did, through its chief executive, Elias M. Ammons. Some Coloradans were so indignant that they suggested the state should surrender its sovereignty and revert to a territory.

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NEW LAW ENTITLES EATON TO SALOONS

EATON, O., April 9.—To succeed John Conrad, resigned, James A. Knox, of this city, has been appointed a member of the county liquor commission. With this action promise is given that this city will soon have six saloons after having experienced a "dry" reign of six years. Edward Johns of Eaton, is the other commissioner. In a communication announcing the appointment of Knox to the office, the commission directed to receive applications for license until April 17 and announced successful aspirants April 28.

Eaton and Preble county were voted dry under provisions of the Rose law, repealed with the adoption of home rule.

Masonic Calendar

Friday, April 9, King Solomon's chapter No. 4, R. A. M. Stated con-vocation.

Germany's last potato crop amounted to 50,200,000 metric tons.

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"This wretched condition continued until I became interested in the letters of those who had cases like mine and who were being helped by eating Grape-Nuts.

"I had little faith, but procured a pk. and after the first dish I experienced a peculiar satisfied feeling that I had never gained from any ordinary food. I slept and rested better that night and in a few days began to grow stronger.

"I had a new feeling of peace and restfulness. In a few weeks, to my great joy, the headaches and nervousness left me and life became bright and hopeful. I resumed my studies and later taught ten months with ease—using Grape-Nuts every day. I am now the mistress of a happy home, and the