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GREAT SEAS OF MUD

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Yet the "Business Administration" Is Squandering Over $60,000 a Year on Alleged "Repairs."

The Sullivan Board of Works has not only discourteous and autocratic manners to be charged with, but the citizens in the eastern and northeastern part of the city complain that the board has entirely neglected the streets in those parts of the city. Complaint after complaint has been lodged with the board, and sometimes the board would even go so far as to send the complaint to Barney McGettigan, the street commissioner, with these words, "Please note." Barney has the complaints all noted somewhere in his desk, but the people living in the partially submerged and mud-beridden portions of the city have never seen the sight of the somnolent official. A drive east of the Lake Erie & Western tracks, and up in the First ward, will show the manner in which the board has been dealing with these parts of the city. Under no consideration will the board consider a petition for a gravel street, because the asphalt ring could not get a percentage out of such a street. A great many of these streets are new, and are built up with the homes of workingmen, homes that these workingmen have paid for. If an asphalt street was laid, mothers and daughters would have to go to the tub to make enough to pay the interest on the improvement. These men have been able to pay for gravel streets, but the board will not consider their requests. Clifford avenue is impassable. The mud is over six inches deep in some portions, and at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue there is a lake of water. No attempt has been made even to drain the water from this artificial lake. The electric cars splash through several inches of water. Archer street is in a like condition, but the people living on that street have despaired of ever getting the street commissioner up in that end of town, although he spends over $2,000 a week. It is needless to say that little of the money is fairly expended. The mud on Archer street has been there so long that it is black. John street, Dorman street and the other streets this side of the Arsenal are in as equally bad fix, and one man said yesterday that a street cleaning force has not been up in that neighborhood since the week before last election, when Sullivan sent it up there in order to gain a few votes.

In Councilman Emil Rassmann's ward there are quantities of mud lavishly distributed about the streets. The board put an asphalt street in that ward, and it now stands a shining example of the incompetency of the young city engineer, Mansfield, field, who secured his position through a "pull" rather than through merit. The asphalt company seem to have done a fairly good job on the profiles and specifications given it by Mansfield, but, nevertheless, a portion of the asphalt now lies tumbled in a mass on the bank of Crooked run. Mansfield had the company build the street up in the air on soft dirt, and the first rain that came along naturally tumbled the heavy material into the run. No attempt has been made by the city government to repair this work or save the costly material. Another idiotic feature of the youth's engineering is the placing of an alley approach so that it leads directly into the creek. It will probably be a hundred years before the creek is ever filled up, but the alleyway juts out into the open air, with the run underneath it.

North Alabama street is simply in a deplorable condition. The people have been wading through water and mud for a long time, but they can get no relief. The people at the City Hall say: "Oh, they are all d—d Republicans up in that end of town, and they can wade." Fourteenth street is impassable. There is even no room on the sidewalk, for the board has allowed sewer contractors to pile up bricks on the entire length of the walks. Tenth street, east of Talbott avenue, is used exclusively by the street car company. Fifteenth street is full of quicksand, and half the bridges on Fourteenth street are unsafe. The people in that part of the town will surely vote for Caleb S. Denny for Mayor, for they can see no way of getting relief otherwise than voting for Denny.

GRAVEL STREETS.

Bids for a Number of New Ones Were Opened Yesterday Morning.

The room of the Board of Works was filled with contractors yesterday morning, awaiting the opening of bids on numerous jobs. The opening of these bids took up the entire morning. Some of them were awarded and on some the board reserved action. Some of the brick bids included brick that has not been tested and no awards were made on these. The following are the bids:

Grading and paving with brick, the first alley east of Pennsylvania, from Chesapeake to Georgia street. Lowest bid, Browder & Shover, Wabash clay brick No. 2, grout filling, per lineal foot, $2.99.

Grading and paving with brick, the first alley north of New York, from Pennsylvania to Delaware. Lowest bid, Browder & Shover, Wabash brick No. 2, grout filling, $1.67.

Grading and paving with brick, first alley west of Meridian, from Wabash street to Georgia, concrete foundation. Lowest bid, Browder & Shover, Wabash brick No. 2, grout filling, $1.74.

Grading and paving with brick, first alley west of Tennessee, from Washington to Maryland street, concrete foundation. Lowest bid, Browder & Shover, Wabash brick No. 2, grout filling, $1.73.

Grading and graveling first alley east of Beville avenue, from Washington to Ohio street; awarded to Henry F. Nolting at 23 cents a foot on each side.

There were twelve bids on grading and graveling the first alley east of Bright street, from New York to Wabash, but a remonstrance led the board to hold up the award. The lowest bid was that of Henry T. Nolting, at 17 cents.

Grading and bowldering the first alley north of South street, from first alley west of Noble street to the first alley east of East street. Contract awarded to Robert Kennington at 42 cents on each side. Seven bids.

Grading and bowldering first alley east of East street, from South to first alley north. Awarded to Robert Kennington at 35 cents on both sides. Five bids.

Grading and bowldering first alley east of East street, from Railroad to first alley north of South. Awarded to Robert Kennington at 50 cents. Seven bids.

Grading and graveling Gresham street and sidewalks, from Gray street to first alley west of New street. Awarded to H. B. Smith at 74 cents. Five bids.

Grading Summit street, from first alley north of Bates to Michigan avenue, curbing with plank the gutters. Awaded to Phillips & Lackey, at 49 cents. Thirteen bids.

Grading and gravelling the west side of Fayette street, from Fourth to a point 176 feet north of the north line of Third. Seven bids; not awarded. Lowest bid, George W. McCray, 34 cents.

Paving with brick the sidewalks and curbing the gutters of Tecumseh street, from Clifford avenue to Orange. Six bids; not awarded. Lowest bid, Tim Sheehan, at $1.12.

Grading and graveling Pleasant street, from Hester to St. Paul. Nine bids. Awarded to T. J. Faurot, at 48 cents.

Graveling street and sidewalks and curbing with plank Summit street, from Bates street to first alley north. Awarded to Phillips & Lackey at 37 cents.

Grading and bowldering first alley west of Noble street, from South to Rockwood street. Awarded to Tim Sheehan at 59 cents. Eight bids.

Grading and graveling Fayette street, from Third to a point 176 feet north. Awarded to George W. McCray at 32½ cents per foot. Six bids.

Grading and graveling first alley east of Pine, from Michigan to North street. Awarded to Steve Lineback at 26 cents. Ten bids.

AT THE PRIVATE MEETING.

Last Estimate on the Pogue's Run Bridge—Numerous Complaints.

The Board of Works held one of its private meetings, yesterday afternoon, to allow the large bills that the city is paying at this critical stage of the campaign. Final estimates amounting to $6,074 were allowed on the Washington-street bridge over Pogue's run. An electric light was ordered stationed between the markethouses on Wabash street. One was also ordered put at the corner of Indiana avenue and Paca street. A vapor light was ordered at New and Morton streets. The street-car company was given orders to fill up the mud holes between their tracks on Mississippi, from Twelfth to Thirteenth, and also on Thirteenth street with gravel.

A petition to vacate ten feet on each side of Eighteenth street was referred to the city engineer for a plat. There were numerous complaints of the condition of the streets before the board. There is a bad ditch in Jackson Park and Brookside avenue is also in bad condition.

Water Mains for Heelers Only.

The Board of Works has largely tangled itself on the water main question, granting extensions to Sim Coy and other ward bosses and refusing the grant to respectable citizens. To the respectable citizens the board says it has no power to order the extensions, but, on the quiet, it gives orders for extensions to Coy and other heelers who want to use the board's order for political purposes. Woodruff avenue property owners were before the board yesterday asking for an extension of water mains, and, as they are not supposed to represent any political strength, the board told the citizens to "go to."

Engineer's Horse Hire.

The bill for horse hire in the city engineer's office for September amounted to $88.50. His inspectors used the horses in getting around to the Sullivan dives and instructing the heelers in their duties.

The Cost of Moonlight.

The city had another enormous light bill of $6,737.78 to pay yesterday. It was for lights during September, although the board made the moon do service most of the month.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

Movement for a Separate State Organization Begun.

One hundred members of the order of Knights of Maccabees are in the city, in attendance at the State convention, which began, yesterday morning, in Maccabean Temple, No. 40 East Washington street. The delegates were called to order by Commander Zeltner, of LaPorte, who called the list of officers and opened the business of the session by delivering his annual report. The report showed much prosperity in the order, and an increase of 910 members during the past year. In the State there are 3,917 members of the Knights of Maccabees, comprising sixty-five tents. The entire morning session was devoted to the reading of the commanders' address and the transaction of routine business.

In the afternoon the delegates listened to an interesting address by Supreme Record Keeper Boynton, of Port Huron, Mich., who is the father of the order. Mr. Boynton's remarks were directed toward a permanent State organization which he favored. As yet the Indiana members are subordinate to the Supreme Tent of Michigan, but it is the universal desire among the delegates present to form a distinct State order. After the address of Mr. Boynton the members devoted some time to a discussion of the plan, it being the sentiment of the body that this should be done. However, it is not possible for the present convention to perfect the organization. A petition to the Supreme Tent for a separate charter must be signed by twenty-five tent commanders, and a great many requirements embodied in the laws of the constitution must be complied with before such a step can be taken. Yesterday afternoon's session closed with an address by Mrs. Bina West on the Ladies of the Maccabees, which organization is yearly growing in strength and numbers.

Last night, at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, Supreme Record Keeper Boynton addressed the Knights and their friends. To-day the convention will adjourn, after the annual election of officers.

HAUGHVILLE TOWN BOARD.

Little of Importance Accomplished at Last Night's Meeting.

Besides the allowing of a few bills, there was nothing accomplished of any importance at the Haughville Town Board meeting last night. The Indianapolis Light and Power Company presented and was allowed their bill of $165 for the month of September. Dr. Williams was allowed $11.08 for stationery and expenses of office. The Euart Manufacturing Company has asked the board to sell the ground to them on which the "Town Hall" stands, so as to give them one solid piece of ground on the east side of Holmes avenue. The company offers to exchange any lot in the town which the board may prefer for this one. It is thought that one on King avenue will be selected. The abstract for the Holmes-avenue crossing is not yet finished, but it is known that all of this ground belongs to the town, with the exception of a small strip which belongs to the L. D. & W. railway. The bond of Joseph Flack for the improvement of Warnun avenue, which was placed at $2,000, was accepted. The crossing at Michigan street on King street is invisible by reason of several inches of mud, and the board sought remedies therefor. It was decided to lay a plank walk across the street. Michigan street has not been kept open the proper width at the railroad crossing, and the marshal was instructed to see that it was kept clear. After the salaries of the town officers for the month of September had been allowed, the board adjourned. There will be a special meeting Saturday evening to complete the business of the Holmes-avenue crossing.

Illness Among Mail Carriers.

The force of mail carriers employed in the Indianapolis postoffice has been invaded by sickness, and fourteen of the regular men are off duty on account of various ailments, besides one or two who are taking vacations. For several days the entire list of substitutes has been rushed into service, and Postmaster Thompson is fearful that he will run short of men. In the history of the department the number of regulars off duty at one time never exceeded the present situation.

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BIG MEDICINE MEN

Physicians Galore Attending the Medical Association.

Sessions Begun at Plymouth Yesterday—Sectional Meetings in the Afternoon—Evening Reception.

The nineteenth annual session of the Mississippi Valley Medical Association began yesterday in Plymouth Church, which had been embellished about the platform and the organ wings with potted plants. While the members were assembling, the organ pealed forth melodies under the skillful touch of Professor Donley. When, at 10:30 o'clock, Dr. George J. Cook called the association to order, Rev. F. E. Dewhurst led in prayer, during which the forty or fifty doctors present stood with reverently bowed heads. Governor Matthews was next introduced to make the address of welcome. He spoke with his now well-known felicity, but not at length. His remarks were cordially received. He spoke as follows:

"It is usual that one does not often appear before the physician or a body of physicians unless he is sick and needs their attention. And I desire, gentlemen, at the outset, to assure you that I am both well and sound. I also come with a feeling of pleasure to welcome you to the capital city of our great State, and to in part express the satisfaction we feel in thus being honored with your presence, and for the first time to have with us a convention of the Mississippi Valley Medical Association. I come not to consume your time with talk, or an attempt to talk, upon the great subjects that will receive your attention, of which I know so little and you so much, and that the world is looking towards you with interest. Yet I cannot resist congratulating you upon the fact that in this day and generation the cobwebs of the past wherein them lay so long the doubts as to the true position to be assigned to medicine and surgery, have been swept away by the masterful and wonderful achievements of the great souls of your profession, and the practice of medicine stands today before the world an acknowledged, noble, true and heroic science. If he stops to reflect, one can but be amazed at the marvelous advancement, the splendid acquisitions, even in the generation just passed, in all medical knowledge that has come through the daring investigation, the intelligent study, the skillful application of all those means that serve to prolong and preserve life, prevent the spread of disease and ameliorate the general conditions of humanity.

"Indeed, if you progress in the future as in the past few years one soon will feel that he may rise triumphant above the fear of disease, the scourge of epidemics and even the wounds of battle. Nothing of this day has kept pace with your wonderful progress save that of electricity alone, and we only wait in hope and with impatience the discovery of that true elixir of which the Rosicrucian dreamed, that yet may crown your heads and mine with the eternal freshness and beauty of youth. There can be no nobler profession adopted by man, and that has been so justly honored and revered from the days of Aesculapius and Hippocrates down through all the centuries following. Upon no set of men rest graver and more serious responsibilities and a greater demand for high, pure purpose, unselfish sacrifice and noble attributes, and I am glad to believe that as a rule you generously meet these broad demands.

"The true physician is the creature of confidences from his fellow-man, and is often the safe and trusted adviser, as well as healer of ills. He enters the home, becomes a part of the family circle, and finds the waiting chair at the fireside. In such a spirit, gentlemen of the Mississippi Valley Medical Association, I welcome you here to-day to our homes, within our State and our capital city, where, I am proud to say, you will find members of your profession worthy your highest esteem and admiration in medicine and surgery, through the contributions of their skill to the scientific world. I am also pleased to assure you that you will find warm hearts and hands from all, extending generous, cordial welcome. The sincerity of my own personal welcome cannot be better emphasized than to make my remarks brief and permit you to proceed with more important duties."

Dr. R. Stansbury Sutton, of Pittsburg, then took charge of the meeting, as president, proceeding, without remarks, abruptly to business. Dr. Cook made some few announcements, explanatory of the printed programme. He said the society is divided into three sections, surgical, medical and obstetrical-gynaecological. The first and last meet in Plymouth Church, and the second in Meridian-street M. E. Church, opposite Plymouth. Dr. Cook announced the receptions provided for.

The reading of the minutes were suspended because previously printed, and the annual address of the president was begun. Instead of the conventional popular discourse, the address was purely surgical, being on the subject, "Fibroid Tumors of the Uterus." Charts illustrating conditions treated in the discourse were displayed on the walls to the right and left. The speaker said the cause of these tumors, which differ from sarcoma, is not known. The paper proved too long to be finished before noon, and, at the suggestion of the reader, it will be finished this morning at the general meeting at 9 o'clock. The first session then ended for the dinner recess.

AFTERNOON SESSIONS.

Divided Into Three Sections—Medical Science at Meridian-Street.

The afternoon session of the society was held in three sections, one being in the general audience room of the Plymouth Church, one upstairs and one across the street in the Sunday-school room of the Meridian-street M. E. Church. In this last meeting place, Dr. W. S. Christopher, of Chicago, was expected to preside, but, being absent, Dr. Orpheus Everts, of College Hill, O., was selected in his stead. The first paper heard was by Dr. C. G. Comegys, of Cincinnati, on the subject of the value of medical knowledge to the practitioner at law in all cases involving expert medical testimony. He advocated that a new class of special practice should be established, whereby the student of medicine should become a lawyer for the conduct of cases in which the competency of testators to make wills, and in which mental responsibility of all sorts is concerned. He used the term "forensic medicine," as descriptive of what he meant. It has come to pass, he said, that many lawyers have undertaken to exculpate themselves for their own inability to comprehend the expert medical testimony given, by accusing the medical man of base insincerity and by denouncing his testimony as of doubtful worth. From such abuse, the speaker continued, there is no escape except that the doctor study law and bring to bear the knowledge of long and patient study upon the phases of litigation which require his services as an expert. The paper aroused no discussion, but was well received, as manifested by applause.

Dr. Everts next yielded the chair to Dr. Hibberd, and read a paper on the subject, "Problems of Public Interest Regarding the Insane." He treated it in reference to the dependency of the insane, the care and treatment necessary, and the degree of preventability of insanity. In regard to the care of the insane he said that such means should be taken as would give this class the nearest approach to individual treatment, so as to adapt the curative agency to the particular need of the patient. In the management of the class, he said, partisan or bipartisan boards of trustees may be equally good or equally bad. He said also that there is no doubting the fact of cures of the insane, but as to what the cures are due there is some question. He denounced the policy of quieting patients by the use of depressing drugs so as to acquire the reputation of having done away with the restraints which seem to friends of the patient so horrible and inhuman. It was simply using chemical clubs, he said, with which to beat out the life of the patient, or poisons with which to kill the patient by slow degrees. He held to the belief that insanity, while theoretically preventible, is not practically so, because prevention implies an ideal and impossible state of society.

Papers were read before this section by Dr. I. N. Love, of St. Louis, subject, "Chorea in Its Relation to Rheumatism," and by Dr. H. M. Lash, of this city, subject, "Chorea: Its Etiology and Treatment." These papers provoked an animated discussion, in which Dr. Love made the statement that, while quinine is a successful remedy when chorea is due to malaria and it is given in small quantities, this disease has a number of causes, and quinine would not answer in all. He said the people of the Mississippi valley are being quininized to death, and that the drug is a dangerous one.

The papers entitled, "The Medical Treatment of Inebriety," by Dr. T. D. Crothers, of Hartford, Conn., and "The Treatment of Sclerosis of the Spine," by Dr. Ephraim Cutter, of New York, were read by title, and, their authors not being present, were referred to the secretary for publication in the record of the proceedings. Dr. Albert E. Thorne, of this city, read an exhaustive paper on the subject, "Syringomyelia," which he illustrated by means of small microscopes and slides. The section then adjourned.

DR. JAMES F. HIBBERD.

The Aged President of the American Medical Association Here.

Among the prominent physicians present is Dr. James F. Hibberd, of Richmond, Ind., president of the American Medical Association, the national body. He is seventy-seven years of age, but still vigorous in mind and senses, though of depleted physical strength. In personal appearance he resembles Gladstone. His friends are prone to say he has some Gladstonian qualities. His life has been a varied one, and his three score years of active life have been utilized in acquiring a wide fund of information, due to study, investigation and divers experiences in life. He has a logical and incisive mind, and, with his resources of knowledge and fluency of speech, is always an entertaining talker. Born in Maryland on a farm, near Baltimore, of Quaker stock, he was schooled, after his first home instruction, in the famous school of Benjamin Hallowell, in Alexandria. Choosing medicine as his profession, he was enabled to take one course of lectures in Yale College. Having no means to continue, he engaged in practice in a then sparsely-settled district in Montgomery county, Ohio. "Of course I was not competent to practice," said the Doctor yesterday, "but I was better than no doctor away back in those days, and I was exceedingly cautious in what I did." While here he was elected to the Legislature, and served one term. In 1849 he was graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, in New York city, and at once was commissioned surgeon of a vessel bound for California. Here he remained for six years, participating in the unsettled social conditions of the miscellaneous horde of fortune hunters. In 1855, he settled in Richmond, where he has since lived. He had charge of a special corps of surgeons after the battle of Stone river. In 1875, after a term as a member of the City Council, he was elected Mayor, and was reelected for a second term of two years. He brought to bear his executive ability with so much success that the finances of the city, which were in very bad condition, were put upon a sound and business-like basis. He has been prominent in the social, intellectual and professional life of Richmond, and holds the warm esteem of all who know him. He has attained eminence in his profession by reason of his researches and papers before the national bodies. The next meeting of the American Medical Society will be held in San Francisco, but Dr. Hibberd expects to be able to attend.

General Surgery.

The section of general surgery over which Dr. W. N. Wishard presides met in the general audience room of Plymouth Church. Dr. J. T. Berghoff, of St. Joseph, Mo., led off with a paper on "The Treatment of Fractures of the Leg." This was discussed by a number of the doctors, including Dr. J. B. Hamilton, ex-Surgeon-general of the United States service. The address was made all the more interesting by the exhibition of some surgical saws on the band principle, which are the invention of Dr. Berghoff himself. He illustrated their effectiveness by sawing a dry bone. Dr. Louis Bauer, of St. Joseph, Mo., made an interesting address on the subject of club feet. He held that extreme cases of talipes equino-varus are not curable by the present means and methods as generally used for their cure. He then advanced a practice of his own devising, which he said it had taken him sixty years to discover. He illustrated his idea with plaster casts of club feet and by a skeleton lower leg and foot of a child having had a deformity of this kind. It was from a study of this skeleton, he said, that he had reached the method of treatment with which he had become successful. The discussion was animated. Dr. Marsee, of this city, Dr. Wirt, of Cleveland, and others took part, relating their experiences in such cases. Dr. T. E. Link, of Terre Haute, made an interesting talk on the pathology and physiological treatment of fractures of the long bones, illustrating his statements by means of dogs' legs. These legs had been treated by vivisection, in order to get the result of experiments in cutting out a section of the tibia bone so as to learn whether the healing would be accompanied by a shortening of the leg. The Doctor advanced the idea that the bone grows together from the ends, and not from the periphery, but that the substance which fills up the interstice is not really bone. He related that during the war he had made an excision of three inches from the femur of a soldier wounded at the battle of Liberty Gap, and that the wound had healed without shortening the man's leg. The latter died in 1875, and Dr. Link said he had received permission to exhume the bones for the purpose of obtaining that restored femur for scientific purposes.

Obstetrical Section.

The section on obstetrics and allied subjects met in the lecture room of Plymouth Church, with Dr. Arthur Johnstone, of Cincinnati, in the chair. Dr. X. O. Werder, of Pittsburg, read a paper on the subject, "Present Status of the Treatment of Uterine Fibroids." Dr. William B. Dewes read a paper on the subject, "The Erect Posture for Gynaecological Examination." These papers were discussed by Dr. Eastman and others. Dr. Rufus B. Hall, of Cincinnati, also read a paper. Dr. William H. Link, of Petersburg, read a paper on the subject, "The Value of Close Observation of Other Men's Work." It was a spicy and intelligent protest against overdeference to authority and against the necessity in all cases of the hospital for successful abdominal operations. The discussion brought out some interesting remarks from Dr. L. H. Dunning, Dr. Marsee, of this city, and Dr. Hall, of Cincinnati. They urged that it was always best to perform such operations in a hospital, because of the better discipline for the patient and the more certain protection from intermeddling friends. It was asserted that the most difficult class of patients to obtain good results are the rich, who think the surgeon is their servant, and who persist in disobeying the orders left for the care of the patient. It was urged also that in such cases occasions might arise suddenly when it would be essentially necessary for the surgeon to be within easy call to save the life of the patient from some unforeseen and unforeseeable contingency. The section will resume the reading of papers this morning in the same room, at 10:30 o'clock.

Evening Reception.

The parlors of the Denison House were filled last night with ladies and gentlemen in evening dress at the reception to the visiting members of the medical society. Governor Matthews was present, with his wife. An orchestra was present, and discoursed music which gave harmony to the under tone of conversation which could be distinguished. During the evening the large assemblage was served with a dainty luncheon at the tables in the dining room. At each cover was a favor of carnations. The reception was informal, and lasted from 8 to 12 o'clock. The ladies appeared in rich costumes, and many gowns of unusual beauty were seen.

Notes.

Dr. William N. Wishard, vice president, occupied a chair on the rostrum.

The church was not warmed yesterday, and cold feet and chilled limbs were general.

An invitation was extended the members of the society to visit Herman Martens's store, corner of Pennsylvania and Market streets, and view Luke Field's painting, entitled "The Doctor."

Dr. A. M. Owen, of Evansville, is one of the distinguished doctors present. He is the treasurer of the American Association, and also of the Panamerican Medical Congress. Dr. C. A. L. Reed, the noted gynaecologist, of Cincinnati, who is also present, was secretary of the Panamerican Congress.

Among the prominent physicians registered at the Denison are Drs. L. C. Scott, William Thomas Corlett, the noted practitioner in skin diseases, and William E. Wirt, Cleveland; H. O. Walker, Detroit; J. C. Culbertson, editor of the Lancet, Cincinnati, and Dr. Comegys, authority on medical jurisprudence, Cincinnati.

Charged with Burglary.

Albert Linderholm, a Swedish tailor employed by the firm of Egan & Treat, was arrested yesterday morning by detectives Thornton and McGuff on the charge of burglary. The prisoner has been working in a room occupied by the firm on Court street, and carried a key. Tuesday night it is claimed that he entered the shop and took therefrom a Prince Albert coat and a pair of trousers of considerable value.

While the Cadi Was Talking.

Yesterday it was ascertained that the cracksmen who attempted to enter the safe of the Schwinge teastore, on Pennsylvania street, Tuesday night, also made an attempt to break into the two large safes of Wulschner's music store. The combinations of both had been knocked off, but the burglars had gone no further with the work. By a curious coincidence it happens that at about the time the depredations were being committed Police Judge Buskirk was telling a crowd on the corner of Ray and West street of the superior efficiency of the Indianapolis police department.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Miss Effie T. Albert is in Chicago this week.

Geo. A. Danley, of Chipley, Fla., is visiting P. L. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert A. Boyd have returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mr. John Davidson and wife have gone to Chicago to spend a few days.

Mrs. John Dean will begin her regular Thursday receptions this afternoon.

Mrs. M. A. Binford's guest, Mrs. Palm, of St. Clair, Pa., will return home to-day.

The marriage of Miss Ora Nell Yontz and Mr. Oliver W. Isensee will occur the 18th.

Mrs. C. W. Jenkins, of North Pennsylvania street, will leave for Leavenworth, Kan., to-day.

Mrs. Captain Noble, of Salt Lake City, U. T., is expected to-day to visit Miss Florence Coffin.

Mr. Rice, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting Mr. Edward Uhl for a week, has returned home.

Garnet Coen, of Chicago, who has been the guest of friends in this city for a few days, has returned home.

Lieut. and Mrs. W. V. Judson will arrive to-morrow night, to visit Mrs. C. E. Judson and family for a week.

Miss Gernsheimer, of Mannheim, Germany, is the guest of Mrs. M. Eckhouse, and will spend the winter here.

The Verno Club will give its first social entertainment at Gresh's Dancing Academy on Thursday evening, the 12th.

Mrs. Aquilla Jones, sr., has returned from Martinsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. James Norris has issued invitations for a reception Saturday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Vawter, at her home on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Carroll Goode and daughter, of California, are the guests of Mr. Goode's brother, Mr. Solon L. Goode and family, and will remain several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maguire, Mr. Julius Walk and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cathcart and daughter Charlotte, have returned from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold and Miss Jennie Pfaffenberger will go to Chicago to-day to join Miss Nellie Van Bergen, who has been there some time.

Miss Jessie Hughes, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Jelly, in Minneapolis, has returned to the city to remain through the winter.

Mr. John Fleming, of Orlando, Fla., and sister, Miss Mary Fleming, of Knoxville, Tenn., will come Friday, to make a short visit to Miss Laura A. Smith.

Mrs. and Miss Brigham, of Syracuse, N. Y., who are the guests of Mrs. C. E. Hollenbeck, and Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbeck will go to Chicago to-day to spend a week.

Mrs. W. G. Sherman has bought the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hunter, on North Pennsylvania street, and will take possession the 1st of next month.

Mrs. Louisa Pfaffilin has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Bertha F. Pfaffilin and Mr. Rudolph Mueller, to take place the 17th, at the family residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bassett gave an elegant dinner party last evening in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frost, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Curtis, of Boston. There were eighteen guests. Mr. and Mrs. Bassett will entertain a similar party this evening.

Chaplain Lozier passed through the city yesterday on his first lecturing tour for this season. He gave his celebrated lecture poem "Your Mother's Apron Strings," at Terre Haute, Tuesday night, and will repeat it for the Epworth League, of Jeffersonville, to-night. The Slayton Lecture Bureau, of Chicago, will "handle" the Chaplain this season.

Mr. D. M. Moroney and Miss Maggie O'Mara were married at St. Bridget's Church, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. D. Curran officiating. The bride wore a beautiful costume of crystal silk, en train, and carried Bride roses. Miss Ellen O'Connor acted as bridesmaid and Mr. J. J. Moroney as groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Moroney will visit Chicago and Milwaukee, returning the 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Recker held their first post nuptial reception yesterday, after 4 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rogers, on North Meridian street. The house was simply and tastefully adorned with flowers and plants, and light refreshments were served. Mrs. Recker was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Rogers, Miss Annie Wiegand, Miss Marion Rondthaler, the Misses Minor and Miss Dyer.

Mr. Charles Holman Black has returned from Chicago accompanied by Mrs. Holman, of New York, and Mr. Frank Holman, of Paris. Mr. Holman is one of the artists who is represented at the exposition with several fine paintings, and after the fair they will go to Philadelphia for an exhibit there. Mr. Holman-Black will go to Madison Saturday, and next Tuesday evening will sing at a grand concert to be given in the opera house at that place.

LENHART—WHITE.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McComb, No. 328 Ash street. The bride was Miss Emma M. White, of this city, and the groom Mr. Charles Norman Lenhart, of Mattoon, Ill. At 8 o'clock the bride and groom passed the length of the rooms and stood in the front parlor, where the ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry A. Buchtel, D. D., pastor of Central avenue Church. They were preceded by a dainty little flower girl, Charlene Daly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Daly, who was dressed in white silk and lace and carried a basket of flowers which she strewed in the path of the bride. The bride wore a handsome gown of white silk, trimmed with duchesse lace, and carried a bouquet of Bride roses. Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played by Mrs. E. G. Wolfe. The house was gracefully adorned with flowers and plants, placed in every available place. At the conclusion of the ceremony and congratulations a supper was served. The guests were seated at two tables. The bride's table was decorated with flowers and fruits, and the second was somewhat similar. Mr. and Mrs. Lenhart left last night for an extended trip, and when they return will go to Mattoon, where they will be at home to their friends after Nov. 1. Among the guests from abroad were Mrs. Lenhart, mother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of Mattoon; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lenhart, of Terre Haute, and Mr. Myer, of St. Louis.

THE MATINEE MUSICALE.

President's day at the Matinee Musicale was observed yesterday afternoon, in the society's room, in the west parlor of the Propylæum. The members, both active and associate, were received by Mrs. A. M. Robertson, the president, Mrs. A. G. Cox and Mrs. Henry Schurmann, and the active members acted as assistants in entertaining those present. The room was prettily arranged, and glasses of pink roses were placed on the piano and mantel. Mrs. Robertson made a brief address, stating that the year about to begin was the seventeenth in the history of the society and that the progress which had marked the existence of the club in the past would be continued in the future. She would leave the account of the visit of the club to Chicago to Mrs. Jenckes. Miss Lydia Herron sang "The Spanish Gypsy Girl," by Watson, exceedingly well, and then several of the members, including Mrs. S. L. Morrison, Mrs. J. R. Lilly, Mrs. Schurmann, Mrs. Kiser, Mrs. J. W. Lilly, Mrs. W. E. Mooney, Mrs. J. S. Jenckes, Miss Carman, Miss Deborah Moore, Miss Beck, Miss Ray, Miss May Johnson, Miss Essie Swain and Miss Herron served tea, the new club China being christened on this occasion. The handsome new library which has been purchased since the close of the meetings in the spring was much admired. Tea being dispensed Mrs. Mooney played with great brilliancy a "Toccata," by Chaminade, and Mrs. Jenckes told of the visit of the club to the fair and the part it took in the congress of Women's Amatuer Musical Clubs, held in Chicago in June, and for which the Musicale had secured one of the five medals of honor. The description was of great interest to the society, and Mrs. Jenckes said that the benefits to the club had been many. The most important had been the publishing of the club history, which would probably have waited for some time yet had it not been for the fact that the members desired some review of what the club had done to show to the other societies which would be in attendance at the congress. The standard had been raised and all the hard work which the members had put on the programme for the fair had been recompensed by the very complimentary notices which the club received from some of the most eminent critics of the country. The programme of the afternoon closed with a quartet, "Serenade," by Vogrich, sung by Mrs. Lynn, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Howland and Mrs. Aquilla Jones. The remainder of the time was spent socially. The first regular meeting for the season will be held the 18th.

AT HALL-PLACE CHURCH.

Rev. George Cochran, the new pastor of Hall-place Church, and wife were given a welcoming reception, last evening, in the church parlors, by the members of the congregation. The ceremony of introduction was performed by the officers of the church, and a large number of the congregation were present to meet the two who are to be closely identified with the church for the next few years. The parlors were tastefully decorated for the occasion with plants and flowers, and music was furnished during the evening by members of the congregation. The ladies who had charge of the arrangements were Mrs. C. L. Weaver, Mrs. N. W. Bryant, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Mrs. Julia Franklin, Mrs. Horace Randall, Mrs. Potts, Mrs. A. G. South and Mrs. L. A. Gable. Mr. Cochran was transferred to this city from Lawrenceburg.

RECEPTION TO DR. COULTAS AND FAMILY.

The congregation of Roberts Park Church was invited to the church parlors last evening to say farewell to the retiring pastor, Rev. C. A. Van Anda, and family, and to welcome the new pastor, Rev. T. I. Coultas, and family. The stewards of the church and their wives were present to do the honors of the occasion and to introduce the pastor to the members. The large room was made attractive with a few decorations and extension lamps, and light refreshments were served. During the evening Judge Lamb made a short address to the people. The entertainment was entirely informal, and the strangers were made to feel that they were welcome. Dr. and Mrs. Van Anda will remove to Evanston, where Dr. Van Anda has a very flattering call.

MORRISON—CLAYTON.

The marriage of Mrs. Ella Clayton and Mr. Frank W. Morrison took place yesterday at noon, at the residence of the bride, at the corner of Broadway and Seventh street. Only the immediate families were present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. M. L. Haines, of the First Presbyterian Church. The house was adorned with palms and flowers in each room. The bride wore a traveling dress of brown cloth and carried roses. After the ceremony an elaborate breakfast was served, and in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Morrison left for an extended Eastern trip. They will be at home after Nov. 1 at No. 466 North Pennsylvania street.

HEAD—REAM.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PERU, Ind., Oct. 4.—One of the most brilliant society weddings which has occurred in this city for some time was that this evening of James Langdon Head, claim agent of the Eastern division of the Wabash railway, and Miss Mamie Ream, daughter of Mr. A. A. Ream, of this city. The wedding occurred at the First Presbyterian Church at 6 o'clock, Rev. S. C. Dickey officiating. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. Guests to the number of five hundred participated. The costume of the bride was ivory white silk, white brocade and pearl trimmings, with diamonds presented by the groom. Miss Oddie De Groot, of Logansport, was bridesmaid, with Minnie Potter, Mamie Zern of Peru, Miss Lillian Dow of Grand Forks, N. D., and Miss Mamie Lex of Logansport, maids of honor. The best man was Charles Hurdin, of Moberly, Mo. The ushers were: A. S. Head of Moberly, Mo., Messrs. Harry L. Miller, P. C. Burns and W. C. Farrar of Peru. Misses Lucy Bearss and Allice Higgins were flower girls. Mr. and Mrs. Head will leave on the morning train for the East. The groom is a son of Judge Head, of Moberly, Mo.

GENERAL WEATHER BULLETIN.

Forecast for To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—For Indiana and Illinois—Fair, except probably showers in extreme northern Illinois; east to south winds.

For Ohio—Fair; warmer, except stationary temperature in western Ohio; east to south winds.

Local Weather Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 4.

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