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DALTON'S CALENDAR.

A Merry Christmas AND A Happy New Year DALTON HIGH-CLASS HATTER BATES HOUSE.

PEDAGOGUES TO MEET. First of the Meetings to Be Held To-day—Sessions.

The annual meeting of the State Association of Teachers begins to-morrow in the hall of the House of Representatives, State-house. The attendance this year promises to be unprecedented. Already the Grand and Denison Hotels have engaged nearly all of their rooms to the members of the several sections connected with this annual gathering. The township trustees and county superintendents will also meet in annual convention during the week, and lively times are anticipated at the State-house where the meeting rooms have been secured for the accommodation of a large contingent of the school officers and teachers of the State. Indications point to an attendance reaching nearly a thousand. Accommodations have already been secured at the hotels for several hundred people. The county superintendents will hold sessions in the hall of the House of Representatives on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, and the school officers' section will hold sessions in the cultural rooms on Thursday, beginning at 2 p. m. The programme arranged for the county superintendents is as follows: 1. Paper, "How to Make Seminars at Meetings of the County Board of Education More Profitable," Superintendent C. M. Merica, DeKalb county. 2. Paper, "What Kinds of Schools are More Valuable," Superintendent Orville Apple, Orange county. 3. Paper, "What Kinds of Schools are More Valuable," Superintendent W. B. Sinclair, Starke county; Superintendent S. E. Carr, Clark county; Superintendent J. W. Guiney, Owen county. 4. Original poem, "Two Schools I Visited," Superintendent W. W. Pfrimmer, Newton county. 5. Paper, "Time Saving Hints to County Superintendents," Superintendent C. A. Miller, Howard county. 6. Paper, "The School Officers' Contract to Teach," J. J. Eady, Union county. 7. Paper, "The School Apparatus is Essential to the Success of the School," Superintendent G. N. McLaughlin, Muncie; C. H. Oberst, Morgantown. 8. Paper, "What Kinds of Schools are More Valuable," Superintendent H. D. Vevoy, General discussion opened by T. E. Bradshaw, Thornorton. A Salesman Missing. Otis Conners, a fruit dealer at No. 158 Madison avenue, reports one of his salesmen, Jack Moser, missing. He says that the latter left his business in a badly bungled condition.

NO CLEWS FOUND YET

No Trace of Merchant Policeman Watterson's Murderer.

Three People Saw the Scuffle—Place Where the Murderer Hid—Funeral of the Officer.

There was an eyewitness to the death struggle between merchant policeman Watterson and his slayer late Saturday night. One man, and probably two women, saw the scuffle. The man is Thomas J. Corridan, who resides at No. 319 North Mississippi street, and the two women who probably saw the fatal battle between the burglar and officer are Mrs. Corridan and Mrs. Dashiell. Mr. Corridan called at Flanner & Buchanan's undertaking establishment yesterday to view the remains and his statement was taken there by Dr. Earp and reduced to writing. The statement is as follows: "My name is Thomas J. Corridan. I reside at No. 319 North Mississippi street. I saw Watterson scuffling with a man in a vacant lot in front of my residence at 11:30 last night. I remember the time from the fact that Mrs. Dashiell was at my home and was ready to go home, and I hid down a paper which I had been reading and looked at the clock. The ladies, Mrs. Dashiell and my wife, and I saw the scuffle. We had heard some shots fired and also heard some one cry 'Murder! Help! My God!' I cried from the place where I was standing on my porch, 'Stop that,' but did not go to the rescue, because my wife, who is in a delicate condition, asked me not to go. My wife and Mrs. Dashiell recognized the scuffling as being for help as that of merchant policeman Watterson. When I made a noise both men ran down the alley. It happened in the far end of the vacant lot. I live on the west side of Mississippi street. I think I saw the men about thirty feet from the alley."

From the statement made by Mr. Corridan it is seen that the merchant policeman caught the burglar, and it is evident there was but one in the act of burglarizing the store, and received his death thrusts while attempting to arrest him. Mr. Corridan saw two men, and said he thought when he cried the burglar turned to run, and Watterson, though mortally wounded, pursued him to the spot where the brave officer was found just a moment before he breathed his last. A post-mortem examination was made Monday by Drs. Earp and Corridan. The examination shows that a cleaver had not been used in the deadly assault, as was at first supposed. The wound upon the forehead, which was supposed to be made with the cleaver, it is found, was made with the same knife which was driven into the back of the officer's head. The examination showed that Watterson had received five incisive wounds. One passed through the sixth rib, near the breast bone, cutting the right ventricle of the heart. Another near the left nipple passed between the sixth and seventh ribs, cutting the apex of the heart in two places about a half inch in length, but not entering the cavity of the heart. Another passed into the chest cavity on the left side near the armpit which severed the apex of the heart, but the last wound cut no internal organ. On the back of the forearm was found another cut about one inch long. Imbedded between the bones of the forearm was found the end of a knife blade, about three-quarters of an inch wide and about an inch and a half long. This piece of blade fits exactly upon the knife now in possession of the coroner which was found on the scene showing that the murderous assault was made with a knife taken from the butcher shop. The fifth wound is the one upon the forehead, which was at first supposed to have been made with a cleaver. This wound is slight, being nothing more than a scalp wound.

The condition of the portion of the knife in the possession of the coroner shows that no wound was made with it after it had been broken, proving the wound in the forehead, where the piece of knife blade is imbedded, to be the last wound made. From the spot where Mr. Corridan saw the men scuffling to the spot where the dying officer was found is a distance of about a block. From the fact of the wound in the forearm being the last one inflicted, taken in connection with the fact that the cylinder of the officer's revolver was found near the spot where he himself fell, it is presumed that the brave officer, even while mortally wounded, pursued the criminal, endeavoring to capture him, till the robber again turned upon the officer and dealt the last blow. If this hypothesis is true Watterson, with two knife thrusts in his heart, another in the chest cavity, from which the blood poured in a food, and a fourth upon the forehead, pursued his assailant for nearly a block, and here again received a fifth and fatal wound. The knife which had already done its bloody work.

The knife that dealt the death blow to Watterson was found yesterday morning by Louis Barth, of No. 49 1/2 Fall place. Two inches of the blade was missing. It lay on the floor of an out-house in the rear of the Barth home, a square east and a half square north of the spot where Watterson's body was found. The weapon had been left in the closet by the murderer, and was recognized by the firm of Gillman & Carpenter, about taken from their butcher shop. At the hill it is five-eighths of an inch in width and tapers to a point. The murderer, after his victim, had run across the commons to the alley in the rear of Fall place. That he was wounded is evidenced by the fact that a pool of blood, yet fresh, was found on the floor of the building in which he had taken shelter. Bloody finger marks were also discovered on the fence in the rear of No. 38 Fall place, where he had attempted to get over the fence but was prevented by a wire netting nailed to the top of the obstruction. The murderer then passed on to the adjoining premises, where he was followed by the officers. It is not believed by the detectives that the wagon spoken of yesterday morning figured in the case. The theory that a trail of blood was left by two burglars with whom Watterson had to contend. The officer explains this theory by the fact that a trail of blood was left by the murderer from the butcher shop north on Mississippi street. Yesterday morning the body of the dead watchman, followed the wagon trail for two miles on the Michigan road, and a block of it again. The body of B. F. Williams at No. 212 North Tennessee street, stands within a few yards of the spot where the murderer is supposed to have had his first struggle with the thief or thieves. A half dozen miles west of the place found imbedded in the side of the barn, and evidently came from the watchman's revolver. The bullets struck the body of the merchant policeman Watterson some distance from the men.

Superintendent Fowler, Corning Heck and Det. Chief Spahn were in the vicinity of the murder early yesterday morning and began active work on the case. Every available detective and patrolman was sent out last night, and the superintendent intends to spare no effort to capture the murderer. If he is not captured as yet, he is not believed to be hiding somewhere in the north part of the city. There is no disposition to detain the officers as they are working under difficulties. It was learned yesterday that the home of B. F. Williams, at No. 212 North Tennessee street, was burglarized after the sounds of shooting were heard. It is hardly probable that the murderer would have lingered in the vicinity after his crime unless badly wounded. The body of Watterson was yesterday prepared for burial by Undertaker Willis and sent to No. 45 Elizabeth street, the home of the dead man. The people living in the vicinity of the scene of the murder are much agitated over the distressing affair and the superintendent of police will next week request to detail a special officer to assist in looking after the safety of property holders. The funeral of the murdered officer will be held on Tuesday from the Brickfield street Church, and the merchant policeman will attend in a body.

Chief Spahn thinks there were two of the robbers in the store when the merchant policeman's attention was attracted to the actions of the men. He believes that the scuffle near the butcher shop the robbers separated, one going north in the alley and the other south. Watterson, believing that his partner was somewhere in the district towards Seventh street, set out after the man going south, hoping that his partner or some late passerby would join in the chase. On Saturday morning, at 3 o'clock, three suspicious characters were seen in the alley in the rear of the old Talbot place at Pennsylvania street and Seventh street. Merchant policeman Alford was only a block away at the time.

Delinquents at the Insane Hospital. The patients of the Central Indiana Hospital for the Insane enjoyed Christmas yesterday. Santa Claus gave them two holidays—Sunday and Monday. On Sunday reference to the merriest festival of Christendom was made during the Sunday school lessons in the forenoon as well as during

the regular religious services in the afternoon. These services were conducted in the chapel, and to those whose mind could not grasp the spirit of the day, a spirit was demonstrated in a practical way. A huge and gaily decorated Christmas tree planted in front of the stage curtain. Christmas was made a Sunday and consisted of a stuffed turkey, cranberry sauce and mince pies. Santa Claus will visit the various wards in both departments on Monday. In expectation of the arrival of this revered saint the wards have been decorated with these and other festive greenery. The patients will consist of pipes, handkerchiefs and handkerchiefs for male patients, and of ties, handkerchiefs and handkerchiefs for the female patients; besides each patient will receive a large bag of mince pies, and some of the patients have been remembered by friends at home with new combs. The superintendent concluded with a dance for the patients, while the employees will be remembered by the superintendent with a dance on Thursday evening next.

CHRISTMAS AT THE THEATERS.

Special Matinees All Around To-day—The Various Attractions.

There will be special Christmas matinees at all the city theaters to-day, for which there are large advance sales of seats. At the Grand Opera House, the grandly decorated scene of Shakspeare's "Comedy of Errors," with a capable cast and a series of beautiful stage pictures. It will be repeated to-night, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Wednesday matinee. At English's Ezra Kendall, supported by Arthur and Jennie Dunn, will present his successful comedy, "The Substitutes," this afternoon and to-night. At the Park Theater the stirring English melodrama, "The Romany Rye," will be given all this week, opening with a matinee to-day, with Frank Losee in the leading role, it being one of the best matinee attractions this house has had for many months. "Monte Cristo and West's minstrel comedy," "The Gorman Brothers in the leading roles, comes to English's to-morrow and Wednesday evenings, and is well worth seeing. The advance sale of seats for "Wang" at English's the latter part of the week and for "Friends at the Grange" on Monday morning at the box office of the respective theaters.

Comencing with a Christmas matinee to-day the attraction at the Empire will be the New York London Theater Specialty Company, directed by New York (Bowery) Theater, under the management of James H. Sullivan. Among the artists are Valjean, Juggler, and the famous Harris, St. Maur and Gardner, Frank Rile, Ed Rogers and other well known names. The advance tickets that have been distributed during the past week will entitle the holder to a reserved seat for the matinee, good at any matinee except to-day. While there were three free clubs here last week, the club for this week will be here next Friday night. The Oberlin concert, given at the Grand Opera House, although it was the club's first appearance in this city, the club comprises a roster of 1,500 students, and is in constant faithful drill under a competent director. In the past it has given a recital of songs, glee, and in the execution of the difficult choruses by standard composers, the club has gained the highest commendation for style, precision and shading. For the holiday season of 1893-94 the club presents a polished and pleasing program. Among the artists who will give brilliant choruses, several of them fine soloists. The club is also accompanied by two special-ists, a pianist and a violinist, both of whom are recognized artists. The concert will be given at Tomlinson Hall Jan. 2, and this will be followed by a concert at the Grand Opera House, "Martha." The opera will be given in costume and with scenery, and will be given as a grand vocal and instrumental effect. The sale of seats for the entertainment will begin to-morrow at D. H. Hall, 100 North Dearborn street, and at the Union Hotel. The artists who will assist the diva are: M. E. Guerrina, Fabbr, contralto; Louis Engel, tenor soprano; Mr. Durward Lely, tenor; Signor Antonio Glasco, baritone; Signor Giovanni, basso; Signor G. L. conductor; Signor Mascheroni, pianist, and aside from this there is a grand orchestra, which is a part of the organization.

John L. Sullivan Juggled. SANDUSKY, O., Dec. 24.—John L. Sullivan, the great ex-champion, was a visitor to-day at the Sandusky police station. He was accompanied by Dan Dwyer and two other members of his company, who were arrested for disorderly conduct and were released this afternoon by the time of the fast train for Brooklyn, N. Y. Two members of the Sullivan company this morning got into a fight at the West Hotel, and a man, who interfered, was arrested with the others, although it is claimed he figured as a peacemaker. The man who was arrested was \$150, and after spending to-day in jail the prisoners went on their journey rejoicing.

AN UMBRELLA ROMANCE. A Young Society Bud Has One That Gives Promise.

It is not every bud of the first season who has a romance, but one of the most charming of the young women who have made their entrance in the social world since the summer of the Columbian Exposition, has had a romance and she is the envy of all the other buds which comprise the bouquet of debutantes. Not many weeks ago this flower, who will be called Rose, for the simple reason, which story books give "that it is not her name," went to make a visit to her very dear friends on Delaware street and they had so much to say to each other that dusk had begun to gather before she thought of making her way to her home a few squares away. In haste she arose and left the house accompanied to the corner by her friend who was loath to have her go. There were clouds above which threatened rain and she had gone but a few steps when drops began to fall, and she hurried as fast as she could toward her home and as she reached her side, he politely lifted his hat and offered her his friendly shelter. She thought, as she afterwards confessed, that she had on her best hat, her best dress and above all her best coat, which was the delight of her heart, and she would have been very glad to have judged by his very gentlemanly appearance, she accepted his proffered service and they walked on together until they reached something to say. She was wondering who he could be and just then he made the remark that he would not have seen her house which was next to the one where he had been calling. She felt very much relieved and knew if he had been calling on her friend's house it would have been a very awkward situation. She was somewhat embarrassed at the situation, for she had her doubts if it was just the thing to have her friend's house, but she perfectly forgot, and on the street, so that she stopped when she arrived at the corner where she found her friend's house. At the next street she thanked him for his kindness and turned the corner. He, however, would not let her go in the rain and said that he would gladly take her to her own door, and he did. As soon as she went into her home she told her mother of the circumstances and they both wondered who the unknown could be. The next day Rose hurried over to her friend's house, and she found the gentleman and the greatest curiosity over the experience. Then they hurried to the house from which the young man had said he had come and inquired if the family had had a caller the day before and asked the description of him. The description given suited her hero to perfection and then they asked all about him. The best of references in the world could not have been better and he was lauded to the skies. The most charming picture was drawn by the young ladies, whose home he had been a guest. The young ladies were very much excited and delighted that they would add a chapter to the romance and so a dinner was arranged and the next week, just three days after the meeting, he was invited to the world of polite society. Since then they have become good friends and he has a glass that Rose had no umbrella. Like the story papers only a few chapters can be given in this space, and so the romance of the romance is ended.

John Shine Wanders Away. John Shine, an aged inmate of the home of the Little Sisters of the Poor, is missing. He left the home, corner of Vermont and East streets, Saturday. He is seventy-five years old and quite feeble. Office desks at Wm. L. Elders. Donner's delicious graham at Van Pelt's.

FEW TO BE LET OUT

Wholesale Men Will Not Reduce Their Traveling Forces.

Salaries May Be Cut Some—Lumber Dealers Stocking Up—Large Packing House Business.

The wholesale houses and manufacturing interests of this city have about 1,200 salesmen on the road and with each year have been increasing their numbers, but this year promises to be an exception. The wholesale houses and manufacturers make their contracts for the coming year the last week of the closing year. Inquiry develops the fact that but few men are to be retired, but on the part of some of the wholesale men there is a disposition to cut salaries a little; in fact, some firms have already cut several hundred dollars a year off of their traveling men's salaries, although the older and stronger houses are confident that the dull business of the last six months of 1893 is not to long continue. Stocks of the retail trade are low in all lines, the latter having kept close to the shore for some months past, and as money is becoming more plentiful and manufacturers' products are marketed, such firms are inclined to make no changes in number of men traveling or salaries of such men. In financial circles it is considered highly creditable to the Indianapolis wholesale merchants that they have passed through the great depression of the last few months with no important failures.

Everybody Sawing Wood. Mr. Tucker, of the firm of Dorsey & Tucker, states that in the manufacture of cash-drawers business is very quiet. The firm has turned its whole force to manufacturing a sawbuck, which sells in nearly every market in the United States. Mr. Tucker says he finds it almost impossible to keep up with the orders for sawbucks, which come in from nearly every State in the Union. It seems to him that half the population of this country have turned to sawing wood for a living. Last Saturday the company was several hundred behind in filling the orders of the week.

New Millinery House. The Indianapolis Millinery Company, incorporated last week, has a new building of the large block which John C. Wright erected on West Georgia street, the building being eighty-two feet wide by 125 feet in length, six stories high and well adapted to that business. This gives Indianapolis three millinery houses which equal in every respect the largest and best houses in the country.

Still Busy at the Packing Houses. The official report shows that Indianapolis packing houses have, since the winter killing season set in, slaughtered up to Thursday last, 50,000 head of stock, and are responding six weeks of 1892, an increase this year of 50,000. The houses expect to keep up this proportion till the end of the year, and are now looking for ten cars of provisions a day for export and Eastern markets.

Stocking Up with Lumber. The large lumber dealers are stocking up with lumber for next season. Freight rates have been low, and the last eight weeks the firms have taken advantage of that fact, and lumber has been coming in here from Michigan City by the train-load. The Crystal Ice Company 47 feet long by 23 wide, besides several smaller tanks and three large lard tanks for the Abattoir Company.

To Erect Its New Plant. The Crystal Ice Company is letting the contracts for its new artificial ice manufacturing plant which is to be one of the largest in the State. The company expects it to be in operation by March 1.

Increasing Its Facilities. The Abattoir Company has plans prepared for largely increasing its plant, and in the early spring will begin the improvement. It has let contracts for new tanks, new boilers and their apparatus.

SUNDAY ON CHURCH STREET. The Shines, the Soolivans, the Mulvey-hills and Others Have a Time.

In all the city there is no such another street as Church street. It is the abiding place of the Shines, the Soolivans, the Nolans, the Mulveyhills and their kind and kin. At half past 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the soft spring-like breezes that wandered through the street found a genial spirit of hospitality pervading the entire realm of Church street. One short half hour afterward the congenial hospitality had vanished, church street was rent with internal warfare. No one knew exactly how the radical change had come about and no one cared very much. The Nolans were pitted against the Soolivans and the Nolans' friends against the Soolivans' friends. Somebody in a moment of forgetfulness had struck somebody else. A friend of the somebody that had been hit took a hand in the affair, and a friend of the somebody that had hit somebody else joined in. It was not long till the scrapping fraternal war of streets was out in force. Most of them did not know they were fighting, but it made no difference in their willingness to scrap.

On Sunday and the day before Christmas and a glorious time for a fight. There were about a dozen of the fraternity massed in the center of the roadway, each of the dozen striving to "spoil the faces" of the other eleven, when a new combatant appeared upon the scene. He rushed in from a neighboring habitation, with gore in his eye, but not in his muscle. He saw a battle royal raging in the street. The gate was open before him, but the air-line route he took was the wrong one. He saw a gleam of hope flashed in the eyes of the eager belligerent as he saw his mother starting in the struggle, but a glimmer of his hand he placed his hand upon the fence as if to spring into the arena. The next moment the eyes were filled with joy as she saw her son actively preparing to maintain the reputation of the family. A sober second thought came to his mind, however, as it occurred to him that he was possessed with a violent temper. He realized that his was a temper that would not be controlled by a blow, and he realized that he was not equal to the task. He appealed to a boy's best friend, his mother, and she begged her heart, as only a mother's heart can be touched when it is her boy that pleads with her. When only a mother can remember the possession of his temper he turned to his mother and yelled: "Howld me, mither; ye know me temper!"

Thus appealed to, the mother willingly sacrificed the reputation of her house and held her temper. She was possessed with a temper. She carried the son into the house and succeeded in keeping him and his temper under control. The unpleasantness upon the street had subsided. After the field was cleared there were several discolored spectacles, and two or three swollen noses, a few bruised knuckles, but up to a late hour last night no deaths were reported.

An Organ Recital. The fifth organ recital by Mr. W. H. Donley will be on the 29th, with the following programme: 1. Guilmant's Grand chacon 2. Mendelssohn's (a) andante, (b) allegretto 3. Delibes-Marche et Cortage de Bacchus "Sylvie" 4. Guilmant-Offertory on Two Christmas songs "Lehngarin" 5. Wagner-Elis's Bridal Procession "Lehngarin" 6. Liszt's "Gavotte" 7. Emmerich, overture, "Schwedensee"

Death of Mrs. George W. Boyd. A telegram to friends in this city announces the death at Philadelphia on yesterday of Mrs. George W. Boyd, wife of the assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania railroad. Mrs. Boyd, who was Miss Lydia Tousey, will be remembered by a very large circle of friends in

Indianapolis, where she lived until her marriage with Mr. Boyd ten years or more ago. She was a most popular young woman, and the news of her death will be received with sincere regret by all who knew her. She had been ill about ten days with pneumonia, but was thought to be convalescent until a few hours before her death, when there was a sudden turn for the worse, and death occurred at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

An Undertaker's Outfit. Sergeants Kurtz and Mefford made a peculiar find yesterday morning along the track of the Belt railroad near East street. The officers picked up a large box, which, when opened, was found to contain a ten-gallon jar of embalming fluid and a casket of casket plates bearing the inscription, "At Rest." The goods were consigned to an undertaking firm in Arkansas, and had been taken from a freight car standing on the switch.

He Tried to Duck Her. Ieham Thomas, colored, living with his wife on Pratt street, near the canal, was arrested yesterday by patrolman Carter on the instance of Mrs. Thomas, who charged her husband with assault and battery. The woman claims that while she was dipping a bucket of water from the canal her husband assaulted her and nearly pushed her into the channel. She also avers that he set fire to her clothes and destroyed her best garments.

Stabbed in a Dice Game. Richard Irwin and Ben Smith, both colored, fought over a game of dice at Spencer Talbot's Kentucky-avenue resort Saturday night. Irwin during the brawl stabbed Smith in the side, injuring him painfully. Irwin was arrested yesterday by Sergeant Layton and charged with assault and intent to kill.

A Case Where There Was No Honor. Joseph Davis, charged with petit larceny, was locked up yesterday by officers Wheeler and Colbert. Davis, while enjoying a wait in the "coop" at Police Court the other morning, robbed a fellow-prisoner named Garline Davis, who was sent to the workhouse, and on his release yesterday was rearrested.

Two Small Fires. Two ineffectual fires occurred yesterday, one at No. 39 Elk street, owned and occupied by J. S. Boyd, loss insignificant; and another at the residence of P. A. Carlton, corner of College and Christian avenues, where some lace curtains caught fire from a lighted lamp and were destroyed.

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