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BLOODHOUNDS AT BRIGHTWOOD.

They Fail to Find the Burglars That Went Through the Town.

Considerable excitement prevailed in Brightwood yesterday morning, due to the fact that burglars had been at work in the town the night before. A saloon and two residences were entered, and various articles carried off. At J. J. Stephen's saloon, on Brightwood street, they forced the front door, presumably with a thin, wide chisel, and completely demolished the lock. Here they secured six bottles of whisky, a box of cigars, two pipes, smoking tobacco and a few pennies that had been left in the drawer the previous night.

At David D. Negley's home, on North Station street, they ransacked the house and took with them a watch belonging to Negley's son, some clothing and a pair of shoes, but were accommodating enough to leave a pair of their own in exchange. They secured nothing at George Ferrell's residence, for here one of the children awoke and began crying, and at this alarm the marauders decamped.

The two seven-month-old bloodhounds owned by Dr. William H. Johnson were brought to Ferrell's house about 5 o'clock in the morning, and were soon following a scent that led to Justice of the Peace Sears's home, where they ran once around the house, then started south across the Belt railroad, and by a circuitous route returned to the starting point, making a run of about one mile. One of the hounds was sick, and, together with their tender age and lack of proper training, they failed to make a successful run. The crowd in attendance seemed to worry and confuse them. Notwithstanding their failure to track successfully yesterday, they are very promising hounds, and their owner will begin immediately to give them the proper training for such work.

ANXIETY FOR THE CROPS.

Indiana Business This Year Will Depend on Them Largely.

Interviews had yesterday by a Journal reporter with a half dozen prominent merchants and bankers indicate that the conditions of business are improving slightly, although affairs in trade and financial circles are far from satisfactory. Merchants on Washington street say that the volume of business done is better than at this time last year. For the last two or three weeks shopping in the dry goods stores has picked up considerably. The spring trade is fair, so far as local conditions are concerned, but the country trade is not up to the high standard. The general opinion is that these conditions are due to the poor crops of last year, and every one is watching the weather anxiously, as a hard cold snap at this time would ruin the present good prospects for an abundant wheat and fruit crop.

Indianapolis is especially affected by disasters which visit the agricultural districts, as the bulk of trade done here depends upon the prosperity of the farmers. Large manufacturing and wholesale concerns doing business all over the United States say that business shows a marked improvement in their lines, but other enterprises, depending on the consumption of the State, report that their traveling men find business dull in the rural districts. Country merchants and stockkeepers are making careful purchases, as their trade during the summer months will depend on the crops. Taken altogether, it seems to be the impression that conditions are much better than two months ago. The allotment of the government bonds has loosened the money market somewhat, and every one is hopeful for the future.

Ralston Fund Amounts to $250.

E. B. Martindale has received fifty responses to his letter sent out a short time ago asking for money to build a monument for Alexander Ralston, who laid out this city. About $250 has been received.

See the new Sideboards.—Wm. L. Elder.

TIED GOWDY'S HANDS

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE ADOPTS UNUSUAL SET OF RULES.

Hereafter He Must Do Only as the Committee Directs—His Proselyting for McKinley.

The meeting of the Republican State committee, yesterday afternoon, lasted from 2 until nearly 6 o'clock. Quite a fair-sized crowd of prominent Republicans from over the State was attracted by the gathering, and there was much general talk of politics in the lobby of the Denison. The McKinley instructions question was discussed to some extent, but in as much as most of those present were candidates for something or other, they were very chary about expressing their views.

There were some signs of difference of opinion before the committee convened. Two questions of importance were to come up. One was the adoption of a new set of by-laws, which had been prepared by a committee composed of Messrs. Holman, Fesler, Osborn, Filbeck and McCoy. The other question was that of confirming the chairman's appointments of his executive and advisory committees. On this latter point there was some little difference of opinion. It had been suggested that it would be a good plan to defer the confirmation of these committees until after the national convention, and it was argued in behalf of this rule that no questions of policy or of great moment were likely to come up until then; that after the national convention all questions of candidates and platforms would be settled and the committee could act with much more intelligence in making up these important auxiliary committees than it could now. The others argued that such an action would be misconstrued as a slap at the chairman and at all his appointees, each of whom has number of strong personal friends upon that committee. This was the chief topic of discussion after the committee convened, and it was this discussion that prolonged the meeting to such an extent. The latter argument finally prevailed and the appointments were confirmed.

Upon the second question, that of adopting revised by-laws, there was practically no difference of opinion. The impression is very general within the committee as well as without it that its officers have made the mistake of taking too much for granted and of making too liberal use of the fairly large discretionary powers given them by the committee. The new by-laws reported by the subcommittee, therefore, provided for a very considerable curtailment of these powers, and for a much closer supervision of the chairman's work by the committee. The new by-laws read as follows:

The Republican State central committee of Indiana, in regular session, does hereby enact and establish the following rules and regulations for its government, and all other committees subordinate thereto.

—Organization.—

Section 1. The central committee shall be composed of one member from each congressional district and its regularly chosen officers.

Sec. 2. Each member shall be a true, discreet representative Republican, in good standing in the party, and shall serve for the term of two years, or until his successor is chosen. The selection to be made in accordance with such rules and plans as may from time to time be adopted by the State central committee.

—Vacancies.—

Sec. 3. Whenever a vacancy occurs in the central committee by death, resignation or otherwise, the same shall be filled by the proper congressional district committee, representing the district in which the vacancy has occurred, at a time and place to be designated by the chairman of the central committee.

—Powers of Central Committee.—

Sec. 4. The State central committee is hereby declared to be a permanent political body, to be continued from year to year, and reorganized biennially, as hereinbefore provided, and shall have immediate charge and full control of the political affairs of the Republican party in the State, the management of its campaigns, the collection and disbursement of funds, the selection of speakers, the distribution of documents and generally shall adopt such honorable and vigorous measures as may be necessary to insure the success of the Republican party and the election of its nominees. Said committee shall cause each precinct, township, ward, town, city and county in the State to be well and thoroughly organized for political purposes by proper committees and clubs, the same to be kept up and maintained continuously from year to year as auxiliaries to the State central committee.

—Quorum.—

Sec. 5. A majority of the members of the central committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. All votes shall be taken by ballot, unless otherwise ordered by the committee.

—Officers.—

Sec. 6. Immediately following the election of the central committee the members shall meet and organize by the election of a chairman, a vice chairman, a secretary and a treasurer, who shall serve during the pleasure of the committee. The chairman may be chosen from the central committee or from the State at large; the vice chairman shall be a member of said committee, the secretary shall be elected outside of the committee.

—Duties of the Chairman.—

Sec. 7. It shall be the duty of the chairman to preside at all meetings of the central committee and in case of a tie he shall have the casting vote. He shall personally attend at the headquarters of the committee during the political campaigns occurring during his official term, and by and with the advice of the committee shall have the supervision and management of such campaigns. He shall carry into effect the views and orders of the committee or cause the same to be done, with all possible celerity and promptitude and shall perform such other duties as hereinafter provided, or as may be assigned to him by the committee, he being hereby invested with such discretionary powers as may be necessary and essential in the discharge of his duties.

—Duties of the Vice Chairman.—

Sec. 8. The vice chairman shall act as chairman in case a vacancy occurs until said vacancy is filled, and he shall also discharge the duties of that office, if necessary, during the absence or inability of the chairman, and in either case he shall have all the powers of the chairman and perform all the duties devolving upon that officer.

—Duties of Secretary.—

Sec. 9. The secretary shall keep proper records of the proceedings of the committee and of the organization of the party throughout the State; he shall conduct or supervise all necessary correspondence, attend to the assignment and posting of speakers and perform such other duties pertaining to his office or that may be assigned to him by the committee or its chairman, as may be conducive to the thorough organization and welfare of the party. He shall carefully preserve such records, circulars, documents and other printed matter as may be useful for the guidance of the committee in succeeding campaigns, and he is hereby charged with and held responsible for the safe keeping of said archives, furniture and other effects belonging to the committee. He shall have the right, by and with the consent of the committee, to appoint or employ such assistants as may be from time to time required, and is clothed with such discretionary powers as may be necessary in the performance of his official duties.

—Executive Committee.—

Sec. 10. The chairman of the State central committee shall appoint seven active representative Republicans, who shall serve as an executive committee during the term for which the members of the State committee were elected, and the chairman and secretary, respectively, of the central committee shall perform the duties of chairman and secretary of said executive committee. The appointment thereof shall be subject to the approval of the State central committee. Said committee, or any member thereof, may be removed by the central committee at its pleasure. Not more than two members of the executive committee shall be selected from Marion county.

—Duties of Executive Committee.—

Sec. 11. The executive committee will cooperate with the State central committee and its officers in conducting the campaign. The members shall have the privilege, and it shall be their duty, to make such suggestions to the central committee, relative to the management of the campaign, or for the good of the Republican party, as they may deem fit or proper. They shall have the right to attend all meetings of the central committee, except executive sessions, and may participate in debate, but they shall not be entitled to vote. Four members shall consitute a quorum for executive business; they shall meet as often as may be necessary and may be called together at any time by the chairman.

—Treasurer.—

Sec. 12. The treasurer shall be appointed by the central committee and shall have the charge and custody of all moneys belonging to the central committee. He shall, if required, execute his bond or obligation with good and sufficient sureties, guarantors, conditioned that he shall, on demand, pay over and account for all moneys that may come into his hands as such officer. He shall keep regular books of account and shall at all times, when required by the central committee, make an exhibit of the condition of the treasury, in detail, showing all financial transactions and shall submit his books and vouchers for inspection whenever required so to do by either of said committees.

—Disbursements.—

Sec. 13.—For all disbursements of money there shall be vouchers filed with the secretary, who shall draw an order upon the treasurer for the amount, which order shall be signed by the chairman and attested by the secretary, and the treasurer shall pay out no funds except upon such orders.

Sec. 14. An auditing committee of not less than three shall be appointed by the central committee, whose duty it shall be to examine the accounts and vouchers of the central committee and executive committee, and of the chairman, treasurer and secretary, and to report their examinations in detail, as often as may be required to the central committee.

—Finance Committee.—

Sec. 15. There shall be appointed by the central committee a finance committee, to be composed of not less than five reliable and influential Republicans, to whom proper credentials shall be issued, whose duty it shall be to raise money and to co-operate with the central committee in raising money to defray the necessary expense of organization and conducting the campaigns and business of the committee. The funds so raised shall be paid over to the treasurer, unless otherwise directed by the central committee, and said finance committee shall submit reports of their action in detail, from time to time to the central committee.

—Headquarters and Meetings.—

Sec. 16. The headquarters of the committee shall, at all times, be at Indianapolis and it shall be the duty of the chairman and executive committee to provide and furnish suitable rooms for the use and occupancy of the central and executive committees, subject to the approval of the former committee.

Sec. 18. The chairman shall, at any time he may deem proper, convene the central committee for transaction of business and call a new State central committee together for organization. Three members of the central committee may call a meeting of the committee at any time they deem advisable.

—Salaries and Expenses.—

Sec. 20. The secretary of the central committee shall receive such salary for his time and service as the committee may deem just and compensatory, said salary to be fixed at the time of his election.

—Congressional District Committees.—

Sec. 21. Each member of the State central committee shall also serve as the chairman of the congressional district committee of the district from which he was chosen, which committee shall be composed of the chairman of the central committee of each county in the said district. Said district chairmen are hereby specially charged with the duty of reorganizing the several counties in their respective districts at an early day preceding the State campaign, and of visiting each county repeatedly during the canvass for the purpose of encouraging greater effecency and activity in political work. The district committee shall be called together at some convenient and central point as often as may be necessary for the general welfare of the party and the success of the Republican ticket, and especially to aid by counsel and in every other proper way the legislative candidates. Full and complete reports of these visitations and meetings must be promptly transmitted by the district chairman to the secretary of the State central committee for the general information and encouragement of Republicans at home and in other States.

—State Convention.—

Sec. 22. The State central committee shall at a sufficiently early date, fix the time for holding the biennial State convention for the nomination of a State ticket. The basis of representation shall be declared and the number of delegates apportioned to each county shall be stated in the official call for said convention, which call shall be signed by the chairman and attested by the secretary, and said officers, assisted by the executive committee, shall make all necessary arrangements for the holding of the convention.

Sec. 23. All State conventions shall be held at the city of Indianapolis.

Sec. 24. Preliminary meetings of the delegates shall be held by congressional districts on the day or evening preceding the meeting of the convention at rooms to be designated by the State central committee, for the purpose of selecting the following committees and officers of the convention:

1. One member of the committee on credentials.
2. One member of the committee on permanent organization, rules and order of business, which committee will nominate a permanent president and secretary of the convention.
3. One vice president.
4. One district assistant secretary.
5. One member of the committee on resolutions.

And for arranging such other preliminaries as may be necessary, so that the business of the convention may proceed with regularity and without delay, all which shall be duly and timely announced through the press and by circulars by the State central committee.

Sec. 25. Admission to the convention shall be by tickets, which shall be issued to the delegates, the press and invited guests by the central committee, which tickets shall be signed by the chairman and attested by the secretary.

Sec. 26. At the hour named in the call for the meeting of the convention it shall be the duty of the chairman of the central committee to call the delegates to order and cause the official call to be read and he shall preside over the convention until a temporary organization shall be effected.

—Delegates at Large.—

Sec. 27. In any year when a presidential election is to be held, if the nominating State convention shall be held before the national Republican convention, the delegates at large shall be selected by such convention; otherwise said delegates shall be selected in accordance to the rules and regulations adopted by the Republican national committee.

—Amendments.—

Sec. 28. The foregoing rules and regulations may be altered, amended or repealed by a majority of the central committee present at any regular or called meeting; provided, that if there be an objection by any member the proposition to alter, amend or repeal shall be postponed until the next meeting.

These rules were adopted without a dissenting vote.

The question of whether or not there should be a two days' convention, or whether the committee should recommend such a thing to the committee on rules of the State convention, was suggested during the meeting, but the committee at once decided that it should make no recommendation on this subject. It has been the expectation of the chairman that a two days' convention would be recommended, with the further suggestion that the first day be devoted to the election of delegates at large and candidates for elector and the adoption of a platform, leaving the nomination for State officers to the second day.

After the State committee adjourned a brief joint session of all the committees was held. It was purely informal, however, and did not endeavor to transact any business. After this adjourned the new executive committee held a brief session and fixed the ante-convention assessments upon the candidates for the payment of convention expenses.

OPPOSED TO INSTRUCTIONS.

Candidates for Delegates-at-Large—Chairman Gowdy's Activity.

There was some discussion among the politicians in the hotel lobby yesterday on the question of instructing the delegates at large for McKinley. Nearly all the men who are candidates for office are very cautious about expressing any views on the subject, but among those who did talk it seemed to be the general opinion that it would be neither necessary nor wise to instruct. Almost all the candidates for delegate at large are avowed McKinley men and it is generally conceded that the McKinley sentiment in the State is so strong that the convention will not be likely to send anybody who is avowedly opposed to him. The candidates for delegate are themselves opposed to instruction and would prefer to be sent to St. Louis upon their honor to conscientiously represent the sentiment of their constituents. There was no difference of opinion, however, upon the correctness of the stand taken by the Journal yesterday morning that it was not the prerogative of the State chairman to dictate in this matter.

"That editorial," said John T. Lamb, member of the committee from the Second district, "comes a little nearer meeting my views than anything I have seen in a year. It is our business as a State committee to look after the organization of the party and its success at the polls, not to endeavor to dictate its policies or its candidates."

Chairman Gowdy, in discussing his own conduct with reference to McKinley's candidacy, said: "I have nothing to conceal. I am for McKinley. As the chairman of the State committee I believe I have the right to be for whom I please. I have had the best facilities for ascertaining what the sentiment of the party in this State is, and I believe that 90 per cent. of the Republicans of Indiana are demanding the nomination of McKinley. I have not only written letters to my friends throughout the State advocating McKinley, but I have openly advised that the State convention ought to instruct the delegates at large to vote for him, not 'first, last and all time,' as some of the newspapers have said, but as long as there is a reasonable chance for his nomination.

"I believe an Indiana Republican can be for McKinley or any one else without showing any discourtesy to General Harrison. We have a right to take him at his word. I believe he respects the men who are taking him at his word. When I called at his home to receive his letter announcing that his name must not be presented to the St. Louis convention, I begged him to reconsider his determination. I said to him that the letter would be a bitter disappointment to the Republicans of Indiana and to his friends in other States. He would not reconsider. The decision, he said, was final. Reluctantly I received the letter. After having received it I believed the true friends of the General must take him at his word."

One of the most indignant men about the hotel yesterday was W. T. Durbin, of Anderson, and his wrath was due to a dispatch from Anderson which appeared the other day in the Enquirer and the Sentinel to the effect that he proposed to call on General Harrison on Thursday and ask him again whether he proposed to permit the use of his name at St. Louis. "I am not a chump," said Mr. Durbin, "and there is nothing whatever in the story. Next Thursday is Mr. Harrison's reception day and Mrs. Durbin and myself expect to call. That is all there is to it."

MAY BE MORTIMER NYE.

Mr. Taggart Cannot Flirt Too Long with His Party.

Lieutenant Governor Mortimer Nye, of LaPorte, is in the city, it being announced that he is here for the purpose of looking after his political interests. Word comes from the northern part of the State that Mr. Nye would be pleased to see his name at the head of the Democratic ticket. He has not announced himself as a candidate, but his friends have. His visit here is said to be for the purpose of consulting some of the leaders of the party. Mr. Nye is like one or two others, that is, he would like to know whether Mr. Taggart is or is not a candidate.

The manner in which Mr. Taggart is flirting with the nomination is not making friends for him in the party. One outspoken Democrat said he believed in a man coming right out and saying what he wanted, adding that Mr. Taggart would not degrade himself by accepting the nomination. It was recalled that while Mr. Taggart was a candidate for the mayoralty nomination of this city he dodged and fenced in much the same manner. Mr. Taggart is acknowledged as having the nomination within his reach if he wishes it. His reticence and the dearth of other available candidates is not generally regarded as a good omen to Democratic success. Mr. Nye was asked last evening if he is a candidate.

"I am attending to my business," he replied. "I know very little of politics."

"You have been mentioned as a candidate," was suggested.

"I have not said so," answered Mr. Nye, good-naturedly. "Perhaps some of my friends have been talking, but I have said nothing. I am very busy. Perhaps after a stay here for a day or two I may learn more of politics than I know."

The Primaries To-Night.

To-night primaries will be held in all the wards in the city to send delegates to the Seventh district convention, which will meet in the Criminal Court room at 1:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. As there is no opposition to the renomination of Mr. Overstreet there is not apt to be any contested delegations. The call, giving the locations where the primaries will be held and the number of delegates each ward in entitled to was printed in last Sunday's Journal. Robert A. Brown, of Franklin, will probably put Mr. Overstreet in nomination.

Political Notes.

Warren G. Sayre, of Wabash, J. J. Todd, of Bluffton, and Charles F. Griffin, of Hammond, joined the gathering of gubernatorial candidates yesterday.

Hiram Brownlee, of Marion, candidate for delegate at large, turned up at the meeting yesterday. His geographical position and personal popularity in the party are such that his name appears on most of the "slates."

Friends of Judge W. R. Gardner, of Washington, declare that there is no truth in the statement that he has "withdrawn" from the gubernatorial race. He has never been an active candidate, but has permitted the use of his name, and it will go before the convention.

WILLIAM S. HUBBARD INJURED.

Thrown from His Buggy and Two of His Ribs Broken.

Mr. William S. Hubbard took out a new horse yesterday to try and it ran away, throwing Mr. Hubbard out and breaking two of his ribs and dislocating his wrist, bruising him considerably, besides shocking his system. Mr. Hubbard is seventy-nine years old and has always been active in many ways and is fond of driving. He was anxious to know about the horse and wanted to try it himself. Mr. Hubbard is at the home of his son on North Illinois street.

DEATH OF MRS. T. H. LYNCH.

The Wife of an Old-Time and Beloved Methodist Preacher.

Mrs. T. H. Lynch died early yesterday morning at her home, No. 269 North New Jersey street, after a protracted illness. Mrs. Lynch was formerly Miss Sarah Ann Davis, and she was born in Kentucky in 1812. Sept. 4, 1832, she was married to Rev. Thomas H. Lynch, a young Methodist minister. In 1849 they came to Indiana and settled in Madison; they remained there for one year, when they came to Indianapolis and opened the Indiana Female College in the basement of Wesley Chapel. This was a successful school, and many of the prominent women of this city received a part of their education there. After four years of this work, New Albany offered a better field, and they went there. Mr. Lynch resumed his preaching, and every three years they were obliged to move to some new place. Mr. Lynch was presiding elder for many years, and wherever he went Mrs. Lynch accompanied him and was his earnest helper. She was a scholar and a great reader, and took an active interest in missionary and other lines of church work.

In 1870 Mr. and Mrs. Lynch returned here and remained permanently. Mr. Lynch died in 1892. For many years Mrs. Lynch has been more or less of an invalid, and, with the exception of being rolled out in a chair on warm, pleasant days, she has been confined to her chair in the house for many months. She has been most faithfully attended by a loyal woman friend, and has kept thoroughly posted in all affairs of interest. She has been a reader of books and newspapers, and by frequent calls from friends has kept in touch with all the work of Roberts Park Church to which she has been a most devoted member. Two children survive her, Mr. A. D. Lynch, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. William F. Mason, of Denver, Col., and two grandchildren, Mr. Augustus Lynch Mason, of this city, and Mrs. Ruter Springer, of Fort Thomas, Ky.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. James A. Sargent, of Hall-place Church, assisted by Rev. H. A. Buchtel.

Mrs. Sarah A. Sample.

Mrs. Sarah A. Sample was born in Franklin county, Indiana, Aug. 9, 1829, being the youngest child of Samuel Sering and wife. She was married to James C. Sample Oct. 6, 1856, and located in Indianapolis, where she has resided ever since, except about four years. She died at her home, No. 146 Laurel street, at 11 a. m. yesterday, leaving a husband and four children, Charles P., clerk in the postoffice here; William A., residing in Cowley county, Kansas; Ida M. and Bertha A., the latter of whom is a teacher in the public schools in this city.

John Latchlow, Aged 83.

John Latchlow, eighty-three years of age, died at 1 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, No. 457 East North street. He has lived in this city fifteen years. The remains will be taken to Louisville and buried by the Odd Fellows. Mr. Latchlow had been a member of Boone Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Louisville, for fifty-five years.

Mrs. Hannah Allen, Aged 87.

Mrs. Hannah Allen, mother of fireman Charles W. Allen, died at the home of her son, No. 172 Coburn street, at a very early hour yesterday morning. She was eighty-seven years of age. The funeral service will be held this morning at the home of Mr. Allen, after which the remains will be shipped to Aurora, Ill., for burial.

If coffee checks your digestion, use Postum at breakfast. It takes the place of tea and coffee beautifully.

WILL CLOSE ON MAY 29

AN ACTION THAT WILL THROW 22,000 MEN OUT OF EMPLOYMENT.

Window-Glass Manufacturers' Combination Decides to Shut Down Its Plant—Increased Prices.

The meeting of the glass manufacturers at the Grand Hotel yesterday was one of the most important, commercially, that has been held here for many days. The result of the conference between the proprietors in the Pittsburg Window-glass Association and the Western Window-glass Association is an agreement whereby all the factories of both associations close May 29, for an indefinite period. This action means the throwing out of work of about 22,000 workmen and the stopping of 1,623 pots. In the Pittsburg association there are sixteen factories and in the Western forty-eight, a majority of the latter being in the Indiana gas belt. The weekly output of the factories of both associations is estimated at 120,802 boxes a week.

The action of the glass men is simply a cold, business move. The manufacturers of the associations have been holding frequent meetings during the last few months, so the action of yesterday came after a careful consideration of the situation. It is said by the manufacturers that the excessive output and the poor market are alone responsible for the stoppage of production. The larger factories have large stocks on hand and all concerns report that business has been very dull. It is proposed to stop the production and increase the demand, a raise in the scale of prices being a part of the programme.

M. W. Watson, of Pittsburg, probably the oldest glass manufacturer in the country, presided at the meeting of the two associations. There was little difference of opinion concerning the advisability of stopping the production. The two associations control the output of the United States, and, having no competition, they can do as they see fit.

When time came for the consideration of the increase in the scale of prices, a dispute arose among the manufacturers. The meeting of the afternoon did not adjourn until after 6 o'clock and it came then in order to put a stop to a spirited debate. The programme provided for a final adjournment last night, but it was decided to meet again this morning, when the matter of prices will be again considered and decided. The manufacturers are not all agreed on the proposition to increase the prices. It is reported that many of the Indiana factories prefer to keep them as they are, and begin again when the supply of glass has been exhausted. The larger concerns, however, are insisting that there be a material increase, for these establishments are said to have large quantities of glass in stock. The report that the formation of some other kind of an association is contemplated is denied. The two associations co-operate—they have a monopoly, and no more organization is needed.

Concerning the time when business may be expected to resume, the manufacturers could not speak last evening. They said it might be in October, in November, or, as one man expressed it, "when heaven orders." It was understood that there will be no resumption of production until the present supply is gone, and, of course, that depends on future demands. The glass men are a very quiet and reticent aggregation of men. After talking with them it is surprising that men who absolutely know nothing of the business in which they are engaged, should be able to make a success of it. At least half a dozen of the manufacturers denied being in the glass business, while one gentleman from down East stated that "the glass business was none of the public business."

Among those present, there being about thirty-five in all, were: H. Sellers McKee, M. W. Watson, P. Sullivan, E. I. Phillips, William Loaffler, James W. Allison and J. A Chambers, of Pittsburg; S. L. Bodine, of Philadelphia; W. K. Bodley, Wheeling, W. Va.; W. Stubbs, East Liverpool, O., and J. R. Cameron, of Chicago. There are also representatives here from factories in Kokomo, Muncie, Anderson, Gas City, Pendleton, Frankton and other towns of the gas belt where there are glass factories.

A dispatch from Pittsburg says: The action taken at the meeting of window-glass manufacturers at Indianapolis in deciding to suspend operations in all factories on May 29, will affect only fifteen thousand employes, of which five thousand are skilled workmen. It has always been the custom to close down during July and August on account of the heat, the dispatch says. The suspensions this year will begin one month earlier than usual, but the glass workers do not believe resumption will be postponed after Sept. 1. This will be the second suspension this year. Last winter the factories were closed for six weeks on account of an overstocked market and the employes were not expecting another vacation before the 1st of July.

A Card.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal:

Dear Sir—Reading the card written by Mr. W. H. Whittaker, of 645 Virginia avenue, published in last week's News, in which he spoke of being cured of chronic kidney and bladder trouble by the use of Haag's Liver Pills, induced me to write the following for the benefit of the public, which I should like to have you publish:

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