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LINED GLOVES, for Men, Women and Children. 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$5.50. Silk-lined, Fur-lined and Wool-lined.

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Electric and Turkish Baths. Russian, Shower and Plain Tub Baths. Latest Improved Methods. Nobes' Hygienic Institute. 89 NORTH ILLINOIS ST., Y. M. C. A. Bldg. In Connection with Todd's Barber Shop.

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"THEY'RE OFF!" HEARD BY SPORTS ONCE MORE. First Race Comes Over Wire at Rahke-Jones New Monte Carlo. CROWDS MISS THE CAR. Free Tickets to Cumberland Furnished Patrons—Telephone Line Opened.

"The Indianapolis and Cumberland Telegraph and Telephone Company" began operations yesterday and lovers of the racing game busy at work in the city learned of the results on the San Francisco and New Orleans tracks by using the new line. The Rhake-Jones syndicate began work in earnest yesterday, and the crowd in the rear of the Little Cumberland saloon to become the Mecca for Indianapolis sports and gamblers was large, considering the weather.

The wire opened on time and lots of money exchanged hands. Gus Rhake, the guiding spirit stationed at the door of the place, had a smile for all who entered. "Frueh-Lick" Jones was in evidence everywhere. Crowds were in the downtown saloons yesterday afternoon, and telephone messages from the new Monte Carlo kept the enthusiasts informed as to results.

The syndicate furnishes round-trip tickets to and from Cumberland. They may be had for the asking. About sixty men, some with the "smile that won't come off," and others with long faces and slow steps, left the new Cumberland resort at 4:50 last night, expecting to take the 5 o'clock car home. It had grown dark when the men had to stand in line in order to get the much-wanted car. Half an hour passed, a light advanced, but the jokes and remarks, which, at first, came fast, could not be heard.

Another half hour passed, and by this time the light had advanced to within a square or two, when suddenly the anxious faces saw the light turn from the track and advance down the sidewalk. It was a large lantern and was carried by the village doctor. Wet to the skin, the men sought shelter in the general store, and for several minutes the owner did a great grocery business.

Two poker tables were in operation yesterday, and the game gradually grew so interesting that the usual limit was dropped and a man could bet any amount on his hand. The Cumberland citizens came in in bunches, leaving with the customary smile of knowledge of "You can't beat me."

The weather yesterday was the kind that generally keeps the farmers at home, but the opening of such a large business enterprise brought them all to town. The general impression is that the business made on the few business men in Cumberland is that within six days or less Cumberland will have outgrown Indianapolis, and with this illusion things ran smoothly yesterday.

MAYOR'S CALL FOR A SPECIAL MEETING. Council Will Meet To-Morrow Night to Consider Matters Considered Important.

Mayor Holtzman issued a call yesterday for the expected special session of the City Council, to be held to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. The results of this meeting, if there is no hitch in the programme as mapped out by the mayor and the finance committee, are calculated to give City Controller Dunn and Superintendent Paul F. Martin, of the City Hospital, the happy night-before-Christmas feeling that comes with the realization of hope long deferred.

The ordinance carrying a special appropriation of \$2,000 for "wards and rooms at the City Hospital," which has been in the hands of the finance committee for several days, will be introduced, and, if the programme is carried out, will be rushed through on a suspension of the rules. The money will be used in paying the new wing of the City Hospital immediately to the use of which the new administration designs it.

Appropriation ordinance, No. 20, 1903. "An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,850 to the department of finance for 'interest and exchange' to cover a deficiency," will also be passed, along with various resolutions making transfers from various funds to various other funds, making the year's cut of appropriations for the city.

CITY ORDINANCES TO BE ENFORCED. Spitters on sidewalks and other violators of minor city ordinances are on the books of Superintendent Kruger for immediate attention from the police department, according to a statement made yesterday by that guardian of the public peace.

"I have instructed my men to enforce the minor city ordinances," said Superintendent Kruger, "and I propose to do it. If I have to make arrests in some cases. Of course it would not do to arrest visitors to the city for spitting on the sidewalk, as in most cases they are ignorant of the law on that point. But young men who stand on the corners and spit on the sidewalks, and who are known to live here, will not receive as much consideration. We will also pay our respects to those people who dump rubbish in the streets and alleys and who fail to clear the snow from their sidewalks."

The order of the Board of Public Safety with regard to policemen making a fuller report of accidents and mishaps, for the benefit of the city at large, is being carried into immediate effect. Blank forms on which the police can make their reports are now being printed, and the police expect to take up their additional duties soon.

State to Receive Bids for Text-Books. The State Board of Schoolbook Commissioners will advertise for bids Monday to furnish text-books for the public schools of the State for five years. The board will receive bids up to noon, Jan. 31. Publishers will be asked to bid on readers, geographies, arithmetics and primers. The bids must be accompanied by a specimen copy of each book.

THE UNION TRUST COMPANY, INDIANAPOLIS, IND. Gentlemen—I am delighted with the strips you put in my house last June. They are all that can be desired for beautifying the windows are absolutely noiseless now, there never was so little dust and the effect upon the temperature during the cold weather has been marked, the house being much more comfortable than last winter under the same conditions of heating. I have never been more pleased with a device and can recommend them without reservation. Yours very truly, JOHN H. HOLLIDAY.

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS. Chamberlin Metal Weather Strip Co., City: Dear Sirs—When your representative called on me with a view to having the strips placed in the windows, I saw at once the merit and feasibility of the invention, and I at once entered into a contract with your company to have my home thoroughly equipped with the strips, which has been done to my entire satisfaction. The men named to do the work are thorough mechanics and gentlemen, and no one would wish to have them in their homes while the work is being done. I am sure that the strips will do all that is claimed for them, keeping out dust of all kinds, and will be a great saving of fuel. I cheerfully recommend the Chamberlin Metal Weather Strip as being the best on the market. Yours truly, A. DOWNING.

Something Worth Seeing. Mr. Louis G. Deschler will open his new store at the corner of Washington and Pennsylvania streets next Tuesday, Dec. 15. The first window display will consist of the Corona brand of clear Havana cigars, which Mr. Deschler has handled exclusively for the past twenty years. This brand is now made by the Cuban-American Manufacturing Company, in Tampa, Fla. Mr. Deschler has been sole agent in this city for the Corona brand for the past twenty years. Mr. Tom A. Dean, general business manager of the company, is in the city to attend the opening of Mr. Deschler's new store and would be pleased to see his many old friends here on that occasion.



ELLIOTT-MAY LIE IN HOSPITAL FOR MONTHS. Former City Clerk Suffers Extreme Pain from His Injuries. WANTS TO COME HOME.

Former City Clerk Charles N. Elliott lies on a cot in St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago, suffering extreme pain from the injuries received in the street car accident in that city Thursday night. A telegram received by Mrs. Elliott from her husband yesterday noon stated that, although the injuries are serious, no permanent disabilities will result.

The attending physicians have said that Mr. Elliott cannot be removed from the hospital for several months, but the telegram stated that he might be brought home as soon as the plaster case about his fractured leg will permit. Mr. Elliott said that within a few days he would be able to sit up in bed and write home the particulars of the accident. Mrs. Elliott will probably go to her husband's bedside the first of the week.

SENATOR BEVERIDGE WILL LEAVE TO-DAY. His Two Weeks in Indianapolis Have Been Filled with Work. Senator A. J. Beveridge will leave this morning for Washington to resume his active senatorial duties after a two weeks' "vacation" spent at his home in this city.

The senator had expected to take a rest during this time, as he had been working early and late for several months with political matters and the revision and reading of the proofs of his new book, "The Russian Advance," but he was given little rest while here. In addition to preparing and delivering his address at Greencastle on the occasion of the inauguration of the new president of De Pauw University, he was besieged almost daily by callers from various parts of the State.

Stephen Hinsaw, one of the senator's clerks, will return to Washington with him. Thomas R. Shipp, his private secretary, will remain here, however, until after the holidays. The senator expects to be here during the holidays and will attend the Republican levee-feast.

WILL ASK FOR CHARTER. Spanish-American War Veterans Effect Temporary Organization. Members of the Lieut. Ralph Miller Camp, Army of the Philippines, composed of the Spanish-American war veterans, met last night at the office of Foster C. Shirley in the Newton Claypool building and elected temporary officers to serve until the next meeting of the camp, which will be held the first Friday of January.

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Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair Parry have issued invitations for a Butler College dance in honor of Mr. Paul Guffin and Mr. Harold C. Montgomery on the evening of Dec. 22, at their home on North Meridian street.

The Sigma Chi entertained their friends Friday evening with a dance at Breneke's. Among the guests were Mr. Roy Felice, of Westfield, Mr. Bert Hollingsworth, of Plainfield, and Mr. Charles Barnett, of Anderson.

At the meeting of the Oratorical Association Wednesday morning it was announced that the representative for Butler this year in the oratorical contest would be Mr. Charles F. McElroy. Owing to the death of students during oratorical honors, no primary contest will be held. Mr. McElroy delivered his oration in chapel Saturday morning. It was also decided to challenge Eureka College for a debate. This matter was left in the hands of a committee.

Eureka has been doing good work in her debating and a strong contest is expected. There was a meeting in Professor Howe's room of the casts of the two plays given New Playos, \$195 and up. Wulschner's.

COMPANY DISSOLVED. Homestead Concern Is Restrained from Corporate Privileges. Judge Carter yesterday ordered a dissolution of the Homestead Loan and Investment Association upon the failure of the association to appear and make answer to the bill filed against it. The officers and directors of the association are restrained from exercising any corporate privileges. The Marion Trust Company will wind up the affairs of the association.

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DUVALL'S OWN STORY ADDS TO THE MYSTERY. Drugged Man Regains Reason and Tells of Mysterious Stranger. SAYS TOOK NO DRINK. Remembers Visiting Drug Store for Medicine to Relieve Dizziness.

Although Charles G. Duvall, the real-estate man who was found in an unconscious condition in Lux Brothers' saloon on East Market street, Friday evening, regained consciousness at his home yesterday noon, the mystery of his case is only deepened by his own disconnected statements.

The state of hopeless unconsciousness in which Duvall was when Dr. Jones, of the City Dispensary, was called to attend to him Friday night, continued until yesterday noon, although the mysteriously drugged man had been removed, in that time, to his home at 107 Hoyt avenue. Shortly after noon yesterday, while members of his family were at his bedside, Duvall opened his eyes and spoke to those by the bed.

"What is the matter?" were his first words. "You frighten me." From that time all attempts to draw from him an explanation for his strange condition elicited practically the same reply, the incoherent story related by the sick man to a Journal representative, at his home, last night. "I cannot explain how I came to be found as I was," said Mr. Duvall, "and have no recollection of what happened to me after a quarter before 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. I remember that I was at my office and started for the courthouse with some papers in my pockets, belonging to some people who wanted me to look up the Barrett law for its bearing on their property."

TELLS INCOHERENT STORY. "I know that I went to the postoffice to buy a special delivery stamp and that I went to the office of the Indianapolis Water Company, but I am not sure which place I visited first. I think it must have been the postoffice, for I think I started from the waterworks office to go to the courthouse."

"That must have been at a quarter before 4, because I knew the treasurer's office closed at 4 and remember that I thought I had just a quarter of an hour to get there."

"Don't you remember being with another man, the stranger who took you into the Lux saloon?" "I have just a faint recollection of being with a strange man, who talked to me about some old lands or leases, but I am not sure where I met him. I know he was with me on the street and I think he was at the water works office with me."

MYSTERIOUS STRANGER. "I can't recollect a thing except that I was on the street on my way to the courthouse."

It was stated by another party last night that Duvall related to some members of his family that he remembered feeling dizzy and that he went into Ruder's drug store, Pennsylvania and Washington streets, to get a powder for the dizziness. Inquiry at the drug store failed to find anyone who recollected a man answering Mr. Duvall's description coming into the store on such an errand.

NEWS AND NOTES OF BUTLER COLLEGE. Mr. Harvey Fuller, ex-'06, visited chapel Wednesday morning. Mrs. Springer, of Elizabethtown, was the guest of her daughter Hazel a few days last week.

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They do away with two pairs of glasses, combining both reading and distance glasses in one pair, and yet the lower disc (reading section) is entirely invisible. There is no outer segment (disc) to become loose and fall off; there are no ridges or crevices to fill with dirt. That annoying "line," so distressing to bifocal wearers, is done away with. In invisible bifocals there is no line.

WIMMER, OPTICIAN. 16 NORTH PENNSYLVANIA STREET. A Christmas Present. A Dunlap silk Hat from Satoon's. BIG FOUR ROUTE Holiday Excursions.

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PENNSYLVANIA - VANDALIA LINES. Round-Trip Holiday Excursion Fares. \$13.35-Pittsburg-\$13.35. \$11.00-Cleveland-\$11.00. \$7.10-Columbus-\$7.10. \$4.40-Dayton-\$4.40. \$6.70-Chicago-\$6.70. \$4.70-Louisville-\$4.70. \$2.90-Terre Haute-\$2.90. \$6.80-Evansville-\$6.80. \$9.90-St. Louis-\$9.90.

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Railroad Toys Are Especially Popular This Year. Mechanical Trains on straight track and circular tracks; all of the best make, from 65c on up to \$50.00 each. To make these toys still more attractive you may secure extra pieces of track with switches and turn-tables, signal stations, tunnels, viaducts, bridges, railroad stations and depots, all at popular prices.

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