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SASH AND DOOR MAKERS MAY BE PLANNING TRUST.

At Secret Session in Chicago Property Worth Many Millions of Dollars Is Represented.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—The Sash and Door Manufacturers' Association, representing twenty-six of the leading sash and door factories throughout the United States, met in secret session here to-day and adjourned without revealing any of the questions discussed by the convention.

The meeting, it is claimed, was called for the purpose of forming a combination embracing all the factories in the country, involving millions of dollars' worth of milling property.

Secretary Greene of the association scouted the idea of the formation of a sash and door trust, and declared that the meeting had been held simply to transact regular business of the association. Despite Secretary Greene's statement that nothing but routine business was discussed, stringent measures were taken to prevent any persons other than members of the association from entering the hall or learning the nature of the business transacted.

$18.25 to New Orleans and Return.

On December 25, 26, 27 and 28 the Mobile and Ohio Railroad will sell tickets at above rate. Ticket office, 518 Olive street.

SPOTSWOOD J. OMOHUNDRO.

Elsberry, Mo., Dec. 18.—Spotswood J. Omohundro of this city died to-day of pneumonia. He was 86 years old. Eight sons and two daughters survive him.

SPECIALTIES.

FUNERAL FLOWERS

And designs of all kinds—wreaths, pillows, crosses, etc.; also artificial emblems. Loose cut flowers. Eden Floral Co., 1726 Olive st.

DEATHS.

CARTER—On Thursday, December 17, 1903, at 10:20 o'clock p. m., Captain Henry S. Carter, aged 70 years and 8 months. Funeral from the residence of Benjamin O'Fallon, No. 3996 Delmar boulevard, on Saturday, December 19, at 2 o'clock p. m.

CROAK—On Friday, December 18, 1903, at 1:30 a. m., Mrs. Mary Ann Croak (nee Murphy), beloved wife of Patrick J. Croak and daughter of Mrs. Ann Murphy and sister of Patrick, Francis and John J. Murphy and Sister Theresa Agatha of St. Joseph Convent, Troy, N. Y., and mother of Viola, James and Loretta Croak, aged 28 years. Funeral from residence, No. 1549 North Seventeenth street, Sunday, December 20, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Social League, 105, Protected Home Circle.

GIBLIN—On Friday, December 18, 1903, at 4:30 o'clock a. m., Michael, beloved son of John and Bridget Giblin (nee Hunt), brother of John, William, Mary, Katie and the late Patrick Giblin. The funeral will take place Sunday, 20th inst., at 1:30 o'clock p. m., from family residence, No. 1403 North Ninth street, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Protective Home Circle, Social League, No. 105.

HERWIG—Entered into rest on Thursday, December 17, 1903, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., after a short illness, Elizabeth Herwig, beloved sister of Mrs. R. G. Stewart (nee Herwig), August P. and Lottie Herwig, aged 49 years and 3 months. The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 5400 Magnolia avenue, on Saturday, December 19, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HUGHES—On Friday, December 18, 1903, at 10:30 a. m., Patrick, beloved husband of Catharine Hughes (nee Ryan), and brother of Mrs. Patrick Fahey (nee Hughes), aged 31 years. Funeral from family residence, No. 4050 Cottage avenue, on Sunday, December 20, at 2 p. m., to St. Mathew's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Maccabees, Tower Grove Tent, No. 25, and Legion of Honor, Hyde Park, No. 4.

NEWBERRY—On Thursday, December 17, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., Charles Newberry, brother of William and the late John Newberry and Mrs. Calena Leonard. Funeral from family residence, No. 2325 Scott avenue, Sunday, December 20, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of International Teamsters' Union, No. 725.

O'BRIEN—At Los Angeles, Cal., on Friday, December 18, 1903, at 3:20 o'clock p. m., James J. O'Brien, beloved son of Michael and Margaret O'Brien, and our dear brother. Notice of funeral later. Cincinnati, O., and Denver, Colo., papers please copy.

O'CONNOR—On Thursday, December 17, 1903, at 10 o'clock p. m., Charles O'Conner, beloved brother of Edward, Julia, Mary, John J., Annie and Margaret O'Conner, aged 25 years, 6 months. The funeral will take place Sunday, 20th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, No. 1510 North Twenty-third street, to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

PATTERSON—On Friday, December 18, 1903, at 1:15 p. m., Elmer E. Patterson, beloved husband of Elisbeth Patterson (nee Cherry), and dear father of Alpa, Homer and Mary Patterson, aged 42 years and 23 days. Due notice of funeral from residence, No. 3132½ Clifton place, later.

BOZZELL—Suddenly, on Thursday, December 17, 1903, at 8 o'clock p. m., Charles R. Bozzell, beloved husband of Carrie R., father of Genevieve Bruce Bozzell, and stepfather of E. W. Ferguson and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, at the age of 56 years. Funeral Sunday, December 20, at 2 o'clock p. m., from his late residence, No. 2141 Clifton avenue, Clifton Heights. Friends invited. Deceased was a member of Pride of the West Lodge, No. 179, A. F. & A. M. Marshall and Kansas City, Mo., papers please copy.

STOLLE—On Friday, December 18, 1903, at 3:15 o'clock a. m., after a lingering illness, Rosa Stolle (nee Hillenbrand), beloved wife of C. J. Stolle, and our dear daughter and sister, aged 49 years and 7 months. Funeral from family residence, No. 2916 Cote Brilliante avenue, on Sunday, December 20, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Barbara's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SYLVESTER—On Wednesday, December 16, 1903, James J. Sylvester. Funeral services December 19, at 2 p. m., at No. 5092 Westminster place. Interment private.

WALSH—Suddenly, Friday morning, December 18, 1903, Joseph F. Walsh, at family residence, No. 2539 Page avenue, beloved son of Michael and Mary Walsh. Due notice of funeral. New York papers please copy.

BRIDE'S LEGACY LOST 27 YEARS.

Estate Was Left to Mrs. Clara Laing Malcolm in Her Infancy.

IT HAS STRANGELY VANISHED.

Empty Safe Deposit Box and Surprising Expense Account Lead to Citation of Her Guardian Into Court.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Left an heiress in her infancy, and only discovering the fact when she was 27 years old and married, is the experience related to Probate Judge Cutting by Mrs. Clara Laing Malcolm in proceedings begun to ascertain what had become of an estate originally valued at $135,000, alleged to have been dissipated by her guardian, Cuthbert W. Laing, once a real estate dealer in Chicago. The court ordered boxes in a safety deposit vault opened in the hope that some remnant of the property may be discovered.

Mrs. Malcolm told the court that her mother died in 1876. Immediately afterwards the little girl was sent to her father's parents in Lapeer, Mich. Occasionally, she said, her father sent her money, the largest single sum being $30, but she never knew that she was an heiress until she was married last June and went to reside in Ann Arbor.

Former Judge Hamilton, who has charge of Mrs. Malcolm's case, had summoned Laing and former Senator Mason, his counsel, into court, to show what had become of the money.

Neither appeared, but an expense account of the guardianship was produced that surprised Judge Cutting. It included items ranging from $3 for repairing an office desk to $3,600, which paid for a trip to Europe. Incidentally, among the investments was a payment of $27,500 for land in Captain Streeter's "District of Lake Michigan," without permission of the court.

Judge Cutting ordered a citation issued for the plaintiff's father to compel his appearance in court.

UPCHURCH SENTENCED TO THE PENITENTIARY.

Youth Who Killed William Rhine for Stepping on His Toe Gets Fourteen Years.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Harrisburg, Ill., Dec. 18.—Fay Upchurch was sentenced to a term of fourteen years in the Penitentiary in the Saline County Circuit Court here to-day for the murder of William Rhine six weeks ago. The case has been before the court since last Monday.

The crime for which Upchurch was convicted was committed at a church meeting in Long Branch Township. Upchurch took offense at Rhine because in passing out of the building Rhine accidentally stepped on his toe. Upchurch demanded an apology, which Rhine readily gave, and the trouble apparently was settled.

For some reason Upchurch followed Rhine until out of sight of the church and stabbed him to death and fled. Afterwards he was captured at Mount Carmel, Ill. Both of the young men belonged to the most prominent and highly respected families in Saline County.

Of Interest to Travelers.

For the convenience of the traveling public and for the purpose of having a better control over their extensive interests in the Southwestern States, the Hamburg-American Line has decided to open their own office for passenger business at St. Louis, Mo., on January 1 next. The new office will be located in the Century building, at Olive and Ninth streets, one of the most conspicuous locations in St. Louis, and the same will be in charge of Mr. Henry F. Dorgeloh, who has been appointed manager.

General Merriam Makes Denial.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 18.—General H. C. Merriam denied to-day ever having said that the appointment of General Wood would lower the moral standard of the army.

"I can only say," added the General, "that in the published interview my words were greatly enlarged upon, and that I have been credited with making an uncalled for remark, which cannot only be detrimental to myself, but to the army."

A. B. C. BOHEMIAN (pale), brewed from the finest selections of Bohemian hops and Canadian barley, on draught at Hugh T. Pattison's Bar, northeast corner Ninth and Locust.

Sunday-School Convention Closes.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Galena, Kas., Dec. 18.—The Cherokee County Sunday-School Convention, which has been in session at the Methodist Church since Wednesday, closed to-night. The attendance was large. J. H. Engle of Abilene made the closing talk to-night, followed by the election of officers. The next meeting will be held at Columbus. Senator Householder was elected president and Hugh F. Moore secretary and treasurer.

New Mill for Tamms, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Alto Pass, Ill., Dec. 18.—Tamms, at the junction of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois and Mobile and Ohio Railroad, thirty miles south of here, is to have a mill. Incorporation papers are filed and nearly all the stock subscribed for a $50,000 mill and elevator. A bank and ice plant are also mentioned as probabilities.

CANDIDATE MAYO HAS A PLATFORM.

Lindell Hotel Conference of Republican Politicians Starts Trouble.

WISHES TO BE CHAIRMAN.

Clifton Hill Man Denounces Proposition to Let Federal Officeholders Run the Party.

"No Federal officials for State chairman" is the slogan of one Republican who is opposed to the programme which was framed at the Lindel Hotel last Monday by prominent Republican politicians who gathered there when State Chairman Akins returned from Washington.

Thomas R. Mayo, who formally announced his candidacy for the State chairmanship yesterday, does so on the anti-Federal job platform. He is one of the best known Republicans in the State, has always been a warm personal and political friend of State Chairman Akins, and says that until he knew certainly that Mr. Akins was not going to ask for re-election he did not announce his candidacy.

"I am a candidate for State chairman, subject to the good will of the next State Convention," said Mr. Mayo. "My friends have been after me to declare myself for some time, but I did not care to do so until I was sure that Mr. Akins did not seek re-election.

"From what I can learn some of the present prominent Federal officials and their friends expect to nominate a Federal official for State chairman. I am opposed to this sort of thing on principle. The fact that a man may be a good fellow and capable does not alter the case one whit. The practice of politics has always shown that such a course leads to factionalism and discord, which cannot help the party in a general election, though it may redound to the benefit of the men concerned when it comes to controlling patronage.

"I am not and never have been a Federal officeseeker, though I was forced to take the Clifton Hill postmastership when my brother simply left it to come to St. Louis and work. If I am elected State chairman it will be in order to lend my best energies and influence toward carrying the State at the general election. It is about time that Federal patronage be eliminated from consideration by the party. I am running on that platform, and if the opposite view fits any man's foot, why let it hurt. It is sound politics. I am going to the people on this proposition and see what they think about it."

Mr. Mayo is best known in North and Southeast Missouri. While his home is in Clifton Hill, he spends a great deal of time in the lumber regions of the State and travels over the entire State. He has always taken a lively interest in politics. He has enough money on hand to keep the wolf from the door while he seeks to "reform" the party, so that his candidacy will be a serious matter.

While Postmaster in Clifton Hill, Mr. Mayo started innovations that made him a very popular citizen. He made a big lobby to the building, put settees and writing tables there and gave a general invitation to the town to enjoy them to their utmost. Meanwhile he dispensed cigars to the patrons of the office and made himself "solid" with his people.

Charley Morris of Trenton lives in the same congressional district, but it is said that he has decided not to run for State chairman since he purchased the St. Joseph Gazette.

INDORSE JUDGE A. M. WOODSON

Platte County Bar Association Adopts Resolutions.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Platte City, Mo., Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the Platte County Bar Association, Senator Wilson introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we earnestly indorse the candidacy of Judge A. M. Woodson for Judge of the Supreme Court and warmly commend him to the people of the State as a learned and uncorruptible jurist and a man of high character in every station of life. Our long and intimate acquaintanceship with Judge Woodson justifies this faint tribute to his excellence and high merits.

DELEGATES TO FOLK MEETING.

Carthage Club Will Send Seventeen Men to St. Louis.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carthage, Mo., Dec. 18.—At the meeting of the Carthage Folk Club to-day the following delegates were selected to attend the conference of Folk supporters, to be held in St. Louis January 2:

A. L. Thomas, J. C. Carman, J. B. Douglass, R. A. Mooneyham, Allen McReynolds, T. C. Tadlock, H. L. Mosely, H. C. Montgomery, G. W. Crowdery, Robert Blankenship, D. M. Roper, A. M. Drake, J. M. Mattenlee, Thomas Hackney, S. H. Regan, J. H. Cook and Cornelius Roach.

Prisoner Broke Jail.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mason City, Ia., Dec. 18.—King Brady escaped from the officers at Britt last night. He was locked in jail by Officer Black, but this morning he was gone and the door was locked as usual.

Burglars Blow Safe.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Leeper, Mo., Dec. 18.—Burglars entered the store of J. S. O'Neal at Mill Springs, Mo., one mile south of here, blew open the safe and secured $500.

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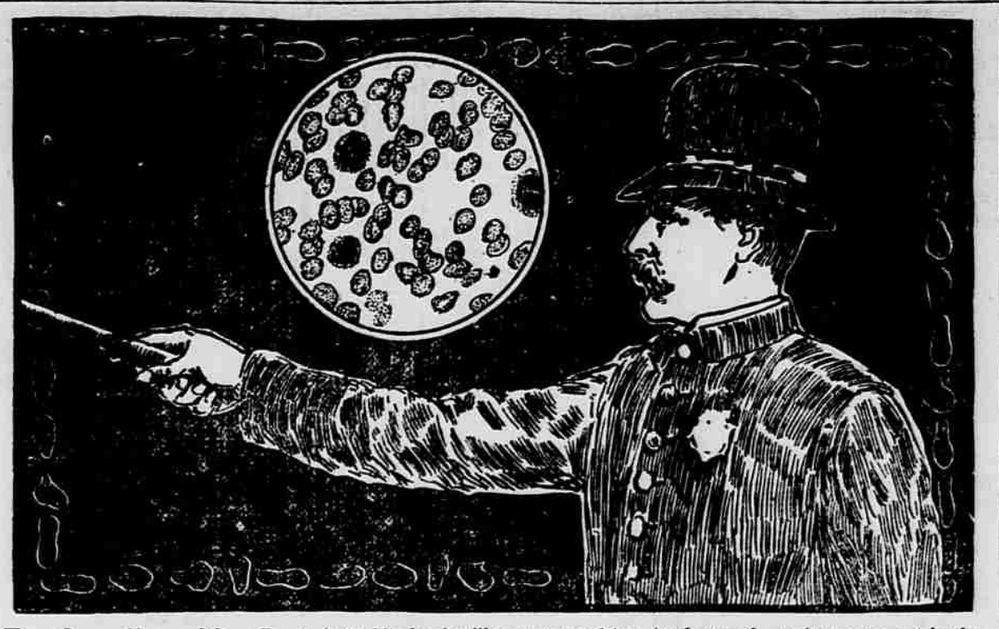

The Guardian of Our Body

SCIENCE UP-TO-DATE.

The foremost biologist of our day is M. Metschnikoff who has shown the world of science that there are leucocytes in our blood that act as scavengers or policemen. These policemen which are called *phagocytes* look out for the noxious or poisonous elements in our blood. It is of the highest importance to the long life of the human being that these policemen guard us from the attack of germs from the outside—who enter our bodies like burglars to take our lives. Various offending elements such as micro-organisms are picked out of the blood and tissues by these policemen and destroyed. Therefore our lives are protected by these blood-cell-policemen the *phagocytes*, and we enjoy immunity from disease so long as our blood contains plenty of phagocytes and red blood corpuscles. We can prolong life by keeping our blood in good condition—our circulation and liver active. In the above sketch the border shows types of red corpuscles which are degenerated, broken down blood cells—in healthy red blood the cells are round but when we get pale, thin and weak the round cells soon become irregularly shaped or like a dumb-bell. The policemen in our blood are represented by the dark irregular shaped cells within the circle showing healthy blood cells.

"The more study and time is given to the subject the more we find that the blood is the center of life"—says Dr. R. V. Pierce, the noted specialist of Buffalo, "the health and comfort of the average person depends entirely on this blood supply—for the heart must have pure blood or it will not pump and keep the body supplied regularly like the beautiful automatic engine it is. The nerves must be fed on pure blood—or we suffer the pain of neuralgia, which is the cry of the starved nerves for food. Headaches, cold in the head, catarrh—and many other things are due to stagnation of the blood." Many of our common ills could be prevented and cured if the people only knew themselves and their bodily make-up. Study some good medical book, it need not be technical—a good one is the "Common Sense Medical Adviser" by R. V. Pierce, M. D. This book is a complete treatise on Physiology, Anatomy, Hygiene and Medicine and gives simple receipts for the cure of ordinary ills—and is within the reach of everyone for this one thousand page illustrated book will be sent, by addressing Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for 21 one-cent stamps in paper binding, or cloth-bound for 31 stamps.

HOW TO PUT THINGS IN ORDER.

"A new broom sweeps clean"—and in order to put our own house in order we must get rid of all the poisons in the blood with a new broom such as an alterative extract made from roots and herbs—without the use of alcohol. Alcohol only shrivels up the red-blood corpuscles and therefore it is unwise to try and brace up one's strength with cocktails or alcoholic tonics and compounds. Some thirty-eight years ago Dr. Pierce who was in the active practice of medicine and surgery found that an alterative extract could be made of certain herbs without the use of alcohol, that was a specific for making rich red-blood—for eradicating the poisons from the blood. In some way the policemen in the blood are increased in number and strength—so that we are put in the best possible shape to resist disease—to cure neuralgia, colds, catarrh, and incipient consumption.

"I believe that it is generally conceded that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best medicine for a man to take suffering from indigestion, kidney trouble or any of the afflictions resulting from overwork or neglecting a cold," writes J. Russell Hill, of 332 Barrie Street, Kingston, Ontario, Recording Secretary Imperial Knights' Federation League of Kingston. "I have used it several times during the past few years and have always found that it gave me immediate relief. It expels excessive uric acid in the system due to improper digestion, relieves the kidneys from congestion, drives headache and backache away, induces appetite and tones up the general system. I consider it a fine remedy for young or old men, sure to build up a run-down condition of the system."

"It gives me great pleasure to express my faith in the virtue of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," writes Mrs. Ellen Hayes, of Whittens Stand, Tenn. "For several years I suffered with stomach trouble. Had spells which were so bad no pen can describe the suffering I endured while they lasted. In November, 1901, I wrote to Dr. Pierce, describing my case, and he replied advising the use of his 'Medical Discovery.' I bought nine bottles, have taken five of them and have not had another spell since I commenced the medicine, although am not yet entirely cured. I have received much and lasting good from Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and know that if I continue with it that it will cure me. I thank you for your kind advice and the benefit I received from your medicine."

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UNABLE TO AGREE ON NAME OF PROPOSED NEW TOWN.

Split in Temperance Faction Results in Advantage to Saloon Element in Jennings.

Disagreement over a name for a proposed new municipality in St. Louis County has resulted in the temporary advantage of the saloon element in Jennings.

When the saloon was opened several months ago the temperance citizens of Jennings and Woodland decided that the only way they could close the saloon would be by incorporating the two places as one town, hoping to get enough votes to vote down a local option law.

The temperance faction was a unit when it came to deciding that there should be a municipality, but when it came to choosing a name it divided into four factions. The Jennings crowd wanted the name retained. Part of the Woodland crowd wanted the name of Woodland retained, another part wanted the name of Camera, in honor of a local dry-plate industry, selected, while still another wanted it called Ben Avis, the name of the Post Office.

The factions also disagreed as to which element should be represented in the personnel of the first officers of the proposed town. The combined population of the two places is about 1,200. It is said that, if an agreement is not reached shortly, there will be two separate incorporated towns.

PREFERS REALTY BUSINESS.

Miss Helen Kimber Leaves Topeka to Go to Chicago.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Topeka, Kas., Dec. 18.—Miss Helen Kimber, president of the Kansas Equal Suffrage Association, has resigned her post and will go to Chicago to engage in the real estate business. Recently Miss Kimber went to that city and sold at public auction several Kansas farms and town lots which had been donated to the cause of equal suffrage by enthusiastic advocates in this State.

She now proposes to abandon Kansas for Chicago, where she will engage in business and expound equal suffrage doctrines.

Kohn to Be a Candidate.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Alto Pass, Ill., Dec. 18.—H. H. Kohn, trustee of the Southern Illinois Hospital for the Insane at Anna, will be a candidate for member of the State Board of Equalization from this congressional district if his friends are successful in their efforts. Kohn is Governor Yates's right bower in the southern end of the State.

Killed by Falling Slate.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bevier, Mo., Dec. 18.—George Williams, 25 years old, a coal miner, employed in mine No. 7 of the Northwestern Coal and Mining Company, was killed instantly by a fall of slate and rock while at his work this morning.

Have you seen the Katy Girl?

"Wets" Carry the Day.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Dec. 18.—The local option election held in Poplar Bluff and Butler County to-day resulted in the city giving a majority in favor of the antis. Indications are that the county also will give a handsome majority for the wets.

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