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PET SQUIRREL CAUSES TROUBLE

Master's Efforts to Recapture It Lead to Fight With Neighbor and Arrest of Both.

A pet squirrel, the property of John Calvey of No. 239 Market street, caused all kinds of trouble in that neighborhood yesterday evening, and led to the arrest of its master, as well as John Killoran of No. 234 Market street. Both will appear in the First District Police Court this morning, Killoran charged with disturbing the peace and Calvey with trespassing.

The squirrel, which had been housed in a cage at the Calvey homestead, tired of prison life, and took the first opportunity to depart yesterday evening.

Calvey was feeding the squirrel last evening, when it escaped from the cage and climbed up the pillars of the porch to the roof of the building. The master started in pursuit, but the squirrel had made its way over to the roof of Killoran's property before Calvey was able to overtake it.

The rustle of the feet on the gravel roof of the Killoran apartments caused quite a stir within, and John Killoran, aged 18 years, rushed out into the yard. He ordered Calvey to come down, at the same time holding a brick in a threatening attitude, it is said.

Calvey's attention was too much taken up by the brick in Killoran's hands, he says, and the squirrel meanwhile scampered off and escaped. Policeman Phillips arrived on the scene about that time and placed Calvey and Killoran under arrest. Both were released on bond a few minutes later.

LEGALITY OF REPEAL LAW DISPUTED BY BOOKMAKERS.

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the effect that it is not illegal to bet, but the rub comes on registering bets.

"Whether the bookmakers are within their rights will be decided by law. They are all anxious, I understand, for a speedy hearing."

Events at Delmar yesterday afternoon were far from encouraging to the bookmen and race followers. With Sheriff Herpel and his deputies circulating about the betting shed, even betting in handbooks between handshakes and comments on the weather proved rather hazardous.

The crowd in the betting ring circulated slowly about, gathering in knots, comparing the odds that might have been and then discussing the situation.

What little betting resulted was practically confined to the bookmaking fraternity and their friends. It is said that an outsider attempted to "cut in" in the handbooking business, but that he was soon told to suspend operations by one of the men who formerly held membership in the association.

Handbooking proved none too remunerative for either the operator or the player. The play was small. The general method followed was for the bettors to gather in a group, get the odds and then again visit one man taking the bets, and, after some idle conversation, quietly signify the horse and the amount which he wished to wager.

Sheriff Herpel and his deputies were on the ground early and signified their intention to suppress all open bookmaking. This settled the question so far as the bookmakers were concerned, and they made no attempt to place any of their paraphernalia on to do business. The Sheriff did not remain all of the time in the ring, but Clarence Campbell, a deputy, was seated upon one of the bookmakers' booths most of the afternoon making casual surveys.

BOOKMAKING CONTINUED AT INDIANAPOLIS TRACK.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 27.—Betting and bookmaking proceeded as usual at the race track to-day. No one interfered. Rumors of the Governor calling out the militia were afloat.

It is stated that he wrote letters to the Attorney General for authority, but the latter neither affirms or denies.

The Governor has not been in town all day, but his friends say he intends to stop pocketing.

LEE HEADS THE VIRGINIANS.

Officers of Society Elected and Banquet is Held.

W. H. Lee was elected president of the Virginia Society of St. Louis at the annual meeting at the Mercantile Club last night, which came after an elaborate banquet.

At the banquet brief talks on subjects of interest to Virginians were made by W. H. Lee, Henry T. Kent, T. T. Faunthroy, M. H. Alexander, the Reverend Dunlap H. Reed, J. A. Blevins, Doctor R. M. Funkhouser and J. E. Love.

The following officers were elected:

W. H. Lee, president; T. S. McPherrin, first vice president; J. Morton Williams, second vice president; J. Morton, secretary; M. H. Alexander, treasurer.

Board of Directors—Walker Hill, W. W. Horton, W. P. Clarkson, James M. Brockenbrough and James Hardman, Jr.

The following present: The Reverend Dunlap H. Reed, C. H. Funkhouser, R. W. Morton, Walker Hill, Edward A. Love, W. T. Cole, E. Palmer Clarke, T. H. Garrett, C. D. Shively, James C. McGinsey, C. Wickersham, Isaac S. S. Fisher, Doctor R. A. Wilkes, John E. Lewis, D. G. Tod, James Isaacson, James M. Brockenbrough, John J. A. Bowles, Henry T. Kent, W. H. Lee, John C. Orr, A. Bishop, W. Shelton, Frank N. Johnson, T. Aubrey, M. H. Alexander, Doctor Isaac Atkinson, F. S. Drake, S. Norvell, T. T. Faunthroy, John M. Seitz, W. Scott Hancock, W. W. Brown and E. H. Sublett.

Splendid Service on Big Four

Trains from St. Louis to Cincinnati.

New Missouri Road Chartered.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 27.—A charter was issued to-day by the Secretary of State for the Kansas City and Excelsior Springs Railroad Company. The capital stock is $50,000. The road will extend thirty miles between Kansas City, Mo., and Excelsior Springs, Mo. The directors are: W. J. Timmen, McKinley, Tex.; A. F. Martin, C. D. Pratt, James Williams and E. G. Jacobs, all of Kansas City.

GERMANY MAKES NO CONCESSIONS

In Note to France Insists Conference on Morocco Must Be Held.

COMMUNICATION IS FRIENDLY.

Does Not Favor Advance Agreement, but Tension of the Situation Is Relaxed.

Paris, June 27.—Germany's reply to the French note on the subject of Morocco was presented during a conference between Prince Radolin, the German Ambassador, and Premier Rouvier at the Foreign Office to-day.

While most friendly in form and entirely lacking a peremptory tone, Germany's response none the less maintains the position that the Moroccan question must be regulated by a conference of the Powers, without any agreement in advance limiting the scope of such conference.

This was accompanied by the presentation of Germany's general point of view in such an amicable spirit as to disarm the suspicion entertained concerning Germany's ulterior motives.

Prince Radolin remained after the presentation of the note for a lengthy conversation in which Germany's desire for an amicable adjustment of the difficulty was further expressed.

DECISION FRIDAY.

It is thought that Premier Rouvier will be prepared to terminate the controversy either by accepting the conference or submitting counter proposals. However, he informed Prince Radolin that no decision would be taken until the German note had been submitted to the council of Ministers at its next regular meeting, which will take place Friday, so that final determination remains in abeyance, unless the council should be called in special session. It is the general expectation that an agreement will be reached on the basis of a conference.

TENSION DIMINISHED.

Tension in official quarters has notably diminished and this is only explainable on the theory that a conference will be accepted, as Germany's response does not make any notable concession.

However, the agreeable tone adopted by Germany and the entire absence of menace appear to create the most favorable impression. This is a most fortunate turn of affairs, for while France sincerely seeks to avoid a rupture anything offensive to the national pride might have inflamed public opinion beyond the point of control.

PERSIA NOT IN QUESTION.

Reports from foreign capitals to the effect that France recognizes Germany's influence in Persia as compensation for the renunciation of that country's claim in Morocco has somewhat annoyed French officials, who, in strenuous terms, authoritatively deny any such understanding, saying:

"France is negotiating with Germany about Morocco, and only about Morocco. Rumors relative to Persia or elsewhere are purely inventions, and of a nature to create trouble between the Powers, particularly with Russia. A positive denial of these rumors can be given."

SUSPECTED NEGRO GETS HIS LIBERTY

Charles Gurley Not the Man Wanted in New Tuxton for Assault.

Prosecuting Attorney Theodore Hukriede of Warren County arrived in the city last evening and with United States Marshal Morsey went to the Four Courts, where they saw the negro, Charles Gurley, who had been arrested on suspicion of being wanted for a assault.

Gurley, it was alleged, was the negro known as Charlie Cole, who assaulted Mrs. Hermon Bunce near New Tuxton Monday afternoon. Mr. Hukriede, who knows Colewell, declared as soon as he saw Gurley, that he was the wrong man. He says Cole is much larger and heavier than Gurley.

"If Cole is arrested and taken back to the neighborhood of the assault, it will be a hard task to keep the citizens of that country from taking the law into their own hands," said Marshal Morsey.

He disappeared immediately. Conductor Thomson of the Burlington says the police the information on which Gurley was arrested at Union Station yesterday morning. Gurley, dodged ever having been near New Tuxton. He said he had just come from Burlington, Ia.

After Prosecuting Attorney Hukriede said he was not the man, Gurley was released. Gurley's brother was hanged about three years ago for the murder of Rosie Higgins, a negress.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN VESSELS.

Gibraltar, June 27.—Arrived: Minnesota, Hong Kong and Shanghai, for Yokohama and Seattle.

Hongkong, June 27.—Sailed: Empress, San Francisco, via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Yokohama and Honolulu.

Genoa, June 27.—Arrived: Lombardia, New York, via Naples; Neckar, New Orleans, New York, via Naples.

Southampton, June 27.—Arrived: Weimar, New York.

London, June 27.—Arrived: Minneapolis, New York.

Queenstown, June 27.—Arrived: Pretoria, via Naples.

Naples, June 27.—Sailed: Steamers Stella, New York, via Messina; Prussia, New York.

Bremerhaven, June 27.—Arrived: Grosser Kurfurst, New York, via Cherbourg.

Cherbourg, June 27.—Arrived: Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Bremen, via Hamburg and Cherbourg.

New York, June 27.—Sailed: Steamers Noordland, Antwerp, via Plymouth and Dover; Philadelphia, Queenstown and Liverpool; Prussia, Naples, via Genoa.

Marseilles, June 27.—Arrived: Scandia, Genoa, via Naples.

Plymouth, June 27.—Arrived: Steamer Schwaben, Bremen, via Cherbourg, for New York.

Queenstown, June 27.—Arrived: Valeria, from New York.

New York, June 27.—Arrived: Mesaba, from London, via Plymouth, from Bremen.

HOMES OF CLINTON BANKERS NOW IN HANDS OF RECEIVER JOHN B. EGGERS

CASHIER THOMAS W. CASEY'S Residence in Clinton. The property has been turned over to Receiver Eggers, who now has charge of the Salmon Bank.

DOCTOR G. B. SALMON'S HOME In Clinton, which has been turned over to Receiver Eggers of the Salmon Bank.

MAJOR HARVEY W. SALMON'S Residence in Clinton, Mo., which is among the properties delivered to Receiver Eggers of the Salmon Bank.

AUTHORITIES CONTEND FOR CONTROL OF SALMON BANK.

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the $200,000 bond given by the Salmon & Salmon Bank as the county depository.

The county had on deposit at the time of the suspension $65,000. The bank paid interest at 2½ per cent on the daily balance of the county funds.

The bondsmen include both Doctor George Y. and Major Harvey W. Salmon and some of the wealthiest citizens of the county. Each is sued for the full amount of the county's deposit of $65,000.

SAYS SUIT IS FORMAL.

The suit is said by Mr. Hinkle to be merely pro forma and for the purpose of protecting the interests of the county.

Judge Walter W. Graves arrived from Butler this morning and is acting with Mr. Hinkle for the county.

County Collector E. M. Goodwin had on deposit about $3,000 of the county funds, which had accumulated since his last accounting with the County Court. Head bondsmen are personally liable for any loss that may occur.

The bank was also the depository for the city and school funds. The amount of their deposits has not been definitely ascertained as yet.

The former manager, Thomas M. Casey, is still in bed at his home, guarded by a Deputy Sheriff. Prosecuting Attorney Hinkle states that it is not probable that he will be admitted to bail, at this time, at least.

CASEY'S CONDITION SERIOUS.

He is still in a serious condition mentally and physically and is said to be practically a wreck.

He has made no statement other than what he told to Special Agent Cook when he pointed out the absolutely good notes and securities of the bank and separated them from those alleged to be "straw" notes.

It is reported that this last class will reach a total of $80,000. Those who have had an opportunity to learn something of conditions inside the bank still believe that the assets will pay from 50 to 60 cents on the dollar.

The report made by Mr. Cook to the mass meeting of the depositors yesterday had a remarkable quieting effect, and all talk of trouble or a demonstration of force has absolutely subsided.

The inflammatory suggestions came from the hot-headed element, and for a time the officials were very apprehensive.

The forty-five deputies who were sworn in early yesterday morning were not required to be on duty and were not armed, but were merely prepared for any emergency which might arise.

The situation to-night is quiet and no further demonstrations are feared.

ST. LOUIS BANK WILL NOT LOSE BY CLINTON FAILURE.

William L. McDonald, vice president of the Commonwealth Trust Company, one of the creditors of the Salmon Bank, stated yesterday that the Commonwealth is no loser by reason of the failure.

"The amount of the indebtedness of the Salmon Bank to the Commonwealth Trust Company is small," said Mr. McDonald, "and the sum is fully covered by ample collateral."

The Place for Printing.

Any description; lithographing; binding. GRIEDLEY PRINTERY OF ST. LOUIS. S. J. Harbaugh, President.

TWELVE RECEIVE DIPLOMAS.

Walther School Holds Graduation Exercises at Y. M. C. A.

The commencement exercises of the Walther School were held in the Central Y. M. C. A. building, at Grand and Franklin avenues, last night. Twelve pupils received diplomas.

The programme consisted of songs and recitations and a display of needlework done the last year under the instructions of Miss A. Cramme.

Following are the graduates:

Scientific Course—Alfred Schmidt and Fred Toursaint.

English Course—Hilda Harnisch and Clara Kortemeuth.

Commercial Course—Henry H. Boden, Paul Brasseux, Walter H. Droege, Frank Eilbacher, Harry Kelle, Hilda Krato, Florentine Noll and Walter Uehl.

For Boston and New England.

The Four trains leave St. Louis daily, 8:15 a. m., 1 p. m., 11 p. m.

Lodge Building Burns at Conway.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Conway, Ark., June 27.—The temporary brick building east of the depot, and occupied by the Woodmen and Odd Fellows, was burned this morning about 1 o'clock. Woodmen loss, $300, no insurance. Odd Fellows' loss, $500, with $300 insurance. Building, $400, with $150 insurance. This building was the first brick structure in Conway.

RAISES DIVIDEND TO 16 PER CENT

Commonwealth Trust Company Will Pay $80,000 Additional Revenue to Its Stockholders Next Month.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Commonwealth Trust Company yesterday afternoon it was unanimously decided to increase the dividend rate from 3 per cent quarterly to 4 per cent quarterly, or 16 per cent per annum. The dividends are paid quarterly, and the first 4 per cent dividend was declared and will be paid to the stockholders in July.

The surplus of the company is $3,500,000 and the capital $2,000,000, so that the increase of 4 per cent means that $80,000 additional revenue will be distributed among the stockholders yearly.

As announced in The Republic Sunday, the proposal to increase the dividend rate has been under consideration by the Commonwealth directors for several weeks. The earnings have been such as to warrant a larger distribution of profits, and the policy of the company is to follow that plan.

In speaking of the increase yesterday, Tom Randolph, president of the company, said that business had been unusually good in all departments, and that his directors believed it a safe and wise plan to give the stockholders a larger share in the profits.

SHARES STRONG ON 'CHANGE.

On the local Stock Exchange Commonwealth shares were strong yesterday. Bids were made at $97, but the stock was held firmly at $99. The company's deposits are, according to the last statement, $5,314,52.

William C. Fordyce has been appointed assistant to the president of the Commonwealth, it was announced yesterday. Mr. Fordyce, who is a son of Colonel Samuel W. Fordyce, is president of the Little Rock and Hot Springs Western Railroad. He is an expert on railroad and corporation affairs, and it is understood that his duties will include much of the underwriting and promotion business of the company, for which his experience peculiarly adapts him.

COVINGTON BRIBERY TRIAL MAY BE COMMENCED TO-DAY.

Many Witnesses Called for the First Case Resulting From the Arkansas Boodle Inquiry.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., June 27.—All indications to-night are that the trial of Senator A. W. Covington on a charge of accepting a bribe of $5,000 on the State Capitol bill will begin to-morrow.

This will be the first of the cases growing out of the boodle investigation to go to trial. Many witnesses have been summoned and it is probable the trial will extend through several days.

Senator Covington will be defended by former Attorney General George W. Murphy, W. M. Lewis and his law partner, former Congressman Jordan E. Cravens.

SEEK TO OBTAIN LAND PAID FOR IN CONFEDERATE BILLS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., June 27.—A writ of mandamus was ordered to-day by Circuit Judge Winfield to compel the State Land Commissioner to issue a patent to certain lands in Greene County to the heirs of Mark Kelly.

The lands were sold by the State, and were paid for in Confederate money during the Civil War.

They neglected to obtain a patent at the time, and it was later refused by the State because payment had been made in Confederate bills.

On Trial for Killing Sweetheart.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paris, Mo., June 27.—The second trial of Frank Dawson, charged with the murder of his sweetheart, Miss Annie Hartman, began here to-night at 7 o'clock. The jury, after much trouble, was selected from the panel of 16. The taking of evidence will begin in the morning.

GRAEME STEWART DEAD IN CHIGAGO

Republican Leader and Politician Succumbs to Successive Attacks of Apoplexy—Stricken First at Banquet Table.

Chicago, June 27.—Graeme Stewart, a leader in Chicago's commercial, political and social life, two years ago a candidate for Mayor on the Republican ticket and a member of the Executive Committee of the Republican National Committee from 1900 to 1904, died at his residence here early to-day after a month's illness.

Clotting of blood upon the brain, with a series of apoplectic strokes, was the cause of his death.

On the evening of May 24 Mr. Stewart was seated at a table in the banquet hall of the Auditorium Hotel, one of the guests at an elaborate dinner given by the Bankers' Club.

He had just completed the task of collecting the $128,000 guaranty promised by the merchants' and commercial clubs to the United States Government in order to bring the Lake Naval Station to Lake Bluff, Ill., and was receiving the congratulations of his friends.

Just as Paul Morton, Secretary of the Navy, was praising the Panama Canal policy of President Roosevelt Mr. Stewart gasped and sank inertly into his chair.

He became unconscious at once, and was taken to a room, where restoratives were administered. The physicians announced that he had suffered from an attack of acute indigestion, combined with a slight congestion of the brain, and within a few days he seemed to be well on the road toward complete recovery.

But his strength was slow in returning, for his illness had proved really to be a slight stroke of apoplexy. Another attack brought on a relapse. A third followed a few days ago, and since then Mr. Stewart's life has been slowly ebbing away.

$9.75, Memphis and Return.

Via Illinois Central, July 1 to 4, returning July 6.

EDWARD W. NASH DYING.

Family of the President of Smelter Trust Have Been Summoned.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Omaha, Neb., June 27.—The condition of Edward W. Nash, president of the Smelter Trust, who suffered a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago, is to-night very critical, and hopes of his recovery have been abandoned.

Several eminent Chicago physicians have been in attendance upon him during the last few days. So critical is the condition of the patient that all the members of his family have been sent for and will be with him in a day or two. A member of Mr. Nash's family said to-day that hope has been abandoned and that the end is expected very soon.

If cleanliness is next to godliness Belcher's Baths are an aqueous paradise.

DROUGHT RELIEF IS TEMPORARY.

Central and Eastern Sections of Missouri Still in Need of Rain.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., June 27.—Last week was generally favorable for crop growth and farming operations. Normal temperature prevailed. Moisture was ample in the Northwest and Southwest sections for all purposes, but only temporarily sufficient for corn in the central and eastern sections, while meadows and pastures are still needing rain badly.

Wheat harvest progressed rapidly and is nearing completion in all portions of the State. A great deal of it is now in stack. Some little thrashing has been done with gratifying results in quantity and quality.

Rye is turning out better than expected.

Oats harvest has become general and the yield is rated above the average.

Corn continues to make vigorous growth and is in a very satisfactory stage. The advanced crop is being laid by and the greater part of it is in silk and tassel.

While the drought was broken in all portions of the State during the first part of the week, good results were only temporary in many of the central and east central counties, and the lack of moisture is beginning to be seriously felt in the following counties: Mason, Franklin, Howard, Montgomery, Osage, Maries, Pulaski, Laclede, Dallas, Montgomery, Warren, St. Charles, Lincoln, Pike and Audrain.

Cotton made fair growth and has been mostly chopped out.

Potatoes deteriorated somewhat in the eastern half of the State, but are being dug with fair yields in the western counties.

Meadows and pastures, and in fact all grasses, are short in central eastern counties, but are quite satisfactory in the northwestern and southwestern sections.

Large fruits are scarce and inferior. Small fruits are fairly plentiful except in the central counties.

Go to Laughlin's, Seventh and Locust, for good things to eat.

Scruggs Vandervoort & Barney

BROADWAY—OLIVE—LOCUST

A Reduction Sale in Infants' Wear

A clearing up of all broken lots caused these great reductions, offering a saving which should and will be interesting to all mothers.

Infants' Caps in the Machine and Hand Made

Fine, sheer Lawn; hand tucks; French dots Val. lace; reduced from $1 to..... 68c

Very sheer Lawn; fine hand tucks; hand lockers; Val. ruches; $1.50 value..... 98c

Sheer Nainsook, hand tucks; Val. lace insertions and embroidery; $2.25 value for..... $1.98

Children's White Pique Hats Reduced from $1.75 to 98c

Children's Gulmps, ages 2 to 10 years; very much reduced; sheer lawns and nainsocks, machine and hand made; dainty briers, lace and tucks.

Children's Princess Dresses for 2-Year Sizes

White Lawn, long tucked waist, tucked skirt; reduced from $1.00 to..... 89c

White Lawn, long waist, tucked yoke, embroidery insertion; tucked skirt; reduced from $2.25 to..... $1.19

White Pique Reefers Greatly Reduced

Children's White Pettic oats for Ages 12 to 14 Years

Nainsook, full flounce of dainty Valenciennes lace and insertions; reduced from $2.50 to..... $1.68

Babies' White Pique Shoes Greatly Reduced

Lace Curtain Sale

Draneries for summer; Nottingham and Swiss Ruffled Curtains at nearly half the regular prices.

Nottingham Curtains, in large number of patterns; regularly $1.50 and $1.65 a pair, for..... 95c

Nottingham Curtains, extra good quality; regularly $2.25 and $2.50 a pair, for..... $1.35

Nottingham Curtains; launder exceptionally well; regularly $2.50 and $2.75 a pair, for..... $1.65

Ruffled Swiss Curtains, plain ruffled Swiss; 3 yards long; regularly $1.00 a pair, for..... 75c

Figured Ruffled Swiss Curtains and plain Ruffled Swiss, with inserting of lace; regularly $1.50 a pair, for..... 95c

Summer Millinery at ½ Price

All our high-grade Hats are included.

French Models

Trimmed Hats

Children's Hats

In order to clean up the stock we have reduced prices exactly one-half.

The 5c Sale

Summer Wash Materials

Usually priced at 12½c and 15c a yard, we shall mark the entire lot at Five Cents a yard.

Sale begins to-day; five hundred bolts in the lot and includes the most desirable materials of the season; all this season's styles:

Printed Batistes, Lawns, Organdies, cluster cord Dimities, real Chambrays.

The assortment of printed fabrics includes white and tinted grounds in colored, figured and stripe effects; some black on white; many with the Organdy patterns on white, in pretty Dresden, Persian and Arabesque designs.

Regular prices at 12½c and 15c—

To-Day 5c Yard

Scruggs Vandervoort & Barney

BROADWAY—OLIVE—LOCUST

DON'T BELIEVE MINES WILL BE TIED UP.

Coal Operators Will Frame Reply to Miners on Shot Firers To-Day.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, June 27.—A reply to the proposition of the United Mine Workers for arbitration upon the question of an alleged violation of their agreement in securing the passage of the shot-firers' law, will be framed and acted on to-morrow by the Executive Board of the Coal Operators' Association.

At the end of a long session, at which National President Mitchell, Secretary Ryan and State President Perry represented the mine workers in the discussion of the resolution adopted by the miners last Friday at Springfield, the committee was appointed and the meeting adjourned till to-morrow.

They, as well as several of the leading owners, apparently do not believe that the threatened tie-up of the mines will be called. Both sides are anxious to avert a closing of operations.

It is said that the action of the meeting to-day will be a counter proposition for consideration by the miners, suggesting arbitration of the entire question of shot-firing, the responsibility for expense of repairing damages, as well as the shot-firers' pay.

President Garrison of the mine owners, in a letter to President Perry of the Mine Workers, says:

It becomes necessary to formulate a supplemental agreement to cover the changed conditions during the remaining period of the contract, expiring March 31, 1906. If a meeting between properly authorized representatives of our respective organizations is unable to agree upon all of the details of such a supplemental contract, and it is agreed to submit any of the details involved to arbitration, we will insist that such arbitrating body be fully constituted before such matter is submitted, and if the miners are to remain at work from July 1 until such decision is reached, we will also insist that the mine workers live up to the present contract, and reimburse the operators for the expense incurred, directly or indirectly, by the application of the shot-firers' law.

CAPTAIN HENRY FIELDS DEAD.

Was Prominent Republican in Northeast Missouri.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paris, Mo., June 27.—Captain Henry M. Fields, one of the best-known characters of Northeast Missouri, and twenty years ago one of the leading Republican politicians of the State, died at his home north of Paris yesterday and was buried at the Salem burying ground to-day with Masonic rites.

Captain Fields was prominent in Missouri in war times. He was 83 years old and a Kentuckian by birth.

REWARDS FORMER COMRADE.

Civil War Veteran Gets Watch for Saving Soldier's Life.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kenton, O., June 27.—W. F. McMullen, an old soldier of Kenton, received to-day from Benjamin Whistler of St. Joseph, Mo., a gold watch as a reward for saving the life of the latter during the Civil War.

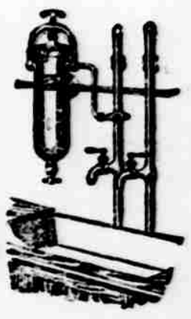
While on picket duty near St. Genevieve, Mo., in 1862, McMullen saved Whistler from the Confederate sharpshooters.

Beginning Saturday, July 1st, This Store Will Close During July and August at 1 O'Clock on Saturdays, Other Days at 5.

TROORLATPIF

Mysterious Pink Worm in St. Louis Water

This illustration, taken from last Sunday's Post-Dispatch, shows the mysterious worm that has made its appearance in St. Louis water. We do not wish to cause alarm, but it is a fact nevertheless that worms, insects, etc., taken into the stomach, often cause serious intestinal disorders, and sometimes constitutional disorders. The city authorities are doing all in their power to free the water from these worms, but so far have not succeeded—meanwhile they are being found in hydrants all over the city. Be safeguarded—we carry a line of Filters in various sizes, adapted for all purposes, any one of which will remove not only the pink worm, but all other forms of animal life, from your water supply. Prices range from..... 75c to $18.00



We especially recommend our family-size Filters at $4.50, $6.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

We believe the weather to-day will be fair.

The Simmons Company Broadway and St. Charles.

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