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Thermometer Record.

The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M., 38°; 12 M., 42°; 3 P. M., 44°; 7 P. M., 39°.

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—1 A. M.—For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, generally fair weather, winds generally from north to west, slight rise in temperature.

For the Lower Lake region, generally fair weather, winds becoming variable, slight rise in temperature.

"Called Back" To-Night.

This evening at the Opera House Miss Louise Rial will open a brief engagement at reduced prices in "Called Back," a dramatization of Hugh Conway's novel. She is supported by Miss Laura Bigger and Mr. Will Marion, author of this version of "Called Back." The company is highly spoken of by the press of other cities. It should be borne in mind by regular habitues of the Opera House that a large house to-night will be regarded as a strong argument for popular prices.

Supper and Social.

The supper and social at the First Baptist Church last night, under the auspices of the Woman's Mission Circle of the church, was one of the grandest successes ever attained by the ladies in a social and gastronomic way. No little credit for the success of the enterprise is due the Young People's Working Association, which contributed largely to the social feature as well as the financial. All who attended were more then pleased with the attention they received at the hands of the ladies, as nothing was left undone that could contribute in any way to the pleasure of their patrons. They undoubtedly added new laurels to their already well established reputation for giving a good supper and making everybody feel at home.

A Thief in the Night.

A thief in the night is alarming. How much more so is that night fiend, croup, strangling the little ones. Provide a safeguard and keep Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein, which will not only prevent, but cure Croup,

DON'T fail to sample the excellent Sheboygan Water, Ginger Ale or Cocoa for which McGinley and McCormick are sole agents in this vicinity.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

LOUISE RIAL in "Called Back" at the Opera House this evening.

"OUR JONATHAN" at Charley Shay's Academy of Music again this afternoon and evening.

THE South Chicago *Daily Calumet* of Monday evening, says the nailers there are weakening.

ARTIST MYLES has just completed a very life-like and finely colored pastel of C. N. Fisher's imported thoroughbred pug dog.

NEARLY all the bells of the city were tolled yesterday during the time that the late Vice-Presidents Hendricks' funeral was in progress.

THE information that Mertz, convicted of an attempt to rob, was subject to imprisonment in the penitentiary, was incorrect. The penalty is imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year and a fine not exceeding $500.

CLERK HOOK yesterday admitted to record a deed made November 27, by D. M. Alexander and wife, to Mary Lindemyer, in consideration of $2,708 50, for 10¼ acres of land adjoining the Marshall farm, in Ohio county, east of Wheeling.

SHERIFF SEDWICK, of Belmont county, yesterday closed up the shoe store of W. L. Tripp, at Martin's Ferry, on an attachment sworn out by E. M. Smertz, of Pittsburgh. It is hoped and believed Mr. Tripp will be able to tide over the trouble.

MR. OSCAR B. PORTER and bride, who returned from their wedding trip Monday night, were last night serenaded at their home in East Wheeling by the Island rink band. After several selections had been played the musicians were invited in and sat down to a sumptuous repast spread by Mrs. Porter.

THE interest of admirers of speed on rollers is centred in the race, mile heats, best two in three, for $50 a side, which is to be skated at the Chapline street rink to-morrow night by Bick Sheppard, of this city, and Charles Reark, of East Liverpool. Each of the boys is determined to win if it is in him.

W. E. SHERIDAN, the famous actor, will appear at the Opera House Saturday afternoon and evening, December 12, in the great tragedy, "Louis XI." Mr. Sheridan is counted by many competent critics among the greatest living tragedians, and especial attention is paid to the stage setting of "Louis XI." This engagement will be a dramatic event scarcely second to any of the season.

RESERVED seats will be sold at Baumer's music store, commencing this morning, for the engagement of "Burr Oaks" at the Opera House next Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday matinee. This play is by American authors, the scene is laid in America, and the cast is composed of American actors. It is frequently compared to "The Silver King." The company carries a carload of picturesque scenery.

THE Academy of Music was well filled again last night to see the very laughable performance of the Moore and Vivian Comedy Company in "Our Jonathan," and a repetition of many of the comical scenes, sayings, songs and dances was demanded. The people want something to laugh at these hard times, to take their minds off of their business troubles, and they only have to see "Our Jonathan" to make them not only laugh heartily but forget the cares of the day.

BISHOP GEORGE W. PETERKIN, of the Diocese of West Virginia, assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Gibson, of Parkersburg, W. W. Walker, of Bellaire, Hammond, of Moundsville, Noland, of Wellsburg, and R. R. Swope, of this city, will, beginning Wednesday evening, December 2, and continuing throughout the week, conduct a number of services at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Rev. J. Gibson Gantt, Rector. On Wednesday Thursday, Friday and Saturday there will be evening services at 7 o'clock. On Thursday and Friday services at 10:30 o'clock in the morning also. These services will be marked by hearty singing and earnest addresses. The subjects are: "The Influence of the Spirit;" "Toiling and Sowing;" "Yoke of Christ;" "Motive Power of a Holy Life;" "Spirit, Argument and Enterprise of Missions;" "The Law of Christ." The Rector will be glad to welcome all. The seats of the church are free. All ladies engaged in charitable works and young men are particularly invited.

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finest hand-made shoes, of Stacy, Adams & Co. make, the finest and most stylish shoes in the market, at
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Police Pencillings.

Yesterday was another fairly lively day in police circles. Thomas Conkey, who applied to Lieutenant Junkins for lodging night before last, was arranged as a vagrant yesterday and sent up for sixty days. Dave Garwin, of North Wheeling, for selling liquor on Sunday, was fined $20 and costs.

Henry Klieves was locked up by Officer Lukens and Toney Maloy by Officer Bell, for fighting on Market street. One unknown was also run in for disorder at the B. & O. depot.

Three women and a man were arrested by Officers Junkins, West, Daku and Carney last evening in the house at No. 115 Seventeenth street. The officers said there had been a row in the house, which collected a crowd of people in the street in front. The man was released upon depositing money to pay his fine. The collateral was refused for the fines of the three women, however, and they spent the night behind the bars.

I. O. O. F. Entertainment.

Franklin Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F. gave a very pleasant and enjoyable entertainment in their hall on Monday evening. The programme was well rendered, the musical part surpassing anything in that line before given, and the addresses and recitations were above the average. After the programme was completed refreshments were distributed and a pleasant social time was spent. Following is the programme: Opening Ode, Lodge; Prayer, Rev. G. M. Shott; Address, J. A. Taylor; Quartette, C. T. Reed, T. E. Kasley, Mrs. Kasley, Miss E. Amick; Recitation, Miss Jennie Edwards; Duett, Messrs. Reed and Kasley; Harmonica Solo, R. Birch; Duett, Misses Z. O. Ward and May Ward; Reading, S. F. Faris; Trio, Messrs. Reed, Kasley and C. K. Smith; Recitation, Miss Rena C. Ward; Solo, John Lee; Solo, Charles Jackson; Closing Ode, Lodge; Benediction, Rev. G. M. Shott.

The Washington Oil Fields.

At present there are in the Washington county, Pa., oil and gas field fifteen wells drilled or being drilled and twelve rigs up or building for the purpose of drilling, making a total of twenty-seven wells under way, and more are to be drilled.

The bailer is still at the bottom of the Gantz well. As the rock above the packing is caving in on the bailer the well must be cased. A man is expected to arrive to-day to do this work, when the lost tools will be fished out and drilling resumed in the hopes of securing a larger flow of oil.

The total production of oil at the Gordon No. 1 well, in Washington county, from August 31st up to and including November 30, has been 324,235 gallons, or 7,183 barrels.

THE ladies of the Chapline street M. E. Church will give a social and supper at their church this evening. Admission and supper 25 cents. All are cordially invited.

Notice.

On Saturday, December 5, I will make a special sale of odd pairs of Ladies', Misses,' and Children's shoes, which will be sold at one-half the regular price. Among them will be some of the best makes and most staple goods in the market. Call early and secure a bargain.
L. V. BLOND.

FOR a nice, refreshing, harmless drink, try the famous Sheboygan Mineral Water, Ginger Ale or Cocoa.

THE MARLING CASE

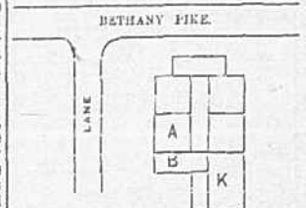
ON TRIAL IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Thomas McGowan, one of the Party, who is is Alleged Robbed and Tortured old Elijah Marling a Year ago, Arraigned Separately for the Grave Crime.

The outrage perpetrated by masked burglars on old Elijah Marling, a resident of this county, living on the Bethany pike five or six miles from town, last December, created such deep and widespread horror when the facts became known, that the case is comparatively fresh in the public mind. Marling lived alone, and had a reputation for keeping large sums of money in the house. On the night of December 22, 1884, his house was broken into by three masked men, who knocked him insensible and bound and gagged him, then proceeding to search the house. When the old man revived he was subjected to inhuman torture, being burned with a redhot poker and with hot liquids, and threatened with death if he did not divulge where his money was hid. The arrest shortly of Jasper Kinscaid and Thomas McGowan for the crime; their release after a hearing and subsequent re-arrest by Sheriff Handlan, with William McGowan, John and George Culver and Ed Augus, will also be remembered. Yesterday the case of these six men came on for trial in Part II of the Circuit Court, before Judge Jacob.

THE HOUSE WHERE THE ROBBERY OCCURRED.

Perhaps a better understanding can be obtained from the testimony as it progresses by the aid of a plat of the Marling premises. The house has a front porch or portico, and a back porch. From the latter doors open into the kitchen and Mr. Marling's sleeping room, where the outrage was perpetrated. The porch is designated B in the plat below, and Mr. Marling's room A. The fireplace in this room is immediately opposite the door from the porch. Adjoining the kitchen, marked K, is a little pantry, abutting on the porch.



The technical charge against the men is merely robbery, or rather burglary, though the burglary and larceny was a mere incident of the outrage. The torture to which Mr. Marling was subjected cannot be adequately punished under the law. The charge, with all the verbiage of an indictment for a felony, is as follows:

THE INDICTMENT.

"The jurors of the State of West Virginia in and for the body of the county of Ohio, and now attending the Circuit Court of the said county, upon their oaths present

"That Thomas McGowan, Edward Angus, William McGowan, John Culver, George Culver and Jasper Kincaid, on the twenty-second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand one hundred and eighty-four, in the night time of that day, to-wit: at about the hour of nine o'clock in the night of that day as aforesaid, feloniously and burglariously did break and enter into the dwelling house of one Elijah Marling, situate in the said county of of Ohio, with intent the goods and chattels of him, the said Elijah Marling, in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away; and divers United States treasury notes for the payment of divers sums of money amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $130 and of the value of $130; divers national bank notes for the payment of divers sums of money, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $130, and of the value of $130, divers pieces of gold coin of the United States, and current in this State, the number and denomination of which are to the jurors aforesaid unknown, amounting in the aggregate to a large sum, to wit: to the sum of $30, and of the value of $30; divers pieces of silver coin of the United States, and current in this State, the number and denomination of which are to the jurors aforesaid unknown, amounting in the aggregate to a large sum, to-wit: to the sum of $25, and of the value of $25, of the goods and chattels, United States Treasury notes, national bank notes and coin of the said Elijah Marling, in the said dwelling house in the county of Ohio aforesaid then and there being found, then and there feloniously and burglariously did steal and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the State."

A SEPARATE TRIAL.

Prosecuting Attorney Jordan was assisted by H. M. Russell, Esq., while Messrs. Dovener and Elson appeared for the defense. Mr. Jordan moved for a separate trial, to which Capt. Dovener objected. After some discussion the Court decided that the State had the right to elect whether the accused should be tried jointly or severally, and to say which should be tried first.

Under this ruling, to which the defense excepted, the prosecution announced that Thomas McGowan would be tried first. The work of obtaining a jury was then begun. Each juror was asked: "Are you related to any party interested in this case? Have you any interest, direct or indirect, in the result? Are you sensible of any bias or prejudice for or against the accused? Have you formed or expressed any opinion as to their guilt or innocence? Were you a member of the grand jury which returned this indictment?"

Only three or four men avowed any prejudice or had expressed any opinion. They were excused. Finally the following named jurors were sworn: Walter Marshall, Jr., William Fox, Charles Zimmerman, F. D. Snyder, F. J. Rothacker, William Johnson, Phillip Koehler, Thomas Norton, Leroy Elder, Peter Wendel, Jr., Charles Stein.

The noon recess was then taken. At 2 o'clock the court reassembled and the case was opened for the opposing sides by Prosecuting Attorney Jordan and Capt. Dovener, respectively.

The evidence for the prosecution was begun about 3 o'clock.

THE VICTIM'S STORY.

Elijah Marling was called to the stand, having been sworn as a witness. He said he resided on the Bethany pike, in Ohio county; lived there on the 22nd of last December. On the night of that day, about eight o'clock, his house was broken in by robbers, who stole all the money he had, some being in his pockets and the rest in the hall. The thieves burst in the door; there was a shot on the porch, and just then the door was burst open from the back porch. Three men came in. One of them he recognized as the defendant, Thomas McGowan. Another was John Culver. The latter pushed him over on the bed which was in the room, and began choking him. McGowan had a pick-handle, or similar club, and with this he struck the witness across the back of the head, knocking him senseless. When the door was burst open Marling was sitting by the fireplace, which was near the bed. One of the men said, "We want that money Johnson Murray says he paid you for rent." This was all that was said before he was stunned by the blow from the pick handle. When he came to he was bound hand and foot with a cord taken from the bed. McGowan talked considerably. He heated a poker in the fire and burned the witness over 20 times with it. Under this torture he divulged where some silver was hid in the hall. The thieves got about $200 in all. There were three men in the house, and another one came in. This one he did not recognize, but the other three he did; they were Tom McGowan, William McGowan and John Culver. They staid in the house 2 or 3 hours, leaving near 12 o'clock. One of them said it was near 12; they didn't want to stay all night. In addition to binding him, they gagged him, and beside burning with the poker they poured hot water on him. The men wore something over their faces; sort of gray cloth masks. The money taken was partly paper, partly gold and partly silver. Part of it was received a few days before in payment for hay, and part the same evening from Johnson Murray, who paid him some rent. McGowan lived about a mile beyond the witness, on the Bethany pike; he had known him about eight years and Culver about 25 years. When the robbers left McGowan said he had a notion to go back and kill Marling.

THE CROSS EXAMINATION.

On his cross examination Marling said the men came to the house shortly after dark—6 or 8 o'clock. The masks were "kind of dark-like, dark gray." He was asked if he hadn't heard Mr. Dovener say in opening the case that this witness had before said the men wore black masks, while Kincaid said they were gray. The witness did not clearly understand this inquiry, and finally said he did not just remember what Mr. Dovener said. He did not remember what he said about the masks on the former hearing. They were dark masks. He did not remember whether he heard Kincaid's testimony.

The cross examination was very tedious and unsatisfactory, owing to the halting manner of the witness, his reluctance to answer directly and the difficulty of making him understand the questions. He said Culver had on a white coat and white hat, broad brimmed. He could see his nose, and could recognize his voice and motions. Tom McGowan sat pretty close to him. He could see his eyes, mouth and nose, and knew his voice. He could not see the rest of his face. He did not say anything to any of them that would indicate that he knew them. He didn't call any of them by name; it wouldn't done to talk that way there.

Mr. Marling was still on the stand when court adjourned last evening.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

A Business-Like Session of the City Fathers Last Evening.

A special meeting of Council was held last evening for the purpose of disposing of considerable routine business that was crowded aside at last Tuesday night's meeting. There was a good attendance in both branches. In the First, Messrs. Caldwell, Myles and Wingerter were the absentees: in the Second, Messrs. Robert Crawford, Jones and Smith. Mayor Grubb and President Sweeney presided in their respective chambers. The meeting was noticeable for the business-like manner in which the various matters were disposed of.

The first business taken up for consideration in the Second Branch was a report from the Committee on Finance, that it had made its annual settlement with the commissioners of the loans of 1871 (List & Davenport), 1881, and Public Building Loan, and it presented the necessary vouchers, coupons and cancelled bonds. By this settlement the Public Building loan is wiped out. The committee also reported that it had made a final settlement with ex-City Collector Unruh and presented the papers connected with the same. These various settlements were approved and the papers ordered filed. The delinquents turned over by Mr. Unruh were ordered charged to Collector Crawford and the bills presented by the committee, amounting to $69 56, ordered paid.

The committee also presented an ordinance amending the ordinance in relation to ordinaries and coffee houses so as to allow a person in the business desiring to dispose of it during a fiscal year to another person to do so and apply the license tax paid by him at the beginning of the year towards the payment of the second man's license *pro rata* for the unexpired year's time. This was adopted. It was made necessary by the passage of the restraining ordinance, in order to enable the City Clerk to keep his books straight.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The Committee on Cemeteries presented bills aggregating $33 91, which were ordered paid. The City Sexton reported that the following amounts had been received by him and certified to the Receiver: June, $23; July, $27 50; September, $23 50; October, $19 50; pauper interments for January to July, $66.

The Committee recommended that the Sexton be authorized to employ an assistant in cleaning up the cemetery, cutting brush, etc., at a compensation not to exceed $100.

This Branch concurred with the First in adopting the resolution presented by the Committee on Health, rejecting the resolution offered by Dr. Wingerter giving Charles Loeffler permission to build a slaughter house in East Wheeling.

An ordinance presented by the Board of Public Works changing and re-establishing the grade of Eoff street between Twenty-seventh and Thirty-second streets was adopted. This was done in order to make the grade necessarily established by the recent improvement (brick paving) appear in proper form in the city's ordinance and grade books.

George Fonner was granted a license to keep a shooting gallery at No. 1302 Market street. S. Horkheimer & Son were granted a rebate of their tax paid for a license to keep a wholesale liquor store. The use of the benches in the police court room and galleries of the Council chambers was given for the labor demonstration to be held at the Alhambra rink next Saturday on motion of Mr. McKinley.

RESOLUTIONS, ETC.

A resolution offered by Mr. Harrell calling on the Water Board to report what progress it has made looking to a higher water service was adopted. A resolution offered by Mr. Hildreth providing for the laying of a 4-inch water main on South Wabash street from Virginia to Ohio streets, was referred to the Water Board with power to act. A petition from the Wheeling Pottery, Hobbs, Brockunier & Co., Schmubach Brewing Co., and others, asking for the erection of city scales at the intersection of Thirty-third and Chapline streets, was referred to the Committee on Scales. A large number of other resolutions and petitions were referred to the proper committees or Boards.

This leaves on the table in the Second Branch the ordinance establishing the Fire and Police Board, which has been read once, the matter of straightening Caldwell's Run and the resolution of Mr. Healey, providing for a brick pavement on East Wheeling streets, so that the gas works and large manufacturing concerns in that section can be reached. These streets have never been improved and in winter are almost impassible.

The First Branch cleared its table by concurring in what the Second Branch did at last week's meeting and at last night's, including the allowing of $25 per month until May to the janitor for the hire of a woman to assist him in keeping the building clean.

At 9:30 o'clock both branches adjourned.

Newspaper Investigation.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—The *News* says: "A remarkable discovery made last winter, which involves a most important question,—that of public health, is being discussed by eminent physicians and public men. It is shown conclusively that throat and lung troubles can be cured without resorting to the use of morphia or opium,—especially dangerous in the case of children. The Governor of Maryland and all the officials of that State endorse the remedy; and hospitals and charitable institutions in this and other cities use it with remarkable results. The remedy, which is only twenty-five cents a bottle, is Red Star Cough Cure. It is purely vegetable; it contains no poison or narcotics, and is a positive cure."

LOOK in the window of A. A. Frangheim's Jewelry Store and see the fine French Clocks and Bronzes to be sold at auction on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A FATAL ACCIDENT

AT THE BENWOOD STEEL WORKS.

One Workman Killed and Four Painfully Injured by the Fall of a Heavy Iron Girder from a Sixty Foot Derrick—Names of the Injured—No one to Blame.

Yesterday morning a shocking fatal accident happened at the steel works of the Wheeling Steel Company, now in process of erection on a site adjoining the Benwood Nail Works, at Benwood. The iron and steel frame for the steel plant had been hoisted into position, and workmen were engaged in laying brick and doing other work between the large upright beams. Fred Austin, boss of the gang, had another force at work hoisting a huge iron cross piece that weighs about six tons, into its place at the top. The great beam was nearly in its place, when it caught in some way, and about the same time the derrick, which was sixty feet high, gave way a little and the beam swung out of place. A guy rope broke and the beam swung beyond the power or control of the men in charge, the derrick broke, and the whole thing went crashing below, taking with it the frame structure.

John B. Jackson, a native of England, who has been in this country for nearly thirty years, and has lately resided in the Eighth ward of this city, was struck on the head by the falling girder, his skull crushed and his neck broken. Death was almost instantaneous. He has no relatives in this country except Squire Robert Crowther, of this city, who is his nephew.

James Straughen, of Bellaire, who, like Jackson, was a bricklayer, and who was at work beside him, escaped without injury, almost by a miracle, slipping through an opening into the cave below.

George Johnson, of Pittsburgh, was struck on the limbs and sustained severe injuries; no bones were broken.

Melvin White, of Benwood, received a scalp wound and was bruised about the body considerably, but will recover.

Harry Johnson, a young man, also sustained severe injuries, but none of these three are dangerously hurt unless they have sustained severe internal injuries not at first apparent.

The accident was unavoidable, and not chargeable to any carelessness on the part of anybody. It will slightly retard the work of erecting the new structure for the Wheeling Steel Works, which corporation is composed of representatives of the Top Mill, Benwood Iron Works and Belmont Nail Company.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

John M. Henderson and Homer W. Henderson, of Martin's Ferry, entered the Wheeling Business College yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Carter List yesterday took rooms at the Stamm House, where they will remain during the coming season.

Capt. W. H. Irwin left yesterday for Columbia, S. C., to spend the winter. He has made his winter quarters at Columbia for a number of seasons past.

It is reported by the Newport *News* that Lieut. R. M. G. Brown, U. S. Navy, of Kingwood, W. Va, who passed the summer at Oakland and Deer Park, is engaged to Miss Davis, daughter of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis.

Notice.

Gentlemen's seamless button and congress shoes, very stylish, a special sale at $2 50 per pair, at J. W. AMICK'S,
1143 Main street.

The Labor Mass Meeting.

Arrangements have been completed by the committee for the great labor mass meeting under the auspices of the trades and labor organizations of Wheeling, to be held in the Alhambra Palace rink next Saturday evening. Several renowned orators have been secured, among them ex-President John Jarrett, of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, Hon. A. M. Fassett, of Youngstown, Ohio, P. J. McGuire, President of the Carpenters and Joiners' National Union, and Frank Glessner, Secretary of the Window Glass Workers' Association of this country. Hon. Thomas A. Armstrong, editor of the Pittsburgh *Labor Tribune*, may also be present and speak.

IT IS painfully annoying to be disturbed in public assemblies by some one coughing when you know Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is only 25 cents.

A Big Rink Race.

One of the most exciting races of the season has been arranged to take place at the Capitol rink next Saturday evening, between Ollie Fitzinger, a Pittsburgh skater of considerable renown, and Jesse Burkett, the champion fast and long distance skater of this city. The race is to be for $50 a side, mile heats, best two in three. This race is bound to be a fast one and strictly on its merits. It should attract a large crowd.

SHEBOYGAN Water, Ginger Ale or Cocoa is acknowledged by everyone to be the best drink of the nature in the market. McGinley & McCormick are the sole agents for it in this vicinity.

Rare Chance for Bargains.

The Auction Sale of Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Solid Silver Ware, fine French Marble Clocks and Bronzes, at the store of A. A. Franzheim, 1209 Market street, is still going on. Mr. Franzheim is determined to close out by the first of the year. It is a fine opportunity for our citizens to obtain fine goods at their own prices, and, as Christwas is fast approaching, it will pay you all to attend the Auction Sale and purchase what goods you want for presents.

On Wednesday afternoon next, December 2, at 2:30 o'clock, Mr. Franzheim makes a special sale of French Marble Clocks, French and Brass Bronzes. Do not fail to attend this sale. Notice will be given in the papers the day the Solid Silver will be sold.

DRINK Sheboygan Water Ginger Ale or Cocoa.

THE ladies should attend the afternoon sales at A. A. Franzheim's jewelry store. They will find many tempting articles, and the afternoon sales will be conducted with special reference to their accommodations.

Fast Train for Cleveland and Chicago.

A fast train now leaves Bridgeport via Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad at 1:47 P. M., city time, arriving in Cleveland at 6:25 P. M., and Chicago at 6:30 the following morning.

MCGINLEY & MCCORMICK have received another large invoice of the famous Sheboygan Mineral Water, Ginger Ale and Cocoa. These are delicious drinks, and the popularity they have achieved is not to be wondered at.

TRUNKS at the only manufactory in the State, Wm. Schwertfeger; he buys none.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c per box by Logan & Co. MWFAW

PARTIES who have been waiting are advised that McGinley & McCormick have just received a fresh invoice of the famous Sheboygan Mineral Water, Ginger Ale and Cocoa; the best harmless drink in the market. Order at once.

L. S. Good & Co. sell dry goods the cheapest

CLINE RECAPTURED.

The Moundsville Jail Breakers—Swede Still at Large.

There was considerable excitement at Moundsville, Monday evening, as soon as it became generally known that the three prisoners confined in the county jail had made their escape, and that Sheriff Showacre had only recaptured one and that one so badly wounded by the bullets sent after him by the Sheriff that his recovery was doubtful. The citizens were not slow in gathering about the Court House, where the announcement was made that a reward of $25 would be paid for the capture of either one of the two that succeeded in getting away. Soon after several small parties started out to scour the country for the fugitives.

About 3 o'clock yesterday morning Cline was recaptured at the Narrows, between Benwood and Moundsville, by Frank Baker, James Fountain and Daniel Deitz. They arrived at Moundsville with him about daybreak, having had little trouble in overpowering and keeping him quiet. Cline is one of the men accused of robbing the Old Drovers' Home, at the lower end of this city, with "Eggy" Condrey.

A reward of $25 is standing for the arrest of Condrey. Cline was tried at the last term of court and found guilty of grand larceny, but Judge Jacob set aside this verdict as not being justified by the evidence and Cline gets another trial.

Schoolcraft, who was shot by the sheriff while escaping, was very low last night, and not expected to live. The man Grant Lucas, who was shot by Schoolcraft last week, was also reported last night as sinking and not likely to live.

Robert Swede, the colored burglar who escaped, is still at large.

Grafton as a Railroad Point.

Grafton is getting to be an important railroad center for the Baltimore & Ohio road. In addition to the various supervisors and superintendents that were ordered to make their headquarters there and the large force of men employed in and about the yards and shops at that point, the entire force of train dispatchers, who were until quite recently stationed at various points along the fourth and fifth divisions, have been concentrated at that place, where the work of dispatching for all these divisions is now done. As a further evidence of the increasing importance of this built-on-the-side-of-a-hill town, the new time table that is to go into effect the 13th inst. is to be gotten up and perfected by the train master and assistants at that point.

All Respect Paid to Veteran Warriors.

The heroes of the recent unpleasantness are fast passing away. In each section of this fair land, now happily united forever, the warriors are cherished and made much of, and a fair example shown in the universal respect paid in all places for the high integrity and strict honesty shown by Gen'ls G. T. Beauregard, of La., and Jubal A. Early, of Va, in the sole responsibility of the Grand distributions of the Louisiana State Lottery. The 187th Monthly and Semi-Annual Drawing will scatter over half a million on Tuesday, Dec. 15th, at New Orleans, La., and any one desiring information can receive it on application to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La. Try the experiment of proving your luck. DAW

THOSE who have not sampled the delicious Sheboygan Mineral Water, Ginger Ale or Cocoa should do so at once. McGinley and McCormick are the sole agents for it in this locality and they have just received a fresh invoice.

Baltimore & Ohio.

Wheeling, W. Va., to Jacksonville, Florida, in thirty-eight hours via Baltimore & Ohio, with but one change of care, which is in Union Depot at Cincinnati. No transfers via this route.

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DURING a serious run of whooping cough at Stillwater, N. Y., the physicians found that Acker's English Remedy was a positive cure, and prescribed it very freely. Logan & Co., Edmund Bocking and Charles Menkemeller say that in all their experience they never knew any medicine to equal it. They guarantee it to cure all Coughs (especially chronic cases), Croup, Asthma and Consumption. THSAW

IN order that sufferers may know that Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets will always cure them, Logan & Co., Edmund Bocking and Charles Menkemeller emphatically say, that if the Tablets do not relieve every case of Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Heartburn, &c., &c., they do not want any pay. The physicians say they are the finest combination that can be found. Price 25 cents. THSAW

RIVER NEWS.

The Andes got away about 5 o'clock last evening with a large trip.

The Katie Stockdale passed down yesterday. The W. N. Chancellor is due up to-day.

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Many vain attempts are made to repeat the remarkable success of Benson's Capcine Plaster. This splendid remedy is known, sold and used everywhere, and its prompt action and unrivalled curative powers have won for it hosts of friends. Imitations have sprung up under similar sounding names, such as "Capsicin," "Capsicum" etc., intended to deceive the careless and unwary. These articles possess none of the virtues of the genuine. Therefore we hope the people will assist us to protect what are at once their interests and ours. Ask for Benson's Plaster, and examine what is given you, and make sure that the word "Capcine" is cut in the middle of the plaster itself, and the "Three Seals" trademark is on the face cloth. Any reputable dealer will show you these safeguards without hesitation. If you cannot remember the name—Benson's Capcine Plaster—cut this paragraph from the paper. de2-WWS

THE ANNUAL RECORD.

Its Enormous Total and Wide Distribution—Caprices of Fortune.

A partial list of the prizes above one Thousand Dollars, paid by The Louisiana State Lottery Company during the year ending November, 1885, together with the names and addresses given to the Company by the holders, omitting those who have requested it.

Receipts for the amounts are on file at the offices of the Company.

DRAWING OF DECEMBER 16, 1884.

J. H. Kuttner, Georgetown, Ky	$10,000
First National Bank, Memphis, Tenn	15,000
Paul Tischer, California st., near Kearney, San Francisco, Cal	15,000
Henry Levy, San Francisco, Cal	15,000
Geo. M. Shackelford, Fireman M. & C. R. R., collected through Bank of Commerce, Memphis, Tenn	15,000
Germania National Bank, New Orleans, La.	5,000
Albert Mass, Lorenz Traub, Wm. Brommer, Benj. Nora, Employes of A. Goebel & Co., Brewers, Detroit, Mich	5,000
Sgt. Phillips, Memphis, Tenn	5,000
Mrs. Margaret Pressel, 402 Shelby street, Memphis, Tenn	5,000
J. J. Mueller, 498 Hastings st., Detroit, Mich.	5,000
W. J. Hightower, Dublin, Ga	2,000

DRAWING OF JANUARY 13, 1885.

Thomas M. Thornton, Shelbyville, Ill	75,000
Lee Sampson, Sigourney, Ia	5,000
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