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Wanted—Honora Boys.
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Notice—The Fenn Munusi Building Association,
Garden Tools in Sche—Schoolit & Bro.
Assigned's Saic—J. V. L. Rodgers.
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Constable's Sale at St. James Hotel—Fourth page.
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WE have introduced a new system of selling Watches on the installment plan whereby you can seeme a watch at once on easy payments. Call and investigate, JACOB W. GRUBB, Jeweier, Cor. Twelith and Market Sts.

Thermometer Record, As reported by Christian Schnepf, drug-gist, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M. 9 A. M. 12 M. 3 F. M. 7 F. M. 67° Tro 82° Sl° 75° Meather-Fair. . .

Indications. Washington, D. C., May 11.—For West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania, light local rains, light variable winds, gen-erally easterly and nearly stationary tem-

A Floater Found.

A floater was found by the crew of the towboat Rescue yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, one mile below Moundaville. The man appears to have been sixty-six or seventy years of age, with gray hair and bald head; was dressed in blue mixed cotton clothes.

Prisoners for the "Pen."
Lest evening Deputy Shariff W. T. Noll, of Berkeley county, accompanied by Mr. J. V. Carney and Stuart W. Walker, arrived in the city and registered at the Stamm House. They came here from Monndeville, where they placed in the State penitentiary two prisoners, both convicted of grand lavceny at the recent term of the Circuit Court, the last overwhich Senntor-elect C. J. Faulkner presided as Judge. Annie Johnson, a colored girl about eighteen years old, was one of the prisoners, and Samuel Baker, also colored, was the name of the other. Both are sentenced for two years. Prisoners for the "Pen."

WAS IT AN ACCIDENT! Strange Features of a Supposed Railroad

Casualty. Martin Gallaher, an employe at the Langhlin mill, and boarding in Burlington, took in Forepaugh's circus on the Island Monday, and after the overall participation of the Common was also of a character to condruct when examined by the support of the suspected and a condition of the policy. The subsection of the policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy. The subsection of the policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the suspected policy of the condition of the policy of the suspected policy of the policy of the suspected polic Martin Gallaher, an employe at the

Handle Road.

Two Defenseless Women Killed in Cold Blood. Their Brains Battered out with

an Iron Bolt After which they are Clad in their

By the Inhuman Monster who Caused their Death.

Night Robes

Suspicious Circumstances which Surround the Case.

The Husband of the Younger Woman Suspected.

The most shocking double tragedy ever chronicled in this vicinity occurred at Holliday's Cove, a station on the Pan landle railroad in Brooke county, sometime between Monday afternoon and yeserday morning. The affair was surroundterday morning. The affair was surrounded with a good deal of mystery, and the circumstances pointed to a cold blooded and deliberate murder, inspired by avarice. The victims were Mrs. Drusilla McWha, an old lady 70 years of age, and her daughter, Mrs. Van B. Baker, aged 45.

Mrs. Baker's husband, Van B. Baker, left home shortly before four o'clock on Mon-Bargains in every Department day, taking the train for Hanlin's station, near which his father resides. He returned yesterday morning about 9 o'clock, them. We solicit an early call. and at once made known the tragedy to the neighbors.

Intense excitement was occasioned by intense excitement was occasioned by the announcement. Squire Lee, the near-est justice of the pusce, at once took charge of the premises, and the Sheriff and Coroner of Brooks county were sum-moved from Wellsburg.

THE HUSBAND'S STORY.

Baker says when he reached the house on his return from Hanlin's Station, he on his return from Hanlin's Station, he found the front gate open, a circumstance to unusual that it attracted his attention. He went around to the rear of the house, and found the door open.

The bodies of both victims were found on the floor of the sitting room, Mrs. Eaker's lying partly across her mother's. Both their heads were beaten almost to a jelly, and a heavy iron car holt covered with

and a heavy iron car bolt covered with hair and blood, with which the deed was hair and blood, with which the deed was done, was found near by. A bloody axe was also lying near, and Mrs. McWha's head showed that it had been used with deadly effect, two terrible gashes from its edge marking her skull. The news of the double murder spread rapidly and the whole village turned out and surrounded the house, eager to hear what they could of the terrible crime.

ROBBERY THE SUPPOSED MOTIVE. Mrs. Drusilla McWha, the eldest of the murdered women, was the widow of Bobert McWha, who has been some years dead. The younger woman, her daughter Eliza, has been married some time to Van B. Baker. The elder woman possessed considerable money, said to have been invested in Government bonds. Although not wealthy she is thought to have been worth \$7,000 or \$8,000, but even to her nearest kin and friends was very relicent as to her affairs. However, she was considered by the inhabitants of the Cove to be well off in this world's goods, and it was always thought kept large sums of money about the house. After the bodies had been found a search of the house revesled the fact that drawers, cupboards, trunke, closets and in fact every place where money or valuables could be conficuled had been boken open and the house literally ransacked from top to both Mrs. Drusilla McWha, the eldest of the

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house literally ransacked from top to bottom.

A trunk helonging to Mr. Baker, he claimed had been broken into and rifled of \$350, and other sums were taken, but the exact amount he could not state.

The residence of Mrs. McWha, where the murdered mother and daughter were found is located in the village, one door north of the brick school house which stands on a little hill at the corner of the road leading to New Cumberland. The road leading to New Cumberland. The house is of frame and two stories high.

jarm to erect a shanty on, to be used as a boarding house for the accommodation of the laborers employed on the railroad to New Cumberland now being constructed. They completed the arrangement, the rental of the grounds to be \$10 a month, payable in advance. In payment of the first monto's rent they tendered a \$50 bill, saying they did not suppose she could chauge it. To their surprise she declared her ability to change it, and did so, and they left and have not since been seen. Inquiry of contractors and others who ought to be aware if any arrangement had been made for the crection of a boarding house there developed the fact that none of them had heard of any such project. This naturally directed suspi-

project. This naturally directed suep cion to those three men, and parties we at once organized and started in pursuit. SUSPICION ABOUSED. Chief of Police Porter Smith, of this city, received a telegram yesterday asking him to come up to the scene of the tragedy. He did so, and began a number of inquiries which seemed to put a new face on the matter. In response to his questions, Baker gave a very thorough description of the three strangemen. This Cant

tions, Baker gave a verp thorough description of the three strange men. This Capt. Smith very carefully noted down in a memorandom book. Then putting the book in his pocket, he asked Baker to write out another copy of the description, making it as exact as possible.

This simple request had a surprising effect on Baker. He at once became exceedingly sgitated, and declined to write the description, saying he had other matters to attend to and would do this a little later. His manner attracted attention, and he was further questioned, his answers being so evasivo and his sgitation so noticeable that the suspicion was inevitable that, he knew a good deal more of the tragedy than he had told.

OTHER STRANGE FACTS.

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A DOUBLE MURDER to say, as her effects had not been examined. He also stated that when he returned home he found all the doors locked and had to burst one open to gain an entrance. At another time he said the door was standing wide open when he reached the house.

BAKER'S ARREST DETERMINED ON,

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As stated above Mrs. McWha was quite comfortably provided with this world's goods, and was undeestood to have made her will, leaving all her possessions to her daughter, Mrs. Baker, during the latter's life, and after she died to her husband. Mrs. Baker had no children, her only child having died when but a year old. Baker has two sons by a former marriage, who live in Steebearville. He was several years his wife's junior, and was a school teacher by profession, having taught in the neighborhood of his home for a time, and also the greater part of the past year somewhere in the West. The family were not socially inclined, but rather reserved in their intercourse with the neighborr. he neighborr.
After hearing Baker's evidence, it was

concluded by the sheriff and coroner to take Capt. Smith's advice and arrest take Capt, Smith's advice and arrest Baker. A warrant was sworn out, and he was to have been arrested last evening. There being no telegraphic communication with the station it is not known here whether this plan was carried out. Capt. Smith came home on the evening train. When he left the arrest had not been made.

THEORY OF THE OFFICIALS. Baker said that a short time before he left home on Monday somebody knocked at the door, but the family made no response. When asked why they did not answer, he said they were tired and did not want to. Yet after this he went to Hanlin's Station and walked to his father's home, in the country some distance. A home, in the country some distance. A neighbor did call at the house Monday fternoon, but her kneck was not an

robbery, he fied.
Of course so far this is all theory, and the evidence to point to Baker's guilt so far as known is circumstantial. No effort will be spared to find the three men on whom Baker cast suspicion.
Last night's Steubenville Herald says:
Mrs. McWa, the eldest victim, is well known in this city. She is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Judge McDouald, of North Third street, and inca numerous nuchews and

of Mrs. Judge McDonald, of North Third street, and ince numerous nephews and nieces, among whom is James McWha, the butcher. Her maiden name was Swearengen, and a large number of her relatives live in this city and vicinity. Her daughter, Eliza, the other victim, has been married to Van B. Baker about two years. She has no children of her own, but Baker's two sons reside in this city.

LOCAL BREVITIES. latters of Minor Moment in and Abou

the City. One deed of trust was admitted to record esterday. Tuz 8t. James hotel furniture is selling

at very ressonable prices. The sale will be continued to-day. GEORGE HESS, has moved his meat shop from 91. Seventsonth street to his old stand, 1715 Jacob street.

Stano, 1710 Jacob street.

Col. F. D. Norton, of the Belfont Iron
Works at Ironton, Ohio, is in the city, the
guest of Hon. Benj. Fisher.

George Willard, Esq., President of the
First National Bank, of Ironton, Ohio, is
the guest of Iriends in this city.

Messas, Robrecht & Gobe, of this city, have been awarded the contract for fire-brickpaving at Washington, Pa.

Two Italians who follow Forepaugh's circus and sell believes, were fined in police court yesterday morning for peddling without a license. THE suit of William Linn vs. the C. &

P. railroad, for damage for injuries re-ceived at Martin's Ferry last fall, is set for next Monday at St. Claireville. THE adjourned meeting of the Overland Telephone Company will be held to-mor-row nighth at the Chamber of Commerce. It is important that a quorum be present. Arres another day of threatening weather, a slight rain fell last ovening. From the manner in which the atmos-phere was cooled off it is probable that hail fell near here.

road leading to New Cumberland. The house is of frame and two stories high.

THERE SUSPICIOUS MEN.

Baker told of the visit of three strange men to the house the day before. One of them was tall and heavy, another short.

The band was wanted for last Wednesday. WE have just received a full line of SPRING OVERCOATINGS, and are in daily receipt of the fatest Novellies in Spring Suitings.

Also, on hand a handsome line of Neckwear and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, C. HESS & SONS,

No. 1324 Market Street.

THERE SUSPICIONS MEN.

Baker told of the visit of three strange of them was tall and heavy, another short and chunky, and the third evidently a German. They said they desire to rent a small piece of Mr. McWha's market Street.

Irom Charleston. When they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they got there they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. The band was wanted for last Wedneeday. Or when they found no Governor's reception on the tapis. It was a mistake in a telegram. home, where his owner killed him with an axe.

JOSEPH HEATHERINGTON And a couple of gentiemen from Bellaire were out at Caldwell's Run Monday when a storm came up. The trio took refuge in a barn. During the heavy rain lightning struck a tree a short distance from the barn, and the hower experienced as light shock. oys experienced a slight shock.

THOMAS CURTIS and Barry Huffman were fined \$5 and costs each in police court yesterday morning, for disorderly conduct at the house of a Mrs. Wright, in alley 15, the night before. The evidence showed that Mrs. Wright had offered not a present of the man would are heavy. to prosecute if the men would pay her \$5

The Lench Well.

The Investigation of the Leach Well.

The Investigation of the well on the Leach farm, in Washington county, which is said to be spraying oil at the rate of twenty-five barrels a day, as the property of the Wheeling Natural Gas Company. The well belongs instead to the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia.

I BEDUCED painful swelling with St. Jacobs Oil .- F. L. Cox, Groverneur, New

Double Fastened School Shoes We have just received our second invoice of these shoes, and every one who has purchased them have recommended them highty. A solid good wearing shoe at the moderate price of \$1.00 to \$1.50 per J. W. ANICK, 1143 Main street.

ED Rus, manager of Dan A. Kelly's Shadow Detective Company, arrived in the city yesterday. He reports good busi-ness everywhere. His company appears at the Grand Opera House May 16, 17 and 18.

A REGULAR MEETING

OF COUNCIL HELD LAST NIGHT

Number of Interesting Topics-The Island Park-A New Ladder Truck, Resolutions that Raise a Racket.

A regular semi-monthly meeting A regular semi-monthly meeting of Council was held at the Public Building last evening. The attendance was not up and eighteen others and by Barney Brady to the average, Mears. Dobbins, Happy, Kenney, McGregor and Tracy being about the substitute of the substitute of the substitute and signatures were all in one hand. Kenney, McGregor and Tracy being absent from the First and Meesrs. Davis, Harrell, Miller, Pracht, Prager, Robertson and Stegger from the Second Branch; the spectators were very few in number. Several important matters were brought up in both branches, and the meeting was quite an interesting one.

The Second Branch was not called to order until 8 o'clock and the next half hour was consumed by the reading of the voluminous minutes of the three last neetings and even then considerable was skipped over bysunanimous consent. The reading finished, the first monthly report of Clerk Bowers, made under the new annual appropriation ordinance, showing the appropriations made to the several departments, the amounts expended since January January 1 and the remaining balances was read and ordered filed.

THE CLERK'S FINANCIAL EXHIBIT. Out of a total appropriation of \$296,-264 66 there has been expended \$61,210 64 leaving a total balance of \$187,201 65; to this should be added the Board of Public Works, appropriation of \$47,702 37, which

Worke' appropriation of \$47,702 27, which has not yet been touched, making the total balance \$225,054 02. In addition, the Board of Public Works has a contingent fund that has not yet been touched, amounting to \$6,750 20. The remaining balances are as follows:

Fire Department, \$19,206 92; Health Department, \$5,033 16; Marketa, \$2,501 16; Police Department, \$44,36157; City Prison, \$3,286 04; Scales and Weighing, \$750 47; Real Estate, \$1,300 92; Gemeteries, \$753 11; Balaries, \$6,033 40; Contingencies, \$12, 320 23; Compromise Loan, \$4,200; Loan of 1887, \$3,330; Loan of 1881, \$7,002 50; Water Board, \$30,030 93; Gas Worke, \$63, 1519 19; Loan of 1885, \$13,500. The First also ordered this filed.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Maxwell at the last meeting was taken up as unfinished business:

as unfinished business:

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and

s hereby authorized to commence lega proceedings to condemn sufficient ground for a street from South Penn to South Broadway street, Island, through the Waters grounds, at the south end of South TOUCHES THE BASE BALL PARY

This resolution contemplates making a set-off the distance of half a square and he width of a street, on the north side of the Base Bail Park at the east end. Mr.

the Base Ball Park at the east end. Mr. Maxwell said that the people living on the two streets mentioned, were so annoyed by people attending the games trepageing on their property by reason of not having a street, such as it was proposed to have, to pass through, that if somelhing was not done by the city they would take legal action themselves.

Mr. Mitchell opposed the resolution, stating that while he appreciated the annoyance the people in that locality were subjected to, if a new street was to be opened, it should be opened at the right point, which was about hail a square from the point named in Mr. Maxwell's resolution; then the streets and squares would be uniform.

Mr. Maxwell said the people would be content with an alley way.

Mr. Healy opposed interfering in any way with the enterprising gentlemen who had succeeded after much trouble and expense in extablishing the National game here.

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There was some further discussion and the matter was finally referred to the B. P. W. for investigation and report, BILLS PAID AND LICENSES GRANTED.

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Bills aggregating \$29 55 on account of the Police Department and \$74 97 on account of the Frie Department were presented by the Board of Police and Fire Commitseioners and ordered paid. Bills amounting to \$87.31 presented by the Committee on City Prison and \$48 48 presented by the Health Committee, were also ordered paid. The First concurred in these matters, Auctioneer's licenses were granted to J. C. Hervey and W. H. Haller; Mr. Hervey giving A. O. Egetter as his surety and Mr. Haller giving W. J. W. Cowden and J. E. Clator as surities. Licenses to keep coffee houses were granted to Bennard McEntee at 1922 Main street. A license to keep a wholesale and retail liquor store at No. 6 Twelfth street was granted to Meyer & Radeliffe.

The First concurred in these matters. When McEntee's application came up in It the First Mr. Gavin asked permission to task the applicant some questions; this owas granted. Mr. McEntee's application was to keep at the place formerly run by the Muldoon's, corner Main and I Twentieth, where the police had such a lively time quelling a disturbance a short time since. Mr. Gavin wasted to know

lively time quelling a disturbance a short time since. Mr. Gavin wanted to know if a bong fide sale had taken f a bona fide sale had taken place, an was assured that such was the case.

NEW LADDER TRUCK GRANTED. The Board of Police and Fire Commis sioners asked for the adoption of a reso-lution authorizing the Board to at once contract for a safe and suitable ladder truck, at a cost not to exceed the amoun truck, at a cost not to exceed the amount appropriated by Council for this purpose. Both branches adopted such a resolution. The official joint bond of Messrs. J. H. Hobbs, William Otto and Benjamin Fisher, comprising the Board of Public Works, accompanied by their oaths of office and the official joint bond of Jere A. Miller, Jao. G. Hoffman, ir., W. H. Travis and M. R. Wolff, composing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, were approved by both branches.

proved by both branches.

The B. P. W. asked that \$5,000 be appropriated as provided for in the annual appropriation ordinance, for the completion of the North Main street pating ordered last year, and stated that \$7,709.31 would be needed to complete the work. The Second Branch appropriated the \$5.000.

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Mr. Jaeger presented an ordinance amending the annual appropriation ordinance, in so far as it relates to the money appropriated to the B. P. W., by insetting the section allowing the Board to expend its money at its own discretion, after providing for the unfinished work of last year; in other words he presented the cr-dinance as it first peased this branch. Mr. Gruse objected to a second reading, and it went over under the rules.

Mr. Mtchell presented an ordinance amending the lockup ordinance, by including the cage built at the Island base ball park for any one that may require the attention of the police. It was adopted by the Second.

Au ordinance amending the crematory ordinances of the second.

thus made vacant to non-residents and non-taxpayers. These are made in a manner that leaves no doubt of the cause, a studied purpose to discharge all Wheeling workingmen. And we respectfully implore redrees at your hands if it lies within your power. The men whose names appear below as petitioners are each and everyone victims of this cutrageons attempt to cotracies home labor and preventing us from earning the means to pay our taxes and maintain our families.

writing. A motion to refer to the B. P. W. was defeated after there had considerable discussion and then on motion of Mr. Young, it was referred to a special joint committee of six for investigation. PIRST BRANCH RESOLUTIONS.

In the First Branch Mayor Seabright presided. The Branch adjourned at 9:15 'clock, after passing what little business ame from the Second and the following

came from the Second and the following resolutions:

By Mr. Delbrugge—
Resolved, That the Committee on Ordinances are hereby instructed to draft and report an ordinance repealing the ordinance (if such an ordinance exists) by which the Board of Public Works grants to any corporation or association the privilege of laying a track or switch across or upon any street or alley, and that Council alone has the power to grant or refuse such application for such privileges.

Mr. Jaegor made a kick over this in the Second Branch, but it went through by a handsome vote. handsome vote.

By Mr. Buckman—

Resolved, That the Committee on Ordi-

dances be instructed to draft an ordinance making it prohibitive hereafter, for a member of Council to fill any elective eith office. rity office,
Colonel Caldwell, City Solicitor, made

cotonel Galdwell, City Solicitor, made a vigorous attack on this from his ceat as member of the Second Branch, but it was concurred in by a vote of 18 to 4, those voting "no" being Bromer, Caldwell, Gundling and Mitchell. Gundling and Mitchell.

By Mr. Ulrich, providing that the market clerks be instructed to require all persons attending the markets with wagons; to so arrange the shalts and poles of their vehicles so that they can be detached or pointed straight upwards so as not to obstruct so much of the street as they do at present; this comes within the scope of the law relating to markets.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

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Strangers in the City and, Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Dr. C. Shriver, of Bethauy, was in the city yesterday.

J. D. Culbertson left for the East on a basiness trip Monday night.

Miss Sadie Logan is the guest of Miss Mary Beall, of Brooke county.

Mr. O. L. Boggess, of Fairmont, was at the Stamm House yesterday.

Col. Sam Holland and wife, of Pittsburgh, are at the Stamm House.

Major Ran Stalnaker and Hon, Joe Woods are home from Charleston.

Hon. Jesse F. Sturm, of Mannington, was at the Howell House yesterday on his way home from Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hearne and family have gone to Mt. Belieview Hotel, where they will remain during the summer.

Councellman B. S. Alison, accompanied by his mother, will leave to-day for Omaha and other Western points on a pleasure trip.

Mr. Harry P. Camden, a popular young aftorney of Charleston, pesseesing a large circle of friends here, was in the city yesterday. He was accompanied by Mr. W. A. Bradford.

Mra. O. B. Knapp and son Harry, of the

Mrs. C. B. Knapp and son Harry, of the Island, left yesterday on the steamer Andes for Omaha, Neb., by way of Cincinnati, where they will make their future home. They intend stopping at all the principal cities en route. Belluire.

The A. M. E. church frame is all ready for the roof. Dr. McClure is remodeling the front of his dwelling.
B. F. Westlake, of Sand Hill, Marshall county, is in town,

Money sold pretty high this week in the uilding associations. Jack Adams has quit the saloon busi-less here and will try it in Bridgeport, James Tallman has broken ground for a building at Guernsey and Thirty-third streats.

Mrs. James McCarthy died Monday night of dropsy at the home of her sister Mrs. Coen, of Gravel Hill.

A. O. Mellott has been put on the board of directors of the Belmont Savings Com-pany in place of J. W. Coulson. The former officers of the company have been e-elected. Rev. W. S. Campbell and John A. Gal-laber are at Piqua, representing Trinity Episcopal Church in the Southern Ohio

onvention. Several meetings have been held of those interested in the proposed new Na-tional bank, and there is a probability of an organization being effected.

Bellaire has always been partial to elo-utionary entertainments, and the First Presbyterian church has secured Edward Sabian, of New York, for Friday evening. The laying of natural gas pipe has been delayed by the failure to receive pipe here bromptly. Many ditches therefore have to remain open. Some ditches are now peing reopened to repair leaking joints.

Bridgeport Notes. Dr. William Bolan and wife are the guests of J. E. Truman. Hon. Lorenzo Danford, ex-Congress nan, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. M. Todd is in Washington, D. C., where he will attend the unveiling of the Garfield monument this week.

Carpenter & McCance, plumbers and gas fitters, have dissolved partnership, Mr. Carpenter buying Mr. McCance's in-

SPRAINED and swollen ankles can be put n good shape by the use of St. Jacobs

For Oil Cloths, Linoleum and Carpets, go to the St. James Hotel to-day, at 10 o'clock, and buy them cheap. WHEN out the pike stop at the Dalmonico for first class refres LAWRENCE HALLER, proprietor.

Do not forget to go to the St. James Hotel, on Main and Water streets, for rare bargains in furniture, beds and table and kitchen outfits, to-day, at 10 o'clock in the

Saved His Life.

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky,, says he was, for many years, badly afflicted with Phthisic, also Diabetes; the pains were almost unendurable and would sometimes almost throw him into convulsions. He tried Electric Bitters and got relief from first bottle and after taking six bottles was entirely cured and has rained in

BRIDGEPORT FIRE.

THE DISASTROUS EXPLOSION J. C. Dent's Drug Store Yesterday-A Empty Varnish Barrel Explodes with Frightful Effect-Narrow Escape from

Cured by Cuticura.

At Yittle son, sged eight years, has been afflicted iff with Eccena of the scalp, and at times a great portion of the body, ever since he was two years old, It began in his ears, and extended to his scalp, which became covered with scabs and sores, and from which a sitely fluid poured out, causing intense itching and distress, and leaving his have matted and lifeliess. Undernesst those scabs the matted and lifeliess, Undernesst those scabs the habit came out and was destroyed, until but a small patch was left at the back of the head. My friends in Peabody know how my little boy has suffered. At hight he would scratch his head until his pillow was covered with blood. I used to the his hands behind him, and in many ways tried to prevent his scratching; but it was no use, he would scratch. I took him to the hospital and to his back of the cured by the Cuticura Reincides, provailed upon me to try teem. I began to use them on the falt of January last. In seven months every particle of the disease was removed. Not a spot or cab remains on his scalp to edit he setty of his sudering His half his roturned, and is thick and strong and his scalp to edicas as any child's in the my statement is true and without exaggeration.

CHARLES McKAY.

Oct. 6, 1825.

I have seen Mr. McKay's by when badly affect. a Serious Fire-Man Badly Burned Yesterday afternoon between half-pas and 3 o'clock, an explosion occurred in J. C. Dent & Co.'s drug store, in Oglebay's block, Bridgeport, the report of which was heard for squares around. The store elevator, which is in the rear of the room, was lying on the ground floor, and laden with paints, oils and varnish. The fire riginated, it is supposed, from the explosion of the gas or vapor in a nearly empty varnish barrel from which George Gray, a young colored man employed his to about the store, was about to draw off some of the contents.

Gray was very badly burned by the flash about the head and shoulders; his face was one enormous blister and his lips were swollen to about three times their natural size. He says that he did not have a loss about him and that a

Oct. 6, 1825. Peabody, Mass.
I have seen Mr. McKay's boy when badly affected with the Ecroma. He was a plitful sight look at 1 know that he has tried our best phyticans, and did all a father could do for a suffericabild, but availed nothing. I know that the statements he has made you as regards the curing his boy by your Cuticura Remedica are true-every restricular. their natural size. He says that he did not have a cigar about him, and that as far ashe knows there was no fire about the place. There was no fire in the stove in the prescription room, standing near the door leading to the platform outside, where he was standing to draw the stuff. The elevator room in a shatt of corrugated from built over wood, constructed on the out-side of the rear wall of the building. As soon as the explosion occurred this shaft was filled with a blaze that burned fierce-ly and shot out through the openings into WILLIAM J, MCCARTHY, 83 Foster Street, Peabody, Mass, Fold everywhere. Price: Cuticura, 50 cents; ticura Soap, 25 cents; Cuticura Resolvent, 11 Prepared by POTTER DEUG AND CHEMICAL BOMON.

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The fire burned very quickly, reaching the second story and the root, eating a small hole through the latter. The goods in the second story were much damaged, both by fire and water, there being a large smaller of matches are that with Ready-Mixed Paint !

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