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But he ate 18 Large Plates of Raw Oysters and Wanted More.

HE WAS VERY HUNGRY FOR OYSTERS.

The Greatest Feat of Phenomenal Eating yet Recorded in this Neck of the Woods, though there have been Several Pretty Good ones Before.

It is on record that Mike Filan, of this city, when he was feeling good one night, ate eighteen dozen shell oysters on a wager and an empty stomach, and then asked for a beefsteak and got it, devouring it and the trimmings with apparent relish, and there is an authentic story of a Bridgeport man who used habitually to eat at one meal several beefsteaks, a chicken, two or three loaves of bread, potatoes, cabbage or other vegetables, getting away in the aggregate with food enough to feed the ordinary family of five or six persons. All of the local traditions and records fade into significance, however, in view of the achievement of a man last night.

This man is Fritz Yado, who formerly lived up Peters run in this county, but has just now returned from a long stay in South Dakota. Yado was around with some old boon companions last night, and they visited a number of saloons. In each one Yado expressed his preference for eating rather than drinking, and he always asked for oysters. Saloon after saloon was visited and no oysters found, and Yado began to be disgusted with Wheeling.

"For years," said he, "I have not had any oysters fit to eat, and I thought when I got back to Wheeling I was going to get a square feed on them, but I have not found an oyster to-night. This is no more civilized a place than the Dakotas."

Finally the party reached "Pot" Glue's place, on Chapline street, south of Twenty-sixth. Pot had oysters, and Yado ordered two plates. He ate them and ordered more. He ate these, and was still not satisfied. At last his appetite began to attract attention, but he paid no attention to the comments. He had found the dish he long had sought, and he went on eating until the half gallon oysters which Glue had just received were all gone, and still he asked for oysters. Pot sent out and got some more, and the man from Dakota actually stood there and ate eighteen big plates of them. Then the second half gallon was gone, and it was too late to get more. Yado came up town disconsolate, asking for oysters. He had to be satisfied with sandwiches, and though he had eaten seven before he reached Glue's oyster depot, he got away with several on top of the oysters. He says he never ate more than two gallons at a time, "but then," he adds, "I never tried myself. I was not hungry when I began to-night, for I had eaten a good deal of ham and cheese and bread and things."

There is talk of pitting Yado against all comers as the champion gourmand of this or any other world. He says he is willing, only stipulating that the test shall be on oysters, and the oysters good.

AT THE THEATRES.

The Current Attractions at both the Local Houses of Amusement.

The Devoy and Smiley International Comiques, which appeared at the Opera House yesterday afternoon and last evening, did not make as good an impression as the performances warranted, and this is due to error of judgment. The opening piece is a hoary-headed chestnut, and there was nothing in it when it was new. This prejudices people against it early in the game, and the prejudice is hard to overcome. Alma Bellini sings well, Yank Hoe's act is all right, the Davenport brothers are fine, Brannon and Geyer very funny, Mr. Devoy has a musical voice and his singing and talks are enjoyable, and the horse act is novel. The Salambos' fire act is new and artistic and ought to make a poor show go. If the managers will cut out the opening night-mare and leave the false pretense of LaCigale's name off the house programme they will find the show will go a hundred per cent better. It is to be hoped they will inaugurate this reform when they repeat the performance here this evening.

THE NEXT ATTRACTIONS.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday, including a Wednesday matinee, "A Breezy Time," a new farce-comedy, by a competent company, will be the attraction at the Opera House, and on Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday matinee of next week the rising legitimate star, Robert Downing, supported by Eugenia Blair and a strong company, will hold the boards.

AT THE GRAND.

Vreeland's minstrels closed their engagement at the Grand last evening. The company is not bad.

"The Black Thorn," which opens an engagement of three nights and a matinee at the Grand to-night, has been delighting large audiences wherever it has appeared. It is entirely different from all the other Irish plays, and ought to have a large house this evening.

The Adhesive Mogullians.

At the last regular meeting of Welcome Conclave No. 6½, of the Ancient Order of Adhesive Mogullians Master Mogul W. W. McCluskey passed into the ranks of the Past Masters. Before abdicating the high office and puissant order of Master Mogul, Brother McCluskey read a witty paper, taking off the most striking characteristics of some of the members of the order. Brother McCluskey hit home, and may expect some good natured retaliation when future Masters step down from office and get his chance of doing the boys up.

The following officers were elected: Master Mogul, H. C. Stewart; Senior Mogul, Charles Downer; Junior Mogul, Charles E. VanKeuren; Worthy Supe, John Ritz; Inside Snoozer, Harry Roberts; Outside Snoozer, George Norrington, continued in office; Quill Driver, S. M Hathaway; Cash Driver, William Rogers.

An Old Recruit Enlisted.

Annie Porter tried to get into the recruiting station on Main street last night and the boys in charge shut the door on her. Annie was drunk, and Officers Scally and Gaus were sent for to take charge of her. When they arrived they found her securely anchored, her dress being caught in the door. She was released and carried off in the patrol wagon.

The Water Board.

The board of water works met last night and went over the contracts and specifications of the new machinery. The meeting was held merely to have an informal talk, as, owing to City Solicitor Riley's absence on his honeymoon trip, nothing definite would be done.

SILVER BELLS.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Delaplain Celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of Their Marriage. A Surprise.

Fifty years ago yesterday Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Delaplain were married in this city. They went East on their journey in the red, white and blue coach built to transport the victorious Gen. William Henry Harrison. The bridal party rode in the coach on its second trip, making the run from Wheeling to Washington, Pa., in two hours, which was not bad going for that day. Four children have been born of this union and of these Mrs. J. W. Grubb, wife of ex-Mayor Grubb, survives.

It is fifty years since Mr. Delaplain founded the dry goods house of which he is the head, and he is said to be the oldest in continuous successful business of all the dry goods jobbers of the country. Not one anywhere stands higher for solidity and integrity. If Mr. Delaplain were to order half the dry goods in New York they would be shipped to him without question, in the expectation that, according to his practice of thirty years, he would discount the bills.

Last night a few friends who knew of the anniversary surprised Mr. and Mrs. Delaplain by dropping in flower-laden, some bringing more costly remembrances. Before the hosts could realize what was going on Mrs. Delaplain was covered with flowers in which the favorite crysanthemum was abundant. The visitors were Rev. and Mrs. R. Rush Swope, Mr. and Mrs. Hulliben Quarrier, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Moffatt and Archie Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hearne, Miss Harrison, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker Peterson, Mrs. W. J. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Speidel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grubb and Miss Mamie Grubb, Mrs. Fullerton, of Louisville, and Major Ran. Stalnaker. The evening was delightfully spent.

A REVIEW OF THE MARKETS.

Prices of Fruits and Vegetables Moderate—Turkeys Cheap on Thanksgiving Day.

Since the review of the local markets in the INTELLIGENCER last week not many changes in prices have occurred. They had a downward tendency all week, though the decline was not very perceptible to the retail customer. Eggs went up another cent, but their complement, butter, experienced no change. Poultry remains the same, and the heart of the patriotic citizen will swell with joy to hear that on Thanksgiving Day the national fowl will be within the reach of even the most modest pocketbook. Reports come from the surrounding country that an almost unheard of number of turkeys is being got ready for the shambles. Dealers say that the dressed birds will not bring over fourteen cents a pound on that festal day.

That which always comes to mind, when turkey is spoken of, cranberry sauce, may take a notion to climb the ladder of higher prices before that day arrives. The berries are now out of the hands of the growers, and in the firm grasp of the kind of men who will not let them go, unless they get a good price. The growers sell when they want money; but those fellows can afford to hold on to a good thing, until it gets still better. If there is any chance to raise the price of cranberries this season, they will surely take advantage of it; the crop, however, is so large, that an exceptionally heavy demand must arise, before the cost of a dish of sauce is likely to be much enhanced. Chestnuts and oysters are so cheap that a very large fowl can be stuffed at a very moderate cost.

There is plenty of fruit now being sold, and apples, pears and grapes are still held at moderate prices. Pears mounted a little higher the past week, and as they cannot be expected to last over three weeks at the utmost, the cost will most likely keep on going up, until the supply ceases entirely. Florida oranges are coming in in quantities, but the quality is not of the best, the fruit being pretty sour.

But even if fruit should become more expensive, eggs go up beyond reach, and the turkey gobble for higher prices, the staple food, and one that everybody must have—bread, will not likely advance. The flour market is dull. Wheat has dropped from one dollar down to ninety-five cents a bushel, and with the magnificent crops all over the country, there is small probability of the barrel of flour becoming any dearer.

THE NEW CAR SHEDS

Of the Electric Railway Company Begun Yesterday—The Power.

A large force of men was put to work yesterday on the new car house of the electric street railway company. The excavation is being proceeded with rapidly, and it is hoped soon to begin work on the foundations. The present weather is favorable to quick operations, and with a continuance of the same it is expected that the building will be completed by the end, or the middle of January, at the farthest.

The electric power house being now the property of the two street car companies, the Wheeling Electric company is doing no business but furnishing electric light. It has its own dynamos, and rents the power to run them from the railway companies. It is not known whether this arrangement will be permanent, or whether the light company will construct its own plant in the future for light purposes exclusively.

A Great Game of Euchre.

A battle, that will go down the pages of local history for the brilliancy of the conflict, was fought at cards last night at Franzheim's hall. Eight members of the Bachelor's club have had high opinions of their skill in the classic game of euchre. Looking around for foes worthy of their steel, their glance fell upon the Mercantile club, and a challenge to its best double quartette of players was the result. The sixteen foemen met last night and sat down to a long siege. The game was played at four tables seating four players.

From the very outset it was seen that the opponents were well matched. Fifteen games were played at each table, and when the smoke of battle cleared away, it was found that the Batchelors had been defeated, by eight games to seven. The Mercantiles had won eight games at every table. The defeated eight gracefully accepted their defeat, and the whole crowd went to a well known restaurant and assuaged the pangs of hunger and of thirst.

McGrann Still Here.

Squire Arkle did not give Robert McGrann, the bogus certified check man, a hearing yesterday, as was expected. McGrann is still in the county jail, and Detective Wheeler, of Washington City, is still at the Stamm house, waiting to get him into custody and take him to that place to answer to the indictment against him there. McGrann can be held as long as there is any reason to want to hold him, either under the bad fame act or as a fugitive from justice.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

A Large Attendance—The Annual Election of Officers.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

MARTINSBURG, W. VA., Nov. 11.—There are nearly 400 visiting Masons in this city to-day, a majority of whom are delegates to the grand lodge A. F. & A. Masons of West Virginia, which convened in Equality lodge room last night. All the officers of the grand lodge are present and one or more delegates from each lodge in the state. The hotels are all full, and many of the strangers are accommodated at private houses. The officers of the grand lodge for the ensuing year are: L. M. Laviner, of Parkersburg, R. W. Master; C. W. Davis, of Charleston, R. W. Deputy Grand Master; A. M. Evans, of Middleway, S. G. Warden; G. W. Fiedt, of Martinsburg, J. G. Warden; Hugh Sterling, of Wheeling, R. W. G. Treasurer; G. W. Atkinson, of Wheeling, R. W. G. Secretary; Timothy Bliss, of Wheeling, Grand Tyler. Many of the delegates will leave to-night for home.

JOE MULHATTAN ARRESTED.

The Munchausen of the Newspaper World Charged with Stealing—His Record as a Liar.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 11.—Joseph Mulhattan, well known throughout the country as "Orange Blossom," the writer of some of the most startling and marvelously untrue stories ever published by the newspapers, was arrested here to-day charged with stealing money from Patrick O'Toole, a room mate. O'Toole alleges that he met Mulhattan in a saloon last night and having missed his train accepted an invitation to share Mulhattan's room for the night. When he arose this morning Mulhattan was missing and so was his money. He reported the matter to the authorities and the accused was arrested this afternoon. He denied taking the money, but the amount said to have been taken was found in his possession. He was locked up for a hearing to-morrow.

Joe Mulhattan is known in every city in the United States, and has probably caused more trouble in newspaper offices than any other man in the country. His wild fakes, written in the most plausible style, have more than once caused the special correspondents of the progressive journals of the United States to hurry from coast to coast to investigate some wonderful occurrence which only existed in the imagination of the great liar. Some months since he was sent to the Washington inebriate asylum at Chicago, but was released about two months ago. He came to this city last week and has been here ever since.

Big Opium Seizure.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The custom house officials here have unearthed what will probably prove to be one of the most gigantic schemes for the smuggling of opium into this country ever known. At present but little can be learned, all the officials refusing to talk. It is learned that one arrest has been made and that others are to follow. At the office of the United States commissioner the admission was made that a large amount of opium had been seized but that was all that could be learned.

Methodist College Association.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 11.—A meeting of the presidents of Methodist colleges for the purpose of forming an association was held at the Hollenden this morning.

Dr. W. F. Warren was elected permanent president and President Fisk, of Albaion college, secretary. The College Association of the M. E. church is the name adopted. The association commended unification and confederation of the Methodist educational society in this country. A committee was appointed to raise funds to assist students preparing for religious work.

American Turf Congress.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—The seventh annual meeting of the American Turf Congress convened here this morning, and the rule adopted by the congress allowing no races to be given for horses three years and upward at less than a mile was suspended for one year.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

ST. MARY'S, O., Nov. 11.—A boiler exploded at Vendora this afternoon killing two lumberman named William and Henry Thomas.

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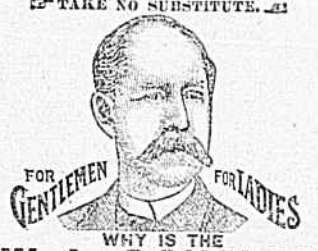

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By virtue of a deed of trust made by Patrick Barrett and Elizabeth Barrett, his wife, to me as trustee, bearing date March 31, 1881, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed of Trust Book No. 21, page 82, I will sell at public auction at the north front door of the Court House of said county, in the City of Wheeling, on

SATURDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1891,

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts secured by said deed so far as unpaid, the expenses attending the execution of the trust created by said deed of trust, including trustee's commissions, namely: A certain piece or parcel of real estate situate in the City of Wheeling, in the county of Ohio, in the State of West Virginia, in the Sixth ward of said city, that is to say, the southern one-half of lot number eleven, in Joseph Caldwell's addition to said city, a plat of which addition is now of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of said county, in Deed Book 36, at page 56, said lot lying at the north-east corner of Main and Twenty-seventh streets, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, on the southern half of said lot, and the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining, being the same property which was granted and conveyed by Henry Bloch, Samuel S. Bloch and Bertha Bloch, his wife, Aaron Bloch, Emanuel Felsenheld and Jennie Felsenheld, his wife, to the said Patrick Barrett by deed dated February 29, 1884.

The deed is believed to be perfect, but selling as trustee I will only convey the title vested in me by said deed of trust.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third and as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay in cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal installments, payable in one and two years respectively from the date of sale, notes bearing interest from the day of sale to be given for the deferred payments, and such payments to be secured according to law and to the satisfaction of the trustee. GEORGE B. CALDWELL, Trustee.

J. C. HERVEY, Auctioneer. oc13

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust made by John R. Robinson and Elizabeth Robinson, his wife, to me as trustee, dated the 21st day of January, A. D. 1890, and of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Ohio county, in Deed of Trust Book No. 23, page 563, I will sell at public auction at the north front door of the Court House of said county, in the city of Wheeling, on

TUESDAY, THE 17th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D., 1891,

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: The one-fourth part of lot No. 40, in that part of the city of Wheeling called Centre Wheeling, beginning at the south corner of said lot, corner to Chapline and Twenty-sixth streets; thence running in a westerly direction along the north line of Twenty-sixth street sixty-one feet, the one-half length of said lot; thence at a right angle in a northerly direction twenty-five feet, the one-half width of said lot; thence at right angles in an easterly direction along the centre line of said lot sixty-one feet to the west line of Chapline street; thence at a right angle in a southerly direction along the west side of Chapline street to the place of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash and as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay in cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal installments, payable in six and twelve months from the date of sale, notes bearing interest to be given for the deferred payments, and such payments to be secured according to law and the satisfaction of the trustee. T. J. HUGHS, Trustee.

W. H. HALLER, Auctioneer. no9