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Good Work Continued by the Committee Saturday.

#### SOME WISE RECOMMENDATIONS

Made by the Executive Committee at a Meeting Saturday Night—The Work of Distributing the Provisions Continued—Additional Donations Received—The Storehouse Will be Open This Forenoon. Work on the Streets.

The work of the general chief committee, in the wards and at the storehouse on Market street is going wonderfully well for a new undertaking but a few days old. With the exception of shoes for men, women and children supplies have been in sufficient quantity to meet pressing cases and there is a good store to open the week. Owing to scarcity of teams the delivery of coal has not been so rapid as the committee desired to make it.

Manager Robert Simpson has the work of distribution from the storehouse well in hand. Secretary Hoeking is keeping a careful record of all that comes in and all that goes out. The case of an applicant who has once had relief is readily turned to and the record shown when he was supplied, what was given to him, by whom the case was investigated, how many in family, whether he is able-bodied, in short all that it is necessary to know. If it be found that a mistake has been made in granting relief, this fact is entered opposite the name, and no more aid will be given. The coal agency is under the eye of Capt. Cowan, who looks to delivery.

It seems to be not clearly understood that an order for relief must be signed by the chairman of the ward committee. The investigation may be made by any member of the ward committee, but the system adopted requires the signature of the ward chairman, and under instructions from the general committee. Manager Simpson will not deliver without this signature. This rule is adopted to center the responsibility and for the protection of the really needy. Every day the ward committees will meet as below:

- First—Ward—W. A. Wilson, chairman; W. A. Wilson's office, 10 a. m.
- Second—Dr. R. W. Hazlett, chairman; List's drug store, 10:30 a. m.
- Third—Mayor B. F. Caldwell, chairman; police headquarters, 7 p. m.
- Fourth—Raymond Bauer, chairman; Atlantic engine house, 10 a. m.
- Fifth—C. W. Seabright, chairman; Seabright's clothing house, 10 a. m.
- Sixth—M. Grogan, chairman; Findley McKinley's residence, No. 2735 East street, 7 p. m.
- Seventh—J. S. Naylor, chairman; hose house, 7 p. m.
- Eighth—Hermann Bentz, chairman; engine house, 10 a. m.

Persons who have been overlooked by the ward committees should present themselves at the ward headquarters at those times and places to make their needs known, to have their cases investigated and to get the orders for relief, properly signed by the ward chairman. The orders are then to be taken to the storehouse of the general relief committee, on Market street, opposite the post-office. A brisk business was done at the storehouse on Saturday.

Manager Simpson and his assistants will be on hand this morning from 9 o'clock to 11 to fill properly signed applications for relief. Owing to a misunderstanding or unwillingness to make selection the board of public works put to work on the streets only about half the number of men for whom provision had been made. The executive committee of the general relief committee will ask to be allowed to take the responsibility and select the men to be given work.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETS.

A Good Attendance and Some Good Work Done—Employment for the Needy. Rules Laid Down.

A meeting of the executive committee of the general relief committee was held on Saturday night in the chamber of commerce, Chairman Hart presiding. With the exception of the Second and Fifth, all the wards were represented. Manager Simpson reported the work being done at the storehouse. The chairman said that an admirable system has been adopted for the management of the storehouse and is working well. The record is simple but covers everything. If the ward committees be as careful in making recommendations to the trust confided to the committee will be executed with great efficiency. Applications and investigations thus far made brought up for consideration the cases of real estate owners, persons aided by the county, and pensioners. It was recognized that persons coming under these several heads might be in great need and worthy objects of the committee's aid. The head of a family may have the title to his home and in fact own so little of it that he cannot get credit by reason of his ownership and can realize nothing on it. It was decided that the presumption shall be against applicants under these three heads, and that relief shall be granted on the basis following:  
Real estate owners.—Absolute want that cannot be met except by charitable relief.  
County Aid.—No additional aid shall be granted except in extreme cases, especially those of widows and children.  
Pensioners.—No additional relief shall be given except in extreme cases when there is no other resource.  
Ward committees are expected to be governed by these rules, which are made for the protection of the most needy.

The following was also adopted:  
City Employment.—The city boards in employing men shall be requested to give preference to heads of families in need, and to work the men in relays, so that in the course of each week every deserving applicant for work shall have his share of the work, if possible; and, further, to take the recommendations of this committee in giving employment.

The committee has now on its relief list able-bodied men who desire a chance to earn what they must have to support life, and the committee desires them to have this chance.  
Treasurer Dobbins reported cash receipts of \$1,100. Manager Simpson was authorized to make such purchases as the work requires, so far as the committee's funds will allow, and to give orders on the treasurer accordingly.

The ward returns of the census of the destitute not being all in, the tabulation of the returns was not possible. The committee desires to get at this matter in detail and will keep on until it succeeds. The executive committee will meet again to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is desired that every member be present.

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Those who do not receive delayed Part 1 by the last of this week will kindly notify this office. The INTELLIGENCER is responsible for the delivery of every one, and will see that all are delivered before long. The enormous demand has made some delay unavoidable.

Many of parts one and two are now in the postoffice and will be delivered as soon as the Christmas rush is over. For the accommodation of those who prefer to take the portfolio home with them when they bring in the coupons a large supply of part four was laid in and gave great satisfaction to hundreds who called at the INTELLIGENCER office on Saturday. Those who call at the counting-room this morning up to noon and this evening from 6 o'clock to 10 can be supplied with them. They will be on hand hereafter each week as the parts become due.

The demand for the first part of Sights and Scenes of the World, as it was revealed on Saturday, would have been unexpectedly large if it had not been that the success of the World's Fair portfolio gave reason to look for lively appreciation of the second great opportunity to get a really valuable thing at very low cost. The list opens largely with the promise of more to come. Subscribers wishing the Sights and Scenes of the World and the World's Fair portfolios will save trouble by not disconnecting the two coupons. Send in the two joined together as they appear each day, cutting them out for six days in succession, making in all twelve coupons, add twenty cents, and your name will be put down for the two works. Those who have already had the forethought to do this have greatly facilitated the work of entering their orders. The pressure is very great and it is necessary to simplify the office work as much as possible.

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**DIED.**  
TRIMBLE—On Saturday, December 23, 1893, at 9:30 a. m., JOHN S. TRIMBLE, in his 63d year. Funeral will occur from his late residence, 123 Fourteenth street, at 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, December 25. Interment at Greenwood cemetery. Special motor will leave at 11:15 a. m. Friends of the family invited to attend.

HEINLEIN—At the Institution for the Blind, Columbus, Ohio, GEORGE HEINLEIN, born November 7, 1836, died December 23, 1893. Funeral from his late home in Kirkwood, Ohio, on Tuesday afternoon, December 26, at 1 o'clock, Wheeling time. Interment at Mt. Zion cemetery, Wheeling. Friends of the family invited.

RAHO—At Chicago, Ill., December 24, 1893, VIRGINIA T., daughter of J. H. and Lucy Rahl, aged 2 years and 9 months.

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