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WATCH

Studded With Jewels

Stolen From Ex-President Harrison.

Said to be Buried Near This City.

Strange Story of Prisoner at Knoxville.

Frank Wilson is Known to Akron Authorities.

A watch valued at \$1,000, stolen from the residence of ex-President Harrison at Indianapolis five years ago, is buried near this city.

This is the story of Frank Wilson, an all around burglar and crook, under arrest at Knoxville, Tenn. He was taken into custody in that city Sunday afternoon.

A special from Knoxville says: "Frank Wilson, said to be a noted crook, was arrested here Sunday on a charge of burglary. In a consultation with Chief of Police Reeder he volunteered, in exchange for his freedom, to conduct the chief to the place where is secreted the famous watch stolen from ex-President Harrison five years ago.

"Wilson had on his possession a diagram of a place near Akron, Ohio, where, he says, the watch was buried by a partner soon after it was stolen and the original thief did not reveal its place of concealment until a few months ago on his deathbed.

Wilson was making his way to the place when he was arrested here. He will not be released until Chief Reeder has the prize safe in his hands.

In consultation with the Akron authorities it was learned that a warrant was issued for Frank Wilson's arrest, in this city, in 1898. He is charged with a felony. The details of the crime were never made known.

He hails from Chicago and is considered a dangerous man. Wilson's partner died several years ago. At one time the Akron officers were close on to him and but for an accident would have arrested the man.

The Nashville authorities have not communicated with the Akron officers in reference to the matter.

"Before Mr. Archer had played a dozen bars it became apparent to the audience that they were in the presence of no ordinary organist, but were listening to an altogether phenomenal genius, whose style was as distinctive as that of Franz Liszt on the piano.

A CARD

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Barron wish to announce to the people of Akron that they will start a beginners class exclusively for married people, Tuesday evening, October 10th, at 8 o'clock, at Millant Dancing Academy, 1.0.0.F. Temple.

DEVICE

For Carrying Molten Metal From Furnace.

Will be Manufactured Extensively in This City—Hay's Patent.

The device for carrying metal from the furnace to molds, patented several years ago by Joseph M. Hays, foreman of the foundry department of the Aultman, Miller & Company plant, will in a short time be manufactured extensively.

Ira M. Miller, secretary Aultman, Miller & Company, is interested in the patent with Mr. Hays. They will soon form a company for the manufacture of the article.

See program Grand Organ Recital and Concert, at First M. E. Church, Akron, Wednesday evening, Oct. 4th, published in this issue.

SPIRIT

Of Engineer Ross Appeared at Seance.

Says He Met Death by Being Struck With a Stone.

Readers will recall the tragic death of George Ross of Galion, engineer of the Erie road, who was killed about a year ago at the Old Forge by being struck on the head—with what remains a mystery.

The matter has been forgotten until in Cleveland a few nights ago a great spiritualist meeting was being held. Prominent mediums were there, and spirit after spirit was announced to be present, and messages were given.

Just when the meeting was closing a medium announced another spirit. "I am George Ross of Galion who was killed at Akron. I was struck on the head with a stone which was the cause of death," and then the spirit vanished.

This is considered strange from the fact that the medium who gave the reading had never heard of Ross. The incident has caused considerable stir at Galion.

BAD MEN.

Three Negroes Started a "Heap of Trouble"

They Were "Natural Born Cleaners"—Fined in Police Court.

Charles Ross' saloon at 203 North Howard street was invaded Monday night by three Virginia negroes, who, in a boisterous manner, demanded the drinks. Ross refused to comply with their request.

The trio said they "were a-going to clean out the joint," when Mrs. Ross came down stairs. As she entered the saloon a pop bottle almost struck her in the head. It was thrown by one of the negroes. By this time Charles Ross was angry, and grabbing his revolver, he shot at the colored fellows. They hastened away.

Officers Goodenberger and France arrested Wm. Martes and Oliver Royal, while the other man escaped. In police court Royal was fined \$10 and costs and Wm. Martes got \$5 and costs.

Chas. Aldrich, drunk, \$2 and costs.

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COLUMBIA

Leads the Shamrock From Turning Point.

Wind Light and Not Believed They Will Finish Inside Time Limit.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The starting gun in the yacht race was fired at 11:12 this morning. The Shamrock took the lead and held it almost to the turning point when the Columbia passed her. At 1:23 the Columbia leads by two minutes.

The boats at the time of going to press were four miles from the finish with the Columbia in the lead. The wind is light and it is not believed the boats will finish within the time limit. In this case it will be declared no race.

NEW WATER HEATER—Whyler & Smith's ad. on last page will be of interest to all users of natural gas.

COMPANY B WILL ASSIST—Company B of this city will assist in welcoming home the Cleveland members of the Fourteenth Regiment on their return from the Philippines.

COFFEE HEART.

Many People Think They Have Heart Disease.

"My husband and I used to drink Mocha and Java coffee at 40 cents a pound. We made it strong and always had it for breakfast; sometimes in cold weather for luncheon and dinner. A form of heart disease came on to both of us. Husband complained of his heart missing a beat sometimes and that he could not sleep after drinking coffee for the six o'clock dinner. I had pains at the heart and very peculiar smothering sensation, frequently accompanied with sick headache. My physician forbade the use of coffee and we were put on Postum Food Coffee, with the result that both husband and myself have fully regained our health and our hearts are all right and perfect now.

"I have reached such perfection in making Postum that husband cannot tell either by look or taste whether he is drinking fine coffee or Postum and he is a connoisseur in coffee. We drink Postum two or three times a day and it never fails on our taste.

"A good many people make Postum in a very slipshod manner; that is, they dash a little into the coffee pot and let it bubble up a little while and serve it, but that makes the flattest kind of a drink. On the contrary, when four heaping teaspoons to the pint of water are used and the Postum allowed to boil fully 15 minutes after the boiling begins (not counting after it is put on the stove but after the real boiling begins) then one obtains a beverage that is worth while.

"I have no objections to your using my name." Mrs. J. M. Courtright, 300 Third St., S., Minneapolis, Minn. Postum is sold by all first-class grocers.

BISHOP

Made Appointments.

Pastors of District For Ensuing Year.

No Change In the A.M.E. Zion Church.

Closing Business Session of the Conference.

Able Address by Rev. E. D. W. Jones of Pittsburg.

The Allegheny-Ohio conference of the A. M. E. church, which has been in session in Akron since Wednesday of last week was concluded Monday night about 12 o'clock.

In the earlier part of the night a concert program was enacted and then came the closing business features of the conference. Rev. E. D. W. Jones, of Pittsburg, talked impromptu for a short time. He made some excellent remarks relating to the race question and the negro's work. He also spoke highly of the manner in which Akron's citizens had used the visitors. "We will all be anxious to come back here again," said he. Later in the night Rev. Jones presented a resolution of thanks to the press of the city. It reads:

"Whereas, The press of the city of Akron has been so liberal, just and accurate in reporting the proceedings of our conference; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we extend to the several newspapers our heartfelt thanks for these reports of our deliberations.

"E. D. W. JONES, "P. J. MCINTOSH, "E. J. CARTER."

A resolution was also read, expressing thanks to Bishop C. C. Petty for the excellence of his work during the conference, and also to Rev. Mr. Pringle, pastor of the local A. M. E. church, and others, for their loyal and energetic assistance.

Among the reports it was noted that \$85 more than last year has been raised by the churches in the district. The reading of this item was the subject of much applause. Collections lifted during the week at conference sessions aggregated \$134. It was decided to lease a building at Cleveland for church purposes. It was also voted to appropriate \$40 from the general fund for the use of the new church at Cleveland.

"I see a number of anxious, placid faces before me," said Bishop Petty, with a merry twinkle in his eye, "and I can imagine about what some of you are thinking. You will no doubt try to borrow money to get home on, and I want to say right here that I have none to lend."

James S. Cooper, Samuel F. Simmons and Thomas J. Andrews were ordained elders, and John H. Hodge and E. P. Smith, deacons.

Bishop Petty made the following appointments:

Allegheny district—Presiding elder, M. S. Kell, Sewickly; John Wesley Church, Pittsburg, P. J. McIntosh; Home-wood, Pittsburg, B. F. Combs; West End, Pittsburg, H. L. Jones; Mt. Washington, Pittsburg, S. H. Simmons; Lawrenceville, Pittsburg, J. E. Hodge; Scottdale, J. S. Cooper; Smithfield and Lamont, M. G. Gordon; Cumberland, Md., G. W. Boyd; Blairsville, D. G. Hooie; Concessville, F. W. Williams; John Wesley Church, Uniontown, M. J. Snow; Bedford, L. M. Gynn; Huntingdon, C. H. Braxton; Hollidaysburg, B. Dorsey; Myersdale, Robert Brown; Mt. Pleasant, J. T. Moore; Ford City, R. Tompkins; Lewistown and Millerston, William Rainey; Apollo, J. H. Trimble; Lock Haven, G. M. Payne; Johnstown, J. H. Harding; Altoona, H. H. Gray; general missionary and evangelist, Mrs. Jane Gynn.

Ohio district—Avery Mission, Allegheny, Pa., E. D. W. Jones; Salem, J. E. Little; Trimble chapel, Oakdale, Pa., E. P. Smith; St. Luke, New Castle, Pa., J. Hawkes; Bellevue, Pa., A. J. Wortman; Mendville, Pa., M. A. Masson; Disharoon chapel, Bridgewater, Pa., J. E. Disharoon; MacDonald, Pa., J. Stannard; Cleveland, E. J. Carter; St. John, Cincinnati, E. H. Curry; Akron, W. A. H. Pringle; Simmons chapel, Lisbon, H. S. Hicks; Sharon and Mercer, Pa., I. S. Simpson; Wheeling, W. Va., D. G. Moore; Massillon, T. J. Andrews; St. Matthew's, Sewickly,

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Pa., D. F. Bradley; Wright's chapel, Little Washington, Pa., C. W. Simmons; St. Paul, Carnegie, Pa., T. H. Slater; Youngstown, E. F. Fleming; Snowden's chapel, Franklin, Pa., N. J. Watson; general missionaries and evangelists, Mrs. M. C. Bryan, Mrs. Harriet E. Watson, Mrs. Lizzie H. Munro, Mrs. Dora B. Bill.

The celebrated contralto soloist, Mrs. Katharine Honk Talbot, will appear in grand organ recital and concert, First M. E. Church, Wednesday evening, Oct. 4th. The Dayton Evening News says: "She is mistress of expression, and her voice has that heart-reaching quality which is the stamp of genius."

\$61,787.83

City Must Borrow

That Amount During the Next Six Months.

Monday City Treasurer Homer E. Berger addressed the following letter and statement to the Board of City Commissioners:

"To the honorable, the City Commissioners:

"Gentlemen—Enclosed find statement of average expenditures of the General Street, Fire Department and Police funds, dating from September, 1898, to March 6, 1899 (corresponding period last year), also the average monthly balances in the above funds, dating Sept. 4, 1898, to expenditures for the six months ending next March, average the same, then it will be necessary to replenish funds to the amount of \$61,787.83.

"Respectfully submitted," "H. E. BERGER."

The statement submitted is as follows: Expenditures, six months ending March 6, 1899: General, \$21,150.57; street, \$13,880.15; fire department, \$30,128.40; police, \$12,453.39.

Average per month: General, \$4,025.11; street, \$2,313.02; fire department, \$5,921.40; police, \$2,075.56. Balances on hand September 4, 1898: General, \$9,330.95; street, \$2,028.73; overdraft; fire department, \$5,983.97; police, \$1,980.49.

Last night the council authorized a loan of \$25,000. This amount is distributed as follows: General, \$8,000; street, \$8,000; fire department, \$8,000; police, \$1,000. This will last for two months, perhaps a little longer.

City Commissioner Daniel McGarry said this morning: "This condition of affairs is the direct result of politics. The street department has been conducted for the benefit of Republicans. There has been less work and more men. The expenditures have been greatly increased."

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AFFIDAVIT

Against George W. Alden Was Defective—The Ordinance.

George W. Alden's case of disorderly conduct was not dismissed in Police court Monday for want of evidence, but because the affidavit was defective.

The court expressly held that Chief of Police Harrison in arresting Mr. Alden did not over step the bounds of his authority, but did just what it was his duty to do. The ordinance under which Mr. Alden was prosecuted says: "That who ever shall willfully conduct himself in a noisy, rude, insulting or disorderly manner toward any person, with the intent to abuse or annoy, such person shall be guilty of an offense."

The affidavit failed to state that the acts complained of were done by Mr. Alden with the intent to annoy or abuse. This being one of the material elements of the offense, the court held that it was necessary to allege it in the affidavit.

SUFFRAGE

Society Sessions.

Plan of Work Adopted Tuesday Morning.

Most Important Feature of Meeting.

Prize Offered to Students of Ohio Colleges.

Able Address Delivered Monday Evening—Routine Work.

Tuesday morning's session of the Ohio Woman's Suffrage Association was occupied with hearing reports along the line of routine business. The most important feature of the session was the adopting of the following plan of work:

Organization. First—It is recommended that an effort be made to secure the organization of ten new counties before the next annual convention, and that this be accomplished by holding a two days' convention in the county seat of each of the ten counties.

Second—It is recommended that the arrangements for such conventions be made by an advance agent, when correspondence fails to discover an able local committee of arrangements.

Third—It is recommended that the president, corresponding secretary and treasurer be made a sub-committee on organization, with instructions to carry out the above plan if possible.

Fourth—It is recommended that a special fund be raised to carry out the above plan.

Fifth—It is recommended that the committee on organization shall be empowered to select the ten counties in which the work shall be done and to choose speakers for the work.

Prize Essay. It is recommended that a prize of \$50 be offered for the best ten-minute oration on woman suffrage, to be given by students of Ohio colleges. It is recommended that a contest be arranged in as many colleges as possible, and 10 cents admission charged. The students securing first place in their own college should then contest with one another for the \$50 prize, the amount of receipts taken for each contest being used to defray his or her expenses to the place of contest.

It is recommended that a special committee be appointed to put the above plan into operation and to raise the amount of the prize.

The opening feature of the afternoon session was a work conference on the subject, "Literature and Press Work" and convention business was transacted later.

This evening Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, of New York, will deliver an address.

Monday Night's Session. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York, chairman of the national committee on organization, addressed the Women Suffragists in convention at the Universalist church, Monday night.

"Fifty years ago," she said, "it required a woman of keen nerve to stand before an audience and advocate this cause: to-day it requires no nerve at all." She reviewed the history of woman's suffrage. It originated in France over a century ago, just after the revolution.

It is said she was born in America in 1815 in Seneca Falls, N. Y. She related the steady growth, saying that at present women were permitted to vote in 23 states of the union.

Mrs. Catt told a very interesting story about Dr. Buckley, editor of the Methodist Christian Advocate of New York. When that eminent gentleman was at Chautauque he conducted a question box. The table was covered with the slips he had taken from the box. None had been answered. Finally he exclaimed in a disgusted tone: "Woman's Suffrage! An unripe chestnut." Dr. Buckley was an enemy to Woman's

Grand Organ Recital and Concert

Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1899

REOPENING OF THE GREAT ORGAN IN

First M. E. Church

OF AKRON

PROGRAMME

PART I

1. "Be Not Afraid" (Elijah) Mendelssohn TUESDAY MUSICAL CLUB.

2. Organ, "Fantasia Originale" Wely MR. ARCHER.

3. Songs (a) "Where E'er You Walk" Handel (b) Morning Hymn (with organ accompaniment) Henschel MRS. TALBOT.

4. Organ (a) Poeme Symphonique (Rouet d'Omphale) St. Saens (b) Concert Fugue in D. Frederic Arher MR. ARCHER.

5. Trio (Violin, Piano and Organ) Meditation (Faust) Gounod MR. VON KUNITS, HARRIET PARSONS MISS HENNEBERGER.

PART 2

1. Songs—Group of Love Songs. (a) "Thy Beaming Eyes" MacDowell (b) "Love's Philosophy" Cooke (c) "Since We Parted" Allitsen (d) "Ich Liebe Dich (I Love Thee)" Grieg MRS. TALBOT.

2. Violin Solo (a) Adagio Vieuxtemps (b) Spanish Dance Sarasate MR. VON KUNITS.

3. Organ, Overture "Tannhauser" Wagner MR. ARCHER.

4. "He Watching Over Israel" (Elijah) Mendelssohn TUESDAY MUSICAL CLUB.

5. Invocation (with violin obligato) D'Harletot MRS. TALBOT, MR. VON KUNITS Accompanied by piano and organ.

Suffrage. Mrs. Catt took it for granted that the "chestnut" would someday get ripe. That time has arrived, she believes.

In a concise way she related how men had invaded the sphere of women. Inventions by men have taken a good deal of the work formerly done by women away from them. These inventions left women idle. The exchange of occupation is responsible for women and girls now doing the work of men. Out of 322 occupations, women serve in all save six.

Mrs. Catt is a very forcible talker. She mingled her address with many anecdotes. Her talk was concluded by an able plea for "Woman's Rights."

Address of Welcome. The convention opened at 7:30 o'clock with invocation by Rev. A. B. Church, who also delivered an address of welcome.

He extended the delegates a very cordial welcome and invited them to visit our city schools, Buchtel college, city institutions and factories. He referred to Akron as a great city for push and politics, saying, "I think we need you here; you ought to get a peep at our city hall."

A few remarks were also made by Mrs. Harriet Brown Stanton, of Cincinnati, state president, and Miss Mary G. Hay, of California.

Equal Rights Resolution. The following resolutions were adopted Monday afternoon: "To the United States Senate and House of Representatives: "Whereas, the trend of civilization is clearly in the direction of equal rights for women, and

"Whereas equal suffrage is no longer an experiment but has been clearly demonstrated as beneficial to society, "And be it resolved by the Ohio State Woman Suffrage Association in convention assembled that, as justice demands that we shall not offer to women emerging from barbarism, the ball and chain of a sex disqualification, while we hold out to men the crown of self government, we respectfully request that the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States omit the word 'male' in the qualification for voters in the proposed constitutions for the new territories of Hawaii, Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

"And be it further resolved that we respectfully request that congress submit a proposition to the several state legislatures for a sixteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States forbidding disfranchisement on account of sex."

Officers Elected. Delegates to National convention at Washington, D. C., next February: Miss Helen Smith, Warren; Rev. Henrietta G. Moore, Springfield; treasurer, Dr. Mary Anderson, Toledo; corresponding secretary, Miss Edith Root, Farmdale; recording secretary, Mrs. Hattie A. Sachs, Cincinnati.

Delegates to National convention at Washington, D. C., next February: Miss Helen Smith, Warren; Rev. Henrietta G. Moore, Mrs. Katharine Hinshelwood, Alliance; Mrs. Caroline Eberhard, Massillon; Miss



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LOW BRIDGE.

William Whitemyer, an Erie Brake-man. Seriously Injured.

Wm. Whitemyer of Galion, an Erie brakeman, was knocked unconscious at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning. He was on top of a box car and did not stoop low enough when the train passed under the Perkins street bridge. He received a wound on the back of his head which was dressed by Dr. T. C. Parks. He then left for home.

"Mrs. Katharine Honk Talbot, a woman of stunning appearance, sang three exceedingly interesting and rarely heard songs, by Brahms, Dvorak and Henschel, in clear, powerful, well-controlled tones."—St. Louis Mirror.