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SISTER

Called as Witness

For Plaintiff In Traxler Divorce Case.

Wife Given Decree and $9,200 Alimony.

Another Unhappy Woman Wants to be Free Again.

Cloth Cut Off Thorpe's Water Supply —Court News.

Mrs. Carrie A. Traxler was granted a divorce Wednesday from Chas. Traxler. He did not contest the case.

The plaintiff alleged that her husband was guilty of adultery, naming Tisby Triplett, as co-respondent. She also charged gross neglect of duty.

Mrs. Traxler was given $5,000 stock in the American Hard Rubber company and $4,200 in real estate as alimony. She was also given custody of children. The case was heard in private. A sister of Miss Triplett was one of the witnesses for the plaintiff.

Pipe Story.

The case of Lucien G. Thorpe vs. The Akron Water Works company is being tried to a jury in Common Pleas court. The plaintiff claims that in 1884 he laid a one and one-half inch lead pipe from a spring on North Hill to his and other residences on Lods st. In 1895, the defendant in digging a trench for its own pipes, knocked a hole in that laid by Dr. Thorpe. In trying to stop the leak, the defendant stuffed a rag into the pipe. This shut off the water, so that for many weeks Dr. Thorpe's house and others were without service. He asks $222 damages.

New Pleading.

Cora M. Butts is the plaintiff in a divorce case commenced against John T. Butts. She charges him with gross neglect of duty, habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty. As an instance of his treatment of her, she says he struck her a blow breaking the bones in her hand. For four days he refused to allow her to call a physician. His present whereabouts are unknown.

George M. Tuttle, trustee, has filed a petition in Common Pleas court asking judgment against Peter J. Buehl in the sum of $1,000. This is alleged to be due on a promissory note. The foreclosure of a mortgage is asked.

Grand Jury.

The grand jury will probably file its report today. The cases in which Ora Leffler, is charged with shooting with intent to kill, and James Hogan defrauding an inn keeper, have been investigated.

Damages Ask.

A petition, asking judgment for $420, was filed in Commor Pleas court Wednesday morning by Huntington Brown et al, against Chas. B. and John L. Reid.

The plaintiff alleges that in last July they rented to the defendants the Empire livery barn and that the defendants removed eight box stalls from the stable, occasioning damage to the amount of claim asked.

Judgment Rendered.

In the case of the Tuscarawas Coal & Iron Co. vs. John F. Seiberling, plaintiff was given judgment.

Cases Settled.

These cases have been settled out of court: Frank Ahern vs. the Baker-McMillen company, money; John Metzger vs. Peter Seltzer, appeal; Geo. D. McIntosh vs. Mary Stetler, money.

Witness Not Present.

Dr. Reese, of Youngstown, an expert witness in the case of D. H. Ormes vs. Dr. C. C. Davidson, malpractice, could not be present, and court adjourned.

Grand Jury Met.

The grand jury met Wednesday morning and a new juror, John Sowers, was sworn in to take the place of H. C. Viele, excused. The jury's report will be filed Thursday afternoon.

Calendar Entries.

H. O. Feederle, John Motz and W. E. Snyder have been appointed commissioners to partition the property in the case of Lucy Moon vs. Catherine Hall et al.

The Tuscarawas Coal & Iron company has been given judgment against John F. Seiberling for $2,613.33.

The following cases have been marked "settled: Frank Ahern vs. Baker-McMillen Co., John Metzger vs. Peter S. Seltzer, Geo. D. McIntosh vs. Mary Stetler.

Lottie A. Coffey, plaintiff in a divorce case against Frank F. Coffey, has been granted $25 alimony and $3 per week in addition, until the final hearing of the case.

After the Reward.

The case commenced by Detectives DeCelle and Doran of Cleveland, to collect a reward of $1,000 offered by the County Commissioners for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stone and Ira Stillson, will be commenced in Common Pleas court Friday. They claimed to have obtained the confession from Cotell.

Guardian Appointed.

Charles Motz has been appointed guardian of James Wallace, an alleged drunkard, residing in Northampton. Bond $2,000.

Damage Cases.

A jury in Probate court is hearing the action brought by the city to assess damages caused by the improvement of East Market st. between High st. and Buchtel av.

Assignment of Cases.

Judge Kohler will make an assignment of cases Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Marriage Licenses.

George A. Manley, Barberton	27
Leonia R. Keatley, Akron	18
Wm. J. Griffiths, Thomastown	28
Lydia Wolf, Tallmadge	24
Chas. L. Kleckner, Coventry	25
Minnie M. Warner, Franklin	25
George Stoll, Akron	55
Mary Schumacher, Akron	56
L. Gerstenmaier jr, Massillon	23
Ida Enstrom, Akron	21

BIRTHS.

CHITTY—November 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chitty, 198 Merriman st., a son.

VALENTINE—November 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Valentine, 401 Sherman st., a son.

THE WEATHER:
Fair and warmer.

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HAIR

Does your hair split at the end? Can you pull out a handful by running your fingers through it? Does it seem dry and lifeless?

Give your hair a chance. Feed it. The roots are not dead; they are weak because they are starved—that's all.

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If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor about it. DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

SNAKE

Placed Under Arrest.

Wicklin and His Serpent Create Excitement.

Was Giving It a General Introduction.

Officer Charles Doerler Had His Hands Full.

Was Thrown Into a Show Case—Police Court News.

At 5 o'clock Wednesday evening Fred Wicklin, a well proportioned jag and a six-foot snake established themselves at the corner of Main and Exchange st.

The serpent Mr. Wicklin carried under his coat. He would beckon the people to him, and then suddenly produce the "Anti St. Patrick" to their gaze. The people screamed, the serpent hissed, and Mr. Wicklin laughed. Officer Doerler arrived in time to see Wicklin chuck something under his coat, and he collared him as a fit subject for arrest. Accidently the snake fell to the ground, surprising the officer greatly. Wicklin then explained that he had recently purchased the snake and was merely giving it a formal introduction to Akron citizens. Officer Doerler collected together Wicklin, the jag and the snake and took the aggregation to P. T. McCourt's livery stable, meanwhile telephoning for the patrol wagon.

The snake, which was suffering from a severe indisposition owing to cold and rough handling was piled in a helpless heap in a corner of the stable, and while Mr. McCourt was expostulating upon the necessity of quickly removing the snake from his property, were the reptile's safety to be considered, James Sword, accompanied by a bosom friend, named Jag, arrived at the stable. They stole the snake and were leaving with it, when Officer Doerler also placed Sword and Jag under arrest.

The patrol wagon arrived, and both Wicklin and Sword, the snake and the jags were taken to the City prison. The snake was dumped into an old bucket and some time during the night the shivering, quivering Ophidian subject died.

Thursday morning Prisonkeeper Washer carried the snake into police court. He intimated that it had been frozen to death, whereupon Mayor Young ordered it to be burned to death. The snake was placed in a furnace, and it is now no more—that is, the snake is no more.

Wicklin was much vexed at the outcome of the affair, claiming that he had paid a good price for the snake. Wicklin and Sword were each fined $2 and costs, and Wicklin, it is said, will institute an action for damages against Washer and the city.

Chas. Sevonger was fined $2 and costs for intoxication. He was arrested in a South Main st. saloon by Officer Baker. Just before the arrest was made, the saloonkeeper attempted to pitch Sevonger out the door, but missing calculation in the distance, the human missile instead landed on a show case, smashing the glass into fragments.

Case against George Whitworth, accused of assault and battery by Jerome Donihi, continued to Monday, Nov. 13.

Pat Dugan, intoxication, $2 and costs.

John Miller, vagrancy, 10 days and costs. Ed. Mayo, same charge, dismissed.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks and gratitude to our friends and neighbors, also to Rev. Smith, Buckley Relief Corps, and choir, for their kind assistance in the last sickness and burial of our mother.
H. GREENWOOD AND FAMILY.

WANT IT WET.

Cuyahoga Falls Council Against Local Option.

Expenses of Investigation May be Deducted From Engineer's Salary.

Cuyahoga Falls will not be "dry." So Council voted Wednesday night, and it is said that saloons will be opened by December 1.

The ordinance to repeal the local option ordinance passed first reading, and a motion to suspend rules was carried by four to one, Shumway refusing to vote. Ayes—Young, Oakley, Schlicte, Porter. Nays—Hall. The ordinance will be given second reading next Wednesday night.

A complaint was made against the running of open cars on the street car lines. Council took no action in the matter, and it is said that a number of citizens have declared their intention of swearing out warrants for the arrest of the Company if the open cars are continued in service.

The pay ordinance was passed—all but Mr. Robinson's claim. The Investigating committee has investigated Mr. Robinson's work, and express it as their judgment that the plans for improving Front st. and the specifications for improving Second st. are wrong. An engineer will be engaged to look over the work. If he condemns it, the expense of the investigation will be deducted from Robinson's salary.

LARGEST MORTGAGE

Ever Filed In Summit County—Bond Issue of $165,000,000.

The largest mortgage ever filed in the County Recorder's office was brought in Thursday. It was given by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company to the United States Trust company of New York and J. A. Stewart, trustee. It is for $165,000,000 and is given to guarantee the payment of a first mortgage, 4 per cent gold bonds, due 50 years hence. The mortgage covers all the property of of the company. Internal revenue stamps, to the amount of $31,500, are attached to the mortgage.

MURDER STORY.

Mary Gilhuly Claims She Knows Some of the Details.

Mrs. Mary Gilhuly came to the police station Monday afternoon and requested that the turnkey lock her up in a cell, says the Canton News-Democrat. She stated that she had been drinking and had with her a flask of brandy which she turned over to the officer.

During Monday night she stated to Turnkey Becherer that she was acquainted with some of the details of the Greentown murder, and that she had learned the matter from parties at the workhouse while incarcerated there among prisoners. She created quite a sensation. The mayor discharged her Tuesday afternoon without fining her.

LAST LINKS.

FUNERAL—The funeral of Marguerite Light, 1308 South High st., was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence.

BREWERS' DANCE — Brewers' Union No. 179 is making extensive arrangements for a dance to be given at Conrad hall Thursday evening, Nov. 16.

HOTELS CROWDED—The local hotels are crowded to their fullest capacity and the prospects are that the same rushing business will continue.

PARALYSIS—Mrs. Lucia Bennett, of 429 E. Center st., suffered a slight stroke of paralysis Wednesday. Her condition is not considered dangerous.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL — The superintendents of the various departments of the industrial school are requested to be present promptly for the opening formalities Saturday morning.

WANTED FREE RIDE—Wednesday night a citizen under the influence of strong drink presumed to ride free of charge on a South Main st. car, but he was expelled bodily from the rear vestibule and attempted to climb into the motorman's apartment, when Officer Manoney arrived and took charge of the offender.

Weary Inquest.

Corner E. O. Leberman will file his finding in the Miss Millie Belle Weary case Friday. Sensational developments are anticipated.

KIRKWOODS

Name Two Teams.

Either of Which They Say Can Win

The Game Thanksgiving Day From Elks.

National League Will be Reduced to Eight Clubs.

Simms Accepts Challenge of Lavigne —Local Sports.

The Elks announced Wednesday that they had selected their team for the game with the Kirkwood eleven.

Today two line-ups were sent by the Kirkwoods, either of which will be used in the game if the Elks line remains as announced. The Kirkwoods two teams are made up as follows:

First team.	Positions.	Second team
F. B. Goodman	l. e	M. Louer
O. L. McMillen	l. t	T. O. Baker
M. F. Anderson	l. g	W. F. Warden
John Memmer	c	O. J. Hearty
N. C. Stone	r. g	C. S. Todd
Sumner Nash	r. t	F. W. Butler
T. Peterson	r. e	J. Koch
Geo. Seiber	r. h	Lloyd Long
C. S. Cobbs	l. h	Bob Chalmers
G. A. Barnes (Captain)	q	Park Johnston
H. C. Corson	f. b	F. Smith

Bowling.

The B and D teams bowled at the Kirkwood club Wednesday night, each winning one game. The score: B, 1471, 1403—2874; D, 1458, 1480—2938. In four games, each won 2. Out of a total of 12,000 pins the D team stands 30 ahead. The C and E teams will bowl Friday night.

Eight Club League.

Another chapter in base ball history is soon to be turned says a New York special. The new American association has gained such strength and prominence that the National league magnates are vainly trying to head it off. John T. Brush of Cincinnati, J. Earl Wagner of Washington, Barney Dreyfus of Louisville, Frank Dehass Robinson of St. Louis and Andrew Freedman of New York held a secret meeting in this city last night. While no definite statements have been made by the magnates, it is well known a reduction to an eight club league is desired and may be effected. Baltimore, Washington, Cleveland and Louisville will be bought up or dropped, leaving the league a strong field to fight the new association.

The National league magnates have been assured by Dreyfus that he can buy the Pittsburg club, and it is said Baltimore and Brooklyn may be forced into an amalgamation. Meanwhile the association magnates are busy securing backing in the cities they wish to take into the circuit. Options have been secured on the Charles River park in Boston and on a plot of ground across the Harlem river in this city. Al and Tom Johnson are said to have assured the association magnates that if they secure backing in other cities they will give their support to the New York club.

Simms Accepts.

George V. Tuchey, manager of Art Simms, has accepts the challenge issued by Dave Lavigne. The following letter has been received:

"Cleveland, Nov. 7, 1899.

"Sporting Editor:—The challenge of Dave Lavigne, the featherweight champion of New England, directed at Art Simms and printed in yours of recent date, suits Simms to a nicety and on behalf of the Akron man I have forwarded a direct answer to Lavigne's manager either to box in Boston or in the west, wherever best financial inducements are offered. If Lavigne is ready to make the match

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DEADLOCK

Broken by Election of Teacher Sisler.

Interesting Contest In School District 9, Franklin.

The County Commissioners will decide the contest in District 9, Franklin township, by re-employing Mr. C. E. Sisler.

The Franklin township School Board deadlocked over the appointment of Mr. Sisler. Five members voted to employ him; four voted against it. A member moved to reconsider the vote. This was declared out of order by Chairman L. M. Kauffman. The chair declared a motion to appeal from the decision of the chair out of order.

The appeal was then taken to the County Commissioners.

The opponents of Mr. Sisler raise the objection that he agreed a year ago not to reapply for the school if appointed a year. They claim that he violated this agreement by again becoming an applicant.

Other applicants for the position are Clarence D. Stump, E. S. Rhoades, W. F. Ludwick, V. M. Grubb, all of Summit county; F. A. Leeser of Canal Fulton and A. G. Skeels of Canton.

The County Commissioners are unanimous in retaining Mr. Sisler.

Russian Jackies.

Four Russian jackies arrived in Akron this afternoon from New York. They boarded a Rapid Transit car and went to the Stirling Boiler Works at Barberton, where they will inspect several boilers for the Russian navy.

BARBERTON FAIR—Attendance at the Barberton Fair continues to be large. The fair will conclude Friday night.

STIRLING

Boiler Co. Employes,

In Numbers Exceeding 400, on a Strike.

Difficulty Arose Over the Discharge of Employes.

Neither Side Gives Any Satisfaction to the Other.

Relative to Causes Inducing the Action Taken.

Indications are that a serious strike has started at Barberton. Today over 400 employes of the Stirling Boiler company are out, small crowds of men leaving the shop at different hours during Wednesday.

It is claimed that the trouble originated two weeks ago. It was talked of at a meeting of the Central Labor Union, this city, several nights ago, but no definite action taken until Wednesday. The company, say the men, ordered the boilermakers' helpers to do some extra work, whereupon the helpers demanded more wages. This was refused, and some of the men dismissed. A committee representing the union to which the boilermakers belonged called on officials of the company, but got no satisfaction relative to the cause of the dismissal of the men.

Wednesday morning, 70 of the boilermakers left the shops at one time, others following at noon and more late in the afternoon.

The superintendent of the company stated today that the men assigned no reason for quitting. He also says that the company has not yet arranged plans for meeting the strike.

The striking employes claim to have heard upon good authority that it is the intention of the company to fill their places with new men, and that already a large number of workmen have been secured in the east.

Serious trouble is anticipated when the new men are put to work.

The machine shop employes have not yet joined the strikers, but persuasion is being used to induce them to come out also.

It is further stated that nothing has been done as yet to have the difficulty settled by arbitration.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

Married to Mrs. Mildred Hazen at Washington Today.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—[Special.] Mrs. Mildred Hazen and Admiral Dewey, were married at the rectory of St. Paul's Catholic church by Rev. Mackin this morning. The bride was accompanied by her mother and sister and Admiral Dewey by Lieut Caldwell, his aide. The bride is a sister to Mr. John R. McLean of Cincinnati.

JUST LIKE KENTUCKY.

Beginning of Another Big Election Row---Bloodshed Feared.

Middlesboro, Ky., Nov. 9.—(Spl.)—Armed men have congregated on the principal street to begin a fight over the election. Lee Turner leads the Goebel men and C. D. Ball, the Taylor men. The authorities are trying to prevent a fight.

LAND APPRAISERS.

Republicans Elected In Every Ward Except The Fourth.

The Democrats elected only and decennial land appraiser in the city and that was in the Fourth ward. Christ Lambacher was the successful candidate. His opponent was Frank G. Stipe.

The Republican Land Appraisers elected follow.

First ward—George W. Weeks.
Second ward—Sanford M. Burnham.
Third Ward—Wm. H. H. Welton.
Fifth ward—Lewis Yerrick.
Sixth ward—Geo. W. Ruckel.

SADLY MISSED.

Life of Mrs. Rachel Flower Was Full of Usefulness.

Mrs. Rachel Flower, of 211 Adolph av., who died Tuesday night of a cancer, is survived by two children—James T. Flower, who is in the mantel business, and Miss Hettie, who resides at home. Mrs. Flower's life was full of usefulness and she will be sadly missed by her large circle of friends.

The funeral will be held Friday at 2 o'clock at the late residence.

DEATHS.

KOLB—Carl C., aged 2 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kolb, of Sherbondy hill, died at 12 o'clock Thursday, Nov. 9, of inflammation of the bowels. Funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock.

True Economy

The difference of cost between a good and a poor baking powder would not amount for a family's supply to one dollar a year. The poor powder would cost many times this in doctors' bills.

Royal Baking Powder may cost a little more per can, but it insures perfect, wholesome food. In fact, it is more economical in the end, because it goes further in leavening and never spoils the food.

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