BRODIE'S

Will Is a Unique Affair.

Filed For Probate In New York.

Hard Won the Handicap Tournament.

Magic City Team Win Two Games —Sporting News.

New York, March 26.—(Spl.)—Steve Brodie's last will and testament, written by himself, was probated today. It proved to be a unique document. His estate comprising $50,000 worth of property and $30,000 in cash, will be divided among his three children. These are a few extracts from the will: "I make this, my last will and declare any others, if such are in existence, I declare them cancelled and valid. * * * *

"I now named my oldest daughter sole heir and executor to my real and personal estate. * * * *

"Miss Irene Brodie to be sold executor until her sister Nellie Brodie, becomes the age of 21 years of age. * * * *

"My daughter Irene to have full control of property and money I left without giving any bond as security. * * * *

LONGEST FIGHT ON RECORD.

In the publication of famous battles fought at the old Olympic club, New Orleans, the fight between Andy Bowen and Jack Burke, which was the longest on record, was not recorded. This fight lasted 110 rounds and was declared a draw after nearly eight hours of fighting. The mill came off April 6, 1893.

Jack Burke, who was one of the contestants, is still alive. Burke fought four hours with both hands broken and succeeded in making a draw of it after things looked hopeless for him. Burke is at present touring the country with a theatrical combination.

In speaking of his fight with Bowen the old-time light weight recently said: "The fight was so fast for 50 rounds that we wore out two referees: Some people went home for a good rest and returned in time to see the finish. Up to the fiftieth round I was in fine condition, but then both of my hands went to pieces and I was advised to give up the fight, but I wouldn't listen to the proposition. With both hands broken I kept going ahead. I had considerable of my friends' money up on me and was bound to protect it. So I kept agoing until 110 rounds were fought and I consented to call it a draw. Bowen was at his very best at the time and had twice defeated Billy Myers the Streator Cyclone, prior to our set-to. He was considered the crack light weight at the time.

"The ring in which we fought was not padded. Instead, they had river sand for a floor, and it was pounded down until it was as hard as a stone. I used a pair of light shoes in the fight, and when it was finished the sand had worn away the soles of the shoes and had burned my feet so I could hardly stand. It was more than a week afterward before I could get into my clothes or dress myself without assistance. It was not the pounding I received that caused it, but the awful strain on the muscles. I believe to this day that the fight with Bowen did more to develop my muscles than any training I ever did.

"After the fiftieth round about all I I could do was to use my skill in avoiding the heavy blows aimed at me, and it took all the side stepping and feinting I had to keep away from him. I could not hit a hard punch with my broken hands, but I landed one occasionally that kept Andy guessing. Many of my friends at the ringside went home, thinking it was all over with me at the fiftieth round and advised me to give up the fight, but I stuck, and they would not believe it when they heard that a draw had been declared at the end of the one hundred and tenth round.

FOR THE COAST.

Oscar Gardner and Joe Bernstein left today for San Francisco, where the first named will finish his training for his battle with Terry McGovern.

WILL BE CALLED OFF.

The proposed match between Tom Sharkey and Peter Maher will be called off. There was no club that was willing to offer a purse for the event.

BICYCLE REVIVAL.

Local dealers in bicycles anticipate a much better business this year. They say their sales show an increase of 33 1-3 per cent as compared with 1900. The higher grade wheels are more in demand.

CONSOLIDATION OF TEAMS.

The consolidation of the Canton and Painesville base ball teams has been announced. The players signed up to date are: Miller, l. f.; Flannagan, p.; Violet, r. f.; Drumm, 2 b.; Flood, 3 b.; Cooper, c.; Kaufman, 1 b.; Coggswald, p.

COLUMBUS TEAM.

At a meeting in Columbus last night a stock company with $5,000 capital was organized to place a team in the Inter-State League. Prominent business men are stockholders.

TWO OUT OF THREE.

The Magic City bowlers won two our of three from the second team of the Grand Monday evening. The scores:

Magic City—815, 762, 748.
Grands—708, 762, 721.

TOURNAMENT NEWS.

The Dagues and Norkas bowled at the Grand Monday evening, the Norkas winning two out of three. The scores:

Dagues—797, 768, 709.
Norkas—690, 781, 803.

The Akrons and Dagues will bowl three games at the Grand tonight.

POOL GAMES.

Brown and Ellison played at the Grand Monday evening. Brown went out by a score of 100 to 76. Inskeep and Rampanelli will play tonight.

HARD WON FIRST PLACE.

By defeating Hanscom Monday night Hard won first prize in the handicap tournament on Cohen's tables. Hanscom and King played in the afternoon, the first named winning by a score of 100 to 50. By getting this game Hanscom tied Hard for first place. The tie was played off in the evening. The men finished in the following order—Hard, Hanscom, Cohen, King, Rampanelli and Milford. Third prize goes to King, as Cohen was not competing for a prize.

BOWLED AT KENT.

The Peerless bowlers won two games from the Kents Monday night. The Kents will visit Akron one week from Thursday.

ONE-ARMED BOWLERS.

Criss and Obermeyer, the champion one-armed bowlers of the world, will give an exhibition Thursday afternoon. Ladies will be invited to witness the games. The Summit and Peerless teams will enter teams to contest with the visitors.

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ALLEGED

Bribe Giver Appointed to Office.

Hon. Tompkins Recommendation Was Ignored by President.

(Special Correspondence.)

Columbus, March 26.—Hon. Emmett Tompkins, who succeeds Hon. John J. Lentz as Congressman from Columbus, has made a failure of his first attempt to control the patronage of the district.

Mr. Tompkins fought hard to prevent the reappointment of Elmer J. Miller as collector of the port in this city, but now comes the news that Miller will surely be given a second term. Both Senators from Ohio are his partisans and Mr. Tompkins has been plainly given to understand that the Senators need all the federal patronage in the district and that they will have it.

Why the new Congressman is so bitterly opposed to the reappointment of Miller is a mystery. Miller worked hard for Tompkins at the time of the recent election and he is one of the men accused by Mr. Lentz of bribery in connection with Tompkins' successful campaign. During the recent taking of testimony in the Lentz-Tompkins contested election case, several men bore witness that Miller had handled a part of the funds which, it is openly charged, were used for Tompkins.

ROBERT O. RYDER.

Medina's Crow Hunt.

Medina people will hold their annual crow hunt Friday, April 5. Editor H. G. Row, of the Gazette, and ex-Sheriff Ben L. Wells are to be the captains. Hunters will be allowed to use only shot guns.

A MOTHER'S GRATITUDE.

Many a Mother In Akron Will Appreciate the Following.

Many a strong man and many a healthy woman has much for which to thank mother. The care taken during their childhood brought them past the danger point and made them healthy men and women. Children are generally bothered at some period with incontinence of urine and inability to retain it is oftimes called a habit. It is not the children's fault, the difficulty lies with the kidneys and can be readily righted if taken in the proper way. An Akron mother shows you how.

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GAIN

Made by Knights of Pythias.

Have Passed Sixty Thousand Mark.

Annual Report of Record Keeper,

He Gives Some Interesting Facts and Figures.

Toledo, O., March 26.—(Spl.)—The army of Pythians in this State has passed the sixty-thousandth mark. On December 31, when the books were closed, the total membership numbered 60,115, as shown by the annual report of William Beatty, grand keeper of records and seal, which was made public today. The aim of the Pythians for some time has been to see the order go beyond the sixty thousandth mark, and now that it passed that figure, they aim to put it above seventy thousand in the next five years.

The annual reports show that the membership on Jan. 1, 1900, was 57,932. During the year 4,692 were initiated; 418 reinstated, and 939 admitted by card. The suspensions amounted to 3,264, expulsions were fourteen, withdrawals by card numbered 470, and 398 members died. The total gain during the year was 2,183. Of this total membership, two are past supreme chancellors, 4,772 are Knights, 141 esquires, and 134 pages. At the beginning of the year there were 657 lodges, and during the year two were instituted. Ten charters were surrendered and three lodges consolidated, leaving a total number of subordinate lodges 646.

The cash on hand at the opening of the year amounted to $42,395.15 and the receipts were $56,847.16, making $99,242.31 that passed through Mr. Beatty's office in this city during the twelve months. Of this $38,298.25 went into the Pythians' Home fund and $29,563.07 went into the general fund, leaving a cash balance on hand of $31,380.99. The disbursements by the subordinate lodges during the year were as follows: For sick benefits, $111,403.57; for funeral benefits, $18,934.18; for other reliefs, $5,355.90; for the education of orphans, $38,298.25. The total amount expended for relief was $173,991.89. The current expense of the subordinate lodges was $235,898.93. Paraphernalia and supplies cost $24,748.32. During the year the subordinate lodges had on hand $240,365.46. The receipts of the subordinate lodges during the year amounted to $506,978.10 and the assets at the end of the year were as follows: Cash on hand, $240,365.46; investments, $327,256.66; real estate, $320,920.57, and paraphernalia, furniture, etc., $426,163.48. The total amount of the assets is $1,314,706.17.

During the year 259 applications were rejected, sick benefits were paid for 32,784 weeks, 6,272 brothers were relieved, 388 brothers were buried, $1,192.80 was contributed to Utah sufferers, and $1,575.43 was sent the Pythians who suffered loss at the Galveston flood. As the end of the year there were 134 children in Pythian Home, at Springfield, as the charges of the Pythian lodges of the State.

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DAUGHTER

Of Governor Will Break Bottle

Over Bow of New Battleship—An Official Statement.

(Special Correspondence.)

Columbus, March 26.—Either Mrs. Worthington E. Babcock of this city, the Governor's daughter, or Miss Helen Deshler, of this city, the close friend of the governor's deceased daughter, will christen the battleship Ohio at the time of launching in San Francisco next May. Governor Nash made his first official statement upon the subject last night. He said:

"The battleship Ohio will be christened by Mrs. Worthington E. Babcock, the daughter of Governor Nash, in case she is able to make the journey to San Francisco. If she is unable to do so, Miss Helen Deshler will act in her place. Miss Deshler was an intimate friend of the governor's deceased daughter. Reports that other ladies have been asked to perform this ceremony are untrue."

Arrangements are now well under way to run a Columbus board of trade special train to San Francisco in May. The party, consisting of 100 representative men of this city, will act as the Governor's civic escort. Many of them will be accompanied by members of their families. Large parties of citizens of Ohio will also go from Cleveland, Cincinnati and other cities.

SPRING HAS ARRIVED

When the young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love and the man with "that tired feeling" turns to a foamy glass of refreshing Renner beer. There is nothing that will invigorate and tone the system on Spring's languid and balmy days like a glass of sparkling, pure and delicious Renner beer. Try it.

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(Special Correspondence.)

Columbus, March 26.—Hon. Chas. E. Perkins, of Akron, Chief Engineer of the State Board of Public Works, said this morning that the lease of salt wells in Akron to the Colonial Salt company, will probably prove the most profitable investment made by the Board in recent years. While the annual rental paid by the company to the State is small, amounting only to $200 per year, the revenue from the hauling of coal along the canal to the company's great plant will be considerable.

The company will use from 100 to 125 tons of coal daily and, under the agreement with the State, will pay the State for carriage at the established rate of 9 cents per ton. The State's total income from the new enterprise will therefore be large. As a citizen of Akron, Mr. Perkins is greatly pleased with the establishment of the new company there. At least 150 people will be regularly employed at the plant. Such a manufactory means much for any city.

ROBERT O. RYDER.

Eugene J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chicago. Nothing else as good.

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SIGNALS

Displayed When Mail Has Been Deposited.

Chas. Pfeiffer, Supreme Organizer of the Pathfinders was today granted a patent on a rural delivery mail-box which promises to be universally adopted throughout the country. This box is provided with sets of signals which indicate that mail matter has been deposited in the box for the citizen, and also indicates to the carrier or collector that mail matter has been deposited for collection therein. This patent was obtained by Humphrey & Humphrey of this city.

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INDIGNATION

Of Tomasso Demora

Was Great When an Undertaker Put Him In a Coffin.

Bradford, Pa., March 26.—(Spl.)—Tomasso Demoro, like one risen from the dead, is among his friends again. He had typhoid fever and the doctor ordered cold baths. No sooner was he immersed than his pulse suddenly ceased to beat, all the signs of death appeared and he was placed in a coffin. The undertaker was about to screw the lid down when Demoro protested.

"What's the matter with you?" he asked. "You have no right to put me in a coffin."

The undertaker agreed with him. It was only a case a suspended animation and Demoro has recovered.

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