

SETTLED.

Goodyear Co. Nearly Ready.

Akron Exhibits at the Pan.

They Compared Well With Others.

Summer Dull Season Has Been Short In This City.

The Goodyear Rubber Co. is nearly ready to square off for business under the new conditions that have been brought about by the building of a new plant and more factory room.

The new battery of boilers that was added to the power of the plant has been placed in position and the factory will soon be running with more capacity than it has ever had.

Mr. F. A. Seiberling, of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., is in Buffalo, whither he has gone partly for pleasure and partly on business.

There has usually been a very dull season among the Akron rubber shops, because of the summer slump in trade.

NEW TEACHERS.

Those Hired by the Board In Last Two Weeks.

The many resignations of teachers in the Akron schools that were accepted two weeks ago and the leave of absence that the Board of Education granted to so many teachers at that time made it necessary for them to do something at once to furnish enough teachers to run the schools.

Miss Laura Sheldon, salary \$700; Miss Lois Brownell, salary \$600; Miss Osborn, salary \$550; Miss M. E. Knapp, salary \$550; Elsie C. Rowan, salary \$450.

Mr. Gibbons, who was in an especially loquacious mood Monday night, asked about the propriety of hiring these teachers at big salaries and suggested that they had perhaps had no more experience than many of the teachers already in the employ of the Board, who were receiving less money.

NO CHANCE

In Connection With the Youngsters' Penny Grab Habit.

The Akron Truant officer, Mr. Charles Watson, was detailed by the School Board to run down the gamblers and conductors of lotteries, who, it was reported at the last meeting, were selling penny grabs and other devices of iniquity to school children of a tender age.

Mr. Watson looked the matter up and found that the grocers who were selling the candy had no element of chance in connection with the scheme and that every package contained a prize, consisting of a small brass ring or other article of "jewelry."

KILLED

His Sweetheart and Then Shot Himself.

Bolla, Mo., Sept. 25.—(Spl.)—Prof. J. S. Crosswell, instructor in the state school of mines here, who last night shot and killed Miss Mollie Powell, with whom he was infatuated, because she would not marry him, was brought to bay at midnight, by an angry mob. He shot himself, dying instantly. Crosswell came from near Boston, Mass., and was a graduate from the Boston Institute of Technology.



Judge Advocate Lemley Discussing the Law Points of the Schley Case With New York Attorneys.

NEW RAILS.

N. O. T. Company Placing Them on Buchtel Ave.

The Northern Ohio Traction Co. is putting in new rails on East Buchtel ave. This has been one of the worst pieces

of track in the city and it has been necessary for passengers that have ridden over it to hold their breath when they struck the rough places. The addition of new rails at this place is one of the pieces of work most necessary in the city.

Democrat Liner Columns effect quick exchanges between bargain-givers and bargain-seekers.

GATES' PEARL NECKLACE AND HOW HE PAID DUTY.

New York Customs Officers Too Smooth For the Millionaire.

New York, Sept. 24.—(Spl.)—An interesting but tardy story was told at the Waldorf-Astoria last night of how the customs authorities at the port came near "lifting" a \$35,000 pearl necklace from the possession of John W. Gates. Mr. Gates returned from Europe on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse last Tuesday. Previous to his arrival the customs authorities here had been informed that Mr. Gates, while in London, had in his possession, a \$35,000 pearl necklace.

When the steamer arrived Tuesday Quarantine Deputy Collector King boarded the vessel at Quarantine and met Mr. Gates. The latter said that in addition to wearing apparel he had in his possession a dog collar of diamonds and pearls, valued at \$10,000, and the deputy collector figured the duty at \$7,500 and Gates paid the

same. Then, according to the story, Gates was surprised when the collector asked to see him alone for a moment. Gates followed Uncle Sam's officer to a quiet nook on deck and was asked about a pearl necklace worth \$35,000. Gates admitted he had such a necklace in his possession. He produced it.

"I didn't buy it abroad this time," said the Chicago man, "I only added to it."

"Did you ever pay duty on it?" asked King.

"No, I didn't," said Gates candidly.

"Then," said King, "pearls are dutiable at 60 per cent, and you see that you must give me additional duties amounting to \$21,000."

"That is all right, my boy," replied Gates. "Here is a check for the \$21,000. Glad to meet you. Come around and see us again."

McKINLEY CENSORED MAYOR DOYLE'S COPY.

A Speech Written Too Full at Hudson In 1884.

"I want you to know that I was once in the newspaper business myself," remarked Mayor Doyle to a reporter for the Democrat Monday. "Yes," he continued, "I was once a correspondent. This was while I was attending the Western Reserve Academy at Hudson. I sent weekly letters to one of the Akron papers, and in 1884 I had an important assignment—yes, assignment—I guess that's what you call it. It was during the Blaine and Logan campaign. Major McKinley came to Hudson to make a speech and I reported it in full—or as

nearly so as I could take it in long hand. After delivering the address Major McKinley came to me and asked what I had written. He complimented me on my accuracy, but added that inasmuch as he wished to deliver the same address in Akron a few evenings later, he would rather I would not send the speech in full. Then he looked over my copy and cut out parts of the speech here and there. 'I will not object to your sending it now,' he concluded, and I did. The report as censored by Major McKinley was printed in full."

Yankee Horses Not Wanted on Russian Race Tracks.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—(Spl.)—The discovery of American "ringers" among the entries and prize winners at the Russian tracks recently, has come to light. Evidence has been secured that two horses, one from Indiana, and one from Minnesota, have been raced as Russian animals and have won about \$12,000 in purses, besides a sum many times that in bets, for their owners and friends.

Only by chance was the trick discovered. Thomas Mack, an Indianapolis blacksmith, went to Russia, and became employed in the Royal stables in Moscow. A horse, which had been winning large purses, was taken to Mack to be shod. As soon as he saw the animal he recognized it as Oslund L. 2:18 1/4, a horse he had formerly shod while it was owned by a liveryman named Valentine Schuler in Indianapolis. It was found that the horse had been purchased by Austrian parties from its former American owners.

Bread Famine Inconvenienced Akron Restaurateurs Sunday.

Many of the restaurants in the city run short of bread and other baked articles Sunday. The cause of the shortage of this food is explained by the fact that the bakeries closed Thursday, and had been unable to make enough baked goods Friday and

Saturday to meet the full demand. There was a heavy Saturday trade and on Sunday many of the restaurateurs found themselves short many loaves of bread, pies and cakes. This is the first time in many years that this condition of affairs has existed in Akron.

ONLY ONE

Change In Akron's M. E. Pastorate.

Rev. W. E. Fetch Transferred to Girard.

His Place Taken by Rev. E. E. Wilson.

Dr. C. E. Manchester Appointed Presiding Elder.

The East Ohio conference of the M. E. church adjourned at New Philadelphia after Bishop Joyce read his appointments.

Among the Akron churches there is only one change. Rev. W. E. Fetch, pastor of the North Hill M. E. church has been transferred to the church at Girard. Rev. E. W. Wilson of Kingston, will be the new pastor at the North Hill M. E. church.

The appointments in Akron district follow: J. W. Robins, presiding elder; Akron First church, M. B. Pratt; Grace church, J. C. Smith; Main Street, J. W. Moore; North Hill, E. E. Wilson; Woodland, W. F. Wykoff; Atwater, W. S. Jenkins; Braceville, L. C. Hallock; Bedford, J. J. McAlpine; Bristolville, A. A. Brown; Canfield, C. F. McGaha; Charleston, C. L. Bowland; Cuyahoga Falls, W. J. Wilson; Deerfield, H. L. Ward; Edinburg, J. V. Haskell; Garrettsville, E. E. Whittaker; Kent, W. D. Starkey; Mantua, J. L. Neely; Mineral Ridge, Edwin Kirby; Mogadore, H. W. Kennedy; Newton Falls, R. W. Gardner; Northfield, F. H. Hill; Peninsula, H. B. Allen; Pleasant Valley, Harry Bright; Ravenna, C. M. Hollett; Rootstown, L. O. Eldredge; Southington, W. C. Miller; Tallmadge, M. C. Scott; Twinsburg, W. L. Askue; Warren, First church, H. S. Jackson; Tod Avenue, H. H. Scott; West Farmington, W. H. Dye; Windham, F. C. Anderson; W. L. Davidson, secretary American university, member of Cuyahoga Falls quarterly conference.

Dr. C. E. Manchester, pastor of the First M. E. church in Canton, who preached the sermon at President McKinley's funeral, and who for years was the pastor of the late President, was appointed Presiding Elder of the Steubenville district.

Rev. J. S. Rutledge, formerly a pastor in Akron, was transferred from Glenville to Lisbon.

Rev. W. T. C. Culp, also a former Akron pastor, was assigned to the Lake st. church, Youngstown.

Rev. J. B. Manley has been assigned to the charge at Greentown.

THIRD YEAR At Oak School Begins Thursday Morn'g.

The Oak Place Private school will open its third year Thursday at 8:30 a.m. In addition to the instructors of last year, Miss Cleveland, of the Cook County Normal school, of Chicago, will have charge of the primary department. She will also instruct the classes in physical training. Mrs. Collins will again conduct the music.

\$20 MINNEAPOLIS AND RETURN. Via B. & O. R. R., Oct. 8, 9, 11 and 13. Return limit Oct. 19, subject to extension until Oct. 31st.

SWEETIES

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A. Polsky SPECIAL SALE OF NEW FALL Dress Goods FOR 10 DAYS

- 10 pieces, 36-in. all-wool, suitings, all leading shades, regular price 50c, sale price 39c yd
15 pieces, all-wool venetian cloth, 38-in. wide, regular price 59c, sale price 50c yd
12 pieces, all-wool storm serge, all shades, regular price 65c, sale price 50c yd
10 pieces, all-wool suitings, 54-in. wide, regular price 75c, sale price 59c yd
5 pieces, all-wool storm serge, 38-in. wide, regular price 69c, sale price 50c yd
6 pieces cheviot serge, 42-in. wide, regular price 69c, sale price 50c yd
5 pieces black, all wool storm serge, 50-in. wide, regular price \$1, sale price 75c yd
3 pieces black granetta cloth, regular price \$1, sale price 75c yd
10 pieces, all-wool prunella cloth, all the newest shades, regular price 89c, sale price 75c yd
1 lot all wool suitings, 50-in. wide, regular price \$1, sale price 75c yd
3 pieces all-wool black cheviot, 54-in. wide, regular price \$1.25, sale price 89c yd
3 pieces all-wool broad cloth, 54-in. wide, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$1 yd
5 pieces black prunella cloth, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$1 yd
3 pieces black granite cloth, 48-in. wide, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$1 yd
5 pieces all-wool pebbled cheviot, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$1 yd
5 pieces satin soliels, all leading shades, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$1 yd

A large assortment of waist materials, something entirely new at 25c, 39c, 50c, 60c, 75c It will pay anyone to inspect our line of dress goods before purchasing elsewhere.

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September CLOSING SALE OF PIANOS

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Pianos

You can save from \$50 to \$150. Easiest terms of payment. Don't fail to make a visit of inspection at A. B. Smith's this week. You will find remarkable price inducements in all grades of pianos. The warehouses are crowded with choice examples of the latest styles in every grade. A distinct improvement upon former standards will be noted. For instance, in new uprights selling for less than \$200, no such values have been obtained as A. B. Smith now offers. See the new upright mahogany, at \$135, for this week, and that at \$145, \$190, \$175, all on very easy monthly payments.

New Uprights of Artistic Grade

Glance at the superb instruments just received from a number of makers—take the elegant Kimball, its handsome designs are a full year ahead of those shown elsewhere, and to the beauty in exquisite cabinet work is added a musical capacity that cannot fail to delight. The absolutely best pianos—Ahlstrom, Kimball, Lindeman and others—are shown in some twenty different styles, and some of these are within the reach of modest incomes. Also we offer a large number of used uprights returned from renting in the summer resorts, including splendid specimens. Among other bargains are a number of uprights in fancy woods, mandolin attachment, September price, \$150; now large size mahogany and oak uprights with latest design mandolin effects at \$200; a new upright at \$195—remarkable value. Choice of pianos taken in exchange including nearly all the celebrated makes. Some of these are really excellent instruments, and all have been marked at a special net figure to close:

- \$300 WELLINGTON upright, at \$165
\$375 KRAUKAUER, at \$185
\$300 SPIELMAN, new, at \$225
\$285 WELLINGTON, at \$165

- \$350 KIMBALL, used two months, cannot be told from new \$250
\$350 KIMBALL, used three months \$235
\$325 EBERSOLE (just one left) \$200

SQUARES---\$30, \$40, \$50, \$60, \$70, \$80, \$90 to \$125.

ORGANS

New Organs, elegant piano cases, \$100. Elegant high back organ with mirrors, \$75. on \$4 per month.

Second-hand Organs at \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30.

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