

A HOME FOR BURL KIRK.

J. H. OGLEBEY COMES TO THE RESCUE OF AN UNFORTUNATE BOY.

Little Burl Released from the County Jail Until Monday, When He Will Be Taken Before Judge Wofford for a Decision.

Little Burl Kirk, the 12-year-old boy whom his mother is trying to place in the reform school, will not go there in all probability. James H. Oglebey, the part owner of the Temple block, and one of the wealthy capitalists of the city, has become interested in the boy, and yesterday he secured Judge Wofford's consent to take the lad home with him until Monday morning, at which time the boy and his parents will appear in the criminal court, and the entire matter will be investigated.

Mr. Oglebey said yesterday that he was sorry for the boy, and did not want to see him go to the reform school. He had a talk with him, and declared that he was convinced the lad was far from being wayward.

SMALL OFFENDERS INDICTED.

The Grand Jury Makes a Return of Twenty True Bills in Jail Cases Only.

The grand jury returned twenty indictments yesterday, all but four of which were minor jail cases. None of the murder cases have been reported on as yet. The following are the indictments returned: David Kaufman, embezzling a diamond ring from Attorney Arnold Shanklin November 5, 1896.

MACHINE TO AID IN KICKING.

The Board of Public Works Authorizes the Purchase of One for Alderman Morgan.

The board of public works has finally taken official notice of Alderman Morgan's persistent insistence that the board propose to help the alderman out, and save him the usual wear and tear by providing him with a first-class kicking machine, possessing all the modern appliances, geared to a high rate of speed, so that, as a kicker, he will be, when he gets the new machine, with a possible successful rival. The only omission in the specifications for the machine is that it shall be provided with non-puncturable tires. If it has to be used on any very rough road, the tires will be liable to escape from the tires at any moment.

BRUTAL MURDERER WEAKENING

William Williams, the Slayer of an Inoffensive German, Melts to Tears at Thoughts of the Gallows.

William Williams, who was convicted of a brutal, unprovoked and wanton murder of an inoffensive old German named Lawrence Scheibel last November, is rapidly weakening. He realizes the desperate results in which he finds himself, as the gallows already looms up before him. Yesterday he sent word that he wanted to see Major Blake, the prosecuting attorney, and criminal lawyer. The major had a conference with him, the nature of which he declined to divulge. It may be surmised, however, that Williams was given little ground for hope, as he immediately sent word for Father Lilla, of St. Patrick's church. Father Lilla will have a conference with him on Friday or Monday. The murderer's mother and sister visited him regularly.

CONNELY WOULD NOT FORGIVE.

So Mrs. Minnie O'Connor Will Have to Go to Trial on a Charge of Theft.

Mrs. Minnie O'Connor, a small middle aged boarding house keeper at 1239 Broadway, was yesterday taken before Justice Wofford charged with stealing the personal effects of Robert Connelly, one of her elderly boarders. She took the whole proceedings as a huge joke and said that Connelly was simply a little mad and would forgive her when in a little better humor. But Connelly did not seem to agree with her. He charged her with confiscating all his personal effects in his room, from deeds and papers to his costume de figure. She entered a formal plea of not guilty and gave \$300 bond for her appearance next Friday.

Offer for Security Notes Rejected.

The county court yesterday notified Sigs, Northrup & Co. that an offer of \$200,000 worth of bonds securing a loan on 200 acres of land belonging to the Wald's estate would not be considered. The notes are regarded as a good investment by the county and will be held, as the security is ample.

Duress Damage Case Jury Disagrees.

As predicted, the jury in the \$20,000 damage suit of Charles Duress against the Metropolitan Street Railway Company failed to agree.

Trinity Temple No. 11, Rathbone Sisters.

Trinity Temple No. 11, Rathbone Sisters, will give a ball on Tuesday evening, April 20, at the Academy of Music. This promises to be one of the most enjoyable balls given by Trinity temple.

Ballad concert at the Coates opera house.

Ballad concert at the Coates opera house April 21, benefit Door of Hope. Among those who will take part in the colonial party are the following well known people: Mr. C. A. Whitehead, representing George Washington; Mrs. J. B. S. Neubert as Martha; Professor Lebb as Uncle Sam, with song, "Sword of Bunker Hill"; Mrs. Dr. M. H. Hase, Mrs. Dr. Von Quast, Mrs. Frank Russell, Mrs. Dr. Henderson, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Hobart, Judge and Mrs. Twist, Judge Wells, J. T. Sashorn, Major McWain, Miss Reed, Miss Larimer, Ralph Smith.

Horse Traders in a Fight.

Al Bresentine and James Higley, horse traders, quarreled at the horse market yesterday afternoon and, urged on by the plaudits of their companions and an overdose of beer, fell to belaboring each other. Bresentine had thrown Higley to the ground and was endeavoring to chew his ear, when Deputy Marshals Welch and Taylor rushed up and arrested them. Bresentine was bleeding from a long scratch on his neck. He said Bresentine had the wound on his neck.

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