TO-MORROW THE CYCLE SHOW

COMPLETE AND ATTRACTIVE EXHIBIT AT THE TWELFTH STREET ARMORY.

The Exhibition Is Under the Auspices of the Local Cycle Dealers' Association and Is Assured of Success—Racing and Sporting News.

To-morrow evening the first annual cycle show of Kansas City, which will be given under the auspices of the local cycle dealers' association, will be opened at the armory at Twelfth and Troost. Secretary Oliver Hutchinson has been working like a Trojan for the past two weeks getting ready for the show, and he announced yesterday that all would be in readiness when the doors were thrown open to-morrow evening.

The roomy hall has been handsomely decorated for the show and with the dozen alcoves which will adorn each of the separate booths it will present a striking and handsome appearance. The display of wheels will be as fine as any ever seen in this country and will include the specimens of nearly every high grade wheel manufactured, or at least of all those which are represented in Kansas City. High grade wheels for 1896 are specimens of high art in wheel making, and where they are displayed with attractive surroundings they will certainly make a fine show. Among the special features which will be footed up when now is mentioned the famous Fowler sextuplet, which is being exhibited all over the country, and which has already been seen at most of the principal shows. A number of local dealers have specially fine wheels which have been made for the show and which will be part of their exhibits.

The wheels themselves, while the most important and most attractive part of the show, do not constitute all of it by any means. There will be a large number of novelties and curios of all kinds on exhibition. These will form a very interesting part of the show, and will doubtless attract much attention.

The principal attractive feature of the show will be the high class music, which will be rendered every afternoon and evening by the Third Regiment band, conducted by Bandmaster Wheeler. Fine programs have been arranged, and there will be regular concerts. The show will continue until Saturday evening. Friday afternoon has been designated as children's day and Saturday afternoon as ladies' day, and special arrangements have been made for the various wheeling organizations of the city.

FOR THE OLYMPIAN GAMES.

Princeton and the Boston Athletic Club Will Both Send Teams to Compete.

Princeton, N. J., March 17.—The members of the Princeton athletic team, which will represent America at the Olympian games, to be held in Athens from April 5 to April 15, are Robert Garrett, Jr., '97, captain of this year's crack team, who will compete in the shot put, throwing the discus, broad jump and horizontal bar vault; A. C. Tyler, '97, pole vault; F. A. Janin, '97, 110 meter dash, and H. H. Corfelt, '99, 400 meter race. The men will sail on Saturday by the North German Lloyd steamship Fulda, for Naples. From Naples they go by boat part of the distance, and the remainder by rail to Athens. The team will be there five weeks, returning in time for the spring games.

Professor William M. Sloane, chairman of the American committee on arrangements, expressed great surprise to-day when he learned that the Boston Athletic Club would send a team. He had received a message Saturday, stating they had given up all idea of doing so.

"The two teams," he said, "will unite and jointly represent the United States."

GALLAGHER AND SUTTON.

The Two Billiard Experts Will Play a Match Game Next Wednesday Evening.

Every lover of billiards in Kansas City will be glad to learn that a match has been arranged between Thomas Gallagher, who has been giving exhibitions at the Brunswick and George Sutton, the Canadian champion, who has been playing at the Royal, in which Gallagher concedes Sutton 1000 points to 1500 points, using a Sutton ball (the regulation inch balk line game).

The match will be for a stake of $50 a side and William Cleland, of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, will be the stakeholder and will make all arrangements for the game. The game will probably be played in the Academy of Music on next Wednesday evening and will doubtless be witnessed by a good crowd, as each of the experts has a large following in Kansas City.

At the Brunswick yesterday afternoon Gallagher cut Hoch to go to 12, making a high run of 34, and an average of 11.10. In the afternoon he won from Hoch by 50 to 36, with a high run of 30, an average of 11.07. Hoch making the good average of 12.

At the Collseum yesterday afternoon Sutton cut Cyril Carter to go to 600, making a high run of 140 and an average of 43.55, and in the evening Sutton won from Martin by 500 to 376, the high run being 41 and his average 32.14. Every evening after the games Sutton gives exhibitions of fancy and trick billiards which are very interesting.

New Orleans Races.

New Orleans, March 17.—Ninety-ninth day of the Crescent City Jockey Club's winter meeting. Weather cloudy and cool; track good. First race—Five and a half furlongs; 3-year-olds and upwards; selling; purse $300. Ben Chief, 107 (Hamilton), 2 to 1, won; Dolore, 102 (Macklin), 5 to 1, second; Inflammator, 102 (R. Isom), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:07½. Gilding, Atlantic, Vicenzio and Brevoort also ran.

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Fifth race—Five and one-half furlongs; for 3-year-olds and upwards; one mile and 70 yards (Hyde rule); purse, $300. Sir Hardy, 97 (Hamilton), 8 to 5, won; Hero II, Gardner, 95 (Hogan), 3 to 1, second; Charley Dodge, 95 (Clay), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:46. Tribal, Imp Marion Pic, Cupid, Spearhead, Lady Fonso, Cesar and Lark also ran. Swordsman, 3 to 2, fell.

Electric Have Reorganized.

Last night, at a meeting held at the Grand alleys, the Electric Bowling Club was reorganized, with C. H. Cheney as president and F. T. Thornton as secretary and manager. The alleys have taken some new members and will roll every evening. Last night's scores:

	Strikes.	Spares.	Total.
B. H. Hartman	10	11	150
W. H. Nichols	7	11	137
C. H. Cheney	4	15	136
J. T. Thornton	7	11	131
A. Logan	6	12	131

Match Bowling Game at Lawrence.

The team of the Kansas City bowling Club has accepted a challenge for a series of match games with the Lawrence Bowling Club of Lawrence, Kas., and the first game will be bowled at Lawrence next Saturday evening, with a return game in Kansas City a little later. The Kansas City team will be accompanied by a number of bowling enthusiasts when they go to Lawrence. There are a number of strong bowlers in the Lawrence club, and the Kansas City's will not find it an easy task to defeat them.

A Jockey Sues David Gideon.

New Orleans, March 17.—Joe Scherrer, the jockey, to-day brought suit against Dave Gideon, the New York turfman, for $5000 for defamation of character. Upon the mare Campania's last appearance, Gideon backed her heavily, and she finished nowhere. Scherrer up. The next day Scherrer had the mount on Billy McKenzie, and Gideon also backed this horse heavily. He was third, and Gideon openly declared that he had been pulled, offering to bet $500 to $100 that he could prove that Scherrer had pulled both McKenzie and Campania. The match for $2,000 between Campania and Valet grew out of this dispute, and as this race, which would have been regarded as a vindication of Scherrer's honesty had he won, was declared off, the suit was entered.

MINOR LEAGUES ORGANIZE.

First Steps Taken in What May Lead to Independence of the National League.

Washington, March 17.—The representatives of the Minor Baseball Leagues held an important meeting here to-day, at which a national organization was formed and steps taken to secure recognition by the National League of the grievances of the minor bodies. The session was a secret one.

The following organizations were announced as comprising the new national body: The Western, Texas, the Western Association, the New England League, the Southern League and the Pennsylvania League. Patrick Powers, who pledged the Southern League as proxy for his brother, Harry Powers, represented the Eastern Leagues, and said that when he made his report that body would probably also fall in line. It was also given out that the Virginia League was ready to join hands in fortunes with the new organization. Ban B. Johnson, president, secretary and treasurer of the Western League, was then elected president of the National Association, and J. C. Morse, the secretary of the New England League, was chosen secretary. Further than this the organization was not completed.

It was the representatives claim that the other minor baseball bodies would have been represented, but for misrepresentations of the aim of the meeting.

It had been represented that the meeting would be of an incendiary nature, that the national agreement at its February session would be hoisted and that the National League practically would be defied. This was contradicted in the discussion at today's gathering. The national agreement was taken up point by point. Some portions of this document were regarded as giving the minor leagues in an unwarrantably subservient position, notably fixing the price to be paid for minor league players at $200. This was denounced as unfair, but it is stated that there was nothing said or done which was formally in conflict with the national agreement or antagonistic to the National League. Finally it was decided to make a direct appeal to the League to remedy these discrepancies. The action was urged on those present as necessary to protect their own interests, and as a matter of justice. Letters will be forwarded immediately to all the members of the National League, and the Secretary N. E. Young, asking that a meeting of that League be called at once to confer with representatives of the minor leagues with a view to remedy these grievances. The board of arbitration of the National League will not be communicated with, as it is the sentiment of the smaller bodies that the matters are beyond the consideration of the board. What all the grievances to be embodied in the complaint are has not been divulged, as it was thought that publication before submission of the case would damage the cause of the smaller baseball leagues. The members of the new association are confident that the League will make concessions to them. In case they are finally refused, however, it is said to be probable that steps will be taken to bolt the National League, altogether and act independently of it. The session adjourned sine die this afternoon.

San Francisco Races.

San Francisco, March 17.—Green predominated at Ingleside to-day, the feature of the racing being the St. Patrick handicap stakes, and one-half furlongs, in which Babe, Pat and Tim Murphy were the starters. The starter was Tom Murphy and the judges were Joe Murphy and Tim Murphy, the latter the well known actor. Babe Murphy was made an odds on favorite and won as she pleased, with Pat second.

In the sixth race Sister Mary, a 3 to 1 favorite, was caught in the "weighing" of the Australian machine and was left at the post.

Three favorites and four second choices won. Weather perfect, track heavy; attendance large.

First race—Four furlongs; 2-year-olds; purse, $400. King Street, 111 (H. Griffin), 7 to 20, won; Dolore, 102 (Macklin), 3 to 1, second; Inflammator, 102 (R. Isoms), 40 to 1, third. Time, :51½. Vibling, Atlantic, Vicenzio and Brevoort also ran.

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Winners at Bridgeburg.

Louisville, Ky., March 17.—Results at Bridgeburg:

First race—Five-eighths of a mile; Bertram won, Harvey Aaron, Jr., second; Nellie Kimball, third. Time, :59½.

Second race—Three-quarters of a mile; Lizzie Lucas won, Black Knight second, Tranby third. Time, 1:18.

Third race—One-half mile; Belle of Nine won, Marguerite second, Dr. Newman third. Time, :50.

Fourth race—Seven-eighths of a mile; Adam Johnson won, Rollmaster second, Ethel third. Time, 1:32.

Fifth race—Five-eighths of a mile; Gold Mint won, Cossack second, Pat Tucker, third. Time, :58.

Phenix vs. Springfields.

PHOENIX.

	Strikes.	Spares.	Total.
Cahn	6	14	80
Leach	8	13	87
Mayer	6	14	90
Schmidt	4	17	89
Schlie	4	7	76
Total			382

SPRINGFIELDS.

	Strikes.	Spares.	Total.
Smith	11	4	85
Hay	5	12	93
C. Bechhoff	5	10	93
Wilcox	3	10	93
G. Bechhoff	3	13	93
Total			437

Basket Ball Game Friday Evening.

The basket ball game of the season will be at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium next Friday evening, between the Third regiment team of the local Y. M. C. A. and the St. Joseph, Mo., Y. M. C. A. team. The St. Joseph team will bring about twenty boys, one picked from the best teams of that place. The Third regiment team was the local and state champion last year, and is one of the best teams in the city. It will be a fast game throughout and every contested game may be looked for. The St. Joseph boys will bring a large delegation of "rooters" with them. They will be entertained in the Y. M. C. A. parlors after the game.

Lavack and Smith Matched.

Toledo, O., March 17.—Pugilist Johnny Lavack has received a letter from the National Sporting Club of London, announcing that the articles forwarded some time ago for a fight with Billy Smith had been properly signed. The match will come off early in June or the latter part of May. It will be for a purse of $500 and Lavack is allowed $250 for traveling expenses. In company with Sam Fitzpatrick and Kid Lavigne, he will sail for England soon.

REJOICING IN OKLAHOMA.

Accession of Greer County Adds Greatly to the Territory's Resources.

Guthrie, O. T., March 17.—(Special.) The news of the passage of the free homes bill by Congress and the taking of Greer county to the territory by the supreme court has caused much rejoicing here to-day. The accession of Greer county gives the territory an increase of 10,000 in population, $5,000,000 in taxable property, and a million and a half acres in area. Governor Renfrow states to-night that as soon as he receives official notice of the decision he will appoint a full set of county officers to take the place of those who were elected under the Texas laws.

DIXON WAS THE BETTER MAN

EVIDENT FROM THE FIRST ROUND OF HIS FIGHT WITH MARSHALL.

After Seven Rounds the Australian Announced His Inability to Continue—Strained His Leg in the Fifth Round—How Dixon Won.

Boston, March 17.—George Dixon, of Boston, defeated Jerry Marshall, of Australia, in seven rounds at Music hall to-night. Marshall hurt his leg in the fifth round and felt unable to continue the bout any longer. The match was under the auspices of the Prescott Athletic Club, and was the star event of the season. More than 4,000 people were present. Jimmy Colville officiated as referee.

The curtain raisers were a four round go between Allie Alberts and Dan Mahan, of Boston, which resulted in the former being knocked out in the last round, a four round draw between Joe Elms, Chelsea, and Charles Collins, Boston, also a six round draw between Luke Burke, of Lowell, and Jimmy Duffy, of Boston.

Dixon and his manager, Tom O'Rourke, stepped into the ring at 9:30, and was given an ovation. He was immediately followed by Marshall. Dixon weighed in at 122½ pounds and Marshall at 126. O'Rourke and Sam Abbott were in Dixon's corner, and Harry Kerrigan, Billy Hennessy and Jack Edwards handled Marshall.

Round 1—opened with a rush, and a mixup followed, after which Dixon started in by playing for his opponent's wind, which, so-to-be he continued throughout the several rounds.

Round 2—Marshall got in a left on the stomach; Dixon missed a swing, but quickly followed with a right hand rib-roaster and sent Marshall down four the ropes with a left hand swing. Marshall scored the right on the heart, and in the mixup Dixon landed on body and face, and got in a savage uppercut.

Round 3—Marshall stopped Dixon's left lead cleverly, in a mixup Marshall tapped with right. Dixon rushed for face with left, but countered; after short range work they clinched. The gong found the men clinched.

Round 4—Marshall jabbed and was countered by Dixon landed left hard on stomach and Marshall countered on face and cleverly ducked away from an uppercut. Dixon tried the right for jaw, but got too far back. The men were going at short range when the gong sounded.

Round 5—Dixon rushed and scored the left on the face; Marshall sent the left in the breast, but with little force. He reached the face hard, however, with the right. Both men went at a rapid pace on the give and take order, and during a slip Marshall strained one of the ligaments in his leg and returned to his corner lame.

Round 6—Dixon set the pace and drove the left in on the wind and the right on jaw. He tried for face, but missed. Marshall drove the right in the ribs hard. A moment later Dixon jabbed Marshall as he leaned against the ropes.

Round 7—Dixon opened with a left on the stomach. Marshall ducked cleverly from a left swing, but appeared to have lost his steam. Brisk in-fighting followed. Marshall slipped and Dixon rushed, when Marshall again slipped and when the gong sounded he announced his inability to continue.

Marshall stood a great deal of punishment, but it was evident from the first round that Dixon was much the better man.

Purtell Matched With Butler.

New York, March 17.—Paddy Purtell, the Kansas City welterweight, and Jim Butler, of Brooklyn, ex-amateur champion middleweight, have been matched to box six rounds at the "Kill" McCoy-Joe Choynski tourney, which will be held at Grand Central Palace Saturday night.

Scott Bros. Secure the Retail Agency for the Eclipse, Warwick and Danatlers Bicycles.

Scott Bros., the sewing machine agents, 1107 Walnut, have secured the retail agency for Parlin & Orendorff's complete line of bicycles—and will have charge of exhibit at the bicycle show. The "Eclipse," "Warwick," "Dauntless" and other wheels in this line are all of a firm grade, and will certainly fill the market they deserve as high grade wheels.

MANY TAKE DEGREES.

First Day's Meeting of the Western Missouri Consistory of the Masonic Order—Names of Candidates.

Yesterday was the first day of the spring convocation of the consistory of Western Missouri. The convocation will continue till Friday night. These semi-annual convocations are conspicuous occasions among the Masonic fraternity, as they afford the only opportunities to out-of-town brothers to take the higher degrees in Masonry.

Yesterday ineffable degrees from 4 to 11, inclusive, were conferred by Ill. Josiah Master William Harries Brown, Thirty-second degree, assisted by a staff of assistants. The conferring of degrees commenced at 2 o'clock, between which time and noon the degrees of secret master, perfect master and intimate secretary were conferred on the faithful.

The afternoon session commenced at 3 o'clock, and included the conferring of the degrees Provost and Judge, Intendant of the Building, Knight Elu of Nine, Illustrious Elu of Fifteen, Sublime Elu of Twelve, Grand Master Architect and Knight of the East and Sword. The degrees were conferred in the evening was Grand Elect Perfect and Sublime Mason. The music for the occasion was furnished by a quartette under direction of Messrs. H. K. Chaffee and W. H. Porter, and Mrs. Vourhees and Mrs. Brice assisted by organist Charles Wagner.

Following is a list of the Masons who took degrees yesterday: Edward H. Kimball, John J. Hurst, Samuel W. Stephens, J. Lee Potter, Charles Miller, George Hoyt and Charles H. B. Lewis, Kansas City; Edward Kennedy, Lee's Summit; Joseph Frank, Independence; J. B. Hunter, Lexington; Jesse Ira Hinshaw, of Sedalia, and John Hereford, of Odessa.

The following Shriners Masons were victors at the consistory yesterday: J. M. Miller, Topeka, Thirty-third degree, and J. Jacobs, Hiebel, T. B. H. C. Bailey, Smith Center, Kas.; J. W. Powell, Springfield, Mo.; Charles Gaskill, Fort Scott, Kas.; J. T. Haskell, Fort Leavenworth, Kas.; Burgess, Fort Wayne, Ind.; C. W. Johnson, Portland, Ore., and F. J. Scherr, Seattle, Thirty-second degree.

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AN UNDAUNTED GANG.

Continued From Page 1.

Joe Shannon's house is a flat containing about ten rooms at 1700 Harrison street.

Charles A. Shannon's house at 1812 Oak street, a very small story and a half dwelling, was the home of the following named men, according to the registration books of 1894: George Wolf, William Leahy, Thomas Leahy, Frank E. Jordan, John A. King, James Evans, Michael O'Hearn, George Lyons, Arthur Jones, George Booth, Charles A. Shannon and James Shannon. All these men lived together and the police were never called upon to quell a riot there. Strange.

A sample of the methods by which men colonized were registered from the precincts in the Ninth ward follows: Notice the large number of Johns: 4482 Frank Morton, 4602 Albert Stokes, 4681 William James, 4681 John Black, 4685 John Michael, 4686 John Black. These men had to be taken to the recorder of voters' office together in order that they might have their registration numbers come in regular order as they do. One John Black was registered from a vacant lot at 1800 Harrison and the other from Joe Shannon's house at 1700 Harrison. They were perfectly colonized.

Densely Populated Saloons.

James Keenan's saloon at 708 East Nineteenth street, according to the registration books that were under the care of Charles S. Owsley, Harry G. Bristow and Fred G. Fleming, was the home of the following named men: W. A. Burke, Mike Keenan, Pat McCarroll, William Johnson, Barney Carroll, John Davis, Jerry Cole, Charles Hilliard, William King, Orias McPherson, Edward Reeves, Francis Keenan, James Carraher, John McMahon and Charles Stolpman, not a great many Johns, but Keenan and his brother were in reality the only legal voters living at the number.

Tom Davis' saloon at 1711 Grand avenue is another example of the power the saloon element exercises in elections in Kansas City. Note again the predominance of the name "John." Mr. Davis, if the registration books are to be believed, was landlord for the following men: Charles Barr, Abe Gardner, John Green, John Handy, John Speer, John Young, George W. Keene, Sidney Lovelace, William H. Miller and Elias Pontius. It was evidently getting close to election time when these men were given a drink of bad whisky and told to go and register and there was no time to lose in useless selecting of euphonious names. Any old name would answer the purpose, just so it was registered. With only one or two exceptions these names were voted.

Some negro names that were registered from the Forty-ninth precinct were not voted because of the presence in the polling place of Firman D. Fenton, the judge who was mysteriously drugged and compelled to go home, after he had demanded that a fair election be held. Charles A. Millman was indicted and tried for administering the drug to Fenton, but was acquitted.

Other Methods of Padding.

The three different precincts in the Ninth ward were utilized with equal zeal on the part of the gangsters. When a party of men were registered they were set up as living in the three different precincts.

A small barber shop next door to Davis' saloon harbored the following named men, although it was hardly large enough to hold two men. Charles seems to have been the most satisfactory and available name at hand when these men were registered. Charles Oliver, Charles Irish, Charles Nelson, Charles Wilson, William Schreyr, Joseph Kappesmith and William C. Hudson. It is definitely known that none of these men ever lived in the little barber shop.

Now that the registration is finished in the city an effort will be made to have an exact canvass of each ward made in order to present a repetition of what occurred during the summer and fall of 1894 and 1895. It will be a far easier task now that the registration books are in the hands of honest men. The Second ward has shown a large vote, as it was the one of the most corrupt wards in the city at former elections. It will be closely canvassed. Roberts will be arraigned today on a charge of making false affidavit.

ANOTHER SURPRISE.

The Total Registration Will Foot Up About 28,000 Voters—Yesterday Was the Last Day.

The last day of registration is passed and Kansas City has upon its registration books, it is estimated, nearly 25,000, or far beyond the hopes of the most sanguine, who had placed it not over 20,000. Of course it is only possible to estimate the exact registration as the last twenty-four precincts made their returns to the commissioners' office on the midnight last night. These twenty-four precincts give a total of 1,401 names, or an average of sixty-two to the precinct. As there are eighty-three precincts in the city yesterday's registration would figure out 5,146. This added to the total of the other two days, 22,000, would bring the grand estimated total up to 27,146. These are the precincts that reported last night:

First ward—Second precinct, 67. Second ward—First precinct, 36; Second precinct, 36. Third ward—First precinct, 52; Second, 51; Fifth, 61; Seventh, 61; Ninth, 52. Fourth ward—Second precinct, 52. Fifth ward—First precinct, 31; Fourth, 31; Fifth, 31. Sixth ward—First precinct, 40; Third, 32; Sixth, 32. Seventh ward—North precinct, 25. Eighth ward—Sixth precinct, 37; Eighth, 41; Thirteenth, 35. Ninth ward—Fifth precinct, 31; Eighth, 35; Tenth ward—Third precinct, 45; Fourth, 35, and Ninth, 45.

COMPLETE PRIMARY RETURNS.

They Show Gifford Nominated for Police Judge by a Small Margin—Burton Beats Crosby.

The complete returns from the primaries of Monday do not materially change the results as announced yesterday morning. The nomination for police judge was not settled until the last district was heard from—the Second of the Tenth ward. It was then found that Gifford had squeezed in by the narrow margin of nine votes.

Treasurer John J. Green, candidate for renomination, led the ticket by a good many votes. His vote was 2,401. City Auditor John G. Bishop was next with 2,371, as many as the other two candidates for auditor together.

Brockley secured the nomination for member of the lower House from the Eighth ward with 245 votes. Hamblin had 19, and Green 12.

In the Tenth ward Burrows was nominated. The vote stood: Burrows, 234; Crosby, 195; Fox, 162, and Benton, 137.

J. M. Jones' vote for mayor without opposition was 3,155, and C. E. Burnham's, 3,146.

For treasurer, Green, 2,401; Smith, 1,822. For auditor, Bishop, 2,371; Randall, 1,175; Rose, 1,166. For police judge, Gifford, 2,066; Henly, 1,168, and Thomas Jones, 1,163.

AFTER PICKETT.

The Betrayer of Miss Helms Will Probably Go Back to Iowa.

Sheriff Murphy, of Nashua, Ia., arrived in the city yesterday and will to-day endeavor to secure the release from the county jail of R. C. Pickett, the Carrollton, Mo., merchant who is serving twenty days for obtaining money by false pretenses. The object of Sheriff Murphy in securing Pickett's release is to return with him to Nashua and have him held to the charge of abducting Annie Helms, the 15-year-old girl with whom he ran away less than two months ago. Judge Wofford will be first appealed to and if he refuses to grant the sheriff's request, Chief Irwin will endeavor to have him pardoned by Governor Stone. If this does not succeed, Pickett will be arrested on a warrant as soon as the term of his sentence has expired and he will be held to await the arrival of officers from Nashua.

Sheriff Murphy said yesterday that the case of abduction against Pickett was a strong one as Mrs. Helms was not present when her daughter departed with Pickett and did not help her to pack her trunk preparatory to her departure. He said furthermore there was considerable indignation in the little Iowa town over Pickett's actions and he would be severely dealt with when he is returned there. He visited Miss Helms at the home of her aunt last night and will endeavor to have her return to Nashua with him to-day.

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GREAT COUNCIL FIRE.

Kindled by the Improved Order of Red Men on the Hunting Grounds of Kickapoo Tribe.

The great council of the state of Missouri, Improved Order Red Men, kindled its great council fire on the hunting grounds of Kickapoo tribe No. 13, yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. Great Sachem J. D. Flint, of St. Joseph, Mo., occupied the stump. The committee on credentials reported the following representatives entitled to seats: John D. Flint, John Dobler, C. P. Schlapprizzi, Philip Neu, L. E. Kaltwasser, F. Bastan, A. Graf, E. Kamlach, C. Kramer, Louis Lorenz, John Aman, H. D. Branch, W. Libreitine, J. Wickenhofer, G. A. Herchong, C. Will, J. Seyfried, W. Sommers, W. B. McNutt, D. Daniels, J. Leon, J. T. Marshall, W. A. Lawton, and General Fred W. Averill. The reports of Great Sachem Flint, Chief of Records Schlapprizzi, Great Keeper of Wampum Neu and Deputy Great Sachems Kramer and Averill were read and referred to appropriate committees, after which Andrew Jackson, of Danvers, Mass., great Inohonee of the United States, was announced, and was received with ceremonies befitting his rank. Soon after, word was received that his honor, Mayor Davis, had reached the hunting grounds. Great Sachem Flint appointed General Fred W. Averill a committee to escort the mayor to the great council. The introduction was made in an appropriate speech.

Mayor Davis delivered an eloquent address of welcome, which won the hearts of all present, and was responded to by Great Sachem Flint. The great council then took a recess until 2 p. m., when the great council fire was rekindled, and reports received from the law committee and the committee on distribution, and other committees. It was decided to kindle the next great council fire at St. Joseph, Mo., on the third Tuesday of March, 1897.

Great Inohonee Paton delivered an able address exemplifying the unwritten work, after which the following officers were elected: John Dobler, St. Joseph, great sachem; C. B. Claggett, St. Joseph, great senior sagamore; General Fred W. Averill, Kansas City, great junior sagamore; J. D. Flint, St. Joseph, great chief of records; L. E. Kaltwasser, St. Louis, great chief of records; Philip Neu, St. Louis, great keeper of wampum; J. Wickenhofer, St. Joseph, great keeper of wampum; J. Leon, Carterville, great prophet; E. Kirchner, St. Louis, great guard wigwam; W. A. Lawton, Kansas City, great guard of forest; David Daniels, St. Joseph, representative to great council of the United States. The great Inohonee, A. H. Paton, assisted by A. A. Wolf, great chief of records, of Kansas, and John Allen, raised up the elected great chiefs. After considerable routine business the great council fire was quenched. A unanimous vote of thanks was extended to Kickapoo tribe No. 13, to the retiring officers and to the Kansas City press.

A large delegation from the Sheain tribe, of Atmourdale, and some visitors from other tribes of Kansas and Missouri presented themselves at the evening council. Many new members received the adoption degree and several the hunter's degree. After the evening council fire had been quelched the members partook of a banquet.

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McKinley Club Meeting.

Dr. W. S. Goodhue presided at the meeting of the McKinley Club last evening and fifty applications were received from business men who are anxious to join. Mr. James H. Harkless was present and on the invitation of the club made a short but interesting address. A McKinley button has been adopted and quarters at St. Louis secured with the Ohio State League. Another meeting will be held Monday evening.

The Santa Fe route is the direct line to Cripple Creek, the greatest gold mining camp in the world. Colorado express leaves Kansas City at 10:15 a. m., daily.

American Art and Artists.

The East Side Literary Society at its meeting in the Independence Avenue Methodist Episcopal church last night devoted its time to the consideration of "American Art and Artists." Some very interesting papers were read on this topic and the programme was varied by vocal and instrumental music.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONALS.

A. J. Mitchell, St. Louis, is at the Coates.

F. B. Stevens, Washington, D. C., is at the Coates.

C. T. Burbridge, New York, is at the Coates.

M. S. Moore, Chicago, is at the Coates.

I. H. Reynolds, Milwaukee, is at the Coates.

James Hedley, Cleveland, is at the Coates.

D. B. Welton, Omaha, is at the Coates.

D. C. Stover, Freeport, Ill., is at the Coates.

F. F. Mead, Denver, is at the Coates.

M. Connelly, Kingston, Ontario, is at the Coates.

Charles A. Pollock, United States commissioner at St. Joseph, was in the city yesterday.

Charles Miller, Hamilton, Mo., is at the Victoria.

R. G. Wallace, Chicago, is at the Victoria.

Mrs. L. Herman, Germany, is at the Victoria.

Miss B. Herman, Germany, is at the Victoria.

Miss M. Herman, Germany, is at the Victoria.

Percy T. Hemus, New Zealand, is at the Victoria.

Miss May Fullerton, Chicago, is at the Victoria.

James E. Lee, Chicago, is at the Victoria.

L. F. Sheldon, Sedalia, is at the Victoria.

W. H. Green, Madison, Kas., is at the Victoria.

James Harding, of Jefferson City, is at the Midland.

F. C. Stevens, of Washington, D. C., is at the Coates House.

W. E. Sturgeon, Waverly, Mo., is at the New Albany.

John R. Mahone, Marshall, Tex., is at the New Albany.

Lewis Mead, Council Grove, Kas., is at the New Albany.

E. J. Burke, Salina, Kas., is at the New Albany.

B. L. Blair, Indianapolis, Ind., is at the New Albany.

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