

ONE OF FOUNDERS LOCAL ELKS' LODGE

Josiah W. Nicholson Who Died
Yesterday, Once Ex-
alted Ruler.

HE WAS A POPULAR MAN.

ACTIVELY CONNECTED IN BUSI-
NESS WITH HIS FATHER, UP UN-
TIL HE WAS STRICKEN WITH
APOPLEXY.

Josiah W. Nicholson, one of the well known citizens of Richmond and a son of Timothy Nicholson, who died yesterday afternoon was for many years associated as an active partner in the Nicholson Brothers book store. In 1906 he was attacked by a stroke of apoplexy followed by progressive paralysis of the brain and up until the time of his death was totally disabled.

Before his serious illness he was known in the city for his progressive spirit and made hundreds of friends. He has always been a worker in the interest of the Elks lodge, being one of the founders and at one time held the position as exalted ruler.

Mr. Nicholson was born in 1859 at Heverford, Pa. He came to Richmond with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Nicholson in the year 1861, where he entered the public school. Later he went to the Friends school at Providence, R. I., and after graduating there he completed a course at Earlham.

On leaving Earlham he entered his father's store as a clerk, bookkeeper and correspondent. In 1888 he became a member of the firm of Nicholson & Brother and was an active member until 1906, when he was attacked with the illness which caused his death. During the past few years he has been subject to similar attacks but not until the past few weeks were all hopes given up for his recovery. During his illness he has suffered untold agonies and made a valiant fight for his life.

He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Nicholson, two brothers, John and Thomas Nicholson and two sisters, Mrs. John H. Johnson all of this city and Mrs. Dr. William E. Coffin of Whittier, Cal.

The funeral services will be at the residence, 132 South Ninth street at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. After the services the interment will be private. Friends of the family may call Friday evening from 7 to 9 and Saturday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock after which time the casket will be closed. Please omit flowers.

THAW TO PITTSBURG

Famous Murderer Will Be Re-
turned to Matteawan
Asylum, However.

BANKRUPTCY HEARING.

New York, Oct. 16.—Harry K. Thaw probably will leave Matteawan asylum on Sunday morning for Pittsburgh, but he will be returned to the asylum by the same authorities who took him away. He will be in charge of Dr. Robert B. Lamb, superintendent of the asylum, and his assistant, Dr. Baker. This much became known in this city after a conference between Dr. Baker and Colonel Asa Bird Gardiner, who represented the attorney general.

The writ was served on the asylum authorities by Roger O'Mara, the Pittsburgh Thaw detective and Thaw's Pittsburgh attorney, Albert H. Meyer. Colonel Gardiner announced that he would go to Pittsburgh to see that the state of New York was properly protected in the case and Thaw returned to the asylum in due time after his financial troubles have been fully aired.

The writ served on Dr. Lamb is similar to one issued by the same court and served on the sheriff of Westchester county when Thaw was held in the county jail before he was recommitted to Matteawan. It was issued in connection with bankruptcy proceedings against Thaw, now pending in Pennsylvania. The sheriff refused to comply with the order of the writ on the ground that Thaw then was in custody of the New York state supreme court.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE ISSUES DAILY

Bar to Be Placed on Criminal
News.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 16.—The Christian Science Sentinel which was issued today announced the establishment by the Christian Science Publishing society of a new daily paper to be known as the Christian Science Monitor. "It will be the mission of the Monitor to publish the real news of the world in a clean, wholesome manner, devoid of all the sensational methods employed by so many newspapers. There will be no exploitation or illustration of vice and crime, but the aim of the editors will be to issue a paper which will be welcomed in every home where purity and refinement are cherished ideals."

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in the world, with 26,000,000 pupils.
Plenty of nice fresh Oysters at
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The fish candles of Alaska are re-
produced from handwriting by litho-
graphy, no types being used.

California Pears, Jonathan Apples,
Malaga Grapes and Ohio Chestnuts at
Price's.

What is reported to be the largest
apple tree in the United States is at
Southington, Conn. It yields fifty
bushels.

Fresh Oysters served at Price's,
stewed, fried or raw.

Oxford University has conferred the
honorary degree of Doctor of Science
on Prof. William James, the noted ed-
ucator, who was professor of philoso-
phy at Harvard University from
1872 to 1907.

Prices for the best Ice Cream, sev-
en flavors.

June third next will mark the 100th
anniversary of the birth of Jefferson
Davis, President of the Confederacy,
and elaborate plans are being made
by the Confederate veterans through-
out the south to celebrate the oc-
casion.

Price's Chocolates are the best. You
will like a box.

In the village of Blackwell (Somer-
setshire, England) has been revived
the ancient custom known as the
wedding toll. This consists of
stretching a rope across the road as
bride and bridegroom are returning
from the church and demanding toll
before they are allowed to pass.

Wearing Apparel.
Customs Officer (to woman traveler
from the continent)—I thought you
said, madam, there was nothing but
wearing apparel in your trunk. What
about these three bottles of cognac?
"Oh, those," said the lady, "are my
night caps."—Tit-Bits.

Bulls.
"Ladies and gentlemen," said an
Irish manager to an audience of three,
"as there is nobody here I'll dismiss
you all. The performance of this night
will not be performed, but will be re-
peated tomorrow evening."

Mrs. Bryden.—And is this chair real-
ly an antique piece of furniture? Mr.
Swolly—Antique, madam? There's no
doubt about it. Why, it was so
worm eaten when I bought it that I
had to have a new back, a new seat
and three new legs made for it!—Lon-
don Telegraph.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS PAY.

ELECTORIAL VOTE B'G

Taft Electoral Vote Almost as
Large at That of
Roosevelt.

DOVER ISSUES STATEMENT.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 16.—Secretary El-
mer Dover, of the Republican national
advisory committee, who has been in
Chicago since yesterday on political
business, says the Republican situation
has so greatly improved in the last
week that Judge Taft's election is now
a foregone conclusion. According to
his calculations Taft will have almost
as large a vote in the electoral college
as President Roosevelt did four years
ago.

Mr. Dover has been spending most
of his time with the men in charge of
the Chicago headquarters, who were
very glad to see him on account of his
long experience in political affairs. Al-
most every man there is having his
first whirl at campaign managing, and
all of them welcomed the youthful vet-
eran of former campaigns with open
arms. He came here particularly at
the request of Fred Upham, the assist-
ant treasurer of the national commit-
tee, who gave a dinner in his honor.

BUT ONE SALOON IN NEW CASTLE

Two Saloons Quit During the
Present Week.

New Castle, Ind., Oct. 16.—The
workings of the blanket remonstrance
have been such in this county during
the present week that when Saturday
night comes there will be but a single
saloon in Henry county, out of twenty-
five a year ago, and that one will be
in this city. The number of saloons is
reduced this week from three to one.
The license of Thomas Hatfield, who
operated the saloon in the basement
of the Bundy hotel, expired today and
his saloon was closed last night.
Thomas McGuire's license expires to-
morrow night and his place on Broad
street will close. This will leave the
saloon of James McVeigh the only one
in the city and county and it will do a
good business in the next two months
until the license expires Dec. 7.

Kodol For Indigestion.
Relieves sour stomach,
palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

Young Folks

DOG INTELLIGENCE.

How the Eskimos Train Puppies For
Work on the Trail.

The Eskimo begins to train his dog
for sledge work before it is a month
old. One of the most interesting fea-
tures of Eskimo villages is the puppies
tied to the pole of a tent. They pull
on the rope with all their puppy
strength in the effort to break away
and join in the frolics of their elders.

Not until a dog bred for mail ser-
vice is a year old is he put in training
for the trail. It begins by running ten
miles with the team. Then it is drop-
ped out. Next day it runs the same
distance. Gradually the distance is
increased until it reaches its fifteenth
month of life, when it becomes part
of the regular service. The life of a
mail dog is from three to four years.

No greater punishment can be in-
flicted than to lay a dog off from service.
When unruly they are often threat-
ened with a lay off, and with almost hu-
man intelligence they seem to under-
stand the disgrace it implies in the
eyes of their fellow workers on the
trail. All fight to be leaders. A con-
stant spur to an unambitious dog is
"the outsider," who will quickly take
away the leadership not only in the
mail service, but in teams maintained
chiefly for the pleasure of the sport.

The intelligence of the Malamute is
remarkable, its scent wonderful, its
instinct as a rule unerring.
Some dogs are better trail followers
than others, as some are better lead-
ers. In a blizzard the best of them
lose the trail, but invariably find it.
When on the trail they never eat but
once a day; then at the end of the
journey. After feeding, like weary
children, they fall asleep and are never
quarrelsome. It requires on an aver-
age twenty pounds of food a day for
a team of eleven dogs on a hard route.
—Philadelphia Record.

STORY OF A DEAD FLY.

How Its Presence Decided the Date
of a Manuscript.

A queer story is told about a dead
fly settling an important literary ques-
tion in connection with Robert Louis
Stevenson. It seems that some liter-
ary men were looking over a book of
notes left by Mr. Stevenson, and it was
important that they should find out
the date when the notes were written
—whether he wrote them before or af-
ter he went to Samoa to live.

As there was no date attached to the
notes, the examiners were much per-
plexed as to how they might settle the
matter, when one of them happened to
discover a dead fly between two of the
leaves. Now, one of the men was an
entomologist—that is to say, he knew
all about insects—and he at once re-
cognized the fly as belonging to the
Polynesian islands. It was evident,
therefore, that Mr. Stevenson wrote
the notes at Samoa. In what an un-

expected way a knowledge of science
sometimes helps us.—Chicago News.

White and Black.

Although white is, strictly speaking,
an absence of color, so far as the pris-
matic hues are concerned, it is the
combination of them all and is there-
fore called a color by the scientists.
One of the definitions given by the dic-
tionaries is "the color of pure snow,"
and another is "one of the natural col-
ors of bodies." It is as consistent to
call white a color as it is to call black
one. White is a combination of them
all, and black is a destitution of them
all, and yet it is defined as the "darkest
of the colors."

A Tail of Woe.



"I can't see what makes poor kitty
cry so. I'm sure I'm not hurting her."

Industrious Princesses.

Sometimes little American girls wish

they were princesses and had beau-
tiful toys and nothing to do all day but
play with them. But if you were a
little girl in the royal family of Swe-
den you would find things very differ-
ent, for the royal father and mother do
not believe in letting their children
grow up in idleness. Instead, they
teach them to be useful in many ways.
The little Swedish princesses wash
all their dollies' clothes.

Knew the President.

At the closing exercises of a Syra-
cuse school a little girl was asked:
"Who is the head of our government?"
"Mr. Roosevelt," she replied promptly.
"That is right," said the teacher, "but
what is his official title?" "Teddy!"
responded the little miss promptly.—
Home Magazine.

EXPOSURE CAUSES SERIOUS ILLNESS

Cheesman III at Virginia Home
—Daughter Goes to Him.

Word was received here yesterday by
his daughter Frances, of the serious ill-
ness of her father, K. C. Cheesman, at
Fortwick, Va. Cheesman is a former
resident of this city and his daughter
was spending the year here, so as to at-
tend the local public schools. It ap-
pears Mr. Cheesman had been up
among the mountains of Virginia about
his work and had been caught in a rain
storm. His long exposure brought on
a severe attack of rheumatism and his
condition is regarded as serious. His
young daughter made the long trip
home unaccompanied.

Obedient English Husbands.
Despite all the admonitions to perfect
obedience which have for decades been
carefully trotted into the feminine
mind, it is an undoubted fact that this
is an age not of obedient wives, but of
obedient husbands. Some obey through
love, some through fear and others
through a desire for peace, but all are
alike, inasmuch that they are docile to
a degree undreamed of in the middle
ages or even in the Victorian era of
Dundreary whiskers and baggy trou-
sers.—London Gentlewoman.

Few Words.

He had gone to ask her father for
her hand in marriage.
"Well, sir, what is it?" snapped out
the old man. "Remember, I am a man
of few words."
"I don't care if you are a man of
only one word, if it's the right one,"
replied the suitor.
He got the girl.

Right in a Sense.

"That waiter's an idiot!"
"What's the matter now?"
"I asked him to bring me a water
cracker."
"Well?"
"And here he brings an ice pick!"—
Cleveland Lender.

The great practical utility of the
magnetic survey made in the Pacific
ocean by the yacht Galilee since 1905
is shown by a new magnetic chart,
from which it appears that the charts
previously used by navigators in the
Pacific ocean were erroneous along
some much-travelled routes to the ex-
tent of from three to five degrees and
the errors of this magnitude are of
importance in practical navigation
where the indications of the compass
should be as accurate as possible.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS PAY.

WHO IS GOING? I AM! WHY?

Because it is a Popular Entertainment Course
at a price I can afford.

A course of six entertainments all for \$100
at the Coliseum.

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