The fellshism of savage Africa makes as abudder, and fills us with disgust. Yet we have fetislies of our own, one of them great, widely-worshipped, and in whose name crimes innumerable are daily perpetrated. The name of that fettish is Ignorance.

To that powerful fetish thousands of mothers annually make sacrifice of their daughters. For what is it but a sacrifice to the fetish Ignorance to permit girls to blossom to womanhood, and enter the marriage rela-tion without one helpful hint of the obligations of that

obligations of that relation and its physical perils?
 Just the word which the mother fails to speak would turn the young girls' attentiou to the danger of irregularity.
For it is in the ignorance of the necessity for regularity in the periods that the foundation is laid for the debilitating drains, the female

for the debilitating drains, the female weakness, bearing down pains, inflam-mation and ulceration that rob marriage of joy and motherhood of happiness.

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Notice.

George J. Ermlich, who resides at Durango, Colorado, William Ermilea, who resides some where in the state of Mississippi, and Henry Ermitch, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice hereby that John S. Mc-Callister, Executor of the estate of Jhann F. Ermlich, deceased, filed on the 22d day of July, 1901, his petition in the Probate Court of Washington couney, Ohio, alleging in said petition that said Johann F. Ermlich died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate situated in the city of Marietta, county of Washington and state of Ohio, to-wit: The southerly half of No. 1017, and a strip of land off the S. E. side of lot 1016, being 18 feet wide, and extending the whole length of said lot; the above premises being 63 fect on Front street and extending back 180 feet, also a part of city lot 1016, be ginning at the northerly corner of said lot on the line of Front street; thence running westerly on the northery line of said lot at right anges with said last mentioned line and parellel with Front street, 36 feet to a stake; thence easterly parallel with the northerly said lot from Front street; thence feet to the place of beginning; also the westerly half of lot No. 98 in square No. 14, adjoining the alley in said The prayer of said petition is for the

sale of said real estate above, for the nurnose of naving the legacies, made in and under said will, and the charges of administration.

The parties above will further take notice that they have been made parties defendant to said petition and that they are required to answer the same on or before the 14th day of September. 1901, or the petition will be taken as true and judement taken accordingly.

JOHN S. McCALLISTER, Executor of Johann F. Ermlich, de

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SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1901.

Mrs. J. H. King, for several days, left

Friday for his home. -W. M. Dearth left Friday for Coolville on business.

-J. W. King left last night for Detroit, Mich., on business. -J. W. Booth, of Grayville, Ohio,

is calling on friends in the city. -Harry A. King, of Sistersville. who has been visiting his brother,

-A. S. Dunnington, of Chesterhill. was in the city calling on friends Fri-

-J. F. Lintz, of Cleveland, was calling on friends in the city yester-

-"Dutch" Williams, of Parkersburg, was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

-Miss Myrtle Withrow left Friday for Athens, O., where she will spend some time visiting.

-Mrs. H. N. Towne left Friday for Chillicothe, where she will vist relatives for several days. -Misses Vida Still and MinnieGor-

ham came down from Camp Belle Friday to attend the circus.

-Two cars of the show train got off the track Friday morning at No. 1 bridge and made one section late.

-Carl Brenan has resigned his position with the Corner Drug Store and will leave in a few days for Pittsburg.

-W. B. Gaitree left Friday for Lansing, Michigan, where he goes in the interest of the Rural Free Deliv-

-C. C. Harrison, General Passenger Agent of the O. & L. K. R. R. was a business caller in the the city

-Mrs. L. F. Gulteau and Mrs. Maury went to Parkersburg Friday where they will visit friends for sev-

-Misses Fola and Lucy Morris, accompanied by Mr. George Morris, of Lyman, O., were calling on friends in the city Friday.

-Mr. B. E. Bragg, of Corning, arrived in the city Friday to inspect his new house on Third street, which has just been finished.

-Mrs. Dick McCammon, left Friday for her home in Belpre after a visit of a few days with her parents on the West Side.

-Joe Wendelken arrived Friday afternoon from St. Louis, Mo., being called home on account of the death of his brother, Fred.

-W. E. Anderson, formerly of this city, but now located in the oil business at Anderson, Ind., arrived in the city Friday for a two week's visit.

-Mr. A. G. Nutter and wife accompanied by Miss Clara Gerhart left Friday for New Straitsville where they will visit friends for several weeks.

-Harry King, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. King for several days, left yesterday for Sand Stone, W. Va., where he is employed by the Pipe Line Company.

-A-lawn fete was held at the home of Mrs. Solomon, Third street, on Thursday for the benefit of the Weslevan A. M. E. Church. About 75 were present and all report a good

-J. E. Kinney, of West Union. who was called here several weeks ago on account of the sickness of his little daughter, left for his hime Friday, the condition of the little girl being very much improved.

Mrs. Newburg, who lives on Third street, met with a very painful accident Friday morning. She was attending to her household duties and ran a needle through her hand. Dr. Hardy was called and removed it and no serious results will follow

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. "Yethere's a cure. Doan's Ointment never

Oil Property For Sale.

The oil property hereinafter described will, with the consent of the owners, be sold at public auction in front of the Court House of Wood County, West Virginia, to the highest bidder on Wednesday, the 31st day of July, 1901, at ten o'clock A. M. Eastern Standard Time for cash.

The property consists of an oil and gas lease made by the Cairo & Kanaw-ha Valley Railway Company to A. L. Gracey on the 18th day of November, 1895, for the term or period of 12 years, on land situate in Grant District, Ritchle County, West Virginia, bounded and described as follows: All that certain right of way of said above named Rail-road Company running through the fol-lowing farms: Matthew Douglas, Jacob Hatfield, John Davidson, Richard Wandless, William Wandless and the heirs of Richard Rutherford; together with two producing oil wells and all tanks, machinery, casing, tubing and all other property on said lease placed

there by the lessees or that may be there on the day of sale.

July 20, 1901.

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GROOT IS BUSY

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Cleveland, O., July 26.-George A. Groot, the manager of the new Bryan Democracy of Ohio, is still cheerfully aggressive in pushing his plans. The fact that he has received assurances from his star-eyed god, Bryan that he doesn't want to have a campaign in his behalf carried on, hasn't had the slightest effect in dampening Groot's ardor. In fact, it seems to have sent him forward with his work in making the arrangements for the convention in Columbus on July 31 with greater arder than ever.

Just now he is engaged in preparing his speech to the convention, which he will call to order as temporary chairman. He has selected Dr. Abner L. Davis, of Findlay, as the temporary secretary. No permanent arrangements for a convention hall have as yet ben made, as Mr. Groot is not just sure how many will turn out for his convention. He says that he has received letters from Toledo, Cincinnati, Canton, Findlay and other towns, assuring him that large dele cations from those towns will be on hand and the convention will probably reach sufficiently respectable proportions to enable them to lease the Auditorium. It is possible that the candidate for Governor may be nominated in the Great Southern Hotel, which is placed down as head-

Now that General Isaac R. Sherwood has rushed to the front with the announcement that he wouldn't stand for the nomination for Governor and is out of politics, Mr. Groot is somewhat puzzled where to look for a candidate. He says that the General has given him private assurances that he is heart and soul with the movement, and in the next breath adds that the General announces that he is out of polities. So that the General's sup-

much, any how.

The quandary as to whom the convention will select as a standard bearer has not been dissipated since the General's refusal to be led forth. The prospect before a candidate does not seem to be an iridescent dream, even in the perfervid imagination of Mr.

"We will have to meet and exchange confidences before anything is settled on that score," said Mr. Grcot. "Personally I believe that Judge Patrick of New Philadelphia, is the strongest man we can put up. We haven't as yet received positive assurances that the Judge will stand, although it is more than likely that he will lead

Mr. Groot is burning the midnight oil over his speech to the convention. He intimates that he will have things to say that will make the Johnson-...cLean Democrats ponder long. It is probable that Bryan will not deceive the idealization that he received from Mr. Groot's lips a week or so ago, although the gold Democrats and present Democratic management are sure to come up for a good roasting. He will say in effect that Democrats have but two choices this fall if they don't vote the independent gold ticket. He passes over the fact that this is an ambiguous statement. as they would have two chances any how under normal conditions, and then says that they must vote the Republican ticket or stay at home This places every Democrat beyond doubt in peril of his position.

"Why should the Democrats of Ohio abandon the only issue that is before them today, an issue on which the battles of two campaigns have been fought? Are they weak hearted and vacillating that they should abandon the battle before it is fairly begun?"

GOLDEN PLAQUE FROM TACOMA

President Given Souvenir Which Was Prepared in Honor of His Espected Visit to City.

C." H. Baker, formerly of Chicago, son of William H. Baker, nt one time president of the Chiengo boxed of trade, as the representative of the Snoqualmie Falls Power company of Senttle and Tacoma, Wash., has presented the president with a magnificent gold and silver plaque. The plaque, which is eight by ten inches in dimensions, was made to be presented to President McKinley as souvenir during his visit to the two Washington cities. As the president's journey was curtailed by the Illness of Mrs. McKinley, it was decided to present the souvenir. The workmanship is of the highest order. A represertation of the falls from which the power is obtained appears on the plaque. These falls are 270 feet high, which is higher than the dome of the capital. The power from the falls is transmitted 32 miles to Scattle and 44 to Tacoma. The base of the plaque is solid silver, while the figures in bas relief are of gold. The figures in gold represent the flour mills, smelting works, street car lines, the Scattle distributing station, the underground machinery chamber, and a sketch of scenes along the route. The present is one of the handsomest of its kind received by the president, the cost of the metal of which it is made being

HOME GOOD ENOUGH.

Chicago Woman Goes for Enropenn Trip But Homesickness Drives Her Home Again.

Mrs. Fannie Hall, 5423 Wentworth avenue, Chicago, has returned to her home delirious with joy over the reunion with her husband and her baby Helen. Mrs. Hall lives in a small apart ment in a two-story frame building in Wentworth avenue. She is not rich. Her husband is a master mechanic in an automobile shop. But she prefers the society of her husband and child to that of the rich and distinguished people to be found in the old world.

She started for Europe Decoration She had hardly passed the statue of Liberty on the outward voyage when homesickness seized her. For every wave from Bedloe's island to Southampton she shed a tear, and then she got there she could hardly valt for the gangplank to be lowered before she was asking directions to the first bont back to New York. She had a return ticket and money waiting her at Baden-Baden, but she couldn't wait. She drifted aimlessly about London for three days, and then boarded the Kal-

ser Wilhelm der Grosse for New York. When she arrived in Gotham she was enniless. A dispatch to her astonished husband produced the necessary funds, and she at once took passage on a fast train to Chicago. "Hereafter Chicago is good enough

for me," she said.

Allmany No Bankrupter Debt. Discharge in bankruptey, according o a decision rendered by the state supreme court at Springfield, Ill., does not relieve a husband from the obligation to pay alimony to his divorced wife. The decision was in the case of

Alta L. Deen against Charles Bloomer coming on appeal from Mercer county In reversing the decision of the appel late court and upholding the circui

court ruling the supreme court says: Alimony cannot be regarded as debt owing from the husband to the wife which may be discharged by an weder in bankraptes, whether the alimony accrues before or after the bank rupley proceedings. The duty which the law imposes upon a husband and father to support his wife and children is not such a debt as is contemplated by the bankruptey act. It is a social obligation as well as a pecu mary liability; it is founded upon publie policy and is for the good of so

Old Maids in Odd Calon. "Lips that touch liquor shall never touch mine," sang halr a dozen maidens of the little village of Butler, near Columbus, O., twenty years ago. Apparently the Butler swains did not resist wine even when they knew the penalty, for the number has grown from 60 to 75 maidens of uncertain age. They have formed a club known as the Old Maids' association. The other day they held their annual reunion in Richey's grove. Several hundred old maids from different parts of the state were present, but not a man showed himself at the gathering. A number of speeches were made, in which the speakers expressed the sentiment and reaffirmed the pledge taken years ago. The association is growing annually, but the effect on the male population has not been pronounced.

Morgan Buys a Painting. J. Pierpont Morgan has made another great art purchase. He has just acquired Sir Joshua Reynolds' terpieces and is an extremely attraclive work, changed hands at Christle's auction-room nine years ago at \$55,-000. Mr. Morgan is now said to have paid \$10,000 for it. Reynolds painted it in 1780 for Lady Delma, who wen a sister of the carl of Carlisle and a great beauty. Reynolds got \$1,050

Where to Begin, A Denver doctor wants useless peo-

ple killed off. We would suggest, in case his scheme goes into effect, says the Chicago Record-Herald, that it would be well to begin with those who bring in their own poetry and insist on reading it.

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