

SEEKING A SUBSIDY... Capitalists See No Other Way to Engage in the Manufacture of Tin Plate in This Country.

NOW AT WORK WITH CONGRESSMEN... Endeavoring to Secure More Advantages Than They Would Have Were the McKinley Bill a Law.

THEY FEAR THE ENGLISH COMPETITION... That Might Inundate the States With the Product on Passage of the Act.

It transpired yesterday that there are certain capitalists who do not think the proposed duty of 2.50 cents on tin plate will be sufficient to encourage mill owners to engage in the manufacture of that commodity.

WHAT IS PROPOSED... The proposal of these capitalists is to induce Government to subsidize mill owners that undertake the manufacture of tinplate, until, having familiarized themselves with the process and got into fair working order, they would be able to compete with the foreign article.

IT IS ARGUED THAT THE MERE DUTY ON THE imported article will not be sufficient to maintain an industry in this country, and that the most important in the country, and that to properly develop the young plant it must be assisted in its growth from the beginning.

THE FOREGOING FACTS WERE DEVELOPED IN AN interview yesterday with Mr. Charles Meyran, President of the Germania Bank, and also President of the Cannonsburg Iron and Steel Company, who returned within the last few days from a trip to Washington.

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and Steel Company, said that he considered tinplate could be profitably made under the duty proposed. He did not think, however, that the company would care to enter the business, but would let other people try their hands at it first.

THE DOCTOR'S DIARY... A Few More Little Car Victims on the Record—A Citable Boy Falls Over the Wheel—Accident Reported Yesterday in the Two Cities.

John Loyne, who lives at No. 64 Market alley, fell off the rear platform of car No. 61, on the Central Traction road, yesterday afternoon, at Roberts street, and had his head badly cut.

James Coleman, a young colored man, ended at Black Diamond Steel Works, was kicked in the abdomen yesterday by a mule at the mill. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and removed to the hospital.

George Kester, an express wagon driver, was jolted from his wagon on Sandusky street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon, and several cuts and bruises about the head. He was taken into a drug store near by and his injuries dressed, after which he was able to proceed on his way.

A LUDICROUSLY PAINFUL THREE-COURED Fight on the Southside—A Row Over a Turtle, in Which the Soup Began to Boil.

George Eihman transported a turtle from some friend in camp and was displaying it to the admiring gaze of the neighbors on Sarah street, near South Twenty-third, last night, when Ernest Weibe happened along and stepped on the turtle and listen to Eihman describe its good qualities to the interested crowd about him.

THE FIGHT THAT ATTRACTED A large crowd, among others a policeman, who took charge of the trio, and they were sent to the Twenty-eighth ward station house, where a charge of disorderly conduct was placed against the two men.

SERGEANT McQUADE, to avert further trouble, but who were afraid to handle the turtle for dinner, decided he had better keep it himself.

MAY INTERFERE WITH THEM... Grand Army Men Afraid the New York Central Strike Will Delay Them.

THE PASSENGER MEN OF THE Pennsylvania road have not notified that the strike on the New York Central will interfere with the Grand Army men going to Boston.

A GREAT MANY G. A. R. men, with their families, started yesterday evening for Boston on both the Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania roads.

WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING... Some Who Travel, Some Who Do Not, and Others Who Talk.

COUCHES IN CLOUDS... Mayor Gourley is the Recipient of a Hot-Weather Suggestion.

A WONDERFUL SCHEME ON PAPER... Relief for Warm and Wary Citizens Who Can Pay the Price.

A PECULIAR LEGAL QUESTION RAISED... Mayor Gourley has been the recipient of a hot weather suggestion over which he is now seriously pondering.

THE TERRORS WHICH THIS COMMUNITY has been suffering for the past two months have proven that the average citizen is willing to pay a high price for a cool place in which to sleep.

THE MAIDEN'S TEARS... Then there is the untold agony of the belle who, the night before the picnic, puts up her bangs in crimpers and arises with the dawn to look at her hair in the straight as the path duty.

IMPROVING THE FORCE... Superintendent Weir Talks About the Need for Additional Patrolmen—A Comparison Between New York City and Pittsburgh—A New Prison Van to be Purchased.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY is arranging for the purchase of a van to convey prisoners to the jail on the depot for transportation to the workhouse.

SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE WEIR, in speaking of the escape of prisoners from officers, said there had never been a case known where a prisoner had escaped from an officer to whom he was handcuffed.

THE BENEFITS OF THIS SCHEME are obvious. If it is raining the balloons are allowed to ascend above the clouds, and a perfect immunity from mosquitoes is guaranteed.

THE ORIGINATOR OF THE idea figures that people will willingly pay from \$5 to \$10 a night for such unique accommodations. The expenses are not expected to be great.

HE THINKS HE WOULD MAKE A good defense in court, as he would enter a plea of lack of culpability, but he is not sure.

A FAVORABLE REPORT... To be Made on the Grading and Paving of Mt. Washington Streets.

THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF Councils appointed to report on the advisability of grading and paving Staunton street and Virginia avenue, Thursday night, held a meeting in the Common Council chamber yesterday afternoon.

WHOLESALE POISONING... SEVEN PERSONS BROUGHT NEARLY TO THE POINT OF DEATH.

THE DEED ATTRIBUTED TO RIVALRY BETWEEN Second-Hand Clothing Dealers—Two Arrests Made—A Devoted Wife Innocently Sends Poison to Her Husband's Bed.

SEVEN PERSONS were poisoned yesterday, and for a time it looked as if several of the victims would die. While the police have not yet fully developed a theory as the motive of the crime, they believe it resulted from jealousy.

Mrs. Bessie Schmidt, of No. 1219 Penn avenue, in the absence of her husband, Mr. William Schmidt, who is in jail on a charge of poisoning, operates a second-hand clothing store. On Friday she made a large pot of coffee, and left it on the kitchen stove, the Hebrew religion forbidding cooking on Saturday.

THE TERRIBLE SPELL WHICH THIS COMMUNITY has been suffering for the past two months have proven that the average citizen is willing to pay a high price for a cool place in which to sleep.

DR. C. LANGHE had a hard time working with the victims, but at a late hour last night he got the depot for transportation to the workhouse.

THE MEETING IN THE hall was full of overflowing when the Chairman began his report from the meeting held last night in the hall at Fourth avenue.

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STILL THEY STRIKE... The Westinghouse Manufacturing Company's Employees Go Out IN SUPPORT OF THE MACHINISTS.

PROSPECTS THAT THE WILMERTON MEN MAY Follow During the Week... THE MEN'S CLAIM GENERALLY GRANTED.

THE EMPLOYEES OF THE Westinghouse Machine Company, to the number of 800, voted yesterday to strike in support of the demands of the machinists, which were yesterday refused by the company.

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COME OVER AND HELP US... A MACEDONIAN CRY FROM THE TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

CALLING UPON ALL Southside Citizens to Unite in a Demand for More Water—Large Meeting Last Night—Their Address to the Public.

THE TAXPAYERS' Association of the Twenty-ninth ward has issued an address to the citizens of the Southside in relation to the Monongahela Water Company and the Southside water supply.

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MILLS FOR CAMPBELL... He Thinks the Buckeye Governor Will Make a Good Running Mate WITH CLEVELAND IN FIRST PLACE.

FREE TRADE WITH Europe as Well as South America Demanded... THE FARMERS OPRESSED BY TAXES.

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TWO MEN Disappear Suddenly From Their Homes and Families... Two Disappearances were reported to the police yesterday.

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