

THE FUTURE'S FUEL.

A Meadville Man Thinks He Has Solved the Important Problem.

OIL FOR STOVES AND FACTORIES.

A Feud Between Centerville Neighbors Results in Murder.

NATURAL GAS WELL FOR MAKING TAR

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. MEADVILLE, Jan. 29.—Abram Wheeler, of this city, has invented a device by which crude oil can be used for fuel at a small cost.

SHOT HIS NEIGHBOR.

A Brutal Assault in Centerville That Will Probably Be a Murder. SOMERSET, Jan. 29.—An English miner named George Locket was shot and killed by a neighbor, Joseph L. Switzer, 27 miles from Centerville.

A JILTED LOVER'S SUICIDE.

A Wealthy but Demented Young Man Takes His Own Life. YOUNGSTOWN, Jan. 29.—Demented and having been jilted by a young lady to whom he had been paying some attention, the cause that induced Frederick Austin, son of a wealthy widow living in Poland, to end his life with rat poison.

FUEL FOR FREEDOM.

A Colliery to Be Opened and a Large Gasser for Tar Struck. FREEPORT, Jan. 29.—A company of Meadville capitalists has leased a tract of coal land near Butler Junction, just below this place, and expect to open a colliery in the near future, which will give employment to 300 men.

THE STRIKE AT BRADDOCK.

An Effort to Start Up a Wire Mill Department Fails. BRADDOCK, Jan. 29.—The strike at the Braddock Wire Mill is becoming interesting. Two new men were hired this morning, and while they were searching for a boarding house they were met by a committee of the strikers and persuaded not to go to work.

THE CAUSE OF HUMANITY.

A Humane Agent Appointed for Meadville by Advice of President Eaton. MEADVILLE, Jan. 29.—L. H. Eaton, of Pittsburgh, President of the Humane Society of Western Pennsylvania, held a conference with leading citizens and ministers.

MILITARY EDUCATION.

A New Department Created in the College at Grove City. GROVE CITY, Jan. 29.—Today Dr. Keller, President of Grove City College, received office from the Adjutant General's office in Washington which establishes a military department in the college, where military preparations will be made at once.

A MIDWINTER THUNDER STORM.

Fears of a Flood Entertained by the People of Bedford. BEDFORD, Jan. 29.—A terrific thunder storm, accompanied by sharp lightning and rain, passed over Bedford about 8 o'clock to-night. The river has been rising all day, and if the rain continues throughout the night a flood will follow.

Kidnaped His Own Child.

FINDLAY, Jan. 29.—A. B. Gregory was arrested today on a telegram from Bellwood, Pa., charging him with kidnaping his 3-year-old daughter and jumping a \$700 bond. Gregory does not deny the charge of stealing his own infant.

Zanesville Brick Men Approached.

ZANESVILLE, O., Jan. 29.—An agent of a syndicate has approached the brick manufacturers of this city with a proposition to buy them out.

A Bad Failure at Bedford.

BEDFORD, Jan. 29.—The store of John O. Smith, grocer and confectioner, was closed today by the sheriff. Liabilities, \$20,000; assets, \$5,000.

Tri-State Brevities.

MCKEESPORT merchants have organized a protective association. The East Buffalo Presbyterian Church will, on Saturday, celebrate the twenty fifth anniversary of Dr. Wood's pastorate.

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A REBELLIOUS DEMOCRAT.

He Votes With the Republicans and Farmers at Springfield. SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Jan. 29.—Five more ballots for United States Senator were taken in joint assembly today without any change in the result, bringing the total number up to 48. A motion to adjourn was supported by the Republicans and Farmers, who make up a majority, and was certain to prevail, when Representative Gehr, (Dem.), created a sensation by breaking from his party lines and voting to adjourn also.

PALESTINE FOR THE HEBREWS.

A New Movement Started in Chicago With That End in View. CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—A movement has been inaugurated in Chicago in behalf of the Russian Hebrews by W. E. Blackstone, who was chairman of the conference between Christians and Hebrews recently held in this city. It is a petition to President Harrison and Secretary Blaine, asking that they use their good offices to secure the holding of the international conference to consider the condition of the Hebrews, and to give them Palestine on the same terms that Algeria and other provinces have been given to their natural owners.

THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE.

It Adjourns After Electing Officers, to Meet in Chicago Next Year. OMAHA, Jan. 29.—Chicago was selected as the place of the next meeting of the National Farmers' Alliance at its session this morning. The only business transacted was the election of officers, which result was as follows: President, John H. Powers, Nebraska; Vice President, Charles Morgan, Pennsylvania; Thomas F. H. New York; W. H. Sickard, Ohio; William K. Indiana; Milton George, Illinois; G. M. Butts, Wisconsin; G. O. Collins, Missouri; W. A. Jones, Nebraska; F. C. Craven, Minnesota; J. Westfall, Iowa; J. F. Pringle, August Post, Iowa; National Lecturer, George Lawrence, Ohio; First Assistant National Lecturer, Miss Eva McLaughlin, Minnesota; Second Assistant, J. W. Barnes, Washington.

BEER FOR INDIA.

The British Government Negotiating With the Armourers. CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The English Government, through the British legation in this city, has been negotiating with Armour & Co. for an establishment at some point in India, which, on account of caste prejudice, will not touch beer handled by "Christians." In addition to the monks, there is an immense standing army of white men, a large force of clerks in all the Government offices, and a legion of servants who must be fed.

A COSTLY CASE.

The Famous Iowa Case Has Already Cost All Parties \$200,000. DES MOINES, Jan. 29.—The Iowa Supreme Court has finally affirmed the decision of the lower court on the celebrated case of Johnson versus Miller et al, better known as the Jones county calf case. The verdict of the lower court was for the plaintiff in the sum of \$100,000. The case has been in course for 18 months, it has bankrupted everybody connected with it, and the total cost to the taxpayers of the case has grown to between \$150,000 and \$200,000. The calves were worth \$14.

NEBRASKA APPEALS FOR AID.

A Maximum Freight Bill and an Appropriation Act Introduced. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 29.—The Senate has adopted a memorial to Congress, asking an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the relief of the sufferers in this State. A maximum freight bill, based on the Iowa laws, and a bill to divide the State into six Congressional districts, have been introduced.

TWINE WILL BE CHEAPER.

A Machine Invented That Will Revolutionize Its Manufacture. CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—A machine has been invented and is in operation in this city which will revolutionize the cordage and twine industry, and decidedly affect textile fabric manufacturers. The machine, it is claimed, will operate with great rapidity, using the fiber from almost all kinds of fibrous plants, such as flax, hemp, manilla, jute, manque and pineapple and banana stalks.

A DOUBLE KANSAS FAILURE.

The Owner of Half of Augusta Is Financially Embarrassed. WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 29.—The Farmers' Bank of Augusta, capital \$25,000, and the Augusta Mercantile Company, failed this morning. Both were controlled by F. R. Grant, who owns half of the town of Augusta. No statement of liabilities and assets.

Floral Emblems.

ORCHIDS AND ROSES OF RARE BEAUTY. A. M. & J. B. MURDOCH, 605 SMITHFIELD ST. Telephone 429. eed-82-wvf

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Malaria

It is believed to be caused by poisonous miasms arising from low, marshy land, or from decaying vegetable matter, and which, breathed into the lungs, enter and poison the blood. If a healthy condition of the blood is maintained by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, one is much less liable to malaria, and Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured many severe cases of this distressing affection even in the advanced stages when the terrible chills and fever prevailed. Try it. "I have sold three times as much Hood's Sarsaparilla as I could sell in this district in 12 years business." W. D. MILLICK, Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

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