# ARRESTS EXPECTED IN THE ADAMS CASE

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY GARDINER'S OPINIONS.

**He Thinks That Three or More Persons Are Connected with the Killing of Mrs. Adams—He Has Not the Necessary Evidence—The Case of H. C. Barnet.**

New York, Feb. 2.—District Attorney Gardiner said today that he was of the opinion that he would be able to adduce evidence at the Adams inquest that would lead to the arrest of two and perhaps three persons. He said he had the necessary evidence for this.

For the past hree days Colonel Gardiner has been making a personal investigation into the death of Mrs. Adams and H. C. Barnet, the latter a member of the Knickerbocker Athletic club—who died in November under suspicious circumstances. He is now convinced that the deaths of the two were intimately connected although the motive in the murder of Mrs. Adams was undoubtedly against the life of Cornish, the physical director of the Knickerbocker Athletic club. An investigation relative to the handwriting in the case has convinced Mr. Gardiner of these conclusions.

Colonel Gardiner today addressed a letter to Coroner Hart saying that he thinks the body of Barnet should be exhumed at once, unless it should be found that the body was embalmed previous to burial with a fluid containing mercury.

"In spite of the fact," Colonel Gardiner said, "that Dr. Beaman Dougiass certifies that Barnet's death was due to another cause, my investigations warrant me in the belief that the body should be disinterred and examined. In this connection I have written the coroner and have told him that my office would stand the expense of such an investigation.

THE CASES ALIKE.

"The cases of Barnet and Mrs. Adams are, in my opinion, alike. There is an intimate connection between the two and the motives for the two are, in my opinion, alike.

"The interest of public justice demands that we now go on and investigate the case. Six weeks have now elapsed. The report of the chemist is in the hands of the coroner. The police department has been steadily at work and have made no arrests. Last Sunday I was at police headquarters all day and there examined witnesses. At the close of the day the matter was fresh in my mind and what I had learned made me anxious to pursue some new lines of inquiry which occurred to me. I proceeded at once and had brought before me reputable persons who convinced me that the two cases are closely connected.

"It is not true that the police department acquainted me with the work of their handwriting experts. What I knew of that subject I gleaned myself. I can say, however, that I have advised the police department that no person should be arrested for the heinous crime of murder in the first degree unless by the testimony in their possession there is sufficient probable cause to induce a belief that the individual charged has committed the crime.

"The minute the police have anything tangible on which they can hold a man they must make the arrest, not otherwise. Should an arrest be made without probable cause there would be a set back to the investigation.

SCANDAL MAY FOLLOW.

"I agree that at the inquest the name of some prominent people may be mentioned and that some scandal may follow. I cannot say that there will be a political scandal, for I do not know the politics of the persons I have in mind. I can say, however, that no politics has been brought into this case. The person guilty of this crime is a moral pervert, and in my opinion Barnet and Cornish were the intended victims. At this time I would not like to give my ideas of the motive, but I think at the inquest proof sufficient to warrant an arrest will be adduced. I am satisfied of what is the motive in this case, but my opinion is not evidence. I think that the evidence at the inquest will run into each other in the Barnet and Mrs. Adams case.

"I think that more than two persons were concerned in this murder and may be a third one knows all about it. The minute I get enough evidence I shall cause an arrest. This evidence will come, I am sure, at the inquest.

"This murder was done with deep deliberation by a person moderately familiar with chemistry," continued Colonel Gardiner. "The investigation shows startling things in connection with the poisons used and the methods of using them. The poison acts differently in different systems. The poisoners did not know, evidently that poison would be slow in one case and quick in another; that different ingredients would make a change. In all probability the poisoner intended that each victim should die slowly.

THE CASE IN LONDON.

"This case is similar to that of the Cleveland street scandal in London some years ago.

"The police are said to be closely watching two suspects in the case.

Coroner Hartman said the real reason for the delay of the inquest was his failure to receive Professor Withthaus' report of the analysis of the viscera of Mrs. Adams.

The undertaker who had charge of the burial of H. C. Barnet said today that the embalming fluid he used contained no mercury or preparation of mercury. Colonel Gardiner in his letter to Coroner Hart said that while Dr. Douglass, who attended Barnet, said that death was due to heart failure following diphtheria, he (Gardiner) believed death was due to mercurial poisoning. Colonel Gardiner will probably make an application for the exhumation of Barnet's body and try to find whether there are any traces of mercurial poisoning.

### In Constantinople.

The Grand Vizier—"There is talk of unseating Congressman-elect Roberts of Utah because he is a polygamist."

The Sultan—"This is an indirect reflection on me. By the Beard of the Prophet! I feel like sending them an ultimatum."—Puck.

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# IN THE PLAY HOUSES.

### The Circus Girl.

A musical comedy, "The Circus Girl," which had a long and successful run at Daly's theatre in New York, was presented at the Lyceum last night before an audience that crowded the theatre. The company is the same which presented "The Geisha" here earlier in the season, augmented by a dozen or more performers.

The music of the comedy is bright and pretty and the story connected enough to make it interesting. Minnie Ashley, who was the Mollie Seymour of "The Geisha,' was seen last night as Dora Wemyss, the part that fell to the lot of Virginia Earle in the original Daly company. Her song, "A Little Bit of String," in the last act was one of the decided hits of the evening and won a half-dozen encores.

Charles Danby, as Biggs, a bartender, who was ambitious to wrestle "The Terrible Turk," caused many a laugh. James T. Powers had the role in the original company and Mr. Danby has followed closely his manner and methods.

W. H. Frederick was excellent as Drivelli, the circus proprietor, and Bert C. Thayer and Arthur Stanford were very acceptable in the parts assigned them. Other members of the company who attracted attention were Maud Bliss, Olixia Bassion, Leona Omrose, Jeanne Fowler, Taylor Williams and Thomas Ricketts.

### At the Academy.

The Miles Ideal Stock company will present "The Governor's Pardon" at the Academy of Music this afternoon and tonight "Kathleen Mavourneen." For tomorrow the bill will be as follows: Afternoon, "An American Hero;" night, "Our Irish-American Cousin."

At each of the performances local artists will participate. Miss Minerva Hopp will give several whistling solos at the performances this afternoon and evening. Other local artists will also be heard.

### Zero Company at Gaiety.

"Zero" held the boards at the Gaiety theatre yesterday afternoon and will remain for the balance of the week. The thread of the story of "Zero" is supposed to rest upon the adventures of an ambitious individual who suddenly inherits immense wealth and is desirous of entering the social world and also is anxious to visit the North pole.

Some very good specialties are introduced. Among those worthy of mention were by Fish and Quigg, the famous long and short men; and the Meeker-Baker trio, comedy rag-time acrobats. The scenery and spectacular effects were very fine, and catchy music by Misses St. John and Lytton was heartily applauded. The audiences were large at each performance and displayed much enthusiasm at times. Matinees will be given this afternoon and tomorrow afternoon, with the usual evening performances.

### "The Countess Valeska."

Julia Marlowe's production of her new play, "The Countess Valeska," which will be seen for the first time here at the Lyceum theater this evening, is an exceptionally beautiful and elaborate one. The first and fourth acts occur in her dining room. Thus only two settings are required for the whole play. And these are correspondingly lavish. The corridor scene is a ruddy and rich apartment of old woods and frescoes and rusted armor. At the rear there is an elevated platform, across which board stairs lead to double doors, and at one moment in the first act the tremendous figure of little Napoleon walks up these stairs in the person of a player who has not a word to say, but must only look like Napoleon and keep his hands behind his back. One of the thrills of the play is the sudden and unexpected appearance of a majestic general merely hurrying to his sleeping apartment. The other scene, the dining room, is conceived more lightly, but is still a massive and spacious room, an appearance of enormous solidity being given to it by the oddly set doors to the outer court, which seem to be hung in a wall six or eight feet thick, as the cut surface shows. Here a splendid banquet is given by the countess to the generals of Napoleon's army. The accessories of flowers, candles with their pink shades in the empire style, make the scene an exceedingly dainty one, the brilliant uniforms of the officers adding a rich and effective coloring. One of teh scenes in "The Countess Valeska" is quite spectacular. It is the moment when, after having confessed to herself and to the spy she is harboring that she loves him, she gives him over to the allies of Poland by shouting "treason" through the courtyard window. In rush the beautiful uniforms and before a roomful of officers and soldiers she denounces the man and the curtain falls.

### "A Grip of Steel."

A rare treat for lovers of the romantic will be provided at the Academy of Music the first half of next week, when Shirley and Langeck's powerful drama, "A Grip of Steel," will receive its first presentation in Scranton. Ronjarre, a man of great physical strength, is the leading personage of the play. He has been unjustly convicted of a crime and upon his release from prison he is so hounded by the police that in desperation he joins a band of thieves. He then leads a double life. Notwithstanding his depravity, he falls a victim to the wiles of Cupid and marries Henrietta, a blind girl, who possesses, however, rare personal charms. She is unaware of her husband's real character until informed by a member fo the band, who turns traitor. She then dies broken-hearted. Ronjarre, almost beside himself with grief and rage, swears to be avenged and he fulfills his oath. A thoroughly competent company and a wealth of special scenery are provided by Manager W. J. Fielding. Matinees Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Gaeity Next Week.

Harry West in his laughing success, "O'Hooligan's Wedding," will be at the Gaiety commencing with Monday matinee for one full week. This production without a doubt is one of the most amusing in the farce comedy line before the public today. Supported by a ompany of recognized metropolitan artists, it will be found to be above the average. Ludicrous situations, funny incidents and laugh provoking perplexities go towards making a pleasant evening. The comedy will be interspersed with a brilliant collection of sparkling music, dancing solos, topical songs, duets, quartettes, etc. Special scenery is also carried.

### He Will Be a Bore.

If man were as persistant in his attentions as the ordinary mosquito, no woman would ever come to sail.—Newark Advertiser.

# THE MARKETS.

### Wall Street Review.

New York, Feb. 2.—Prices made fractional net declines on the stock exchange today with dealings in about 800,000 shares. Influenced in better London quotations and the reduction in the Bank of England's rate of discount, stocks opened steady and strong, with advances of about half a point in the active list. There was a disposition both here and abroad toward increased interests in low-priced shares. Advices indicating that the ratification of the peace treaty was likely, had some influence on speculative sentiment and prices continued to rise most of the forenoon. There was a sympathetic advance among the high-priced stocks, but it was of only moderate proportions. In the afternoon the buying demand slackened and the apparent inclinations of commission house customers to take profits induced traders to offer stocks down, which in turn brought about some liquidation of weak holders. The grangers and a number of other stocks receded a point and over from the best. The selling for a time was on moderate dealings, but before the movement was over the volume increased considerably, and prices got well below yesterday's closing. In the late dealings, there were slight rallies, led by Sugar, and the market closed firm. Total sales, 799,700.

The bond market showed more stability than stocks, the undertone being one of undoubted strength. In the afternoon, however, some weakness was current. Total sales, $4,800,000. Government bonds were unchanged in price bid.

### Carrington & Co's Letter.

London opened up nearly a point, owing to a reduction of half per cent. in the Bank of England's discount rate. The New York market opened fractionally higher and early dealings showed marked strength and activity. The features of the opening were Southern Railway preferred, Union Pacific, one point; Texas Pacific, ¾; Union Pacific com., ⅝; Union Pacific preferred, ½ from last night's closing. After the first half hour the market became dull and featureless, the volume of trading to noon being the smallest for many weeks. The gain at the opening was lost during the day, but while the decline was pretty general, it was confined to a narrow range. The ability of the bull element to hold up prices during these pauses demonstrates the great underlying strength of this market. It looks as if the force of today's recession had been spent and it might be a good time to make careful purchases, particularly in the low-priced stocks with merit. The Atchison, Union Pacific, Louisville & Nashville and Pacific Mail are excellent stocks to be long of. In the Industrials, we think well of A. S. W. com., and we have no reason to change our opinion on Federal Steel preferred. The time when this stock will cross par is not far distant. Total sales: Stocks, 799,795; bonds, 4,798,000.

Quotations furnished by LABAR & FULLER, stock, grain and cotton brokers, rooms 209 and 210, Board of Trade building, Scranton, Pa.

| | Opening. | High-est. | Low-est. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Cot. Oil | 37¼ | 37⅞ | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| Am. Sug. Re'g Co | 125 | 125¼ | 122⅞ | 124 |
| Atch., To. & S. Fe | 23¼ | 23¼ | 22½ | 22¾ |
| A., T. & S. F., Pr | 62¾ | 63¼ | 61⅝ | 61¾ |
| Am. Tobacco Co | 147 | 147 | 145¼ | 145¼ |
| Brook. R. T. | 93½ | 94⅝ | 92½ | 92⅞ |
| Bay State Gas | 7⅞ | 7⅞ | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| Can. Southern | 59⅝ | 59⅝ | 59 | 59 |
| N. J. Central | 102 | 102 | 101¼ | 101½ |
| Ches. & Ohio | 30 | 31¼ | 29⅞ | 31½ |
| Chic. & R. W | 174 | 177½ | 169 | 169 |
| Chic. & N. W | 149½ | 149½ | 148 | 148 |
| Chic., B. & Q | 136 | 136½ | 134⅝ | 135 |
| Chic., Mil. & St. P | 128⅝ | 128⅝ | 127 | 127¾ |
| Chic., R. I. & P | 119½ | 119¾ | 118½ | 118⅝ |
| Chic., St. P. M. & O. | 94 | 94¼ | 94 | 94 |
| C. C. C. & St. L | 61 | 62 | 60 | 60¾ |
| Con. Gas | 199 | 199¾ | 197 | 197¾ |
| Delaware & Hud | 112¾ | 112¾ | 112¾ | 112¾ |
| N. Y., L. E. & W | 15¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ |
| Fed. Steel, pfd | 88 | 88 | 87 | 87¼ |
| Fed. Steel, Com | 52¾ | 52¾ | 52 | 52⅛ |
| Gen. Electric | 111½ | 112 | 111 | 111½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 66¾ | 67 | 65¾ | 66 |
| Manhattan Ele | 116½ | 116¾ | 114¼ | 114¼ |
| Met. Traction Co | 218 | 218 | 216¾ | 217¾ |
| Mo. K. & Tex., Pr | 29 | 29½ | 28¼ | 28¼ |
| Mo. Pacific | 47¾ | 48¼ | 46¾ | 47¼ |
| Nat. Lead | 38½ | 38½ | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| N. Y. Central | 134¼ | 134¼ | 133¾ | 134 |
| Ont. & West | 22⅞ | 22⅞ | 22 | 22¼ |
| North. Pacific | 52½ | 52¾ | 51¾ | 51⅞ |
| Nor. Pacific, Pr | 80½ | 80¾ | 79¾ | 80 |
| Pacific Mail | 53¼ | 54⅛ | 52¾ | 52⅞ |
| People's Gas | 116 | 116½ | 114⅝ | 115 |
| Phil. & Read | 23¼ | 23¼ | 22 | 22⅝ |
| P. & R., 1st Pr | 62¼ | 62½ | 60½ | 60⅞ |
| Southern R. R., Pr | 51¼ | 51½ | 50¼ | 50⅝ |
| Tenn., C. & Iron | 45 | 45½ | 44¾ | 44½ |
| Texas & Pacific | 21 | 21 | 20¾ | 20¾ |
| Union Pacific | 47¾ | 48 | 46⅝ | 47⅛ |
| Union Pac., Pr | 81 | 81¾ | 79¾ | 80¼ |
| U. S. Rubber | 52¼ | 52¼ | 51¼ | 51¼ |
| U. S. Leather, Pr | 73½ | 73⅞ | 73¼ | 73¼ |
| Wabash, Pr | 22¾ | 22¾ | 23¼ | 23⅛ |
| West. Union | 95⅞ | 96 | 95½ | 95½ |

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

| | Opening. | High-est. | Low-est. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | 74¾ | 75⅛ | 74 | 73¾ |
| July | 72⅝ | 73 | 71½ | 71¾ |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 38 | 38⅝ | 37¾ | 38¼ |
| July | 38½ | 38½ | 38½ | 38⅜ |
| OATS. | | | | |
| May | 28¼ | 28½ | 28¼ | 28¾ |
| July | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ |
| PORK | | | | |
| May | 10.42 | 10.55 | 10.37 | 10.42 |
| LARD. | | | | |
| May | 5.87 | 5.87 | 5.85 | 5.85 |
| July | 5.97 | 5.97 | 5.97 | 5.97 |

### Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

| STOCKS. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co. | ... | 30 |
| First National Bank | 300 | 100 |
| Elmhurst Boulevard | ... | ... |
| Scranton Savings Bank | 235 | ... |
| Scranton Packing Co | ... | 95 |
| Third National Bank | 885 | ... |
| Throop Novelty Mfg. Co. | ... | 80 |
| Scranton Railway Co | 25 | ... |
| Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank | 180 | ... |
| Economy Light Heat & Power Company | ... | 45 |
| Scranton Illuminating, Heat & Power Company | 85 | ... |
| Scranton Forging Co | ... | 200 |
| Traders' National Bank | 130 | ... |
| Lacka. Lumber Co | 150 | 159 |
| Lack. Trust & Safe Dep. Co. | 150 | ... |
| Moosic Mountain Coal Co | ... | 115½ |
| Scranton Paint Co | ... | 80 |
| Clark & Snover Co., Com. | 400 | ... |
| Clark & Snover Co., Pr | 125 | ... |
| Carson Coal Co | ... | 100 |
| Scranton Axle Works | ... | 80 |
| Scr. Iron Fence & Mfg. Co. | ... | 100 |
| BONDS. | | |
| Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage, due 1920 | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, first mortgage, due 1918 | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, General mortgage, due 1921 | 115 | ... |
| Dickson Manufacturing Co | 100 | ... |
| Lacka. Township School 5% | 102 | ... |
| City of Scranton St. Imp. 6% | 102 | ... |
| Mt. Vernon Coal Co | 85 | ... |
| Scranton Axle Works | 100 | ... |
| Scranton Traction 6% bonds | 105 | ... |
| Carson Coal Co | 100 | ... |

### New York Grain and Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 2.—Flour—Neglected with buyers about 15c. apart. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 northern Duluth, 82c. f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 do., 80¾c., f. o. b., afloat to arrive; No. 1 northern New York, 81⅝c., f. o. b., afloat spot; options opened stronger on foreign buying but sold off; although liquidation seemed less prominent than yesterday bulls were timid and when in the afternoon St. Louis sold heavily, local houses quickly unloaded forenoon purchases and prompted a weak close at ⅛a⅜c. net decline; the export trade was large and clearances heavy; March closed 80⅝c.; May, 77⅝c.; July, 76¾c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 44½a46c., f. o. b., afloat, now or old; options opened firm and except for a reaction at mid-day with wheat was held all day on further large export purchases, closing firm at ¼c. net advance; May closed 42⅝c.; July, 43⅝c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2, 34½c.; No. 3, 33½c.; No. 2 white, 36c.; No. 3, 35½c.; track mixed, western, 34a36c.; track white, 35a38½c.; options dull. Butter—Steady; western creamery, 15a19c.; do. creamery, 12a16c.; Elgins, 19c.; imitation creamery, 12a16½c.; state dairy, 13a17c.; do. creamery, 14a18½c. Eggs—firm; state and Pennsylvania, 19½a20c.; eastern fresh, 19½c.; southern, 18a19½c.

### Philadelphia Grain and Produce.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Wheat—Steady; contract grade, February, 76a76½c. Corn—Firm and quiet; ¼c. higher; February old, 41½a41¾c.; do. new, 40½a40¾c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white clipped, 36½a36¾c.; No. 3 do. do., 35a35½c.; No. 2 mixed, do., 34½a35c. Butter—Steady; fancy western, 19c.; do. prints, 20c. Eggs—Firm; fresh, nearby, 21c.; do. western, 2c.; do. southern, 20c.; do. southwestern, 18c. Cheese—Steady. Refined Sugars — Unchanged. Cotton — Steady. Tallow — Firm; city prime, in hogsheads, 4c.; country do., barrels, 4¼c.; dark, do., 3¾c.; cakes, 4¾c.; grease, 2¾a3½c. Live Poultry—Steady; fowls, 9a10c.; old roosters, 6½a7c.; spring chickens, 9a10c.; ducks, 9a10c.; geese, 8a 9c. Dressed Poultry — Steady; fowls, choice, 10a10½c.; do. fair to good, 9a9½c.; old roosters, 6½a7c.; spring chickens, western, 10½a11c.; do. fair to good, 9a10c.; turkeys, choice to fancy, 2a11c.; do. fair to good, 10a11c.; ducks, 8a9c. Receipts—Flour, 20,000 barrels and 8,000 sacks; wheat, 20,000 bushels; corn, 124,000 bushels; oats, 3,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 10,000 bushels; corn, 157,000 bushels; oats, 119,000 bushels.

### Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—After temporary firmness today wheat yielded to further liquidation. Heavy exports taking at the seaboard checked the decline 2c. from the top price of the session and May closed with a net loss of 55¾c. Corn and oats held aloof from demoralizing association with wheat and wet off at an advance of ⅝c. in corn and ⅛a⅜c. in oats. Pork and lard are a shade higher anr ribs unchanged. Leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—May, 74⅝a74¾a73⅝a73¾c.; July, 72⅝a71⅞a71⅞c. Corn—May, 37⅝a37¾a38a38¼c.; July, 38⅝a38⅝a38⅝c.; September, 38a38¼c. Oats—May, 28⅛a28⅜a28⅛c.; July, 26⅝a26¾c. Mess Pork—May, $10.42a10.42½. Lard—May, $5.85a5.85; July, $5a5.97½. Short Ribs—May, $5.17½a5.17; July, $5.32½a5.30. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Moderate demand and easy; No. 2 wheat, 73¾a74c.; No. 3 do., 69a72c.; No. 2 red, 72½a74c.; No. 2 corn, 36¾c.; No. 3 yellow corn, 37c.; No. 2 oats, 27¾a28c.; No. 2 white, 30½a31c.; No. 3, do., 30a30½c.; No. 2 rye, f. o. b., 56½c.; No. 2 barley, 41½a52½c.; No. 1 flax seed, $1.14½; new, $1.18½; prime timothy seed, $2.35a2.40; mess pork, $10.20a10.50; lard, $5.65a5.67½; short ribs, $4.85a5.05; dry salted shoulders, 4¾a4⅝c.; short clear, $5.20a5.25; whiskey, $1.25; sugars, unchanged.

### Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Good cattle, firm, others slow; fancy cattle, $6a6.30; choice steers, $5.50a6.00; medium, $5.00a5.55; steers, $4.80a4.95; stockers, $3.15a4.80; bulls, $2.70a4.25; cows and heifers, $3.30a3.40; western, fed steers, $4.10a5.85; Texas steers, $4.75a7.10 ;calves, $4a7.25. Hogs—Active and higher; fair to choice, $3.82½a3.97½; heavy packing lots, $3.60a3.80; mixed, $3.60a3.85; butchers, $3.65a3.92½; light, $3.55a3.87½; pigs, $3.25a3.70. Sheep—Slow; culls to prime sheep, $2a3.90; yearlings, $4.10a4.15; lambs, $4a5; greater part at $4.75a4.90. Receipts—Cattle, 8,500 head; hogs, 32,000 head; sheep, 13,000 head.

### New York Live Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 2.—Beeves—No sales, steady. Calves—Quiet and steady; good veals, $7.87½a8; southern calves, $4. Sheep—Dull; lambs, dull; common to good sheep, $3.75a4.25; lambs, good, $5.60; mainly $5.40a5.50. Hogs—Weak at $3.90a4.20; choice state pigs, $4.25.

### Oil Market.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 2.—Credit balances, $1.15; shipments, 878,847 barrels; runs, 27,297 barrels.

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## LEGAL.

IN RE: APPLICATION OF JOHN J. Shea and Henry F. Ferber for license as a detective agency under the name and style of the Shea & Ferber Detective Agency. In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna county, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that the petition and application of John J. Shea and Henry F. Ferber for the issuing of a license to conduct a detective agency and to act as detectives is now filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna county, and the same will be presented to said court and will by said court be considered on Saturday, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., in open court.

WATSON, DIEHL & KEMMERER, Attorneys for Petitioners.

TRUSTEES' NOTICE—IN RE: THE American Spectacle company et al., No. 1062 May Term, 1898, in the Court of Common Pleas of Lackawanna county.

The undersigned, trustees, heretofore appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Lackawanna county of Samuel N. Benjamin, late trading as Benjamin and Benjamin in the cities of Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in a certain writ of domestic attachment issued out of said court to No. 1062, May Term, 1898, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to the said Samuel N. Benjamin, late trading as Benjamin & Benjamin, or holding property belonging to him, to pay over and deliver such money or property to the undersigned, without delay; and to all creditors of the said Samuel N. Benjamin to present their respective accounts or demands for settlement to the said trustees, who will at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 20th day of February, 1899, at the office of W. M. Curry, No. 815 Connell building, Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa., attend to their duties as such trustees according to law and make distribution of the funds now in their hands to the proper claimants therefor, at which time and place above named, creditors of the said Samuel N. Benjamin must appear and present their claims or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

W. M. CURRY,
W. M. BUNNELL,
JOHN LOFTUS,
Trustees.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Governer of Pennsylvania, on the tenth day of February, by Frederick G. Foote, Howard A. Fuller, Arthur C. Fuller, James A. Lansing and Benjamin E. Watson, under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Foote & Fuller Company, the character and object of which is the buying, selling, trading, or dealing in any kind or kinds of goods, wares and merchandise at wholesale, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between A. M. White and James J. Healey, under the firm name of White & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, James J. Healey retiring. A. M. White retaining and continuing the business at 414 Spruce street. All bills against the above firm should be presented to A. M. White at above number.

A. M. WHITE,
J. J. HEALEY.

January 31, 1899.

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