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MINERS ACCEPT TERMS

Convention of Coal Workers in West

ridges were in a green pasteboard box, Announcement was made that the which was encased in wrapping paper. Fore River Shipbuilding company at Mr. Coates stamped on the fuse and Quincy, Mass., has been sold to the it sputtered out. Then he sent for a

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Wobbler Seldom Succeeds. "Success in life depends far more upon decision of character than upon the possession of what is called genius. The man who is perpetually hesitating as to which of two things he will do, will do neither."-William Wirt.

Beet Seed Industry of Poland.

The growing of beets for seed in Poland was started 30 years ago and has been brought to a certain perfection, so that the local seed quite equals that of the foreign, and in many cases it has turned out much better

"What is the difference," asked Mr. Bones, "between a statesman and

Political Jokers.

all than any kid I ever saw."

a boss?" "A statesman," replied Mr. The portraits of Captain Amundsen Tambo, "puts himself in the hands of show a certain likeness to Dr. Nansen. his friends, but the boss devotes himself to seeing what he can get his own bands on."

Embryo Politician. "What makes you think the baby is going to be a great politician?" asked the young mother, anxiously. "I'll tell you," answered the young father, confidently; "He can say more things that sound well and mean nothing at

Both have in a marked degree the long narrow skull of the Vikings. It is a curious circumstance that the seafaring races, whether on the Baltic or on the Mediterranean, have this type of head, while the inlanders of Europe

animals.

are predominantly of the broad headed Alpine sort But it will hardly do to make long headedness the cause of seamanship. as some enthusiasts have done, for the Japanese, who are round headed, take readily to the sea.

Virginia Votes to Return to Mines. price paid is reported to have been Striking miners of the Kanawha \$4,800,000. coal fields in West Virginia voted to The company has done an annual accept the proposals of Governor H. business that averages from \$8,000,000 D. Hatfield for a settlement of the to \$12,000,000. At the present time trouble. twenty-three vessels are in course of The strike has been in progress construction at the yards, involving more than a year. It has been marked contracts aggregating \$20,000,000. by much rioting and considerable The Schwab interests are said to bloodshed while three times martial have elaborate plans on foot to enlarge the Fore River plant. A monster

law has been proclaimed. A nine-hour day, right to the mindry dock is reported to one of the imers to select their own check weighprovements contemplated. men, no discrimination against union men, abolition of the mine guard sys

tem and semi-monthly paydays were the principal points involved. Practically all of these demands are granted by the operators.

Public Their Findings.

BEARS TAKE POSSESSION

Plutarch (N. Y.) Citizens Fall Back as

Bruins Approach.

horseback, who in an hour or two has

Seafaring Races.

favorable to the firemen.

trators.

Bubonic Plague Alarms. FIREMEN ARE WINNERS The reap; earance of bubonic plague is alarming Manila. Arbitrators of Railroad Dispute Make

Cart."

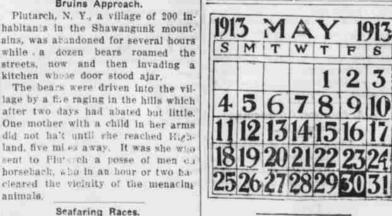
PITTSBURG MARKETS.

The award of the arbitration board Butter-Prints, 381/2; tubs, 38. Eggs appointed under the Erdman act in Selected, 20. Poultry-Hens, live, 20. the case of the firemen on the eastern Cattle-Choice, \$8.50@8.60; prime, roads was made public by the arbi-\$8.25@8.60; good, \$8.10@8.25; tidy

butchers, \$7.60@8; fair, \$7.25@7.75; While the firemen are not granted 7; good to choice helfcommon. the demand for an extra fireman on ers, \$7@8; common to fair heifers, engines weighing 200,000 pounds and \$5@6.50; common to good fat bulls, over and the request that the award \$467; fresh cows and springers, \$60 be made retroactive was not conceded, @75. Sheep and Lambs-Prime weththe award on the whole is considered

ers, \$6.10@6.25; good mixed, \$5.60@ 6; fair mixed, \$5@5.50; culls and com-The advances granted in the award mon, \$2.50@3.50; lambs, \$4.50@8; average from 8 to 10 per cent on presspring lambs, \$7@11; veal calves, \$9 ent wages, footing up in the aggregate @9.50; heavy and thin calves, \$6@7. Hogs-Prime heavy, \$8.90@8.95; heavy mixed, \$9.05@9.10; medium and heavy

and pigs, \$9.20@9.25; roughs, \$7.50@ 8.25; stags, \$7617.25



Fortune in Burro's Klck.

Once, in Colorado, a miner who had been kicked in the stomach by his burro found, when he began to dust off his breeches, that it was gold dust from soft quartz adhering to 'emand he was made.

Platinum.

Referring to platinum, books say that "this metal has never yet been successfully deposited as a protecting coating to other metals" and add "the metal to be plated must be coppered."

detective, who took the bomb to police headquarters, Mr. White said he knew no reason why anyone should place a bomb in his office.

MAN LOSES HAND WITH GEM Dynamite Blows Off Member With

\$300 Diamond. John Hawthorne, aged twenty-eight, probably was injured fatally by an exolosion of dynamite at the Bessemer Coal company's mines, Millsboro, Pa. Hawthorne was handling a stick of dynamite and it exploded. His left hand, on which he wore a \$300 diamond ring, was blown to atoms. His paid at an auction in London for face and head were injured badly.

a Gainsborough painting, "The Market Hangman's Unfortunate Mistake. John Harris, aged thirty-three, a negro murderer, was hanged in the county jail at Uniontown, Pa. When the trap was sprung Harris' body shot through and his feet struck the ficor. It was then discovered that there had been a miscalculation in the length of the rope. Sheriff Klefer and four deputies grabbed the rope and held Harris from the floor untill death came, which took about eighteen minutes, the condemned man struggling violently all the while.

"Boy Evangelist' Accused.

H. S. Bachtell, aged twenty-four, the "boy evangelist." held by the Pittsburg police, will have many forged check charges to face. He is accused of passing a bad check of \$1,100 in payment for an automobile, one for \$50 for an automobile license, getting \$39.50 in change, and another for the Yorkers, \$9.15@9.20; light Yorkers renting of a local theater.

> Burns to Death in Stable. Boys searching the ruins of a stable that was burned at Holsopple, Pa., found the charred body of Lawrence Klaus, twenty-five years old.

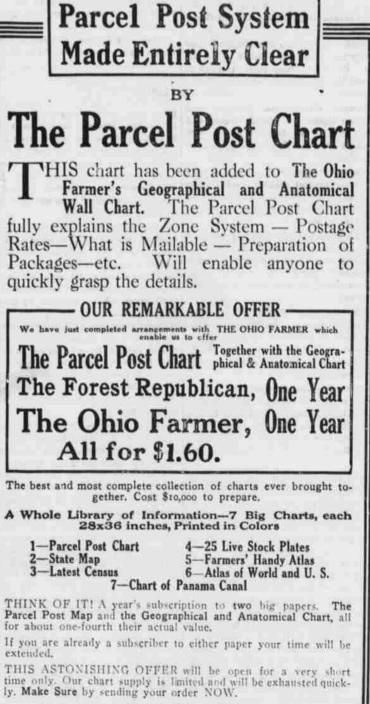
Bean Causes Boy's Death. A navy bean lodged in his throat caused the death of John, three-yearold son of Thomas Madden of Eleanor, near Punxsutawney, Pa.

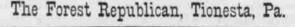


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Realism in Babylon.

"A great deal of fun has been poked at the realistic school of art," says a New York artist, "and it must be confessed that some ground has been given to the enemy. Why, there recently came to my notice a picture of an Assyrian bath, done by | a Chicago man, and so careful was he of all the details that the towels hanging up were all marked "Nebuchadnezzar' in the corner, in cuneiform characters."-Lippincott's Magazine.

To Burn Papar.

There are times when there are bundles of old papers to be burned. This is daugerous in a grate fire. The following is the method which will avert danger of the chimney catching fire: Make tight rolls of all the papers and fasten them with pieces of soft wire-broomstick wire will do. They will then form a kind of a log and burn slowly without a flame. The rolls may be made of any size and several of them burnt together.