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BRITISH ROADS.

The Indiana county *Examiner* says that if the Legislature makes the appropriation which is proposed to be made for the building of permanent roads the end of the next two years will see such improvement in the country highways as will cause the state taxpayers to demand the continuance for an unlimited number of years of a policy so beneficial.

That is probable. The people would not return from railroads to pocket boats, from matches to the flat land steels, from the present mail service to the private messenger. If it were possible for them to double their loads and reduce the number of horses on winter roads; if neighbors and friends, the church, the school and the market town were accessible in winter as summer; if the weight of bad roads, which is the underlying cause that drives the farmers' boys to the cities, makes the farmer's daughter vow that she will never marry a farmer, and isolates the farmer's wife until life becomes a weariness; if the weight hanging over the entire rural population of the state were lifted, or once began to be lifted, it is inconceivable that anybody would pause to the blessed work or want to return to the former, which is the present, condition of solitary confinement.

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ALL AROUND THE STATE.

Interesting Happenings from all Sections.

ALL OF THE IMPORTANT EVENTS

The Smallpox Breaks Out in a New Quarter of Reading and is Spreading Rapidly.
A Well-to-do Farmer Settles in a Clean New Lancaster-New Business Firm Organized at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, April 11.—The following were chartered yesterday: Pennsylvania Blue Stone Company, of Lansdown, capital \$2,000; J. R. McKee Company, of Philadelphia, to manufacture extra, capital \$30,000; Schmitt Brothers Company, of Philadelphia, to manufacture dairy products, capital \$100,000; Millholland Tube Company, of Reading, capital \$20,000; John Gay's Sons, incorporated, of Philadelphia, capital \$250,000, to make carpets; the incorporators are James H. Gay, Thomas D. Gay, John W. Gay, D. A. Gay, Louis Ledwith; Quakerport Water Company of Berks county, capital \$1,000; The Picking Box Machine Company, of Honesdale, capital \$99,000.

Cannell's Cigar Industry.
CONNEAUTVILLE, April 11.—Superintendent Fred H. Heilich, of the Oliver Cokes and Furnace Company, referring to the prospect of the Oliver plant No. 3 reaching 1,000 tons, which would replace the famous Standard plant at Mt. Pleasant, said: "It is estimated that if the plant was operated every working day it would take forty years to exhaust the coal owned by the company at this point and make proper allowances for strikes, repairs, etc. It is safe to fix the limit at fifty years for exhausting the bed of coal. So the present generation need not worry about the coal industry playing out while they are interested."

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Highest of all in Bleaching Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Burned in a Frozen Harbor.
St. Louis, Mo., April 11.—The steamer *Thetis*, of St. Louis, took fire while lying at the harbor. Sixty-three of the passengers of the steamer, including the captain, were killed. The ship was wrecked in the ice of the harbor. The ship was carrying a large amount of flour. The flour was all spoiled. The ship was carrying a large amount of flour. The flour was all spoiled.

His Kindness Brought Him Rich Returns.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 11.—A J. E. Cloernann, well-known attorney of this city, is in receipt of a letter from Rube C. Cox, a law firm at Houston, Tex., informing him that he is the sole heir to an estate of \$17,000 or more left by P. A. Walter, who recently died in Houston. Mr. Cloernann at first thought that there must be some mistake, but finally read the letter. He had been in Chicago for whom he had helped in the summer of 1877 by a loan of \$10 which had to be paid at St. Louis, where Walter had the promise of a job.

Three Coffins Out of the House.
St. Louis, April 11.—A distressing accident occurred at the Calvary cemetery during the funeral ceremonies attending the burial of Mrs. Mary Burke, of 1010 St. Ferdinand street. After entering the burial ground one of the coffins attached to the hearse took flight, and dragging the other along ran away. The hearse was upset and the coffin crashed through the glass side of the coffin was then carried by a number of men to the grave.

Strikers Return to Work.
TOPEKA, Kan., April 11.—About 100 of the 500 men in the locomotive shops of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad, who struck Saturday returned to work yesterday. None of the men in the shops, who the machinists claimed, would join them, are out to-day. Showing the strike continues 17 several days nearly all of the men in the shops will be laid off as with the locomotive shops idle there will be no work for them.

The Fall Killed Her.
NEW YORK, April 11.—Margaret Fulling, 51 years old, living at No. 463 East Fourteenth street, while standing on the stairs of the elevated railroad at the South Ferry station, lost her balance and fell down the entire flight. A Chinaman Street hospital attendance was summoned, and an examination by the physician discovered the fact that her skull was fractured. She was taken to her home by her husband where she died.

Embarrassed Business Firms.
John S. Hand, retail dry goods, 27 Amsterdam, N. Y., has assigned. Liabilities more than \$25,000, assets unknown.

Reuben Lukens, Jr., and William E. Lukens, trading in lumber at Lukens & Co., at Philadelphia, have assigned. It is said that the liabilities are about \$170,000, but they will scale down very materially. No money is owing for merchandise and the creditors are three local banks. The nominal assets represent over 60 per cent of the liabilities. William E. Lukens says that the firm expects to resume business after a settlement shall have been concluded.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKET.
Philadelphia Stock Market.
PHILADELPHIA, April 11.—The stock market showed surprising resistance this morning to a search for liquidation, based on the definite announcement that gold for the amount of \$2,000,000 would be shipped to Europe, and on the news of a general strike among the workmen at the steel mills.

Political Cards.
FOR COUNTY AUDITOR,
THEODORE F. BATDORF,
OF POTTEVILLE,
Subject to Republican rules.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
THOMAS BELLS,
OF SHENANDOAH,
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READING RAILROAD SYSTEM.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JAN. 29, 1908.

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