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ON THE STREET.

Gleanings by Reporters During Walks About Town.

One of an interesting group seen last night was Hon. M. P. Fowler, who was drawing upon his fund of good old-time election stories and one of which the listening reporter selected for this column. The story was related somewhat in this style: "The people of Tamaqua used to feel an intense interest in politics, and during a campaign there was always a good deal of excitement. The bitterest struggle that the town had for a long while was that in which a 'Jack' Lovett figured as a candidate. 'Jack' was one of the most popular men in the place; everybody liked him. A few days after he was nominated 'Jack' was standing in front of his hotel talking to a friend about the election, and happened to remark, 'I've got to win.' A woman was going by at the time, and as 'Jack' was speaking very rapidly, he pronounced it like this: 'I've got t'win;' and the woman passing thought 'Jack' was telling his friend that he'd got twins. The woman, just like all her sex about such matters, at once went through the town spreading the report that Mrs. Lovett had twins. So, of course, there was a fuss right off, and the boys said that as 'Jack' was a candidate, and a mighty good fellow anyway you took him, it would be nothing more than fair to congratulate him on his good luck by getting up some kind of a demonstration.

"Well, you never saw such enthusiasm. The way that idea took was wonderful, and all hands agreed that we ought to have a parade. We had one. That night some of the folks drummed up Bitner's band and 'Gassy' Bloomsock, otherwise known as 'Tuscarora, alles fer lora, six and four are ten,' led it off. The band played the most gorgeous music—'Star Spangled Banner,' 'Life on the Ocean Wave,' 'Beautiful Dreamer,' 'Home Again' and all those things. And 'Jack' never knew anything about it. It was a perfect surprise to him. And when the procession stopped in front of the hotel, they gave him three cheers, and he came rushing out on the pavement to see what all the noise was about. As soon as he appeared the band struck up 'See, the Conquering Hero Comes,' and everybody cheered.

"'Jack' bowed and made a little speech, and told how honored he felt by such a demonstration, and said he felt certain of victory, and when he was in office he would do his best to serve his fellow-citizens faithfully. 'Jack' thought it was a political serenade, and when he got through Dan. Kemmerer cried

"'Bring out the twins.'

"'Jack' looked puzzled for a minute, and then he said, 'I don't think I understand you. What do you say?'

"'Bring out the twins, less look at 'em.'

"'Twins!' said 'Jack.' 'Twins! Why what do you mean?'

"'Why, the twins. Rush 'em out. Hold 'em in the window, so's we can see 'em.'

"'Gentlemen, said 'Jack,' 'there must be some little, some slight mistake respecting the—that is, you must have been misinformed about the—the –er—er—why, there are no twins about this house.'

"Then the crowd thought he was joking and the band broke in with 'Listen to the Mocking Bird' and 'Jack' stepped forward to get the drift of affairs. And when he really convinced them that there wasn't a twin anywhere about the place, you never saw a worse disgusted crowd in your life. Mad as fury. They said they had no idea 'Jack' would descend to such trickery as that. So they broke up. And that killed 'Jack.' They beat him at the election, and all on account of the woman misunderstanding him."

A Voice From Florida.

Br. W. F. Bynum, Live Oak, Florida, says: Red Flag Oil is one of the most successful pain cures we sell. It's an unfailing remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sprains. Red Flag Oil costs 25 cents. Sold at P. D. Kirlin's drug store.

Harvest Day Services.

The congregation of the Primitive Methodist church will celebrate Harvest Day on an elaborate scale next Sunday. Rev. Proude, the pastor, will preach a harvest sermon in the morning and the choir will give the musical part of the program. James R. Lewis, one of our able young school teachers, will give connective readings.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES".

Coming Events.

Oct. 13.—Third annual ball, under the auspices of Boston Run Fife and Drum Corps, in Foley's hall, Gilberton.

Nov. 14.—Annual supper of English Baptist church in Robbins' opera house.

Arnica & Oil Liniment is equally good for man and beast. 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

Obituary.

The eight month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hassler, of North Jardin street, died this morning.

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Sour kraut making is now in blast in the country districts.

MAYOR SHANKS CALLED DOWN.

Dublin's Executive Talks Too Much at a World's Fair Banquet.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Dublin's lord mayor, James Shanks, is persona non gratis with the high governing officials of the fair, particularly with Director General Davis. The trouble was caused by the lord mayor's ill advised discourteous speech at the Music hall banquet at an early hour in the morning.

Director General Davis was acting as toastmaster. Executive Hovey, of Massachusetts, came to the banquet prepared with an interesting speech which he was to deliver in response to the toast, "The Executive Commissioners of the United States." Long before it came his turn to speak, just before the closing address of President Higginbotham, the representative of Massachusetts left the banquet hall with feelings of ill concealed disgust because of the confusion created by the foreign and other guests and their persistent refusal to listen to the speeches.

The director general then announced that Mr. Hovey's program would be taken by Mayor Shanks. Mr. Shank's first complaint was that, though an unintentional oversight, the name of Ireland was not included in the toast "Great Britain and Her Colonies." The director general felt offended when the lord mayor also complained that Ireland was not represented at the fair with a building of her own and courts of her own. When he said, "The next time don't have the McKinley tariff," Colonel Davis' eyes flashed with indignation. He said to his friends around him, "I will call him down for that."

When Mayor Shanks sat down nobody applauded the sentiments, and the director general quickly arose. In firm but polite language he informed the lord mayor that it was no time or place, and it ill became him as a guest, when asked to respond for an American commissioner, to criticize American statesmen. As to his complaint that Ireland was not represented as a nation, it was absurd as well as discourteous to the exposition officers, because only nations recognized as such by all the civilized powers could be represented at the World's fair. The lord mayor looked abashed and made no reply.

THE NEW VALKYRIE.

Lord Dunraven Puts Her Into Better Racing Trim.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The America's cup defender Vigilant and her antagonist, Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie, lay off Bay Ridge yesterday getting into readiness for today's race. On the Valkyrie a change was made which Lord Dunraven thinks will make her a better foe for the Vigilant than she has been. An extra ton of lead ballast was placed in her hold amidships. This made her set lower in the water and increased her load water line. Her owner stated in an interview that in order to shorten her water line he had lightened her and cut away her forefoot, so that she has been nearly one foot shorter than when she raced in British waters and made a phenomenal record among British boats. Lord Dunraven arrived at the conclusion that he had lightened the boat too much, and he therefore decided to put in more ballast before another race.

After the additional ballast had been put aboard and made fast the Valkyrie was towed to Erie basin, where official measurer Hyslop ran his steel tape over her and furnished the racing committee with the new measurement. The increased length of water line cuts down the time allowance which the boat received from the Vigilant from 1 min. 48 sec. to 1 min. 33 sec. It is expected that the loss of fifteen seconds in time allowance will be more than compensated for by the improved sailing ability of the yacht.

Today's race will be the same that ended without a finish on Wednesday, over a course fifteen miles to windward of the Sandy Hook lightship and return. The indications are that the race will be with housed topmasts and the liveliest of the series.

Young Women Drive Off a Burglar.

BELVIDERE, N. J., Oct. 13.—An exciting conflict with a burglar took place at the home of John Everett, a feeble old man. He is the stepfather of Miss Mary and Lizzie Butz, young ladies aged about 23 and 16 respectively. These two heard a noise in the house and began to investigate. They found a burglar and attacked him with a rush. He fought them back, and for a time there was a lively fight. The burglar only escaped by beating the young women off in a brutal way. He then jumped from a window and fled without any booty.

Explosion in a Crowded Store.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Five men were badly injured and scalded by the explosion of a steam pipe in Marshall Field's retail store, at State, Washington and Wabash streets. The first four are so badly scalded that they may not recover. The store was crowded at the time, and the accident created a panic among the women shoppers, several of whom fainted.

Mrs. Meyer Will Confess.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—It is reported on what is believed to be good authority that Mrs. Mary Meyer, wife of Dr. Henry W. C. Meyer, the alleged poisoner, has decided to turn state's evidence, and that she will testify to four murders having been committed by her husband.

Derailed by a Cow.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 13.—An electric car on the Memphis and Raleigh Springs railroad was thrown down an embankment and wrecked eight miles from Memphis. Four passengers were injured, one of whom may die. The accident was caused by the car striking a cow.

Will Resign from Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—John Barry, Nationalist M. P. for the south division of Wexford county, has announced in a long letter that he will retire from parliament. He complains that the policy of his party is now directed by idividuals intriguing in secret.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Princess Eulalie of Spain is now visiting London.

Cornell will meet Princeton in a football game at New York on Oct. 21.

A rise in the temperature has caused a serious revival of cholera in south Russia and Hungary.

Decided improvement is shown in the condition of national banks in New York and Philadelphia.

Rev. Dr. Storrs and M. Blatchford were re-elected president and vice president of the American board of foreign missions at yesterday's session in Worcester, Mass.

The Sultan of Turkey has assigned a fund of $150,000 to build a hospital in El Hejaz, on the Red sea. His purpose is to repress the cholera among the pilgrims to Mecca. He will defray the running expenses.

HIS FACE BLOWN OFF.

The Victim Was to Have Been Married Next Week.

Edward Ranson, a young Polish fellow employed as miner in Girard colliery, near Girardville, was the victim of an explosion in the mine yesterday afternoon that caused his death.

Ranson tamped a hole charged with dynamite and in doing so he used an iron bar, which, of course, caused the charge to explode and the victim received the force.

The poor fellow's face was torn away above the mouth, but notwithstanding his horrible injuries, he retained his senses, and while at the bottom of the shaft, waiting to be hoisted to the surface, he recognized the mine bosses' voice and managed to say, "Please keep my place for me, I'll be all right in a couple of weeks." He died about ten minutes after.

Ranson expected to be married next week and his intended bride is now a passenger on one of the steamships on the ocean bound for New York.

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A JOLLY NIGHT.

Grant Band Give a Concert and Make Merry.

Last evening the Grant Band gave a concert on the lawn in front of the Grant mansion on West Oak street and rendered one of the best programs of the season. People flocked about the grounds and were liberal in their applause of each selection. At the conclusion of the concert the band marched to its headquarters at the corner of Main and Oak streets and found in waiting a table loaded with refreshments, which had been prepared at the instance of Fred. Hafner, the supervisor of the bass drum, who last night celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of his connection with the band. Mr. Hafner was honored by his fellow-members of this excellent musical organization who presented him with a valuable meerschaum pipe. Speeches of presentation, acceptance and congratulation, interspersed with music by the band was the program of the late hours and a jolly time was spent.

A Small Haul.

Last night some unknown man smashed a pane of glass in the show window of a Polish shoe store on East Centre street and ran off with three shoes he snatched from the shelf.

Have you tried McElhenny's fried oysters? 9-12-tf

A WORD FOR THE APACHE.

An Indian Fighter Talks Freely About Uncle Sam's Indian Policy.

[Special Correspondence.]

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., July 24.—The belief is general that the invariable army opinion of the red man is that the only good Indian is a dead one. But I have talked with many army officers who repudiate that sentiment quite as emphatically as would a member of the Indian Rights association. And the other day I saw one who had a passably good word even for the Apache. He knows what he is talking about, too, for he has warred with the Indians all over the west and the southwest and taken part in an Apache campaign. He is a captain in the Tenth infantry.

He said: "Why, even the Apache isn't such a bad sort of an Indian as he is usually made out. There is much to be said in his favor. A bloodthirsty fiend? Oh, I know that is the way he is generally described. But go around among the Apaches after a campaign and talk with them and find out their opinion of the bloodthirstiness of the United States soldiery, and perhaps it will dawn upon you that there are two sides to that question.

"The Apache does as he has been done by, with as much interest added as his ingenuity can invent. The law of revenge is the prime rule of his life, and if any person does him an injury that person must be made to suffer for it. Well, there are plenty of civilized, churchgoing white people who take that same view of things and whose actions are based on that same principle. They fight with different weapons, that is all. Now, the Apache reckons among his enemies all white people, and the United States army in particular. And considering the policy that the army and the conquering race in every way have pursued against him from the start I reckon he is about right. Consequently his most ardent desire is to down them, singly or collectively, whenever he gets the chance. If that principle existed solely among the Apaches, we of the Caucasian race might carry on our attempts at extermination with a good deal better grace.

"Notwithstanding his grievances the Apache isn't apt to go on the warpath unless he thinks he has received some new and particular injury or has got drunk on tiswin. It's usually the tiswin that starts him off. Of course it's very naughty of him to drink tiswin, and he ought not to do it. But the meekest man that ever lived, white, red, brown or black, could not drink tiswin without being turned from a timid lamb into a roaring lion with an overwhelming desire to go out and devour somebody. It has got more concentrated essence of iniquity in it than any other liquor that man ever invented. Get the New York Lotus club down to a tiswin feast on empty stomachs—the Apache fasts for two days when he is preparing for a tiswin drunk—and they would need a detachment of United States troops to take care of them before they got through.

"The first duty of the troops in the Apache country is to look out for signs of tiswin and break up as quickly as possible every attempt to brew the stuff.

"The Apache isn't so very different at bottom from other men after all. Of course he doesn't like to work, but can any reasonable man blame him for that?

"Do I believe in the government's policy toward the Indian tribes? It's not my place to criticise the government's policy toward the Indians. It's my duty to go out and fight 'em, and I do so to the best of my abilities whenever I have to. But I do believe that if the government were to collect all the Indians in the United States and board them at full rates at the Fifth Avenue hotel and furnish them with poker money in the bargain it wouldn't cost any more than does the present way of taking care of them."

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ADMINISTRATRIX SALE.—Notice is hereby publicly given that the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Catharine Kilcoin, late of the borough of Shenandoah and county of Schuylkill, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on Saturday, the 4th day of November, 1893, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described property of decedent, to wit: All that certain two-story frame dwelling, with the appurtenances, outhouses, etc., situate on the north side of West Cherry street, between Gilbert and Catherine streets, in the borough of Shenandoah, Penna., measuring 15x30 feet and containing five rooms and plastered throughout; together with the right, title and interest of decedent, as lessee, to and in the lot of the Gilbert estate, on which said dwelling is built.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Twenty-five per cent. of purchase price to be paid at time of purchase and the balance in 30 days when bill of sale will be given. The purchaser shall forfeit the first payment in default of second payment. No sale will be made if an adequate price be not obtained.

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