CITY LODGE DIRECTORY

A. F. & A. M.

McCook Lodge No. 135, A. F. & A. M., meets every first and third Tuesday of the month, at p. m., in Masonic ball CHARLES L. FARNESTOCK, W. M.

LON CONE, Sec.

R. & S. M.

Occcnoxee Council No. 16, R. & S. M., meets on the last Saturday of each month, at 8:00 p. m., are welcome to these services. n Masonic hall.

RALPH A. HAGBERG, T. I. M. SYLVESTER CORDEAL, Sec.

R. A. M.

King Cyrus Chapter No. 35, R. A. M., meets every first and third Thursday of each mouth, at 8:00 p. m., in Masonic hall. CLARENCE B. GRAY, H P.

W. B. WHITTAKER, Sec.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

St. John Commandery No. 16, K. T., meets on he second Thur-day of each month, at 8:00 p. m., in Masonic ball.

EMERSON HANSON, E. C. SAMUEL S. GARVEY, Hec.

RASTERN STAR

Eureka Chapter No. 86, O. E. S., meets the scond and fourth Fridays of each month, at 8:00 p. m., in Masonic hall. Mrs. SARAH E. KAY, W. M.

W. E. HART, Sec.

MODERN WOODMEN

Noble Camp No. 663, M. W. A., meets every second and fourth Thursday of each month, at 8:30 p. m., in Morris hall. Pay assessments at White House Grocery. JULIUS KUNERT, Consul. J. M. SMUTH, Clerk.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Noble Camp No. 862. R. N. A., meets every second and fourth Thursday of each month. at 2:30 p. m., in Merris ball. Mrs. CAROLINE KUNERT, Oracle. MES. AUGUSTA ANTON, Rec.

W. O. W.

Meets second and fourth Thursdays at o'clock, in Diamond's hall. CHAS. F. MARKWAD, C. C. W. C. MOYEE, Clerk.

WORKMEN

McCook Lodge No. 61, A O. U.W., meets every Monday, at 8:00 p.m., in Monte Cristo hall. MAURICEGRIFFIN.Rec. M.S.JENNINGS, M.W. J.M.WENTZ, Financier. ROYZINT, Foreman.

DEGREE OF HONOR

McCook Lodge No. 3, D. of H., meets every second and forth Tuesdays of each month, a 8:00 p. m., in Monte Cristo hall. MES. DELLA MCCLAIN, C. of H. MRS. CARELE SCHLAGEL, Rec.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS

McCook Division No. 623, B. of L. E., meets very second and fourth Sunday of each every second month, at 2.30 in Morris hall. WALTER STOKES, C. E.

W. D. BURNETT, F. A. E.

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN AND ENGINEMEN. McCook Lodge No. 599. B. of L. F. & E. meets every Saturday. at 7:30 p. m., in Gans-chow's hall.

I. D. PENNINGTON, M. C. H. HUSTED, Sec.

RAILWAY CONDUCTORS.

Harvey Division No. 95, O. R. C., meets the month at 8:00 p m., in Morris hall at 304 Main Avenue. S. E. CALLEN, C. Con. M. O. MCCLURE, Sec.

RAILWAY TRAINMEN

C. W. Bronson Lodge No. 487, B. of R. T., meets first and third Sundays at 2:30 p. m., and second and fourth Fridays at 7:30 p. m., each month, in Morris hall. C. W. COREY, M. R. J. MOORE, Sec.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS. CHRISTIAN-Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. C. E. Meaning of the Terms Folio, Quarte, at 7 p. m. All are welcome.

R. M. AINSWORTH, Pastor. EPISCOPAL-Preaching services at St. Alban's church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p.

m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CATHOLIC-Order of services: Mass. Sa. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.

WM. J. KIRWIN, O. M. I.

METHODIST-Sunday school at 10 a.m. Sermons by pastor at 11 and 8. Class nesday night at 7:45.

M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

BAPT:ST-Sunday school at 10 a. m Preaching service at 11:00 a.m. Evening service at 8:00. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us, E. BURTON, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN - Regular German preaching services in the parsonage every Sunday morning at 10:00 All Germans and Russians cordially REV. WM. BRUEGGEMAN. invited. 607 5th st. East.

CONGREGATIONAL-Sunday school at 10 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 8 p m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p.m. Prayer meet ing Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services. G. B. HAWKES, Pastor. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE-219 Main Avenue-Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading Room

open all the time. Science literature on sale. Subject for next Sunday, "Matter."

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CONGREGA TIONAL-Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 1:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meetings every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30. All Germans cordially invited to these services.

REV. GUSTAV HENKELMANN,

They Do Their Share.

Milton complained of his wife that she did not talk to him enough. Three be called either a quarto or a 16mo. hundred years have wrought a change. In other words, the publisher calls When Matthew Arnold visited this his book by the name of that one of

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SIZES OF BOOKS.

Octave and Ducdecime.

The words "folio," "quarto," "octavo," "duodecimo" and the like have almost, if not quite, lost their original meaning. At first they had reference only to the number of leaves into which the sheets used in making the book were folded. Thus if these sheets were folded once the book was called a folio; if the sheets were folded twice, so as to form four leaves, the book was called a quarto; if they were felded four times, so as to form eight leaves, the book was called an octavo, and so on.

The duodecimo, or 12mo, is an irregular size. To make it the sheet at 12. Junior League at 3. Epworth must be folded so as to form twelve League at 6:45. Prayer meeting, Wed- leaves. Fold one-third of the width of a sheet lengthwise on itself. Next fold the paper across its breadth in the center. Next fold the sheet across its length-that is, fold the two leaves on the four. Finally fold it again across and in such shape that it may easily be sewed in with others to form a book.

But though, strictly and historically, quarto, octavo, etc., have reference solely to the manner of folding the sheet, they are, as a matter of common practice, used to specify the sizes of books.

If the sheets on which books are printed were of uniform size a quarto page would be as unvarying an area as a square et or an acre, and before the invention of machines for making paper there was such uniformity to be found in the sizes of sheets.

But when paper making machines were introduced and the use of molds was abandoned sheets came to be made of all dimensions. As a result quartos and octavos had all sorts of dimensions, and the terms, when used strictly to indicate how the sheet was folded, became worthless as designations of size. The use of the old terms was nevertheless not abandoned, but instead they were first used to indicate a rather wide range of sizes and finally were attached to certain more definite sizes, without refer-

ence to the method of folding. The practice of the publisher nowadays is first to determine what size of page he wants. The sheet he uses will be large or small, according to the capacity of the press at his disposal. On that sheet he may print, say, eight octavo pages, or he may print thirtytwo, but he will call the book an octavo, though by its folding it should

JOHANN'S COURTING.

One of the Royal Romances of the Hapsburgs.

More than one royal romance has occurred in the family of the Hapsburgs. The best of all, perhaps, is that of the Archduke Johann, brother of the Emperor Francis I. One day he was traveling incognito when he arrived in a village where he desired to take a ceach for Vienna. He looked around to hire a carriage, for which, having been obtained, he sought a driver. At length a lad was brought to him.

"Your name?" queried the archduke "Johann, sir," answered the lad,

The archduke was cute. He had seen at a glance that this was no boy before him, but a girl disguised. "What do you call yourself when

you are at home helping your mother in the kitchen?" he asked, smiling. "Anna Plochl," she answered. "And what is your name?"

"Johann too. I am an archduke." "I suppose you will say that you are the emperor himself next?" she laughed back at him. Then she drove his carriage into Vienna.

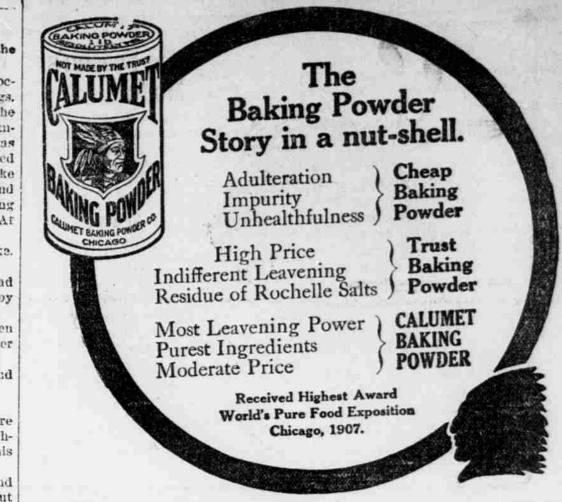
Here, behold, the people saluted, and she made inquiries, thus finding cut the real facts. But she thought little more of the matter until a month later the archduke strode into her father's cottage just at the dinner hour and asked permission to join the family gathering. The girl began apologies, but the archduke laughed them aside and insisted on being called plain "Johann."

The visit was repeated again and again, and at last the villagers began to talk-unkindly. Anna at last asked the archduke to come no more because of the gossip. That settled it. He asked her to marry him, and, despite the objections of the emperor, the two were married. Later the girl, once daughter of a jobmaster, was created baroness and countess and at last forgiven by the emperor .-- Philadelphia Ledger.

QUENTIN METYS.

How Love Changed a Great Blacksmith Into a Great Painter.

Love made Quentin Metys a painter. This great Fleming, whom both Antwerp and Louvain claim to have given birth, though the palm now rests with Louvain, was the son of an able blacksmith. Trained in his father's craft, the younger Quentin soon distinguished himself by his work in this base metal and among other matters turned out the wonderfully delicate ironwork that surmounts the well outside the



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N. V. FRANKLIN, Rec. Sec.

MACHINISTS Red Willow Lodge No. 557, I. A. of M., meets every second and fourth Tuesday of the month, at 8:00 p. m., in Morris hall. THEO DIEBALD, Pres.

FRED WASSON, Fin. Sec. FLOYD BERRY, Cor. Sec.

BOILERMAKERS

McCook Lodge No. 407, B. of B. M. & I. S. B. of A., meets first and third Fridays of each month in Odd Fellows' hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

McCook Lodge No. 42, K. of P., meets every Wednesday, at 8:00 p. m., in Masonic hall, H. W. CONOVER, C. C. D. N. COBB, K. R. S.

ODD FELLOWS.

McCook Lodge No. 137, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday, at 8:00 p. m., in Morris hall. H. G. HUGHES, N. G.

W. A. MIDDLETON, Sec.

EAGLES

McCook Aerie No. 1514, F. O. E., meets the second and fourth Fridays of each month, at 8:00 p.m., in Diamond's hall. Social meetings on the first and third Fridays. R. S. LIGHT, W. Pres.

G. C. HECKMAN, W. Sec.

were two mince pies on the larder KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. McCook Council No. 1126, K. of C., meets the shelf this morning, and now they have first and third Tuesdays of each month, at 8:00 p. m., in Diamond's hall. G. R. GALE, F. Sec. FRANK REAL, G. K. disappeared. I dian't think it was in you.'

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA.

Court Granada No. 77, meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 p. m., in Monte Cristo hall. ANNA HANNAN, G. R. NELLIE RYAN, F. S.

LADY MACCABEES. Valley Queen Hive No. 2, L. O. T. M., meets every first and third Thursday evenings of each month in Morris hall.

MRS. W. B. MILLS, Commander. HARRIET E. WILLETTS, R. K.

G. A. R.

J. K. Barnes Post No. 207, G. A. R., meets on the first Saturday of each month at 2:30 p.m., Morris hall. WM. LONG, Commander.

JACOB STEINMETZ, Adjt.

RELIEF CORPS

McCook Corps No. 98, W. R. C., meets every second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 2:30 p. m., in Ganschow hall. ADELLA MCCLAIN, Pres.

SUSIE VANDEBHOOF, Sec.

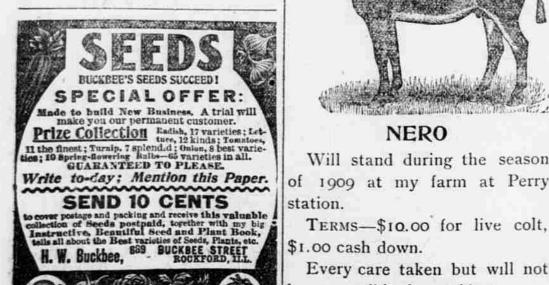
L. OF G. A. R.

McCook Circle No. 33. L. of G. A. R., meets on the first and third Fridays of each month at 2:30 p. m. in Morris hall.

MARY WALKER, Pres. ELLEN LEHEW, Sec.

P. E. O.

Chapter X. P. E. O., meets the second and fourth Saturdays of each month, at 2.30 p. m., at the homes of the various members. MES. J. A. WILCOX, Pres. MES. J. G. SCHOBEL, Cor. Sec.



country a woman with more zeal than the old sizes to which it happens to come nearest. "Mr. Arnold, will you tell me what The confusion resulting from the

is the most novel impression you have changes noticed here has not passed away yet, but efforts have been made "Certainly, madam," he replied, with to give definiteness to the old words .-perfect English suavity. "The women New York Tribune. do all the talking."-Youth's Compan-

Whistling on Sabbath In Scotland.

Concerning the Scottish reprobation of whistling on the Sabbath Dean tion to a painter? The good burgher, "But for Napoleon," said the spool. Ramsay has a characteristic story. A who anticipated no change of craft on 'I. like the Arc de Triomphe, would famous Glasgow artist met an old the questioner's part, replied that there, never have existed. In Napoleon's highland acquaintance unexpectedly, indeed, was a more refined profession. time thread was made only of silk and "Donald, what brought you here?" of wool. Napoleon to ruin the English "Ou, weel, sir, it was a baad place cret dismay when some months later silk thread trade destroyed the world's yon; they were baad folk, but they're Quentin Metys reappeared and asked silk stock, which lay at Hamburg. In a God fearin' set o' folk here." "Well, | for the fulfillment of the old burgher's this crisis the Paisley spinners turned Douald, I'm glad to hear it." "Ou, aye, to cotton. After tremendous labor sir, 'deed are they, an' I'll gie ye an they at last made cotton thread. Cotinstance o't. Last Sabbath just as the esteem. To commemorate his love and ton thread is the world's chief thread kirk was skailin' there was a drover his serving on her account Metys chield frae Dumfries comin' along the llimned an "auto-portrait" that now road whisiin' an' lockin' as happy as if hangs in the Uffizl, at Florence. Those it was ta middle o' the week. Weel, acquainted with the secret know that "George," said the maiden aunt resir, oor laads is a God fearin' set o' if they touch a little spring in this provingly, shaking her finger very sollaads, an' they were just comin' oot frame the panel opens like a door, and emply at her small nephew, "there o' the kirk-o'd they yekit upon him behind the shelter of Metys' own poran' a'most killed him!"

That English Complexion.

The complexions of the English have often been exploited for our benefit. The damp climate and the exercise out of doors produce the red, they say. But on examination it proves to be not the red of the rose, but the red of drews was much impressed by the raw beef, and often streaky and fibrons high standard of efficiency which he at that. The features are large and saw displayed on the greens by those the face high colored, but it is not a with whom he played. He studied the delicate pink. It is a coarse red. At a distance the effect is charming, bright, refreshing, but close to often rather their methods. At last he saw light unpleasant. Here the features of the He observed that they all hold the left women, even the features of the beautiful women, are molded, while the features of our beautiful American women are chiseled .- Scribner's.

A Funny Family.

"What makes your hair snap so?" asked the child who was watching his mother comb her hair.

"Electricity," his mother replied. "We are a funny family," remarked the child after a few moments of thought. "The other day you said papa had wheels in his head, and now you've got electricity in your hair. If you put your heads together you might make an electric motor, mightn't | tapeline drawn through a miniature you?"-New York Times.

The Size She Wanted.

The woman went in the bookstore and asked for a globe.

"What size do you want?" asked the clerk, turning one on its pivot for her to look at the various and sundry countries in pink and blue.

"I think," said the woman, "that you Will stand during the season may give me one life size."-New York Times.

Poor Stuff.

The Servant-You got cheated when you bought that chiny vase, mum. The Mistress-How cheated? The Every care taken but will not Servant-Why, it's weak. It busted all Bled! I'm surprised to hear you using

knowledged master of his guild, it very welcome out west and is cordially received along the way. came about, writes Helen Zimmern in Send for literature, rates, information, etc. the Metropolitan Magazine, that the



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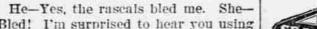
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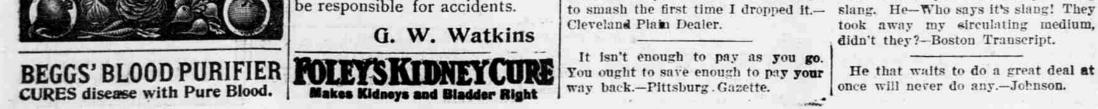
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Two Straight Streets.

letter? Mrs. Bloodgood-The one where you asked me to your holiday house party? Mrs. Nuvoe Reash-Exactly. Mrs. Bloodgood-No, I didn't get it .-Cincinnati Enquirer.

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