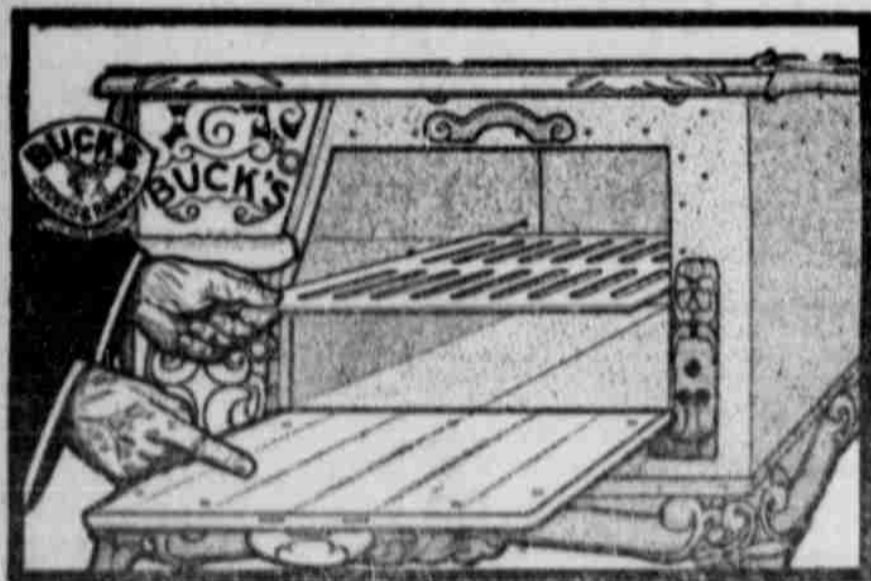


# -let us deliver to your home a Buck's stove on approval

--here is the greatest stove offer ever made to the buying public of this city.  
 --through special arrangements with the Buck's Stove and Range Company we are enabled to deliver to any home in the city or vicinity, a Buck's range, cook stove, hard coal or hot blast heater for a thorough approval test.  
 --if the stove does not perform all of its functions properly--does not do all that we say it will do, we will cheerfully remove it and refund any payment that may have been made on the same.  
 --and we will give you our written guarantee that we will do just as we say we will do.  
 --this once-in-a-life-time-offer is based on our faith in these wonderful stoves you cannot afford to miss it.  
 --take advantage of it today, as the offer stands good but for a short time.



## --a white enameled oven which insures clean, wholesome food

—good health is largely dependent upon clean food—clean food cannot be prepared in a dirty oven.  
 —a sanitary oven is even a greater necessity than a sanitary refrigerator—for during the process of baking, chemical changes render contamination doubly easy.  
 —why take great care in the preparation of a fine cake, for instance—then bake it in an oven, the seams and joints of which are filled with contaminating filth?  
 Buck's white enamel is not a paint—but a white glass enamel—burned into the pores of the iron—and is practically everlasting.  
 Buck's ovens are absolutely clean—a reason why you should own one.



## --this duplex grate will reduce your fuel expenses

—the first cost of a Buck's range is but a small part of the final cost—the range is so long-lived that it eats up many times its original price in fuel.  
 this duplex grate saves fuel—for it admits oxygen to the burning fuel in such quantities that all its heating power is exhausted and used.  
 —a very small saving of fuel each day means a tremendous saving during the lifetime of the stove—a saving of many times the original cost.  
 —and further—this grate may be changed—in an instant—so as burn either wood or coal—and it may be easily removed for cleaning or repairs—and without disturbing the water back.  
 —this is one of the many reasons why you should own a Buck's.

--one dollar a week pays for any Buck's stove or range selected from our stock--and sent to your home for free and thorough test.

—the most liberal credit and the most courteous treatment extended to all.



—everything for the home—furniture, carpets, draperies—at right prices.

## BOOTS LEFT MARK

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Wanton brutality on the part of the fiend who terribly mutilated and murdered Lizzie Schroeder, aged 7 years, of Gary, Ind., may be the means of bringing him to justice. In overcoming the child he trampled upon her arm and today the initials "T. M." stand out plainly in the livid flesh. Apparently the murderer had the initials in double-headed tacks on the soles of his boots. The same initials can be traced through the sands for many rods.

In the struggle the girl also tore off his green necktie, or he may have snatched it off himself with the intention of strangling her. In any event it is an important clue. The entire Northern part of Indiana is aroused, and fully 600 men, with bloodhounds, are engaged in the search.

It is admitted that if the man is captured by any of the posses, not accompanied by two or three officers, the wretch will be speedily lynched. Five men have been arrested, but all but two have proved satisfactory alibis. The others, one of whom is a negro, told conflicting stories, and are closely guarded.

### Bomb Sent to Cortelyou.

Philadelphia, Aug. 28.—The explosion of what appeared to have been a large percussion cap in a package addressed to the secretary of the treasury, George B. Cortelyou, created excitement in Nicetown, a sub-station of the Philadelphia postoffice, yesterday.

The package, which was collected from a box in the northern section of the city, was received by Mr. Roberts, a clerk, who says it was four inches long by two inches wide. What was inside the package, aside from the explosive, the officials will not say.

### Defers Decision on Schmitz Case.

San Francisco, Aug. 28.—Ex-Mayor Schmitz appeared before Judge Dunne this morning, expecting to hear a decision on the merits of his demurrers to the indictments charging him with accepting bribes from the United Railroads and the gas company. Judge Dunne was not ready to hand down his decision, stating that other business was engaging his time. It may be several weeks before the ruling is made.

### Two Steamers Sink.

Toledo, O., Aug. 28.—The freight steamers Isaac Elwood and Brewer collided off Bar Point in Lake Erie last night, and both sank. Both ships are in deep water, but their decks are clear and the crews safe.

### President Welcomes Prince.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 28.—Prince William\* of Sweden, came today and was the guest of the President at lunch. The Swedish minister and government officials, army and navy officers and diplomats, were also guests.

### Taft Goes to Denver.

Kansas City, Aug. 28.—Taft left this morning for Denver. There was a great crowd at the depot to bid him farewell.

### Say Sultan Was Assassinated.

Tangier, Morocco, Aug. 28.—It is rumored the Sultan was assassinated last night in his palace at Fez. A column of the Sultan's troops was attacked and 20 soldiers killed.

### Chicago Markets.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Wheat 89 1/2 @ 90 1/2, corn 59 1/2 @ 59 3/4, oats 50 1/2 @ 50.

## GOOD DIGESTION

With Good Digestion a Man Can Come Every Obstacle, Conquer Every Difficulty.



MR. R. Y. LECKIE.

Mr. R. Y. Leckie, Kenosha, Wis., writes:

"I write to tell you of the great fits that Peruna has accomplished for me. It has cured me of catarrh, seemingly all the other ills that subject to."

"I can eat anything before I digest anything I eat. Physically a new man."

With weak or deranged digestive source of strength and vitality impaired, the nerves are weak, the circulation feeble.

No man is capable of thinking accurately or doing anything vigorous while suffering with indigestion.

To rid the stomach of catarrh, produce clean, healthy mucous membranes and thus correct the digestive system.

Peruna has the reputation of being the best for doing this very thing. A course of Peruna promptly and completely sets the digestive organs at the function.

## X-RAYS

Professor Jaffa, of the California state food laboratory, says the more food substance in peanuts in six times the weight of a house steak. No use of anything hungry today.

President Moore and Cashier are both sorrowful, even to small criminals generally show similar symptoms when caught with goods.

Cashier Morris of the Portland Savings Bank, says he will take off his coat, go back to work, and work for the interest of the depositors. "Whom else had he been working for before the crash?"

The telegraph companies are doing all business and the Chicago Board of Trade asks the President today to settle the strike, "because telegraph business of the country paralyzed." Somebody is lying hard.

Helen Oldfield, in an article on "how to win a woman," among other things, "a man should not forget the woman's birthday. Go to, Helen, you're kidding. That is one thing the wise lover first forget."

Since 16 to 1 has become a number the state fair advertisement to 21.

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Prince and President.  
Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Prince Wilhelm, grandson of King Oscar of Sweden and a son of the crown prince, was the guest of President and Mrs. Roosevelt at luncheon today.  
Prince Wilhelm, on board the Swedish cruiser Fylgia, arrived off Oyster Bay this morning and was given an exceedingly cordial welcome to the summer capital.  
The Fylgia will remain here until tomorrow morning and will then carry the prince to New York, where he will be officially welcomed by the city fathers and will be the guest of honor at many important social functions. While in New York the prince will pay a visit to Coney Island. The Fylgia, with her royal

officer aboard, will sail for Sweden next Tuesday.

### Wife Is the "Better Half."

Watonga, Okla., Aug. 28.—Tom Ferguson, Watonga's red headed ex-governor, editor and present candidate for congress from this district, has a wife who is an even more competent statesman than he is.

What is more, Mr. Ferguson knows it and shamelessly admits the truth of the charge. During the heat of the campaign a political adversary insinuated that Mrs. Ferguson supplied a goodly portion of the gray matter used in furthering the political ambition of the Watonga editor, and declared that she was far more competent to represent Oklahoma in congress than her husband.

Ferguson promptly admitted his guilt and declared that this was the only charge made against him during the campaign that had been substantiated.

### A Dramatic Finish.

Webster City, Ia., Aug. 28.—In sight of an astonished crowd, Carl Pressley, an actor, today made a bonfire in the street of \$2500 in paper money, threw his diamond rings and stud in the sewer and then announced to a group of his friends in the Park Hotel lobby that he was going to kill himself.

He drew a revolver, walked across the street to the city park, and, calling to passersby to watch him die, fired a bullet into his brain. He fell dead instantly. Pressley, who was

well known throughout this and neighboring states, had been drinking heavily for two weeks.

### Hard Luck for Gypsies.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Gypsies numbering 50 men, women and children, who had been arrested in many counties in Texas for horse-stealing, were caught stealing 20 head of cattle in Starr county by a band of vigilantes, who horsewhipped the men and drove the whole band across the border into Mexico. They first forced them to pay \$100 a head for the stolen cattle.

All were threatened with death if they returned. Today it was learned that, falling to pay the Mexican headtax, they were crowded into a prison.