

THE EMPIRE THEATRE*"A nice place to go"***To-Day--"THE WOLF-MAN"**Featuring
RALPH LEWIS**Wednesday--"A GENTLEMAN OF LEISURE"**Featuring
WALLACE EDDINGER**Thursday--RULE "G"**Featuring
KATHERINE EMERSON**Friday--"CAPRICES OF KITTY"**Featuring
ELsie JANIS**VAUDEVILLE ON SATURDAY****"Rahway's Best Theatre"****HIS HOSPITAL VISIT****The Stranger Who Inspected the Federal Quarters****WE CHEERED A FEW PATIENTS****that the Secret of the Unknown Doctor Was Kept by His Patients Until the Next Day and After He Had Taken His Departure****It was in the spring of 1812 when General Jackson had won his first great victory over General Banks, when he drove north until the friendless Indians had been driven from safety and could not be found again.****He was in the hospital and wounded in the hospitals of Fred-****erick and, in the best we can say, he died.****"But what if he should be recov-****"What's to recognize him? None of your folks for whom who would know he is fighting, not knowing the right man, and he is not even known to us."****He told if saw him. 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"NEAL OF THE NAVY"
PATHE NEWS

Saturday—"The Yankee from the West"
UNIVERSAL WEEKLY
VAUDEVILLE

Monday—LOIS WEBER IN
"SUNSHINE MOLLY"
"BROKEN COIN"
PATHE NEWS

Coming Wednesday
"THE GIRL AND THE GAME"

"Rahway's Best Theatre"

HIGH EXPLOSIVES.

Amateur Chemists Should Fight
Shy of Dabbling in Them.

SCIENCE IN THEIR MAKING.

These Terribly Destructive Agents Are
the Outcome of Serious Research
World-Smashers Powder and Nitro-
They Are Prevalent.

A word of caution to amateurs who
wish to experiment with high explosives—don't. The manufacture of high explosives is now a highly specialized
branch of chemistry and chemical engineering, and great technical know-
ledge and experience are necessary if one wishes to go through life whole.
Another caution—not one of the present explosive compounds has been discovered and made practical by an amateur; they are as much a growth of
scientific research as is the manufacture of aniline dyes.

The bases of the most terribly de-
structive explosives are very innocent substances themselves and of high im-
portance in the arts of peace. Cotton and glycerin are the two most impor-
tant raw materials used for high explosives; next come phenols, benzol, toluol, etc. Cotton is by far the most important, as its nitro compounds are the base of all smokeless powders used in cannons and rifles and explosive shells and torpedoes.

Smokeless powder is now the most important military product of gunfu-
ture and nitroglycerin. Broadly speak-
ing, smokeless powder is a gelatinized
form of gunpowder or gun cotton and nitroglycerin, in varying proportions.

Blasting gelatin is similar in compo-
sition to this type of smokeless powder
and is made by dissolving gunpowder
in nitroglycerin, the proportion of each varying according to the nature of the explosive. In all smokeless powders effort is made to retain some
of the gunpowder used, as this makes it
easier to handle and more uniform in
composition. Camphor and similar
substances are sometimes added, as
stabilizers.—American Druggist.

unstable and explosive in action. In
fact, all smokeless powders have these
defects. The perfect smokeless powder
is yet to be invented, and meanwhile
those who handle and store it
must keep a constant watch for signs
of deterioration and consequent liability
to spontaneous explosion.

The most stable, and attractive type of
smokeless powder is the English "cordite," so called because it is made by
mixing gunpowder with nitro-glycerin
and cords of varying length and
diameter. The new type cordite is
composed of approximately 65 parts of
nitro-glycerin and thirty parts of nitro-
glycerin and five parts of mineral jelly
or petroleum, acetone being used for
making the jelly and dissolving the nitro-
glycerin formed.

Originally petroleum was added to
cordite with the idea that it would less-
en the explosion of the charge on the
ripping of the gun. Later it was discovered
that the petroleum acted as an almost perfect stabilizer by preventing
oxidation mechanically. Cordite for
many contained a higher proportion of
nitro-glycerin, but this formula has been
abandoned, for the later one, as the old
formula was too subject to decomposi-
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GOLD ACTUALLY GROWS.

In Certain Cases Nuggets Placed in
Water Increase in Size.

It has been found gold nuggets under
favorable conditions actually in-
crease in size.

Gold is known to have grown on
mine timbers which have long been
immersed in mine water. In the California state mining bureau museum
there is a specimen of a piece of
jointed, cap and post taken from the
Comstock Lode, where it had been
under water for years. Gold had formed
in the joints and pores of the wood.
Gold is constantly being formed in
rocks and veins and placers. Just
what it is that the baby gold formation feeds on is not known. It is a very
new and wonderfully tentative industry right at present.

As in the case of the animal or vegetable
matter containing gold has entered in
other states before assuming its
present form. Water which seeps the
earth's crust seems said to contain sub-
stances from which gold is formed.
The animal and plant gold must
have water in order to thrive.

The gold in the water is deposited
when it comes with the proper
electrode and current of electricity,
more remarkable growth or some
chemical in the rocks.

It has been claimed that the nuggets found in placers are formed from
the waters that percolate through the
gravel and not from decomposed
quartz, as generally supposed. Those
who do not believe the fact that in
the center of nuggets a small grain
of iron sand can often be found. This
is the nucleus around which the
current of electricity created or deposited
gold from the substance in the water,
just as it is deposited in electro plating.—
Popular Science Monthly.

In appearance smokeless powder
is a pale yellow or amber color, has
a horny texture and can be cut with a
knife. The powder used by the United
States is a granular powder, a small
percentage of dinitro-glycerin and carbon
carbide being added to stabilize it.

The powder and methods of manu-
facture are closely guarded secrets.

Nitroglycerin smokeless powder
is a hard, both gunpowder and
nitroglycerin. The gunpowder is dissolved
in the nitroglycerin, a jelly-like mass
being formed. This is then dissolved
in acetone of a mixture of alcohol and
ether, with other ingredients added and
the whole worked into a plastic mass.
This mass is then pressed into sticks or
perforated cylinders or granulated from
sheets by the same process as gunpow-
der powder, and the finished product is
similar in appearance.

Nitroglycerin powders have a greater
explosive force than nitrocellulose pow-
ders, but the development of both

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Taylor's Pork Roll
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22 c
lb

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FRESH AND LEAN

HAMS

17 c
lb

Corned Pig's Feet

5c lb

BLOOMFIELD FARM

EGGS

Guaranteed Strictly Fresh

39 c

doz

SHOULDERS SPRING
LAMB

15 c
lb

Corned Spare Ribs

5c lb

SHOULDERS JERSEY

PORK

14 c
lb

Fresh Beef Liver

9c lb

PRIME BEEF
CHUCK
POT ROAST

15 c
lb

Best Cuts

RUMP

Corned Beef

16 c
lb

New Sauer Kraut

3c lb

PRIME BEEF
BLADE
RIB ROAST

15 c
lb

Best Cuts

SIRLOIN

STEAK

20 c
lb

Corned Pig's Head

5c lb

EXTRA SPECIAL
FRIDAY-SATURDAY
Swift Co.
Boneless Bacon

16 c
lb

1, 2, 3, and 4 lb pieces

SUGAR-CURED

Corned Shoulders

PORK

10 c
lb

Oysters, Clams
Smelts

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right; an unhealthy man an unhappy
slave. For impure blood and sluggish
liver, use Burdock Bitters. On
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sack, 95c; 12-lb sack, 49c

Champion of the World Flour—One of the Best Patent Minnesotas

Bbl. \$6.90; 24 $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb sack; 90c; 12-lb 47c

Best Creamery Butter 3dc lb
Our Best Cheese 22c lb
Karo Syrup 9c can

Old Fashioned New Orleans Molasses
Gallon, 55c; Quart, 15c

New Comb and Extract Honey

SOAP! SOAP! SOAP!

Kirkman's	6 for
Satin Gloss	6 for
Octagon	6 for
Fels Naptha	6 for
Babbitts	7 for
German Laundry	7 for
Swift's Naptha	7 for

25c

BEANS! BEANS! BEANS!

Campbell's	9c, 3 cans for
Sniders	9c, 3 cans for
Van Camp's	9c, 3 cans for
Sunbeam	9c, 3 cans for
Heinz	9c, 3 cans for

25c

TEAS AND COFFEES

TEAS 19c, 40c and 50c per pound

COFFEES 19c, 25c and 30c per pound

Mackerel 5c, 10c, 15c each

Mueller's Macaroni 9c, 3 for 25c

H. O. Oatmeal 12c; Quaker Oats, 8c; Sunkist Oats, 7c

Toilet Paper 9 rolls 25c

The Venus of Mila

It is said that the Venus of the Venus
of Mila, with the name of the seducer
upon it, was destroyed for the purpose
of deceiving a king of France into the
belief that it was more ancient than it
really was.

What's strange?

About the woman's motto. It has a
tongue, but yet it was the wheel
spoke.—Baltimore American.

The answer is, the saw, and
the saw the converted.—Burke.

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Special Friday and Saturday
January 14th and 15th

Creamery Butter, lb 32c

Borden's Peerless Milk, 3 for 25c

Prime Rib Roast, lb 16c

Bon Ami Cake 7c

Jello Any Flavor, pkg 8c

Sweet Apple Cider, gal 20c

Rump Corn Beef, as best, lb 18c

Trenton Scrapple, lb 9c

Irvine Park Hill by the whole, lb 23c

Selected Eggs, doz 30c

Blue Label Catsup, bot 12c

Fresh Cali Ham, lb 14c

Fresh Shoulder, lb 14c

