The ghost is described as a headless figure, making it difficult for trainmen and others to determine his true form. The conductor of the train was a witness to the phenomenon and described it as such. The trainmen were thrown off course by the spectral presence, and the conductor was forced to stop the train. The phenomenon was described as a 'phantom train' due to its ability to mislead and deceive the passengers and crew. The story of the ghostly train continued to be told and retold, creating a local legend. The author of the article, John A. Schenk, provides additional context about the surrounding area and the impact of the ghostly train on the local community. The story ends with a reflection on the enduring nature of local legends and the ways in which they shape the identity of a place.
While the West Side can boast of a number of good stores filled with a good and full line of stock of its kind, it is sadly in need of a good hardware store, where a good line of ordinary hardware is kept in stock. At present we have none, for while a number of stores carry a partial stock, none carry anything like a full line, which renders them useless to the average purchaser.

After a long struggle the dispute over the election of lieutenant-governor has terminated in the deposition of Lampson and the establishment of Marquis. The Democrats in the Senate were ready for the occasion, and produced a number of securities as to the illegibility of a number of Republican votes, scattered here and there over the state, declared Marquis elected by a vote of 15 to 14. Is it to be supposed that there were no Democratic frauds during the recent election?

By the recent death of Professor Lyman of Yale College an opportunity is offered for the opening of the little brick building, which for some years has never been open to any one but the professor himself, and the disclosure of the mystery connected with it. The building was formerly occupied by the astronomical apparatus of the college, but after the erection of the Winchester building, the small brick building was vacated, and by special request was given to the exclusive use of Prof. Lyman. Now, that he is dead, the building will soon be opened, and it is believed by scientific men and the faculty of the college, that much knowledge will be brought to light by its being opened.

A non-partisan organization for the promotion of temperance throughout the United States has been formed. A meeting was recently held at Cleveland, among the members of which was Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, so conspicuous during the recent convention of the Woman's Temperance Union, at Chicago, and who was the leading figure in the disruption of the Union. After much discussion, and after the second reconsideration, "Nonpartisan Woman's Christian Temperance Union" was adopted as its title. Before its adjournment a declaration of war on Mrs. Willard's friends was carried on a vote. With so much animosity among them, little can be done for the cause of temperance. And it is for this reason—animosity—that temperance can not be secured at advanced political parties. Alas for temperance!

LOCAL NEWS.

Ask for Brown Tar Soap.
Mr. Reed of West Fifth Street is very ill.
Miss Eila Ruse is suffering from an attack of neuralgias.
Mr. George Mills, of South Williams street, presented his wife with a fine piano.
Charley Watson, of West Fifth Street, has been sick this week with la grippe.
Rev. Mr. Watson, of West Fifth Street, was in Troy this week attending a funeral.
Miss Mullen, of West Second Street, has been very sick during the past week.
Clarence Tomlinson, of South Williams street, was sick the first of the week.
Mrs. C. Greulich, of Germantown and Broadway, has gone on a visit to Miamisburg.
Mrs. Norris of Union City, is visiting Mr. Stokes corner of Fifth and Baxter Streets.
Harry Carte and Webb Landis, of Trotwood, were visiting Mrs. H. Russ, last Monday.
Mr. William H. Tanner is visiting his mother on West Fifth Street.
Miss Anna Gessinger, of Troy, is visiting her cousin Mrs. Ella Parish, of West First Street.
Miss Cora Parish, of Loganport, Indiana, is visiting her brother, Mr. Ed. Parish, of First Street.
Willber Wright has been unwell for the past week, being troubled with a severe sore throat.
Miss Brown, teacher in seventh district school, is suffering with a severe cold.
Herbert Hall, of South Broadway, is recovering from an attack of the measles.
Mr. Cravins has moved from West Fifth to the corner of Home Avenue and Williams street.
Mr. George Troup, of West Third street, has been ill during the week.
Mr. Jacob Heiney, of West Baltimore, is visiting his son on South Broadway.
Rev. W. N. Williams and wife, of South Broadway, have been ill for the past week.
Charles Francisco is adding a summer kitchen to his house on West Third street.
Mr. D. R. Fox, of South Williams street, left Friday on a business trip through Iowa.
Rev. Mr. Spald, of Xenia, preached at Broadway Methodist Church, last Thursday evening.
Mrs. Heiney and son, of South Broadway, have been very sick for the last week, but are now slowly recovering.
W. E. Anderson, of 12th West Third street, is entertaining his cousin, Miss Iva Ziles, of An­ sonia, Ohio.
Mrs. Gore, of corner of Fifth and Baxter streets, left Thursday on a visit to Miamisburg where her mother is seriously ill.
Mr. W. H. Eby, of West Fourth street, was laid up for a week with a severe cold.
Rev. G. M. Mathews, of W. Third Street, will return Monday from the vicinity of Cincinnati where he has been holding revival services.
Revival meetings will be con­ tinued until Wednesday night at the Summit Street United Breth­ ren Church.
Rev. A. L. Brown preached a powerful sermon at Broadway Methodist Church, Friday evening on "Remember Lot's wife."
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Mrs. Gehlert, of Home Avenue, has moved to the residence lately occupied by Mr. Fenc0mn, on Home Avenue.
John Shreve, formerly of the West Side, and an old settler here, died lately at the residence of his daughters, Mrs. E. Taylor, in the northern part of this state.
Mrs. Delilah McNutt, of West Sonora, the mother of Mrs. Lucin­ de Ellis and Mrs. J. McChure, died at her home, Tuesday afternoon, having reached the good old age of 84 years. Relatives from Day­ ton attended the funeral Thursday.
Bishop Wright, Revs. G. A. Funkhouser, W. A. Drury, D. H. Miller, Wm. Dillon, and Mr. Lovell Wright, of the West Side, are attend­ ing a trial in the great U. S. Church litigation, at Van Wert, Ohio.
Mrs. Stella Rich, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Mills, of South Williams street, returned to her home in Ham­ ilton.
Mr. Will Earnshaw, book-keeper at the Malleable Iron Works, who for some time has been dis­ tinguished by the aid of the West Side, is now able to assume his position.

Mrs. Jerimiah Rowe, of Fifth street, died at her residence this morning between eight and nine o'clock. Her remains were immediately removed to the old homestead on the corner of Fourth and Williams streets.

The purchase of the property known as the Biteman property 80 feet by 150 feet, on Sixth street, was made by the railroad company yesterday morning for the sum of $18,000. This property has been purchased preparatory to the construc­tion of the elevated tracks.

A little colored boy employed by Mr. Johnson of West Third street, was seriously injured the first of the week, by being kicked by a horse which he was riding. He was taken to Dr. Francis' office and his injuries attended to.

Having quit the plumber business, and wishing to clear out my stock of tools, clothing, gloves, neckwear, guns, and revolvers, to make room for another kind of goods I will sell any of those at prices far below their actual value. R. D. Cotterill 12 East Fifth street.

Friday afternoon, about two o'clock, just after the usual ceremony had been performed between a young man from Belle­ fontaine and a young lady who resides on the corner of Water and Summit streets, Officer Shafer appeared with a warrant sworn out by another young lady employed at the house, and placed the girl under arrest. The warrant was sworn out on the charge of petit larceny, her young lady lover having stolen some clothes which had been stored in the barn, expected the young bride to the theft. But before the young couple had been placed in the station-house, the young lady by whom the warrant was sworn out, withdrew the charge and the young bride was released.

CITY NEWS.

Henry Bash, who was injured on the Northern Pacific railroad, received damages to the amount of $40,000 last week in a jury trial.

Saturday evening two freight trains passed each other at the Fifth street crossing, coming together like the blades of a pair of scissors, with the object of obstructing the country road to start across the railway ahead of the first locomotive, not seeing the train that was approaching in the opposite direction. He was frightened and confused, and in trying to avoid the locomotive going west he would have run over by the east train, but not a brakeman.
jumped from a car and pulled him away and held him till the train passed.

Saturday evening Officer McBride experienced some difficulty with a street peddler, who insisted on placing his stand at the north east corner of Main and Fourth streets. Officer McBride kindly requested him to move. The fellow refused, thereupon the officer upturned his boxes and marched him to police headquarters. Here he talked fluenty on the injustice of state and city laws on the poor man. He was void of reason, and finally Captain Zwiesler took away his license and advised him to go where the laws better suited his taste.

Another Victim

Of The Car Wheels. Elmer J. Goss
Killed at the Wayne Street Crossing;
His Body Torefully Mangled by a Moving Car.

Friday afternoon, shortly after twelve o'clock, Elmer J. Goss, a brakeman, was instantly killed by being run over by the cars at the Wayne street crossing. It appears that Goss had jumped off the switch engine and turned the switch, and in attempting to board it again, lost his footing and fell headfirst under the wheels. It is very probable that he had grasped the brake wheel in boarding and that turning with him he lost his hold, falling as previously stated, under the wheels. Two heavily loaded coal cars passed over his body horribly mutilating it, and leaving pools of clotted blood and bits of hair, scattered here and there. The remains were removed to Meyer's Undertaking establishment, on Wayne Ave.

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"Ticket, sir?"
"Yes. Is she on time?"
"Yes."
"Going right to Cincinnati?"
"Yes. Ticket, if you please.
"I had a ticket, but — Say, how's wheat looking along the line?"
"Give me your ticket."
"Wonder where I put it! Been such rain between here and Hamilton this month! A fellow was telling me yesterday that he never"
"I'm in a great hurry, sir," exclaimed the conductor.
"Yes! I haven't got any hay out at the other end of the line, have you? you got once last week and me' Bill had to work like a sailor to beat a thunder-storm."
"Have you got a ticket?"
"Of course."
"Then hand it over at once! I can't fool away my time here!"
"Shoo! Wall here's the ticket, and I want a receipt for it. Fellow in such a hurry as you are might die suddenly. Lands! but what a hired man you'd make for a week or two! Never had one who was in a hurry. Say, if you —

But the conductor was gone, and he turned to us with a look of disgust on his face, and continued:
"That's the way with these monopolies. They not only want all your money, but they won't even decent after they get it. Reckon I'll drop in on the boss of the road when I get to town and let him know that such conduct don't go down with a free-born American." — A. V. S.

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