

HOW BAR-ROOM LIQUORS ARE MADE.—There may be seen daily on Chestnut Street, a man clad in faultless apparel, with a great diamond upon his breast, vainly endeavoring to outglitter the magnificent solitaire on his finger. In a German University he learned chemistry, and not even Liebig knows it better. His occupation is the mixing and adulteration of liquors. Give him a dozen casks of deodorized alcohol, and the next day each of them will present the name of a genuine wine or popular spirit. He enters a wholesale drug store bearing a large basket upon his arm. Five pounds of Iceland moss are first weighed out to him. To raw liquor this imparts a degree of smoothness and oleaginousness that gives to imitation brandy the glossiness of that which is most matured. An astringent called catechu, that would almost close the mouth of a glass inkstand, is next in order. A couple of ounces of strychnine, next called for, are quickly conveyed to the vest pocket, and a pound of white vitriol is as silently placed in the bottom of the basket. The oil of cognac, the sulphuric acid, and other articles that give fire and body to the liquid poison, are always kept in store. The mixer buys these things in various quarters. They are staples of the art.—*Philadelphia Bull-tin.*

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT NOTTINGHAM.—On Saturday morning a fire occurred at Nottingham, resulting in the total destruction of a hosiery factory belonging to Mr. Samuel Morley, M. P. The factory employs hundreds of people, including many who take out work to their homes. In fact, Mr. Morley is the largest hosiery employer in the town. It appears that the watchman had been his rounds on Friday night, and considered all safe, but at half-past two on Saturday morning the centre of the factory was discovered to be in flames. In spite of the efforts of the fire brigade, the fire was not extinguished until the building was rendered a complete wreck. The damage done cannot be less than £100,000. Mr. Morley is insured in the Alliance, London, Liverpool, and Globe, Norwich, Union, Scottish Provincial, and Sun offices.—*Birmingham Morning News, Aug. 24.*

HORRIBLE IF TRUE.—The Lebanon (Pa.) News contains the following startling information: "We are credibly informed by a gentleman that the family of Mr. Isaac Wagner, a well-known distiller of whisky in East Hanover district, this county, some few years ago, returned home from near Springfield, Ohio, about three weeks since. In a conversation he had with them yesterday they stated that after going from this county they went on a farm purchased by Mr. Wagner, within six miles of Springfield. The cause for their return is, as they stated, because Mr. Wagner was to be hanged today for the murder of an infant child of which he was the father. Rumors of his being the father of several children by women in his employ while residing here, were prevalent at the time, but their disappearance was never accounted for. Since his residence in the west he is alleged to have been guilty of the same thing, and his last attempt at destroying the life of an infant was detected by his sons who brought him to justice. The excitement incident to the occasion brought out an alleged attempt at lynching him, which was avoided by his confessing to having destroyed the lives of eleven illegitimate children, of which he was the father at various times. Upon this confession he was sentenced to be hung, and the day of his execution is to-day. These are the facts as they have been given to us, and we publish them for what they are worth."

A LION'S CAGE ON FIRE.—Just before the performance came off at the circus at Pulaski, Friday night, an unfortunate accident occurred. While one of the employees was engaged in holding a lamp, it slipped from his hand, falling upon the projection to the lion's cage, breaking it and igniting the combustible liquid. The oil ran into the cage, a stream of flame, causing the animals to retire before it and to crouch at the other side. At this juncture another employe thoughtlessly went inside the cage, with a view

to its extinguishment. At the very moment he put his head and shoulders through the door the beast raised himself upon his haunches, gave a fearful roar and sprang upon the unfortunate man just as he had got fairly on the inside, tearing the flesh from his face, flesh from his breast, and flesh from his arm, so horribly lacerating him that but little hope is entertained of his recovery. He was nothing in the grip of the lion, which would have killed him in a few moments more had not the master of the beast interposed with whip in hand and made the animal stand at bay. The lion was considered the tamest of the kind known to circus men. Having been greatly roused by the fire, he was, however, ready to attack anything that came in his way. To add to this, the employe was not known to the lion, and needlessly endangered his life by the intrusion, though it was for the unappreciative animal's benefit.—*Nashville Banner.*

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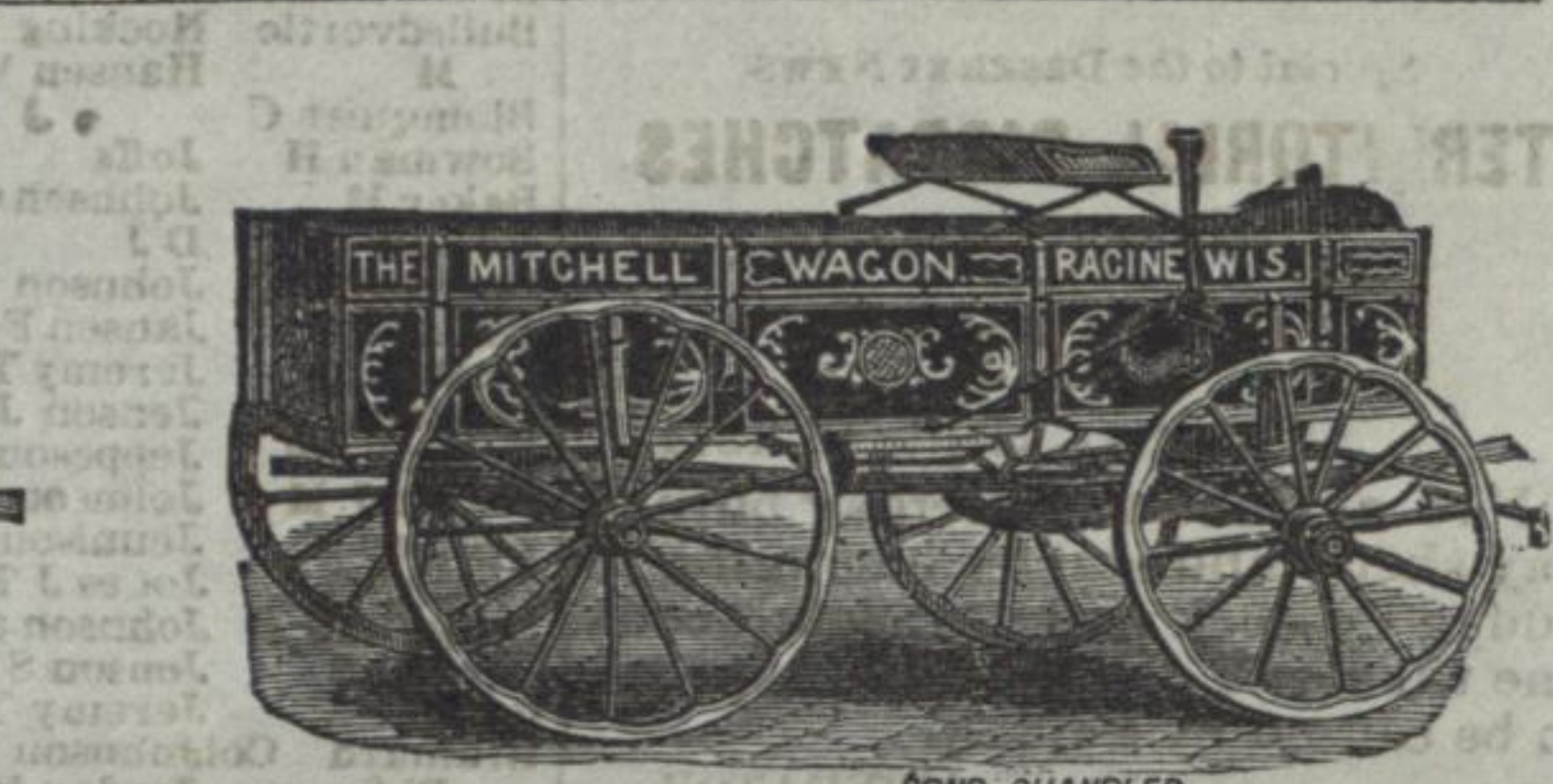
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