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The Democratic banner. (Mt. Vernon, Ohio) 1898-192?

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THE DEMOCRATIC BANNER

The Banner. MOUNT VERNON, OHIO

SEMI - WEEKLY

No. 5 MONUMENT SQUARE

FRANK HARPER, Editor.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, O., postoffice as second class mail matter.

Resolutions of Respect, Obituaries and Cards of Thanks, five cents per line.

Subscription Rate—\$1.50 per year, strictly in advance.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Saturday's games in the Sunday school base ball league were decided by forfeiture due to the non-appearance of opponents.

The results had a direct bearing on the standing in that the leaders were tied up as also were third and fourth places.

In the failure of the Methodist team's appearance Christians played a practice game with the Colored Giants, winning 10-6 in 7 innings.

As the Presbyterians were short two men they also had to forfeit. In order to give the M. Protestants practice the Presbyterians filled in with outside men and formed a team. This game the M. P. men won easily 11-2 in 5 innings.

It is hoped that all teams will be present next Saturday with full line ups. Some good games would result if all teams could present as strong a line up as those on the field last Saturday.

The Boy Scouts are getting ready for their annual camp which comes this year from August 17 to 27 inclusive.

A fine program of camp activities is being prepared and a good proportion of the troop have signified their intentions of going. More later.

UNCLAIMED MAIL

To avoid delay in delivery have your mail addressed to street and number, P. O. box or general delivery. The following letters remain unclaimed in the Mt. Vernon postoffice:

Bayless, Miss Marie E.
Castello, Mrs. Madge,
Craft, Miss Georgiana,
Doty, Robert.

11 INNINGS NECESSARY

To Win From Hogan's Runts Sunday

Popejoy Scoring On Maison's Timely Hit

Porter Star Of Spectacular Fielding Play

Grabbing Fly Over Shoulder And Saving Game

A Pitchers' Battle Demonstrated Superiority Of Bowden

In an eleven-inning pitchers' battle, with Bowden having a shade the better of the argument, Mt. Vernon shut out the Hogan's Runts team of Marion Sunday by a score of 1 to 0, Leo Maison's single in the eleventh scoring Popejoy from second and winning what was by far the most exciting and sensational game seen on a local diamond for several years.

Porter, in the visitor's half of the tenth, pulled off a fielding stunt that sent the crowd up on its feet and probably saved the game for Mt. Vernon. Two were down, O'Donnell was on third and Lattimore on first. Schrock came up, took several swipes and finally landed on one in the direction of right field. A score seemed inevitable. Porter was racing toward field as soon as the ball started, however, and when the ball descended, he caught it, his back having been towards it during its entire flight. It was highly unusual and brought forth

12; hit by pitcher, Beam, O'Donnell, Maison, Maxwell; first on balls off Bowden, 9, off Schrock 4; left on bases Mt. Vernon, 9, Hogan's Runts 7; wild pitches, Bowden 1; stolen bases, O'Donnell.

Time of game—Two hours.
Umpire—Taylor.

MAMBOURG

May Head A Force To Fight For Belgium

Former Mt. Vernon Man To Go To War

Dispatches to the morning papers state that Leopold Mambourg of Pleasantville, Ohio, formerly of Mt. Vernon, will recruit an army of 1,200 Belgians in Ohio and will return to Belgium to fight for their country. Mr. Mambourg was born within walking distance of the battlefield of Waterloo, and served three years in the army of King Leopold. Mr. Mambourg lived for many years within 85 miles of Liege, the scene of the present conflict.

Late War Bulletins

NUMEROUS SKIRMISHES

Paris, Aug. 10.—A statement issued by the war department says there are numerous skirmishes along entire front. French army fighting violently. Losses on both sides heavy. Patrols of French army in Belgium covered hilly region of Eifel in Rhenish Prussia, on left bank of Rhine had skirmishes with Germans along Ourthe river, east of Neuf Chateau. Germans fell back to Tongres. Many German prisoners taken. Military officials believe first decisive battle will be fought Alsace at Breisch on the Rhine. Reported that French army that occupied Aitkirk and Neulhausen have also taken Colmar.

GERMANY STILL MOBILIZING

London, Aug. 10.—A dispatch says Germany is mobilizing another 1,500,

CURRENCY LAWS MEETING A TEST

Crisis Arising Out of European Situation Has Effect Here.

MANY BANKNOTES ISSUED.

Treasury Department Quick to Prevent Shortage of Funds in This Country. Banknotes Will Aid South and West in Moving Record Breaking Crops. Aid From Government.

Washington.—The first real test of the effectiveness of the new currency laws of the United States is now under way. Contingencies arising out of the European struggle made necessary the issuing of more certificates for use in this country.

Officials of the treasury department and leading bankers from all parts of the country were quick to foresee what might happen and take steps to prevent a shortage of funds to carry on American business and industry.

Accordingly, for the first time congress authorized the issuing of \$500,000,000 in currency under the terms of the Aldrich-Vreeland currency law. Part of this money was made immediately available for use throughout



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