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VOLUME IV.

ESTABLISHED 1881.

L. HARPER, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

MT. VERNON'S LEADING

Real Estate Agent

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

No. 428, Dwelling, West Chestnut street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Corner lot, 3 blocks from Main street. Price \$1000.

No. 425, Brick House, Gambier Avenue, 5 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1800.

No. 424, Cottage, Sunkin St., 2 rooms, corner on street, recently remodeled, large front yard. Price only \$1400.

No. 423, House, West Chester street, 2 story frame, recently painted, papered and other improvements. A cozy home. Price \$1000.

No. 422, House, East Front street, 13 story frame, 7 rooms. Price \$850 cash.

No. 421, House, West Front street, near Bridge Works, 4 room frame. Price \$750.

No. 420, Dwelling, Rogers street, 2 story frame, 7 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 419, House, West Chester street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 418, House, West Chester street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 417, House and Site Lots, on Gambier Avenue, 8 room cottage, furnace, etc. Large stable, good stock, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 416, Dwelling, North Main street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 415, Dwelling, North Main street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 414, Dwelling, North Main street, 2 story frame, 8 rooms, stable, etc. Price \$1000.

No. 413, Double Dwelling, East Front street, 4 room frame, 2 story, near Bridge Works, convenient to Car Shop, nearly new, 10 rooms, choice property. Big bargain offered. Price \$2000 on long term.

No. 412, House and Two Lots, North Main street, Price \$1250.

No. 411, House and Two Lots, North Main street, Price \$1250.

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FACTS!

ABOUT THE

Equitable Life Assurance Society

of New York,

Which is to-day and for several years

been the foremost organization for the as-

suming of lives in the world.

It is the Largest,

Having a larger amount of assurance

in force than any other company—

Assurance in force January, \$7,500,000,

473.

It is the Most Popular and Most

Prosperous,

Doing annually a larger new business

than any other company. New busi-

ness written in 1890, \$305,326,107.

It is the Strongest and Safest,

Holding, as it does, a larger surplus

and assets than any other company—

financial strength in any other com-

pany extant. Surplus, \$25,740,497.

Its Policies Combine More Ad-

vantage,

Being free from all Restrictions, In-

contestable and Non-forfeitable, and

Simple Promise to Pay and Payable

immediately on death. Insured on Proof

of Death, instead of withholding set-

tlement for 60 days or longer, as the

case with many companies.

It Provides Absolute Protection

and a Safe Investment.

Under the Free Tontine form of con-

tract devised and operated by the

Equitable, if you die the full face of

all premiums is paid, and you leave

the expiration for which you insure,

you have accumulated a handsome

sum which you have had a safe and

profitable investment.

While accumulating and holding a

large surplus, it pays Larger Dividends to Policy

Holders than Any Other

Company.

Policies that have run for 20 years

and are still in force, and which return

to the policyholder, are evidence of the

afforded protection for the whole

period, from 120 to 176 per cent. of all

premiums paid. This shows suc-

cessful management, safe invest-

ment, and a careful selection of

risks.

You want the best company and the most

advantageous and profitable policy. This

company is the best, and its policy is the

best. Full information and details furnished

upon application, why they will and

"Just fits the hand."

CAMPBELL and VICTORY!

THE BANNER

FOR THE

CAMPAIGN OF 1891.

As usual we will issue a campaign edition

of the DEMOCRATIC BANNER, at the

low price of FIFTY CENTS until after

the election of the 4th of November.

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This is a campaign of the People against

the Monopolists and Oppressors of the

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Circulate the documents. Enlighten the

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MCKINLEY AND OATMEAL.

CLEVELAND Plain Dealer.]

We have been looking in vain for an

outburst of indignation on the part of

some Republican papers in Ohio on ac-

count of the action of the oatmeal trust

in cutting wages. Perhaps they have

overlooked the dispatches giving an ac-

count of the affair. It may be well to

recall their attention to the matter and

give the facts leading up to it.

Under the tariff laws from 1872 until

the passage of the McKinley tariff, the

price of oatmeal was half a cent per

pound. The importation under this

duty during the fiscal year ending June

30, 1890, was 2,392,390 pounds.

Previous to the passage of the McK-

inley bill an attempt was made to

form an oatmeal trust in this country

and raise prices, the headquarters of

the trust being at Akron. The scheme

fell through owing largely to the im-

portation of the foreign article, which

kept prices down to the level of the

local product.

When the McKinley bill was in course

of formation the oatmeal people saw

their opportunity, and seized upon it.

The duty on oatmeal was doubled. At

1 cent a pound it was calculated that

importation would be made unprofit-

able. The result largely justified the

expectation. In the first six months

following the passage of the bill the

importations fell from 1,693,325 pounds to

385,380 pounds, considerably less than

one-fourth the former amount being

imported.

When the reports for the first three

months after the passage of the bill had

been made the organizers of the origi-

The Banner.

No 5 Kremlin, Monument Square
TELEPHONE CONNECTION.
MOUNT VERNON, O., SEPT. 3, 1901.

OFFICIAL CALL —FOR THE DEMOCRATIC County Convention.

The Democrats of Knox County, Ohio, will meet at their next calling place on **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1901**, between the hours of 5 p. m. and 7 p. m. in the different townships, and between the hours of 6 p. m. and 7 p. m. in the city of Mount Vernon, to select *Three Delegates* from each Township and *One Delegate* from each Ward to attend the Democratic County Convention for Knox County, to be held at **Woodward Opera House, in the City of Mount Vernon, O., Saturday, September 12, 1901, at 2 o'clock, P. M.**

To select one candidate for each of the following offices, to-wit:

**Representative,
Treasurer,
Prosecuting Attorney,
Recorder,
Commissioner,
Judiciary Director.**

Each Township and Ward shall select some active Democrat to serve as a Central Committee member, the names of whom shall be reported at said Convention.

LEONARD BRITTON, Chairman.
COLUMBUS EWALT, Secretary.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

—Telephone No. 105 has been placed in the residence of Dr. Colville and 111 in E. W. Bell's grocery.

—Seals will be on sale Saturday at Green's, the Gorman Mission, and there is every indication of a fair.

—Regular Sabbath services will be resumed at the Presbyterian church next Sunday by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Wilber.

—Quite a number of people joined the B. & O. excursion to Sandusky and Put-in-Bay at this station, Sunday morning.

—Arrange your business so as to attend the County Fair next week, as it will be the finest exhibition in the county.

—Last Days of Pompeii, with its beautiful scenery and mechanical effects, at the Opera House re-opening Friday night.

—The Hartford Fair takes place from Sept. 22 to 25th inclusive, and promises to be the very best held on those grounds in many years.

—Mayor McManis has issued his proclamation for the observance of Labor Day at Mount Vernon, which will be found in another column.

—The merchants and business houses of Mount Vernon are respectfully requested to close their stores next Monday, during the Labor Day parade.

—Gorman's Premier Minstrels at the Opera House Thursday evening, September 10. In the language of the street, they are "beyond the range of vision."

—One who knows "there are more female bicycle riders in Mt. Vernon at the present time, than those of the sterner sex, including boys and young men."

—Charles M. Kingsbury was arrested at Fredericktown, Monday, for receiving stolen goods in that local option town. The hearing is set for Thursday.

—Mr. J. D. Lore of Ankenytown, has been appointed special agent of the Agricultural Department, to represent the Knox County in the matter of securing exhibits.

—Joseph Van Winkle, living near Martinsburg, was arrested Tuesday night, for stealing four chickens, valued at \$2.00, from Samuel Cessna. He will have a hearing Sept. 14.

—Several cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the Board of Health, but as no precaution has been taken, no fear of the disease spreading is anticipated.

—A dozen attractive young ladies arrived at the Opera House, Monday evening, and are busy in the afternoon, in the interest of the Cleveland Baking Powder Company.

—Miss John N. Lewis has recently donated, to the Knox County Library, a valuable library of her late deceased husband, comprising over 1,600 volumes, which will be transferred to Gamble at an early day.

—The next session of the 50th O. V. V. I. will be held at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Sept. 22, 1902. Dr. Gordon was elected Vice President and Col. L. H. Hunt permanent Secretary at the recent Fredericksburg meeting.

—Manager Coup of the Northwestern Mill and Elevator Company, having been elected to the position of Treasurer, will follow the Board of Education has issued an order postponing the opening of the schools until Monday, Sept. 14.

—The campaign list of the Buxton is growing rapidly. Single subscriptions 50 cents; in clubs of ten 40 cents; clubs of twenty 30 cents. With little effort a good-sized club can be secured in every township in the county.

—Arthur Shaffer, who operates a saloon known as the Atlantic Garden, on South Main street, was arrested by Marshal Cochran for violating the Sunday closing ordinance. The hearing will take place today before the Mayor.

—The camp-meeting at Lyon's lake, Sunday, was largely attended. The meeting will be continued over next Sunday, the preaching and services being conducted by Rev. L. W. White, the earnest and popular pastor of the A. M. E. church of this city.

—The abutments have been constructed and the fills completed for the new iron bridge at the West end of High street. The superstructure will be erected within the month. The water in the ford at this point was never known to be so low as at the present time.

—Mr. Lewis B. Houck was on Monday re-appointed on the Board of School Examiners for a period of three years, by Pro-Judge John M. O'Connell, and is the only Democrat on the Board and the only one of his valuable services is well-deserved compliment.

—Mr. J. D. Dunham, well-known in this county, where he was born and raised, has been nominated by the Democrats of Rice county, Kansas, as their candidate for Treasurer. There is no question of Mr. Dunham's integrity, and his nomination is a great honor to him.

—In pursuance of the authority invested in him Mayor McManis has appointed Col. and Mrs. L. G. Hunt as local agents of the World's Fair, to act in connection with the State Board to see that Ohio is properly represented and that Mt. Vernon and Knox County are not overlooked in the fair of exhibits at the world's great show.

—Mr. J. C. Patterson has the thanks of the Buxton for a copy of the Official Directory of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, including all the numerous branches of this great system of railways and freights, together with a vast amount of useful and interesting information. Copies can be had by application with the Buxton, or the Auditor Blocher desires the Buxton to say that Knox county is entitled to a free scholarship in the State University at Athens. Any young man, who is desirous of receiving a college education, and who is a native of Knox county, should apply at once to the Buxton, and secure the scholarship that will admit him to the University.

—A great deal of anxiety has been manifested, during the past week, concerning the physical condition of Dr. J. W. McMillan, who is confined to his home in Columbus by an attack in his most aggravated form of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Owing to his strong constitution he has rallied several times, but his death, it is believed, is only a question of a few days.

—William H. Blair, aged about 54 years, died at his residence a short distance north of Mt. Vernon on the Western road last Thursday evening of pneumonia. He was a native of Brown township and a faithful soldier during the war of the rebellion. He was survived by four children, three sons and one daughter. The funeral occurred Saturday at the First Baptist Church, Rev. J. H. Hamilton officiating.

WEDDING BELLS.

Marriage of Mr. P. D'Arcy and Miss Fannie Taugher.

"Happy is the bride whom the sun shines on," was fully verified Wednesday morning, when Miss Fannie Taugher, one of Mt. Vernon's most popular and lovely young ladies, was led to the altar by Mr. P. D'Arcy, a prominent and successful young business man of Tiffin.

The ceremony occurred at St. Vincent de Paul's church at 9 o'clock, and the vast auditorium was filled to its utmost seating capacity, long before the hour arrived, by a large and elegant audience. Messrs. Frank Mead and Charles Dermody acted as ushers in the difficult task of assisting the spectators to their seats.

The wedding party arrived promptly on time and as they entered the vestibule doors of St. Vincent de Paul's church, the organist, Mrs. J. B. Beardslee, rendered the Wedding March from Lohengrin, assisted by the orchestra.

The bride and groom were preceded by their attendants, Miss Kate Mead of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. Thomas E. Taugher, a brother of the bride.

Miss Taugher was beautifully attired in a white costume of *fille Francaise*, entrain with full brim veil and corsage bouffant of white roses. The groom wore a fashionable Prince Albert suit.

The bride and groom were met at the altar by Rev. L. W. McMillan, who read the solemn service that made them man and wife. High mass was then celebrated, the excellent choir rendering Lambillotti's Pentecost mass, with orchestral accompaniment. After the benediction was pronounced, Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy, accompanied by their attendants, were driven to the bride's home, 105 East Hamtramck street, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served. A reception followed from 10 o'clock until 2, when a large number of friends called to extend their congratulations.

In a room set apart for the purpose was a large collection of costly, as well as useful wedding presents that had been bestowed upon the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy left via the B. & O. railroad at 7:14 p. m. for Washington, New York and other eastern cities and will be "at home" in Tiffin after the middle of the month.

Among those in attendance from the distance were Miss Della McCormack, Springfield, O.; Miss Kate Smith, Miss Fannie Smith, Miss McKenna, and Mrs. Richard and Kear of Newark; Mrs. Oscar Stanton, Portsmouth, O.; Mr. Richard Burns, Hillsboro; Miss Christina Pennington, Nashville, Tenn.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

Col. James Headington's Sudden Affliction at His Home Near Centerville.

Col. James Headington, the popular auctioneer and one of the most widely known citizens of Knox county, while sitting on a porch at his residence near Centerville, Tuesday evening, was suddenly stricken with paralysis. His entire right side affected and he was rendered speechless. Medical aid was at once summoned and the customary restoratives applied.

Yesterday he had recovered consciousness and was able to speak, but symptoms of improvement, there is still hope for his recovery.

Col. Headington is about 75 years of age, but possessed of a vigorous constitution, that he had no idea of being stricken with the paralytic stroke.

The Buxton joins with the gentlemen's hosts of friends in hoping for his speedy and complete restoration to health.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Miss Maria O'Connell is visiting her brother at Urbana.

Mrs. J. L. Judson, of Newark, spent Sunday with Mr. Vernon friends.

Mr. Ed. O. Arnold is doing Chicago this week, and will be back at the Knox County Agricultural Society on Friday.

Mrs. Nelson Boye presented her husband with twin girl babies last Thursday.

Miss May E. Weaver left Wednesday for Zanesville on a short visit to relatives.

Miss Mary B. Buehler returned from a visit with friends at Detroit and Cleveland.

Miss Mary Buehler has returned from a pleasant summer visit with Lancaster friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Dean arrived Friday from a trip to Thousand Island Park.

Miss Maud Fulton of Newark was the guest of Miss Bettie Adams several days last week.

Miss Carita Curtis has returned from a pleasant visit with Miss Marsh at Turkey Lake, Ind.

Mr. O. G. King, Jr., of Newark, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. Vernon friends.

Mr. Edgar C. Smith returned from a visit with friends at Detroit and Cleveland.

Mrs. Ed. Thomas of Newark was the guest of her father, Dr. T. E. Clark several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mitchell are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. C. Wheeler and wife of Columbus.

Mrs. P. H. Updegraff and daughter Mary are expected home today from their summer vacation at the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Quaid have returned from a month's sojourn in Chicago and the Eastern cities.

Dr. and Mrs. Israel Green were called to St. Charles by the death of Mrs. Green's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Horner leave for some time.

Mr. L. E. Disney, of Marion, Kansas, has been visiting friends in this city during the past week.

Rev. Sydney Strong of the Congregational church is expected home from his European tour.

Miss Emma Stehle, of Columbus, is the guest of Miss Blanche Roberts, 433 North Sandusky street.

Mr. Ed. George of Chicago is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. George of South Gay street.

Mrs. Thomas Sargent, of Columbus, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Trickett, of Plimpton avenue.

Mr. Mark J. Strong of Chicago has been the guest of his sisters, Mrs. Oglevie and Mrs. Boppe of Gambier street.

Misses Besse Lucas and Annie Wilcox have returned to Columbus after a pleasant visit with Miss Jane White.

Mr. Porter B. Randall and wife of Minneapolis, accompanied by their two children, are the guests of Mr. Vernon friends.

Mrs. Dr. Lore, formerly Miss Hallie Politz, of Olean, Ohio, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Ewalt of Gambier street.

Miss Mattie Eastman, of North Gay street, gave a pleasant party Friday evening in honor of her friend, Miss Elliott of Columbus.

Mr. A. C. Cable, of Covington, Ohio, Grand Master I. O. O. F., was in town Tuesday on his way to Independence to dedicate a new lodge room.

Rev. Wm. McDermott, of Danville, passed through the city Tuesday, en route to Chicago to attend an alumni meeting with his old college friends.

Mr. W. R. Pomeroy, a prominent young Democrat of Colchester, spent several days in town this week in the interest of the Washington Valley Railroad.

Mr. Pomeroy, who is a native of the C. & A. C. road, departed yesterday for a month's outing in the west and will go as far as the Yellow Stone Park, to attend to the duties of the passenger agents of the country.

Handsome invitations have just come for the wedding of Miss Stella Sapp and Mr. W. H. Fisher, two popular young society people, which will occur Wednesday evening, the 10th inst., 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sapp, 404 North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper leave Thursday on their annual outing, stopping at Chicago, Council Bluffs and Denver. At the latter point Mrs. C. will remain to visit friends, while J. will be joined by Harry Watkins and they will proceed to the Rocky Mountains to hunt for bear and other big game.

Among those who left yesterday via the B. & O. for Zanesville to attend the Mercantile Association's excursion were Messrs. Baker, E. Miller, James Derkin, W. E. McCormick, Jas. Beck, L. P. Bishop, Chas. Osborne, Harry Miller, A. L. Sharp, C. Mitchell, J. W. Vall, B. S. Salas, and George W. C. Mills, Wm. Tudor, Wm. McKane, Laura Lebaugh, A. A. Kinder, B. N. Ferguson and Max Meyer.

GRAND PREPARATIONS FOR LABOR DAY.

First Celebration of the Event at Mt. Vernon.

Every Lending Industry Will Participate in the Parade.

And the Merchants' Display Will be the Finest Ever Witnessed in the City—Program of the Day and the Line of March.

The first celebration of Labor Day at Mt. Vernon is an assured success. From present indications the demonstration will be on a scale of magnitude and grandeur never before witnessed in this city.

The various committees have been busily at work and holding meetings almost nightly to further the arrangements and to interest the public to the extent that, every body is talking about the event and anxiously awaiting the coming of next Monday, which has been officially proclaimed Labor Day by act of the Legislature.

The movement for its celebration originated with the Mechanics' Union of Mt. Vernon and all other branches of labor have heartily joined in lending their assistance to the celebration.

The co-operation of the merchants and business men of the city was secured, and this feature of the parade will be of exciting interest. Nearly every branch of trade and business will be represented on moving floats. The tradesmen will publicly play their various wares, while merchants will vie with each other in the attractiveness of their displays.

Both railroad companies announced excursion rates to Mt. Vernon on the occasion and visitors will be from all the surrounding territory.

PROGRAM OF THE DAY.

Grand Band Concert at 9 a. m. by all the bands on the Public Square.

At 10 o'clock the grand march of the Grand Band of Stevenson and the following assistants: George J. Ingram and William J. Ingram.

Promptly at ten o'clock the procession will move in the following order:

Mounted Police.

Band.

International Association of Machinists, Iron Molders Union.

Band.

C. A. & C. Shop Association.

Mt. Vernon Iron Works Mutual Benefit Association.

United Order American Mechanics.

Band.

Mt. Vernon Paper Employes.

Machinists Apprentices Society.

Cooper-Roberts Lumber Foundry Employes.

Other Labor Organizations on Foot.

Trades Organizations.

To form on Mulberry street resting on Gambier.

Merchants and Business Men's Display Will form on Mechanic street.

All other Vehicles, Floats, etc., on Sandusky street, right resting on Gambier.

LAST DAYS OF POMPEII.

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POLITICAL POINTS.

Anxious Candidates for the Republican Nominations Next Saturday.

The Republican primaries were held last Saturday to select delegates to the County Convention to be held in the Lincoln Club rooms next Saturday afternoon.

The candidates for the offices of Auditor, Recorder, Treasurer, and the offices of the Board of Education, were as follows:

For Auditor: Frank W. Owen, (author of the Owen liquor law, and W. L. Carey, Jr., a recently fledgling barrister whose pin-fathers are scarcely dry yet.

Billy McElroy, whose brilliant administration in that office is drawing to a close, caused an interview to be published in the Republican a few months ago, stating that owing to his rapidly increasing private practice he would be unable to devote the necessary time to looking after the criminal business of the county, thus leaving the field open to the legal luminaries enumerated above.

Wisconsin Willie, however, aspires to be a statesman, and was a toger in the Ohio House of Representatives. To show the people, disinterested patriotism of this "blue eyed boy of destiny," it is only necessary to await the coming of next Monday, when the election as Prosecuting Attorney with its \$300 salary and perquisites, for the exceedingly dubious prospect of being chosen a legislator, with a similar compensation of \$800, which about covers the cost of living at Columbus!

Billy is a great success as a straddler, however, and has already pledged himself to the Sherman and Foraker factions in his party.

David Ewing says he has a lead-pipe cinch on the nomination for Prosecuting Attorney; while Frank Owen is reported to have declared that if he don't down Dave, he will not stand for anything.

Young Carey don't cut any water-gate in either of their calculations. Leander Lewis is beginning to tremble with anxiety as the word reaches his ears that "that country-keeper, Dave," as he calls him, has secured some eight or ten townships, and may after all walk off with the nomination for Treasurer.

