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THE DAILY BANNER.

FOUNDED 1836.

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1905

PRICE TWO CENTS

THE PEACE CONFERENCE ADJOURNED TILL SATURDAY

Protocols Signed And Czar's Reply Is Awaited

Officials At St. Petersburg Declare Emphatically Russia Will Never Consent To Pay An Indemnity To The Japanese

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 24.—An adjournment until Saturday was taken by the peace envoys after the protocols, involving agreement upon eight of the 12 conditions originally presented by Japan had been signed. Just before adjournment of the conference, Baron Komura explained that Japan in her great desire for peace was ready to make certain "modifications" of the original articles in the hope that Russia would find it possible to accept them. He then presented in writing to M. Witte the compromise proposition which President Roosevelt had suggested. It offered to withdraw article 9, providing for the payment by Russia of Japan's bill for the cost of the war, on condition that Russia would accept article 5, which provides for the cession of the island of Sakhalin, so modified as to include an arrangement for the repurchase by Russia of the northern half of the island for 1,200,000,000 yen. In addition, it offered to withdraw entirely articles 11 and 12 (surrender of the interned warships and limitation upon Russia's sea power in the far east).

Without a moment's hesitation M. Witte explained that the modification proposed was merely a sham, a change of phraseology, a diplomatic attempt to ask Russia to pay war tribute under another name. He could not accept it. He told Baron Komura Russia wanted peace. She had given the proofs in accepting every article involving the issues upon which the war was fought, but she could fight, and money for tribute she would not pay, not a kopeck. He asked Baron Komura to withdraw all demands for tribute. And so the plenipotentiaries separated to meet again Saturday, ostensibly to permit M. Witte to place in writing, as the rules of the conference require, his reply to the Japanese compromise. In reality the adjournment over the two days was to give each side an opportunity to consult its government for the last time.

The outlook is black. The possible line of further Japanese concession is considered to lie in the diminution of the amount of the purchase money demanded for the north half of Sakhalin. The decision rests, therefore, as it has from the first, with Russia. Unless the emperor agrees to yield between now and Saturday, the end is likely to come on that day. And the indications from Peterhof, instead of raising the chances of a change of heart on the part of the emperor, seem to indicate even a firmer determination to yield

neither territory nor indemnity, sugar-coated though the latter may be.

Will Not Pay Indemnity.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—It can be declared again, and with increased emphasis, that Russia will never consent to the payment of an indemnity to Japan. Such payment would so gravely menace the vital interests of the state as to make this article in the Japanese terms utterly impossible of acceptance. Furthermore, there is authority for the declaration that if Japan withdrew her indemnity demand, peace would practically be assured, as the Russian attitude on the other three points, including the cession of Sakhalin, does not preclude the possibility of reaching a satisfactory settlement on these points. Indemnity is the crux of the whole matter. If this question can be arranged, it is believed here that all other questions on which there has been any divergence of opinion will practically settle themselves.

Meyer Sees the Czar.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Mr. Meyer, the American ambassador, had an audience with the emperor at Peterhof which lasted three hours. Presumably the matter of peace was discussed at length, but nothing can be ascertained at present regarding what actually took place, as the embassy declines to give out any statement.

Work of Lightning.
Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 24.—An electrical storm of remarkable severity, accompanied by high wind, visited this city. One young man, named James McDaniell, 18, was killed by lightning near the center of the city; the Kimball House and the state capitol were each struck twice by lightning, but no serious damage was caused to either building. Fully 1,000 telephones are reported burned out, a score of electric streetcars were burned out, windows were blown in, awnings carried away and numerous cellars were flooded. Seven-tenths of an inch of rain fell in 10 minutes. The damage will amount to several thousand dollars.

Farewell to Bryan.
Chicago, Aug. 24.—Arrangements have been made by the Jefferson club for a farewell banquet here Sept. 15 to William J. Bryan previous to his departure for an extended tour around the world. Besides Mr. Bryan, Governor Douglas of Massachusetts, ex-Governor Hogg of Texas and ex-Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota have been invited to take part in the program.

SECRETARY WILSON'S PLAN PRONOUNCED A FAILURE

Portland, Ore., Aug. 24.—That the plan of holding the deliberations of the national irrigation congress in sections, initiated at the instance of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, is a failure, seems to be the consensus of opinion among the delegates to the congress, which is now in session in Portland, and in this view some of the government officials who have come here to address the sections coincide. Notwithstanding that there are in Portland about 1,200 accredited delegates to the congress, not more than 50 or 75 have attended the sectional meetings. The work of the congress is being done by the resolutions committee, and the only interest it has excited since the general assembly on the opening day is over the arguments which have taken place during its meetings.

Suspect Held in Mize Case.
Chicago, Aug. 24.—The police made a number of arrests in connection with the murder of Mrs. Effie Mize, who was shot by a robber, but all of them were released with the exception of William Bracey, a colored man.

Bracey has been a waiter at the Holland hotel, and was positively identified by Nora O'Hara and Nellie Curran, two maids employed in the Del Prado hotel, as a man they saw following Mrs. Mize and Mrs. Wilson, her companion, a short time before the shooting. Both girls had worked in hotels with Bracey and knew him well. Mrs. Wilson at first declared that the murder was committed by a white man, but when confronted with Bracey admitted that he might be the man. Bracey, although a colored man, is of a light yellow shade. Bracey admits walking on Washington avenue a short time before Mrs. Mize was shot, but says he was not in the neighborhood when the crime was committed.

Calhoun at Caracas.
Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 24.—W. J. Calhoun, who President Roosevelt appointed special commissioner to look into the relations between Venezuela and the United States, is actively pursuing his investigations in the conduct of which the government is affording him every facility. He will probably remain here two months.

ACTIVE

The Revolutionists Are In St. Petersburg

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—The situation in the Baltic provinces is not improving. Several political murders have been reported. Official advices show that the disturbances are fostered and directed by a thoroughly organized Social revolutionary committee with headquarters at Riga, the emissaries of which defy the best efforts of the police. The intelligence department of this committee supplies ample warning of movements of troops. Four of the leaders were arrested recently, one of whom was a woman. The Social revolutionaries are very strong at Riga, Reval and Libau.

Captain of Vessel Held.
New York, Aug. 24.—Captain Silvio Cosulich of the steamer Erny, which arrived from Trieste, was arrested by a United States marshal and held under bail on the charge of not having provided sufficient tables and chairs for 200 steerage passengers. Three other commanders are under bonds on similar charges. The arrests followed the investigation by the department of commerce and labor and the treasury department of complaints that proper accommodations for immigrants were not provided by several ocean lines.

Catholic National Union.
Albany, N. Y., Aug. 24.—At the annual convention of the Catholic Young Men's National Union, which closed here, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Walter J. Shanley, Hartford, Conn.; first vice president, Rev. Thomas J. Leonard, Brooklyn, N. Y.; second vice president, John J. Brady, Albany; secretary-treasurer, James H. Fitzgerald, Mechanics Valley, Pa. New York city was chosen as the meeting place for the convention of 1906.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MAKES APPEAL FOR PEACE

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 24.—President Roosevelt's final effort to induce a cessation of hostilities in the far east is almost dramatic in its extraordinary interest. Through George Von L. Meyer, the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, he has made a direct appeal to Emperor Nicholas to permit the adoption of such measures in the pending peace conference as will terminate the war. As a result of the president's instructions Ambassador Meyer had a special audience with Emperor Nicholas at Peterhof palace. What conclusions were reached at that conference is not known here, as no intimation has been given of the receipt by the president of Ambassador Meyer's cable report. The report received from Assistant Secretary of State Peirce at Portsmouth that the peace plenipotentiaries had adjourned their sittings until next Saturday was a source of satisfaction. It is a distinct assurance that efforts are being made with increasing prospect of ultimate success to compromise on the crucial points of difference among the conferees.

Thus far the president has gained his points, one after another. It was due to his efforts that the conference did not break up finally last week, and his further important suggestions prevented a final dissolution of the conference Monday. Now he has carried his appeal for peace straight to the Russian emperor, an appeal, too, which can be said to have the positive support of the great neutral powers. It is stated that Japan has proposed to Russia that the question of indemnity for war expenditures be waived, practically, and that Russia agree to purchase a portion of the island of Sakhalin for \$600,000,000. It is believed that one part of the proposition submitted to Baron Rosen by the president was that Russia should purchase the island of Sakhalin, possession of the island of Sakhalin, either in part or as a whole, and that if the conferees were unable to agree upon a price to be paid for it, the amount be left to the determination of an impartial tribunal. Final decision of the proposition made by Japan through Baron Komura will rest with Emperor Nicholas. Even should it be rejected, it is almost certain now that it will be succeeded by other propositions looking to an ultimate agreement of the plenipotentiaries.

MERCHANTS
In the Canal Zone Air Grievances.
Redress Sought.
Panama, Aug. 24.—A permanent

JONES DAY

To Be Observed In Honor Of The Admiral

Washington, Aug. 24.—Secretary Bonaparte and Admiral Sands, superintendent of the naval academy, at a conference determined upon April 24, 1906, as the date for the celebration in honor of Admiral John Paul Jones. This date is the anniversary of the capture of the British man-of-war Drake by Captain Jones. It is expected that a French squadron will be at Annapolis at that time. There was a desire to fix an earlier date, but it was found impossible to complete arrangements.

Rojestvensky to Return.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Vice Admiral Rojestvensky, in a letter to his family, says he expects to have fully recovered from the wounds he received in the battle of the Sea of Japan by the middle of September, with permission of the Japanese government he will start for Russia.

CUT TO THE QUICK.

Fire at Orrville, Cal., destroyed property of the value of \$150,000.
Louis Magley, well known caterer of Columbus, O., died of heart disease after a long illness.

William A. Russell, the new United States minister to Venezuela, presented his credentials to President Castro, by whom he was cordially received.
Fifteen stables and five blooded horses were burned at the Butler (Pa.) fair grounds. The horses were the property of De Marest of Kingston, New York.

W. D. Archfield, cashier of the defunct West Liberty bank at West Liberty, Morgan county, Pa., was arrested on a charge of embezzlement connected with the failure of the bank.

committee of three has been appointed by the merchants here to seek a modification of the arrangement establishing commissariats in the canal zone. This committee will present to Governor Magoon a statement showing the losses merchants are likely to suffer, and will endeavor to obtain an equitable readjustment. A conference will be held soon between the committee, President Amador and Governor Magoon. The relations between the merchants of Panama and Governor Magoon are most cordial, which fact is looked upon as a good point in the situation.

BRIBES OFFERED

South Carolina Official to Favor Certain Brands of Whisky.

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 24.—The legislative committee which is conducting an investigation into the affairs of the South Carolina dispensary resumed its sessions here. Sensational evidence was given by F. M. Mixson, who was commissioner in 1895, two years after the law went into effect. He testified that he demanded 5 per cent rebates from every whisky concern from which he purchased liquor. During his 11 months' incumbency, he said, these rebates amounted to \$20,000, which was turned over to the state treasurer. When asked what inducements, if any, had been offered him to buy certain brands of whisky, he said several houses had offered him bribes to favor certain goods.

American Bar Association.
Narragansett Pier, R. I., Aug. 24.—Between 200 and 300 leading members of the bar, representing nearly every state in the country, including Justices White, Brown, Peckham and McKenna of the supreme court of the United States, were present at the first session of the twentieth annual meeting of the American Bar association, which began a three-days' conference here. Others among the jurists included many members of the teaching staffs in the law schools of the great universities of the country. The principal feature of the proceedings was the address of the president, Henry St. George Tucker of Lexington, Va.

Tobacco Houses Burn.
Paducah, Ky., Aug. 24.—Fire destroyed the J. W. Farmer and Z. C. Graham tobacco company warehouses and the Herndon & Tucker rehaling house, with between 500,000 and 800,000 pounds of tobacco. Loss \$100,000, mostly covered by insurance. James Harrison, colored, dropped dead at the fire from heat.

RECORD

Of The Fever Shows Several New Cases

New Orleans, Aug. 24.—New cases, 13; total to date, 1,556. Deaths, 5; total to date, 219. New foci, 10; total to date, 352. Under treatment, 312.

Thanksgiving Services.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Thanksgiving services were held in the municipal hall in commemoration of the promulgation of the national assembly. Several officials were present. The services concluded with a prayer for the preservation of the imperial family, which was chanted by the officiating priests. The emperor's manifesto proclaiming the assembly was officially read at the regular session of the municipal council. The council decided to send a loyal address to the emperor and also to commemorate the event by the inauguration of some charitable work for the benefit of the poor of the city.

A Touching Story
is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs, and colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At G. R. Baker & Son, and F. F. Hosack, Fredericktown drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Fairbanks Spoke.
Ogdensburg, N. Y., Aug. 24.—In the presence of Vice President Fairbanks veterans of northern New York united with Ransom Post, G. A. R., here in unveiling a beautiful monument in Liberty park, commemorating the patriotism of soldiers of the town of Oswegatchie who fell in the civil war. The largest crowd in the town's history witnessed the ceremonies. A military parade composed of the Third battalion, Twenty-third regiment, U. S. regulars, a battalion of the National Guard, the Victoria rifles of Brockville, Ont., and Grand Army posts was reviewed by Mr. Fairbanks. The vice president made the address of the day.

Public Aroused
The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever an ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at G. R. Baker & Son, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hosack, Fredericktown, drug store; price 50c.

Struck a Reef.
Colombo, Ceylon, Aug. 23.—As a result of the stranding on Jafur reef Aug. 7, the British steamer Crusader, from Tagal, Java, for a United States port, which has arrived here, has her fore peak full of water. Her third hold and three of her ballast tanks are also leaking. The vessel's pumps are keeping the water down. Two thousand tons of her cargo were jettisoned to enable the Crusader to get off the reef.

Fiendish Suffering
is often caused by sores, ulcers and Cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedel, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica salve, for Ulcers, Sores and cancers. It is the best Healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at G. R. Baker & Son, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hosack, Fredericktown, drug store; guaranteed.

Warehouse Consumed.
Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 24.—The two-story warehouse and city sales offices of Swift & Company was completely destroyed by fire of unknown origin. Loss \$75,000, covered by insurance.

Peculiar Disappearance
J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestions and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at G. R. Baker & Son, Mt. Vernon, and F. F. Hosack, Fredericktown drug stores, price 25c.

SELECT THE PLACE AND NAME THE DATE

For Opening Of Ohio Republican Campaign

Governor Herrick Said To Be Interested In The Mohoning Gas, Traction And Light Merger--News From Buckeye State

Columbus, O., Aug. 24.—The Republican state executive committee met at headquarters in the Clinton building and fixed the date and time for the opening of the fall campaign, leaving all other arrangements, as usual, to a committee composed of Chairman Dick, Secretary Malloy and Treasurer Burdell. The opening will be at Bellefontaine September 23. Governor Herrick and Senator Foraker will be two of the speakers, and the third will not be chosen, Senator Dick says, until after a consultation with the Bellefontaine committee on arrangements. Judge Duncan Dow, author of the Dow tax, has been suggested for chairman of the day. That matter, too, will be left with the Bellefontaine committee.

State Chairman Dick, at the close of the meeting, which lasted three and one-half hours, expressed satisfaction with the spirit exhibited by the members and the information they brought. Three of the candidates on the ticket, Governor Herrick, Judge Davis of the supreme court and State Treasurer McKinnon, addressed the committee. Governor Herrick was asked by members to explain several of his vetoes, in order that they might be able to tell their constituents they had a statement direct from the governor.

General Miner's Testimony.
Wooster, O., Aug. 24.—General Miner was again on the witness stand in the Taggart divorce hearing. The muster roll was exhibited for the month of July, 1903, and was identified by Miner. It showed that Taggart was "sick in the hospital July 2 to July 8, 1903, for disease contracted in line of duty." It also adds: "Arrested July 2—July 8, 1903; released July 8, 1903, and placed in command of company." The plaintiff sought to show that, although Miner charged Taggart with being crazy when he was placed in the hospital, he was taken out and placed in command of his company. General Miner reiterated that he did not confine Taggart for acute alcoholism, but for the purpose of observing his mental condition. General Miner asserted that he confidently expected to see a reconciliation the last time he saw Mrs. Taggart.

National Municipal League.
Toledo, O., Aug. 24.—Mayor Finch of Toledo welcomed the delegates to National Municipal league convention and a response was made by Mayor William Crowlins of Joliet, Ill., president of the league. The president's annual address was the feature of the session, and dealt with the achievements of the league and its opportunities for future usefulness. Chicago and Atlantic City are candidates for next year's convention. It can be stated with reasonable assurance that the next president of the league will be R. G. Rhett of Charleston, S. C.

Fined Fellow Justice.
Salem, O., Aug. 24.—In a suit before Justice of the Peace Lease the peculiar circumstance of one Justice of the peace levying a fine upon another was witnessed. Justice Lease had garnished some money in the hands of Justice Emmet Finley, a young magistrate serving his first term, and in the hearing of the case Finley on the witness stand refused to answer the questions put to him. Lease fined him \$5 and costs and committed him in default for contempt of court, afterward releasing the prisoner on his own recognizance.

Plenty of Squirrels.
Columbus, O., Aug. 24.—The open season for squirrels begins Sept. 1 and continues until Oct. 15. They are reported by the game wardens to be plentiful this season, and the nimrods are already preparing for the sport. The duck season, that lasts until Dec. 1, comes in at the same time.

Leaped Into a Well.
Chillicothe, O., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Ebenezer Speakman 26, committed suicide by leaping into a deep well near her home on Top Hill, Harrison township. She has been losing her mind for two months, and preparations were under way for her removal to an

asylum.
Ohio Girl Killed.
Findlay, O., Aug. 24.—M. A. Fennelly, a prominent insurance man of this city, received word that his 10-year-old daughter, who has been visiting relatives at Shamokin, Pa., had fallen down stairs and sustained injuries to her spine that proved fatal.

Fatally Stung by Bees.
Zanesville, O., Aug. 24.—Salathiel Dorsey, a farmer, living near Sonora, plowed up a bumblebee's nest and he is believed to be dying of blood poisoning. His body is swelled to almost twice its natural size.

Herrick Interested?
New York, Aug. 24.—Announcement was made here that August Belmont, Myron T. Herrick, Murray Verner and others have formed a combination of gas and electric lighting and electric traction companies in western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio. The capital of the new concern, known as the Mahoning and Shenango Railway and Light company, is \$10,000,000. It is a consolidation of about 30 street railway companies and the lighting plants of 20 small cities. The railways are also small, owning in all 175 miles of track.

Governor's Itinerary.
Columbus, O., Aug. 24.—Governor Herrick's itinerary for the coming week is announced as follows: Monday, Aug. 28, Findlay, state encampment of Spanish-American War Veterans; Tuesday, Raymond, Union county, soldiers' reunion; Wednesday, Chagrin Falls, Western Reserve Pioneer association; Thursday, St. Clairsville, Belmont county fair; Friday, Sept. 1, Kenton, Hardin county fair.

Aged Officeholder.
Lima, O., Aug. 24.—Thomas H. Jones, a Welsh Republican and a candidate for re-election as treasurer of Allen county, is believed to be the oldest county officeholder and the oldest man making an active political campaign in the state. He is 78, but full of vim and life. Last year he made a trip to Jerusalem and during the winter gave Sunday school lectures on Palestine.

Raincoat Saved Him.
Akron, O., Aug. 24.—Louis Watson, errand boy of the Akron Dry Goods company, fell 50 feet down an elevator shaft and escaped unhurt. He lost his balance on the top floor and fell into the shaft. A raincoat which he wore spread out like a parachute and formed an air cushion in the narrow shaft. He landed on a pile of paper, got up and walked away.

Skeleton Hidden in a Wall.
Akron, O., Aug. 24.—While tearing down an abandoned dwelling, the property of J. E. Wesener, workmen found a human skeleton between the walls. The skull was crushed. Indications are that a murder was committed years ago and the victim's remains secreted between the walls.

PECKHAM HELD
At Saratoga In Connection With the Cotton Report Scandal.
Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Frederick A. Peckham, indicted for complicity in the department of agriculture cotton report scandal, was arrested here and arraigned before United States Commissioner Charles M. Davidson, who ordered an adjournment of examination. In default of \$12,000 bail Peckham was lodged in the Saratoga county jail at Ballston.

Americans Stranded Abroad.
Washington, Aug. 24.—The state department has received a cable dispatch saying that 200 Americans, belonging to the Maccandless circus, are stranded at Grenoble, France. They have no means and can not get home. The receiver of the circus has offered to send them to London and to give them \$4 each, but that will not assist them very much. The state department has no funds for assisting any Americans except American seamen who may become stranded abroad.

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Political Announcements

CLERK OF COURTS

Editor Banner:
Please announce that I am a candidate for Clerk of Courts, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.
CHAS. E. SHARP,
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Please say to the Democracy of Knox county that I am a candidate for Clerk of Court, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.
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Of Wayne Tp.

REPRESENTATIVE

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Please announce that I am a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.
JOHN CUNNINGHAM,
Of College Tp.

THE WEATHER

Thundershowers and cooler tonight and Friday.

"Herrick as a man, is probably as good as other men, but his subversiveness to Coxism is likely to prove his downfall in politics. To swallow Coxism, though sugar coated with party fealty, will prove a bitter pill

It will pay you from a standpoint of health, to have good homemade bread on the table three times a day—every day. It will save you money if you use "MT. VERNON BLEND" in making this bread, because "MT. VERNON BLEND" is so uniform that you will never waste any flour on account of bad bakings, and further more, because MT. VERNON BLEND will produce several more loaves per sack than ordinary brands.

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to thinking Republicans. To rebel against bossism is not treason."—Huntsville News (Republican.)

The West Mansfield Enterprise (Republican) in an article advocating that Republicans vote against Herrick, concludes as follows:
"There is no politics in this campaign, no partisan politics. It is a fight between honesty and dishonesty, decency and indecency, political liberty and political bondage."

SHORT LOCALS

Butter 20c., eggs 18c.

Rev. L. W. Mulhane went to Columbus this morning on business.

Buy your hats and furnishings at Porter's. We give stamps.

Mr. Davis E. Salisbury returned last evening from a visit at Akron.

Typewriter, nearly new, for sale cheap; or will rent. Call Western Union Telegraph office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Parrott left Thursday morning for Elwood, Ind., to spend a week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Berry left today for a lake trip, their intention being to go as far north as Duluth.

An electric motor has been installed for Cooper & Atwood harness shop by The Wilkinson Electric Co.

Mr. Freeman Washington returned to Xenia Thursday afternoon after a visit with Captain and Mrs. M. M. Murphy.

Mr. Jacob Lybarger went to Centerville this afternoon to visit with friends.

Miss Mae Bryan of Fredericktown is spending a few days with her parents in the city.

Mr. Samuel Crouch went to Columbus Thursday afternoon on business.

Rev. F. E. Brininstool returned to Mt. Vernon Thursday afternoon after a business trip to Warren.

Dr. H. P. Cosner of Newark, formerly of Bladensburg, was the guest of friends in the city today.

Mr. George Trigg of the firm of Meyer, Lindorf & Trigg left last evening for New York City to purchase falls goods.

Mr. Isaac Beckholt departed Thursday morning for Jamestown, Iowa, where he will teach school the coming winter.

Mr. Banner M. Allen went to Bellefontaine this morning to visit for a few days with relatives.

17 lbs. granulated sugar for \$1.00. Flour, any brand, \$1.30 a sack. Kelly Bros.

Mrs. A. J. Mann went to Mt. Gilead Thursday morning to attend the Iden reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sipe went to Shelby last evening to attend the Sipe reunion.

Mr. Carl Long of Columbus is spending a few days with Mt. Vernon friends and relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Crawford and daughter, Miss Eva, of Mt. Gilead, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Van Rhoden, West Pleasant street.

If you want a smooth, clear complexion, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. Bright eyes and red lips follow its use. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—Scribner & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Singer of Cleveland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Singer of Gambier.

Mr. Harry S. Wolverton of the Boston National League baseball team arrived in the city Tuesday being again called here by the serious illness of his mother.

A wonderful tonic for the sick and afflicted. Get strength, health and happiness by using Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. A bracing family medicine. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—Scribner & Co.

Messrs Henry Beam, Donald Snow, Francis Jennings, Leonard Clements, Curtis Stone, Howard Levering, Earnest Amadon, Armisted Waight, Robert Bunn and Frank Sullivan went to Columbus Thursday to attend the National convention of the Phi Sigma Chi high school fraternity, which will hold a session in that city for the next three days.

A marriage license has been issued in the Coshocton county courts to William DeVore of Brink Haven and

Jennie Shurtz of Canal Lewisville, Coshocton county.

Makes bone and muscle faster than any other remedy. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—Scribner & Co.

Mrs. Burr Beard of East Newark, with Miss Sadie Stone and her brother, Howard Stone of Mt. Vernon, leave on Thursday morning for Chicago, Ill., to visit Mrs. Ella Richardson and will also visit a brother in Bethany, Missouri.—Newark Advocate.

Mr. Bert Allspaugh is acting as "trouble man" for the Mt. Vernon Telephone company at Fredericktown, owing to the illness of Clyde Collins, who was injured Wednesday morning at that place.

A telegram was received in the city Thursday afternoon from Columbus stating that the condition of Capt. J. G. Stevenson, who was operated upon in "a Columbus hospital" Monday, remains the same. Captain Stevenson had a good night Wednesday and was resting well Thursday morning.

ANGRY STEER

Held Full Sway On North Sandusky Street Wednesday Afternoon

A steer, being driven to the slaughter-house, north of this city, by John Paige, created considerable excitement on North Sandusky street Wednesday evening. The animal became highly excited near the Cooper works and chased persons from the sidewalks to places of safety.

The incident happened about five-thirty o'clock as the men were going to their homes from the Cooper works and many of them had narrow escapes from being struck by the steer. The animal was finally lassoed and tied to a tree, where it was allowed to remain over night. On Thursday morning Mr. Paige drove it to the slaughterhouse.

ABOVE 90 DEGREES

The Mercury Climbs And The Heat Is Most Oppressive

Coming from an almost cloudless sky, rays of the sun, offset by few refreshing breezes, were oppressive yesterday. The mercury at 2:15 in the afternoon climbed to 90½ degrees, exceeding the record of Monday by a degree and a half. Following a night which was almost stifling, it seemed to be far more oppressive than its predecessor.

It was even hotter today as the mercury registered a little over 93 degrees.

OTIS FOUCH

Dies At His Home In South Vernon Result Of Lead Poisoning

Otis Fouch died at his home in South Vernon Thursday morning at nine-thirty o'clock from lead poisoning. Mr. Fouch was 44 years of age and is survived by a wife and five children. The funeral arrangement had not yet been made.

Mr. Fouch was a painter by trade and had worked at that occupation for about twenty years. The lead in the paint was what is credited with causing his death.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Quarterly meeting and re-opening services will be held at the Friendship M. P. church Sept. 3, instead of Aug. 27.

There will be regular prayer meeting at the Gay street M. E. church this evening.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

LOST—On Saturday, Aug. 12, on Ohio state road between Mt. Vernon and Ankenytown a dark grey mohair rain coat. Finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.

For sale at a bargain if sold soon, a house on Quarry street. If not sold by Sept. 1, the house will be for rent. Inquire of S.B. Church.

Miss Ora Clutter, who has been spending her vacation with her parents here, returned to Columbus Monday. Miss Clutter is a nurse in Dr. Hartman's sanitarium.

JACKSON FAMILY

Hold A Pleasant Reunion On Wednesday

An Organization Effected And A Bountiful Repast Served On The Lawn At Noon

An enjoyable reunion of the Jackson family was held at the country residence of Mr. F. G. Jackson, near Sparta, Wednesday, August 23rd. An organization was effected and S. H. Jackson was elected president; George Jackson, vice-president and Edward Jackson, secretary.

Those present from a distance were, Mr. John Jackson and Miss Mae Jackson of Burgetts Town, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Newton Box, Salem, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Landis, Spencerville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackson, Galion, Ohio.

About 100 people were served a bountiful repast on the beautiful lawn. Every one departed for their homes well pleased with the social enjoyment of the day. They expect to meet the second Wednesday in September, 1906, at the same place.

C. A. & C. INSPECTION

Vice Presidents E. B. Taylor and J. F. Miller, assistant to president, S. C. Scott, and Superintendent R. C. Barnard, of the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus railway, left Columbus early Wednesday morning on an inspection trip over the road.

Tired Nervous

When you feel languid, tired, nervous and irritable, your vitality is low—your supply of nerve energy exhausted, and your system running down for lack of power.

The organs of the body are working poorly, or not at all, and you are not getting the nourishment needed. This soon impoverishes the blood and instead of throwing off the impurities, distributes it all through the body. This brings disease and misery.

Feed the nerves with Dr. Miles' Nerve, a nerve food, a nerve medicine, that nourishes and strengthens the nerves, and see how quickly you will get strong and vigorous.

"My wife suffered with nervousness previous to a recent attack of typhoid fever, but after her recovery from the fever, she was much worse, and could hardly control herself being exceedingly nervous when the least excited. She was very restless at night, and never had a good night's rest. She also suffered much from nervous headache. Dr. Miles' Nerve was recommended by a friend. After the first three doses she had a good night's rest, and at the end of the first week's treatment she was wonderfully improved. Continued use of Nerve has completely cured her."

OTTO KOLB,
1021 Cherry St., Evansville, Ind.
Dr. Miles' Nerve is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

For the Ladies Only



I want every good housewife in the city, that likes to have everything up-to-date and useful, to call at MY MEAT STORE and let me tell them how to get one of these elegant

Meat Roasters—Like Cut

without costing them one cent. Now you cannot afford to be without one of the Roasters, as they are the most useful things you could have in your kitchen.

You never saw one like it before; and, just think, you get them for nothing. Call soon. Don't wait.

James B. Buxton.
Seiler's Old Stand.

INFIRMARY DIRECTORS

Of Union County In The City Investigating A Case

Mr. C. S. Cheney of Richwood and Mr. J. R. Taylor of Marysville, infirmiry directors of Union county, were in the city Thursday consulting with the infirmiry directors of Knox county in regard to the removal of a family by the name of Byrns, of South Vernon, to the infirmiry at Richwood. Mrs. Byrns is in a serious condition suffering with a tumor.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

CORRECTED DAILY BY THE NORTHWESTERN ELEVATOR & MILL CO.

Wheat, No. 2.....\$.80

Oats, No. 3......25

Selling Price.

Shelled corn......70

Oats......35

Midlings.....18.00

Bran, per ton.....18.00

Salt, per barrel.....1.00

Oil meal, per 100 lb....1.75

Above prices at the mill.

We sell the best fertilizer on the market at the smallest profit. Stock and poultry food always on hand.

Northwestern Elevator & Mill Co.

OBERLIN Business College

FALL TERM BEGINS TUESDAY, SEPT. 5, 1905

Many students from this community will enter the Oberlin Business College at the opening of the Fall Term, Tuesday, Sept. 5, 1905. President Henderson informs us that from present indications they will have a large attendance.

VISIT THE SCHOOL—Any of our readers who think of entering a Business College should visit the one at Oberlin before deciding upon a school. It is now regarded as the most thorough, as well as the best equipped of its kind in Ohio. The expenses at Oberlin are very low as compared with cities.

The Up-To-Date Tailor

Perfect fit guaranteed. Prices always reasonable.

Imported and American Cloths.

JNO. R. DOELFS

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Good Tin Cans

Better than you can buy elsewhere for the same money. Before you are ready to put up your tomatoes see our cans.

45 cents per Dozen

Hardware Tinware Stoves **Bird Bros.** Mt. Vernon, Ohio

THE ELECTRIC AGE

WITH the rapidly increasing use of electricity for many purposes, you should consider only high class electrical material and construction for your equipment.

THE WILKINSON ELECTRIC COMPANY

Will guarantee satisfaction and meets the requirements of the National Board of Fire Underwriters. EIGHTEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE. A home enterprise with a pride in the development of electricity for general use and making it more convenient and safe than any other method. Estimates cheerfully made. NERNST GLOWER LAMP—the latest and best method of lighting large rooms; saves one-half the current. Get the electric habit.

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Original and Only Genuine. For CHICKEN'S ENGLISH. In RED and Gold metal boxes, with blue ribbon. Take no other. Beware of cheap imitations. For Particulars, Testimonials, and "Reflector for Ladies," in letter, by return mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all druggists. Medicine House, PHILA. PA.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Bores, Itching, Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headaches, and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea. Get it in form, 35 cents a box. Genuine, made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

Summer Clearance Sale

Summer Clothing For Men, Youths and Boys At Money-Saving Prices

THIS is an annual event looked forward to by the people hereabouts as one of the greatest opportunities of the year to save money on high-class clothing, furnishings and hats. Every article offered in this sale is of this season's style and thoroughly dependable in quality and workmanship. At thirty per cent. on the very summer apparel you come here as early as you possibly can. Parents, at marked savings, for the entire summer in the smartest and best clothes made for boys.

Young America Clothing House

Cor. Main and Vine Streets I. ROSENTHALL, Prop. Bell Phone 32w Citizens' Phone 3 on 167 Opera House Block

HIGH PRICED

Men Are Among Ohio's Independent Teams

Which Mt. Vernon Team Is A Member

Billy Phyle Of Youngstown Gets \$350

Peaches' O'Neill Is Credited With Being The Best Educated Player--Niles Highest Salaried

The Cleveland Plain Dealer says: "The average cost of running the independent baseball teams in Ohio and Pennsylvania is about \$1,500 per month. True, some of the teams will not reach that amount, but quite a few of the clubs pay out in advance of \$1,500 every month.

"When the statement is made that the independents are playing baseball better than most of the minors, some people are inclined to doubt it. On the other hand if these same people would but consider for a moment the money that is being paid out, they would reach the conclusion that the independents should play baseball better than most of the minors. "The Ohio Works team of Youngstown is reputed to be the highest salaried team in this section, if not in the country. On good authority it is stated that it costs \$2,400 to maintain the Ohio Works team each month. It is also stated that there is not a man on the team drawing less than \$125 a month. The running expenses of the Niles team is placed at \$1,800, while the Akron team is said to be costing about the same amount. Zanesville's expenses with the stars Drumm, carriers, will reach \$2,000, while Braddock, McCleesport, Homestead, Sharon and number of others hover around the \$1,000 mark.

"On the Ohio Works team, which is the costliest aggregation on the circuit, are 'Peaches' O'Neill, who is done backstop duty for such teams as Grand Rapids in the Central League, Louisville and Kansas City in the American association, and Cincinnati in the National. Jack Olson, the veteran pitcher, has seen service in most every league and has been in the big organization as many as five times. Tommy Thomas is done work in the Western association, the old interstate league and the Central, while Cecil Armstrong is a Central league graduate. The only pitcher on the Ohio Works staff who has never seen league service is Billy Thomas, and his work compares favorably with the other twirlers. In the outfield are Thomas and Maloney, former minor leaguers, and Curly Blount, the best of the trio, but who has only played independent ball. "A perusal of the above players and their records will prove that there is no myth about the salary of the Ohio Works team. The above players are not working in Youngstown because they like the city, but because they are getting the money.

"On the Niles team can be found Patterson, Kreuger, Maag, Gordon, Stewart, Cooper, Truby and Durham. All of these players have seen big league service and are getting the money. Harry Bemis and Earl Moore of the Cleveland team played two games in Niles last year for the Ohio Works.

"A glance at the line-up of all the other teams in what is now known as the Ohio and Pennsylvania league reveals the same condition of affairs, that exist at Niles and Youngstown, though some might not be as strong.

"Billy Phyle is the highest salaried man in the independent ranks. Phyle is said to be getting \$350 a month for his services as third baseman and captain of the Ohio Works team. For some time he has been honored with 'Bobby' Wood of Niles, who is getting \$300 for working behind the bat. Wood, however, has come to terms with Buffalo and Phyle now holds the key to the high salary situation.

"Aside from possessing the highest

salaried man in the protective ranks, the Ohio Works team can also boast of one of the best educated ball players in the independent ranks.

"The player referred to is Phillip 'Peaches' O'Neill of Anderson, Ind. O'Neill while but about 25 years of age, has seen service in the Central, American association and National league. He is a graduate of Notre Dame university and a member of the bar in Indiana. He is the partner of another prominent Indiana lawyer who looks after the law business during the summer while O'Neill enjoys himself and picks up a nice wad of money playing ball.

"O'Neill was for three years first honor man at Notre Dame, and he is one of the few athletes who do not let his outdoor work interfere with his studies. O'Neill is said to be a wonderfully witty fellow. He is also a great lover of bull dogs and his dog is regarded as the Ohio Works mascot. He is a pupil of 'Mike' Powers, the pioneer Notre Dame catcher now with the Philadelphia Athletics.

"The Niles team is the heavy loser on the independent circuit this year. A town of 8,000 and yet it tries to support an \$1,800 ball team. According to one of the Niles regulars the team has already dropped \$2,000 on the season and if it finishes to the first of October it is believed that half that much more will be lost. A crowd of sports who like baseball are making good the salaries of the players.

BASE BALL NOTES

Doyle will probably pitch the game against Niles on Sunday at Lake Hiawatha park.

The Delphos team, which opens a series of games with Mt. Vernon this afternoon, defeated Lancaster yesterday by a score of 3 to 1.

Columbus took two games from Milwaukee yesterday. Berger pitched one of the games allowing but five hits.

Warman, the Bridge works pitcher, will pitch for Mt. Vernon against the Delphos team Saturday afternoon.

Capt. Snodgrass of the Newark baseball team was in Mt. Vernon today trying to secure a baseball player to take Al Schweitzer's position. Schweitzer had his ankle injured in a game a few days ago and is unable to play.

Harland Humphreys, the star shortstop of the Mt. Vernon team, left this noon for Newark to play with the team at that place. Capt. Snodgrass of the Newark team was in Mt. Vernon this morning and urged Humphreys' departure will leave the Mt. Vernon team badly crippled both as a short stop and a good hitter.

Niles defeated Homestead yesterday with 'Lefty' Boyle in the box. Boyle allowed but 2 hits, but gave six bases on balls and hit four men. Homestead was shut out by score of 2 to 0.

Manager Goodrich is sending out bills today to all the small towns for the big game to be played at Lake Hiawatha park Sunday between Mt. Vernon and Niles. This will be the big game of the season. The Niles team is composed of all old league players and this will probably be the first and last opportunity Mt. Vernon fans will have to see this team the present season.

Charlie Hatch pitched a great game for Zanesville against Newark yesterday. He let the Newark team down with one hit and that was a double by Wrattan in the last half of the ninth inning with two men out. Only 28 men went to bat for Newark during the game, not a base on balls was given by Hatch and six Newark men were struck out.

MRS. JANE E. HARRIS

Passes Away In This City After A Long Illness Of Paralysis.

Mrs. Jane E. Harris died at 9:45 Wednesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Barre, West High street, after an illness of thirteen months of paralysis. The deceased was born January 8, 1833, and for 72 years she resided in Sparta. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Barre. The funeral and interment will occur at Bloomfield, near Sparta, Friday morning. Relatives will leave the home in this city at 10 a. m.

GAME LAWS

The Revised List Published For Banner Readers

Which Should Be Cut Out And Preserved

As The Hunting Season Will Soon Open

The Squirrel Season Will Open Sept. 1 And Will Continue Until Oct. 15--Time For Hunting All Game

Many inquiries have reached this office recently regarding the game laws now in force in Ohio, and they are hereby given for the benefit of the hunters. Cut this item out and paste it on your gun stock.

The game laws passed by the last state legislature and dated April 25, 1904, put into simple language are as follows: It is unlawful to kill or capture at any time any of the following birds:

Turtle or mourning dove, sparrows, nuthatch, warbler, flicker, vireo, wren, American robin, cat bird, tanager bobolink, blue jay, oriole, grosbeak or red bird, killdeer, swallow, blue bird, black bird, meadow lark, bunting, starling, red wing, purple martin, brown thrasher, American gold finch, chewink or ground robin, pewee or phoebe bird, chickadee, fly catcher, gnat catcher, mouse hawk, whip-poor-will, snow bird, titmouse, gull, eagle or buzzard, or any other wild bird other than a game bird.

This does not prohibit the killing of the chicken hawk, cooper hawk, blue hawk, sharp shinned hawk, crow, great horned owl, or English sparrow, also allows farmers to kill black birds when they destroy property.

The season on Virginia partridge or quail is from Nov. 15 to Dec. 5. Woodcock or Carolina dove, Sept. 1 to Dec. 1.

Rail, shore bird, plover, snipe, wild duck, wild goose, wild swan, coot or mud hen, 1st Sept. to 1st of Dec., and 1st March to 20th of April.

Pot hunting on partridge, quail, or Carolina doves is illegal.

But eighteen birds a day can be killed except duck, of which twenty-five a day are allowed to be killed.

Ducks and water fowls are protected on Sunday and Monday and before sunrise and after sunset.

Rabbits Nov. 15 to Dec. 5. Raccoon Sept. 1 to March 1.

Squirrel with a limit of ten per day from Sept. 1 to Oct. 15. Ruffed grouse, Mongolian pheasants, English pheasants, ringneck pheasants, are protected absolutely to Nov. 10, after which if the protection is removed the season will be from Nov. 10 to Dec. 1.

Carrier pigeons are protected at all times.

Non-residents of the state are to secure a license from the clerk of the courts for hunting in the state, which expires Dec. 1 of each year, the cost being \$15.25. Non-residents may take out fifty of each game bird but residents of the state cannot ship out game nor have it for sale.

The closed season on black bass is May 1 to June 1, except on the inlets of Lake Erie, when the closed season is May 25 to July 15.

Brook trout, brown trout, landlocked salmon and California salmon from April 15 to Sept. 15.

TWO SPECIAL TRAINS

Pass Through City One On B. & O. And Other On C. A. & C.

Two special trains passed through the city Wednesday morning. One on the Baltimore & Ohio carrying the Ben Hur company from New York to Chicago, and the other on the C. A. & C. carrying the officials of the road. The B. & O. special was made up of five baggage cars and four tourist cars. The C. A. & C. special was made up of three day coaches. The official of the C. A. & C. stopped off in this city for a short time and inspected the C. A. & C. station.

OLD BALL PLAYERS

Of East High School Form Team And Want To Play Mt. Vernon

Following their time-honored custom the old East High ball players will get together about September 1 for the purpose of playing a few games of ball. East High has turned out more baseball stars than any high school in the state and when they get back together they will present a formidable lineup. Ed Justice will captain the team and Ben Davis will act as manager. The lineup will be something like this: Janton, 1b.; Justice, ss.; Davis, lf.; Kelley, rf.; Purtell, 3b.; Barrington, 2b.; Ebright, c.; Phelan or Cole, p.; In event of Cole or Phelan being unable to play Davis is going after Kiddo Wilson and Fred Linke, while it is just possible that Earl Beverly, a former East High star, will be with the team. The manager is after games with Newark, Lancaster, Mt. Vernon, Zanesville and Youngstown, but any good team able to put up the necessary guarantee will be accommodated after September 5. This team ought to make it hot for any ball team and are willing to play any team in Columbus for from \$25 to \$100 a side. Address Ben Davis, or Sporting Editor of The Dispatch.—Columbus Dispatch.

THE GOLD FIELD

Of Bellville Becoming Famous According To Reports

Grant Augst, the Bellville attorney, was in the city today and spoke optimistically of the gold fields there. He says that they are striking dirt which is paying from 25 cents to \$4 per cubic yard, and when the steam dredge and amalgamating machine, which have been sent for, arrive the work will go forward with more rapidity. The amalgamating machine will be here very shortly, but the steam dredge may possibly be deferred until next spring. It is stated that stock in the gold company or a share in any of the leases can not be bought for love or money so confident are the capitalists that there is gold in paying quantities in Bellville.—Mansfield Shield.

REPUBLICAN JUDGE

Announces That He Will Not Vote For Herrick

Cleveland, Ohio, August 24.—Prominent Cleveland Republicans who are opposed to Herrick because of his affiliation with Cox are preparing to organize a bolt.

One of the leaders in this movement is Judge T. K. Dissette. He served two terms as Common Pleas Judge, and has been a lifelong Republican.

"Cox, not Herrick, is Governor of Ohio," declared Judge Dissette today.

"Republicanism cannot hold the decent people of Ohio in line for the gang of corruptionists that now control the party. The time has come when decent Republicans must choose between honesty and dishonesty. If Herrick is re-elected the people will have said they do not want honest government of state affairs.

"Herrick is controlled absolutely by Geo. B. Cox, who stands for all that is dishonest and indecent in politics and government.

"The fight this fall is not between the Republican and Democratic parties, but between the decent people of all parties and the Cox gang of corruptionists. I have talked with hundreds of Cleveland Republicans who do not hesitate to speak as I speak."

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

F. J. CHEYNEY & CO., Toledo, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SERIOUS

Is Condition Of Miss Dora McBroom Of Mt. Liberty

And An Operation Must Be Performed

Col. Albert Brown Still Alive At Sparta

An Aged Woman Dies In Eastern Knox County At The Age Of 95 Years--Other County News Items

Mt. Liberty, O., Aug. 24.—(Special)—The condition of Miss Dora McBroom was much worse on Thursday morning and the family were greatly worried. Dr. McLaughlin of Mt. Liberty called at the McBroom residence several times Wednesday evening and Thursday morning and stated that he was of the opinion that pus was forming about the leaden ball in the girl's side.

Dr. McLaughlin stated on Thursday morning that an operation would be necessary, but no definite time has been set for the operation. Miss McBroom seems in good spirits and expresses a desire to recover from her rash act.

IS STILL LIVING

Sparta, O., Aug. 24.—(Special)—Col. Albert Brown, who tried to commit suicide by cutting his throat, Wednesday morning, is doing as well as can be expected. Col. Brown is under the care of two physicians and every effort is being made to save his life. The services of a second nurse has been secured and a careful watch will be kept to avoid any attempt that might be made by Mr. Brown to repeat his rash act of Wednesday.

AGED WOMAN DEAD

Greensville, O., Aug. 24.—(Special)—Mrs. Nancy Severns, perhaps the oldest resident of this place, died at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, her death being due to the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Severns has been in poor health for some time and her death came as no surprise.

Mrs. Severns was 95 years of age and is survived by four children, all of whom are grown to man and womanhood. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from Chapel church, Rev. Snyder of Danville officiating. The remains will be buried in the cemetery at Greensville.

DOINGS AT CENTERBURG

Centerburg, O. Aug. 24.—(Special)—The old soldiers and sailors took charge of Centerburg Thursday and made things lively. In the morning an industrial parade was given and at noon a picnic dinner was served. The afternoon program consisted of a ball game between Centerburg and Mt. Gilead and speaking in the hall. There was a large attendance at the festivities and a general good time was enjoyed by all.

COLLINS IMPROVING

Fredericktown, O. Aug. 24.—(Special)—After passing a comfortable night, Clyde Collins of Gambier, who was thrown from a horse at this place Wednesday, and seriously injured, is reported much better. The injuries to Collins' head are not giving him very much pain and the attending doctors have much more hope of his recovery.

ACCOUNT FILED

A distributive account has been filed in probate court by Alva A. Baker, administrator of Isaac Baker.

Rev. Charles Gallimore goes to Danville Friday to assist Rev. Snyder in conducting services Friday and Saturday.

A CARD PARTY

Given By Mrs. Ames Wednesday Evening In Honor Of Her Guest

Mrs. Benjamin Ames, entertained with Bridge Wednesday evening at Lakehome, in honor of Miss Jackson of Chicago, Ill. Prizes were awarded to Miss Ella Grant, Mrs. R. M. Greer, Mrs. Allen Fink, Mr. Allen G. Hunt, Mr. Robert Clarke, Jr., and Mr. Harold Foote. Those who played were Miss Jackson, Miss Beacon, Mr. and Mrs. Ames, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Greer, Mrs. Dwight E. Sapp, Mrs. J. O. F. Little, Pittsburgh, Mrs. Allen Fink of East Liverpool, Miss Cleveland, Greenville, S. C., Miss Ella Grant, Miss Nan Miller, Miss Sarah Russell, Miss Ethel Cooper, Miss Marguerite Bope, Mr. W. H. Clarke, Mr. Robert Clarke, Mr. W. E. Grant, Mr. Henry Fairchild, Mr. W. C. Armstrong, Mr. Mr. Walter Curtis, Mr. Henry Curtis, Mr. Harold Foote.

SPLIT IN ORDER

Threatened If Royal Arcanum Insurance Rates Are Not Changed

New York, Aug. 24.—At a secret session attended by representatives of seven-eighths of the Royal Arcanum membership of the United States and Canada held in this city, resolutions were passed demanding that their supreme council of the order rescind at Put-in-Bay next week the action raising rates taken by the supreme council last May.

If this is not done, it was declared, there will be wholesale secessions and law suits. The session was attended by prominent Arcanumites from New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Michigan.

PRODUCT OF THE MACHINE

The Noble County Leader, one of the foremost Republican papers of Ohio, says:

"While attending the senatorial convention at McConnelsville, Wednesday, we met a number of Republican editors who expressed themselves as being opposed to the reelection of Governor Herrick, and who claimed to us that they were using their papers in openly fighting his re-election. Such a state of affairs as this doubtless never before existed among the Republican newspaper editors and publishers of the state of Ohio. The claim is rightly made that Herrick is not the choice, by any means, of the Republicans of Ohio, but that his renomination is the result of the grinding of the machine by which he is surrounded."

Mrs. John Lee of North Main street went to Columbus this afternoon to spend a week with friends.

Pepton Pills

Ironize the blood, feed the nerves and brain, tone the stomach, aid digestion, and give sweet, restful, natural sleep. 50c or \$1.00. Druggists or by mail of us.

Hood's Pills. The best laxative cathartic. After-dinner pill; purely vegetable; easy to take; easy to operate. 50c. Druggists or mail. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass. If Made by Hood It's Good.

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AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE CLEVELAND, AKRON & COLUMBUS RAILWAY COMPANY TO CONSTRUCT RAILROAD TRACK SCALES ON WATER STREET BETWEEN RIDGELY AND DIVISION STREETS.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MT. VERNON, State of Ohio, That the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus Railroad Company do, and are hereby authorized to construct railroad track scales upon Water Street, between Ridgely and Division Streets, providing the beam, and house covering same, does not extend to exceed eight (8) feet north of the north rail of present track, as now laid, and used by said railroad company on said Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and its publication.

Passed August 14th, 1905.

WM. M. KOONS, President of Council.

Attest: J. H. WOOTTON, Clerk.

Approved: S. R. GOTSHALL, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

TO ISSUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF RAISING MONEY FOR HIGH STREET IMPROVEMENT.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, State of Ohio,

SECTION 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Mount Vernon, Ohio, to issue and sell bonds of said city in the sum of \$28,000.00, for the purpose of raising money to pay the cost of improving East High Street.

SECTION 2. That the bonds of said city be issued in the sum of \$28,000.00, for the aforesaid purpose, being the total estimate of the cost of said improvement, including intersections, each of said bonds to be in the denomination of \$2,800.00, and numbered consecutively from one to ten (10), and all made payable on the 1st day of September of each year from one to ten years from date respectively, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually; said bonds shall be dated Sept. 1, 1905, and shall run for a period of from one to ten (10) years from said date and shall be payable at the office of the City Auditor in the city of Mount Vernon, State of Ohio.

SECTION 3. Said bonds shall express upon their face the purpose for which they are issued and that they are issued in pursuance of this ordinance. They shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of the Council and the City Auditor, and signed by the Mayor of said city and the City Auditor, and sealed with the corporate seal of said city, and the interest coupons attached to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor, with his signature thereon, or he shall have his signature printed or lithographed thereon.

SECTION 4. The bonds shall be first offered at par and accrued interest to the trustees of the Sinking Fund, in their official capacity, and if the Sinking Fund trustees refuse to take any or all of said bonds at par and interest, then said bonds not so taken shall be advertised for public sale and sold in the manner provided by law, but for not less than their par value and accrued interest.

SECTION 5. The proceeds from the sale of said bonds, except the premiums and accrued interest, shall be paid to the City Treasurer to the credit of the Sinking Fund, and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying for said improvement and for no other purpose, and the premium and accrued interest received from the sale, shall be transferred to the credit of the Sinking Fund, to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

WM. M. KOONS, President of Council.

Attest: J. H. WOOTTON, Clerk.

Approved: S. R. GOTSHALL, Mayor.

LEGAL NOTICE

City of Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of June, 1905, application was made to the council of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, by The Newark, Martinsburg and Mt. Vernon Traction Company for permission to construct, maintain, and operate a trolley line and conditions set forth in said resolution, and for the lowest rate of fare for transporting passengers along and over said route.

Commencing on South German street, thence north on German street to Front street; thence west on Front street to Mulberry street; thence north on Mulberry street to High street in said city, and that a street railroad route over and along and upon the above named streets has been established in the manner provided by law, upon which route there may be maintained, constructed and operated for a period of twenty-five years a single track street railroad, operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, subject to the terms and conditions provided in the resolution establishing said route and directing this advertisement, on file in the office of the clerk of the city of Mt. Vernon, state of Ohio, and that bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, of

SEPTEMBER 30, 1905,

for the construction, maintenance and operation of a street railroad over said route, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in said resolution, and for the lowest rate of fare for transporting passengers along and over said route.

WM. M. KOONS, President of Council.

J. H. WOOTTON, City Clerk.

PRICES FOR CARRIAGE SERVICE FOR FUNERALS

T. A. Davidson desires to announce—that he has

11 Rubber Tire Hacks and 4 Iron Tire Hacks

For which he makes the uniform price of

\$3.00 Each

For service at funerals inside of city limits. Use of Pull Bearers' Car inside city limits, \$4.00.

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