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Obituary.

Charles Llewellyn Cole, eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole, was born at Oxford Center, Erie county, Ohio, on November 2nd, 1878, and departed this life April 29th, 1917, aged 38 years, 5 months and 27 days.

He was a son of a man who labored eight years and united with the Methodist Episcopal church. At eighteen he felt a definite call to the ministry. He obeyed the call and for the remainder of his life was engaged in active service in the ministry.

In 1900 he graduated from Ohio Northern University at Ada, Ohio, after which he taught for a short period and then entered Drew Theological Seminary at Madison, N. J., where he studied for three years. In 1903 he became a candidate for the North Ohio Conference and upon his return on the eleventh of the same month the Rev. Dr. Elviro Persons united him in marriage with Miss Josie Howard of Plymouth. Together they went to their first charge, Kill Creek, Ohio, where they lived for two years. Their next appointment was Ashley, which they were serving for the ninth year. Besides a host of relatives and friends, there remain in sorrow his wife and four children. His wife is Mrs. Elviro Persons, Isabella, and Lois Eveline; his father and mother, two sisters, and two brothers; one brother predeceased him in death eleven years ago.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 1:30, the church being crowded to its utmost capacity by people who had gathered to pay the last respects to the departed, nearly half a hundred from Ashley, his last charge being present. Burial was made in Greenlawn cemetery.

CARD.

To all those who have in so many ways helped to lighten our burden of sorrow, we wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation.

Mrs. C. L. Cole and family
and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole and
family.

Obituary.

Elvezor T. DeVoe, son of Horace and Kat Jane DeVoe, departed this life April 28, 1917. He was born in Crawford county, O., June 5th, 1845, and was aged 71 years, 10 months and 23 days.

When a boy of 16 years he enlisted in the service of the Com. and served for three years. Thus he leaves to meet his death a lone wife, and two sisters. Mrs. A. J. Maw of Tiro, O. and Mrs. T. C. Loudon of Plymouth. His father preceded him in death June 1, 1900, and his mother, Mrs. C. L. Cole, died in 1905.

On account of ill health of the wife, the funeral service was held at the home of his sister, in Tiro, their homes being close together. Interment was made in Greenlawn cemetery, Rev. Hall of the Lutheran church of Tiro officiating.

CARD.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends, for their sympathy and kindness in this hour of sad bereavement; also the Comrades of The Post G. A. R. and their families, for their beautiful flowers, and the music, and thanks to the Comrades of the G. A. R. Post of Plymouth, who so kindly met us as we entered Greenlawn cemetery and assisted; also Rev. Holm of the Plymouth Presbyterian church, who so generously contributed to the Comrades of their loyalty to their country and to each other, and bade them be loyal to God; and especially do we thank Rev. Hall, for his inspiring words.

Mrs. E. DeVoe.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maw.
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Loudon.

DAVENS OF A COLD.

Plymouth People Will Do Well to Hood Them.

Many cases of kidney trouble result from a cold or damp. Consider kidney trouble in flitting about, cold, non-laden blood and backache, headache, dizziness and disordered kidney action follow. Don't neglect a cold. Use Doan's Kidney Pill at the first sign of kidney trouble. Follow this Plymouth resident's example.

Harry Poole, Mulberry St., Plymouth, says: "I took cold and it settled on my kidneys and my back got very lame. I couldn't stoop or lift without sharp, shooting pains." Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pill gave me relief. I recommend them to anyone who has kidney trouble or a lame and aching back."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pill—the same that Mr. Poole had. Foster-Millburn Co., Provo, Buffalo, N. Y.

Obituary.

Ella Hayes Stephens was born Dec. 16, 1865, in Plymouth, Ohio, died April 26, 1917, age 51 years, 4 months and 10 days, was the young daughter of John and Ellen Hayes.

Married to John F. Stephens, Dec. 24, 1889. To this union one daughter, Alice Hayes Stephens was born June 9, 1891. Death removed the husband from this home Nov. 21, 1891.

All her life was spent in Plymouth excepting the two years previous to her husband's death. Her life was marked with great and untiring energy and enduring patience especially the last few years. For nine years she has been the trusted bookkeeper of the Root Heath Mfg. Co. where she was occupied until five weeks ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss, one daughter, Alice, one sister, Mary, of Plymouth, one brother, James, of Findlay.

MOTHER.

"It is a wonderful thing, a mother. Other folks can love you. But only your mother understands. She works for you, looks after you. Loves you, forgives you, anything you may do."

Understands you! When she leaves you, like a guardian angel.

Elvira, Mrs. Ernest Isabella, and Lois Eveline, his father and mother, two sisters, and two brothers; one brother predeceased him in death eleven years ago.

We wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends for the wonderful help they gave us during the illness and the departure of mother and sister.

Very Sincerely,

THE FAMILY.

AGED WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. John DeLaMater Passed Away at Her Home on Sunday—Born in Plymouth, Ohio, in 1823.

Mrs. John DeLaMater, of 62 Ferry street, entered into rest peacefully and calmly at 9 o'clock Sunday evening, the second slight stroke of paralysis having come to her five weeks before.

Mrs. D. LaMater was born in Plymouth, Ohio, in the year 1823, her parents having removed from New York to Ohio a short time before. She was the fourth of a family of nine children. Her marriage with John DeLaMater, of Tompkins county, N. Y., took her from the parent's home, and for three years she was the light and joy of the home of her husband. A change of business then took him himself and the band again to the west, but in 1871 they sought a less rigorous climate in the state of California.

The Presbytery church was the church of their choice, where they were received with open arms. In company with Fishkill Ladd, they affiliated with the Dutch Reformed church. In 1889 they came to this place and here Mrs. DeLaMater died having for four years been deprived of his sight. To those who were privy to her secret, the quiet, calm endurance and patient submission to the terrible affliction were a never-to-be-forgotten lesson. For, like the poet Milton, he knew that "While thousands at His bidding sped."

Those who serve who only stand and wait."

For years since the father's death Mrs. DeLaMater has made her home with her faithful, loving daughter, Miss Emma DeLaMater, where her wonderful spirit of cheerfulness and the love of home and kindred rare personality have helped greatly to make it a choice privilege for the many friends of both to visit often. She retained her vigor of mind and body in a remarkable degree up to the time when a few years ago she fell ill with rheumatism. Since that time her invalid years have been brightened, cheered and made comfortable by every thoughtful, loving attention of her devoted daughter. Those who knew her well and felt it a privilege to be near her even though only through a fragrant flower or a loving thought. Her Christian faith and fortitude under every trying condition, and her calm resignation under affliction, have marked the end of a beautiful life.—Beacon, N. Y., Daily Herald.

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Don't Let Your Cough Hang On.

A cough that rakes and weakens is dangerous, it undermines your health and thwarts all projects. It is a common ailment Dr. King's New Discovery. This soothsinging balsam remedy heals the throat, loosens the phlegm, its antisепtic properties kill the germ and the cold is quickly broken up.

Children and grownups take find a bottle handy in your medicine chest for grippe, croup and all bronchial affections. At druggists, all over a whole field before touching it with disk or harrow. Time is lost, however, by this practice. The clouds will soon make the ground ready for the extra workings of the man. By adopting the better plan of harrowing the soil the same half day on which it is plowed time is saved, moisture is retained, and a better seed bed is secured. All of these factors are important this spring when labor is scarce and a serious food shortage confronts the world.

Each half day's plowing should be harrowed before leaving the seed. When the soil is allowed to become dry after plowing, clods are formed which are hard to break up and which are difficult to get a seed bed.

In their haste to get their plowing finished many farmers turn over a whole field before touching it with disk or harrow. Time is lost, however, by this practice. The clouds will soon make the ground ready for the extra workings of the man.

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Mr. Poultry Raiser—Let me brood those chicks of yours for 30 days without one cent of expense to you. Write or phone C. L. Bell, 110 Main St. and Shelly, Ohio, phone 48X.

For Sale—Two horse power Ohio engine, good as new. Engine will be granted full entrance requirements if their present standing is satisfactory.

The Proposed Bond Issue.

As to the proposed bond issue of \$50,000.00 for a new school building there are several things that our citizens should take into consideration before casting their ballot.

That we need more school room there is no question, but do we need to expend \$50,000.00 to get it? As we all know the tax rate of our village is about to the limit and with an extra tax vote, let's add for school purposes, and for the filtration plant, our tax payers will be burdened about enough without being forced to pay for something which is unnecessary. Should the proposed bond issue carry it will mean an additional expense of around \$6000.00 per year to be paid by our school board, which at present can not meet the expenses of our present school system, being in debt about \$16000.00 now.

This expense can be met in some way and that is to increase the tax rate of our town, which means in turn an increase of at least 20 per cent in rents from our non-tax payers, as all voters should stand an equal amount of this expense.

With this bond issue half the amount named, it should be an ample amount to erect the necessary room needed, it would no doubt carry without a dissenting vote, but as we all know Plymouth is not a city as yet and therefore can not afford its buildings to be hearths of education. We say that other towns have school buildings such as the proposed one but they are unable to say which towns have them.

The tax payers of Plymouth are willing to give our school people the desired room needed but not something wholly beyond our means.

A TAXPAYER.

Colored Man Murdered at Chicago Junction.

A colored man who has been going under the name of F. Johnson is dead, while another one, who has been going under the name of J. Jones is sought on a murder charge as the result of a shooting scrape in Chicago.

The shooting followed an argument over the occupancy of a house.

Johnson came to Chicago Junction with his wife some time ago to work with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad section gang. He rented a house in Marion, Indiana, and paid rent in advance up until May 1.

Several days ago he and his wife went away, and Rothchild believing him to be vacating the premises, rented the house to Jones.

Jones came back Saturday and took his gun and finding him in the place, Jones attempted to eject him. Trouble started at this point, as Johnson refused to leave. A warning followed and Jones left in an angry state.

About one o'clock Saturday night Jones, who had been drinking heavily, came back and again ordered Johnson out of the house. When he refused to leave Jones pulled out a revolver and pointing it at his head threatened to shoot him. The bullet crashed through the brain, but he staggered back and fell to the floor dead, the murderer making his escape and has not as yet been apprehended.

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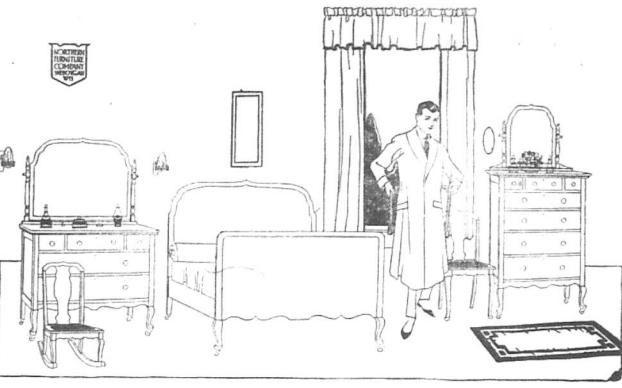
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Furniture and Rugs This Spring

Ralston Hardware and Furniture Store

Personal Mention.

Kenneth M. Read of Toledo, was home over Sunday.

Lawrence Gaskill was home from Columbus over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark and son, visited Shelye friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jum of Cleveland, were week-end guests of their parents.

Miss Ethel Fetter of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fetter.

Mr. Charles Waite and Miss Gertrude Waite are week-end visitors of Cleveland friends.

Frank Sheely and children spent last Sunday with her sister and family east of Shelye.

Miss Sue Beelman returned home Saturday after visiting with friends in Marion and Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bodler and sons of Marion, were week-end guests of Mrs. Susan Beelman.

Mrs. Sammie Lauer of Gales, and Mrs. Amanda Brown of Topeka, Kansas, spent Thursday with Frank Sheely and family.

Mrs. Chas. L. Walford and son, William, accompanied by her father, Mr. H. J. Walford, returned to her home in Osceola, Mich., Thursday.

Lawrence Murphy and Homer Buzzard, who started on the 17th of April to Winnipeg, Canada, have been heard from and are very much pleased with the country and people they have met so far.

Presbyterian Church.

9:30 a.m. Sunday School. In addition to the regular lesson will be an interesting talk on conditions in South America.

10:30 a.m. Morning church service. Sermon sub-et, "The Exaltation of Christ." An inspiration and help to all attending.

6:00 p.m. Evening Endeavor Society, Sister, Miss Grace Mumford, subject, "Love." Conservation meeting. Young people respond.

7:00 p.m. Evening church service.

Sermon, "Correct Ideas".

The church as a whole extends a cordial invitation to come to any of our services.

One-third Agricultural College Released for Farm Work.

Following the action of the Ohio State University faculty to excuse all students who will engage in greater food production work, principles of the one-third of the 750 boys in the College of Agriculture have been turned to their home farms or are now engaged in agricultural work of different kinds. Students enrolled in other colleges of the University, but who are ready to work on farms, are invited to do so.

In excusing students, the University requires a promise from them stating that they will engage in agricultural work until at least 31 days after the University's work is completed. The University, which is being greatly recommended. Graduation exercises will be held on Tuesdays, June 5, when all seniors will receive their diplomas.

While the date for the opening of the College of Agriculture has not yet been fixed, it is expected to be the 18th. It may be necessary to postpone the date until the fall crops are in the ground, especially if war conditions demand it.

High school seniors who are being excused to aid production activities will be granted a full entrance to the College of Agriculture next fall will be granted full entrance requirements if their present standing is satisfactory.

White, the editor of the "Daily Herald," says: "I was in a run-down, feeble condition and had to leave the field and go to the vineyard, and after taking two bottles of strength returned; I am gaining in flesh, it has built up my health, and am feeling fine for a woman of my age, so I get around and do my housework."

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mrs. Wickerham's case was because she had a very bad heart condition. She was a widow, and the American Red Cross gave her the sum of \$200, which they recovered in a suit for slander.

AN AGED WOMAN

Tells How Vinol Made Her Strong

In her eighty-second year Mrs. John Wickerham, of Russellsville, Pa., says:

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S. F. Stambaugh

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Korte, residing in the town of Henry county, donated to the American Red Cross the sum of \$200, which they recovered in a suit for slander.

TIPPECANOE

By SAMUEL MCCOY

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And now David goes through the Valley of the Shadow worse than death, for his pursuit of the Indians who have captured and carried away the beloved Toineette is stopped in the forest depths by an event of tragic importance. How he saved himself and his friend, why hope of rescuing the girl comes to him, is told in this installment.

Tragedy has followed David relentlessly. His father was hanged for rioting in England. He came to Ceydon settlement to kill an enemy; instead, he made friends, learned love. Toineette O'Bannon, fell in with Ceydon, the British spy, by accident, was accused of treason himself and captured. Toineette became the girl asked for proof of his innocence. Soon after her capture at Vincennes, his friend, Ike Blackford, rode madly in with the news that Toineette had been abducted by Indians. He and Blackford set forth to intercept the kidnappers. Ike fell sick in the forest.

CHAPTER XI—Continued.

When David reached his side his eyes were closed. Frantically he sprang up handful after handful of wood from the nearest pool, dashed it in his face, then flung the glass where Ike lay. He had gone mad with despair over his friend's fate. He moved feebly, lifted himself on his elbow and looked about with unseeing eyes. He tried to rise farther, and toppled over again, moaning.

David's heart sank at the situation. He took his gun and knife and built a fire and labored with wood and steel till he succeeded in coaxing a blaze to live in the dry chips and tinder he found in a hollow tree. He lifted Ike in his arms, exerting all his strength, and bore him to the spot. Blackford lay still, and David, panting, breathing with stertorous grunts, that seemed to leave him weaker and weaker. But there was nothing that David could do, and having eaten his bit of venison, he sat through the night with his eyes fixed on the face of the sick man lying in the faint and wavering light of the little fire, while the black shadows of the forest closed them in relentlessly.

At dawn Ike seemed to be sleeping more naturally. The Wabash must lie within a few miles to the west; there was little hope, possibility that he might come on some enterprising trapper there, floating down the stream with his load of pelts who would lend succor. David took off his hunting shirt, hid it, together with his rifle and powder horn, within the hollow, tightened his belt and his moccasins, and set off unhampered. A hundred yards and he was lost to sight in the forest.

An hour passed. The sick man stirred in his feverish sleep, raised himself up, and stared wildly about him. He rose to his knees weakly, caught at a leavy bough nodding in the breeze, and waved his hand at it in answer.

"Hello, Jack," he called feebly. "How's New York? Glad to see you—come down on the couch?"

He staggered to his feet and tottered about the grass, shaking hands with imaginary friends. After a train of maddening fits in his delirious brain and he began pleading a cause, argued, blustered, extrated, stormed; and only the multitudinous thunders of the trees heard and mocked him with their silence.

A naked, copper-colored figure glided across the scene, and, like a snake, grew and crawled like a serpent toward the gesticulating madman. From behind a fallen log its glittering, evil eye watched the drunken staggers of the sick man and a British master. The Indian tried to reach over Ike's heart; the red fingers on the trigger was about to tighten, when suddenly Ike drew himself to his full height and began singing in his clear tenor:

Cheer, cheer, you shall not grieve,
Aold and true you'll find me,
In Malden, my home, in Malden
Would go with you...

The ambushed weapon sank again uncertainly; into the glittering eye came a puzzled look; and then the hidden savagery rose with a burst of understanding and strode fearlessly with lowered gun up to the singer's side.

"How!" came the guttural salutation.

The eyes of the white man looked full at him without a ray of comprehension. In a instant a moment ago Blackford passed, and then, turning his shoulder carelessly on the warrior, resumed his song.

The Indian nodded understandingly. "Ugh!" he grunted. "White man bid Manitou! Make big medicine."

He glided off again into the forest as noiselessly as he came; and for a while only the sound of the snapping twigs and the twigs of birds broke the stillness overhead. Ike had sunk to the ground. And then, one by one, those stole into the glade six naked savages, their clubs hideously clutched with red gore. Their leader was bowering, nodding over their heads. The one who had first discovered Ike pointed to the figure on the grass.

"Big medicine," he grunted; "no hurt."

They passed on to the north, in single file. Behind them leaving between them a girl whose face was stained with weeping, whose dress was torn and muddy with the march, whose knees faltered beneath her. But relentlessly the march kept on; and the sick man, raising his head weakly again:

"Time we're going on, isn't it?" He tried to smile. "Why, what makes me wear Davy?"

"You've been sick a long while, son; easy now, easy!"

The tale of his long delirium was one which Ike heard in wonder. His sickness had left him like a little child, and he cried in sheer gratitude as he

Recounting the adventures and love which came into the lives of David Lawrence and Antoinette O'Bannon, in the days when pioneers were fighting red savages in the Indiana wilderness

realized what David had done for him. David said that Ike remembered nothing of his capture or his party; and he said nothing of it to Ike, fearing that Blackford would blame him for Toineette's loss.

They agreed, with hearts impressively heavy, that the delay had driven the last gleam of hope from the purblind eyes of the Indians, and so stand they began again to seek the river to the west. Onward they pressed, with infinite toll, Ike's hand clinging to David's shoulder.

Again and again they pressed toward the west, until the day when the long rushes rose above their heads; the pathless home of innumerable waterfowl. They had heard, upon the marshy ground, the cawing of the dry reeds. David lifted Ike's head in terror. He had not lost consciousness; an undurable fatigue possessed him, but his eyes burned with unconquerable resolve.

"I'm right, in a moment, Davy," he gasped. "It's only—uh, then what's that sound?"

He staggered to his feet and David held his breath. Then he shook his head.

"I hear nothing, but the blackbirds, Davy."

"No! Listen, Davy, the fife, the fife!"

David felt an awful fear sweep through him. Had the strain been too much for Ike's exhausted body? Was he destined to return once more? He knew not.

But he held his hand for silence.

"Listen, Davy, the fife! They're playing Yankee Doodle!" And, oh, Davy, you can hear the drums now!"

David strained in an agony of listening.

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second class matter.

TELEPHONE No. 59

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.
One Year (in advance) \$1.00
Six Months 50
not paid within three months. 125

That every family keep a pig, is the advice of State Treasurer Bryan. He believes this plan will reduce the high cost of living better than increased farm acreage. To buy a pig will cost little, said Tammie Bryan. Every small town family can keep a pig. Larger cities ought to take their restrictions off. One pig will keep a family in meat most of the winter, and will return a whole lot more than a garden.

The Wylls Overland company reported that during January, February and March of this year there were 44,000 automobiles, having a retail value of approximately \$38,000,000. Driveways during these three months broke all precedent, totaling 4,103 during the months of the year when road travel is at its very worst. On April 1, 1917, 1,000,000 Wylls cars were driven away. St. Louis set the record for long distance travel, the distributor in that city driving away 51 cars a distance of 570 miles.

Don't lose sight of the fact that the farmer and his boy who put forth every endeavor to increase their output of crops at this time, are the ones which patriotic men who shoulder guns and stand to the front. But the farmer who is so well fixed financially that he will raise only enough produce to "get along on," is a shirker and should be dealt with accordingly. Men in high office in America are urging owners of farms not to waste land and to put forth every reasonable effort to make something grow.

The government may take over the entire food supply in this country and regulate the use of it. America will have to feed the European countries this year and part of next, and, with so many men in the trenches, the supply of home-grown food to be small. The big end of the seven billion dollar loan will be spent in this country in providing food and vessels to carry it to the Europeans who need it. If peace is declared within the next few months, there are many to be fed both in the allied countries and also in the countries they are now fighting.

The open season for bass fishing closes at midnight next Monday night and during the month of May any angler caught with a bass in his possession is liable to a fine of from \$25 to \$200 and costs. Game Warden says that no person may fish for bass is allowed during the month of May and that no bass can be taken from the streams in any manner. In other words if an angler was along a stream fishing for suckers and a bass got on his hook it would be up to him to turn it back into the stream. If he didn't he would be subject to prosecution.

Because of the high price of soup beans the state of Ohio is going into the business of growing its own. Before the war these beans, which are used in exceptionally large quantities to feed the 28,000 yards of the state's roads, provided by the car load lot. Most of them came from Michigan, which is said to be the banner state of the union. Last year a half dozen car loads of them were purchased by the board of administration, and there are several tons of them left yet. Enough, in fact, to last until the new crop is in, have been distributed to the various institutions.

Avaunt by bank robbers, diamond thieves, gentlemen confidence men and forgers! Go join the has-beens and make way for the latest aristocrats of the present day, the potato chips! He quickly taking a position among the higher-ups in underworld life. The latest report of his doings comes from Lykens township. Wednesday a resident went to Tiffin and bought a bushel of seed potatoes for \$4.00, took them home and planted them. The next night he dug one out alone, dug them up and took them along and the original planter is along to know who is who in the case—Bucyrus Forum.

The county auditor will be drafting officer since the army universal service bill has passed both houses of congress and will without doubt become law this week. The draft will be to determine by lot drawn by the county auditor in the presence of certain other county officials Richland's county quota will be about 250. The section of the general law which concerns the new armament is as follows: "All draft ordered by the governor shall be determined by lot, to be drawn by the county auditor, in the presence of the probate judge, county commissioners, clerk, sheriff, township trustees or trustees or commissioners of municipal corporations or any two of them residing in any specified territory within the bounds of which the draft is being made."

Any way if your early garden truck you have planted has not come, and perhaps rotted, you can replant, and then be just as far advanced as those who waited.

Still in Business

At the old stand, Carriages of all descriptions and up-to-date. Very little advance in price, owing to the high material before they reached the highest point. Call and be satisfied. J. W. WEBB.

Notice.

Any person or persons who want to see or visit at my place after dark, please come straight to the house. Any one who comes and the building I'll shoot and shoot to kill. These are war times. Our property and lives must be protected.

L. P. HALE.

For Sale.

One I. H. Co. Trunk, 1,000 lbs. capacity, in good condition, at \$100; one Olds riding plow, al. O. K., at \$20; one 5-hp. D. & D. engine in running order, at \$45; one team of 4-year-old mules, weight about 2500 lbs., will sell for \$300, and one 4-year-old bay gelding, will weigh 1250, at \$100. Am using a tractor and have no use for above horse and mules.

FLOYD CHAMPION.

Clear Away the Waste.

Bowel regularity is the secret of good health, bright eyes, clear complexions, and Dr. King's New Life Pills are a mild and gentle laxative that regulates the bowels and removes the congested intestines by removing the accumulated waste products of the body. Take a pill before retiring and that heavy head, that dull spring fever feeling disappears. Get Dr. King's New Life Pills at your druggist, 25c.

Methodist Notes.

The Anniversary service of the L. O. F. Lodge held in the church last Sunday afternoon was largely attended and the address given by Dr. C. N. Blodgett, of Cincinnati was said to be one of the best heard in years.

About forty members of the church at Ashley and about twenty ministers from two districts attended the funeral Wednesday of the Rev. Chas. E. Cole. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to these bereaved families.

The regular services will be held next Sunday.

Tuesday evening, May 8th, a recital will be given in the church by Miss Weber under the auspices of the Ladies Aid and the Sunday School, admission ten cents.

Monday evening May 14 the May meeting of the Sunday School Board will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Howell.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

The qualified electors of the Plymouth Village Special School District of Plymouth, Ohio, will take notice that a Special Election will be held in said District on Tuesday evening, May 1917, for the purpose of voting on a general bond issue for said District, authorizing the Board of Education to sell bonds to the amount of \$60,000.00. Fifty Thousand Dollars covering a period of not more than forty years for the purpose of paying for the cost of repairing the present buildings and to furnish equipment in addition thereto, and that said election will be held in the usual place and time for holding regular elections. For holding the election the Board of Education adopted, on April 18, 1917, now on file with the Clerk of said Board, Dr. S. Walker. By order of Board of Education.

C. S. WALKER, Clerk.

VIOLA DANA

IN EDISON'S

The Cossack Whip

IN FIVE PARTS

Deisler Theatre

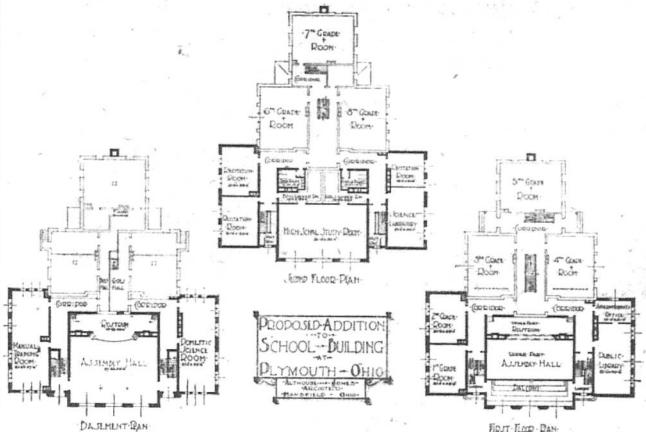
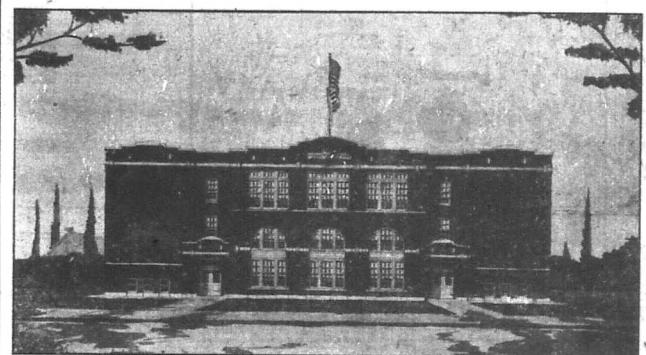


Thursday, May 10th

SYNOPSIS

A long line of prisoners winds across the snow-covered Russian steps toward Siberia. A band of revolutionists attacks the Cossack guard and several prisoners escape. Turov, Prefect of Police, orders the whole district raided that he may punish the perpetrators of the attack. A Cossack is sent to arrest the犯人, but her young sister, Darya, escapes. Her sister's body Darya swears revenge, and then follows a story of exceptional power, telling how Darya, having become the favorite dancer of the Imperial Ballet, brings the brave Turov to her feet and accomplishes her revenge; and how a little later Darya flees Russia and makes her way to America with the man she loves.

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT FOR PLYMOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOLS



THE number of pupils enrolled in the Plymouth Public School averaging more than 28 to the grade necessitates providing eight rooms for the grade schools that will meet with the approval of the State Department.

The High School must provide a study hall, four class rooms and a laboratory TO MEET OUR PRESENT NEEDS. THIS MUST COME WITHIN THE PRESENT YEAR IF WE ARE TO RETAIN OUR CHARTER AS A FIRST GRADE SCHOOL.

A library must be provided with a minimum number of books or even graded to meet certain requirements for the high school. This is provided for in the plans.

An assembly hall is provided on the first floor sufficiently large to assemble the entire school for group instruction in music, art, etc.; for drill work in calesthenics, rhythmic work and indoor games for the lower grades; for school entertainments, community center work, public entertainments,—a public place for the use of the public at all times.

The plans make the greatest possible use of the present building, provides the greatest possible improvement for the least possible outlay, meets all the requirements for the present school system, are adequate to meet the increase reasonably to be expected during the life of the bonds, provides a building that is in every respect a unit and in the future makes possible the removal of the old building and the rebuilding of a new wing in its place without disturbing the proposed new part in the least.

Mr. Citizen:—Give this proposition your best consideration. If there is any thing about it that you do not understand ask a member of the board of education or the superintendent of school about it and they shall be pleased to explain the situation carefully and thoroughly.

J. A. KERSHNER, Supt.

SPORT GOODS

Hang Koo Cloth at	50c
Big Spot Basket Cloth at	50c
Other Sport Patterns at	25c & 39c

RAMIE LINEN

Pink and Blue at	75c
Shrink Cotton, pink and blue at	29c

SILK SPECIAL

Black Taffeta, \$1.50 value, while they last,
at the special price of

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NEW DRESS GINGHAMS

At 12 1-2c. Splendid values. See Them.

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Buying Jewelry and Gems is a matter of confidence.

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All calls promptly attended to day or night.

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Good time to plant your
Spring advertisements

And now we have May with us.
Ain't you glad you did not change
'em?

The May day queen got a chilly re-
ception.

April sort of came and went in the
lion class.

The only thing cheap to chew now
is the rag.

Memorial Day will occur on
Wednesday this year.

Welcome May, and we don't care
how soon you get "her" up.

You can take your choice—walk
up and enlist or be drafted.

Miss Spring is certainly having a
hard time edging her way in.

For Sale—Ford Touring Car. For
particulars call at the Home Bakery.

—Call at J. W. Webb's old reliable
buzy shop for any pleasure vehicle.
Prices right.

For Rent—New, 6-room house on
West Broadway. Enquire of Miss
Grace Hanick.

That strong May day first wind
certainly did sweep the lead limbs
from the trees.

What has become of the old-fash-
ioned Peachblow potato, and for that
matter the Blue Mechanic?

The Windmills of Holland, by the
third and fourth grades at the Pres-
byterian church tonight (Friday).

Did you notice that crowd in town
Saturday evening? Then, too, how
orderly and good they were.

Will pay highest market price for
old lead delivered at our factory.

The J. D. Fette Co.

A movement is on foot for the
government to confiscate all incomes in
excess of \$100.00. Good! Here's
ours.

Will take orders for cut flowers
for Mother's day at the Shattuck home
on Portner street. Order early.
Phone L. 134.

Remember May 15 is the day we
vote on the school house bonds. A
majority vote is all that is necessary
to carry or defeat the measure.

For Sale—Gum range, in excellent
condition, will be sold well worth the
money. For price and particulars
call at the home of Reuben Deisler.

April made her exit in a deluge of
rain, which followed in a gale of
strong wind, with snow and then a
flake of snow flitting through the air.

A noted writer predicts that the
time will come when all people will
be compelled to be placed on rations
Gosh, hurry it up. We've been on
half rations until it hurts.

Gee! Isn't that proposed addition
to the school building something
handsome? Not only that it is just
what we must have to keep in line
with the first grade schools of Ohio.

The fly season is approaching and
you will soon need screens. Fleming's
Paint Shop can make them in any
size or quantity desired. Just phone
in your order and it will be taken
care of.

Perhaps we can hold our com-
mencement exercises in the assembly
room by another year. At least let
us hope so. It will be a saving of
about \$500 and a whole lot of hard
work if we do.

The commencement exercises of
the Plymouth High School will be
held Friday evening, June 1, at the
Lutheran church. The class this
year, the second in several years,
numbers only five.

W. K. McKee of Fostoria, well
known throughout, traveling freight
agent of the B. & O., has been ap-
pointed by his company to take
charge of the food crop survey be-
tween Hicksville and Chicago June

15.

Do not fail to hear Alta Weber,
reader and entertainer, at the Meth-
odist church May 8th. Given under
the auspices of the Friendship class
Admission 10¢. Tickets may be pur-
chased from any member of the class.

Memorial Day will mean more to
us this year than ever. Arrange-
ments are being made here to make
the day a patriotic one and every one
is invited to co-operate with the old
soldiers in observing the day in a
patriotic manner.

A representative of the Nash
Made-to-measure \$10.00 and \$15.00
clothes will be at Hotel Derringer
today (Sunday) to submit samples,
take measurements and orders. If
you are in need of a spring suit, look
over his samples.

Philip Ward, eldest son of Mr.
and Mrs. James Ward, is the first
person from Plymouth to offer his
services in defense of his country, in
the world-wide war, having enlisted in
the 5th Ohio, and is ordered to re-
port at Cleveland Monday.

Postmaster Barnett has received
his credentials and is now a full-
fledged post office. And according
to enlist in the service of his
country, can find the necessary
blanks at the office and also trans-
portation to the nearest recruiting
station.

Miss McKee, who is well
known here and is the daughter of
R. E. McKee, formerly Buzy
Shop owner, is preparing to
leave for Europe with a hospital
unit being organized at Lakeside
hospital, Cleveland; by Dr. Crile,
noted Cleveland surgeon. Miss Mc-
Kee has been in training at Lakeside
hospital for several years.

The Missionary Society of the
Presbyterian church will meet with
Mrs. Rowalt, Friday 2 p. m. May
11th. Secy.

The survey work for the new fil-
tration plant was made last week
and construction work will be start-
ed soon.

For late styles in summer hats, in
white and colors, flowers and trim-
mings go to Mrs. Geo. Slesinger's
Millinery Parlor.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M.
E. church will meet with Mrs. Carpenter,
Tuesday, May 8th.

Dr. R. C. Price of Marion, will be
at his office in Plymouth all Monday
for the purpose of examining
eyes and fitting glasses.

101 laughs in the "Windmills of

Holland," a playlet to be given by

the young talent of the town at the

Presbyterian church tonight Friday,

May 4th. Only 10¢.

According to the New Washington
Herald, there is having a "meas-
ingly" time of it just at present, up-
wards of seventy cars of men
preaching there at this time.

Meet us tonight at the Presby-
terian church where we will
see something good, "Windmills of
Holland," given by school children
of real talent. Think of it—just one
dime.

The schools in Plymouth, Cass,
Bloomingrove, Butler, Weller and
Shares' townships close this week.
These schools have but eight months.
This will give the boys a chance to work

Governor Cox will not receive the
support of the laborers and traders
he so much needs. Effectively he
has issued orders that the vagrancy law
be strictly enforced and all able bodied
men be compelled to go to work.

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An exchange says that burying
silver in flour will keep it bright for
long. Gee! If we could only have
a hour we wouldn't mind keeping our
silver brightened up with vinegar
and ashes, the same as our forefath-
ers did.

Coop & Lent's shows will exhibit
at Novak's, afternoon and evening,
next week Thursday. It may
be a little cool for red lemon
ade, but you can munch peanuts
while watching the acts under the
big top.

I have taken the Agency for the
Columbus Evening Dispatch, 1 cent,
very new paper of about 12 pages
and is only 1c daily paper coming
to Plymouth. I will be glad to put
you on my list and assure you good
service.

Herbert Cross.

No use to send to "Roxy Scar-
beck's" for your shoes as the
European war has in no way affected
the prices at Rogers' shoe store. Prices
on all goods just as they were pre-
pared for the war. To confirm this
just drop in and see for yourself.

Porto Rico will be over worked
this year. There will be many
potato patches that will never be
enough bugs to go around. What
there are will have to work
night and day before they can de-
ceive eating up the vines and de-
stroying the crop.

One of the bright "hits" of the
year at the Presbyterian church, ton-
ight, Friday. A pretty program
and the organists, Hollister and
Foster, will be given by school
children of exceptional talent. Pretty costumes
and enthralling music. The best
value for any dime you will ever
spend.

Mowing pasture lands when the
weeds are in full bloom is an excel-
lent practice, as it prevents the
formation of weed seeds. Most
of the personal seed can easily be brought under con-
trol if they are not allowed to pro-
duce seed for several years in suc-
cessive seasons.

Sear the drawings for the proposed
new addition to the school building?
If the proposition goes through,
which it should, you can take your
visiting friends up and show them
our school building and point to
it with pride and too, with the satis-
faction of a person who is perfectly
perfect to be found in the state,
which will more than remunerate
you for the little additional tax you
will have paid.

Traffic on the S. N. & M. electric
was very much crippled Tuesday and
Wednesday, occasioned by the low
gas pressure at Elyria, from which
the road gets its "juice." No
cars were run from 2:30 Tuesday
morning until 8:30 this morning,
while during the following day
was tied up until nearly noon,
and, too, the trouble all started on
the day the road puts its new spring
schedule into effect.

The New Haven Township High
School will hold their commencement
exercises Wednesday evening, May 16, at 8 o'clock at the M. E.
church in the above village. The
class session will be held on Sun-
day evening, May 13, at 7:30 o'clock
by the Rev. Charles Gallimore of
Norwalk. There are five graduates
as follows: Loyal Rapp, Claude Sutton,
Elise L. Watts, Clarence Bevier and
Donald Long. The music will
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Postmaster Barnett has received

From J. E. McGilvrey, president
of Kent state normal college, a state-
ment says that an item recently sent
out of Columbus saying that there
was no teacher seminary at Kent
normal college is entirely incorrect.
In fact, the largest and best
summer school in the history of the
college is anticipated. The money for
this was appropriated by the last
legislature. Correspondence through
the office, it is stated, indicates an
enrollment of from 2,000 to 2,500
for the summer school.

Mrs. and Mrs. Floyd Bailes of
Howling Green, O., spent Monday at
the home of their uncle, Rube Ech-
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A delicious combination
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who plays with the life of a man
like the pawn on a chess board
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BILL UP TO PRESIDENT

Conscription Measure to Be O-K'd by Chief.

Volunteer Military System in Vogue for Many Years in United States Is Put in the Discard.

Washington, D. C.—The conscription bill probably will formally become a law by the latter part of the week, when it is expected President Wilson's signature will be affixed to the bill. It was introduced into the joint conference of house and senate members for a compromise agreement on the differences now existing between the bills as passed in the two branches of congress.

The action of congress means that the United States will speedily enter into the bloody European arena with an army. The decision modernizes the military methods of the United States and puts in the discard a volunteer military system that has been followed since the foundation of the republic. It takes the bill with its severe authorization of volunteers eliminated, is as follows:

"Authorizes the president to raise, organize, equip and officer the regular army to a maximum strength of 200,000 men, and the national guard to approximately 650,000 men."

Provides, under selective conscription, that the president, in addition, shall have power to raise and train a second army of 500,000 men.

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Allows liability to military service all male citizens between 21 and 40, inclusive.

Exempts from military service the vice president, the legislative, executive and judicial officials of the United States, the members of the diplomatic corps belonging to recognized religious organizations whose creeds are against war and ministry of any religion.

President gives discretion to exempt or draft for partial service custom house clerks, persons handling mails, workers in munitions factories, sailors, yachts and armories; persons engaged in industries necessary to maintenance of the war, established sailors, pilots and mariners, merchant marine persons having dependent families, all persons morally and physically deficient.

PUT WREATHS ON AMERICAN'S TOMB

French and British War Missions Unite With U. S. In Pilgrimage of Love.

Washington, D. C.—France and British hands reached across the sea and locked with those of America over the grave of General Washington at Mount Vernon. The three great democracies of the world united in a pilgrimage of love and respect to the shrine of the man who made democracy possible.

Attended by delegations that were manifestations of their sympathy, the French and British war missions on behalf of their governments placed memorial wreaths on the tomb of the great American, which forever will serve as a reminder to the American people of the deep respect and admiration which they hold for the father of America.

STRICKEN BELGIUM TO GET PART OF WAR LOAN

Washington, D. C.—Baron E. De Carter, Belgian minister at Washington, held a conference with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo at which it was agreed that the entire Belgian people shall participate in the big loan being given by the United States to her European allies, despite the fact that Belgium can give practically no security for the money. Arrangements for the advance of the amount will be made so as to keep the arms of the Belgian forces, whether or not the American treasury has to wait for generations for repayment of the loan.

Gold Coins Are Unearthed.

Cincinnati, Ohio—Gold coins valued at about \$1,500 were unearthed by laborers on an excavation at the site of the new Y. M. C. A. building here. One of the laborers sunk his pick into the ground and it happened to be a stone lag.

The next plunge of the pick broke the lug and gold coins in denominations of \$1, \$2.50, \$5, \$10 and \$20 were uncovered. Some of the coins dated back to 1852. There was a wild scramble of laborers until every piece was recovered.



Col. Aurelio Hevia, secretary of war of Cuba, will have general charge of the Cuban forces in the war. He has been invited to the joint conference of house and senate members for a compromise agreement on the differences now existing between the bills as passed in the two branches of congress.

DRY NATION FORESEEN

War May Put Uncle Sam On Water Wagon.

Not Improbable That Manufacture of Alcoholic Beverages in America Will Be Put Under Ban.

Washington, D. C.—The war may put Uncle Sam on the water wagon. It is not improbable that August 1, or perhaps July 1, will find the manufacture of alcoholic beverages under ban. The question of putting the United States on a prohibition basis is the one that has been receiving the administration's chief attention as soon as the army bill is enacted. The question, as it is considered in administration circles, is not one of prohibition for prohibition's sake. It is simply a question of the people of the United States and their allied nations shall eat or shall drink.

Each barrel of beer produced takes nearly two bushels of grain now virtually needed for food purposes. Each barrel of whisky and beer requires almost two bushels of grain. The world's reserves of foodstuffs lower than ever before, with millions of men on the battle line who must be fed but who can produce nothing, and with many more millions engaged in the production of food for the men who must be fed, the problem of conservation is the biggest one in the world today, for authorities agree it bids fair to determine the result of the war.

That an American force whose size is as yet undetermined, will be on the fighting line within 30 days, seems to be a probability, and the moment first will be part of the national guard of the states, whose organizations have had the most actual field experience.

But the consumption of grain in distilling high proof spirits was considerably less than one-third of the grain used for all alcoholic drinks.

More than 90,250,000 bushels were used in brewing the \$6,625,624 barrels of beer we produced last year.

OHIOANS GET MEDALS FOR ACTS OF HEROISM

Pittsburgh, Penna.—At the spring meeting of the Carnegie Hero Fund committee, the acts of heroism were recognized by medals.

The Ohioans who received awards and their specific acts of bravery follow:

Clyde E. Krom, deceased, aged 25, keeper, Scio, O., died attempting to save Orville Stizemore, 19, from drowning at New Boston, O. Dec. 9, 1916.

Noah D. Clark, 33, millwright, Cleves, O., helped to save Eva N. Dean, 39, and Edward Dean, 43, from drowning at Cleves, March 26, 1915.

Edward M. McDonald, 31, foreman, Cleves, who also helped to save Dean, was awarded a bronze medal and \$500.

Tire Burns Auto, Three Die.
Mansfield, Ohio—All three occupants of a taxicab were killed near here when the automobile was struck by a Toledo-Mansfield flyer at the Bowman street crossing three miles from the city. The taxicab, driven by Frane, 24, steel worker; Miss Mabel McElroy, 19; Harry Lowman, 23, taxi driver. The party left here for a pleasure drive and were on route back to the city when the machine was struck by the train. The driver had started to cross the tracks in front of the passenger train.

SHIP SUNK, LIVES LOST

Thirty-one U. S. Citizens Believed to Be Dead.

Armed American Oil Carrying Steamer Is Torpedoed and Destroyed by German U-Boat.

New York City.—Thirty-one American lives are believed to have been lost when the armed American oil-carrying steamer Vacuum was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the north coast of Ireland, while en route from a British to an American port.

Newspaper dispatches from London and cable advice to the ship's owners, the Vacuum Oil Co. of New York, say the vessel exploded.

It seemed established beyond doubt that the toll of life included:

The Vacuum's skipper, Capt. S. S. Harris, of New York;

Twenty members of his crew;

The commander of the United States gun crew aboard the Vacuum, Lieut. Clarence Crane Thomas, a Californian;

Eleven members of his crew.

The Vacuum had two lifeboats, to which those aboard took while the vessel was sinking. Boat No. 1 contained 12 men and was destroyed. Boat No. 2 has been landed. It contained: The Vacuum's chief officer 13 members of the ship's crew, and four naval gunners.

Altogether, eight American lives are known to have been saved. The loss of the American vessel marks the first American "casualty list" in the war with Germany. The gun crew's commander, Lieut. Thomas, is the first American officer to be killed in the discharge of his duty as armed guardian of a peaceful American merchantman.

Washington, D. C.—Reports that the movement in Germany for the establishment of a republic are not taken definite shape, but were given serious consideration by high officials of the government. While it was admitted that German officials might have started the reports in an attempt to put the United States off its guard, state department officials consider the reports highly significant. The department's information of the general political unrest in Germany was added to by an official dispatch from Minister Stovall, at Berne, Switzerland, stating that a committee had been formed there to spread propaganda in favor of a republican form of government in Germany.

Washington, D. C.—The appeal of military members of the French Foreign Legion to be released and sent to the army general staff receiving orders to work out plans for the immediate sending of an American army to the west front. The planes which are only tentative, may be passed upon by President Wilson and then go into operation. This was learned from high officials of the war department.

That an American force whose size is as yet undetermined, will be on the fighting line within 30 days, seems to be a probability, and the moment first will be part of the national guard of the states, whose organizations have had the most actual field experience.

Washington, D. C.—The market for grain, provisions and live stock, Cleveland, May 1—Wheat—Minneapolis patients \$14.45.

Wheat—No. 2 red \$14.00.

Corn—Bushels \$1.66.

Oats—No. 2 white 79c.

Potatoes—Choke white \$3.00-\$10 per bushel.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$16.00.

Sheep—Weathers \$11.00-\$12.00, lambs \$12.00-\$13.00.

Hogs—Yards \$15.75, pigs \$12.25.

Tobacco, May 1—Wheat—Cah.

Corn—Bushels \$1.61.

Oats—Bushels \$1.03.

Converses—Cah \$10.95.

Flax—May 1—Cattle—Shipping \$16.00-\$12.25.

Sheep—Yards \$15.75-\$16.00, pigs \$12.25-\$13.00.

Hogs—Yards \$15.75-\$16.00, pigs \$12.25-\$13.00.

Chicago, May 1—Wheat—May \$2.71.

Corn—May 1.49c.

May 6 68c.

May 13 73c.

Lard—July \$2.60.

Cattle—Native steer \$9.00-\$14.00, cows \$10.00-\$15.00.

Hogs—Heavy \$10.25-\$15.90, pigs \$10.00-\$12.00.

Tampa, Fla.—Tobacco—Cah \$12.25.

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Sheep—Yards \$15.75-\$16.00, pigs \$12.25-\$13.00.

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St. Louis, Mo.—Tobacco—Cah \$12.25.

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Philadelphia, Pa.—Tobacco—Cah \$12.25.

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San Francisco, Calif.—Tobacco—Cah \$12.25.

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EVERS FORGETS ALL SAVE GAME IN THICK OF BATTLE

Veteran Gets Reputation as Unlucky Baller Because He Puts Whole Heart and Soul into Struggle.

Johnny Evers, captain of the Boston Braves, has become known as an unpredictable batsman because, in his own words, he forgets all save the game when in the thick of a struggle on the diamond. Grantland Rice tells of a recent conversation with the veteran player on this subject in the course of which Evers said:

"I don't believe in looking for a chance to go after an umpire. But I believe in a player putting his whole heart and soul into a game, in fighting every minute he is on the field. And when a player works himself into this pitch it is hard to keep quiet when you believe that some bad decision has cost you a game that you worked so hard to win."

"You say that getting after the umpire doesn't ever change a decision or do any good. Probably not. But when I am in a game I never think of anything else but the game. If I didn't care, if I could take the game easily, without getting keyed up, I would never open my mouth. But I



Johnny Evers.

can't take the game that way. To me it is a battle, and I lost sight of anything else."

Evers, who is one of the few members of the famous Cuban machine of a few years ago still in major league baseball, refuses to grow old.

"The only time I feel old," said Johnny, "is when I read or hear that another of the old Cubs has drifted back and passed out, or that some man I used to argue or played against is through."

"Then I begin to figure that I must be getting along myself, and that my time must be nearly up. But I seem to feel younger each year, and to like baseball better. If I were showing up I don't feel as though I wanted to play a little longer each spring to get my arm in condition and to get going at speed."

"As far as this season is concerned, I know I feel as young as I did that day nearly fifteen years ago when I



Horse of a Different Complexion.

Irate Master-John William, you've been fighting again! I should like to know what you cannot get along with the boys around here. J. W. — Why, Mama, Georgia Collier said he thought the men had no force to have a big fat woman like you naggling at a fellow all the time, an'—an'—

L. M.—Go back to play, John William. I'm very busy.

A String to Them. What became of that string of pearls your husband was going to give you?"

"Oh, he had hold of the string."

Nothing Serious. "Was I full when you saw me last night?"

"I wouldn't like to say that."

"Come on, What was I doing?"

"Well, you were challenging a lamp-post to race."

It's Nature.

"No watering place, however, fails to make us more exclusive."

"Why not?"

"Because anybody who pleases can be in the swim."

Rest Periods as Aid to Production

By ALFRED WESTFALL,
Instructor in Colorado Agricultural College.

Fatigue is the decreased ability to do work as the result of doing work. Work uses up the energy stored in the cells, wears out the cells themselves, and produces poisons in the blood. Fatigue may be either physical or mental. Its characteristics are acceleration of the pulse and respiration, increase in bodily temperature, fluctuation of the attention, increase in error, decrease in control of movements, reduction in the capacity for physical work, and the lowering of the mental functions.

During rest the body recovers from fatigue, the cells are rebuilt, and the blood gets rid of its poisons. The man who does work, mental or physical, must proportion his work and rest to accomplish the maximum amount of work with the minimum amount of fatigue. If he works too long at a time, he so completely exhausts the cells that they recover slowly. If he rests too frequently or too long at a time, he fails to accomplish his maximum amount of work. The periods for work and rest vary with the different kinds of work.

At the Bethlehem steel works it was found that undirected laborers loaded an average of 12½ tons of pig iron per day. Even when bonuses were offered, they were not able to go beyond this average, for if they did too much the first part of the day, they were not able to do so much the latter part. When, under the direction of an efficiency expert, they followed each twelve-minute period of work with a period of rest, they were able to load 47½ tons with less fatigue. These and other experiments have led to the conclusion that every worker should have a brief period of rest every two hours at least, and much oftener if the work is difficult and exacting.

came to the Cubs. If they would only keep the papers from mentioning that another old Cub had slipped back from the battle line I'd still be a young man ten years from now, or twenty years from now."

"It's only when you begin to think you are old that you lose your grip. And I would never think about it except for that."

Well-Prepared Soil First

Step Toward a Good Lawn,

Declares Expert Gardener.

Thorough preparation of the soil is the first requisite in building a lawn, points out M. F. Ahearn, professor of landscape gardening in the Kansas State Agricultural Experiment Station. Plow deep, manure and harrow the soil well before sowing. This will be most satisfactory as it prevents the growth of weeds and other grasses.

"Watch for the first appearance of weeds in the lawn and destroy them with a hoe. If you see a small lawn dandelion out to remove the roots."

Kentucky blue grass is the best plant to plant, in the opinion of Professor Ahearn. It thrives in almost any soil and does well in this part of the state. Keep the front of the lawn clean of weeds. Plant grass in the corners, on the sides and backs. A flower bed has no place in a small lawn. The lawn has demonstrated that laying grass can be kept in any back yard no matter how small without becoming an objection to the neighbors, and that eggs can be economically produced.

Legumes may be used for meat as soon as the plants are well established. During March the feed cost of a dozen eggs was less than 9 cents a dozen.

It is thus seen that the longer the hens are kept the lower the feed cost of a dozen eggs will be. By July 1 a dozen for more than 12 cents a dozen. At market price which averaged 35 cents a dozen, the eggs were worth \$12.13. In other words, the hens returned a profit of 50 cents a dozen.

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OHIO NEWS CUT TO THE QUICK

Alron is trying out eastern time at Shelia Free Barnes committed suicide by shooting.

Company formed at Findlay to manufacture serum for treatment of live stock.

Three-year-old son of Harry Ferguson at Fremont has infantile paralysis.

At Mansfield Peter Horvath, nine, who was seriously injured when struck by an automobile.

Judge James H. Dey, seventy-seven, president of the First National bank at Celina, is dead.

Arthur T. Schroeder, Toledo postal carrier, was dismissed for alleged dietary irregularities.

Daniel Marhoefer, southern Ohio stock dealer, dropped dead at Waverly from apoplexy.

Charles Huber, sixty-two, former mayor of Ashland county recorder, passed away at Shelia.

At Kenton James Cousins received his grandmother from a fire, but was seriously burned himself.

Joseph E. Roberts, fifty-two, was killed in Bucyrus when a passenger train struck his automobile.

Elias Reed, seventy-one, died at Mt. Vernon, the first death in a family of six sons and six daughters.

United Brethren Publishing company failed for the fiscal year ending June 30.

W. H. Huffman, retired manufacturer, Springfield, died of injuries received when struck by an auto.

Charles Smith, business agent of the Cleveland building trades council, died at Shelia.

Miss Sarah Haunbeck, seventeen, was found dead in bed at her home near Wesley Chapel, Perry county.

Efforts are being made to identify three bodies unclaimed by workmen in a gravel pit near St. Marys resort.

Merie Morrow, fifteen, was killed when caught in a skating at the Ohio Clay Products company plant at Salineville.

John Foster Johnson, seventy-three, former mayor of London and former Madison county sheriff, died at Springdale.

Cuyahoga county high and seventh and eighth grades will be closed this week, freeing 1,500 students to aid in flood relief.

Captain W. C. Johnson, seventy-four, former commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died at Cincinnati.

Six agricultural recruiting agencies are now established in as many Ohio cities for enrollment of high school lads for farm work.

Francis Holmes, sixty-four, and his nephew, Francis Holmes, Jr., were killed when their buggy was hit by a truck.

Near half a state fair will be managed by E. V. Walther, who for thirteen years has been secretary of the Van Wert county fair.

Walter Jenckle died at Clevelands from self-inflicted knife wounds. He was accused of having been on a charge of murdering his wife.

A train struck a moving van at Kent, injuring William McMenamy, George Hawkins, Joe Guarnerio, E. Snyder, and G. Shultz.

Body of unidentified woman about thirty years old was taken from the Maumee river at Toledo. It had been in the water several days.

Governor Cox urged that all public officials exempt farmers from jury service and all other public activities that would interfere with work on the farm.

Three men whom John Nelman fired when he discovered them robbing his father's bomb at Fremont, returned the fire, wounding him and escaped.

New Lexington city council passed an ordinance fixing a 25 cent gas rate after the Ohio Fuel Supply company announced it would honor the price to 20 cents.

Professor George W. Hoyle resigned as head of the department of geography at Miami university to become service manager for a Toledo manufacturing firm.

Worry over his failure to pass for examination which would admit him to the army caused August A. Anderson, a Swede, to commit suicide. He died at Canton.

A jurisdictional dispute between labor unions, which had the work on the new commercial courthouse delayed Jan. 25, at a cost of \$45,000 to Hamilton county, has been settled.

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Oho's greatest problem in food production is the labor shortage, according to reports received by the Ohio State Department of Agriculture at Columbus. A considerable acreage in Ohio is not being filled for want of tenants and farm hands. Unless this situation can be relieved at once, Ohio farms may be forced to go out of business.

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Ludwig Malor, a farmer living in Kirtland township, Geauga county, was shot and instantly killed by his daughter, Ruth, twenty-one, who defended herself against John from an attack by their father.

State industrial commission made the following appointments: S. G. Glenidden, Confection, claims examiner; W. H. Ireland, Chillicothe, claims investigator, and H. G. Wagner, superintendent of the Toledo labor exchange.

The Baltimore & Ohio R.R.

Fri.

4:45 p.m.

Lack of men to work the farms was the great world's war, and the call for a million men has gone forth, there is the gravest danger of additional scarcity of labor on farms and a possibility of a situation that will easily undermine the strength of the nation and bring greater disaster to this otherwise beautiful country.

With its millions of acres in rich farmland, America could feed the world, but these farms are aridated and cultivated, the greatest asset to the country is lost.

A conservator of labor is needed at once. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has devised a plan that will help to relieve the situation.

Bosses will be urged not only to give vacations to employees, but to restrict vacations to actual service in helping to produce food products for the nation. The boys too young to enlist, or the men who have exhausted military service, may fit in a thousand ways for farm work, thus permitting the city man not only to have his vacation, but to contribute by working on farms where farm labor is needed.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, with full knowledge of the labor shortage on farms in its territory, and realizing the increasing danger, some time ago formulated plans towards solving up a solution to this problem. The railroad and the Farm Labor Bureau and Employment Agency, which is a part of the Commercial Development Department of the Company, working in conjunction with the Traffic Department.

Samuel H. Layton, superintendent of Lancaster schools, won't let any boy leave the schools without interfering with him as he appeared in court. Court's ruling entitles him to one year's salary of \$2,200.

Private Bernard Grossell of De Forest, a member of Company G, Sixth Infantry, was accidentally shot and probably fatally wounded at Cleveland by a revolver in the hands of Miss Margaret Wunder, seventeen.

Dr. Forces in Ohio will use every means to prevent the levy by congress of a heavy war tax on malt and other intoxicating liquors, according to J. A. Whitehead, head of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League.

Failure of Harry Lowman, taxi driver, to observe the approach of a passenger train, brought death to himself and his passengers, Lester Prince, twenty-four, and Miss Mabel McElroy, nineteen, at a crossing in Mansfield.

Circuit court of appeals at Akron entered a judgment of ouster against Lester P. Blasius, elected probate judge of Summit county, at the last session, on the ground that in spending more than \$1,000 in campaign expenses he violated the corrupt practices act.

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