

## FIRST OHIO INDEPENDENT BATTERY REUNION.

The 35th annual reunion of the 1st Ohio Independent Battery was held at the Warner Hotel, this city, on Wednesday, and out of 200 or more original members only thirteen were present. The day was ideal and the old veterans got the most out of it they could and speak of this reunion as one of the most delightful yet held, as Plymouth was the boyhood home of the most of them, and reminiscences of their early youth were well uppermost in their minds, as it was here they lived in childhood here they enlisted and here they returned at the close of the long and bloody war.

At the noon hour the old veterans, some accompanied by their wives or members of their families, not to beguile call, marched to the dining room, where a veritable feast of good things greeted their eye and whetted their appetites, vastly different from the hardtack and salted meat that they had eaten in the front during their term of service in upholding the honor of their country.

During the repast Corporal L. W. Johnson, who by the way is an old Plymouth boy, his father running the Johnson House here prior to the civil war, on the day of the present Warner Hotel, now nearing his 80th birthday, but as active and spry as many men of 60, and who has become an author of the present time, among which is "The Thornless Rose," as well as publishing a number of popular songs, the latest of which is "Morning," and now a resident of Ft. Wayne, Ind., gave the following toast: Here's a toast to the bud that Washington grew. In beautiful colors of Red, White and Blue. An' the lily-white rose, sweetly pure as dew. That bloomed in the heart of Abe Lincoln for you.

And to The Boys of 1861 to '5. The Blue and Grey who are yet alive. An' the Girls at their sweet hearts. Who wish letters so full of fun. An' said good-bye to Mamma. For the man behind the gun.

The members of the Battery to participate in this reunion were J. H. Herrington, Thomas Ford, Morcan Shaver and wife, Manders, A. E. Myers and wife, W. F. Sonnsantine, J. K. Cumberworth, Shelby; Lewis Johnson, Pt. Wayne, Ind.; J. M. Marine, Columbus, Ohio; and J. M. Ricksecker and daughter, Galion; A. D. Brant and wife, Smithville; O. Heine, Tiro, and F. W. Kirtland and B. S. Ruckman of this city, as well as some twenty or more invited guests.

The old veterans were very loud in their praise of the excellent eight-course dinner and the hospitality bestowed upon them by the management of the Warner Hotel.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, and it was decided to hold the 1917 reunion in Mansfield.

## Rev. N. C. Helfrich Died at Columbus.

The following, taken from the Galion Enquirer of last week will be read with great respect by many Plymouth people, as the aged pastor was known to many here, having come here as the pastor of the Presbyterian church in 1890, and served as its pastor for four years.

"Rev. Nicholas C. Helfrich, a native of this community and a well known retired Presbyterian minister, was found dead in bed at his home in Columbus Saturday morning. Mr. Helfrich has been in failing health for several years, practically ever since the Columbus flood which swept his neighborhood, but nevertheless the news of his death will prove a great shock to his wide circle of friends and relatives in this community. The deceased was close to 80 years of age.

Mr. Helfrich was born in Whetstone township, several miles west of this city. He entered the ministry in early life and filled pulpits in Haverhill, in Wood county, but for the past thirty years has lived in Columbus. There he founded the Presbyterian mission which became the West Broad street Presbyterian church, of which Rev. W. A. Perrine is now pastor. He was in comfortable financial circumstances and for the past ten years has lived the life of a retired minister, filling pulpits occasionally.

Rev. Mr. Helfrich was twice married, his second wife surviving him. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. C. A. Nungesser, of this city, and Mrs. Catherine Sherer, of Whetstone township, and one brother, Jacob Helfrich, who lives in the west.

He had many relatives in this community among the Helfrich and other families.

## Plane for Sale.

Strictly high grade "Kurtzmann" mahogany cany with bench, nearly new. Cost \$2450.00. For quick buyer will sell for \$1500.00. Address H. H. Rawson, 101 N. Howard, O.

## Ohio Live Stock in 1916.

Reports received by Auditor of State Donahy from the eighty-eight counties, giving the number of head of live stock listed for taxation this year by the assessors, show some large decreases, especially in hogs. The only state-wide increase is in cattle. There are decreases over last year in horses, mules and asses, sheep and hogs.

There are 882,418 horses in the State, a decrease of 8,824 over 1915. In spite of this small decrease, Ohio has still more horses than ever in her history previous to the advent of the automobile and other motor vehicles. The horseless carriage has made absolutely no headway in abolishing the horse. Darke county still retains first place with 21,055. There are four other counties with over 15,000, Cuyahoga, Franklin, Wood and Montgomery. This shows that vast numbers are still required in cities as well as farming districts. There are only six counties with less than 10,000 horses, Adams, Darke, Jackson, Hocking and Vinton, the latter being lowest with 2,954.

This year there are 1,684,041 cattle in the State, an increase of 10,181 over last year and practically four hundred thousand more than in 1913. The dairy business, especially in northern Ohio, is increasing rapidly. If the present increase continues, it will only be a few years until the number of cattle in Ohio will exceed the record year 1890 when there were 1,902,772. There are now twelve counties in the State with over 25,000 cattle—Ashland, Trumbull, Licking, Stark, Hancock, Darke, Wayne, Muskingum, Belmont, Loran, Fairfield and Pickaway. Last year Fairfield was first but Ashland, with 35,382, has now taken the first place and Trumbull is second. There are only six counties with fewer than 10,000 cattle each, Erie, Ottawa, Lake, Lucas, Vinton and Pike, the latter with 7,727 being lowest.

The war is eradicating the mule faster than the automobile is the horse. There are only 34,425 mules and asses in the State, a decrease of 2,156 from last year. Southwestern Ohio is the home of the mule. There are four counties with over 1,000 each, Hamilton, Preble, Butler, Scioto and Clermont. Hamilton again has with 1,861. There are five with under 100, Noble, Monroe, Ottawa and Lucas. The latter has nosed Ottawa out of last place having, apparently, only 26 with ears long enough to touch.

Ohio with 7,688,845 sheep in 1908 has now but 1,497,538, a decrease from last year of 130,326. The decrease almost equals the number of worthless, sheep-killing curs in the State on which no taxes were paid the past year. With unwashed wool selling at three pounds for one dollar and stock sheep at the highest price in a generation, it would seem that the tariff that was heretofore on wool should have been on dogs.

There are at present only six counties with over 50,000 sheep, Knox, Harrison, Licking, Muskingum, Ochoota, and Morgan. Knox with 78,183 ranks first. This year there were fifteen counties with over 100,000 each. There ought to be not less than four million sheep in Ohio today. That number would annually pay the total taxes of half the counties in the State.

Hogs show a remarkable decrease from last year. The decline from 1915 is 243,947, the number listed this year being 1,728,693. Even yet there are more hogs than sheep in Ohio. In 1892 when bacon and lard were putting down the rebellion, there were a million more hogs in Ohio than at present. There are this year six counties with over 40,000 hogs each, Fayette, Darke, Clinton, Highland, Hancock and Preble. Fayette with 58,474 has passed Darke and now ranks first.

Licking county lists more live stock than any other county in the state but Darke county exceeds it in value of live stock listed.

## Methodist Notes.

A new Conference year. A new-old pastor. Welcome to the services.

George F. Hoar says, "There is no more convincing public duty than attendance at church on Sunday. It would be impossible to maintain liberty or self-government if our churches were closed, and the worship of God is to be maintained only by attendance upon it."

The regular services will be held next Sunday, the pastor preaching morning and evening and at 8:30 a. m. at the McKendree church.

## Don't Neglect Your Cold

Neglected colds get worse, instead of better. A stuffed head, a tight chest, must be relieved at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is Nature's remedy. Honey and glycerine heal the irritated membrane, antiseptic rubs the phlegm, you breathe easier and your cold is broken up. Pleasant to take. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ideal remedy for children as well as grown-ups. At your drug store.

## Prominent Couple Marry.

The following taken from the Perryburg Journal will interest many Plymouth people, as the mother and bride are well known to many:

"On Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1916, at 3:00 p. m., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Sargent, Kiev, Harris of St. Marks church, Toledo, read the beautiful Episcopal marriage service which united in wedlock Miss Margie T. Sargent of Perryburg, O., with Mr. Robert Lee Cole of Kalamazoo, Mich. Miss Cole, as bridesmaid, was charming costume of white Georgette crepe and white taffeta and carried a shower of white roses.

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The parlors were decorated in Southern smilax and palms and pink flowers, the bride's table being profusely embellished with pink roses. The ceremony was witnessed only by the immediate relatives and a few of the most intimate friends of the family. Among those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brigham, Mrs. James Secor, and D. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Chapman, of Toledo. Mrs. Sarah Harding of Plymouth.

The bride, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sargent, has grown to young womanhood in Perryburg, where she has always been popular in church and society circles.

Mr. Cole, who spent two years here as superintendent of the schools, has proven himself a young man of high ideals and purpose, and with his charming bride they have the congratulations and best wishes of all our people for a future of happiness and success. Shortly after the ceremony they departed for their new home at Kalamazoo, Mich.

## Clear Bad Skin From Within

Pimples, muddy complexions are due to impurities in the blood. Clear up the skin by taking Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their mild laxative qualities remove the poisons from the system and brighten the eye. A free, non-grinding bowel movement, free non-grinding bowel movement in the morning is the reward of a dose of Dr. King's New Life Pills the night before. At your Druggist, 25c.

## Granted Extension of Time.

An extension of time for administering the estate of George A. Hills has been granted by the executor, A. F. Hills by the probate court. The executor represents that he has paid all the debts except what is due him. He further represents to the court that it is not for the best interest of the estate to sell the real property now. The court extends the time to Mar. 8, 1917.

## BIG BALL TOURNAMENT

At New Washington, Tuesday, September 26.

New Washington will have a big ball tournament next Tuesday at the Aschbacher ball park at that place. The tournament is under the direction of the New Washington Athletic Association and has a cash prize of \$200.00 arranged as follows: 1st, \$75; 2nd, \$55; 3rd, \$40; 4th, \$30. The teams competing are Bucyrus, Leola, Shelby and New Washington; each of these teams will be heavily loaded for this occasion. No doubt there will be a large number of fans from this place attend. First game starts at 10 a. m.

## DON'T TAKE A CHANCE

Plymouth People Should Act In Time.

If you suffer from backache; If you have headaches, dizzy spells; If the kidney secretions are irregular.

Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick. Plymouth people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's a Plymouth woman's experience: Mrs. E. C. Buzard, Franklin St., Plymouth, says: "I was annoyed a great deal by weak kidneys and severe attacks of backache. My back ached, too, and I had spells of dizziness. My back was so lame and sore that I could hardly stoop or lift. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills gave me great relief."

Price 50c., at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mrs. Buzard had. Foster-McLure Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

These Modern Days. "They have money, haven't they?" "I don't know, haven't seen them for about a year." Judge.

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from us at the very lowest prices. Our yard is headquarters for Dressed and Rough Lumber, Flooring, Siding, Shingles, Sheathing, and Dimension Lumber, Building Paper, Lath, Cement, Lime, Fencing and Fence Posts, Hardware and all kinds of building material. Prompt service and satisfaction guaranteed.

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# Stoves And Ranges OF EVERY STYLE. NIMMONS & NIMMONS

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SATURDAY is the man's shopping day. The wife may make her furniture selection during the week, but on Saturday she brings in her husband to see if the pieces she has picked out are good for the money. We want to show men this

## Handsome Simmons Steel Bed Illustrated—\$7.50

New Design—new finish—real steel bed. The famous Simmons-make advertised by them in the best magazines; the electrically welded bed that has no bolts or screws to come loose or rattle.

One-third lighter than old-type metal bed. Bigger, hand-somer tubing. Mounted on frictionless casters that insure easy rolling.

Beautiful enameled finish in any color or in wood-graining if desired. This is the bed sure to please a woman who seeks solid, massive construction, with a style and individuality to harmonize with the decorations of her home. And her husband will approve her choice.

Let us show you all our good furniture, embracing very finest medium grade and low price lines, with largest assortments in each grade. Let us offer you helpful assistance from experienced salespeople whose instructions and efforts are to please you and make your buying a source of greatest possible satisfaction.

## THE MILLER FURNITURE STORE

# SPRING SHOES



The new models are ready to be shown. You will be delighted with the beautiful new styles—all the new patterns in dainty strap effects in Pumps and Oxfords. Charming, fashionable are the new designs in all the popular leathers. There is a style for every man's, woman's or child's choice and a fit for every foot.

# MACK ROGERS

THE RELIABLE SHOE MAN





Twenty-two commanderies of Knights Templars will march in the street parade of the grand convocation of Knights Templars when that body meets at Tiffin, Wednesday, Oct. 11. This means a total of nearly 2,000 knights in uniform will march. They will be accompanied by fully 15 bands.

The Huron county infirmary now houses 34 inmates who are over 60 years of age, according to the report filed with County Auditor Bloomer by Superintendent E. F. Van Der-veer. Twenty-one are between 16 and 60 years, one is less than three years and there are none residing in the institution between the ages of three and 16 years. The total expenditures for the past year were \$11,729.24 and receipts were \$7,357.18.

Grade crossing accidents in Ohio cost the lives of 40 persons in July and 31 in August. Of the 40 killed in July, 28 were in autos, and of the 31 in August, 25 were riding in autos. The report shows that 126 deaths occurred from railroad and interurban accidents in Ohio during July, an increase of 16 over the same month last year, and that 112 deaths from the same cause occurred in August, an increase of 14 over August of last year.

Wonderful how much of caloric there is in the good old-fashioned armstrong machine, commonly called sythe! Say, if you happen to have some weeds in your back yard or alley, set up some morning after one of these cool nights and use one long enough to cut off the entire crop, and we'll wager a gill of potatoes you'll not need artificial heat to be comfortable; besides you'll have to become a veritable live wire in that community as an exemplar in aesthetics and sanitation.

Evaporated skim milk cannot be sold legally in Ohio. This ruling was given this week by Attorney General Turner to the state agricultural board. Turner further held that Hebe, said to be a compound of evaporated skimmed milk and vegetable fat, cannot be sold in this state under any kind of a label. Hebe is manufactured at Jefferson, Wis. Agitation against the milk began when a local firm sent it to Camp Willis as a substitute for the more expensive condensed milk.

J. W. Bruce of Noble county, drove into Mt. Vernon at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon on a home-made motor-driven machine that he predicts will do away with horses on farms. He patented the machine last July. It can be used, he says, for every kind of work in which horses are now used in connection with farming, such as plowing, planting corn, mowing, etc. While the machine he is exhibiting is very roughly built, he claims that it is the lightest and best yet devised for the purpose for which it is intended. He will give a demonstration on the Johnson farm, south of town, on Wednesday. Mr. Bruce would like to interest local men in manufacturing the tractor.—Mt. Vernon Republican.

Plymouth is not the only town where her schools are crowded to the limit of the buildings. In Norwalk they have the largest attendance in the high school that they have ever had; Monroeville has the same report, and so has Attica, and numerous other towns. Chicago Jct. has the largest attendance the school has ever had, and in the high school the condition is overcrowded. It is a good sign to see the boys and girls in school, and the fellow who thinks he can compete in the future with his fellowmen who have taken the time to educate and prepare themselves for life's duties, will make a miserable failure, and blame it all on somebody that had nothing to do with the lack of preparation of the complainer. It is possible for every boy and girl now to get an education, and the old excuse that "I did not have a chance," will not be accepted.

**Large Attendance at the Oberlin Business College.**

The Fall Term at the Oberlin Business College has opened with the largest attendance in the history of the school with the possible exception of one year. Students are in attendance this year from all parts of Ohio and from states as far away as Utah. This school has come to occupy a great place among the leading schools of America, having been given the highest standing in Ohio by the State Department of Public Instruction. Students may enter the business department at any time and a new class in shorthand will begin at the opening of the Second Fall Term, Nov. 1, 1916.

For Sale or Rent—My little farm and house. See W. A. Clark, C. B. Crafts.

**Personal Mention.**

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dick and son, Glenn, spent Saturday and Sunday in Tiffin.

Mrs. E. B. Shayer of New London, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. H. N. Miller.

Mrs. Otha Campbell of Marion, was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. Ruckman, this week.

Miss Lois Zigler of Cleveland, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Zigler, Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Bodley of St. Louis, spent the week-end here guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webb and daughter of Mansfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb.

Ray Monteith of Toledo, was an over Sunday guest at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hills and family of Cleveland, were over Sunday guests of their Plymouth relatives.

Mrs. A. E. Irwin and Mr. and Mrs. Will Trimmer were guests Sunday of Mr. Alex Hanna and family, of Shelby.

Mrs. Albert Kirkpatrick motored to Cleveland Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hills, where she will visit for a few days.

Mrs. Sadie Harding is visiting in Toledo, and also attended the wedding of Marie Sargent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sargent.

Rev. A. W. Ash and wife of Toledo, were guests last week of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Danner, and attended U. B. Conference at Shelby.

Mrs. Guy Bowers of Toledo, spent Thursday here returning home Friday accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Christine Parker, who will visit there for a few weeks.

The Misses Bess Root and Ruby Clark attended a party given by Miss Hilad Kreuger at Mitwanga Friday, and remained over the week end at the Root-Heath cottage.

Mrs. Dale Hatch and children left Saturday afternoon for Maryland, for an extended visit with her parents, being accompanied as far as Columbus by her husband, who saw her and the children safely aboard the train for their trip.

Harry Briggs, wife and children attended the golden wedding of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Briggs of Shelby, on Wednesday. There was a gathering of their children in the day time and an informal reception for their friends in the evening.

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Uses gas for fuel, he has a reason. Get the honest facts about it. Then make a choice. Material at cost and all labor free. Phone us.

**Logan Natural Gas and Fuel Co**  
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**Notice to Settle.**

All persons holding accounts against me are requested to present the same for payment, and all who are owing me are requested to pay the same by Oct. 1st, as after that date all unpaid accounts will be placed in the hands of my attorney for settlement.

DR. GEORGE J. SCHARLE.

**Stop The First Cold.**

A cold does not get well of itself. The process of wearing out a cold wears you out, and your cough becomes seriously neglected. Hacking coughs drain the energy and sap the vitality. For 47 years the happy combination of soothing antiseptic balsams in Dr. King's New Discovery has healed coughs and relieved congestion. Young and old can testify to the effectiveness of Dr. King's New Discovery for coughs and colds. Buy a bottle today at your Druggist, 50c.

**FINE FARM FOR SALE**

**To Close the Peter Halfor Estate.**

This splendid farm of 154 acres, is located one and one-half miles east of Plymouth and all in good condition. Good, large house, fine cellar, extra large barn 45x100, slate roof and other buildings in good repair. Large orchard of select fruit. Ten acres of timber with good sugar camp. Farm well located. Any prospective buyer will be shown this farm by W. A. CLARK, Agent, Plymouth, Ohio.

**Notice to Hunters.**

The undersigned hereby give notice that no hunting will be allowed on their respective farms. All who do so without permission will be prosecuted. Lester Opdyke, Geo. Swager, John Startz.

**STOCK SALE**

SEPTEMBER 27th, 1916.

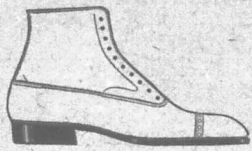
Six Shorthorn Bulls, 10 Dairy Cows, some fresh, balance close springers; 200 breeding ewes; 20 Shropshire rams. If you are in need of a fine lot of ewes or rams I can please you. 60 head of hogs—Durocs, O. I. C. and Poland China Sows with pigs at sides; fine lot of young bosars. A. G. LEDGER, New Washington, Ohio.

For Sale—One yearling Shropshire Ram. John Kenestrick.

**Forget Your Aches**

Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleaner and more effective than many ointments or poultices. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments resulting from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Druggist, 25c.

**BOSTONIANS**  
Famous Shoes for Men



The light and easy lines of this model give to one's foot a touch of grace and aristocracy not to be surpassed.

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**WOMEN'S FALL SUITS.**

An unusually attractive collection of Fall Suits in choice models developed in Broadcloth, Velour Checks, Gabardine, Serges. The newest autumn colors are represented at

\$12.50, \$14.95, \$17.95, \$22.45 and up.

**WOMEN'S FALL COATS.**

A large variety of desirable coats in the newest fabrics at moderate prices,

\$11.95, \$13.95, \$15.95, \$17.95, \$19.95 and up.

**NEW FALL WAISTS.**

and so fascinating are they in their artful little touches of style, their smartness of line, their very "newness," that it is safe to predict this will be a season of supreme interest. Voiles, Organdies, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Silk Plaids, and Stripes.

98c, \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.25, \$3.48, \$3.98, \$4.48, and up to \$8.50.

**NEW FALL SKIRTS.**

\$5.95 and up.

Those at \$5.95 are chiefly of serge, in black, navy and fancy, all with some new style pocket, mostly with attached self belt. Some are button trimmed.

\$5.95, \$6.45, \$6.95, up to \$14.95.

**NEW FALL DRESSES**

in smart fall models in serge and satin at

6.48, 7.45, 10.98, 13.95, up to 22.95.

**NEW FALL MILLINERY**

In all wanted shapes and colors at prices to suit every pocket-book.



## What would he give for the coffee you serve?

Like a million other women, you can serve coffee that he would give most anything to have—coffee which starts the day "right" for all.

Everyone loves the rich flavor of Arbuckles' Coffee. Of all the coffees in America, today, it is by far the most popular!

One woman says, "My husband used to swallow his coffee and

hurry off. Now we have Arbuckles' and you'd think it was Sunday the way he lingers over his breakfast."

Serve it in your home—see how the little early morning wrinkles disappear.

Until you try Arbuckles' you will never know what a difference good coffee can make in your home.

Arbuckles' Coffee is untouched by human hands. It is weighed, and sealed by machines,—machines which Arbuckle Bros. originated and which experts say are the most efficient in the world.

October in another week.

Hampton pie is ready to eat.

Get Hysteria from Man's ad.

Got your spring bulbs planted?

And it begins to feel like it, too.

Have you met all the candidates?

Our equivoical storm is now due.

Going out to shoot this afternoon?

Shop early—only 90 days till Christmas.

Presidential election 't just a little over a month off.

The old woolen blanket feels pretty good these nights.

Norwalk will hold a fall festival and carnival this coming week.

The boys and girls are getting used to school and find they like it.

Miss Lillian Willett commenced teaching the Cranberry school Monday.

Public schools have already rounded out three weeks of the fall term.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leonard, Saturday morning, Sept. 16, a daughter.

Fresh cinnamon rolls, lunch rolls, doughnuts, pecan rolls, fresh daily at Goetz's bakery.

For Sale—Two halves, one a yearling and the other two years old. Enquire of Jacob Myers.

Make your fall house cleaning easy by renting Miller's Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner at \$1.00 per day.

Chas. Lent has moved his household goods and family to Lorain, where they expect to make their future home.

The Attica fair will be held October 6, 8, 9 and 10. Bigger premiums awarded than fair this year. This is the slogan of this association.

Onions for Sale—At Clark Bros. Grocery. One dollar per bushel.

CLARK BROS., Agents for Farmers Farm Co.

Seven Rooms to Rent—Five rooms for a small family, and two rooms and a closet for two. Call at the home of Miss A. J. Brown, New Haven, Ohio.

Chauncey Hamilton, of Plymouth, has been appointed scaler of weights and measures in Huron county, succeeding A. E. Huff, of Bellevue, who recently resigned.

Rev. S. Kille, in writing to the Advertiser asks us to change his address from Neil avenue, Columbus, to 780 Seibert street, same city, which will be their future home.

The Sept. meeting of the W. H. M. of the Methodist church, will meet with Mrs. Clara Seiler, Wednesday, the 27th. A full attendance is desired as the annual election of officers will take place at this meeting.

The cost of living has gone up with the cost of living over at Mansfield. J. J. Stahl paid \$30.10 Wednesday morning for living another man's wife. The wife did not seem to object to the excess but the husband did.

A Jersey cow gave birth to a double calf on the Wesley Champion farm near Shiloh. The calf was a stillborn and had eight legs, four eyes, two tails and two ears. It is claimed to be as perfect a double calf as has ever been seen.

Despondent because of ill-health, Mrs. John Appel, of Monroeville, within twelve hours Tuesday, made two attempts at suicide. On the second of which was successful when she killed herself with a revolver. The suicide was 45 years old and is survived by her husband.

Frost the first few mornings this week was quite noticeable, and especially Tuesday morning when it showed plainly. Ice in pans and other vessels containing water, an standing in the open is reported by some Tuesday morning. But even at this the damage noted so far has been quite small.

Elsewhere, in this issue will be found the statement of the Peoples National Bank, likewise a big increase in deposits since the last publication, an indication that the bank is in a good, healthy financial condition, and that the people have implicit faith in the moied institution and the officials back of it.

Owing to the cold weather of Tuesday morning, the primary department of our rubber goods, which is now housed in the old Bevier house, was dismissed for the forenoon, as gas connections had not yet been made. It was now been remedied and no further trouble will occur from this cause.

"A man who is not married before he is thirty should be brought to account," declared Prof. C. C. Colburn, of Allegheny college, in delivering an address before the North-east Ohio M. E. conference at Steubenville. He advocated early marriages. He hinted there should be a law compelling men to marry before they reach thirty.

Mary, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson, while playing on a ladder Wednesday evening, in falling a short distance, broke her left arm in two places, the X-ray showing it was broke at the elbow and between the elbow and shoulder. Dr. J. F. Hoke reduced the fractures, but another X-ray examination will be made before it is permanently placed in a cast.

Postorn Rog Man will ship next week. Phone orders to Advertiser office.

Princeton Bros. lost a valuable horse last week, its death being caused by indigestion.

To Rent—Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner at \$1.00 per day, at Miller's Furniture Store.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. Frank Holte, Friday, Sept. 16th, a son, weight 10 pounds.

The Music and Study Club will meet with Lawrence Gaskill, Tuesday evening, Sept. 26th.

The Richland county fair held at Mansfield this week attracted quite a number from this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Delaney and little son, Cleveland, were guests of their mother, Mrs. H. nry Fenner, Sunday.

"Shorts' Big Show," traveling in a half dozen covered wagons, passed through here Saturday afternoon, west bound to winter quarters.

The wedding of Miss Klea Sykes, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Sykes, and Mr. Frank Bagnall, has been announced to take place in Cleveland, Oct. 14th.

Mrs. C. H. Russell entertained Verrus Div. 192, Chicago Junction G. I. A. to B. of L. E., Wednesday.

The number of twenty this being the place for their annual picnic.

Huron county will have the same number of saloons for the fiscal year which starts October 1. Applications were all filed Friday. So far as is now known no applicant will be denied a license who is now in business.

The Richland county grand jury which has been in session two days, made its report Tuesday evening, returning nine indictments, five of which were sub roas. The jury examined 47 witnesses, considered 14 cases, ignoring five of them.

Owing to a disorganized schedule for the ring, which has been showing at the Deiler Theatre, the third episode will not be shown this Friday evening, but due announcement will be made of its resumption, which will be not later than October 5th. A Red Feather feature, entitled, "A Just Jim," will take its place to-night.

William C. Smith, known to many friends and passengers on Baltimore & Ohio trains as "Can" Smith, died at his home in Newark yesterday after short illness. For more than 25 years he has been a passenger conductor on trains running through Plymouth, and many people here were acquainted with him and will learn with regret of his death.

Teamsters are now engaged in hauling the stone and distributing the material along the North street improvement, preparatory to putting in the concrete base for the brick pavement. Unless the work progresses more rapidly than it has it is dollars to doughnuts that cold weather will take over and stop the work until next summer and history will have repeated itself.

Plymouth people hunted up blankets Saturday night and overcoats were no uncommon sight on the streets that evening and Sunday, the mercury, which took a downward course earlier in the week refused to climb the tube. Sunday was a generally disagreeable day with a cold, raw wind and an occasional shower, causing people generally to maintain a fire in their homes in order to keep warm.

James Ward left for Cleveland Wednesday morning taking along with him several thousand of his well known brands of cigars to deliver to customers in that city, and will likewise select stock from the tobacco houses of that city to run him well up into the holidays. His trade is increasing by leaps and bounds, smokers readily recognizing the hand work and quality of the goods he puts out.

The Misses Alice Lofland, Louise Willett, Julia Bevier, Alverda Monteith and LaRue Beiman, of this city, and Messrs. Harold Fritz, Leland Wolfersberger, Arch Steele and Elmer Heider, of Shiloh, and Fred Thrush, planned and carried out a rare and merry party on the terrace at the home of Miss Lofland, Tuesday evening. Light refreshments were served. Music, cards and dancing was the determining factor in the entertainment enjoyed by the young people.

Those who have been in the habit of sitting down winter evenings by a comfortable fire and cracking hickory nuts as a pastime will have to forego that pleasure this winter, as nuts of all kinds are exceedingly scarce, caused by the prolonged wet weather and drouth, the nuts drying up and dropping off before they matured. Alder and apples will likewise be a luxury, but here is hoping poor corn will be plentiful, to help fill in the winter evenings for the old and young alike.

The blue rock shoot to be given by the Plymouth Gun Club this (Friday) afternoon, at which Mr. and Mrs. Tupperwein will do some fancy shooting, will no doubt attract a large crowd. Six events are scheduled for the afternoon, and shooters from various places have signified their intention to be present and participate in the events. These events together with the fancy and trick shooting to be done by the Tupperweins will make up a pleasing afternoon program for lovers of this kind of sport. No admission will be charged to the ground, and ladies are especially invited.

The Kent state normal college has granted two extension centers to the teachers of Huron county. One center will be at Norwalk, the other at Chicago Junction. All teachers or prospective teachers are invited to join the classes.

Huron county has a small spot of territory that usually beats the rest of Ohio to a frost by a month in the fall, and hangs onto the late spring frosts far into the month of June. Two weeks ago it registered a killing frost out there, the Farmers Farm Co. losing 40 acres of late potatoes and about 10 acres of corn. They won't go broke, however, as they have about 10,000 acres more or less of other produce, including 20,000 bushels of onions and 15,000 green, wild, tame and other varieties.—Reflector.

The Local Telephone company goes on the theory that the best is none too good for its patrons and wherever improvements can be made to better the service they are early on the job. They are about to begin work on a direct line between this place and Norwalk, and not being compelled to go around Robinhood's barn in order to reach these two points as has been the case heretofore. The line will be equipped with a No. 10 copper wire, and with direct communication between these two points the service should be all.

Aldwell & Burnison, proprietors of the vulcanizing plant on Sandusky street, have further branched out in this line of work by adding new equipment for the mending of rubber boots and shoes, and will do a general line of repair work. They now have one of the best equipped vulcanizing plants to be found anywhere in the state, and are turning out fireless work. If you have an old pair of rubber boots or shoes that are sagged or need attention, do not throw them away, but let them fix them up for you.

Plymouth people, and especially the members of the Methodist Episcopal church are very much elated over the work of conference which closed its yearly work at Steubenville the first of the week and especially that Rev. Chas. F. Mott, for two years pastor of this charge, has been returned for another year. It was feared conference would send him elsewhere, but now that the matter has been settled, the Methodist people are much at ease and greatly pleased, they are to retain their beloved pastor and his estimable wife for another year.

On account of a wreck on the Big Four between Shelby Junction and the Dempsey farm Wednesday afternoon, caused by one of the freight cars in its mad dash, a train breaking down, causing several other cars in the train to pile up, and into which an express train running at a high rate of speed was wrecked, the Big Four trains were detained throughout the B. & O. the balance of that afternoon and night. No loss of life occurred and the only person injured was a tramp who was riding on the freight, who had both legs cut off and stands but little chance to live. The trucks were torn up, for a long distance and the wreckage piled high, many from this place going over to the scene.

Milton Cadwell, brakeman on the Northern Ohio railroad, was quite severely scalded about the back and right arm about noon Wednesday, at a little station called Fairlawn, just this side of Akron. The engine had left the track and while he and the other trainmen were trying to place it on the track, a steam valve, which had been loosened by the jar, was accidentally knocked out by one of the workmen. Cadwell was under the engine trying to adjust a frog, letting the hot water and steam pour out upon his back and arm. He was taken back to Akron and given medical attention, and later returned to his home in this place on his train. He suffers greatly and it will be two weeks at least before he will be able to return to work.

For Sale—The Allan Layer property on Bell street. Possession given at once. For particulars write or phone the above at 622 Springmill street, Mansfield, Ohio.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Eggs (cash) ..... 28

Eggs (in trade) ..... 30

Butter ..... 20

Wheat ..... 1.42

Oats ..... .42

Corn, per cwt ..... 1.15

PRICE ..... 10c TO ALL

FOR CARS

New Prices August 1 1916.

Chassis ..... \$325.00

Runabout ..... 345.00

Touring Car ..... 360.00

Coupelet ..... 505.00

Town Car ..... 595.00

Sedan ..... 645.00

(These prices are F. O. B. Detroit)

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THE PLYMOUTH GARAGE.

For Sale—Quarter sawed oak pedestal dining table, with six leather chairs to match. Inquire at this office.

For Sale.

My property on Fortner street, consisting of large, roomy house and all modern conveniences, among which are bath and hot water heat. Plenty of fruit, also lot and barn adjoining. For price and particulars call on Mrs. D. F. Nixon.

Notice to Hunters.

Hunting and trespassing on the lands of the Farmers Farm Co., are strictly forbidden and violations will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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Particularly need the pre-digested nourishment in SCOTT'S EMULSION. It creates strength and rich, active blood. It ensures abundant nourishment and keeps baby growing.

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Friday Night!

JUST JIM

Drama

Saturday Night

AS IN A DREAM

Drama, with Doris Palm and Sydney Ayers.

IT NEARLY HAPPENED

Comedy, with Gale Henry and Wm. Frayne

Sunday Night

TWO MEN OF SANDY BAR

Drama, with Hobart Bosworth and an all star cast.

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THREE GENERAL REELS

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MID-SUMMER

Clearance Sale

IS NOW ON.

In order to clear up our stock for the coming season, will offer all our remaining men's Spring and Summer Suits

at a Great Reduction

No light weights, all good colors and excellent values. It will pay you to avail yourself of this opportunity

M. Shield & Son

Men's and Boys' Up-To-Date Outfitters.

Announcing

A Money Saving Service to All Auto Owners.

THERE has opened up in Plymouth a shop where any kind of a pneumatic tire in almost any condition can be put back in running order—good for more miles of hard road service.

And if the tire isn't worth repairing, we tell you so—if it is—and we fix it—that repairs it

Unconditionally Guaranteed

The plant which we have installed is the best make that money can buy—it is designed to repair successfully any "fixable" injury on any kind of tire—from 24-in. motorcycle to 54-in. auto tires. And our workmen have learned the tire repair business in the local shops of the manufacturers. The best equipment that we can get and the best practical training to be had, put us in a position to produce the best tire work that can be done.

Remember! We guarantee every nickel's worth of work we do.

Come to Us With Your Tire Troubles

FRANK CALDWELL

Cash Coupons

One dollar ticket given with every \$1.00 cash purchase. And \$1.00 in merchandise for 25 \$1.00 cash coupons. I intend to discontinue the dish premiums and will give cash coupons instead. CASH ONLY. No dish coupons given after October 1st.

New Fall Goods

New Dress Goods, New Silks and Trimming

New Percales at 12 1-2c yard.

Silk Special

1st lot 38c yard 2nd lot 68c yard

3rd lot 98c yard

Regular Stock of Silks at 10 per cent. Off.

ELNORA TAYLOR.

## SEE NO DELAYED

Men Well Informed Predict No Government Factory Will Be Built for Years to Come.

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Absence of Bids From Steel Companies Is Surprise to Officials; Pennsylvania and Ohio Believed to Stand Best Chance.

Washington, D. C.—The announcement that officials of the navy department will personally visit a great many of the sites offered before December, upon the location of the \$11,000,000 government armor plate plant, conveys the strong intimation that there is to be no hurry in making the decision. As viewed from this angle, it gives color to the prediction of men who are well informed that there will be no government armor plant built—at least not for years to come.

125 Ask for Plant. Since there are 125 cities throughout the country that have asked for the plant, it is not probable that any decision on the question will be made until well into 1917, at least.

However, Secretary Daniels is pronounced upon the determination of establishing the government armor plant as quickly as possible. While he does not estimate the time that will be required to get the plant into operation, it is his intention to go as fast with it as he can. If the choice of a site is not made until late in the year, as experts here say, it is likely the plant will be located either in Pennsylvania, where all the three plants that manufacture armor are located, or in Ohio. It seems probable that the location will be near the pig iron producing districts of Pennsylvania or Ohio, and near coal and coke fields. It is not probable that the government will smelt its own iron, but if it decides to make armor from the steel, then either the Pennsylvania or Ohio location will be even more desirable since the plant would be accessible to the Lake Superior ore fields as well as to the coke and lime stone supplies.

Surprise to Officials. What has surprised many officials is that neither the Pennsylvania nor the Bethlehem Steel Co. nor the Middle West Steel & Ordnance Co., the three armor manufacturing companies, was represented at the hearing, and none of them has made any offer to sell its plant to the government. Why the private manufacturers are holding back is not understood.

## ORGANIZE TO STOP CRIME

LIMA NEGROES FORM VIGILANCE COMMITTEE TO WATCH FOREIGN LABORERS.

Lima, O.—At a mass meeting of many negroes a vigilance or sanitation was formed with former Sergeant of Police Webb H. Harris as captain. The negroes say they will register every foreign negro and endeavor to stop the crime wave here. Mayor Simpson was present, and citizens to double the police force while foreign negroes are in the city working on big public jobs.

Mrs. Grover Knittle, attacked by a negro Wednesday as she was holding her two-year-old child in her arms, cried the believed that she was herself by her own mad cry of "There comes my husband; he'll kill you."

Stogie Makers Strike. Bethesda, O.—The 300 working people that constitute the entire working population of this town are on a strike. There are 14 stores here and they are the only industry. The 300 employees of these shops quit when the proprietors refused to meet their demands for increased wages. The rollers are receiving \$1.50 a thousand and they are asking for \$1.75.

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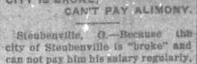
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## BANKERS ELECT OFFICERS

Adams Is President and Rankin Re-elected Secretary.

Columbus, O.—Catching the swing of sentiment, upon motion of Charles A. Hinch, of Cincinnati, the Ohio Bankers' Association testified its appreciation of expositions of two important measures on the farm credit and federal reserve plans, given, respectively, by United States Senator Alce Pomeroy and Charles S. Hamlin, member of the Federal Reserve Board. Although the resolutions formally adopted did not mention either measure, and although many of the bankers are naturally friendly to a central banking system, yet it can not be said that the final session was other than a big victory for the friends of the new plan.

Interpolated in the resolutions, previously outlined, was one adopted by the committee and later approved by the entire membership just before the close of the meeting. It was a protest against the failure of the Senate Subcommittee from Cincinnati until an adequate substitute can be found.

The election of officers was featured by a contest made against Stanley B. Rankin, of Columbus and South Charleston, who has been secretary for a quarter of a century. The opposing candidate was W. E. Backus, of St. Marys.

On a ballot the result was 162 for Rankin and 88 for Backus. Rankin's triumph was complete. The selection of A. E. Adams, Youngstown banker, for president was ratified. W. E. Backus, of Bucyrus, was chosen vice president.

## ONE HUNDRED ESCAPE DEATH

Brick Building at Toledo Tumbles Into Crowded Street.

Toledo, O.—More than 100 persons narrowly missed death when a four-story brick building, known as the city's main thoroughfare, collapsed with its little warning and tumbled into the street crowded with shoppers and pedestrians. The debris, which was heard several blocks. Police, three hours later, after workmen had searched the debris, stated that no one was killed, and that no one was seriously injured. Several persons were slightly cut by flying glass. The building was being remodelled.

## BUCKEYE NEWS NOTES

Gallipoli, O.—Rev. W. H. Shaw, of the Methodist Episcopal church, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in that state, died at Ft. Pleasant, near here.

Alliance, O.—The Alliance Machine Co. announced that it would spend \$50,000 in new buildings and machinery, and that it would increase its capacity of the plant. Employees will be given at least 500 more men.

Toledo, O.—The Foster Lighter Co. filed a voluntary petition on bankruptcy. It alleges its liabilities are \$223,287.42, and its assets, real estate, personal property, and cash, \$238,765.44. John H. Jones, Foster, is president.

Cleveland, O.—One man was fatally injured and 14 others hurt when the roof of a water tunnel, being dug under the floor of Lake Erie, caved in. Eleven children of the crew of the tunnel that 19 men were killed by a gas explosion several weeks ago.

Columbus, O.—T. H. Brown of this city, chairman of the Sixth District chapter of the National Republican College League, has been appointed to teach charge of the organization, work among universities and colleges in Ohio, and will enter upon his work at once.

Findlay, O.—Rev. G. W. Pfeiffer, formerly pastor of Third Methodist church here, and for the past year a traveling evangelist of the church, will quit the ministry because the West Ohio Conference at Lima sent him to a still smaller town where the salary is less.

Marion, O.—At the fourth annual session of the Marion Baptist Association, held at Marion, Ohio, on the 10th inst., T. H. McAtee, pastor of the Trinity Baptist church in Marion, was elected Moderator. Miss Lydia Riger of Marion was elected clerk and Miss Beas Miller of Larue, assistant clerk.

Youngstown, O.—An inquest was conducted by Coroner R. Henry Jones into the death of H. G. Huffman, Youngstown oculist, who died of starvation after fasting 10 days. Three were called in as witnesses.

Findlay, O.—Findlay bakers in raised the price of bread to dealers in large quantities two cents a loaf. Whether the price to others will be increased will be determined within a few days by bakers, who declare they are losing money in the present situation.

## OFFICERS BEING RE-ARMED

**Fourth Regiment Gets New Supply of Horses and Mules from War Department.**

Soldiers Have Exciting Time Subduing and Attempting to Shoe and Harness Mules Unused to Work.

Special Western Newspaper Union Service.

Camp Pershing, El Paso, Tex.—The 4th regiment has a new supply of horses and mules, the war department having furnished the command 40 of the former and 146 of the latter animals. The horses were given to officers and non-commissioned officers entitled to them, who have been without mounts. The mules are for the machine gun company and wagon train. Many of these animals were broken and the soldiers had an exciting time of it in the corral when attempts were made to shoe, saddle and harness them. Sergeant John Hodge of Circleville of the machine gun company was kicked in the stomach and painfully injured by one animal he was trying to subdue. Sergeant J. W. Williams also received a kick but was not hurt very much. Fighting flies has been one of the problems of the camp. Precautions have been taken to prevent these pests from spreading disease. There have been issued forbidding the purchase of pastries or fruits except in exchange, in charge of Sergeant P. A. Nichols, and white bread. Everything handled by the exchange has the approval of the medical officer.

## Find Two Cases of Typhoid.

El Paso.—Discovery of two cases of typhoid fever in camp sent surgeons hurrying through regiments to determine what men had been infected. Typhoid inoculation and what men had not, those who had not been inoculated must be treated at once. In the 4th Ohio Infantry were found five recruits who had not been treated. The two men affected had not been inoculated. Ohio soldiers have not been treated since Sunday. It was learned he had been bitten by a rattlesnake and in attempting to drain out the poison had severed an artery and died. The boy, who was a pennypenny, quartermaster of the Fourth Ohio, reports he has received the shoes for which he forwarded a request from Camp Willis July 14. The machine gun company of the Fifth Ohio is training with a machine gun company from the regular service. Captain R. A. Glorvolder of the thirty-fourth infantry is directing the instruction. Battery C of Cleveland had drawn 75 more horses and now has its complete complement of mounted drill to be started at once. Captain Williams is conducting pistol drill for the Clevelanders until mounted drill starts.

## Are Told Essentials of Soldiering.

El Paso, Tex.—Commanders of Ohio troops who are in the 11th provisional division were given a lecture by General George Bell, Jr. who is to command the division, and were told what he thinks is essential in a good soldier. Neatness and good conduct are far from making a good soldier. General Bell, who is also camp commander, let it be known that he had something to say in the formation of the division which is to be commanded, and the Ohio commanders took it as an interesting duty when they do have picked their organization as part of the division. It probably will be the general's ambition to have the best division in this part of the country, and the Ohio commanders will do their best to make it the best. Officers have not given out what is to become of the 11th provisional division when all the troops forming it are here, but the rumor persists that patrol details in Arizona and New Mexico will be relieved by Ohio companies for at least a few weeks. It may be a month before the transfer will be made. But if Ohioans are sent to those states, they will find some interesting duties when they do not have the Rio Grande separating them from Mexico. Nothing has been said about calling off the proposed 10-mile hike into New Mexico, and it is possible border patrol will be a duty assigned after the hike.

## Are Told to Be Fully Equipped.

El Paso, Tex.—The 4th Ohio is being equipped fully, according to schedule A of the army regulations. Each man will be required to have three pairs of shoes, several pairs of socks, extra underwear and outer clothing. He will be equipped as required for field service. All this material is issued here at once.

## Soldiers Having Good Time.

Camp Pershing, El Paso.—Ohio troops, especially those of the 4th regiment, are having a good time along the border. Everything is so novel and so different from Camp Willis. The soldiers are not "worked so hard" either. The drill periods are shorter, beginning at 7:30 and ending at 11:30, before the hottest part of the day comes. In the afternoon the soldiers have most of the time to themselves. On Sunday the boys sleep an hour longer. "Can't Get 'Em Up" not blow the whistle at 8 a. m. Time there is little to do except attend church.

## Officers Arrest Another Woman as Member of Gang Charged With Extortion.

## FORMER MEMBER SQUEALS

Tells How Mann Act Swindle Was Worked on Female Victim; Another Woman, 35, Lost Fortune in Mining Deal.

Chicago, Ill.—The third arrest in the million dollar blackmail plot—that of a woman—was made on the eve of the first test of strength between the members of the syndicate and the department of justice. Grace Fuller, known as Grace Israel and Sadie Israel, was taken into custody in Philadelphia for alleged complicity in the kidnapping of Mrs. Regina S. Kilpper, complaining witness against the blackmailers.

Turned State's Evidence. Frank Crocker, former member of the syndicate, who turned state's evidence when he was not given what he believed to be a "fair split" on the proceeds of a "trick," is being brought to Chicago from New York to be held in readiness if the government case should be brought at the hearing.

Mrs. Kilpper of Philadelphia, who was fleeced of \$3,500 in cash and her jewelry, and who was later kidnapped and taken to Canada on the eve of a prosecution of Russell and George Irwin, another alleged blackmailer, was also expected to appear at the preliminary hearing.

Mrs. Noe Loeb, wife of a prominent doctor in Little Rock, Ark., is the third witness. Mrs. Loeb is already in Chicago and is expected to tell of the plans laid by Russell and "Doc" Donahue to get her diamonds.

Crocker was brought to Chicago last June and identified several of the men who helped Jesse James. Kilpper at the Hotel Empire in New York city. Mrs. Kilpper was a buyer for Wanamaker & Co. in Philadelphia and made a trip to New York with Crocker, who posed as Alvin F. Collins, son of a wealthy Boston banker.

He registered as Collins and said that after he and Mrs. Kilpper had retired to their rooms that night other members of the syndicate forced their way into the room. They represented themselves as government agents and then agreed to settle a Mann act charge for a cash consideration. Crocker explained that Mrs. Kilpper gave them jewelry and when they were not satisfied agreed to go with them to her bank. She had previously given them \$50 in cash—all she had with her. The bank balance was \$530. This she also gave them.

When the men met and split the proceeds Crocker was given Mrs. Kilpper's jewelry, or jewelry they said had been taken from Mrs. Kilpper, while the other men kept the cash. When Crocker found that the jewelry given him was paste instead of genuine diamonds he decided to "turn out" the blackmail band in hope of obtaining immunity.

One of the most heartless swindlers of the gang was that of Mrs. Barnes, a woman of 35, who lost her recently inherited fortune of \$35,000 in a false mining deal.

A man and a woman "worked" Mrs. Barnes for her money.

## POSSE HITS ATTACKER

FARMERS ORGANIZE FORCE FOR MAN WHO ATTEMPTS ASSAULT.

Hamilton, O.—Fifty farmers, carrying such primitive weapons as shotguns, searched the hills and woods in the vicinity of Bunker Hill, four miles west of here, six hours for a man who attempted to attack Mrs. Leo Selman, wife of a farmer. The stranger gained entrance to the house by telling Mrs. Selman her husband had sent him here for food. Her screams frightened him away. The posse was led by Julius Tom Hill and former Sheriff Andy Graf.

## Train Kills Four.

Brie, Pa.—Four persons were instantly killed at North Springfield, 13 miles west of here, when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a New York Central train. The dead were Mrs. Perry, Seager, Mrs. K. Shipman, Miss Shipman and the colored chauffeur, all of Pittsburgh.

## Prominent Banker Dies.

Cincinnati, O.—Albert Voorheis, aged 74, vice president of the Union Savings Bank & Trust Co., and a prominent business man of this city, is dead at his home here.

## Civil War Hero Dead.

Chardon, O.—George Patterson, a Civil War veteran who served in the 15th, 41st and 107th O. V. I., is dead at Burton. He distinguished himself at the battle of Stone River when Lieut. E. A. Ford was shot through the lungs and believed to be fatally wounded. Patterson placed Ford on his back, carried him to the river nearly half a mile under fire to an ambulance in which the wounded officer was driven over rough roads to Nashville. Patterson was wounded five times.

## THE HOME BEAUTIFUL MUST BE MILITARY

Flowers and Shrubs and Their Care and Cultivation



Vincent Astor's Place on the Hudson.

## FALL WORK INTERESTING

By ELIZABETH VAN BENTHUYSEN

In the cheery October days—the days of brown ale and invigorating atmosphere—the garden comes fully into its own. There is not only the fascination of working among the plants and flowers, but there is preparation for the spring. If the autumn is neglected there will be no realization of any spring hopes.

Planning and forethought are essential to garden success, and the man who had the most pleasure in his other work will reap the greatest reward when the springtime comes. Good, safe places are to be found for them, with a good covering of leaves to keep away the chill of cold days.

Transplanting is real work. A rainy day helps lighten the task because there is no need for watering or shading the plants. A twofold manner under each plant will lead the neighbors next spring to wonder why your foxgloves send up spikes five feet high instead of mere three feet that less carefully handled plants attain.

Don't let the perennials crowd each other. Where the clumps have grown so closely as to crowd, cut them in divisions with a sharp spade and reset them in good, rich soil.

In October the perennials will be ripening their seed, which process they begin in September. The seed can be sown in separate colors if the flower stalks were marked while they were in bloom. It is worth the while to save the seed, even though it has to be sown in out-of-the-way places. Hollyhocks, foxgloves, poppies, Canterbury bells, Sweet William and Coreopsis produce large envelopes of seed.

It must not be forgotten that a supply of dead leaves has to be laid in when leaves begin to fall. They are the natural blankets that are provided for the tucking away of the children of the garden in the winter beds. A little addition to the leaf supply, carefully packed away each day in sacks or barrels, will be worthily burning them will save many flowers and pay a dividend in pleasure and profit.

Among the wealthy folk of the East the fall is being used for garden work. Vincent Astor is having a remarkable lot of work done at his country place, Rhinecliff, on the Hudson river. He found that the roads and walks were in many cases badly laid out. They were crooked and lacked symmetry in keeping with the estate. So he has had his roads straightened and put in order.



Japanese Table Tree One Hundred Years Old.

## SOMETHING ABOUT DAHLIAS

By G. T. GEOFFROY.

If you want dahlia roots for next year, plant them in small pots and let them remain all summer. Keep them over winter like old roots; and start them again in the spring. I do not say this is absolute, but it is one of the best ways I know to raise dahlias successfully.

It is the claim of dahlia growers that in dividing the roots almost all the winter will degenerate. This is the reason we have so few good flowers.

A good dahlia should bloom from July until frost; and if it does not it is not worth keeping. There are dahlias that will.

Dahlias can be grown from seeds. They grow stronger than from cuttings and roots, but it is difficult to find good seeds.

Many believe that a cutting will not flower and make roots and keep over winter, but that is not true. That is the way they are raised all over the continent.

The mode of planting has much to do with the final results of the beauty of dahlias.

## JAPANESE TABLE TREE

There are some curious old trees in Japan that have just the opposite qualities to those which are found in the United States. One in our great forest country, when a tree has reached the dignity of 100 years of undisturbed residence in any one community, it rears its proud old head and stands as a landmark and a leading citizen of the forest.

Japan supplies some very strange specimens that live to hundreds of years without ever getting off an ordinary table. They are stunted, gnarled little gnomes of trees, made to dwell all their lives in the prison of a bowl, where water is placed to give a tiny landscape effect and miniature houses are built under the shade of the branches. It is a wonderful little semblance of a forest.

In the picture one sees how the Japanese use the dwarfed trees for home decorative effect. As all things are really relative, the tree preserves its dignity by being as much larger than the miniature house than a real tree would loom above a sure-ground dwelling.

But it is a dwarf, nevertheless, and the idea can be used for home or garden decoration when one finds a stunted tree that, like Peter Pan, never will grow up.

## IDEA THAT DOMINATES IN ALL FEMININE APPAREL.

Old and Young Alike Must Bow to the Decree—Examples of It Shown in Military Designed for the Fall.

The military note is sounded strongly in feminine apparel for fall and winter seasons. This ruling applies to garments designed for all ages of femininity. The military note dominates dresses for girls from six to fourteen years. Sailor suits or dresses are strongly featured, and a great deal of narrow flat braid is used, gold and red on navy, white on navy, etc. Trifles done in colored wool or in gold thread appear on many little frocks.

The older members of the family add a military note voiced in the arrangement of collars. In color blendings, in the use of a great deal of military braid on suits and dresses of the tailored type, and all the warring nations are popularized sartorially in the development of the season's military.

Never have so many "visored" hats been seen.

The gamut from motor hat to smart street chapeau is run, and not only is the military note evidenced in the shaping of the hats, but in their decorations as well. Metal motifs, very military and smart, are popular, and upstanding military pompoms are also liked.

The sketch shows three hats of the fall and winter crop that may claim military kinship. The wide model is either Italian, with its quantity rolled brim trimmed with a wood embroidered design in high color. The hat proper combines bright green and red felt and it is featured for sport wear.

The visored cap of the French soldier is shown, developed in caricature.



## Fall and Winter Hats Show Military Influence.

Persian or baby lamb or other crinkly black fur, the front adorned with a single metal or gold thread emblem. This hat may be worn for morning and afternoon wear, with a wide brim, and obviously it should be merely an accompaniment of a handsome coat of the same fur.

The third hat is of boned-out-colored velvet or hatter's plush trimmed with small buttons and gold braid.

A noticeable feature of many of the smart hats developed for next season's wear is the use of bandeaux. Following the bandeau vogue to its logical extreme, it seems safe to assume that a low style of hair dressing will be favored through the season.

Towering or tilted hats would set rather grotesquely over equally towering mounds of hair, while the hair piled low on the head or neck serves to hold them in place.—Washington Star.

## AUTUMN SILKS ON DISPLAY

There is a gay display of autumn silks in the shops. Gold and bronze are the favorite colors and these are found in a great many of the new fabrics, both of silk and worsted. The silks are mostly of taffeta and satin, but there are wonderful heavy oriental crepes, woven in stripes of quite fresh and original color combinations.

Satin stripes of gold and bronze are frequently so burnished that they appear metallic. Another novelty is a striped satin bar composed of Roman colors shaded into one another diagonally. These are four inches apart and appear on a background of bronze brocade.

Green is to be in great vogue this season and the shades of it most affected are those tinged with gray or olive. The green is also seen as lining for boleros and chryso crepes which are themselves made of bouclé, wood brown and plum color.

Heavy satin of the limp sort is the material being sold most largely for one-piece dresses and the colors range through the tawny and grays and vine shades, but there is not much blue to be found except in a single shade, the deep vivid blue which is variously

called marine and old blue. This is used in trimming and lining silks and stripes of it on heavy black or beige ground dress silks make a wonderful combination.

Gray is in high feather and with its complement taupe is the chosen color of many imported gowns, especially the three-piece costumes.

One gray silk is barred with inch-wide bands of silver and along its edge is a border three inches wide of taupe-colored plush which is made to resemble fur and intended to be used just as fur in bands for trimming.

## WRIST BAG MADE LIKE NEW

Wrist bags, like most other things, after a certain length of service become shabby and soiled, but for practical purposes remain in as good a condition as when they were new. Our sketch shows a simple and effective way of trimming an old wrist bag and giving it a second lease of life.



## Renovated Handbag.

At the same time bringing it quite up-to-date.

A narrow ribbon frill is sewn on at the top of the bag, just under the clasp, and under this frill a second frill is sewn, and so on until the bag has been entirely covered.

The same idea can be carried on with lace frills if preferred, and for summer use a bag so trimmed looks very pretty and dainty. The cord handle and the tasseled can, of course, be renewed.

If ribbon is selected for trimming the bag, then it is a nice idea to choose it to match the costume with which the bag will be carried, but perhaps for everyday use black more ribbon or ribbon of some dark shade of color would be best.

## MUCH BENEFIT IN WALKING

The girl with a thick waistline must walk a great deal. Walking breaks up the fatty deposits and a slim, graceful figure is obtained. What could be pleasanter than to go to a walking club composed of beauty seeking friends and all go out for a tramp every day? Good company will make this beauty task easy. Bear in mind that in order to get the best results from this exercise the chest must be held up and out, the abdomen drawn in, the head held erect and the shoulder blades thrown back.

Holding the body in this position, start out and walk two or three miles, taking deep, exhilarating breaths as you stroll along. The more fresh air you get into your lungs the better developed your bust will be and the slimmer your waist.

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