

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Farm implements, household goods, vegetables, and grain of the estate of the late George M. Hough.

December 19, 1919, at 1 p. m. at the late home of George M. Hough, New Haven, Ohio, the following list of articles to be sold:

Double harness, single harness, 1-horse wagon, plow, five-tooth cultivator, one-shovel cultivator, platform scales, 1/2 bu. seed corn, spade, 5 forks, 6 bags, 2 shovels, bu. walnuts, scraps of harness, 50 ft. 1/4 in. rope, 3 bu. corn, 4 bu. crates, 3 bu. baskets, hoe, 3 picks, stove pipe, miscellaneous tools, 2 show cases, 14 squashes, bu. beans, 6 sugar scoops, gasoline stove, sleigh bells, fly net, shot gun, 3 beds, popcorn, bath tub, flag, rag carpets, ingrain carpets, hall tree, dining room chairs, rocking chairs, high chair, dishes, cooking utensils, 2 meat saws, meat cleaver, coal or wood range, 3 lamps, 2 kitchen tables, coal bucket, 6 rugs, dining room table, 2 stands, looking glass, alarm clock, lace curtains, pictures, heating stove burns soft coal, linoleum, chiffonier, organ, lounge, cupboard, 2 pair springs, books, quilt frames, bedding, clothes basket, sewing table, cabbage, 9 bu. potatoes, 47 heads of cabbage, 9 jugs and crocks, 20-gal. crock, 34 shocks of corn.

TERMS—Cash.
M. E. BURWELL, Adm. of the George M. Hough estate.
F. A. Paekler, Auctioneer

Living to Eat?

Oliver Cromwell said before each meal "Some people have food, but no appetite; others have appetite but no food. I have both. The Lord be praised!"

Have you ever wondered why you are no further advanced mentally? Have you ever considered how much of a man's time is given to the physical?

More and more luxuries become necessities as we go on. Man is not content with plain fare, humble abode and modest attire. He must have show, display, tinsel and trappings.

Mind is exercised only enough to get for us the physical indulgences we crave. The brain is developed only along lines that will facilitate and speed physical attainments.

Few among us seek knowledge for knowledge's sake. But as we multiply luxury and add to the complexity of daily life we make increased mental capacity necessary.

To rate as intelligent today, one must know more than was essential for equal status in grandfather's time.

That we choose the slower, less creditable route to enlightenment is one of the penalties of materialism.

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- Kid Gloves
- Mocha Gloves
- Fur Lined Gloves
- Hats and Caps
- Neckwear
- Sweater Coats
- Jersey Sweaters
- Mufflers
- Stocking Caps
- Traveling Bags



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- Steamer Trunks
- Bag Tags
- Trunks
- Linen Handkerchiefs
- Initial Linen Handkerchiefs
- Silk Handkerchiefs
- Silk Hosiery
- Fancy Hosiery
- Men's Dress Shirts
- Boys' Dress Shirts
- Boys' Shirt Waists
- Underwear
- Collars and Cuffs
- Stick Pins
- Cuff Buttons
- Men's Umbrellas
- Ladies' Umbrellas
- Silk Umbrellas

Buy these gifts at the Merry Christmas Store, the store where busy buyers mingle with gleaming faces and a cheery word for the many gift possibilities offered, for the splendid values and for the prompt service. Practical and Useful Gifts are here in abundance.

Store Open Wednesday and Saturday Nights

The Kennedy Mammoth Clothing House

76-78 West Main Street

SHELBY, OHIO

DELPHI

Married at the Catholic church, Friendship, Wisconsin, Miss Anna Rose Kanev, of Friendship,

Claude Delarver, of Boughtonville, Ohio, Thanksgiving day, 1919. The groom was a resident of the above town before going over-seas. The bride and groom arrived Monday in Boughtonville, and will be at home in the Jay McCullough home until March 1, after which they will reside on the L. B. Truxal farm, which Mr. Delarver has rented.

Raymond Black, who has been for the past year or so working on the B. & O. section has secured a position running a planer in the A. I. Root Co., of Medina, Ohio.

Herman Ebinger will move to the Garrett farm west of New Haven. He spent the summer upon the H. H. Sibbett farm.

John Cray was assisting his brother-in-law W. B. Ross, of Willard, move to Plymouth, last Saturday.

F. C. Young has sold his farm near Plymouth to Mr. Blanchard who took possession Monday. Mr.

Young moved south of the center of Ripley.

The Catlins ate Thanksgiving dinner with the Craigs, in Boughtonville.

Word comes from Soldiers Summit, Idaho, asking us where we ate Thanksgiving dinner? Signed by your son, W. C. Catlin.

We have reports that Mrs. C. H. Silliman is fighting her physical battle with that true indomitable courage she has always possessed.

W. E. Duffy and S. E. Gleason were appointed a committee to secure a treat for the Sunday School

for Christmas. How would you like their job? They will find a treat if any body can.

Choir practice this Friday evening.

Curtis J. King, of Shelby, is searching out every farm home in Huron county, to secure subscriptions for the National Stockman and Farmer of Pittsburgh. He is eating and paying well for the hospitality of the writer. We suggest that he secure a clubing list with the local paper of the community in which he is canvassing and thereby have a live wire at his

back and a commission increase.

Mrs. Louisa E. McLaughlin, of Greenwich has been spending a few weeks at the home of C. C. Palmer helping care for her grandson Dale Palmer who was injured by falling from a straw stack and running the time of a fork in his eye.

Miss Pearl Darling of the County Line was a Thanksgiving day guest of her sister, Mary Williams in Cleveland.

The W. F. M. S. was in all day session with Mrs. W. E. Duffy. A splendid program was arranged by Mrs. G. E. Young.

Where abides a spirit of helpfulness, — and where your confidence is respected.

Edw. B. Curpen's Gift Shop

Where you will find quality and infinite variety. Not a few old staid designs, out of date and out of making,—but crisp new things that make you know that the Edw. B. Curpen Gift Shop is alert.

The Edw. B. Curpen Gift Shop keeps its pulse on the holiday conceptions. It buys in variety, design, and with a sensible conclusion as to what the trade demands. Buy at the Edw. B. Curpen Gift Shop.

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There is no line in Plymouth that approaches our cut glass in quality.

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No one should think of buying a Wrist Watch without looking our line over.

We specialize in Wrist Watches. That's why we have all the makes, including the famous Gruen.

Speaking of watches, we are first in all watch business. First in repairing, first in variety, first in design, and first in price. Also, we are watch makers. We know the watch business.

Pearl Beads

The famous La Tausca, very pretty, and very popular. We have them from \$3 to \$20 per string.

Suggestions

Christmas Seals
Christmas Cards
Leather Purses
Mesh Bares
Nut Bowls
Candle Sticks
Smoking Sets
Smoking Stands
Clocks
Bud Vases
Berry Spoons
Salad Forks
Oyster Forks
Butter Spreaders
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Ivory Sets

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Nothing prettier, and our line is varied in size, design, and price. Very popular.

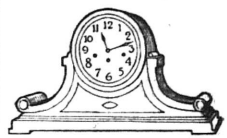
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For Ladies and Gentlemen, all stones, and sizes, and designs. You will be amazed at my offering. The quality is dependable. Rings are most acceptable.

\$2.00 to \$15.00

Clocks



Great variety of clocks, from the old-fashioned wall clock, to the handsome mantle pattern, or the essential alarm.

Umbrellas

Black silk, neat handle designs. very good quality throughout.

Christmas Cards

Buy early in Christmas Cards. The demand is always great, and the best goes first.



Your attention is called to our cabinets of Silverware, containing 27 pieces of select patterns, all contained in a mahogany chest. Just the thing when you wish to give something useful and substantial, and that will be a source of pleasure and utility for years.

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Buy useful articles for your Christmas Presents.

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All kinds of staple and fancy dry goods.

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Auction Sale.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction on the Dwight M. Barre farm, 2 miles west of Greenwich,

Tuesday Dec. 16, 1919. Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, sun time, the following property:

3 Horses

Buckskin mare coming 9 years old, straight and right, good single driver, weight 1200. Black Gelding 14 years old, weight 1350. Brown mare 15 years old, weight 1400.

Cattle

Grade Jersey and Durham, 4 yrs. old, to be fresh Dec. 16, extra good; Jersey and Durham heifer, 2 years old, to be fresh Dec. 30; Jersey and Durham heifer coming 2 years old due to calve sometime in Aug. 1920; full blooded Jersey, 4 years old, was fresh last August, will be fresh in April, good one; Durham steer, 1 year old; Durham steer 10 months old.

Hogs

2 Shoats about 185 lbs. each. Brood sow to farrow March 1.

Farming Tools

John Deere hay loader, Imperial walking plow, Dain mowing machine, Osborne binder, John Deere corn planter, Thomas grain drill with fertilizer and grass seed attachment, John Deere land roller, Royal grass seeder, 3-in. tire John Deere wagon, Deere wagon box with spring seat, Mansfield weeder. These articles are all new.

Osborne side delivery rake, Deere cultivator, Disc harrow, Lower drag, Champion dump rake, Clod crusher, Narrow tire wagon, hay rack, Long sled, new, 3 sets new runners; these articles in good condition. 135 feet new hay rope, 125 ft. hay rope used 3 seasons. Pulleys and double harpoon fork. Set double farm harness nearly new, 3 collars. Ball bearing steel frame grindstone, New Pope wire stretchers, Evershows Whiffletrees, Neckyokes, Chains, ladders, notatoo crates, grain sacks, 2 20-gal. meat crocks, 47-gal. vinegar barrel, Diaboli cream separator new, a good one. Barrel churn, Few bushel eating potatoes, Forks, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, other numerous articles.

TERMS:—All sums of \$5 or under, cash. Over \$5, 8 months time will be given on bankable notes with approved security, interest at 6 per cent.

Lunch served on grounds.
C. R. BALL,
Chas. Crum, Auctioneer.
C. E. Tennler, Clerk.

Child's Writing desk and chair, newly finished in oak at Miller's Furniture store.



Ask Your Bank's Advice!

John Holbrook, a good farmer, was stuck with \$2000 worth of wildcat oil stock. "Help me to get out," he begged. "It's too late," his banker replied. "If you had asked me at first I would gladly have advised you; now your money is gone." . . . This bank seeks always to advise the farmers of our county so they will *make* money. In a broader way, such advice is given weekly by

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

Our bank is not merely a place to keep money. The best part of our duty is the free giving of such every-day advice as our customers need. We should like to see prosperity for every farmer in this neighborhood. And because we believe that the inspiration, the help, to be found weekly in THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN will lead every farmer-reader into money-making ways, we recommend the placing of that Great National Farm Weekly in every farm home. If you have an account with us, instruct us to charge you \$1.00 for a year's subscription. If you keep your money elsewhere, come in, get acquainted, and learn more about THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. The next 52 big weekly issues may easily show you how to make in the coming year an extra \$100.00! What better investment can you make?

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Plymouth, Ohio R. H. Nimmons, Pres. J. E. Nimmons, Cashier

Phone 67

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MRS. M. MANLEY SEES HOPE FOR MANY FRIENDS

Ashland Laid Confident Others May Find Same Relief In TRUTONA

Ashland, Ky., Dec. 10, 1919. "I think Trutona is a very good medicine and I can recommend it to all of my friends, suffering with it, and feel sure they will gain a wonderful lot of relief," Mrs. M. Manley, 606 East Front street, Ashland, said recently.

"The trouble seemed to be principally with my stomach," she continued. "My appetite was poor and I was usually in a constipated condition, I never had any desire to eat breakfast and when I did it caused me a lot of trouble. I didn't sleep well at night, either."

"Although I have been taking Trutona only a few days it has made a great difference. The food I eat agrees with me now as I'm not bothered with the constipation any more. Why, I can hardly wait to eat my breakfast these days. I feel that I eat never hurts my stomach one bit, I sleep better at night, too, than I have for some time and I feel better when I get up in the morning."

"Trutona, the perfect tonic, is now being introduced and explained at K&B's WEBER'S Drug Store, Plymouth, Ohio."

Translation of French Letter.

Mrs. Sauer as President of Tourist Club, received the following letter from the mother of the little girl the Club is paying to support.

"I regret very much that I have not been able to thank you sooner for the help which you so kindly sent me in May 1919 and also for that which I received in August. The person (young lady) which wrote my letters for which I was away on a vacation and I do not know how to write."

"I thank you, Mrs. from the bottom of my heart and am very grateful to you because it is very hard to be left a widow with young children to support."

"My poor husband came home with a wound in the head and suffered terribly for a short time then he was seized with a fever and was quite delirious after which was left with the problem of bringing up my young children. It is true that I shall have a little help from the government if all goes well, but I am not sure how my husband will be helped after his wound and return of home though he was not cured and the grief is, he is dead."

"I assure you that people who are in trouble know how to appreciate how good the Americans have been to us. What would we have done without the help of the Boches would have made just one mouthful of our poor France."

"Wherever I have been that if the enemy of humanity attacks us as our generous Americans will assist them to defend us. French and Allied troops have left the fields from our sacred soil and those two nations will never be able to form one another—we are here for ever and ever in victory. And so my thanks from the bottom of my heart, for your kindness, and my entire gratitude."

"The Widow Jeanne of the Village of Teanem in Lannemezan, Finistere, France. Per Valentine Jaouen. (Our daughter)."

A Hand-picked Community Would YOU be willing to Select

He came into the Advertiser's office as his frequent custom.

Then we talked about the coal strike, the Red situation, deportation of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman and the ever-erecting thorns in American flesh.

Then we put the question to the Reverend whether he would like to live in a community of his own selection. In other words we asked him how he would like to have a community in Ohio, with no one living in it except the men, women and children whom he had selected.

Ordinarily, you would have thought that Rev. Smith would have said he would appreciate such an opportunity, but straight as a bullet came the reply that he wouldn't pick a community of his own picking.

Then we asked him if he would like to take an Ohio county as it exists today, and by the process of elimination, weed out undesirable elements, leaving only those except those who had his unqualified approval.

Ordinarily you would conclude that a man clothed with such authority, could reduce such a community to a 100 per cent efficiency, but straight came the answer that in his opinion, after he had so eliminated, it would be a most monotonous place to live.

He was right—pre-eminently right. Nevertheless, the average man would say that if he had the right to handpick, or the right to eliminate, he would make a community that would be a wonderful company of thrift, industry, and high moral conception.

But we are glad that he didn't count or approve the authority we suggested. This hand-picked community business is not new. Neither has it been successful.

Men have sought to build a community where only one religion, conviction abided, but they failed.

The Shakers tried it in Ohio but they failed. Dowie tried it over in Zion City, but he failed.

When Ann Lee came to America two years before the Declaration of Independence, she came with the avowed purpose of establishing a community of a single belief, but she had a barrel of trouble. Her husband deserted her, and because they were non-resistant, the Revolutionary war got them in trouble and Mother Ann landed in prison.

No communistic idea has ever succeeded, and America has given abundant opportunity for trial.

It was Ralph Waldo Emerson who wrote to Thomas Carlisle in England, saying: "We are a little wild in America with our projects of social reform, and there is not a reading man but who has a draft of a new community in his vest pocket."

We are not so sure that Mr. Emerson did not have a plan in his own pocket, for later he spoke very kindly of the Brook Farm that was having its beginning about the time Mr. Emerson said we were "a little wild."

The Brook Farm was probably the most distinguished of all select community efforts. It was started in 1840, by George Ripley, who not only conceived the plan but directed it.

His object was to secure a more natural union between intellectual and manual labor. To combine the thinker and the worker in the same individual, who came with society of liberal, intelligent, cultivated persons. To permit and insure a more simple life than can be led under a competitive system.

Wouldn't that look good to you? Mr. Ripley's crowd was hand-picked. They bought a tract 10 miles out of Boston, and formed a joint stock company under the

title of The Brook Farm Institute of Agriculture and Education. That was a fine name, don't you think?

Well it became a sort of school, and who were some of the fellows who attempted to combine the thinker and worker? Listen: A part of the scheme were George William Curtis, James Burrill Curtis, Father Isaac Thomas Hocker, and General Francis Barlow, the latter becoming attorney general of New York, and who prosecuted them "twice" about which we once heard so much. Even Nathaniel Hawthorne had a short experience with the Brook Farm. Necessary short, for the Brook Farm was short lived.

It had trouble from its infancy, internal and external. Emerson, who first gave it at least faint praise, later wrote of it as a perpetual picnic and an "age of reason in a patty-pan."

At the end of three years the Brook Farm was on the rocks, not dead but in its decadence. Then came a Frenchman to go to the members just what was the matter, and the fellow who can tell you what is lacking is there also with the remedy.

So they embraced the Frenchman and his plan, and Brook Farm again to go to the stars started a newspaper, and what an array of contributors. Look at them: Chas. A. Dana, James Russell Lowell, John G. Whittier, George William Curtis, Thomas W. Higginson, Horace Greeley, and others.

But financial troubles came thick and fast. Despite the mentorship of Emerson, Alcott, William Henry Channing, Theodore Parker and Margaret Fuller, they could not combine the thinker and worker in the same person. They were lacking in intelligent cultivated person, but they faced financial ruin and starvation.

What became of Brook Farm? Born in 1840, it died in the drab autumn of 1847. Think of it, only seven years old. It didn't live long enough to get to go out side the front gate.

Then the estate was buffeted around until 1870, and what do you think happened? It passed to the ownership of the Association of the Evangelical Lutheran church for the works of Mercy, and this organization immediately established thereon The Martin Luther Orphan Home, which is yet living for aught we know.

No wonder Rev. Smith would not care to live in a hand-picked community. It is the similitude that constitutes the fiasco. Similarity of ideas, similarity of motive, similarity of conduct.

There is virtue in unity, to be sure. There is also virtue in division. We divide on politics, we divide on religion. We told Rev. Smith if he picked a community he would select all Lutherans, but he said he wouldn't. That was not criticism of Lutherans. Standards are accentuated by comparison. Men are accentuated by comparison.

We should have unity in government, but diversity in our purpose, and opportunity. There should be unity in defense, but there should be diversity in aggression.

Selfishness is the basis of all communistic enterprises, and it is the same selfishness that kills. Every effort for good should have universal application.

That's why our Chamber of Commerce is right. It picks out the Methodist, the Presbyterian, the Lutheran, the democrat, the republican, the separate fraternities, and all at once for a communistic good in which all are beneficiaries. It undertakes nothing that does not help all.

Similitude is folly.

TO ADVANCE

the rate for Electric Light and Power January 1st, 1920, has become necessary to maintain the service.

Order of

BOARD OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

New Rates for Conservation of Natural Gas and Readjustment of Service

In keeping with our adopted policy of absolute frankness in our campaign of education for the conservation of natural gas and a readjustment of rates, we are printing the following letter which has been mailed to the Mayor and Councilmen of your municipality, so that our consumers may be fully informed as to this final appeal in their behalf for the preservation and prolongation of service of this economical, convenient, and cleanly fuel resource.

To the Honorable—The Mayor and Council:

Having completed our campaign of education for the conservation of natural gas, and having supplemented extensive newspaper publicity with meetings in all communities desiring them, and finding a wide spread appreciation and approval of the necessity for the establishing of a scale of rates which will save the waning supply for future years of use, we have initiated the movement by filing with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio a new rate schedule for your municipality in which the following named rates are specified—to-wit:

48c per 1000 cubic feet for the first 5,000 cubic feet each month.
53c per 1000 cubic feet for the next 5,000 cubic feet each month.
58c per 1000 cubic feet for the next 5,000 cubic feet each month.
63c per 1000 cubic feet for all over 15,000 cubic feet each month.

Subject to a discount of 3c per 1000 cubic feet if paid within ten (10) days after the bill for the previous monthly reading period has been issued.
Minimum charge—The price of 2000 cubic feet at the rate first above mentioned.

These rates have not been arrived at in any haphazard manner, but only after the most careful and painstaking investigation of the actual savings of gas accomplished through higher rates already established in nearly one hundred cities and towns in the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, and California.

And in finally determining our rates it will be observed that we have adopted not the higher rates of \$1.25, \$1.00, 85c, or 80c, which now prevail in many municipalities in the states named, and even in some towns in Ohio; nor have we adopted the so-called medium scale of rates ranging from 50c upward to 70c or 75c.

On the contrary we have decided upon the lowest scale of ascending rates in effect in Ohio, or elsewhere, namely: those established during the past six months in Canton, Canal Dover, Cuyahoga Falls, East Youngtown, Girard, Kent, Niles, North Canton, Massillon, Ravenna, Struthers, Warren, Uhrichsville, Dennison, Akron, New Philadelphia, and other places.

We have been advised in advance by many municipalities that the schedule will meet with their approval and in order that real conservation may become an accomplished fact, it is our intention to apply this new schedule to all communities served by our Company and for the common good of all; we trust we may have your moral support in that accomplishment, in your community and in all other communities of our system, for in no other manner can the supply be safeguarded for this and future years.

The new rates are designed to cut our Company's sale of gas 40% to 50% (dependent upon different rates and conditions of large use now prevailing in various communities); benefit the consumers' service accordingly, permit, through a readjustment of uses, the extensions of mains and services now so badly needed in many communities, protect the small users and give them enough gas for limited household needs at the lowest price; and to restrict the large consumers whose demands we are no longer able to meet in cold weather, owing to depletion in our supply and the prohibitive expense of extensive drilling of new wells and other field and main line operations under the prevailing high costs of material and labor.

We have refrained from filing new rates schedules until the present to forestall criticism that might arise because that action would have been coincident with the arrival of the winter season and the untoward complications existing in the coal industry. Having no desire to take advantage of any condition or agency outside the consideration of the needs of our consumers and our ability to supply them, we have delayed filing of rates so that when the statutory limit has expired and they become operative, and first payment becomes due in February, our consumers will have passed through the crucial cold months of the winter, and we hope the disastrous condition of our coal supply will have been forgotten in a full resumption of mining operations and an abundant supply of that fuel be available for all needs.

We assure you that our supply of gas, though depleted, will be equitably distributed to all communities adopting this schedule, and be based upon the number of consumers in each community in relation to the total number we serve. The experience in 47 Ohio cities and towns where similar rates have already been put into effect clearly indicates that their adoption throughout our system will assure all municipalities using natural gas conservatively, a satisfactory service for cooking, hot water heating, lighting, and other small domestic uses.

These rates are not designed to increase the Company's earnings, but merely to sustain it against the heavy loss resulting from the reduction in its volume of sales heretofore referred to, and this increase in rates will not to any unusual degree increase the consumers' monthly bills, and with the restrictions the new rates will impose upon large consumers the improvement in service will more than compensate for any small addition to the amount now paid.

The all important object is to conserve gas and prolong the service, and in this respect it most vitally concerns the consumer, because if natural gas became no longer available, and 872,000 homes in Ohio now supplied with natural gas are compelled to seek substitute appliances and substitute fuels, the money loss in discarded appliances will be a stupendous sum, and the added demand for coal, oil, gasoline, wood and electricity can have no other effect than to greatly increase the prices at which they are now sold.

Natural gas has never been priced according to its worth as a fuel, let alone any consideration of its admirable adaptability to the needs of the household, and the new rates do not represent one-half of its real value in comparison with the fuels it displaces.

We are confident that the sober judgment of your people, with the whole truth of the situation now before them, will be that their own best interests will best be served and that they will fully approve the new rates.

Very Respectfully,

The Logan Natural Gas and Fuel Company



Like a true friend, the Chevrolet will wear well.

It will not fail you in time of need. It will not be a burden to keep.

And the closer your acquaintance grows the greater will be the charm in its possession.

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M. Kugel Dry Cleaning Co.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT we have remodelled the building, equipped the plant from work room to office with new and modern machinery and appliances making this one of the most modern Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants in North Central Ohio.

PARCEL POST PATRONS WILL RECEIVE OUR BEST ATTENTION

Derringer & Hilborn
Agents, Plymouth

M. Kugel Dry Cleaning Co.
Norwalk

Country Sausage.

That country sausage which I advertised last week had such a pronounced flavor, and was so near like that which our father made that it sold in a few hours despite the fact we put a hundred pounds on our counter.

Then customer told customer and they came seeking, this fine country sausage long after the supply was exhausted.

We will have more Friday of this week, and this is notice to come early. This sausage is made on the farm by a farmer who knows how, and it has in it all the lean and juicy meat of the pig.

It is worth while to be able to buy such clean, sweet sausage that is of the real country type. Did you hear me say that we would have more Friday?

CHAPPELL

The Grocer



Lutheran Church
Subject for Sunday morning: "Wisdom is justified of her children." Time of service, eleven o'clock.

We are always glad to welcome you and your friends to the church. We are in the season when we think of the coming of the Savior to men. Let us meet him in his own house. He came not with a sour and rebellious will toward us but with good will. Let us learn what that good will is. Sunday school, ten o'clock.

Cook Wanted.
At the Davis Restaurant. Restaurant experience not necessary. Will pay good wages.
Don P. Clapsaddle.

R. H. Nimmons and F. P. Willert were in Norwalk Tuesday on business.

Hiram Beckwith went to Tiffin Tuesday to be the guest of his son, Lloyd Beckwith and family.

The W. H. M. S. of the Methodist church will hold its monthly meeting on December 11, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Stotts.

Bissell's carpet and vacuum cleaners, another new shipment on sale at Miller's Furniture store.

W. B. Anderson has purchased the two properties on Bell street, south of the Northern Ohio, and owned by Charles and Louise Taylor. This will probably mean that Mr. Anderson will not build as he had planned for it is said that he will occupy one of the Taylor properties.

Smoking stands at Miller's Furniture store.

The Plymouth Home Building Co., has purchased the lot corner of Walnut street and Park avenue of Mrs. C. J. Powers, and will build a five or six room house on same immediately.

Brass beds makes a nice Xmas present, we have a nice line at a right price.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beaver and daughter, Miss Gertrude, of Crestline, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trimmer, Sandusky street.

See Miller for screens and floor lamps.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Svkes and family, and Dr. and Mrs. H. U. Svkes, were Sunday evening guests of their mother Mrs. E. E. Svkes.

Pictures are nice for Xmas. Look them over at Miller's.

Mrs. Frank Schoendorfer returned home Saturday from Kenosha, Wisconsin, where she has been for a few weeks the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Thad Ashley.

Mrs. O. A. White was in Norwalk Wednesday.

Miller has a big line of library tables, just the thing for a Xmas present.

An electric vacuum cleaner makes a nice Christmas present. See them at Miller's Furniture store.

Cedar chests and shirt waists boxes at Miller's Furniture store.

Will there be an Edison or Victrola in your home this Christmas? Hear them at Miller's Furniture store.

A nice mirror will make a fine Christmas present. See them at Miller's Furniture store.

Dublin silk hosiery for men in all colors, beautiful merchandise, makes a wonderful Christmas present. McKelloeg Clo. Co.

We note from a recent issue of the Van Wert Daily Bulletin, that W. G. Stott, a brother of Mrs. Chas. McConchey, was elected High Priest in the Van Wert Chapter Royal Arch Masons.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shield, of Cleveland, accompanied by Clarence and Miss Helen, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bachrach.

Mrs. J. Frank Holtz and son Robert, spent Sunday in Willard the guest of the Hoffman home.

Miss Lillian Hoffman of Willard, was the guest of Mrs. J. Frank Holtz, Monday.

Neckties, neck scarfs, silk shirts, dress gloves, silk hosiery, handkerchiefs, sweaters, hats and caps, suit cases and traveling bags. Suits and Overcoats make useful gifts for men and boys. McKelloeg Clo. Co.

Atta Boy

IT'S A RINGER
Indoor Horse Shoe Game, an enjoyable pastime for every member of the family. Can be played in any ordinary size room without disturbing rugs or furniture. Organize a club in your neighborhood for friendly contests during winter evenings. Complete outfit sent Parcel Post paid for One Dollar. Makes a dandy Christmas present for boys and girls.
SHELBY NOVELTY CO.
Shelby, Ohio
P. O. Box 42

E. M. Patterson is wiring his home for electricity. The Hepp Electric Co. is doing the work.

Mrs. Laura C. Van Asdal, who has been in Cambridge, Ohio, for the past four months, is now with her sister, Mrs. Mat Dallas, west Broadway.

Judson's Drug store has various lines of Xmas merchandise, Cards, Toys, Dolls, games, painting outfits, and stationery.

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Did you know at the present time there is nothing much harder to find than a good pair of women's dress suspenders. The Chester suspender is the best we can find anywhere. They are good. Buy a real pair of suspenders for a Christmas present. McKelloeg Clo. Co.

Mrs. E. M. Ringer, of Seattle, Wash., who has been spending the past two months very pleasantly with relatives and friends in Plymouth, left Sunday evening for Chicago, from which place she will go to Los Angeles, Calif., where she will be joined by Miss Helen Ringer, of Washington State University, who will remain for the holidays, after which Miss Ringer will return to her work at the University, and Mrs. Ringer will spend the winter at various points in Calif.

Mrs. Chas. Miller was very pleasantly surprised last Thursday evening by a party of ten ladies, with well-filled baskets, walked in her kitchen door and called "Surprise". The occasion being her birthday. After every one had eaten as much and more than they conveniently could, the tables were cleared and the remainder of the evening devoted to five Hundred.

Buy your boy a suit of clothes or overcoat for a real Christmas present. We have just the one he wants at a very reasonable price. McKelloeg Clo. Co.

It may not be a white Christmas, but there is a good prospect for a white ribbon Christmas.

Bring your Battery or send for us when you are ready to store. We test and charge and keep in good condition and return O. K. Abbott's Electric Shop, 103 Sandusky St. Expression of Gratitude.

Through the columns of this paper, I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to the friends sending me so many cheer, full letters, cards, and beautiful flowers while I was in the Lake-side hospital.

I will never forget your kindness of furnishing food for less than thoughts during the painful hours.

Mrs. Chas. H. Silliman.
Stockholders Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of Stockholders of The People's National Bank of Plymouth, for the purpose of electing directors for ensuing year will be held at their Banking office, Tuesday, January 13, 1920, from 1:00 to 2:00 p. m. J. E. Nimmons, Cashier

Made To Order.

Made to order suits and overcoats, \$23.50 and \$33.00. A Nash salesman will be at West-er Hotel Saturday evening, December 13, W. C. White, with the Nash Co.

Notice to Parents of Plymouth!

A Parent-Teacher Association is being organized in Plymouth. All parents are invited to attend meeting Monday, Dec. 15, at 4 o'clock. This association should be a great help to Plymouth so every parent come.

Will Care For Your Batteries.

Batteries stored and cared for. During winter tested and charged once a month. Send for us. Abbott's Electric Shop, 103 Sandusky St.

Attention, You Fellows.

Settlement time is here. Come in and adjust by cash or note before January 1. It takes cash to buy goods now, and the price is desperately high. Let's fix up the '44 score and be ready to start the new year with a clean slate. Nimmons & Nimmons.

Karl Webber

Christmas cards and seals.

Christmas Booklets with cheery messages.

Fine line of copy-righted books for those who appreciate good fiction.

Best line of juvenile story books in town. From the baby's picture book to those demanded by the red-blooded American boy and girl.

Of course you really can't shop and leave out the Webber store. It is always so full of the gift spirit that it cannot be disregarded.

It will be worth your while to see our line of white ivory goods. Beauty and utility are cleverly combined.

Karl Webber

COAL

HARD OR SOFT AND ANY KIND YOU WANT.

FEED

IN ABUNDANCE AND VARIETY. FEED FOR CHICKENS, HOGS, CATTLE, HORSES. THE PRICE IS RIGHT.

Car Load Cotton Seed Meal

THIS IS JUST IN AND FRESH. BOUGHT IT SO YOU COULD HAVE IT AT THE BOTTOM PRICE.

Salt

IN THE BLOCK, LUMP OR BARREL. CAN SUPPLY YOU IN KIND OR QUANTITY.

THE EQUITY IS ALWAYS HERE WITH THE BEST AT THE LOWEST.

Plymouth Equity Exchange

PLYMOUTH OHIO

Elnora Taylor

Comes Out In The Wash

Everything comes out in the wash, all except the color. We know the laundry business well enough to get after the dirt, and return your garments clean and wholesome, and without injury to fabric or color.

Many family washings are coming to us from Plymouth. The reason is that we save you money, and deliver on time. You know when and how it will be returned.

Try us with your family washing.

Derringer and Hilborn are our agents.

The Troy Laundry

NORWALK, OHIO

BIG FIRE SALE

Begins Friday, Dec. 12
Ends Saturday, Dec. 27

Big Stock Damaged by Smoke

NO WATER DAMAGE

Come Early And Share In The Low Prices Which The Fire Enforces.

Fortunately there is only a smoke damage, but it is sufficient to compel us to move the stock out of the way quickly.

Come First and You'll Fair Best.

THE BERK DRY GOODS STORE

WILLARD, OHIO

Public Sale.

At my residence 1/2 mile west of center of Richmond township, Tuesday, December 16, 1919. Commencing at 10 a. m. the following property will be offered for sale.

13 Head of Cattle
Durham cow 6 years old, will be fresh in January. Full blood Holstein heifer 2 years old, will be fresh in January. 2 three year old, giving milk. 2 three year old half blood Holsteins, will be fresh in February. 2 two year old heifers, to be fresh in March. 3 grade cows to be fresh in March. 2 yearling steers. Durham bull.

22 Head of Sheep
8 full blood Shorthorn ewes, 4 years old and 7 lambs. 2 grade ewes.

1 Brood sow and 7 pigs.
400 baskets of Corn, 50 shecks of Corn, 200 bundles of fodder, tons mixed hay, 4 tons timothy hay.

20th Century Manure Spreader, 10 feet Drag, Set double harness.

TERMS—Made known on day of sale. WM. RIDDLE, J. A. Keesey, Auctioneer, W. N. Keesey, Clerk.

Your Hired Man.

Congress has convened in the Sixty-Sixth session facing some of the largest, most important problems ever brought to the national capital for solution. There is the peace treaty, the railroads, the merchant marine, labor, regulation of the meat packers, and dozens of other legislative tangles to be unknotted.

Senators and representatives will talk, debate, compromise, hold hearings, examine witnesses, and vote. Once in a while the folks back home will hear murmurs of the debates, and will, if they read the papers, find out how this thing was settled, or that left unsettled. When the work in the people will have a set of new laws in the making of which they had little hand.

This isn't as it should be. If you hired a man to work for you, would you send him out into the field, or the shop, with instruction to do the work in the way he thought best—does he wishes it done? Or would you tell him how YOU wanted it done? And having told him what to do, wouldn't you "lose" the job? Wouldn't you be around every so often to see that he did it the way you wanted it done? Of course you'd be there, and

you'd see that the work was done, the work you wanted done, and done in the way you wanted it done.

But here we are at home, electing representatives and senators; sending them down to Washington to do a job of work for us, and never paying further attention, until their work is done, and it is time to hire him for another term, or another man.

Naturally we cannot go to Washington to oversee his work. That isn't necessary. It can be done from home. You can let your representatives in House and Senate know what you want done, and how. Uncle Sam's postoffice will carry your instructions. It is easy enough to write a letter, or several. The average hired man will do what his boss wants done. So will the average congressman and senator.

One such "order" from the home district may not be enough. But if you and your neighbors all send in "orders" and if the majority rule, as they should, your hired man in Washington will make laws you want. Talk it over with your neighbors, and let the member from this district, and our senators, too, know where the home folks stand.

Obituary.

Samuel Kaylor Hoak, son of Jacob and Mary Hoak, was born September 15, 1844, in Sugar Creek township, Stark county, Ohio. He died November 20, 1919, aged 76 years, 2 months and 10 days. He was the third of nine children, all of whom have preceded him in death.

He was married to Celia A. Ross, May 21, 1888. To this union three children were born: Mrs. Guy Brockaw, of Plymouth; Mrs. Frank Spillite of New Washington, and Ross M. Hoak. The family circle was broken by the death of the mother, September 6, 1890, and again by the loss of his only son, Ross, on Oct. 2, 1908. Two years after the death of his wife, he was married on Nov. 19, 1882, to Esther Carlisle, who still survives him.

He early affiliated with the M. E. church of which he remained a consistent member during life. Those who remain to mourn his loss are the wife, two daughters, stepson H. R. Carlisle, and five grandchildren, besides his many friends.

Pretty Good Sermon.

Boys who are appointed to the naval or military academy by Congressman Clement Brumbaugh are required to pledge in writing that they will abstain from hazing while in the academy and also that they will write their mothers or fathers, or those who have reared them, once a week during their lives.

In a letter to a Columbus boy announcing his appointment to the Annapolis academy recently, Congressman Brumbaugh said: "The only letter you need write is a pledge that I exact from every boy whom I nominate to West Point or Annapolis. I require this pledge in writing, signed by him,

that under no circumstances will he ever be so unmanly or unappreciative of the honor I confer upon him as to engage in the mean, low, despicable crime of hazing or joining in with any crowd in hazing a fellow student or a poor, defenseless boy. I am your friend and will stick by you in any way possible, but you never need call on me for help if you are guilty of hazing.

"Second, I require of each boy a pledge that he will write his mother, if living; if not living, then his father, or if he is not living, then those who have reared him and stand in the place of father or mother to him, a letter each week of his life.

"I figure life's problem to a

young man somewhat this way: They are all liable to make a mistake sometime, and the boy who will be thoughtful and manly enough to write his mother once a week may go wrong, but he will not go far wrong and he will come back again to the right."

This may be an age of progress but just the same there are people who talk about playing the caesar, while others would kill the "empire".

Never buy in a boot shop unless you wish to pay about fifty per cent more than you can buy the same pair at a shoe store.



McKellogg Brothers, Chicago
"Best Buy" Guaranteed Clothes

Is Your Boy "Hard on Clothes"?

Your boy won't come home with his elbows pushed through his coat sleeves and his knees protruding through his trousers if he is wearing SCHOENBERG BROS. clothes. These sturdy garments are reinforced thru-out and all seams are double stitched. They're just the clothes for active boys.

McKellogg
Clothing Co.

Pity Him! Don't laugh at the pale, emaciated fellow who says "Good morning" to you here in the afternoon, outside the Moberly Index. The chap may be a worker on a morning newspaper and may have just "got up."—Kansas City Times.

Values In Suits Were Never Greater

Our entire stock of ladies' fine suits—such fashionable materials as duvetyne, tricotine, silvertone, serge, panama, etc., are now priced for quick selling 1-3 to 1-4 off.

Special Reduced Prices on Coats

DRESSES
\$19.75 to \$125.00
A large assortment of ladies dresses in all the suitable materials.

Waists inorgette, and crepe-de-chine.
\$6.75 to \$37.50

Christmas Furs Are a Most Delighting Gift

Every woman needs a good set of furs — a set for Christmas will be lasting joy for years to come.

Make your selections at this "Old Reliable" store and be assured of quality and value.

We have fox, marten, muskrat, raccoon, mink, opossum, lynx, and wolf skins, made after the latest fashions.

SELECT THEM NOW. WE WILL STORE THEM TILL WANTED

There's a wide variety of other practical gifts at this store for men, women and children.

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| Umbrellas | Silk Underwear |
| Kerchiefs | Negligee |
| Hosiery | Kimono |
| Gloves | Petticoat |
| Table Linens | Waist |
| Handkerchiefs | Traveling Case |
| Mesh Bags | Writing Case |
| Rugs | Auto Robes |
| Blankets | Infants Wearables |
| Hair Bows | Dolls |

THE H. L. REED COMPANY
Mansfield, Ohio

CHRISTMAS GIFT STOCKS ARE READY

HANDKERCHIEFS

--The Most Welcome of Christmas Gifts

It will be a pleasure to select you handkerchiefs here as our assortment comprises every conceivable kind, from the lowly cotton to the purest linen.

Fancy Bored Handkerchiefs, box	29c to \$1.69
Dainty Embroidered Corners, each	15c to 39c
Pure Linen, Embroidered Corners each	59c to 99c
Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, each	29c and 35c
Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, each	19c
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, each	19c and 35c

And endless variety of Hemstitched, Fancy Borders, embroidered Edges, Lace Trimmed, Crepe de chine and Initials.

HOSIERY for Christmas

In spite of the scarcity, we have been fortunate in securing a large assortment in all the wanted colors. Each pair is put up in an attractive box ready to send away.

Women's Silk Stockings, black, white and colors,	\$1.00 to \$3.50
Women's Lisle Stockings, per pair	65c to \$1.59
Women's Cotton Stockings, per pair	35c to 59c

GLOVES are Appreciated

Meyers Washable Cape Gloves, per pair	\$2.50 and \$3.00
Meyers Mocha Gloves	\$4.00
Meyers Kid Gloves, embroidered back, pair	\$3.00 and \$3.25
Ladies' Washable Chamoisette Gloves, pair	\$1.19
Ladies' Silk Lined Chamoisette Gloves, pair	\$1.50
Ladies' Double Silk Gloves	\$1.65
Children's Kid Mittens	\$1.25
Children's Knit Gloves	35c to 75c
Children's Knit mittens	35c to 65c

HAND BAGS are Acceptable

Velvet Bags in black, navy, taupe and brown	\$6.50 to \$14.50
Fancy Leather Bags	\$4.98 to \$12.75
Strap Purse	\$1.98 to \$10.00
Billfolds	\$1.00 to \$2.50

To create a real smile, to give unbounded joy, send a purse or handbag. We are showing a lovely variety of velvet bags, leather bags, purses, billfolds.

The C. F. Jackson Co.

Norwalk, Ohio

Public Sale.

The undersigned will hold a public sale on the Sheekler farm at Auburn Center, 3 1/2 miles north and east of Tiro, 7 1/2 miles south and east of New Washington, 5 1/2 miles southwest of Plymouth and 7 1/2 miles northwest of Shelby.

Wednesday December 17.

3 Horses

Gelding 4 years old, 1300 lbs.

Gelding 4 years old, 1400 lbs. Mare

4 years old, 1350 lbs.

Cattle

Durham cow 8 years old, to be

fresh in February, 1 half Jersey

and half Holstein cow with calf

by side; full blood Jersey cow 6

years old, to be fresh in July; full

blood Jersey cow 5 years old, to

be fresh in July; 1 half Jersey and

half Durham cow 3 years old, with

calf by side; 4 head of young

cattle.

20 Head of Hogs

Broad sow with 6 pigs; sow with

2 pigs; full blood Poland China sow with 3 pigs; sow due to farrow last of February; Jersey Red boar; 4 shoats weighing about 125 pounds each.

Farming Implements.

Rossman Manure spreader, new;

Birdsell weeder, 3-inch tires, new;

Osborne side delivery rake, new;

Osborne binder in good shape;

McCormick Mower, Roller, Black

Hawk corn planter, good, with 80

rods of wire. Disc Hay tedder.

Oliver Riding plow, Walking plow.

Drag, Open Buggy, Surrey, Top

Buggy, Buggy pole, Feed cooper.

Mud boat, Log chains, Flat, bot-

tom hay rack, 2 sets work harness.

New set work harness. Light set

double driving harness. 2 sets

light single harness. Coal oil drum

Empire cream separator, new.

Hard coal burner. Hay by the ton.

400 shocks of corn. Corn in the

crib, 120 feet of hay rope, fork

and pulleys. Half interest in 12

acres of wheat in ground. Other articles too numerous to mention. Sale begins at 10 o'clock, eastern time.

TERMS--Six months time with 6 per cent interest from date; 2 per cent off for cash.

EDGAR and BESSIE M. BARBER, Col. George W. Cole, Auctioneer. Royal Sawyer, Clerk.

Crawford County Farmers Predict Open Winter.

Whetstone township farmers say that it will be an open winter with high water, their forecast being based on the places the muskrats are selecting for their homes. In normal season the muskrat will build his nest at about the line of high water. This year he is building off the ground on the rails of fences.

Farm Bureau Notes.

In the next few weeks an effort will be made by the Farm Bureau to establish a permanent organization in each township. Some of the townships are already organized. Meetings will soon be held in each township. The efforts of the Farm Bureau are for the most part educational, working in cooperation with the U. S. and State Department of Agriculture and the Ohio Experiment Station.

The Farm Bureau is a nationwide movement which includes every state in the United States and stands ready to advance the interests of the farmer in every way possible, realizing that it is only through organized effort that the greatest good can be accomplished.

The first township meeting will be held at Township Center, Richmond township, Friday evening, December 12, at 8 o'clock, at which time the county agent will be present and explain the Farm Bureau work. Max Phillips, County Agent.

Obituary.

Macey E. Eckstein nee Harding, daughter of A. L. Harding and his wife Ella, was born August, 24, 1887 in Greenfield township, Huron county. Her early years were spent in the home of her parents and attended the district school.

On December 22, 1909, she was united in the bonds of holy wedlock with Albert C. Eckstein, the marriage ceremony having been performed by Rev. L. Loehr. Ten years of happy married life were spent on the farm, where husband and wife toiled hard to establish a comfortable home. Two daughters were born to this union, Alice Trova and Charabelle, aged 7 and 4 respectively at the death of their mother.

Although the deceased had never enjoyed robust health, she was always energetic. One week before her death she was overtaken with a hemorrhage of the nose and mouth. To give her the best of attention she was taken to the hospital at Willard on Sunday, Nov. 23. However, a general hemorrhagic condition developed which lowered her vitality. Her medical and surgical skill could not save her life. She passed away on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 27, at 7 p. m., at the age of 32 years, 3 months and 3 days.

The deceased never was a communicant member of a church. However, in the last months of her life she was a regular attendant at the Lutheran church at Willard, where she took an active part in church and Sunday school work. It was her intention to join this church by confirmation. However her unexpected sickness intervened. At her request she was baptized in the christian faith on Sunday, Nov. 23. She died in the faith of her Saviour.

She leaves to mourn, her husband, her two children, her father, a sister, Mrs. Ida Siens, two half brothers and two half sisters. These with a host of neighbors and friends mourn her untimely death. Funeral services were held at the home of the deceased, Sunday, Rev. Michelfelder officiating. Interment was made in New Haven cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their many kindnesses shown us in our bereavement of a wife and mother.

Albert Eckstein and Children.

Probable Shortage - Seed Potatoes

Due to the scarcity of seed potatoes, the Department of Botany at the Ohio Experiment Station is urging farmers to give particular attention to the storing of seed tubers this season. This is necessary, they state, because of the loss occasioned by rotting in the bin, to keep up quality and to prevent loss of vitality from sprouting. The dry rot, late blight and black leg live through the winter as diseases in seed potatoes which are stored in unfavorable conditions. Excessive moisture causes the late blight fungus to bring about a rot in seed potatoes. It has been shown that potatoes stored in dry, well-ventilated cellars with an earthen floor are best for seed. If it is necessary to store potatoes in pits, the long, narrow type is more desirable than the round pit, because the temperature is kept more nearly uniform in the long pit. The pits must have a good drainage and sufficient cover to prevent severe freezing.

Find Plan To Destroy Shade Tree Insects.

To prevent insects from establishing a firm hold in lawn and street trees, J. S. Houser, associate entomologist at the Ohio Experiment Station, advises municipalities to determine the badly-infested areas during the fall and winter, so that an effective spraying program may be followed during the spring and summer. To avoid the useless spraying of large trees, it is necessary to have the insect-infested area clearly mapped out, particularly to control the white-marked tussock moth, the bagworm, fall webworm and scale infestations. The tussock moth is identified by frothy egg masses and the bagworm by refuse-covered cocoon-like sacks hanging from branches. The introduction of the solid-stream spraying machine is regarded as a boon to the control of insects on shade trees. The machine is operated at high pressure, too.

CHAS. A. SEILER
LAWYER AND NOTARY PUBLIC
Over Beekwith's

The Man's Store of Mansfield

Your Man's kind of a Man's gift is waiting at Albrecht-Lapham's. This is the kind of a store where it doesn't make any difference who you are buying for or what his taste may be, we'll put the size of our selections up against the most particular Men in Mansfield. In fact, that's our business day in and day out, fifty-two weeks in the year, and we are successful.

Now is the time to plan for Xmas, if you haven't already started on this is the store where taking pains and planning for Men, go hand in hand with the best merchandise that it is possible to buy - Suit or Overcoat - Sweater Coat - Xmas Neckwear - Gloves - Silk Shirts - Silk Hose - Trunks - Suitcases and Traveling Bags.

Make Our Store Headquarters When in The City

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER

The Albrecht Lapham Clo. Co.

4th and Main MANSFIELD, O. 4th and Main

Pyrex-ware

Aluminum

- Kettles
- Bake pans
- Stew Pans
- Stew Kettles
- Cake Pans
- Tea Kettles
- Coffee Pots
- Coffee Percolators
- Drinking Cups

Guernsey Pottery

- Casseroles
- Ramkins
- Stew dishes
- Galvanized Bake Pans
- Electric Irons
- Electric Toasters

Nimmons and Nimmons

The stingiest man bobbed up in Toledo. He wanted the surgeon at the hospital to take five dollars off the bill and let his wife do the stitching after an operation for appendicitis. He said she had done so much work knitting that she knew all the stitches.

A soldier boy over in Monroeville loaned his trench coat to his best girl and now she's got 'em. The machine is operated at high pressure, too.

What Good Is a Lid?

Several otherwise excellent burial vaults have tops that are simply laid over the casket and left to their own devices. This, of course, is handier and much cheaper. But what of its safety? The Norwalk Vault leaves nothing to chance; its top is securely cemented on by hand, and top and bottom become one solid piece of masonry. Naturally, therefore, the Norwalk is sold everywhere the best is wanted; and naturally the best undertakers always recommend the Norwalk—it gives them a chance to guarantee the burial.

The Norwalk Vault Co.

JOHN H. COX, Manager, NORWALK, OHIO.
BE SURE YOU ASK FOR THE NORWALK
LOCAL 296 LOCAL 1-698 BELL 540

Invest \$35 Now For Clothes-Dividends

It would be well to look upon clothes-buying as an investment now, rather than as a necessity-purchase. You'll draw liberal dividends if you do.

The tendency of clothing prices is upward--and will continue so.

The cautious, far-seeing man is buying clothes now --- investing on the rising market.

The Kuppenheimer Overcoats offered here at \$35 represent a "buy" you will reap good returns on. Equal qualities will cost considerably more next fall--they're already selling at higher prices elsewhere.

Remarkable garments at the price; quality fabrics; Kuppenheimer tailoring; every detail shows skill, excellence and care. Styles in a variety to satisfy the wants of both men and young men.



Leon Mathews

Clothes and Shoes for Men and Boys

Willard, O.

Victory Oats.

In several of the counties over the state, traveling seedsmen have been promoting a variety of oats known as "Victory" or "New Victory" oats. These oats are a good variety and have been tested at

the Ohio Experiment Station for seven years but they are not an outstanding variety and have not been found to do any better under Ohio conditions than the common standard varieties. For that reason they are not worth the additional price which the seedmen are asking.

Good Church Sister Boosts For Ford Car.

The following appeared a few days ago in the "State Register" of Springfield, Ill.
"Many are the stories of Henry Ford and his popular automobile, but Hillsboro is relating what it calls the best of the season, and the facts of the case are true. It happened in one of the leading churches of the city that the pastor took for the text of his sermon, 'Better Church Attendance.' The pastor held that the automobile has taken more people away from church than any other thing. He concluded with the exclamation: 'The Ford car has taken more people to hell than any other thing that I can mention!' Whereupon an old lady in the congregation began to clap her hands and moan 'Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!' 'What's the matter sister, asked the pastor.
"The Ford never went any place that it couldn't make the round trip, and I am sure that all of those people in hell will be back," she answered. "So praise the Lord!"

Anything New.

The harassed house hunter groaned aloud.
"What's the matter, my friend?" asked a sympathetic old gentleman.
"I was just thinking how exacting I used to be when I was looking around for a place to live. I demanded an extra large living-room, closets by the dozen, not less than four bed-rooms, a sleeping porch or two, a roomy butler's pantry, baths upstairs and down, a wide veranda and a southern exposure."
"And now?"
"All I want is a house--just four walls and a roof."--Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ruse to Get Auto Ride.

Willie's father does not own an auto, but a good friend of the family has a seven-passenger car. One Sunday afternoon the little one became restless and was wishing some one would come and take them for a ride. Finally he said: "Daddy, call up the Johnsons and ask them if they wouldn't like to take a walk with us--and Daddy, tell them to be sure and bring their auto."

Dance

Friday Eve, Dec. 12

The management has secured Jack Day, of Willard, as drummer.

ROBERTS

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming I will sell on the Sabbath, P. M., located three miles east of New Haven, five miles west of Greenwich, Ct.
Monday, December 15, 1919.
The following property:
One pair of mules, weight 2700 lbs. Roan Gelding "Kindsman" record 2:15 1/4.
Cattle
Holstein cow will be fresh in February. Jersey cow will be fresh in January. Two year old Durham steer. One year old Durham heifer. Sheep
15 Breeding ewes. 2 shrop rams. 17 Spring lambs. 7 Shotts, weight 100 lbs. each.
Farming Implements.
Iron wheel wagon, 3 1/2 inch tire wagon. Corn King manure spreader. Cultivator. Land roller. Deering binder. McCormick mower. Hay rack with car. Hay loader. Side delivery rake. Disk. New Ward plow. Oliver Chilled plow. Three section iron harrow. Corn sheller. 150 White Leghorn hens. Set team harness. Set farm harness. Set single harness. Wood shed sled. 2 pair sled runners. Log chains. 2 set of double trees. 2 three horse eveners. Double shovel plow. Single shovel plow.
10 tons timothy hay. 15 tons mixed hay. 500 bushel of corn in the ear. Corn by the shock. Fodder by the bundle.
Many other articles too numerous to mention.
TERMS--Made known on day of sale.
H. H. SIBBETT.
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