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The Cedarville Herald.

FORTIETH YEAR NO. 15.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1917

PRICE, \$1.00 A YEAR

NEW COMMISSIONER.

Mr. R. E. Corry has been named county commissioner for the unexpired term of the late John Conwell. The appointment was made by Probate Judge Marshall, County Auditor Faulkner and Recorder Thomas. It is said there were a large number of applicants. Mr. Corry is a man well qualified for the place and will be a valuable member of the board.

VACANT LOT GARDENS.

The community club should arrange for the gardening of every vacant lot in town. In doing so the organization would not only be following a well established precedent set in cities but lend that much aid towards supplying the markets. This year above all years should find every plot of ground available in garden produce to help supply the shortage in food products that now exists and will be greater in the event of war, which seems but a few days off. Governor Cox has issued a timely proclamation for extensive cultivation of the soil on the part of Ohioans and the community in arranging for vacant lot gardening will not only be following this call of the governor but would be doing a service for families in need.

OLLIE DODDS DEAD.

Word was received here Sabbath of the very sudden death of Mr. Ollie Dodds at his home in Akron. While he had been suffering with heart trouble for the past year, yet his condition was not considered serious. The deceased was forty years of age and was the only son of Mayor William Dodds of Xenia. For the past eight years he has been connected with the Erie railroad as an assistant division freight agent. He was a member of the Elks lodge in Akron. Mr. Dodds was married to Miss Edna Wolford, daughter of the late J. H. Wolford of this place, who survives him. The body was brought to the home of the parents at Xenia where the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon. Burial took place at Woodland cemetery. Upon learning of Mr. Dodds' death Postmaster Turnbull and Miss Bernice Wolford left immediately for Akron.

WANTS MONEY RETURNED.

Jennie Jackson has brought suit against Mayor R. E. McLean for the return of \$200 deposited as bond when she was arrested last fall on a liquor charge. The mayor found the woman guilty and the fine was taken from this money and the balance given to her attorney, Sully James of Springfield, who defended her. James refused to turn the money over to the woman until she would settle her attorney fees. The mandamus suit against the mayor would compel the return of the full amount. The case against the woman was filed by the State Liquor License Commission. This is the second case where local officials have gotten into trouble over liquor cases and it is going to be some time before the state authorities will ever get any such cases filed in the local court.

FARMS FOR SALE.

NO. 11. 145 Acres, large frame house and all outbuildings, 20 acre meadow, 90 acres bluegrass pasture, large orchard, limestone soil, lay well in 4 miles R. R. Price \$4200. \$2500 down. Worth \$6,000.
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 Above farms are situated in Meigs County, about 10 miles from the Ohio River. Call or Address, CASEY & MICHAEL, Farm Agency, Harrisonville, Meigs Co., Ohio.

THE DRY CAMPAIGN.

One of the first steps to be taken in the city dry campaign is that of organization. What is being done in Greene County? Cedarville Township is organized. The W. C. T. U. had a federation meeting in Xenia last week to plan for county work. County organization was effected. It was decided that every township should appoint a key woman who should be reported to the county executive. Miss Lulu Henderson has been appointed from Cedarville Township. While organization is an important step, it will not be of any avail unless it gets action. It is often easy to get up a little enthusiasm in a meeting and to formulate plans and then go home and forget all about what she had promised to do. Pride for the good name of our state should stir us to activity. Indiana dry on the west and Michigan dry on the north should be a stimulus to us. We do not want to be in the rear. But what should stir us up more than anything else is to learn what blessings prohibition has brot to other states. We want to share in these blessings. We would like to solve the question of an enlarged penitentiary by a trial of prohibition for a year or two. A great many other questions can be solved in the same way. The Ohio legislature has not spent much time studying the question. Only one law was passed and that seemed to be in the interest of the wets. It changed the date of issuing licenses from November to May, and permits an extension of existing licenses from November to May. A bill had been offered to keep girls out of wine rooms. The liquor lobby fought it. At last they compromised by raising the age from 18 to 21 when a girl could enter a wine room. Why will men send representatives of that character to make our laws? What has become of our Anti-Saloon League that used to claim that it was their business to look after the legislature? Have they withdrawn in favor of the liquor interests? That what they seem to be doing in some states. Mrs. Frank Reid, who has been visiting here for several weeks, left last Thursday to visit friends and relatives in Cincinnati, before continuing on her journey to her home in Louisiana. Miss Anabel Murdock is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

PRaises NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

Mr. W. D. Nisbet of Chicago dropped into town Wednesday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nisbet. Mr. Nisbet was returning from Akron and was on his way to Indianapolis. While here he visited the new school house and was found in his praise of the structure which he said was as complete as any in the large cities. During the visit Mr. Nisbet recalled several of his poems much to the delight of the children. Supervisor of music, G. F. Siegler, has composed music for Mr. Nisbet's poem, "Your Flag and My Flag," and the pupils sang the song in a manner that brought words of commendation from the writer. Mr. Nisbet urged Prof. Siegler to send in his music, which is written in march time, in competition for the \$200 prize that is offered.

SUIT AGAINST GROCER.

The Wenckley & Worman Co., wholesale grocers, Dayton, filed suit against the McFarland Grocery Co., which resulted in closing the store Monday after Squire Jackson rendered a judgment for \$160. The case was not contested as Mr. Rufus McFarland is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton. The stock and accounts collectable will amount to about \$1,100.

MONMOUTH COLLEGE GLEE CLUB.

In United Presbyterian Church, Tuesday Evening, April 3rd.

AGAINST STEALING FORDS.

Representative W. B. Bryson was able to get a bill through the legislature that provides the same penalty for stealing automobiles as that for horse stealing. Representative Bryson could urge such a bill without much hesitation as he was unfortunately in having his Ford stolen last year, never getting trace of it.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Stephen G. and Eva Reed to Thos. Andrews, 139.57 acres in Ross Twp., Xenia, \$1.
 David H. and Clara Johnson to Chas. H. Crouse, 9.20 acres in Cedarville Twp., \$1.
 Jacob and Anna Stoltz to George Huffman, 68.68 acres in Greene and Clinton counties, \$6650.50.
 J. Carl Marshall to Lydia J. Dean, lot in Xenia, \$1.
 William F. Fiste to H. A. Shank, 115.35 acres in Beaver Creek Twp., \$1.
 Charles E. Payne to Clara Johnson 3 acres in Cedarville Twp., \$3200.
 George H. and Rosa Smith to Oscar L. Smith 1/2 acre in Cedarville Twp., \$100.
 Jessie C. and Florence Townsley to J. A., D. H. and Sal. McMillan 53.88 acres in Cedarville Twp., \$1.
 John and Ella Sullivan to D. E. Neal 102.71 acres in New Jasper Twp., \$1.
 Charles A. Robertson to Dennis Dewine, 16 acres in Yellow Springs, \$1.
 Edward L. Shank to Dennis and Rosa Dewine, lot in Yellow Springs, \$1.
 J. S. Heeg to Fannie Bock 24 acres in Miami Twp., \$1.
 Mary A. Harner to D. W. Cosley lot in Xenia, \$1.
 M. B. and O. C. Saum to Joseph Bratton, tract in Cedarville, \$1.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

The Board of Education at a meeting Friday night established the ruling that children living inside the corporation could not take their dinners to the school house without permission of the principal, this to be granted upon certain conditions. It is said that children living within a five mile radius upon certain conditions. It is said that children living within a five mile radius upon certain conditions. It is said that children living within a five mile radius upon certain conditions.

AUCTION SALE.

Having purchased the Cedar Inn which was recently abandoned, I will sell my household goods other than what was necessary to furnish three rooms.
Saturday, March 31
 Commencing at 1:00 p. m., the following property:
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A special representative of Ohionama will give a demonstration at McKee's hardware store next Saturday, March 31.

OHIO NEWS GOT TO THE QUICK

F. D. Berry, switchman, was killed in the west yards at Akron. Elyria chamber of commerce decided to adopt eastern time May 1. Newton Craver, fifty-five, Garrettsville, committed suicide by shooting at Geneva Clarence park, eight-year-old son, was killed by an automobile. Country home of Jacob M. Rust, southwest of Marysville, was destroyed by fire. Miss Virginia Miller, fifty, teacher and principal of public schools at Fostoria, is dead. In a crusade against automobile speeders Columbus police made wholesale arrests. At East Liverpool Mel Allson, nineteen, killed when thrown from a motorcycle. Congressman Fess announced he will resign as president of Antioch college at Yellow Springs. Hardware store of George W. Cypher at McCutchenville, Geneva county, was damaged by fire. Samuel D. Livingston, seventy-two, oldest real estate dealer in Fostoria, dropped dead in the street. Shock at hearing of son's death caused Michael Myers, eighty-three, Youngstown, to drop dead. James H. Hoyt, fifty-four, prominent Cleveland lawyer, was capitalised at St. Augustine, Fla. Marcia Moll and Nick Janovich, miners, were killed by falling stone while at work near Bellvue. T. H. Burgess, Baltimore, and Ohio brakeman, fell from train at Dayton and was killed instantly. Accidentally shot by the church, Len Havens, thirteen, of Clinton villa, died in a Columbus hospital. William Kester, two, was instantly killed at Massillon when he was struck by a freight train. At Youngstown Mrs. J. M. Webber, eighteen, swallowed poison by mistake and died a short while later. Mrs. Laura Oyler, forty-eight, was found dead along the road at Chillicothe. She was hit by a train. Adrian MacFarland, twenty-four, Chicago, was selected secretary of the Salem chamber of commerce. Northwestern Ohio students and principals will be held at Wauseon March 31 and 32. Sparks from a locomotive started a fire which destroyed three cars and damaged three others. At East Liverpool a man was run down and killed by an electric car. Captain David Bachelder, banker, died at Gallon age seventy-eight. He served as captain during the civil war. Sandusky city commission ignored petitions for a referendum on the city charter filed by the Sandusky civic committee. Richard Canty, twenty-one, colored, was instantly killed when run down by an automobile driven by Clarence Allison in Wellsville. Charles Rowler, eleven, Bridgeport, turned to wave goodbye to his mother and was struck by an auto. He died in a few minutes. The Deutsche Presse, German Democratic weekly at Marion, suspended publication principally because of high cost of news print paper.

MONMOUTH COLLEGE GLEE CLUB

Some five or six years ago, the Glee Club of Geneva College gave a concert in the Cedarville Opera House, but no organization of like character has appeared in Cedarville since. The coming of the Monmouth College Glee Club on next Tuesday, therefore, presents an opportunity not often enjoyed by the people of Cedarville. This club has attained a most enviable reputation as entertainers and everywhere they are receiving the highest compliments. The program which they render is a most varied one, consisting as it does of solos, quartettes, glees, readings and cartoons. Miss Kettering, pianist, and Miss Findley, violinist, members of the Monmouth Conservatory teaching staff, assist the club in its program. The reputation which the club has guaranteed a most pleasant evening and an entertainment which few will want to miss. The concert is to be given in the United Presbyterian Church next Tuesday evening, April 3, at 7:45 o'clock.

W. L. CLEMANS Real Estate

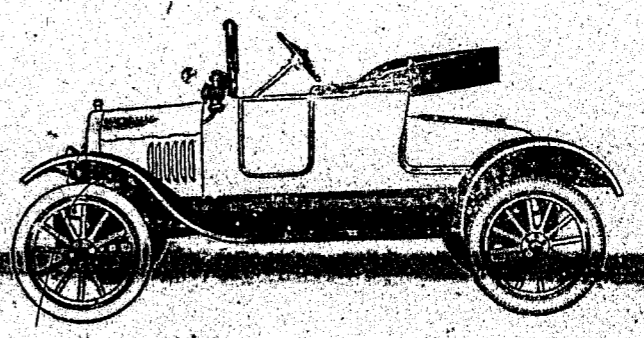
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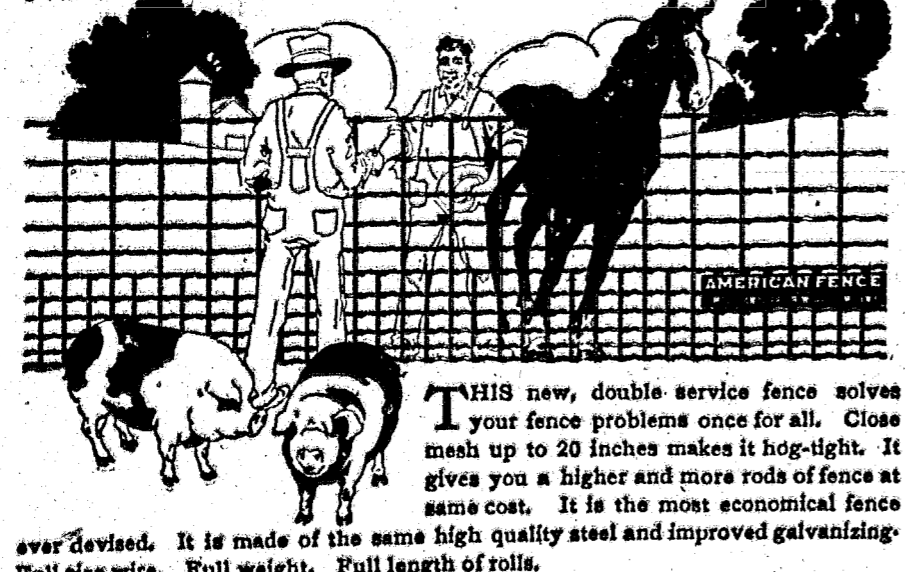
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WAR ALMOST CERTAIN

From most every angle it is conceded that when congress meets on Monday under the call of the president that war will be declared on Germany by this country. For months back each day has brought the con-

dition to face with a situation that no doubt most of our people have expected. Germany's policy has been to keep up the submarine warfare and to threaten the shipping lines upon the seas. In entering the war we will not be directly connected with England, France, Italy and Russia, but will maintain our own policy against the German empire.

The war department has called upon twenty or more regiments of the army that has been in Mexico. One of which is the Third now at Ft. Harrison, Indianapolis, being held for further orders. The local boys are in this regiment and expected to be home this week but of course will not likely get home for a time.

Thousands of guardsmen will be used in protecting munition plants, railroad property, especially bridges.

Church Service.

Pastors of the various churches are welcome to use this column for announcements but under no circumstances will notices be inserted unless they reach this office by Thursday noon.

R. P. CHURCH (MAIN STREET) J. L. Chesnut, Pastor.

Teachers Meeting Saturday at 7. Sabbath School at 9:30. Preaching at 10:30. C. E. at 6. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7. Union Service Sabbath evening in the U. P. church.

United Presbyterian.

James S. E. McMichael, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30. Preaching at 10:30. Y. P. C. U. at 6:00. Leader, Wallace Anderson. Evening service in U. P. Church at 7:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00.

Arcanum school patrons and voters approved a \$50,000 bond issue last week for a new high school building. The majority was 61 and the result was quite a surprise as even those favorable had some doubts about the issue carrying.

Judging from the Yellow Springs News things in that village are not altogether satisfactory so far as the proposed street improvement is concerned. For several weeks those who write communications behind assumed names have been pouring it into each other. Some do not favor stone macadam but want gravel. Others lean towards brick or some other more durable improvement. Council has already let the contract for stone which will cost over \$18,000. It has been more than a year since the legal proceedings were started and the contract was just let some days ago.

Near Fosteria Jacoby Bricker, fifty-five, farmer, was killed by a train. Seneca county farmer's institute will be held at Tiffin Feb. 12 to 13. Levy Riley, coventry, Confederate veteran, was killed by a train at Van Wert.

Gov. Cox will dedicate the new centralized schoolhouse at Martel, Marion county, in May.

At Fostoria the two-year-old son of W. A. Purdy swallowed poison from a bottle he found and died.

Adolphus real dealers boosted the retail price to \$2.50 a ton, the highest in the county's history.

Thomas Chapman, civil war veteran, dropped dead of heart disease in a grocery store at Kellewood.

Announcement was made of a bequest of \$10,000 to Muskegon from Mrs. Harry Maxwell of Reynoldsburg.

Modern Cut Glass company, Toledo, will move to Fostoria and operate with the Fostoria Glass Novelty company.

At Ashland Mrs. D. S. Davis, six days, died from burns received when her clothing caught fire from an open grate.

Senator Harding will speak at the annual celebration of the Richland County Lincoln association at Mansfield Feb. 13.

Women students of Elliott hall at Mt. Pleasant are being taught fire drills by Miss Luella Kichhofer, dean of women.

At Celina the five-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Melroy was fatally burned when its clothing ignited from a stove.

Patrimen Wolf shot and instantly killed Creed Dodson, a negro, who was caught in the act of burglarizing a store in Cleveland.

Saxon China company at Sebring was sold to the French China company. The consideration is said to have been \$500,000.

Ivan Taylor, 16, was drowned when he broke through the ice while skating at Bucyrus. His body was found thirty minutes later.

Striking street men of Hamilton refused to go back to work for a ten day period pending further consideration of their demands.

George Friling of Massillon told police he was robbed of \$225 while walking along the street in Cincinnati. Woman suspected.

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LESSON FOR APRIL 1

JESUS GIVES SIGHT TO BLIND.

LESSON TEXT—John 9:1-11, 33-38. (Read entire chapter.) GOLDEN TEXT—I am the light of the world.—John 9:5.

This, another of the signs which Jesus performed, is recorded only by John. It probably occurred in October, six months before the crucifixion, while Jesus was attending the Feast of the Tabernacles. There are six other cases of blindness recorded as having been cured. Look them up.

1. The Case (vv. 1-4). It was absolutely hopeless. No human skill could touch it, but Jesus "passed by," and that changed everything. What man cannot do Jesus can. Jesus is passing today, and we may expect things quite as wonderful to happen (John 14:12). This blind man illustrates the unsaved sinner (I Cor. 2:14). He never had seen. He was beyond human help (v. 32). He had doubtless given up all hope of seeing. He was without sympathy, suspected and despised (v. 2, 34). Poor—he was a beggar. He is also a type of the nation of Israel (Rev. 9:17). We must not attempt to explain all sickness (v. 3). God frequently uses it for the advancement of his kingdom (John 11:4). Jesus not only passed by but he "saw." The feeling of the crowd was that of curiosity and contempt. His feeling was that of compassion (vv. 2, 4 and 6). Sickness sometimes manifests God's sustaining grace (II Cor. 12:8-10). It is doubtless true that a large percentage of sickness is the direct result of sin (John 9:14; Mk. 2:2; Acts 12:23), some, of course, indirectly (Job 29:31-33).

2. The Cure (vv. 4-11). The word "must" in verse four is a strong one. The time for us to do our work is "now." This word "must" carries with it the idea of a divine imperative, and the reason for that imperativeness is the approaching "night." Night is coming fast, when no man can work. Notice the words we are to do are not our own, but "the works of him that sent me." Compare carefully verses two and four, and see that Jesus considered delivering the man from evil far more important than speculating about the origin of his complaint. Too much time is spent in investigation. Let us have more of action. The means used in this cure were clay and spit. The miracle was performed in plain view of all who might see. The man did not ask Jesus to help him, but Jesus had gone where he was (v. 5). His words, "Go wash" were a test of the man's faith (II Kings 5:10-14), and his part in the transaction was a testimony that it was Christ who worked the cure. The use of this material means in this ceremony made the man more willing to go and wash. It gave him something to do, and doing is always an end to faith. Simon means "sent," and was a type of Jesus himself (v. 4; John 10:36; Rom. 8:3; Gal. 4:4). If we wish to receive sight for our blind eyes, we should go to him and bathe (John 8:12).

3. The Controversy (v. 12 to end of chapter). This controversy gave opportunity for testimony, as we have already seen, first of all upon the part of the man whose testimony was progressive. At first he merely spoke of the fact. He was not acquainted with Jesus, for he calls him "The man called Jesus." Later on he is moved to call him a "prophet." He is a prophet (v. 17), and later still he recognizes him as "The Son of God" (vv. 35-38). This controversy established beyond question the fact of the cure. It brought out the deity of Christ (v. 33). The man was excommunicated, but for that matter he was already outside because of his physical infirmity, but, best of all, he became truly Christ's disciple.

4. Comments. This lesson with its vivid contrasts of belief and unbelief gives us a wonderful opportunity to urge upon pupils a decision to live the Christian life. Here Christ opened the eyes of our scholars to the love of God, to the awfulness of sin, to the need of a Savior, our divine Leader and Brother? Urge them, in the class and out, to be as outspoken and courageous for Christ as was this man who had never before perhaps seen or heard of Jesus, and whose gratitude at once called forth this wonderful confession.

Being cast out by the rules of the synagogue brought this man into closer and deeper fellowship and communion with Jesus. He had believed far enough to obey his bidding, and had thus been healed. Now he is brought to a great saving, transforming faith, viz., that Jesus is the Son of God. Do we take advantage of our privilege of confession? Before Christ came there were no hospitals. He is the inspiration of all charitable institutions, but healing of the body is of secondary importance; the healing of the soul is primary. "Whereas I was blind, now I see." Start with what you know—your own experience—and he will reveal himself according to your developing and progressive needs.

Keep Cheerful. Let us all try to do at least one good deed each day and keep a cheerful face, even if things do go awry. A cheerful face brightens many a weary soul and a kind deed or word wins many a heart. Good Found Everywhere. If we will take the good we find, asking no questions, we shall have healing measures. The great gifts are not got by analysis. Everything good is on the highway.—Emerson.

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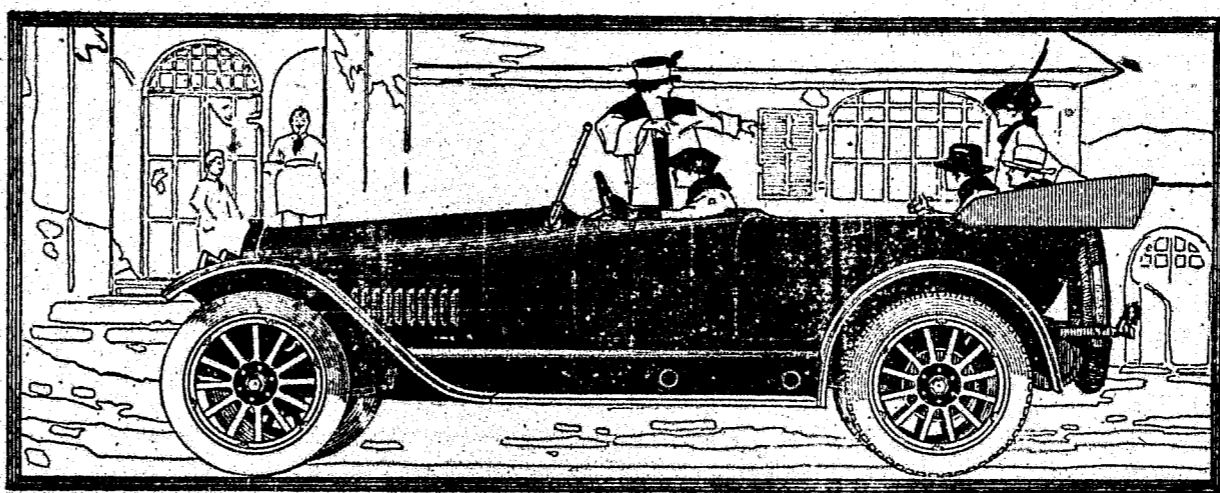
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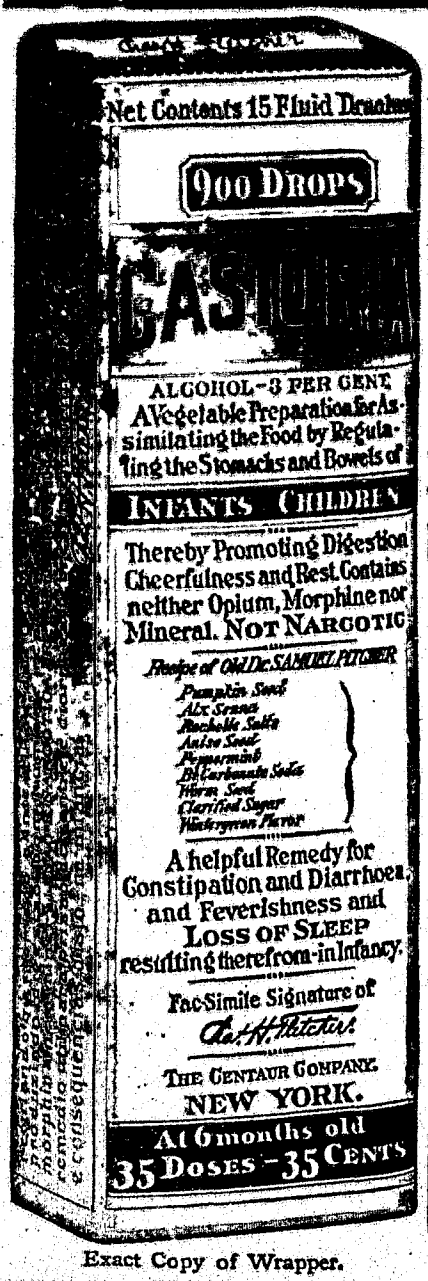
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Local Distributor
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Meet Miss 1917 Wall Paper by phoning me for an introduction.

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NEW RUGS

Our Entire Spring Line of Rugs is Now on Sale

The prices are in many instances lower than the so-called Clearance Sale prices which you see advertised these days.

Galloway & Cherry
11 E. Main St., Xenia, O.

The Cedarville Herald.
\$1.00 Per Year.
KARL HULL - Editor
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FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1917

BIG INTERESTS SWAY OPINION

Residents of Small Communities Main Sufferers.

MAIL ORDERS PERNICIOUS

One Chicago Concern Did \$100,000,000 Worth of Business in Year Just Closed and Paid 17 Per Cent Dividend—Small Consumers Should Unite.

[Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan.]
Commerce has made all winds her messengers, all climates her tributaries, all people her servants.
A statesman may do much for commerce—most by leaving it alone. A river never flows smoothly as when it follows its own course without either aid or check. Let it make its own bed; it will do so better than you can. Perfect freedom is as necessary to the health and vigor of commerce as it is to the health and vigor of citizenship.

For years the men who sway the minds and mold the opinions of the public—the magazine and newspaper writers and political leaders—have with all the power and invective at their command pointed out the nefarious practice of what they termed "big business" and "the interests." These titles were bestowed upon them simply to designate them as concerns which combined their capital for the purpose of illegally controlling either one industry or another.

Whereas it should be further, No man will dispute the fact that residents of small prosperous communities where a general business is carried on do not enjoy pronounced advantages over the people living in cities where the population is congested.

But the publicists, who are holding the "big interests" up to the scorn of human mind should look further, as there is a new "big interest" appearing upon the financial horizon which threatens to eclipse anything which has yet appeared. We refer to the catalogue and mail order retail traders.

Salem carpenters will receive 60 cents an hour after May 1.
Lester J. Wice, grocer, Columbus, was killed in an auto accident.
Bat hunt at Leonaerdsburg, Delaware county, ended with 9,015 rodents killed.
Ralph O. Payne has sold the Weekly Reporter, North Lewisburg, to Levi Mice.
Tiffin city officials threaten to confiscate coal unless the situation is relieved.
William E. Corbill, Toledo, member of Republican state central committee, is dead.
A leaking water spigot flooded Koch clothing store, Alliance, causing \$2,000 damage.
Mayor Conrad Gang of Cambridge puts ban on slot machines, dice and punch boards.
Wootter electors approved a \$50,000 bond issue to erect a new grade school by Congressman Switzer as a cadet at West Point.
Dry workers of Union county organized that county for a statewide prohibition campaign.
Earl Thayer, forty, was asphyxiated by fumes from a gas stove at his home in Cleveland.
Y. M. C. A. seven day campaign at Marion closed with \$32,114 raised to pay off a mortgage.
Ferry Steele of McArthur was nominated by Congressman Switzer as a cadet at West Point.
Wet leaders at Conneaut plan a local option election. The town was voted dry two years ago.
Nicholas Bapinger was fatally injured by a fifteen foot fall at a Youngstown steel plant.
Miss Ethel Young of Bucyrus will sail this week for Java, where she will enter missionary work.
Fearing an epidemic of smallpox, Barborton officials will provide a pesthouse for six sufferers.
At Tiffin Michael Sychels, seventy-six, fell through an opening of a viaduct and was fatally injured.
Warren board of trade plans program to welcome home members of Company D, Fifth Ohio infantry.
At Toledo W. D. Waltz was killed when his wooden log caught between the floor and shaft wall of an elevator.
Ohio Oil company stockholders voted at Findlay to increase capital stock from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000.
Worthington Savings bank at Worthington, a suburb of Columbus, was robbed of \$8,241.51 by five rogues.
Larry Poltish, an Italian, shot and killed Martin Hudzik, an Austrian, at Youngstown, following a war argument.
Miss Elsie Spain announced she and A. Ray Baker, both of Marysville, were married secretly Dec. 2 in Kentucky.
Dr. Charles S. Ames, who was pinned under his overturned automobile, died at Kenton as the result of his injuries.
The Ohio Oil company directed a dividend of 36 per share, which includes the regular and an extra out of \$4.75.
Wholesale milk dealers at Warren will advance their price to 22 cents a gallon. Retailers will charge 10 cents a quart.
Eli M. Cox held off two armed bandits in his grocery at Lima and backed them out of the store with a carving knife.
Eaton Drone, seventy-five, for twenty years editor in chief of the New York Herald, died at his home in Zanesville.
Film, "The Birth of a Nation," was finally approved by the Ohio board of censors and released for exhibition in this state.
Miss Mildred Barnett, twenty-one, Columbus, took bicloride of mercury with suicidal intent. She is in a critical condition.
J. H. Sopher of Crooksville has been missing since he left home Thanksgiving day to visit friends in an adjoining town.
Edson Baldwin, sixty-eight, was gored to death by a bull in his barn near Findlay. His skull was crushed and a leg broken.
Following a ruling of the supreme court that the village is in dry territory, three saloons at Richwood-Union county, are closed.
Plans for a new \$20,000 union station at Upper Sandusky have been submitted to Pennsylvania and Hoeking Valley railway officials.
Thieves entered Mrs. George Langenbeel's home, Washington C. H., where her husband lay dead, and stole the family's meat supply.
Residents of Crooksville and that part of Roseville which lies in Perry county plan proceedings to secure annexation to Muskingum county.
Charles H. Davis and Elmer Galbreath, former president of old Second National bank, Cincinnati, were found guilty of charges of violating federal banking laws.
Ethel Bushong, twenty-one, former Alliance girl, died at Akron hospital following an alleged illegal operation.
Mrs. Zella Gilbert and Henry Honaker, Alliance, are held.
Mrs. Anna Dickman, seventy-five, of Osborn, was stricken with heart disease and died when told that her daughter, Mrs. John Miller, was taken ill on the street. The daughter died.
Minor Ridge, Trumbull county, one of the oldest incorporated villages in Ohio, has voted to surrender its charter because expenses of maintaining village officers became too heavy.
Fifty-one fatal accidents were reported to the industrial commission under the workmen's compensation law during the month of January, and a total of 11,711 injuries were reported during the same time.
His Preference.
Judge—"You can take your choice, \$10 or ten days." Prisoner (still in a foggy condition)—"I'll (hic) take the money, y'r honor."—Boston Transcript.

FOR SALE—I have for sale a very desirable, centrally located piece of property in Xenia, which will rent to good tenant to pay 10 per cent per annum. The price is \$40,000, but time can be had on much of this, if desired. No better location in town, only one square from court house. As an investment this would be first class. See A. W. Trevis, No. 35 Greene street, Xenia, Y. M. C. A. Building.

Somehow Particular.
A little girl entered the grocery store and asked for a quart of vinegar. The clerk asked: "Brown or white?" and she replied: "What other colors have you got?"

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HOW'S THIS?
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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.
After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Save Money By Coming To Nisley's For Your New Easter Footwear

Choice here from one of the largest shoe stocks in Ohio. We have plunged in the shoe markets to save you the abnormal shoe prices that are sure to follow.

We Have \$100,000.00 Invested

In brand new Spring and Summer footwear, contracted for by us at the factories in advance of many of the recent raises in leather. Scores of new, up-to-date shoe styles at and below present factory prices.

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Springfield's Largest and Best Shoe Store.

SPRING 1917

Hutchison & Gibney Announce all Their Stock of Ready-to-Wear all New Not a Suit Left Over

New Suits \$10.00 to \$39.50
They Will Please You

Coats.....\$4.50 to \$25.00
Silk Waist.....\$2.95 to \$10.00
Skirts.....\$3.75 to \$12.00
Wool Dresses.....\$8.75 to \$15.00
Silk Dresses.....\$10.00 to \$35.00
Children's Gingham Dresses.....59c to \$2.50
Petticoats good for.....\$1.00' up
Aprons.....29c, 69c and 79c
Children's Coats.....\$4.00 to \$5.00

Axminster Rugs 9x12
\$25.00 for \$19.50
Rag Rugs 49c
Scrim Curtains
\$1.25 for 95c

Hutchison & Gibney
XENIA, OHIO

PURE FOOD GROCERIES
A Shield of Quality, Our Trade Mark

We stand behind all our Groceries as to their pure food qualities. Pure food Groceries at the lowest prices, together with our prompt delivery service is the reason our grocery is the "Big Grocery". It brings and brings and holds every customer that ever gives us a trial, especially during these hard times. Get the economical habit and buy at SCHMIDT'S.

"Sealshipt" Oysters
Cheaper Than Meat
30c Per Quart

Specials Friday and Saturday

Old Reliable Coffee, Pound, steel cut.....	22c
Ivory Soap.....	25c
6 Bars for.....	25c
Prunes, fancy large Santa Clara 40-50 size, 2 pounds for.....	25c
Hand-picked Navy Beans 2 pounds for.....	28c
Extra fine Dried Peaches per pound.....	30c
Bacon, sugar cured By the piece, per pound.....	23c
Creamery Butter per pound.....	42c
White Oorn Meal 3 sacks for.....	16c
Steel Cut Coffee per pound.....	18c
Tomatoes per can.....	10c
9 Different Kinds of Bread per loaf.....	4c
GRAPE FRUIT.....	3 for 10c
Radishes, Strawberries, Onions and.....	

H. E. Schmidt & Co.,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers
30 South Detroit Street, Xenia, Ohio

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A little girl entered the grocery store and asked for a quart of vinegar. The clerk asked: "Brown or white?" and she replied: "What other colors have you got?"



Are You "Sick"?

"Sick" of wearing dull, drab, Clothes—Clothes that never look right because they lack style—Clothes that never feel right because they lack fit—Clothes that never wear right because they are lacking in fabric and tailoring. Come to us! We have Clothes to satisfy the most fastidious—

Michaels-Stern Clothes
The Criterion

"A Store for Dad and the Boys"
J. Detroit Street,
XENIA, OHIO

PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. Harry Hill of London spent Monday here.

Auto livery, Phone 55. Day or night, we are always ready. R. A. Murdock.

ONION SETS yellow and red 20c quart.
R. Bird and Sons Co.

Miss Isabelle Winter, who teaches at Painesville, O., is home on her spring vacation.

—Corn fodder for sale by J. C. Barber.

Mrs. Walter Condon and children of Urichsville, O., are guests of Mr. R. C. Watt.

Keep in mind the Obi-namel demonstration at McKee's on Saturday, March 31.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Owens died Monday morning.

WALL PAPER our new stock is here.
R. Bird & Sons

Mr. Cecil Burns, who teaches at De Graff, is home for the spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Richards entertained a number of friends Monday night.

J. C. and R. D. Williamson as administrators of the estate of the late J. D. Williamson, have brought suit against C. C. and Sarah Welmer to recover \$187.81 said to be due on a note.

The Osborn, Bath township, Yellow Springs and Clifton high school contest takes place at Clifton tonight. The winners of the Cedarville contest go to Jamestown tonight.

R. Bird and Sons Co. have a letter from C. W. Waid, secretary of the Michigan State Potato Association relative to price on potatoes for seed. It has appeared in certain quarters that a J. K. Kerr could supply potatoes in 10 bu. lots at \$1.65 and beans at a corresponding low price. Such a person as Kerr is unknown in Michigan and not connected with the association and moreover there is no place in Michigan where potatoes can be purchased for such price.

Dr. and Mrs. McChesney entertained the faculty of the college, students and a few friends last Thursday evening, about ninety being present. A buffet supper was served. Guests, Mrs. C. G. Morton, Mrs. G. H. Creswell and Miss Jennie Bratton. The guests were seated by matching had been cut for the occasion. The small section of Easter cards which evening was very enjoyable spent by all present.

Mr. Franklin Harrison was in Columbus, Saturday, on business.

Mrs. A. E. Smith, wife of Dr. Smith, president of Ohio Northern University at Ada, gave a very interesting address Sabbath night in the M. E. church in behalf of Foreign Missions.

Mrs. Robert Townsley entered the Springfield hospital last Friday where she is taking special treatment under the direction of Dr. Clement Jones.

Mr. M. C. Nagley has made application in Probate Court as administrator of the estate of the late S. L. Turnbull.

—LINOLEUM and CONGOLEUM. Large stock of all widths. We lay it for you.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

Mr. R. A. Murdock reports the delivery of three machines the past week. One each to William Neff and Fred Dobbins while W. J. Turnbull buys his second Ford.

Mr. George Smith of Spring Valley, college student, won the Prohibition Oratorical contest in the R. P. church Friday night and will represent the college in the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association in Xenia Friday evening, March 30. The other contestants were Ralph Elder, Robert Elwood and Paul Duncan.

Gov. Cox has appointed Howard D. Mannington, Republican, Columbus; B. C. Bryan, Democrat, Dayton, and Frank Allen, Washington C. H., Democrat, on the O. S. & S. O. Home board to replace A. S. Cramer, Sylvester and Col. D. Q. Morrow.

Dr. W. A. Galloway, Xenia, has been a member of the Wilberforce Normal Board for 21 years and endeavored to resign during Gov. Willis' term but it was refused. The Dr. still was desirous of retiring from the board but Gov. Cox reappointed him last week for another term.

RUGS, Have just received our spring shipment and have all sizes from the door mat to 12x15 size in stock.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

FOR RENT—House and eleven acres. Inquire of Mrs. C. C. Welmer.
The necessity of auto livery comes every now and then to all. Don't forget to call R. A. Murdock, phone 55. Prompt service.

If you miss your train when away and want an auto livery, keep in mind that R. A. Murdock has a number of machines ready for instant service. Phone 55 and see how quick we can get you home.

Beth Jane Robison, widow of Milton Robison, colored, aged 64, died Tuesday at the home of her brother, Thomas Booker, in Xenia. Her husband died a year ago last December. The funeral was held from the Third Baptist church and burial took place at Massies Creek cemetery.

5,000 People can shop in this big store all on one floor without crowding.

Round trip fares refunded on purchases of \$15 or over.

The Home Store

Freight or Express Charges are paid by us on all purchases of \$5 or over.

Springfield

The Fastest Growing Store in Ohio.

200 Stunning New Easter Suits at \$25, \$30, \$35 are Notable Ex-

amples of The Home Store's Style and Economy

Supremacy.

Many of them will be shown for the first time tomorrow—and in all of them you will find more real high-class tailoring, better quality fabrics and smarter style than we or any other Central Ohio store has ever been able to offer—

Poirot Twills, Poplins, Serges, Velours, Gunnyburl, Burella, Gabardines, Mixtures, Taffetas, Pongees, Tricotine, Yo-San Silks, Silk Jerseys, Faille Silks.

There are plain tailored, semi-tailored, Norfolk and Belted Sports models and braided models in every wanted spring shade, including the desirable Navy Blues—with a fine showing at

\$35

Now Ready 150 New Women's and Misses' Easter Coats at \$13.75, \$18.50 and \$25.

Splendidly new shipments are pouring in for Easter—distinctively styled garments which represent the best efforts of the world's best designers—coats of unequalled style, quality and workmanship at the above prices.

Handsome new Tailored, Sports and Dressy models of fine Gabardines, Wool Velours, Poirot Twills, Gunnyburl, Scotch-Mixtures, Serges, Poplins, Novelty Checks, Jerseys, Coverts, Epongee, Taffeta and Tricotine in every wanted new spring color—a wonderful assortment at

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Exclusive Millinery Shop

Now showing exclusive designs and individual ideas for Spring and Summer. Styles that appeal to the most critical

New Choice Materials

All the New Colors Moderate Cost

Hats of the Unusual Sort

Mrs. J. R. Williams

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Springfield, Ohio

JOBE'S Modish Easter Suits and Coats

A trip to our COAT and SUIT Department will be like a journey across a rainbow. Every color in every variant shade approved by the leaders of fashion waits here to delight the eye of the woman in search of her Spring Coat or Suit. It is a season of vivid tints.

Many charming fabrics in staple and novelty weaves, including Tricotine, Poirot Twill, Gunneburl, all selected with a scrutinizing eye for service and wearability.

Coats \$3.95 to \$35.00
Suits \$15.00 to \$50.00

Springs New Skirts

New Spring Skirts in plain tailored and fancy styles for both Women and Misses in plain and bright silks, plaids, serges, fine poplins, and dressy Chuddah cloths.

\$3.95 to \$15.00

SPRING BLOUSES

White Voile Waists, embroidered and lace trimmed.....\$1.95, \$2.95
Striped Tub Silk Waists.....\$1.95, \$2.95
Crepe de Chine Waists, plain, beaded and embroidered in gold, apple green, chartreuse, apricot, flesh, white...\$3.50, \$3.95, \$5.00, \$5.95
Georgette Crepe Blouses, flesh, white, gold and suit colors, plain and embroidered...\$3.95 to \$10

EASTER FOOTWEAR

A smart collection of the "new" in footwear at inviting prices.

White Kid, White Reinskin, Black Vamps with Grey Tops, and All Black Kid, Boots.....\$5, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.
Easy to select them from our complete stock.

Jobe Brothers Company
XENIA, OHIO



Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crouse, who have been spending several months visiting relatives in Washington D. C., Fredrick, Md., and Harrisburg, Pa., returned home Thursday morning.

BUTTER will pay you an extra price for good fresh butter.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

Mr. John Stewart and wife, of Indiana, Pa., expect to spend their Easter vacation at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Stewart.

The L. A. S. of the M. E. church will hold an Easter Market on Saturday, April 7th. Keep this date in mind.

New Spring Dress Goods.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

Mrs. Wm. Northrup, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to her home in Coshocton.

Miss Vera Andrew, who is teaching at Huntington, W. Va., is home on her spring vacation.

The assessors blanks for tax returns have been mailed to each property owner who must fill in and return to the county auditor by May 1 or have a penalty added. There may be some confusion at first over this plan but a careful study of the blank will enable you to classify your property. When it is made out you are required to take it to a notary public and make oath that it is correct. To return it without this would result in the paper being sent back.

We will pay 26c per dozen in trade for clean, fresh eggs Saturday and Monday, March 31st and April 2nd. Bring us your surplus.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

Mrs. J. C. Barber left for Huntington, West Va., Monday, where she will be Miss Christine Miller of Pittsburgh, Pa., the American contralto, who will sing in the Marshall College Auditorium Tuesday evening. Miss Miller and Mrs. Barber will be guests of Miss Vera Andrew while in Huntington. Mrs. Barber will go from Huntington to Hillsdale, Mich.

Man past 50 with horse and buggy to sell. Stock Condition Powder in Greene county. Salary \$70 per month. Address Industrial Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana.

SEED POTATOES

Ohios, Rose, Kings, Rurals The nicest, smoothest stock we have ever seen and the price for the next 10 days will be same as we sold at the car. Here's the price: Ohios \$3.40 per bu. in 2 bushel bags, Rose, Kings, Rurals in 21-2 bu. bags at \$3.10 per bushel. Get them now. They will not be any cheaper.
R. Bird & Sons Co.

CEMETERY NOTICE

Bids will be received for the care and keep of the North Cemetery for the year 1917 outside of the grave digging and cement work. Bids must be in by April 7.

J. W. Johnson.

—LOST—Ladies' pocket book on streets of Cedarville or at edge of town. Reward offered for return to this office.

Kodol Guaranteed
To Give Satisfaction of Your Money Back
FOR INDIGESTION AND DYSPEPSIA. BELIEVES SORE STOMACH, BELCHING, ETC.
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Two New Sound-Proof Record Demonstration Booths in Adair's Furniture Store in Xenia

Adair sells Victrolas and Victor Records exclusively. You can listen to the records you wish to hear under the same conditions as in your own home. In privacy and quiet with no talking or outside noise to disturb you. They carry about 2000 records and have in stock at all times the list of 1000 select records approved by The Victor Talking Machine Company.

HARVARD QUALITY CLOTHES

OUR showing of Clothing for men and young men surpasses anything we have ever before attempted.

It includes the products of the world's best makers and is an exhibition of the widest variety in material, styles and models.

Your Easter Clothes

We cordially invite you to come to Harvard for your Easter Suit. You will have choice of our immense new stock. You will be certain to find exactly what you want here.

You will appreciate our guarantee of absolute satisfaction, and in our price range of \$10 to \$30 you will find ample choice.

HARVARD

5th and Jefferson DAYTON, OHIO
OPEN SATURDAY EVENING

Pretty Nearly "All In."
Robert was convalescing from an attack of the grippe. His aunt, not realizing how weak he was, invited him for a walk. When they reached the end of the lawn he leaned against the gate and said: "Auntie, I feel like a broken toy."

Helpfulness.
You cannot help any one very much unless you can inspire him with the ambition to help himself, and that is why a good example is worth more than any other kind of assistance. Make right-doing so attractive in your own life that it will inspire the onlookers to do right.

TAKE NOTICE! ROAD USERS. RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners of Greene County, Ohio, now acting as a Board of Directors for said County, and for the purpose of prescribing and fixing in accordance with the provisions of Section 7477 of the General Code, the burden which Persons, Firms or Corporations may transport over the macadamized, gravelled or stone roads within the County, be and hereby is fixed, for any vehicle having less than Three Inch Tire, including the weight of vehicle and driver, 3400 pounds; Three Inch Tire, including the weight of vehicle and driver, 3600 pounds; Four Inch Tire and Over, including the weight of vehicle and driver, 3800 pounds. The law provides a fine of not less than Five Dollars, nor more than Fifty Dollars, against any person violating the above regulations, as to the Use of Public Highways. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, Of Greene County, Ohio, Xenia, Ohio, Oct. 4, 1916.

The Bookwalter Restaurant

IN THE BOOKWALTER HOTEL
HIGH STREET
DINING ROOM FOR LADIES UP STAIRS
ALSO REST ROOM.
Lunch Counter on Main Floor
Open Day and Night.
The Best of Goods Used in the Culinary Department.

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SPECIAL TERMS
Satisfaction Guaranteed or no Pay.
Parties wanting two auctioneers I am in position to supply the extra man with unlimited experience.
References Furnished
PHONE 2-120
Cedarville, Ohio

Franklin S. Sp. head of a Columbus department store is dead.
Mallota, near Napoleon, will hold a local option election April 3.
C. A. Bowen, forty-three, traveling salesman, was found dead in a Lancaster hotel. He had been ill.
Rev. A. Pollock, eighty, Delaware, was severely burned in a gas explosion.
Claude Lieton, thirty-two, was killed at Athens when his auto was ditched.
Anton Hohlik, aged shoemaker, Cleveland, committed suicide by shooting himself.
Crooksville will vote April 14 on a \$10,000 bond issue for erecting a new municipal building.
Stark county's peach crop is reported ruined, but cherry and apple buds are in good condition.
Work on double tracking the Pennsylvania between Marion and Columbus has been resumed.
William H. Conboy, fifty-five, Union county merchant, was found dead in his home at Riverview.
Students of Findlay college have formed a military company and drilling will start this week.
John Echeck, forty-five, Youngstown, was killed when the automobile in which he was riding overturned.
James Rush Robinson of Alliance has been appointed midshipman at Annapolis by Senator Pomerene.
Alfred White, sixty-two, Newcomerstown farmer, was burned to death when fire broke out at his home.
Contract for construction of the \$100,000 Masonic temple at Fremont has been awarded to Carl F. Stelino.
Navigation on Lake Erie was opened at Sandusky when the steamer 'Tourist' made her first trip to Put-in-Bay.
C. R. Bentley, motorman, and F. McAndrews, conductor, were injured when two streetcars collided at Youngstown.
Green Creek (Sandusky county) board of education let contract for plans for a new \$60,000 central school building.
H. N. Geddis, was appointed postmaster at Caledonia, succeeding James I. Morten, who resigned to become deputy sheriff.
East Liverpool police arrested an Italian on suspicion he was implicated in the murder of Tony Spataro, thirty-five, also an Italian.
Emmett Harman, twenty-seven, while riding a bicycle along a railway platform at Newark, was struck by an incoming train and killed.
Failure of Senator Palmer's free textbook bill to receive a constitutional majority in the upper house of the Ohio assembly caused its defeat.
H. B. Tranter of Youngstown was killed at Warren when he tried to flag an interurban car to save his auto, ditched close to the tracks by Private Owen Fowle, twenty, son of Captain W. B. Fowle of Alliance Salvation Army barracks, was killed in action "somewhere in France."
William Taylor, thirty, of Columbus, died in a Little Rock (Ark.) hospital from a fracture of the skull sustained in an iron mountain railroad brakeman.
Three hundred Marion county girls will raise chickens and exhibit them at the fair this year. Marion county Poultry association will furnish the eggs.
Peter George, thirty-three, was drowned in the Maumee river at Toledo. George's companions said he was despondent and jumped into the water.
Robert J. Rockafeld, Columbus student at Ohio State university sustained a fracture of the skull when his automobile was struck by a train. He died later.
Mrs. Bert Jarvis, residing at Tip-tonville, used oil to start a fire in a cook stove. In the explosion which followed she and her son, Frank, five, were killed.
At Boltaire William Howell was arrested after the body of Mrs. Ida Gar more, thirty-one, was found in the Ohio river. Howell said he tried to save Mrs. Carmore.
Flour mill owners of Sandusky, Erie, Huron and Lorain counties organized a millers' mutual benefit association with C. C. Russell of Sandusky as president.
A Perry county Sherman-Sheridan highway association was organized at New Lexington by delegates from Roseville, Crooksville, Bremen, Junction City and New Lexington.
President W. O. Thompson, Ohio State university, delivered the dedicatory address when the new \$50,000 centralized high school at Waldo, Marion county, was dedicated.
William A. Elyar, Democrat, Georgetown, Brown county, was named to succeed J. E. Cross, Republican, West Union, Adams county, as state printer. Salary is \$2,000 a year.
Charles L. Resch, former sheriff of Franklin county, is to succeed J. M. Carr as state oil inspector. Resch, who is a Democrat, will become inspector May 19, when Carr's term expires.
Thomas Sheffer, night watchman, seeing seven bandits approach the mechanics' bank at Bradnor, phoned the electric light plant and told employees there to turn on the street lights and to blow the fire whistle. The bandits fled in an auto.
Two Democrats recovered state jobs they once held, when the senate approved Governor Cox's appointment of James A. Devine, Ross county, as building and loan inspector, and Charles C. Marshall of Sidney and Dayton as public utilities commissioner.

Easter and Dress-up Time is Almost Here

The Store that's doing things
We close at 6 p. m. Saturday

You will like our new Alco and Frat Clothes for Men and Young Men at \$18 and \$15. These are the best clothes we can find and if they were not good they would not be in this store. Big, short stout Men as well as the tall slim fellow are as easily to fit as the regulars

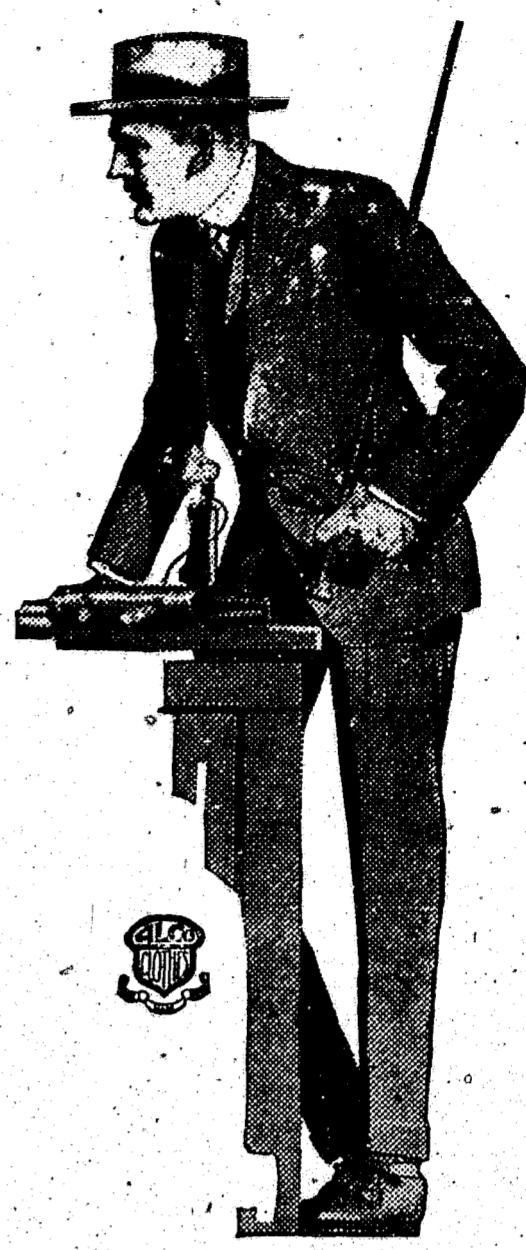
Top Coats
At \$15 to \$25

Suppose You Will Dress the Boys up for Easter

Remember the fat boy can find his fit here as well as his slim brother and the name Perfection guarantees everything so you meet with no disappointments at this better store for boys.

Prices \$5, High as \$12.50
Fancies and Blue Serge

Yes Easter Calls for a New Hat
Our hat man will help you select the shape and and you can please yourself about the color and price which is sure to be right. Priced at \$2 to \$4.



Boys' Waists, Shirts
in Madras and Percalé,
new patterns from
quality 50c to \$2.00.

STRAUSS & HILB

"The Surprise Store"

Children's Wool or Wash Suits, Hats, Stockings and Top Coats in the best style dame fashion produces.

28-30 E. Third St., Dayton, Ohio

NOTICE TO HORSE BREEDERS

Coleshill Diamond King
Coleshill Diamond King is an imported Shire, bay, weight 2100. He has proven himself a sire of draft colts that will mature into ton horses. His colts have sold higher than any other horse that has ever stood in the county. One pair of yearlings sold last fall for \$352.50 and his suckling colts have sold as high as \$125.00. A sure breeder and good disposition. Will make the season at \$20.

Prince Albert
Prince Albert is an imported Belgium; sorrel, weight 2000 another one of the greatest sires that ever stood in the county. You need not tell anyone about Prince Albert; everyone knows him and his colts. Will make the season at \$17.50.

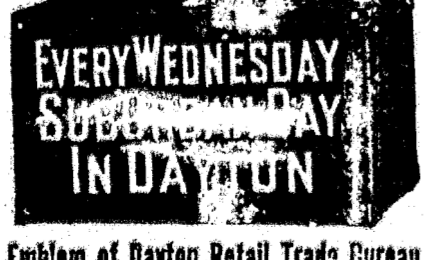
Longjumeau
Longjumeau is an imported Percheron, dark gray, weight 2000. He is another one that sires those good colts you are all looking for. Will make the season at \$17.50.

These horses will make the season of 1917 at my barn 1-2 mile south of Cedarville on Wilmington pike. All colts insured for thirty days. If not sound and all right at that time don't settle till they are right. These horses will be in the care of a competent and careful groom, and every one will be treated right. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

Harry Townsley.

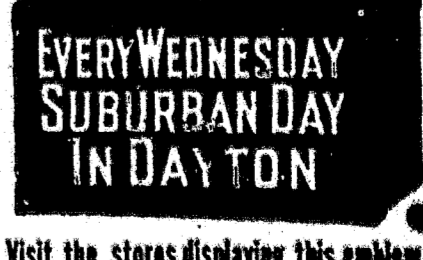
TRY OUR JOB PRINTING

Eager Easter Shoppers In Great Numbers Visit Stores of Dayton



It's going to be a very "dressy" Easter. This is evident from the preparations the ladies are making. Dayton's stores have been thronged with shoppers scanning the displays of lovely things and making their selections. The men, too, are eager about their new "duds." Fortunate it is that the stores purchased such large stocks of all.

Perhaps you, who read, have been one of the many thousands who have come from out-of-town for Easter preparedness. We'll welcome you again. And those who have delayed buying their new things—permit us to suggest an early visit. Wednesday is made particularly attractive—but if that's inconvenient come any day.



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