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LADIES. We are showing all the new shades and styles in MILLINERY.

We have everything in headwear worth having. We now have a full and complete line

SPRING and SUMMER MILLINERY

We have pretty Straw Hats for little girls from three years up. All the leading styles in Straws from \$5c. up

Mrs. C. J. Wood.

We are now receiving our stock of Spring and Summer Goods

to which we invite the attention of all, consisting of DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS AND OILS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, SALT, LIME AND CEMENT.

We also have a good assortment of Millinery Goods!

to which we invite the special attention of the Ladies. MISS MAME SAPP, of Ravenna, Ohio, will have charge of this department.

Goss Brothers.

EDINBURG, OHIO, April 24, '03. The Toledo Weekly Bee

The best and cheapest weekly paper in the West. It is an 8-page, 8-column paper, full of the latest news, with special columns for the Farmer, Children and Ladies, and containing a choice selection each week of miscellaneous reading matter.

Only 75c per Year. Sample copies sent free upon application. Address THE WEEKLY BEE, TOLEDO, O.

I can save you all risk and cost of remitting money for your papers and magazines. Stop at Ravenna News Depot, in Waller Bros. store, THRU-M.

Garden Planning.

I am prepared to show Gardens this spring and will give you a plan of your garden at my office, at Erie St. R. I will receive prompt attention.

WANTED: A good man to work a large and productive farm on shares. A good wife to assist in the work. Ravenna, April 25, 1903. W. L. POE.

Rooms to Rent.

We will rent a part of our house, on East Main St. in Ravenna, Ohio, consisting of two upper rooms, with city water. Also, stable room. J. D. KING.

Building Lots and Outlying Lands At Auction!

I have decided to place a part of my farm on the market in this town.

I will offer public sale this desirable property, consisting of a number of acres of beautiful land, situated on the site of the old Fair Grounds. Also, a number of town lots on Freedom Street, near the corner of the proposed extension of Bowers Street.

The City Water System extends past all these lots. There are also several lots on East Main Street, besides a considerable tract of acreage property that will be sold in two and four acre tracts, suitable for outlying pasture, or for building pleasant suburban homes.

No such opportunity has ever been offered before, or ever can be again, to secure so valuable property in this town. It is a rare chance, and the most favorable and desirable property of our building, booming, and growing town. We will sell a home in Ravenna, Ohio, this year, and we will sell a home in Ravenna, Ohio, this year, and we will sell a home in Ravenna, Ohio, this year.

Sale to take place on May 20th, 1893, ON PREMISES. Come and see such a rare sale as has never taken place in Ravenna before. Free Lunch for man and beast. J. P. H. BAKER, Auctioneer. 1273 1/2

FOR SALE: Good Family Horse, Harness and Phinton. Reason for selling, going away. Apply to W. A. FIDLOW, Day St.

Teachers' Examinations. Examinations will be held, commencing at 9 o'clock, A. M., and ending at 4 P. M., on the first Saturday of each month, at the following places: First Saturday in February, at the Court House; second Saturday in February, at the Court House; third Saturday in February, at the Court House; and so on.

WANTED SOLICITORS: The Toledo Tea and Coffee Co. has a large and complete stock of the finest quality of Tea and Coffee, and is now seeking solicitors in all the principal cities of the West. Apply to W. B. CONKEY CO., Publishers, Chicago, Ill.

Garfield Tea and Coffee Co. Cures Constipation.

We are prepared to give BETTER BARGAINS in WALL PAPER. Can you get any where else in Portage County. No such Bargains were ever offered at \$5c, 40c, and 50c. Papers. Don't fail to see C. A. MYERS.

THE DEMOCRAT PRESS

RAVENNA, WEDNESDAY, May 3, '03. MAKE says cash for Butter and Eggs. E. C. Belding keeps the 'Pink Pills for Pale People'.

A. A. Barber has been appointed Postmaster at Shalersville vice E. A. Haight. Fred. French took a C. & P. train today for Laming, Mich., where he will spend the summer.

The first train taken at the sad iron works, Monday. It was a success in every way. Joe Cline, the sad iron tinker, shot four sea gulls at Muzzy Lake last Saturday.

Mrs. H. Doty returned to her home near Pittsburg, via O. & P. last Thursday. Another Barker return: Pittsburgh Saturday, after a short visit with his parents.

Geo. Johnson and wife returned to Ada, Monday. Frank Holden took a C. & P. train for Pittsburgh, Monday.

The annual cost of the Red Ink plant complete, is between \$67,000 and \$83,000. Dr. C. S. Leonard will be at his office every Tuesday, and from 7.30 to 10.30 a. m. standard time, each day of the week.

Elton Mullen, of Maumee, was adjudged insane last Saturday, and the same evening Horie Hart took her to the Newburgh Asylum. Harrington alias Buckholz, is said to have gone to the Soldiers Home.

The contract for moving the fire bell and tower to the new fire department building, has been awarded to Fred Lowrie, for \$120. Miss Viola Robinson, after a year's residence with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Searl, Jr., left for Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday, to reside with her father.

H. A. Donliffe, of Streetsboro, left via C. & P. yesterday, for Sparta, Wis. Returning, he will visit the World's Fair. H. W. Riddle has added to his stable a white Arabian stallion, about as near a perfect specimen of a horse as one often sees.

The Ladies Cemetery Association will meet Thursday afternoon of this week, at 3 o'clock, in the Riddle Block. By order of the President. The Peers Dentists will beat the Rev. H. W. Riddle, on May 8th to 15th, for the painting of the cemetery.

J. H. Knowlton, 8 1/2 Nicholson, 8 Pitney and Homer Mills, all of Nelson township, were in town Saturday. Frank Braver arrived in the city Thursday to greet his friends before going to Canton to take a position in Robert's grocery house.

Rev. S. W. Meek exchanged pulpits with Rev. Morgan O. Jones, pastor of the Kent Congregational Church Sunday morning. O. H. Crafts, of Garrettsville, informs us that he is not and never was a member of the Garrettsville Law and Order Society. The name of the official is M. E. Taylor.

The W. R. C. will present a magnificent flag to David McIntosh, on West Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock. Albert Morley is sick with typhoid fever at the home of his parents, on West Oak Street extension.

Married, April 23, 1903, by Rev. Andrew Wilson, at the residence of John Donnelly, in Ravenna, James H. Donnelly, of Ravenna, and Miss Annie M. Fiebigler, of Akron. Rev. W. S. Doolittle, of Maumee, has been invited to preach in the Universalist Church next Sunday forenoon and evening.

The pastor will preach in Windsor, Ashtabula County. B. H. A. Allards and wife, Brangellists, will give a Gospel Temperance Lecture, Sunday evening, May 7th, at 7 o'clock, at the Town Hall, Free to all.

C. J. Root and wife returned to their home in Maumee last Saturday. Mr. Root having made an extended visit with his mother and Ravenna friends. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hulson, of Rootstown, took the 11.30 train Sunday for Chicago and the World's Fair.

The Peers Dentists have returned to Kent, and will be at the Rev. H. W. Riddle's next week for the extraction of teeth by their celebrated painless method. Don't fail to call on them.

George S. Hezen, of Meeker, Colorado, was the guest of Treasurer and Mrs. J. H. Evans last Wednesday night. He is a brother of the late Gen. W. B. Hazen. He is living with his daughter, Miss Agnes Hazen.

L. H. Dean bought of W. H. Espey, of Stony Point, Mich., a whole pair of standard and registered trotting mares, 'Lester' and 'Greenback', and also a pair of registered mares, 'Lester' and 'Greenback', and also a pair of registered mares, 'Lester' and 'Greenback'.

U. G. Edger, F. and A. S. have accepted an invitation from the Garrettsville Lodge to present them Tuesday evening, May 16th, and confer the third degree. A grand banquet will be given, and the brethren will enjoy a gala night.

A dozen or more cars jammed the track on the B. & O. at Breakneck curve at 2.30 yesterday morning. They belonged to 2nd 46 freight. Trains were delayed for an hour or more that day. This is the second occasion of the kind that has occurred at this point within the past two weeks.

We broke out on East Street yesterday, between Silas Cox and Mrs. Venable. The Mayor after listening to the stories of either side concluded that the best thing to do was to let the war wear itself out.

The 'Royal Criminal' vestibule express will be put on the B. & O. May 14th, between Pittsburgh and Chicago. The company, it is said, will also put another train, to be known as the Youngstown Express, to run between Youngstown and Cleveland.

Miss Jessie B. Jones, the Cleveland artist who recently had charge of the Ravenna Art School has had success in her application for a room of the Ohio building, at the Columbian Exposition. She is about to start on a sketching tour, and then expects to be at the Exposition about one month.

The many friends of Fred. Compton were pleased to greet him last week in Ravenna. He shows very plainly the effects of his recovery from the stroke, and is now able to do his own work. As soon as he is able and hears from headquarters, he will go to either Toledo or Detroit.

The Dye Works will blow a steady blast for about five minutes, about 9.30 o'clock last Thursday night, and a great many of our citizens expected each moment to hear an alarm of fire. It was afterwards reported that there was a small fire, and a great many of our citizens were informed that the report is not true, but that some mischievous individual tied the whistle down.

The Trustees of Ravenna Township met at the Court House last evening, and accepted of deeds for Cemetery lots, approved by the courts of Lafayette Smith, Assessor, and Justice H. L. Beatty and H. B. Dickinson. The report was made by the Health Officer, which Richard Evans was elected President. The Health Officer will be appointed later on.

Will Allen is selling, by order, 20 inch, cushion tire, boys' or girls' combination wheels, at \$1.00, at the Court House, at 10 o'clock, at 10 o'clock, at 10 o'clock. The Majestic Light Kerosene, a specialty, strictly high grade, fully warranted and beautiful in design, sold everywhere for \$1.15. He holds them for \$1.00. Examine the delegation already here.

At Barnesville, O., April 27th, L. H. Dean sold 65 head of Jersey, one at a time, in 2 hours and 55 minutes, breaking the record of quick sales. Buyers were present from several states, and the stock was sold at prices ranging from \$50 to \$175 per head. May 9th, Mr. Dean sold trotting horses at Millwauck, Wis., and the next day at the same place, a lot of registered Shetland ponies.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Ravenna, O., May 3, 1903, for a period of 14 days or more, unless they are called for. Mrs. Rita Condit, of Conditville, Miss Dittie Dean, C. H. Eckert, John Will (foreign), Bradford Hall, Mrs. Rollin Linn, Philip Knapp, Mrs. W. F. Taylor, Mrs. B. N. Taylor, Mrs. M. J. Taylor, James Myers, Dr. J. M. Myers, Miss Maggie Taylor, J. Post, (drop), F. L. Robinson, Mrs. F. R. Smyth. J. C. BEATTY, P. M.

New Cases in Common Pleas. Rhoda Curtis vs J. R. Knowlton—Money only. Stuart vs Tucker—Judgment by confession for \$149.33. Cole for plaintiff. Samuel D. Evans vs William A. Thomas—Appeal from Probate Court for plaintiff.

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OYSTERS, CELERY, CANNED FRUITS, EVAPORATED AND IMPORTED SARDINES, ORANGES, BANANAS, OLIVES, FINE CANDIES, NUTS, &c., &c.

Furry & Seymour.

We are informed by the Superintendent that fifteen hands are at present employed at the Dye works, and that additions will be made to the force from time to time.

Death has saddened the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Belding, of Cleveland. Last Friday their daughter Mattie passed into a life of physical affliction and suffering.

The last of the series of Union Temperance meetings was held at the Opera House Sunday night. A large audience assembled to hear President Zolner, of Hiram, who delivered one of the best temperance lectures ever presented in Ravenna.

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SPRING MILLINERY. Our assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets for Ladies, Misses and Children, is the Largest in the City.

Untrimmed Hats in Chips and Fancy Braids, in all the Latest Shades. Large assortment of Flowers and Fancy Trimmings.

Get your order in early in the week. Mogador Eye Whisker, only \$25 per gal. See M. J. Murphy's ad.

If Your House Needs a New Coat of Paint. You will be more pleased with the BILGERS & TAYLOR PATENT. They spread smoothly, and will not crack or fade. Call on E. G. BILGERS, the Ravenna Agent.

A CARD. We take this method to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness of many friends during our recent illness. MR. AND MRS. H. N. WARD.

Good Prospects for Gas and Oil in Nelson. Last week Mr. Cornelius Baldwin, one of the substantial citizens of Nelson township, widely known as the 'oil dealer', struck a vein of gas and oil on his farm, while drilling for water, that has attracted the attention of experts, who do not hesitate to predict substantial results from continued drilling.

It is a grand play grandly presented, and the Company is justly acclaimed as the best on the stage. They were greeted by a fairly good house.

G. A. H. Encampment Excursion Train to Hamilton via Pennsylvania Lines. On May 15th, the excursion train to Hamilton for the Annual Encampment of the G. A. H. will be sold at low round trip rates from ticket stations on the Pennsylvania Lines, and will be valid until May 30th inclusive.

Royal Arcanum Social. The R. A. Social given at the hall last Thursday night was one of the most successful of the many pleasant fraternal comminglings given by the various Societies this season.

A very entertaining program was prepared. The first number was a male quartet, 'O Restless Sea', from Messrs. Seymour, Lucey, Barker and Clendenen. It was well received and marked for continuance and 4th for trial. In one case there were hearings marked on motions, demurrer &c. one case was marked for hearing on a writ of habeas corpus, &c. There were four decrees. Judgments by default were taken and confirmation of sales was made in four cases. Leave for filing answers, &c., and bringing in new parties, reviving and setting aside judgments, &c. taking depositions in term was granted in 13 cases two cases were marked settled and 18 were set at large. There were four decrees taken. The Grand Jurors empaneled all responded to their names and entered upon their duties post haste.

Among the most of town attorneys were McCallister, Wolcott and Newton, of Kent; Webb, Derthick and Barber, of Garrettsville; and A. J. Woolf, of Youngstown. There are 11 cases on the State docket.

To the Ladies:

I take pleasure in stating that I now have on display in our Millinery Department, All the New Summer Styles in BONNETS AND HATS.

Most of them direct from the East. I think you will think we have some new things not shown elsewhere.

OUR NOTION DEPARTMENT is complete with all the Novelties of the season, and we kindly ask a call of inspection. Very respectfully, MRS. A. H. PARSONS.

Owners, Builders, and Users of Roofs. We have something of interest for you concerning either Climax Ready Roofing or Ebomite Varnish.

For all kinds of new and old roofs. For Tin and Metal Roofs, Crestings, Iron Bridges, Tanks, Bolders, Fence, Smoke Stacks, and any exposed metal surface. Also, Excelsior Slate Paint.

For making water tight and fire-proof Shingle and Flat Roofs. For prices and information, testimonials, &c., call on our address. OLIN & OLIN.

Elmira Roofing Co's Agents for Portage County. OFFICE NEARLY OPPOSITE OPERA HOUSE, (1284) RAVENNA, O.

WANTED: GIRL to do general housework. GEO. W. GAMBLE, Sycamore St., opposite Catholic Church.

Teacher Wanted! The Board of Education of Shalersville Township desires a teacher for Sub districts No. 1, (Boys district) to commence at once. Address, C. W. BOSWORTH.

The demand for Colored Shoes this summer will far exceed any call for the past ten years; and F. P. Chapman is prepared to show the most beautiful line of Russia, Calf, Russet, Goat, Tan, Red and Chocolate Shoes ever exhibited.

Headquarters for Gents' fine Russia Calf and Goat Bluchers, Piccadilly, London, and Square Toe. LADIES' fine Russia Calf, Tan, Chocolate, and Red Oxfords, Bluchers and Balmorals, Tip, Opera Toe, and Common Sense.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT—You can find a full line of Children's Cloth Top, Patent Leather, and Kid, Fox, Russet and Tan, Goat Button, also an extraordinary line of Children's Bright Red Goat Button, no heel and spring heel.

The above goods can be found at all times and in any color in Button, Lace or Oxford. No trouble to show our elegant line of Shoes, and would be pleased to have you call before purchasing. F. P. CHAPMAN.

PHILIP KNAPP, who has been with us four years, gives his personal attention to all repairing.

We have a large assortment of

AND EVAPORATED FRUITS. Which we are offering at popular prices. We have Bargains in some of these Goods, not to be found elsewhere.

We now have a full line of the celebrated Chase & Sanborn Tea!

We pay Cash for Choice Butter and Eggs. J. S. SMITH & SON, Grocers and Confectioners.

GOOSE

ROBERT E. Is on top, as you can see. Makes suits that fit you like a T, and pants to order for a V. Perfectly satisfied you will be. By leaving your order with Robert E. ROBERT E. GOSE, THE POPULAR TAILOR, POB BLOCK, Above Rochester Clothing Co.

PENSIONS. Come and see me. SAMUEL SIMPSON, (1273-3rd) Fraser Block, RAVENNA, OHIO.

SHALERSVILLE. 2-3 Sunday School will be organized at Feder Street Church next Sunday at 2 P. M. standard time.

The young people of M. E. Church will give an Entertainment at Town Hall Friday eve. May 15th. Program will consist of "Madame Tarr's Works", Literary and Musical. A small admission will be charged.

Mrs. Bessie Kent is visiting in Shalersville now at I. Towner's. Isaac Towner and family spent last week in Cleveland and attended a very fashionable wedding.

Mrs. E. K. Hoskin is still confined to the house by sickness. Mrs. Marcus Price is improving, though still quite sick.

Homer Goodell's son Merion is in quite poor health by contraction of the bowels. Dr. Wolcott of Cleveland is treating him at the present time. Miss Tuttle is suffering severely from kidney trouble.

Old Mrs. Kent is slowly recovering from a slight attack of paralysis. Will Warfield of Streetsboro and Ora Coats of this town were married last week.

Peter Corbin is ill up with a broken leg. Shaler Council will hold a basket ball game at all members on Thursday evening of this week. All members with their wives and sweet hearts to come to the game at 8 o'clock. The game will be in this vicinity. There will be an all star program rendered and the full Cyclone Quartet will furnish music.

The Board of Education met Monday evening. The committee on new school house was not ready to report and were extended until the next meeting. A motion to abandon Sub-district No. 1 for one year was lost, also a motion to same effect on No. 2.

Miss Mary Nelson was engaged as teacher for the coming year in district No. 2. Miss Nellie Ticknor of Ravenna will commence a spring term in district No. 6, on Monday next.

District No. 9 advertises this week for a teacher to commence at once and teach until the present school year. The appropriation made for tuition purposes for the coming year is \$250 in each district.

Earl qualified as director in district No. 8, and F. R. Colt was present from No. 4 though on account of not bringing his credentials with him could not qualify. \$250 was appropriated and about necessary expenses of the commission arrived from headquarters.

W. E. Head will have a dance May 10. Massimo's orchestra of Akron will furnish the music. PHEBE. RANDOLPH.

Mrs. Hoover and two daughters, of Alliance, visited Mrs. Eugene White, from Wednesday until Sunday. Mr. Wendler and wife, from the Center, with their children, and her husband, and her husband, visited Mrs. Wendler, on the north road, last Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Steward has returned from a visit to the great New Lebanon. Mrs. Della Bassett is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maria Bow, of Rootstown.

Miss Mary Meacham, who had her limb amputated last week, is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances. Mrs. Ida Henderson, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Zelle of Akron, are expected soon, to visit the old folks at home.

Miles Bassett has engaged in a new enterprise, to raise chickens. We wish him success. The Dorcas Society met at Mrs. Miller's in Dist. No. 7.

Miss Mary Allen is attending school at the Center, and also a member of the prayer and eloquent class, which we understand is a large one. There has been too much rain that farmers are getting almost discouraged about getting in any crops at all.

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