



LOCAL BRIEFS

Cletus Otwell was home from Dayton over Sunday. Arthur Boyer and wife were visitors in Dayton Sunday. H. D. Sharp of New Madison was a visitor here Thursday. Henry Dismeier of Dayton spent Sunday here with relatives. Dr. Sam Hager of Chicago spent a few days here the past week. Mrs. W. H. Sanders and little son are the guests of relatives in Piqua. Dr. George Blackford and wife of Eldorado visited relatives here Friday. Allen Murphy left Tuesday morning for a few weeks' visit in Indiana. Gus Buchy and family are enjoying a visit with relatives at Port Clinton, O. Pat Shields and wife visited Thursday with Charles Stoltz and family at Gettysburg. Lieut. S. M. Shafer of McCook's Field, Dayton, was visiting in this city Sunday. Albert Patten and wife of Cleveland are visiting Mart Taylor and family, Sycamore street. Harry Baker and wife have had for their guest the past week, Mrs. A. W. Ellis of Pulaski, Va. Miss Sarah Larimer has returned home from an extended visit with her sister in Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Deming Lucas and daughter are here from Chicago visiting her parents, Ben Ketring and wife. Mrs. Roll Teeter and children of Bradford spent Friday here visiting with her mother, Mrs. George Perry. Mrs. Amanda Weist of Oklahoma City, Okla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Otwell, West Main street. Miss Ruth Sewell of Indianapolis, Ind., returned to her home Thursday, after a week's visit here with Rev. Speicher and family. Mrs. Wm. Hartel and baby daughter of Pittsburgh, Pa., have been the guests of her parents, J. W. Larimer and wife, the past week. S. W. Heathco of Raysville, Ind., was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Otwell, from Friday evening until Monday morning. "Tobe" Williams was appointed clerk, to succeed...

Sarah B. Riegel was granted a divorce from George F. Riegel last Friday. They are residents of Brown township. Samuel Hittle, an aged resident of West Water street, was adjudged insane in Probate court Monday afternoon and taken to the asylum. The will of the late Joseph N. Brumbaugh bequeaths his entire estate to his wife, Minnie Brumbaugh, and she is named executrix of the will. Harry Miller and family left Friday for their future home in Zanesville, where Mr. Miller will begin work with the Portland Cement Association.

Lieuts. Chester Menke, Glenn Hartzell, Jack Simison and Herbert Vance left Thursday for Camp Lee, Va., after enjoying a ten days' furlough here with their relatives. The county commencement of the eighth grade pupils was held in Memorial Hall last Saturday forenoon and four hundred and nine boys and girls were graduated. The class address was delivered by Hon. Frank S. Fox, and the exercises witnessed by a large attendance of people. Upon our roll of honor today we can place the following named patrons: Rudolph Eyer. Aaron E. Horne. Mrs. Elizabeth Minnich. Sarah B. Riegel. W. B. Nevel. Mrs. Catharine Erisman. J. T. Smith. Mrs. Maud M. Trost, wife of Wm. Trost, died Sunday night in their home in Hillgrove of diphtheria. She was a daughter of D. H. Reubush, deceased, and was 40 years old. Her husband, mother, brothers and sisters survive. Funeral services were held yesterday and burial made in Greenville cemetery. Six men from this county left for the University of Cincinnati Saturday for special military training, having enlisted with the local draft board when the call for men for special training as mechanics was made. They are: Harry Niswonger, Robert Niswonger, Walter Boyer and Algie Brandon of this city, Lloyd R. Wicks of Versailles, and Clarence Rhoades of Arcanum.

Arthur Kent was tried last Thursday and Friday on a charge of stealing a watch and pair of shoes from a railroad man at Bradford and found guilty. Saturday morning he was caught by Sheriff Browne attempting to break jail by prying loose a stone in the wall which abuts a steel plate, being part of the large jail door. He had used a piece of metal broken from his bed. The sheriff has kept him locked in a cell since then. Robert Michael, against whom a secret indictment for non-support was returned by the last grand jury of this county, was caught last Sunday near Camden, O., by Sheriff Browne and Deputy Runkle. Michael gave the officers quite a chase and plunged into a stream of water, hoping to evade arrest, but the plucky officers plunged in after him, almost up to their waists, and succeeded in landing him and at once brought him to town and locked him up.

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FIRST REPORT OF SECOND RED CROSS WAR FUND CAMPAIGN

We, the undersigned, the executive committee in charge of the Second War Fund Campaign of the Red Cross, beg leave to submit this as our first report of the results of the campaign which closed on May 27th. Owing to the fact that Darke county is an agricultural community some delay was necessarily encountered in collecting all of the subscriptions and in the townships getting ready for settlement with the treasurer of the campaign. At this date, June 12, all townships have made settlement, but in the case of Franklin township and Adams township there is a balance yet to be received on the campaign; that of Adams grows out of an arrangement made with the Miami County War Chest, in which in consideration of permitting that

Table with columns: Township, Quota, Amount Raised, National Red Cross Fund, Local Branch Work Donation Fund, Civilian Special Relief. Lists various townships like Adams, Allen, Brown, Butler, Franklin, Greenville, etc.

In making the above apportionment, 75 per cent was deposited to the credit of W. G. McAdoo, Treasurer of the National Red Cross; 25 per cent retained for local branches for their local branch work. In two townships, namely Twin and Wayne, special donations to the local branch work were made, amounting to \$832.00. In the townships of Neave, Van Buren and Washington, there are no local branches of the Red Cross, and in order to meet the conditions of the rules of the American Red Cross, and establish a Civilian Relief Fund the 25 per cent from these townships has been applied to Civilian Relief Fund, turning over to that fund the sum of \$571.29. Subsequent report will be made covering the contributions and the amounts yet to be received. In submitting this, our first report, we wish to extend our most heartfelt thanks for the splendid assistance given up by the people of Darke county, and especially to the chairmen and committees that solicited the funds. All work has been done gratuitously, and yet so thoroughly was it done, and with such splendid spirit, that by the third day of the campaign practically all subscriptions were taken. We wish especially to thank those who so actively assisted us in the campaign; the Greenville Band and Girls' Chorus, who donated their services throughout the entire meeting; the speakers who gave their

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