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MANY SEEK VILLAGE AND COUNTY OFFICES

NAMES WILL APPEAR ON NON-PARTISAN BALLOT

Friday is Last Day to Get Petitions In. Must Bear Twenty-five Signatures.

Today, Friday, September 5, is the last day of grace allowed office seekers to file their petitions with the clerk of the board of elections, and judging from the number which have been received up to Thursday morning interest in self government is far from dead. In order to have their name printed on the November ballots in the various townships and villages under two thousand population, those seeking an office are required to file a petition bearing the signatures of twenty-five qualified electors. This applies to all places in the county with the exception of Medina and Wadsworth villages, where the primary elections were held. These two villages, likewise, will be the only places in the county where partisan ballots will be used. In Lodi, Seville, Spencer, and other villages of the county, as well as in all the townships, the names will appear on the same ballot without party distinctions, which will make it exceedingly difficult for the average voter to know the political faith of the man he is voting for unless he takes the trouble to inform himself previous to the election.

As usual the voters in the smaller villages will receive ballots with both village and township officers listed thereon, while those voting in the township, but outside of the village will vote for township officers only.

Petitions containing the following names and the office they seek, had been filed with Clerk Shane up to Thursday morning:

Montville township—E. P. Vance, L. S. Hill, C. C. Kindig, trustees; Walter Clark, clerk; R. S. Hartman, treasurer; C. M. Cannon, Justice peace; Simon Ewing, constable; Lester Johnson, ditch supervisor; J. K. Nold, assessor; L. O. Fisher, Roy Palmer, Board Education.

Wadsworth township—R. A. Auble, A. G. Abbott, Harry Mills, F. F. Reichard, A. M. Baughman, Adolph Schmidt, trustees; W. L. Good, H. M. Simcox, clerk; O. L. Nolf, H. E. Libert, treasurer; Joe Mohn, Thos. Lucas, constable; Jos. Storm, assessor.

York township—J. A. Wolf, O. E. Branch, J. H. Bechtel, D. A. Tubbs, Will Strittmatter, C. J. Reutter, John Pearce, trustees; H. A. Indoe, assessor; C. E. Dieckman, Carl M. Starr, clerk; Howard Brintnall, J. C. Bricker, treasurer; Geo. McKee, Otto Wolf, Ealy Schultz, constable; J. M. Shive, justice peace; M. Hendrickson, N. W. Geisinger, J. K. Bihn, M. A. Stroup, Board Education.

Litchfield township—A. H. Breyley, Jos. Barth, Chas. Romp, trustees; Herman Halladay, treasurer; J. D. Yeakley, constable; John Radie, H. B. Bradley, A. S. Canfield, Board Education.

Guilford township—M. J. Cahoon, U. G. Johnson, W. L. Crawford, trustees; Chas. Long, clerk; Willis Coolman, treas.; Henry Ripley, Jerome Criz, Justice Peace; Clem Burkholder, constable; C. M. Colburn, R. H. Chambers, N. L. Newcomer, trustees; J. B. Good, clerk; John Minton, treasurer; S. B. Fulton, Frank Handshue, justice peace; J. H. Nold, Fred Fried, constable; E. J. Bell, ditch supervisor; Elmer Lee, assessor; Wm. Crawford, Jacob Good, Lyman Buffington, Board Education.

West Guilford Special—J. S. Newcomer, H. L. Ripley, Board Education. Granger township—Geo. Dunsha, E. M. Ganyard, F. O. Gingery, trustees; Hinckley township—E. Eastwood, J. Dunn, Jos. Babcock, trustees; Ira Waldo, clerk; John Brongers, treas.; Geo. McKee, assessor; L. O. West, justice peace; J. C. Goodrich, Wilber Charlton, constable; Frank Smith, Fred McKee, Board Education.

Liverpool township—Henry Matt, Ed. Frank, Carl Smith, F. H. Weidner, A. P. Platz, Arthur Hammon, trustees; Ralph Hertzneck, clerk; Geo. Mack, A. D. Hudson, constable; Wm. Skaince, assessor; B. S. Stebel, treas.; D. F. Wood, Justice Peace; Henry Steck, Gust Smith, J. T. Mayer, John Baisch, Jr., Clarence Arnold, C. C. Bauman, board education. Spencer Village and township—George E. Roberts, mayor; Albert Fuller, clerk; J. B. Firestone, treas.; E. C. Kirkpatrick, marshal; N. J. Walters, J. H. Fisher, M. D. Freestone, Frank Aldrich, H. Snyder, C. R. Aldrich, council.

Seville Village—Don L. Crawford, W. G. Brumbaugh, mayor; F. V. Lehman, Earl Day, clerk; A. G. Boyd, Harry Grafon, marshal; John R. Minton, treas.; Thos. Kintner, Clyde Weaver, E. G. Miller, Frank Wheeler, Jas. Murray, Wm. Weldon, M. A. Anderson, John Carr, I. H. Brots, A. A. Carver, H. H. Kindig, E. L. Overdorf, council; H. H. Bussard, assessor; Harley Williams, Harry Kendall, Bassett Kayne, B. E. Hartman, F. S. Crofoot, Guy Zigler, board of trustees of public affairs; B. G. Foster, justice peace; M. J. Cahoon, Sam McLean board education.

Seville Special—A. A. Carter, Walter Hay, Board Education. Westfield township—H. C. Hulbert, clerk; Verne Rice, treas.; L. P. Duecker, Clyde Tanner, Delos Eastman, trustees. Leroy Village—F. H. Hawley, Fred Eastman, board education. Lodi Village—H. M. Myers, J. W. Dunlap, mayor; S. B. Marvin, Platt Bricker, clerk; H. A. Myers, Jas. E. Waite, treas.; Thos. Fry, E. L. Under-

MEDINA MAY GET A RUBBER FACTORY

Two Akron men, two of whom until now have been connected with the Rubber Co., were in Medina yesterday noon looking for a site which would be available for a rubber plant which they contemplate building. They inspected the water works also the Burnham flats, west of the Liberty street, and were of opinion that wells drilled on the property would furnish an ample supply of water for this use.

The Akron investors held a meeting with a number of business men Wednesday noon and the proposition was discussed. The company seeks encouragement to the extent of about \$250,000 which they wish to sell in stock should they locate here. Nothing definite was decided, however, and the party left in the afternoon to look over other sites in this section of the country.

A. I. ROOT COMPANY ENTERTAIN SALESMEN

About 75 or 80 persons, about 50 of them salesmen, were guests of the A. I. Root Co. at the Community Hotel at Chippewa lake last Tuesday evening. This was but one small feature of the two day entertainment which the company had in store for its branch managers and salesmen who were in Medina on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

After the supper W. C. D'Arcy, of St. Louis, president of the associated advertising clubs of the world, and undoubtedly the foremost authority on advertising talked on this subject and of conditions as they are in the old countries. A. I. Root, in his usual breezy manner, enlightened his hearers in an interesting talk on "Reminiscences of Beginning the Business Fifty Years Ago." W. P. Root, who has been confidential secretary to Mr. A. I. Root for the past forty years, talked on "Reminiscences of A. I. Root and the Early Days of the Business." Both these talks were excellent and proved a source of much information to those who were not familiar with early conditions and the obstacles which had to be overcome.

Wednesday the visitors who hailed from all sections of the United States, were taken through the factory and obtained a first-hand knowledge of the manufacture of the products which they sell.

PIPE LINE COMPANY WINS FIRST TILT

The Buckeye Pipe Line Co. won the first skirmish on Monday of this week when they went into court to prove that they were a corporation and to show that a right of way for their pipe line through Brunswick township is necessary.

The company is seeking a right of way to build a pipe line from Lodi to the pumping station at Brunswick. In order to lay this line the lands of C. M. Brant and others in Brunswick township have to be crossed and the parties and the company have not been able to agree on terms. The case was taken to probate court, the company asking the judge to appropriate the land needed in the right of way and set a fair value on same.

The hearing Monday was merely preliminary. A jury was drawn and the case will be tried next Monday morning at 9 a. m. The sixteen members of the jury are H. H. Hartsog, Medina; John Huffman, Medina; H. E. Libert, Wadsworth; Levi Branch, Medina; W. L. Neumeyer, Lodi; Elmer Eshelman, Spencer Twp.; Paul Parton, Montville Twp.; Fred Baker, York Twp.; Emmett Boyer, Wadsworth; E. E. Park, Harrisville Twp.; E. O. Woodward, Sharon Twp.; Frank Jones Sharon Twp.; H. H. Root, Medina; Carl Abbott, Montville Twp.; P. L. Warner, Liverpool Twp.; Don Young, Wadsworth.

LAST WEEK'S OIL DOINGS

In Chatham township last week E. R. Edson & Son's No. 11, Carl G. Packard farm, lot 4, pumped 80 bbls. E. E. Crites and others No. 3, Chas. Harter farm, lot 1, pumped 75 bbls. The Ohio Fuel Supply Co.'s Nos. 7 and 8 J. H. Garver farm, lot 7, pumped 6 and 25 bbls. The Ohio Cities Gas Co.'s No. 2 Aug. Rogers farm, lot 8 pumped 30 bbls. The Weiser Oil Co.'s No. 11 J. McVickers farm, lot 1, pumped 30 bbls., while W. H. Hollman's No. 4 Isabelle Richard's farm, lot 1, was dry.

In Harrisville township, this county, the Cleveland Fuel Oil Co.'s No. 2 Walter Daniel's farm, lot 36, pumped 15 bbls.

wood, marshal; B. H. Starbird, C. H. Leatherman, R. M. Wagner, R. J. Howe, A. J. Bauders, Warren Bohley, Charles Rowland, Henry Bennader, Clarke Underwood, W. G. Sheldon, Charles W. Heiges, John Howey, council; C. E. Palmer, Albert Harris, John Hanes, C. L. Williams, V. A. Homan, E. H. Plank, board of public affairs; L. D. Towles, Joe Crawford, Jerry Dague, Harvey Alberts, C. G. Chapman, John Weaver; C. G. Chatham, H. E. Albert, trustees; Ward Parmelee, Chas. Rowland, E. A. Rowland, assessor; A. W. McManey, L. L. Underwood, constable; O. V. Sanford, clerk; Mrs. G. G. Whitacre, C. M. Crum, E. E. Parks, Albert Harris, board education.

The village tickets in Medina and Wadsworth was nominated at the recent primary, although Elbert Spitzer, Neal Kellogg and Jay Sargent have withdrawn from the nomination as members of the school board, while Ezra Mason refuses to run again for council.

HOME COMING DATE IS FINALLY SETTLED

WILL BE HELD WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Grand Picnic Supper Will Be A Feature, With Speakers, Floats, Music, Etc.

After attending many meetings and setting many dates tentatively the committee in charge of the homecoming celebration have decided that it will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 17. This date was decided upon for two reasons—one was that the celebration will not interfere with the usual Saturday trade, but the main reason seems to be that Dr. Wise personally and otherwise, guaranteed the weather for this day.

As stated last week the committees met on Wednesday and named Sept. 20 as the date. On Monday of this week another meeting was held and the 17th was declared as final. It is hoped that all of Medina's soldier and sailor boys will be home by this time.

The homecoming celebration is for the entire county, although residents of Medina and the four adjoining townships—York, Lafayette and Montville and Medina are the special guests. The committee wishes it distinctly understood that the celebration belongs as much to each of these townships as it does to the village.

A meeting was held Wednesday evening of this week and a tentative program was drawn up. Final action and arrangement of details will be decided at a meeting of all the chairmen and those in charge of floats which will be held in the town hall this evening.

Judge N. H. McClure has been selected as president of the day, and the exercises will start at 1 o'clock with a parade of soldiers of the last three wars, under the leadership of S. S. Oatman. These men will also act as special bodyguard to the speaker of the day who has not yet been selected. Hon. Ralph Cole, of Findlay, wired the committee that he would be unable to attend and an effort is now under way to get ex-Ambassador Sharp, of Elyria.

The speakers stand will be located on the pave on the east side of the square. This will also serve as an orchestra stand in the evening.

After the parade will come the principal address of the day. This will be followed by music by an orchestra, quartets and by soloists. Next will come an hour of all kinds of sports under the direction of Dr. Wise. Prizes have been raised for the winners and a lively time is assured.

The big feature of the day, however, will be the community picnic supper. Tables will be arranged on the park and every man, woman and child in the village and four townships is asked—yes, even ordered—to bring a picnic supper with them. This food will be dumped without ceremony on the tables and one may eat wherever he sees fit. The committee has made arrangements whereby every one will be supplied with piping hot coffee, free of charge.

In the evening a parade, consisting of about twenty well-decorated floats, school children, town organizations, Boy and Girl Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, new American citizens, carnival characters, etc., will be held. This will be a regular carnival night and prizes will be given for the best costumes. The parade will move past the judges stand and L. E. Garver, P. C. Bigelow and W. C. Smith will make the selections.

The evening entertainment will close at a late hour with dancing on the east side of the square. The pavement will be washed and a good orchestra will furnish music.

Two new committees were appointed this week—Neal Kellogg, Joe Seymour and John Moore on invitations, while A. E. Young will arrange for the various stands.

Much work has been required in formulating the plans and much energy must still be expended, but Medina has set herself a task, the fulfillment of which will surpass all expectations. Arrange your plans to be here.

MCDOWELL WINS AT ELYRIA

R. O. McDowell drove his little pacing mare Mary Louise to first money at the Elyria fair on Monday, although the race dragged out seven heats. The mare was entered in the 2:30 pace and made her best mile in and received a mark of 2:17 1/2.

Tuesday McDowell drove Jack M., and won second money, Tramp a Bit, another horse well known in this section, winning first. The best time in this race was around 2:14.

WILL SPEND MONTH IN CALIFORNIA

L. H. Randall left Wednesday night for Monterey, Calif., where he will attend a convention of salesmen for the New York Life Insurance Co. This convention is the first to be held in the west for some time and about 350 salesmen who have sold about the dead line will be guests of the company for about a month.

Mr. Randall will take the route through Denver and Salt Lake City on his way out, returning over the northern route, through Portland, Seattle and Vancouver.

—Walter Bibbins has purchased the Beck property, corner North Broadway and North streets.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE IN SESSION THIS WEEK

AND IS VERY WELL ATTENDED

Speakers Give Able Addresses Stressing Most Important Points Necessary to Good Teaching.

The Medina County Teachers' Institute opened a four day session at the Congregational church Tuesday morning at 9:30. The speakers that have thus far appeared on the program are Prof. Vernon Riegel of the State Department of Public Instruction, Columbus, O.; Mrs. Frances Richard, of Miami University, Oxford, O.; and Mrs. Lillian Burt of the State Department of Health.

Mr. Riegel first spoke of the one room rural school pointing out its weaknesses. In so doing, he stated that the fail, the cradle, the ox cart, etc., had passed away, the farmer had improved his home, the automobile had come, but the rural school alone had not changed. Mr. Riegel then pointed out what might yet be done in these schools while they are yet with us. Without doubt the teachers in these schools were much encouraged and will attack their problems with more hope and energy.

While admitting that many teachers succeeded without normal training, he stated this was no argument against properly trained teachers. Properly trained teachers do not remain so long in the "trial and error" stage, they are more susceptible to supervision, they have a pedagogical vocabulary and are able to discuss school problems much more intelligently than the untrained teacher.

Mr. Riegel further pointed out very emphatically that a child becomes edifying by participation and in surmounting difficulties. The tasks assigned are often impossible for the child and often the child has his work done for him by the teacher, a direct violation of the principle of education by participation.

Mrs. Richard so far has been discussing English in the grades. She is an excellent example of the embodiment of what she teaches. She is a very fluent speaker very ready with her audience and she captivated the attention of all the teachers in her subsequent talks. She first laid the psychological basis for English work, followed this with methods of telling stories, then took up the problem of correcting faulty speech which was handled in a way to be helpful to high school teachers as well as grade teachers, her fourth lecture on composition writing was treated in a reasonable way. Certainly this advice and helps will be aids to all teachers in their approaching work.

Just before the noon intermission on Wednesday, Mrs. Lillian Burt spoke on "Rebuilding Americans." This talk was given in excellent style and while on a subject just now becoming discussable in public was so treated that all understood and none could take offense. Following this talk, Mrs. Burt distributed some very excellent literature on the subject.

The attendance at the institute is good. Many of the new teachers from a distance are showing their interest by being on hand. The teachers of Wadsworth exempted village are attending the institute here this year and Sup't. Elliott of that place manifests an interest in joining the educational interests of the county.

The superintendents of the districts are practically all in attendance and a feeling of good fellowship and a spirit of co-operation is in evidence.

All look forward to two more days of help and pleasure.

GIVEN CHAIRS AS THEY LEAVE OFFICE

It has been a custom with courthouse officials for many years to present each one upon the expiration of his term of office with an article of furniture, usually a chair, in token of the esteem and friendship in which the recipient is held by his fellow office holders.

At the beginning of the present year, Sheriff Gehman was the recipient of a handsome chair, likewise Lakey Flickinger, when he turned the office of county clerk over to George Frazier a few weeks ago. This week marked the exit from office of two more county officials, namely, C. S. Rice as county recorder and Charles Frank as county treasurer, they being succeeded respectively by Frank Styer and E. W. Moyer.

In accordance with the regular custom these retiring office holders became recipients of two beautiful rockers Tuesday afternoon.

Prosecuting Attorney Stine made the presentation speech to the retiring officials, and Sheriff Bigelow welcomed the newcomers. The latter said that it was the aim of every new office holder to make just a little better showing than his predecessor. Both Rice and Franks gave short talks, the latter presenting a statement which showed the county treasurer had received approximately \$10,000 more interest money during the past four years than ever before in a like period of time. Moyer and Styer also responded to Bigelow's greeting.

Both Rice and Franks have made efficient showings in their respective offices during the past four years and leave their duties with the knowledge that the confidence of the voters who elected them was not misplaced.

Mr. Rice and his family left Medina Wednesday and will reside near Chatham, while Mr. Franks and his wife will spend a month in Michigan.

MILK UP ONE CENT IN MEDINA

The price of milk advanced one cent a quart on Sunday of this week—at least one dealer made the raise, and the other will undoubtedly follow suit within a short time. It is claimed the raise was made necessary by an advance which producers are to receive.

Producers received 31 1/2¢ per gallon for their milk during July. They wanted 36¢ for August, which is one cent below the "fais list" price which was granted by state authorities this spring. When the producers of the milk men's association were arrested an injunction was issued against members and they were forced to ship milk without any price being set. According to the secretary of the association, however, the Cleveland distributors will pay 33 cents for August and probably 34 cents for September, although the latter rate cannot be settled until after the hearing of the indicted men, which is scheduled for next week.

In Geauga and Cuyahoga counties a number of producers withheld their milk for a day or so this week to show their dissatisfaction with the price they are receiving, but no stoppage was noted in this county.

A fair price committee is now at work in Cleveland attempting to fix a suitable price which shall be paid to producers and hopes are entertained that they will begin at the right end and make a report showing that the farmer's price is not the cause of the high price of this commodity.

According to officials of the milk company Canton distributors are paying 40 cents more per hundredweight than is now being paid in Cleveland.

COMMISSIONERS HOLD THREE DAY SESSION

County Commissioners held a three day session this week although the first day was taken up by virtue of its being Labor day and a holiday.

Tuesday an unusual number of bills were paid and favorable action was taken on a report of the trustees of Chatham township in which they recommended that W. H. Morrell, of Chatham, be awarded damages of \$100 for the loss of a horse. According to evidence submitted the animal stepped through a rotted plank in one of Chatham township's bridges, receiving injuries which have made it worthless. The commissioners agreed to stand \$50 while the trustees will also put in \$50. Tuesday was also sheep claim day, but to noon but one claim had been filed.

Wednesday the commissioners were out inspecting work which Commissioner Baughman has been especially interested in. The latter goes out of office about the fifteenth of the month and the commissioners wish to familiarize themselves with this part of the work in order to assist the incoming official.

FORM COUNTY HEALTH BOARD NEXT WEEK

On Thursday of next week, Sept. 11, the mayors of all municipalities and chairmen of boards of township trustees will meet at the court house and form the county health organization called for under the Hughes health bill which goes into effect January 1. The meeting has been called for 2 o'clock.

A county board will be appointed at his meeting, consisting of two doctors, one lawyer, one farmer and one person from any other profession. This board's duties will be to select a county health commissioner, whose salary will be around \$3,000 per year; also a clerk and a nurse with salaries around \$1200 per annum.

A district supervisor from the state board of health will be present and assist in getting affairs started properly. The expense of the health organization will be paid by the county and will be around \$1200 annually, according to officials.

CHURCH OF CHRIST BANQUET SOLDIERS

The Friendship class of the Christian Sunday school gave a very fine reception in honor of the returned soldiers on Friday evening. The girls of this class presented the returned boys each with a fine bouquet. After which all present were taken to the dining room which was beautifully decorated with flowers and the emblems of our country for which they fought.

Next came the dinner which was promised them on their return and which they all relished—chicken fried by the good ladies of the church and many other good things to eat of a kind the boys did not receive while in service.

Later came the toasts, with Rev. Goodale acting as toast master for the evening. Mrs. Jennie Bowman gave several good vocal selections which were greatly enjoyed. The speakers of the evening were Rev. Goodale, Paul Bowman, Virgil Damon, Miss Marie Hurlbaeus, Miss Pearl Webber and Mrs. Sidney Hoddinott. Mrs. Hoddinott being the successful teacher of this class, gave the address of welcome.

The class sacrificed nearly all the boys at the beginning of the war, eighteen in number, nearly all were in service—some the ocean—of this number only one lost his life and two were wounded, while others had very narrow escapes.

ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Wm. Galloway, an oil driller working on the Ulmer farm in York township was arrested this week on a warrant sworn out at Marion, O., charging him with bastardy. Galloway denied the charge, but accompanied the official who came for him back to Marion.

MEDINA FAIR HOLDS FORTH NEXT WEEK

BETTER THAN EVER CLAIM THE OFFICIALS

Many New Attractions and Good Prizes Are Offered. County Schools Feature Exhibit.

Next week Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 9, 10 and 11, comes the Medina county fair—THE fair in this section of the state, and marks the 74th annual occurrence of its kind. Some of the best men in the county have been spending much of their time and energy this summer, expecting no reward other than to make this year's fair a grand success.

Fair week is the occasion of the year toward which the boy looks forward as he follows the team or rides the tractor 'round the field day after day, and the place where he gets inspiration for raising better stock and doing better farming.

Tuesday, the first day, is generally given over to arranging the booths and decorations, getting the live stock in place and concession tents up.

Wednesday, which on all previous years has been the big day, will start the fair proper. On this day are scheduled two paces and one trot for the horse lovers, and the entries which close Saturday night give promise of an excellent field of starters in each event. The purses are \$300 each. A ball game between Leroy and Brunswick will be held on the diamond in the morning.

Thursday morning the winning team of the previous day will fight it out with Liverpool for the championship of the county. In addition to the pace and two trots regularly scheduled for the afternoon there will be held a running race open to any one in the county. Much fun is looked for in this event as they have been numerous entries.

Prizes have been offered for the winners in the boys' and girls' club work, as well as in the pig club, poultry and food clubs. First prize will be a free trip to Columbus; second prize, \$7; third, \$4; fourth, \$3 and fifth prize, \$1.

A new departure this year will be the exhibits by the various schools of the county. This work will be shown in the old dining room and \$350 has been set aside for prizes along these lines.

The fair management has also secured the services of an expert aviator who will thrill the assembled crowds with all stunts known to the flying profession both days of the fair.

Lovers of music will not be disappointed with the announcement that the famous and popular Wallace's vocal orchestra will be on hand both days and will fill in with selections in the grand stand between heats and races.

There will be an abundance of free attractions this year, including an excellent display of relics and hunting implements of remote and modern times. The Pickard Brothers, horizontal bar gymnastic comedies, will put on acts in front of the grand stand for the amusement of the children and their elders.

The cattle, swine and poultry exhibits promise to rank second to none this year and the showing of farm produce should be excellent.

Of special interest to farmers will be the wheat grading, moisture and germination test; also soil testing and other practical demonstrations which will be given by the vocational agriculture department of the county.

Another feature this year will be an exhibit by the Medina County Fish and Game association. This will consist of twenty or more mounted deer heads, numerous varieties of fish and fishing tackle, all kinds of guns, in fact, a complete natural history exhibit. The promoters of this exhibit guarantee a showing the like of which has never been before duplicated in this section. Persons having anything along this line who would be willing to show same are requested to get in touch with either C. F. McDermott, of Leroy, or H. C. Rowe or Dr. C. D. Freeman, of Medina.

Previous experiences have shown that Medina county does not have to take a back seat when its fair is compared with any other county fair in the state and those at the helm are highly enthusiastic over the outlook this year.

A slight increase in the price of single admission tickets has been made, the fee being thirty-five cents. Membership tickets, including 4 single admissions, \$1.40; horse and rider two tickets; horse and driver, two tickets; children under 10 years of age, free. Admission to the grand stand will remain the same as in former years—25 cents.

This small increase is not expected to cut the attendance any, and given fair weather, the management will probably be called upon to handle the largest crowds in years.

WADSWORTH MAN HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

A. D. Blough, of Wadsworth, well known throughout the county, was slightly injured in an automobile accident near Wooster one day last week when his Ford coupe collided with a large Buick auto driven by a man who was on his way to Columbus to attend the state fair. Blough was knocked unconscious and his machine was badly damaged. One rear wheel was smashed, a fender damaged and the windshield broken. The Buick was damaged but was able to proceed to Columbus.

Mr. Blough was taken to the Wooster hospital, but was able to leave next day.