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THE WELLINGTON ENTERPRISE was the first paper in the county to publish the news telling of the levy made by the county commissioners for the permanent improvement of the roads. Other county papers are printing it this week, having seen it in last week's Enterprise, but The Observer doesn't know it yet. It prints this week a reprint from the Elyria Republican telling what the commissioners of Medina county had done and that our commissioners ought to do the same. Never mind, little one, you will find out all about it some day, and then you tell how THE ENTERPRISE scooped the other papers.

**ELECTRIC LINE A SURE THING.**

Cleveland Capitalists Arrived in this City Yesterday and Go Over the Proposed Route to Oberlin.

There has been considerable talk about building an electric road between Oberlin and Wellington, but it has not until now been seriously considered. This fact was learned yesterday in conversation with a gentleman who is in a position to know. However, the building of the line now is but a matter of a few months. Messrs. Pomeroy, Akers and Meachum, manager, secretary and treasurer respectively of the Cleveland, Berea, Elyria & Oberlin Electric Railway arrived in town yesterday afternoon and accompanied by Mr. A. B. Warner were driven around the city, and then over the route from Wellington to Oberlin. They were much pleased with the outlook, and surprised at the size and prosperous appearance of our little city.

**Lorain Co. Republican Mass Convention.**

The Republicans of Lorain County will meet in mass convention in the court house in the city of Elyria on Saturday, the 24th day of June, 1899, at 2 o'clock, standard time, p. m., and then and there proceed to elect delegates to the Senatorial Convention to be held in Elyria on Thursday, the 29th day of June, 1899, at one o'clock, p. m., and to transact such other and further business as may properly come before the convention. The said county of Lorain is entitled to 82 delegates to said Senatorial Convention. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 100 votes or fraction over 50 cast for Charles Kinney for secretary of state in 1898. Elyria, Ohio, June 14, 1899. F. B. Fauver, Chairman. F. M. Stevens, Secretary.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for 20 years. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremont, Ark. Sold by Near & Wells, Druggists, Wellington, O.

**HOW IT WAS DONE.**

A Bit of the Inside History of the Movement for a Statute of Miss Willard.  
A rosy little woman with an air of great satisfaction about her ran up to me after the matinee the other day, says a writer in the Washington Post. "Did you see it in the paper?" she said. "See what?" I asked. "Why, that the Illinois legislature has passed a bill for an appropriation to buy a statue of Frances Willard to put in Statuary hall at the capitol. I knew we'd do it, and we did do it. Isn't it lovely?" "I confessed my lack of comprehension, and she went on: "You see, just a year ago I told you that there was a movement on foot among the Women's Christian Temperance union to erect a statue to Miss Willard. I believe I even went into details. Well, there wasn't a word of truth in it, I made it all up myself. I don't know a soul in the Woman's Christian Temperance union, but I did know Miss Willard, and I wanted so much to have somebody start the statue idea, so I started it myself. The Illinois legislature may think they've done it, but they haven't. They've merely followed out an idea I gave them. I started the whole thing just by telling you something that wasn't so. You made the first mention of it, and I put you up to it. I'm mighty proud of myself to-day. We started, we did, but a state had to take it up, for only states are permitted to put statues in Statuary hall. Never tell me again that it's always best to stick to the truth. Just see what a little judicious prevarication has done!"

**COUNTY SEAT NEWS.**

OFFICIAL TRANSACTIONS AT THE SEAT OF JUSTICE.

Exchange of Real Estate—List of Marriage Licenses—Divorces Wanted and Granted—Doings in the Different Courts During the Past Week.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
Harry S. Bennett and wife to Luna A. Fields, part lot No. 28 in block No. 8, Wellington. Consideration \$100.  
Wm. G. Sharp and Hallie Sharp to Clayton Chapman, guardian of Leroy S. Smith, part lot No. 12, V. A. Wallace's addition to Elyria. Consideration \$1,500.  
Wm. G. Sharp and Hallie Sharp to Clara L. Smith, lot No. 11, V. A. Wallace's addition to Elyria. Consideration \$1,500.  
A. M. Foster and wife to Mike Krebs, lot No. 1, Morehouse and Foster's addition to Elyria. Consideration \$300.  
W. A. Braman, trustee, to Mrs. Etta Best, lot No. 21, Highland addition to Lorain. Consideration \$325.  
Adam Hageman and Catherine Hageman to O. F. Hageman, trustee, parts lots Nos. 19 and 20, block No. 26, allotment made by Selah Chamberlain, Lorain. Consideration \$300.  
C. S. Mussey to city of Lorain, alley between Broadway and Reid street, Lorain. Consideration \$192.  
Anna Kelley and husband to Frank Stang, lots Nos. 7, 8 and 9, block No. 18, Selah Chamberlain's allotment, Lorain. Consideration \$5,000.  
Henry West to Elbert C. West, 25 1/2 acres in Pittsfield township.  
Albert Reloff and wife to Kate Murphy, lot No. 8 in block No. 10 in Wm. A. Braman trustee's addition to Lorain. Consideration \$1,000.  
J. D. Fike and wife to C. E. Daniels, trustee, part lot No. 4, tract No. 1, Black River township. Consideration \$2,500.  
Gottlieb Hauster to Ollie Robinson, part lot No. 108, Sheffield township. Consideration \$300.  
James W. Smith to Helen A. Somers, 70 acres, part original lot No. 7, section 4, Pittsfield township. Consideration \$2,600.  
Arthur W. Hoge, et al., to Albion Yaromelick, lot No. 829, Oakland addition to Lorain. Consideration \$70.  
Chas. T. Buckley to Ernest Twining, 45 acres, part lot No. 17, tract 12, Henrietta township. Consideration \$1,000.  
Nancy Case to F. S. Case, part lot No. 4, Columbia township. Consideration \$1,200.  
Laura Root to Mary Cheesman, part lot 25, Ridgeville township.  
Sheriff to Savings Deposit Bank Co., 543 acres of land in Carlisle township. Consideration \$13,314.  
O. F. A. Rowley, executor of the will of M. V. Rowley, deceased, part of east part of town lot No. 40 1/2, Oberlin. Consideration \$1,000.  
G. M. Hopkins and Mary C. Hopkins to John H. Babbitt, lot No. 16 in block 4, George E. Brownwell's addition to Lorain. Consideration \$650.  
Leonard Scheather and wife to Anton Minnich, part lot 93, Elyria, \$450.  
Henry Wurst and wife to Albert V. Hagerman, lot No. 7, block No. 6 in allotment made by Selah Chamberlain, in Black River township. Consideration \$1,400.  
Worthy S. Streater, trustee, to Frank Stang, lot No. 22, block No. 14, allotment made by Selah Chamberlain, trustee, Black River township.  
Joseph H. Haynes and Lucy M. Haynes to F. W. Melvaine, parts lots Nos. 9 and 10, block No. 12, Wm. A. Braman trustee's addition to Lorain. Consideration \$500.  
Norman Eggleston and Lois Eggleston to Wm. H. H. Suttill, part lot No. 16, Brighton township. Consideration \$500.  
W. A. Braman and Horr, Warner & Co. to Geo. S. Moore, part of lot 2, block 8, in W. A. Braman trustee's addition to Lorain. Consideration \$225.  
Jerome B. Pratt to John B. Robinson, part of tract 13, Huntington township. Consideration \$235.  
J. B. Coffinberry to Johanna Stanislawski, lot 58 in Oakland addition, Lorain. Consideration \$75.  
Caroline N. Sheldon et al., to Alice M. Allis, lot 101 in block 1, Wellington. Consideration \$2,800.  
The Johnson Co. to Thos. W. Woodside and Sarah L. Land, lot 342, Sheffield Land Co. addition. Consideration \$700.  
Joseph Valerius to Lucy Barney, part of lot 347 in block 46, Elyria. Consideration \$1,310.  
W. E. Parsons to Henry Merthe, part of lots 94 and 95, Amherst township. Consideration \$700.  
Byron G. Nichols, trustee, to Maynard N. Bemis, part of lots 7 and 8 in block 4, G. E. Brownwell's addition to Lorain. Consideration \$600.  
Adam Burger to Thos. W. Woodside et al., part of lot 341 in Sheffield Land Co.'s addition to Lorain. Consideration \$500.

**Probate Court.**  
Estate of M. J. Linden, of Avon, filed for probate.  
Ohio against John Berry, charge assault and menacing threat.  
Petition filed for adoption of Wm. Lampen by Lena and John Wilson.  
Estate of LaFayette Dumes filed for probate.  
John Sepilo adjudged insane and sent to Toledo State hospital.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Geo. W. Henry, 23, of Bellaire, and Ida May Winstrom, 19, of Lorain.  
Geo. C. Cassell, 28, and Lucy Nimocks, 29, of Huntington.

No! it is not claimed that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure Consumption or Asthma in advanced stages, it holds out no such false hopes, but DOES truthfully claim to always give comfort and relief in the very worst cases and in the early stages to effect a cure.

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Theodore A. Shaw, Jr., of Chicago, and Bessie Worthington, of Elyria.  
Charles Bush, aged 23, of Lorain, and Allie Jones, age 22, of Huntington.  
Ira D. Shaw, age 29, of Randolph, W. Va., and Grace E. Prince, age 29, of Oberlin.  
Walter Scott, age 22, and Hattie Wonderly, age 18, of Lorain.  
Harry H. Gregg, of Elyria, and Hattie Havers, of North Eaton.  
Hal E. Davidson and Leora Haas, both of Lorain.  
Joseph P. Rodgers and Mary Krugman, both of Elyria.  
Philip Flood and Mary E. Ward, both of Elyria.  
Herbert Rutherford, of Ridgeville, and Clara Rose, of Dover, O.

**Court of Common Pleas.**  
Ella H. Westervelt against Geo. C. Westervelt; divorce, alimony and custody of children.  
Emeline E. Pott against Richard Pott, action for injunction, alimony, divorce and equitable relief.  
Elizabeth Watterston against A. B. Lambert et al., foreclosure of mortgage and equitable relief.

**BIG FOUR ROUTE.**  
Union Reform party, state convention, Columbus, O., August 9-10, 1899. One and one-third fare round trip, going August 8th. Return limit August 11th, '99.

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**DOGS TATTOOED.**  
An English Method of Marking Valuable Animals Adopted in This Country.  
It has been the practice in London for some time to tattoo dogs. In some cases it has been done as a means of identification; in others it is just a mere fad for the ostentatious show of a newly acquired crest or coat of arms, says the New York Herald.  
The most sensible reason for such a fad seems to be for identification in case of theft or loss. Certain breeders have certain private marks by which they can identify dogs of a particular family. These marks are kept close track of, and the age and pedigree of the dog can be settled at once by referring to the records.  
Dog tattooing is now done in this city. A well-known fancier has tattooed dogs for the Astors, the Vanderbilts, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Gould and other men who own valuable dogs.  
"The plain markings, such as crosses, double X and private marks," he said, "are not done by tattooing, but with a long, fine needle, such as milliners use, and a fine thread dipped in Indian ink. This needle is run under the skin in long stitches, the thread pulled through and left there for some little time, and then pulled out again, leaving the stain of the ink under the skin, and that stain can never be destroyed."  
"Dogs are mostly marked right in the bend of the fore or hind leg, where there is no hair and the skin is very tender. Sometimes it is done in the ears."  
"Perhaps you did not know that high priced fowls are tattooed and marked for pedigree identification? Well, nearly every game chicken has some special mark upon it, and anyone at all familiar with the raising of game fowls owns a book which gives all the private markings of valuable species."

**WISE IN HIS GENERATION.**  
"Are you sure," asked Brutus, "that this oration of yours will get the publicity that it deserves?" "Oh, yes," replied Anthony; "I've given Shakespeare a printed copy of my remarks."  
—Philadelphia North American.

**KEEP YOUR WITS AT A FIRE.**  
Advice of a Man Who Has Had Plenty of Experience in Hotels.  
"I have been an actor for 20 years," said Thaddeus Shine. "I have crossed the continent nine times. Naturally, I have slept in a good many hotels here and there. I have been caught in three hotel fires. The first time I came near being cremated. It happened because I was bounced out of bed at the first alarm, felt satisfied that I was as good as dead, bounded out of the room and rushed down the hallway. I didn't know where I was going. Like Kipling's stampered soldier, I didn't stop to see. The consequence was that I ran into the part of the building which was burning, turned to go back, found my escape cut off by smoke, fell insensible in a little while and was dragged out by a fireman who stumbled over me."  
"There is but one thing to do when you are sleeping in a strange place and the fire call is sounded. Get out of bed swiftly but quietly, put on your shoes, trousers and coat and pick up your valuables, if you have any. You can do all this in five minutes or less by working steadily and coolly. By the time you get it done you will know in what direction you want to go, and how to get there. Hotels don't burn down in ten minutes these days, and with the present efficiency of the fire departments in the large cities not one in 100 of them that catch on fire burns down at all. When a thing of this kind happens, 'make haste slowly' is a motto that every man and woman ought to remember. It is the crazed ones who die."

**SIAMESE FOOTBALL.**  
The Ball Is Struck Generally with the Knee and Kept in the Air.  
The Siamese youth have only one game worth considering, and that one is indigenous—or native to Burma—the question of parentage being a mooted one, says Harper's Weekly. At all events, the game requires a certain amount of activity, and is very interesting to the onlooker. It is a kind of football—in fact, I have heard it called Burmese football—comes up with a ball about four inches in diameter, made of braided rotan, entirely hollow, very strong and resilient. The number of contestants is not arbitrarily fixed, but play is sharpest when there are enough to form a circle about ten feet in diameter. The larger the circle after it has passed the desirable diameter the slower the play.  
The game is to keep the ball tossing into the air without breaking the circle. As a man falls at his opportunity he drops out, and when there remain but four or six, the work is sharp and very pretty. The ball is struck generally with the knee, but also with the foot, from in front, behind and at the side. Some become remarkably clever. I have seen a player permit the ball to drop directly behind his back, and yet, without turning, return it clear over his head, and straight into the middle of the circle, by a well-placed backward kick of his heel.  
**Genius Unconscious.**  
It is as difficult to talk entirely ungrammatically as to play in discord. A country lady, standing in front of a picture in an eastern gallery, took the prize when she said: "Them deers is drew terribly bad."

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The new dress cutting school, which is in operation in the G. A. R. hall is prospering nicely, almost twenty pupils are now enrolled. The reason for this extraordinary patronage is due to the excellence of the system. The ladies everywhere are unprepared in this line of work. For years the masses of the people have been unable to cut and make their own costumes. This has been due to the fact that methods have not heretofore provided for cutting the styles. Many attempts have been made but in all instances their methods have been shrouded in mystery or limited in cutting waists and linings, leaving all the complicated styles dependent upon the ingenuity of the operator.  
Now in the introduction of the Diamond Garment Cutter it is possible for all to learn the art of cutting and making their best costumes, this supplies a long felt want and combines an accomplishment and a practical feature of domestic education that all ladies should be prepared for the practical duties of life is admitted by all. The making of the costumes for the family is one of the most prominent features of ladies' work, and is a source of more difficulty and trouble to them than all other duties combined. Consequently a method of cutting and a course of instruction which obviates those troubles is one of the greatest benefits to womanhood, the need of a movement of this kind is experienced by all the ladies that this work is up to the demands of fashions as the satisfaction of the many pupils show.

The school is in operation every week day from 9:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. and each pupil is given individual instruction, consequently ladies may come and go as they like. The numbers of lessons are not limited and may be extended for several weeks if necessary. Ladies from the country may take instruction by coming two or three days a week.  
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**For Rent.**  
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Hiring a Woman to Personate a Collection Agent in Need of a Beating.

"I used to work for a collection agency in one of the northern cities," said a lady perfumery drummer to a New Orleans Times-Democrat reporter, "and my experience was tolerably exciting. My duty was to sit at a roll-top desk in the office and impersonate the proprietor. Light work, did you say? Just you wait. All day long men would come in red-eyed to lick the boss. "Where's the fellow that sends out these blackmailing letters?" was the usual salutation. Then I would smile sweetly and say: "I'm the proprietress; what can I do for you?" At that the visitor would look dazed, mutter things under his breath and walk off. Occasionally the real proprietor would peep through an inside window to see whether I was still alive, for I must admit our letters were calculated to give a man the homicidal mania.  
"Well, things went on all right for nearly a month. Then one day a little wiry chap walked in carrying a thick cane. "Where's the boss?" he said. I gave the usual fairy story. "Don't believe a word of it," he replied, "still I can't beat a woman." He thought awhile, and something in his eye made me feel creepy. "I'll have to take it out of the fixtures," he said, finally, and upon my word, he broke up every blessed thing in the shop. He did it quickly and systematically, and you never saw such an awful ruin! I yelled murder, but it did no good, and he went right ahead. As a wind-up he smashed the chandelier and bade me a polite good-day. When the proprietor came in he had a fit. It was after that I went into the perfumery business. The work is harder, but it is much less trying on one's nerves."

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