

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gathered in Town, County and Neighborhood. Smiling beats scowling all hollow. It is well not to overlook the Dispatch advertising columns. John Tunick, aged 78, died in Lisbon Monday night of paralysis. Mrs. Margaret Reed, a pioneer of Sebring, fell dead Saturday, aged 83. She is survived by two sons and a daughter. Mrs. Mary Fowler, aged 85, who was confined to her bed four years with stomach trouble, died last week at her home in Winona. Mrs. John Williams, aged 57, died last week in Mineral Ridge where she had resided since girlhood. Her husband and one daughter survive her. The Niles furnace, which has been idle for two years, will shortly be put in blast by the Carnegie Steel Co., which means more prosperity for Niles. Miss Rebecca Randolph, 71 years old, died last Saturday at her home in Westville after an illness of several months with a complication of diseases. There was a lull in the issuing of marriage licenses in Columbiana county the past two months. During September 45 licenses were granted and only 42 in October. Mrs. H. A. Keller, aged 27, died in Columbiana the first of the week after a short illness with typhoid fever. She is survived by her husband and two small children. Lyman D. Van Fossan has been appointed law librarian at the court house in Lisbon. Mr. Van Fossan was long a court bailiff and is familiar with the location of the law books in the library. A shortage of apples is reported in Ashland county. It is feared that there might come to Mahoning county for apples as hundreds of bushels of choice fruit are going to waste on the trees and ground. One person of every twenty-nine in Ohio owns an automobile, according to an estimate by W. L. Walker, Chief Registrar of Automobiles at Columbus. He figured that there will be 180,000 machines in the state Nov. 15, when the statistical year ends. Their value, considering each worth \$500, is \$90,000,000. Harry Harrington, chief clerk for the Erie railroad in Warren, was arrested last week charged with embezzling \$5,000. A recent examination of the office accounts was made by a representative of the company. Deputy Sheriff Crawford and an assistant of Lisbon found a poker game in progress under a railroad trestle near West Point last Sunday afternoon and invited 14 men to appear before Lisbon's mayor to answer to the charge of gambling. Mrs. Zorah Johnson, an elderly woman who represented herself in New York as the widow of Henry M. Flagler, late Standard Oil millionaire, securing a large sum of money by such representation, has been sentenced to serve from 3 to 9 years in the Auburn prison. Several years ago Mrs. Johnson conducted a boarding house in Alliance. This the way the Lisbon Journal goes after the dead ones in that village: Do you know what Lisbon needs? We think we can tell you. A trunk line railroad, and a weeding out of a lot of dead timber. This town with its high hills and deep valleys seems to be a good place for the judgment of inanimate objects. If we had a good railroad maybe some of this dead timber would drift away. At least some live stuff might come in. It will never do much good until there is a change.

BLANCO

Nov. 3—Eli Rakestraw and family were Sunday guests at H. E. Kale's. Mrs. Clyde Orr of Rosemont spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Mead. Byron Williamson of Mineral Ridge spent Saturday at his old home here. Raymond, Jessie and baby were Sunday visitors at Jacob Helzel's. Several from here attended the miscellaneous shower given Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiscott, Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Flick. Mr. and Mrs. Wiscott were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. E. Kale and daughter Zella and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Holibaugh spent Sunday with Frank Hill and family of Hubbard. Most of the people around here attended the box social and school fair at River Bank school house Friday evening. A most enjoyable time was had by all. The proceeds amounted to \$20. Miss Helen Parshall spent Friday with Miss Ella Kale. Orris Mead visited his sisters at Burton and Cleveland the last of the week. If all men were compelled to practice what they preach the majority would discontinue the preaching habit.

COUNTY SCHOOL COLUMN

The fall session of the Teachers' Institute will be held at Damascus Saturday, Nov. 13. All arrangements for the meeting have been completed. This promises to be the banner fall session of the teachers' institute. Dr. Henry G. Williams, editor of the Ohio Teacher, will be the leading speaker of the day. The County Normal School at Canfield is being highly favored this week in having a course in Domestic Science given by two instructors from the Extension School department of the State University. The normal students are greatly pleased with the instruction and Miss Harrold, the director, much appreciates the services of these instructors in coming and giving their full time for a week to this work. This form of instruction was given during the past year in every county normal school in the state and will be during the ensuing year. The purpose of this instruction is to train teachers along the lines of vocational education and send them into the rural districts with a little larger vision of the functions of the school and the teacher's position as a leader in her community. Last week school fairs were held at Pine Hill, Germantown, Lyons Platt and Ridge school. All of these were a splendid success and speak highly for the teachers interest and effort in working them up. The Pine Hill school has the record thus far for raising the largest amount of money for beginning a working school library. The following one-room schools will hold fairs during the week: Germany school and Gettysburg school, Ellsworth township, on the evening of November 3rd and 4th respectively. The Canfield schools hold their fair in College Chapel Thursday evening. Last year Canfield had the record of holding just a little the best fair in the county, and they are going to try to do just a little better this year. Friday evening, the 5th, the Calla school, the teacher of which is Miss Irma Smith, will hold their first school fair. Saturday evening the 6th the Shrade's Corners school, teacher Miss Fay Cox, will hold one. On Tuesday evening, the 9th, the Ellsworth Center school, Ellsworth township, and the Grove school, Austintown township, will hold fairs and on Wednesday the 10th, the Millville and New Albany schools of Green township will hold fairs. On Friday evening the 12th Berlin Center will hold its annual school fair. It will be held in the auditorium of the new school building and promises to be one which will bring every person in the county to the new building. The North Lima high school has two very promising literary societies, namely, The Castilians and the Athenians. On Friday evening the 5th, the Castilian Society gave a public program, "The Elopement of Eleanor." It was a decided success and appreciated by all whose good fortune it was to witness it. On Friday evening, the 12th, the Athenians will give a public program. They are straining every nerve to surpass the one given by the Castilians. Miss Naomi Armstrong, teacher at North Benton, held a very successful social program last week the result of which was the raising of \$25.00, the same to be spent in the purchase of something much needed in the school. All schools began the spelling contest with the very keenest of interest. The month of October 4th to the 29th was used as a practice month, in order to get the method of keeping the record clearly in the minds of the teachers and to instill clearly in the minds of the pupils what was wanted in the contest. The contest will last for 6 months, from Nov. 1 to April 21, 1916. A large number of the children did not miss a single word during the first practice month.

WATCH CORNERS

Nov. 3—Jack Bortmas and family have moved to the McCauley place on the Canfield road. Mrs. Wm. Hamman is home from a week's visit with friends in Science Hill. Miss Mary Measmer last week attended a conference in Canton of the Missionary Society of the Lutheran church. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamman of Perkins Corners spent several days last week with Jack Lanterman and family. Miss Mildred Brown of Youngstown spent Friday and Saturday with Miss Amy Kern. Miss Kern and Miss Brown attend South high school at Youngstown. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whittenberger very pleasantly entertained some friends from Youngstown and this place Thursday evening. The affair was a masquerade and a decided success. Games were enjoyed and a fine lunch served. The guests were: Misses Henrietta Mann, Ione Hoover, Minnie Barger, Jessie Brown, Amy Kern and June Hoover, Messrs. Nelson and Ray Kimberly, Paul Smith, Percy Hale, Lloyd Fowler and Arthur Morse. Several from here attended the masquerade Friday evening given by Miss Ida Belle Seely. Grinding Out Literature. "In writing this book I had one eye on the stage and one eye on the morning pictures." "Pity you didn't have another eye to keep on the book. You might have improved it a lot."—Pittsburg Post.

WHAT PEOPLE READ IN THE DISPATCH 25 YEARS AGO

I wandered through the village. Tom. I sat beneath the tree.

Butchering season has arrived. Youngstown wants a new town hall. Masquerade social held in town hall. Greenford grist mill is being repaired. Miss Della Kyle is visiting in Cleveland. Many trees broken down by a heavy fall of snow. Grant Calvin of Green township has malaria fever. E. M. Sonedecker of North Lima is still an invalid. A Zimmer has moved into his new house at Island. R. M. Justice is building a large barn near Concord. Prof. G. H. Twiss of Columbus predicts a hard winter. John Wealand will move from North Lima to Youngstown. Ben Barber, west of Salem, had 25 sheep killed by dogs. Six persons called with the Concord Presbyterian church. P. T. Jones of Canfield elected county infirmity director. J. I. Manchester is teaching the Swamp College school. Mr. McFadden has moved from Youngstown to Canfield. Emma Smedley of West Austintown has typhoid fever. Mrs. Jesse Hahn of Greenford died in Orangeville, aged 66. J. W. Calhoun, Canton liverman, visited in North Jackson. A. E. Barnes has purchased Robt. Bush's property in Green. Not much corn husked on account of continued wet weather. Nutwood is the name of a new post-office in Trumbull county. Democratic vote in Canfield 212, republican 159, prohibition 2. L. S. Calvin of Greenford received a car of apples from Missouri. L. P. Metzger of Greenford is teaching school in Goshen township. Mrs. Hiss and daughter of Iowa are visiting A. S. Porter and family. Potatoes rotting badly and in some fields they are not worth digging. Mrs. Byers of Yale, aged 98, is the oldest resident of Portage county. W. H. Newton of Boardman township called at the Dispatch office. Youngstown clothing store clerks now quit work at 6 in the evening. Nine hours now constitute a day at J. Sanzenbacher & Co.'s tannery. Normal college opened with Prof. J. A. Cummins in charge and a large number of students. Miss Alice Reizenberger is teaching the Germantown school near Island. Reichstadt & Pettit will build a large addition to their Greenford tile works. Lynn Bro's purchased the Gee interest in the drug store building in Canfield. Frank Kelly of Salem and Annie Huffman of North Georgetown united in marriage. Erie train dispatcher in Youngstown has moved his family from Garrettsville to Warren. Warren Hine has gone to Orange N. J. to spend the winter with his nephew, E. W. Hine. After a residence of 33 years in Salem Robt. Turner and wife have removed to Nebraska. Ross Higgins, who is employed by the Canfield Mfg. Co., has moved here from West Farmington. Republicans carry Ohio by majority ranging from 2000 to 8000. A democratic congress elected. Wiesner Bro's have opened a first class clothing store in the Dodson building on Broad street. An English syndicate has purchased nearly all the iron plants in the Mahoning Valley for \$4,000,000. Miss Cora Harwood and Prof. Leflingwell of Warren will give a musical entertainment in college chapel. An elector in North Jackson, refused to vote because he did not know personally all the candidates on the ticket. Attorney C. R. Truesdale of Youngstown delivered an address before the Union Veteran Legion on "The Army House." Thieves secured money, jewelry and clothing to the amount of \$150 at the residence of Gabriel Kline, east of Canfield. Twenty-three applicants for certificates attended the county examination in Canfield. The youngest was 17 and the oldest 55. Strike of miners at Tippecanoe shaft continues. Strike at the Poland shaft is broken and the men are returning to work. The Beachwood Sporting Club held its annual shoot at C. C. Bowman's in Ellsworth township. Tom Weaver carried off the belt. Farmers' institutes organized at North Jackson with G. W. Powers president, J. E. Johnson secretary and Moses Fellnagle treasurer. County fair board managers elected for two years: J. K. Wilson, Geo. Wetzel, F. M. Moore, G. W. Harding, S. D. L. Jackson, J. W. Canfield. Quite a number of North Jackson people in Youngstown as witnesses in the case of Mrs. Dr. Moyer vs. J. R. Woodward, guardian of Mary Fullerton. Mahoning county republicans elected their entire county ticket with the exception of Woodworth for probate judge who was defeated by Judge E. M. Wilson.

ON THINKING GLAD.

Never mind a change of scene— 'Tis change of thinking. What if things seem sordid, mean, What's the use of blinking? Life's not always rosy and cloud, Somewhere stars are shining. Try to think your joys out loud, Since all rejoice. By degrees, by thinking light, Thinking glad and sweetly, You'll escape the stress of night, Worry gone completely. Get the habit looking for Sunshine pirouetting, Tapping gently at your door— Surest cure for fretting. Needn't fool yourself at all, For there's no denying Even above a prison wall Song birds are a-flying, Wherefore hearken to the song. Never mind the prison, And you'll find your soul ere long Unto freedom risen. —Tid-Bits.

ON EVEN TERMS

'Twas all they had to give him, though they deeply mourned his loss, The little wooden marker o'er the grave Beneath the moss. Beside it stood a costly shaft, a granite work of grace. That called the world's attention to the name upon its base. But it reached no nearer Heaven than the little wooden cross.

Little outside sympathy is wasted on a widow and a widower when they marry.

TALKS ON THRIFT

The Farmers' National Bank of Canfield, Ohio Member of the Federal Reserve Bank

HITCHING UP TO MORE THAN YOU CAN PULL

Somewhere in New England there lives a farmer who trains oxen to draw heavy loads. He is an artist at training oxen to draw heavy loads, and the oxen he trains usually take first prize in the pulling contests at the county fairs. He claims to have a secret process, but it is simply a logical plan for developing pulling strength. While young he hitches the oxen to a light sled, which they can draw with ease. The load is increased as they get accustomed to dragging the sled, but until they are two years old he doesn't work, but just exercise the oxen, and they are two years old he works them every day. Once a day he hitches them to heavy stone in the barnyard and lets them drag it a few feet. Heavier stones are used and longer pulls allowed as they become stronger, and the peculiar fact is, he never hitches them to something a banker says they can't drag, and they expect to move whatever he hitches them to. He never overloads. There's a whole lot of common sense in this farmer's ox-training process that apply to human being. Business failures are due in the main to attempting too much; in hitching up to something you can't pull; in acquiring a load of debt that is staggering; in hitching beyond one's means; in overbuying, overtrading, overinvesting. Thirty per cent. of the business failures are due to lack of capital, which, in other words, simply means that a little man has hitched himself to a big proposition. Down on Long Island a builder was particularly successful in building a certain type of house, cheap, but good. He knew to a cent how much it would cost to build, and could sell as fast as he built. He made money. Not satisfied with being a cheap and prosperous builder, he wanted to be in the "four hundred" of the builders, he started a dozen elaborate and costly dwellings. Here he fell down. He was out of his element, beyond his strength. He had hitched himself to a load heavier than he could move and a load he was not accustomed to. It almost ruined him, and he says he has gone back to his first type of house, a sadder but wiser builder. Another business man had a very good year. He made money. Satisfied that he had "struck his gait," he rented an expensive suite of offices, moved into a fashionable neighborhood, and spent his money freely. The depression of 1913 came on and after it the war. He has had two years of constant worry, and has barely saved himself from failure. He, too, hitched himself to more than he could draw, for when you undertake to pull a load, you must not only reckon on the smooth asphalt, but the hills and the mud holes. What these men should have learned—what every man needs to learn, is to properly gauge his strength. Thrift is good management. It is not only a matter of saving money, but spending it wisely, advantageously, looking ahead, being satisfied with modest things until you can afford more expensive ones. You can be as happy in a fifty-dollar flat as in a five-thousand-dollar apartment. Some kinds of debt are desirable, helpful and necessary. Some kinds of debt are nerve-racking and costly. Buy a home on the installment plan, but don't buy an automobile that way. Take out a life insurance policy, but don't buy more than you can comfortably pay for. Dress well, but pay your tailor; live well, but pay your grocer; don't "hang-up" one to pay the other—they need the money as much as you. Earn largely, spend thoughtfully, and save consistently, so that you may have something to spend when your earning power is less than it is today, and your needs it may be, are greater. Develop financial strength as the oxen acquire physical strength gradually. Don't gamble to get rich quick, nor mortgage the future to enjoy the present. To develop the ability to draw heavy loads is a slow, steady process. It takes patience and training. While the lives of some great men remind us that we can make money by taking chances, you can lose it the same way. Tackle big problems, undertake big things, but let there be first the slow, patient training that develops strength and reserve energy. Just as the farmer develops the strength of his oxen by years of patient dragging of stones, the new man, few men can make one dollar do the work of two, and you had better not try. Better get the two first, and only hitch up to be thing you know you can drag, for it may drag you.—Adv.

CANFIELD COUGHERS

An epidemic of colds and coughs seems to be causing much suffering just now. It is astonishing how many of this city's men and women have coughs and colds at present. Numbers are suffering from a gripe-cough. The hard, dry cough and the loose, deep-sprayed cough is a plain, but serious matter. There is a chance of contracting pneumonia by neglecting either of these conditions. Certainly many cases of bronchitis have their beginning in a simple cold. Why not guard against this danger by taking Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup? It checks a cough at once, eases expectoration and cuts a cold short. Also soothes the inflamed, sore bronchial tubes and lungs. Get a bottle today. Don't delay; your cold and cough needs attention. Do Not Buy a Substitute. Get only Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, a pleasant, prompt and positive remedy. Sold by all druggists, 25 cents. Sample sent free to anyone who writes for it direct to A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md. (Adv.)

NOTICE. Carl A. Swanson, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1915, Alice M. Swanson filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Mahoning County, Ohio, praying a divorce from the said Carl A. Swanson, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and adultery, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 4th day of December, 1915. ALICE M. SWANSON. Jas. C. Miller, her Atty. 304

The Strouss-Hirshberg Co.—Dependability

In the New Linen Shop, Commerce St. Annex The Dependable Store's Annual Thanksgiving Sale of Linens

At last we have come to that important time when again we may spread out before the good housewives of Youngstown and the surrounding country the manifold selections and the bounteous economies of our great annual Thanksgiving Sale of Linens. You—lovers of fine linens—you need not be told of the kind of linen year we have just passed through, of the unbroken advance of the linen market, day by day, week by week, until today market quotations are not vouchsafed to us even from one day to another. Never in merchandising history were linens so scarce. But it is the sale that interests you—the Sale and its wonderful spread-out of savings, and to that we shall turn without further introduction.

Extra Special Linens

All through the linen stock there are special prices, but here are extra-special offerings which are sure to be eagerly sought. Welcome to these surpassing savings—the very flower of the Sale:

- Humidor Linen Sets—one of the greatest value features of the sale, the world-famous "Humidor" sets, which are special even at their regular price. Beautiful 70x88 inch pattern table cloths with a dozen matching napkins—a variety of superb designs. Extra special \$5.50 the set. All Linen Damask—72-inch, high grade German silver bleached table damasks, many patterns; regularly \$1.50 a yard, at \$1.19. German Silver Bleached Damasks—no linens from Germany any more, yet here are pure-linen silver bleached damasks, 65 inches wide, at 69c yard. Pure Linen Crash—our regular 15c value, though worth 18c in the market now. All linen bleached crash, red or blue border, at 12c a yard.

Thousands of Towels at Special Prices

- Thousands of the most wanted kinds of towels, offered at exceptional savings from the regular prices. Housekeepers should not neglect to get their orders in at once if possible, since we cannot guarantee these quantities for many days: German Huck Towels—840 all linen German huck towels, hemstitched or plain, with red, blue or all white borders. Wonderful values at 25c each. Finer German Towels—600 all linen German huck towels, hemstitched or plain. Remarkable at 35c each. Linen Guest Towels—embroidered and scalloped towels of the finest kinds, sized 15x24 inches, priced specially at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 each. Superior German Towels—360 all linen German huck towels, hemstitched. Special at 39c each. Finest German Huck Towels—300 all linen German huck towels, hemstitched, offered specially at 59c each. Still finer grades offered specially at from 65c to \$1.00 each. Turkish Bath Towels—white and bordered, special 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 59c each.

Pattern Table Cloths

Lovely Irish and Scotch all linen table cloths, especially interesting to those who'll entertain at Thanksgiving dinner; 2x2 yard Table Cloths, specially priced in this sale at \$3.25 and \$3.50 each. 2x2½ yard Table Cloths, specially priced in this sale at \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 each. 2x3 yard Table Cloths, specially priced at \$4.00, \$4.75, \$6.00 and \$9.00 each.

Hemstitched Cloths

They're the remarkably beautiful Austrian bleached table cloths, all linen and finely hemstitched—cloths of which the market is entirely stripped today, offered in the sale at: \$2.25 quality, 48x63 inch, special \$1.95 \$3.00 quality, 58x78 inch, special \$2.50 \$3.50 quality, 58x90 inch, special \$3.00

Linen Table Damasks

German Silver Bleached—a noteworthy assortment of these rich, all-linen Damasks in the most wanted designs, as follows: 85c quality, 65 inch, for 69c yard. \$1.25 quality, 70 inch, \$1.05 yard. \$1.75 quality, 72 inch, \$1.50 yard. Irish and Scotch Damasks—the famous "Humidor" brand, sold at this store only: \$1.50 quality, 72 inch, \$1.25 yard. \$1.75 quality, 72 inch, \$1.50 yard. \$2.00 quality, 72 inch, \$1.75 yard. \$2.25 quality, 72 inch, \$1.95 yard. \$2.50 quality, 72 inch, \$2.25 yard. \$2.75 quality, 72 inch, \$2.45 yard. \$3.25 quality, 72 inch, \$2.89 yard.

Humidor Linen Sets

Housekeepers always consider these one of the greatest attractions of the Sale—lustrous and beautifully patterned table cloths with napkins to match, all of the famous "Humidor" brand, controlled exclusively by this store in Youngstown.

Choose for Christmas giving from this great new collection at the following special prices: \$6.25, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15 set.

Breakfast Cloths

"Humidor" all linen cloths, heavy and fine, in the natural linen color, made in pretty round designs for scalloping, 70x70 inches in size, regularly \$3.50 each, and present an exceptional fine value at \$3.19.

All Linen Napkins

These are the famous "Humidor" goods from Ireland and Scotland, offered in a large assortment of pretty patterns: \$1.75 quality, 18 inch, \$1.50 dozen. \$2.25 quality, 18 inch, \$2.00 dozen. \$2.50 quality, 20 inch, \$2.25 dozen. \$3.00 quality, 21 inch, \$2.75 dozen. Luncheon Napkins. Exquisite all linen German Damask napkins, already hemstitched, specially priced in the Thanksgiving Sale at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 the dozen. Fine all linen silver bleached Damask Napkins, already hemmed for use, regularly \$2.00 the dozen, offered in the sale at \$1.75.

Twice-a-Week Deliveries by Fast Motor Truck to Canfield—Every Tuesday and Friday. Packages Delivered Right to Your Door.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure No Alum—No Phosphate