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### ISLAND

Sept. 12—John Markley and family and Harvey Freid and family of Wadsworth recently spent several days here with their friends.

H. H. Calvin and sons Paul and Mark attended a temperance lecture in Canfield Sunday afternoon.

Louis Toot and family returned from a week's stay in Walker, Iowa, with his father in Walker.

Miss Ida Weaver called on Mollie Lehman Sunday afternoon.

After spending several weeks here with friends Mrs. Cole and family returned home to Delphos Saturday.

Henry Lehman and family were entertained Sunday at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Culp in Columbiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver visited at Amos Martin's Sunday.

Quite a number of farmers from various places are getting their seed wheat on the island.

H. E. Calvin and family of Clarksville were entertained at D. R. Lehman's Sunday.

Miss Annie Arras and Harry Gross, after spending their vacation here and at Locust Grove, returned home to Pittsburgh Saturday.

Wm. Compton and family visited at M. S. Brubaker's Sunday.

Harry Showalter, Edwin Weaver, David Lehman, Pharras Witmer, Harry Culp, Francy Culp, Ollie Blosser and Jerry Slagle took the draft medical examination in Youngstown last week.

Misses Mildred, Lena and Freda Bewker called on Edith and Anna Wenger, Sunday.

Walter and Verda Detrow recently spent several days with friends in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Wisler, Alvin Detrow and family, Mrs. Fannie Lehman and Pharras Witmer and his sister Emma were entertained Sunday by Jonas Knopp and family.

Fred Brudery is very ill with typhoid fever.

### GREENFORD

Sept. 12—Mrs. Lizzie Rhodes is spending several weeks with friends in Pittsburgh.

Dr. and Mrs. Schwartz of Salem were Greenford callers last Friday.

Carl Coehel has a new Mitchell car. Raymond and his returned Friday.

Miss Grimm of Washingtonville was a Greenford caller Friday.

John Hively has beautified his home with a fresh coat of paint.

Moses Clay of Youngstown was a guest of his brother Charles Sunday and George Ryder of the same place was a guest of George Grindle. The latter were neighbors in England.

Mrs. A. H. Leimbach of Vermilion returned home last Friday after a week's visit with her son, Dr. P. H. Leimbach, and family.

Henry Saltzger, a respected former citizen of Greenford, died Sunday evening in Youngstown soon after he and his wife and son Lawrence and wife arrived home from a motor trip to this place, having called on Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reichstadt and family.

Funeral services will be held in the Lutheran church Thursday afternoon with burial in Lutheran cemetery.

DeVane Weikart was hired by the trustees as nurse for a section blind on the Erie Ry. who is ill with pneumonia.

Misses Millie Schroy and Mrs. J. U. Walter were guests of Mrs. A. W. Bush last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Huffman and Mr. and Mrs. Durr Huffman of Youngstown were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Somerville of Alliance and Mr. and Mrs. Ross McDowd of Beloit were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hively.

Mrs. Joseph Kindig and L. E. Coy were in Salem Monday.

Nearly everyone shivers these cold nights.

School will open next Monday with five teachers—Prof. W. H. Hoover as principal, Miss Erma Smith of Calla, Miss Lehman and Mrs. Ralph Lynn of Canfield and one other whose name has not been learned.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Youngstown were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. George Grover.

### TURNER STREET

Sept. 12—Mrs. Lee Hoasic and son William, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gloss and Mr. McDonald of Youngstown spent Sunday with J. W. Ockerman and family.

Amos Russell took J. H. Reed and family in his auto to Rockhill park, Alliance to attend the Davis-Lexer reunion last Saturday.

H. E. Brobst was at Ray Fussell's Sunday.

Mrs. F. R. Ewing and Jeannette Blucher attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. John Pettycrow, in Youngstown last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Misner of Canfield visited the family of F. R. Ewing Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George O'Connor of Youngstown spent Sunday with A. C. Carson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pfau and daughters Olive and Mildred and Mr. Huffman of Pleasant Grove were at Adam and Elmer Brobst's Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Freed and son Emerson of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., came Saturday to spend a week at A. C. Carson's and John Brown's.

Mrs. T. J. Brick was in Youngstown over Sunday.

Nora Kennedy is attending school in Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Brick were in Youngstown Monday.

Waldo Ewing was in Youngstown last Friday.

Misses Josephine and Mary Eita White of Pittsburgh visited their aunt, Mrs. F. R. Ewing, from Wednesday evening till Sunday afternoon.

Our school opened Monday with Miss Florence Callahan as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson and son Charles were in Youngstown Saturday.

Adam Brobst is again able to do some work, having nearly recovered from his recent accident.

### MAPLE GROVE

Sept. 12—Mrs. Amelia Mellinger of Salem visited her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Burkholder, Wednesday.

School opened Monday with an enrollment of 27. Miss Elsie Lynn is the teacher.

Miss Hannah Fitzpatrick is spending a week with Lectoria friends at Knauf and Paulin are here doing threshing.

Wessie Davis of Youngstown spent several days with her brother, C. R. Davis.

C. M. Toot unloaded a car of fertilizer at the Erie station for farmers of this locality.

Hubert Musselman, who spent his vacation with his uncle, Ira Badley, of this place has returned home to Canfield to take up school work.

The Grove orchestra accompanied by E. I. Roller and family and Mabel and Roy Cook motored to Salem Saturday evening to the home of Hubert Bradley, formerly of this place, where they furnished music and spent a very pleasant evening. The hostess served a dainty lunch which was appreciated by all present.

N. L. Bixler and wife and S. M. Burkholder and wife ate their Sunday dinner with Amelia Mellinger in Salem.

U. D. Calvin and wife, accompanied by Alice Hendricks, called at Wm. Noid's Sunday.

Wade Detwiler of Sterling, Ill., visited E. M. Detwiler.

Miss Mabel Crumbracher, Thelma Culp and Gladys Sauerwein.

Daniel Fisher is preparing to hold a public sale.

Men called to Youngstown from this place for examination Friday were Walter Johnson, Harmon Leisher, John Detwiler and Penrose Schaffer.

Mrs. Mary Hoffman is spending a week with her son Thomas of Elkton, C. R. Davis called on Allen Culp Sunday.

D. Fisher visited Lester Cook Sunday.

Wade Detwiler of Sterling, Ill., visited E. M. Detwiler.

### MINERAL RIDGE

Sept. 12—Miss Esther Enbeig and William Morris were married Sept. 4 in the home of the bride's parents at Scottsdale, Pa. Rev. C. T. Warnock performed the ceremony.

Misses Florence Miller and Rose Kirkbride returned home Friday afternoon after spending six weeks at Winona Lake, Ind.

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Addison Johnson, a daughter.

Mrs. Edwin Todd is spending the week in Pittsburgh.

Donald Taylor and Raymond Donegan left Friday with boys from Niles for the training camp at Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Todd of Leavittsburg announce the birth of a son on Thursday. Mrs. Todd was formerly Miss Hazel White of this place.

Rev. Wm. W. Cook is attending the Methodist conference in Warren this week.

Miss Sophia Davis spent Friday in Youngstown, the guest of Mrs. W. E. Slagle.

The I. O. O. F. lodge held a homecoming meeting in their lodge room Saturday evening. A very enjoyable time was had. Music, speeches and refreshments added to the pleasure of renewing old time acquaintances. About 100 were present.

Nearly every family in the village was represented at the Canfield fair last week.

Edward Blunt, a former resident of the village, is critically ill.

The condition of Mrs. Winifred Jones, who has been ill for some time, shows slight improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones and Miss Mary Bradley of Warren spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller.

Mrs. Margaret Pugh and daughter Jane left Sunday for Elwood City, Pa., where they will reside.

Mrs. Kiper of Boardman is spending two weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Maurer announce the birth of a daughter.

### THE ARMY Y. M. C. A. WITH THE COLORS.

Fort Benjamin Harrison  
Our Motto: "The Victory is Ours."  
The work of the Army Y. M. C. A. at Fort Benj. Harrison is carried on in three regulation type buildings and the work of one typical of that carried on in the other two. The medical men are especially interested in the Ohio or No. 2 building since that one is most conveniently situated for their use. This building is in the middle of a small grove of trees and the shade is inviting. Each building is about 140 feet long by 40 wide with a small annex used by the secretaries for their living quarters. In the front there is a large platform; extending along the sides are two rows of tables for the use of the men who want to write and it seems that everyone wants to write at once here. There is a large room at rear with tables for writing and a number of tables have been placed on the outside of the building with electric lights over them.

Some idea of the usefulness of the building to the men may be had from a few facts gathered from one of the secretaries. The average number of letters written daily is estimated at 2500. The average number of men visiting the building daily is about 3500. The highest number in one day was 4500. Recently when an unusual amount of mail was sent from the building sixty-five bags were counted. There is a large amount of money order business here. One secretary wrote sixty orders before leaving his seat. The daily amount sometimes reaches the sum of \$2900.00. These are a few facts that they serve to show that the Army Y. M. C. A. meets the needs of the men and meets them just at the time when he most needs it.

There is kept on hand at the desk a stock of paper and envelopes, pens, ink, stamps, paste, wrapping paper, twine and string and a number of other things that a busy man does not carry but needs occasionally. Then there is kept a supply of athletic equipment such as balls, bats, bases, masks and gloves, quoit, volleyball, basket balls, medicine balls, etc. Chess and checkers kept for use of the men.

There are five secretaries in each of the buildings. Each one is provided with his own little room where he receives people, answers mail, and where he can snatch a few hours sleep. The Army Y. M. C. A. is distinct from the regular organization, and is built upon military lines; the secretary is on the job at all hours, sleeping in the Y headquarters, wearing the uniform of the army, gray instead of khaki, and observing military precision in all that he does in carrying on this great drive for clean and true manhood.

There is not an evening that does not have its special attraction for the men at the Fort. The programs and attractions are varied in order to make an appeal to all the men of the army. Four evenings each week moving pictures are shown. Two evenings are given over to entertainment of some kind either by the men themselves or by some high class platform attraction. Another evening is used by the men for wrestling, boxing, tumbling and different kinds of athletic events. Sunday is given over to religious meetings quite largely. In the morning an address is given by some leading minister or layman. In the afternoon a Bible class is held, while in the evening a song service followed by moving pictures is held. The men are urged to retain honor and church ties and make Sunday a day that is different from the others.

The Army Y. M. C. A. touches every side of an army man's life and gives him the thing he needs when he most needs it. Nothing is so readily overlooked to minister to the needs of the army man.

M. D. HOOPER,  
Bat. "B" 1st O. F. A.

### "PATRIOTISM IS NOT ENOUGH."

Among the many thoughtful sayings attributed to Miss Cavell, that glorious martyr whom the Germans ruthlessly put to death, this stands, perhaps, supreme:  
"Patriotism is not enough."

In those heroic words are to be found one, at least, of the deepest lessons of this war. Upon the surface of the catastrophe it is the nationalistic problems which are most apparent. The dominant emotion in the hearts of the masses engaged in the struggle is love of country. Millions of men and women are standing, fighting and dying in obedience to an exclusively patriotic instinct. They love their native lands, whose existences or liberties are endangered, or whether there is some affection they rush to their defense. This is beautiful, it is sublime, but "it is not enough," the martyr says.

What is there else, or more? Is there any other feeling deeper than love of country, more universal, more binding? Do we owe some obligation superior to that of our native or adopted land?

We do, if she is right—an obligation to the human race. Never before has it been so clear that patriotism becomes the greatest peril in the world. Let men love their countries not wisely, but too well, and a universal struggle for pre-eminence must become inevitable. In order to avoid this universal warfare one course alone is open. We must recognize that the interests of all nations are superior to those of any one. We must learn to love the whole world better than any single fraction of it. We must put humanity above nationality.

The gifted and heroic woman clearly saw that the fundamental problems of this war transcended those of boundary lines and political theories. They concern the elemental relationships of the race! The questions at issue are whether it is possible for a billion and half of human beings to dwell together in unity; whether war can be eliminated from human life; whether competition, rivalry, envy and race antagonisms are necessary, or whether there is some possible form of world co-operation by means of which a universal peace and prosperity may be attained.

These are larger questions than those of English or German or Russian or French supremacy. It requires a keener vision, a broader view, a vaster comprehension to solve them. The soldier who goes to France to fight for the honor of America, and for that alone; the statesman who legislates for the prosperity of the United States, and for that alone; the politician, playing a partisan, parochial, picky part in this titanic struggle. It is a world struggle. Universal issues are at stake, and the single, limited feeling of patriotism is not big enough or wise enough to guarantee solution.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE SOLDIER'S SOUL AND BODY  
We should like to be in the neighborhood if any modern psychologist should succeed in getting the ghost of Ghengis Kahn or Tamerlane, or Caesar or Napoleon to visit one of the training camps of our American army.

It would not be their amazement at the new and incomprehensible weapons and maneuvers which would interest us most, but sheer astonishment at the care bestowed upon the souls and bodies of the soldiers. Even Oliver Cromwell, careful as he was about the spiritual state of his Ironsides, would stand aghast at the attention lavished upon the moral welfare of these hundreds of thousands of American youth. Imagine Alexander the Great spending an evening in a Young Men's Christian Association tent; O tempora, O mores!

It is attention to the welfare of the soldiers' higher faculties that, more than any or all other features together, marks the progress of the human race, as witness the war. Never before in the history of the world has such a sense of responsibility for the morals of its soldiers been acknowledged by any nation. Even the efforts put forth by the Government of the United States to prevent military demoralization are dwarfed by comparison. A new spirit is in the world, a new soul in the nation.

There sounds a new note in the great symphony of civilization. War is horrible. The cruelty of the ancient world upon the field of battle finds today a hideous parallel. The science of war is the knowledge of how to kill, and killing must be always hideous. The difference between the various epochs cannot be traced, therefore, upon the field of battle; but it can be traced in camps, and the camps of the American army are as different from those of Assyria, Persia, Greece, Rome, a medieval or even modern Europe, as light is from darkness. Our soldiers, first of all, are men to us, and in order that they may be good soldiers we think they must be good men, which is a revolutionary conviction and an ideal full of promise for the human race.

PEN FOR COAL PROFITERS  
Washington, Sept. 10.—Senator Pomerene expressed the belief today that the coal profiteers are seeking to stir up strife and disappointment by circulating the report in Ohio that priority order No. 1, issued by Judge Roberts Lovett, of the Council of National Defense, would have the effect to cut off the coal supply of Ohio industrial plants and public utilities and force them to suspend.

"There never was any tangible basis for this report," said Senator Pomerene. "We did not know the effect of the order until it was issued. It is a far and wide, until there is now a most panic in certain sections of Ohio, based on a fear that all industrial activities will have to suspend. Of course, no plant will have to suspend for want of coal and it was never intended that the order should have the effect to stop or even to cripple industrial establishments anywhere. It is very evident, to my mind, that these rumors are being circulated for a purpose, and I believe that if a few coal profiteers were sent to the penitentiary it would have a wholesome effect on the situation."

Napoleon said that armies were war on their stomachs, but the trouble is that very few wars are fought there.

### NORTH LIMA

Sept. 12—The Sunday school of Mt. Olivet Reformed church will have a picnic in the Stafford grove, near the church grounds, Saturday, Sept. 15. The other schools of the village and community have been invited to join in this picnic. Games, contests and similar amusements are being arranged for.

The local Red Cross Auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John Ryan for work.

The North Lima schools will open Monday, Sept. 17.

Mrs. Isaac Yoder entertained the Women's Missionary Society of Mt. Olivet church Wednesday afternoon.

Floyd Hahn will study music at Dana's Musical Institute in Warren.

J. E. Glenn and family visited relatives in Girard Sunday.

### ELLSWORTH

Sept. 12—School opened Monday with a good attendance.

Rev. Case is entertaining his mother from California for a few days.

Mr. Crook and J. C. Bunts were in Warren Monday.

Warren Ripley is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shafer and daughter Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Max called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shafer in North Jackson Sunday evening.

The Boy Scouts and Scoutmaster, Rev. C. Case, have returned home after spending ten days in camp along the Ohio river. The boys report a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Davidson spent Monday in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jack called here Sunday afternoon.

### NEW BUFFALO

Sept. 12—Silas Elser and family of New Springfield and Raymond Gutcrba and wife of Columbiana visited at John Elser's Sunday.

Charles West and son Walter and Edward of Chicago left Tuesday morning for home after having spent a week with Ed. Mott and visited relatives in Columbiana and Pittsburgh.

Clarence Miskel and family spent Sunday at Lewis Greasel's.

William Johnson and family of Youngstown visited at Elmer Rothger's Sunday.

Laston Frederick and Albert Mott are at home for a week before going to Uncle Sam's training camp.

C. L. Beard and family visited at Freeman Beard's in Struthers, Sunday.

Jonas Kohler and family were in North Lima Sunday.

Mrs. Clark Baer, Mrs. John Morris, Mrs. William Gels and Mrs. Cecilia Swank were in Canfield Monday.

Mrs. Emma Beard and Laston Frederick called at M. L. Beard's in East Leavittsburg Monday.

Elmer Biddle and family entertained friends from Youngstown Sunday.

Oliver Mott and Nila Beard started Monday to school at the Normal college in Canfield.

### APPLE AVENUE

Sept. 12—Misses Myrl Haller of Youngstown and Edith Ruppert of East Palestine visited at F. R. Paulin's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blott spent Sunday with Prospect Hill friends.

M. C. Davis and family attended the Davis reunion in Washingtonville Saturday.

Oliver Blosser of East Leavittsburg spent last Wednesday night at E. J. Justice's.

Daniel Kohler of Youngstown called at F. R. Paulin's Sunday.

Carl Blott of Pennsylvania visited his brother Roy Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Justice and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Justice were recent guests at L. S. Campbell's.

George Long and daughter Jessie of Salem visited relatives on the Avenue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Williams and daughter Alleen, Mrs. Rachel Sethman and Mrs. Rebecca Manchester and daughter Hazel spent Sunday at Mrs. Margaret Hunt's in Dublin.

Roy Blott and wife were in Youngstown Monday.

Archie Holland was a visitor in Youngstown Saturday.

### MILLVILLE

Sept. 12—Mrs. Wm. Reese and daughter Roberta of Salem were guests of friends in the village Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roller of Wheeling were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roller the past week.

Misses Swendolin and Mary Davis of Washingtonville spent Thursday with their sister, Mrs. Morris Reese.

The Dixon family reunion was held Sept. 3 at the home of R. C. Dixon.

Mrs. Ed. Sheperd was a week-end visitor of friends in Tiegarden.

Mrs. David Fogg and Miss Mildred Jones of Salem were callers here Friday.

Lester Crutchley, Homer Reese and Peter Wells are attending the Salem school this year commencing Sept. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reese and children attended the Ashman family reunion in Massillon last Sunday.

Mrs. Isabel Roberts, who spent some time here, has returned home to Youngstown.

Sunday Mrs. Wm. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jesch and daughter Doris and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Reese motored to Salem to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reese.

Archie Holland was a visitor in Youngstown Saturday.

### BERLIN CENTER

Sept. 12—John Flickinger of Salem spent Sunday with Jared Armstrong.

Our school opened Monday with a large attendance and prospects for a successful year.

Mart Hoover of Ravenna is here moving barn for Mrs. Elizabeth Tubbs and doing other work for her.

John Stahl and family of Salem spent Sunday at W. S. Hoover's.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shilling left Monday for California, making the trip by automobile, expecting to take two months to reach Whittier.

Mrs. J. L. Wildford, Mrs. Elizabeth Tubbs and Ell Baker and family were guests last Sunday of Harry Kale and family in Blanco.

J. J. Kniesly and wife of Ravenna visited here Sunday.

### HICKORY

Sept. 12—Miss Helen Doult of Youngstown visited her parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Kenrich of Salem and Carl Blott of Emoh, Pa., visited at Elmer Kenrich's Friday.

Orville Esterly of Toot's Corners spent Saturday and Sunday here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McDonald spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Maze Cattel of Garfield.

Dallas Bowman was in Salem Saturday.

Chat Saxon moved back to Salem Saturday after spending the summer at his farm.

Mrs. Frank Watts and children spent Saturday with Mrs. Chas. Carr in Salem.

### SMITH'S CORNERS

Sept. 12—Mrs. Guy Stout and daughter June of Pittsburgh are spending a few days with Mrs. L. E. Snyder.

Mr. Austin Hood and daughter Ethel of Youngstown spent Sunday at Wm. Row's.

Clifford Hughes and family spent Sunday at Martin Shears's.

Mrs. L. E. Snyder and daughter Madeleine spent Sunday afternoon in Youngstown.

Mrs. Corney and son Earl and Mrs. William Norton of Youngstown called at Wm. Rowe's Monday evening.

Wm. Aldridge was on the street this morning.

Preaching Sunday evening, Sept. 23, by Rev. Paul Jones in the old Evangelical church. Everybody invited.

### DAMASCUS

Sept. 13—School opened Monday morning with an enrollment of over 70 in the high school and 60 in the grades.

Rev. S. P. Lloyd left for conference in Warren Tuesday morning. We expect him to be returned to the M. E. Church.

The Boy Scouts met Friday evening and gave Mr. and Mrs. Gordon DeWitt an old-fashioned belling. After enduring their noise an hour or more, Mr. DeWitt treated and they left him in peace.

Clyde Stanley will go to the Chillicothe camp about Sept. 19. Several other boys have been certified and will join Mr. Stanley a little later.

Guernsey Gilbert and family and Clyde Petit and family motored to the Milton dam Sunday afternoon.

Farmers of this community are sowing wheat.

The Wilbur Friends are returning from their yearly