



Oh, Love will always make a hit,
For, though it drives you daffy,
You'll find it very sweet, for it
Is principally taffy. —Lake.

HOW DR. BROWNING GOT HIS FISH

The Ledger:

All around the world and back to Mt. Carmel for my initial reminiscence. It is recalled by a recent long and pleasing talk with an old friend from there, and dates back subsequent to the coming of Columbus in 1492, but ante-dates my first centennial.

Time was when the devil was thought to live in a fiddle, and the boy who went fishing on Sunday necessarily and rightfully got drowned. The devil may be in it today—he's in so many places. And many boys may have been drowned when fishing on Sunday; but I wasn't.

'Twas in this long ago that Adam and Jacob Lanus contracted to build that time-honored old brick Methodist Church yet standing at Mt. Carmel. They were father and son, and twins in all that was cranky in religious fanaticism. They were boarders at my father's during the building, and their going and coming gave me cramps and colic, which paragonic, nint and shd. failed to relieve.

On my home-place was an old-time pond, a moving picture to the initiate, for 'twas full to the brim of bewitching fish, free to a chosen few on week days, to the Sabbath breaker never! All the same they were all at church on Sunday. The devil, escaping his fiddle, seized me and filled my basket with choice finns.

'Twas my promise to switch off the flies whilst sure enough people ate things. Coming to table, all else was side-tracked, and my coveted fish went unquestioned—the way of all fish. The last available one was just within the clutch of the daddy of the two when, in utter desperation I exclaimed:

"Uncle Adam, do you think it right and safe to eat fish caught on Sunday?"

"What dost thou mean, sonny?"

"I caught 'em yesterday mornin' when you was all at the meetin'!"

"The devil will get thee, my boy!"

"It may be; but I got my fish!"

A. G. BROWNING.

WASHINGTON THEATER

TONIGHT

ANNETTE KELLERMAN IN

THE NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER

This picture is in seven parts and one of the best pictures ever produced. It has played two weeks in Cincinnati.

MATINEE AND NIGHT.....25c

THE WEATHER PROBLEM IS ALWAYS WITH US.

The goose bone prophets are already at work, and are predicting a cold winter and lots of snow; they say the weeds have been growing extra high this season, a sure sign of a cold winter. That the tips of the leaves of the hickory nut trees are still pointing upward another sure sign. The twigs on the chestnut are unusually loaded with buds. Providence preparing food for the squirrels, they say.

BLOOMER GIRLS AT RIPLEY.

Textor's Lady Tourist Baseball Club will be the attraction at the East End Park next Sunday afternoon. It is said to be the best female baseball club in the world and will no doubt draw an immense crowd.—Ripley Bee.

Editor J. E. Cross of the West Union Record, has moved to Portsmouth, Ohio, where he will take charge of the new Republican paper there. Mr. Cross is a good newspaper man.

It is reported that some schools in Fleming county have closed on account of diphtheria.

Old papers 5 cents a hundred at The Ledger office.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 10th day of December, A. D. 1898.

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WHAT IT ALL COST

The Drys Expended \$1,644.80 To Place Maysville and Mason County In The Local Option Column.

Statement of account of the Mason County Local Option Election Committee, setting forth the amount of money collected and how paid out:

RECEIPTS

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| People of City of Maysville... | \$34.15 |
| People of Dover Precinct..... | 56.82 |
| People of Minerva Precinct.... | 50.00 |
| People of Germantown Precinct.. | 92.25 |
| People of Fernleaf Precinct.... | 32.50 |
| People of Washington Precinct.. | 50.00 |
| People of Murphysville Precinct. | 35.55 |
| People of Sardis Precinct..... | 42.92 |
| People of Mayslick Precinct.... | 350.50 |
| People of Helena Precinct..... | 46.11 |
| People of Lewisburg Precinct.... | 102.58 |
| People of Orangeburg Precinct.. | 41.75 |
| People of Plumville Precinct.... | 29.00 |
| People of Dietrich Precinct.... | 38.25 |
| People of Hill Top Precinct.... | 22.00 |
| People of Plughtown Precinct.... | 31.05 |
| People of Abordcen, Ohio..... | 10.15 |
| Mail from Vanceburg, Ky..... | .11 |

TOTAL.....\$1,544.80

PAID OUT

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| Telephone Account..... | 11.55 |
| Automobile Account..... | 89.35 |
| Rent of Courthouse..... | 40.50 |
| Speakers..... | 307.78 |
| Literature..... | 95.76 |
| Postage, etc..... | 24.59 |
| Court Costs..... | 62.90 |
| Music (two bands)..... | 62.50 |
| Office work for Miss Wilson..... | 112.50 |
| Bulletin..... | 300.00 |
| Independent..... | 260.00 |
| Public Ledger..... | 178.46 |

BALANCE.....\$ 99.81

(Correct) MARY L. WILSON,

Secretary and Treasurer.

There will be some few small bills turn up and our attorney to be paid. The above balance will go to help pay same and any contributions hereafter can be paid to Miss Wilson, our Treasurer, and will be used to pay balance to our attorney.

Respectfully submitted,
W. W. BALL, Chairman.

BLUE LICK BOTTLING PLANT TO BE ERECTED.

A contract has been let the Wee Shunkland by the Moorefield Oil & Gas Company to erect a bottling plant at Parks' Ferry for the purpose of placing on the market the Blue Lick water that was recently struck there.

Reduction of the proposed tax of 22 thousand on bank capital and surplus is contemplated by Democrats of the Senate Finance Committee, who are deliberating on the War Revenue Bill.

It is said that a hat as wide as five feet has been imported from Paris. Such a hat would, of course, be impossible to wear.



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MRS. FREED BLOOM COMMITS SUICIDE.

Mrs. Freed Bloom committed suicide at her home east of Russellville, Friday afternoon by taking a dose of carbolic acid. She was found dead by her little seven year old daughter. No cause is given for the rash act. She was about 35 years old, and was a sister of Coleman Grimes of Decatur.

WEEKLY SPORT LETTER.

(By C. H. ZUBER.)

Nothing much short of a miracle can prevent the Boston team from winning the championship in the National League. With only about one dozen games still to play, and with a lead of more than six games on the New Yorks, the Beane would simply have to explode to lose first place. There is no doubt that the victory of Stalling's men will be the most popular the National League has known in years. Nearly everybody—except the fellow that gets licked—loves a fighter; and the Bostoners certainly have done some scrapping. Sentenced to a lowly position because of a bad get-away, the Beane worked themselves from last place to the head of the procession within less than three months. If they had started the season as they ended it, they would have been so far ahead of the other teams by the Fourth of July that the race would have been a dead one. As it was, their wonderful spurt kept up interest in the fight for the flag right down to the finish. How they will stack up against the Athletics, winners of the American League Championship, remains to be seen. It's a safe bet, however, that they'll give Connie Mack's bunch more of a battle than J. D. the Giants last year.

Manager Herzog and his gang of Reds will be home on Sunday for their final appearances of the season, with the Pittsburghs as their opponents. While the Reds have not done much in the way of earning bouquets of late, they have given Manager Herzog an excellent line on the real weakness of the team for next season, and these promise to be well patched up before the aggregation takes to the field in the spring. Quite a number of players have been experimented with on the present eastern trip. Some will stick, others will be decorated with the Order of the Can. The pitcher problem is the hardest one which Manager Herzog has to solve, and judging by the reports of the scouts, that end of the team will be niftier in 1915 than for many years previous.

It is quite likely that those fans who attend next Sunday's game between the Reds and the Pirates will mark the last appearance on the local lot of Hans Wagner as an active player. The great German with a record as good as any ever made by a base ball player, feels that his days as a regular are over; and as he has amassed a fortune in base ball and through investments, he is entitled to honorable retirement. Wagner has been in the big league nearly twenty years, and has always been regarded as a star. It is certain that he will be missed all over the circuit, and that there is no successor in sight in the matter of ability, versatility and popularity.

For the first time in the history of local automobile shows, motoring and aviation will be featured jointly in the Cincinnati Fall Automobile Exposition, to be given at Music Hall, October 3 to 10. The aviation features will consist of daily flights, including loop the loop stunts over the downtown skyscrapers, by Art Smith, America's youngest and most daring birdboy, exhibitions of aeroplanes at Music Hall, and lectures on aviation by Harry N. Atwood, the noted American flyer.

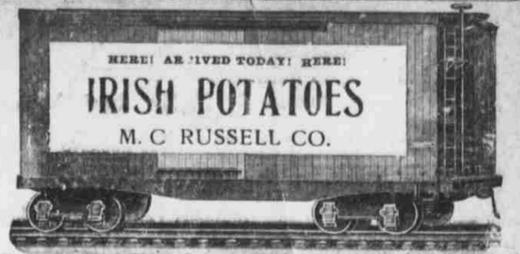
The war does not seem to be affecting the racing game in Kentucky. The meeting at Lexington, which closed recently, was the most prosperous track ever enjoyed, measuring the prosperity by the amount of money played in the mutuel machines, Douglass Park, where the ponies are cavorting at present, sends in like reports, and Latonia, which opens next month, is expected to give equally gratifying returns.

TOBACCO GROWERS WAIT.

Taking consolation in the quotation, "sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof," tobacco growers and dealers are patiently awaiting the time to come when the now growing crop will be matured and ready for market and hoping that the war in Europe will soon come to an end or if this is not to be by the time the tobacco is ready for sale, that conditions will have so far righted themselves as to make sales possible for the foreign demand. There is no interest being shown in the small stock on hand from the last crop and the market is dead in that line. But the dealers predict an active selling season and are making their plans steadily to that end.

The crop now in the field is turning out the best in quality grown in many years. Some of the planting was so late that it is still growing and there is danger of it being nipped by frost. But most of it is well matured, and the cutting is now becoming general. The tobacco is unusually large, showing a great breadth of leaf. The cool nights and heavy dews of the past few weeks have caused it to thicken until it is almost like leather. Worms have not bothered it appreciably and the only thing that threatens it at all is the frost. The average is estimated about fifty per cent, and the quality close to one hundred.—Hopkinsville New Era.

The Rivers and Harbors Bill, in the form of a Senate substitute, carrying \$20,000,000 for continuing present projects in the discretion of the War Department, was passed by the House.



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TO TRY AGAIN FOR NEW BUILDING.
(Ripley Bee.)

Ripley School Board met last Friday night and decided that at the next regular meeting (October 27) they would pass a resolution calling for an election to be held Thursday, October 22, to determine the sense of the voters on a proposition to issue \$30,000 of bonds for the erection of a new school building in Ripley.

Democrats of New Jersey, in State convention, gave a warm indorsement to the Wilson Administration.

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