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Vote Yes! at the water-works election to-day.

Tom Beam, now of Salina, Kas., is visiting friends here.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Haynes, on last Wednesday, a girl.

Mrs. L. H. Dill has returned home after having spent the winter at New York City.

Misses Irene and Maggie Detwiler left last week for a visit with relatives at Washington City.

The proposition to erect a town hall at New Vienna carried last Monday by a vote of 121 to 75.

Heineman will be at H. J. Ervin & Co.'s stable to buy a number of good horses on Tuesday, April 25th.

A part of the tin roof of the Main street public school building was blown off during the high wind of last Friday.

Emma Cox & Sister will have their spring and summer opening Thursday and Friday, April the 20th and 21st. All are invited.

The Chillicothe Presbytery met at Greenfield Tuesday and is still in session. Dr. McSurely, Rev. G. B. Beecher and others from here are in attendance.

George Jenkins, a colored boy was sent to the reform farm Monday by Squire Maddox, who thought the influences there were better than the street life the boy has been leading.

Messrs. J. R. Steen & Son have leased the Wilmington Fair Grounds and removed their horses there last week. The cutting up of the Hillsboro grounds into town lots made the removal necessary.

J. H. Depoy and R. S. Weaver, two of the four candidates for the post-mastership at Leesburg, held an election to decide the matter last week and Depoy won by a vote of 64 to 19. W. T. Cowan and Robert Leaverton refused to go into the election and will take their chances of being appointed without such a popular endorsement.

Chillicothe is the second largest shipping point in the United States for onion sets, Philadelphia being the only city which leads her, and that by a small fraction. The business is claimed by the Leader to bring \$200,000 into Chillicothe annually, and is growing more extensive each year. From 150 to 250 bushels per acre are raised in that vicinity, and they have brought between \$3 and \$4 for the last four years.

Hon. D. Q. Morrow, a widely known attorney of Hillsboro, and Hon. H. D. Davis, Mayor of that village, were in the city yesterday on business connected with the United States Courts. Mr. Morrow, who is mentioned as a candidate for Senator from the Sixth District, is Past Judge Advocate General of the Sons of Veterans and has been prominent as a working Republican for years. Mayor Davis is authority for the statement that Mr. Irvin McDowell Smith, whose father, the late Hon. John A. Smith, represented his district in Congress many years ago, will be a candidate for Representative from Highland county.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Every one in Hillsboro is familiar with the fact that for more than thirty years Postmaster Carson has been suffering from a terrible wound received in the second battle of Bull Run. Despite the fact that his case was at first pronounced hopeless by his physicians he has lived and carried on his work, keeping up untrudgingly and with a little relaxation as a sound man would demand. His case is a noted one in the medical history of the war, and only his wonderful energy has kept him from succumbing under his terrible suffering. Of late months the wound, which has never been permitted to heal, has been troubling him much more than ever, and a few weeks ago he went to Cincinnati to consult physicians and see if some relief could not be obtained. Dr. Dandridge, Dr. Wm. Carson and other prominent physicians, upon examination of the wound, decided upon an operation. The ordeal was undergone last Thursday morning at Christ Hospital in Cincinnati, Dr. Dandridge, Dr. Carson and others assisting in the operation. The result was most favorable, and the physicians give the most positive assurances that the patient will completely recover. In the course of the operation the source of the trouble which has continued so long was found in the shape of a piece of metal imbedded in the hip bone. Whether it was a bullet or piece of the flask which was penetrated when he received the wound, could not be determined. His friends are rejoiced at Capt. Carson's prospects of health after thirty years of suffering.

## THREE MORE.

Water-Works Arguments, Alias Fires, in Quick Succession.

Vote Yes! at the Special Election To-Day.

The water-works election could not have been set for a more opportune time than to-day if there were any doubts about the majority voting yes. The unprecedented dusty, windy days last week started everyone to hoping for water-works as a relief, and Sunday, Monday and Tuesday a succession of fire alarms turned attention in that direction again.

The only fire of consequence occurred Monday night when the stables on the premises of W. G. Richards and F. H. Read were burned. The alarm was turned in about 11:45 p. m., when the stables were already on a blaze and beyond saving. The fire department was very slow in throwing water, and for a while Mr. Richards' residence and other houses near by looked to be in great danger. The rain of Monday probably saved them. Read's stable was empty, but two driving horses, a calf and a large amount of hay and feed were lost by Mr. Richards. The fire was so well started before noticed that it was impossible to release the horses. There was an insurance of about \$150 on the Richards stable. Some one is supposed to have been sleeping there and accidentally started the fire.

The fire department was called out Sunday evening by a fire at the residence of Phillip Weyrich on North street. A few buckets of water thrown on before the engine arrived ended the blaze. A defective fuse caused the trouble.

An alarm was turned in Tuesday morning at about 8 o'clock calling the department to the residence of J. H. Horst, at the corner of Walnut and Johnson street, where there was a blaze caused by a defective fuse. Little damage was done and the fire was out before water was thrown.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ohas. J. West, on Friday last, a boy.

Miss Etta Hoyt returned Monday evening from a two weeks visit with Miss Luella Chase at Covington, Ky.

The costs in the Britton case will amount to \$9,000, over \$6,000 having accumulated since Britton was taken to Chillicothe.

Messrs. Harry Kennedy, of Chicago, and Will Kennedy, of Washington City, who were the guests of Mr. Eddy Richards, have returned to their homes.

The Nace property was sold by the Sheriff last Saturday under a decree of partition, to John H. Nace, bringing \$140, just \$4 less than the appraisement.

The tin shop men at C. S. Bell & Co.'s works are out on a strike because they don't want to work piece work, claiming that at the proposed prices they could make better wages working by the day.

Jamie-McSurely, who has been spending his spring vacation from Miami University with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. McSurely, will not re-enter school until next fall, and left Monday afternoon for Chicago, where he has obtained a position for the summer.

The recently announced engagement of Mr. J. B. Allison, of Helena, Mont., and Miss Mame Ingebrand, of this city, is followed by the announcement of their approaching marriage on Tuesday, April 25th. Mr. Allison, who was formerly connected with T. A. Walker & Co., in this city, is now engaged in business in Montana.

The award of honors at the commencement exercises of the Ohio Medical College last Thursday evening resulted very satisfactorily to the many friends of Dr. Arthur Shepherd, one of Hillsboro's representatives in the class, he taking one of the highest honors, an appointment as resident physician at the Good Samaritan Hospital. He entered upon the duties of his position the next day.

It there is a place in Hillsboro where a street crossing is needed it is in front of the Post-office Building and the construction of the Nicaragua Canal, which is going on around the building at present has made the need more apparent than ever. A crossing there would be used five hundred times where others are used once, and it should be built at once for the accommodation of the hundreds who are now compelled to get to the post-office by a roundabout way or wade across the street through the mud. Council can consider this a petition for the putting in of the crossing.

## A BANNER COUNTY.

Highland Receives One of the Flags Offered for Republican Gains Last Fall.

Gov. McKinley to Make the Presentation at the County Convention.

All that is necessary to humble a Highland county Democrat and make him weak and ready to acknowledge that he has no right to be interfering with people's business here on earth, is to casually mention last fall's election in this county. If that don't bring him remind him that the same thing is going to occur again next fall. In the next campaign the Republicans will have as a constant reminder of these two things, to rally around and to carry to victory, a flag which has been awarded Highland county Republicans for their magnificent showing last November by the Republican State Executive Committee.

Early in the campaign the State Committee sent out circulars to each county, offering three handsome silk flags to the three counties showing the largest net Republican gain. The local committee filed the circular away in a pigeon-hole and went on with the effort to elect the Republican candidates. The probability of Highland winning one of the flags was so distant that not much attention was given the offer, but when the election came off and the great Republican gain showed on the returns it was seen that Highland was among the leaders in the contest. The decision was not given out by the State Committee until last week, when word was sent here that second prize had been awarded Highland, with a net gain of 6.3 per cent. Gallia county was first with 7.6 per cent. The Sixth District wasn't content to have only second place and took third also, Warren county showing a gain of 4.4 per cent. The gains were computed on the vote received by Harrison and that received by McKinley the preceding year. Had our highest votes been used we would have received first by a big per cent., the vote for Mr. Beace for instance, showing a net gain of nearly twelve per cent.

One of the conditions of the offer was that the presentation speech should be made by Gov. McKinley, and the flag will be turned over to Highland county Republicans at the County Convention by him.

Cawthorn's "Little Nugget" will beat the Armory, April 19th.

Johnny Richards, of Shelton, Neb., is visiting former friends here.

Miss Nannie Pugeley has returned home after an extended visit with friends in New York.

Mr. Frank Doggett, of Cincinnati, spent several days of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Doggett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Westance, of Springfield, O., were here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Westance's father, J. H. Mullenix.

Prof. Brenner, the well-known violinist, fell from the platform at the B. & O. S. W. depot Sunday evening and broke his right leg in two places. His injuries were attended to by Dr. Hoyt.

Mr. Kirby Smity returned home Friday evening from Colorado Springs, Col. The health of his brother, Dr. C. B. Smith, whom he accompanied there, was much improved at the time of his leaving.

A good audience was present at the Armory Tuesday evening to hear Byron Williams in his lecture on "Our New Navy." So thoroughly and genuinely pleasing a lecturer has seldom been heard here and the audience manifested its appreciation heartily. The accompanying illustrations are superb and give a better idea of our great war ships than could be obtained in any other way. The subject and Mr. Williams' splendid treatment of it will make his visit here pleasantly remembered by those who were present at the lecture.

The term of Judge W. E. Evans, as a Common Pleas Judge of this sub division, expires next February, and as he has served but one full term under the precedent established by the nomination of Judge Cherrington and other judicial nominations in Ohio, he is now entitled to the nomination for another term. Judge Evans has given excellent satisfaction in Highland county and is an able, impartial Judge whose decisions have been respected by the lawyers of our bar, and with few exceptions upheld by the upper Courts. As a Republican he has never been doubted and enjoys the full confidence and respect of the party, which party can make no mistake by naming him again as their candidate.

## PLAYED DETECTIVE.

T. R. Pyle, a Bogus Government Official Comes to Grief.

T. R. Pyle, a traveling representative of the Plano Manufacturing Company, the great machine manufacturers of Chicago, got himself into a bad box here last week by representing himself as a Government detective in the internal revenue service and attempting to extort money from different saloon keepers. Pyle registered at the Kramer House last Wednesday evening, and before he had been in the house long made his way to the bar room and made it known that he was a detective in the Government service. He asked to be shown to the cellar where the empty barrels are kept, and began an inspection. On coming back up stairs he informed Mr. Kramer that every thing was not right, and that there was a penalty of \$500 for the irregularity he had discovered. He asked Mr. Kramer what he intended doing, and promised to see him again the next morning. The next day he visited various saloons in the city and went through the same proceedings at some of them hinting that ten or twenty dollars would "square" him and prevent prosecution. His peculiar actions aroused the suspicions of Mr. Kramer and others, and Marshal Lyle was informed. He hunted the gentleman up and introduced him to Mayor Davis. Their talk with him increased their suspicion, and that afternoon Mayor Davis went to Cincinnati to see the Government officers there about Mr. Pyle's right to inspect empty barrels. As a result a telegram was received from Collector McClung, ordering the arrest of the bogus detective, and he was taken into custody immediately. That night an effort was made to secure his release on a writ of habeas corpus, but Judge Kelly postponed his decision until noon Saturday, when a United States Marshall arrived with a warrant. The prisoner was taken to Cincinnati Saturday evening and gave \$1,000 bond for his appearance Monday morning.

Pyle's home is in Columbus, O., and it is said he stands very well as a business man. He has been drinking very heavily for two or three weeks, and claims that he has not been responsible for his actions. The Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette states that he has been working the same game at other places, and has succeeded in obtaining some money by it.

Pyle had his hearing on the charge of personating an officer, before U. S. Commissioner Kemper on Monday. Mayor Davis, Marshal Lyle, Philip Kramer, Chas. Minguet and Jim Doorley were all summoned as witnesses. He was released after a lecture from the Commissioner, as it could not be established that he had received any money from any one. His position and the fact that the evidence clearly showed that he was not himself during the time the offenses were committed, aided in clearing him of the charge. He returned here Monday evening.

The Highland county Teachers' Association will meet at Greenfield next Saturday, April 15th. A number of teachers from Clinton, Fayette and Ross counties are expected to be present and join with the Highland county teachers in the exercises of the session.

An accident, which very luckily terminated with no one being injured, occurred last Friday in the rear of Guttridge & Foley's restaurant, where extensive improvements are being made. Utman's furniture store extends back as a one story brick building quite a distance beyond the main building, and along side the excavation being made by Guttridge & Foley. The foundation of this building was so weakened by the digging close to it that about noon on Friday the wall began to crack and fall. This gave the workmen warning to get out of the way of the general tumble, which occurred at two o'clock. Altogether about forty feet of wall went down with the wreck.

Assistant Inspector Yeager, who was here several weeks ago to inspect the school buildings, did not confine himself to them but went through several other buildings in the city to satisfy himself as to their safety before recommending that a certificate for them be issued. He evidently wasn't satisfied with all he saw, especially with the Armory and its means of fire escape, and last week orders were received by the management from the Chief Inspector, W. Z. McDonald, to put in additional fire escapes and means of extinguishing fire and also to repair and strengthen the long flight of stairs leading to the street. Fire escapes were also ordered to be put in at Smith's Hall on the corner of Main and High.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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### Little Nugget Coming.

Little Nugget, the bright and funny farce comedy will again delight the patrons of Armory Hall, April 19th. Since last seen here, many new features have been added, which has always caused this most favorite comedy to be crowned with success. As Shakespeare's plays, it has come to stay, for it is one of the oldest farce comedies on the thesian stage to-day. H. S. Cawthorn, the favorite Irish comedian, as Barney O'Brady, is still with the company and is greeted with storms of applause at each and every appearance. The supporting company is, without doubt, the best that has ever been gathered together, and bairs and money have not been spared to still retain the height in comedy where others cannot reach. Reserved seats can be obtained at Guttridge & Foley's, 50 cents.

### The New Clothing House.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the new One Price Clothing House, which appears in our columns for the first time this week. Mr. Hirsch, the very pleasant gentleman who is proprietor, comes here from Maysville, Ky., has had a long experience in the clothing business, and intends to give Hillsboro the benefit of that experience by making his store a first-class one in every respect. He believes in Hillsboro and her future, and has come to stay and make his business a permanent part of the business interest of the town. His store, which is to occupy one of the Lilley rooms on South High street, will be opened the latter part of this week, and Mr. Hirsch will be pleased to have everyone call and look through the establishment.

### Death of Squire Mullenix.

Mr. J. H. Mullenix, more widely known as Squire Mullenix, died at his home in this city last Wednesday night of heart disease. His death was very sudden and unexpected, as he had been in his usual health until an hour before his death. Squire Mullenix had a large acquaintance throughout the county, having at one time been Sheriff and held the office of Justice of the Peace for many years. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the M. E. Church, and the interment was in the Hillsboro cemetery. He was aged about seventy-six years and was a native of this county.

Among the most important features of any town is its hotel accommodations. It gives us pleasure to refer to the splendid hotel of Homer C. Sherritt, of Greenfield. The New Elliott House is one of the best equipped and conducted hotels in this part of the State. One who has never visited Greenfield would be astonished at the metropolitan conveniences provided by the present management of this hotel. Mr. Sherritt is a young man of energy and ambition and his purpose is to make his house the leader among its kind. He has provided fine sample rooms, bath rooms, electric bells, hot water, etc., etc., and a free bus transports his guests to and from trains. When you visit Greenfield try the splendid fare and elegant furnishings of the New Elliott. You'll never regret it.

There will be a meeting of the Hillsboro Farmers' Institute at the Court House in Hillsboro, on Saturday, April 15th, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m. The following programme will be rendered: Opening address by the president. Report of committee on constitution and by-law.

Paper by Judge Huggins. Subject—Why is the price of wheat so low? Discussion of Judge Huggins' paper. Miscellaneous business and remarks.

### It Must Have Been the Snakes.

The last issue of the Weekly Announcement of Whist Club Meetings, vulgarly designated as the Gazette, contains a two column nightmare supposed to be a reply to the NEWS HERALD's repeated and reiterated charge that H. L. Wiggins, a sworn officer of the law, used his official position to aid the election of a Democratic candidate by altering certain returns of a Republican convention to which he had access. At least we judge that that was the subject of the article from the frequent recurrence of the words "Wiggins," "School Board," "Dawson," "certificate," "NEWS HERALD," "Republican Committee" and other words and phrases which have been used in the controversy. If any one saw any connection or extracted any sense from the two columns of type, he must be on the same mental plane with the writer, either too high or too low for the average reader. Mesmerism, hypnotism, cats, calfs, spell-binders, desiccating factories, insane editors, traitorous Democrats and Edgar Allen Poe are all jumbled together in a mass which we are unable to boil down into either an acknowledgement or a defense of Mr. Wiggins' conduct. In the absence of any direct information as to the Gazette's true position, our original charge still stands.

### MAYOR'S COURT.

Dennis Lynch was drunk last Friday night and couldn't keep off the streets. He got \$5 and costs and went to jail.

Ripley Hill appeared in full force Tuesday to attend the trial of Frances Sneed and Ellis Ward, both charged with using obscene language. The two got into a little neighborly quarrel and aroused the neighborhood with the choice epithets they applied to each other. They got the costs, about \$10 apiece. There is a nest of chronic disturbers on "the Hill" that gives the authorities lots of trouble, and a few more "fuses" out there will about exhaust Mayor Davis' patience and result in the offenders getting a good, stiff dose of work-house medicine.

### The Medical Society Meeting.

The meeting of the Highland county Medical society to be held here Thursday promises to be a most interesting one and will attract a large attendance of physicians from all over the county. An excellent program embracing papers on "Scarlet Fever," "New Remedies," "Syphilis," "Hip-point Disease," "Hemorrhoids, Fistula, etc.," and other subjects, has been prepared, and with the resulting discussions will be most profitable. The meeting will begin at 10 a. m., and will be held in the Mayor's office. The society is constantly increasing in membership, and numbers most of the prominent and progressive physicians of the county among its membership.

The school board has adopted standard time for the schools, and everything else in the city, with the exception of one or two factories, is being regulated by the new time.

The County S. S. Convention held its regular quarterly session at Russell Sunday afternoon, April 9th. The M. E. Church was filled to its utmost capacity with a large and attentive audience, who were entertained with excellent music by the Russell S. S. and short talks by Messrs. E. O. Hetherington, of Hillsboro, and J. J. Kirkhart and Rev. W. N. Maxey, of Russell. These were followed by an able and appreciated address by Prof. H. C. Minnich, of the public schools of Hillsboro. The time and place for the next meeting will be determined at an early date.

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