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What Temperance People Should Do.

The suggestion by temperance leaders to submit again next year the proposition of state wide prohibition is foolish. The overwhelming defeat of the question this year shows that the people of Ohio are not ready for it. To resubmit it next year would mean certain defeat. It would also mean a lot of hard work, the expenditure of a lot of money and no advance in the temperance movement. We also believe that until there is a change of sentiment in the larger cities that state wide prohibition would be a mistake in Ohio. As long as the people of Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo and Dayton are so overwhelmingly in favor of the saloon it would be farcical to attempt to enforce prohibitory laws in these places.

The sensible thing for the temperance people to do is to submit next year a constitutional amendment making the county the unit in local option contests, that is restoring County Local Option. This we believe can be carried, if not linked with state wide prohibition. If only the question of county local option is submitted the cities will not make the strong fight they did in the recent election. The cry can not be raised about the confiscation of property, raising taxes and throwing people out of work. The people residing in the large cities will not feel that there is any danger that they will be interfered with and will therefore not give the huge majorities against the proposal which were rolled up in these places at the election last week.

If the temperance people want to secure results the thing for them to do is to make their next fight for county local option. If they want to make a sensational campaign and suffer defeat the thing for them to do is to again submit the proposal for state wide prohibition.

Waste of Public Money.

During the campaign just closed one of the issues was the extravagance of public officials and the waste of public money. It nearly always happens that during the campaigns promises of economy in the administrations of public affairs are made but it is seldom that anything is done to carry out the promises by the candidates elected.

A large amount of public money is wasted each year, legally wasted. Laws have been passed which require the expenditure of large sums each year which in no way benefit the general public.

We have decided to point out to our readers some of the ways in which the public money is wasted. In doing this we will probably offend a number of people who profit from this needless expenditure of the taxpayers money. That no one can think we are doing this because of ill will towards these people we will first call attention to a waste of money from which we, as newspapermen, have often benefited.

By law the county commissioners are required to publish each year in two county newspapers an itemized account of their expenditures. The publication of this report costs the people of Highland county from \$425 to \$450. This money in our opinion is absolutely thrown away. It is not full enough to show whether the money was well spent. It is set in small type and the items are numerous. We doubt if anyone reads the report. The purpose in publishing the report is to keep the people advised as to how their money is spent, but we do not believe that anyone even if he studies it can tell.

The county treasurer is also required to publish each year for six weeks in two newspapers in the county the "Rates of Taxation." The publication will be found in another column. It costs the county for the two papers from \$450 to \$475. We are not in favor of entirely doing away with this publication but the form is entirely wrong. If it is published at all only the total rate in each township should be given and only for one week instead of six. This could be done for \$25.

Twice each year the probate judge appoints two men to examine the county treasury. They are paid \$5 a day and it takes them at least two days to make the examination. Their examinations are simply formal, the treasurer and deputy really making out their reports. The reports are published in two newspapers of opposite politics and costs each year about \$100. Here is \$140 absolutely thrown away.

The expense of these three publications cost the people of Highland county each year about \$1000 and no one benefits from them except the newspapers. All of the expenditures are legal, in fact required by law.

There can be but one reason why the laws were passed and that was to throw a sop to the newspapers of the state and cause them to use their efforts to elect candidates of their party to office. The only reason the laws requiring these publications are not repealed is because the members of the legislature are afraid of incurring the enmity and opposition of the newspapers, which are looking for this easy money. The taxpayers of Highland county give the newspapers of the county, without receiving any benefit, at least \$1000 and in the eighty eight counties it means a waste of at least \$125,000.

As long as these reports must be published, we of course are anxious and glad to get the easy money which comes from publishing them, but the laws should be repealed.

You will never get into trouble by keeping your mouth shut.

There is never a silent partner in a matrimonial partnership.

Most of us are not overburdened with brains, but the great trouble is that we don't use what little we have.

While we are in full accord with the decision of the newspapermen in selecting the News-Herald as one of the fifty two best country newspapers in the United States, we are afraid there will be a person here and there who will think the decision wrong.

After a careful study of the election returns we have secured the impression that some of the people in Cincinnati can not be said to favor state wide prohibition.

Please bear in mind when you speak of the Progressive Party that you should always speak kindly of the dead and the critically ill, and the Progressive Party is at least critically ill.

One of our kind friends told us the other day that he had heard that the trouble with the Bull Moosers on election day was that they had been quarantined because they were suffering with the foot and mouth disease and we don't know but what there may be something to the mouth disease part.

NEW MARKET.

Nov. 9, 1914.

Miss Lydia Conn, of Washington, C. H., spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. C. A. Lemon and attended the funeral of her uncle, T. R. Vaee.

Otto Fawcay and family, of Belfast, were the guests of relatives here last week.

B. Nofstger has sold his farm and he and his family will move to Hillsboro, this fall.

Mrs. C. W. Carr has returned from a visit with relatives at Portsmouth.

G. H. McConaughy and wife spent Sunday with Frank Orebough and family, at Shackleton.

Verd Sonner, of Point Victory, called on Ben Morton and family Saturday.

Stella Garen entertained her mother Mrs. Caplinger, of near Sngartree Ridge, last week.

Joseph Strain and wife, of Lumberton, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, I. T. Vance and wife.

Miss Elsie Muhbach visited her sister, Mrs. E. E. Austin, at New Vienna, the past week.

D. E. McFadden, of Alton, Ill., and Mrs. Willis McFadden, of Sardinia, were guests of G. L. McClintock and sister, Anna, last week. John Dick and family, of Marshall, were their guests Monday.

Isaac Stanforth and daughter, of Willettsville, spent a couple of days at their home here last week.

Chas. Tice and family are moving to a farm near Buford, Harry Holden and family will move to the Tice farm. Pence's Shredder, of Tile Junction, and Smith's Shredder, of Danville, is in this neighborhood this week.

Mrs. C. A. Lemon spent Sunday with J. O. Vance and family, at Hillsboro.

Jennie Wood and two children, of Danville, were guests at the Harsh barger home recently.

Mrs. F. L. Lemon, of Hillsboro, spent several days with J. B. VanWinkle and family.

Tom Custer and daughter, of Illinois, were guests of L. B. Custer and family last week.

Hazel Carrier spent Sunday with Amy Lemon.

Forest Emery and wife had as their guests Sunday, Burton Vance and wife, Homer Sanders, wife and daughter, Helen, of Harrisburg, and John Eyer and family.

L. B. Custer is sick.

Mrs. Ambia Shelton, of near Boston, spent Monday with her parents, J. H. Hollingsworth and wife.

This community was shocked to hear of the death of T. R. Vance, which occurred at his home last Wednesday morning after a short illness with gall stones. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church here Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. H. Hollingsworth, interment in Baptist cemetery.

Best Cough Medicine For Children.

"Three years ago when I was living in Pittsburgh one of my children had a hard cold and coughs dreadful. Up on the advice of a druggist I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it benefited him at once. I find it is the best cough medicine for children because it is pleasant to take. They do not object to taking it," writes Mrs. Lafayette Tuok, Homer City, Pa. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. Sold by All Dealers. adv

DUNN'S CHAPEL.

November 9, 1914.

Rev. Spurrier is holding a series of meetings at this place.

Stewart Burton, wife and son, Marvin, spent several days visiting relatives near St. Martins.

Clarence Kier and family spent Sunday with Clarence Walker and wife, of Westboro.

John Pond and wife are visiting H. M. Frost and wife this week.

Frank Sharp and family spent Sunday with Stanley Frost and family.

Henry Frost and wife and Frank Vannelt spent Sunday with Sam Vannelt and wife, of Hillsboro.

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PLEASANT HILL.

November 9, 1914.

Wilson Chiny spent Thursday morning with George Prine.

Clarence Patton, of near Hillsboro, was a caller here Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dodd, of near Bainbridge, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's parents, Chas. Simbro and wife.

Leslie Mott, of New Petersburg, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Walter Powell.

Mr. Oliver, of Hillsboro, spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spillane.

Mrs. Chas. Simbro and sons, Charles Beam and Leslie, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. J. O. Harris, at Harrisburg.

George Prine and family called on George Stubbs and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Robbins have moved to their new home east of Hillsboro.

Mrs. Walter Powell and Mabel Powell called on Mrs. Chas. Simbro Tuesday afternoon.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willson gave them a surprise Thursday night.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock's Blood Bitters, the family system tonic. Price, \$1. adv

There are 10 bridges formed by nature in the United States. Their formation is caused by the current of streams running through rocks.

NEW PETERSBURG.

Nov. 9, 1914.

Mrs. J. C. Taylor and son, of Memphis, spent Thursday with her brother, D. M. Fry, and family.

Mrs. E. V. Barnes, of Xenia is visiting her parents, Abe Mercer and wife.

Mrs. Alta Wise and father, Henry Taylor, visited relatives at Lynch on the latter part of the week.

Harry Pommert and wife are moving into Wm. Taylor's property.

Miss Ruth Barnes, of Greenfield, is visiting her sisters, Miss Ethel and Mrs. Chas. Hamilton.

Anna Park and sons spent Sunday with Frank Carter and wife.

Mrs. Emma Gossard, of Frankfort, and Spurge Blaser and family were entertained Sunday by R. E. Shivers and wife.

SINKING SPRING

Nov. 9, 1914.

Mrs. J. J. Amen, of Cedar Rapids, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. C. Wickerham.

The W. C. T. U gave a temperance program at the M. E. church, Sunday evening.

Carl Phillips, wife and children, of Boston, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Dora Tolle and children have returned home after an extended visit with relatives at Blanchester.

Mrs. Elva Cartwright took dinner with Mrs. Dora Butler, Friday.

Miss Martha Eyer, of Hillsboro spent Sunday with home folks.

Gordon McClure is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Jane McClure.

Mrs. Frank Ayers and Miss Bertie Johnson were business visitors at Bainbridge, Friday.

John Thompson and family have moved into their property recently vacated by James Rhoads.

Mrs. Irene Rhoads and Miss Carolyn Fry spent a few days last week with relatives at Norwood and Cincinnati.

Miss Mabel Butler recently started for North Dakota.

Dr. Mason and wife, James Sams and wife and Elmer Cameron and family, of Marshall, spent Sunday with James Butler and wife.

James Rhoads and wife recently moved in with Mrs. Mabel Fry.

Miss Mary Butler, of Bainbridge, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Saloma Rhoads took dinner with Mrs. Jennie Porter Friday.

T. C. Weaver and wife spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Faris Cummings, at Marshall.

Mrs. John Tolle, living east of town, spent Friday with Mrs. Dora Tolle.

Mrs. Hannah McKeelhan has been very ill.

Miss Bertie Johnson called on Miss Ocle Porter, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Harley Nace and son, of Pleasanton, are visiting relatives here.

Prayer meeting at the M. E. church every Wednesday evening. All are invited.

Henry Smith, wife and children, of Locust Grove, spent Sunday with James Rhoads and wife.

Mrs. Mary Foster spent Sunday with relatives at Naceville.

Itch! Itch! Itch!—Scratch! Scratch! Scratch! The more you scratch, the worse the itch. Try Doan's Ointment. For eczema, any skin itching, 50c a box. adv

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All over the world 67 people die every minute, or 96,480 every day.

FAIRVIEW.

Nov. 9, 1914.

H. A. Pence and wife spent Sunday at Frank Tedrick's.

Number in Sunday School Sunday was 65; offering \$1.51.

Mrs. Francis Ludwick and daughter, Miss Flora, visited at Jesse Welby's, Sunday.

Warren Hayes and wife, of Lynchburg, called on Mrs. Elizabeth Handley, Wednesday.

Mrs. John Webster is sick.

Misses Isma Faris, Hazel and Ethel Shaffer and Emma Burton attended the show in Hillsboro, Thursday night.

Lewis Shaffer and family, Mrs. Handley and Mrs. Burton attended the lecture at Allensburg, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary Brulport, of Fayetteville, visited here the past week.

Mrs. Dora McDaniel spent the past week with Joe Frost and family.

Important.

Bear in mind that Chamberlain's Tablets not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by All Dealers. adv

BARRETT.

Nov. 9, 1914.

John Dunfield, aged 48 years, died at his home last Tuesday after a long illness with cancer. Funeral services was held at 10 o'clock and the body was taken to Good Hope for interment.

Ira Kline and family moved to Upper Fall Creek last week and on Monday night 43 of the neighbors went in and gave them a complete surprise. The evening was spent in music. A most enjoyable time was had.

W. W. Wolfe and wife and Wm. Rowe and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Carson, at Leesburg, last week.

Stanley Stevens and wife commenced housekeeping last week in their new home and a number of friends gathered in and gave them an old fashioned bellin'.

Mrs. Martha Wolfe and Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, were guests of W. W. Wolfe last week.

John Miller and wife, of Pleasant View, recently visited at the home of John Turner and sister.

Wm. Hamilton and wife and two children were guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Ford, near Careytown, Sunday.

Jas. Rittenhouse and family took dinner Sunday at the home of Vernon Rittenhouse.

J. S. Lovett and wife spent Sunday with Hamer Lyle and wife.

Wm. Rowe and wife spent Sunday with Frank Adams and wife, at Rainsboro.

Vernon Hammond and Clarence Turner spent Saturday with the latter's aunt, Mrs. Whorley, at Greenfield.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church at New Petersburg will give an oyster supper and a bazaar on Nov. 26, Thanksgiving eve. Everybody invited.

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VEDRINES WINS IN AIR BATTLE

Noted Aviator Bests German After Courageous Fight—French Birdman and a General Captured by Kaiser's Army.

FROM THE BATTLE FRONT, Via Paris, Sept. 20.—The bold of the allied armies combined today in the trenches while their artillery exchanged a furious cannonade with the strongly fortified German positions.

Some brilliant feats of arms were performed at various points on the line extending along the Oise, the Aisne and Western. The renowned Algonquin troops made a gallant capture of another German Regt.

John Vedrine, the noted French aviator, is credited with a courageous fight in mid-air with a German plane which he brought to earth. The German was definitely seen slipping the portion of the plane, when Vedrine descended. Having verified reports and he was shown the German. Vedrine gave chase, and he is believed to have fulfilled the air term with his victorious gun.

The German machine was pulled and the pilot killed, two following in the allied flight. When captured from



SHIP AND TUG ON RUSSIAN LINE IN BATTLE NEWS

VERDUN AGAIN IS BEING ATTACKED

Kaiser's Army Resumes Assault on Long Line of Forts—British and French Battle Waist-Deep in Trenches.

ITALY WELL PREPARED.

Rome, Via Paris, Sept. 20.—Italy has already won half a mile of new water front. The best of these troops are in camps and barracks in the Lombardy and Venetian provinces.

REPORTS FROM TRENCHES.

BEIJING, Via Paris, Sept. 20.—The following official statement was issued by the Chinese head quarters and has been verified: "The Franco-British forces have been obliged to take the offensive in extended positions. The attacks were which are shown in trench." "Preparations for an attack on the fortifications on the west of Verdun have been completed." "As the German troops are in trenches along the border with the French troops."

GERMAN ADVANCE BEGUN.

Amsterdam, Holland, Sept. 20.—It is reported here that the general position of the German army is as follows:

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