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MARIETTA OHIO

Examination of Teachers of Washington County will be held from 8 A. M. until 5 P. M. at the Marietta High School, on the second Saturday of each month except January, July and August. MARTIN R. ANDREWS, Pres. B'd of Examiners. Sept. 10, '94.

MARIETTA DAILY LEADER WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23, 1896

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

—The Parkersburg-Paris game was called in the sixth inning on account of darkness, Tuesday, with the score 8 to 6 in favor of Parkersburg.

—The Pittsburg league team will play the Marietta's on local grounds, Oct. 7th. Their positions will be as follows: Donovan rf, Ely ss, Lezette 1b Stenzel cf, Smith lf, Lyons 3b, Padden 2b, Sugden and Merrit catchers and Hastings, p.

—Miss Bird Sleigh arrived home Tuesday from New York.

—Hagan & Schud received Monday, a car load of gas heating stoves, which were purchased at a bankrupt sale at very low prices and will be sold at corresponding figures.

—Mrs. Chas. Barth, daughter of Jas. Brown, of Caywood, died Sept. 23, aged 22 years. Funeral at 2 p. m. Wednesday from Lynch church.

—Mrs. M. J. Nelson is visiting friends at Wheeling and Sistersville.

—Alonzo Hall, of Coal Run, was in the city Tuesday, on business.

I. R. Rose came down from Coal Run Tuesday evening, to attend the Dolliver meeting.

—Born, Sept. 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barth, a son.

—A game of baseball will be played in this city next Saturday, between the Leidecker's and Newport nines.

—The Emancipation celebrations at Cutler and Vincent Tuesday, were largely attended, despite the bad weather.

—Mrs. F. W. Vincent, of Vincent, was in the city Tuesday, visiting relatives.

—Chas. Williams, who has been visiting his step-father, Capt. J. F. Gaitree, leaves today for his home at Chicago.

—Mr. Drain, of Iowa, is the guest of relatives in this county, after an absence of 22 years.

—George B. Sunderland sold the Wm. Blohm property on Second street to Mrs. Harriet Reese, for the sum of \$3,250.

—Money to loan—\$600 to \$1,000 on gilt edge real estate security. Apply to S. T. CUTSHAW, Marietta, O.

—The Unitarian social will be entertained Thursday evening of this week by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Coil at the parsonage. Ice cream and cake will be served.

—Editor Fred Bush, of the Athens Messenger, was in the city yesterday, on his way to McConnellsville, to attend the wedding of his brother.

—Magnani & Co., the Putnam street fruit dealers, have just received a carload of bananas.

—Hon. V. B. Dolliver will leave today for Middleport, where he will address the people.

—Captain Lee Anshutz will arrive from Catlettsburg, Ky., today with the steamer Virgin Radcliffe, which he will put at once into the packet trade between Parkersburg and Pittsburg. The Radcliffe is a boat of very light draught.

—Captain Charles Knox left Tuesday for Pittsburg on a business trip.

—While working in the store on Front street last Friday, Mr. Charles James took an accidental tumble and fell heavily against the corner of an iron safe. He did not at the time consider himself injured, though feeling a slight pain in the side. The pain remained there, however, and Tuesday, when he submitted to an examination, it was found that he had a broken rib. He will be inconvenienced by the injury for some time.

—The re-union of the survivors of the 18th Regiment, O. V. I., will be held at Nelsonville, Athens county, today and tomorrow. Capt. C. M. Grubb is in attendance.

—Mr. Phil. Bachman left with his family over the B. & O. S. W. Tuesday night for Cincinnati, where they will spend a week.

—Dick Osborne, who escaped from Marshal Parlin on the C. & M. train Monday morning, is known to have crossed the Ohio above the city a short time afterwards, but his further whereabouts cannot be ascertained. Hedrick, the man who was in his company when he was arrested here, was released Tuesday by direction of the Prosecuting Attorney of Wood county, W. Va., who decided there was not sufficient evidence against Hedrick to warrant taking him back by requisition.

—Marshal Parlin was at Wheeling Tuesday to bring back John Connor, who escaped from the Caldwell jail with Dick Osborne, and who, like the latter, is under indictment in Noble county for burglary. Connor was arrested Sunday night by the Wheeling authorities, on instructions from this city. He refused to return without requisition papers and the Marshal had to come back without him. Connor is an old and hardened criminal and has already served three terms in the penitentiary.

—Mr. Charles Jones returned home Tuesday from a two weeks' trip through the East.

Marriage Licenses. C. Sumner Benedict, of Constitution, and Jennie S. Dunsmore, of Barlow. Arthur Campbell, of Healop, and Clara Rake, of Fay. Frank Spriggs, of Parkersburg, and Lena M. Ryson, of Marietta.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Events of Interest in the Southwest During the Past Seven Days.

Pittsburg, Sept. 20.—The operations in the southwest fields during the past week were not unenlivened with any new discoveries of a startling nature. Inquiries were therefore directed to those of the previous week and the progress made was carefully noted.

The Scragg & Co. well on the Mayfield farm, near Conway, was the subject most carefully watched and generally discussed. After carefully collecting all the facts pertaining to this strike, it cannot be said that there is any occasion for alarm, as it is not at all likely, from the passing opinion on the Mayfield well, that a new flow of oil will come from that quarter. The Mayfield well has been drilled deep enough the past week to demonstrate to the satisfaction of those interested that it has been seen at its best and summing up all points in its favor it cannot be classed as better than a 50 or 75 bbl. producer. It has even been hinted that the well did not get its production in the Big Injun formation, but from the Keener sand. In the absence of a correct record of the measurements of the well, the color of the fluid is offered to back up the Keener theory.

Despite the fact that the supposed new pool is not arousing any great amount of enthusiasm or is the incentive for starting new work in that locality, the same condition of affairs do not prevail throughout other sections of the Mountain State. After a period of dullness that extends over the mid-summer months, activity has been renewed and new work is starting in many localities, giving promise of swelling the field work to a considerable extent. The most work for the present is starting in the vicinity of Hebron, near the Tyler and Pleasants county line. It is estimated that 15 or 20 new wells will be drilled before the middle of the coming month. If all the locations made should be drilled, it is more than likely the number of wells mentioned will be doubled.

The South Penn Oil Co. is reported to have driven a good many stakes during the past week and Wetzel county will receive particular attention. It is safe to predict that the Gordon sand territory will not come in for any share of the new work.

Southwest of the Mills tract, near the Gordon sand well, on the Riley farm, the South Penn Oil Co. got a fair producer on the Fluharty farm.

On the big Hardman tract, in Doddridge county, Murphy, Jennings & Co. added another good well to their list on that property. It was their No. 29, and was credited with 325 bbls. the first 24 hrs., after it was drilled in.

Across in Monroe county, near Benwood, the Price farm well continues to hold up close to the 200-bbl. mark and is one of the best wells in the lower southwest. In addition to the six or more wells now drilling, other locations have been made and that part of the field will be fairly active for some months. No effort has been made to line up the new pool with any previous development. It is the prevailing opinion that it is a distinct pool, the dimensions of which can only be determined by the drill.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alternative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and \$1.00 per bottle at W. H. Styler's Drug Store.

A Rattlesnake Loose in a Passenger Car

A live rattlesnake, of the largest and most vicious kind, that a party who had been on a camping tour to the mountains of West Virginia were bringing home, escaped from its box in a passenger car on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad near Hyndman, and for a short time created the greatest excitement among the passengers.

Some fled from the car, others climbed upon the seats and the greatest uproar prevailed. The dangerous reptile, in the meantime, darted about under the seats and along the aisle, while the passengers made vicious lunges at it with umbrellas and walking sticks, which the reptile resented by striking savagely right and left and rattling with all its might.

The reptile was captured by a colored cook for the club, who, it appears, is not afraid of the venomous creatures in the least, and who appears to have some strange power over them. As soon as the snake was safely boxed the passengers came down from their perches, but could not be induced to remain in the car.—[Exchange.]

Fired the Jail.

SANDUSKY, O., Sept. 22.—Four prisoners confined in the dungeon at the county jail attempted to set fire to the place. A wooden door was in a blaze, but the prompt arrival of the fire department prevented the success of their plans.

Indictment Against Billow.

FREMONT, O., Sept. 22.—The Sandusky-county grand jury brought in thirteen indictments, one of which is against Louis Billow for murder in the first degree. Billow blew up the house of farmer Jacob Hess with dynamite, and then shot Hess.

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Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Marietta Citizen's Experience?

Something new is an experiment. Must be proven to be as represented. Be successful at home or you doubt it. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is. Now, supposing you had a bad back, a lame, weak or aching one; would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures, but they come from far away places. It's different when the endorsement comes from home. Easy to prove that it is so. Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this case:

Mr. Wm. Geren, of No. 408 Harmar St., foreman of the painting department at Kelly's Carriage Works, says: "I have been troubled with my kidneys since I started to work at painting and I have had to take medicine all the time to counteract the effect of the chemicals used. I have had backache, sharp stinging pains in the loins, my back tiring out easily and I often had attacks of a very annoying urinary difficulty that was plainly caused by disordered kidneys. I gave Doan's Kidney Pills a trial some time ago. I read of them in the papers and got a box at W. H. Styler's drug store on Front St. I don't think I gave them a fair trial for I worked in the paint room while taking them, yet in spite of that they gave me prompt relief. The produced no bad results while taking them and can from experience recommend them as a remedy that can be depended upon if the kidneys are out of order."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the U. S.

Barnsdall Gets No Divorce. BRADFORD, Pa., Sept. 21.—The jury in the divorce case of T. N. Barnsdall, the well-known oil man, disagreed and were discharged at noon today. The jury was out 48 hours. The result is practically a victory for Mrs. Barnsdall.

Heverly Fair. Sept. 20th and 30th and Oct. 1st. For above occasion the Z. & O. R. Ry. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good going on above dates. Returning until Oct. 2nd inclusive.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED—An experienced girl to do general house work. Apply to Mrs. C. H. TURNER, 314 Fifth St.

FOR RENT. House of 9 rooms on Front and Washington streets. Suitable for two families. Inquire of T. F. Davis, 418 Fourth street.

HELP WANTED. Kitchen and dining room girls at Gaitree's restaurant, Union Depot.

WANTED—Salesladies to sell the Economical Egg Beater and Cream Whipper. Sells at 25 cents.—Profits large. Beats an egg in half a minute, whips pint cream in two minutes. Sample by mail 25 cents. Western Specialty Co., First National Bank Building, Allegheny, Pa. Sept. 19th-4th.

Sunshine Kindergarten, now open at my home, No. 524 Third street. Children taken from 3 to 6 years of age. Term: \$2.00 per month. Opens every morning at half-past eight o'clock, standard time. Sept. 15th-31st. MISS EMMA MUELLER.

LADIES. We have opened our sewing room in the I. O. O. F. Building, West Side, and are prepared to do all kinds of sewing including Dressmaking, Family sewing, Children's clothes, etc. Give us a trial and we will guarantee satisfaction. Sept. 25th-eod. 1m. R. S. BRECKENRIDGE.

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DR. C. V. DYE, Dentist, Marietta, Ohio. Office 292 Front street, over Weis' Grocery.

DR. W. M. HART, DENTIST. Office 13 Putnam St., between Front and Second.

DR. E. F. EDDY, Dentist. Office 304 Front street, opposite Soldiers Monument. Gas administered.

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FOR SALE.—25 Lots on Emerson Heights subdivision and six acres adjoining Corp. line at low prices and easy terms. 20 Residence properties in the city for sale on easy terms. Farm in Deatur township for sale or exchange. Farm in Wood Co., W. Va., for sale or exchange. Two new houses on West Side on easy terms. Call and see us if wanting to purchase property. Oil leases for sale. WARD & STONE, 215 Second Street.

Real Estate for Sale.

GEO. B. SUNDERLAND, 221 SECOND STREET, OPPOSITE UNION DEPOT. 7 Houses on Front street \$1,700, 1,800, 2,000, 2,500, 3,000. Second street \$1,700, 2,000. 15 Room House below Front street \$3,600. Third street, 6 Houses, \$1,000, 1,500, 1,500, 1,800, 2,000, 3,000. Fourth street \$1,000, 1,500, 2,800, 5,000. Fifth street \$200, 2,000, 3,000. Sixth street \$1,500, 2,000, 2,500. Warren street \$700, 800, 900, 1,100. 1 Fine Brick House, \$4,500, lot 150 by 150.



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