

WAUSEON SCHOOLS

Open for the School Year Next Monday—East School Building Like New—Open for Inspection Next Monday Afternoon—Corps of Teachers Changes and New Features.

Vacation days for the pupils and teachers of Wauseon Public Schools will end next Monday morning when the school will open for the school year of 1915-16. All the indications point toward a pleasant and profitable year in the schools of our village; for the grade pupils there is the East Building all remodeled and redecorated until it is practically new and about five times as convenient and pleasant as when it was new. To begin at the top, a few of the many gables have been removed and the roof has been so repaired as to prevent leaking, a "disease" that has always been chronic with that roof.

The gables that were removed were supposed to have been ornamental, at least that is about the only reason for their existence that seems to be plausible, but their absence improves the appearance of the building wonderfully. The walls and wood work of all the rooms have been redecorated, the system of heating and ventilation installed, and the plumbing of the building all new modern and sanitary. New floors in some of the rooms and halls, a rest room established for teachers and the front hall enlarged. The building is now modern, convenient, comfortable, sanitary and safe and will compare favorably with grade school buildings in any town of similar size in Ohio. There will be no school in the East Building on next Monday afternoon and the building will be open for inspection; the Board of Education, Miss Elvira Clifton, Domestic Science; F. A. Tubbs, Supervisor of Music.

The Normal School faculty will consist of Miss Helen Brigham, Supervisor, County Superintendent, C. D. Perry and Miss Jessie Walcott. In the grade schools Mrs. Jennie Bartlett will be the principal and teach the eighth grade; Messrs. Earl Brown and Howard McClarren will have charge of the seventh grade; Miss Georgia Houghlin of Payne, Ohio, will be teacher of the sixth grade; Miss Maude Lucy will teach the A division of the Fifth grade and will be supervisor of drawing in the schools; Miss Genevieve Simpson will teach the B division of the fifth grade; Miss Emma Edgar, A. division, the fourth grade; Miss Elvira Taft the B division of the same grade; Miss Bessie Prickett, third grade; Miss Bessie Wilson the B division of the third grade, and the A division of the second grade. First grade teachers are Miss Ruth Brown and Miss Edna Rankin.

It will be noticed that systematic work in drawing will be introduced in the schools under the supervision of Miss Lucy. The teachers in Manual Training and Domestic Science will have classes from the seventh and eighth grades as well as from the High School. In the High School some changes have been made in the courses of study. English, History and Civics have been placed in the list of required studies with advanced mathematics. Special emphasis will be placed on Civics and one half year in this study will be required in the junior year; this seems to us a step toward strengthening the High School curriculum at a point where it has long been in need of strengthening. Another subject that will receive special attention this year is Civic Biology a very practical and essential course made very interesting and attractive and showing the vital relation of plant and animal life to Civic conditions.

These changes in the High School courses will give equal opportunity to those who desire to enter schools of higher education to prepare for work in such institutions and for those whose school days must close with the end of their High School course to prepare well for the work in life which they may desire to take up after school days. In connection with College Education, it is worthy of note that of the class of 1914 of the Wauseon High School, one third of the total number entered college last year and of the class of 1915 over one half of the number will enter college either this year or next.

AN AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE ON EVERY FARM
Why not have a college of agriculture on every farm in Ohio? Yes, and an experiment station, too. With use free correspondence courses, and the bulletins from the Extension Service and the Experiment Station, the free service from other states and the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the farm papers, every farm is supplied with textbooks in general more up-to-date than used in colleges. The new three year short courses in agriculture in Ohio State University provide for the working out of farm projects by the students at home. Seven projects are outlined in the bulletin describing the courses. It enables the student to get valuable information concerning his home, farm and county. By reading over the summary and explanation of the courses given the regular students, anyone can learn much concerning the work being carried on at the University. The bulletin may be secured by writing to the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University.

To cool burns use Hanford's Balsam.

SEILER REUNION.

The sixth Annual Reunion of the Seiler Family was held Wednesday August 25th at the home of Ed. Schad near Tredrow. One hundred and fifty were present to partake of the dinner which is as usual on these occasions, was bountiful and delicious. After the dinner a splendid literary program was rendered and a business meeting followed at which the following officers for 1916 were elected: M. S. Seiler, president; Ed J. Seiler, secretary; A. L. Schwen treasurer. Those in attendance from a distance were: Dr. C. L. Leininger, wife and children; Dr. A. A. Leininger, wife and children and Dr. E. C. Seiler, wife and daughter all of Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. Gertrude Guerin and children of Shelby, Ohio; Mrs. N. Bartles and children of Bremen, Indiana; Mrs. Arthur Laycock and children; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fenton and children of Toledo; Mrs. Fred Reuthinger and children of Perryburg, Ohio; Mrs. Jacob Rychemer and daughter Frieda of Ridgeville Corners Mrs. and Mrs. John Seiler and child of Malinta; Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Zaerger of Michigan and Mr. Ed J. Seiler of Lima, Ohio. The next reunion will be held at the home of John Ligibel, near Pettitville, the second Wednesday in June 1916.

ON EASY STREET.
In the city of Lifeopolis Where Fame and Fortune meet, There runs a pleasant thoroughfare That's known as Easy street. It skirts the river Dulliance; It's way is primeval-lined, And those who travel Easy street No trouble seem to find.

Here Mirth and Joy and Pleasure rove, And Song and Jubilee; They beckon you to follow them, Light-hearted care-free; And wonderful bazaars there are Where you can stop and buy Love, friendship laughter and delight— But ah,—the price is high.

But if Successive you would reach, This street is not the way; It runs at last to Failureburg, And there the toll you pay. Successive's road is hard and long; The end alone is sweet; Yet those who come are glad that they Did not take Easy street.

MAKING GOOD.
Mrs. Knight Orndorf and her sister Clara Orndorf visited Mrs. Orndorf's son Harry in Detroit last Saturday before the latter leaving on an extended business trip in the West and Northwest. Harry Orndorf, who by the way was a graduate of Wauseon schools not so very many years ago, is now the traveling auditor for the Acme White Lead Company of Detroit. About two weeks he returned from a trip to the south and east which included principal cities in Texas, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana and ending up with Boston. Mr. Orndorf's work is to invoice the stocks and audit the books of the company. The company's retail stores which are located in all the principal cities of the United States his last trip kept him away from home for three months. He left Saturday night for Lincoln, Nebraska and from that city will travel on through the West and Northwest visiting the Company's stores in that region.

GARDEN NOTES FOR SEPTEMBER
Make sowing of button radishes, lettuce and spinach the first of the month in the open. Sow lettuce in cold frames for transplanting under the protection of sash later. If not already done, get in some Egyptian corn sets at once. These will furnish a moderate supply of early green onions next spring, and may be allowed to remain in the ground several years though most gardeners renew them biennially. Early fall celery may be blanched by means of boards. Blanks only so much at one time as may be utilized in a week or ten days. Sow rye and crimson clover on all vacant ground and in all crops that can be cultivated.—L. M. Montzomerv. Dep't. of Horticulture, Ohio State University.

SPEAKERS RETAINED.
Farmers' Institutes which were carried on last year by the Agricultural Commission, have been placed in charge of the Ohio State University and will be carried on through the Extension Service of the College of Agriculture. The university approved the schedule and entire list of speakers as arranged by the Commission, and will carry on the work in much the same way that it has been handled for several years. Bulletins containing the information can be had by writing the Extension Service, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. The bulletins will be in the University booth at the Ohio State Fair this week.

OFFER FARM ENGINEERING HELP
To assist Ohio farmers in drainage problems, questions relative to farm machinery and power, cement construction and the planning and erection of farm buildings, an expert in farm engineering has been added to the Extension Service of Ohio State University. His work will include demonstrations and lectures throughout the state and the handling of questions and problems sent to the service. Another specialist to take up poultry work will be added October 1.

A Cough Remedy That Relieves.
It's prepared from the healing Pine Balsam, Tar and Honey—all mixed in a pleasant soothing Cough Syrup called Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Thousands have benefited by its use—no need of your enduring that annoying Cough or risking a dangerous Cold. Go to your dealer, ask for a 25c original bottle Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey, start using at once and get rid of your Cough and Cold.

COUNTY AFFAIRS

Court House News For The Week—

Cases in Probate Court—Marriage Licenses—Real Estate Transfers—Orders Drawn on Treasury—New Cases in Common Pleas Court.

Probate Court.
Guardianship of Charles Tredrow, Application to be appointed as Guardian filed. Bond filed and approved and letters of guardianship issued to G. D. Newcomer. Inventory filed.
Estate of Mary Plogaus, first partial account filed. Hearing set for September 27th, 1915.
Insanity of Frank March. Affidavit alleging insanity filed. Warrant to arrest issued. Hearing continued.Estate of Nellie M. Watkins, final account filed. Hearing set for September 27th, 1915.
Guardianship of Katherine Bunting, second notice mailed to P. A. Wheeler, guardian at Metamora, Ohio to file an account, forthwith.
Estate of Joseph O. Allen. Proof of publication and notice of appointment filed.
Estate of Anna M. Ely, proof of publication and notice of appointment filed.
Estate of Albert Kershner. Proof of publication and notice of appointment filed.
In the matter of the assignment of The Commercial Art Manufacturing Company of Delta, proof of publication and notice of appointment filed.
Guardianship of Albert W. Onweller, 4th partial account filed. Hearing set for September 27th, 1915.

Marriage Licenses.
Howard J. Myers, 21, farmer and C. Virginia McCance, 20, both of Wauseon, Ohio. Rev. O. P. Hoffman, officiating.

Real Estate Transfers.
Delta Building and Real Estate Company to T. J. Halsey, lot 70, unaccepted plat, Oakwood, Delta, Ohio, \$1.
Helen M. Dewey to Jesse V. Peck and wife, small parcel of land, section 11, Amboy (Metamora) \$1.
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Teachers and persons who have kept in touch with the work and life of the schools are well pleased with the results accomplished last year by county supervision and there seems to have been developed a new interest in the schools and in educational matters generally among the people in all parts of the county. Improved and systematic methods of teaching, comfortable, sanitary and attractive school houses the tendency toward making the school house a social center for the community, the unification of courses of study and uniformity of methods in the schools, the things that have been developed by one year under the system of County and District Superintendence and much more is in prospect for this coming year. It seems certain that we have entered upon a new era in the development of the educational system of Ohio.

Rural school teachers, will this year have the advantage of following an Elementary course of Education, which has just been issued from the office of the State Superintendent of Schools. The course was prepared under the direction of the State Superintendent, and edited by a committee consisting of Supt. A. G. Yawber of Cuyahoga county, Prof. J. W. Heckert of Miami University, Principal Clark Fullerton of Portsmouth High School and Supt. C. J. Biery of Fulton county. Leading practical features of the state contributed to this course of study and the result is a practical well articulated course of study which will be followed in all the rural schools of the state and which covers the school work of the pupil from the beginning year up to and including the eighth year. This course of study will be of inestimable value to the teachers of the rural schools and as well to the children who attend the schools.

The County Board of Education of the County Board of Education have recommended uniform text books in all the rural schools for the three subjects; reading, history and arithmetic it is gratifying to learn that practically every township board of education has adopted the recommendation of this committee and that the county is well on the way to complete uniformity of text books.

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QUEER QUIRKS OF NEWS.

Newark, N. J.—Mrs. Kathryn Bleier has bought a six-passenger touring car and gone into the "jitney bus" business. Miss Emma S. Redfern, a trained nurse, will follow her example shortly although she will employ a woman chauffeur for her car. Gentry, Mo.—Mrs. Polly Lewis, 83-years old, has never had a hat on her head. She has never ridden on a railroad train. She is well off.

Kansas City, Mo.—Dick Craig, 3-year old son of John A. Craig, is the youngest professional singer of Kansas City. He has won over \$50 in prizes at singing contests. He sings at large assemblies, picture shows and church entertainments. Seymour Ind.—When Andrew Robinson, a LaCrosse grocer, died recently, Babe, an old horse he had driven before he became prosperous, appeared at his front door without bride and followed the hearse to the cemetery. Babe had been living on a farm nearby.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Milwaukee men are up in arms against the practice of their wives shaving their under arms. Local department stores are selling razors for the purpose in large quantities. A local newspaper arranged a column of protests from the men against the fad. New York, N. Y.—The hot wave has resulted in bare ankles on the streets of New York. Seven well-dressed women recently paraded the streets without hose, and many others are taking up the practice. Allentown, Pa.—When dynamite exploded in a chain works here, a piece of iron was hurled almost a mile, striking Mrs. Harvey Fox and cutting off her right hand. The explosion showered that section of the city with fragments of iron. Gainesville, Fla.—December and May will join fortunes when J. O. McManus, 70, and Miss Henrietta Whaley, 15, are married. The parents of the girl secured the license and gave consent to the marriage.

Boston, Mass.—George Apron of Revere, with one arm and one leg, swam from Nahant to Revere a distance of 3 miles in 3 hours and 55 minutes. He was handicapped by rough water and a heavy fog.

THE ADVERTISEMENT.
It is an axiom among advertisement experts that anything can be sold by advertising at any price provided the reason for the sale is strong enough. There is a good deal of truth in the belief. This idea brought out what was known as "reason why" copy, in which, as briefly as possible, the advertiser told about his goods and why the buyer should take them in preference to others. Results have proven that, while this kind of copy has excellent pulling results for the advertiser, it is not always sure fire. The shrewd advertiser these days, will not resort to any particular kind of "copy" for telling his story. He will apply a test for advertising "copy" just as he would apply a test to a plan for a special sale. "Copy" must fit the article to be advertised, and it must be so written that it will not only attract the attention of the prospective buyer, but will convince him that he should buy that particular article and should buy it at once and from the person who advertises it. Many advertisers become dissatisfied with the results of their advertising, blaming the newspapers for the lack of sales, when the "copy" itself is to blame. When he writes his ad, he hurries the work through or turns it over to the newspaper man with the injunction to "write something for me." Maybe he is paying a hundred dollars or more for the advertising, but he dismisses it with a flourish, as a matter of fact, advertising is an investment and should be as careful attention as the investment of an equal amount of money in a business. A piece of real estate or a bond, the newspaper can only offer circulation and the advertiser to the advertiser. In justice to himself, the advertiser should give careful attention to the preparation of his "copy" and the results cannot fail to be profitable.

TO EXCHANGE.
Fine house and lot on Elm street for small farm near Wauseon, will pay difference. S. C. Schnorr, 212 Jefferson street. 18-1f

Off with the Old and on with the New
THE turtle sticks to his lid for life—but who wants to be a turtle?
Even dry old Herbert Spencer recognized the force of style—but the wide-awake men of this town don't need any philosopher to tell them what to wear.

When you see our Fall line of Stetson Hats you know right away that the style is there—
Get into line for Fall. Come give our Stetsons the once-over—you will see what you are looking for.

Harrison & Funkhouser Bros.
Home of Good Clothes and Shoes

4% INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS



During Harvest
—the First National Bank invites the farmers of Wauseon and Fulton county to transact their business here by phone and mail.
Checks may be sent by mail with safety, and deposits made in this manner will have our careful and prompt attention.
If there is any way we can serve you while you are busy, call us by phone and we will do our best to please you.
Pass the word on to your neighbor, we want to serve him, too.

Williams County Fair
Sept. 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, 1915
at Montpelier, Ohio
The Highest Spot in County Fairs
Greatest Live Stock Show
Better and Larger Exhibits
Faster Racing
DARING AEROPLANE FLIGHTS DAILY
Many Special Attractions
Old Soldiers' Day—Saturday
Splendid Music Each Day
Don't Miss It
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A LAKE TRIP FOR REST AND RECREATION.
Have a real vacation on the Great Lakes, the most enjoyable and economical outing in America. The cool lake breezes, the ever-changing scenes along the shore and the luxurious steamers operated by this Company are positive guarantees that you will enjoy every minute of the trip, and return home refreshed and glad you went.

TAKE A D. & C. BOAT WHEN YOU GO AFLOAT.
Daily service between Detroit and Cleveland and Buffalo. From June 10th to September 10th Steamers City of Detroit and City of Cleveland III, the "Two Giants" of the Great Lakes, operate daily service on the Buffalo Division, you can afford to miss the pleasure of a ride on these floating palaces. FOUR TRIPS WEEKLY from Toledo and Detroit to Mackinac Island and Way Point. Mackinac Island, the Historic Summer Resort of the North Country, is becoming more popular every season with the Tourists seeking quietness and repose. Excellent Hotel and Boarding House accommodations at reasonable rates. TWO TRIPS WEEKLY BY SPECIAL STEAMER, Cleveland to Mackinac Island, an opportunity except at Detroit and Alpena. DELIGHTFUL WEEKLY DAILY SERVICE from 14th to September 10th between Toledo and Put-In-Bay. RAILROAD TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR TRANSPORTATION on D. & C. Line Steamers between Detroit and Buffalo or Detroit and Cleveland either direction. Send for our illustrated pamphlet and Great Lakes Map. ALPENA, ST. IGNACE, G. L. A. Detroit, Mich. Set of postage stamps mailed for five cents. Philip H. Mackinac, Pres. A. A. Mackinac, Vice Pres. & Genl. Mgr. DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAVIGATION COMPANY
All steamers arrive and depart, Third Avenue Wharf, Detroit.

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