

REOPENING OF RURAL CHURCH

Zion United Brethren Church Reopens with Modern Church Building, Sunday, January 30th.

For the third time since its dedication fifty two years ago the Zion U. B. Church located in York Township, celebrated the removal of their building and the membership pledged anew their devotion to the cause for which the church stands, by a reopening service which was held in the renewed and enlarged building on Sunday January 30th.

Rev. J. W. Lilly, now of Hicksville officiated at this reconsecration service and it is a significant fact that it is the third time Rev. Lilly has officiated at such service for this church.

Some time ago it became known to the members of the Official Board of the church that the Lutheran church building located one mile south and one mile east of the Zion church, was for sale, the matter was considered in a meeting of the church and the members were made to find to purchase the building and move it onto the Zion site; a sufficient amount was subscribed by the members of the church to make the purchase; the Lutheran building was attached to the original building and a commodious, modern church and Sunday School building was made of the combined buildings so arranged that it may all be thrown into one large auditorium, or divided into separate rooms for Sunday School purposes. Rooms are provided for women rest room and a nursery; the building is heated by furnace and the interior has been appropriately redecorated making a thoroughly modern and pleasant church home.

GREAT CROWDS ATTEND UNITED CHURCH CAMPAIGN

More people attended church in Wauseon last Sunday night than have attended in many years. That capacity audiences assembled in the Methodist and Christian Churches evidenced the enthusiastic interest that is being taken in the evangelistic meetings. Promptly at seven o'clock Edward Claire Harding sang a beautiful duet, "Come to Jesus" the words and music of which were composed by Mr. Harding. The number was impressive, tender and well received.

Frank Guilford, Chairman of the Campaign Finance Committee, made a brief statement. He said that free will offerings were being received upon as the financial plan of the meetings and that \$70 had already been received. He stated that inasmuch as the preachers are doing their part without extra compensation the laymen should take care of the expenses. Earl Wilson made a similar statement at the other meeting. The total offerings of the two audiences was \$92.

SCHOOL BOND ISSUE DEFEATED

884 VOTE NO. 292 VOTE YES. TOTAL VOTE 1186.

York Township Votes Down Centralization.

Following is the unofficial count of votes cast on the \$225,000 School Bond Issue last Tuesday:

Precinct	Yes	No	Total
One	70	185	255
Two	59	192	251
Three	58	190	248
Four	80	244	324
Five	34	133	167
Totals	292	884	1186

The discrepancy in the total vote cast in precinct two and the votes counted "yes" and "no" is due to the fact that ten ballots in this precinct were not counted because they were improperly marked or mutilated. The bond issue is lost by a three to one vote.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Warrants Issued
T. A. Bixler, Swan Creek ditch No. 1212 \$59.82
Wm. Fey, Swan Creek ditch No. 1212 200.00
Ben Barnum, sheep claim 6.20
J. F. Nofziger, fumigation, Health Board 9.80
Red Cross Drug Store, fumigation, Health Board 12.00
First National Bank, coupons due Jan. 1st 25.00
Ottawa Tle Co., Sec. 3-4-5 Ditch 1693.60
G. W. Harpey, Sec. 4, Ditch 80.83

Building Notices
Kling and Winigarian, Dover Twp., store, estimated cost, \$300.
F. A. Stumpel, Wauseon, garage, estimated cost \$255.
Levi Nofziger, German Twp. garage, estimated cost, \$275.

Real Estate Transfers
Alvin Rice to Edward Moden, 32.38 acres Section 14, Clinton.
Alvin Rice to Edward Moden 80 acres Section 2, Swan Creek.
Edward Moden to A. H. Rice, 80 acres, Section 25, Chesterfield.
Herbert Teiker to Fred A. Fahl 20 acres, Section 24, Swan Creek.

New Cases in Court
Mary Frey filed through F. S. and J. M. Hanz action for alimony, vs John Frey.
M. E. Walls vs A. P. Ritter et al., action for money only, settled, dismissed, costs paid, no record.
Lauretta Parison vs Board of County Commissioners, action for money only. Dismissed upon motion of Plaintiff at plaintiffs costs, no record.
Ray Farison vs Board of County Commissioners, action for money only. Dismissed upon motion of Plaintiff at plaintiffs costs, no record.
Clara Harrison vs Howard Vaa-Auken, action for money only, settled as per stipulations, this day approved. No record.

Marriage Licenses
Clarence Hoffman 28, farmer, Liberty Center, Ohio and Sophia Shuman, 18 York Township.
Oscar B. Gausche, 21 farmer, Archbold and Herman Notzinger 18, Archbold.
Samuel G. Beck 29, thresher, Stryker, Ohio and Fannie P. Grieser 21, Archbold.
Norman E. Ulich, lineman, Wauseon and Lucile Stevens, 22 Tedrow.
Ralph Bonar, 26 farmer and Bessie Robinson, 25, Wauseon.

Probate Court
Guardianship of Sylvia J. Collins, guardian ordered to file account.
Guardianship of Grace Bernath et al., choice of guardian filed, application filed, bond filed and approved and letters of guardianship issued to John Bernath.

FARMERS INSTITUTE AT FAYETTE
Friday and Saturday Feb. 18-19
The Farmers Institute at Fayette this year promises to be bigger and better than ever. Some sure enough speakers are promised. State speakers are Mr. Nicodemus of Van Wert, Prof. Arp of the Ohio State Agricultural College and Miss Corbould of the Ohio Ex. Station. Mr. F. L. Allen, state supervisor of institutes says this is one of the strongest corp of speakers they send out.

Other speakers are Mr. Arp of Morrow, Joel C. Nofziger, County nurse and our County Agent. Come and hear these talks, see our town and enjoy our hospitality. G. M. Ziegler, Pres.

What Is Behind It?
This is a question which must be answered satisfactorily before any investment is made.
We are now offering the Preferred and Common Stock of a Company (whose property is located in the best section of Cleveland's retail district) which has a tangible value of \$164 behind each \$100 share of preferred and a tangible value of \$13.71 behind each \$10 share of Common.
The Preferred Stock is an excellent 7% taxfree investment and the Common Stock has great possibilities not only as an investment, but also for future enhancement in value.
Let us have the opportunity of explaining fully this exceedingly attractive investment.

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F. C. Smallman
Local Representative

WATER WORKS CONTRACTS LET

Last Thursday February 3rd the Board of Trustees of Public Affairs awarded the contracts for the construction of the new Water Works Plant. There were thirty bidders and the construction of the plant was divided in four separate contracts. Successful bidders were as follows:
Roberts FMAR Mfg Co. Darby, Penn., contract for all filtration equipment except building \$22,900
Holloway and Berkeley, Delta, Ohio, contract for filtration plant building and low service pumping station 36,700
Harry F. Heiden, Akron, Ohio, contract for excavation, work of reservoir 31,540
H. R. Abbott, Company, Chicago, Ill., contract for all equipment of low service pumping station, pumps, pipes, reservoir equipment etc. 42,929

Total \$127,169
The above figures may be subject to slight variation but are believed to be approximately correct. All of the contractors named above have qualified by the filing of bonds etc. with the exception of one. Work will begin on reservoir excavation and buildings about April first and the Board will use their best endeavor to have the entire plant in running order by October 1st 1921.

The Board is to be commended for keeping down the cost of the plant to within the amount of the bond issue and we believe that when the construction is complete and their supervision Wauseon will have an ample supply of good water for fifty years to come.

COUNCIL MEETING

At the council meeting last Monday night, Mayor Oakley announced the name of Charles Pence as Street Commissioner to serve for the balance of the present year. The appointment was unanimously confirmed by vote of the councilmen of whom were present.
The names of G. A. Stratton as first Deputy Marshal and Frank Shuller as second Deputy Marshal were also announced by Mayor Oakley and these appointments were also confirmed by a unanimous vote of the councilmen.
The purpose of appointing these assistants to Marshal Sweney is to afford the citizens more adequate police protection and provide for emergencies that may arise.
The matter of fixing up cells in the room formerly used as a village jail was discussed and finally referred by the Mayor to the Building Committee.

Reports were heard from the various council committees.
Advertising for bids on East Chestnut Street improvement was ordered published.
Messrs. L. M. McDougald, S. B. Overmyer, L. B. Hann and O. E. Funkhouser reported to the council as having been selected by the Fire Department to serve as special police and with the consent of the Council they were sworn in by Mayor Oakley.
An ordinance fixing the salary of the Street Commissioner at \$88.33 per month, payable on the 1st and 15th of each month, and repealing

previous ordinance fixing street commissioner salary, was presented and passed under suspension of rules.
Claim ordinance was passed and council adjourned.

WE SHALL MISS THEM
Mr. Elmer W. Bourquin who for many years has been one of the Zager Standish and Hatt Company sales corps, has accepted a position with the Baumgardner Company of Toledo. We are informed that Mr. and Mrs. Bourquin and family expect to move to Toledo next week. Mr. and Mrs. Bourquin are well known and well liked in Wauseon and will be missed in many circles here. While we are sorry to lose them as residents, we are glad for the advancement in business which has come to Mr. Bourquin.

INTERESTING CONTEST

Literary Contest between High Schools of Delta, Swanton and Wauseon. Wauseon Wins By Six Points Over Next Highest School.

Before an audience that filled the High School Auditorium to capacity the first Annual County Literary meet was held. Wauseon meeting the best of Delta and Swanton. The contest was to begin at 8:00 o'clock, Friday January 4th. At 7:30 the cheering began. Delta brought along about a hundred adherents and Swanton a few more so that Wauseon did not have everything her way when it came to cheering the contestants. The W. H. S. students were out in force. We do not know when such enthusiasm and pep and spirit has been shown as there was that night. It seemed as if everyone was bubbling over with it.

County Supt. C. D. Perry was in charge of the meeting. He called for the proceedings to begin. The first number was a vocal duet; Celia Fouty and Louise Fink of Wauseon started things off right by winning. Their selection was "Whispering Hope." The selection was very well adapted to their voices and was very well sung.
The next number was a reading; "The Littlest Rebel" given by Nettie Konkln of Swanton carried off the honors. It was a good reading, well handled, four characters were impersonated.
The third event was the instrumental solo, "Kamdee-Ostrow," by Rubenstein, played by Miss Eva Eldredge of Swanton was the winner. It showed much hard work and preparation.

The next thing was a discussion on the subject "A League of Nations." Both discussions were on "the" League. Both discussions were well prepared and delivered. The W. H. S. contestant tended to discuss both sides of the League while the Delta contestant tended to bring out the good points of the League. But anyway the Delta representative, Audrey Green won, according to the judges decision. Many thought the Wauseon won and many didn't think, at least did not express themselves.
The next thriller was a vocal solo. Kenneth McGuffin of Wauseon, singing "Asleep in the Deep," won this. He has a deep bass voice

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February 11th
Hostess Mrs. Cave
Developing the habits of observation and concentration, awakening the senses, Mrs. Cummings. Does the fear of punishment prevent bad habits Mrs. Dairymple.
Reading Mrs. Myra Faith an essential element in character construction Mrs. Clack.
Opening the mind of the child, a mother function Mrs. Waid.

DELTA-The Delta High School students are contemplating the publication of a monthly paper.

THE CHILD CONSERVATION LEAGUE

EXTRA NUMBER HIGH SCHOOL LECTURE COURSE

The Wauseon High School Lecture Course Committee announce The Great Lakes String Quartet as an extra number on this season's course at the High School Assembly room on Friday evening, February 11th. The entertainment will begin at 8:20. Holders of season tickets may have seats reserved on their tickets by the payment of 10c per seat as usual; single admission, without season tickets, is 35c.

The Great Lakes String Quartette was on the Chautauque Circuit and scored a great success wherever it appeared. This is really a "big" number and well worth your time and money.

WAUSEON HI LOSES

Friday February 4th the W. H. S. basketballers journeyed to Bowling Green to defeat the warriors of that place. They left on the 1:30 car that afternoon, driving in Bowling Green about 6 o'clock. One member of the team said Lake Erie was no comparison to the amount of water there was there. Wade and then swim awhile seemed to be the best procedure.

But by skillful maneuvering we managed to reach the hall. Upon getting there they found that Bowling Green's suits were the same as ours. Wauseon, the visiting team was the one that was made to change and this put our fellows at a disadvantage. The score at the end of the first half was 11 to 2 in favor of Bowling Green.

The 2nd half our fellows went back with a vengeance. They began to find the basket so with 8 minutes left to play, W. H. S. was two points in the lead. Then one of Bowling Green's guards began dropping them in from the middle of the floor. This was too much so that when the final checking up was concluded Bowling Green was ahead 25 to 16.

The Bowling Green team and the spectators were fine but the referee was simply rotten. He really made the game uninteresting. The next home game is next Saturday night with Montpelier.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Emil G. Rieber, Pastor
Lenten Service Wednesday evening, 7:30.
Sunday School 9:00 a. m.
English Service, 7:30 p. m.

WHAT ARE YOU PAYING?

Prices are down at the Cash and Carry Store. Look over the following list, then decide if you are paying too much. Hurry and get the bargains.

- 3 cans sardines in cartons with keys 25c
- 3 tall cans pink salmon 35c
- 2 cans tall milk 25c
- Seeded raisins per lb. pkg. 28c
- Seedless raisins per lb. pkg. 29c
- 3 lbs. fancy 60/70 prunes 37c
- 2 pkgs. Bakers shredded cocoonut 25c
- 3 lbs. Monarch quality coffee \$1.00
- The best tea in town, 1-2 lb. pkg. 37c
- 3 lbs. Arzo starch 26c
- 3 cans SOUP all flavors 23c
- 3 cans corn extra standard 31c
- 2 pkgs. tapioca minuet or pearl 25c
- 3 boxes shonola all colors 23c
- 3 large rolls toilet paper 23c
- 5 lbs fancy yellow corn meal 22c
- 5 lbs fancy blue rose rice 37c
- 3 lbs extra fancy rice 27c
- 3 pkgs jello or jiffy jell 29c 1 pkg 10c
- Large pkg rolled oats 271-2c
- 3 pkgs. corn starch 25c
- Quart jars pepper 35c
- Karo syrup, large pail 68c
- Large cans extra fancy tomatoes 19c
- 1 2 lb. cans cocoa, your choice 21c
- 3 cans Tuxedo, Prince Albert or Velvet 43c
- No. 1 lamp chimneys, 2 for 25c
- All Nut Oleo, up to 10 lbs. at 29c
- Lard compound in bulk, per lb. 15c
- Brick cheese, full lb. 31c
- 40c size Light House wash powder 27c
- All white laundry soap, per bar 61-2c
- 25c pkg. clothes pins 19c
- Qt. jars Monarch apple butter 43c
- Spices, your choice, 3 pkgs. 21c
- All bulk coffee, too cheap to misg. guaranteed Old Reliable, reg. price 36c
- All candies at about half price.
- Freshly salted peanuts, per lb. 17c
- 2 bottles Black Cat stove polish 25c
- Flotilla soap like ivory, per cake 61-2c
- All toilet soaps 3 cakes 25c
- Fancy oranges, per dozen 22c
- Good quality canvas gloves, per pr. 15c
- Mason jar tops per 27c, 2 dozen 50c
- Red seal lye, 2 cans 25c
- Heavy grape fruit 2 for 25c, 3 for 25c, 4 for 25c
- Large corn flakes, your choice 19c
- Fancy navy beans, 5 lbs 29c
- Premier baked beans, 3 cans 27c
- 5 oz vanilla extract, extra quality 39c
- 1-2 gal. maple Karo syrup 57c
- High grade bread flour, 1-8 lb. \$1.25
- 10 lbs. fancy yellow oni.ms 25c
- 1-2 lb. Liptons yellow label tea 41c
- Big Ten school tablets, 3 tablets 25c

I have a quantity of water color paints for children, I will give a box to all regular customers, ask for them.
5 pounds SUGAR with all regular orders 33c
BEN LESLIE
The Cash and Carry Store. Wauseon, O.

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We will put them on the road to recovery in the shortest time possible.
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