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New Locomotives for the B. & O.
The thirty new freight locomotives ordered by the receivers of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad about three months ago, twenty of which are from the Baldwin Locomotive Works and ten from the Pittsburg Locomotive Works have been delivered and are now in service. The engines are the same type that have been very successfully used on the second division between Cumberland and Baltimore and over one hundred of them are now in service. They are the consolidation type with 21x27 inch cylinders and were constructed from designs furnished by the motive power department of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

One Fare for the Round Trip.
Via C. H. & D. to Weston on Tuesday, Nov. 22, the Weston K. of P. Lodge will dedicate their new Castle. Special train both ways at one fare, trains leave Perrysburg at 5:30 p. m., returning at 1 a. m. T. M. Franey, A. G.

COURT RECORD.
TIMES FOR HOLDING COMMON PLEAS COURT
A. D. 1899.

STATE OF OHIO,
TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

It is ordered that the terms of Common Pleas Court of the several counties in said Tenth Judicial District, for the year 1899, be fixed as follows, to-wit:

Crawford County on the 31st day of January and the 17th day of April and the 18th day of September.
Hancock County on the 9th day of January and the 31st day of April and the 18th day of September.
Hardy County on the 9th day of January and the 31st day of April and the 18th day of September.
Logan County on the 6th day of February and the 8th day of May and the 23rd day of October.
Marion County on the 6th day of February and the 8th day of May and the 16th day of October.
Seneca County on the 6th day of February and the 1st day of May and the 23rd day of October.
Union County on the 21st day of January and the 10th day of April and the 11th day of September.
Wood County on the 9th day of January and the 31st day of April and the 18th day of September.
Wyandot County on the 23rd day of January and the 10th day of April and the 24th day of September.

It is further ordered that the Hon. Duncan Dow be designated as supervising Judge, and that said terms begin at nine o'clock A. M. October 15th, 1898.

J. W. SCHAEFFELBERGER,
CHARLES M. MELHORN,
DURKAN DOW,
ALEX. SWALLEY,
FRANK TAYLOR,
J. C. TORIAN.

CERTIFICATE OF COPY.
The State of Ohio, Wood County, ss:
I, Joe E. Baird, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the aforesaid County and State, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original order now on file in said Clerk's Office in the cause.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the [SEAL] seal of said Court, at Bowling Green, this 22d day of October, 1898.
JOE E. BAIRD, Clerk.
33d By A. R. HARRISON, Deputy.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.
The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Amelia M. Ferrin, late of Perrysburg, Wood County, Ohio, deceased.

EVGENIA P. LONG, Ex.
D. K. HOLLENBECK, Atty.
November 11th, 1898. 36c

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THE VICTORY.

The Wood County Republican Club

Will Ratify the Republican Victory.

A ratification of the Republican victory of November, will be observed by the Republican Club of Wood county at Bowling Green, on Saturday evening, Nov. 19, 1898, on which occasion the following programme will be rendered at the city hall. Speaking at 7:30 followed by a reception at the club rooms.

PROGRAMME:

Music.
"The 55th Congress," Hon. Jas. H. Southard, Congressman Ninth Ohio District.
"The Club in Politics," W. T. Huntsman, President of Lincoln Club.
"Wood County Republican Club," Hon. R. S. Parker, Judge of the Circuit Court.
Music.
"The Victory of November 8th," R. R. Kinkade, Chairman Lucas County Republican Ex. Com.
"Ohio in National Politics," C. R. Painter, Secretary Wood County Republican Ex. Com.
"The Republican Party and Territorial Expansion," Hon. E. B. King, Judge of the Circuit Court, Sandusky.

THE OHIO CENTENNIAL.

Shall it be held in 1902 or 1903?

It is now practically settled that the Ohio Centennial will be held at Bay View Park.
The next thing of importance is to make it certain that it will be a success. But one thing can prevent such a result, and that is, competition with another exposition of the same character, in the same year.
It is now pretty well settled that the centennial of the Louisiana purchase will be celebrated at St. Louis in 1903. Here is the clash.

There are but two ways to avoid it. Either hold the St. Louis celebration in 1904, or the Ohio one in 1902. There is a precedent for the former course. Columbus discovered America in 1492, and the quadri-centennial consequently came in 1892; but the big World's Fair at Chicago in honor of that event was not held until 1893.
There is an equally good reason for holding the Ohio Centennial in 1902. It is, that it is a disputed point whether Ohio was admitted in 1802 or 1803.

Without going into the minutiae of the matter, the state constitution was framed and adopted in 1802; and, under the ordinance of 1787, Ohio was authorized to send her proper representative to congress upon the adoption of her state constitution.

The first state legislature, however, did not meet until the spring of 1803, and the territorial officers held their places until that body met.
To put the case in a sentence, the status was this: The requisites to admission were all complied with in 1802, but did not go fully into effect until 1803.

More than half the historical authorities give 1802 as the date of Ohio's statehood; the others give 1803.
There would be no violation of the proprieties by holding the centennial in 1902. There would be much more reason for it than there was for celebrating the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America in 1893 instead of 1892.

The people of Ohio have no power to postpone the date of the Louisiana purchase celebration for one year; but they can, through the general assembly which meets one year from January next, change the date of the Ohio Centennial to 1902.

This is what should be done in order to insure a grand success. No citizen desires it to be a fiasco.—Toledo Blade.

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WASHINGTON NEWS

[Special Correspondence.]
WASHINGTON, Nov. 14, 1898.

President McKinley is still receiving congratulations, by mail, from every section of the country on the indorsement given him and his administration—one of the most remarkable indorsements ever given to any President in the middle of his administration—by the voters of the country. The big head is an affliction unknown to him, but the President is naturally proud of the confidence in him, which the reelection of a Republican majority in the House and the election of State Legislatures, which insure a big Republican majority in the Senate, expressed, and anxious that his future policy in connection with our newly acquired territory and his recommendations to Congress, shall be of such a nature as to merit a continuance of that confidence. If a conscientious desire to do the right thing for the country will enable him to do it, he will succeed.

Having failed in the election, the Democrats have returned to their old occupation of trying to create dissension among the victorious Republicans. They are circulating stories to the effect that friends of the President are trying to prevent Speaker Reed being re-elected Speaker of the next House. There is not a word of truth in the stories, and it is as certain as anything in the future can be that Mr. Reed will be Speaker of the next House, unless he declines to be.

At the last meeting of the Cabinet the American Peace Commissioners at Paris, were instructed to notify the Spanish Commissioners that this government would call time on them if they did not hurry and get down to business on our demand for the Philippines—a demand that is unalterable and which must be either accepted or refused, regardless of what any other government may do or threaten to do. In other words Spain must understand that European interference, even if it could be brought about, would not change the policy of the government one iota.

While President McKinley will, under no circumstances, attempt to interfere with the selection of Senator by any of the Republican State Legislatures, there isn't the slightest doubt that Representative Babcock of Wisconsin, who, as Chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, has made a new record that is not likely to be broken, by electing a Republican majority in the House at three consecutive Congressional elections, will have his best wishes in his campaign for election to the Senate. This is not because of any objection to either of the other able Republicans who are candidates for the Senate, but because President McKinley thinks that Mr. Babcock's work for the party has given him a claim upon the highest honors at the disposal of the Republicans of Wisconsin.

Adjutant General Corbin, in his annual report, refers to existing law which prevents the enlistment in the army of persons not citizens of the U. S., and says: "The new conditions will, however, make a modification of this statute desirable, to the end that the enlistment of from one company to a battalion of natives for each regiment serving in Cuba, Porto Rico, and the Philippines may be authorized. The advantage of this is too obvious for discussion."

According to the annual report of Commissioner-General T. V. Powderly, just made public, the total number of immigrants in the U. S., during the last fiscal year, was 229,299, being 1,533 fewer than came during the previous year. During the year 3,030, who were undesirable from one cause or another, principally pauperism, were deported. Mr. Powderly recommends that the head tax be increased from \$1 to \$2, to provide a fund to "enlarge the bureau's operations to its full capacity for usefulness in protecting American citizens from disease, tax-payers from the imposition of unjust burdens, and the hospitals, charitable and penal institutions of the country from demoralization by the corrupt citizens of other countries."

Representative Sherman and other New York Republicans, who have been in Washington since the election appear to think that Hon. Chauncey M. Depew will be the Republican elected to succeed Senator Murphy, unless there is a great change in party sentiment before the Legislature meets.

Admiral Schley who was one of our Military Commissioners charged with the duty of arranging for the evacuation of Porto Rico, is in Washington. He brought a full report of the work of himself and colleagues in Porto Rico, with him, and it is now in the hands of the President. He refuses to discuss any of the numerous sensational

stories dealing with the relations, both personal and official, between himself and Admiral Sampson, but has expressed an ardent desire to get hold of the man who started the story that he was a Democrat. He says that as a naval officer he has no politics other than his country and does not consider any other necessary; that his first and paramount duty is to the administration. Secretary Long has not decided what duty Admiral Schley will next be assigned to, but will endeavor to meet the Admiral's wishes after conferring with him.

THE SALE OF QUAIL

Prohibited by Law—Hunters Should be Careful.

Now that the quail season is on it is perhaps well for hunters and dealers to know that the law is very strict on the subject of selling quail during the open season.
Section 6964 prohibits merchants or vendors from selling, purchasing, exposing for sale or having in their possession any quail except between the 10th day of November and the 15th day of December. But section 1 as amended April 1st, 1896, enacts that no person shall at any time kill any quail for the purpose of conveying the same beyond the limits of this state, or for the purpose of sale in the markets of this state, of any such birds killed within this state; and the person violating the provisions of this section shall be liable to a fine as provided in section 6968.

Section 6804 of the general statutes provides: "Whoever aids, abets or procures another to commit any offense may be prosecuted and punished as if he was the principal offender."
The law is such that the purchaser of the quail is guilty of a misdemeanor just the same as the hunter who offers the birds for sale, as he is considered an aider and abettor of the one who offers the birds for sale. Quail shipped into this state from another state can be sold between the 10th day of November and the 15th day of December.

KISS DER BRIDE.

A Local Justice Ties the Nuptial Knot.

On Sunday evening last while a certain Justice of the Peace of Perrysburg was standing on the street corner a man and woman approached and asked him if he was a "Squire." He politely replied in the affirmative, when the man said—"well, me and her (pointing to his lady companion) wants to get married." "Vell, just come in here to my bruder's." "But," said the prospective groom, "we have left our baby up at your house." The Squire informed them they could get along without the baby for a little while, and marched them into his "bruder's" house, when a few special friends were immediately summoned. The Justice had forgotten his book from which he was accustomed to read the ceremony and his memory proved slightly defective but the ceremony was performed just the same, in the following manner: "You will take hold of hands." "Do you take dis voman for your lawful wife, for better or vorse, and promise to stay by her 'till you die?" "I do," answered the groom. The Justice then asked the bride—"Do you take dis man for your husband, and promise to stay by him, and not go away mit odder fellers?" "I do," she sweetly replied. "Den, kiss der pride, and its all over," said the Squire.

Certain circumstances arose which made the Justice think the baby had been left at his home "for keeps," but the fatherly dispenser of justice and marriage ceremonies, on being told it was a girl baby, declared he never would give it up, and started out to purchase a cow in order to give the infant a good raising.

Longfellow to be Illustrated.

Last year Charles Dana Gibson illustrated "The People of Dickens" for the Ladies' Home Journal. The pictures were so successful that this year, and during next year, W. L. Taylor, the New England artist who has made such rapid strides in his art, will illustrate "The People of Longfellow"—also for the Ladies' Home Journal. The poems selected are "The Psalm of Life," "Hiawatha," "Evangeline," "The Courtship of Miles Standish," "The Children's Hour," "The Village Blacksmith," and others.

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NOT SO EASY.
Captain of a Volunteer Company,
Tells of His First Attempt to Command Troops.

In a letter home Capt. McKinley, of Emporia, Kan., writes: "My first attempt at commanding was rather humiliating. I resolved to take one command from the book and study till I learned it. I procured a pass, went deep into the woods and rehearsed it. I had it down pat. I then went to the captains and had them explain what effect that command would have on the company. Each one took a stick and mapped out the movement on the ground until I understood it thoroughly. I repeated it to myself and felt proud and confident. Next morning at drill I assumed an attitude and, while making a cigarette in a careless fashion, issued the command. The company ran over me, and as they are taught to keep on going until told to halt, the entire company walked on my graceful presence before I could think of what came next. I hope to learn, but I wish I had a company that was not so anxious to mind."

A Noble Nurse.

When a soldier enters the detention hospital all of his clothes are burned. One man who had been furloughed at Camp Wikoff asked for his clothing and \$12 that he had left in his shirt pocket. It was all of his funds, and he relied on it to pay his fare home. He was informed that his clothing had been burned and the \$12 also, as no one had thought to look in the little pocket, relates the New York World. At this news the weak and miserable fellow collapsed, and it was necessary to again put him on his cot. He was lying semi-conscious, overcome with disappointment and the hopelessness of his position, when a nurse went to the bedside. "It was all a mistake about your money being burned," she said, "and here it is." With that she handed him \$12. The poor fellow could not at first realize his good fortune, but finally he smiled and then fell asleep. The nurse was Miss Harriet E. Hawley, daughter of Gen. Hawley, of Washington, who cast her lot in the detention hospital when help was greatly needed there. The \$12 was really burned and Miss Hawley told a fib, for which she will no doubt be forgiven. She collected the money from doctors and nurses, subscribing the most herself.

An Italian in New York asks permission to put a bootblack stand in every police station in the city, and offers to clean each policeman's clothes and shoes for one dollar a month. For this privilege he is willing to pay \$6,000 a year to the police pension fund. There are 8,000 police in New York, and the dollar a month would yield \$96,000 a year. The annual profit would be at least \$20,000, and more if padrone labor were permitted.

Monuments proposed to the memory of the heroes who fell in the war with Spain meet with a ready response from the public. The citizens of Raleigh, N. C., have raised \$1,800 for a monument to Lieut. Shipp, Tenth cavalry, who fell at Santiago. Ensign Bagley, the first American naval officer killed in the war, will be remembered in a similar manner at Raleigh.

Winston, N. C., claims the distinction of selling more pounds of leaf tobacco direct from the hands of the farmer than any other loose market in the world.

Booker T. Washington is perhaps the best known colored man in America. Yet he was introduced as Washington T. Booker when he made a speech at the Chicago peace jubilee.

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