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FREE MAIL DELIVERY

Will be Established in Perrysburg on May First.

The free delivery of mail will be established in Perrysburg May 1st, with two carriers. This is the order from the P. O. department. Carrier No. 1—1st trip—will serve: Business section only, beginning at postoffice—on Front street between Walnut and Elm. Louisiana Ave. both sides, between Front and Second. Second St.—business places—between Walnut and Elm.

Second and third trips. Carrier will serve business section same as on first trip, then all of the west part of town from Louisiana Ave. to cemetery, from Front to Sixth.

Carrier No. 2—1st trip—business section only, Louisiana Ave. (both sides) between 2d and 4th, and on 3d between Elm and Walnut.

Second and third trips—business sections same as first trip and all that part of town east of Louisiana Ave., Front St. to 6th.

The first trip for business section only will begin at 7:00 a. m.

Second trip for business and residence begins at 7:40 a. m.

Third trip for business and residence begins at 12:40 p. m.

Street letter boxes for deposit and collection of mail will be located at the following street corners:

Corner Third and Louisiana Ave.

Corner Sixth and Louisiana Ave.

Corner Indiana and Cherry.

Corner Front and Cherry.

Corner Front and Maple.

Corner Indiana and Locust.

All letters that are sealed must carry 2c stamp.

All houses must be numbered and mail boxes or other means provided for receptacle of mail.

NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH

Mr. Arthur J. Hahn, salesman, formerly of Perrysburg, narrowly escaped death, or possibly severe injuries by alighting from the Pittsburg Flyer about five minutes prior to the disastrous wreck at Mount Union, Pa., which resulted in crushing out the lives of 20 passengers in the sleeper Bellwood. Mr. Hahn is a traveling salesman in charge of Pennsylvania, Maryland and New York territory, and was enroute from Altoona, Pa., to Mount Union on the midnight express.

Bad Colds from Sudden Changes.

Spring brings all kinds of weather and with it comes colds and the revival of winter coughs and hoarseness. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will head off a new cold or stop the old one. The soothing balsams relieve the sore throat and heal the irritated tissues. Get a bottle today and start treatment at once. At your druggist, 25c. Formula on the bottle.

R. P. BARTON,

Phones Main Twenty-seven

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Near Michigan Street.

Special care will be taken with the repair of all kinds of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

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Office Hours:—8 to 11 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m.

Office upstairs corner Second

and Main Streets.

Phone Main 14

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. Daniel Carter, D. D., Pastor. Services Sunday, March 11th, 1917:

Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Public worship, 10:30 a. m.

Public worship, 7:30 p. m.

Sermon subjects: "The Victory of Faith." "The Great Refusal."

Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday School lesson, "Jesus the Bread of Life." John 6:22-40.

If some people were compelled to bury their faults the undertakers would have plenty to do.

The saying is that truth is stranger than fiction. Is that because there is less of it on the market?

The leading soprano came down the church steps beaming. She said to Mr. Oldschool, "How did you enjoy the refrain today?"

"Very much, very much," said he. "The more you refrain the better I like it."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Wm. H. Pheley, Minister.

Services for Sunday, March 11: Sunday School at 9:30. Lesson

study, "Jesus the Bread of Life." John 6:24-37. There are classes

for all ages, and especially for men. At this hour the Men's Bible

class meets and invites all men.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Dr. W. H. Pheley will

preach on the subject, "It is Written." In the evening at 7:30 will

be given the first of a series of four illustrated services that will be

enjoyable to all. The first will be "White Man's Alaska." There

will be 70 colored slides to picture the address. There is no collection

and it is free to all. You will find the service interesting, instructive

and well worth your time to attend. See elsewhere in this paper

for further account of series. All cordially welcome.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30. Topic, "How Can We Know Our

Sins are Forgiven." Psalms 103:3; John 1:9-10. Miss Lela Hollen-

beck, superintendent.

Senior Christian Endeavor meet-

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When to Take Chamberlain's Tablets.

When you feel dull and stupid after eating.

When constipated or bilious.

When you have a sick headache.

When you have a sour stomach.

When you belch after eating.

When you have indigestion.

When nervous or despondent.

When you have no relish for your meals.

When your liver is torpid.

Obtainable everywhere.

TOWN IMPROVEMENT

Community Development by the Citizens of the Village.

For the meeting of the New Century club last week Mrs. E. L. Clay was assigned the duty of presenting a paper on "Town Improvement" and so well did she treat the subject that the club members requested the publication of the paper in the Journal. The editor is pleased to reproduce the article with the hope that it may take a strong hold on the minds of all who read it and prompt them to "unite all the force" for the development of our village. The paper follows:

And I on the opposite shore will be, Ready to ride and spread the alarm Through every Middlesex village and farm, For the country folk to be up and arm.

In the foregoing lines they are in the foregoing lines and indeed in the whole poem from which they are taken, Long-

fellow has portrayed a condition of public sentiment and patriotism that could exist only in communities in which participation in public affairs was of almost every day occurrence.

Paul Revere's own account of this historic ride is not less stirring than the poet's, but the chief lesson to be drawn from it is that the people all along his route were well informed regarding public affairs as a result of their frequent meetings—public and secret.

There are many things that citizens as individuals and in organized groups can do to promote the prosperity of their town, thus becoming, as it were, animate links in an endless chain, that shall bind all together for mutual benefit.

Living in a community at the same time that it confers benefits and advantages, incurs duties and obligations and the town is but a mirror or reflection of the character of its citizens.

He who will litter his streets and highways with waste and rubbish, throw refuse in the streets, or who with pencil or match mars its buildings and monuments, must be lacking in the finer instincts of humanity.

It is just a little carelessness and thoughtfulness and personal responsibility that transforms a community, thus making it fitly representative of a higher type of citizenship and of a broader culture.

Does anyone suppose that everything in this town is exactly as it should be and that there is no possibility of improvement? Of course not. Everyone knows that there is room here and opportunity for improvement and growth, and everybody knows that the first step is to acknowledge that fact, for, remember, when your town stops growing, it is because its people have stopped growing.

There is much that is good also in this community, but there are numberless opportunities for improvement and we must be ready to take advantage of them on every occasion. Just as the needs touch all of us—men or women—so all must unite in taking steps for the town's rejuvenation and preservation. In every community are lying dormant forces, that if utilized would work wonders from stagnation to progress. What kind of a town is ours? Have we any resources that should be developed?

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Sign of Good Digestion.

When you see a cheerful and happy old lady you may know that she has good digestion. If your digestion is impaired or if you do not relish your meals take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach, improve the digestion and cause a gentle movement of the bowels. Obtainable everywhere.

HIS HEART TURNS BACK

To His Boyhood Home of Long, Long Ago.

"East, west, home's best." No matter where it be; Some day I hope that I may rest On the banks of the old Maumee.

Evidently there is a call to "come back" sounding in the ears of our friend, Mr. C. A. Himmelman, of Cleveland, as indicated by the following verses in which he sings of the old river whose beauties are "calling" him home:

Dear Ed— How are ye? And how is the weather? Have the woodpeckers started to sing? Can you send me a medal of leather For "The Maumee—a Tonic in Spring"? Here's the dope. (But I'll dare you and double, To publish this hallelaloo— Don't come back on me if there's trouble, Or, if Taylor goes running for you!)

These jingles—so jangled together— Are some of the usual junk. You see, I am loose of a tether, And that's why the rhyming is punk. Still, let us not be too laconic— It's Spring, and a time to renew. So I sing of the Maumee as tonic, And eke of a gliding canoe.

THE MAUMEE—A TONIC IN SPRING

I am puffing a cob of old barley 'Mid a fragrance of blue wispy haze, As I dream of a charming old girlie— My pal of those halcyon days— When "hookie" meant down by the willows, Near heaven an hour or two, On the Maumee's old bosom of billows To paddle a home-made canoe.

Oh! Gee! What a darling I thought her— She eased all the burdens and strife, The Maumee—old Erie's sweet daughter— By golly, Ed, that was the life. She's still as attractive as ever; So, flirt with her, flatter her, too; She'll never go back on you—never! But welcome your gliding canoe.

Is your liver inclined to be lazy? Are your bellows as wheezy as fizzes? Is your outlook on business too hazy To grip the efficiency quiz? Then lay off the gasoline fiver— Here's a hunch, Ed, intended for you— Get out on the handy old river And paddle a gliding canoe.

Have you got a wee crick in your back, eh? Or a tech o' the spring fever germ? Are your biceps a trifle too alack? Right now when they ought to be firm? Let us call back the days that were palmy— Take a tip that is tested and true— Get out on the healthy old Maumee And paddle your gliding canoe.

Are the bats playin' hob in your belfry? Is the night-mare a kickin' your stall? Or the clock alarm ringin' like hellfy? Before you're aleep any at all? Then listen, Ed, here's what you'd ought ter Be doing—your youth to renew— Get out on the placid old water And paddle your gliding canoe.

There are tonics and powders and plasters And crutches and tablets and pills And pow wows for all the disasters That trail on the millions of ills. But leave those to old sister Sally And let 'em go hang. As for you— Lay a bet on the Queen of the valley And paddle your gliding canoe.

Believe me—some day we are coming To hide in the old town and stay, Abandon the strenuous thrumming, The hustle and rush of today, While knocking on wood like a drummer, One thing I am planning to do, Is, flirt with the old stream in summer And paddle a gliding canoe.

Sincerely,

C. A. HIMMELMAN.

BOY SCOUTS HIKE

The Boy Scouts started out at 7 o'clock last Saturday morning on a hike to Lake Erie. Twelve boys mustered in at roll call at the start, namely: Donald Pair, Stanley Thurlby, James Wiser, Lawrence Wiser, Blaair Caldwell, Chas. Marvin, Karl Witzler, Allie Hoffman, Darrel Pair and Merwin Finch. Charles Hoffman and Carl Mills, not being able to start with the boys, joined them later at Toledo. Those answering roll call at the end of the journey were: Merwin Finch, James Wiser, Lawrence Wiser, Carl Mills, Charles Hoffman and Donald Pair.

The boys started from Front and Main streets and proceeded along the east side of the Maumee, clear (Continued on Eighth Page.)

Sloan's Liniment for Rheumatism. The torture of rheumatism, the pains and aches that make life unbearable, are relieved by Sloan's Liniment, a clear clear liquid that is easy to apply and more effective than musky plasters or ointments because it penetrates quickly without rubbing. For the many pains and aches following exposure, strains, sprains and muscle soreness, Sloan's Liniment is promptly effective. Always have a bottle handy for gout, lumbago, toothache, backache, stiff neck and all external pains. At druggists, 25c.

FARMERS WILL ORGANIZE

Expect to Institute a Grange in Perrysburg.

Interest in farmers' organizations is becoming more apparent every day and it is expected that a Grange will soon be established in Perrysburg.

Mr. Wood of Maumee, who is the Lucas county representative, was here last week and expects soon to institute a branch in this place.

On February 28 the Waterville Grange was instituted with 106 members with the following officers:

Master—H. F. VanFleet.

Overseer—Wm. Fisher.

Lecturer—H. H. Davenport.

Steward—Daniel Moseman.

Asst. Steward—Walter Stuck-

socker.

Chaplain—Rev. H. T. Zier.

Treasurer—J. H. Duhamel.

Secretary—W. L. Hoskins.

Gatekeeper—J. N. Esworthy.

Ceases—Mrs. Wm. Fisher.

Pomona—Mrs. J. H. Duhamel.

Flora—Miss Eleanor Fischer.

Lady Asst. Steward—Ruth

Kutzly.

Leg. Com.—P. P. Suter.

Bus. Agt.—W. E. Young.

COMING TO WOOD COUNTY

Great One Day Rally of Ohio's Adult Bible Classes.

First M. E. church, March 20th.

Morning, afternoon and evening sessions. International speakers, skilful instructors, great enthusiasm, inspiring music and un-

bounded hospitality.

Every Adult Bible Class in Wood county should be represented at this rally.

For further information address Mr. M. L. Case, president, or Mrs. W. H. Bachman, secretary, Bowling Green.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION.

Don't forget the meeting tonight (Thursday). Everybody invited. A lecture by Dr. W. H. Rheinfrank on "First Aid" will be a special feature.

CLAIRE H. SPECK

Notary Public

At Citizens Banking Co.

SCHOOL NOTES

Items Concerning Various Departments of the Public Schools

The second grade has a new pupil—Gladys Perrin.

Seventh grade boys outdid girls in daily work last week, but girls won in written contest.

Gertrude Witzler spelled the school down Friday.

We are sorry to lose Mrs. Craig, who has resigned seventh grade for a position in Toledo. Mrs. R. M. Sprague, B. A., a graduate of Ypsilanti, will take her place.

Miss Sanders is back to school after a week of illness. Mrs. Hartshorn has been substituting for her.

Mrs. Limmer's grade has now moved to the new building so that every grade has now a separate room.

Hereafter parents please co-operate in seeing that the children do not reach school before 8 a. m. and 12:40 p. m., as doors will be locked until that time.

Teachers' meeting was held jointly with Rossford teachers at Rossford Monday afternoon. Mr. Cummins was the speaker.

The P. H. S. boys and girls will go to Waterville Thursday evening to play basketball.

Last Friday night basketball fans were given a treat at the high school gymnasium. Three games were staged: P. H. S. vs. Maumee H. S.; P. H. S. girls vs. Euclid girls, Toledo; Perrysburg Town Team vs. Washington Congregationalist.

The Maumee H. S. boys won a clear decision over our boys. Their team work and individual playing was excellent. However, the scoring was held down by the excellent work of Guard Arthur McIntosh and William Budd.

The girls' game was the hardest contested of the evening and resulted in the closest score.

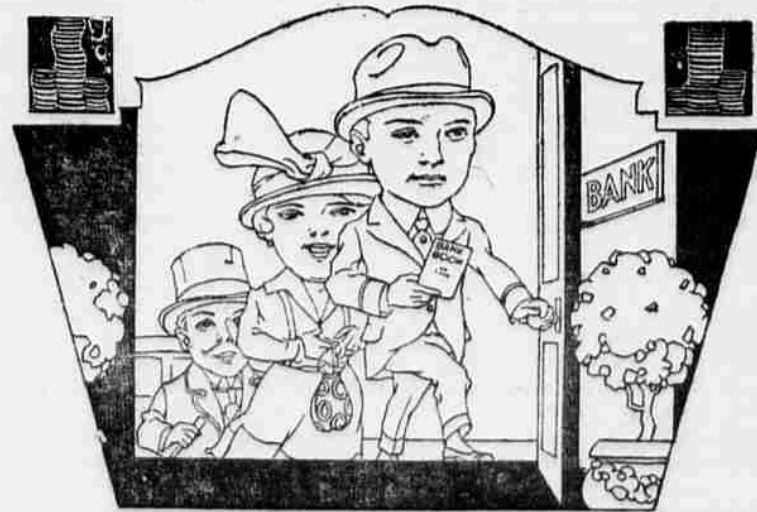
The Town Team was up against one of the best teams in Toledo. They gave the Washington Congregationalists a run for their money and held them to a score of 28 to 14.

Dr. Rhonehouse of Maumee refereed the boys' game. His work at this position was the most masterly and impartial seen on this floor this season.

Wednesday, the 14th, Rossford H. S. boys are coming to Perrysburg.

For earache, toothache, pains, burns, scalds, sore throat, try Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, a splendid remedy for emergencies.

National Thrift Is the Slogan of the Day.



STATISTICS show that the country today is prosperous. Bank deposits have increased. Statisticians agree, however, that a period of depression is possible after the European war. Wise people are preparing by adding to their bank balances. Are you? If you haven't a bank account, open one today. If you have a bank balance, make up your mind to add to it. See us about your banking.

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