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PERRYSBURG, WOOD CO., O., THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1917.

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PROHIBITION FORCES

Organized for the Dry Campaign in Ohio in 1917.

On Friday afternoon last the Wood County Temperance association held a big meeting at Bowling Green and organized for the coming state prohibition campaign. The following officers were elected:

President, Clarence Potter, Liberty township; vice-president, Dr. F. D. Halleck, Bowling Green; secretary, D. A. Haylor, Bowling Green; treasurer, Bertis Urschel, Bowling Green; executive committee, Mrs. J. C. Solether, Jerry City; S. J. Barr, Haskins; O. A. Adams and S. A. Canary, Bowling Green.

The committee selected to represent the different townships in electing the officers were as follows: Clarence Potter, Liberty; Dr. S. M. Cook, Mungen; R. M. Nietz, Lake; J. C. Yoder, Freedom; B. Urschel, Center; E. E. Cole, Jackson; Rev. Rothrock, Ross; W. H. Hannah, Washington; Albert Fahrner, Perryburg; Ross W. Brown, Troy; J. J. Stearns, Perry; W. W. Long, Montgomery; N. T. Shaffer, S. J. Darr, Haskins; Dr. Hatfield, Bloomdale; W. J. Fish, Center. Clarence Potter was selected as chairman pro tem and H. T. Shaffer, secretary.

R. R. MEN WILL STRIKE

Unless a compromise is made, it is ordered that railroad men shall strike on March 17. This will tie up the freight service of the entire United States.

BATTLE WITH BURGLARS.

Six railroad detectives and six box car thieves held a shooting match at Gould station, north of Maumee, Tuesday night.

Detectives were in hiding and opened fire on the burglars who returned the fire as they fled.

Everybody got away, detectives included.

CROW CORN THAT IS ADAPTED

It is most profitable, ordinarily, to grow corn that will mature and that will require the entire growing season in order to ripen. In the northern portion of this state, corn that has been introduced from southern sections will frequently not mature.

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.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Pheley, Minister.

Services for Sunday, March 18th:

The first hour is Sunday school at 9:30. Always enjoyable and most valuable to all classes. Three adult classes meet at this time, including the Men's Bible Class, which extends a cordial welcome to all men. The lesson subject is, "Jesus Saves From Sin," John 8:12, 28-37, 56-59. W. H. Roose, Superintendent.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Dr. Pheley will preach on the subject, "Grace and Obedience."

In the evening at 7:30 will be given the second illustrative service. Subject, "Mormonism," with 100 pictures to make all clear. This is a live subject just now and you are sure to find much that is surprising. It is free. We are glad to welcome all who can come.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30. Topic, "Lessons in Trust." Psalms 9:2. Every junior welcome.

Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30. Topic, "The Curse of Cowardice," John 18:15-27. Howard Witzler, leader. This is a timely subject for our day. Every member should be present.

Prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject for consideration, "The Fear-Not of Christ," Matt. 10:26. We invite you to meet with us for a very helpful hour.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

C. W. Weltmer, Pastor.

Services for Sunday, March 18:

Sunday school at 9:00 A. M. Lesson text, John 8:12, 31-37, 56-59. Subject, "Jesus Saves From Sin." As our quarterly temperance lesson, its purpose is to show that Jesus is able to give freedom to the slaves of drink. During this session there will be short talks by the township organizers, outlining this year's campaign. Special songs and music. Come.

10:30. Prayer and praise service.

2:30. Junior Y. P. A.

6:30. Senior Y. P. A. Subject, "The Curse of Cowardice," John 18:15-27. Come and take part.

7:30. Preaching and evening

worship in charge of pastor.

On Tuesday evening of each

week the Men's and Women's

Leagues meet at the church.

Mid-week prayer and praise

service on Thursday evenings.

ZOAR LUTHERAN CHURCH.

P. Kluepfel, Pastor.

Sunday, March 18th.

Sunday school at 9:00.

English service at 10:00.

Lenten service Friday, March

16th, at 7:30 P. M.

The Auxiliary of the Luther

League meets at the Lutheran

parsonage Thursday afternoon, March

15th. Everybody welcome at the

services.

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RANDOM RECOLLECTIONS

Stave Factories In the Days of Long Ago.

The stave factory located on the west half of the square already mentioned was, when the writer first knew it, owned and operated by A. M. Thompson, who was the manager and superintendent, with Charles Stevens as the foreman of the shop. Sometime in the early seventies Mr. Thompson disposed of it to the Stevens Stave Manufacturing Co., of which the genial and retentive Charlie Stevens was the president and general manager.

Quite a number of the employees already mentioned as being in the other shop were at one time or another employed at the Thompson factory. One of the best known of the employees, and who perhaps was with this firm for a longer period than any of the others, was a Mr. Wm. Bensman. Also three of his sons—William, Chris, and one other son whose name has escaped me.

Lawson Haywood for a long time had charge of the stave cutter here, as did also Tom Fleckhart. John Thompson and William Sweet operated the stave jointers for several years. Charlie Ross was employed in the factory for a long time, and I think at one time had charge of the stave cutter. Edward Ward ran the cutter for a time. Johnnie Canally worked in the yard. Peter Hennan, Frank Hennan, and John Hennan were employees for a time, as was also Peter Budd, and I think Fred Buckhouse was also there, as were also Joseph Ruppel and Henry Ruppel. There were many others whom I cannot recollect at this time.

There was always a sort of rivalry between the employees of the two factories which at times amounted to ill feeling, and those of the opposition factory always referred to the Thompson factory as the "soap factory." The large buildings of the National Wheel Company are now located on the ground occupied by the drying sheds of this factory.

The cooper shop in connection with the Thompson factory was located on the brow of the hill on the southeast corner of Cherry street and Indiana avenue, opposite the old-time county jail building. Most of the product was shipped to southern points, as was the largest portion of the product of the stave factory. The cooper shop was destroyed by fire several times and rebuilt. One of these fires started one of the most disastrous conflagrations that Perrysburg ever had, which may be mentioned in some future article. When the Stevens Stave Manufacturing Co. finally went out of existence owing to a lack of raw material in this vicinity to run the plant, jolly Charlie Stevens went into the grocery business, and for a number of years conducted a store in a frame building on Louisiana avenue on the site of the brick block now occupied by Chas. Bayer.

The saw mill of which mention has already been made, was located down in the hollow on the south-

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AGRICULTURAL NOTES

Prepared for the Journal by Ohio Experiment Station.

Arlington timothy, a new variety grown by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at its timothy-breeding station, Elyria, Ohio, since 1908, is now being distributed free among farmers in this state. Comparative lateness of maturity gives the new variety an advantage over common timothy.

With regard to seeding, fertilization, harvesting and yields, Arlington differs little from ordinary timothy at the government farm. Since it matures about five days later under ordinary conditions, the harvest season is extended several days, which often is an advantage to many farmers.

Farmers applying to the Experiment Station at Wooster will be sent 20 pounds, or sufficient to seed two acres. All the station asks of the farmer is that next year a report be given of its yield of seed or of hay and maturity as compared with an equal acreage of the ordinary timothy grown in his community.

Have you planned to seed more land to clover this spring? The crop pays, by making the land more fertile besides yielding a good hay crop. For 17 years at the Ohio Experiment Station corn on unfertilized land yielded 6.2 bushels more to the acre in a three-year rotation of corn, wheat and clover than in a five-year rotation of corn, oats, wheat, clover and timothy. On manured land in the 3-year rotation during this time corn yielded 8.4 bushels more to the acre than in the five-year rotation even though more manure was applied in the latter rotation. The Experiment Station credits this increased yield of corn largely to the clover crop because it comes once in three instead of once in five years.

Potatoes intended for seed should be removed from the cellar to a light, dry place as soon as danger of freezing is past. This will avoid excessive sprouting and consequent deterioration of seed.

Do not under any circumstances help chicks out of the shell. Chicks which do not have enough vitality to get out of the shell, either because of lack of vitality in the egg or because of faulty incubation, are not worth having.

Kill and burn all weak or crippled chicks as soon as the hatch is over. Weak chicks are always a menace to the flock.

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.

CLAIRE H. SPECK

Notary Public

At Citizens Banking Co.

REPORT OF CITIZENS BANKING CO.

Report of the condition of the Citizens Banking Company at Perrysburg in the state of Ohio, at the close of business March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Loans on Real Estate	\$215,474.74
Loans on Collateral	42,749.77
Other Loans and Discounts	137,227.43
Overdrafts	85.81
State, County and Municipal Bonds not included in Reserve	74,921.55
Premiums paid on United States, State and Municipal Bonds	384.40
Other Bonds and Securities	57,180.00
Banking House and Lot	4,000.00
Due from Reserve Banks	\$105,274.63
Exchanges for Clearing House	7,478.68
Gold Coin	247.50
Silver Dollars	8.00
Fractional Coin	906.17
U. S. and National Bank Notes	9,311.00
Bonds held as lawful reserve	3,483.92
Total Reserve	126,659.90
Total	\$658,313.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	22,000.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid	11,335.02
Individual Deposits subject to check	129,118.56
Time Certificates of Deposit	418,805.93
Savings Deposits	27,054.09
Total	\$574,978.58
Total	\$658,313.00

I, R. R. Hartshorn, Cashier of the above named Citizens Banking Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. R. HARTSHORN.

State of Ohio, County of Wood, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March 1917.

PHILIP WETZEL, Notary Public

Wood Co.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION

Interesting Meeting With Discussions on Various Topics.

There was a fairly good attendance at the regular meeting Thursday evening last.

Mr. Geo. C. Emmerich was called to the chair.

Dr. W. H. Rheinfrank gave a brief talk on the subject of "First Aid" and gave demonstrations with the aid of a number of Boy Scouts, of the various cases of sudden illness and injuries. The lecture was of much interest and highly instructive.

Prof. Neitz spoke very interestingly of the public schools, their great mission and benefit to the public and the relation which the Civic Association should have with them.

Dr. Canfield spoke upon the important subject of scarlet fever and the proper quarantine. He referred to the great danger resulting from improper care in preventing the spread of the disease.

A letter was read relating to the recent petition sent to the Public Utilities Commission concerning the street car service in which the Civic Association was asked to aid the petitioners in securing the relief desired. On motion of Mr. Champney seconded by Dr. W. H. Rheinfrank a committee of 12 members was appointed to consider the advisability of taking action in the case. This committee will probably report at the next meeting.

COURSE IN AGRICULTURE.

Having completed the eight-weeks' course in agriculture at the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, Columbus, Charles Maddy and Carl T. Wellstead, of Perrysburg; Gordon J. Wenig, of Haskins, returned home Saturday.

The total registration in the winter courses at the University was more than 200, practically all being farm boys and men ranging in age from 17 to 53 years. Besides selecting studies from 31 different courses given during the winter months, the students were provided with special lectures each day at 4:00 P. M., and trips about Columbus on Saturday. It is believed that the popularity of the short agricultural courses will lead many Wood County boys and men to enter next year.

Courses in dairying, livestock judging, animal husbandry, farm crops, and soil fertility were the most popular this year.

How to Prevent Croup.

When the child is subject to attacks of croup, see to it that he eats a light evening meal, as an overloaded stomach may bring on an attack, also watch for the first symptoms—hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse. Obtainable everywhere.

SCHOOL NOTES

Items Concerning Various Departments of the Public Schools

The following pupils of the third grade were neither absent nor tardy: Georgia Ford, Mabel Redman, Paul Cocanour, David Piddock, Melvin Redman, Lee Neiderhause, Urwin Snyder, Werner Spirat and Clifford Cummings.

In seventh grade: Doris Fenneberg, Mary Fuller, Glenna Kazanier, Florence Mower, Laura Pope, Yvonne Ranker, Edith Redman, Margaret Wiser, Gertrude Witzler, Blair Caldwell, Isaac Fahrner, Ralph Ford, Clerus Hoffman, Vincent Hafner, Clayton Hahn, Raymond Kopp, Orville Limmer, Byron Noble, Homer Pair, Karl Witzler, were neither absent nor tardy.

Max Elting, Karl Fahrner, Russell Finch, Theodore Finch, Robert Meriele, Karl Williams, Alice Chapman, Zelma Garber, Phyllis Robinson, Fay Simmons, of second grade, have a perfect record for the past month in attendance and punctuality.

There was no tardiness among the girls during the month of February.

Ten pupils from the first grade were neither absent nor tardy last month.

Emerson Muir has been neither absent nor tardy since school began.

Mrs. Reape was unable to attend school part of this week. Miss Maude Doren substituted for her.

The carpenters are through with their work in the new building and it is now completed except for the electrical work, which is well under way. Visitors are welcome and will be shown through the building at any time.

High School Athletics.

Last Thursday Perrysburg High School boys and girls went to Waterville to play basketball. The boys lost to Waterville in a rather slow game. Line-up at the beginning of the game:

M. Ballantyne, forward; M. Finch, forward; Cy Hartzell, center; A. McIntosh, guard; W. Budd, guard.

Substitutions: Charles Bayers for Wm. Budd; A. Shaw for Chas. Bayers; W. Thornton for M. Ballantyne. A McIntosh starred for Perrysburg. Halves, 20 minutes.

The Perrysburg girls won a close and hard fought contest. At the end of the second half the score was a tie, and the few minutes necessary to play it off resulted in a 13 to 9 decision.

Line-up at the beginning of the game:

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Of course every parent loves his family. The question seems superfluous. Yet many thoughtless parents spend as they go. They live up to every penny they make. The best way to obviate the money spending habit is to start a bank account. You'll not be so ready to draw a check as you are to break a bill. Let us explain our banking system.

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