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FOR OUR SAMMIES

Let Us Send Them Something Good From Home.

There is no objection to boosting the Tobacco company's sales by filling the bounty baskets with tobacco and cigarettes, but at the same time let us not forget our own boys from Perrysburg town and township who are now in camp and who greatly miss the good things they enjoyed that mother used to make.

A. J. Witzler has prepared a place in his store front for a big "home bounty box," and it is desired that contributions especially for the home boys shall be brought here which will be shipped to the Perrysburg boys now in the training camps.

Of course there is no objection to contributing tobacco if anyone so desires, but it is especially desired that home made candies, cake, pies, doughnuts and other articles shall be supplied to be shipped every Friday so they will arrive in time for the Sunday following.

Every boy who wears the uniform of Uncle Sam is worthy of all that can be done for him, but the boys from our own locality should have special attention from the "folks back home."

RED CROSS NOTES.

Beginning Tuesday, Oct. 30th, the Red Cross Society will hold their meetings from 9:30 to 3:30 on Tuesday and Friday of each week.

Each woman is requested to bring her own sandwiches, cup and spoon.

Hot coffee will be served at noon for five cents a cup.

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Red Cross Society will hold its meetings on Tuesday evening of each week.

CONFIRMATION

Last Sunday Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrems, Bishop of the Toledo Diocese, administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to a class of 68 children and adults in St. Rose's church Sunday.

The men of the congregation in automobiles, decorated in national and episcopal colors, met the Bishop at Maumee, conducting him in procession to the pastoral residence.

The large and beautiful church, decorated very appropriately for the occasion, was filled with the relatives and friends of the class.

The pastor, Rev. J. B. Kiebel, was assisted by the Revs. Malone, of Toledo; Redding, of Maumee; Renck, of Raab; Busckell, of Richfield; Wachter, of Swanton; Thomas and Rufing, of St. John's College, Toledo, and Goebel, of Bowling Green.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. Daniel Carter, D. D., Minister Services Sunday November 4: Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Public worship, 10:30 a. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Sacred Concert, 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Heart's Supremacy."

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

League topic, "Leavening the Foreign Avalanche." Isa 63:5, 10. Acts 1:8. Matt. 13:33.

The league is on its feet and growing in attendance and interest. A splendid meeting last Sunday evening.

Next week will be "Win My Chum" week, and our young people will have a recruiting campaign for the Epworth League. Their motto will be, "Good Soldiers of Jesus Christ. Not a Slackers Among Us."

Do not miss the Sacred Concert Sunday evening. A fine program of music and song is being prepared.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Wm. H. Pheley, Minister.

Sunday School, November 4th. Topic, "Defeat Through Drunkenness." 1 King 20:1-21. Classes for all ages. The Men's Bible class invites all men. W. H. Roose, superintendent, who expects 150 to attend. You can help by your presence. All invited.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Dr. Pheley will preach as the day requires. In the evening at 7:30 will be given the sixth illustrated service in foreign travel. Seventy-five pictures will help make all clear. All invited.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30. Be sure of an hour of great value. Mrs. Pheley and Miss Lela Hollenbeck will lead.

Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30. Topic, "Perseverance." Eph. 6:10-20. Arthur McIntosh will lead. This is always a most profitable hour. You are invited.

Prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject for consideration, "Jesus the Sun of Righteousness." Mat. 4:2. Be sure and come. All welcome.

The Ladies' Missionary Society will give a Thanksgiving tea in the

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Mrs. P. O. Stuchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold.

"When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Stuchell, Homer City, Pa. This remedy has been in use for many years. Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take.

RANDOM RECOLLECTIONS

When Perrysburg Almost Got a Steam Fire Engine.

Along in the spring of 1873 the question of purchasing a hook and ladder truck as an addition to our fire department was proposed, and after considerable discussion by the village council that body authorized the purchase of a new hook and ladder truck, which, though not very large, was modern and up-to-date in every respect. A company was formed, quite a few of the old engine company joining the new company, among whom were Frank Thornton, William Heckler, Will Charles, George Heckler, John Charles, Al. Charles, Decatur Van Hellen, Ben. Swigart, and several others. Charlie Thornton was the chief ladderman. The hook and ladder truck was named in honor of the late Andrew Roach, who was at that time a member of the village council, and it was greatly through his influence that this additional fire-fighting apparatus was secured for the town. This truck was housed in the same building with the fire engine. The new volunteer company was very enthusiastic from the beginning, and would be out on the avenue several evenings of each week for practice runs and drills, giving generously of their time after the day's work was done in order to be of effective service when needed in case of fire, and the company did good work at several fires in the next few years. Then interest in the fire department began to lag, and gradually the original hook and ladder company passed out of existence.

Early in the summer of 1874 quite a few of our citizens deemed it wise for the village to purchase a steam fire engine to take the place of the cumbersome and altogether out-of-date Mohawk hand engine. Their argument—which seemed a good one—was that if the town had an up-to-date steamer it would stimulate and create a healthy and enthusiastic interest in the affairs of the volunteer fire company, which at that time was at a low ebb and needed something to rejuvenate it. They also argued that a steamer would be of good practical use in fighting a fire—something that would hardly be said of the ancient Mohawk.

Some time in June there arrived in the town a new steam fire engine, sent here by the Patterson Steam Fire Engine Manufacturing Co., of Patterson, N. J., in charge of Richard Harrell, who was to demonstrate to our citizens what his engine was capable of doing in the fire fighting line. This Mr. Harrell—Dick, he was soon called by nearly every one with whom he came in contact—was a practical engineer, and what he did not know about steam engines was not worth the knowing. Also he was a smooth talker, a good mixer, and a good spender, so he quickly became very popular. The engine was of medium size, but plenty large enough for a small town, easily handled, and could quickly be placed in position to do the work for which it was intended. For several weeks Harrell gave practical demonstrations of what his engine was capable of, giving it several very severe tests which were proposed by some of the more skeptical ones. Some objected to having a steamer, claiming that as we had no paid fire department it would take too long to get up steam in the engine in case of a fire, therefore it would be practically useless. Harrell claimed that his engine could make the necessary amount of steam (60 pounds) in about five minutes, and in order to prove it to the doubting ones a test was arranged. So one evening the engine was taken to the fire cistern on Front street in front of Hillbrand's brick store building. Two lines of hose were laid from the engine to the corner of Front street and Louisiana avenue. Harrell had the engine all fixed for that event. He had the fire box loaded with oil-soaked pine wood, and plenty of good soft coal for fuel. The offi-

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For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 30c and 60c at all drug stores.

LOAN DRIVE A SUCCESS

Perrysburg Raised Her Quota in the Second Liberty Loan.

It's all over now and people of Perrysburg village and township have taken Liberty Bonds to the amount of \$106,800, the quota assigned to us.

It was a big undertaking and those who were engaged in boosting the campaign were well nigh exhausted when the work was finished.

When the call was made for people to meet and form a committee to conduct the campaign there were only 17 men in Perrysburg who responded. They organized and planned for meetings to be held in every school district in the township. Speakers were drafted from Toledo and a booster committee appointed to accompany them and urge the people to buy the bonds.

Those school house meetings were attended by very few people and the sale of bonds at those meetings small and very discouraging to the men who gave their time and paid their own expenses while in the work. But the committee never ceased their efforts.

The great difficulty seemed to be to impress upon the people the fact that they were giving nothing, but merely investing a small part of their money in gilt edged securities that would pay a high rate of interest, as well as proving their loyalty to the grandest government on earth at a time when it is making a titanic struggle to maintain its own independence and to establish peace and liberty throughout the world.

The little band of workers preached the doctrine of loyalty to Uncle Sam and begged the people to respond by buying bonds. In many cases they were shown very little courtesy and many people who might well have taken thousands, grudgingly bought \$50.00 bonds rather than be classed with those who were not willing to "stand up for freedom" and the glory of the cause.

When the report went out that the farming district was not taking its share in the work many of the patriotic farmers rolled up their sleeves and went into the work with a hearty good will and never quit until the closing hour of the sale—and their work was productive of much good. All honor to these noble men and women.

Both Perrysburg bank cashiers went out into the field and worked like Trojans while their assistants did double service in the banks.

Toledo supplied speakers for every meeting and gave us every possible assistance.

The amount assigned for Perrysburg town and township was \$106,800, of which \$66,000 was assigned to the Citizens Bank and \$40,800 to the Perrysburg bank.

The total amount sold was \$1,960,000, of which the Citizens sold \$68,400 and the Perrysburg Bank \$41,200, each going over the quota assigned.

There was no rivalry between the banks, each working for the general result and sending subscriptions to each other according to the wish of the person taking the bond.

The statement having been made in last week's issue that the township people were not taking the interest in the campaign that they should, together with the report of the unfriendly treatment accorded members of the boosters' committee in various districts, caused a revival of interest in some localities with the result that many farmers jumped into work with a vigor in order that their localities might not be found wanting at the finish. This was notably true in the Reachton district, where the last days found the people coming in with \$2,500 in subscriptions. Evidently it is sometimes a very

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Certain Cure for Croup.

Mrs. Rose Middleton, of Greenville, Ill., has had experience in the treatment of this disease. She says, "When my children were small my son had croup frequently. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always broke up these attacks immediately, and I was never without it in the house. I have taken it myself for coughs and colds with good results."

SCHOOL NOTES

Items Concerning Various Departments of the Public Schools

High School.

The Senior party given to the high school Thursday evening was a great success. It was well attended and enjoyed by all.

This week being food conservation week a number of high school pupils volunteered to solicit the town for the purpose of getting the ladies of Perrysburg to sign the cards given out by the government. The soliciting took place Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Sullivan believes in patriotic mottoes in present condition of our country. Last week during Liberty loan campaign the following was on the board:

Save your money, it is wiser.

Buy a bond and "can" the Kaiser.

This week we have:

"A patriotic ignoramus is a thousand times more desirable than an educated traitor."

Second Grade.

These second grade pupils have a perfect record in attendance and punctuality: Harold Conner, Geo. Dart, Alta Garber, Raymond Grimes, Walter Kolb, Emerson Muir, Harold Neiderhouse, Willard Sline, Clinton Simons, Geo. Snyder, Raymond Stienline, Glen Tavinior, Kathryn Decker, Dorothy Lindsay, Beatrice McCullough, Bertha Phillips, Fay Simvian Fox, Margaret Heiman, Harriet Hum, Ralph Johnson, Norman Limmer, Edna Neiderhouse, Lee Neiderhouse, Edith Pope, Mable Redman, Melvin Redman, Werner Spirat, Merwin Snyder, Robert Stineline and Elmo Utoff.

The following received "A" in spelling this week: Paul Cocanour, Gladys Finch, Vivian Fox, Edna Neiderhouse, Lee Neiderhouse and Urwin Snyder.

Fourth and Fifth Grades.

There were sixteen neither absent nor tardy this month, seven boys and nine girls.

Raymond Bond, one of our pupils, has moved away.

Sixth Grade.

The pupils of the sixth grade are contributing books for a library. These books are to be taken home and read over Sunday. All are interested in making Halloween decorations for the school room.

Three of the pupils of this grade are the happy possessors of Liberty Bonds. They are Leonardmons, Grace Spreng, Mary Wiser.

We have lost one pupil and have gained one. Anna Pitzen has gone to Toledo and Herma Clayton has come from Maumee to fill her place.

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CAMP SHERMAN NEWS

Pestiferous Pests Prepare Per- tinent Paragraphs.

By Ed. Schuster.

(Member of Associated Pests. Written expressly for the Journal every Thursday.)

The battery street has been completed and our care and hard work won the prize offered by the Colonel for the best looking street of the regiment.

Thurby cut the wood for the stove last night. That ought to stop the war.

Lepper and Phillips have been made first class privates. Phillips has been detailed to the signal squad.

We had an awful scare the other night, when we were awakened by a terrible noise. Simmons said that the army had put in a sawmill over in the next street but after turning the light on we found that it was only Brokaw enjoying a good sleep.

The cots are pushed together very closely and as Sarver bunks next to Brokaw he considers it his duty to put a stop to his snoring. Sarver says, "It isn't the noise that I care about, it's the vibration of the cot that annoys me."

Ruth Law, the noted aviatrix, "bombed" our camp Thursday in the interest of the Liberty Loan campaign. She sure has the nerve to loop-the-loop, dive tail downward and perform several other daring feats.

We have two "first calls" in the morning. Veitch wakes up about 5:25 and imagines he hears the band. Immediately comes the vociferous outburst, "Thurby!" This is growled at him, but then comes "Brokaw! Brokaw!" in a high pitch. "Somebody wake up Sarver!" This is necessary, he thinks, in addition to the call by the bugles. But Kenneth means well and we will never forget his good intentions.

Thurby has been chosen to defend the 170 lb. class wrestling title of our Battery. This "mighty bonecrusher, the terrible Turk" is in training and the battery expects him to bring home the bacon.

Battery E took third place in (Continued on Eighth Page.)

An Old Man's Stomach.

As we grow older and less active, less and less food is required to meet the demands of our bodies. If too much is habitually taken, the stomach will rebel. When a man reaches the advanced age of 85 or 90, you will find that he is a light eater. Be as careful as you will, however, you will occasionally eat more than you should and will feel the need of Chamberlain's Tablets to correct the disorder. These tablets do not contain opium, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

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