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## ATTEMPTED MURDER

### Angered Because Discharged, Italian Workman Shoots German "Boss."

On Monday night at 8:30 o'clock Perrysburg was the scene of a shooting in which an Italian, James Morallo, former employe of the National Wheel Factory, attempted to "clean up" on his former factory "boss," Christian Werthner.

The two men met on the street crossing of Main and Front streets when Morallo, without warning, pushed a 38-gun against Werthner's abdomen and fired. Werthner suddenly moved aside and the bullet, which would have entered his abdomen, was deflected and entered the fleshy part and was later removed by Dr. Bowers. The sudden movement and the heavy winter clothing worn by Werthner undoubtedly prevented a fatal shooting.

Immediately after firing the shot Morallo fled, but was later arrested while on the road to Maumee by Marshal Taylor.

Werthner was taken to the Bowers hospital, where his wound was found to be not necessarily fatal.

Morallo was taken before Justice Cook for a preliminary hearing, where he admitted the shooting, but denied that he intended to kill. He was taken to the Bowling Green jail Monday night.

The story is told that Morallo was recently discharged by Werthner and the shooting was said to be in accordance with the Italian's threats to "get" his former "boss."

Morallo had been here for over three years and had always conducted himself as a thoroughly respectable young man.

Werthner's home is in Canada, but since the opening of the war he has resided in the United States. He is about 60 years of age and a man of education and refinement.

For any itchininess of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 60c at all drug stores.

## JUROR DROPS DEAD.

While serving as a juror in a civil case, J. J. Hopper, 78, dropped dead on Saturday in Justice Abel Comstock's office in Bowling Green. Death was due to hardening of the arteries. Three children and the widow are left. Mr. Hopper was a resident of Perrysburg 50 years ago.

## How to Prevent Croup.

In a child that is subject to attacks of croup, the first indication of the disease is hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off and all danger and anxiety avoided.

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## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. Daniel Carter, minister. Services Sunday, December 16: Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Public worship, 10:30 a. m. Men's meeting, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Public worship, 7:30 p. m. Dr. Nichols, the evangelist, will preach both morning and evening, and will conduct evangelistic services in the evening on Sunday.

Persons will be received into the church at both services.

Next Sunday's services will close the evangelistic meetings.

We are looking forward to a great day on Sunday and urge the attendance of all that can possibly come.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Pholey, minister. Services for Sunday, December 16th:

The Christmas season is at hand. Let us observe it with old-time gladness and reciprocal affection. If our joy is tempered by the world strife and poignant need, let it serve to deepen rather than to diminish our appreciation of the happy event.

Sunday School at 9:30. Lesson, "Nehemiah enforces the Law of the Sabbath."—Neh. 12:15-22.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Dr. Pholey will preach.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30. Topic, "Christ is our Peace. National Ideals."—Isa. 9:6; Eph. 2:14-17. Mrs. W. H. Pholey will lead. All young people invited.

Prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject for consideration, "A Loss Deplorable and How Recovered."—Ps. 51:12-13.

Choir meeting Saturday evening at 7:30. Prof. Zapfe desires a full attendance to practice the special music for Christmas.

### EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Rev. C. W. Weltmer, pastor. Services for Sunday, December 16th:

Sunday School opens at 9:00 a. m. Subject for this hour of study: "Nehemiah enforces the Law of the Sabbath."—Neh. 13:15-22.

Golden Text—"Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep It Holy." It (Continued on page 8.)

### Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

Those who are afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation should read the following: "I have never found anything so good for stomach trouble and constipation as Chamberlain's Tablets. I have used them off and on now for the past two years. They not only regulate the action of the bowels, but stimulate the liver and keep one's body in a healthy condition," writes Mrs. Benjamin Hooper, Auburn, N. Y.

## SCHOOL NOTES

### Items Concerning Various Departments of the Public Schools

### High School.

The Phi Sigma Literary Society rendered an excellent program to an appreciative audience last Friday afternoon. The main thing on the program was a play entitled "A Midsummer Night's Dream," written by Arthur Shaw, one of the prominent members of this society. During an interlude between the acts a collection was taken to provide music for the orchestra.

The school will be closed from December 21 to January 7 for Christmas vacation.

### Formal Opening.

Friday night of this week P. H. S. will formally open her basketball season with boys' and girls' games at the H. S. gym. The opposing teams will be from Monclova, and will be good matches for our boys and girls. Last year Monclova defeated our boys by the score of 15 to 4, and consequently we are now out for revenge.

The victory this year should go to the other teams as the "dope" says P. H. S. has a better team this season, having won two practice games.

The girls' team last year defeated Monclova 29 to 6, and is expected to repeat the performance on Friday night.

The third game will be staged by the Perrysburg town team and the Triangles, a fast Toledo team.

### Last Week's Games.

Friday night of last week P. H. S. basketball team won their second practice game from the Rossford Boy Scouts. Score 28 to 17.

The boys all showed excellent team work, which was the best feature of the game. Line-up: r. f., Roberts; l. f., Reape; c., Hartzell; r. g., McIntosh; l. g., Hafner.

Substitutes: Sheldrick for Hartzell, Bayers for McIntosh. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

The town team lost of Bowling Green Normal to the tune of 17 to 31. The visitors were outplayed in the first part of the game, but came back strong and nosed ahead before the end. The boys have thus far been up against very strong teams and the scores they have made in the face of these odds are very gratifying. We can now look forward to a very successful and interesting program this season.

Line-up: r. f., Nietz; l. f., H. Fuller; c., Williams; r. g., P. Thomas; l. g., F. Fuller. Substitutes: Hallowell for H. Fuller. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

### Eighth Grade.

The Eighth Grade is very proud of their piano, which arrived last Saturday. It is going to prove very useful and the grade is to be commended for their efforts in (Continued on page 8.)

### PERRYSBURG BOYS ENLIST.

Notwithstanding the slow manner in which many of the people of Perrysburg and vicinity interest themselves in the great struggle in which our government is engaged, let it be said to the everlasting credit of a few families that we have a very fine representation in the service, to which the following names were added this week:

Harold Degner  
Lawrence Stewart  
Frank Haas  
Frank Sattler  
James Sattler  
Harold Munger

Stewart and Haas have gone to Texas to the San Antonio camp.

Munger goes to Dayton Saturday to enter the aviation service.

Paul Amon, Hilton Maddy and Chas. Maddy are making every possible effort to break into the service in any branch where they can pass examination. They are making greater effort to get in than many slackers are to keep out and they will probably be in the service in about ten days.

The Journal and every loyal citizen have reason to feel proud of these boys.

### TROLLEY HITS CARRIER.

George Ragan, rural mail carrier, was struck by an Ohio Electric interurban car at the Cass road crossing, near Maumee, at noon Monday. He was severely cut and bruised. He was taken to the Rheinfrank hospital in Perrysburg.

## CAMP SHERIDAN NEWS

### Perrysburg Boys are Enjoying Themselves While in Training.

(By Si Lipper.)

Camp Sheridan, Dec. 6, 1917.

The sixth week of intensive training finds us still without horses or material, but we are getting along splendidly with the guns from the 134th.

Sergeant Russell Compton of the 136th has been notified that he will have change of a "tank," with which his regiment is to be equipped.

Major General Treat, commander of Camp Sheridan, is back from France. He says he is glad to be back with the boys of the good old Buckeye Division.

The "Sheridan Reveille," a daily paper, made its first appearance on December 5. It is a soldier paper, edited entirely by members of the 37th Division and the profits go back to the soldiers through the mess fund or other channels. Don Cochran of Battery E and son of the editor of the News-Bee, is circulation manager.

The boys have gathered a lot of mistletoe which is to be sent to the Ladies' Auxiliary. It seems funny to "shin" a big oak tree and pull this off when we used to have to pay such a big price for it.

Simmons and Thurlby have just recovered from that "splash" which they made into Montgomery society several weeks ago.

Phillips was making a call on some young lady in town several Sundays ago and their conversation led to the difference of athletics in the North and here in the South. Phillips said to her:

"Are you fond of indoor sports?" And he left when she replied:

"Yes, if they don't stay too long."

The privates defeated the "non-coms" in football Wednesday by the score of 7 to 0. Haverfield of Scott III made the touchdown.

Sarver and Thurlby played very creditably. But the "star!" "Old Casey" Inman (pardon me) Corporal Francis R. Inman, can hit a runner harder than any fellow we ever saw. He played right end and was responsible for the low score as time and again he would rush in, bust up the interference and down the runner for repeated losses. He sure did save the non-coms from a good drubbing.

Some ungrateful brute played a dirty trick on Vietch last week. They took his whisk broom and cut it up so that it resembled a shaving brush. Detectives have been put on the case and Ken is determined that the culprits shall be brought to justice.

Thurlby and Simmons came in just before taps the other night, and they thought that we were asleep, but we heard Thurlby say:

"Say, Jay, my girl said 'You ain't see me any more.'"

"And what did you do?"

"I turned out the light."

We are certainly very much indebted to Mr. Blue for the Journal which he sends us each week. It would certainly be a dreary Sunday for all of us if the noon mail didn't bring those papers.

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### G. A. R. ELECTION.

The annual election of officers of Wolford Post No. 51, G. A. R., Department of Ohio, was held at the regular meeting on Saturday, December 8. The officers elected are as follows:

Commander—Isaac Whitson.  
S. V. Commander—P. L. Mahr.  
J. V. Commander—Chas. Roe.

Adjutant—Fred Yeager.  
Quartermaster—James Carter.  
Surgeon—Jacob Metzger.

Chaplain—John L. Letherer.  
Officer of the Day—Thomas Warren.

Officer of the Guard—Fred Swartz.

Sergeant Major—Jacob Davis.  
Q. M. Sergeant—William Witzler.

Patriotic Instructor—E. L. Kingsbury.

Delegant to Department Encampment—E. L. Kingsbury.  
Alternate to Department Encampment—Jacob Metzger.

Installing Officer—E. L. Kingsbury.

Installation ceremonies will take place on Saturday at 1 p. m. January 12, 1918.

## A POWERFUL EDUCATOR

### Is the War Savings Certificate and Thrift Stamp Plan.

Thrifty and saving committees are invariably liberal supporters of trade and commerce. Persons with deposits in banks prefer paying cash to asking for credit. Extravagance in the time buyer usually leads to penury. The average merchant would rather have the cautious customer who pays cash. Hoarders are actually enemies of society. They help no one. It follows, then, that the education of people to become systematic savers of their surplus income and earnings and depositors in banks is beneficial.

Immensely powerful as an educator is the war savings certificate and thrift stamp plan just launched by the United States government as a permanent feature of financing the great conflict. It is designed to reach every individual in the United States. The well-to-do people do not have to be taught thrift. It is because they understand it that they are in easy circumstances. But the system will touch millions who have never known a savings account and do not understand banking. Interest is a mystery to them. When urged in England, from whom it is copied, the thrift stamp plan was opposed by the bankers, merchants and small tradesmen, who thought that the appeal to give up comforts and luxuries would spell loss for them. They were genuinely alarmed. After sixteen months' trial in that war torn, sorely taxed and highly assessed country, it was found that \$500,000,000 had been deposited in the form of war certificates.

Marvelous to relate, every postal bank, the other savings banks, the building and loan associations and other co-operative societies almost without exception showed record increases in their deposits. Those responsible for their management are now hearty workers for the war savings movement.

These vast amounts of money promptly found their way back into circulation through the great operations of the war, thus stimulating business and causing trade to thrive. Tradesmen generally report larger cash sales and firmer buying, the sureness flowing from the ability to pay based upon a savings account. There are experts who predict that the system eventually will transform the English working people from spendthrifts into a class of careful saving folk like the French. There are five million members of the various war savings societies in England and Scotland. It is no exaggeration to say that the present United States system will produce six times that number.

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## AGRICULTURAL NOTES

### Prepared for the Journal by Ohio Experiment Station.

Sufficient feed, as well as the right kind, is pointed out by animal husbandmen at the Ohio Experiment Station as essential to securing rapid gains in hogs and a desirable degree of fatness, or finish, when the hogs are marketed. Pigs that gain most rapidly generally bring the greatest profits because they do more business in a given time and thus reduce risk and overhead expenses. Often they are marketed earlier and bring a higher price. Quick gains generally mean a low feed requirement for a pound of gain.

Hogs gained slightly more than 1½ pounds daily for 62 days in one test at the Experiment Station when fed all they would consume without waste of ground corn mixed with one-eighth as much tankage. Other hogs given three-fourths of a feed gained only 1.6 pounds a day and required four pounds more grain for 100 pounds gain in live weight.

Pigs fed heavily in dry lot feeding have a higher market value per pound than others given a light ration. An abundance of feed for the hog serves the interests of both producers and consumers better than scanty rations do.

Persistent milkers—the kind that milk well for a whole year, not the type that yield abundantly at first and then soon drop down in production—are the winners in the long run, according to dairymen at the Ohio Experiment Station. The steady cow is usually the most profitable one.

Some cows in the station's co-operative dairy work have yielded considerably above the average at the first of their lactation periods, but within two or three months their yield would fall nearly a third and by the end of the period would be only a fourth of the original production. The average daily yield for the period was found to be more than seven pounds less than that of cows having a comparatively uniform record from month to month.

Cows tend to decrease in milk flow as the lactation period advances. The milk yield of 96 Jerseys fell 47 per cent and their fat record 42 per cent in 10 months. Ninety-six Holsteins decreased their milk 49 per cent and their fat 47 per cent in the same time. The percentage of fat gradually increased as lactation advanced.

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