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May 23, 1887.

WANTED.

WANTED—500 Agents. Good salary or commission. Rare chance. Address with stamp for terms, Weaver Mfr., 34 north State street, Chicago, Ill. 249mr*

WANTED—Ten boarders; terms, $4 per week; day board, $3 per week. Apply at No. 22 South Center street. 249a

WANTED—Ladies to work on our fancy goods for the holiday and winter trade. Sent any distance. Full particulars free. Address, Eliot Manufacturing Co., 43 and 45 Eliot street, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—White girl, in small family; no washing. Address, G. G. S., Republic office. 249a

WANTED—Six steady young men to board at 96 west Washington street. Good board and pleasant rooms. 249a

WANTED—Lady agents guaranteed $5 daily. New thing; ladies only. Key Box 443, Chicago, Ill. 248am

WANTED—A general agent for Clark and Greene counties, to represent one of the oldest and best established accident insurance companies in America. For terms and particulars address, H. J. McCullough, northeast corner Main and Third streets, Dayton, Ohio. 247b*

WANTED—A good girl for general housework, at 111 N. Limestone street. 243t

WANTED—MAN—To take the agency of our safes; size 28x18x18 inches; weight 500 lbs.; retail price, $35; other sizes in proportion. A rare chance to create a permanent business at home. These safes meet a demand never before supplied by other safe companies, as we are not governed by the Safe Pool. Alpine Safe Co., Cincinnati, O. 197atwks

WANTED—Lady, active and intelligent, to represent, in her own locality, an old firm; references given and required; permanent position and good salary. J. G. Blanchard, Supt., 30 Reade st., N. Y.

WANTED—Clerks and mechanics to know that the tuition fees for night school are $10, $15 and $25; one-half down, balance in monthly payments. Nelson College, Arcade. 200am

WANTED—All kinds of clothes wringers to repair; called for and delivered; orders by mail promptly attended to. S. M. Miller 104 West Main.

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FOR RENT—Eight room house, corner of Plum and North streets. Enquire at 85 north Market street. 249a

FOR RENT—A house of five rooms, in good condition, on west High street, between Shaffer and Jackson streets. Enquire at 176 west High street. N. Myers. 249t*

FOR RENT—Large and handsome house of nine rooms, hydrant and cistern water, double cellar, large closets, six mantels and grates, gas throughout the house. Will rent low to good tenant. Call at the southwest corner of Mechanic and Pleasant streets. 248t*

FOR RENT—Room; a very desirable, nicely furnished front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen, at 141 South Market street, one square from Arcade. Reference required. Inquire on the premises or of J. G. Clarke. 240tf

FOR RENT—A new house of 5 rooms on East street, within one square of the New Champion shops; city and cistern water and good cellar. Inquire of Thomas Sharp. 237tf

FOR RENT—House of eight rooms, in good repair, within two squares of the postoffice. For further particulars, see or address, J. E. Heffelfinger, Springfield, O. 227tf

FOR RENT—Two, three or four furnished rooms for housekeeping, centrally located. Reference required. Address S. S., this office

FOR RENT—From one to four rooms, centrally located, with first class accommodations; rent cheap; none but good paying tenant need apply. Inquire of Thos. Sharpe.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Heating stove, only $3.75. Call at once, before it is too late. Geo. Krapp's new building, corner Main and Plum. George Haucke. 249b*

FOR SALE—An almost new base burner; will sell cheap, at 122 west Jefferson street

FOR SALE—Good horse and covered wagon. Enquire of N. Helfrick, rear of 145 south Plum street. 249a

FOR SALE—A nice cottage house, centrally located. Address, P. O. box 233, city. 249a

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums of $500 to $7,000, on three to five years' time, on first mortgage or approved commercial paper. George W. Coles, room No. 1, Lagonda bank building.

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LOST—Pug dog. Unhealed sore on neck. Medium size. Return to 473 east High street and be rewarded. 248b*

LOST—Cornet mouth-piece, b shank, between Grand opera house and wigwam. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving at Big Six office. 247b*

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It is the best family cough medicine made.
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COMING EVENTS.

BLACK'S.—All this week, Criterion Comic Opera Co. Change of bill each night.

GRAND.—Thursday evening, October 20, Frank Daniels, in "Little Puck."

BLACK'S.—The event of the entire year, the New York Casino greatest success "Erminie." Watch the date next week.

SPRINGFIELD MEETINGS.

Wednesday, November 2.—Evening, at wigwam: Governor J. B. Foraker.

COUNTY MEETINGS.

Friday, October 21.—Evening, at New Carlisle: Gen. C. H. Grosvenor and Hon. D. K. Watson.

October 21—At Selma: W. S. Newberry, James Buford, E. M. Butler.

October 25—At Lisbon: W. L. Weaver, J. F. McGrew.

October 27—At Vienna: G. C. Rawlins, W. M. Rockel.

October 28—Hopewell school house: W. M. Rockel, L. F. Young.

November 1—At Harmony: J. C. Miller, L. F. Young.

November 4—At Enon: G. C. Rawlins, J. F. McGrew.

November 4—At Pitchin: T. J. Pringle, Ran. Coleman.

November 5—At Moorefield: G. C. Rawlins, J. C. Miller.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. N. Emmons, of Dayton, is in our city.

Mr. M. L. Steinberger, of Jackson, is in town.

Mr. P. E. Montanus went to Columbus today.

Mr. John L. Miggins, of Dayton, is in the city.

Mr. W. H. Guy, of Mechanicsburg, is in the city.

Miss Nellie Hanson left today for Boston on a visit.

Mr. T. C. Jones, of Delaware, is in the city on business.

Mr. C. Minst, of Columbus, paid the city a flying visit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heffelfinger will spend the winter at Atlanta, Ga.

Pat Brice was arrested last night for loitering around a house of ill fame.

Mr. M. M. Defrees, of the I. B. & W. road, located at Indianapolis, is in Springfield.

Mrs. Nelson and daughters, Nellie and Ina, are spending the day in Yellow Springs.

Messrs. Clayton Howell and B. F. Young, of Mt. Sterling, Ohio, were in the city last evening.

Mr. J. E. Reeves, of Cincinnati, general southern agent of the Bee Line, is in the city today.

Misses Laura Barnett, Kittie Happersett and Sadie Howe, of Urbana, were in the city yesterday.

Taylor Madison, drunk, and Pete Toohey, using profane language, were stationhoused last night.

Miss Stoner, of Columbus, who has been the guest of Miss Heist, of Plum street, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Murphy, of Magnetic Springs, who has been the guest of Miss Kate West, returned home this morning.

Mr. George Adams opened up his handsome new restaurant at the depot this morning. It is a little *bijou*.

Miss Laura Dye, of Moberly, Mo., is the guest for a few days of Mrs Dr. A. M. Potter, of south Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Norton, of Topeka, Kansas, are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Norton, of east High street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Studebaker, parents of Dr. J. E. Studebaker, have returned from a week's visit to Urbana and Degraff, O.

The Elks held a meeting last night, but nothing but routine business was transacted. A large number of bills were allowed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson T. Robb and daughter, Miss Nellie, of west Pleasant street, leave soon for Colorado, to spend the winter.

Mr. P. J. Murphy, general agent of the Ohio Southern railroad, at Jackson, is in the city, the guest of Superintendent Van Tassell.

The "One of the Bravest" combination passed through this morning, en route to Urbana. It carries an immense amount of baggage.

R. F. Hayward and J. H. Rabbitts, esq., went to Columbus this morning on political business. This is their last trip prior to the election.

Mr. Studebaker, of Springfield, is visiting friends in Urbana. Mr. Studebaker resided in Urbana from 1848 to 1858.—Urbana *Citizen*.

Miss Lillian Bowman, of Kenton, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heffelfinger, of west Mulberry street, has returned home.

An affidavit was filed against Nate Adams, a colored fair grounds attache, today, for jumping onto W. C. J. Randall and beating him up.

Mrs. Sherd Davis, of Kenton, has been visiting friends in Springfield and Clark county for several days. She returned home this morning.

D. B. Buckley was raising particular Cain in the neighborhood of the Western engine house last night and was placed under arrest of Officer Caldwell.

Every member of Mitchell post, No. 47, G. A. R., should attend the meeting tonight, as the question of selecting a new post-room is to be definitely decided.

LOOK INTO THE MIRROR!

And you see the person we most desire to see at Jason W. Phillips's Clothing Store.

THE COMFORT

And ease of our garments show the talent employed in their manufacture. Well made and well fitting cloths produce comfort and pleasure; and right there we have our greatest success. Don't take a poor fitting garment from our store. Don't keep it if you find it so. We make Clothing to keep its shape; we put on buttons to stay; we make Clothes not to rip, and specially invite you to come and see us, at

JASON W. PHILLIPS',

No. 30 East Main Street.

Mr. J. W. Kiser, of St. Paris, Champaign county, is in the city on business.

Auditor Service will probably complete his annual school report tomorrow.

Miss Sellars, of Covington, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bancroft at the Arcade hotel.

Mr. Dick Hughes is said to have caught the largest bass landed during the stay of the Ferrell Fishing club at the reservoir.

The Xenia Knights of Labor will give a grand ball on the night before Thanksgiving. The Big Six will furnish the music.

Every member of the Plug Hat brigade and republicans generally should make arrangements to go to New Carlisle tomorrow evening.

The motto of the Young Men's Blaine club of Cincinnati is "Vim, Vigor and Victory"—the same as that of the Buckeye club of this city.

Staff Captain A. D. C. Camp, of Columbus, who has recently been annexed to this division, will speak at the Salvation Army hall tonight. The army will have a jubilee season before long.

Mr. Charles Friend, of Lancaster, is in the city, the guest of his old friend, Officer Fred Mast. Mr. Friend is interested in the cattle business, and is making a business tour with this fact in view.

Tom Sullivan, the pitcher who won the championship of the Ohio league for Springfield in 1884, and who made such an admirable record with the Topeka team this year, is in the city visiting his numerous friends. "Sully" is a great twirler.

Rehearsals of the comic operetta, "A New Year's Reception," to be given by the Flower Mission, are being held nightly, and commendable progress is being made towards a splendid presentation of the work. The gem of the opera will be "Tea! tea! it's English breakfast tea!"

Mr. Robert C. Bancroft entertained a few friends in a very informal but pleasant manner last evening, at the Arcade hotel, in honor of his cousin, Miss Sellars, of Covington, Ky., and Miss Fred Bizet, of Moberly, Mo. The evening was spent in music and animated social observances.

GREENE TOWNSHIP.

GREENOPOLIS, Oct. 18.—The social at F. M. Hess's was one of that satisfactory kind both to the giver and receiver....This last week was given up to hops, there being one at Joseph Nevins's and also one at William Cleland's on last Thursday night....Sandy Sparrow is getting a new roof on his abiding place....On last Friday night the union labor party held a meeting at Hopewell, which was not very enthusiastic, and the attendance was meager. Messrs. I. F. McDonald and W. D. A. O'Brien did their best to induce the farmers to support the labor ticket, and especially to cast their votes for an honest man like Captain Patton, who is a candidate for the legislature. Figures were used in multiplied numbers to show that the state was going into bankruptcy fast as time and republicans could carry it. ....The champion barn is to be found on the farm of Mr. J. H. Thomas, which was raised last Thursday under the supervision of Mr. H. C. Johnston. There were to be found 946 mortises in the building, which is 112 feet long and forty feet wide and twenty feet high, and to stay this 296 braces were used, and lest it should want to separate 930 pins now hold it together, and all this was done in fourteen days by five men. Farmers are invited by Mr. Johnson to come and look at the frame and hunt mistakes. Mr. Thomas was present the day that it was raised, and witnessed this piece of work with astonishment, and lingered till the last piece was put in place, it being raised with a derrick and nine men were required to do the work. Mr. Thomas will place in this building machinery to cut and grind feed for cattle. The lower floor will be used for cut feed and stalling cattle, the upper floor for hay and grain.... Henry C. Johnston, our trustee, wishes to correct an error going the rounds that he is a union labor man, he is emphatically a republican....Abell called on the east end of us last week....On Thursday evening of next week, the 27th, the ladies of Emory will give a social at J. B. Sparrows. Come everybody....The wife of Wm. Elder died suddenly on Sabbath morning; she had been sick a few days, but thought not dangerously until a few minutes before death. Funeral services at the residence Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The deceased leaves a husband and two daughters to mourn her loss....The Foraker club will meet at Hopewell Friday night, 21st, this week.

Attention, K. of P.

All members of Red Star lodge, No. 205, K of P., are requested to meet at the armory of Champion City division, No. 44, tonight at 7:30 o'clock, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Bro. Ed. Bird. By order of

CHARLES M. TOLAND, C. C.

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 20, 1887.

Senator Farwell's Texas Land.

Senator Charles V. Farwell, of Illinois, and his partners, his brother and Abner Taylor, of Chicago, will make from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000 in their Texas land speculation. It is said that the state of Texas has given to the Farwell company 3,000,000 acres of land in Texas. The land today is worth $5 an acre, and the state buildings did not cost more than $1,000,000. The land is all fenced in. Seventy-five thousand cattle are now on it, and more are to follow. It comprises enough territory for a principality. The Farwell company have their headquarters in London. English capitalists own about one-quarter of the stock.

This great and successful venture was brought to the Farwells by an impecunious and visionary man, who obtained the contracts which he sold to the Farwell company. The story goes that the man happened to be in Austin, and hearing that the state was offering land to any one who would put up state buildings he calmly walked up and took the contract, when he had barely enough money in his pocket to pay his fare to Chicago. The same men who gave away such a block of land rather than raise the money necessary by taxation of course never dreamed of questioning the contractor's financial ability. He had some trouble in convincing the Farwells of the value of the land, owing to their distrust of the visionary contractor's judgment, but investigation showed the value, and the contract was purchased for a few thousand dollars, and a property was obtained which will net its owners many millions.—Baltimore American.

Depends on How You Do It.

"Well, which are really the more injurious, cigars or cigarettes?" asked a pretty girl of a beflanneled member of the Belmont Tennis club, at the club's court yesterday afternoon.

"I'll show you," said he, and turning, he called to a friend: "Ned, toss me a cigar." Then he took out a fine cambric linen handkerchief, and blew a whiff of smoke through the cobweb texture. "Oh, look how black it is," said the young lady for whose sake the experiment was being made.

"Now look," said the club man. He lighted the cigar and puffed till he got a good volume of smoke, which he poured through the meshes of the handkerchief again. A scarcely perceptible stain was left on its whiteness.

"Well, that proves it," said the fair investigator. "My! just think of that horrid black stuff all settling in your lungs!"

"Wait one moment," said the experimenter, and he repeated the experiment with the opposite result.

"Well, how is that?" was the astonished question.

"Why, it is simply due to the difference in the way you place your lips when you impel the smoke through the linen. Hold them tight and blow hard, and it leaves a stain upon them, and barely force the smoke through and you get almost no trace."—Philadelphia News.

Champlin's Liquid Pearl, 50 Cents.

Don't pay 75 unless so printed on bottle label.

The society girl has taken to writing with a stub pen.

OBITUARY.

An Affecting Tribute to the Memory of a Good Woman.

Lucinda E. Cornwall was born October 2, 1856, died October 8, 1887, aged thirty-one years and six days. She was united in marriage to John Goodfellow November 11, 1879. In her girlhood days she joined the Christian church at Somerford. She had a disposition of unusual brightness, and, although it rained today, she looked with pleasure to the sunshine of the morrow. If troubles came, they were so surrounded by anticipated joys that half their force was lost. She had been a sufferer for many months, yet never lost her smile of brightness, and the home over which she reigned was ever bright and pleasant. For weeks she lingered upon the shore of the dark river, the rushing of whose waters brings dismay to many a stout heart, yet never did she lose her courage. She felt the treacherous bank crumble inch by inch beneath her feet, yet never faltered. She had no fear of death, for she had too many friends upon the farther side. Her one regret was that she must leave her husband. The frosts have struck down the flowers of golden hue, and one of Nature's loveliest daughters has fallen with the rest; but will not it again become of a brighter color and bloom forth in all its beauty?

YOU'LL MISS ME WHEN I'M DEAD.

When I'm wrapped in slumber sweet
And laid in earth's lone bed,
Away from those who leave me here,
You'll miss me when I'm dead.

You'll see the pallid hue of death
Stamped on my lifeless brow;
And will your heart be constant, true,
And love me then as now?

You'll miss me when I'm gone from earth
With angels, bright and fair:
As I have leaned on you while here,
You'll lean on me up there.

I've been a burden many years,
To you a constant care;
And it will be relief at last
When I am called up there.

But not a selfish thought I know
Has dimmed your heart of love—
You've been so good and true on earth
You'll come to me above.

God grant that I may lend you aid
To bear each burden sore,
Until I clasp your hand in love
Upon the other shore.

And then together we will sing
The songs of angels bright,
And dwell forever with the blest,
Where love shall be the light.

But while I sleep within the grave,
And round my curtained bed,
You'll think of one you loved on earth—
You'll miss me when I'm dead.

The funeral at the Christian church, Vienna, was largely attended. Revs. Corris and Winget preached the funeral sermon. Interment in Turner cemetery. FRIEND.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining in the Postoffice at Springfield, Ohio, October 17, 1887.

DOMESTIC.

Ashmore, R	Martin, Al
Baird, Charles T	McFarland, M M
Bust, Mrs Fannie	Morgan, T C
Baker, Upton	Moore, Robert
Benford, Mack	Peters, James H
Beed, Mr —	Powers, Mrs E D
Becker, J A	Patrick, F M
Bickel, Henry	Peoples, Aid
Bates, Geo W	Perrin, Adeline
Burke, John M	Price, E B
Butler, Miss Annie	Parks, Wm G
Coldren, C D	Ross, M A
Conard, Frank	Roberts, John L
Cook, Miss Julia	Rose, Miss —
Cooper, James S	Redman Mfg Co
Cheney, Mrs M E	Rodgers, R E
Conklin, Lucian	Ryan, Miss Mollie
Campbell, Charles	Savage W F
Dunley, G H	Stilwell, J A
Dockins, Mrs Mary	Smith, John
Funderburg, Miss Ida	Scoville, Bessie
Gair, Miss Lizzie	Stoker, Frank
Huggins, Mrs Alice	Shelley, W J
Howard, Mrs Mary	Siegel, Wendelin
Hawley, Mrs Eliza	Smith, Miss Lizzie
Jones, Miss Lillie	Shrider, Mrs J
Jackson, Mrs Katie	Stratten, S C
Johnson, W W	Selcer, Philip
(Hoyt Block)	Saunders, Lindsay (3)
Judy, William	Tatum, Hannah B
Kitson, J E	Upp, Miss Mary
Kiepf, Mrs Anna	Wallace, W W
Knox, Jr, J A	Wallace, George
King, Mrs Emma	White, J B & Co
Langdon, Henry	Williams, Chas
Mills, Earnest	Young, Noah

FOREIGN.

Meakin, H	Smith, May
Paxson, Mrs Calvin	Woods, Anna B
Parker, Nellie	

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised," and give date of list. If not called for in one month they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Letters must be directed to street and number in order to have them promptly and correctly delivered.

JAMES JOHNSON, Postmaster.

ENON.

ENON, O., Oct. 19.—Gus A. Miller and Dr. Duckwell have returned from their visit to Kansas and say this country is not to be excelled by anything in Kansas. The corn crop there will scarcely yield twenty bushels to the acre....Wm. Roller and M. B. Cox are going ahead with the remodeling of their houses, and when completed they will add much to the appearance of the town....Frank Butler has bought of Wm. Roller property on Pleasant street, paying for same $500. Mr. Butler will move into his new home in a couple of weeks....Dr. Charles Wildasin, of Plattsburg, this county, was in town on Monday, the guest of Dr. Duckwell....Daniel Baker, while attending the reunion at New Carlisle Monday, met with a serious accident. They were driving along in the darkness when the wagon upset, throwing the occupants out, Mr. Baker striking his hand on an iron pump, cutting it badly. He was taken back to a doctor's office and had it dressed, requiring six stitches to sew it up....Auditor O. F. Service and wife were the guests of her mother, Mrs. David Hupman, over Sunday....Fred Kline and wife, of Springfield, were the guests of Jacob Kline on last Sunday. ....The M. E. church of Enon will give an oyster social at A. A. Stephens's residence, Friday night, October 28, 1887....Mrs. John Kline returned from a visit to Kansas City, Indiana, Monday.... Mrs. Mamie Harshman and husband, of Harshmansville, Ohio, visited her home Monday....Loyd Fryant, of Greene township, this county, was in town Monday.... Farmers are taking advantage of this fine weather to gather in the corn, and it is a reasonably good crop in this locality.... Good Tidings Day was observed by the M. E. church here Sunday, the Sunday school giving an appropriate service in the evening to a crawded house....The Sons of Veterans are preparing to give an all-day social on election day, November 8th, in the town hall, to replenish their treasury.

TREMONT CITY.

TREMONT CITY, O., Oct. 19.—The young ladies of the Hill church will give a literary entertainment one week from next Sunday evening, the proceeds for missions. You are kindly invited....The first regular meeting of the O. T. R. C. meets at Reigle's, Friday evening next. All the members and those who wish to join are requested to be present....Forest Peneton now resides in our city....Miss Laura Leber is teaching the primary department of our village schools, and Frank Riegle the intermediate. The high school department, taught by J. S. Wharton, of Marysville, O., began last Monday, and is now ready to take, on tuition, a limited number of pupils from outside of the district, if such there are, desiring to take a thorough common school course, prepare for teaching or take a practical, higher school course. Also arrangements can be made so as to study book-keeping, Latin, German or French. Our village school is equal to any other and second to none.

CATAWBA.

CATAWBA, Oct. 18.—Farmers are busy gathering corn....Dr. W. P. Bloyer left the first of the week for Cincinnati, Ohio. ....The funeral service of Aunt Sarah Neer will be held at the M. P. church on Sunday next....A. N. Summers, Esq., and W. L. Weaver, Esq., of Springfield, gave the republicans of this vicinity a rousing speech on Wednesday evening, the 12th....Rev. F. B. Griffice, of Indianapolis, Ind., spoke for the prohibitionists at Pearson hall on last Saturday night.... Mr. Thomas Pearson and wife, of Hardin county, are visiting Joseph Pearson and family....Dr. F. C. Runyan and wife, of Springfield, spent Sunday here....Mrs. Emma Malon, wife of James Malon, is lying very low with bronchial affection.... George Wingate leaves this week for the Champion city, where he will attend Nelson's business college....Ed Dowling now wears a smile. It is a fine boy and he is happy. Mother and child doing well.

Five Shakspeare clubs flourish at Concord, N. H.

OAK GROVE.

OAK GROVE, Oct. 17.—Ray Garrison met with quite a mishap at school last week. He and another boy were wrestling and in falling the other boy fell on him in such a manner as to strain a ligament between the right knee and the ankle. His father was sent for who took him to the doctor. The doctor says he will not wrestle any more for a couple of weeks. He is now improving slowly....Miss Maggie Allen arrived home Saturday after an absence of nearly three months....Wonder of wonders! A. E. McCam has finished sowing wheat at last....Word has just reached us of a young man who went out to harrow, taking two horses, and hitched them to a three-horse harrow, and then getting on one of them to ride. His brother entreated of him to walk; his father's efforts were fruitless; but when mam came with her arguments he then crawled down.... Ike McCullough is remodelling his house. A. Hursh is doing the work....McClellan persists in calling any kind of a tool for digging, a pick.... Mr. Royse Brown, who by the way is completely disgusted on account of the fourth party being in the campaign and while seriously contemplating the matter the other day, and holding a cornstalk in one hand, and a keen-edged knife in the other, he made a vicious slash at the stalk when lo, and behold! he missed the stalk and cut his leg....A young man who carries a revolver and boasts of being a crack shot, while passing through a woods became so frightened that he dropped his revolver and run. Other parties found it and in order to get possession of his property made the above confession....In the Cleveland *News and Herald* of October 14, we saw the following among the death notices. "Spraggins—Mr. William Spraggins, aged 85 years, Oct. 12, at his son's residence, No. 57, Petrie street. Funeral, Friday at 2 o'clock. Springfield, O., papers please copy."....This aged gentleman is the father of our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. William Spraggins, who left here last week to attend the funeral.

Whereas, Our Heavinly Father in his wisdom has again visited our church and Sunday school and removed from us by death our beloved brother and secretary, Edward W. Johnson,

And whereas, We keenly feed the loss of such a genial spirit, of such a faithful and willing worker in our school, therefore be it resolved,

1st. That we, remembering that all things work together for good to those who love the lord, would bow in humble sbumission to the Divine will in this hour of sadness.

2nd. That we, the members of the school, give expression to our appreciation of his worth as an officer in the school; and also to the deep sense of our loss by reason of his removal from us.

3d. That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and consolation.

4th. That we order a copy of these resolutions entered upon the minutes of this school and one sent to the afflicted mother.

LIBBIE MILLER,
S. R. SHANK,
C. W. CHOAT,
IDA WINGET.

PITCHIN.

PITCHIN, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Gregg and daughters have gone to Defiance, Ohio, to spend the winter....Mr. Charley Marshall and family, of Cedarville, were the guests of Jesse Marshall, Sunday....Old Grandmother Todd is spending a few days in Pitchin....Several of the young folks of Pitchin attended the oyster supper at Tom Hess's last Thursday night....Mrs. Wm. Elder died Sunday morning after several weeks' illness. Funeral Tuesday at 2 o'clock....Mrs. Annie Porter went to Arcanum last Tuesday, to spend the winter with her brother....Frank Littler, who has been gone from home for three months, returned Saturday, much improved....David Patterson has sold his property here to Dr. Dillahunt and Ervin Nave. Mr. Patterson has bought property in Union county, where he expects to move soon....Mr. and Mrs. Fink, of Springfield, spent Sunday here....Miss Lillie Hurley, of Xenia, was the guest of Miss Ella Littler Sunday. ....Mr. and Mrs. Perry Britton attended the dance at J. W. Cleland's, last Thursday night....Messrs. Nave and Todd hulled seventeen bushels of clover seed in one hour. Quite a feat, that....The prohibitionists held a meeting here last Thursday night. Dr. Dillahunt, prohibition central committeeman, didn't make his appearance, and hasn't been heard from since.... Candidate Abell called on his democratic friends here one day last week.

MEDWAY.

MEDWAY, Oct. 17.—Mrs. John Trout, sen., died on Wednesday morning. She had been a sufferer for a long time....Mr. Kline is no better. The doctors give his family no encouragement to hope for his recovery. Mrs. Duffy, also, is no better. ...Mr. Newcomb will move his family to New Carlisle on next Thursday, where he is engaged at work....R. S. Aston started for California on last Thursday morning. ...Mr. McClain will ship his furniture and other household goods to California on next Thursday....Frank Bird, who is engaged in the ordinance department at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., is visiting his parents, Jacob and Katie Bird. He has been absent from home fifteen years, and his friends had not heard from him during all the time he was away. He will return again to his post of duty in two weeks. He has been in the army over twenty-four years....Our saloon keepers are somewhat excited over the action of the grand jury. They have been notified that five indictments have been found against them. They swear vengence against somebody. Look out....Elias Kline has moved to Dayton where he expects to engage in business....The families of Christ Kilheffer, Cyrus Helman and J. A. Hershey, visited at Christ Brenner's on last Sunday.

LAWRENCEVILLE.

LAWRENCEVILLE, Oct. 19.—The township high school opened Monday....Mr. Eddy and family, of Indiana, are visiting at Wm. Wingert's....Mrs. Peter Overholser, is ill with typhoid fever....The Reformed church will not be finished till spring....Miss Lucy Wey is dangerously ill with typhoid fever....Messrs. M. C. Foster and Nimrod Myers have started a dairy.....David Michael, sen., is on the sick list....J. V. Ballentine is on the U. S. grand jury at Cincinnati....The pike from here to the city is getting in a pretty bad condition for travel....The political pot is beginning to boil. Everybody wants to hear Foraker when he comes....A very large clover crop is being threshed this fall.

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Sheriff's Sale.

PURSUANT to the command of an execution of sale, issued from the court of common pleas of Clark county, Ohio, and to me directed and delivered, I will offer for sale at public auction at the south door of the court house of said county, in the city of Springfield, Ohio, on

Saturday, November 19, A. D. 1887,

At 1 o'clock p. m., the following described mortgaged premises, towit:

Situate in the County of Clark, State of Ohio, and in the City of Springfield, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Being parts of lots 4 and 5 in Josiah Spencer's addition to the town, now city, of Springfield, and being 50 feet front on Linn street; beginning at the south east corner of lot 4; thence west with the south line of lots 4 and 5, 50 feet; thence north parallel with the east line of lot 4, 55 feet; thence east on a line parallel with the south line of said lots, 50 feet; thence south with the east line of lot 4, 55 feet, to the place of beginning. Being the south half of lot 4, and one-half foot off east side of the south half of lot 5, and being a part of the same premises conveyed by Josiah Spencer and wife to James Hoak by deed dated April 21, 1854, and being the same premises conveyed to William H. Dickson by James Hoak.

Said above described premises appraised at $2,650 00.

Said above premises to be sold by order of the court of common pleas of Clark county, Ohio, in case No. 8811, wherein Samuel Gets is plaintiff, and Wm. H. Dickson et al are defendants.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

WILLIAM B BAKER,
Sheriff of Clark County, Ohio.
W. S. NEWBERRY and W. M. ROCKEL, Attorneys 249o

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Saturday, November 19, A. D., 1887,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described mortgaged premises; to-wit:

Situate in the county of Clark, in the state of Ohio, and in the City of Springfield, and being part of section 10, town 4, range 9, M. R. S.; being lot 16 in a subdivision of lands made by Benjamin Seever, a plat of which is recorded in records of plats of said county, page 166.

Being same premises conveyed to said Mary E. Coble by Benjamin Seever and wife by deed dated May 7, 1874, and recorded in vol. 61, pages 137, 138 Deed Records of said county.

Said above described premises appraised at $1,700 00.

Said above premises to be sold by order of the court of common pleas of Clark county, Ohio, in case No. 8736, wherein Theo. H. Brown is plaintiff, and Jacob Coble et al. are defendants.

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