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BALTIMORE AND OHIO R. R. Excursion To SANDUSKY \$1.00 CEDAR POINT \$1.25 Sunday, June 19

Notice to Contractors The Board of Education of the township of Berlin, County of Knox, Ohio, hereby gives notice that bids will be received at the office of the clerk of said township, from the 3rd day of June, 1910, until the 23rd day of July, 1910, at noon, for furnishing the material and doing the work necessary for the erection of a school house and three outbuildings in accordance with plans set forth in specifications on file at the office of the clerk of said Berlin township. The building is to be erected in district No. 5 and on the site of a former school house burned down in the early part of the current year. These bids shall be in two classes: 1st. Bid for all material necessary to the construction of the building. 2nd. Bid for all labor necessary to convert said material into the finished building as specified. These bids shall be sealed. By order of the Board of Education, JOHN GUTHRIE, Clerk, Rt. 1, Fredericktown, O. 6-3-10, 17, 248

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and qualified executor of the estate of CATHERINE BARDESTY late of Knox county, Ohio, deceased, by the probate court of said county. May 28th, 1910. R. L. JONES, Utica, Star Route, Ohio

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and qualified executor of the estate of JOHN B. WILSON late of Knox county, Ohio, deceased, by the probate court of said county. May 27th, 1910. M. D. WILSON, Fredericktown, Ohio

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PROGRAM For The Annual Reunion Of Alumni Association To Occur On Friday Evening Of This Week Program Contains Many Interesting Features And Reunion Promises To Be Grand Success Fully Four Hundred Guests Are Expected

The program for the twenty-seventh annual reunion and banquet of the Mt. Vernon Alumni Association, which occurs Friday evening of this week, has been completed and promises to be one of unusual interest. Several unique features have been introduced this year that insure a feast of fun and pleasure. There will not be a dull moment from start to finish. The first part of the program will be held in the High School Auditorium. There will be an orchestral concert from 7:30 to 8 o'clock by the Alumni orchestra of twelve pieces. The address of welcome will be given by Fred M. French, president of the association. Carroll Conard, president of the class of 1910 will respond. After a selection by a quartet composed of Mesdames French and Wootton and Messrs. Kelly and Turner, Prof. Julius W. Headington will entertain with chalk sketches of alumni subjects. After a solo by George B. Kelly, Mrs. Olive Eggleston and Miss Maria Chase will debate upon a subject, which, so far, they refuse to reveal. A roll call by classes will settle the contest on attendance. The class having the best representation will receive the silk banner. A recout of the members who have been graduated by death during the year will close the first part of the program. A half hour's reception will be held in the halls of the old and new buildings. During this time the orchestra will render another musical program. Two contests will also entertain things. The principal feature, however, will be the "Picture Gallery" of all the classes. This will be located in one of the halls of the old building. In connection with this it is well to mention that Prof. Headington has decorated the walls of Alumni Hall with the mottoes of all the classes. The banquet will be held in Alumni Hall, the old high school room. This will be beautifully decorated and arranged to seat 400 guests. While the banquet is being served the orchestra will render a special program. Prof. Alan, as toastmaster, has arranged for three toasts as follows: Mr. Kenneth Campbell—"The Ladies," Miss Edith Bell—"The Men," Dr. Geo. D. Arndt—"The School of Tomorrow."

During this part of the program the quartet will sing a selection and there will be songs by the entire alumni, interspersed with class yells, etc., also presentation of prizes. All members who have not secured their tickets are requested to do so at once.

CHILD Badly Scalded By A Pan Of Hot Water The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Berry of East Vine street was severely scalded while playing at the home of his parents on Tuesday morning. The child was standing near his mother, who was busy with her work, and in some manner the hot plate was accidentally overturned pouring a pan of hot water on the boy's right arm and legs. The flesh was badly burned and scalded before the clothing could be removed. Dr. H. W. Blair was called to render surgical attention. The deceased is survived by one sister, Mrs. James L. Leonard of this city and by two brothers, Frank Sweet of Chicago and Harry Sweet of Cincinnati. Her husband died several years ago. The remains will be brought to Mt. Vernon Thursday morning and the funeral will occur from her late home on South Gay street Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Mound View cemetery. If you are not satisfied after using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, you can have your money back. The tablets cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the digestion, regulate the bowels. Give them a trial and get well. Sold by all dealers.

BIG YEAR Financially For Ohio Fuel Supply Company Figures On Annual Meeting Are Given Out

(Ohio State Journal) Yesterday, in advance of the annual meeting, the financial statement of the Ohio Fuel Supply Company for the fiscal year ending April 30 was given out and showed earnings in advance of 16 per cent on the outstanding capital stock of \$9,000,000. The statement shows as follows: Receipts from sale of gas, \$2,838,596; receipts from sale of oil, \$54,995; from drilling tools, \$20,975; from miscellaneous sources, \$9263; from interest, \$4539; total gross earnings, \$2,928,281; Expenditures: Production expenses, \$756,103; distributing, \$178,045; general expense, \$123,937; gas purchased, \$363,941; oil expense, \$18,656; bad debts, \$2849; total expenditures for year, \$1,443,633; net earnings for year, \$1,484,747; dividends paid \$825,000; surplus after dividends, \$659,747. The statement of quick assets showed cash on hand of \$183,345; accounts receivable, \$811,512; total \$995,158; accounts payable, \$278,495; cash surplus, \$716,662. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the offices in West Gay street this morning, the officers and stockholders from Pittsburg having arrived in Columbus last evening. There will be no changes in officers of directors, and while reports from Pittsburg say that there may be some important announcements made at the Columbus meeting today, it is not believed that these will be made public at this time. It is said that the rumors of announcements to be made today were the causes of the recent advance of the stock to 63, the par value being 25, and while it is certain that something big is under way, it is not thought it yet ready for the public. The earnings of the company for the year ending April 30 showed an increase of 14 per cent in gross earnings and 15.48 per cent in net earnings over the preceding year. Yesterday, in Pittsburg, the annual meetings of the Ohio Fuel Oil Company and the United Fuel Gas Company, subsidiary corporations of the Ohio Fuel Supply Company, were held. No changes were made in the officers or directors of either corporation. The United Fuel Gas Company is a producing company having large holdings of gas lands in West Virginia, and is owned by the Ohio Fuel Supply Company and the Standard Oil Company. The Ohio Fuel Oil Company is an independent corporation which last year took over all the oil lands belonging to the Ohio Fuel Supply Company. Its \$320,000 of capital stock being given as a dividend to the stockholders of the Ohio Fuel Supply Company. The statement of its earnings for the year ended April 30 showed net earnings of \$492,127.42, or over 153 per cent on its outstanding capitalization. From these earnings it may readily be seen why its stock, which has a par value of \$1 a share, is now selling above \$6 a share. No dividends have yet been paid on this stock, but the stockholders are expecting them to come in good-sized chunks when they do begin.

OBITUARY Amelia Cotton A message was received in the city Tuesday conveying the sad news of the death of Mrs. Amelia Cotton of this city, widow of the late Houston K. Cotton, which occurred at the home of her brother, Frank Sweet, in Chicago, Ill., on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Cotton had been visiting her brother in Chicago since April and last Saturday while on a street car to take a train to her home in Mt. Vernon she was seized with a stroke of paralysis. She was immediately taken to the home of her brother, where death's summons came Tuesday morning. The deceased is survived by one sister, Mrs. James L. Leonard of this city and by two brothers, Frank Sweet of Chicago and Harry Sweet of Cincinnati. Her husband died several years ago. The remains will be brought to Mt. Vernon Thursday morning and the funeral will occur from her late home on South Gay street Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Mound View cemetery. If you are not satisfied after using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, you can have your money back. The tablets cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the digestion, regulate the bowels. Give them a trial and get well. Sold by all dealers.

SUICIDE Of A Man Whose Son Resides At Fredericktown Columbus, Ohio, June 14—Joseph Chenoweth, aged 78 years, committed suicide last night by hanging himself in his barn at Grove City. He was the father of Dwight Chenoweth of Fredericktown, Ohio.

COUNCIL Voted Down Ordinance Which Provided For Distribution Of Funds Collected For Violation Of Rose Law Messrs Cole And Dubinsky Voted In The Negative Hitching Ring Ordinance Given Second Reading Shade Trees To Be Trimmed Over The City

The city council met in regular session in the council chamber on Monday evening with President Edward Dever in the chair. The meeting was called to order and the roll was called, all answering as their names were called except Messrs Farrison and Jones. It was a short meeting, as all matters of business, which were to be attended to were of a nature which made them quickly disposed of. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read by Clerk McIntire and approved as read by the council. Mr. Cole moved that the ordinance to distribute the \$500 collected by Mayor Mitchell as fines for violation of the Rose law, during his term of office thus far, be made as follows: \$150 to the safety fund, \$132 to the fund for the prosecution of violations of the local option law and the remainder, \$188, to the general fund. The ordinance was taken from the table and read for the third time before final passage. The ordinance was then up for final passage and was lost when the vote was taken. Those favoring the passing of the ordinance were Messrs. Taylor, Weaver, and Downs and those voting against it were Messrs. Cole and Dubinsky. The ordinance was declared defeated. The ordinance to remove obstructions from the streets, alleys and public grounds owned by the city and to maintain and protect hitching rings on Main street was given the second reading by its title. A resolution to place an electric light at the intersection of Ridgewood avenue and South Jackson streets was introduced and on motion this resolution was adopted. A resolution to place a fire hydrant at the northwest corner of the intersection of Mechanic and West Front streets was introduced and on motion, was adopted. Mr. Dowds of the street committee reported that the committee wished to report favorably on the matter of repaving East High street to the east line of Gay street from the public square, provided that each property owner promised to pay the original assessment for the paving. Mr. Cole moved that the matter of placing an electric light at the intersection of Mansfield Ave. and Calhoun streets be referred to light committee. The motion prevailed. Mr. Weaver moved that the board of control be instructed to attend to the repairing of the sidewalk on East Burgess street near the Shutt residence. The motion carried. Mr. Dowds favored that the matter of the new lights on Center Run street be investigated—as complaints have been made by the citizens in that locality who say that the lights have been placed too high and that the light is obstructed by foliage. The motion was passed by the council. Mr. Taylor moved that the matter of trimming the trees all over the city be referred to the board of control as the foliage is so low that it obstructs the rays from the electric lights. The motion prevailed. Mr. Cole moved that the matter of attending to the proper removal of surface water at the intersection of Belmont avenue and North Sandusky street be referred to the board of control. The motion carried. On motion the council was adjourned for two weeks.

RESOLUTION Adopted By The City Board Of Education Expressing Thanks To Supt. And Teachers For Efficient Work During The Year The board of education of Mt. Vernon held a special meeting on Monday evening with all members present. The meeting was called to order with President C. N. Lorey in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Clerk Coyner and accepted by the board as read. The first thing done by the board was to confirm the names of the graduates as they were reported by Superintendent J. S. Alan. The use of the High school auditorium was granted to the board of education of Clinton township on the evening of June 23rd, when the Box-well commencement exercises will be held. The following resolution was adopted by the board: "Resolved, That we, the board of education, take this means of expressing our thanks and high appreciation of the services of the superintendent, principals and teachers of our schools for the year now closing. "We recognize the efficiency of your work and the achievements accomplished and wish you a pleasant vacation. Our retention of your services for the next year is but another expression of our high regard for your qualifications. Our aim is to make the schools of Mt. Vernon the best in the state and in this, we know that we have your hearty co-operation. "To the graduating class, we say that every facility at our command has been expended in your behalf and we hope and believe that you have availed yourself of them and as you go forth into higher and broader scenes of life, always remember that there is no excellence without great labor and that the best wishes of the board of education goes with you." After reading of this resolution, the meeting was adjourned on motion.

HEDDING CHAPEL To Hold Services On Monday The Fourth Of July A Fourth of July service is to be held this year at Hedding Chapel, not far from Sparta. The program of the day commences at 10 o'clock in the morning, sun time. There will be a big basket picnic at noon and the Rev. W. H. Eglin of Centerville, Rev. D. A. Morris of Mt. Vernon, Rev. F. I. Johnson of Mt. Vernon will be the speakers of the afternoon. Rev. A. C. Corfman of Gambier will have charge of the music. The Big Four quartette of South Bloomfield and the Young Men's quartette of Hedding will furnish music. All persons are welcome. Rev. C. L. Lewis, pastor of Hedding Chapel.

THIRD RECITAL In The Series By The Pupils Of Miss McFadden

The third piano recital in the series by Miss McFadden's pupils took place at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Russell, East Gambier street, Monday evening in the presence of an audience that filled the large drawing room. The third recital was given by Misses Helen McNabb and Katharine Russell, two of the most advanced pupils, whose rendition of the numbers of the program showed a remarkable degree of proficiency. Mrs. Harry G. Slingluff rendered a vocal selection with Miss Helen Shireman as accompanist. Mrs. Slingluff's singing was much appreciated by all in attendance. The program of the recital follows: Concerto, A minor, (Godard)—Miss Helen McNabb. Orchestral parts on second piano. Mrs. Forbing. Abends, (Raf), Valse in E, (Mozzkowski)—Miss Katharine Russell. Impromptu, F sharp major, (Chopin), Hungarian Dance, (Brahms)—Miss Helen McNabb. Frullingszeit, (Becker), Helmwob, (Hugo Wolf)—Mrs. Slingluff. Valse Caprice on themes from Lucia, (Liszt)—Miss Helen McNabb. Der Wanderer, (Schubert-Liszt), Marche Militaire, (Schubert-Tausig)—Miss Katharine Russell. Gavotte and Contrapuntal Variations, (Handel-Schole), for two pianos—Miss Helen McNabb, Miss Katharine Russell.

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GOING OUT OF BUSINESS Max Kurlander & Co.'s Big Stock To Be Sold Below Cost Owing to the recent death of Mr. Kurlander's father, which has made it necessary that he take charge of stores in Lorain, the large Spring and Summer Stock of Gents' Furnishings and Men's and Ladies' Shoes in the store now located at the N.W. corner High and Mulberry Sts., will be closed out regardless of cost. This is a stock of all new Spring and Summer goods and it is first class in every particular. A grand opportunity is now offered the people of Mt. Vernon and Knox county to supply their wants. Come and see the stock and up-to-date display, also not the low prices and then you will be convinced that what we say is the truth. This is no fake sale for we intend closing out the stock just as quickly as we can. The sale is now going on, so come early and get your share of the bargains while the selection is good. MAX KURLANDER & COMPANY FOR SALE—All store fixtures, cash register, etc. J. Dubinsky.

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