

SHORT LOCALS

Eggs 30c; butter 22c. Gem Laundry, 7 N. Main St. Clough for sewing machines. Sharp's for cut flowers, 8 N. Main. Buy your hats and furnishings at Porter's on S. Main St. Mr. Clarence Anderson of East Chestnut street went to Gambier Thursday morning on business. Post cards 10 cents per dozen at Penn's. Mrs. Ollie Leedy of Orrville is visiting Mrs. B. W. Campbell, East Front street. Children's hats 1/2 off. A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co. Mrs. J. H. Kramer and daughter, Marie, are visiting friends in Elyria and Cleveland. Mrs. Burt Mawby returned home today after a five weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Kramer. Mr. John Sheedy went to Columbus Thursday morning to spend the day with friends. Miss Crystal Dressler, a promising school teacher of Akron, O., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Helen Umbaugh, Oak street. Mr. and Mrs. William White of North Main street left Thursday morning for Lakeside, Ohio, where they will spend two weeks. "Curly" Micheaux, the "Belgian Hercules," left Thursday morning for Kenton, Ohio, where he will meet a skilled welter weight on the wrestling mat on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pettit of Van Wert, Ohio, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Faust of Chester street. Tonight at the Cooper theatre—Culhane's Stock Company in the famous play, "Dora Thorne." Mr. Allen Fink of Pittsburg, Pa., is expected in the city Friday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Bope. Miss Ollie Henegan of Akron is spending several days in Mt. Vernon, the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McDonough. To accommodate those going on the excursion Saturday, all union barber shops will be open Friday night until 9 o'clock. Mr. Charles Braun and children of Marysville, Ohio, are spending several days with relatives in Mt. Vernon. The trip from Marysville to Mt. Vernon was made in Mr. Braun's automobile. Mrs. J. S. McConnell, Mrs. Fred McConnell and daughter, Mary, leave tomorrow morning with Mr. McConnell for Torchlight, Kentucky, where they will remain for several months. Cut rates on all watch repairing Main spring, 75c; cleaning, 75c; crystals, 15c; jewels, 25c to 75c. Work guaranteed 1 year. Owens, corner Main and Gambier streets—up stairs. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelley and Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Kelley left this morning for Cedar Point to attend the annual outing of the Knights of Columbus. Tonight at the Cooper theatre—Culhane's Stock Company in the famous play, "Dora Thorne." Mrs. Franklin M. Peters left this morning for Mt. Vernon and Columbus, where she will visit with relatives and friends for a week—Massfield News. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Bethel of Branch street have returned from Mt. Vernon, where they visited friends.—Zanesville Times Recorder. Big reductions in muslin underwear. A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co. The gates at Hiawatha park will be free Thursday and Friday. Change of program at the theatre Thursday night. Ten cents to all parts of the house. Tonight at the Cooper theatre—Culhane's Stock Company in the famous play, "Dora Thorne." Mrs. Curtis Pinkley and sons, Howard and Stanley, of Canton are spending several days with Mrs. Pinkley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tilton of near Jewellway. Mr. Freeman Tudor of South Jackson street, who has been visiting with relatives in Toledo for the past several days, has secured a position in that city and will remain during the rest of the summer. Mr. Charles Taylor, who has been confined to his home on East Front street by an attack of illness, was unable to resume his duties at the Taylor barber shop on South Main street Thursday morning. Duck skirts in tan, blue, and white, \$1 values, now 69 cents. A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co. Miss Ruth Madison left this morning for Bradford, Pa., and other points in Pennsylvania to visit her grandmother and other relatives. She was accompanied as far as Akron by her father, Mr. W. H. Wescot, and uncle, Mr. Harry Canup.

Mrs. Ellsworth Wilson is confined to her home in Sparta by a severe attack of illness. Mr. F. J. Doolittle of Gambier went to Monroeville Thursday morning to spend several days with relatives. Mr. Darrell Banning is confined to his home on West High street by a severe attack of mumps. Mr. J. W. Coe of West Gambier street went to Utica Thursday noon to attend to some business matters. Misses' and children's oxfords at the lowest prices ever offered in the city at Parker's Cash Shoe Store. Col. and Mrs. L. G. Hunt left this afternoon for Sidney, O., where the colonel will attend the reunion of the 20th O. V. I. Look in the window at Parker's Cash Shoe Store and see what 98c will buy. Miss Katherine Corcoran of South Rogers street returned home today after having spent two delightful weeks with relatives in Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Critchfield left Thursday morning for their home in Chicago, after a several days' visit with relatives in Mt. Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hanna returned to their home in Brink Haven Thursday morning after a short visit with relatives in Mt. Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pritchblow and daughter, Louise, of Pittsburg, Pa., are the guests of Miss Grace Headington for a few days. Popular Mechanics and Everybody's magazines for August on sale at Penn's. Will Wythe has opened a cigar, tobacco and confectionery stand immediately north of Bope's hardware store. A visit from his friends will be appreciated. Stock new and fresh. Saturday Evening Post on sale at Penn's. Mr. Joseph Newman went to Columbus today to attend the wedding of Dr. Felix Levy of Chicago and Miss Cella Schanfarber, which takes place at the Progress club house in Columbus this evening at 7 o'clock. Mr. Fred Lawler of West Vine street, went to Cedar Point Thursday morning to attend the convention of the Knights of Columbus, which is being held at that place during this week. Sister Borromeo, formerly Miss Margaret McDonough and Sister Constantia, formerly Miss Julia Dietrick, returned to Nazareth, Ky., after a several days' visit with relatives in Mt. Vernon. Miss Emelia Boerschig, who has been residing with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer, eighteen months, returned to her home in Milwaukee yesterday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Brewer, who will make an extended visit with relatives in that city. Program at the park tonight: Days Before School specialties by Jack Golden; Chester & DeVon, in the Dutchman's Trouble; Ruby Moore and Leo White, singing and dancing; the laughable farce-comedy, The Doctor's Dilemma, or Over the River for You. Admission 10 cents; gates free. Miss Dana Seltzer, Mrs. John Kirkpatrick, Miss Lucie Holbrook, Miss Mary Holbrook of Shelby and Miss Florence Holbrook of Olympia, Washington, are the guests of Miss Ena Henderson of Gambier avenue. The trip was made by the young ladies in an automobile from Shelby. BIRTHS A son was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Otto S. Baker of North Main street. A daughter was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. VanVoorhis of East Front street. A daughter was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nahaffey of North Sandusky street. Squaring the Circle. The origin of the problem squaring the circle is almost lost in the mists of antiquity, but there is a record of an attempted quadrature in Egypt 500 years before the exodus of the Jews. There is also a claim, according to Hone, that the problem was solved by a discovery of Hippocrates, the geometer of Chios—not the physician—500 B. C. Now, the efforts of Hippocrates were devoted toward converting a circle into a crescent, because he had found that the area of a figure produced by drawing two perpendicular radii in a circle is exactly equal to the triangle formed by the line of junction. This is the famous theorem of the "lunes of Hippocrates" and is, like Glauber's salts out of the philosopher's stone, an example of the useful results which sometimes follow a search for the unattainable. Without Trimmings. Payne, an examiner at Cambridge university, whose questions were always of a peculiarly exasperating nature, once asked a student at a special examination to "give a definition of happiness." "An exemption from Payne," was the reply.

Society News Double Surprises Party at Danville On Saturday evening, July 16th, friends and neighbors to the number of forty gathered at the pleasant country home of Lyman Workman, four miles north of Danville, to remind him that he had reached the sixty-fifth milestone of life. His wife and children presented him with a handsome leather rocker. While Mrs. Workman was assisting in surprising her husband, their children were arranging a surprise for her also. They presented her with a beautiful rocker as they had Mr. Workman, which was a great surprise to her. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clem Horn and son Virgil, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beaman and son Tom, Mr. and Mrs. David Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reichart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stull, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Helsner, Mr. and Mrs. Bun Pembroke, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Young and son, Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Roll Davis and daughter, Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. David Nyhart, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Scholes, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Crenot, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scholes, Mr. and Mrs. Will Workman and son, Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Workman and son, Donald, Mr. Clifford Scholes, Mr. Charles Beaman. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were served. All spent a very pleasant evening. Nau-Stute Wedding Mr. Albert W. Nau of Cleveland and Miss Grace May Stute, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Stute, were united in marriage at 10:30 Thursday morning at the home of the bride's parents, 502 North Main street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. J. Zirbes, pastor of the First German church of Cleveland, assisted by the Rev. F. E. Brininstool, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city. Only the immediate members of the families witnessed the ceremony. As the bridal party entered the room the wedding march was played by Miss Bessie Stute, sister of the bride. The maid of honor was Miss Clara Stute and the bride's maid Miss Alice Stute, both sisters of the bride. The maids carried bouquets of colored sweet peas and the bride a shower of white sweet peas and ferns. The best man was Mr. Emil Nau of Cleveland, brother of the groom. The ceremony was performed under a bower of flowers and ferns artistically arranged. Following the ceremony a delicious wedding breakfast was served. The bride was one of the popular school teachers of the city for two years or more past and has a large circle of friends and acquaintances in Mt. Vernon who join in wishing her much happiness through life. Mr. and Mrs. Nau will enjoy a honeymoon trip of several weeks on the Great Lakes and about September 1, will be at home at 6103 Whittier avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. A. I. U. Picnic Held At Newark The A. I. U. picnic was held at Buckeye Lake, near Newark, Ohio, Wednesday. The event was attended by about eight hundred members from Mt. Vernon, Columbus, Zanesville and Newark. Each year, a picnic of this kind is held by the chapters from the four cities mentioned. In the afternoon, an interesting athletic program was carried out. This was only one of the many amusements which were enjoyed during the day. Seventeen members of the local chapter were present. Bell-Ward Wedding Mr. Edward R. Bell and Miss Nellie Ward, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Wolford, were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage, East Vine street, Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock by the Rev. F. E. Brininstool, pastor of the First Baptist church. The young couple went to housekeeping at once in a newly furnished home at the corner of East Hamtramck and Park streets. Entertained At Millwood Mrs. B. F. Hammond delightfully entertained at her home in Millwood Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guests, Miss Edith Workman and Miss Ruth Moore of Columbus. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in contests and playing games. The house was decorated in pink and green. Refreshments were served. Kitchen Shower A surprise kitchen shower was given Miss Nellie Ward at her home on Chester street on Tuesday evening. The evening was very pleasantly spent by all in music and games. About forty guests were present. Refreshments were served. Miss Ward will be united in marriage with Mr.

Edward Bell, of this city, in the near future. Pleasant Surprise Party A very pleasant surprise was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proper, one mile west of Bangs on Wednesday. The event was in honor of the seventeenth birthday anniversary of Miss Inez Proper. She received many useful presents. A good time was enjoyed by all. Theatre Party At the Park. The former members of the Beta Tau Delta sorority enjoyed a theatre party at the Hiawatha park theatre on Wednesday evening. About ten young ladies were present during the evening which was spent in a pleasant manner. TWO Medals Awarded At Contest Wednesday Night Misses Eva Clark and Pearl Edwards were winners of gold medals in a recitation contest held at the Vine street Church of Christ Wednesday evening. A medal was offered by the W. C. T. U. for the best recitation and at the conclusion of the contest, it was decided that the honors were equally divided between the above girls. Consequently, it was determined to award each of the girls with a medal. OBITUARY Infant's Death The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reddix, colored, died at the home of its parents in Cleveland Wednesday morning. The child was but one day old at the time of its death. The body was sent to Mt. Vernon, arriving here on the noon train Thursday over the C., A. & C. Ry. From the station it was taken to Mound View cemetery where the interment took place. Mrs. Bope's Funeral The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles A. Bope will occur Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the late residence, 207 East Gambier street, Rev. William E. Hull, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church officiating. Interment in Mound View cemetery. Mrs. Charles A. Bope Very suddenly came the summons of death to Mrs. Charles A. Bope, at her home on East Gambier street, Tuesday night. She had been in her usual good health and there was no warning of an approaching fatal illness. In the evening after dinner she was sitting on the front porch with some members of the family when she was suddenly taken violently ill and physicians were at once summoned who pronounced the attack acute indigestion and which was affecting her heart. The attack would not yield to the ministrations of the physicians and at 10:30 o'clock death came. The deceased was 63 years of age and was married to Mr. Bope on Thanksgiving day, 1855. She is survived by her husband and also by a brother and sister, Mr. Marcus Stamp and Mrs. Letitia S. Oglvie, both of Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. Bope was a life-long member of St. Paul's Episcopal church and was prominent in church and charitable work. The funeral arrangements will be announced later. Mrs. Elizabeth Warrell Mrs. Elizabeth Warrell died at her home in Newark, Ohio, Tuesday evening at about nine-thirty o'clock after a several months' illness caused by enlargement of the liver. She was sixty-nine years of age at the time of her death and is survived by one daughter, five sisters and five brothers. The deceased was formerly of Mt. Vernon, having moved to Newark about fourteen years ago, and had many relatives and friends in and near this city. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made. Caroline Skillings Mrs. Caroline Skillings died at her home about one mile south of Danville Tuesday afternoon at about two o'clock after a several weeks' illness caused by heart trouble. She was seventy-eight years of age at the time of her death and is survived by one brother and two sisters. The funeral Friday morning at nine o'clock at St. Luke's Catholic church in Danville, Rev. Trogus officiating. Interment at St. Luke's cemetery at Danville.

The Meyer-Lindorf Company's 2d Semi-Annual 25 per cent DISCOUNT SALE! Closes Saturday Night, July 23rd Owing to the fact that we have to prepare our inventory the last week of July we are forced to close our 25 per cent discount sale Saturday night, July 23, instead of Wednesday night, July 27, as we had previously advertised. We make this announcement in order that everyone may avail themselves of this the greatest saving opportunity of the season. Just think of buying almost anything in this entire stock at ONE-FOURTH OFF. Ribbons Laces Embroideries White Goods Colored Wash Goods Gingham Work Shirts Shirtings Silkolines Cretonnes Blankets Comforts Outings Knit Underwear White Dresses Notions Shirt Waists Belts and Collars Bags and Parasols Hosiery Muslin Underwear Corsets Table Linens Dress Goods Silks Gloves Ready-To-Wear Goods Lace Curtains Draperies Linen Dresses All the above and many others you can buy this week at just one-fourth off the regular price. In other words, 75c buys \$1.00 worth of goods. Anything in our entire store goes at 25 per cent discount excepting (COTTON THREAD, CALICOES, MUSLINS, CARPETS AND RUGS) SALE CLOSSES SATURDAY NIGHT, JULY 23rd The Meyer-Lindorf Company

BLADENSBURG Kirk called on Mrs. Ida Hardesty, on Saturday. Mrs. Henry Van Winkle, who has been very ill for some time is slowly improving. Mr. Geo. Harris is quite busy repairing the bridge near Mr. Virgil Wolfe's. Saving the Oil. "In Cairo," said a journalist, "I heard a queer yarn about the fellahin. The fellahin are the native ruralists. They are very poor. Well, when the British built the Egyptian state railway the officials were astounded at the enormous quantities of train oil that disappeared. They knew that all this oil couldn't be used for lubricating purposes, so they made an investigation and found that it had become the staple food of the poor fellahin. The railroad detectives reported that the fellahin all over Egypt were using the Egyptian state railway's train oil as their chief support. They buttered their bread with train oil. They tried their fish in train oil. They made a kind of suet pudding with train oil as a base. They drank train oil heated as a flesh producer and the fellahin after a year's torturing and vain effort to accustom their systems to the mixture decided to give train oil up." The Giant Bible. There is in the Royal library at Stockholm among other curiosities a manuscript work known as the giant Bible on account of its extraordinary dimensions. It measures 30 centimeters in length and is 50 centimeters in breadth—that is, about 35 by 10 inches. It requires three men to lift it. There are 300 pages, but seven have been lost. The parchment of which the book is composed required the skins of 100 asses. There are two columns on each page, and the book contains the Old and New Testaments, with extracts from Josephus. The initial letters are illuminated. The binding is of oak, four and one-half centimeters in thickness. The book narrowly escaped destruction in the fire in the royal palace of Stockholm in 1697. It was saved, but somewhat damaged, by being thrown out of a window.—London Globe. Repartee. "But why are you in mourning?" "Oh, for my sins." "Gee! I didn't know you'd lost any!"—Cleveland Leader. Some Wisdom Left. "You didn't tell the barber you were in a hurry?" "No. I didn't want him to know it."—Pittsburg Post. Blessed is the man who has found his work. Let him ask no other blessedness.—Thomas Carlyle. Who by aspersions throw a stone at the head of others hit their own.—Herbert.