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A SUCCESSFUL PICNIC

Like the one given last year, the Knox county picnic on Wednesday, was a great success in every particular. In many respects the picnic this year was more successful than the former one, both in point of attendance and the entertainment furnished. To the thousands of people present at Hiawatha park, it was a day of much enjoyment. Too much praise cannot be given the members of the Citizens' association of Mt. Vernon, who had charge of the arrangements for the success of the picnic.

GOVERNORSHIP A STATE OFFICE

This sentence is quoted from a report of political developments during the legislative reunion of Cedar Point published August 6 in the Columbus Dispatch, an independent Republican paper: "Warren G. Harding will stake his chances of defeating Judson Harmon for governor on the willingness of the people of Ohio to give the Taft administration at Washington a blanket indorsement next November."

Is that so? Very well, let Mr. Harding run for governor as a stalking horse for President Taft if he chooses to do so. It will make it easier for the voters of Ohio to dispose of Mr. Harding's candidacy if he insists on wanting to be elected governor of Ohio for no better reason than to give President Taft's administration at Washington a blanket indorsement.

Mr. Harding is running for governor as a substitute for President Taft in the state campaign this year. Judson Harmon will go right on with his campaign for re-election as real governor of Ohio, and the result is easy to foresee. The people of Ohio have realized during the past 18 months what it means to have a real governor.

Instead of making the governor's office a side show to the administration at Washington the voters of Ohio are going to keep that office as a base of operations to serve them according to what is best for the welfare of the state, and they are going to keep Governor Harmon "on the job." They will do more; they will fortify him by making a clean sweep for the Harmon ticket, and back that up by electing a legislature with a Democratic majority in both branches so that the legislation advocated by Governor Harmon can be put into the statute books without being mangled or emasculated.

SEVERE INJURY

Sustained By Mrs. Kirk in Alighting From Street Car

Mrs. G. Thompson, 1121 of East High street met with a most unfortunate accident Wednesday morning while attempting to alight from a street car at the East High street switch. The car on which Mrs. Kirk had been riding did not come to a full stop at the switch and she attempted to get off. She was thrown to the brick pavement and struck on her face with such force that her nose was broken and her face badly lacerated. A surgeon was called to attend her.

SYCHAR

Meetings Are Growing In Interest Each Day

Services On Wednesday Largely Attended

Some Notes Of Interest From The Camp

Every meeting at Sychar on Wednesday was largely attended, and the sermons of the day and evening were wonderfully effective. At 6 o'clock in the evening Miss Millie Lawhead spoke at the tabernacle, setting out that those things which must be left off when one desires to be saved appear very small when once the seeker after forgiveness does give them up and begins to enjoy the greater gifts that are bestowed upon His children by the heavenly father.

After exhausting almost every means available to reach him, word was had yesterday from Bishop Oldham, who said that it would be impossible for him to reach Camp Sychar. It had been anticipated that he would be here for Sunday's services, but his work has been so laid out that he cannot come.

Friday will be the great day at the camp, as there will be special services in the interest of the W. C. T. U. work. Mrs. Trego of Cleveland, one of the most prominent workers in the cause of temperance will speak.

In addition to the regular services, a number of interesting special meetings have been worked in this week, these being largely in the interest of missions. The Rev. Mr. Bush of Africa, who is home on a vacation after three years of service, arrived at the camp Wednesday. He will return to his post in October.

Friday's Program
5:30 a. m.—Rev. J. B. Matthews.
7:30—Bible school.
8:15—Mrs. Iva D. Vernard.
8:30—Class meeting.
9:30—Rev. F. I. Johnson.
1:00 p. m.—Rev. C. J. Fowler and Mr. Trego of Cleveland.
2:00—Rev. J. M. O'Brian.
6:00—Young People's meeting.
7:15—Rev. C. M. Allen.

SYCHAR NEWS NOTES

"There has never been better preaching or teaching at Sychar than this year," said Mr. Schmuck, Wednesday. Mr. Schmuck is a member of the association and is familiar with Sychar history from its first day.

A number of people arrived Wednesday from Canton and Sebring to remain until after Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Mead of Akron were among Wednesday's arrivals.

RECOVERY

Of Mayor Gaynor Believed Practically Assured

Alokokon, Aug. 11—Mayor Gaynor at 9:43 o'clock this morning passed the 48-hour crisis.

No indication of gentle poisoning was apparent, and it was said at St. Mary's hospital the patient's recovery is now believed practically assured.

If, legally speaking, bleached flour is adulterated, what shall be said of a peroxide blonde?

PLUNGED

Down An Elevator Shaft And Were Killed

Chicago, Ill., August 11—Joseph Shiretzki, aged 24 years, was killed instantly and Miss Elsie Annan, aged 20 years, was injured fatally today when they are said to have fallen accidentally into an open elevator shaft in the building occupied by W. F. McLaughlin & Co., wholesale coffee merchants.

Officials of the coffee firm by which the victims were employed, were reticent in talking about the tragedy and detectives of the Central Police Station were put to work with instructions to make an investigation.

The police were told that Miss Annan and Shiretzki "began fooling," and that both lost their footing and fell into the shaft.

COMET

Discovered In The Heavens By A Preacher

Cambridge, Mass., August 11—Discovery of a comet by Rev. Joel H. Metcalf at Taunton was announced at the Harvard College University today. The discovery was made yesterday in right ascension 16 hours, 10 minutes, declination 15 degrees, 20 minutes, moving southwest. Position estimated.

OBITUARY

Robert D. Murphy
Robert D. Murphy died at his home in South Vernon Wednesday morning at five-thirty o'clock after a several days' illness. He was one year old and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murphy. The funeral at the house Friday morning at eleven o'clock. Interment at Calvary cemetery.

Rachel E. Brophy
Rachel E. Brophy died at her home in Morris township Wednesday morning after a several weeks' illness caused by a complication of diseases. She was a widow and was seventy-five years of age at the time of her death. She is survived by three daughters and one son. The funeral at the house Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. J. T. Black officiating. Interment in Mound View cemetery.

Ralph W. Rine
Ralph, the nine-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rine, died at the home of his parents on East Gambier street Wednesday afternoon, after a two weeks' illness. He is survived by his parents.

Douglas Bricker
Douglas Bricker, a former resident of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday morning at 3:30 o'clock at his home, 178 Carroll street, Akron, Ohio, after an illness of a few weeks of stomach trouble. He was sixty-four years of age at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife and four children: Edward of Milwaukee; Was. Fante, who is a teacher in the public schools at Akron, Foster of the same place and Charles of this city. The remains will be shipped to Mt. Vernon Friday arriving here at 5:15 p. m. Burial will take place in Mound View cemetery.

Mrs. Jonathan House
Mrs. Jonathan House died at her home in Brink Haven Monday afternoon at about three-thirty o'clock after a two weeks' illness caused by a stroke of paralysis. She was 72 years of age at the time of her death and is survived by her husband and five daughters. The funeral Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock at the M. M. church in Brink Haven, Rev. H. A. Sheek officiating. Interment in the Brink Haven cemetery.

Miss Esther Lahmon
Miss Esther Lahmon died at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Joseph Gorsuch on the Bladensburg road, southeast of the city. The cause of her death was dropsy. The deceased was 77 years of age. The funeral Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, sun time, at the Hope-well church. Interment at the Hope-well cemetery.

Every time we hear that we should love our enemies, it makes us mad; we don't accept the doctrine. You don't; no one does.

The new hobble skirt is the extreme opposite of the hoop skirt. Also it is an eye-opener.

Society News

Entertained Young Folks
Mrs. H. F. Hiner of West High street delightfully entertained a number of the boy and girl friends of Master John Hiner on Thursday afternoon, the occasion being in honor of his seventh birthday anniversary. A very pleasant afternoon was spent and refreshments were served.

Benner-Vernon Wedding
Word was received in the city Thursday of the marriage of Mr. William D. Benner to Miss Minnie Rachel Graff, daughter of Mrs. Della Vernon Graff which occurred at Canton, O., on Wednesday, August 10. The bride is a former resident of Mt. Vernon and has a large circle of friends here. She was a former teacher in the Mt. Vernon public schools. Mr. and Mrs. Benner will reside at Canton.

Entertain With Dance
The members of the Beta Phi fraternity entertained with a dancing party at the Hiawatha Park dancing pavilion Tuesday evening. About thirty couples were in attendance and a splendid time was enjoyed by all. The out of town guests were the following: Miss Curry of Iowa, Miss Helen Critchfield of Columbus, Miss Jordan of Greeley, Col., Miss Helen Wright, Miss Frye and Mr. Harry Doolittle of Gambier, Miss Loney of Norwalk, O., Miss Cargill of Springfield, Miss Agner of Cynthiana, Ky., Miss Reeber of Sandusky, Ohio, Miss Rowley of Westerville, Ohio.

PIPESVILLE

Pipesville, O., Aug. 9—Several from this place attended campmeeting at the caves Sunday.

Threshing is almost completed in this vicinity.

Mr. Jacob Purdy had the misfortune of losing a fine milch cow Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ashcraft and son, Manford, spent Sunday with Mr. John Stricker and family of near Esto.

Master John Purdy has been on the sick list the past few days.

The play given at Messiah church Saturday evening, Aug. 6th, by our young people was well attended. They are proud to say they have forty dollars in their treasury.

Mr. John Burkholder lost a farm horse Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Bebout and sister are visiting relatives of this place.

AUSTRALIAN TRADE NAMES

Consul Jewell at Melbourne reports that by a recent enactment it is provided that no company, association, or partnership the name, style, or title of which includes the word "Royal," "King," "Queen" or "Crown," or any word signifying royal or government support or patronage, shall be registered in the Australian state of Victoria as a company unless the Governor in council, by order published in the government "Gazette," consents to the use of the word, says a consular report. The act provides that such consent shall not be granted to a company, whether incorporated in Victoria or elsewhere, if in the opinion of the Governor in council the use of such word by the company would imply or be likely to convey the impression that it was wholly or partly authorized or supported by or connected with the government in England, Victoria, or any other part of the British empire.

NATIONAL REVOLVER MATCH FOR POLICE

Port Clinton, O., Aug. 11—The police revolver matches began at the Camp Perry range today in conjunction with the regular matches of the Ohio state and National Rifle associations. The police matches are the first of a national character ever held here and have attracted a long list of crack shots representing the police departments of many cities throughout the country.

Master James Tighe and Master John Rogers went to Waterford Thursday morning to spend several days with their aunt, Mrs. Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McKinley left this afternoon for Buffalo and Niagara Falls, N. Y.

HORSES FOR SALE

Thirty head of Percherons and Belgians. A good chance for farmers to get a good class of one and two-year-old fillies. Good quality and all registered. Come and see for yourself. Will be sold as cheap, or cheaper than by any importer in the state. Both phones. Enquire of L. S. Braddock, Mt. Vernon, O., or Charles Levering, Fredericktown.

FINAL CLEAN UP SALE

- \$1.00 fancy Silks 59c
- 25c Dress Gingham 15c
- 6½c Lawns 3½c
- 10c Lawns 5c
- 35c Crepe Waistings 17c
- 25c Dress Linens 13c
- 50c Checked Silk 25c
- 19c Flaxons 11c
- 35c Himalaya Cloth 17c
- 50c Tussah Silks 17c
- 15c Summer Dress Goods 9c
- 40c Fancy Dress Linens 19c
- 10c Long Cloth 5c
- \$1.25 Bed Spreads 98c
- 12½c Percales 10c
- 5c Torchon Laces 3c
- 25c White Goods 13c

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PAROXYSM

Of Coughing Fatal To Woman Excursionist

Canton, Ohio, August 11—On the train about to start for Euclid Beach, near Cleveland, today with the teamsters' people Mrs. Mary Schisler was seized with a coughing spell, and, running from the train to a near-by house, she died in a paroxysm of coughing. A son, Nealy Schisler, was in another car and rode to Cleveland, not knowing of his mother's death. He was reached by wire there and returned immediately. Mrs. Schisler was the widow of Adam Schisler, former City Councilman.

ASSASSIN

Of Mayor Gaynor Hopes For His Recovery

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 11—In his cell in the Hudson County jail, James J. Gallagher, assassin of Mayor Gaynor of New York, talked freely to newspaper men today.

"I intended to kill Mayor Gaynor and that is all there is to it," he said. "But I hope now he will get well."

Gallagher then switched off to books. "My favorite author is Shakespeare," he said, "although I have read Dickens and I love his characters. Of books of today, 'Progress and Poverty' by Henry George, is the one I have read constantly.

CLOSING OUT SALE

We have recently purchased the H. C. Wright stock, at Gambier, Ohio, which consists of

Groceries, Hardware, Notions & General Merchandise

and will close out the entire stock at an average price of 50c on the dollar

We quote here only a few of the many low prices:

- 2 Bars Laundry soap 5c
- 20c Coffee, per lb. 10c
- 6c Calicoes, per yard 3c
- 10c Gas Globes, each 5c
- All Canned Goods, per can 6c

Also hosiery, thread, ribbons, laces, men's and women's underwear, overalls, horse blankets, stove pipe, bolts and numerous other articles, such as kept for sale in a general store, at greatly reduced prices.

Sale Begins Saturday, August 13th, at Noon And Continues for One Week Only

The entire stock must be disposed of, so come early and get your choice of the many bargains we have to offer.

Purdy & Purdy

Gambier, Ohio

READY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

Washington, D. C., Aug. 11—Boat crews and individual oarsmen from many points in the United States and Canada are arriving here to take part in the thirty-eighth annual regatta of the National association of Amateur Oarsmen, which is to be rowed over

the Potomac river course, beginning tomorrow and including Saturday. The number of entries this year is in excess of those at any previous regatta of the association, and some excellent sport is promised, especially in the senior eights and single sculls.

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