

FREDERICKTOWN

Mr. Fay Whitford was home from Columbus on a visit last week.

The Blackburn moving picture theatre was opened again last Saturday evening in the place formerly occupied by Mr. Ed Blackburn as a repair shop.

Miss Rose Davison, the well-known lecturer for the National Women's Christian Temperance Union, has been offered a position in Colorado for a year to continue the work which she recently started there.

Mr. F. A. Day and son Ross, spent Sunday with the former's mother in Seville, Ohio.

Mr. Harry L. Groff was in Cincinnati last week on business connected with the milling business.

There were a number from this place attended a meeting of the Eastern Star last week and saw some fine team work.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hes are planning to go to Michigan this month.

Mr. Samuel Hanna visited relatives at Shelby over Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCreary visited at Ashland the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mendenhall of Mt. Vernon were guests of the latter's brothers, Mr. S. F. Winand and Mr. Chancey Winand, the past week.

Dr. J. H. Darling and wife and Mr. and Mrs. James Couter went to Bladensburg on Tuesday to spend several days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a chicken dinner from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. in the church parlors on Tuesday, November 29.

Mr. F. L. Barnes visited friends in Zanesville and Fairmont the past week.

Dr. G. A. Reeder, President of Baldwin University, at Berea, Ohio, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

On Thursday evening of last week, Miss Susie Hyatt and Mr. Hoy M. Clewson of Newark, Ohio, were married at the home of Mr. George Satchel, in this place.

There will be preaching services at the Baptist church next Sunday both morning and evening. Rev. W. G. Carl of Monongahala, Pa., will occupy the pulpit.

The stand pipe of the Fredericktown water works is being repaired for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coyner visited in Mt. Vernon last Sunday at the home of Judge and Mrs. George Coyner.

Mr. Ernest Durbin of New Castle, Pa., spent several days the past week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Durbin in Fredericktown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Dehority of Marengo, visited with Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Ely on Sunday last.

Mr. D. B. Rawlins of Oklahoma, visited with Fredericktown friends the past week.

The following program will be given by the Lincoln Literary Society, Dec. 8:

- Recitations—Mary Groh, Fern Myers, Aileen Studer, Boyd Bonser, Ruth Hyatt.
Oration—Ward Bricker.
Declamation—Perry Levering.
Original stories—Grace Tabor, Lola Keller.
Essay—Mary Ridenour.
Current Events—Irl Willitta.
Dialogue—Luella Linn, Helen Groff, Grace Tyson, Albert Boggs, Joe Stackhouse.
Visitors are cordially invited.
Dr. E. V. Ackerman, a member of the Board of Education, was a school visitor, Monday.
Maggie and Ruth Hyatt visited the school in Liberty township taught by their brother, who graduated here in 1909.

You can tell a great deal about a school by the kinds of pictures you see hanging on the walls. School buildings should be well supplied with that which will exert influence for the best.

The members of the Board of Education met with the teachers Wednesday evening to hear the reports of the teachers' meeting at Dayton.

The following is the report of at-

tendance, etc., for the month ending October 28, 1910:

Total Enrollment: Primary—50, Secondary—44, Intermediate—40, Grammar—40, High School—100.

Daily Attendance: Primary—48, Secondary—42, Intermediate—38, Grammar—39, High School—99.

Per Cent of Attendance: Primary—96%, Secondary—97, Intermediate—95, Grammar—97%, High School—98%.

Cases of tardiness (all the schools)—20.

Cases of truancy (all the schools)—0.

Visits by superintendent—32.

Visits from board of education—2.

Number of visitors—15.

Number neither absent nor tardy—201.

A class in advanced grammar and the course in agriculture will begin on Monday following the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mr. W. C. Norrick of Akron was the guest of friends here recently.

Mr. Henry Briggie came home to spend Sunday with his family.

Mrs. George Coyner of Mt. Vernon visited her son, Carl and wife of this place, a part of the week.

Mrs. Nina Owen has gone to Ravenna, Mich., to join her husband and make her future home there.

Mrs. Fred Barnhard on Sunday entertained her parents, Isaac Robinson and wife, of east of town.

Mrs. Jacob Kramer and daughter of Nelson, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson and sons of east of town and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Shira of Kenton, O. Mrs. Shira is a sister of Mrs. Barnhard.

Miss May Adams has been visiting in Mt. Vernon.

Miss Melita Hosack and Grace Norrick have been guests of Miss Elizabeth Durbin of Oberlin.

This year the union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Methodist church next week, Thursday, at 10 o'clock.

Last Saturday the friends and neighbors of Mrs. Mary Kinsell gave her a surprise party in honor of her 82nd birthday.

Judge Dever of Ashland was entertained by Dr. W. C. Hodges on Wednesday last.

Miss Laura Higgins entertained the S. E. club on Wednesday. A delightful time is reported by the fortunate ones who were present.

Mrs. Emma Haycock fell Thursday and fractured a rib. She is recovering from the injury.

The Sunday school class of Mr. John Dague held their class social at the M. E. parlors on Thursday evening. Every one had a good time.

Mr. Theodore Willaby employed by the telephone company and now living at Mt. Vernon fell from a tree last Saturday and was quite severely injured. He is well known to many here.

On Friday evening of this week Mrs. Thomas Hambly will entertain her Sunday School class at the M. E. parsonage.

Dr. Frank Whitford of Sedalia was a visitor to his old home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Aucker of Johnsville visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rosa Burns, over Sunday.

Mrs. James McGaughey with her son and daughter of Columbus visited the former's mother, Mrs. Kinsell, several days the past week.

Mrs. John Easterday, who has been visiting at her father-in-law's, Joseph Easterday, at Sparta, returned to her home in Fredericktown on Sunday last.

The protracted meeting being held at the Berlin Methodist church by Rev. Thos. Hambly of this place will be continued throughout the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore have gone to Toledo, Ohio, to spend the winter with their children, Mr. W. B. Moore and Mrs. Jack Swinderman, who live in that city.

Mr. C. W. DeWitt of Columbus is spending the winter with his brother, Mr. F. A. DeWitt.

Mrs. W. W. Borden and daughter visited relatives at Brink Haven the past week.

Miss Maggie Detweiler, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. D. Smiley and Mrs. Ella Lanning at Mt. Gilead, the past few weeks, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. Bell Modi and cousin, Mr. Bret Rinehart, start for Mt. Cloud, Flori-

da, this week where they will spend the winter.

Mr. Harold Corwin visited friends in Columbus over Sunday last.

Died on Tuesday night about 12:00 o'clock, Mrs. Eliza Sherman, northeast of Fredericktown, from diseases incident to old age, at the age of eighty-six years.

The funeral will be held at the home on Friday and burial at Green Valley.

Mr. Abram Ely, mother of Dr. W. L. Ely, is reported seriously ill at this writing.

Edna, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cannan, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, died on Monday last.

The postponed regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Amos Myers, twelve being present.

The national convention now in session in Baltimore was spoken of also that our own Miss Davison will soon be with us again.

UNION GROVE

Mr. C. M. Barber, wife and daughter visited Mr. John P. Wolfe and family, Sunday.

Mr. Willis Bebout and family spent Sunday with Mr. Thomas Bebout and family.

Mr. Chas. Porter and wife visited Mr. Jacob Gorsuch and family Sunday. Owing to the indisposition of Rev. Helm the series of meetings to be held at this place have been postponed.

Edith and Gladys Hays spent Saturday and Sunday at Buckeye City, with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linzy Hays.

Mr. Reuben Dugden and family left the latter part of last week for California, where they will spend the winter.

There seems to be some apprehension regarding diphtheria in this section, but there has not been a new case for four weeks, and there never were but four cases here.

EAGLE GROVE

I. F. Robison and family visited Fred Barnhart's of Fredericktown on Sunday.

T. B. Bryan's sale was not very well attended on the account of the inclement weather.

Ed. Robison and wife were at Mt. Vernon last Saturday on business.

Miss Ida Smith entertained a company of young people at dinner last Sunday.

I. F. Robison and wife, Della Shira and wife visited George Robison and family Saturday.

There was quite a number from this vicinity attended the sale of William Montgomery.

Miss Ada Robison was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Charlotte Grice of Amity, is moving in the house with her daughter, Mrs. William Durbin of Berlin township.

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Society Notes

Entertained Informally: Miss Bertha Hays, East Gambier street, entertained a number of friends informally Tuesday evening at her home.

Entertained With a Tea: The last of a series of teas was given by Mrs. Frank C. Larimore of North Main street Tuesday.

Euchre Party Tuesday Afternoon: Mrs. Ralph C. Ringwalt, Lamertine street, charmingly entertained with a euchre party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Heaslit, of Detroit, Mich.

Entertained With Bridge Luncheon: Mrs. Harry Hlter, West High street, was the hostess of a most delightful bridge luncheon Tuesday afternoon.

MEETING OF RAIL COMMISSIONERS: Washington, D. C., Nov. 16—Uniform legislation for the regulation of intrastate railroads and all problems in connection with the States' control over their common carriers are to be discussed at the twenty-second annual convention of the National Association of Railway Commissioners.

More effective and comprehensive legislation by the various states is three most important questions before the association.

The officers in charge of the convention are: President, Martin S. Decker, of the New York State Public Utilities Commission; vice presidents, Charles F. Staples of Minnesota and R. Hudson Burr of Florida; secretary, William H. Connolly, acting secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission; assistant secretary, William Kilpatrick of Illinois.

NATIONAL GRANGE AT ATLANTIC CITY

Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 16—Scores of sturdy and progressive American farmers gathered in Atlantic City today for the opening of the annual meeting of the National Grange.

Patton to Unload: Chicago, Nov. 16—Judge men by men's standards, and not by the bulge or lack of bulge in their wallets. A man should dispose of great wealth for the benefit of the community.

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EXPLAINS WHY PRICES SLUMP

Cudahy Gives Credit to Bumper Corn Crop: Member of Omaha Firm Scouts Idea That Packers Can Control Cost of Meat Products—Says Decline Has Just Reached Consumer and Predicts Further Reductions, but Declines to Say How Far It Will Go Before Being Checked.

INDUCES FEEDING OF CATTLE

In an interview he said: "Really, prices have been on the down grade for months, but not to an appreciable extent. The decrease has just reached the consumer. I think prices will go still lower, but am not inclined to state just how much further the 'c' will extend.

"Primarily, the decrease in prices is due to the great corn crop produced all over the United States and, in fact, in other countries also. The big crop in Europe reduces the amount to be exported from America, leaving more corn for local consumption. This has lowered the price of corn, and farmers think they can make more money by feeding grain.

"For this reason there will be more cattle and hogs fed in the west this winter than for several years.

"If the packers could make the prices they could keep them there," declared Mr. Cudahy. "It is simply a question of supply and demand."

CHARGES WITNESSES ARE TAMPERED WITH

Special Grand Jury Called in Schenk Case: Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 16—At the request of Prosecuting Attorney J. B. Handlan, Judge Lewis Jordan of the criminal court ordered a special grand jury to consider the Laura Farnsworth Schenk case.

"The reason that a special session of the grand jury has been called is that various important witnesses for the state are being tampered with by detectives in the employ of Mrs. Schenk. We desire to get the evidence of these material witnesses as soon as possible," said the prosecutor.

The sessions of the grand jury will be behind closed doors, and it is understood that about 20 witnesses will be summoned. These, in connection with the chemists at Johns Hopkins and the University of Virginia, are the men who made an analysis of the lithia water.

The calling of the special grand jury means that the preliminary hearing of Mrs. Schenk, who is charged with the attempt to poison her millionaire husband, will be held tomorrow. At the preliminary hearing the state will only introduce enough evidence to make a probable case against the woman.

Attorneys for Mrs. Schenk say they are ready and willing to have the preliminary hearing take place at any time.

That there will be no additional arrests is the general opinion, and although Prosecutor Handlan did not say so, he indicated as much in his conversation. He stated that there was no doubt in the world but that Mrs. Schenk would be convicted.

Rather an amusing feature is the shadowing of the detectives hired by one side by the sleuths of the other. About every one in any way connected with the matter is being trailed around by a detective.

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Heretofore these had been claimed by the Republicans on unofficial returns.

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REPORT Of the Condition Of The Knox County Savings Bank At Mt. Vernon, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business Nov. 10, 1910.

RESOURCES Loans on real estate \$151,539.25 Loans on Collateral 104,589.75 Other loans and discounts 211,477.82 Overdrafts 71,591.73 U. S. bonds not included in reserve 4,830.39 U. S. county and municipal bonds not included in reserve 95,657.47 Other bonds and securities 71,591.73 Cash items 3,596.58 Due from reserve banks 2,409.47 Gold coin 5,599 Silver dollar 4,699.00 Fractional coin 4,705.25 U. S. and National bank notes 58,500.00 340,648.33 Total \$996,731.02

LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in \$20,000.00 Surplus fund 69,000.00 Undivided profits less expenses, interest and taxes paid 23,538.11 Individual deposits subject to check \$18,697.59 Cashier's checks 15,956.80 Due to banks and bank-ers 2,409.47 Time certificates of deposit 78,929.64 Savings deposits 605,575.82 Total \$827,572.52 Other liabilities 169,158.50 Total \$996,731.02

State of Ohio, County of Knox, ss: I, R. D. Herron, Cashier of the above-named Knox County Savings Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. B. D. HERRON, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1910. R. BANNER M. ALLEN, Notary Public Knox Co.