

FLAMES

Destroy The Plant Of The Mt. Vernon Window Glass Co.

When The Tank Burst Early Friday Morning

The Main Building Was Reduced To Ashes

And 180 Men Are Thrown Out Of Employment

Owners Arrange To Rebuild Plant At Early Date

The main building of the Mt. Vernon Window Glass plant was entirely destroyed by fire on Friday morning at about 2:15 o'clock when the tank burst and allowed the molten glass to run out on the woodwork of the floor. On Thursday evening, when the men who were making some final repairs and preparations for the starting, left the factory, everything seemed to be in first class condition and the tank, which was filled with molten glass, appeared to be sufficiently strong to hold the glass.

About 2:15 o'clock on Friday morning, Nightwatchman William Zink was attracted by a crackling noise in the direction of the tank and hurried to the spot the noise seemed to come from when he was compelled to move lively in order to escape the stream of molten glass which was issuing from a large hole in the side of the tank, caused by the glass pushing out a block in the west side of the tank. Mr. Zink at first made an attempt to adjust the difficulty but in an instant saw the utter impossibility of his attempts and ran out of the building in an effort to secure assistance in order that the glass might be checked before it all ran out. He sent a call to the Mt. Vernon fire department and gathered a number of men and returned to the scene of the fire. It was found that the hot glass had started the floor and woodwork to blazing briskly and all efforts to extinguish the blaze was in vain.

The fire department soon arrived but nothing could be done as the water supply at the factory was not sufficient to quench the flames. An attempt was made to string a hose from the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.'s plant but the attempt to secure water from that point was soon abandoned and the men stood by while the entire building was consumed by the flames which were practically beyond control before the fire department arrived on the scene.

Luckily, the warehouse and packing house, which stand near the main building, escaped destruction, a fact which was partly due to the efforts of the men, who threw water on these buildings and took every precaution possible in order to keep the structure from being reached by the flames.

The loss of the building will not only be great to the owners and Mt. Vernon, but will be a greater loss to the men, who have been depending on going to work there on Sunday night at midnight, the time which had been set for the starting of the factory.

About 180 men were to have started to work, but now it will be a considerable length of time before the factory is rebuilt.

The management stated on Friday morning that as soon as the insurance companies were through with their work, preparations would begin immediately for the rebuilding of the plant.

The loss, caused by the fire, was only partially covered by insurance, the actual loss to the company being several thousand dollars.

Mrs. Mary S. Braddock, principal of the Gambler High school, was in Fredericktown Saturday, to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Martin Braddock.

Messrs. L. A. Stream and W. F. Rimer of this city went to Columbus Friday morning where they will attend the banquet in the evening given by the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Co.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*

SHELLEY'S

Term Is Suspended Until April 1

Emanuel F. Shelley, of Loudonville, who was indicted in this county and found guilty at Medina on a charge of venue for embezzling \$15,000 from the estate of the late Paul Oliver, and sentenced a few weeks ago at Medina by Judge R. M. Wanamaker, of Akron, to five years in the Ohio penitentiary, will not have to go to prison until next April at least. A suspension of the sentence was granted him by the circuit court at Cleveland. This is pending his appeal, which the circuit court will hear some time in April, 1911.

Judge Wanamaker has set the date for the trial of Robert M. Campbell of this city for Jan. 23. Campbell was indicted with Shelley for complicity in the same case. It has not yet been decided what judge will hear the Campbell case.—Ashland Times-Gazette.

ORDER

Mail Boxes Off The Roads In Champaign Co.

Bellefontaine, O., Dec. 9.—The commissioners of Champaign county today ordered Uncle Sam to get his rural mail boxes off the public highways. The Postmaster General ordered last week that all rural boxes must be placed in the highways in order to permit carriers to reach them without getting out of their conveyance and that the rural delivery service would be cut off from any parson who refused to comply with the order within six days.

The commissioners then decided that every post and pole on the public highways was a menace to life and the government has been so notified.

JUDGES

Of The Circuit Court Honored With A Banquet

New Philadelphia, O., Dec. 9.—Honoring Circuit Judges Donahue, Vorhees and Taggart who are holding court here this week, members of the Tuscarawas County Bar Association gave a banquet at the Hotel Reeves here last night. Judge Donahue was recently elected to the Supreme bench.

Former Congressman J. A. D. Richards made the opening address, Judge J. H. Mitchell was toastmaster and Judges Donahue, Vorhees and Taggart responded to toasts. Judge G. W. Yeagley read a poem entitled "The Law's Delay."

WANTED—At A. J. Flaharty's harness store, East Front St., Mt. Vernon, Ohio, hides, sheep pelts, tallow and furs, ginseng and golden seal. Write or phone for prices.

BIRDS

From Mt. Vernon Capture Prizes At Mansfield

The Mt. Vernon men, who made entries at the Mansfield poultry show have reason to be elated as nearly all their birds drew either first or second prize. G. H. Hardesty won first on pullets and second on cockerel in the Black Orpington class, there being 45 entries in this class. William Champion won first on cockerel and first, second and third on pullets in the Silver Wyandotte class, there being 19 entries in this class. Henry Curtis won first, second and third in the Barred Plymouth Rocks with 25 birds in the class.

There were many entries made in all classes at this show, but none superior to those of the Mt. Vernon men.

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A son was born Thursday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Roberts of the Granville road.

SUIT

Filed By Mary Myers Against George Coyner

Asking For Partition Of Real Estate And Accounting

The Last Will Of Charles S. Blair Filed In Probate

A License Granted To Perform Marriage Ceremonies

Other Items Of Interest From Temple Of Justice

Mary Myers has commenced a suit in the court of common pleas of Knox county against George Coyner and John O. Harris for the partition of real estate, and an accounting. The plaintiff states that on June 3, 1907, the plaintiff and the defendant purchased property on West High street for the purpose of conducting a boarding house, paying the sum of \$5,450 for the property. The plaintiff states that they did engage in the boarding house business and during the time of said business all the books were kept by the defendant, Coyner, and that he never made any accounting of the business, although repeatedly asked to do so by the plaintiff. The plaintiff states that the partnership was dissolved on April 1, 1908, and that during this time the defendant, Coyner, collected about \$4,000. John O. Harris is named as a defendant in the suit as he holds a mortgage on the property on West High street. The plaintiff therefore asks that there be a partition of the real estate and her share set aside and that the defendant, Coyner, may be required to make an accounting of all the money collected and expended. The attorneys for the plaintiff in this action are Columbus Ewalt and Park B. Blair.

The Blair Will—

The last will and testament of Charles S. Blair, late of Mt. Vernon, has been filed in probate. By the terms of the will the testator gives to his wife, E. M. Blair, all his property, both real and personal, during her lifetime, provided she does not again marry. Upon the death of the wife all the property is to be sold and divided as follows: To his son, H. S. Blair, one-third of the estate; to his daughter, Mary L. Blair, one-third; to his grandson, L. H. Body, one-sixth, and to his granddaughter, Elizabeth Body, one-sixth. E. M. Blair is named as executrix of the will which was filed April 10, 1909, in the presence of C. H. Osborne and Pearl Tydings.

Granted A License—

The Rev. W. A. Clemmer, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been granted a license in the probate court of Knox County to perform marriage ceremonies in the county.

Deeds Filed—

Ephraim Hess to Amelia Higgins, one acre in Clay, \$1,890.
L. D. Purdy to Lavina Parry, one and one-tenth acres in College, \$200.
William W. Parmenter to Charles



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the standard Cod Liver Oil preparation of the world. Nothing equals it to build up the weak and wasted bodies of young and old.

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C. Parmenter, 61 acres in Morris, \$6,000.
Myrtle E. Gotshall to Mary B. Gotshall, 85 acres in Morris, \$5,500.

THE VOTE

As Cast In This District On Congressman

The board of elections of Lorain county has completed the canvass of the returns of the vote cast in the six counties of the Fourteenth congressional district at the election last month. The following are the official figures:

	Chamber-	Sharp,	lain,	Zitzer,	Mosh-
	Dem.	Rep.	Soc	Pro.	
Ashland	3344	1848	185	47	
Huron	4235	3499	133	33	
Knox	3851	3511	330	33	
Lorain	6132	4148	1001	31	
Morrow	2160	2140	44	93	
Richland	5565	3313	589	70	
Totals	25287	18459	2283	307	
Sharp's Plurality	6828.				

SPRAINED HER ANKLE

Mrs. Jessie Hendershot of Danville suffered a very painful injury while walking along the street in that village at about three o'clock on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hendershot accidentally stepped on a small patch of ice on the walk and fell, twisting her right foot in such a position that the ankle was badly sprained. She was assisted to her home nearby where medical attention was rendered.

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is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once. It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Druggists or by mail. Liquid Cream Balm for use in atomizers 75 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

SETTLEMENTS

For Hearing In Probate Court of Knox County, Ohio, viz:

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
Fifth partial account of H. H. Greer, executor and trustee of Louisa J. Rook.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
Second and final account of Frank Moore, executor of Jane Arentzue.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
First and final account of Charles P. Tier, executor of Fannie Tier.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
First and final account of Wm. E. Hull, administrator of Alice May Lafflin.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
Second partial account of Flor Ross Behout, guardian of Benjamin Dale Ross.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
Third partial account of George Rightmire, executor of Isaac Critchfield.

PATRICK A. BERRY, Probate Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING ACCOUNT

Following account has been filed for settlement and will be heard on Tuesday, December 20, 1910, at 9 a. m.:
First partial account of Carolyn M. Arnold, guardian of Edward F. Arnold.

TRUSTEES

Of Kenyon To Sell Land In Gambler

(Columbus News)
Trustees of Kenyon College went into session at the Chittenden hotel Thursday afternoon to take up a proposition to sell a part of the land belonging to the institution at Gambler to the Ohio Fuel and Supply company of Pittsburg.

Trustees present at the meeting were: Bishop W. A. Leonard, Cleveland; Bishop Boyd Vincent, Cincinnati; Rev. A. L. Fraser, Youngstown; Rev. F. W. Cook, Cleveland; Judge U. L. Marvin, Cleveland; James T. Dempsey, Cleveland; T. T. Lynn, Columbus; J. Townsend Russell, New York, and Floren Glaucque of Cincinnati.

SPLENDID CROPS

in Saskatchewan (Western Canada)

800 Bushels From 20 Acres of wheat was the threshold of a farmer's return from a Lloydminster farm in the season of 1910. Many fields in that as well as other districts yielded from 25 to 30 bushels of wheat to the acre. Other grains in proportion.



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are thus derived from the FREE HOME STEAD LANDS of Western Canada. This excellent showing causes prices to advance. Land values should double in two years' time. Grains growing, mixed farming, cattle raising and dairying are all profitable. Free Homesteads of 160 acres are to be had in the very best districts. 100 acre pre-emption at \$5.00 per acre within certain areas. Schools and churches in every settlement. Climate unequalled, soil the richest, wood, water and building materials plentiful. For particulars as to location, low railway rates and descriptive illustrated pamphlet, "Look West," and other information, write to Dept. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to Canadian Government Agent.

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This Bank invites the Accounts of business men, clerks, bookkeepers, mechanics, farmers, professional men and women; the accounts of children whose parents desire them to cultivate the habit of saving; the accounts of married women who wish to keep an individual account.

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Horse and Buggy, passenger mile—2¹/₂ cts.



THE ECONOMY CAR
"Perfectly Simple—Simply Perfect"
Maxwell Model Q-11, 4 cyl. 22 H. P.—\$900

A PUBLIC test of the Maxwell Car and a horse and buggy on the streets of New York and its suburbs, under actual conditions of traffic, has just been completed.

Automobile, 1 ⁵ / ₁₀ cents	Horse and Buggy, 2 ¹ / ₂ cents
Expenses stop when not in use.	Expenses continue when not in use.
Based on 10-Mile Trip	Based on 10-Mile Trip
Gasoline 132	10 lbs. hay 225
Oil 401	12 months' wear 225
Grease 403	100 lbs. straw per month, daily pro rata 45
Tires and Car Depreciation 23	Horsehoes—3 day pro rata 300
Cost per mile—two persons 308	Grease—daily pro rata 400
Cost per mile—per person 154	Depreciation 450
	Cost per mile—two persons 45
	Cost per mile—per person 225

To operate an automobile the cost is based on gasoline at 28¢ a gallon; oil, 50¢ a gallon; grease, 15¢ a pound; depreciation and tires, .25 a mile; average cost of gasoline per mile, .012 (including 10¢ to the gallon) and not including storage. The average of 10 1/2 miles to the gallon of gasoline is based on tests of the Maxwell used in the economy test and is extremely low.

To operate a horse and buggy the cost is based on hay at \$21.00 a ton; oats at 60¢ a bushel; straw at \$1.50 cwt.; horsehoes, \$2.50 per month; grease, 12¢ a month; depreciation harness and buggy, 10¢ a mile; horse, buggy and harness costing \$25.00 and lasting ten years, stabling not included.

It Proves Beyond Dispute

That the automobile is undoubtedly an economy. That its low cost of operation surprises even its advocates. That the extravagance of the motor car is voluntary and unnecessary. That its pleasures are within the reach of men of moderate means. That it is an indispensable factor in transportation and a utility. That it is an implement which, if properly employed, will increase the earning power of man, conserve his time, extend his field and support his hands.

That the automobile industry, practically unknown ten years ago and now the fourth greatest industry in the United States, is fully vindicated and proven economically sound. That the Maxwell car is the standard of that industry; the efficient, economical, reliable, utility automobile, as near perfection as human intelligence and human handiwork can make it under modern conditions.

Test Officially Sanctioned by the American Automobile Ass'n

We invited the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association to conduct this test in order that it might be in absolutely disinterested control. The board appointed judges to attest its results. The two vehicles ran each day over a predetermined route. Each ran continuously for six hours, regarded as a normal day's work. Account was kept of every item of expense entailed. The

The Results Attested by Its Judges

The automobile cost ⁶⁹/₁₀₀ of a cent per passenger mile to operate
The horse and buggy cost 1⁴¹/₁₀₀ of a cent per passenger mile.
The car covered 2¹/₂ times the distance traveled by the horse.
The car averaged 76³/₁₀ miles a day at a cost of \$1.03.
The horse averaged 32³/₁₀ miles a day at a cost of 95 cents.

The car required 5¹/₂ gallons of gasoline and a pint of lubricant daily.
The horse needed 12 quarts of oats and 20 pounds of hay per day.
The other expenses—tire cost, up-keep and depreciation or similar charges brought the total cost of the car up to 1⁵/₁₀ cents per passenger mile, as shown in the table above.
The other incident expenses of maintaining a horse and buggy brought its total cost up to 2¹/₂ cents per passenger mile as shown in the table above.

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