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### NOTICE

The extending of credit on subscriptions to the Banner to the extent permitted by the postal law, has resulted unsatisfactorily and caused a great deal of confusion. The experience demonstrates that an absolutely payment-in-advance system is essential, and with this purpose in view, the Banner will go onto a cash in advance system on April 1st. Most of the Banner subscribers have been paying in advance and it is only the comparatively few who will thus be required to conform to the advance paying rule. Subscribers who are not paid up will please call at the Banner office before April 1st, and arrange their subscriptions, or send the same by mail. On that date the names of all who are not paid in advance will be dropped from the mailing list and thereafter the rule of advance payment will be strictly adhered to.

Subscribers in arrears can assist very materially in making the system easily carried out, by calling at the Banner office at an early day and adjusting their accounts or by sending remittances by mail.

## BROKEN

### Was Axle On An Auto But No One Injured

While turning the corner of Main and Vine streets at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, a rear wheel on Dr. G. D. Arndt's automobile caught in the street car track and in some manner the axle on the right side in the rear of the car was broken. The machine skidded some distance before it could be stopped. Dr. Arndt was driving the car at the time, but escaped without injury.

## NO CRIMINAL

### Cases To Be Tried A This Term Of Court

For the first time in many years, there will be no criminal cases tried at this term of common pleas court. Three indictments were returned by the grand jury of the February term. Two persons have not been apprehended and one pleaded guilty, so there are no cases to be tried.

On Thursday morning, Judge Jewell will make an assignment of chancery cases. All members of the bar are requested to be present in court at nine o'clock.

### ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed and qualified administrators of the estate of

**JOHN TAYLOR**  
late of Knox county, Ohio, deceased, by the Probate Court of said county February 17, 1915.

A. L. TAYLOR, Bladensburg, Ohio.  
B. F. TAYLOR, Utica, Ohio.

### Wanted, For Sale, &c

WANTED—To rent farm on thirds. Address "E" care of Banner.

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## A KISS,

### A Sausage, A Knife May End In A Death

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 20—A kiss, a sausage and a butcher knife featured in a joke today which may end in the death of Margaret Toner, 25 years old, of this city. The woman is in a hospital with a knife wound in her abdomen.

Peter Polski, 30 years old, who is charged with having inflicted the wound, is in jail, awaiting the result of the woman's injuries.

In making her statement to the police today the girl said that she entered Polski's butcher shop and had started to joke with him.

Polski, it is said, took her in his arms and kissed her. Miss Toner, then picked up a handful of "dogs" and threw them in Polski's face.

Choking with anger, Polski said: "I give you kiss, and you throw 'dogs' in my face. I no like that."

The girl then made a face at the butcher, who, it is alleged, cut her with a knife.

He said he could stand for almost anything being thrown at him, but a "dog he no like."

### TIPS FROM TEXAS

(Dallas News)  
Sometimes a man is not satisfied with building his house on the sand—he goes farther and builds a garage on credit.

What has become of the old-fashioned doctor who didn't know it was necessary to install a trained nurse alongside of every patient?

Be sure you are right and then go ahead—but don't try to go "some."

Another thing—why doesn't some smart man invent a shirtwaist with an electric button that by being pushed will button the other buttons?

As a general thing, it is about time for a young man to quit school when he gets to where he tries to teach everybody.

## ELECTION

### Boards Given Authority To Withhold Certificates

Columbus, Feb. 19—The supreme court today put teeth into the Kimble act to prevent corrupt election practices by holding that the county election board has authority to withhold election certificates when there is evidence indicating there was fraud in the election of candidates.

This construction of the law is given by the court in overruling the demurrer of William C. Brown, prosecuting attorney-elect of Jefferson county, under indictment for alleged violation of the Kimble act, to the answer of the county election board. In this demurrer, Brown claimed that the board could not take notice of the alleged fraud, and that it was bound to issue the certificate. This contention is overthrown by the court.

"This ruling is of vital importance and strengthens the Kimble act," said Attorney General Hogan, who is representing the state in the case which was brought by Brown to force the board to issue a certificate to him.

"It will prove to be a powerful deterrent upon candidates disposed to ignore the requirements of the law designed to purify elections."

**SPEEDY JUSTICE IN MISSISSIPPI**  
Gulfport, Miss., Feb. 20—No ground for complaint of the delays of the law is to be found in the case of Percy Newkirk, a negro, who is under sentence to be hanged here tomorrow. Just four weeks have elapsed between the murder of which the negro was convicted and his execution. On the morning of January 21 Newkirk shot and killed Chief of Police Charles Dickey. He was immediately arrested and confessed to the crime. Within three hours he was placed on trial and an hour later he was convicted and sentenced to death. The jury was out less than three minutes. The speed with which the trial was conducted was due to the desire of the authorities to avoid a possible lynching.

Within a few days statements of account will be mailed to subscribers of The Banner, in keeping with the announced plan of adopting the cash-in-advance system on April 1st. The plan involves considerable labor and care to avoid errors and get it going in the right way.

Subscribers can very materially assist the business department of The Banner by making prompt remittance instead of delaying it and causing the work to pile up and create confusion during the last few days of March.

Instead of waiting to call at The Banner office, remittance can be made by mail and receipt will be sent for the amount of the remittance in each case.

## TRUSTEES

### Elected For The Mt. Vernon College Tuesday Afternoon

The following were elected to the board of trustees of the Mt. Vernon College at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon: A. R. Sandborn of Trenton, N. J., R. T. Dowsett of Washington, D. C., J. S. Ohnsted of Columbus, O., N. S. Ashton of Pittsburg, Pa., J. L. McElhany of Washington, D. C., S. M. Butler of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, H. M. J. Richards of Philadelphia, Pa., and W. J. Stone of Richmond, Va. Only two vacancies on the staff of officers were filled at the time of the organization of the board. B. G. Wilkinson of Washington, D. C., was elected president and S. M. Butler of Mt. Vernon was elected secretary.

### Packing Glass.

Pack glass or china if to travel far in straw or hay made slightly damp. This will prevent the article from slipping about. Allow the largest and heaviest to be placed at the bottom of the box or hamper. Let there be plenty of straw and wrap each article separately.

### Sacred Crocodiles.

The sacred crocodiles of Egypt were buried with their proudest kings.

### Energy.

Kinetic energy is the ability to do work, due to the motion of the body. Potential energy is the ability to do work, due to the position of the body.

## ACQUITTED OF MURDER

Marion, O., Feb. 20.—Viteo Deneditto, 14, who confessed killing Antonio Stefano, and who was tried for first degree murder, was acquitted. He faints as the jurors reported. The boy was tried for the murder of his mother's paramour.

## CAPTURE A BURGLAR

Van Wert O., Feb. 20.—Arthur Clark, 25, claiming Buffalo as his home, was caught by a farmer and his two sons while he was in the act of burglarizing the farmhouse of Charles H. Counheiler, two miles southeast of this city. Clark had several purses, gold watches and other jewelry in his possession.

Akron, O., Feb. 20.—The first rowdiness of the rubber strike came early this morning at the Diamond plant of the Goodrich company when foreign strikers intercepted a number of their countrymen who came to go to work, took their dinner baskets away, destroyed the contents and hung the empty baskets on telephone poles.

# SALE OF MANUFACTURER'S "SHORT ENDS" FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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**1000 Yards Fruit of the Loom Muslin—**  
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**1000 Yards Standard Colored Chambrays—**  
Pink, blue and gray; unexcelled for women's and children's dresses. Regular piece price 10c per yard. **SHORT END PRICE 6 1/2c**

**200 yds. 30 in. Dark Percales—**  
Good quality Percale for wrappers and summer saccus. Regular piece price 8c per yard, now **5c**

**200 Yards 10c Bleached Crash—**  
Standard heavy bleached Crash; piece price 10c per yard; now 5 yd. lengths 36c; 10 yd. lengths, now **72c**

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## COLOR

### In New Blouses Much In Evidence

Many changes distinguish the new blouses. New materials have been designed expressly for them; novel combinations of materials have been made, and equally unusual combinations of color have been conceived. The color note which was reflected on the white waists has deepened into an entire blouse of a brilliant hue; and each day brings forth new styles, not only in the fashioning of the blouse, but in the shape of the collars, the sleeves and in the trimmings. The interest in blouses was aroused this winter after they had been overshadowed for several seasons by the one-piece costume.

The new blouses, however, are quite different from the regulation white shirtwaist, which has come to be part of what might be called "the American uniform," says a New York Tribune writer. It certainly is not an economical choice, for it requires frequent trips to the laundry, whence it may reappear in a wearable condition, or it may not, the chances being about equal. Yet a white shirtwaist is not a joy to the eye unless it is freshly laundered and immaculately clean.

The inharmonious ensemble resulting from the decided contrast in color at the waist line, and the practical cutting of the figure in two, is not becoming to the average woman. Yet the white shirtwaist has been universally adopted by the working girl and the woman of fashion and leisure. Possibly it may become the lesser of two evils, for comparatively few women have sufficient eye for color to combine harmoniously a blouse of a radiant color with a skirt equally flamboyant, and the new skirts are quite as brilliant in tone as are the blouses.

The safer choice is, undoubtedly, the blouse matching the skirt in color. The material, however, may be a contrasting one, brightened by discreet trimmings where color may be used. It is a very simple matter to add a touch of color in the cravat, the piping, and the result is delightfully effective. The new embroideries, which fairly sparkle with radiant, glowing colors, are just the thing to use in this effort to introduce the color note into a blouse of neutral coloring. A dash of burnt orange will work wonders on a blouse of taupe, or smoke gray, and a little Chinese embroidery, in the lovely blue tones of the Orient, will lend a distinguishing effect on a blouse of the new sand tint.

One cannot go far astray if the skirt is of a neutral color; even the brightest of colored blouses may safely be

## OHIO

### National Guard Ready To Go To Mexico On Moment's Notice

(Mansfield News)  
Plans for the moving of the Ohio national guard in the event of intervention by the United States in the Mexican affairs were discussed at a conference of the field officers of the Eighth regiment, O. N. G., and former Adjutant General, C. C. Weybrecht, of Alliance, at Canton, Monday evening.

Officers who were in attendance at the meeting were Col. Vollrath, Major Fred S. Marquis, Major Gerlach, of Wooster, and Major S. M. Swartz of Canton.

Col. Vollrath is said to be inspecting the various companies in the regiment are of the highest possible standard in order that if the national guard should be sent to Mexico, the Eighth regiment would be among the first to go. Major Marquis inspected Company M. last week and at the drill last evening the final inspection was made of the Mansfield company before the annual inspection by a U. S. A. officer on Thursday evening. Capt. Anderson of the Ninth United States infantry, will make the inspection.

"We did not discuss the Akron strike situation," said General Weybrecht. "The Mexican trouble was talked over but our conference had no significance in connection with either the Akron or Mexican trouble. The meeting of the field officers was called by Col. Vollrath because of the federal inspection of the regiment next week."

"I do not believe that the United States will intervene in Mexico as long as the present administration is in office. I think President Taft is unwilling to take steps at the close of his term which might place a war on the hands of President Wilson as soon as he assumed his office."

"I would not like to say what possibility there is of our being called into Mexico," said Col. Vollrath. "The situation there, however, certainly does not look peaceful. As far as the Akron strike is concerned I think that the civil authorities should handle it without calling on the militia."

### Mince Pie.

A piece of mince pie is equal in food value to a slice of roast beef, a potato and a piece of bread and butter. If such a dessert follows an ordinary meal indigestion is the consequence.

### Narrow Streets.

Chinese streets are often not more than eight feet wide.

## TRIED RECIPES

**Roumanian Eggs**  
Cook one pound of beef's liver and when cold chop very fine. Then add enough melted butter to moisten, minced parsley, salt and pepper to suit, and press through a sieve. Place on a hot dish and set where it will keep hot until the eggs are poached. Arrange the cooked eggs on the liver bed and pour over them a sauce made of soup stock thickened to the consistency of cream with a thin flour paste and seasoned with a tablespoonful of capers.

**Peasant Mash**  
Chop the remnants of any cold cooked meat rather coarsely and add one half the amount of cooked bacon and minced onions. Take one half the amount of all this of cooked lima or white beans pressed through a sieve and mix with the meat and onions. Season the mixture with salt and pepper, one quarter teaspoonful of summer savory or sweet marjoram and a grating of nutmeg; then moisten with some left-over gravy or soup stock, fill a buttered dish, spread fine breadcrumbs over the top, dot with butter and bake one half an hour in a moderate oven.

**Kabobbed Mutton**  
Bone a shoulder of mutton, then fill this cavity with a stuffing made of breadcrumbs, minced onion, minced parsley, summer savory, a grating of lemon peel, one egg beaten well, salt and pepper, and butter the size of an egg. Sew up the ends and place in a roasting pan. Dust the top with flour, pepper and salt. Slash the fat and bake in a quick oven for one half an hour, basting with the fat; then reduce the heat and continue baking until cooked to suit. A seven-pound roast will take one and one half hour to cook, if the meat is liked pinkish instead of well-done.

**Foremost Balls**  
Mince one fourth of a pound of raw veal, add two tablespoonfuls of sausage meat, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of mixed herbs, one cupful of cooked spinach, chopped fine, and salt and pepper to suit. Form level tablespoonfuls of the mixture into balls, lay on a dish, dust thickly with grated cheese and bake until brown.

**Baked Shoulder of Veal**  
Bone the meat and fill the cavity with boiled rice, seasoned with butter, pepper, salt, minced celery and onion. Sew up the opening. Rub the meat with melted butter, dredge with flour and wash the skin several times; then bake in a hot oven until brown, reducing the heat to cook the meat until well cooked. Veal must be well cooked and never served rare. The drippings are used for basting every 15 minutes. If there is lack of fat, place a few slices of salt pork on top. Do not add water, if possible, to keep it from scorching.—Ladies World.

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