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Senatorial Candidate Harry M. Daugherty has disposed of farther pretension of the governor of Ohio for membership in the Republican party. In a statement at Marysville Daugherty said that "a real Republican is a man who is proud of the record of Lincoln and McKinley and the achievements of the Republican party and who courageously supported either the Progressive or the Republican ticket in 1912, etc." In 1912, Mr. Daugherty, then the chairman of the Republican state executive committee, minced no words in expressing his opinion of the Progressives whom he termed traitors, and said in an open statement that he did not know who Frank B. Willis, then candidate for congress, was supporting. He tried to find out but failing, resorted to the statement of ignorance. Willis did not utter a word, either orally or written, in that campaign to show for whom he intended to vote for president. Still he is now presuming to lay down party law for others. But Daugherty's Marysville speech coked him with that word "courageously."

In a formal reply to the informal charges of former State Printer E. A. Crawford, chairman of the True "Glue," filed with the governor, State Printer J. E. Cross gives a Roland for an Oliver. Though a feud of long standing exists between these two Adams county printers, Cross unofficially has given out that Crawford's present activity against him is because Crawford seeks Cross' job. The newspapers have quoted Cross as saying that Crawford ought to be satisfied with what he received in pay for his campaign work for Willis and not go pestering for patronage. Crawford is the only one of the "Glue" organization that has not been officially recognized by the administration.

"Get three well-known Willis men in every precinct outside of the party committeemen." This message, brought out in the civil service commission's investigation at Columbus, is damning proof that the governor distrusts the members of his own party organization and is constructing his own personal machine. It was sent out to men appointed to office by himself. Also it puts an end to the preposterous claim that there is being no fight made on him by Republicans. If not, why the mercenary army?

Denial is made by the Columbus Monitor, the only real and genuine official mouthpiece of the state administration in the state, that no appeal was made by friends of the governor for "single shot" voting at the delegate primary. It is quite evident that the Monitor is trying to smoke out which of the "boy scouts" it was who wrote the letter. Because it was written and is still in existence. Moreover, it was written in the capitol and within speaking distance of the governor's private office.

Wonder if farmers of Ohio know that the new secretary of the state board of agriculture, George Stauffer, is an insurance agent at Ottawa, and isn't a practical farmer at all. Renick W. Dunlap, who was secretary of the board until forced out, is at least a practical farmer.—Wooster News.

It must be very annoying to Ohio's young governor to be obliged to put up a fight to have the honor of being one of his party's delegates to the Chicago convention.—Mansfield Shield.

"Labor won't be discouraged if it votes solidly against Willis."—Labor Advocate.

WILL OCCUR SOON

The play, "The Old New Hampshire Home," will be given by the dramatic club of Pleasant grange at grange hall Friday and Saturday evenings, April 28 and 29, at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. A. S. Winslow, rector of Hancock parish, will preach at Pleasant Valley chapel, Monros Mills, Sunday evening, April 23.

BANNER WANT ADS PAY

SIDNEY SONNINO

The Baron is the Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs.

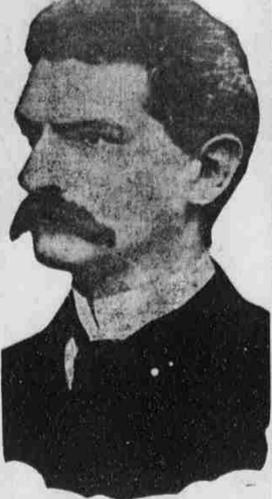


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LEAVE FOR SAYVILLE

Marines to Take Charge of the Big Wireless Plant. New York, April 20.—A detachment of marines left the Brooklyn navy yard to take charge of the largest wireless plant in the world at Sayville, L. I. This plant has maintained almost uninterrupted communication hitherto with Berlin and Nauen, Germany. The marines will be sent under orders from the navy department at Washington. The detachment when made up will be composed of twenty-eight men, under command of a sergeant. It will be made up of two details. The marines have been instructed to take over the huge aerial transmission station and permit no messages to be sent without the authorization of the navy department.

Thaw Granted a Divorce. Pittsburgh, April 20.—John W. Thomas, master, appointed to take testimony in the suit of Harry K. Thaw against his wife, Evelyn Thaw, recommended to the court that Thaw be granted a divorce and the decree was ordered by the court.

Painters Defer Strike. Alliance, O., April 20.—Painters and paperhangers in Alliance decided to defer their threatened strike until tomorrow night. They ask a minimum wage of 40 cents an hour and do not want to be compelled to push a cart with their brushes and paints to work.

Conditions Reversed. One of the finest examples of "pawky" humor is placed to the credit of an old gardener who was in the service of Admiral of the Fleet Sir Alexander Milne. The admiral was a grand old man, full of goodness and kindness, but a strict disciplinarian. The gardener having omitted to do something which he had been told to do, his master said to him: "When I was on board ship I would have had you put in irons for disobedience." The old gardener was not much perturbed at the idea, but, leaning on his spade, replied: "Aye, maybe, Sir Alexander, but when ye were on board ship ye had a hunder men ta dae as job, an' noo ye hae as ma ta dae a hunder job."—London Tit-Bits.

TO THE POINT

Further concessions are said to have been made at New York by officials of steamship companies to union seamen, who are demanding increased wages.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the grain elevator of the C. A. Gambrell Manufacturing company at Elliott City, near Baltimore. Loss estimated at \$200,000.

Zyask Vanden Berg, president of the Arkansas Terminal company, Baltimore, committed suicide at a New York hotel by shooting himself through the temple.

Wages Increased.

Cleveland, April 20.—The Winton company, makers of automobiles, announced an increase of 10 per cent in the wages of its employees, effective May 1. Thirteen hundred men are affected.

TO CARE FOR PRISONERS

Danes to Use Small Island For the Purpose.

Copenhagen, Denmark, April 20.—At the suggestion of the warring powers a plan is being considered by the Danish authorities for bringing prisoners who are seriously ill to Denmark, where they can receive better treatment than is possible in the overcrowded camps in hostile countries. This would include prisoners from all the powers at war. It is thought likely that one of the smaller Danish islands will be used for the purpose. The Danish authorities and the Danish people express great sympathy and everything will be done to carry out the idea.

EUROPE THANKS US

Deeply Appreciates Our War Relief Work, Says Bacon.

U. S. RENDERS GREATEST AID.

America's War Gifts Total \$25,000,000 Cash and Millions More In Supplies. Allied Countries Get Bulk, but \$5,000,000 Has Gone to Help Germans.

New York.—At no time since the outbreak of the European war has there been a satisfactory compilation of the total relief extended by the people of the United States to the sufferers from that great conflict.

Herewith is a summary of these efforts, giving the results of an exhaustive inquiry, which reveals for the first time the extent and effectiveness of the work done by the Americans.

Twenty-five millions represents in cash what the people of the United States have contributed.

A quarter of a billion, it is estimated, is the grand total spent in relief work abroad since the war began, and the United States, through its cash contributions and the vast stores of food, clothing and supplies furnished, is regarded as having responded nobly to the calls made upon our people.

Here in New York city there are nearly seventy-five organizations engaged in war relief work. In Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other large cities the work is receiving a great deal of attention, but the results are reflected to a large extent through the reports of the various organizations having headquarters in New York.



Photo by American Press Association.

ROBERT BACON.

which has been from the start of the war a sort of clearing house for American relief.

Because of her pathetic experience at the outbreak of the war, Belgium attracted the early efforts of American relief organizations. The need for help was so great, the invaded country was so completely overwhelmed, that the nations of Europe came to Belgium's rescue on a vast scale. The people of the United States, prompt to respond to this call, have contributed thus far nearly \$5,000,000 for the Belgians. The total contributions for Belgian relief are placed at \$115,000,000.

While the bulk of the relief work done in this country goes to aid the allies, yet a great deal is being done to help the unfortunates in the Germanic countries. Not so much is heard about this branch of American relief work, but it is nevertheless being prosecuted with vigor.

There is, in the case of the German-Austrian relief work, no central agency in this country through which the results are reported. For this reason it is not possible to give with exactness the amount of aid being furnished by the American people to the Teutonic nations. Prominent Germans who are interesting themselves in the matter estimate that \$5,000,000 will cover the aid thus far sent from this country to Teutonic sufferers.

Among the most active of the conspicuous Americans engaged in the war relief work is the Hon. Robert Bacon, former ambassador to France. While Mr. Bacon has given especial attention to the American Ambulance hospital in Paris, of which organization he is chairman of the board of governors, he also has followed with keen interest other phases of the relief work in which the people of the United States are interested.

"The deepest appreciation is felt by the people abroad," Mr. Bacon said, "for what the United States has done, both through individuals and organizations. This I know. Especially do they appreciate the way in which this work is being done. They feel that the people of the United States have been most generous. Not only do I know this from friends in France and England, but also I am assured that this same feeling prevails in the other countries in which our people have shown interest.

"What the men and women of this country have done cannot be measured in money. The sympathy they have shown, the friendly spirit, the desire to aid in every possible way, have elicited warmest praise from the people of those countries toward which American efforts have been directed."

OMISSION

OF NAMES ON MARRIAGE LICENSE DISCOVERED IN TIME

Justice D. M. Jones on Monday evening, through no fault of his, came near marrying the wrong couple.

In some way the license papers had become shifted. The parties, seeking to wed were W. H. Elliott and Miss Ada McDaniel of Utica. The groom is a glassworker of Utica and a client and friend of L. C. Russell, the well-known attorney, who accompanied the parties and became a witness to the final ceremony.

As the justice was reading the names of the contracting parties the groom proved himself a far-seeing man and in earnest. He called the attention of the court to the fact that his name was not mentioned, nor that of the prospective bride in the license. The oversight was made good and the ceremony proceeded.—Newark American Tribune.

GRADUATING

EXERCISES OF THE BLADENSBURG HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT; THE PROGRAM.

The following is the program for the commencement of the Bladensburg high school which will be held Friday evening of this week:

- Invocation—Roy Earleywine. Oration, "Education As Related to Civic Prosperity"—Paul Elliott. Oration, "The Meaning of Success"—Letha Deenis. Vocal solo—Gladys Elliott. Oration, "American Ideals"—Alva Harris. Oration, "Higher Education"—George Porterfield. Class address, Milton's "Paradise Lost"—Prof. J. S. Harrison. Presentation of diplomas—Prof. J. T. Turner. Benediction—Roy Earleywine.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis of Centerville, Mr. John Koch of New Waterford and Mrs. F. A. Collins of Gambler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mochwart and daughter, Mary, Sunday.

Miss Lucile McGrath of Caldwell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kirk of this city, Saturday, while on her way to Mt. Vernon to accept a position.—Zanesville Times Record.

Mrs. A. C. Hardesty and son, Paul, returned to their home in Akron Monday after spending a few days in this city with Mrs. Hardesty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Styers, of East Gambler street and other relatives.

Susan Dunlap of Howard spent Monday in this city with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert O. Evans are the guests of relatives in Fredericktown. Mrs. Joseph Wilson of Fredericktown spent Tuesday in Columbus with friends.

S. H. Cliff of East Gambler street spent Tuesday in Columbus on business.

William B. Weaver of South Main street spent Tuesday in Columbus on business.

E. W. Breece of North McKenzie street was a business visitor in Columbus Tuesday.

Charles C. Iams of East Gambler street made a business trip to Columbus Tuesday.

Mrs. D. L. Teagarden returned Tuesday to her home in Mt. Liberty after a short visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cassell of North Gay street went to Howard Tuesday on business.

Edward Wuchner spent Tuesday in Columbus, attending the opening ball game of the Columbus A. A. club.

ITCHING ECZEMA IS A CONSTANT BLOOD CRY

The Blood Reaches Every Part of the Body Every Twelve Seconds.

There are approximately 70,000,000 pores in the skin of a human body. These pores lead to the blood channels by means of little canals. These canals are sometimes filled with poisons and the skin scales and blisters, gets red and raw and becomes like so much tissue fire. Salves do not reach the source of the trouble. To make the blood pure is the only scientific method of relief. S. S. S. is the greatest blood purifier because it is a natural one. There is no mineral of any sort in it. It is purely vegetable. So great is the fame of S. S. S. that many substitutes trail along in various sections of the country. They all, sooner or later, die a natural death. S. S. S. builds up weak and acidic blood, gives prompt relief to almost every case of eczema, winter tetter and other skin maladies. You owe yourself the duty of trying a bottle of S. S. S. Take no substitute. Write for our free book on skin diseases. Confidential letters replied to by our medical expert. Write Swift Specific Co., Department 22, Atlanta, Ga.

New Arrivals In Ladies', Misses', Juniors' and Children's Coats & Suits for Spring and Summer Wear. You'll find it easy to choose a coat or suit now. A special purchase, which has just arrived from New York and Cleveland, contains some of the best models we have seen this season. Every good style and every fashionable material out this season is represented in our Ready-to-wear section. All sizes are here now and the prices are right. A Special Showing of Coats at \$5, \$6.75, \$10, \$12.50 and \$17.50. Sport Coats in plain white, plaid or stripe effect. Very good values at \$10 to \$17.50. Suits—New models showing late season style tendencies. Both silks and cloths. Cloth Suits, \$10 to \$20. Silk Suits, up from \$45. Children's Coats—There are some new children's coats, too. Sizes 2 to 14. Plain and novelty fabrics. \$2.50 to \$7.50. A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co. THE SPIRIT OF QUALITY

Everly Announcing Spring Footwear... In a comprehensive showing of new styles which correctly portray the mode of the season in Ladies' Boots and Low Cuts. Ladies' Boots, high top, button or lace; also new spring styles in low-cuts. The exclusive and correct character of our models will commend them to all discriminating women. \$3 to \$4 per Pair. E. J. Everly Shoe Co. (Successor to Silas Parr.) Shoes of Quality.. Also Trunks, Bags and Suitcases. The Store That Carries Sizes and Widths to Fit Your Feet Correctly.

PRISONER'S CONFESSION. Sidney, O., April 20.—Thomas Williams, on trial for murder of Walter West, last June, confessed that he shot his victim during a crap game, but claimed he did not mean to kill West. Williams and West were highway construction workmen. Superintendent P. C. Zemer and daughter, Miss Beryl, of West Hamtramck street returned Monday from Sidney, where they spent several days with relatives. Robert Brown of Fredericktown entered the M. & S. hospital Tuesday for treatment.

Wanted, For Sale, &c. Rate—5 cents per line, each insertion. Six words to line. WANTED—This week, 10,000 pounds of hens. Paying 15c per pound on the wagons or 16c when delivered at warehouse. H. V. Smoots, both telephones, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. 17 FOR SALE—One rubber tire pneumatic in good shape. Call Citizens' phone 126. 12d21s FOR SALE—17-horsepower gas engine. Cerea Malta. ttd&s WANTED—Help at Children's Home. General housework. Good money to right party. Inquire 2035-M phone. ttd&s BANNER CLASSIFIED ADS. PAY

Everything For Baby—The little or big baby. We specialize in the things that babies require. Everything we sell is reasonably priced. Come to us when you need anything for the tot. And let us remind you that we have just received a new stock of the famous Diamond Dyes the world's standard. Diamond Dyes are magical in results, and give new life to the garment that you were ready to say good-bye to. BAKER'S DRUG STORE 205 South Main St. Sign Big Hand

ROAD NOTICE AND HEARING. Whereas, Clay Syler and others petitioned the County Commissioners of Knox County, Ohio, for the location and establishment of a public road along briefly the following line, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the County line between Richland and Knox Counties, Ohio, just East of a right of way of The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad where it crosses the County line between said Counties; thence in a southeasterly direction along the South and East side of the right of way of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad until it intersects with the public road (known as the Mt. Vernon and Bellville road) running North and South through the village of Ankenytown, Knox County, Ohio. The Commissioners of Knox County, Ohio have fixed May 8, 1916, at one o'clock p. m. as the date for FINAL HEARING at the office of said County Commissioners, for all persons whose interests would be affected by said improvement, and for granting or refusing the improvement. WALTER M. RILEY, County Auditor. 4-21-28, 5-58 A. A. Dowds of North Gay street went to Cleveland Monday on business. Mrs. H. Thomas, who has been receiving treatment at the Ohio state sanatorium, returned to her home in Salem Tuesday. Mrs. Oma Graves of Warsaw is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson of Fredericktown. Mrs. L. G. Simpson returned to her home in Howard Monday after spending a few days in this city with relatives.