

PEDAGOGUES ENJOY SOCIAL

High School Scene Of Lively Gathering Tuesday

Music, Games And Refreshments For 100 Teachers

Practical Demonstration In The Study Of History

Given By Supt. Zemer Who Uses National Constitution

Cooperation With Children Is Urged By Dr. Corson

A social for all the teachers attending the Knox County Teachers' institute was held in the halls of the high school building Tuesday evening.

The color scheme of red, white and blue was carried out in the decorations.

Musical selections were given on a phonograph which was furnished by a local merchant. Games were played and refreshments were served. About 100 teachers were present.

The session Wednesday morning was opened with singing, led by Mr. Chubb, and devotional exercises, conducted by Supt. Zemer.

"A Lesson Study in History" was the subject of Supt. Zemer's address. He took the development of the national constitution for the lesson to be studied. This was given in outline form and was a review of the history of our country during the revolution and of the years immediately following it.

He told of the events leading up to the final adoption of the constitution and of the part that such men as Washington, Hamilton and Jefferson played in bringing this about.

Dr. Corson then spoke on "Co-operation of Teachers With Pupils." It has been said that the badge of sanity in the business world today is the ability to co-operate. This is just as true in the churches, schools and other organizations as in the business world.

Dr. Corson said that three elements are necessary for co-operation. These are an abiding interest in the person or persons with whom we are to co-operate, a genuine sympathy for him and a sincere appreciation, not only of what he does, but of what he honestly and persistently tries to do.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Tuesday afternoon Dr. Corson continued his talk of the morning on "Teaching Pupils to Help Themselves." He said that scholarship is a very necessary qualification for a teacher. If she has a broad knowledge of the subject to be taught she can find some avenue of approach to the minds of different pupils by appealing to their various interests.

But scholarship without sympathy will not count for much in the work of the school.

He thinks that there is a tendency at present to make the work too easy

for pupils. He believes that the work should be made interesting and pleasant for the pupils, but at the same time they should be taught to do good hard work. Their ability and power to do this work will give them self-respect and self-confidence, both of which are necessary if they are to help themselves.

"Geography, Real or Not," was the subject of Supt. Zemer's talk. Throughout this talk he made a strong plea that teachers make geography a live subject to the pupils instead of the dry uninteresting one that it often is. Teachers should realize the bigness of the subject as almost all other subjects depend upon it to a certain extent. The work should begin with observation of nature by taking the children on field trips where they can see things for themselves. Things that cannot be actually seen should be developed in their imagination.

Thus geography can be made a real, live subject to the children. The book can be used as a guide, but never as the whole source of information.

TUESDAY MORNING

The devotional exercises on Tuesday morning were conducted by Dr. Corson.

"Teaching Pupils to Help Themselves" was the subject of Dr. Corson's address. He said that the test of true teaching is how much self-helpfulness it gives to a pupil. This cannot be told at once, but we can watch the growth in a child from day to day. The great problem that the teacher must solve is how to teach the subject matter so as to give children the power to help themselves. A teacher can not do this unless she is able to reproduce in her own mind the perplexities which confront the child. She must see things from the child's standpoint. Dr. Corson emphasized the importance of patience in dealing with children.

Mr. Zemer then spoke on "History, Inspirational or Not." He emphasized the importance of the attitude of the teacher toward the work. If the teacher has a growing, changing ideal in her work, then the teaching will be inspirational and not mechanical, as it otherwise would be. He also emphasized the importance of giving pupils some motive for studying the lesson assigned. Their curiosity must be aroused if they will do good work during a study period.

One hundred and ninety teachers had enrolled by Tuesday noon.

A social will be held at the high school building this evening to which all teachers are invited.

MONDAY AFTERNOON

The first address Monday afternoon was given by Supt. Zemer, his subject being "Efficient Schools." He said that the school is a complex organization, there being many factors to be considered in the complete organization. Too many persons think of a school simply as a building with its equipment, etc., is being all there is of the organization. But this is only a small part of it, as the child is the most important part of the organization and his training is the important function of the school. In all institutions—the state for instance—it has been found that an outside law which does not bring the desired results but that there is something inherent in the individual which must be brought out by proper leadership or training for the best results. This applies to the work in school as well as in other institutions. The teacher should study this inherent law and realize its significance in the training of children. The process will no doubt be slower and require more patience but will bring the desired result in the end, that is, the making of good citizens.

Dr. Corson spoke on "The Cultivation of Personality." In his morning talk he had mentioned the importance of a strong personality in a successful teacher. The question, "Can personality be cultivated?" is often asked. Dr. Corson said that he thinks it can. The factors to be cultivated are self-respect and self-control—physically, intellectually and morally, and self-helpfulness, the quality of being able to work out suggestions given, adopting them to the needs of the school in question.

Will Sloan's Liniment Relieve Pain? Try it and see—one application will prove more than a column of claims. James S. Ferguson, Phila., Pa., writes: "I have had wonderful relief since I used Sloan's Liniment on my knees. To think after all these years of pain one application gave me relief. Many thanks for what your remedy has done for me." Don't keep on suffering, apply Sloan's Liniment where your pain is and notice how quick you get relief. Penetrates without rubbing. Buy it at any drug store. 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Gilliland and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCready of this city motored to Fredericktown Tuesday evening to attend the chautauqua. Mr. Gilliland's cousin, Strickland Gillilan, was the entertainer of the evening with his humorous number, "Sunshine and Awkwardness."

Mrs. Amos Nixon left Wednesday for Gary, Ind.

COMMISSION ON THE BUDGET

Engaged In Establishing Next Tax Levies

Mattie Blue Appointed Guardian of Minor Children—Other Items From the Court House

The budget commission of Knox county, composed of County Treasurer Lloyd M. Bell, Auditor Walter M. Riley and Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Belmont, is busily engaged in preparing the semi-annual budget for the county.

The work of the commission takes on the nature of hearing requests from taxation districts for greater or less levies and determining whether the same shall be allowed or not according to the increased or decreased valuations in these districts.

Hearing Continued

In the petition to sell real estate of George Bennett, administrator of Melvina Holmes, vs. Harry Holmes, the hearing has been continued.

Order Granted

John J. Nyhart, guardian of Noah Nyhart, recently made application to borrow money. The same was granted and a report has been filed and approved.

Appraisal Confirmed

An order of appraisal has been returned and confirmed in the petition to sell real estate of A. C. Mills, vs. Martha A. Boyd.

Guardian Appointed

Mattie Blue has been appointed guardian of the estate of Donna Hardt and Collier Hardesty, minors, giving \$3,000 bond with Elmer E. Blue and Guy Taylor as sureties.

Court Journal

Hite vs. Tilton—Appraisal confirmed. Sale ordered.

Atherton vs. Devoe and others—Sale confirmed. Deed and distribution ordered.

Deeds Filed

Anna E. Bonsell to George Baxter, 62 acres in Miller, \$1.

Frank H. Weatherwax to James Miller, lot 30, Israel and Hurd addition to Howard, \$950.

George Baxter to Anna E. Bonsell, parcel in Miller, \$1.

PENROSE

ASSISTS IN ARREST AT BUCKEYE LAKE—MEN CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF UNLAWFUL NET.

Newark, Aug. 16—On a charge of having in their possession a net of unlawful size, John Fickel and Lloyd Barcus were placed under arrest at Buckeye Lake by Game Warden Penrose of Mt. Vernon and Blizard of this city.

Fickel has been in the clutch of the law before, but Barcus is a juvenile offender. Fickel was arraigned before Justice Jones where he pleaded not guilty. His hearing was set for Tuesday, Aug. 22, and he was released after furnishing \$200 bond. Barcus was taken into juvenile court where his case will be disposed of.

ENCAMPMENT

OF SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS CONVENES IN NEWARK

Elder Slade To Preside And Also Preach At Opening Service—Large Crowd Expected From Over the State

Newark, Aug. 16—The annual encampment of the Seventh Day Adventists of the state of Ohio will open here tomorrow and continue until August 27. Visitors from all over the state are expected, including a number from Mt. Vernon.

The first meeting of the conference session will be Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting will be called to order by Elder E. K. Slade, the president of the Ohio conference.

Elder Slade will also preach at the opening service Thursday evening. His subject will be "The Victorious Life."

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DESCENT

FROM GRACE NEW EXPERIENCE FOR UTICA MAN

Trip From Oasis Onto Desert a Sad Event in Life of a Tailor Whose Legs Balk When Officer Nabs Him

Coming from a wet town to one that was dry and getting drunk and locked up for so doing was the sad experience of a young man employed as a tailor at Utica, who landed in this city Tuesday night and—in the arms of Officer McElroy early Wednesday morning.

Officer McElroy discovered the man in company with another man prowling around a garage in the wee small hours. The other man fled at his approach, but the Utica man was in no condition to run and fell an easy prey to the officer.

Wednesday morning the man told Mayor Mitchell that he was guilty of being drunk and was fined \$5 and the costs.

He had but 50 cents in his pockets. However, he made arrangements to pay the fine and was released. The man was well-dressed and said that this was the first time he had ever fallen from grace to the extent of securing lodging at the expense of the county.

FREE

SWIMMING INSTRUCTION AT Y. M. C. A. TO ALL BOYS OF CITY—LIST IS RAPIDLY FILLING.

The Y. M. C. A. is opening its summer swimming school for boys. This is entirely free to any boy over ten years of age in the community. Every boy in Mt. Vernon may become a good swimmer.

Fred Glenn, physical director, and Maurice Mitchell, boys' work secretary, have charge of this work. Both have had special swimming instructions this summer at the Y. M. C. A. school, Lake Geneva, Wis., and are experts.

No education is complete without knowledge of swimming. Each summer many precious lives are lost in the water because of a lack of knowledge of this art. Last summer 135 boys were taught to swim at the Y. M. C. A. and a certificate issued to each one. About 60 boys have already signed up for the lessons this year, but there is room for more.

All parents interested in their boys learning to swim are invited to call or phone the association for further information. Boys may register at the association building any time after 9 a. m.

EVANGELISTIC

MEETINGS AT PALMYRA WILL FEATURE ALL-DAY SESSION SUNDAY.

Palmyra, Aug. 16—Evangelists Bennett and Thompson are now in a revival meeting at the Palmyra Christian church, having started Sunday morning. They are having good attendance and are making the music a special feature of the revival.

There will be all day services at Ewer's grove next Sunday, Aug. 20 with a basket dinner at 11.

At 3 p. m. Evangelist Bennett will lecture to men and boys on "Who Made the Devil?"

Great preparations are being made for this all-day meeting and all are invited to come and spend the day.

GRUBB-BECHTEL

REUNION HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL MEET

The following is the program for the Grubb-Bechtel reunion which will be held on the old Grubb farm, one mile north of North Liberty, on Saturday, Aug. 26:

Opening song.
Invocation—G. S. Strausbaugh.
Welcome address—Lola Bechtel.
Response—Isaac Grubb.
Dinner.
Song—Quartet.
Recitation, "Papa and the Boy"—Elsie Mentzer.
Solo, "Mother"—Lola R. Workman.
Address—L. B. Stoudmour.
Song—Quartet.
Recitation, "America for Me"—Martha Leonard.
Closing song.
Benediction.

ELECTROCUTED BY HIGH TENSION WIRE

Wooster, Aug. 16—F. A. Fusselman of Lodi, was electrocuted at Chippewa Lake station Tuesday morning at 6:30. He was aged about 32 years.

Fusselman had been in the employ of the Cleveland & Southwestern for about a year and lived in Lodi.

He was on the top of the transformer making some repairs when the telephone rang. He started to answer the phone and his head came in contact with the high tension wire, killing him almost instantly. He was single.

The body was shipped to Lodi where services will be held and interment made.

FINE POTATO CROP

HARVESTED BY WYANT—1531 IN A HILL

Mr. John Wyant of Pleasant township has harvested his early potato crop and found a good yield. They average from 15 to 31 in a hill, all of a fair size for a dry season. The name of the potato is the Early Eureka, a fine quality.

Mr. Wyant has also a fine crop of the Green Mountain potatoes.

CHAUTAUQUA

WILL RETURN TO FREDERICKTOWN NEXT YEAR—STRICKLAND GILLILAN DELIGHTS ON FINAL EVENING.

Fredericktown, Aug. 16—Strickland Gillilan, with his wonderful faculty of sending an audience into paroxysms of laughter and then bringing them up short with a smile on their lips and tears in their eyes as he leads them from humor to pathos, was the feature of the last night of the Lincoln chautauqua at Fredericktown.

Tuesday was the final night of the week's entertainment and announcement was made before commencing the program of the evening that the committee asked 39 of the required number of pledges to assure the return of the attractions next year.

Ushers passed through the audience with pledge cards and in less than five minutes they reported having secured 39 of the required number.

The program of the evening was spoken of as the best of the entire week.

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CHRIST WOULD SETTLE UNREST

Great Railroad Controversy Would End Abruptly

BATTLE ROAR WOULD CEASE

All Would Be Smoothed Out Were Saviour of Mankind To Be Invoked—A Powerful Sermon At Camp Sycar

Camp Sycar, Mt. Vernon, Aug. 15—A large, enthusiastic audience listens intensely as the honored bishop speaks in his unique style.

In the discussion, Bishop Berry said something about the causes and cure of the unrest in the political and industrial world. The multiplication of labor-saving machines, the large foreign immigration, the movement of masses of people from the rural regions to the great cities, the organization of capitalistic trusts and of labor trusts—these are some of the causes of current unrest. The tap-root is human lust. Everybody is trying to get more. The capitalist wants another million and the poor man another dollar.

The objects after which men greedily grasp are widely different, but in the main the spirit which prompts the grasping is the same. But is it not right to look after No. 1? Yes, decidedly yes. But the sin of our day is in our attitude of indifference to No. 2 and No. 3. We see the mountain summit of wealth and influence and glory, and we are determined to climb to the top no matter how many men we trample upon as we climb.

What is the remedy? Some say we need a national campaign of education, others say, give us a nation-wide agitation. Let us stir the nation by great mass meetings, long processions, fiery orations and the waving of the red flag. Still others see the remedy in improved legislation. But I say we do not need education, no agitation, no legislation, but regeneration.

It is not better laws we need, but better people. You cannot make folks better by law. It must be done by grand pure hearts, high motives, unselfish service.

If Jesus Christ could preside at every corporation meeting; if He could stand at every cashier's window; if He could dominate every spindle and forge and loom; if He could go down into the mines where men toil with grimy faces and hard hands and could shed His light and joy and spirit of justice and brotherliness in that great underworld, how utterly changed would be the industrial conditions!

If Christ could be called to settle the current dispute between the railroad officials and their employees, quickly and satisfactorily it would be done.

If Christ could walk across the battle fields of Europe and His ideals and spirit could blot out the zealous plotting monarchs and generals, how soon the roar of every terrible battlefield would cease. The war is but an exhibition of human greed, and Christ's presence is death to greed.

Men are advocating this and the other panacea for the unrest of the world, but each of them must fail. There is absolutely but one final remedy—Jesus Christ, the Son of God and the brother of man.

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CITIZENSHIP

OF DELAWARE DENTIST IN ENGLAND AT STAKE

Dr. Louis Mitchell Makes Special Trip From Abroad to Retain His American Affiliation—Invokes Aid of State Department

Washington, Aug. 16—Dr. Louis J. Mitchell of Delaware, O., has made a special trip from London, England, to save his citizenship. Yesterday he called at the state department in company with Representative Ashbrook and told an unusual story of distress.

Dr. Mitchell has maintained his residence at Delaware, although he has been practicing dentistry in London, the greater part of the time for 30 years. There is a law in the United States statute books that when a foreign-born naturalized American is away from this country two years he loses his citizenship. Dr. Mitchell has made frequent trips home and pays an income tax in Ohio. He is president of the American Dental association of England and very prominent in his profession. It is not certain that the state department can do anything for him, as the law on the subject is plain.

Mrs. Duvall and grandson, Mrs. C. W. Toy and Miss Toy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Toy and daughter, Mrs. C. E. Graus and Miss Thatcher, all of Columbus, O., Miss Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. Williams and daughter of Homer, O., C. G. Weaver and Miss Weaver of Ashland, O., are here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Hall.

Judge Park B. Blair of North Gay street went to Delaware Wednesday to hold court.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Mt. Vernon, Ohio B. & O. R. R.

West Bound

No. 17..... 8:41 a. m.
No. 11..... 11:52 a. m.
No. 3..... 2:41 p. m.
No. 21..... 10:18 p. m.

East Bound

No. 22..... 7:15 a. m.
No. 4..... 11:28 a. m.
No. 10..... 5:47 p. m.
No. 2..... 7:37 p. m.
No. 17 and No. 10 daily except Sunday.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES

Akron Div.

South Bound

No. 624..... 12:50 a. m.
No. 804..... 9:10 a. m.
No. 604..... 12:08 p. m.
No. 634..... 5:02 p. m.

North Bound

No. 605..... 2:01 p. m.
No. 805..... 6:27 p. m.
No. 635..... 8:45 a. m.
No. 625..... 2:40 a. m.



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