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## CIVIC ASSOCIATION

### Will Reorganize and Incorporate to Buy Building.

It was a banner meeting last Thursday night and the association decided to reorganize and "incorporate not for profit" but simply to buy the building which has been occupied for the past two years.

Mr. Norman L. Hanson, as administrator of the estate of Mary Taylor, offered to give to the association the residue of the estate, as per provision of the will, for the purchase of the building.

Members signed subscriptions for almost enough to complete the payment.

A splendid Dutch lunch was served and greatly enjoyed.

Pipes, cigars and music closed the evening's session which was thoroughly enjoyable.

### BANK IS CLOSED PENDING PROBE.

Bowling Green, Dec. 26.—At the First National bank here this morning there is posted a notice that, owing to the death of B. C. Harding, cashier, it has been decided to make a thorough examination of the bank before opening it to resume business.

A resolution to this effect, signed by seven of the directors and adopted Saturday, is posted.

The resolution closes thus: "This is done in the interest and for the protection of the depositors." Nothing definite is given out as to the time the bank will reopen, but it is believed that it probably will take a day or two to receive reports from those banks in other cities with which it does business.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man an unhappy slave. For impure blood and sluggish liver use Burdock Blood Bitters. On the market 35 years. \$1.00 a bottle.

### MRS. FRANK LOESCH DIES.

Mrs. Charlotte Loesch, wife of Frank Loesch, garage proprietor, died at the family home in Maumee at 2:30 Tuesday morning. Mrs. Loesch, who had been in ill health for 10 years, submitted to an operation two years ago. She was 48 years of age and is survived by six children.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, at 1:30, and the body will be placed in the mausoleum at Perrysburg.

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## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. Daniel Carter, D. D. Pastor—Services Sunday, December 31st, 1916:

Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.; public worship, 10:30; a. m.; Epworth League, 6:00 p. m.; public worship, 7:00 p. m.

Morning sermon subject: "Talents Used and Unused." Evening "A Poor Chance for Heaven."

Epworth League topic: "Beginning All Over Again." Phil. 3:12-15.

Prayer Meeting Thursday evening, 7:30 p. m. Choir meeting Friday evening, 8:00 p. m.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Pheley, Minister—Services for Sunday, December 31, 1916:

Did space permit we would enjoy reviewing the church doings of last Sunday. All five services had special features of interest and helpfulness.

We hope to have all the services for next Sunday appropriate to the closing year.

Beginning at 9:30 a. m. the Sunday School will study the attractive lesson, "Christ's Coming and Coming to Christ." Rev. 22:6-14. Superintendent W. H. Roose will be looking for every member to be present.

At the morning service for worship at 10:30 Dr. Pheley will have for the sermon, "A New Year's Message." Evening service at 7:30.

Junior C. E. meeting at 2:30 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30. Topic, "Lessons to Learn from the Past." Eph. 5: 15-21. Leaders, Misses Nellie Pew, Madeline Manley.

Prayer and praise service, Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject for consideration, "The Food of the World." Matt. 14:19-20.

To these services all are heartily invited. At the C. E. business meeting, last Friday evening, officers for the ensuing six months were elected as follows: President, Miss Grace Hollenbeck; vice president, Carleton Finkbeiner; secretary and treasurer, Edwin A. Clay; corresponding secretary, Miss Josephine Davis; organist, Miss Susie Davis; junior superintendent, Miss Lela Hollenbeck. Also the following committee chairmen were elected: Lookoff, Donald Pheley; Missionary and Prayer Meeting, Mrs. W. H. Roose; Social, Miss Janice Leydorf; Junior, Miss Lela Hollenbeck; Finance, Edwin A. Clay; Press and Inform-

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#### Cough Medicine for Children.

Mrs. Hugh Cook, Scottsville, N. Y., says: "About five years ago, when we were living in Garbutt, N. Y., I doctored two of my children suffering from colds with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and found it just as represented in every way. It promptly checked the coughing and cured their colds quicker than anything I ever used." Obtainable everywhere.

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## SHOT BY BROTHER

### Little Girl Killed by Accidental Discharge of Shotgun.

The fool idea of leaving a loaded gun where it can be obtained by children registered another victim on Tuesday.

Little Helen Strayer, aged 5, of Maumee, was shot in the legs by her brother who was playing with a "didn't know it was loaded" gun.

The full charge of shot took effect in her legs, tearing them to shreds. Dr. Rhonehouse gave every possible attention and then brought her to the Rhinefrank hospital, but she died from loss of blood before operation was possible.

## AGRICULTURAL NOTES

### Interesting Farmers' Meeting to be Held at Columbus.

Following is a list of the different meetings to be held during Farmers' Week at the Ohio State University from January 29 to February 2: Ohio state corn show, January 29 to February 2; Ohio state dairymen's association, January 30 to February 2; Ohio state horticultural society, January 30 and 31; Ohio state vegetable growers' association, February 1; egg show, January 30 to February 2; Ohio rural life association, January 30 to February 1; Ohio Peheron breeders' association, January 31; Ayrshire breeders' association, January 31; Ohio Guernsey breeders' association, January 31; Ohio Jersey cattle club and Holstein-Friesian breeders' association, February 1; Ohio Hereford breeders' association, January 31; state stock judging contest, January 29 to February 2; former students' reunion dinner January 31 at noon; state farmers' institute workers' meeting, January 30.

Eggs for market should be the most important source of income from the farm flock, according to M. C. Kilpatrick of the College of Agriculture. There is a steadily increasing demand for fresh eggs of good quality at profitable prices. In addition, eggs are produced with less labor than other poultry products and are more conveniently marketed.

Poultry for market should be the second source of income. Under present conditions, the larger part of the poultry meat produced on most Ohio farms is a by-product produced and sold with little regard to the cost of production. The poultryman should plan his work so that while producing eggs for market, he may obtain considerable revenue from the sale of broilers during June and July, fowls during September and October and capons from January to April.

Difficulty in starting gasoline in cold weather may be relieved by one of the following means:

Fill the water jacket or radiator with hot water.

Heat the gasoline by putting a bottle of it in hot water, being careful to keep the cork off the bottle.

Place a few drops of ether in the priming cup or spark plug hole.

### NEGLECTED COLDS GROW WORSE

A cough that racks and irritates the throat may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle to-day. Pleasant to take. At all Druggists, 25c.

## SOLOMON'S WISDOM

### Necessary to Decide the Proper Place For This Child.

Learned judges of the supreme court of Ohio are going to have a lot to do with the future of a 5-year-old Toledo girl says the Blade.

They are going to decide whether she will be Virginia Tailford or Virginia Weil; whether she will grow up with her brothers and sisters in the humble home of her really, truly father and mother, or in the more affluent home of the foster parents, who claim legal title to the little miss by adoption.

The little girl is all unconscious of the fact that she is at the turning point of her life, and probably is more concerned about what Santa Claus has brought her for Christmas than she is about the fuss that the judges and lawyers and other grown-ups are making over her, and which is to be decided soon after the holidays.

Under instructions from the supreme court, Attorney Mark Winchester is taking testimony, and is to make his report this week. Then the rival claimants for the child are to appear personally before the court January 3, for a settlement of the modern version of the question which confronted Solomon.

The little girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tailford. The father is a herdsman for the Crane Bros.' dairy in Oregon township. She is unusually pretty.

The mother, Mrs. Rillia Tailford, who is making the fight for the recovery of the little girl, left her husband October, 1915, because of a disagreement, in which a letter to him which she discovered, is said to have figured.

The mother took Josephine with her to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eller, at Newport, Mich. She left the other three children with her husband.

Tailford brought Josephine back and left her at the home of Mrs. Daisy Provancha, 2907 Chase street, from whom she was obtained by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weil, 516 Victoria Place. They later adopted her. Weil is manager of the Home Furniture Co.

They changed her name to Virginia Weil. In January last Mr. and Mrs. Tailford adjusted their differences and are living together. The mother wants her little girl back.

The legal dispute over Josephine-Virginia revolves on two points. The juvenile court of Wood county held that the mother had deserted the children and probated them to the father.

The mother maintains she did not desert the child, and her attorney, Ben W. Johnson, asserts that the action of the court, in effect, held the mother guilty of a criminal charge, abandonment, without giving her notice and a chance to enter a defense.

It is alleged also that the father consented to the adoption January 10, last, but revoked the consent three days later, when the parents reconciled their differences. This consent, it is alleged, was used when the Weils adopted the child in October last. For these reasons, the mother alleges the adoption was illegal.

### STOP THAT COUGH

A hacking cough weakens the whole system, drains your energy and gets worse if neglected; your throat is raw, your chest aches and you feel sore all over. Relieve that cold at once with Dr. King's New Discovery. The soothing pine balsams heal the irritated membranes, and the antiseptic and laxative qualities kill the germs and break up your cold. Don't let a cold linger. Get Dr. King's New Discovery to-day at your Druggist, 50c.

## CROSSED THE RIVER

### Burton C. Harding Voluntarily Releases Hold on Life.

Burton C. Harding is dead. He passed away Thursday afternoon shortly before three o'clock without regaining consciousness. It develops that he was self-slain. This has added to the shock to his host of friends in the city caused by the suddenness of his death, says the Sentinel.

No cause for his act is known; but there is belief that he may have been temporarily deranged by a very hard fall which he sustained the day before his death and which gave rise to the story of apoplexy. He had slipped on the porch of his home and fallen down the steps. He struck heavily on the back of his head and being a heavy man, the blow to the base of the brain was very great. He complained of much pain that day.

Thursday morning he went down to his work as usual but gave manifestation of not being himself and it was suggested that he go home. A friend walked part way home with him. Shortly after evidently he went to the Elks' club where he greeted brother Elks. Later he was found by members of the order lying on the floor of an upper parlor of the lodge. Nearby was an ounce bottle of carbolic acid, a two drachm phial and a one ounce bottle of chloroform. That he had used their contents was evident.

He was removed to the office of Dr. Mercer on the floor below where several physicians worked over him three hours. At two o'clock he was removed to his home on West Wootter street. There he passed away.

Burton C. Harding was born in Johnstown, O., June 22nd, 1870, being 46 years old at the time of his death. He went to Prairie Depot at the age of twenty years and became station agent for the T. & O. C. R. R. there. Later he added a coal business to his activities and was successful in it.

He served two terms as County (Continued on Eighth Page.)

## SCHOOL NOTES

### Items Concerning Various Departments of the Public Schools

Christmas tree decorations, exchanging of gifts, showed the Christmas spirit that prevailed through the entire school last Friday.

The eighth grade had a very fine Christmas program Friday consisting of many entertaining "stunts" by the boys and girls, in conclusion of which Superintendent Nietz gave a few remarks.

The seventh grade entertained themselves Friday morning by having a fish pond.

Miss Dunham has gone for a weeks stay at her home in St. Joseph, Michigan.

Miss Parks has gone to her home in Monterling, Indiana.

Superintendent Nietz is attending the Ohio State Teachers' Association in Columbus, this week.

Miss Dunham has received her high school life certificate.

The "Chalk talk" delivered by Mr. Woodin was appreciated very much by those who heard him, some time ago.

Superintendent Nietz gave an address at the community meeting at Ross Township school, last Friday night.

Mr. Sullivan is staying in Perrysburg over vacation.

Mr. Raymond Spilker was a visitor at High School last Friday.

Everybody get ready to romp. The floor of the new "gym" is going to be completed by January 2.

### CANDLES GLOW IN WINDOWS

A Number of Perrysburg Homes Were Lighted.

Candles burned brightly in many Perrysburg homes on Sunday evening.

The lights burning in the windows are symbolic of the Star of the East, which guided the three wise men to the birthplace of the Saviour.

The custom prevails in many cities throughout the world and will probably be universal in its acceptance and practice.



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