

Democratic-Northwest.

New Advertisements.

Sau & Bailey—Local.
M. Donnelly—Probate Notice.
Price—Baking Powder.
Wasson Normal—Ad.
J. H. Bess—Road Taxes.
Redemption of Forfeited Lands.
Ditch Notice.
J. L. Hatter—Napoleon Fair.
A. E. Yeager—Buggies, Ac.
John Polts—Local.
Southwestern Pub Co—Agents Wanted.
J. H. Bess—Local.

A few days ago W. Back, of Chelsea, wrote to Grover Cleveland, calling his attention to his statement, quoted from the report in the British-American Citizen, of a discourse in Music Hall: "When Cleveland became President he had a wire run from the White House to the Cardinal's place, and placed a Roman Catholic at the head of every division of the 15,000 employees in the public departments, and permitted nuns, without authority and up in every public building in Washington, to go twice each month through them and command every clerk to contribute to the support of the Roman Catholic church, and if he or she refused name the yellow envelope sent them. We can see how unworthy such a man is of support." I know Mr. Cleveland's reply, printed in the British-American Citizen this week, is as follows:

GRAY GARLES,
BUZZARD'S BAY, MASS., July 11.
WILLIAM BACK, Esq.
DEAR SIR: I am almost ashamed to yield to your request to deny a statement so silly and absurd on its face as the one you send me. However as this is the second application I have received on the same subject, I think it is best to end the matter so far as it is possible to do so by branding the statement in all its details, and its spirit and intention, as unqualifiedly and absolutely false.

I know Cardinal Gibbons, and I know him to be a good citizen and first-rate American, and that his kindness of heart and tolerance are in striking contrast with the fierce intolerance and vicious malignity which disgrace some of the members of the Catholic Church who were employed in the public service during my administration, and I suppose there are many so employed now.

I should be ashamed of my Presbyterianism if these declarations gave grounds of offense to you very truly,
GROVER CLEVELAND.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The born beauty is born betrothed. He only invests wisely who invests intelligently.

Try best water for removing stains from the hands.

Man is the head of woman, but she rules him by her temper.

Plumpton, the inventor of roller skates, made over \$1,000,000.

Wash gilding with water in which an onion has been boiled, and dry with a soft cloth.

A Tustin (Cal.) bootblack has given \$3.50 for a barrel of flour for the Russian sufferers.

Three new markings have been discovered in the equatorial region of the planet Saturn.

Artificial grass for the grounds of seaside cottages is one of the industries of Manchester.

The average speed of elevators in office buildings in and around New York is 300 feet a minute.

Make the most of the privilege of being near the suffering mortal who longs for your presence.

The gourmets of ancient Rome were very fond of grasshoppers roasted to a golden yellow.

One of the advantages of the summer engagement is that you are not expected to return the ring.

The Samiel or Simoon is a hot, suffocating wind which occasionally blows in Africa and Arabia.

Shelly used to sail paper boats on the Serpentine, and took as much interest as a child in their safety.

The first typesetting machine was patented in England by Dr. William Church, of Connecticut, in 1822.

Finger marks may be removed from varnished furniture by rubbing well with a very little sweet oil on a soft rag.

While some choice fruits and other products are canned in France, the bulk of the world's supply comes from this country.

A bottomless bog exists in Mattawamkeag, Me. Several bridges have been built upon it, but each in turn has sunk from sight.

Splendid specimens of mica are to be sent to the Chicago exhibition from Idaho, where the supply is said to be practically inexhaustible. Mica is to be used in the Idaho building as a substitute for glass in the windows.

Children and the State.

Children require special legal protection. In multitudes of cases they need to be protected from their parents, to whom they do not wholly belong. They have rights of their own—a right to proper care, a good treatment, to education and adequate training.

These rights of children impose on their parents corresponding obligations. Such obligations are violated when children are made street beggars; when they are shut up in factories, to the detriment of their physical and mental growth; when they are surrounded by ruinous home influences; when, for any purpose, they are deprived of instruction, or when their parents use them in any way for their own sole benefit.

The state also has rights in the children. They are its only hope, its future support, defense and glory. In them are possibilities of future scholarship, statesmanship, generalship and invaluable service of every kind. What a loss to our land had the parents of George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, General Grant or Clara Barton been blighted by the possibilities of their offspring! What a loss to England and the world had the possibilities in Florence Nightingale been thus blighted!

It may not always be easy to say how the state shall best protect the rights of the child and its own rights in the child, but of its obligations in the case there can be no doubt.

It recognizes them in part by demanding that every child shall be allowed to attend school up to a certain age. Hence, also, its laws respecting child labor and parental cruelty. Under certain circumstances, indeed, it does not hesitate to take the child from its parents and put it in charge of other persons, better qualified guardians.—Youth's Companion.

Dyed Jewelry.

The dealer in precious stones as well as the jeweler has recently to exercise great vigilance lest he be deceived by dyed jewelry, especially diamonds, which trickery is at present advanced to the state of art, and even the dealer with an experience of years is occasionally taken in.—Jeweler's Circular.

At the Court-House.

Notes of General Interest to Henry County People.

Real Estate Transfers.

Eben McCord to Samuel Ginder, lot 26 and 27, Texas, \$30.
Wm. V. Watson to Amon Smith, parcel of land in McClure, \$500.
David Meekison to Martin Westerman, part outlot 22, Napoleon \$100.
Amon Smith to Mathias Reiser, 80 acres in section 21, Harrison tp., \$2500.
Wm. Harris to Wm. Richholt, part lot 3, Kaufmansville, \$1600.
C. I. Detry to Wm. B. Carr, lots 23 and 36, Texas, \$300.

John Rhodes to Annie E. Donk, lot 3, in Phillips & Stafford's add. Napoleon, \$375.
Gideon Brey to Chas. W. Maser, lot 5, in Phillips & Stafford's add. Napoleon, \$300.
John H. Hatter to Chas. Mosser, lot 225, Sheffield's 2d add. to Napoleon, \$100.
Frederick Martin to John G. Wilson, 10½ acres in section 27, Ridgeville tp., \$150.
Martha E. Hobe to Emma E. Hobe, 10½ acres in section 27, Ridgeville tp., \$100.
Louise Hobe to John G. Wilson, 10½ acres in section 27, Ridgeville tp., \$100.
Augusta E. Hartman to John G. Wilson, 10½ acres in section 27, Ridgeville tp., \$100.
Peter H. Macklin to S. S. Adams inlot 14, Mfg. add. to McClure, \$150.

New Court Cases.

Mary J. Elkins vs John E. Klingelhoefer, et al.; foreclosures.
Henry J. Koster vs Western Union Telegraph Co.; \$5,000 damage.
Mattie E. Regal vs Chas. A. Regal; divorce.

Marriage Permits.

Henry Genter and Mrs. Mary Bahlborg.
Joseph Smith and Abbie Inman.

Ditch Hearings.

Fred Kohling, " " 22, 10 a. m.
F. Rohrbaugh, " " 22, 1 p. m.

Sheriff's Office.

The following orders of sale have been issued to the Sheriff of Henry county, the sales to take place at the north door of the court house at 2 o'clock p. m., on dates given:

Saturday, July 23d A. W. Estelock vs W. H. Mitchell et al; inlot 130, appraised at \$300; inlot 31, appraised at \$150.00; inlot 32, appraised at 120, all of S. D. Stearn's addition to Desher. Total appraised \$570; terms of sale, cash.

Saturday, July 23d Samuel R. Adams vs Harriet E. Green et al.

All that part or parcel of land described as commencing at a stone in the center of the Bryan and Napoleon Pike running thence South eighteen (18) degrees, West 220 links thence North seventy-six (76) degrees, West 113 links thence North seventeen and one-fourth (17½) degrees, East 222 links to the center of said Bryan and Napoleon Pike, thence South seventy-three and one-half (73½) degrees East to the place of beginning, containing twenty-six (26-100) one-hundredth of an acre. Variations of magnetic Needle (2-23) degrees East being the South part of the East of the East one-half of the East one-half of the N. E. ¼ of section 14, town 5, North range, East.

Appraised at \$250; terms cash.

Saturday, July 30, at 2 o'clock p. m., W. S. Moore vs Phoebe A. Harreman, et al.; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 25, Liberty township.

Appraised at \$240. Terms of sale cash.

\$100 Reward.

Will be paid if REFICIO will not cure any of the diseases for which it is recommended. REFICIO is guaranteed to create new nerve, brain and sexual power or money refunded. It acts quick and will relieve nervous headache and all neuralgic pains in a few minutes.

Good digestion, refreshing sleep, a clear mind, bright eyes, a clear and healthy skin follow the use of REFICIO. It will permanently cure nervousness, headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, backache, rheumatism, painful menstruation, spermatorrhea, nervous and general debility in both sexes, and all kidney and bladder diseases. Price by mail, securely sealed, 50 cents a box, or six boxes sealed for \$2.50, with guarantee to cure most severe cases or money refunded. Address, A. F. KATZMANN, M. D., Toledo, O., the great European Specialist, who can be consulted free by mail on all nervous, chronic and sexual diseases. Write him for examination blank. apt-21 y

A FULL HAND

Surrounds the Table at the Council Chambers.

Six councilmen were in their seats at the chambers Monday night, being the second regular meeting in July.

The newly elected clerk, Isaiah Finest, was sworn in by the mayor and the finance committee delved deep into a mountain of bills while the balance of members talked matters incidental, etc.

When the committee made its report the following bills were endorsed which were in turn endorsed by the council:

L. L. Orwig, printing..... \$31.25
Chas. Evers..... 16.45
T. J. Burns sal. and serving notice..... 52.70
C. Rostetter, police..... 3.00
L. Betson..... 1.50
J. Shay, engineer..... 35.00
Thiesen & Biltred, lumber..... 68.67
C. M. Jordan, janitor..... 10.00
Beard Electric Light Co..... 145.20
J. Miller, repairs..... 1.25
Cost of fire..... 4.25
Wm. Samco, coal..... 4.00
J. C. Saur Co., per cent. trustees..... 3.75
J. Kunz, repairs..... 1.45
D. J. Humphre, supplies..... 2.65
F. M. Kolbe, copying plans etc..... 8.00
H. Kolbe, engineer..... 19.00
Street Commissioner..... 259.40

Touching on the last bill, councilman Cahill said that the town must stop short street improvements beyond keeping up necessary repairs as the depleted treasury would not permit an expenditure that has characterized the past few months.

In connection with street improvement, councilman Wilson informed the council that he had seen all property owners along that part of Clinton street from Perry to Scott, and that each expressed himself willing to pay \$2 per rod towards graveling.

As the gravel will cost nothing the amount thus raised will do the hauling, hence they were given permission to proceed with the work.

Councilman Cahill introduced a resolution which was adopted asking the State Commissioner of railroads to investigate the Bryan and Adrian Pike crossings as to the feasibility of compelling the Wabash railroad to station flagmen at both points.

Henry Bostelman complained of the poor condition of sidewalks on Cary street and a resolution was passed ordering said walks to be rebuilt.

Engineer Kolbe was ordered to compile a

plat designating what is to be known as "Sewer Dist. B."

Bids were opened for constructing the big sewer. They were 8 in number.

H. H. Myerhoff's bid was the lowest, be \$4899.35 for its construction to the open ditch. He was awarded the contract.

Jack Baker was the only one who bid on the open ditch work, his bid being \$138.50. The council gave him the contract.

The work will be of brick and the sewer will be completed in 90 days.

S. Redman asked that the council take some action in regard to the cured in abatement to the Stevenson street bridge. He stated that he had been to the commissioners but they thought it not within their jurisdiction. The council thought the same thing in regard to itself and took no action.

While dogs are monopolizing the public attention and there is no little difficulty with enforcing the dog ordinance, various ways have been suggested by which we can dispose of our neighbor's pets. The means are all more or less diabolical but one brought to our notice yesterday occupies the front rank. It is to boil a sponge in lard and permit it to cool. By so doing it will shrink to less than half its original size. Presented to his dog-skip, he loses no time in swallowing it. The gastric juices brought to play upon the lard soon swells the sponge to a size that puts the dog in a condition that will permit him to take no more interest in subsequent events. He will die peacefully—after passing through all the stages of madness, having several hundred fits and biting a dozen or two. Great pain this is of getting rid of dogs likely to go mad.

"CALLED BACK."

An Erring Husband Taken in Hand by an Indignant Wife.

Hugh Conway could have gained some valuable pointers for his novel "Called Back" on the celebrity with which some people are hustled home, had he witnessed an escapade that took place in Napoleon Tuesday morning.

Several Napoleon people returning from Toledo on the 2 o'clock train Tuesday morning noticed a woman, very stylishly dressed whose action was somewhat erratic.

She would seat herself restlessly for several minutes, then rising in haste, pace to and fro in the aisle perfectly oblivious to all surroundings.

As the train neared Napoleon she approached a Napoleonite and wildly cried: "Where is he? Where is he! I mean my husband—the man with the brown hat. I must have him," etc.

When the train arrived at Napoleon she got off and proposed the same question to everyone on the platform.

One as the employees remembered having seen a man answering her description go up town, and in company with several men she came to the Miller House.

The walk sort of brought her to and producing a dispatch and consulting the signature, she asked where Isabel Gardner resided.

On being informed, she disappeared in the darkness after vainly coaxing several men to accompany her.

She was seen next morning with a very down-hearted husband in tow, making for the early morning train for Toledo.

Jennie Gardner, the woman who attempted to alienate her husband's affection, not to be outdone, was in the lead about two rods, ever and anon, casting basilisk glances at the triumphant wife.

It seems that Jennie had telegraphed Adam Randallish at Toledo that it was her desire to see him, and as luck would have it the telegram was found by his wife who lost no time in donning habiliments of warfare and giving pursuit.

As the train pulled out Mrs. R. looked decidedly exuberant while the hubby was studying space intently hunting, we presume, for that knot hole to crawl into.

The festive Jennie has, no doubt, decided to telegraph in cipher henceforth.

We are selling our best 50c mitts at 40c and our 40c mitts at 30c.

Geo. H. Rouns & Bro.

Prices reasonable as consistent for reliable operations. No extra charge for painting extracting. W. J. FRANKFORD, Dentist.

Bitzer Block near Miller House.

Waggons, Buggies, Etc.

Those who are in need of a survey, jump seat, phaeton, single or two horse buggy, spring or farm wagon, of our own manufacture, are cordially invited to call and see my stock, at my place of business on the south side of the canal. I have a surprise for you in a settlement and prices. As I have work running in this county a quarter of a century ago, it is sufficient guarantee that my work is first-class. Call and see me, as I want to show goods that are as represented and at prices that can not be duplicated. Get home work, which is warranted. I do not hesitate to show the material I use, which is first class and every respect. Repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly attended to. Respectfully,

JOHN MILLER,
The Old Reliable Wagon Maker.

A New Scheme.

In the line of swindling there is a new and a very attractive scheme being played by a firm known, on its circulars, as the Detroit, New York and New Orleans Lottery Company, with headquarters in Detroit. A young man in this city recently received a communication from the alleged firm in which was inclosed thirty lottery tickets, closely resembling those sent out by the Louisiana lottery. The proposition was for him to sell the tickets at one dollar each and remit, or show his good faith in the scheme by buying them outright. In either event he was to receive from the company, as soon as the cash was forwarded, a check for \$1,500. Here a condition was inserted. He was to wait until after the next lottery drawing and then circulate the report and allow it to be printed that he had drawn \$1,500. Then he was obliged to return the check and he would receive by return express \$1,000 in good cash. There are doubtless many who will bite at this tempting bait. It has the advantage over the "green goods snafu" in that it only requires thirty dollars to get dumped and filled full of glorious experience.—East Liverpool Crisis.

How Gran'pa Answered Baby.

Baby—Gran'pa, gran'pa what is that? Looks just like a horrid rat!

Gran'pa—I'm afraid you're right, indeed. That my child, is Whitelaw Reid.

The Washington state building at the world's fair will show to some extent the forest resources of the state. The foundation alone will contain 171 logs, some of them 120 feet long and 42 inches in diameter at the small end. The superstructure of the building will contain, besides heavy timber, fine finished woods, showing the grain and structure of the woods, and a complete exhibit of shipbuilding material.

M. E. Church News.

Subjects of sermons for next Sunday are as follows: 10:30 a. m. "Men's Harvest." 7:45 p. m. "God's Harvest."

At the election of officers of the Junior League on Tuesday, the following appointments were made:

President.....Melvie Genereux.
Vice President.....Lottie Laker.
Secretary.....Ethein Laniz.
Treasurer.....Katie Hartman.
Organist.....Jessie Wilson.
Ass't Organist.....Ruth Lighthouse.

The Junior League festival last Saturday evening was a success, \$17.08 being the amount of receipts.

Mr. Joseph Stamm leads the Epworth meeting next Sunday evening.

Misses M. Wilson and M. Humphrey and A. F. Thompson are off to Lakeside.

An Auxiliary for Henry county of the American Bible Society was organized last Sunday evening in the Evangelical church by Rev. Gillette, district agent of Cleveland, who also preached for Rev. Donahy in the morning service. The following are the officers elected:

President.....John Wilson.
Vice President.....The Resident Pastor.
Secretary and Treasurer.....Charles Clay.
Mr. J. P. Saxe, a very efficient collector, will be put into the field soon to make a complete canvass of the county.

Found:

Two miles north of Holgate, on the Kalida Pike, the cheapest place in the county to buy flooring, siding, ceiling and dressed lumber of all kinds.

SYDNEY BROS.
If you want a nice lace for dress trimming go to
21
Horn & Norden's.

Rich on hams and hoes and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by D. J. Humphrey, Napoleon, O. dec 11 91-ly

WILLIE TILBROOK

Son of

Mayor Tillbrook

of McKeesport, Pa., had a scrofula bunch under one ear which the physician lanced and then it became a running sore, and was followed by erysipelas. Mrs. Tillbrook gave him

Hood's Sarsaparilla

the sore healed up, he became perfectly well and is now a lively, robust boy. Other parents whose children suffer from impure blood should profit by this example.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Habitual Constipation by restoring peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

THE MARKETS.

Provision Market.

Corrected weekly by A. Bradley.

Apples, green per bu..... 60¢-65¢
Apples, red per bu..... 60¢-65¢
Butter..... 20¢-25¢
Beans per bush..... 12¢-14¢
Honey..... 12¢
Onions per bu..... 10¢
Potatoes..... 5¢-10¢
Sage per bu..... 10¢
Salt, coarse rock, per bush..... 10¢
Salt, common, per bush..... 5¢-10¢
Picked pork..... 30¢-35¢
Sausages..... 10¢
Smoked hams..... 15¢
Sausages..... 10¢
Beef, hind quarter..... 50¢
Chicken, live spring..... 10¢-15¢
Ducks per 10 spring..... 60¢
Geese..... 10¢
Hickory wood..... 10¢
Sheep head..... 10¢
Hides, green..... 10¢-15¢
Skins per bu..... 10¢
Corn beef per bu..... 10¢
Dressed hogs..... 50¢

Flour, Feed and Grain.

Corrected weekly by J. Koller & Co.

Wheat, No. 1, Red..... 75¢
Wheat, No. 2..... 70¢
Corn new per cwt..... 65¢
Buckwheat..... 40¢
Koller's No. 1 flour per sack..... 1.20
Koller's No. 2 flour per sack..... 1.10
Koller's No. 3 flour per sack..... 1.00
Rye flour per sack..... 1.00
Buckwheat flour per sack..... 1.00
Sorghum flour per sack..... 1.00
Barley per sack..... 1.00
Oats per sack..... 1.00
Soybean meal per sack..... 1.00
Soybean oil per sack..... 1.00
Soybean cake per sack..... 1.00
Soybean hulls per sack..... 1.00
Soybean straw per sack..... 1.00
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