

NEWS NOTES FROM FOUR COUNTIES

ALLEN COUNTY

Lady Jail Inmate Creates Uproar At Lima

Gertrude Newman, 50, an inmate of the county jail at Lima, was overcome by smoke recently when she set fire to her mattress. Sheriff's deputies rescued her.

Lima Resident Killed In Train-Truck Crash

The Pennsylvania Railroad's Manhattan Limited killed William P. Cramer, 50, when it struck the laundry truck which he was driving over a route he has maintained 10 years or more.

The Chicago-to-New York flyer, which normally does not stop in Lima, was delayed an hour. Pieces of the truck and scores of items of laundry were strewn along the right-of-way.

Lima Teen-Age Club To Hold Meet

Lima's Yacht Club, a liquorless night club operated by the Y. M. C. A. for teen-age boys and girls since shortly after Pearl Harbor, won a new distinction recently.

It was selected as the site of a regional meeting late this year of representatives from 150 similar teen-age canteens for a study of their problems.

The club, which has grown to a

membership of 1,300 has been visited many times by persons considering sponsoring similar clubs, and reportedly has served as the model for a number of them.

Urge Water Plant Expansion

Increased consumption makes additional water storage facilities an urgent need for Lima, State Public Health Director Fred H. Waring told Lima councilmen. He said the capacity now is only sufficient for about 190 days. The reserve supply had dwindled to a two-month supply when recent rains replenished it, waterworks officials reported.

War Refugee, 13 Turns Home

Thirteen-year-old Billy Rose started alone for his home in the Virgin Islands, ending a 31-months stay with relatives in Lima during which his parents thought the war might endanger the port of San Juan. The area no longer is considered a danger zone.

Rush Hospital Plans At Lima

Less than a week after Lima voters approved a \$390,000 bond issue for expansion of Memorial Hospital, a building commission headed by Mayor W. L. Ferguson met and authorized an architectural firm to proceed with plans.

HANCOCK COUNTY

Milk Price Upped

The early November fluid milk buying prices paid by dealers in 19 principal Ohio markets remained unchanged from October except at Findlay and Zanesville, the Ohio department of agriculture reported.

The price of \$3.45 reported at Findlay was five cents above that last reported, while the Zanesville price was up 10 cents from October.

No changes were reported in the unit selling prices for wholesale and retail milk and cream in the 19 marketing areas.

Hancock Soldier Killed In Action

Pfc. Jay Beckford, 19, reported missing in action since Nov. 1, has been reported killed on that date, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beckford, route 6, Findlay, have been informed. Private Beckford was stationed in Italy with an infantry division.

State Patrol Ends Eleventh Year

Three members of District A, Ohio State Highway Patrol observed 11 years of service when the state patrol marked its 11th anniversary. Lieut. S. D. Augenstein, commander of the district; Sergt. S. B. Radcliffe and Sergt. M. Curry, all stationed at Findlay, are three of 16 remaining men from the original group of 60 who trained at Camp

Rescued After 12 Days on Raft



Strong hands lift Lt. Comdr. Robert Hoyt Price, USN, of Shelbyville, Ill., aboard a carrier in Task Force 58. Price, an air group commander, was attacking a Japanese cargo ship when antiaircraft fire clipped his oil line and forced him to land in the water. Price spent 5 hours in the water wearing his life jacket before another fighter pilot dropped him a one-man raft and a note promising that a Kingfisher OS2U plane would be sent out for him next morning. The Kingfisher came but failed to find him. Twelve days later a destroyer found him, picked him up, and rushed him to a carrier.

Perry 11 years ago for Ohio's first patrol.

There are 147 officers now on the staff while 125 officers and seven radio operators are in the army and navy.

Father Of 20 Killed In Accident

William Hamilton, 78, died in Findlay Hospital of internal injuries suffered when he was struck by an automobile on Findlay's main thoroughfare.

Police said Earl L. Benner, 17, of Rawson, driver of the car, reported he did not see Hamilton as he attempted to make a left turn. He was not held.

Hamilton, a retired boilermaker, is survived by 13 children and seven stepchildren.

Rains Slow Beet Harvest

Rains have slowed the delivery of sugar beets to the Great Lakes refinery in Findlay, according to C. W. Kramp, district manager, who reports that 30,439 tons of beets have been received from growers in the Findlay area.

HARDIN COUNTY

Hunting Mishap Kills Kenton Veteran

The body of Robert C. Graves, 35, disabled World War II veteran who was wounded in New Guinea, was returned to Kenton from Northumberland, Pa., where he was killed while hunting rabbits. His gun discharged accidentally while he was climbing a fence near the home of his sister Mrs. Stephen Barcz.

Instructs With Slides

By the use of 4,000 lantern slides, most of which he made himself, Dr. L. R. Herriek professor of foreign languages at Ohio Northern university, is able to give his students unusual background pictures of the campaigns in France, Italy, Spain and Germany.

Hold Soldier In Robbery

Bernard Mendelsohn, soldier who reportedly is absent without leave from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., was bound to the grand jury in Kenton on charges of looting the Pfeiffer Inn of \$700 in cash and bonds. He failed to provide bond.

PUTNAM COUNTY

Wide Patronage At Sorghum Mill

Homer Wenger reports a successful season with his cane mill operating this season for the first time.

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A total of 15,347 pounds of sorghum (molasses) was produced during the operating period.

Patrons came from over 30 towns in the area with trade coming from towns as far away as Upper Sandusky.

Wenger observes that although the making of sorghum has become nearly a lost art in this section of Ohio, it is evident that a great many people relish the syrup of the cane on their buckwheat cakes.

Five Grain Elevators Purchased In Deal

Purchase of five grain elevators in Putnam county was announced by N. G. Bennett, widely known McComb grain dealer and elevator operator.

The elevators, located at Ottawa, Vaughnsville, Rimer, Ft. Jennings, and Cloverdale, were purchased from the Raabe Brothers, sons of the late Arnold H. Raabe. The chain has been known as the Raabe Elevators.

Present management and personnel at the elevators will be retained to continue the operation of the elevators, Bennett announced.

Finish Milkweed Pod Collection In Putnam

A total of 582 bags of milk weed pods was collected in Putnam county, it was announced by L. C. Holtkamp, county agent, who explained the collection was much higher than expected.

Mt. Cory

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carr, son Darrel and daughter Joan were Thursday eve supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reiter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Luginbuhl and daughter of Findlay were evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams of Van Buren were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams and daughter Sandra, returned to their home in Marion after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roach, son Donald and daughter Susann of Cleveland were week end guests of Mrs. Bessie Guin and Sara Guin.

Mrs. Gale Griffith and son Kervin visited Gale Griffith of the Navy at Great Lakes, Ill. over the week end.

Mrs. Laura Ghastr has been quite ill with the flu at her home here. She is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boobering attended the funeral Sunday afternoon of Mr. John Stout at Rawson.

Mrs. Minnie Stotts left Monday morning with her daughter for Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson at Columbus Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kramer attended the Thank offering program at Bethesda church, Sunday afternoon and also the John Stotts' funeral at the Otto Funeral Home in Rawson and from there went to Mrs. Clara Bauman's home in Findlay; W. B. Kramer's daughter, Mrs. Gale Clymer another daughter from Columbus was there and they spent the evening with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kramer were recent callers in the Harry Moore home. Richard Swank and wife and son Jimmie of California were guests also.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
The State of Ohio,
Allen County, ss.
Estate of Eliza Fett, Deceased.
Clair B. Fett, of Bluffton, Ohio, has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Eliza Fett, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1944.
Probate Judge

The job is not over yet—buy bonds for a complete victory.

LaFayette

Mrs. Mollie Allarding of Ada spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Jennie Eversole and Mrs. Carrie Lentz.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Black and children of Spencerville were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall.

Mrs. David Houser of Ada spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Houser.

Mrs. Kathryn Staley of Ada was a Thursday dinner guest of Mrs. Posie Hall.

Mrs. Alma Robinson is attending graduation exercises of her son, Hugh who is completing his cadet training.

Mrs. Patton of Findlay spent the week with Mrs. Alan Watt.

Mrs. Josie Hall called Sunday afternoon on Mrs. Jennie Shull of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holtzapfel and daughter and Miss Grace Herr of Elida and Mrs. Dorothy Rodney were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Charles Herr.

Mrs. Iva Miller of Lima is visiting her sister Mrs. Laura Biteman. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Patterson,

John Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Patterson and family surprised Mr. and Mrs. Ted Layman of Lima Sunday afternoon. It was Mr. Layman's birthday.

Miss Ilo Patterson spent the week-end in Warren.

Howard R. Tolley, chief, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Washington, D. C., said, "In a land so productive as ours, our choice of emphasis on both national and international levels lies between trade and charity—we can emphasize either sales of subsidies—and common sense leaves no doubt where our choice should fall.

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Saturday, Nov. 25

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Piano, electric sewing machine, electric range, electric iron, Eureka electric vacuum cleaner, dining room table and chairs, living room chairs, reed porch furniture, 2 davenport, Kittenger occasional table; 2 library tables; 3 bedroom suites; Simmons twin brass beds; spinnet desk and chair; Fada radio; small rugs; Bissell sweeper; Haviland china; 2 clocks; porch glider; wheel barrow tree spraying outfit and numerous other items.

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