

SYCHAR

Closed Sunday Night In The Old-Fashioned Way

With An Enthusiastic "March Around Jericho"

Most Successful Meeting In History Of Sychar

Attendance On Sunday Largest In Year

Next Year's Meeting Occurs August 4-13

The consummation of the wildest hopes of those in charge of the holiness meetings at Camp Sychar was attained Sunday when an overflow crowd infested the grounds. Over 4,500 people passed through the gates yesterday which brought the attendance on the grounds up to 6,000. Never in the annals of the camp have such high-water mark figures been reached and complete satisfaction is met with and expressed on every hand. The crowd was most orderly and seemed intent on but one thing—to hear the gospel preached by the accomplished evangelists. No disorder of any nature was reported which is next to miraculous in view of the large number of people and the hot weather. The Sychar fountain was crowded to its capacity all of Sunday afternoon and the water was eagerly imbibed as fast as it flowed. This was carried on to such an extent that no water ran into the horse trough and consequently, the horses had "to go dry."

The overflow meetings carried on were a great success. These were in charge of Rev. Maughman, who capably handled this, hard line of work. Among the speakers were Mr. Corbin of Findlay, and Mr. Howell of Cambridge who held their audiences spell-bound. In the tabernacle, Rev. C. B. Allen preached a most effective sermon on "Perfect Love," and set forth some principles which took deep root in the minds of his audience.

Rev. C. J. Fowler preached the closing sermon of the camp last evening to the largest audience that has been in attendance. He took his text from the 13th chapter of Luke, 24th verse:

"Strive to enter in at the strait gate; for many, I say unto you, will seek to enter in, and shall not be able."

Mr. Fowler divided his sermon in its make-up into three propositions: 1st.—Many people fail because of lack of endeavor. 2nd.—Because they have done too much. 3rd.—Because they have gone too far. The context of the sermon was most interesting and effective as was manifested by the enthusiasm displayed on all sides. At the conclusion of the sermon, many others addressed the congregation and religious fire and zeal was kindled up to such an extent that a "March around Jericho" was started. There were about two thousand people participating and it continued until 11:30 o'clock. The grounds were thronged with people completely wrapped up in sanctification who sang and gave vent to their overflowing spirits in many other ways. Truly, it was a notable ending to the most all-round successful camp yet held.

Sychar Notes
Rev. C. B. Allen and Rev. Brasher have been re-engaged for next year. Lon Hammond of Mt. Vernon has been hired for next year as camp cook.

The election of the officers of the O. S. C. M. A. for next year will be held in Cleveland on the 17th of October of this year.

During the meetings just ended, there have been over 150 definite seekers at the altar.

More tents have been engaged for next year than ever before. Up to the present time, 126 of these have been rented and over half the rooms in the dormitory and annex have been taken for the 1911 meetings which will be held Aug. 4-13.

PROGRAM

Is Completed For The Big Pythian Picnic

To Occur At The Park Next Wednesday

Three Baseball Games During The Day

All arrangements for the second annual county picnic of the Knights of Pythias have been made and Wednesday, Aug. 17th will be a busy day at Lake Hiawatha park.

Reports from all lodges in the county are very favorable.

Centerburg has been successful in getting a special train leaving Mt. Vernon later in the evening than the regular train and quite a number expect to be present from there. Grand Chancellor C. V. Hoke of Van Wert, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Wm. Beatty of Toledo and Mrs. Mary Price of Columbus, Grand Chief of the Pythian Sisters, will be present.

The day's program will begin with a band concert on the Square at 8:45 a. m.

At the park the Fredericktown and Mt. Vernon lodges will start to play ball at 8:30 a. m. and immediately after the game, Centerburg and Bladenburg will cross bats.

At twelve o'clock—Dinner.

At 1:30 p. m. the following program will be given in the auditorium:

Piano duet—Miss Thompson, Mrs. Montis.

Address of Welcome—Col. L. G. Hunt.

Address—C. V. Hoke, G. C. Solo—George Spearman.

Address—Wm. Beatty.

Solo—Mrs. Harry Patterson.

After this program the following contests will take place.

Half mile relay race, to consist of four runners from each lodge—Prize box of cigars.

Sack race—Prize, watermelon.

Running race, 100 yards—Prize, baseball.

Fat men's race, 50 yards—Prize, necktie.

Ladies' special race—Prize, rooster.

Apple eating contest for children under twelve—Prize, box of candy.

Following the above contests the winners of the morning ball games will play for the county flag.

There will be no charge for admission to park and all baskets, wraps, etc., will be checked free of charge.

More Prosperous Than Ever

The Oberlin Business College is closing one of the most successful years in its long history and from present indications the attendance this fall will be larger than ever before. Students are writing the college from all sections of Ohio as well as other states of their intention to be present at the opening of the fall term, Tuesday, September 6, 1910.

The Oberlin Business College has taken its place as Ohio's leading school of business. Its courses are the most thorough given anywhere; its students are mature young men and women, mostly teachers and high school graduates; its able management, its capable and experienced teachers, its spirit and purpose place it in a class by itself. The demand for its graduates both as teachers and in office work has had more to do in building up the school than any other one thing. Those who go to Oberlin for business training have unusual opportunities.

LIEUTENANT SCHICK RETIRED

Washington, D. C., Aug. 15—First Lieut. Jacob Schick, 10th Infantry, was retired from active service in the army today on account of ill health. Lieut. Schick is from Iowa, and rose from the ranks.

DIVORCE

And Alimony Is Sought By Maggie Curran

Against Robert Curran A Resident Of This City

Plaintiff Alleges Cruelty On Part Of Defendant

A Session Of Common Pleas Court On Monday

Other Items Of Interest From Temple Of Justice

A suit for divorce has been filed in the court of common pleas of Knox county by Maggie Curran against Robert Curran, both residents of Mt. Vernon. The plaintiff states they were married on January 26, 1901, and that no children were born of such marriage. The plaintiff states that notwithstanding her best efforts to make their married life a pleasant one, the defendant has been irritable and cross towards her and that on the 28th day of June, he beat and struck the plaintiff and in other ways mistreated her. The plaintiff further says that the defendant has failed and neglected to provide her with the necessities of life. The plaintiff states that the defendant is the owner of real estate in Mt. Vernon valued at about \$8,500, and that the said defendant is about to dispose of the property in order to defeat the plaintiff in any claim that she might justly have against him as his said wife. The plaintiff asks for a divorce and alimony and for an injunction restraining the defendant from selling his property or disposing of his household goods and furniture. A temporary restraining order has been allowed by Judge Berry of the probate court. The attorney for the plaintiff in this action is Frank O. Levering.

Action For Money

George D. Neal has commenced a suit in the Knox county court of common pleas against Everett E. Dorsey, claiming there is due him the sum of \$12 based on a promissory note, given on January 6, 1910. The plaintiff asks for judgment in the above named amount with interest at 8 per cent from January 6, 1910. Neal & Sapp are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Inventory and Appraisal

In the matter of the estate of Arthur Cleveland Hall, an inventory and appraisal has been filed in probate court, showing the following: Moneys \$329.01, securities \$4,200. Total \$4,529.01.

Inventory Filed

In the estate of John Sells an inventory and appraisal has been filed in probate as follows: Personal property \$385.38, moneys \$116. Total \$501.38.

Marriage License

Charles Jacobs, laborer, Gambier, and Minnie Boyd, Jackson township. The Rev. A. C. Corfman.

Property Sold

W. W. Walker, administrator of Henry W. Swigert, sold the home farm near Buckeye City Saturday afternoon to Albert I. Wolfe of Danville. The property was appraised at \$1,800 and was sold for \$1,205. Court Bailiff Purcell cried the sale.

Common Pleas Court

Judge Charles W. Seward of Newark was in the city Monday and conducted a session of common pleas court in the morning when he confirmed a number of sales and heard the matter of Hosack, trustee, vs. Schiappacasse.

Deeds Filed

Fred H. Wells to William Wells, part lot 5 O. P., Fredericktown, \$1,050. R. C. Snyder to Annabel Francis, parcel in Clay, \$1,025.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT NEWPORT

Newport, R. I., Aug. 15—The foremost tennis experts of the country are here to compete in the thirtieth annual national all-comers' tournament, which begun on the turf courts of the Casino today. The events to be decided during the week are the national championships in singles, doubles and intercollegiate singles.

TOWNSHIP

Schools To Open On Monday September 12

At the meeting of the Clinton township board of education, held Saturday evening, it was decided to open the schools of the township on Monday, Sept. 12, one week later than usual, on account of the state fair. Clerk Rawlinson was authorized to notify the directors to put the school houses in shape for the sessions, to draw the contracts with teachers, and to procure necessary supplies. The board is contemplating heating the South Vernon (district No. 7) building with either hot air or hot water, and recessed until Saturday, Aug. 20, at 4 p. m., when a meeting will be held at that school house to determine the matter.

TWO OBJECTS

In View—the Buckeye State Building and Loan Company, Rankin Building, 22 West Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio.

1. To establish an absolutely safe place in which people can deposit their money. This is being done by loaning all money deposited with it only on homes—the safest of all mortgage loans.

2. To loan all money so deposited for the building of homes, at the most reasonable rates to borrowers consistent with sound business principles. To these ends we work. Assets over \$4,200,000.

UNCLAIMED MAIL

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Mt. Vernon postoffice: To avoid delay in delivery have your mail addressed to street and number. P. O. box or general delivery.

- Barber, Mrs. C. P.
 - Barrett Mrs. Harriett
 - Bloomer, Mrs. Amanda
 - Carter, Mrs. Nannie
 - Jo Wilder & Faulk Tea
 - Cunningham, F. G.
 - Elfert, Mrs. T. E.
 - Heala, Hon. G. D.
 - Hillier, Miss Alice
 - Ingram, Rec C. W.
 - Kuchens, Mrs. Christian
 - Moll, Miss Agnes A.
 - Munson, C. E.
 - Romine, John R.
 - Sapp, Miss Bessie
 - Simpson, Mrs. Nellie C.
 - Stewart, W. G.
 - The Star Laundry.
 - VanVoorhis, Mrs. Jeanette
 - Walker, R. N. Grocer
 - Wicloxny, Porn (foreign)
- SHERIDAN G. DOWDS, Postmaster.

SEVERE INJURY

Sustained By B. F. Knox In Falling From A Fence

B. F. Knox, employed by the Logan Gas Co., in the gas fields near Brandon, sustained a very painful injury while at work near that village at about four o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. Knox was climbing over a board fence when one of the boards came off, allowing him to fall to the ground. He alighted on his left foot, twisting the ankle and badly injuring the ligaments. Dr. N. R. Eastman of Mt. Vernon was called to render surgical attention.

FIRE

Resulted From Explosion Of An Oil Lamp

A small fire broke out in the home of Mrs. Jane Bricker of West Walnut street Saturday evening. At about ten o'clock, two men, who are boarders at the Bricker home, were in their room, having lighted an oil lamp. Shortly after ten, the lamp exploded, throwing burning oil about the room, a blaze being started almost instantly. By hard work, the fire was extinguished after some furniture had been damaged and the paper badly discolored. The fire department was not called.

DRUNK ARRESTED

One plain drunk was arrested on South Main street Saturday evening and was lodged in the county jail. On Monday morning, he was brought before Mayor Charles Mitchell and on entering a plea of guilty to the charge of intoxication, was given the usual fine and costs.

TROOPS

Called Out By Governor Harmon At Columbus

Without The Request Of Mayor Marshall

Columbus, O., Aug. 15—Governor Harmon this noon issued a call for troops, including the First Regiment of Cincinnati, Battery C Troop B and the Second ambulance corps of Columbus.

Governor Harmon called out the troops of his own will without the request of Mayor Marshall.

A QUESTION ANSWERED

How does the county fair help the farmer's children?

The fair helps the farmer's son and daughter because no intelligent boy, or girl, can attend a county fair without a broadening of ideas, inspiring them to higher ambitions for success. They enjoy much honest amusement and absorb a vast amount of general information from the fair and all its departments.

NEWPORT TO ENTERTAIN FLEET

Newport, R. I., Aug. 15—Today the Atlantic battleship fleet enters upon the first installation of its Newport welcome, a demonstration that will continue through a solid week of liberal hospitality and unbroken entertainment of the officers and men of the sixteen battleships. The stay of the fleet is intended to be made one of the greatest celebrations of its kind in the history of this famous resort.

MONTANA LABOR FEDERATION

Great Falls, Mont., Aug. 15—Representatives of the various trades unions throughout the state were assembled in this city this morning, when the Montana Federation of labor opened its seventeenth convention. President M. M. Donoghue called the gathering to order and Secretary Oscar M. Partelow read the official call. The convention will continue its sessions until all its business is concluded, which will probably be late in the week.

THE HOBBLE SKIRT'S ORIGIN

A New York milliner just returned from Paris explains "Why is a hobble skirt?" by saying: "The weather in Paris during the last social and racing season was so beastly frigid and uncomfortable that the ladies simply had to wear something that could afford them more protection than their ordinary attire. They could not stand having their skirts blown about, exposing them to colds and sore throats and all of that, and so the modistes got busy and—" It's all very clear. Just for warmth, and the fashion gets over here in July.—Indianapolis Star.

WHY RAISE YOUR HAT

"Why raise your hat?" is the motto of the society for the Promotion of German Modes of Greeting, whose headquarters are at Darmstadt. It is a wasteful habit, the society urges, because it wears out the hat brim. It is unhealthy because in bad weather it is apt to bring on colds. And, worst of all, it is unpatriotic, for the custom was adopted from the French, the first nation in Europe to bare the head as a form of politeness. The true mode of greeting for Germans, the members say, is the military salute, which is Teuton origin, having originated among the officers of the Prussia Grenadiers. The society has gained many adherents, and the inhabitants of Darmstadt are now accustomed to see elderly civilians stand rigidly at attention and bring the hand smartly to the forehead when they meet acquaintances in the street.—Kansas City Star.

BANGS

Mr. Noah Rood of Hereford, Texas, was in this vicinity Friday.

Mr. Chas. F. Carey of Columbus was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Carey Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Wonderly of Lancaster was here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McKinley went to Niagara Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Bricker of Friendship were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Shutt Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark went to Bladensburg to visit friends Saturday.

BANNER WANT ADS PAY

(Actual Conversation)

FIRST LADY: I've been looking all over town. There's one bargain that beats them all.

SECOND LADY: What is it?

FIRST LADY: The 10c Percales at Ringwalt's.

PARENTS

Gave Away Two Sons To Band Of Gypsies

But Located By Juvenile Officer Purcell

In A Camp Between Utica And Newark

Through the efforts of Juvenile Officer Patrick Purcell, Clarence and Guy Beaman, two young boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. William Beaman of Fairview addition, South Vernon, were recovered from a band of gypsies Sunday morning after they had been abandoned by their parents on Friday of last week. The boys were found at the camp of the gypsies between Utica and Newark and are now in the juvenile detention ward in the Knox county jail.

The story is an interesting one. On Friday of last week an affidavit was made in juvenile court against the boys by Juvenile Officer Purcell. It was charged that the boys had been guilty of stealing, that they had been associating with immoral characters and for general incorrigibility. Saturday morning Mr. Purcell went to the Beaman home to bring the two boys into court when he was astonished to learn from the mother that the father had given the two away to a band of gypsies, making their camp for some days on the Columbus road, Saturday afternoon Juvenile Officer Purcell brought the father into juvenile court and he informed Judge Berry that it was his wife who gave the two boys to the gypsies.

Mr. Purcell immediately communicated with all the smaller towns as the gypsies had broken their camp here and one band had started towards Columbus and the other to Utica and Johnstown.

Saturday night Officer Purcell received a telephone message from the marshal of Utica that the boys had been secured from the band of gypsies camping between Utica and Newark. Sunday morning Mr. Purcell went to Utica and brought the two boys to Mt. Vernon and they are now located in the detention ward for juvenile offenders in the county jail and will be brought before Judge Berry for a hearing in a day or so.

It is possible that a charge may be made against the parents for giving away the boys to the band of gypsies.

afternoon at two-thirty o'clock, Rev. J. T. Black officiating. Interment in Mound View cemetery.

John Ewers
John Ewers died at his home about three miles north of Fredericktown Sunday morning at about seven o'clock after a several days' illness caused by a complication of diseases incident to old age. The deceased was 95 years of age at the time of his death and is survived by one son, James Ewers. The funeral Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, sun time, at the house. Interment in North Fork cemetery.

Society News

China Shower For Miss Dial

Miss Ruth Dial of Gambier was given a very pleasant surprise Thursday evening in the way of a china shower, the occasion being her seventeenth birthday. About thirty-five of Miss Ruth's friends were present and music and games were enjoyed by all. Delicious refreshments were served at ten o'clock. Miss Ruth received many beautiful pieces of china. At a late hour the guests returned to their homes wishing their charming little hostess many happy birthdays.

Altenburg-Jones Wedding

Mr. Claude Altenburg and Miss Marguerite Jones, both of this city, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at their home on North Gay street by the Rev. A. B. Williams. The ceremony was performed at the residence which the groom had recently furnished for the bride. Only a few relatives and some intimate friends were in attendance at the wedding.

Entertained With Dinner

Mrs. E. F. Altenburg of East Vine street entertained with a six o'clock dinner Saturday evening. Those present from out of the city were Miss Goldie Lewis of Bellville and Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Altenburg of McKeesport, Pa.

KENYON

Man Playing Tennis For State Championship

Frank C. Marty of Highlands, Ky., a student at Kenyon college, and well-known in Mt. Vernon, is playing tennis in Cleveland Monday afternoon against Charles Beard for the championship of the state. Marty won a number of contests on Saturday which put him in line to play for the championship of the state and his many friends here wish him success in the match today.

New Jersey man didn't talk for thirty-one years. He lost his bet, though he died.

BANNER WANT ADS PAY

FACTS ABOUT

KNOX COUNTY SAVINGS BANK

19. It wants large or small deposits.

20. It takes good care of both.

21. It pays a safe rate of interest on savings accounts.

22. It issues time certificates in any amount from \$5 to \$10,000, the interest beginning at date of issue.

23. Its certificates are as safe as government bonds and bring a large interest return.

WEST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE