

STILLWATER VALLEY NEWS

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COVINGTON, OHIO WEDNESDAY, JULY 14, 1926.

PRICE ONE CENT

The Weather Report

Fair continued cooler tonight. Thursday, fair.

Personals

Mrs. Eva Campbell who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Furus last night, Tuesday P. M.

Miss Pauline Whemman is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rhoades, this week.

Mr. Williams Trembley and brother, Edgar, attended the movies in Piqua last evening.

Miss Marguerite Rudy and brother, John, been visiting with their grandparents, Mr. ad Mrs John Bashor.

Mrs. J. W. Kelsey spent this afternoon in Pleasant Hill as the guest of Mrs. Anna Shoen.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCune, of Greenville, spent yesterday afternoon, with Mrs. Louise Fox.

Mrs. Mary Favorite, spent Sunday in Columbus, visiting with Miss Marie Rudy at O. S. U.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams and daughter spent last evening in Greenville with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller.

Mrs. Walter Douthett and daughter, of Piqua, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Shafer, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Minnich of Brookville, spent the last of the week with Mrs. Minnich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hickman.

Mrs. R. G. Martin and daughter, and son Evalyn and Jack, are spending the remainder of this week in Oasstown visiting relatives.

Mrs. David Drees has been at home for the past week with summer grippes, and is yet unable to be at work.

C. R. Curleton, Dayton, Dist. Passenger Agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad, was a Covington visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruth Carnes, of Dayton, is here on an extended visit with her aunt and grand uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rench.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bashor called at the home of Mrs. Mary Inman and the Misses Anna and Belle Abernathy, Sunday all spending the afternoon motoring through the country.

Mrs. Marie Fritz and daughter, Miss Rhodie, and Mrs. J. R. Rike motored to Columbus, this morning to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Snowbarger and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Deeter.

Miss Jametta Kelsey, Mr. Frank Helman, of Tippecanoe City, and Mr. Frank Brubaker, of New Carlisle, were the Sunday guests of Miss Ruth DeBra who lives with her sister, Mrs. Snowbarger, at Columbus.

Carroll Koon has accepted a position with the Cook Printing Company, Springfield, and started at his work Monday.

The Misses Florence Biedler and Alma Weber, of Cincinnati, who have been visiting Miss Wanda Aspinall returned to their home this morning. Miss Wanda returning with them for a week's visit.

VISIT INDIANA

Mrs. Howard Huffman and Mrs. Margaret Crume, of Dayton, Mrs. David Batson and Mrs. W. W. Alexander motored to Louisville, Indiana, where they spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Batson.

TOURISTS ENJOY PARK

Word was sent to the News this morning through Mrs. Anna Nill from tourists who spent last night in Community Park.

They were Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Hookensmith, 4516 McPherson St., Delmar and Mrs. Clement Brown, of St. James, Mo. They write, "Traveling through Ohio, we found the hospitality of Covington Community, most enticing. We sincerely thank the citizens who are so friendly."

PICNIC PARTY

A picnic party was given this afternoon, at the Drees Cottage, this afternoon, including the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Comer and daughter, Miss Helen, of Piqua, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mohler and daughter, Miss Janis, of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benham, Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Don Drees and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnhart.

ENJOY EVENING AT COUNTRY HOME

About fifty-two were present, last evening, at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hill, when he Dorcas Sunday School Class were entertained there.

Old fashioned games were the diversion and brieg ice cream, cake, wafers and lemon ade were served as refreshments.

4-H CLUB

The 4-H Food Club met yesterday at the home of Miss Eleanor Helman, with twenty-three present. Miss Kraus, the Home Economics Teacher, was a guest of the afternoon.

Milk Sherbet and chocolate nut bars were made and served during the afternoon and all spent a happy time together.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Naomi Kempton, Tuesday, July 20th, 2:00 o'clock.

Those who enjoyed the picnic dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Weber and family, were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Guess and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber and family, of Dayton, and the Misses Irene and Francis Dyer, of Indianapolis. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown and daughter, Miriam, of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Piefer and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham and family, of Piqua. They also attend the big picnic at the Grove.

Miss Irene Weber returned to Dayton for an extended visit with the Guess family.

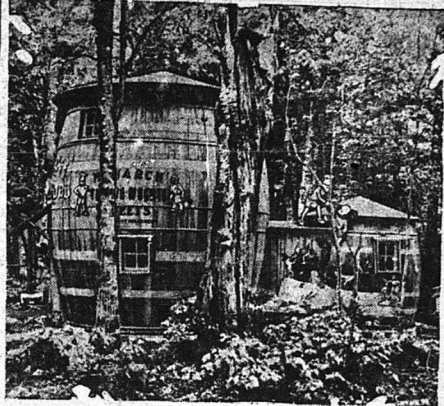
State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe of Illinois, says that probably the worst handicap confronting his office is Governor Len Small's parole and pardon system, according to Sidney Sutherland in an article about crime in Chicago in this week's Liberty.

"It takes us two weeks to get the guilty man convicted and it takes Governor two seconds to sign his name on a pardon blank," States Attorney Crowe is quoted as saying. "He lets them out as fast as we put them in. In 1923 for example, I put 59 burglars and 97 robbers in Joliet and Small released 88 burglars and 97 robbers."

The country is safe for another year. We've finished harvesting another bumper crop of college graduates.

About the only fellow who is not happy while learning nature's lessons is the chap who has Ivy poison and chiggers.

The Barrel in Teenie Weenie Land



Here is the unique summer home presented by admirers of the Teenie Weenies to Mary Dickerson Donahay, wife of William Donahay, creator of the Teenie Weenies. So far as known, this is the largest pickled barrel ever constructed. It is 16 feet high, with a capacity of 21,000 gallons. There is a living room downstairs, with sleeping room upstairs. The barrel in the rear is made into a kitchen. The small room is 9 feet in diameter, while the living room is 12 feet. "The Barrel" is located on Grand Sable lake, near Grand Marais, Mich. School children from Grand Marais, dressed in Teenie Weenie costumes, conducted the presentation ceremonies.

K. OF C PICNIC AT GREENVILLE FALLS

On Sunday July 11th, fully 800 merry makers, members of the Knights of Columbus, of Piqua, their families and friends enjoyed their second annual picnic at Webers Grove. They brought well filled baskets remaining for dinner and supper.

The afternoon was passed with games and stunts for the young and old. Soft drinks and ice cream were served free of charge. Fully fifty gallons of the latter consumed by the crowd. Ed Schnoor, Roy Anthony, Emmert Murry, Harry O'Brien and Joe DeLaet were the committee in charge.

BIRTHDAY HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. William Furnas had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gage and son, Raupl: Mrs. Eva Campbell, Mr. Homer Wead of Washington C. H., Mr. Raymond Wead, Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wead and two sons, Miss Ethel Wead of Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Young and two daughters of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith and little daughter. They came with well filled baskets to remind Mrs. Furnas of her birthday. All spent a pleasant day together and departed wishing her many returns of the day.

RESIGNS POSITION

John Morris, of Covington, has taken charge of the Standard Oil Station, Theodore Plack having resigned, has accepted a position with the Kroger Grocery Company, of Greenville.

MOTOR TRIP

Supt. and Mrs. W. F. Henney and daughter, Miss Grace are expecting to start tomorrow on a motor trip to Washington, Philadelphia and other points of interest.

REMOVED TO HOSPITAL

Miss Etta West of Pleasant Hill, was brought to the Covington Hospital, Monday, for special care and treatment.

JOE HOOVER BETTER

Joe Hoover who submitted to a small operation at the Military Hospital, Dayton, is a little better, and is expected to be home in a few days.

Try a Want Ad. in the News

FARMER KILLS HIS WIFE AND HIS STEP-SON

Champaign County Man Shot Woman and Youth and Then Wounded Himself

URBANA, O., July 13.—Two persons, mother and son, are dead and the alleged slayer of the pair is dying in Champaign county hospital at Urbana as the results of a family quarrel there at 9 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. Edna Paplick, 37 ad Cecil Zook, 16, Mrs. Paplick's son by a former marriage, are dead, and Pearl Paplick, 42, husband of Mrs. Paplick, is not expected to recover.

The tragedy occurred on a farm two miles north of Urbana where the Paplicks were tenants of S. W. Brubaker. Brubaker heard shots and called the sheriff. They entered the home to find the three in an unconscious condition in one of the bedrooms.

Mrs. Paplick had been beaten with the slats from the bed. Young Zook was shot three times, twice through the chest and once through the temple. Paplick, after presumably slaying the two, then is said to have shot himself through the temple, the bullet lodging in his brain.

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

No. of days open in month of July—23

New member registered—5
Collected on books over due, 2c a day, \$4.43

Reading matter circulated for the month as follows:
Adult fiction—369

Juvenile—208

Nonfiction—130

Total No of Books—707

Magazines—149

Total circulation for the month—866

One book was presented to the Library by Mrs. Margaret Shawver, Republication by Grace Livingston Hill.

POST MASTER SIMES

IN CINCINNATI

Post Master and Mrs. G. M. Simes and daughter, Miss Jane, are in Cincinnati where they are attending the Convention of the Tri-State Post Masters Association of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, which convenes there this week.

Mr. John Wetzel is spending a few days in the Northern part of Ohio on a business trip.

Doings at Columbus

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

Columbus, Ohio, July 14.—Reports of Ohio National and State banks at the end of business on June 30 showed the greatest resources in all the history of Ohio. Loans and discounts were not quite so high, while the available working surplus and the individual deposits several million dollars more than ever before. The totals have not yet been compiled but reports so far received by the State banking departments indicate that Ohio financial institutions are in excellent condition, and that the average condition, and that the average deposit of those who do business with these houses is not only larger than ever before, but that the number of depositors will show a substantial increase for the past three months.

Almost 200 Ohio School children will go to Philadelphia next Monday to attend the Sesqui-centennial, and visit other interesting sights. These young folks were the prize winners in essay contests conducted during the past several months, and will represent each of the 88 counties of the State. There will be two pupils from each county, one each from the high and the grade schools. On the train that carries these prize winners will be Governor V. E. Donahay and several other State Officials who will accompany the party from the time it leaves until it returns. Governor Donahay it to deliver an address on Ohio day. The Cleveland Grays, one of the best drilled organizations in the Central States, will act as the Governor's official escort.

With congress adjourned Frank B. Willis, United States Senator, has returned to Ohio, and Charles Jones, his Secretary has opened up headquarters in this city where the campaign of Senator Willis for a second term will be conducted. There won't be much work to do until after the August primaries as the nomination of Senator Willis is conceded, and it will come to him without virtually a penny being spent. At the present time and for weeks to come Senator Willis is filling speaking engagements in various parts of the State, not especially of a political nature, but is carrying to the folks at home reports of his stewardship in the senate. Few public officials have the wide acquaintance of the Senator, and wherever he goes he is the guest of the personal and political friends.

The Auditor in every county of the State should have received by this time a voucher on the State Treasury for that part of the gasoline tax which is now due. They have been mailed by the State Auditor, and the money goes for the maintenance of public highways. Prompt collection of the gasoline tax has been due in a large part to the work of the force in the office of the State Tax Commission which has charge of this work. S. E. Forney, chairman of the commission, and Republican candidate for State Treasurer, has been giving much personal attention to this branch of the work, and to him is due much of the credit for the success of the division since the law went into effect. Mr. Forney predicts that gas tax collections will never be less than that of the first year while a natural increase seems reasonably certain. Collections for the first year totalled \$12,667,504 or just about the amount predicted by Mr. Forney in advance of the collections. That collections will exceed Continued on last page. Col. 2

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WANTED—Men with farm experience to represent a reliable company must prove themselves honest and industrious. Roy D. Bewley, 22 N. Monroe St., Troy Ohio.

E. W. Thomas, local grocer and baker will give away a \$10.00 porch swing to his customers on Wednesday evening, July 21, at 9:00 p. m.

NOTICE TO DELPHIANS
The guest day which was scheduled for Monday afternoon, July 12 has been postponed until Friday evening, July 16th. Some place, Same Committee. Program, Social Life in Greece.

LOST—Valise, while enroute from Greenville to Covington, on bus line finder phone Roy Cool. Phone 2 on 283. Reward.

FOR SALE—Fine, modern home center of town, at a very reasonable price. Terms.
Eight room frame dwelling with good garden plot, at a bargain price. Small amount of cash, balance terms. Renters should see me about this soon.
J. H. Marlin, Attorney, over Loan Office.

Head-Hunting Curtailed
Slavery and head-hunting have been abolished in Burma, except in the most remote parts of the country.

Filling Floor Cracks
To fill cracks in floor best results are obtained by filling in the largest cracks with bits of wood and giving them a coat of paint. This done, secure a good quality of putty and add a gill of japan dryer to ten pounds of putty and work enough dry whirling into it so that it will not stick to the fingers. Fill cracks smooth and even and the floor is ready to paint.

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ENGAGED MAN NOW ALSO WEARS RING

It is indeed an engaging custom! One of the newest and most interesting customs of the younger set, that of the exchange of betrothal rings, seems to have become firmly established in the public consciousness. The custom has crystallized down to the presenting by the engaged woman to her fiancé, a ring set with his birthstone, or with the stone of the engagement month, and engraved with the date and the names of the couple.

An interesting and very sensible idea seems to have the sanction of centuries of usage behind it. It is uncertain historically just when or how the custom originated. Perhaps the first literary reference to it is in "The Gest of King Horn," the oldest extant middle-English romance, which tells of the adventures of one Horn, the Dane, when he invaded Ireland about 821 A. D. The daughter of the king of Ireland, the Rymydine, gave Horn a betrothal ring when he started out to reduce the population of the pagans.

WISE WORDS

A man's task is always light if his heart is light.—Wallace, reference. There is he armed that hath his quarrel just.—Shakespeare.

He who commits no crime requires no law.—Aristophanes.

He's armed without that's innocent within.—Pope.

"None are so deaf as those that will not hear.—Henry.

Truth will rise above falsehood as oil above water.—Cervantes.

Bowling to circumstances is apt to be forced politeness.

Love finds the way in, but it has to be thrown out.

Triplets are tidal waves on the sea of matrimony.

It doesn't take much common sense to get along famously, if one uses all he's got.

Most of those sighing for the good old days wouldn't know which end of a horse to crank.

What the big cities need is a house with the inside about three times as large as the outside.

Young men think old men are fools, but old men know young men are fools.—George Chapman.

Wherever the speech is corrupted, the mind is also.—Seneca.

Men's minds are too ingenious in palliating guilt in themselves.—Livy.

If a man empties his purse into his head, no one can take it from him.—Franklin.

The men who have made a noise in the world have not used their mouths alone.

The secret pleasure of a generous act is the great mind's great bribe.—Dryden.

Famous Triumphant Arch

The Arc de Triomphe, the largest triumphal arch of modern times, standing on the Place de l'Etoile at the west end of the Champs Elysees, was dedicated by Napoleon I in commemoration of the campaigns of the Grande Armee. The corner stone was laid August 15, 1806. On the downfall of Napoleon war was suspended, and the structure was not completed until 1836, under Louis Philippe. It is 152 feet high, 138 feet wide and 68 feet deep. The arch is elaborately carved with colossal figures in high relief, and on it are inscribed the names of 66 of Napoleon's victories and 584 of his generals.

Big Building Boom

The recent building boom which has been in progress in all sections of the country has been the cause of raising many an old building to make way for a newer, larger and more beautiful one. Increases in the value of real estate have made it profitable to remove old buildings so that new ones, planned for increased revenue, might be erected.

Interrupted

Boss—Why can't you read that part of your shorthand notes?
Steno—Don't you remember? That's where you tickled me.

Experienced

Employer—Have you ever done an night work?
Applicant—Yes, sir! I courted for two years—Philadelphia Inquirer.

FOR SALE—Business Building, in Covington, formerly occupied by E. R. Johnston, opposite Stillwater Valley Bank. Inquire of W. A. Freeman.

WANTED—Practical Nursing Phone 278-7 Covington. Milley McDonnell.

LOST—Between Covington and Piqua, Black Purse containing \$4.00 and a pair glasses, Allen Kimmel 211 Central Ave, Greenville Ohio.

As We Are Done By

A Marion mother saw her six-year-old son chasing a playmate down an alley. She called to him, but he hurled a stone at the playmate before stopping to reply to his mother. He marched rather slowly to the door, where his mother was waiting for an explanation of his conduct. To the question: "Richard, why did you throw that stone?" he replied: "Well, he threw a stone at me, and doesn't the Bible say 'To do unto those as they do unto you?'—Indianapolis News.

Reporters to Wear

Top Hats Covering Riots
Paris.—Parisian newspaper reporters may wear high hats when covering assignments where trouble is likely to arise. Not as a matter of protection, but of identification.

Instances of reporters being injured in street fays have grown quite common, not due to the police growing more malicious but because they are unable to distinguish between rioters and reporters. French news writers are beginning to appear on the scene of manifestations rather than remaining behind police lines and waiting for the news to reach them—as once was the custom.

Mother Is Refused Air

Service for Youngsters

Chicago.—Because children are "perishable" matter, Mrs. J. Austin Allen of Chicago has been refused permission to have her two children brought to Chicago from Colorado Springs, Colo., by air mail.

Mrs. Allen in her desire to have her children back in the city in a hurry offered to Postmaster Ewing of Denver full postage rates.

Austrian Boy Is

"Checked" to Indiana

Rushville, Ind.—The hands on the clock of time were turned back thirteen years for Morris Frisch, merchant, of this city, when he welcomed his son Leon, whom he had not seen since his birth in Austria, at Ellis Island recently.

The boy was "checked" through and "insured" and arrived safely from the long voyage.

He was brought here by his father and expresses his delight at being in the "new world," though he speaks not a word of English.

Frisch owns several retail establishments in this part of the state. He has laid aside business cares for several days while he entertains his son with automobile rides to spots of interest in Indiana.

FAD FROM GERMANY



The latest novelty to arrive in London from Germany is this, a clock in one's hat. It keeps good time and is proving quite a fad.

Cylindrical Homes Used

in Saxon Housing Plan

Dresden, Germany.—Standard houses are built in cylindrical form at Greiz, Saxony, from plans of a civil engineer with a view to solving the housing problem.

All sections of the houses are interchangeable. The walls, made of sheets of nonconducting material, are lined with spacious cupboards. Rooms are on two floors, which may be occupied by separate families. A cupola, for storage, surmounts the house with a colonnaded veranda around it. The new homes are said to be both comfortable and cheap.

Violin Traded for Auto,

Ranch and Live Stock

Sheridan, Wyo.—The trade of a violin for a \$20-acre ranch, an automobile, a tractor, seven head of horses and 150 chickens has been recorded here. The violin, said to be a two-hundred-year-old "Bergonzi," and valued at between \$5,000 and \$10,000, was owned by R. H. Williams, who made the trade with O. P. Biley, a rancher, here.

Williams acquired the violin recently from N. F. Nye of Sheridan.

Kiss the Mayor

New York.—Probably Mrs. Jimmie Walker does not mind, for it might mean re-election. At a Democratic outing on the Boregonia many young women voters insisted on kissing the blushing mayor.

We've Seen What We've Seen

"It's a long road that has no turning," remarks an exchange. Or turtle-doving, say we.

COMPLAIN OF EXCLUSION OF JEWS IN COLLEGES

Jews admit overcrowding at American colleges and a surplus of applicants, but say that these conditions are used as mantles to cloak the actual fact of exclusion of Jews as students, according to Norman S. Hall, in an article regarding Jews in American colleges in this week's Liberty.

Mr. Hall discussed the subject with Peter Wiernik, considered the dean of Jewish editors in America. The Hebraic scholar told him, "Jews would be glad if admittance were solely on the basis of scholastic merit, without racial distinction. But when crowded conditions compel colleges to refuse admission to many who are qualified, and Jews find that rejections are proportionately very much larger for them than for other applicants, friction and irritation are unavoidable."

"It is not as Jews or as Gentiles, but as America," said Mr. Wiernik, "that we should look forward to the time when a college education will be within the reach of every boy and every girl who is properly equipped for it."

LEADS IN TELEPHONES

About sixty percent of all the telephone wire in service throughout the world is in the United States. Less than ten percent of the world's total telephone wire is in Germany; and only about seven percent is in Great Britain.

London's Telephone Wires

The telephone wires in London alone, if joined together, would stretch around the world 50 times.

Horses in Algeria

Algeria is said to contain more horses than human beings.

By the simple act of installing a telephone a family places itself among the list of progressive, enterprising people who are interested in the events that are taking place about them, who keep in touch with the affairs of their neighborhood, of the country and the world.—The Literary Digest.

Cyrus S. Eaton, Cleveland banker, testifying before the public utilities commission, declared that any telephone company, which at least eight per cent on the free value of its property, should attract sufficient investment capital to properly carry on its business.

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BIG PARK BENEFIT

To Boost Covington Community Park

TO PROVIDE Funds for the maintenance of Community Park, Covington Merchants and professional men have planned for a "Benefit Day," which will be held Thursday, July 22nd. The program is scheduled to begin at 10 o'clock A. M. and there will be something doing all day and evening. The public is invited and urged to attend. There will be contests, with prizes for the winners, a Pet and Doll Parade, and many other features as given below.

Refreshments will be served on the grounds and the proceeds of the lunch and refreshment stands will be used in the upkeep of the Park, and will be used for salary of the caretaker, other current expenses and the remainder to provide playground equipment. Don't forget the date—

Thursday, July 22nd.

Beginning at 10 o'clock, a. m.

A WHOLE DAY OF FUN and AMUSEMENT

Contests For Young and Old

The Program Committee has spared no effort to make the day a big success, and the following list is only a part of the good things in store for your entertainment. Beginning at 10 A. M. with a Pet Parade, with the Covington Boys Band to furnish the music, followed by a Doll Parade at 11 o'clock, and a Baby Show, the day will start with a bang. Other features and contests will be conducted throughout the day, with something doing every minute.

1. FLOUR CONTEST. For boys from 8 to 12 years of age. Prizes to the winners.

2. RUNNING RACE. For Girls from 8 to 12 years of age. Prizes to the winners.

3. POTATO RACE. For Boys, 15 years old and under. Prizes to the winners.

4. POTATO RACE. For Girls, 15 years old and under. Prizes to the winners.

5. NAIL DRIVING CONTEST. For Women. Prizes to the winners.

6. ROPE PULLING CONTEST. 10 men from town and 10 men from the country. Chas. "Curley" Shafer, captain of the city duds and Ed. "Solo" Furnas, captain of you other birds. Big prize to the winner.

7. RASPBERRY PIE EATING CONTEST. For Boys. Contest limited to 12 boys. Pies furnished by E. W. Thomas. Prizes to winners.

PRIZES

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In All
EVENTS

8. ONE LEGGED RACE. For Girls, any age. Prizes to the winners.

9. THREE LEGGED RACE. For boys, any age. Prizes to the winners.

10. FAT MAN'S RACE. 200 pounds or over. Prizes to the winners.

11. HARMONICA CONTEST. Open to everyone. Prizes to the winners.

12. GREASED POLE CONTEST. Open to everyone. Prizes to the winner.

13. CRACKER EATING CONTEST. For both Boys and Girls. Prizes to the winners.

14. VOCAL CHORD DUEL. Sure to make you laugh. Prize to the winner.

15. MEN'S BEAUTY CONTEST. With Ladies as Judges. A Prize to the winner.

16. WHEEL BARROW POLO. Games for men and boys.

The Covington Boys' Band Will Play All Day

The Mills Brothers Quartet, of Piqua, Will Sing

Dr. C. A. Sundberg will Speak on Community Cooperation

Famous Union City Quartet Will Entertain and Sing

Bucking Ford BABY SHOW Mens Beauty Show

*Lunch and Refreshments on Grounds---Everything Free
But What You Eat---Bring a Big Appetite!*

Pleasant Hill

Reported by Mrs. H. C. Marlin
Telephone No. 40

Miss Alma Morton is the guest of Prof. and Mrs. J. W. Gowdy in Jamestown this week.

Mrs. H. C. Marlin and Mrs. Bryan Wetzel were in Dayton Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuesselin and children of Dayton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Schuesselin, Tuesday.

Byron and Emerson Morton spent today in Tippecanoe City with relatives.

Mrs. F. M. Longmaker is spending this week in Dayton with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marcum.

Mrs. Amanda Snyder and daughter Mabel are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder in Dayton this week.

Miss Elizabeth Enawing returned to her home in McDonald, Saturday after several weeks visit with Miss Kathryn Myers.

Mrs. John Purdy and children Bob, Billy, Janet and Lucile were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coppock.

Miss Mary Bausman and Mrs. H. H. Coppock shopped in Covington and called on Mrs. Melvin Kinney, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Whitmer and daughter Jane of Dayton were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Whitmer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Urban and daughter Esther of Columbus were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Elleman and daughter Rachel of West Milton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Myers in Lockbourne.

Boyd Downing is moving his family into their new home in Dayton this week after spending several weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rector while waiting on their house to be vacated.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter People and daughter Mary Louise of Cincinnati and Mr. and Mrs. William Peoples of New Carlisle were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Myers and Mrs. Hettie Bashor.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson attended to six o'clock dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Arel dall of Covington, Rev. Barkdoll of Illinois and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Solenberger and son, Warren in honor of Mr. Randall's and Rev. Robinson's birthdays.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson attended a young peoples class meeting held at the home of Rev. D. J. Berkebile, Tuesday evening, where Rev. Robinson addressed the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hamiel of Brookville, Mr. Eli Yount and daughter, Emma of Darke County, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Urban of Dayton and Mrs. Ruth Marsteller and children of Jackson, Michigan were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myers and daughter Jean and Miss Virginia Powell returned to their home in Indianapolis, Monday after a two weeks visit her with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Myers. Miss Aileen Perkins returned home with them for a visit with Miss Powell.

Mrs. L. E. Marcum entertained a number of ladies from here at her home in Dayton Tuesday in honor of Mrs. W. G. Ault and daughter Harrietta Mae of Poplar Bluff, Mo. The ladies were Mesdames R. F. Brown, W. D. Minnich, Roy Hoffman, J. H. Cox and Miss Mabel Snyder and Mrs. Ward Elleman of West Milton.

Dr. Helen Beery Holsinger who has been visiting relatives here the past several weeks with her parents Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Beery of California who have been visiting relatives in Covington left Tuesday afternoon to motor to Philadelphia where Dr. Holsinger is located in Hospital work, they will visit on their way there.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Miller entertained to Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rike and children of Piqua, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fuller and daughters Margaret Evelyn and Bernice and Mrs. Kaiser of Lima, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kline and daughter Mary Elizabeth of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ross and daughter Ruth of Covington and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herbst and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Herbst.

Obituary

Madison Kindell

Madison Kindell, son of John and Jane Kindell was born Sept. 25, 1898 in Shelby County, Ohio, departed this life July 10th, 1926, aged 27 yrs. 10 months and 15 days. With the exception of a few years his whole life was spent in Covington. He was united in marriage to Mary A. Marlin, February 28, 1901, who departed this life August 9, 1922. To this union were born six children, four daughters and two sons; three daughters and one son remain to mourn his loss. Mrs. W. P. Holway of Chicago, Mrs. Ed. L. Hall of Indianapolis, Alta Mae Kindell and Ollie Kindell of Covington. There are six grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

After the death of her mother, Alta was the constant and devoted companion of her father.

Mr. Kindell enlisted in the Civil War August 7, 1862. He was captured at Chickamauga, Ga., September 19, 1863, was held a prisoner for 17 months and 10 days at Andersonville, Pella Isle Libby prisons. Declared exchange May 6, 1865, mustered out at Camp Chase May 25, 1865. He was a member of Langston Post G. A. R. being a faithful and active member up to the last few years when his health would not permit. A number of years ago he with his wife united with the Presbyterian Church at Piqua, Ohio. He lived a christian life, was a kind, loving husband and father and was loved by all who knew him.

HERE IS A JOB FOR THE BOOSTER BRIGADE

Thursday is to be the big day at Community Park. There are a number of odd jobs to be done in cleaning up and beautifying the grounds. So Thursday is to be the big day, and there will be room for everybody to do their bit.

Bring a shovel, hoe and rake and help make the dirt fly.

Here's a good sign. Mothers have quitteing their daughters after Pullman cars and gone back to Mary's and Jane's.

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\$1,000,000 a month during the con. war year seems practically certain.

Bids for the improvement of 201.7 miles of highway, at an estimated cost of \$3,884,950, will be received at the office of the State Highway Department, Friday. In addition to the road improvement program, contract for bridges involving \$472,050 will be awarded, making the total amount involved at this mid-summer letting \$4,356,106, the largest for July in several years. Contracts for road improvement include jobs in the following counties: Adams, Allen, Ashland, Auglaize, Carroll, Columbiana, Crawford, Cuyahoga, Fairfield, Gauga, Hancock, Harrison, Henry, Hocking, Huron, Jackson, Jefferson, Lake, Lorain, Lucas, Mahoning, Marion, Medina, Meigs, Miami, Monroe, Muskingham, Ottawa, Putnam, Richland, Sandusky, Scioto, Seneca, Stark, Trumbull, Tuscarawas and Washington.

Attorneys of Norwalk and Huron county have done about the most unusual thing in politics this year. Republican friends of Judge C. G. Washburn, candidate for the Supreme Court, started circulating a petition for the jurist among members of the bar. All the Attorneys in Norwalk don't happen to be Republicans and some of the opposite, or Democratic faith, wanted to sign the endorsement for Judge Washburn. Before 24 hours had passed every Attorney in the city had attached their signatures. Then to make it more complete, Attorneys in Willard, Bellevue, Plymouth and New London signed the endorsement, which made it practically 100 percent from the members of the Huron County Bar. Where Judge Washburn is known he is going to get a tremendous vote, while reports from almost every other section of the State indicate that he will come mighty close to leading the Judicial Ticket at the August Primaries.

If, as it is claimed, the balance in the state treasury is running low, what would have been the condition had not Governor Vic Donahay vetoed appropriations running far to nine figures? That is a question which is being asked by those who follow State affairs. Sure, the Treasury balance is running low. It does every year at this time, and will be used in such proportions as to create another large and substantial balance. But Ohio isn't going broke by any means. There isn't the least danger of that. But what would have happened had not Governor Vic been on the job, with his veto pen in hand to predict. The most humorous part of the entire matter however is that the Republicans are blaming the Governor because the State Treasury payments exceed the receipts. There are few voters and taxpayers that don't know the Governor of Ohio can't spend a penny except what the legislature gives him, and if there has been any extravagance of course it must be blamed on the one Demo-

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APPOINTMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, That E. W. Mohler has been appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Sebastian Holfinger late of Miami County, Ohio deceased, by the Probate Court of said County. No. 19699
RAYMOND A. KERR,
Probate Judge.

June 24, 1926
Dec. 13, 1926
Fri. June 25, First Pub.

APPOINTMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, That Dora Holfinger has been appointed and qualified executrix of the estate of Mary Eskey late of Miami County, Ohio, deceased, by the Probate Court of said County. No. 196883.
June 15, 1926.

RAYMOND A. KERR,
Probate Judge.
J. H. Martin, Attorney.
Dec. 13, 1926.

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