

WEATHER:

Thursday.  
bly showers tonight and  
increasing cloudiness. Fro

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## ANOTHER VICTIM OF MANIAC FOUND

### Toledo is Terrorized; Police Find Clue in Mysterious Slaying

(G. N. S. Dispatch)

Toledo, O., Oct. 27—Discovery of another mysteriously murdered woman has brought this city to the verge of hysteria and caused extreme methods to be adopted in the hunt for the "clubber" to whom is accredited the atrocious murders of four other women and criminal attacks upon at least five others.

Mrs. Mary Alden, 47, is the latest victim in the series of shocking crimes. Her body with the night clothes torn to shreds and with three bullets in the breast was found by her husband, George W. Alden, when he returned from work late last night. She had been assaulted after a terrific encounter.

The death of Mrs. Alden differed from that of the four unfortunate others, who were clubbed to death and their bodies frightfully mutilated, ostensibly by a degenerate. In each of the previous eight assaults, a club was employed by the fiend.

No fragment of evidence has been uncovered in the death yesterday of Lily Coy, 28 beautiful school teacher whose mutilated body was found in the shadow of a school after the clubber had swooped upon her from a darkened ambush.

In each instance except the slaying of Mrs. Alden the brute's methods have been the same. He has descended so swiftly that his victims had no chance to see him. He struck from behind and usually with fatal results. One woman who recovered from her wounds but still is suffering from nervous shock declared that all she saw was "a fiendish face with unglazed teeth."

Rewards totaling \$2,600 have been offered by civic organizations for capture of the madman. Inspector of Detectives Hays has been recalled from his vacation to assume charge of tracking the maniac.

With every citizen on the alert for the brute, Chief of Police Harry Jennings today expressed the fear that, due to extreme nervous tension, innocent persons might be too quick on the trigger and casualties result. He issued a statement this morning asking citizens to remain calm.

Hundreds of American Legion men here and bay scouts volunteered for police duty. Last night, every block in the city was patrolled by at least one guardian of the peace.

The outrages began here last November, when the clubber beat the brains of two victims into pulp. He attacked two others, who recovered. For two weeks a reign of terror existed.

When the thousand former service men formed a vigilance committee and began patrolling the streets, the crimes temporarily ended.

The killer again began his campaign last January. Two more women were slain and three criminally assaulted. This series of assaults ended when police rounded up and reincarcerated all patients who had been discharged as cured from insane institutions.

Cincinnati O., Oct. 27—The same demon who clubbed, stripped and stabbed 19-year-old Beulah Purvis and then threw her broken body into the Big Miami river last week is responsible for the Toledo outrages.

That was the declaration to International News Service today of August Beckman, deputy sheriff investigating the slaying here that has baffled investigators for more than a week.

The brutal murders of Miss Lily Coy, 28, and Mrs. George W. Alden in Toledo yesterday August night

#### Ileana Becomes Member of Girl Reserves



Margaret Lawrence, seventeen, of Pelham, N. Y., presented Princess Ileana with ring symbolic of the Princess's membership in the American Girl Reserves at the New York Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Wallace Hamilton, chairman of the Reserves, looked on. Queen Marie is shown on the right.

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revealed that the same tactics were used as were employed in the Purvis murder.

"Find that Toledo clubber and you will undoubtedly solve the murder of little Beulah Purvis," Deputy Beckman declared when informed this morning of the latest activities of the Toledo "clubber."

The Purvis girl was thought to have been killed near the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, not far from Cleveland, Ohio.

Beckman pointed out that the "clubber" could then have "hopped a freight" directly into Toledo, or could have taken a passenger train at any of the many villages near the scene of the crime.

Roused into new action by the similarity of the crimes in the two cities, Beckman indicated that he might communicate with Toledo authorities today, giving them whatever data he had gathered on the Purvis case.

Beulah Purvis was murdered by a fiend, Beckman was certain of that. Her head had been crushed by some heavy club or other instrument; her skull fractured; jaw broken; her body bruised and cut from heavy blows and also was stabbed in the breast.

Bloodhounds used yesterday in an effort to track the slayer from a pool of dried blood along the B. and O. were of no success, as the trail was too old, it was stated.

Let the winds blow as it will when you have plenty of good outing flames to protect you now lower prices have been made this week at Worleys.

Elwood, Ind., Oct. 27—Two children were burned to death, their mother was badly burned and two other children received serious burns when fire destroyed the Richard Leakey home here today.

The dead were:  
Richard Leakey, 7 months old.  
Jean Leakey, 2 years old.  
Mrs. Leakey was badly burned in rescuing Caroline, 3, and Margaret, 4.

The mother had gone to a neighbor's for a few minutes. On her return she found the house afire.

You will be pleased with the silk and wool hose that Worleys are now showing.

#### LATE NEWS FLASHES

(G. N. S. Dispatch)

Falmouth, Mass., Oct. 27—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the home of Albert H. Washburn, ambassador to Austria, today, causing damage estimated at \$200,000.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 27—Exceptions filed by the Sesqui-centennial Exposition Association to the Dauphin county court opinion relative to illegality of Sunday operation of the sesqui-centennial celebration at Philadelphia were denied today by the court.

London, Oct. 27—The Central News today publishes a Buenos Aires dispatch stating that a revolutionary movement has broken out in the Brazilian state of Minas Gerais, Matia Gro and Cuyas.

Colombians are fleeing, fearing civil war, the dispatch states.

London, Oct. 27—General Chang Kai-Shek, commander of the Cantonese forces allied with General Wu Pei Fu, is dead according to a dispatch from Shanghai to the Central News agency.

Announcement of the southern war lord's death in a hospital at Changsha from wounds, the dispatch stated, was made today by General Sun Chang-Pang, commander of the Northern Yangtze army, who stated that Chang Kai-Shek's Russian chief of staff, General Galen also was seriously wounded.

It is believed at Shanghai that the Cantonese troops have suffered a defeat and are now retreating toward Canton.

Wu Pei-Fu is reported to be planning an attack on Hankow.

WANTED—Nursing. Millie McDonnell Phone 278-1 5x

FOR SALE—My property on west High Street, Pleasant Hill. I will trade on small farm. W. H. Sang. 14

Toledo, O., Oct. 26—Herbert Schotts 20 of Youngstown, is at the point of death in a hospital here today as the result of a bullet wound in his back. Schotts a member of the crew of a tugboat, was said by police to have been discharged by Captain J. H. Pringle, pilot of the boat, hereupon a dispute arose.

Pringle is being held by police but the case probably will go into federal jurisdiction, as the tug was moored to a vessel.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 27—Federal prohibition agents early today seized the largest still ever found in New Jersey, a plant valued at half a million dollars and so large, they said it would have to be dynamited because it is too huge to be dismantled.

The plant was capable of a daily output of 5000 gallons of "hooch," according to the agents.

#### MRS. MELFORD MELIA FOLLOWS HER HUSBAND IN DEATH

Mrs. Melford Melia, who has been very ill with ptomaine poisoning, and whose husband passed away Monday evening, was also called this afternoon between two and three o'clock.

Mrs. Melia has been suffering since August and her husband was first taken with the dreaded disease in June, one of their little children passing in July with the same trouble.

Neighbors and friends have sought to help them in their distress and trouble, but nothing could be done by friends or physicians to save their lives.

Three young children, the oldest 5 remain, as well as the sorrowing parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Melia.

A double funeral will be held in Fletcher, Friday morning at 11:30 from the Baptist Church.

Burial will be made in Fletcher.

Geo. Miller, Funeral Director.

#### AMBULANCE CALL

The Miller ambulance was called this afternoon to remove Mr. Emerson Harmon, of N. High street, to the local hospital. Mr. Harmon was suffering from acute appendicitis.

Dr. Ruhl and Dr. Hall attended a trap shoot at Vandellia today.

(G. N. S. Dispatch)

Toledo, O., Oct. 27—Following discovery of an iron bar covered with human hair and blood in an ash heap near the scene where Miss Lily Coy, 26, was killed by the clubber yesterday, police today took into custody a man said to be suffering from mental diseases. He was found living a block from the scene of the clubber's activities.

A negro janitor while dumping refuse saw the bar protruding from the ash heap. He took it to Dr. C. L. McKibben, who lives nearby. The latter declared the blood and hair to be that of a human.

The bar is about a foot long and weighs approximately eight pounds. It resembles the coupling pin used to attach trailers to automobiles.

Police received another clue today when they learned that a taxicab driver picked up a passenger near the area where the clubber has committed his crimes early yesterday morning. When this passenger was discharged at a hotel another driver noticed that the stranger's coat and hands were smeared with blood.

Canton, O., Oct. 27—Ora Slater Ohio detective ace, informed International News Service today that he had been asked by certain persons in Toledo to go there to take charge of the tracking down of the maniac Toledo slayer, who has committed two new attacks within the past 15 hours.

He was commissioned as to whether he would accept the invitation. "I would like to clear up the Mellett murder case first of all, as I have already pledged myself to do this," he said.

Slater will probably prove acquiescent if the demand becomes urgent, it was declared.

Washington, Oct. 27—In connection with its war against mail bandits, the post-office department today called for bids for the construction of one hundred armored cars for installation on mail trucks. The bids will be opened November 10. Contracts will call for 25 additional cars, if needed.

The cars will be constructed of steel and bullet-protected glass and will be designed to "will" enable guards to fire from at any angle.

Middletown, O., Oct. 27—Arthur Hall highway constable and motor cop operating out of the court of Justice Bolser, of Coto, Ohio, is under arrest here today, held on \$3,500 bond, charged with shooting without to kill.

William Cohen, Middletown merchant, charges Hall, claiming Cohen was speeding, fired three shots at him on Dixie Highway south of this city, one bullet striking the machine.

#### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club met Monday evening, with a very good attendance. The Club was entertained by Mrs. Ross Weber and Mrs. Edna Mandall.

One of the pleasures of the evening was an old time spelling bee, prizes being won by Mrs. Leitha Drive, Mrs. Mary Brown and Mrs. Nettie Furnas.

Refreshments of candy and pop corn were served and the evening was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Anna Billingsley and daughter Miss Francis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown.

Mr. Russell Miller motored to Celina, this morning and on Celina, delivering a parlor suite to one of his customers.

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ONLY NEWSPAPER IN MIAMI COUNTY  
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NEWS SERVICE DISPATCHES

Miss Weed and the  
Buzzy Bee

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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RAYMOND jerked his head out of  
the engine's vitals and listened  
intently.

A queer buzzing sound smote the  
languid summer air. The long coun-  
try road was empty.

A small boy climbed a fence and  
paced beside the stalled car. "Some-  
thing busted, mister?" he asked.

Raymond grinned back at the  
freckled face. "Gone dead, dead as  
a door nail, son. I'll have to tele-  
phone for help. Your folks got a  
telephone?"

"Yes. The house is way over there,"  
pointing across the road.

The buzzing noise was growing  
louder. "Here's come! along some  
fast," he said, looking up the road.

"Who is? What is?" inquired the  
small boy, with a sneer of grass  
along his clean-shaven cheeks.

"Miss Weed and the buzzy bee."

"The what?"

"It's a driver—she had an accident  
once and it makes that buzzy sound.  
Folks call it the buzzy bee, because  
Miss Weed does so many things with  
it—she makes lots of money—she  
sells eggs and chickens, owns the gar-  
age, has beer and sells honey and  
flowers and garden truck and milk  
and—"

"I say, son, I wonder if he couldn't  
give me a tow to a garage?" Ray-  
mond strained his eyes toward a  
small speck approaching along the  
road. In his mind's eye he could see  
a large-bodied, sun-browned country  
woman, capable, happy and with that  
masculline touch that marks some suc-  
cessful women.

The buzzing had become a noisy  
roar, and as he turned around, the  
thing stopped in a cloud of blue vapor.  
Just then, stepping daintily across the  
road, came a girl—such a girl as Ray-  
mond had dreamed about but never  
met so far. She wore a short-skirted  
sport dress of blue cotton, and wide  
straw hat such as farmers wear; her  
stockings were blue like her dress and  
her shoes were tan—little tan slip-  
pers. Raymond saw these things at first  
afterward, now all he saw was the lovely  
rounded face, the gray eyes set  
wide apart, the tender mouth and the  
smile in the white chin. Perched on a  
charming nose were absurdly large  
horizontally spectacles. Raymond  
was conscious of his smeared face,  
but the girl did not glance at him at  
all but bent and kissed the lucky boy.

"Well, Sammy, what are you going  
to do today?"

"A settler of Plymouth Rock eggs.  
Ma can't spare any of ours—the hens  
all want to set."

"Did you bring a basket with you?  
No? Well, run home and get one. I  
will wait."

Raymond glanced at his watch. He  
had promised to meet Evelyn Bright  
at the three o'clock train, and early  
that morning he had looked upon that  
meeting as the most important matter  
of his life. Now, however, he placed  
Evelyn merely at his sister's particu-  
lar claim while the most important  
person in the world was this girl.

"Miss Weed seems to be delayed in  
the coming," remarked Raymond.

"Why, she's here!" said the girl in  
a surprised tone. "I am Miss Weed."

"Why—why?" stammered the red-  
faced young man, "you're not the Miss  
Weed who sells eggs and chickens,  
has beer and sells honey and flowers  
and—"

She smiled. Face Raymond was

completely vanquished when she in-  
terrupted in her cool little voice. "You  
have been listening to Sammy Smith,  
who is my press agent. I am Miss  
Weed of the Buzzy Bee farm and  
wagon—and if you are waiting for me—"

Raymond wanted to fall on his  
knees and tell her that he had been  
waiting for her all of his adult life,  
but he pointed at the car and in-  
quired about a garage.

"There is a coil of rope somewhere  
in back here, but you might let me  
look at your engine." In a moment  
she was beside him poking at the  
parts of the huge car—in a moment  
she pointed out the difficulty, per-  
fectly obvious if he had not been fussed.  
The next day at luncheon, Ray-  
mond's sister and her guest came in  
from a motor ride.

"I was driving," cried Evelyn, "and  
talking to Julia, when suddenly, bump!  
went the car and there was a fearful  
crash—such a funny, old silver full  
of chickens and vegetables and flow-  
ers and eggs—all went up in smoke—I  
could smell scrambled eggs for  
miles," she giggled again. "The girl  
was very stiff and upstage about it—  
refused fifty dollars I offered her and  
would not take my card and send in a  
bill. Just smiled coldly and white-  
ly, and when the funniest boy with a  
wheelbarrow came, she picked up the  
odds and ends, but the eggs—"

"Where did that happen?" demanded  
Raymond.

"On the hill road—of course I was  
not looking and it was all my fault,  
but she would not accept payment."

"Of course she wouldn't—money  
cannot make good such carelessness  
on your part," said Raymond rith-  
lessly. "Miss Weed was right—I'm  
going over to tell her so—and  
apologize." After lunch he dis-  
appeared, and the two girls stared at  
each other.

"There was a look in Raymond's  
eye," said Julia, "that warns me that  
I am soon to have a sister-in-law."  
"You can at least give me credit  
for helping it along," said Evelyn with  
a vindictive little laugh.

## MRS. MELBA VERY LOW

The condition of Mrs. Melford Mel-  
la, today, is very serious, and there  
is little hope of her recovery. Her  
husband, Melford Melba, passed away  
Monday evening after suffering since  
June from ptomaine poisoning. Three  
small children and the sick wife re-  
maining.

Funeral services will be held from  
the Baptist Church in Fletcher, for  
the husband, Friday morning at 11:30  
a. m.

Burial will also be made in Fletch-  
er. George Miller and Son, Directors.

## NOTICE AUXILIARY MEMBERS

A meeting of the American Legion  
Auxiliary will be held in the Legion  
Rooms, Wednesday evening, at 7:30  
o'clock. All members are asked to  
be present.

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR

JOHN TROWBRIDGE

The funeral services of Mr. John  
Trowbridge, who passed away yester-  
day morning, will be held from the  
Church of the Brethren, Thursday  
afternoon at 1:30 p. m. Rev C. F.  
McKee will have charge of the ser-  
vices.

Burial will be made in Forest Hill  
Cemetery, Piqua, Biller Bros. Direct-  
ors.

## NEWTON PARENT TEACHERS

The first meeting of the Newton  
Township Parent Teachers' Associa-  
tion will be held in the School Audito-  
rium, on Thursday evening, Octo-  
ber 28th, at 7:30 o'clock.

A program has been arranged con-  
sisting of special music and an inter-  
esting picture show. All whether  
members of the association or not are  
cordially invited to attend.

ATTEND HOME-COMING  
OF REFORMED CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox and Mr.  
and Mrs. H. H. Oda, of Piqua, were  
among those from this locality who at-  
tended the Homecoming of the Re-  
formed Church three miles west of  
Arcanum.

An all day session was held, the  
morning address given by Rev. C. W.  
Brough, Supt. of Rural Reformed  
Churches in Ohio. The afternoon ses-  
sion was by Rev. Young, of the First  
Reformed Church, Dayton.

Mrs. Oda and Mrs. Fox, former  
members of the Arcanum Church  
were also on the program during the  
day.

Cleveland, Oct. 27—Postmaster: Gen-  
eral Harry S. New arrived here to-  
day to inspect the parcel-post ser-  
vice of the local post office.

New will be the outstanding speak-  
er at a Republican rally here tonight.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Howard, of  
Michigan City, Mrs. Ed Westfall and  
Mrs. Calvin Gust of Troy were Wed-  
nesday luncheon guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Charles Rudy.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Long, Mr. and  
Mrs. Ivor Shafer and Mr. and Mrs.  
Carl F. Berryhill were visitors at St.  
Marys, Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Neth, Mrs. Jesse O'Roark  
and Mrs. C. E. Rudy motored to the  
home of Mr. Samuel Paterson, north-  
west of Bradford, yesterday, and had  
a good time rambling in grandfather's  
woods gathering hickory nuts and  
red haws.

FOR SALE—Potatoes \$1.45 per  
bushel at Barn. Elmer Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Weber  
and son and daughter, Robert and  
Doris and Mrs. S. F. McNay and son  
Don D. of Marion O, spent Saturday  
and Sunday at the home of their  
parents Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitney,  
on North High Street. Afternoon cal-  
lers were Mrs. Anna Exman and son  
Henry and daughter, Ruth of Pleasant  
Hill.

CITY RENT—Three rooms with  
F. water in kitchen. E. B. Whit-  
ney, N. High Street.

## LUNCHEON PARTY

Miss Blanche Barmess will be one  
of the guests at the home of Mrs. J.  
H. Harshbarger, Tippecanoe City,  
Thursday afternoon, at a luncheon.  
Old friends have been especially in-  
vited from Dayton, Troy and other  
points.

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Koon have in-  
vited invitations to twenty couples for  
a Halloween party, which will be  
given at Masonic Hall, Friday eve-  
ning.

## MASQUERADE PARTY

The young people of the Christ-  
ian Church are meeting this evening  
in the Church parlors for a masquer-  
ade party.

## PIERIAN CLUB

The members of the Pierian Club  
will meet at the home of Mrs. A. F.  
Little, in Bradford, with Mrs. Blanche  
Drees as assistant hostess, Thursday  
afternoon.

The program for the afternoon fol-  
lows:

"So much you resolve, but what you  
cannot as you would achieve, you  
must perforce accomplish as you  
may."

Playgrounds and Patriotism, Mrs.  
Simms.

Ohio General Assembly, Mrs. Neth.  
Historical spots in Washington D.  
C., Mrs. Miller.

Discussion, Decadence of America.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rudy, John Lee,  
Mrs. Mollie Speelman and Mr. James  
Shoe, former Covington residents,  
motored through to West Virginia  
where they are the guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Ed Gardner.

## Reverse Effect

Warm holes make antique furniture  
valuable, but they don't increase the  
value of apples.—Boston Transcript.

## Bradford

Mr. Adrian Anderson is the  
guest of Miss Agnes McKinney  
this week.

Mr. Guy Shearer of Columbus is  
visiting with Bradford friends this  
week.

Carl Sampson the little boy who  
was struck by a truck while on his  
way home from school is still in a  
very serious condition.

Dr. Gross the Dis. Supt. will be  
present and preach at the services at  
the Methodist Church Monday Oct.  
26. After the devotional service he  
will conduct the first quarterly con-  
ference.

The Columbia quartette a com-  
pany of singers touring this section  
of the state, will present a concert  
and evening of entertainment, on  
Thursday evening Nov. 11 under the  
auspices of the ladies of the Church.  
Three of these men are blind, and the  
quartette has been singing together  
for 27 years, insuring the blending of  
voices that means exquisite harmony.  
Admission will be 25c for children  
and 40c for adults.

A shower was given last even-  
ing for Miss Marcella McKinney in  
honor of her sister, Agnes, who is to  
be married Wednesday morning to  
Mr. Adrian Anderson of Chicago.

The Home Missionary Society of  
the Methodist church is to meet with  
Mrs. Mers on South Miami Avenue,  
Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

REPORT OF DISTRIBUTION  
OF FISH AND GAME

The following report has been sub-  
mitted to the local Fish and Game  
Association of the number of fish,  
game, etc., distributed in Miami Coun-  
ty since 1923. Mr. D. C. Thompson,  
Chief of the Division of Fish and  
Game, of Columbus, is responsible  
for the distribution and report.

Total number of fish distributed in  
1923, 1924, 1925 and 1926 290,760

Total number of pheasants distrib-  
uted in 1923 1924 1925 and 1926 605

Total number of pheasant eggs dis-  
tributed in 1923, 1924, 1925 and 1926,  
1,750

Total number of rabbits distrib-  
uted in 1926 60

## Cheer Humanity

As long as the human race possesses  
the psychological characteristics that  
it does, just that long will there be a  
real need for flowers and florists. The  
mental attitude of every one of us is  
influenced by his surroundings. We  
are cheered and very apt to regard  
material affairs through rosy glasses  
on a bright day and be depressed and  
have a tendency to look on the dark  
side of things when the clouds hide  
the sun.

## Invention of Champagne

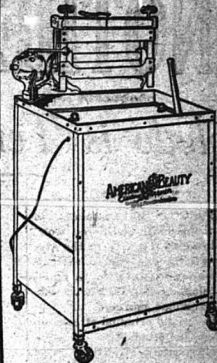
Dom Perignon, a Benedictine monk,  
who was appointed cellarer to his mon-  
astery in 1668, fell upon the idea of  
"marrying" the different wines pro-  
duced in the vineyards around him.  
Champagne was the result.

## Angels So Soon!

If flying silvers are to be as nu-  
merous and as noisy as those on land  
permanent wings will be the only re-  
fuge for the ordinary mortal, says the  
Washington Post.

## American Beauty

"Safety First Washer"  
6 SHEET—MODEL 4  
OSCILLATING ELECTRIC  
WASHER



"The Finest Washer Built"  
Washes so Clean—so Gently  
AT

Hecker's Garage

## Employment Insurance

According to a report of the Interna-  
tional labor office, seven countries  
have compulsory employment insur-  
ance schemes—Great Britain, Italy,  
Austria, Russia, Queensland (Austra-  
lia), Poland and the Irish Free State.  
Nine countries have voluntary schemes  
—France, Denmark, Norway, Nether-  
lands, Finland, Spain, Belgium, Czecho-  
slovakia and Switzerland.

## Quart of Perspiration

The British army manual of sanitation  
for 1926 advises that if a soldier  
carries more than one-third of his own  
weight in baggage he will soon tire  
and require increased food. It also  
says that, in marching, a soldier can  
lose, "by perspiration alone," nearly a  
quart of water during a march of eight  
miles, even in a temperate climate.

## Chinese Pottery

Peach blow ware is the most val-  
uable of Chinese pottery. It belongs  
to the Chinese potteries, which are  
transmutation glasses embracing a type  
of Flame color. These glasses differ  
from red to a delicate pink, which is  
peach blow.

## APPOINTMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, That Aus-  
tin Falkner has been appointed and  
qualified executor of the estate of  
Maggie Falkner late of Miami Coun-  
ty, Ohio, deceased, by the Probate  
Court of said County, No. 19337.

RAYMOND A. KEAR,

Probate Judge.

U. Grant Earnest, Atty.  
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## Dead Stock Wanted

If you have Dead or Unde-  
rstock, Call the

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from which to make your selection at exceptionally low prices

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trance at south end of building.

## The Orr Felt &amp; Blanket Co.

Piqua, Ohio



## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Wood of Cleveland are the guests of Mrs. Mae Metzger, a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller of Piqua, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Shellabarger.

Mrs. Maria Young and Mrs. Susie Finckel went to Brookville, Sunday to visit their sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stokes of near Piqua are spending today with Mrs. Anna Fraker.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson of Red River spent yesterday with Mr. Jerry Thompson.

Miss Thelma Rudy of Miami Valley Hospital spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rudy.

Mr. Frank Cable of Dayton and Marion Cable of New Carlisle were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Maurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rudy and son, Lewis, accompanied Miss Thelma Rudy to Dayton Sunday morning, spending the day there.

Mrs. D. J. Shellabarger is expected to spend today, at the home of her sister Mrs. Sarah Snyder in Piqua.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Weaver, of Bradford, spent Sunday at the home of their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver, of Wall Street.

Mr. Leland Kemp, of Troy, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rudy, bringing their daughter, Miss Thelma, of Dayton, with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Miller and daughter, Miss Hazel, attended the funeral of Mr. Jo hn Lahman at Massville, Sunday afternoon, Mr. Lahman was a relative.

Mrs. Charles Slomaker and baby, of Dayton, spent over night Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Susannah Buchanan, of N. High Street, Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. Buchanan were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Durest and son John and Mrs. Dorman of Bradford.

**Early Protective Device**  
Filing the elder, Roman naturalist and author, writing in the First century, is perhaps the first to make mention of the use of protective devices for the lungs of workers in dusty trades. He said: "Those employed in the works preparing vermilion cover their faces with a bladder skin, that they may not inhale the pernicious powder, yet they can see through the skin."

**A Squealing Tug**  
John was in New York with his team for the first time. He saw a small tug towing a large ship and heard the tug whistle loudly. "Oh, papa," he exclaimed, "the big ship's got the little one by the tail and it's squealing."

**Napoleon's Soldiers Clean**  
Napoleon required his soldiers to be every day.

**The Modern Business**  
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The State treasury is in condition of virtual bankruptcy. If this condition is to be remedied without the imposition of additional taxation, the backs of Ohio property owners, the keenest sort of business experience, economy and careful management must be applied to the task.

In Myers F. Cooper, Republicans feel that they have a candidate for governor who, by his record of successful achievement in private business, is eminently qualified to lead state government out of financial chaos to solid ground. They regard him as the man of the hour in state politics.

Mr. Cooper is a home builder. He has probably built more homes than any other man in Ohio. Through this work, he has been in intimate contact with the great American ideal of home ownership, and happy family life. He is also actively engaged in the banking, manufacturing and lumber business.

He was born on a hillside farm in Licking County and through all his years in the city, has remained close to the farmer and the farmer's problems. This is attested by the fact that for ten years, he has been President of the Ohio Fair Managers' Association.

He is an outstanding church man and is, at the present time, President of the Ohio Council of Churches. His other activities are too numerous to relate, but all of them are of the sort that command him to the people of Ohio and contribute to the moral, spiritual and material progress of his community and his state.

If elected, he promises to devote to the affairs of his state government the same principles of economy and careful management which have made him such a distinguished success as a private business man. The crying need in state government is increased efficiency and economy. Mr. Cooper can supply this need, if elected November 2nd.

**MASQUERADE PARTY**  
A masquerade party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Grubb Monday evening the following young people coming in mask and costume: Mr. Joshua Grubb, Mrs. Martha Sease, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Lang and family Mr. and Mrs. Ora Grubb Mrs. Minnie Cable Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ganger, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Grubb Mr. and Mrs. Ormer Shellabarger and Mr. Orval Matzner.

Weiners, buns, pickles apples and coffee were served during the evening, all spending a happy time together.

**Ship Fitted as Factory**  
Fitted with a fish reduction plant, a saltery, four ice plants and a storage room of 1,000 tons capacity, a ship being repaired for deep sea haul, but during the Pacific will be a veritable factory afloat.

**Dubious**  
"Could you tell me a story for children?"  
"Do you mean these wise children of today? I dunno." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Worried**  
"Dear, papa likes you."  
"That's fine."  
"No, it isn't. Mother never agrees with him."

**Alfonso's Trip Costly**  
King Alfonso of Spain is reported to have distributed about \$100,000 in the recent trip he and the queen made to London. The money was spent in various philanthropies, shopping, hotel expenses and ordinary purchases. King Alfonso is said to be a very wealthy monarch and extremely generous.

**Records 'Show' Effects**  
A machine measuring the amount of laughter and applause was operated recently in a theater in New York city. The box containing the indicating apparatus was placed at the back of the auditorium and showed the various effects of the "gas" lines as flashed on the screen.

**Being Candid**  
"What does it mean by being candid, father?"  
"Speaking out others as you would not like them to speak to you." — London Tit-Bits.

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY AND BIRTHDAY DINNER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shellabarger entertained a number of friends and relatives, Sunday, honoring the eighty-second birthday of Mr. Joshua Grubb and the forty-second wedding anniversary of their father and mother Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shellabarger.

A delicious dinner was served, Mrs. Sease bringing a large birthday cake for the occasion. The guests served were Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Grubb and children, Miss Irene, Miss Mary (Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Grubb of Piqua, Mr. and Mrs. William Ganger and daughter, Miss Jane, Mrs. Zipporah Falkner and Theodore Shellabarger.

All spent a very happy day together, Mr. Grubb is still able to enjoy such occasions, even at his advanced age.

## Public Sale

I will sell at public auction at my residence 4 miles north of Bradford, 4 miles Southeast of Versailles, 2 miles west of Bloomer on the Sproat farm the following property on

### Thurs. Oct. 28,

Commencing at 12:30 O'clock

2 HEAD OF CATTLE 2  
One yellow Jersey cow fresh in June with 5th calf a good milk and butter cow, one black Jersey cow fresh with 1st calf by side the making of a good cow.

9 HEAD OF HOGS 9  
One full blooded Poland China brood sow due to farrow by day of sale. Eight head of good thrifty shoats weighing about 80 to 100 pounds.

**FARM IMPLEMENTS.**  
Osborn 5-foot mower, one Troy wagon with 50 bushel box bed one 12-16 disc harrow, one 40 tooth spike-tooth harrow, one riding plow in good shape, one 13-inch Oliver walking breaking plow, good stout sled with steel shoes, one closed top buggy in good shape, some new sawed lumber 2x4 and 2x6, good grain stone, one International gas engine one horse power in good running order, 35 gallon tank, 2 good meat planks, sausage stuffer, lard press, sausage grinder, one 22-caliber Remington repeating rifle, single barrel gun 12-gauge, scy, shovels, forks, horse rake, grain sacks, set of buggy harness, about 2 tons good mixed hay in mow.

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS**  
Bed and spring, dresser, old fashioned center stand, old fashion sink, kitchen table, some chairs and rockers, some rag carpet, cream separator barrel churn, milk trough, Oak heating stove, one New Process coal oil stove, 100 egg incubator, lawn mower and other articles as numerous to mention.

This Sale will be held under cover. Terms made known on day of sale.

### Mrs. Wm. H. Wagaman

G. L. WARVEL, Auctioneer A. E. CHRISTIAN, Clerk

## Hudson-Essex

1-Hudson-Essex business has never been better with us than today, with new Essex Coaches delivered Friday, Saturday and Monday. Our problem now is to get the Cars fast enough. There are three GREAT BIG REASONS, viz—QUALITY, SATISFACTION, PRICE. Ask ANY of our Customers!

2-Think of it!—A two-tone Green 7 Passenger Hudson Sedan, at \$1620; Brougham \$1615; Hudson Coach, \$1210; Essex Coach in Black or Green finish, \$785—ALL FULLY EQUIPPED, DELIVER-ED!

3-We have following BARGAINS in used cars; 1-1924 Model Essex Coach, \$350; 1-1925 Ford Touring, new battery, new tires, new extra tire, \$200; 1-1919 Buick Six touring good tires, battery, top, motor, \$285; 1-1918 Buick Six in good condition \$90; 1-Maxwell touring in good condition, \$65.

4-See our Excessory line in windows, Positive Head Light Glare Control, \$1.00; Sterling Spring Controllers per set, \$10.00; Cushions, Polish, Locking Chains, etc.

## W. A. FREEMAN

PHONE 238

## Public Sale

The undersigned will offer for sale at Public Auction at the late residence of Malissa P. Hall deceased (On Pearl street two doors south of Presbyterian church, Covington, O.) in Newberry Township Miami County, Ohio, on

### Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1926

the personal property of the said Malissa P. Hall, deceased consisting in part of the following:

Lot of bed-chiefs, side board, dining table, (round) two Brussels rugs, 9x12, five (5) small rugs, Brass bedstead, Leather covered davenport Singer sewing machine, glass door cupboard, dressers, wash stand, hall tree, kitchen table, gas range small gas heater, two coal heating stoves, 4 rocking chairs, 7 common chairs, 3 office chairs, lawn mower, garden tools, pictures, linoleum, lot of canned fruit kitchen utensils, porch swing, garden hose, clothes hanger, bench lace curtains and drapery, sewing stand and many other articles not mentioned.

Sale to commence at One o'clock, afternoon.

TERMS: Purchases amounting to three dollars or less to be paid in cash; above that sum, notes of 3 months' time, with two or more approved sureties, will be taken.

J. H. MARIN, Administrator of the estate of Malissa P. Hall decd. Col. D. R. Longenecker, Auct. Oct. 14, Fri. Oct. 29, Mon. Nov. 1.

### MOVE TO INDIANA

Mr. Lawrence Adams has been appointed as freight agent at Dublin, Indiana, and will leave for that place this coming Friday. The family will follow a several weeks moving their household goods there.

The latest thing in men's clothes is women.

## Geo. W. Miller

### Funeral Director

Free Ambulance Service  
Phone 296

Pleasant Hill Representative

IRVIN LONG

Phone 91

## Want Ads

Little Ads with the big gain  
5c per line each insertion.  
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For Sale:—Potatoes \$1.75 per bu. Covington. R. I. R. Long 51x

Position Wanted by middleage woman as housekeeper with elderly couple or respectable man in the country. Mrs. Emma Thiebaud, in care of Oscar Glauser, Union, Ohio. R. R. 1.

WANTED:—Washings Mrs. Isaac Gruber E. Bridge Street. 61x

FOR SALE—Good 8 room, house on East Monument ave., Pleasant hill, see Clarence Shafer, R-4 Covington, Ohio 61x

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## PROFESSOR AND MRS. POE ENTERTAIN SENIORS

The Senior Class of the Covington High School was very delightfully at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Dale Poe Saturday evening.

There were twenty-five of the class present masked and in costume. Very interesting contests had been planned and were won by Miss Helen Mohler and Nathaniel Augustine.

A nice luncheon of chicken sandwiches, fruit salad, pumpkin pie with whipped cream, tarts and fruit punch, were served by the hostess.

Out of town guests at the party were Mrs. A. Poe's brother, Mr. Win Metcalf, of Hamilton and Miss Louise Beaver, of Hillsboro.

## LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid of the Christian Church, Covington, will meet Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the church.

Every member is urged to be present as important business is to be transacted.

## PHILO DELPHIAN CHAPTER

The Philo Delphian Chapter met last night at the School Hall for their second program on Greek Drama and Theatres.

Reviews of some old Greek Dramas were given by the following: Antigone, Miss Helen Hoffinger, Medea, Mrs. Hoveman, Iphigenia, Mrs. Jennings.

The text on Sophocles and Euripides as Dramatists was given by Mrs. Lytle.

Reviews of the drama Antigone, were read and discussed under the leadership of Mrs. Paff.

## Woodchucks Good Pets

The biological expert says woodchucks make very interesting pets, and are easily cared for. They should be given roomy quarters with a den and material for a nest in which they can retire in the fall for hibernation. They eat a great variety of green food.



Was there ever a night more suited for a fun party? When ghosts stalk abroad, witches and goblins mingle with us mortals in games and revelry.

Come in and see our Gilded Halloween Party. Whether you intend to entertain or not, you'll enjoy the cleverness of them.

GEORGE WORLEY  
Covington, Ohio

## Lorals

Mrs. Martha Ross and Mrs. Sam Ross attended the funeral of Mr. Hugh Griffin east of Piqua yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Priest and sons Bobbie and Billie of Dayton spent Sunday afternoon with their mother Mrs. Louise Priest of S. Pearl Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Maier and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Warner of E. Walnut Street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Koon spent Friday afternoon and evening in Dayton as six o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D.R. Daugherty.

Mrs. Mae Metzger was the six o'clock dinner guest in Piqua at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stephenson. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chambers and daughter Miss Margaret Jane and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Deeter motored to Muncie Sunday spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Kinney and Mr. and Mrs. John Kinney.

Mrs. A. M. Ruhl is among our influenza sufferers.

Mr. Jim Simmes, of Columbus, was a visitor, Friday at the home of his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Don Drees.

Ms. Mildred Katherman Miss Mary Woner, Miss Kraul and Mr. Hugh O'Brien motored from Bradford, Sunday afternoon, to see Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Carpenter and Janice Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brumbaugh had as Sunday dinner guests their mother and sister, Mrs. Brumbaugh and Miss Dorothy.

Mrs. D. O. Maurer, Mrs. E. E. Brumbaugh and Mrs. Charles Metzger spent Monday afternoon in Piqua.

Mrs. Minnie Cable is spending a few days this week at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shellabarger.

Mrs. Bert Billingsley and Mrs. Carl Berryhill were in Piqua, this afternoon, to witness the parade and other features of the opening of Oliver's three day dedication services.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson and Mrs. Virdeen Thompson spent Monday at the Miami Valley Hospital, in Dayton, with Mrs. Charles Isenberger, who is a sister of Mrs. Ed Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams entertained to a family dinner, Sunday, their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hoover, and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams of Piqua.

Mrs. Conrad Reiber visited at the bed side of Mrs. P. Hoffinger Monday, who is at the Memorial Hospital, Piqua. Mrs. Hoffinger is still in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Frey and children, Carl and Ralph spent Sunday in Bradford with Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Frey. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Frey and daughter, Miss Irene, were afternoon callers at the same place.

Mrs. E. C. Ditt is expecting her mother Mrs. Laura Gaines this week. Mrs. Gaines has been in Pemberton at the home of her son and wife Dr. and Mrs. Waldo Gaines and has been ill for the past week.

## LEGION MEETING

The regular meeting of the American Legion will be held at the Legion House, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are asked to be present.

clock dinner guest in Piqua at the

Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Carpenter and children, Tilford Carl and Martha Joan, and M. Ray Carpenter motored from Columbus to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold W. Carpenter. Their mother, Mrs. Mitchell Carpenter arrived Sunday by train, all returning together, Sunday evening.

## FRANTIC ATTEMPT MADE TO REACH McDERMOTT

Court Over-ruled Motion to Permit Interview.

BULLETIN  
(L. N. S. Dispatch)

Canton, O., Oct. 26.—Motion of Ed L. Mills, counsel for Louis Mazer and Ben Rudner, charged with the slaying of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher, that he be permitted to see Pat McDermott, the third man to be indicted for the murder, was overruled this afternoon by Common Pleas Judge A. W. Agler. The judge, in overruling the motion stated that the "key figure" in the murder had not requested counsel and, therefore, he was justified in refusing the application.

Canton, O., Oct. 26.—A frantic attempt to get to Pat McDermott, held as the "key man" in the slaying of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher, before he has a chance to spill the beans to Detective Ora Slater and Prosecutor C. B. McClintock was made today by Attorney Ed L. Mills attorney for Louis Mazer, first charged with first degree murder in connection with the same murder.

Mills announced that McDermott had expressed a desire to talk to him but that he, Mills, was barred from the Canton workhouse by Warden John Boyer who would not allow him access to the prisoner.

Emphatic denial that Pat had expressed such a desire, was made by McClintock to International News Service and he announced that he would fight the motion to a standstill.

Mills move came close on the heels of an announcement by McClintock that he and Slater intended to quiz McDermott sometime today.

Interest in the mystery surrounding the slaying veered sharply today from possibilities of startling developments that may be brought to light in a confession from Pat McDermott, believed key figure in the murder, to an elaborately furnished apartment in Cleveland, the address unknown, where McDermott claimed to have been hiding for three months while investigators were combing the country in an effort to apprehend him.

Belief that the solution to the entire murder mystery may be contained in this apartment was expressed today by Detective Ora Slater who, with Prosecutor C. B. McClintock, brought McDermott back to Canton, Sunday night.

"I believe that, when we ascertain the whereabouts of that apartment, we will be able to reveal the real motive behind the slaying of Mellett, for which Louis Mazer, Ben Rudner and Pat McDermott, alleged trigger man, are now facing trial on first-degree murder indictments," Slater told International News Service.

## NOTICE

The Rebecca Reiber property in Pleasant Hill which is advertised in the legal notice in this issue is appraised at \$6500 instead of \$6300 as it appears in the add.

It will be sold Thursday afternoon.

## MASQUERADE PARTY

Mrs. E. E. Felger, assisted by Mrs. Don Hill and Miss Verna Felger, will entertain the Mission Study Class, of the Lutheran Sunday School, to a masquerade party, Wednesday evening. All are expecting a pleasant evening.

Miss Lucille Worth, who has been staying with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Carpenter since her return from a six weeks visit this last summer with Mr. and Mrs. William Best and Mr. Noah Best at Denver, Colorado, left Saturday night to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Worth, at 89 Midland ave., Columbus. She is expecting to return Monday Nov. 1.

## VIRGINIA APPLES

Old Fashion Wine Saps, Albermarle Pippins and Stamen Wine Saps. The three great apples of Virginia. Car loads of Pippins go to England every year. They keep and have the flavor. If you want an apple just sweet enough and just sour enough to please your taste try the Stamen Wine Sap. Then if you want an apple to cook, bake eat or anything else the Old Time Wine Sap. Do you want a barrel or basket? Phone or come see the fruit at our home on East St. E. M. Fox, Covington.

# At Favorite Theatre

## THE HOME OF GOOD PICTURES

### Tonight Tomorrow Night

THOMAS MEIGHAN With LILA LEE

In "THE NEW KLONDIKE"

This Picture came unexpected this morning but that won't need to worry you as this is a 100 per cent Picture in every way with our Old Friend Tom.

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Supreme Judge Edward S. Mathias had served his tenth year on the common pleas bench of Van Wert, when promoted by the voters to serve on its highest tribunal.

In an editorial urging his reelection the Van Wert Bulletin said: "The decisions of Judge Mathias, as a member of the Ohio Supreme Court will bear the closest scrutiny—exhaustive, impartial, infused with the highest principles of justice, are all his official opinions. His splendid traits of character, his energy in the discharge of all duties and his very apparent aim to safeguard the rights of the people, go to make up a record, which entitles Judge Mathias to another term as Judge of the Supreme Court."

Judge Mathias is a graduate of Ohio Northern University, he was admitted to the bar in 1895 and at once entered the practice of law. He served two terms as City Solicitor of Van Wert prior to his election as Common Pleas Judge.

Judge Mathias is married and has a family of five children. In politics he is a Republican and represents his party as one of its candidates for reelection on the Supreme bench on the separate judicial ballot. To re-elect Judge Mathias the voter must place a cross in front of his name on the judicial ballot.

## WAVELETS

Experience is the extract of suffering.

Many a man lives poorly in order to die rich.

One should never put one's worth into words.

No fool is so wearisome as he who has some wit.

His praise is lost who waits till all is commended—Tyrus.

The polished orator ought to take care of his finish.

Some men are such swindlers that they cheat themselves.

We forgive ourselves our sins, but never our bad breaks.

Two is company; three is a crowd; four is a game of cards.

If you have leisure—and a clean shave—what else do you want?

The oldest inhabitant never boasts of how lazy he was when a boy.

Perhaps a woman loves secrets for the pleasure it affords her to let them escape.

The absent are never without fault nor the present without excuse—Franklin.

It takes an accomplished peace-maker to patch up a quarrel so the patches won't show.

All great art is the expression of man's delight in God's work, not his own—Ruskin.

That which is given with pride and ostentation is rather an ambition than a trophy—Seneca.

Most people judge others by the company they keep, or by their fork—Rochefoucauld.

It's natural a man's second wife shouldn't love him as much as his first. He's been revamped.

For late reports read the Stillwater Valley News.

## Dad Knows Everything

Tommy—"Pop, what is meant by the saying that there are serpents in stones?" Tommy's Pop—"If you would only listen when you go to church, my son, you would know that many a minister has preached about that little affair between David and Goliath."

## Peculiar Plant Diseases

Mosaic diseases which affect plants are so called because the leaves of the plants attacked by them lose their green color in small angular patches giving the remaining tissue a pattern which resembles a mosaic pavement.

## Odd Label Pendant

Baltimore paper: "Mrs. Whittemore heard that the bandit was to hang from the tip of a spectator."—Boston Transcript.

# Markets

(L. N. S. Dispatch)

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Grains opened steady to firmer today. Wheat was unchanged to 1/8c higher; corn, 1/8c higher and oats 1/8c higher. Opening prices.

WHEAT: Dec 143 1/2; May 84 1/2; 148 and 1/2.

CORN: Dec 77 1/2; May 84 1/2 and 1/2.

OATS: May, 44 1/2; May 42 1/2.

## CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK

Cleveland, Oct. 26.—Hogs, Receipts 2000. Market steady. Top 14.00.

Cattle, Receipts 100; calves, 300. Market cattle steady; vealers 50c lower.

## CLEVELAND PRIDUCE MARKET

BUTTER: extras, 26c and 25c, extra firsts 49 1/2 and 50 1/2; firsts 48 1/2 and 47 1/2; packing 29 and 30.

EGGS: extra 57; extra firsts, 56; firsts 48; pale 31.

OLEO: high-grade animal oil, 26 and 27; lower grades 20 and 22.

CHEESE: York state 29 and 32.

POULTRY: fowls 25 and 27; roosters 16 and 17; ducks 28 and 29; geese 18 and 22.

APPLES: Ohio 95 and 1.25 bu.

APPLES: Ohio, 30 and 1.10.

POTATOES: Ohio 2.00

## TOLEDO LIVE STOCK

Hogs, receipts 700. Market 10c and 25c lower.

Cattle Market steady.

## LOCAL MARKETS

Heavy Hens 20c

Leghorn hens 15c

Heavy chicks 12c

Old roosters 7c

Ducks 17c

Geese 14c

R. J. Rudy and Sons

Wheat \$1.30

Corn \$1.02

Oats, hard threshed 85c

Valdese Packing Co.

Calves 8c to 15c

Hogs 13.00

Steers 6 to 10c

Lamb 8 to 10c