

WEATHER:

Increasing cloudiness to night followed by rain Wednesday.

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LIGHT VOTE IN OHIO IS PREDICTED

M'Dermott Consents to Talk; Will Tell Who Fired Shot

Gangland Scurrying To Cover As Pat Decides To Tell Who Shot Mellett.

(I. N. S. Dispatch)

Canton, O. Nov. 2—Stripped of their last protection, the silence of their henchmen, the vice lords of the region stretching from Pittsburgh to Cleveland and including Youngstown, Akron, Toledo and Canton were being today notified by the 'grapevine' route to cover up and, if possible flee. This warning was sent out today when it was learned that Pat McDermott was willing to talk, and talk a lot.

Pat signified his desire to talk, it was learned from a reliable source in a conference with his brother Tom late yesterday afternoon. He told his brother:

"I'll tell them who killed Don Mellett and I'll tell them who wanted the 'bumping off' to be done."

Whether Prosecutor C. B. McClintock will take advantage of Pat's offer or whether he will wait for the return of Ora Slater (Cincinnati sleuth) was the question today.

Preponderant evidence against McDermott by McClintock in a visit to Massillon, Rudner's stamping ground. While there, he interviewed a well-known figure in the Pennsylvania-Ohio crime trust who was willing to talk as long as he did not incriminate himself.

Pat's sudden resolve to "clear his chest" came as the result of the bringing here of Nadel and George Pfaff, bootlegger and alleged henchman of Ben Rudner and, according to Slater the "banker" for Pat McDermott when the latter went into his three months' hiding, only to be delivered up by his relatives.

Pfaff talked in Cleveland and that information leaked into Pat's cell. Pfaff talked again late yesterday afternoon when Prosecutor C. B. McClintock visited him soon after his arrival in the Stark county jail.

"Bit by bit, the evidence has been mounting higher and higher against the key figure man, McDermott, until it has overburdened his resolve not to 'squeal' and demolished his last compunction," McClintock said.

McClintock said this evidence will be laid before Slater when he returns from Cincinnati. It was through his "home spun psychology" that Pat was captured and McClintock depends upon this same type of psychology to bring to a close within 48 hours the mystery surrounding the shooting down of the crusading Canton publisher.

Guard at the Stark county workhouse has been ordered doubled and all leave orders rescinded as a result of a letter received by Chief of Police "Jiggs" Wise warning him that three criminal rings in Cleveland and Canton will make an attempt to spirit McDermott from the workhouse. The letter, purporting to have been written by a gangster who was angry at his chief, also told Wise to warn Workhouse Superintendent John Boyer to watch his children, intimating that they may be kidnaped.

Although great credence is not placed in the letter, Boyer has called off all labor parties and concentrated the guards about the workhouse.

Toledo, Nov. 2—One man was killed and two others seriously injured during a pistol battle in "gangland" here early today.

Wilbur Welschberger, 29, of West Toledo, died with two bullet wounds in his side after he had shot Henry Zelich and Wilbur Hand.

Locals

Mrs. Millard Routson spent Monday afternoon in Piqua.

Mrs. Anna Fraker was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stoker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rudy and Mrs. Louise Priest spent yesterday in Piqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazill of Bradford, spent Sunday at the home of her father, Mr. Jerry Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitney went to Dayton, Sunday, where they are visiting their children.

Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Ullery, of Springfield, were the guests of Mrs. Anna Squires, Sunday.

Jay O'Donnell of the Ohio State University, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gay O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tanner and children, of Dayton, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Penney.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Routson and son, Billie, spent Sunday in Rangeville, as the guests of Mrs. Routson's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cool.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black and son Wayne, of Piqua spent Sunday at the home of their Grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Rue and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fetters and daughter Miss Evelyn, were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Shellsberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Minnich and five children and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin, Pauline and Geraldine, motored to Springfield, Sunday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crues.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Perry, Mrs. and Mrs. Rudy Holopeter and son, Leo, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Maurer, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shellsberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maier and children, Miss Betty, Jack and Victor were the Sunday dinner guests of their mother and sisters, Mrs. Calherine Maier and the Misses Ada, Alma and Alice Maier.

Mrs. Lizzie Fry, of Greenville, returned home Sunday after several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson, who accompanied her to her home Sunday. She was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rebecca Rue and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Billingley were in Dayton, Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Billingley's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Faun, of Indianapolis, have been here as the guests of their parents, Mr. Faun leaving Monday to resume his studies, Mrs. Faun remaining for a longer visit.

Exhuming Mrs. Mills's Body



Grave diggers exhumed the body of Mrs. Eleanor Mills from the Van Lieu Cemetery, New Brunswick, N. J. A new autopsy was to be performed in the search for evidence in the Hall-Mills murder.

(International News)

LATE NEWS FLASHES

(I. N. S. Dispatch)

Berea, Ky., Nov. 2—Nellie Harrison 11 her baby sister Susan, 17 months old and Ella Lake, 6 months old, were dead here today following a fire yesterday believed to have started when the eldest of the three threw kerosene upon an open hearth to start the fire.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 2—The body of an unidentified white man, headless and with both arms severed, was found on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks near Woodlawn, suburb, today.

A letter, torn and bloodstained, to Mrs. J. Bower, Wellington, Somerset, England, and signed "Your Loving Hubby, Jim" was found on the man's person, Coroner D. C. Handle said.

The coroner stated that the man had evidently hurled himself under the wheels of a passing train.

Clothing trade marks indicated that the dead man had resided in Niagara Falls. He was about 40-45 years old, 5 feet, 10 inches tall and weighed about 150 pounds.

NOVACE

O. E. S. election of officers at the meeting this evening Nov. 2nd.

All members of the Covington Chapter are urged to attend; Social hour follows the regular business meeting.

VOTE IS LIGHT

Voting in Covington is reported very light. Scarcely half of our citizens have visited the polls as we go to press. Not too late yet.

ELECTION BOARD REMOVED

Voters Intimidated By Chicago Gangsters, Today.

(I. N. S. Dispatch)

Chicago, Nov. 2—Arrest of two men armed with revolvers; removal of the entire election board in one precinct; and arrest of Vincent (Schemmer) Drucci, notorious gangster, marked the first election disturbance in Chicago today.

On complaint of voters the several men were intimidating ballot casters, detectives swooped down on a South Side precinct and arrested two men, both carrying revolvers.

Drucci was taken into custody because of police orders to arrest all known gangsters and gunmen wherever they were found.

Complaints that members of an election were too free in assisting voters to mark ballots led to their immediate ousting.

Shortly before noon, unidentified assailants stormed a downtown polling place and attacked Charles Thompson, a Democratic judge. Thompson was severely beaten.

Los Angeles, Nov. 2—The little blue trunk of Kenneth G. Ormiston, crammed with expensive women's apparel, was the center of interest here today as officers of the district attorney's office prepared to catalogue the contents.

The trunk which was seized in New York, according to Kayes, will clear up the Almoose Sample McPherson case quickly and conclusively.

Kayes is confident that he can prove the clothes in the trunk belong to Mrs. McPherson, thereby exposing her story of being kidnapped and spirited away to Mexico.

Mrs. J. A. Ullery returned to her home, Sunday evening after a two weeks visit in Dayton with her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Wright.

Little Interest Shown In Today's Election by Great Majority of Voters.

VERY LIGHT VOTE CAST UP 'TIL NOON TODAY

(I. N. S. Dispatch)

Columbus, O. Nov. 2—Pre-election predictions of a light vote in today's election were apparently borne out in returns from over the state at noon today, indicating that only a small percentage of the electorate had visited the polls during the forenoon hours.

Despite unusually favorable weather conditions throughout most of the state, with the exception of a few scattered counties where local bond proposals and other issues enlisted the zeal of voters, the vote was reported light.

Columbus, O. Nov. 2—With ideal election weather on tap, Ohio voters went to the polls today.

Chief interest centered in the election of a governor, an United States Senate and a proposed amendment to the state constitution modifying the Buckeye state's primary system.

The ballots also provide for a lieutenant governor, a secretary of state, an attorney-general, a state treasurer, a chief justice and two associate justices of the state supreme court, 22 congressmen, ten appellate court judges, 37 state senators, 136 state representatives and hundreds of county officials, including common pleas judges, prosecuting attorneys, sheriffs, auditors, treasurers, recorders, clerks of common pleas courts and coroners.

Buckeye state voters, too, will determine the fate today of many proposed bond issues and tax levies in various municipalities and school districts, contemplating expenditure of many millions of dollars for public improvements and school purposes. In many chartered cities, voters are asked to adopt amendments to their municipal charters.

Vic Donahay, Democrat, is seeking re-election to a third term as Ohio's governor. Myers J. Cooper, Cincinnati is the Republican candidate to succeed Donahay. Former United States Senator Atlas Pomerene, Cleveland is the Democratic aspirant to occupy the seat in the United States senate now held by Senator Frank B. Willis, Delaware, who is a candidate to succeed himself.

The proposed state constitutional amendment, if adopted would modify Ohio's primary election system, as to provide for the nomination of political candidates at state conventions. Delegates to these conventions would be chosen at statewide primaries. Candidates now are nominated at the primaries.

Predictions of victory were voiced today by Democratic and Republican campaign leaders, including Charles R. Frederickson, Cohecton, and Thomas E. Dye, chairman of the Republican and Democrat state campaign committees respectively.

Unusual lack of interest, seemingly, throughout this campaign in all parts of Ohio, is the noncommittal attitude of millions of voters and relatively light registration of Buckeye voters this fall combined, have worked to place the outcome of today's voting in doubt.

Experts indicated belief that the vote today between the Democratic and Republican candidates for governor and United States Senator will be close. They estimated that not more than 1,700,000 voters will be cast.

The total gubernatorial vote in (Continued on last page.)

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ONLY NEWSPAPER IN MIAMI COUNTY
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NEWS SERVICE DISPATCHES

LLOYD'S "FRESHMAN" IS
BOOB, BUT TAKES PRIZE

In producing "The Freshman" his
newest comedy feature, Harold Lloyd
has endeavored to give the public
something different in a college story.



Instead of the usual
smart-alec type that
most writers place in
college stories, the
freshman of this story
is a youth so eager to
please and thereby be-
come popular that he is
the favorite object on
which every joker
tears on the campus prac-
tice his tricks.

"The Freshman" as written by four
famous gag men—Sam Taylor, John
Grey, Ted Wicks and Him Whelan—
has four distinct laugh factors. The
first is the arrival of Lloyd at college
which is followed by football prac-
tice. Then follows the Fall dance
which Harold gives in his anxiety to
become the most popular man in col-
lege and to which he is forced to go
wearing a Tuxedo that has only been
basted together, and finally the big
climax of the football game. Those
who have seen "The Freshman" do not
hesitate to claim that this contest is
the funniest of its kind ever put on
the screen. It was the object to make
this game such that, whether you un-
derstand football or not, it would
nevertheless be funny.

Jobyna Ralston and Hazel Keener,
Brooks Benedict, Pat Harmon, James
Anderson, Joe Harrington and eighty
thousand extras supported Harold
Lloyd in "The Freshman," the foot-
ball scenes for which were actually
shot just prior to the Stanford and
University of California game last
Fall at the Berkeley Stadium.

For late reports read the Stillwater
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PRESIDENT COOLIDGE RETURNS HOME

Northampton, Mass., Nov. 2.—With
a heavy drizzling rain prevailing—a
condition for which Democrats have
been praying. President and Mrs.
Coolidge arrived home today to vote,
to spend a couple of hours among
their old neighbors here and then to
hurry back to Washington.

With flashlights flaring and cam-
eras clicking, President and Mrs.
Coolidge in Memorial hall today cast
ballots 309 and 310 for a 'straight
Republican ticket.'

President Coolidge's special train,
which carried him and Mrs. Coolidge
to Northampton, struck and demol-
ished an automobile near Aberdeen,
Md., early this morning, train offi-
cials said when the special passed
through New York.

Two soldiers from the Aberdeen
proving ground drove their automo-
bile through the lowered gates at a
crossing and crashed into the train,
which was traveling at 45 miles an
hour. The soldiers almost miracu-
lously escaped death. They were only
slightly injured, according to the train
crew.

The front trucks of the locomotive
were derailed but prompt application
of the brakes brought the train to a
stop without more than a severe jar.
The special was able to proceed after
a delay of fifteen minutes.

Pleasant Hill

Reported by Gertrude Marlin
Telephone 3 on 40

Bob Beery is on the sick list today.

Mr. Ray Beery, who spent the week
end in Pittsburg Pennsylvania, return
ed home Sunday.

Mr. Walter Kibbey of Columbus
visited his sister Mrs. Roy Shelleb-
erger and family, Saturday.

Miss Marshall Marlin was absent
from school yesterday because of a
very bad cold, however she was able,
and returned to school today.

Miss Isabel Long of Battle Creek
Michigan was called here by the
death of her Grandmother, Mrs. Sab-
ina Long.

Mrs. Sarah Staub returned home
Saturday, after spending a week at
the home of her sister and husband,
Mr. ad Mrs. F. M. Bowers of Indian-
apolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall and son
Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shelleb-
erger and children and Mrs. Mrs.
George Shelleberger and son Junior
visited their Aunt and Uncle, Mr.
and Mrs. Joe Aubrey of Dayton, Sun-
day.

SHOOTING BRING FATALITY

Dayton, Ky. Nov. 2.—They "Shoot
it out" over in Newport, Ky. last
night and today Mett Mahoney, 32
was dead at Speers Memorial hospital
here, bullet wounds in his right lung.
Mahoney was brought to the hospi-
tal, attaches stated, late last night
and died early this morning without
revealing the name of his slayer.

Police declared today that another
foot of long standing had broken
out.

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News Flashes

(L. N. S. Dispatch)

KILLED BY MINE CARS

Canton, O. Nov. 2.—Harold Stratton
34, Waynesburg miner, was crushed
to death, yesterday, between two
loaded mine cars. He is said to have
been thrown from one of the cars
when his train jumped the track. He
was married and leaves a wife and
several small children.

CONVICTED OF FRAUD

Washington Nov. 2.—Wm G. Ben-
ham and Dwight Harrison, convicted
in federal court in Ohio on charges of
fraud growing out of the affairs of
the R. L. Dollings Company and the
International Note and Mortgage Com-
pany, today lost their petition in the
supreme court for a review of their
case.

Benham was sentenced to seven
years imprisonment and Harrison
to six years on November 4, 1925.

GRANTS PERMISSION IN HEAR- ING OF DIVERSION CASE

Washington, Nov. 2.—The state of
New York was granted permission to
participate in the hearing of the
Great Lakes diversion case before
Master Charles E. Hughes in Wash-
ington on November 8. The extent
of the participation is yet to be deter-
mined by the court.

APPEAL DENIED FOR COURT'S DECISION REVIEW

Washington Nov. 2.—The supreme
court today denied the appeal of Gor-
don Campbell Montana oilman, for a
review of the lower court's decision
upholding the validity of an indict-
ment upon which Campbell was con-
victed in 1925 and sentenced to two
years imprisonment for an alleged
scheme to defraud through oil stock
promotion.

Campbell figured in the trial of Sen-
ator Burton K. Wheeler, Democrat,
of Montana. The government charged
that Wheeler had violated his of-
fice by obtaining favors for Campbell
in federal departments. Wheeler was
acquitted.

INDICTMENT CHARGES NORRIS AS MURDERER OF TEXAS MAN

Criminal District Court Room, Fort
Worth Tex. Nov 1.—Alleging that the
Catholic church and individuals of
great power have conspired to get
him "hung" for the killing of D. E.
Chippis, lumberman Rev. J. Frank
Norris, pastor of the First Baptist
church here, exploded a bomb in the
prosecution camp today by asking for
a charge of venue. It came as a com-
plete surprise and took the prosecution
off its feet.

Norris is charged by indictment
with having murdered Chippis July 17
in the pastor's study.

The state had expected a motion
for a continuance.

The motion for a change of venue
names H. C. Mescham, mayor of
Fort Worth; O. E. Carr, city manager
of the city; and L. B. Haughey, man-
ager of Mescham's store; George J.

At Favorite Theatre

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Tonight

Tomorrow Night



GALES OF LAUGHTER!

Cheers, then jeers, greeted him! Instead of the hall he was carrying
the hat of an enthusiastic rooter!

Poor Harold! Who had been hazed to death, raised to distraction
fighting his last stand to be a college hero. Mirth! Joy! Gladness!
And something else, that swept you off your feet with enjoyment!

ADDED "FACEMAKERS No. 11"

Kreynhul secretary of the Knights
of Columbus, as those who have con-
spired to get him "hung."

Mrs. Louise Priest was the Sunday
dinner guest of her niece and hus-
band, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rudy. They
with Mrs. Catherine Shafer and
daughter, Miss Ruth, spent Sunday
afternoon, in Troy, as guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Thomas Fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green of Lud-
low Falls visited at the country home
of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Paff, Monday.

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SCHOOL NOTES

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

On Wednesday afternoon, November 3rd the Debating Club of the Covington High School will debate the question, Resolved, That the foreign war debt to the United States be cancelled.

The club is composed of thirteen members and have the following officers:

President Robert Walkert.
Vice President, Wayne Wilke.
Secretary-Treasurer, Helen Mohler.
Executive Com., Richard Alberry, Fae Lewis, Helen Fessler.

Mr. Henney is the faculty advisor of the club.

This is the first debate for the club and will be given before the High School. Everybody is working hard to find all the points possible for his side. Each side is confident that it will win.

Report of the Covington School for the month ending October 29, 1926

Total enrollment to date:

High School 170.

Grades 302

Total 472

Enrollment this month:

High School 168

Grades 296

Total 464

Aggregate days of attendance:

High School 5235

Grades 6758.5

Total 8993.5

Percent of attendance:

High School 96.9

Grades 97.6

Total 97.3

Number of pupils not absent or tardy:

High School 99

Grades 192

Total 291

Number of pupils entered this month:

High School 1

Grades 4

Total 5

Number of pupils withdrawn this mo.:

High School 1

Grades 2

Total 3

Enrollment by grades: High school

168; Eighth Grade, 34; Seventh grade

28; Sixth grade, 45; Fifth grade, 38;

Fourth grade, 47; Third grade, 41;

Second grade, 32; First grade, 30.

The grades having the highest per-

cent of attendance were:

High School

Juniors 98.4

Grades

Sixth Grade 98.6

A southern stage setting and appropriate costumes are used to ad-

vantage the in the plantation with which

Robert Jackson's Jubilee Quartet is to

open their program on the Covington

entertainment course, Mon. evening,

November 8. The second part of

their program is devoted to negro

spirituals, southern songs and plan-

tation melodies. Many humorous di-

versions are introduced.

It is doubtful if any company on

the platform has a greater wealth of

program material than the Plantation

Singers. They immediately convince

an audience that they are dignified

artists who thoroughly enjoy every

phase of their work. Their apper-

ently limitless repertoire includes

many of the old favorites, such as

"Roll, Jordan, Roll" and "Swing Low,

Sweet Chariot."

During their plantation scene the

quartet will offer such lively airs as

"Get on Board," "I Want to be Ready"

"Down in Mobile," "Going to Fly A-

way to Heaven," "Southern Jack,"

"Dancing in the Moonlight" and

"Come, Come Along."

Their concert program includes

plantation shouts such as "Hand Me

Down the Silver Trumpet," "You

Must Have True Religion," "Oh, Yes

It's So High" and "In My Heart."

THE SPREAD IN

SCHOOL INFLUENCE

In estimating the efficiency of our

schools should the emphasis be placed

on scholarship or citizenship capacity

or character, or both?

In the life of the individual, even

as in the life of the nation, the ac-

tivities of today are conducted in the

light of their influence on the affairs

of tomorrow. So it is with education,

the prime business is the development

of the individual to build the na-

tional future. One's way of looking

at things does not depend upon the

size of the town he lives in but on the

size of his mind. With education

there there need be no "Main Street."

Our educational system in many di-
rections. It enlarges the earning
value of the child to its parent and
to the nation. It brings an Ameri-
canizing influence to bear on the li-
ves of our foreigners. It steps forth
to rehabilitate the delinquent child,
to restore the faltering physically. It
develops research students, trains
teachers and makes possible the pro-
fessions.

There are all essential in per sch-
ool of things. However, education is
especially concerned with the many.
They hold the balance of power at
the ballot. It is important, therefore
that they have an interest in and an
understanding of public issues. It is
to them we look for establishing a
wholesome social morale. It is im-
portant, then, that they be educated
in an atmosphere of Faith and Hope.
It is important that they be educated
to relish their work, and with a prop-
er balance between work, worship
and play, they may enjoy toil and
utilize the increasing leisure allotted
them without being bored or tempted
to dissipation.

It is a misconception to conclude
that educating a person is reducing
his efficiency to toil. His capacity
to work should be none the less be-
cause he has been schooled.

Mind helps muscle. A young col-
lege man who dug ditches during his
vacations to gain health and wealth
or the next school year, recalls the
Irish workman who would hum
snatches of opera while he labored;
an Irishman who would discuss polit-
ical issues while he picked; an Ameri-
can who would analyze economic con-
ditions while he worked. None of
these men was less efficient with
pick and shovel because in a degree
intellectually developed. Yet their
lives were richer their resources
greater. It would be unfortunate
were it necessary to conserve igno-
rance in order to furnish an adequate
supply.

The welfare of this country centers
around the training of the many. It
depends upon a high social morale,
an increasing of mentally alert pro-
ducers. It requires a citizenry with
intelligence to value and enjoy social
contacts, with sufficient educational
foundation to admit of self-devel-
opment, equipped to improve his lei-
sure and imbued with sufficient sport
manship to play the game. This is a
contribution education makes; a con-
tribution with intelligence, not igno-
rance, as the foundation.

Education should make more palat-
able the humbler tasks in life.

GOES TO FLORIDA

Mrs. Anna Squires left yesterday
morning for Lakeland Florida, where
she will spend the coming winter.
She stopped in Dayton for the day
with her nephew and wife, Rev. and
Mrs. Harold Douglas, going on to
Ochlocknee where she expected to re-
main over night and go on from there
today.

Mrs. Squires wishes to say "good-
by" through the "News" to her many
good friends in Covington, hoping
the winter here will be a mild one.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDENT

Horsea Hunter, whose place of
residence is unknown, will take no-
tice, that on the 10th day of May,
A. D. 1926, The Covington Building
& Loan Association, a corporation
doing business at its offices in Cov-
ington, Miami County, Ohio, filed its
petition in the Common Pleas court
of Miami County, Ohio, in Case No.
23720 against the above named party
and others, praying for the fore-
closure of a mortgage executed by
Miles A. Hunter to plaintiff on lot
numbered fifteen hundred and five
(1505) in the city of Piqua, Miami
County, Ohio, given to secure a debt
on which there remains due the sum
of Seven hundred forty-seven and
81-100 dollars, on the 16th day of
September, 1926, with interest there-
on to date of a decree herein at the
rate of 6% per annum.

Said Horsea Hunter is required to
answer on or before the 18th day of
November, A. D. 1926, or judgment
may be taken against him.

The Covington Building & Loan

Association

By J. H. Martin, attorney for the

Plaintiff.

Tues. 6. First Publication Sept. 21.

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Today's Radio Program

(Central Standard Time)

(L. N. S. Dispatch)

WEAO—Columbus, O. 7:20; Mona Motor Oil Twins.

WBZ—Springfield Mass. 7:30 Hotel Westminster Orchestra.

KYW—Chicago Ill., 8:30 The Family Hour.

WBAF—New York, N. Y. 8:00 The Vikings. 9:00 Eveready hour also WTAM WBAI WCAE.

WJZ—New York, N.Y. 8:00 Champion Sparkers. also WGY & WBZ. 9:00, Pennsylvania Railroad Hour also WYQ.

KOA—Denver, Colo. 8:30 Brown Palace String Orchestra.

WLW—Cincinnati, O. 10:30 Corsey Burnt Corkers.

WB. L.—Baltimore, Md. 10:00 Municipal Band of Baltimore.

KTHS—Hot Spring, Ark. 10:15 Dance Concert. 11:15 Specialties.

KDKA—Pittsburg, Pa. 11:35 Pittsburg Post Concert.

ENTERTAINMENT

Mrs. D. O. Maurer entertained the Always Ready Class, at her home on N. Pearl Street, assisted by Mrs. Charles Metzger, Friday evening. There were sixteen ladies present, all masked. The house was lighted with candles, with the Halloween colors, yellow and black, used in decorations.

Games and contests were planned. Mrs. Wayne Vanatta winning first prize. Miss Mary Ellen Maurer gave several piano solos for the ladies and little Miss Bee Metzger, several readings.

Luncheon of hot pork sandwiches baked beans, pumpkin pie, almonds, crulls and coffee, was served.

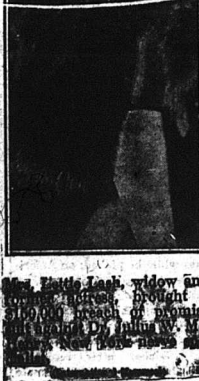
The ladies enjoying the evening together were Mrs. Sipple of Bradford, Mrs. Albert Snyder, Mrs. Russell Armstrong, Mrs. George O'Donnell, Mrs. Raymond Fetter, Mrs. Fay McManis, Mrs. Helen Brumbaugh, Mrs. Lesley Vanatta, Mrs. Wayne Vanatta, Mrs. Susie Routhahn, Miss Laura Mae Shaffer, Mrs. Mary Huffman and the hostesses.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Halloween party given by Mrs. H. N. Koon was attended by twelve couples from Dayton and nine-teen from Covington, all in mask and costume. There was quite a little merriment over the guessing as the guests of Dayton were a surprise to the guests of Covington.

500 was the diversion with dancing Jack Berryhill, Lewis Rudy, William

Asks \$150,000



Baker and Robert Hill composing the Orchestra.

Sandwiches, doughnuts, pumpkin pie and coffee were served as refreshments.

The Miami and Shelby County Medical Societies are holding a most interesting meeting Thursday of this week at the nurses Home, Piqua Memorial Hospital.

Doctors throughout the United States originated and are sponsoring the idea of periodic physical examination for everybody. Everyone can then learn if they are in good health. If not in good health, they learn the fact early and can make repairs before the part is worn out.

At this meeting on Thursday, the doctors of our two counties will divide into pairs and examine each other. It will not be merely a casual examination, but a complete physical examination. The blood pressure taken and urine examined.

F. F. Crawford M. D.
Secretary,
Miami County Medical Society

GREAT LAKE STEAMER WRECKED

Cleveland, O. Nov. 2.—The Great Lakes today were being lashed by a 70 mile gale, which had wrecked one steamer prevented three others from reaching port here and caused considerable damage to property along the shores near here.

The City of Detroit, night boat from Detroit to Cleveland, after battling with tremendous waves on her voyage, limped into port here three hours late, reporting temperatures of near-freezing and strifing seas.

The steamer Thomas Mayham, owned by the General Transit Co. of Cleveland, went aground at Two Harbors Michigan where it was being pounded to pieces by great breakers. The crew of 23 men were saved.

ATTEND GAME

Mrs. S. J. Rudy and daughter, Miss Alice, motored to Dayton, Saturday, to meet Miss Dora Rudy and her friend Miss Orandon, of Miami University, the party taking in the football game between Miami and Denison Universities. They were quite pleased with the score of 16 to 0 in favor of Miami. Miss Orandon and Miss Rudy spent Sunday at the Rudy home here.

Some Very Attractive Prices On Seasonale Items

64x76 inch Cotton Blankets	\$2.35
72x80 inch Cotton Blankets extra heavy	\$3.95
68x82 inch All Wool Blankets, good colors	\$8.65
"Snowy Owl" Quilted Comfort Cotton	95c
36 inch Outing Flannels	19c
Mens Half Wool Sweaters in Brown	\$1.69
Mens Fleece Union Suits	\$1.65
Mens Canvas Gloves	10c
Boys Knit Caps \$1.00 value	69c

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DRY GOODS

CLOTHING

VOTING LIGHT

(Continued from page 1)

Ohio two years ago—a presidential year, was 1,963,120 and 1,625,248 in 1922. Other political forecasters limited today's total vote in the Buckeye state to 1,500,000.

The polls opened at 8:30 a. m., Eastern standard time and will close at 6:30 p. m. Secretary of State Thad Brown has announced that ar arrangements have been made for speedy tabulation of election returns at his offices in the state house here tonight.

One of the most apathetic campaigns known in Ohio's political history ended Monday night with a few scattered meetings throughout the state. Donahy, who addressed a meeting at New Philadelphia, his home town, returned to Columbus today after casting his vote at the Tuscarawas county seat. Cooper ended his campaign with a talk at Marion last night, while Willis delivered an address at Kenton Due to the death of a brother, Pomereene ended his campaign activities last Saturday night.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kilian was very pleasantly celebrated by a number of relatives, Sunday, who came with well filled baskets as a surprise. Those who were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Freidlich, of Piqua, Mrs. Anna Spiller, Mr. James Hall and son Armond, of Troy Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Faun, of Indianapolis.

The table was very attractively decorated in pink and white centered with a large angel cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, also two hearts entwined being quite effective.

A number of beautiful gifts were received and were greatly appreciated. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, of Swanders, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Luckey and Mrs. Mildred Short of Piqua, Mr. Ever, Faun and daughter, Miss Mary Grace, of Bradford, Mr. Gordon Wagoner, of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. John Hecker Mr. and Mrs. Levi Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Frey and children, Miss Caryl and Ralph Marion, Mrs. Wm Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Grubb. All left at a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kilian many more years of happy wedded life.

Most Perfect Pearl

The most perfect pearl in existence is said to be one, known as "La Perle grise," in the museum of Zeilma, Morocco. It is a perfectly globular Indian pearl weighing 28 carats. The largest known pearl is one of irregular shape.

Reasoning of Conscience

Conscience is the reason, employed about questions of right and wrong, and accompanied with the sentiments of approbation or condemnation.—Whewell.

His Unlucky Port

A sailor was killed at Gulfport, when he came into contact with a live wire.—Washington Paper.

Markets

LOCAL MARKETS

Young leghorns	13c
Heavy Hens	21c
Heavy chicks	20c
Leghorn hens	19c
Heavy chicks	20c
Old roosters	7c
Ducks	17c
Geese	15c

S. J. Rudy and Sons

Wheat	\$1.25
Corn	95c
Oats; barn threshed	37c
Val Decker Packing Co.	
Calves	8c to 12c
Hogs	12.75
Stags	4 to 6c
Lambs	8 to 10c

CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER: extra 51½ and 52½; extra firsts 49 and 50; firsts 46 and 47; packing 36.

Eggs: extra 59; extra firsts, 50; firsts 47; pullet 31.

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

CHEESE: York state, 29 and 32.

POULTRY: fowls 22 and 24; roosters, 16 and 17; ducks 23 and 25; geese, 22 and 24.

Apples: Ohio 1.10 and 2.30.

POTATOES: Ohio 1.80 and 2.00

Fort Worth, Tex. Nov. 2.—The fate of the Rev. J. Frank Norris, Baptist minister, charged with the murder July 17 of D. E. Chippa, wealthy lumberman, may revert finally to the hands of twelve men good and true in a strange and distant county.

That was the prediction of defense counsel for the pastor here today as arguments were continued from yesterday on a motion for a change of venue on the charge that "Catholics and politicians" had conspired against the militant preacher, whose case was called to trial yesterday.

Prosecution does not share in this prediction. Wm. "Wild Bill" McLean, one of the special state attorneys, pointed out today that Norris, tried in 1912 on an arson charge, was not granted a change of venue; was acquitted; and an effort will be made today to read into the records of the present case the 1912 motion as combative to the present motion, McLean said.

Fifty witnesses for the defense on its motion were yet to be heard today. The highlights in yesterday's testimony against the motion was the blank denial of prosecution that Tarrant was particularly hostile to the minister.

Miss Mary Ellen Kendall and brother, Frederick, are both at home from school this week on account of illness. Miss Mary Ellen was taken ill last week at school and has had gripe. Frederick is ill with an epidemic that is now among children known as jaundice.

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