

## WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer in the west portions Tuesday.

# The News

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## Personals

Miss Laura Gaines Dicks spent the week end in Bradford, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach.

Miss Josephine Reed of Norwood, Cincinnati, was called to Covington, Saturday, on account of the death of an uncle, Mr. Walter Reed, of Piqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Heckman, of Phil. Hipsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Pearson, of West Milton, called at the Hospital to see Miss Belle Abernathy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ullery, Mr. J. W. Pearson and Mr. Russell Pearson went to Dayton, yesterday, on account of the death of Mrs. Ullery's sister, Mrs. W. H. Cassel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reed and children, Miss Josephine, Betty and Ernest attended the funeral services of Mr. Reed's brother, Walter Reed, at Piqua this afternoon.

Mr. S. N. Arni, of Bellefontaine, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Hoffmeyer, yesterday, also the supper guest of Mrs. Grace Augustine and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Rensch, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas and children were the Sunday dinner guests of Prof. and Mrs. Dale Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McConnell, of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flory and M. Wellman, of Laura were the Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Flory.

Mr. Melvin Hathaway and mother Mrs. Kate Hathaway, and Mrs. Ray Ullery of Piqua were called to Covington today on account of the very serious illness of Mrs. Ullery's father, Mr. J. A. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller, of Green ville Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Williams and daughter Miss Mary Margaret, of Piqua, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metzger and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller and daughter, Miss Betty Anne, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Borenz.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Porch, of Dayton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dicks and mother, Mrs. Laura Gaines, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Gains of Pembler, were Sunday afternoon callers at the Dicks home and at the home of Mrs. Mary Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grammer and daughter, Miss Janice, and Mrs. Forrest Grammer and daughter Miss Donna Mae, of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Long and children of Ludlow Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson, of West Milton, were the Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Miles.

## RESERVED SEATS FOR

**MINSTREL REVUE**  
Tickets will be reserved for the Minstrel Revue, Wednesday, March 16th, at the Auditorium from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m. and from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. There will be no extra charge for reserving seats. Call at Box Office at Tenth Building.

## SENIOR CLASS ENJOY PARTY

Mrs. L. A. Zahn entertained the members of the Senior Class, honoring Mrs. Helen Mohler, Friday evening. Thirty eight of the forty two Sen.iors were present. Music, cards and dancing were the diversions of the evening.

The house decorations and menu color scheme carried out the St. Patrick colors. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening.

## PERMANENT WAVING

At Walnut Street, No. 5, Gertrude Livingston, Telos 43 A. 55. Phone 284-2.

FOR SALE—1926 Buick—House—24 ft. by 30 ft., modern, with all conveniences, in Northway township, has been owned by the owner.

## PROSPECTOR FINDS DEPOSIT OF GOLD

Weepa, Nev.—An old time prospector came out of the hills today bearing a boulder of quartz plastered with free gold. It is estimated that it will run at least \$40 to the pound and is fully as rich as the one discovered by Frank Horton and Leonard Trainor the two youths who started the gold rush here when they made a strike on the ground of the Electric Gold Mines Co.

McKelvey declined to disclose the location of the new strike but admitted it was within three miles of the original strike.

McKelvey is one of the picturesque characters of these parts. He is famed for making one of the shortest campaign speeches on record.

Four years ago, while running for the Assembly, he made the following speech to the voters: "I am just working stiff. I thank you."

He and his opponent each got the same number of votes. They shook dice for the position and McKelvey lost.

Many old timers were drifting into Weepa today. There was Charlie Brandon, who cleaned up \$50,000 on the little Florence lease during the Goldfield excitement; C. K. Jarvis, who promoted the Goldfield combination that produced around eight million; Ed Harney, who has participated in almost every gold boom during the past two decades, and John Seils, who made two fortunes in Alaska placer operations.

## DEATH OF MRS. W. H. CASSEL

Mrs. W. H. Cassel, of Dayton, passed away at her home there, Saturday evening, March 12th, after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Cassel had many relatives and friends in Pleasant Hill and Covington, having been brought up in the country near Pleasant Hill. She removed to Dayton with her husband, Mr. W. H. Cassel, at the time of her marriage, where she has resided until the time of her death. She was 50 years of age.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, Mr. W. H. Cassel and son and daughter, Dr. Homer D. Cassel and Mrs. Charles W. Vernon, all of Dayton three brothers and two sisters. Will and J. E. Deeter, of Bradford, Ohio, F. Deeter of Indianapolis, Mrs. M. B. Ullery and Mrs. George Mohler, of Covington, an aunt Mrs. Christina Longnecker of Pleasant Hill.

Funeral services will be held from the home at 57 Oxford ave., Dayton, on charge of the pastor of the Euclid ave. U. B. Church, of which she was a member Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Burial will be made at Memorial Park Cemetery, north of Dayton on the Dixie Highway.

## WINS HYMN CONTEST

The Hymn Contest conducted by the Covington Music Club closed on Friday March 11, with Miss Helen Wagner of the Seventh Grade as the winner. Mrs. Rufus Worley and Miss Martha Hilde were close rivals for highest honors.

Contestants were required to recognize fifteen hymns when played, and to give the title of each hymn and name the composer of the words. In addition, each one was expected to write a biography of Lowell Mason, who composed or arranged the music of the hymns selected for the contest. Since this local test was a part of a nation wide movement toward an increasing interest in the great hymns of the Church, there will be certificates of merit awarded by the National Federation of Music Clubs to those earning high honors.

Helen Wagner, as winner, earned a grade of one hundred per cent. Others who took part were: Ruby Gobbert, Martha Hilde, Roberts, Jennings, Ruth Langels and Betty Beach from the seventh grade; also Mrs. F. A. L. Perry, Mrs. W. H. Perry, Mrs. Elmer Shaffer, and Mrs. Rufus Worley from the Covington Music Club.

Patron for the Blanche County School in Northway township has been granted by the commissioners.

## Late News Flashes

(I. N. S. Dispatches)

Calcutta—Nine persons have been killed and twenty injured in a rail road wreck 180 miles from here according to reports received today.

Wooster, O.—Forbes Albeck, 75, former Mayor here, and widely known in Odd Fellow Circles died at his home here today.

Cincinnati—Five robberies in Mt. Auburn, Cincinnati residential section were expected by police to be cleared through the questioning of a negro arrested late was said to have been in possession of many articles stolen from homes in the Mt. Auburn district recently.

Shanghai—The Canadian Pacific Liner Express of Canada collided to day in the Whampoa river with a Japanese coasting steamer, the Kinsho Maru. The Canada's prow cut into the Kinsho's engine room, killing the second engineer and scalding two Japanese firemen. The Empress of Canada will leave for Hong Kong tomorrow on schedule.

Detroit—Science today was the loser in the extraordinary fight to save the life of the five day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Choeke, who died last night. The child was operated on within an hour after birth for a ruptured abdominal wall and an acute attack of appendicitis. The other twin born apparently normal, died soon after birth.

Columbus O.—After walking from New York to Zanesville, enroute to their home at Melliston, Okla., Chas. A. Kerr and wife obtained a ride in an auto, and an hour later were patients in a hospital, here. Mrs. Kerr is about to become a mother.

At Zanesville, the hikers were given a lift to Columbus, and when entering this city the auto skidded into a telephone pole slightly injuring the driver and the Kerrs.

Lima—Because a juror "winked knowingly at an attorney," attorneys filed a motion for a new trial in the suit of R. O. Hinkle against Amos Thut.

The "winking episode" was made known by attorneys after \$588 of the jury for \$800 had been allowed to the plaintiff by the jury which refused to entertain the counterclaim of the defendant.

Toledo—Ronald Tucker died here after realizing his life's ambition at five years. Following his injury last June when he stamped out a fire in his home, Ronald confined to a nurse that life in a hospital wouldn't be so bad if he could meet a policeman.

Next day a big blue uniformed patrolman with shining brass buttons, baton, badge and whistle and thick-soled shoes came to Ronald's bed. Everyday after that a patrolman came to visit him.

Last week Ronald's twin brother cried and told his playmates, "Ronald's never going to play with me any more. He's dead."

New York—Two men were in the hospital today recovering from injuries received in a near riot at the Century Theatre yesterday when Alexander F. Kereny, President of the Provisional Government of Russia in 1917 making his first appearance on a lecture platform in the United States, was slapped in the face by a woman and had a bouquet of roses thrown into his face. Nearly 5,000 persons had gathered to hear Kereny. As he began his address Miss Catherine Barry advanced from her seat in the audience with a bouquet of red roses. Suddenly she slapped Kereny across the face, and hurled the flowers at his face.

Hiram—Youth is not responsible for the many illegal and questionable things with which it is credited. It is the older generation which offers

these things who is to blame, according to Dr. Minor Lee Bates, president of Hiram College here.

Youth takes what is offered, Dr. Bates says. It is not youth who is publishing and placing on sale salacious magazines, conducting loose and corrupt dance halls or organizing the bootleg rings. Dr. Bates said "Since time began, youth has been venturesome and has wanted to try out everything with which it came in contact; has always wanted to see how high it could climb, how close it could walk to the edge of a brink and not fall off; has wanted to take everything apart and see the inside. And youth now is just following that old path and playing with what its elders have provided," he said.

Ideals and examples, things necessary for the welfare of youth are not found in the homes of the present day as they were formerly, he said.

Luxurious living was blamed for crowding out the rigid training which used to dominate the homes.

Youngstown—Mrs. Mary Nerone, 36, is held in the city jail on a suspicion charge today, following the murder of her husband, Charles, 40, here late Sunday. Police say the woman has confessed shooting her husband to death following a quarrel, during which she claimed her husband chased her with a razor and a revolver. In a scuffle she obtained possession of the revolver and shot her husband through the heart and body four times, it was stated.

## FORD WINS POINT IN SAPIRO SUIT

Detroit—Henry Ford won the first round today in the \$10,000,000 libel suit brought against him by Aaron Sapiro, Chicago attorney, when Federal Judge Fred S. Raymond refused to allow the plaintiff to amend his complaint, against the multi-millionaire auto king.

Attorneys for Sapiro sought to bring Ford's repeated attacks on Jews directly into the case.

The court denied this move by declaring his ruling would not involve the presentation of evidence. This gave Sapiro a loophole through which he can introduce Ford's attack on the Jews.

The libel suit grew out of a series of articles in Ford's Dearborn Independent, which charged Sapiro, who has organized hundreds of Farmers Cooperative Associations was a part of an international Jewish conspiracy. His attorneys cited one article which read: "The Sapiro plan is merely a scheme by which the international banking ring may come into control of the agricultural wealth of the United States and exploit the farmers." Because of this charge Sapiro's attorneys sought to show that Ford has so attacked the Jews as to give the word "Jewish" a sinister meaning.

## FINAL PAYMENT ON ORGAN

The members of the Ladies Aid Society of St. John's Lutheran Church rejoicing over the fact that their handsome sweet toned pipe organ is now paid for, final payment in full being made this week.

The two manual Moehler organ was installed in May 1925 after the remodeling of the church. When installed the Society, who assumed the purchase of the organ, still owed \$1500. It was with the five notes of equal amounts to be paid within five years. But the notes are now paid with interest in less than two years.

The members of the Aid have worked hard and are grateful to all the members of that congregation for assistance rendered. They also are grateful for some individual gifts from outside the congregation, and thank the public in general for patronage at their functions and that of the Ladies Aid.

## COMMISSION STARTS WORK ON RADIO

Will Seek to Unscramble Broadcasting—First Formal Session Tomorrow.

(G. E. S. Dispatches)

Washington—Members of the new Federal Radio Board met informally today to consider the gigantic job of unscrambling the radio broadcasting jumble.

Today's session preceded the first formal session tomorrow. Several major jobs must be accomplished before the listener gets any benefit of regulation.

1 Division of the country into radio zones within which broadcasting stations will have wave length separation of at least ten kilocycles.

2 Shift of American stations from wave lengths allotted to Canadian and Cuban broadcasters.

3 Determination of what stations must reduce their power and station of the question of time division to eliminate simultaneous operation on similar wave lengths of nearby or powerful stations.

4 Determination of what stations must be allocated.

Scientific research shows that 300 stations properly divided geographically and by kilocycle frequency may operate in the United States without serious interference.

The new commission faced a situation where 700 stations are on the air nightly.

Despite the cry against monopoly the commission will be forced to eliminate some of the excessive competition if radio is to survive members said.

The Commission in determining what stations will be licensed, will give preference to stations longest on the air which are offering the public high class entertainment.

Thus, it is understood, such stations such as KDKA, Pittsburgh, WJAF New York, WGY Schenectady, WEZ Springfield; WJZ New York; WBBH Chicago; WLW Cincinnati; WSB of Atlanta; WJW Detroit; WMBG Miami Beach; WSMR, New Orleans; WABC, Cincinnati KFKI, Hastings, Neb; KOA Denver; KFO San Francisco; KGO Oakland; KFI Los Angeles and other well known broadcasters would have preferential standing.

The position of stations which have "taken the air" since last July when Attorney General Sargent ruled the government was without authority to regulate broadcasting is uncertain. The right to higher power and new wave lengths assumed by older stations since that time is questioned by the commission.

Radio listeners are demanding that steps be taken so that the entertainment formerly furnished by some of the foreign stations again be made available. Excellent programs are put on the air nightly by the string of stations operated by Canadian national railroads—the CNR group by the Montreal Star, the Cuban Telephone Co. PWX and SKW of Cuba, while possessors of the better sets occasionally tune into the Mexico City station.

Wave lengths of most of these stations have been occupied by American broadcasters during the past six months.

## HAPPY HOLLOW FIDDLERS

ON WLW TONIGHT AT 7:30  
Cincinnati—Old time barn dance music put over by the famous Happy Hollow Entertainers will be on the air over Croisley WLW every Monday night for the week, at 7:30 o'clock. This special feature begins tonight and if it proves popular may be continued after the first three weeks.

The feature is featured by the Tri-State Butter Co. and is intended especially for farmers.

## RETURNS FROM NEW YORK

Mr. Con F. Dress returned Saturday from New York City, where he spent the past few weeks at the great "Toy Fair" where a thousand Toy manufacturers are represented. The Fair is visited by wholesale and retail dealers from all over the United States, and Mr. Dress reports a fine business with him.

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Today's Radio  
Program

(Eastern Standard Time)

## Today's Program

(L. W. S. Dispatch)

WEAF—New York, "Fidelio" by the  
Grand Opera Company at 10:00.  
WBAD—Milwaukee, 8:30 Bill Benning  
and his Concert Ensemble.  
WGHF—Detroit, 9:30 Instrumental  
ists; 8:30 Grand Opera Hour.  
WTAM—Cleveland, 9:00 A. & P. Gyp.  
WBO—Des Moines 9:00 The Sure  
service Band and Soprano Soloist  
WSAI—Cincinnati, 11:00 Orchestra  
from Hotel Elton.  
WMC—Memphis, 8:30 Melody Meters  
WGR—Buffalo, 10:00 Hawaiian In-  
semble of A. A. Berry Seed Co.  
WBAP—Fort Worth 9:30 Grapevine  
Fiddle Band (hired band)

## Tomorrow's Program

WGR—Buffalo, 30 Male Quartet of  
the Smet-Solvay Company.  
WJLB—New York, 10:45 Leon  
Isaacs, piano.  
WBAP—Fort Worth 9:30 Bob Sween-  
ey, baritone.  
WEAO—Columbus 8:45 Music of In-  
dia.  
WJB—Detroit 8:00 Jean Goldkette's  
Dance Orchestra.  
CNRV—Vancouver, B. C. 9:00 Special  
Feature Program from Strand  
Theatre.  
WCW—Omaha 9:00 Program under  
auspices of G. H. Le Co. musical.  
WSAI—Cincinnati 9:00 Eveready  
Hour from New York.  
WBAL—Baltimore 10:00 Municipal  
Band of Baltimore; 11:00 Dance  
Orchestra.  
WIBS—Louisville 7:30 Carl Zoeller's  
Melodists.

LATE NEWS  
FLASHES

(L. W. S. Dispatch)

Shanghai—The Cantonese forces  
under General Chiang Kai-Shek to-  
day launched their supreme effort for  
the control of Shanghai and the mil-  
lions of customs revenue collected at  
China's chief seaport. A tremendous  
battle is in progress in the vicinity  
of Wukiang.

Sandusky—The departure of Pelee  
Island, Canada Lake Erie today, of  
George Konsens, of Napoleon, owner  
of a large tract of island land, re-  
vived rumors that work will start  
shortly on a large hotel planned to  
house the thirty thousands who it is  
figured will make their way to the  
Island from the Ohio mainland, dur-  
ing the coming summer, is promised.  
Canadian wet laws prove to be all  
that is expected.

Detroit—Robert Abbott, 41, a mar-  
ried man with three children, and  
Mrs. Ruth Moore, 22, wife and  
mother of two children, who are said  
to have deserted their mates and fam-  
ilies in Streator, Ill., are to be sub-  
jected to a federal investigation to-  
day. They were arrested at the  
Windsor Ferry last night and will be  
turned over to the Department of  
Justice agents who will conduct a  
probe probably leading to prosecu-  
tion on charges of violating the Mann

## EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



Cleveland—A life, and approxi-  
mately \$6,000 in loot, was the toll here  
today, taken by yeggmen, working  
in two different sections of the city  
Sunday night.

Jasper Russel, night watchman for  
the Parrish and Bingham plant of the  
Midland Steel Products Co., was mur-  
dered during an unsuccessful attempt  
by safe-crackers to open a safe in  
the firm's office. His body was  
found on the lawn in front of the  
office with a bullet wound in the  
head.

At the home of Rubin Bruner safe-  
blowers obtained about \$6,000 worth  
of jewelry after blowing the safe.

New York—While police of four  
states today continued their search  
for 15-year-old Mary Cabell daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Bartel Cabell, promi-  
nent New York and Virginia family  
who has been missing since last Wed-  
nesday, the police are confident that  
she remained in the city, possibly  
under an assumed name.

She has been sorrowing over the  
death of her brother Lt. P. F. Cabell  
of the Army Air Service, who was  
killed in Texas, Feb. 15. It is feared  
that she may have taken her life in  
a state of melancholia.

London—One of the postal mail  
carriers out of London postoffice re-  
ports a new style in stamping letters  
to be sent through the mail.

Recently their carrier picked up a  
letter on a rout from London to be  
sent to a southern state and found the  
stamp had been sewed on the envelope.

BIG MOTOR LINER HAS  
PLAYBOY IN FUNNEL

Southampton—The world's largest  
and latest motor liner, the Alcantara,  
a 22,900 ton liner ship to the Austar-  
las, is on her maiden voyage to South  
America. She sailed from here on  
March 4th.

Two Diesel engines of 20,000 h.p.  
consume 70 tons of fuel oil per day,  
but there is little to indicate that  
the twin propellers are doing 100  
revolutions per minute at a 16 knot  
speed.

The builders, Harland and Wolff's  
believe these oil driven engines will  
soon drive the steamship from the  
 seas. But the ships still carry funnels.

BULLFROGS SING LULLABY  
FOR INDIANA FARMER

Laporte, Ind.—A chorus of 100,000  
frogs in a well lulls the slumberers of  
Edward Chambers, 73, of Westville,  
every night. Chambers, one of the  
most unique farmers in the United  
States, raises the frogs in an old well  
forty five feet deep, and sells their  
legs to kiddle the palates of fastid-  
ious diners.

Years ago Chambers started out in  
the frog business along the banks of  
the Kanabec river, with no capital  
other than a few dollars with which to  
buy a harpoon. Armed with the har-  
poon he would set out through the  
marshes at night, spearing frogs.  
When his business became too exten-  
sive to supply the demand for leg-

he conceived the idea of growing  
them in the abandoned well on his  
farm.

Now he grows all varieties of the  
amphibians from the smaller kinds  
to the huge jumbo croakers. The  
frogs live mostly on the insects  
they catch Chambers says, but he  
feeds them a special diet of meal  
mixed with scraps from the butcher  
shops. He finds their chief recommend-  
ation as a crop in the fact that they  
are almost never sick and that they  
yield large returns for the amount of  
time and money expended.

"Their croakings don't bother me,"  
Chambers said, "it did a bit at first  
but now it helps me to sleep with a  
rumbling like a huge croaker. The  
people that live in cities get used to  
the noise of elevated trains so that  
they couldn't sleep or feel natural  
without it. I am the same way with  
the sound of the croaking of a hundred  
thousand frogs under my window at  
night."

Chambers makes a complete turn-  
over in his frog stock. He raises a  
complete crop every twelve months.

Steamboat Spings, Colo.—Steam-  
boat Spings boast one citizen who  
has thrown off the yoke of commercial  
ism, chosen romance as his guiding  
star, and risen to fame as a soldier  
of fortune General Dudley S. Swine-  
hart, military advisor of Marshall  
Ching Tso Lin, the great baron of  
Manchuria.

Gen. Swinehart has been in this  
country conferring with officials in  
Washington on secret matters per-  
taining to the Chinese situation.

Friends here received word that  
a plot to behead the youthful general  
was frustrated by his sudden depart-  
ure for America.

General Swinehart came to Color-  
ado with his parents when only 5,  
and lived on a ranch in Steamboat  
Springs. When Dudley was 14, his  
father, then superintendent of a

state fish hatchery and prominent in  
state affairs, started out on a hunting  
trip and was never heard of again. It  
is thought he was lost in a severe  
snow storm which swept that region.

A chance soon came to go to Pan-  
ama to work on the canal, then build-  
ing, and Dudley took it. His brother  
Charles Swinehart, was boss of a  
large construction gang in the Zone  
and was killed in an accident soon  
after young Dudley arrived.

After working on the canal, the  
call of Central America took Dudley  
to Nicaragua, where, at almost any  
time a promising young American  
can find fighting and romance. He  
found the former in abundance, tak-  
ing part in an uprising.

After the revolution Swinehart  
finished his technical education grad-  
uating in civil engineering from Clem-  
son college, in South Carolina.

Returning to Latin America, he  
had charge of a railroad construction  
job in Peru, where he worked for two  
years, when the world war broke out.  
At Camp Sherman, Swinehart was  
commissioned a lieutenant, and later  
served in China.

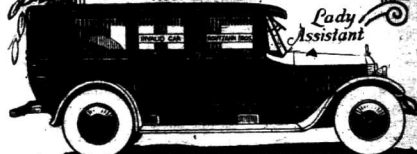
It was there that acquaintance with  
a college classmate brought him into  
contact with the great war lord of  
north China, Chang Tso Lin. Favor-  
ably impressed with the young engi-  
neering officer, Chang made him his  
chief engineer of a Manchurian rail-  
road.

Swinehart has lived with the famed  
baron ever since and during recent  
disturbances, has been advanced to  
the rank of general serving as chief  
military advisor to the great leader.

General Swinehart writes to his  
friends in Steamboat Springs that  
Chang Tso Lin is a marvelous leader  
and a great character in the develop-  
ment of his nation. His power is un-  
limited, and he is apparently a fixture  
in Chinese politics.

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erating with the Federal Re-  
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# Minstrel Revue, March 17-18th

## FORMING LINES FOR STIRRING BATTLE

List of Republican Gubernatorial Candidates Is Heavy and Growing.

### PROMINENT MEN MENTIONED

Democrats in More Hopeful Situation. Donahay For U. S. Senate.

Columbus, O., March (Special Correspondence).—Ohio Republicans are to face a plethora of candidates seeking the nomination for governor next year. The large number which has graced the contests in the two last gubernatorial primary campaigns will seem as trifling as a ten cent piece at a dollar banquet.

Including those, who are regarded as practically in the race and those who are suggested as of gubernatorial timber, the list reaches some 20.

The first group includes Congressman James T. Begg, of the 18th District; Myers Y. Cooper, of Cincinnati, defeated in the election of last November; former Lieutenant Governor Charles H. Lewis, Upper Sandusky, who was a candidate in 1926, until the primaries drew near; former Secretary of State Thad Brown, who remained in the race until the close and was second to Myers Y. Cooper in the number of votes received and former State Director of Agriculture L. J. Taber, now Master of the National Grange. Mr. Taber has been prominently mentioned in the past two primary contests but other interests prevented him from making a campaign. He has now decided to place himself among the list of candidates, if the call is sufficiently strong to offer hope of success.

Classed among these in the preferred list may also be placed former Supreme Court Judge George H. Clark of Canton, who has received no little consideration at the hands of party leaders; Congressman John G. Cooper, of Youngstown, representing the 14th district, whose strength with the dyes and women's organizations is recognized and former State Treasurer Harry S. Day, of Fremont, who was also a candidate with a creditable showing in the primaries of 1926.

This constitutes the names of those in front rank, who are regarded in all ways as candidates, lacking only public announcement. It includes men of rank, ability, and high prominence and is sufficiently formidable to promise excitement and a generous contest at the polls.

**In The Next Glass.**  
The second list, including those who are suggested as having fitting qualifications, is larger than the other by a considerable number. It opens the gates and bids all enter. Nearly every Republican congressman in the state has his name on the slate. Of course some will be erased but enough to awaken public interest and provoke an interesting contest will remain.

Outside the list of men another name has come in of such importance as to cause no little flutter of comment. This is State Senator Chester C. Bolton of Cleveland, the Republican floor leader in the upper branch of the legislature, a successful business man of large interests and an executive of uncommon skill. The Senator has not announced himself, is shy as a bashful boy at a red ear corn husking bee, but would not refuse the nomination if it came up to shake hands with him and held out the open door, with welcome on the mat. He could easily become a most formidable candidate and if the wishes of friends are followed will be drawn into the fray of the primary.

With such a company of men, also directly seeking the gubernatorial nomination or waiting on the outside in a hopeful attitude, it requires no elastic mind to picture the battle field of next year and the disappointed hopes, with which it will be strewn.

It is impossible to stand 30 men up with a nomination of such high honor as the mark and prevent all but one from hitting the bulls-eye. The result depends upon the one who shoots the straightest.

This represents the opinion of one who has been in the game for some time.

The Democratic viewpoint presents a different picture. It is regarded as certain Governor Donahay will not seek another term as chief executive of the state. He will probably not be immune to further political honors but it will be as a member of the United States Senate and not again as the head of the state government. Congressman Fletcher, of Marion, and John McSweeney, of Wooster, have been mentioned as candidates on the Democratic side but as soon as their names are suggested a friend rises to say, "No, we want him for the United States Senate and not for Governor." So these men, eminent in the party and trained in service, are looked upon as candidates for the Senate and not as desiring to be in the chair of Ohio's chief executive.

Based on the outlook, as it presents itself, and this is taken from expressions of a large number of leaders, the man now leading on the Democratic side for the gubernatorial nomination is Martin L. Davey, of Kent, Portage county, representing the 14th Ohio District in Congress.

Many arguments are presented in Davey's behalf but most potent among these is the fact that although living in a Republican district he has been elected as a Democrat for several terms.

Moreover he is regarded as the leader in the country in the rapidly developing trend towards national conservation.

But Davey is in Congress. He seems to be enjoying it and gives us no evidence of longing for any other place. He does not declare himself on the gubernatorial matter.

"I am in Congress now and my first duty is to my present constituents. When the time comes I may have a statement to make regarding the gubernatorial situation. But I do not feel that time has arrived."

Bolled down to a simple proposition it would appear that Davey is in the lead but he cannot be considered an avowed candidate until he stands up in class and says so.

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## Heroic Uruguayan Fliers Land in Ocean; Swim Ashore; Become 'Guests' of Roving Moors of the African Wastes



Major Larre-Borges and his companions in the Uruguayan trans-Atlantic flight, fell into the hands of wandering Moors after their plane crashed near Cape Jube, Africa, and they swam ashore. The Moors were friendly, and although they were expected to demand a "reward," they marched them to civilization. The map shows Cape Ghir, where white searchers started their hunt for the heroic adventurers, and Cape Jube, near where their plane fell. Below is shown a typical Moorish chieftain, such as became host to the fliers, and a typical Moorish camp, similar to the ones in which the men were quartered on their march to civilization.

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## Late News

(J. E. S. Dispatch)

**New York—An exhibition of some fifty paintings by Ohio-born women is on exhibition at Guenther's Gallery this month. Several Cleveland artists are presented including Miss May Ames, Miss Nina Waldeck, Adele Pollack and Grace Walsh Toaldo has five contributors, Mrs. Grace Rhodes Dean, Miss Helen Miles, Miss Lulu Swell, Mrs. Kate Lamb and Mrs. Frank Maxwell. Akron is represented by Charlotte Huff.**

One of the outstanding canvasses is a portrait of Edwin Markham by Elizabeth Gowdy Baker, who was born in Xenia. It is a large water-color and she is said to be the only woman painting life-size portraits in this medium.

Mrs. Rhodes Dean displays two paintings of note, "Allan Cunningham" and "Clifford." Miss Ames has two large

landscapes and Miss Waldeck contributes a clever picture of boats. Miss Walsh has a floral piece.

### STATEMENT OF MIAMI COUNTY TOURNAMENT

The following statement of the receipts from the Basket Ball tournament is furnished for publication by the secretary of the Miami County Athletic Association, Mr. D. E. Carpenter.

Total receipts, \$1375.34.  
Disbursements:  
State Association, \$50.00  
Pleasant Hill 30 percent of gross receipts, \$412.50  
Executive committee expense, \$30.  
Ticket sellers, \$50.  
Meals and traveling expense of the team, \$149.92  
Pleasant Hill 20 percent of the remainder \$129.42  
Left in the County Arm., \$559.90  
Divided equally among the schools, \$446.20  
Amount each team received for expenses and share of receipts:  
Rehoboth, \$77.11

Bradford, \$53.19  
Brown, \$53.31  
Covington, \$49.99  
Leona-Corvett, \$55.97  
Lost Creek, \$65.69  
Stanton, \$64.31  
Twp City, \$68.15  
West Milton, \$51.27  
Pleasant Hill, \$47.45  
Pleasant Hill paid out of her share the referees, police, halls, heat, rent on building etc. \$130.00

### EASTER MARKET!

When you are planning your Easter dinner don't forget about the Easter Market.

The Ladies of the Church of the Epiphany at Pleasant Hill will supply your needs on Saturday April 14th.

### SERVICE

Leave your pass-book for baptism; get it in the morning. Lots of them we baptize while you wait. How is that for Service.

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## Pleasant Hill

Reported by Gertrude Martin  
Telephone 3 on 10

Mrs Jesse Beery and children, Miss Laura, Beecher and Mr Ray Beery spent Saturday in Dayton.

The re-decorating of the Church of the Brethren, was begun today. New carpet will also be purchased.

Mr and Mrs Frank Morton, of Tippencanoe City, called at the home of Mrs Clara Morton yesterday after noon.

Mr and Mrs Vardin Thompson and daughter, Miss Caroline Louise spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs Ed Thompson, in Sugar Grove.

Mr and Mrs John Herbst spent Sunday in Covington, as the guests of their daughter and husband Mr and Mrs Sam Ross.

Rev. and Mrs J. C. Flora and daughter, Miss Mary Mr and Mrs W. H. Alspaugh and son, Joe, and Charles McCool were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Seagr.

Mr and Mrs Charles Long entertained Sunday dinner, Mr and Mrs Frank Long, Mr and Mrs Irvin Long, Mr and Mrs Hubert Long and Mr and Mrs Omer Schultz and daughter, Miss Marjorie Anne.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Schuesslin and daughter, Miss Anna Jean, spent Saturday in Piqua as the guests of Mrs Schuesslin's parents Mr and Mrs Frank Croy.

Mr J. A. Robinson and son Paul, were the Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs G. W. Minnich, at their home in West Milton. Dean Minnich, of Oxford University, was also a guest at the Minnich home.

Dr and Mrs W. A. Woodhouse entertained Sunday guests Dr Woodhouse's parents and sisters, Mr and Mrs Fred Woodhouse, Fred Jr., Clarence and Miss Addie, of Columbus, all enjoying a pleasant day together.

Miss Laura Beery went to Lima, yesterday where she will meet Mr Fred Eastman of Chicago, who will be in Lima this week to lecture to a group of Women's Clubs, upon the subject of "Religious Education and Drama."

Mr Vardin Thompson, Harry Lee Holloway, Kenneth Deeter and Leonard Robbins attended the Basketball Tournament, at Dayton, Saturday afternoon and evening. They witnessed all the games and saw Miami City, through the Tippencanoe Basket Ball team, given first place in the Class B High Schools of the Northwestern Sectional district of the State.

## Ruled from Bed



Thomas L. Ray, Mayor of Newark, N. J., is something of an autocrat, but his city has kept him for its Mayor for twelve years. Now, after five months in bed, refusing to have a doctor, he will appoint a deputy.

## Can Hidalgo Be Prejudiced?



Calvin Coolidge does not stand high in the estimation of Louis Hidalgo, Mexican sculptor, or the wax man. Either of these may be the conclusion after viewing his wax caricature, exhibited at the Independent Artists' exhibit in New York.

(International News)

## Local News

Mr R. G. Martin, of Fremont, spent the week end with his family.

Mr and Mrs Lynn Brown, of Green ville spent yesterday afternoon with Mr and Mrs J. Guy O'Donnell.

Mr and Mrs Warren Buchanan and son, Robert, Mr Herbert Buchanan and son Harold, and Mrs Breece, all of Piqua, were the Sunday dinner and evening guests of Mr and Mrs G. M. Simms.

Miss Hilda Kinney and brother, Robert, have returned to school but have not yet gone to their home. They will stay for several weeks with Mr and Mrs R. M. Deeter, of S. Pearl Street.

### DAUGHTER BORN

Born to Mr and Mrs Orie Ingie, Saturday, a baby girl.

### BIRTHDAY HONORED

Mrs Arthur Maier entertained to a family dinner, yesterday, honoring the birthday of her husband. The guests were Mr and Mrs C. B. Maier, Mr and Mrs Walter Leo Maier and family. The table decorations carried out the St Patrick color scheme.

All enjoyed a very pleasant day together.

### A & P. GROCERY CLOSED

The A & P Grocery Store which has done business in Covington for the past two years has been closed, and will not operate in Covington in the future.

The Store has been taken to Piqua where the Company has another store.

### TONSILECTOMY

The little son of Mr and Mrs Frank Hess was brought to the Covington Hospital this morning where an operation was performed for the removal of his tonsils.

He is getting along alright at this writing.

### JOHNNY HINES IN BROWN

DERBY IS BIG LAUGH

People who enjoy a good laugh will not want to miss Johnny Hines in "The Brown Derby" which is just one big roar after another, recording to the advance notices.

This laugh provoking comedian is to be on the screen at the Favorite Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The picture is adapted from the musical comedy play by Brian Marlowe and the story is by Bert Wheeler.

### GUESTS AT COUNCIL BANQUET

The Sunday School Co. of the Christian Church at Pleasant Hill have been invited to Covington to a special program and Banquet, to be given in their honor.

A very fine musical program has been arranged and Rev Ralph M. Fox of Cincinnati, now substituting for Dr Montgomery of the Piqua Presbyterian Church, will give an address.

The tables and program will bring out in color and song the St. Patrick season.

Sometimes it seems as though whoever is running the earthquakes had a grudge against Japan.

One reason why a man can be in the wide open spaces is because there are so few of him that it isn't profitable for the bootlegger to invade his domain.

A stranger in New York can recognize the "swell" places by the padlocks.

## For Brother



A few minutes before he was scheduled to leave for match with Penn State, Murray Israel, nineteen, captain of the New York University boxing team, gave blood to save an injured brother's life. Although he was out of the tournament, the youth was satisfied that his sacrifice was small.

# New Low Prices on COAL

HARD COAL Chestnut Size	\$16.00
CHESTNUT COKE	\$10.50
FIRE KING LUMP	\$ 7.75
WINNIFRED, W. Va. LUMP	\$ 7.75
ELKHORN, Ky. Small Lump, for cookstove	\$7.00

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## News Flashes

(L. H. S. Dispatch)

Marsfield—Joseph Stout, 60, was to be arraigned on a murder charge here today following the death of Lawrence Cowell, 24, who died in a hospital Saturday night following an argument in the home of Mrs Winsaid Houston, mother of the slain man.

Cincinnati—Two men were being held here pending further investigation of the murder of Mrs Mayne McGee, 30, of Mt. Orab, near here, who died of knife wounds Sunday without disclosing the name of her slayer.

The woman was conscious when found by her husband, Louis McGee, but refused to talk of the attack made upon her.

Sheriff J. H. McCallum said today that no progress had been made in an investigation, but that two men, one of them the dead woman's husband, were being held for questioning.

Ligonier, Pa.—Fire believed to have been of incendiary origin swept the town Wilpen, near here, early today. Burned the small daughter of George Wilson to death and caused probably fatal to his wife, according to reports received here.

The flames destroyed six houses, first reports said, and did many thousands of dollars damage.

First reports were that a bootlegger's feud, was responsible for the fire.

Joliet—Two Chicago convicts were recaptured and one, possibly two into the man hunt, early reports in bullets in a sensational break for liberty at the Joliet penitentiary today.

With all available guards pressed into the man hunt, early reports indicated that not more than three or four escaped in all and two of these were recaptured.

More than 150 convicts were working in the stone quarry at Stateville when the break was made. Guards herded the remaining members of gang back to the prison while sirens and gongs launched a man hunt for the escaping convicts.

Pittsburgh—Police today spread by telegrams a network of guards along the international boundary reaching from Detroit to Erie in an effort to apprehend a gang believed to be the one responsible for the bombing and robbery of the Pittsburgh terminal coal company armored pay car near here Friday, in which five guards were injured and \$104,000 taken.

Police in Detroit, Erie, Buffalo, and several Canadian cities were notified to be on the lookout for five men believed to have fled this vicinity Saturday night after police arrested two suspects in the city.

The path of the glaring leads but to the grave.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

### Beer Lures Insect Pest

When it was reported at a meeting of the town council at Bedwas, England, that the township of Trethomas was overrun with black beetles, the medical officer of health said that a good way of trapping the beetles was to place a bowl of beer in the kitchen at night.

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### LOCAL MARKETS

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Heavy chickens, 19c  
Heavy hens, 23c  
Leghorn hens, 16c  
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### GRAIN

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Wheat \$1.50  
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### OGS 37c

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Calves, 8 to 12c  
Hogs, \$11.50  
Pigs, 5 to 8  
Lamb, 8 to 10