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PAINESVILLE TELEGRPAH Painesville, Ohio H. C. Gray, Editor

Jan. 7, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 A mysterious suicide occurred last Saturday night. Early on Sunday morning when Wm. Downing who resides two miles north of Wooster, went to his barn to feed his stock, he found suspended from a beam in the upper part of his barn a man with life wholly extinct. The coroner was sent for and took charge of the body. The only information obtained of the deceased is that on Saturday evening he came to the Eagle House, left his bundle but did not take lodgings, and informed Mr. Hamilton, the Landlord, that he was from Canada. A daguerreotype likeness of the dead stranger was taken and may be seen in the Probate office. Wooster Republican

p. 3 Major L. S. Stockwell left here Thursday for New Orleans to assume his post as paymaster of the Navy.

Poisoned – Three members of the Burdicott family, living on the North Ridge, in Madison have been by some means poisoned—one has died and two others it is feared will not recover.

Streeter, the Madison murderer, has been recaptured and his now chained to the floor of his cell in Medina jail, awaiting his execution.

Dr. Rodney Mathews exhibited to us the other day a model on which he has obtained a patent, of a kneeling Bench and Book holder, for churches.

The old settlers of Lake Co. are passing off the stage of action. Elsewhere, we record the death of Ansyl Wilson. He came from Conn. to Concord 40 years ago. He has left several children.

The 29th in Command of Col. Fitch has arrived in Cleveland from Chattanooga (200-300 men) for a 30 day furlough.

The funeral of John Shelby was held in the Catholic Church last Saturday in the village. He was mortally wounded at Chancellorsville and taken to a hospital in Washington, where he died last May, and his remains were forwarded here last week. He was a member of Co. D, 7th Ohio, having enlisted when the Co. first left Painesville. He leaves a mother.

Died in Concord Dec. 20, Ansyl Wilson age 70. Died in Wayne, Henry Co., Iowa, on the morning of the 21st ultimo of lung fever, Dea. Sylvester Smith, age 77, formerly of Madison, Ohio.

Lucina Gage, guardian of Alta L. Gage, will be selling land in Madison.

Abigail Rust is adm. of Truman H. Rust, late of Lake Co. deceased.

Special message to Congress from the President. By a joint resolution of your honorable bodies approved Dec. 23, 1863, the practice of the War Dept. of paying bounties to veteran soldiers is to the extent of \$300 in each case prohibited after Jan. 5. I earnestly recommend the law to be modified to allow bounties to be paid as they now are until Feb. 1.

Henry G. Williams, adm. of Lemuel G. Storrs, deceased, will be selling land in Painesville.

Probate Court

Harvey Woodworth, guardian of George G., Willis B., and Mary J. Willard, 2nd account.

J. P. Sherer adm. of Jemima Johnson, final account.

Almon O. and Eliza C. Cottrell, adm. of Roswell D. Cottrell, final account.

Edwin D. Warner, adm. of John Haines, 1st account.

Henry G. Williams, executor of Henry Williams, 1st account.

A. P. Barber, guardian of Clarence L. Barber, 6th account.

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George G. Clapp, guardian of Frank E. Page, 2nd account.

Aaron Wilcox, Guardian of Charles L. Williams, final account.

Ziba Stearns, adm. of Abijah Stearns, final account.

Rodney E. Allison, executor of Mary Allison, final account.

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p. 3 Col. A. Stocking has been appointed Marshal of the village of Painesville in the room of O. Dunnegan, resigned.

At the annual meeting of the Lake Co. Agricultural Society held last Saturday, the following officers were elected:

Pres. - Geo. Anderson

Vice Pres. - H. N. Carter

Treas. – C. L. Hoyt

Sec. - D. W. Mead

Directors – J. Storrs, J. L. Parmly, H. Paine, W. Ackley, H. C. Camp, E. Crocker, A. E. Sanborn, D. T. Boyington

Names of Principal and Teachers of the Painesville Union Schools:

High School – M. J. Oatman, Principal Miss Augusta Hawley, Asst.

First Grammar School – Miss Cornelia Saunders, Principal

Miss Libbie House, Asst.

Second Grammar - Miss Sarah Palmer

Secondary Schools – No. 1 Cornelia P. Everitt; No. 2 Miss Kate Chesney; No. 3 Miss Libbie Clayton

Primary Schools - No. 1 Miss Jennie Plimpton; No. 2 Miss Eliza Paine; No. 3 Miss Marietta Williams

The trial of Jacob Barringer, of Madison, for manslaughter has commenced in Common Pleas Court.

Death is busy among the old settlers of Lake County. Within the last few weeks quite a number of the prominent early settlers have departed to that 'bourne from where no traveler returns.' Mrs. Sally M. Paine, consort of Charles M. Paine, deceased, died in this village on the 31st ultimo, age 67 years. Mrs. Paine had lived in this town 63 years, where she has left several children and numerous grandchildren besides hosts of relatives and friends to mourn her departure.

Mr. Jonathan Root, of Mentor, died Jan. 5th. He lived on the same farm where he died a period of 60 years. He died at the ripe old age of 81.

Elsewhere we publish a notice of the death of Mr. S. T. Booth, and old resident of Kirtland.

Married in Grand Rapids, Mich., at the residence of the bride on the 6th instant, Geo. W. Allen and Mrs. Betsey B. Church, both of the above place.

Married Richmond Jan. 7th, Mr. M. Malone and Mrs. S. French.

Married Jefferson on the 31st ultimo, Geo. W. Julian, of Indiana, to Laura A., daughter of Hon. Jerusha R. Gibbings.

Married on the 9th instant at the house of J. J. Decker, in Perry, Mr. Jacob Haury and Miss Anna Uebersax.

Died on the 5th instant in Mentor, Jonathan Root Esq., age 81. He was one of the very earliest pioneers of Northern Ohio, having come to Ohio in 1803 when Ohio was almost an unbroken forest. For 60 years he had lived on the same farm where he died. He was a native of Hebron, Conn.

Died of congestion of the lungs in Kirtland on the 10th instant, Samuel Terry Booth, age 77. The deceased was born in Richmond, Mass. Feb. 26, 1787 and moved to Chautauqua Co., N.Y., where he lived 19 years. He was a volunteer in the War of 1812. He lived in this township the last 30 years of his life.

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Died at White Pigeon, Mich., Dec. 20, 1863, Truman H. Rust, age 51 yrs., 8 mos., 3 days. Mr. Rust left his home in Concord on Dec. 8 expecting to be absent most of the winter on business. A few days after he left, his family received a letter informing them of his safe arrival in Michigan. The next information received was that of his sudden death. He was taken sick on the night of the 16th and died on the night of the 20th, of inflammation of the lungs and heart disease. He leaves a wife and four children. Mrs. Rust brought her husband's body home the 23rd. Mr. Rust was a native of Litchfield, Conn. He moved to Concord 27 years ago and 3 years afterwards was married.

Died Madison, Ohio, Dec. 29, 1863, of palsy, Rebecca G., wife of Oliver Fowler, age 57 yrs.

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- **p. 1** An Irishman named Michael Fee, a resident of Youngstown, was intoxicated and had a fight with a man named Edward Brush, whose parents reside in Pittsburgh, Pa. Brush shot Fee during the fight and Fee died. Brush was arrested. Fee leaves a wife and one child.
- **p. 3** An error occurred in the names of the Board of Directors of the Agricultural Comm., we give it corrected:
- J. Storrs, J. L. Parmly, Don Williams, W. Ackley, H. C. Camp, E. Crocker, A. E. Sanborn, D. T. Boyington.

Weather: The Storm – A severe northeast snow storm commenced here on Monday and continued until Tuesday evening—the wind blowing most of the time a perfect gale—piling up snow in some places 5 or 6'—blocking the railroad trains and everything else of a movable kind. The "oldest inhabitant" never remembers witnessing such a storm.

Common Pleas Court

State of Ohio vs Jacob Barranger, manslaughter, not guilty

State of Ohio vs Wm. M. Godley – grand larceny. He was charged with stealing \$100 U.S. money from his father-n-law, John Page last Dec. 5. Found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary to hard labor for one year and to pay costs. The next day his attorney entered a nolle as to the charge of grand larceny, and the prisoner Godley plead guilty to petty larceny and was fined \$10 and sentenced to the county jail on bread and water for 20 days.

State of Ohio vs. George Polly of Harpersfield for stealing harnesses and buffalo robes in Perry; plead guilty and was sentenced to pay \$85 and costs and to be imprisoned in county jail for ten days on bread and water.

State of Ohio vs John Groll indicted for assault and battery of John Smith, plead guilty and fined \$10 and costs.

List of Deaths in Thompson during 1863

Feb. 7 Alonso Hulbert, 6th OVC in Hospital near Philadelphia, age 19

Feb. 17 Capt. Elihu Emmons, age 84

Feb. 20 Emma Proctor, age 13 months

Feb. 27 Mrs. Maria Moseley, wife of N.

Moseley Esq., age 43

Mar. 27 Henry Johnson, age 4

April 3 Carl C. Moseley, age 2

May 13 Mrs. Mary Ransom, age 20

June 3 Mrs. Anna Hartwell, age 66

June 13 Leonard Wilson, age 6

June 23 Dayton Robbins, age 7

June 27 Mrs. Rhoda P. Fellows, age 28

June 29 Almeron Wilson, age 15 months

Aug. 10 P. F. Patrick, 9th O.B., age 19

Aug. 26 Philip Edgerton, age 89

Sept. 29 Fremont N. Spencer, age 2

Oct. 12 Elnora Scott, age 4

Nov. 13 Bryon Proctor, 1st Ohio Battery in

Hospital in Nashville, age 20

Nov. 19 Mrs. Sarah Ray, age 63

Dec. 24 infant of M. L. Dutton

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There are seven persons living in town (Thompson) over 80 years old.

Married Perry Jan. 13th, Mr. Albion Bartholomew and Miss Fanny Kent, both of Perry.

Died in Brookville, Pa., Dec. 20 of diphtheria, Alice Bland Scott, daughter of the editor of the Brookville *Republican* and niece of the editor of this paper, age 17 yrs., 7 mos., 25 days.

Died in this village the 8th instant, Mrs. Mary Rider, age 85 years. The deceased had been a resident of this village about 33 years, about 24 of which had been spent with her daughter, Mrs. Perkins.

Died Sat. Jan. 2nd, of disease of the heart, Daniel Carroll Hadden, only son of Mrs. Landon Smith. He would have been 15 yrs. old on Jan. 3.

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p. 2 Married in Painesville Jan. 21, Mr. Isaac Stickney, of Boston, Mass., to Miss Eliza Wass, of St. Paul, Minn.

Died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. R. Marshall, on the 12th instant, Mrs. Olive Cowles, in the 84th year of her age.

Died Perry, Lake Co., Jan. 6, Mrs. Tabitha Tyler, age 79 yrs., 5 mos., 20 days.

Died Jan. 17, of congestion of the lungs, Mrs. Charity H., wife of Mr. H. S. Salmon, age 52 yrs.

Died Kirtland on the 10th instant, of membranous croup, Lloyd Garrison, only son of Banajah S. and the Louisa F. Upham, age 6 yrs., 1 mo., 11 days.

Probate Court

S. C. Carpenter, adm. of John Gotham, final account

Philo T. Safford, guardian of Emma J. Safford, 2nd account

M. L. Root and H. S. Fay, adm. of Daniel I. French, 1st account

Seth Anderson, guardian of Clark D. Anderson, final account

George E. Paine, adm. of B. F. Tracy, final account

Legal Notice by Alexander Barto and Abel C. Barto, executors of Nathaniel Barto, deceased. Regarding a contract Nathaniel Barto made in life to sell real estate to Carlos Norris. Names mentioned: Charity Post, Daniel K. Post, Julia A. Thompson, Erie Thompson, Eunice Cook, Benj. F. Cook, Mary J. Mason, Ezra Mason, Geo. Cole, Frederick Cole, Merril Cole, Mary Cole.

p. 3 Colored Troops – Capt. F. A. Nash, Provost Marshal for this District has been authorized to enlist recruits for the 27th Regt. United States Colored Troops and to forward them to Camp Delaware. This is a good chance for those who wish to enlist in that Regiment.

Co. C, 1st Ohio Artillery, Capt. M. B. Gray arrived here Monday. They number 65 men, and having all re-enlisted, have been furloughed for 30 days. Tom King, our old friend, is Lieut. in this Battery.

Charles W. Spalding, guardian of Alice G. Spalding will be selling land in Madison, Lake Co.

p. 4 Geranium leaves – It is not generally known that the leaves of a geranium are an excellent application for cuts, where the skin is rubbed off, and other wounds of that kind. One or two leaves must be bruised, and applied on linen to the part.

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p. 2 Co. G, 2nd O.V.I., Nashville, Jan. 25.

For the last 3 months, we have been constantly on the march and always in the front. There was not a day in which portions of the Regiment was not under fire. Every company has lost some in killed and wounded. Samuel Whipple, of Co. G, was killed at Rutledge, Dec. 16. Jack

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Turney was taken prisoner the same day. Lieut. Frank Paris has returned to his Co. It is well known to all his friends that Frank as a companion is a congenial fellow. They should see him in the front when bullets are flying, and hear his full manly voice as he gives commands and cheers the boys on by his example. Fear and Frank might be married, for not a bit are they related.

p. 3 Probate Court

Wm. Canfield was found guilty of assault and battery, fined \$5 and costs and is to be confined in the dungeon in the county jail, with only bread and water for 10 days.

The Painesville Railroad Disaster – Jan. 19, 1864

Evidence given before the Coroner's Jury (Franklin Parker is the Coroner) was that the collision was caused by the Accommodation train running into the night Express train. The Night Express passed Perry at 8 hrs. 34 mins. a.m., which was 2 hrs. 57 mins. behind time. It went 2 ½ miles and became fast in the snow. The Accommodation Train passed Perry at 10 hrs. 3 mins. a.m., which was 1 hr. 13 mins. behind time. The Accommodation train was entitled to the road but had no intimation of the obstruction by the train ahead. brakemen should have gone beyond the rear of the train to signal the other train. They did not and were responsible for the accident. The Painesville telegraph operator not knowing the telegraph line was out-of-order, was justified in supposing that the detention of the Night Express was known in Cleveland, consequently Eastern offices fully advised.

By Aaron Wilcox

J. M. Benjamin

M. L. Root

William Harrison

W. F. Greer

Asa Childs on Jan 27, 1864

Married in Taylorsville, Jan. 5, 1864, Mr. G. E. Rice to Miss Emma Rawson, daughter of J. T. Rawson, formerly of this county.

Married Mentor on the 2nd instant, at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. B. S. Blanchard, and Miss Sarah Ingraham.

Died in Madison Jan. 26, Edward W., son of Abner and Serene Allen, age 15 yrs.

Died Painesville Jan. 14, of congestion of the lungs, Hiram Sumner, eldest son of Asor and Perses Sumner, age 61 yrs.,5mos.,1 day.

Died LeRoy Jan. 23, Mary E. Kniffin, age 21.

Died Painesville, Jan. 26, of paralysis, Mrs. Tabitha Porter, age 94.

Died in this village of diphtheria, Jan.2 6, Charles Edward, son of Seth Marshall, age 7 yrs., 8 mos.

Died Painesville Jan. 25, Russell Goodrich, of pleurisy, age 64 years.

Guardian's sale – Chester Smith, guardian of William H. and Charlie Winters will be selling land in Madison.

Feb. 11, 1864 Thursday p. 3 Northern Ohio Sanitary Fair

We are gratified to learn that extensive preparations are being made in Cleveland for the Northern Ohio Sanitary Fair, to be held Feb. 22. The mammoth exhibition hall is now being erected on the Park enclosing the Perry Monument and will cover an area of 25,000 feet. It will contain a Fine Art Hall, a Hall for the sale of everything useful and fancy and one for the exhibition of battle relics, old paintings, old furniture, and other rare curiosities. (The Fair is being held to raise money to aid the soldiers.)

Our boys of the 2nd Ohio Cavalry are expected home on every train. A good dinner awaits them at the Cowles House.

The little son of Mr. Wm. Brooks, of Mentor, died very suddenly last week after an illness of a few hours caused by eating dried apples.

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14th Ohio Battery veterans are to have a grand dance at the Parmly House, Feb. 18.

Married in this village on the 9th instant at the residence of Mr. George Curtis, Mr. Joseph F. Suttles, of Cleveland, and Miss Mary Ross, of this place.

Died at his residence in Cleveland on the 5th instant form injuries received from falling from the cars on the 1st instant, William Boyd, Conductor, on the C.C. & C.R.R., age 27.

Died in this village of diphtheria, Jan. 26, Charles Edward, son of Seth Marshall, age 7 yrs., 8 mos.

Died in LeRoy Jan. 24 of palsy, after one week's sickness, John Cowin, age 70 yrs.

Died Concord Feb. 3 of consumption, Henry Collister, age 27 yrs., 3 mos., 27 days.

Died Painesville Feb. 5, Mrs. Polly Morse, wife of Judge Enoch Morse, formerly of Kirtland, age 86 yrs.

Died Montville Jan. 19, Mrs. Annette J. Alvord, wife of T. P. Alvord, age 26 yrs.

Died Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, of typhoid fever, Emma A., wife of S. W. Taylor, of LeRoy, age 31 yrs.

p. 4 Copperhead definition – A human serpent who hates those who stand up for their county against the deadly assaults of slaveholding treason. Example: Those who publically huzza for McClellan but privately among their cronies, avow that they hope to see Lee's army marching to Broadway, and Jeff receive an ovation at City Hall.

Quinine, chloroform, and other drugs have been added to the list of articles prohibited from export from the United States.

Feb. 18, 1864 Thursday

p. 1 Another Pioneer of the Reserve Gone

Died at the house of her son-in-law, Dea. Horace Crosby of this town, Mrs. Mary McConoughey, age 93 yrs., 7 mos. She came from Mass. to Bainbridge, Geauga Co., in 1810, her family being the first white family to settle in that town. Only a few months before her death she traveled from Bainbridge to this place, and to the close of her life she discharged active duties in her family. Seventy descendants mourn her loss and revere her memory.

On Feb. 22, the Great Northern Ohio Sanitary Fair opens in Cleveland for two weeks. A list of all the Committees from Lake Co. and their members are listed.

p. 3 The veterans of the 14th Ohio Battery are to have a Grand Ball at the Parmly House this Thursday evening.

This 67th Ohio arrived at Cleveland from Hilton Head, S. C., on Monday last. They number 400-500 men and are in command of Major L. Butler.

Concord and Perry have raised their quota of men on the first call. All honor to these patriotic towns.

Sudden Death – Mr. S. A. Barker an old citizen of this town, died suddenly last Thursday. He was unloading hay with a pitchfork and fell forward and expired. He was about 65 years old and leaves a wife and several children who are married.

Quite an accident happened to the 29th Regt. at Nashville on the 13th instant. A great crowd rushed to the breakfast table on the second floor of a hotel, the floor gave way while 200 or them were in the room. In Co. F, A. B. Paine, Cornelius Card, and Thos. Dowling were slightly injured. One or more, whose names we have not learned, were mortally wounded.

A telegram received here on Tuesday from O. Quinn Esq. at Davenport, Iowa, announced the sad news of the death of his eldest son, John Quinn, which took place in that city Tuesday morning. The deceased had been sick the last three or four weeks with typhoid fever and inflammatory rheumatism. Only a week ago his father learned of his illness and hastened to him. He was 22 years old. Mr. Quinn is expected

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home with the remains of his son Wednesday evening.

The bridge over Grand River near Unionville known as Clyde Bridge was carried away by ice and high water last Monday. It was a very long and high structure.

Elijah Champlin of the Ohio Cavalry died in prison at Richmond on Dec. 30. He was a native of Johnston in this county. He was taken prisoner some months ago and died of disease.

Ashtabula *Telegraph* – We hear that in a district around the north west line of Geneva and a portion of Madison, there have been some 14 cases of small pox.

Died Jan. 26 in Laporte, Black Hawk Co., Iowa, of lung fever, Angeline, wife of Nelson Searles, age 47.

Died Willoughby Feb. 15 of consumption, John D. Viall, age 64.

Died at Lynville, Tenn., on Jan. 14, Peter B. Daniels, of the 14th Ohio Battery, age 27. The deceased was a resident of Madison, Lake Co.

Died Hamden Jan. 19 of typhoid fever after an illness of two weeks, Miss Marion E. M. Hale, daughter of Samuel and Eliza Hale, age 21 yrs., 2 mos. Miss Hale started teaching at age 16 and at the time of her death had taught 14 years. She leaves parents, a loving sister, and a younger brother.

Geo. H. Gregory, son of Capt. H. Gregory, of this village, age 6 yrs., died Tuesday night of diphtheria.

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p. 3 The wife of Hon. Thos. Ewing died at Lancaster Friday after a long illness.

Recent promotions in the 105th Regt. Ohio

Infantry: Lieut. Col. George Perkins, Colonel Major Chas. G. Edward, Lieut. Colonel Capt. George L. Riker, Major 1st Lieut. Henry H. Cummings, Captain

Passing Away - Died in this town on Feb. 19, Mrs. Asenath A. Sessions. She was born in Norwich, Mass., March 1, 1785, and came to Painesville June, 1803, with her father, Lemuel Fobes Esq., and was married Dec. 16, 1804, to Anson Sessions. She resided with her husband until he died in 1827 on the farm near this town now owned by Mrs. Fobes—but for the last 36 yrs. has resided in this village.

Three thousand seven hundred negroes have enlisted in Missouri during the last three months.

Married in this village on the 17th instant at the residence of the bride's father (Mr. C. S. Hickok), Mr. B. F. Blystone, of Meadville, Pa., to Miss Eliza J. Hickok, of this place.

Married on the 18th instant, at his residence, Willis Woodruff Jr., of Concord, and Maryette Palmer, of Painesville.

Married on the 14th instant, Miss Cornelia A. Richmond, to Mr. Wm. Johnson, both of Fairport.

Died Feb. 13 of scarlet fever, Carrie Agnes, daughter of Chauncey C. and Isabel Offer, age 2 yrs., 4 mos.

Died in this town Feb. 16 at the residence of his son, Wm. L. Bacon, Mr. David Bacon, age 74 yrs. Died in Commercial Hospital, Cincinnati, Dec. 27, of small pox, after an illness of 19 days, E. A. Coucha, age 35.

Died Madison, Feb. 4, Alice M., daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Keener, age 7 yrs.

Died Feb. 16, George H., only son of Hamblin and Mary J. Gregory, age 6 yrs. He died of diphtheria.

L. E. Nye has been appointed guardian of Polly Gilman, Concord.

Albert King is adm. of Hiram Grant's estate. Madison

Probate Court

John E. Bailey, executor of John Church, final account

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Lucius C. Sinclear adm. of A. M. Haines, final account

Samuel Wire Jr., guardian of Jennie M. Haines, final account

Abraham Teachout, guardian of Charles, Cornelia, William, and Mary Shepard will sell land in Painesville.

p. 4 A New York jury was fine \$250 each for bringing in a verdict of "we agree to disagree." The officer who suggested the verdict to the foreman of the jury was fined \$100 and suspended from pay and duties.

Mar. 3, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 The Conscription Act

The main features of this act, which has now passed congress, are the following: The classes are consolidated. Persons between the ages of 20 and 45 are liable. If they shall reach 45 before the draft, they are not subject to exemption. Exemptions, aside from those who have served two years, or are now in service, are reduced to mental and physical disability. Drafted persons may furnish substitutes not subject to the draft. Aliens who have voted or held office shall not be exempt. It does not declare that emigrants who have taken the oath of renunciation and allegiance in the declaration of intentions, are subject to duty, as it ought to do. But in right, and we suppose in thev are. Non-resistants, conscientious scruples are, when drafted, to be assigned to hospital duty. Money commutation of \$300 exempts for one year. Able-bodied male colored persons are to be enrolled the same as white. When a slave of a loyal master is drafted, his master shall have a certificate thereof; the slave shall be free, and a bounty of \$100 shall be paid to his loyal master. The same provisions apply to colored persons previously enlisted. The act is not perfect, but it is a great improvement, and it will probably answer the object.

p. 3 Mr. E. A. Stearns, who was so badly injured by the railroad accident of Jan. 19, 3 miles east of this village, died at the residence of Mr. B. B. Park, last Sunday. His remains were taken to N.Y. for interment; his father residing in that city.

Mr. J. F. Single of this village was the painter and designer of the Lake County Booth and, also, the scenery for the Tableaux "Goddess of Liberty." All of which elicited so much praise at Cleveland. Mr. S donated the whole work for the benefit of the Fair.

The Sanitary Fair at Cleveland last week was a grand success. From the Cleveland *Herald*:

Little Lake has covered herself with glory. Her booth is a thing to be proud of. The front forms an arch of interlaced tree branches, on the centre of which is a semi-circle of stars enclosing an eagle; beneath which is a banner bearing the name of the county. From the starry semi-circle is festooned a scroll with the inscription—"Offerings of a Grateful People to the Brave and Suffering Defenders."

On the branches forming the arch are labels names "Perryville," bearing the "Murfreesboro," "Chickamauga," "Chattanooga," Mountain,""Winchester,""Antietam," and "Gettysburg"—in all of these battles Lake had her contingent. An Indian club, shield, bows, arrows, and quiver with war relics, mirrors and pictures made up the tasteful decorations. A stand immediately and in front was taken up by Lake Co., and both stand and booth were loaded with beautiful articles of needlework, wool-work, toys, dolls, fancy baskets, mats & c. The ladies representing Lake in the Bazaar are: Mrs. Chesney, Mrs. Gage, Mrs. Eliza Wilcox, Miss Mary Burnham, and Miss Laura Brown of Painesville; Miss Mary Skiff and Miss Holestin, of Willoughby; Mrs. Clapp, of Mentor, and Miss Guyld, of Unionville.

Married at the residence of the bride's father in Painesville Feb. 25, Mr. Omar A. Griswold and Miss Emmie G. Storrs.

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Married Hamden Feb. 25 at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Samuel S. Wheeler, of Madison, and Miss Millie S. Thayer.

Died in this town Feb. 16, Mrs. Asenath A. Sessions. She was born at Norwich, Mass., March 1, 1785, and came to Painesville, June 1803, with her father Lemuel Fobes Esq. and married Anson Sessions Dec. 16, 1804.

Hiram P. Harmon is adm. of Samuel T. Booth, late of Lake Co., deceased.

Mar. 10, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Married in Jefferson, March 6, Miss Nettie Crowell, of Jefferson, to Capt. N. B. Noyes, of LeRoy, Lake Co., Ohio.

Married at Greenwich, Washington Co., N.Y., at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Wm. Pratt Esq., Feb. 8th, Mr. Wm. P. McClelland, of Mentor, Ohio, to Miss Anna Somes, of Greenwich, N.Y.

Married in Buffalo, N.Y., March 2 at the residence of J. A. Pomeroy, uncle of the bride, Miss D. F. J. Gould, of East Claridon, Ohio, and Mr. H. H. Garrard, of Buffalo, formerly of Warren, Ohio.

Died in Painesville Feb. 28, Mrs. Eliza King, wife of the late E. W. King, age 48 yrs., 1 mo., 15 days.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State for the pardon of John O'Conner who was convicted of horse stealing and is serving time in the Ohio Penitentiary for 3 years.

Mar. 17, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 The quota for Painesville is now full—each man received a bounty of \$150. Only one town in Lake Co. now to fill up—LeRoy.

The Grand Jury has found a bill against Edward Brush for the murder of Michael Fee. The indictment is for murder in the first degree.

Died near LaSalle, Ill., March 3, John R. French Jr., youngest son of John R. and Frances R. French, formerly of Painesville.

Dr. Arthur Isaac Rosa, only son of Mr. John S. Rosa, late of Painesville, and nephew of Judge S. Rosa died suddenly in camp near Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 20, age 26. He was buried in Madison, his place of residence, March 1. He was the Regt. Surgeon of the 52nd Ohio Volunteers.

Married in Painesville at the residence of the bride's mother, March 10, Mr. Wm. B. Seeley, Chief Bugler of the 2nd Ohio Cavalry and Miss Charlotte A. Robinson.

Married Painesville March 9, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Simon Bigler, of Binghamton, N.Y., and Miss Kate S. Barnes.

Married at the residence of N. M. Fisher Esq., March 10, Mr. Amasa G. Taft and Miss Sarah A. Frazer. He has enlisted for the war and joins his Regiment at Cleveland, March 25.

Married Perry Feb. 25, Stephen B. Glines and Carrie McMasters.

Mar. 24, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 LeRoy has raised the money to pay the bounty to fill her quota and efforts are now being made to procure the men.

Weather: March thus far has been as cold and gloomy and sour as an old bachelor. The jingle of sleigh bells are heard all around reminding one of January, rather than the last of March.

Battery C

After two and a half years of hard service in the Army and all the attendant ills and discomforts, it was very pleasant to come home and be made happy for thirty days. We cannot too heartily thank those at home, who by all manner of devices made us feel their appreciation of our value and their gratitude. There were no showy or noisy demonstrations—none of the glitter and ostentation of public receptions—but there

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were many neighborhood gatherings for the Battery boys; and there the gentle pressure of the hand, the soul-lit eye, looking thanks into ours, and the quiet "God bless you" from the lips of beauty or the glory-lit face of some dear old matron, made us think, that after all, this was a magnificent old world, and that we were fighting for something far more worthy than we knew of before. And then, some of the boys, "have gone and done" and got married while at home. Now our private opinion is, those will make better soldiers than ever before if it could be possible to improve them, which is doubtful. We are now at Nashville and many a mother who cursed us a few months since, now thanks us with tears for saving herself and her children from starvation. From the Federal Commissary the poor are fed; from the Quarter-Master's many are clothed, and by the kind offices of the Christian Commission, many more are kept from hunger and nakedness. Thus we bring these people to venerate the old Flag once more. Our memories of home are not all pleasant. We went about while on furlough with our eyes and ears open. There was much to give us pain in what we saw and heard, and it must be told we have many enemies at home enemies to us as advocates of the Union. You call them Copperheads at home—but we wish you would not insult a respectable reptile with such a classification. Another little matter I am obliged to mention. Veterans are as much worthy of a Bounty from the township to which they are accredited as men who never were in service. Can anyone dispute that? Then why did those who were accredited to Painesville go away empty handed? And from Chester, Geauga Co., and other places, veterans went away unpaid, with very little faith in human justice. Yours truly, Harry D.

Married at Kirtland on the 11th instant, by the Rev. Geo. F. Bronson, Lieut. T. M. Morley, of the 25th Battery Ohio Vet. Vol., to Miss Lucy Martindale, daughter of the late Dwight Martindale, of Kirtland.

Married in Madison at the house of Henry Ford Esq., the father of the bride, on Wed. evening, March 16th by Rev. Charles W. Torrey, Mr. J. Warren Little, of Painesville, and Miss Gertrude H. Ford, of Madison.

A. Wilcox and W. W. Curdy have dissolved their partnership.

O. J. Lines, J. D. Hennessy, and Geo E. Clarke have dissolved their partnership.

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p. 3 Ashtabula has raised its quota and is now out of the draft.

The 2nd Ohio Cavalry are now on the way to Annapolis, Md., to serve under Burnside.

We are pained to learn of the death of Mr. Elias Strong, of Thompson. He died while serving his country in the Army of the Cumberland, and his remains were brought to Thompson for interment.

The Legislature has passed a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors on election days.

"Oh dear, what can the matter be?" No less than thirteen divorce cases came up for trial in the recent Trumbull Co. Common Pleas Court.

Died in Painesville on the 16th instant, Lydia, wife of Warren A. French, age 32.

- J. P. Markell has been appointed adm. of the estate of Thomas Allen Beall, late of Lake Co., deceased.
- B. K. Cranston, executor of Dutee W. Slocum, deceased will be selling land in Painesville.

Probate Court

Margaret A Whitney, guardian of the minors of James H. Whitney, deceased, 1st account A. H. Thrasher, adm. of George Mann, deceased, final account

M. S. Harvey, Probate Judge

Apr. 7, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Corporation Election – Monday the following officers were elected:

Mayor – Horace Steele Jr.

Recorder - P. Sanford

Trustee – A. Teachout, M. H. Colby, Geo. K. Reynolds, D. C. Gray

It is with more than usual regret that we are called upon to announce the death of Orris Blair Esq., of Madison. He has left a wife and two children. He must have been about 45 years old.

Married April 5 at the residence of the bride's father, Lieut. H. J. Benson, Mr. R. M. Thomas, of New York City, to Miss Rose Benson.

Married March 23, Mr. Elmer J. Bennett to Miss Adella Tower, of Painesville. He has enlisted and goes to the front with the sharpshooters.

Died Madison March 29, Mr. A. VanEpps, age 43.

Died in Madison March 27, Mr. Nathaniel Waterman, age 64.

Died Madison March 31, Mr. J. U. Mixer, age about 65.

Died in this village March 26, Mrs. Elizabeth Crow, age 83.

Apr. 14, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Brockway's Shaving Saloon has moved to one door west of Pike's Banking office.

Died in Perry, Monday, Miss Lizzie Woodhead, only daughter of Mr. & Mrs. F. Woodhead, recently of this village, age 23. 'Tis scarcely three years since her sweet sister, Annie, was laid away to rest—and now Lizzie is to sleep beside her.

Married in Willoughby April 6, Mr. Elijah C. Jewell to Miss Jennie Bounds, of Painesville, Ohio.

Apr. 21, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 The Internal Revenue service has made a very important decision. The profits realized from the sale of stock will be taxable.

Weather: April has always been noted as a fickle month. Thus far, we have had a variety of weather—but more cold, raw wind, then we care about, and we long for bright warm sunshine which makes the grass green, the flowers bloom, and all nature rejoice.

Shocking Accident – Last Friday afternoon, Mr. David Gilmore, of Claridon, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun. He was standing in front of the mill owned by Mr. Sherman in Burton, with the gun in his hand, when by some accident it was discharged, the charge entering the skull above the right eye. He was a respected young man and leaves a wife.

Married on the 12th instant at Ashland, Ohio, James L. Sterling, of this place to Lou M. Ruth, of the former place.

Died in Mentor, April 8, Mrs. Anna Owen Guthrie, age 63 yrs., 9 mos.

Died April 9 after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Julia Glines, wife of B. Glines Esq., of Perry, and eldest daughter of Alexander Barton, of Painesville

Died Concord April 9, Mrs. Lydia Harvey, age 55 yrs.

Lyman E. Nye guardian of Polly Gilman will sell land in Concord.

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p. 2 Susan Blair is the adm. of Orris Blair, late of Lake Co., deceased.

Court Case: To Michael Fitzgerald, Mary Fitzgerald, and Patrick H. Cumming, whose place of business is unknown—you are hereby notified at W. W. Nevision, adm. of the estate of James Cummings, deceased on April 20, filed his petition in Probate Court alleging that the personal estate of the deceased is insufficient to pay his debts and the charges of administering his estate, and land will be sold in Mentor. Sarah Cummings is the widow of James Cummings. Mary Fitzgerald, Patrick H.

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Cumming, Margaret O'Conner, and Jane Cummings are his heirs at law.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate

Dan H. Pike, executor of Augustus A. Pike, deceased, will see land in Mentor.

Married in this village April 2, Capt. Edward O. Andrews, of the Schooner *E. C. Roberts* and Martha M. Palmer, both of Painesville.

Died in Madison April 12, Ebenezer Ford, aged 78 years. The deceased was formerly from Plainfield, Mass., and first came to Ohio in 1807—assisted in surveying the township of Troy, Geauga Co., but the exposure incident to that work induced ague, so he returned to Mass., and abandoned for the time being the idea of permanently settling here; but in 1823 returned again with his family and settled in Madison, where he has since resided.

Died in Painesville, April 22nd, after a protracted illness, which he bore with Christian patience, Francis Baker, age 68 yrs., 1 mo.

Noah Worden, and old resident of Willoughby, died April 20, age 87. He settled in Willoughby in 1809 and has lived on the same farm until his death.

James McFarland has purchased the Kirtland Hotel.

Judge Alfred Phelps, of Chardon, died last Sunday and must have been 70 at the time of his death. He lived in Chardon 40 years.

Horrible Death

Miss Laura Williams, age 15, daughter of Widow Williams living on South St., was burned to death when her dress caught fire.

May 5, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Substitutes are plenty enough in Cincinnati for the 100 day service. A gentleman advertised in the Cincinnati *Gazette* for two substitutes and over 60 persons applied.

Frank Brown, so long in the employ of W. C. Masters in the Tobacco and Cigar trade, now runs the old stand in Painesville, on his own accord. Frank understands all branches of the business—is a fair, liberal dealer.

Death of Dr. Storm Rosa—Dr. Rosa, one of our oldest and respected citizens died Tuesday night at age 73 years. He had been ill for the last two weeks.

A. H. Foote, a law student of W. W. Nevison Esq. was admitted to the bar at the District Court in session in this village Tuesday.

A. W. Towger, E. J. Betts, and E. H. Green, of Ashtabula Co., were, also, admitted to the bar.

On Saturday, the Perry National Guards, Capt. W. D. Shepherd, paraded, armed and equipped at Painesville. Their number has been reduced below the minimum by reason of members volunteering in the 3 years' service during the winter. The Captain appeals to other townships of Lake Co. to furnish 30 men to fill up the Company—it being the only Company in the county.

New Invention

Shirt collars of linen, cotton, paper and steel are common, but now to be added are shirt collars from vulcanized India rubber, just patented in England. Suitable patterns may be painted or printed on the collars.

Married in Erie at the residence of A. Acheson Esq. on the 3rd instant, Mr. D. M. Eddy to Miss E. S. Huntington, both of Painesville, Ohio.

Died Concord April 11, Dea. Benjamin Blish, age 70 yrs., 10 mos. He settled in Northern Ohio in 1805 on the farm where he lived until his death.

p. 4 Land Measure –Every farmer should have a rod measure—a light stiff pole—just 16 ½ ' long for measuring land. Know that 160 square rods make a square acre. If you wish to lay off 1 acre, measure 13 rods upon each side. This lacks only a rod of full measure.

May 12, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Negroes Saving Missouri from the Draft

It is stated in the St. Louis papers that the enlistment of 5,491 negroes in Missouri saves the state from the draft. Not only this, but there is a surplus of several hundred men to be carried to the account of the next call for troops. Many begin to change their tone toward the black man. He is no longer the wretched, degraded slave, but a man—and perhaps if this sort of thing goes much further, a brother. The border state animosity to the emancipation movement which has given no more trouble anywhere than in Missouri, dies out very fast as it is ascertained that the freedmen will not only work diligently but enlist willingly and fight bravely.

p. 3 Jas. Stephenson, of Chester, Geauga Co., was admitted to the bar in District Court here last week.

Messrs. Cooper and Baldwin, of Unionville on State St., have purchased the old steam Grist Mills of Mr. C. S. French and are putting in the steam work for the manufacture of barrels.

Jasper E. Williams, Madison, and R. N. Murray, of Mentor, signed the roll for the National Guard.

Edwin Palmer died in Milwaukee. He was the brother of Judge Palmer of this village.

The Draft in Lake Co., came off last Saturday. With the exception of Willoughby and Mentor, Lake Co. was clear of the draft.

Names drawn:

Mentor enrolled 226, drafted 10

Amos W. Sweet John H. Smith Luther C. Fenton John McCabe Samuel Gibbons Julius H. Hart David Hodgson Edwin F. Ingersoll

Daniel H. Baker

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Collins Dodge

Willoughby enrolled 308; drafted 15

Theron S. Weed
Solomon Shoemaker
Elijah Ward
Danforth Smith
Zenas F. Williams
Ranson Kennedy
Chas. Pelton
Obed J. Dingas
George W. Davis
Phares Alderman
Rufus Skidmore
John N. Lilly
John M. Campbell
Michael Brown

Kirtland enrolled 156; drafted 3

Edson Heath Benajah S. Upham David Tyler

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(Once the proper credit is given, it will be found Kirtland has furnished its guota.)

Married on the 8th instant, Mr. Edward M. Fassett, of Fremont, and Miss Maranda L. Haywood, of Madison.

Died Madison May 2, after a painful illness, Mrs. Clarissa C. Ferry, age 71 yrs., 11 mos., 23 days. Died Painesville April 22, of consumption, Mrs. Harriet A. Reed, age 42.

Died Mentor, April 25, at the residence of his son, Mr. Samuel Burridge, age 80 yrs., 20 days.

Died Painesville April 22, Miss Libbie A. King, only daughter of Geo. W. King Esq. Seldom has death claimed a richer prize than when he snatched away in life's brightest dawn, this lovely daughter, sister, and companion.

Died May 3, Dr. Storm Rosa, age 73 yrs. nearly. Died in Hospital at Larkinsville, Ala., April 24, of erysipelas, Dallas G. Whitney of Co. E, 54th Regt. O.V.I., age 19 yrs.

C. Quinn has been appointed adm. of Daniel C. Hadden, late of Lake Co., deceased.

p. 4 Pay Stopped – A special dispatch from Washington advised the pay of the commissioned officers of the following Regiments has been stopped until restitution

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has been made for public and private property destroyed by soldiers of their regiments while enroute through the city of Nashville, as veteran volunteers: 6th Kentucky Cavalry, 4th Ohio Cavalry, 3rd Ohio Cavalry, 29th Ohio Infantry; 41st Ohio Infantry, 7th Pennsylvania Cavalry, 17th Indiana Mounted Infantry.

May 19, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Ansel Kelsey, of Harpersfield, Ashtabula Co., was tried last Thursday on the charge of grand larceny—stealing \$500 worth of cloth from Messrs. Drake, of Concord. Case was discharged. Next day he was arrested to be charged in Madison instead.

The following is a list of drafted men from Lake Co. whose cases were disposed of by the Board, Tuesday:

Mentor

J. H. Hart – physical disability
Samuel Gibbons – furnished substitute
Amos W. Sweet – held for service
Luther C. Fenton – held for service

Willoughby

Elijah J. Ward – physical disability John Lilly – substitute in the field Z. F. Williams – furnished substitute Charles Pelton – furnished substitute Danford Smith – over age O. J. Dingee – furnished substitute S. D. Shoemaker – physical disability

F. O Moseley – Thompson

In consequence of ill health the subscriber has sold his farm in Thompson, Geauga Co. (lately owned by Capt. Geo. Moseley, deceased) and will offer at public auction his personal property.

Died Madison, May 10, of consumption, Mr. Truman N. Wilcox, age 71 yrs., 6 mos.

May 26, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 William Dewitt Esq., of Cleveland, died in a terrible railroad accident Saturday morning between Mt. Gilead and Cardington. W. H. Greer, of Painesville, was badly injured.

p. 3 A mass meeting of ladies assembled at Child's Hall last Saturday to take steps toward extending the movement lately inaugurated for promoting National Economy by a general abstinence from the use of foreign fabrics during the continuance of the war.

Co. F., 29th Ohio Veteran Vol. Inf. Camp near Mill Creek, Ga.

Battle near Mill Creek

Loss in our Regiment
Killed – 17, wounded 81

1st Lieut. Grant, C. A., was killed instantly
Wounded Officers:

Col. Fitch, Lt. Col. Hayes, Adjt. Jas B. Storer, Capt. W. F. Stevens, Co. B. 1st Lieut. George Dice, Co. D

2nd Lt. Chamberlain, Co. G (none killed)
Private Franklin Flood, Painesville, and Alonzo
Cole, wounded

By Capt. Baldwin, Co. F., 29th O.V.V.I.

Anti-Silk Dress Movement – We understand that the young ladies of the Lake Erie Female Seminary have formed a league and signed a pledge not to purchase any articles they can possibly dispense with of foreign manufacture.

Married the 12th instant at St. James Church, Mr. Dan T. Casement, of Wilcox, Pa., and Miss Mary Lockwood, of Painesville.

Austin Dunham, guardian (does not say of whom) is selling land in Willoughby

June 2, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 The 23rd Ohio suffered terribly in killed, wounded and missing at the battle of Cloyd Mountain, Va., May 9. Among the killed we notice Private W. M. F. Greer, formerly a clerk

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in this village for Wilcox & Curdy. He leaves a wife and two children.

Among the wounded:

Sergt. Andrew Shepard Sergt. Wm. McIntosh Corp. Wm. Selden Corp. Wm. A. Saunders Private Alvin Cox Private John Donel Private Clarence Peck

Married Painesville, May 18, Major O. J. Lines and Mrs. A. B. Eddy.

Died Madison 2nd ultimo, at the residence of his brother, Jasper Brewster, Mr. Sidney L. Brewster, age 64 yrs. He lived in Wood Co., and came to Madison to visit friends for a few days. In a short time, he was prostrated with disease.

June 9, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Our new cemetery is a great point of attraction Sunday afternoons.

The funeral services for W. F. Greer who was killed at Cloyd Mountain, May 9, will be held at the Disciple Church in Mentor next Sunday.

Howard C. Morley, of Kirtland, has been appointed to a first-class clerkship in the Treasury Dept. in Washington. Mr. M is one of five brothers, who have all at one time and another, dedicated themselves to the service of the Government in the Army.

Sergt. Sidney Tuller, of Co. G., 2nd Ohio Cav., wounded at the fight in the Wilderness and had his arm amputated, died at Alexandria a few days ago. He was from Kirtland where his parents now reside.

Gen. Sherman's Campaign in Georgia as far as we can learn at the writing is a complete success. The 10th Ohio Cavalry led by our townsmen Col. C. C. Smith took a very active and important part in the fight at Rosseca.

The funeral of Hon. J. R. Giddings took place in Jefferson, Ashtabula Co., last Monday.

Lieut. C. E. Austin, son of Aaron E. Austin, of Austinburg, 60th Ohio Regt., while engaged in battle near Spotsylvania Court House, was pierced by a ball through the hips, leaving him helpless and leaving him with no reasonable hopes for recovery. His father had gone to him and found him unable to be moved from the only posture and position he could hold—lying on his face. Chas. Holbrook, also, of Austinburg, and a member of the same Regiment was severely wounded at the same time. Ashtabula *Telegraph*

2nd Ohio Cavalry near Hanover Court House Co. G – **Killed**: Charles E. Kellogg, of Madison

Wounded: Capt. Albert Barnitz

Lieut. Henry Drake Sergt. Solon A. Rand Sergt. M. Rand

Marvin Noah, Mentor, mortally wounded Thomas Graham – mortally wounded

Missing: Edward M. Wilcox probably killed

June 16, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Weather: South of this village, frost was visible several mornings last week and Sunday of this week.

Sergt. Joseph Jerome, formerly of the 29th Ohio, wounded at Port Republic two years ago, has been appointed Superintendent of the Soldiers' Home in Cleveland.

The supplementary draft in this district to fill vacancies caused by exemptions, took place in Cleveland Wednesday.

The following are names drafted from Lake Co, Mentor:

Gaylord N. Hall, Hiram M. Streeter, Thomas E. Morrell.

Willoughby:

Francis A. Bomer, Jos. E. Tinker, Chester Barnes, John Hadlock, David Lynch

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Our friend, Geo. D. Lockwood, has been promoted from 1st Lieut. to Capt. of Co. D., 7th Ohio. Capt. Lockwood enlisted in the 7th Ohio at the first call for volunteers.

Co. I, 23rd Regt. Ohio Vet. Vol. at the battle of Cloyd Mountain, Va., May 9:

Killed: W. F. Greer, George Finley

Wounded:

1st Lieut. E. A. Abbott
Sergt. Andrew Shepard
Sergt. Wm. McIntosh
Corp. Wm A. Saunders
Corp. Wm. L. Shelden
Private Schuyler VanLouvan
Private Alvin Cox
Private John Horn
Private Clarence M. Peck

Left to bury the dead and take care of the wounded:

Wm. Gray, Charles Dille, Myron Parks, Charles Crownberger

Killed while crossing in a wagon in front of a train, Henry Stroud (driving a span of horses belonging to Mr. Hodge, of Mentor) and a little son of Mr. S. F. Ingersoll, age 12. The horses had crossed the track when the engine hit the wagon.

Freaks of the Draft

Private John Donel

In the township of Geneva, Ashtabula Co., a company of 160 men who were liable to draft, formed an association of mutual protection against the draft, each man paying \$25. In the township, there were 55 men liable to draft, who did not belong in this association. Of these latter, eight men were drafted, while there was only one man drafted who belonged to the association. This one man drafted, therefore, only had to pay just \$1.88 of the \$300 "commutation money" which exempts him from the draft. Besides this and in accordance with the rules of the association, he receives \$1.50 per day while he is absent from home to

report himself to the Provost Marshal, and his expenses are paid by the association.

National Guard Captured

The two regiments captured by Morgan's forces at Cynthiana belonged to the Ohio National Guards, and were recently sent into Kentucky to protect the railroads in that state. The 171st was from Trumbull Co., and is commanded by Col. J. F. Asper, formerly of the 7th Ohio Infantry. Two companies of the 171st, one from Lake and the other from Geauga, only left Camp Cleveland on Sunday to join the Regiment and, thus, were not included in the capture. The telegraph states they surrendered on condition of immediate exchange. *Herald*

Married Kirtland June 9, Mr. Horace Pinney, of Kirtland, and Miss Anna A Long, of Mentor. Died on Sunday, 12th instant in Mentor, Mrs. Mary Ring, age 84 yrs., wife of Joseph Ring. Died of diphtheria June 2, Alice I., only daughter of Mrs. A. H. Gleason, age 16. In her, her widowed mother had centered all her hopes.

Military Notice Lake County

All persons enrolled or liable to be enrolled in the Militia in the townships of Lake Co., are required to pay the County Treasurer \$4 commutation on or before Aug. 15 or to file certificates of exemption in this office before that time. When a draft is ordered under the militia law, it will be made first from those who have not paid the commutation.

Benj. D. Chesney, Auditor, Lake Co.

Betsey A. Clark has filed a petition for divorce in Lake Co., from Lewis Clark, of Coldwater, Mich. June 11, 1864

Linus Lee owns 60 acres of land which Nells Stocking, Wm. Stocking, George Stocking, Lester Stocking, Henry Stocking, Jabin Stocking and Lewis Stocking claim is theirs. A petition is made for the defendants to show proof of title.

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p. 2 Description of the funeral of Lieut. C. E. Austin.

Oliver Steward, of Lake Co., files a petition against his wife, Emily S. Steward, for divorce on the grounds of adultery. She lives in Adrian, Michigan. June 17, 1864

Samuel Wilson, Lake Co. vs. Jonathan L. Boothe, of Monroe Co., N.Y., regarding ownership of land.

p. 3 An old man named Crandall hung himself a mile or two east of the village last Thursday. He was about 65 years old. He formerly lived in Toledo, then Willoughby, and for some time in this town. He had a wife and several children and had not lived with them for some time past. He was a man of intemperate habits.

Weather: On Saturday last we were favored with an old fashioned thunderstorm with hail mixed in. It rained for nearly an hour as fast as it could.

June 30, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 The funeral of B. Tuttle, private of the 7th Ohio Regt., will take place next Lord's Day at the Disciple Meeting House in Mentor.

H. Holcomb's, State St., is manufacturing a Patent Preserve Can which seems to be a great improvement over anything of the kind we have ever seen.

We are pained to learn that Gerry Brakeman of the 7th Ohio was killed in battle June 16, near Atlanta. R. Shepherd, of the same Regt., was wounded in the shoulder.

Another son of Willard D. Hardy, of this town, who went out a few months since with the sharpshooters, is dead. He lost an arm in battle and died shortly, afterwards, in hospital.

Hearty Demonstration of Welcome

Monday was made the occasion of rejoicing in Painesville. Seventeen of Co. D, 7th Ohio Regt. came down from Cleveland to visit their homes, previous to be mustered out to Camp Cleveland from which they have been so long separated. They were met at the depot with an immense crowd of people and with carriages and with a band of music escorted to the Cowles House, where they were welcomed home by appropriate remarks by Mayor Steele and Hon. S. S. Osborn, after which they partook of a sumptuous repast at the Cowles House. Superintendent Nottingham, ever mindful of the debt we owe these brave men, passed them on the railroad free from Cleveland to Painesville and back, so they could visit their homes free of expense.

Died Painesville June 13 of congestion of the lungs, George Isaac, son of William and Jane Norman, age 16 yrs., 6 mos., 27 days.

Died June 17th, Ida Gertrude, only child of C. C. and Isabel Offer, age 9 mos., 10 days.

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P. 3 The dry goods and grocery store of A. R. Hurd, Willoughby, was broken into and a large amount of goods stolen—estimated at \$3,000 - \$5,000.

Camp in the Field South of Piney Hill, Ga. Capt. Baldwin, Co. F, 29th Ohio, sent a letter to Mr. and Mrs. Duston, of this village conveying the painful tidings of the death of their son, Jabin S. Duston, who was killed June 15th.

Wounded:

1st Sergt. A. B. Paine, seriously Private John J. Belnap – mortally Corp. I. J. Houghkirt J. M. Foot C. Cook Geo. Williams C. Van Valkenburgh

Died April 28 on board a Hospital boat on Red River, from wounds received in the battle of

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Cone River, La., Stephen Mathews, age 27 yrs. youngest son of Stephen Mathews of this place. Died Madison June 18, Stella Blair, oldest daughter of Orris Blair, age 9 yrs., 6 mos.

Died near Fair Oaks, June 1, Harrison Bennett; a member of the 10th Co. Ohio V. Sharpshooters, who went forth with a willing heart to the call of his country leaving behind a wife and three little loved ones.

Probate Court

Reuben P. Harmon, adm. of Randolph Pinney, final account

William E. Blair, adm. of Isaiah C. Phinney, final account

Samuel Mathews, executor of John H. Mathews, first account

Landon Smith, guardian of D. C. Hadden, final account

Timothy Rockwell, adm. of Albert I. Gillett, first account

p. 4 George V. Viall adm. of Austin H. Viall

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p. 3 Isaac Stanton has fitted up a very handsome ice cream saloon, upstairs over the hardware store of Geo. K. Reynolds.

Mrs. Ladd, wife of S. T. Ladd of this village died Wed. She had been in poor health a long time. She leaves besides her husband, five children. She was and old resident of Painesville.

A New Homoeopathic Physician – C. C. Olmsted, M. D., has purchased the residence of Dr. Stockton on St. Clair St. and succeeds him in the practice of medicine.

Lieut. H. D. Watts, of Perry, Co. E., 171st Regt., who has been home on leave on a short furlough, received a dispatch Saturday informing him he was elected Captain. Capt. Watts left for Camp Dennison on Tuesday.

We learn by a letter from a member of Co. D, 105^{th} Regt. O.V.I., of the 7^{th} instant, that Calvin Carnes, Robert Shepherd and Alvin Paine are in Hospital at Nashville, Tenn. The writer just heard of the death of Lieut. Wm. Waldo at Nashville.

Death of Lieut. Wm. R. Waldo, of Co. C., 124th O.V.I. died in Nashville, July 5, from a wound received at the battle of Resecca. His body reached here Tuesday.

Sergt. Sidney Gates Tullar – Obituary. He was of Co. G., 2nd Ohio Cav., died in Hospital at Alexandria June 1, age 29. He was a son of Mr. Reuben Tullar, of Kirtland. He lost his right arm in a saber charge, May 8, at the battle of the Wilderness. Soon after he was wounded, his horse was killed under him. His body was disinterred and brought to his family burial place on Waite Hill, and buried June 17. He had enlisted Sept. 9, 1861.

Married Kirtland the 8th instant, Mr. James D. Markell, Co A, 23rd Regt., O.V., to Miss A. L. Hurlburt, both of Kirtland.

Warren Wells has filed a petition for divorce from Celista Wells, living in Perrysburg, Cattaraugus Co., N.Y.

James Osterhoudt, Lake Co., had filed for divorce from Thedotia Osterhoudt, Chicago, Ill, charging her with adultery with Darius Zerburg.

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p. 3 Horace Cook, of Austinburg, was killed short time since in the front at Petersburg. His death reduces the 22 men who went into the 60th Regiment from Austinburg, to 5.

Miss Alvina Curtiss, daughter of Mr. Z. H. Curtiss, of this town, age 14 years, was drowned in the river near the Plank Road Bridge last Saturday. She was bathing with two other girls in the river and got into deep water. The other two girls were saved by the timely efforts of

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Master Eddy Pratt who was bathing near the spot at the time.

Lieut. Gaylord, of the 7th U.S. Heavy Artillery formerly of Perry, Lake Co., Ohio, is at home on sick leave. He was severely wounded at the Massacre of Fort Pillow.

Hubert A. Barnes, of Huntsburg, was found in the hay field on the 6th instant, nearly lifeless. It appears he was thrown from the horse rake and kicked by the horses. He lived one day; age 20 years.

Married July 19th at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. John L. Whetstone, of Cincinnati, and Miss Sarah M. Young, daughter of Rev. Wm. Young, of Painesville.

Hotel for sale in Unionville. Mrs. M. Shears. The house is large and convenient and well located for business. Stabling for 40 horses, with suitable outbuildings & c.

Sarah Butler has filed for divorce from Rolla Butler charging him with extreme cruelty and adultery. July 18

July 28, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Here is a rendering of the new Commutation Law which we clip from the Philadelphia *North American*.

"The payment of \$300 commutation, if made before last Feb., exempts from all drafts for 3 full years. If made after that time, the exemption is good only for the impending draft. Since the passage of the act in February, there is no commutation and all who are drafted and found liable must serve in person or by proxy."

p. 3 Another Pioneer Fallen

Elder Philip Lockwood died of apoplexy at his residence in the north part of Madison. He was born in New Jersey, Oct., 1786, but his father early moved to Courtland Co.,N.Y. He married at age 21 and was married 51 years. In 1821,

when 35 years old he came to Ohio and made his home on the shore of our beautiful lake. He had 13 children, 53 grandchildren. He leaves his second wife to mourn his absence.

Mr. John H. Merrill, who for the last 12 years has been constantly employed in this office, left for Chattanooga last Tuesday where he goes to engage in business for the Government.

Judge Palmer, of this village has invented and secured a patent for a fence and other posts, which for permanency, ease in construction, etc. far surpasses anything of the kind ever offered to the public.

We are pained to learn of the death of another of our soldiers, Laurence Pepoon, son of B. Pepoon, of this town. He died in hospital at Philadelphia last Sunday, having enlisted with the Sharpshooters here last spring. His remains will be brought here for interment.

Married in Thompson, July 17, Mr. Abijah P. Taylor and Miss Malvina French, both of Thompson.

Died Painesville, July 13, Herbert N., son of G. N. and E. A. Wilder, age 8 mos., 11 days.

Aug. 4, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 The time for paying the \$4 Militia commutation expires Aug. 15. After that time, \$1.50 extra will be charged.

Today (Aug. 4) was set apart for National fasting and prayer. Our churches will be open and our businesses will be closed.

Mr. R. Wheeler, formerly of our town but now in Sycamore, DeKalb Co., Ill., has formed a copartnership with John Symes in the purchase of grain in that town.

Weather: The weather for the last two weeks has been intensely warm—the thermometer ranging from 70-100 in the shade.

Aug. 4, 1864

Concord is out of the draft having filled her quota. Bully for Concord!

Death of C. W. Ensign Jr.

He was formerly a Treasurer of this county. For some months past he has been insane and a short time ago taken to the Asylum at Newburg where it was hoped with proper treatment, he would recover. When his attendant was busy with another patient Wed., Mr. Ensign ran to the engine used for pumping water and stuck his head under the cylinder crushing it to jelly. His remains were taken to Madison.

Lawrence G. Pepoon died at the Sixteenth & Gilbert St. Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., son of Benj. Pepoon, of Painesville, age 22. He enlisted in Co. 10, O.V. Sharpshooters, Feb. 23, 1864. He received a severe wound to the head July 6, 1864, from a rebel sharpshooter which terminated in his death July 24.

Volunteers Attention!

A 'Local Bounty' of \$200 is offered to any who may enlist under the President's recent call for 500,000 men.

Volunteers for 1 yr. \$300 2 yrs. \$400 3 yrs. \$500

Trustees: Collins Morse, J. F. Scofield, W. F. Greer

Com.: E. S. Pike, G. C. Curtiss, R. L. Blair

Benjamin Bissel vs. Peter Kent – Attachment

Frank O. Robbins, the murderer of James Ward, was arrested in Canada opposite Black Rock last Saturday by Dep. Sheriff Gallagher, of Cleveland. The woman, Stephenson, was with him.

Married Painesville July 31 at the residence of the bride's father, H. N. Webster and Miss Mary E. Babcock, both of Painesville. Students intending to board a the Boarding Hall of the Willoughby Collegiate Institute the coming term are required to furnish in addition to the articles specified in the catalog, one quilt or its equivalent in bed covering.

Aug. 2, Willoughby J. H. Boyce, Steward

C. Coquerell is adm. of the estate of Patrick M. Dunnigan, deceased late of Lake Co. David Barnes is the adm. of the estate of Justice H. Barnes, late of Lake Co., deceased

p. 4 Mr. James Ward Sr., partner of the Falcon Iron Works Co. of Niles Ohio, and one of the first citizens of Trumbull Co., was murdered at his home last Wed. A citizen of that place named Frank Robbins had for some time been upon terms of illicit intimacy with a Mrs. Lydia Stevenson, who resided in the home owned by Mr. Ward. The scandal caused by this affair caused Mr. Ward to give notice to the woman to leave. The woman and man, armed themselves and went toward Mr. Ward's house, first meeting his son, James Ward Jr., who they brutally assaulted. Mr. Ward came to his son's aid and remonstrated with Robbins, when Robbins drew a pistol and shot Mr. Ward between the eyes.

Aug. 11, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 A Town Clock – Our citizens are indebted to Mr. Thos. Wilder for the town clock in the belfry of the Presbyterian Church.

Death of Porteus Pepoon

Died May 13 at Hospital near Spotsylvania Court House from a wound received on the 12th, Porteus Pepoon, third son of A. Pepoon, was age 23 yrs. He enlisted from Elwood and joined Co. E, 12th Regt., N.J. Vol., Aug. 15, 1862.

Last Tuesday, two boys Silas and Willard P. Mallory were arrested for stealing two horses belonging to Messrs. King, of this town.

Aug. 11, 1864

Mr. F. Clapsadal has lost a second and only child by dysentery which is now prevailing in the region.

Married Painesville Aug. 4, Mr. Zachariah J. Washington and Helen M. Heathcock.

Married Aug. 3, at the Center of Mentor, Frederic M. Cassell and Jane C. Rockafellow, both of Kirtland.

Died the 4th instant at Elyria by drowning, Rozell S., oldest son of Orlando and Martha Curtis, age 10 yrs., 1 mo., 9 days.

Died Aug. 3, Madison, Lake Co., of brain fever after a short illness of 12 days, Andrews M. Wiswell, oldest son of Oliver P. and Amanda M. Wiswell, age 21 years.

Died Perry, Lake Co., April 7, with congestion of the brain, Mrs. Hila Ann Patchin, wife of John C. Patchin, age 43 yrs., 10 mos., 5 days.

T. Rockwell is adm. of Albert I. Gillett, probably insolvent

Charles R. Stone is adm. of Harriet Ann Reed, late of Lake Co.

Cucumbers are wanted at the Aid Room. Donations of vinegar will, also, be acceptable.

Twenty new regiments of infantry are to be raised in Ohio. Recruits in the organization will be entitled to the bounties provided by the act of Congress.

Lieut. Geo. B. Squire, Recruiting Officer

Aug. 18, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Wm. R. Tracy, known by many of our citizens, now of Nashville, Tenn., has recently been appointed by the President, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of Captain.

Death of Horace Steele Sr.

He died after a long illness, age 73. During a large portion of his life, he was connected with the press as editor or reporter.

The Great Ocean Circus Company will go through our streets next Saturday.

Madison Items

We have had an unusual number of deaths during the past few weeks. Nathan Wood, one of our oldest citizens, passed away quietly. Also, C. W. Ensign Jr., Orris Blair, and O. C. Loveridge, our faithful station agent. The last tolling of the bell was for the child of H. Gill who crawled beneath a bureau and drank from a cup of corrosive sublimate.

We learn that Col. C. C. Smith of Painesville (the Col. of the 10th Ohio Cavalry) has been appointed Post Commandant at Camp Cleveland in place of Col. Aqila Wiley, honorably discharged. He entered the service in the summer of '61 as an officer of the 2nd Ohio Cavalry.

Married Madison the 7th instant, Harry Huntoon, and Miss Julia Crowe.

Married on the 9th, Mr. John S. Bartholomew and Miss Myra E. Waterman.

Died Painesville Aug. 2, little May M., only daughter of M. E. and F. Clapsadal, age 2 yrs., 3 mos., 6 days.

Died Aug. 9, Eddie Hall, only son of M E. and F. Clapsadal, age 7 yrs., 5 mos., 16 days.

Died Nashville, Tenn., July 27th, of typhoid fever, Walter S. Allison, of the 6th Ind. V.I., formerly of Perry, age 31 years.

Died Thompson, Aug. 2, of consumption, Marcus Tillotson, age 65 years.

Died July 29 at his residence, North Madison, James Patchin, age 57 years.

Killed near Altoona, July 22, Jason M. Abbey, son of George and Anna Abbey of LeRoy, age 24 yrs., 6 mos., 7 days, a member of the 14th Ohio Battery.

Born into Spirit Life Tuesday morning, Aug. 9, Prudence, wife of Benj. Scribner, of LeRoy, who preceded her June 20, 1861. She was 69 yrs. old.

Anna Lockwood is the adm. of Phillip Lockwood, late of Lake Co., deceased. Painesville

Aug. 25, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Lieut. Mason Jackson, of the 18th U. S. Regulars was wounded at one of the recent battles in front of Atlanta. He was formerly an employee in this office. He is now in Hospital at Kingston, Georgia.

N. M. Fisher, recently returned from a visit to Illinois, was taken with dysentery shortly afterwards and died Friday night. He was a merchant tailor and was about 40 years old. He leaves a wife and three children.

Mr. Thomas Irwin of this village received a letter from C. C. Chapman, Lieut., Co. G., 125th Regt., O.V.I., that his son John Irwin was killed June 27 by a shot in the head.

Died in Willoughby, Aug. 10, Mr. Isaac Schram, age 85. Mr. Schram was born in Catskill, Green Co., N.Y. He came from there to Willoughby in May, 1829, where he has since resided.

Horace Steele Sr. Obituary

Horace Steele was born in Randolph, Vt., 1791, and was 73 yrs. old at the time of his death. In 1826, he established at Montpellier, the capital of Vermont, the *Patriot and State Journal*. In 1836, he moved to this village and established the Painesville *Republican* of which he was editor and publisher until 1841. When he died he was living with his third wife and has left besides her, five children and a number of grandchildren.

Mr. W. C. Patterson, of our village, has lost his second and only children—a boy and a girl—to dysentery. Mr. P is now ill with the same complaint.

Correll Moodey, second son of Mr. Samuel Moodey, age about 14, died last Friday from the effects of a blow to the heard received some time ago when playing with other boys. His skull was fractured and he suffered intensely.

A. H. Thrasher, of our town, has been seriously ill in New Hampshire for about 6 weeks. He left home to engage in an important lawsuit in Burlington, Vt., but on arriving there was attacked by bleeding of the lungs and was just able to get to the home of some friends in New Hampshire. He now seems to be improving.

Died in Painesville Aug. 12, little Charlie P., only child of A. T. and Addie Tuttle, age 1 yrs., 3 mos., 12 days.

Died in Painesville Aug 13., little Willie, only son of Solomon and Helen Schwab, age 3 weeks.

Sept. 1, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Kirtland out of the Draft

The quota for Kirtland is full.

John Amy Esq. for many years a resident of Kirtland died at his residence in Decorah, Iowa, June 27, age 76 yrs.

Miss Louisa Curtis, a young lady about 16 yrs. of age was suddenly killed in the flouring mill of Messrs., G. P. and A.I. Holmes, of Kirtland, in a shocking manner. She had recently come from Lorain Co. where her parents reside and was at the time living in the family of Mr. Waterman, the miller. Passing too near a shaft in the mill, her hoop skirt got wound to it, around which she was hurled with great velocity, causing instant death and horrible mutilation to her body. The miller was at hand and immediately stopped the mill, but no human effort could be in time.

John Miliken, a young man engaged in the Sanitary Commission at Knoxville, died the 2nd instant at Knoxville, Tenn. His father and relatives live in Kirtland.

Henry Drake of Co. G., 2nd Ohio Cavalry, was killed near Harpers Ferry, Aug. 22. The body has been embalmed and a brother of the deceased has gone to bring the remains to Painesville for interment.

Died Aug. 2 at Hospital No. 2, Chattanooga, Tenn., of chronic diarrhea, Alvin B. Paine, Co. D,

Sept. 1, 1864

105th O.V.I., youngest son of F. Paine Sr., of Painesville, age about 19 yrs.

Near Atlanta, Aug. 19, 1864 Battery C., 1st O.V.V.L.A.

During this summer's campaign:

Killed:

Jerry Storm, Kirtland Henry Gilbreth

Died of Wounds

H. C. Gurney, Thompson Chas. Hitchcock, Madison W. H. H. Mallory, of Geneva

Died of Disease

Franklin Frazel, of Chester, Geauga Co. William Barnes, Kirtland Harry Brown, Madison Chas. H. Coffin, Thompson Timothy D. Martindale, Kirtland

Wounded and still living

Frederick Brown, Madison
John Millard, Kirtland
W. B. Dow, Madison
D. G. Reed, Chester
Melvin Palmer, Chester (hand amputated)
Amos Austin, Madison
By Harry D.

Camp of Co. G., 2nd Ohio C.V.V.

Boliver Hts., Va., Aug. 23

Killed

John R. Johnson, Co. E

Wounded

John W. Reed

James R. Truesdale

Joseph Kinkaid

Hugh Mulligan

Capt. A. G. Kerney

Wm. Garnett

Freeman Egner

Officers and Men killed and wounded of 2nd Ohio Cavalry on Aug. 21, and 22nd

Killed

Capt. Fred R. Deming, Co. B.

Lieut. Henry H. Drake, Painesville, Co. L

Wounded

Frank Whitney, Co. H.
Samuel A. Bayard, Co. H
Ellis Wright, Co. D
Capt. Elisha Zook, Co. L
Lorenzo Darrow, Co. K
Azchara Scarbury, Co. K
W. F. Case, Co. K
Sergt. Henry M. Babcock, Painesville, Co. G
Andrew Leland, Co. C

Married in Painesville on the 17th ultimo, Mr. Alveston Pomeroy, of Hambden, and Mrs. Patience H. Pinney, of Mentor.

Married at the Cowles House, Painesville, on the 25th ultimo, Mr. Henry A. Loveland and Miss Eunice O. Ford, both of Madison.

Died Painesville July 27, Charles B. Bostwick, age 64

Died Painesville, July 31, Sherlie, youngest son of A. L. Tinker Esq. age 21 months.

Sept. 8, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Hear What Gen. Grant Says

We learn by the Cincinnati *Gazette* that in a letter to his father, received last Wednesday, General Grant says that the Southern Confederacy cannot possible recruit their armies, for they have already "robbed the cradle and the grave" for that purpose. He furthermore reiterates what he said some days since, that but for the Northern opposition, the rebellion would be completely squelched by the present campaign.

p. 3 Mr. Clement Northup died in Elyria, Aug. 13, age 78 yrs. He came from Mass., to Medina in 1820 then lived in Newburgh and settled in Elyria about 1826.

Married Concord, on the 4th instant, Mr. James Van Vorce, of Kirtland and Miss Julia Ann Sherman, of Willoughby.

Died in this village, Sept. 4, Mr. Wm. I. Ford, age 42.

Died Perry, Aug. 31, of camp diarrhea, Thomas C. Hickok, of Co. E., 171st O.N.G., son of Thomas Hickok, of Perry, age 23.

Sept. 8, 1864

Died in Romeo, Mich., Aug. 26, of dysentery, Frank Edson, son of C. A. and Hattie E. Loud, age 9 mos., 11 days.

Killed near Kennesaw Mountain, June 18, Jarvis M. Childs, only son of Asa and Thankful Childs, of Willoughby, age 32 yrs., 7 mos., a member of the 105th O.V.I. He leaves a wife and three children.

Sept. 15, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Hall Durand, long a resident of this village died suddenly last Saturday, age 70 yrs. He was the father of the wife, of Capt. Geo. L. Riker.

Our Painesville band has enlisted in the service and will join the Cumberland Army.

Lieut. Andrew Austin, of Willoughby, wounded in the Cumberland Army and died from his wound, was buried with Masonic orders, Sept. 14.

Lieut. Henry H. Drake, was buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Sept. 22, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 John Kellogg is adm. of Gaius Hitchcock, deceased late of Madison.

Our band, most of the members belong to this village, were mustered in at Cleveland last week and credited to Geneva, Ashtabula Co. The money in Painesville to pay volunteers had all be expended, and they could not wait until more funds could be raised.

Army Correspondence

Sergt. J. M. Bishop, Co. A., wounded Sergt. Benj. Lovet, Co. B., wounded Geo. Wolf, Co. K, wounded The following having served 3 years will shortly return home:

Co. G Lieut. Frank Paris Charles E. Morley Jacob Fine
T. B. Martin
J. Haverfield
A. M. Jones
Levi G. Kent
Edward D. Livingston

The Draft – All the towns in Lake Co. excepting Painesville and Willoughby have filled their quotas. Men went up to Cleveland yesterday with the necessary funds, and we presume the quota of Painesville is now full.

Married in Buffalo on the 13th instant, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. C. S. Leonard, of Painesville to Miss Libbie A. Knowles, of the former place.

Married Aug. 31 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Mr. Linden H. Morehouse and Miss Lydia E. Phelps, daughter of the officiating clergyman, all of Fremont.

Died Painesville Aug. 27, Frankie E., second son of B. F. and Lovinia L. Barnes, age 3 yrs., 11 days.

Died Painesville Sept. 16, Frederick Barstow, age 79 yrs. He has been a resident of Painesville for the last 10 yrs.

Died Painesville Sept. 20, Emily Alice, only surviving child of Horace and Lucia C. Sessions, of Defiance, Ohio, age 5 yrs., 9 mos., 24 days.

Died Painesville Sept. 13, Electa, wife of L. C. Carner, age 65 yrs., 4 mos.

p. 4 A. P. Axtell is adm. of Nathaniel M. Fisher, late of Lake Co. Perry

Sept. 29, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Gen. Halbert E. Paine, formerly of this village and brother of Capt. Geo E. Paine, had a warm welcome back to Milwaukee last week, as one of the most deservedly honored of Wisconsin's soldiers. Gen. Paine is the Union nominee for congress in Milwaukee.

Died Thompson, Sept. 19, of consumption, Ruth Emerson, wife of John F. Moseley and daughter of widow Griswold, of Mentor, age 42 yrs.

Sept. 29, 1864

Died in Hospital near Atlanta, Aug. 13, Timothy D. Martindale, of Kirtland, member of Battery C., First Ohio Lt. Artillery, age 16 yrs., 6 mos.

Obituary Dr. Storm Rosa

Dr. Storm Rosa, of Painesville, Ohio, died May 3, age 73 yrs. He devoted 20 yrs. of his life to the practice of Homeopathic medicine. Dr. Rosa was born in Coxsockii, Queens Co., N.Y. He studied medicine and graduated in 1816. He located in Madison, Ohio, where he married in 1818, and moved to Painesville the same year where he practiced medicine until his death. In 1851, he had accepted the Chair of Obstetrics and Diseases of Women in the newly organized Western Homeopathic College at Cleveland, Ohio. He occupied this Professorship several years.

Died Leroy the 16th ultimo of spinal disease, Richard Uden, age 25. He had served 3 years in the 23rd Regt. and was wounded at the battle of Antietam. He was the first to enlist from his township.

Court Case – John P. Wood vs. Cornelia A. Wood, of Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Mich. The plaintiff will proceed to take the depositions of witnesses in this action at the offices of W. W. Nevision, Painesville.

To Measure Hay and Wheat

For hay measure the length, breadth, and height into each other; if it is well settled, 512 cu. feet will make a ton. For wheat, multiply the width, length, and depth of inches into each other, divide by 2,217 inches, and the quotient will be the number of bushels.

Oct. 6, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Married Sept. 28 at the residence of the bride's father, Peter M. Hitchcock, to Sarah I., daughter of Hon. A. Wilcox, all of Painesville.

Died Hamilton, Butler Co., Ohio, Sept. 18, Carrie M., only child of Dr. C. Markt, age 1 yrs., 1 mo., 13 days.

Pay of Soldiers in Prison — It may not be generally known that the pay due to our soldiers in Southern prisons can be obtained by their wives on the presentation of the proper vouchers to the pay Dept. of this city.

Oct. 11th at Painesville

Dan Rice's Great Show

Educated and performing animals—dogs, monkeys, horses, mules, buffalos

Oct. 13, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 What Kind of Peace

The general belief on both sides of the lines is peace is at hand. In the words of Mr. Lincoln "everything for security, nothing for revenge."

Weather: On Friday night, the weather opened up very windy—blowing furiously all night and throughout Saturday. Rain, wind, and snow was the composition, and the atmosphere was cold enough to require fires and overcoats.

Died in Castile, Wyoming Co., N.Y., Sept. 15, Mrs. Nancy P. Willard, widow of the late Dr. J. H. Willard, of Brownhelm, Lorain Co., age 63. She is well known to the inhabitants of Painesville. She was visiting a niece when she was taken sick with dysentery.

The presentation of the Prize Flag will take place in the town House in Leroy the 21st instant. Bully for LeRoy!

Married at the Parmly House on the 4th instant, Mr. W. Ellenwood, of Hiram, and Miss Abby E. Roper, of Willoughby.

Married on the 12th instant at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. T. Stubbs, Mr. J. B. Stubbs, of Corry, Pa., and Miss Sarah A. Hickok, of Painesville.

Married on the 12th instant, Mr. James M. Ferry, of Madison, and Miss Martha Carrol, of Concord.

Oct. 13, 1864

Probate Court

John McMackin, guardian of Charles McMackin, 1st account

Christopher Quinn, adm. of Daniel C. Hadden, final account

Adah Young, executrix of Mark Young, final account

Charles R. Stone, adm. of Harriet Ann Reed, final account

M. S. Harvey, Probate Judge

Guardian's Sale: Isaac Tuttle, guardian of Mary Jane Tuttle. Land in Mentor will be sold.

Guardian's Sale: Harriet E. Carrel, guardian of James S., Arthur J., and Charlotte A. Carrel. Land in Mentor will be sold.

Oct. 20, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 The loss in the 2nd Ohio Cavalry was as follows at Winchester, Sept. 19th:

Sergt. Albert Briggs, Co. C, killed

Wounded

Joseph Maddock

Milton Abby

Corp. Frank Boughton

Sergt. Lorenzo Bosworth

Charles Stanton

Ralph Miller

George Short

Corp. Geo. F. Rogers

J. C. Wheeler

Sergt. S. K. Miller

Lieut. J. M. Lough

The morning after the battle I rode over the field, the dead and many of the wounded were still laying where they fell. A pale faced woman clad in deep mourning, was busily engaged in washing the wounded and dressing their wounds. "All night" she said, "I have been upon the field doing what I could to alleviate the sufferings of the poor fellows." She cared for the rebel soldiers and boys in blue. Was she not doing a noble work, and deserving of great praise as the heroes who a few short hours before exerted themselves to take life even at the cost of their own?

Wounded at Front Royal, Sept. 21:

Regt. Com. Sergt. Wm. Robinson

John Johnson, Co. E.

John L. Weaver, Co. I

Joseph Monosmith, Co. B

Missing

Wm. Wiggins, John Martin, Vinton Reed, all of Co. E.

By Old Pokeepsie

The "Spectacle Man" has arrived in town. If you have defective vision go at once to Caldwell the Optician and there procure the remedy.

Oct. 9, a body washed ashore a short distance below Fairport—supposed to be the body of James Greer. And on Wednesday, the body of William Lindcay came ashore near the same place. William Lindcay was plainly marked on each arm with India ink. Both bodies were interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

Due to a change in the mails South East, the *Telegraph* will not be published until Thursday afternoon.

Married 10th instant, Seth Marshall Esq. and Mrs. Catherine T. Morley, both of Painesville.

Married on the 12th instant, Lieut. Wm. H. Osborn, of the 105th Regt. O.V.I., and Miss Mary E. Tinan, daughter of R. Tinan, of Painesville.

Married on the 13th instant at the Congregational Church, Lieut. Stanley B. Lockwood of the 105th Regt. O.V.I. and Miss Libbie Lines, of Painesville

Married at the residence of the bride's father, on the 4th instant, Mr. T. D. Gibbons, of Cincinnati, and Miss Annie M. Clark, of Painesville.

Died Concord, Ohio, on the 25th ultimo at the residence of her grandparents, Little Bettie, only child of H. C. & B. A. Anderson, age 2 yrs., 10 mos., 11 days.

Oct. 27, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 John P. Wood has filed a petition for divorce from his wife, Cornelia A. Wood for adultery with one ____ Crane and ____ Quicksill and extreme cruelty.

Married Painesville 6th instant at St. James Church, Mr. Charles McNutt, of Ashtabula, to Miss Geraldine S. Williams, of Painesville. Married Oct. 6, Mr. Frank A. Cone, of Painesville, and Miss Eliza Pickett, of LeRoy.

Probate Court

John McMackin, guardian of Charles McMackin, 1st account

Christopher Quinn, adm. of Daniel C. Hadden, deceased, final account

Adah Young, executrix of Martha Young, deceased, final account

Charles R. Stone, adm. of Harriet Ann Reed, deceased, final account

Nov. 3, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Laura M. Ensign is adm. of Caleb M. Ensign Jr., deceased late of Lake Co. Madison

The Ossified Man

Some 15 years ago we gave an account in the Telegraph of Valentine Perkins, who then resided in Mentor in this county, who has been in a state of ossification for 25 or 30 years. He was taken from this county by his half-brother, Samuel Alvord, to Mantua, Portage Co., Nov. 19, 1862, where he has been until last week, when he was brought here and placed in the County Infirmary. His mother has had charge of him most of the time, but due to old age is no longer able to care for him. We called at the Infirmary to see this strange spectacle—he is nearly 52 years old. He was born in Henrietta, Monroe Co., N.Y., but came to this county when quite young. At the age of 11, he was thrown from a horse and his knee was injured by the fall. From that time ossification set in and the process made advancement joint by joint for 15 years when it had completed its work. He is totally ossified with the exception that he can move two of his fingers and made a slight motion with a toe or two. He has not opened his jaws in 30 years, but can talk with ease. He has to be fed, the food placed within his lips and somehow gets to his stomach. He has been totally blind for 30 years.

Married Kirtland on the 23rd ultimo, Mr. Amos W. Sweet, of Kirtland, and Miss Ruth Hayden, of Chardon.

Married Painesville on the 6th instant at St. James Church, Mr. Curtis McNutt, of Ashtabula, and Miss Geraldine S. Williams, of Painesville. Died Concord on the 24th ultimo after a brief illness of five days, of diphtheria, John W. only son of George C. and Climena N. Clapp, age 7 yrs., 9 mos., 24 days.

Nov. 10, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Abraham Lincoln Re-Elected

p. 3 Students of Willoughby Collegiate Institute offer a resolution of respect for Miss Sarah J. Hutchins, deceased.

Following is a list of those over 75 years of age who voted the Union Ticket, in Mentor Township, at the Presidential Election held Nov. 8, 1864—and oblige the Union men of Mentor:

Benj. Fish	age 90 yrs.
John Byrns	age 85
Spencer Phelps	age 84
William Kerr	age 80
Erastus Larned	age 84
Samuel King	age 82
James McClelland	age 77
Shelburn Bostwick	age 87
Joseph Ring	age 80
Gen. Duthan Northrop	age 75
Dudley Nowlen	age 75
Alvah Cable	age 76
Ozni Hildreth	age 80
Ahira Craine	age 75
Preserved Harris	age 81
John Lapham	age 76
Thomas Morley	age 75
Peter Gibbons	age 81
Joel Smith	age 75

Nov. 10, 1864

Notice

To those persons who may visit the Infirmary for the purpose of seeing the Ossified Man, I wish to say, that from the short experiences we have had with him, that our labor is much increased in taking care of him and attending to visitors; and after consulting with the Directors and other friends of the Institution, have decided to charge TEN CENTS for each person visiting him. Believing that no person having a laudable desire to see this phenomenon of nature, will be deterred from doing so by the demand of so small a sum as a dime—while at the same time it may prevent others from too frequently calling, from motives of pure curiosity.

W. Barnes, Supt. Lake Co. Infirmary

A young man named Edward Gibbons, about 20 years old, was killed in Cleveland on Saturday, in an encounter with another youngster about the same age.

Co. G, 2nd Ohio Cavalry Uriah Helmick died Dec. 6 and Hiram Pelton, Dec. 31, 1862, at Fort Scott.

H. A. Broughton was discharged from Hospital at Kansas City and returned home but in a few weeks died.

Mr. John R. Morley was here a short time ago from Fort Scott and was accompanied back to his new home by his sister, Miss Emma Morley and his nephew and niece, children of Mr. Seth Marshall—Thomas and Kate. During the panic at the Fort, they were sent in a government sixmule wagon 60 miles northwest. They have since returned and were all well at last dates.

Married Madison Oct. 29, D. L. Calkins Esq., of Cleveland, to Miss Marie Moulthrot, of the former place.

Died in Lafayette, Indiana, on June 30, last Willie W., only child of W. H. and Lillie W.

Johnson, age 6 mos. The deceased has been brought to Mentor for interment.

Died Mentor on the 5th instant of consumption, age 24 yrs., Lillie W., wife of W. H. Johnson and daughter of A. E. and Ann Webster.

Nov. 17, 1864 Thursday

Albert Kinz, adm. of Hiram Grant, deceased vs Salona Hubbell, Charlotte Elwell, Hiram Grant, Huldah Delong, Geo. W. Grant, Elihu Reynolds, Emma Reynolds, and Geo. Reynolds—heirs at law of the deceased. When in full life, Hiram Grant entered into a contract with A. C. Stearns for the sale of some real estate in Madison. Partial payment had been made before Hiram Grant's death, and the balance will be paid when a valid deed can be made to Streams for the premises. The petition is for the authority for the administrator to made a deed to A. C. Stearns in behalf of the heirs at law.

p. 3 Thomas Brick, age about 20, whose relatives reside in this town, was killed by the cars running over him, Saturday. His remains arrived here last Monday.

Married on the 6th instant in Painesville, Mr. Ancil D. Barrett and Miss Mary E. Stockwell, both of Mentor.

Died in Mentor Nov. 18(?) Henry Munson, age 64 yrs. He came from Conn. In 1821 and has been a resident of Mentor ever since.

Died in Buffalo Nov. 11, of dropsy, Nehemiah Clark, age 54 yrs.

Nov. 24, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. Alfred Talbot, an old and respected citizen of East Cleveland, died in a railroad accident Sunday near Youngstown. He was about 50 yrs. old.

Married Mentor Nov. 10, Mr. John March, of Perry, to Mrs. Mary Ann Hendrickson, of Mentor.

Died Kirtland on Nov. 19, Lavina S., wife of O. W. Call, age 68 yrs. She was born in Vermont in

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1796. On July 12, 1810, she married her companion who survives her and moved with him 40 years ago to Kirtland and reared a large family of children.

Probate Court

Ezra Hoose and Sabrina Hoose, executors of Jacob Hoose, deceased, 5th account

Edward A. Wright, executor of Thomas A. Wright, deceased, final account

G. W. Carrel and J. H. Boyce, adm. of S. D. Carrel, deceased, final account

Christopher Quinn, adm. of William R. Waldo, deceased, final account

Benjamin Bissel, executor of Hezekiah King, deceased, 1st account

Anne Lockwood, adm. of Philip Lockwood, deceased, final account

Harriet E. Carrel, guardian of James S., Arthur J., and Charlotte E. Carrel, final account

Samuel Taylor, adm. of Cyrus Huston, deceased, final account

Albert King, adm. of Hiram Grant, deceased vs. heirs at law of Hiram Grant –

Salona Hubbell,

Charlotte Elwell,

Hiram Grant,

Huldah Delong,

Geo. W. Grant,

Elihu Reynolds,

Emma Reynolds,

and Geo. Reynolds

Regarding land in Madison which Hiram Grant, when in full life, contracted to sell to A. C. Stearns.

p. 4 Roxana Stewart, of Lake Co., filed for divorce from Alvah Stewart, whose place of residence is unknown, and charged him with adultery with Olive Snow and gross neglect of duty.

Dec. 1, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Major G. R. Giddings, of the 14th Regulars, son of the late Joshua R. Giddings, has been promoted to Lieut. Col. of the 16th Regulars.

On Monday night, Mr. Peter Kleeberger's little daughter went to bed together with two or three other children; in the room directly over them was a quantity of kindling wood which about 2 o'clock in the morning fell through the floor, a portion striking the sleeping children, and instantly killing the daughter about 12 years of age. Peter Kleeberger is a marble cutter in this village.

Died in Decatur, Ill., Nov. 21, Eveline M., wife of E. H. Casement, age 24, daughter of D. K. Post, of this village.

Died in Newton Falls, Ohio, Oct. 24, Louis Sweet Long, age 10 mos., 7 days. Only child of J. W. and M. H. Long.

Died Thompson Nov. 11 of diphtheria, little Selah, only child of Spencer E. and Henrietta S. Balch, age 5 yrs.

Dec. 8, 1864 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. Ansel Baker, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Chester, committed suicide last Saturday by cutting his throat with an axe (he somehow attached it to a post). He was a wealthy farmer but had been afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism. He leaves a wife, two sons, and a daughter.

Died Painesville, Oct. 31, Ida F., only daughter of James M. and Mary F. Covill, age 9 yrs., 3mos.,1 10 days.

Died LeRoy, Oct. 30, of consumption after a painful sickness of nearly 8 months, Helen M., daughter of J. H. and Adeline Wheeler, age 19 yrs., 5 mos., 10 days. She leaves parents, brothers, and sisters to mourn her loss.

Court Case: To Emma Wilder and Barnabas Wilder, who reside in Washington Co., lowa; Milton Smith, of Illinois; George Sperry, Smith Sperry, Sophia Sperry, Hushae Beal, David Beal, and Elizabeth Humphrey. You are hereby notified that John P. Markell, adm. of the will annexed of Thomas Beal, deceased, has filed a petition with the probate court that the estate of the deceased is insufficient to pay his debts,

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legacies, and charges of administering the estate. He will be selling land in Kirtland being land conveyed to Thomas Beal by Henry D. Smith; and that Hushae Beal, Jabes M. Beal, David Beal, Elizabeth Humphrey, Emma Wilder, George Sperry, Smith Sperry, Sophia Sperry, Annette Smith and Milton Smith are his heirsat-law of Thomas Beal, deceased.

Dec. 15, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Married on the 8th instant at the Cowles House in Painesville, Mr. Reuben Grant, of Conneaut, and Miss Catharine A. Nichols, of Leroy.

Died in Leroy, Nov. 24, Frank Ellsworth, only son of Budd W. and Armenia Wilson, age 1 yr., 8mos.

Died Nov. 19, Susan Almira, daughter of Peter and Susan Kleeberger, age 12 yrs., 9 mos.

p. 3 The trial of Francis O. Robbins for the murder of James Ward, of Niles, last July, commenced in Warren, Dec. 1. He was judged by the jury guilty of murder in the second degree. His accomplice, the woman Stevenson, plead guilty to manslaughter.

Madison – Frank Dickinson married Dec. 8, Miss Addie S., youngest daughter, of Wm. Ford Esq.

Dec. 22, 1864 Thursday

p. 2 Married on the 30th ultimo at the Cowles House, Mr. Frank Viets, of Ashtabula, and Miss Nancy L. Dow, of Madison.

Married on the 1st instant, Mr. Frederick Holcomb and Mrs. Susan M. Stafford, of this place.

Married Madison on the 15th instant, Mr. Luther P. Thayer, of Chardon, to Miss Mary J. Logan, adopted daughter of Mr. Oswin Guild, of Madison.

Married Painesville at the residence of Capt. Andrews on the 14th instant, Mr. John McAdams and Miss Linda Andrews. Married Fairport at the residence of the bride's father (Capt. Webster) on the 20th instant, Captain M. L. Davis and Miss Sarah E. Webster.

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p. 3 Married on the 21st instant at the residence of the bride's mother in Galion, Ohio, Mr. E. A. Brown, of Willoughby, to Miss Matilda Quigley.

Married Dec. 25 in Madison, Mr. George W. Genung, and Miss Mary L. Daniels, of Madison. Married Dec. 21, in Madison, Mr. Addison N. Wright, and Miss Henrietta Stevens.

Married Madison on Dec. 21, at the residence of E. A. Wright, Mr. Elliott T. Hill and Miss Mattie J. Bliss, all of Madison.

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