PAINESVILLE TELEGRAPH 1866

Judy J. Stebbins 8/1/2015 PAINESVILLE TELEGRPAH Painesville, Ohio H. C. Gray, Editor & Proprietor

Jan. 4, 1866 Thursday p. 1 Horrible Tragedy

H. N. Durfee, of Pierpont, Ashtabula Co., a member of Second Ohio Battery, induced a woman of Beaver, Pa., to marry a soldier named

Belden two years ago for the sake of getting his bounty. Durfee, with his brother as an accomplice, killed Mrs. Belden and attempted to kill her child (which survived and was adopted by a farmer).

p. 2 Dr. John W. Hughes, of Cleveland, who murdered his wife, Miss Tamzen Parsons, was sentenced to be hanged Feb. 9. He testified he had forsaken his lawful wife in the Isle of Man and committed bigamy by marrying Miss Parsons. All his wrongs were caused by heavy drinking.

p. 3 The new and beautiful M.E. Church recently finished in Madison, was dedicated on the 24th instant by Bishop Kingsley. Too much praise cannot be awarded to the preacher in charge, Rev. E. R. Knapp, and the brethren and friends who have stood by him in carrying out this enterprise.

Married Dec. 28 at the Methodist parsonage in Thompson, Mr. George Jackson, of Chester, and Mrs. Dolly A. Fitch.

Married Christmas morning, at the home of the bride, Mr. Carlos A. Turney and Miss Carrie Winchester.

Died in St. John, Michigan, Dec. 27, of quick consumption, Susan M., wife of Frederick T. Holcombe, age 32.

Died Ashtabula, Dec. 20, age 36, Maria J., wife of Henry Fasset, and daughter of the late Lynds Jones Esq. of Jefferson. She was one of the kindest and most amiable of women. The slips in the Baptist Church will be rented for one year on Sat., June. 6.

T. K. Butler is located under the Cowles House does barbering, shaving, and keeps ladies' curls and switches on hand or made to order. Curling done in the latest manner at short notice. The highest price paid for ladies' hair.

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p. 3 Wm. L. Perkins and J. B. Burrows are forming a partnership for the practice of Law.

The Cleveland papers announce the death of Col. George S. Mygatt, formerly of the 41st Ohio Vol.

Only two pensioners of the Revolutionary War are alive: Wm. Hutchings, of Penobscot, Maine, age 101; and Lemuel Cook, of Clarendon, N.Y., age 99.

V. E. Smalley, formerly of this village and editor and proprietor of the Mahoning *Register* has been appointed to the position in the House of Representatives in Washington at a good salary.

New officers of the Lake Co. Agricultural Society: Pres. – Nelson Norton, Perry Vice Pres. – Robert Murray, Mentor Directors: E. Crocker, Madison A. P. Axtell, Perry H. Carroll, Painesville S. H. Williams, LeRoy N. Wells, Mentor M. Hill, Concord T. M. Morley, Kirtland D. Law, Willoughby

Married in Harpersfield, Jan. 3, Mr. Silas M. Rand, of Madison, and Miss Martha E. Hill of Harpersfield.

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Frank Fleming has added a bakery to his confectionary store and is ready to supply bread to families at fair rates.

William C. Dascomb, adm. of Wm. Dascomb, deceased, gives notice to Leander Dascomb, place of residence unknown; and Willie Dascomb, of Cameron, Steuben Co., N.Y., that he will be selling land in Madison to pay the widow and charges of administering the estate. Harriet S. Dascomb is the widow.

p. 4 David D. Brewster has filed for divorce from Ruth Ann Brewster charging her with adultery with Leander Wedge.

Jan. 18, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Jacob Plumb, age 90, died at Lake Mills, Wisconsin on Jan. 1. He was born in Richmond, Mass., lived in that state until he was 65, then moved to Oberlin, Ohio, for two years, and in 1843 went to Wisconsin.

p. 3 Weather: Friday night we had a regular old fashioned thunderstorm—since which we have had every variety of weather.

Married Willoughby, Dec. 28, Mr. A. J. Holmes and Miss M. V. Ward, both of Willoughby. On the same day, Mr. J. H. Bailey and Miss Kate Strong, both of Willoughby.

On the same day, Mr. S. N. Atwood, of Michigan, and Miss A. R. Carpenter, of Willoughby.

Died at Shreveport, Pa., Dec. 1, of chronic diarrhea, Lieut. Dudley E. Bond, of Cleveland, and brother of Mrs. Asa Childs of this place. He entered the service of the U.S. at New Orleans in 1863 as a volunteer in the 6th Missouri Cavalry.

Died Madison, Jan. 5, of cerebral spinal meningitis, age 30 yrs., Augusta G., wife of Oscar H. Cady, and daughter of Calvin Gibbs Esq., of Perry. The deceased was lovely in life and beautiful in death.

Died Kirtland the 8th instant, Mrs. Lueana Allen, age 61. She was born in Windsor, Berkshire Co., Mass. Moved to the Reserve in 1835, was married to Jacob Allen, who died in Oct., 1855. Ruth Potter, age 14, her only attendant, found her dead on the floor, fallen over from the chair where she had been knitting. Among the relatives in this village, residing with John Randall Esq. of this township, is her mother, age 93 yrs.

Jan. 25, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Probate Court

George Willard, executor of Lydia Willard, deceased, final account J. Warren Cook, executor of Lydia Haywood, deceased. final account Stephen B. Baker, adm. of Sabrina Callow, deceased, final account Harvey Woodworth, guardian of George G. Willard, Willis B. Willard, and Mary J. Willard, final account Charles Coquerrle, adm. of Patrick M. Dunnegan, deceased, final account Jason Jewell, guardian of Abigail S. Wilson, Lizzie V. Rust, Truman H. Rust, and Freeman W. Rust, first account Stephen C. Carpenter adm. of Jeremiah Truman, deceased, final account Elva Van Eps, adm. of Abraham Van Eps, deceased, first account Benjamin Stuart, guardian of John J. Bickford, first account Franklin Paine Jr., adm. of Wm. L. Ford, deceased, final account Abraham Teachout, guardian of Charles, Cornelia, William, and Mary Shepard, first account M. S. Harvey, Probate Judge

p. 3 Married Painesville Jan. 23, Mr. Francis J. Rexford, of Mentor, and Miss Helen R., eldest daughter of Capt. J. M. Carpenter. Bridesmaid: Mary Clayton; Groomsman, Marshall Teachout

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Married Troy, Miami Co., Ohio, Jan. 4, Mr. Geo. H. Robinson, of Painesville, and Miss Anna B. Bretland, of the former place.

Died Thompson on the 10th instant after one week's illness of congestion of the lungs and asthma, Uri Sumner, age 48 yrs.

Died in this village at the residence of her sonin-law, A. Rogers, on the 16th instant of congestive pneumonia, Mrs. Deborah Ann Drake, age 87 yrs.

Died Madison of quick consumption on the 5th instant, Fannie, second daughter of Reuben and Climena Ford, age 22 yrs., 5 mos., 3 days.

Mary J. Butler, by her next friend, M. M. Rice, files for divorce from John Butler.

Guardian's Sale – Elizabeth Griswold, guardian of Nannie V. Griswold, will be selling land in Mentor.

Feb. 1, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Willard F. Green, indicted for incest, has been acquitted.

Obituary - Died Perry, Lake Co., Jan. 15, Rev. Caleb Van Ness, age 65. He was born in Northampton, Montgomery Co., N.Y., Nov. 2, 1798. He was licensed to preach June 6, 1829. In May, 1836, he moved his family to Ohio and settled in Perry. He has left a wife and three children.

Died at the residence of M. L. Phelps, of Mentor, on the 19th ultimo, Mrs. Delia Prouty, age 63.

Died LeRoy, Jan. 3, of consumption after a painful illness of 10 months, Elmina, daughter of J. H. and Adaline Wheeler, age 27 yrs., 6 mos, 15 days. She leaves parents, brothers and sisters to mourn her loss.

Died in Waldoborow, Maine, Jan. 10, Mrs. Benson, wife of Capt. J. H. Benson, formerly of this village, age about 59 yrs.

Died Painesville, Jan. 12, after a short but painful illness, Mrs. Thankful Babcock, age 86

yrs. She was one of the oldest inhabitants of Painesville having settled here in 1812.

Feb. 8, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Mr. Chas. White, an old citizen of Warren, died in that place on the 4th instant, age about 68 yrs. He was a bachelor and left very few relatives in that vicinity.

p. 3 We have disposed on an interest in the *Telegraph* office to Mr. John H. Merrill, as of Jan. 1. Mr. M has been in the office for nearly 15 yrs.
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Mr. Robert Offer, our townsman, was seriously injured Tuesday by being knocked down and run over by a horse. Lewis Davis was driving a team on State St. and one of the lines broke and the horses ran away. Mr. Offer was insensible when taken home.

Mr. H. Steele has associated with him in the banking business, his son, Mr. H. Bliss Steele, who has been Clerk in the concern a long time.

Common Pleas Court

Dan Cleveland vs. Romano Spring - Re: Money Benj. Powers vs. Noah Young – Re: Land in Perry

Edwin J. Ferris vs. D. W. Stocking – suit for polluting a stream

Asa Childs adm. vs. Nelson Norton – Re: Notes claimed to belong to estate of Jehial Baldwin

Isaac A. Haines and others vs. Robt. P. Briggs and wife. Plaintiff claimed as heirs the property of Jennie M. Haines, deceased.

Ellen E. Minor vs. Wm. Minor – Divorce granted Dennis Sheridan vs. Mary Sheridan – Divorce granted

Emma Place vs Ira Place – Divorce granted Ambrose Branch vs. W. Hulett – Re: Money Miranda L. Fassett vs. Edward M. Fassett – Divorce granted

Alpha West vs. Maria West – Divorce Granted Willard F. Green for incest – Jury Acquitted

Willoughby Revival – For the past three weeks a great religious revival has taken place in

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Willoughby. The M.E. church has been crowded nightly with citizens from the village and surrounding country. Converts have numbered from 40 - 60 nightly.

Mr. Chas. Morley, of Kirtland, had a serious accident about two weeks ago caused by a runaway team which threw him from his seat and into the road breaking his arm and badly cutting his head.

Wanted – A building for the accommodation of the traveling public is badly needed at Wickliffe Station. At present the only shelter for passengers consists of a water tank.

Married at H. C. Whitney's in Mentor, Feb. 1, Mr. Wm. Lowden, and Miss Lucinda Cline of Euclid.

Died in Newago, Mich., Aug. 1, of typhoid fever, George W. Smith, formerly of Painesville age 18 yrs.

Died in Rushford, Minn. Jan. 22, Wm. Drake, formerly of Concord, age 68 years.

Feb. 15, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Married Jan. 8 at the residence of the bride, Mr. William S. Terry to Mrs. Jennie E. Griswold, both of Painesville.

Died in North Evans, N.Y. Jan. 30, Jane House, wife of James Clegborn, formerly of Cummington, Mass., age 89.

p. 3 All of this page is the Governor's Message

Feb. 22, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Married Feb. 8 in Johnson Co., Iowa, at the residence of E. H. Gardner, Mr. A. C. Carson, of Calif., to Miss Lottie R. Gardner, formerly of Perry, Ohio.

Died LeRoy, Lake Co., Nov. 19, of consumption, Miss Catherine M. Crellin, age 19, daughter of John and Jane Crellin.

Mar. 1, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Severe Storm - Grand River on a Bender-

Bridges Swept Away – A heavy rain on Friday night broke up the ice in the river and raised the water higher than it has been for years. The Railroad Furnace Bridge which divides LeRoy and Perry Townships was swept away; also, the bridge at Painesville Mills, and a portion of the Plank Road Bridge. Two-thirds of the dam at Painesville Mills as, also, carried away.

Died Mentor, Feb. 25, Albert T., son of Daniel N. and Marion Ingraham, age 1 yrs., 4 mos., 11 days.

Died at her residence in Painesville, Ohio, Feb. 28, Mrs. C. J. Carpender, widow of Dr. J. B. Carpender, age 54 yrs., 23 days.

John P. Markell, adm. of Albert H. Booth, deceased, will be selling land in Kirtland.

Mar. 8, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 We notice in our exchanges accounts of religious revivals in the churches all over the country, all denominations.

Mr. George Abbey, of Leroy, who was thrown out of his carriage last week, has three broken ribs.

Mr. & Mrs. Jas. Hall, of Ashtabula, celebrated, their golden wedding on the 15th. When they first arrived in Ashtabula in the winter time, it was a place of five log cabins.

The Fenians in this village are active in raising money and arms.

Last Monday evening was the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Gaines.

Died in Kent, Portage Co., March 4, Dr. E. W. Craine, age 70.

Died Painesville, Feb. 15, Mrs. Delia Seely, age 79 yrs.

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p. 2 Mrs. Sheldon retires from business the 15th of this month and Miss Segur will carry on in the same place in Baker's Block.

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C. Maltbie, W. H. Maltbie, L. E. Judson, and T. B. Warren have dissolved their partnership. Maltbie & Judson will continue on with the business in Baker's Block.

p. 3 Dr. M. Brockway (formerly of New Britain, Conn.) has purchased the house, lately owned by Mr. B. K. Cranston, on Main Street.

Several families from different parts of the county left yesterday for Livingston Co., Missouri, intending to make that state their home.

The youngest son of W. F. Potts died suddenly in LeRoy Monday night, age about 17. He took a severe cold last fall from which he never recovered and in a fit of coughing burst a blood vessel.

Mr. G. E. Meigs has formed a co-partnership with Geo. M. Baldwin in the Grocery and Provision Business.

Thompson Items

Hydrophobia – A dog belonging to Simon Bowers showed signs of madness some weeks since, bit a small cow and some animals about the premises which showed symptoms – so were killed and burned.

Married at the Parsonage in Thompson on the 7th ultimo, Mr. Alpheus W. Hardy and Miss Emma J. Graves, both of Trumbull.

Married Thompson on the 1st instant at the house of the bride's father, Mr. Peter Basquin, of Montville, and Miss Fidelia Chaffee, of the former place.

Died Painesville, Feb. 19, of consumption, Jane E., wife of John Chilson, deceased age 45 years. Died Madison on the 7th instant, of consumption, Eunice Loveland, third daughter of Reuben Ford Esq., age 21 yrs., 7 mos.

Probate Court

Albert King, adm. of Hiram Grant, final account

Margaret A Booth (now Margaret A. Barton), adm. of Albert H. Booth, deceased, final account

J. H. Nash, adm. of Abel Nash, final account

Abner P. Axtell adm. of Nathaniel M. Fisher, deceased, first account

Duthan Northrop, guardian of Mary Montgomery, final account

Lucius E. Judson, Executor of Wm. Holbrook, deceased, final account

Court Case – Tower Jackson and Lucy Jackson petition for partition of land in LeRoy owned by Wm. McMillen, when he died vs

Nancy Cram, Melissa Chamberlain, Levi Chamberlain, Mary Jane Atwater, Jeremiah Atwater, George Button, Charlotte M. Swift, Harmony Lake, Frances Lake, Sarah Ann Knapp, Henry Knapp, Helen M. Mansfield, Cora C. Mansfield, William Tear.

Guardian Sales

A. G. Barton, guardian of James A., Winfield S., and Virginia Booth will be selling land in Kirtland.

Martin Sawyer, guardian of Uri D., Allen S., and Alvin S. Hendrickson will be selling land in Mentor.

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P. 3 The next Ohio State Fair will be held at Dayton commencing Sept. 25.

There was a smash up at the Depot Wednesday caused by a horse jumping out of a car. Three freight cars and the caboose were thrown from the track and smashed up, together with the horse. Almost the entire length of the platform at the Passenger Depot was torn up.

C. A. Avery and John Fertig Esq. last week purchased 16 acres of land lying on Main St. nearly opposite the Lake Erie Female Seminary from Mr. Franklin Williams for \$16,000 and plan to make village lots of it and put them on the market.

Henrietta Fox at the County Infirmary gave birth to two girls and a boy—one of the former since

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died. As the Infirmary is doing "some" business as a "lying-in" hospital in addition to the care of the lame, blind, halt & c., it would be well for county authorities to consider increasing the capacity of the buildings.

Messrs. Gill, brothers, are successors to Mr. Asa Childs in the saddle and harness making business. They were soldiers in the Union army.

Death of Herbert L. Smalley – Herbert L. Smalley, 19 yrs. old, died at the residence of his uncle, E. D. Howe, last Monday. He had a brother, Virgil E. Smalley, in the Army; and Herbert, also, joined as a Fifer.

Erastus Merrell died at his residence in Concord last Sunday, age 84 yrs. He was one of the pioneers of the county. He has left behind a numerous family of children, relatives and friends.

Heman Losey, of Willoughby, died last Sunday. He must have been about 64 years old. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity of which he was a member.

On the 16th, Mr. Hiram Pancost, a well esteemed citizen of Geneva, met with a severe injury. He was at work in the saw mill owned by his brother when his foot caught in the coil of rope attached to the machinery that draws the log from the mill—drawing him over an iron rod 4" in diameter, crushing his leg nearly to his body and seriously injuring his right side. His leg was amputated by Dr. Wm. H. Sherwood assisted by Drs. Burroughs and Seymour, of Geneva. But slight hope is entertained for his recovery.

Cleveland has no water to drink. The petroleum refineries throw their waste into the river, and the result is that the water supply is fouled past remedy. Even the ice which has been cut is impregnated with oil. It is proposed to extend pipes far into the lake in imitation of Chicago. Married Perry at the residence of Mr. Jas. W. Barber on the 15th instant, Mr. Leander N. Batchelder and Miss Sarah E. Richardson, all of Perry.

Married in Correy, Pa., March 15, Mr. J. Spaulding of Oil Creek, Pa., and Miss Mary Jane Hopkins, formerly of Painesville.

Died at the residence of her son, John L. Dewel, at Butler, Indiana, on March 6, Mrs. Rebecca Rogers, age 84, formerly of this place.

Died at LeRoy, Feb. 19, Flora Anna, only child of Jane and the late Francis E. Foster, and granddaughter of Capt. J. C. Bartholomew, age 5 yrs., 7 mos., 4 days.

Died, Arthur Wilson Hubbard, age 7 yrs., son of J. R. and M. L. Hubbard, of Madison, Lake Co. He had a painful disease of the heart.

p. 4 Court Case – William B. Tuttle, guardian of Consul W., Lloyd E., Almena A., Daniel H., and Carrie C. Tuttle vs Ann Warren, John Warren, Lovina Baker, Schuyler Baker, Daniel Hopkins, Martin Hopkins, Edmond Hopkins, Edgar Hopkins, Mary A. Hopkins, and Martha Hopkins. Re: Petition for Partition of land in Mentor.

Court Case – Joseph Emerson vs. Sextus E. Wood, Ellen A. W. Ingersoll, Mary C. Wood, George W. Wood, Meroe F. Wood, Polly Wood, and O. D. Hendryx, guardian of Frank L. Wood, of Madison, Lake Co., O.; and George Chase and Anna Chase of Faribault, Minnesota. Petitioning for partition of land in Madison, Lake Co., Ohio, which is land deeded by Joseph Mead and wife to John B. Brewer and Joseph Emerson Jr.

Court Case – Arthur B. Benson vs. Henry J. Benson and his wife Julia T. Benson; and John V. Van Wert (all defendants non-residents of this State). Re: Promissory note

John P. Markell adm. of Albert Booth will sell land in Kirtland.

Elzeda Cornell filed for divorce from Oscar Cornell, also, asks for custody of minor children.

Mar. 29, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Contents of the Civil Rights Bill approved by both Houses on Congress.

Married LeRoy March 25, Mr. Merritt A. White and Miss Minerva Teachout, both of Leroy. Died LeRoy March 12, Theodore D., youngest

son of Wm. F. and C. E. Potts, age 17 yrs., 10 mos.

Died in Wapakoneta, Auglaize Co., Ohio, Feb. 2, Harriet, wife of Rev. A. C. Barnes, and daughter of the late Chester H. Gee, age 32.

Lorenzo A. Anson vs Mary C. Anson; filed for divorce charging Mary with adultery with William or Henry Turner.

p. 3 The pews in St. James' Church will be rented April 2.

Hiram Pancost injured on the 16th at the saw mill at Geneva, died Friday. He was a nephew of Dr. Pancost of this village.

Weather: Last Saturday we were treated to a regular old-fashioned snow storm, and Sunday and Monday had chilly winds more like January than March.

p. 3 The Civil Rights Bill has been vetoed by President Johnson.

Apr. 5, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 McConnell, the murderer of Mrs. Colvin at Olmsted Falls, has been arrested in Canada.

The pews of the Episcopal Church were all rented last Monday.

Corporation Officers Elected:

Mayor – Asa Childs Recorder – Henry Sanford Trustees – W. W. Dingley, S. Moodey, P. Bosworth, M. H. Colby, S. C. Hickok

Township Elections

Painesville Township: Trustees – Milo Harris, W. F. Greer, M. H. Colby Treas. – S. A. Tisdel Clerk – Edwin Huntington Assessor – Geo. Everitt Constables – A. W. Stocking, L. W. Crofoot, C. H. Philbrook Madison Township: Trustees - John F. Blair, Eli Olds, E. B. Griswold Clerk – Edwin King Treas. - Solon A. Rand Assessor - Nathaniel Wilson Constables – Elihu Dodge, M. Hewitt **Concord Township**: Trustees – George F. Baker, Elijah Brown, Irwin Hodges Clerk – Roswell Burr Treas. – Alpheus Wilson Assessor – Thos. Murray Constables – Chest. Winchell, W. Youmans Mentor Township: Trustees – John McCleland, Philander Parmele, Solomon Youmans Clerk – Turhand G. Hart Treas. – H. N. Munson Assessor – Franklin Murray Constables – Frank Parker, S. F. Whitney **Kirtland Township:** Trustees - H. H. Morse, B. S. Upham, S. M. Whiting Clerk – S. Williams Treas. W. P. Whelpley Assessor – Alex. Williams Constables – B. F. Markell, S. Carter Justice Peace – D. C. Lawrence LeRoy Township: Trustees – James Wright, Geo. Abbey Jr., D. D. Weed Clerk – S. J. Potts Assessor – Don Williams Treas. M. W. Carter Constables – John M. Pike, L. L. Kewish Justice Peace – S. B. Baker

Married Concord at the residence of the bride's father, Wm. Harrison Esq., Mr. Geo. W. Barton, of Sturgis, Mich., and Mrs. Augusta S. Fish.

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Died Madison on the 14th ultimo of chronic diarrhea, Samuel Lockwood, age 74 yrs., 7 days. Died in N.E. LeRoy on the 23rd ultimo of apoplexy, Mrs. Wilhelmina Smitherman, the beloved wife of Robert Garrett, age 48 yrs.

Died Painesville April 1, Lizzie, daughter of Chas. and Mary Lovelace, age 17 mos., 14 days. Died at the M. E. Parsonage at Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, March 21, Elvira J., wife of Dr. Lester H. Luse, of Mentor, age 25 yrs.

F. D. Warner, P. F. Young, Wm. Hadeler have dissolved their partnership.

Apr. 12, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 The Civil Rights Bill passed today over Veto.

p. 3 Common Pleas case, heirs of Andrew Haines as adm. of Jennie Haines, was decided in favor of the defendant, the mother of Jennie, Mrs. R. P. Briggs.

Mr. N. S. Barnes recently purchased at guardian's sale, the old Congregational Church edifice. It has been divided into two apartments-- as a harness shop and as a cabinet and undertaker's shop.

It is law. The Civil Rights Bill is the law of the land.

Patrick Conley one of the pioneers of Huntsburgh, Geauga Co., died at his residence in that town on the 18th ultimo, age 76.

Died Madison of consumption March 15, Henry R. Crandall, son of Daniel and Louisa Crandall, age 30. He was one of 9 brothers, 7 of whom and 2 sisters survive him.

Died Madison March 31 of congestion of the brain, Alvin H., eldest son of Horatio S. and Eunice Rutherford, age 12 yrs., 9 mos., 21 days.

Apr. 19, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Elder W. F. Wilson and wife, of this village, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on the 14th instant.

Married at the Parsonage in Madison, March 14, Mr. Andrew L. Isham to Miss Eunice Knapp, of Perry, Lake Co., Ohio.

Died in Painesville, April 13 of whooping cough, Emma J., only daughter of Samuel and Sarah Parker, age 1 mo.

Died in Taylorville, Iowa, March 13 of a disease of the brain, Carrie, youngest daughter of J. T. and M. D. Rawson, age 5 yrs.

Died Madison April 6, G. Willard, only son of Charles and Edna Spalding, age 4 yrs.

Probate Court

Ferdinand Haskell and J. B. Crosby, executors of Samuel Crosby, deceased; third account

Susan Blair, adm'x. of Orris Blair, deceased; first partial account

Sarah M. Wilson, adm'x. of Samuel Wilson, deceased; first account

C. L. Hoyt, adm. of John Perkins, deceased; final account

Orlin Newell, guardian of Cassius J. Harris and Lucy A. Harris, final account

Charles B. Gillett, adm. of James Mosher, deceased; final account

Charles W. Spaulding, guardian of Alice G. Spaulding; first account

John P. Markell, adm. de bonis non of Albert H. Booth, deceased; final account

Rhoda Huston, guardian of Myra Ella Huston and Samuel C. Huston; first account

Apr. 26, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Gen. Casement returned from Omaha a week or so ago and left again on Monday with Mrs. Casement. The General will make Omaha his headquarters while engaged in his large contract—building the Pacific railroad.

Married on the 17th instant at the residence of the bride's father in Thompson, Mr. Warren, Tenney and Miss Lorena P. Ransom, both of Thompson.

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Married in this village at the Parsonage on the 22 instant, Mr. Isaac J. Marsh and Miss Emeline O. Comstock.

Married Thompson on the 22nd instant, Mr. Vilorous Stone and Miss Helen Offner, both of Thompson.

Died in Unionville, March 31, Julia A. Dickinson, wife of B. W. Dickinson, age 53 yrs.

p. 4 B. Huntington is appointed adm. of Caroline J. Carpender, deceased. Painesville.

May 2, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 The rapidly failing health of Jeff Davis is said to be the reason why the President has granted permission to Mrs. Davis to see him.

p. 3 Presbyterian Church pews in Painesville will be rented for one year from Monday evening next.

In view of the hot and sickly season in the Capital, rooms are being fitted up for the President and his family at the Continental Hotel, Long Beach, N.J. The family will probably repair there early and the President to follow when Congress adjourns.

Married Perry on the 25th instant, Mr. Mortimer L. Reynolds, of Mentor, and Miss Josephine Tyler, of Chardon.

Died in Painesville April 24, Harriet Louisa, youngest daughter of Dr. H. C. Beardslee, age 17 yrs.

Died Thompson April 17, of congestion of the lungs, John F., infant son of W. R. and C. A. Moseley, age 3 mos., 24 days.

T. Brooks & Son – T. Brooks and J. F. Brooks have dissolved their partnership in the Painting business. J. F. Brooks will continue at the old stand on Main St.

Guardian Sale – Harvey Newell, guardian of Butler and Geo. Broughton, will be selling land in Madison. Mentioned: Elizabeth Broughton.

May 10, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Our friend and former townsman, Mr. G. W. Steele, who has been residing in N.Y. for some years, has recently purchased the grounds of Mr. N. S. Wheeler on Main St.—26 acres, where he plans to erect a house and move back to Painesville.

Alfarata Baldwin, guardian of Althea L. Baldwin, will be selling land in Painesville.

May 17, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 The oldest paper in American is the Gazette & Chronicle, published in New Hampshire, just completed its 109th year.

p. 3 On the recommendation of Gen. Custer, Col. Nettleton, formerly of the 2nd Ohio Cavalry and now editor of the Sandusky *Register*, has been brevetted a Brigadier General.

Supervisors will take notice that there is a law in Ohio requiring them to put up guide-boards at every cross roads under penalty of fine and costs.

Common Pleas

The following divorces were granted: Mary D. Phillips vs Jeremiah Phillips Eunice J. Long vs Jesse Long Antoinette A. Hutchinson vs. Jas. Hutchinson

The Warren *Chronicle* last week announced the death of Mr. Samuel Chesney, father of Benj. D. Chesney Esq. of this village at 88 yrs. He was a native of Juniata Co., Pa., and came to Warren in 1803, and therefore, a resident for 63 years. In the past, he had been County Treasurer, Post Master, and Justice of the Peace.

Ireland will presently be depopulated if emigration continues at its present rate. The last number of the Cork *Reporter* states that hundreds of emigrants are in town awaiting the arrival of the next transatlantic steamer. These people have come from Limerick, Clare, Kerry, and Tipparary, and are all well-dressed, healthy, and interesting people.

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Married LeRoy May 10, Mr. George W. Brockway, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Lucinda R. Graham, of the former place.

Died Painesville April 3, Mr. James McCaslin, age 58 yrs., 11 mos., 23 days. For 24 years, he was the ruling elder in the Presbyterian Church in Concord, Venango Co., Pa. In 1863, he purchased a farm and came to Painesville last June. He leaves a wife, and a large family of sons and daughters.

J. J. McCaslin and S. W. McCaslin have been appointed administrators of James McCaslin, late of Lake Co., deceased. Painesville.

May 24, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Last Tuesday, Lestina, age about 17 yrs., a daughter of Chas. Waterman, living over the old Geauga building, was seriously burned when her dress caught fire. At this writing the girl is suffering terribly, her screams being heard in the streets.

---Since the above was in type, we learn that Miss Waterman has died.

Married in LeRoy, May 10, Miss Martha J. Chadwick. Of the above place to Dr. William Sherwood, of Unionville.

Married in the Episcopal Church, Faribault, Minn., April 25, Miss Lucy E. Frisbie, niece of J. L. Frisbie Esq. to Gardner S. Chapin, all of Faribault.

Married May 17 at Jefferson, Ashtabula Co., Mr. Arthur Charles Edward Van Rapp to Mrs. Ann M. Storrs, nee Norris.

Died Princeton, Koscuisko Co., Ind., on the 12th instant of typhoid pneumonia, Henry Quine, age 38 yrs.

Died Painesville, May 19, Nellie H., infant daughter of Capt. Frank and Josie Young.

Died Painesville on the 16th instant of lung fever, Hudson Lee, son of L. M. and R. C. Taylor, age 7 mos.

Relief Winchester has filed for divorce from Erastus Winchester charging him with committing adultery in Feb., 1866, at Madison with Evelina Horton.

May 31, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Dr. Olmsted, formerly of the village is soon to return to Painesville, and will resume his practice.

Capt. Luman H. Tenny, formerly of the 2nd Ohio Cavalry, has accepted the position of city editor on the Sandusky *Register*.

W. F. Greer cut from his stock ram "Colonel" a fleece weighing 21 lbs.-- 12 months grown. Weight of the sheep after shearing was 117 lbs.

Lake Co. Fair Sheep Shearing Premiums Seth Manley 1st C. Schram 2nd B. Daggett 3rd

Died Madison on the 17th instant with a malignant tumor of the bowels, Albert V. Allen, age 22. This is the 4th time death has visited Mrs. Allen in the space of two years.

Died this village May 28, after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Sophia, wife of E. D. Howe Esq., age 60. A pioneer has passed away. She was a native of the state of New York but resided in Painesville and vicinity for 40 years.

Died Painesville May 15 of congestion of the lungs, Thomas Arthur, son of C. P. and Ann Mayo, age 13 yrs., 5 mos., 16 days.

June 7, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Married May 30 at the residence of the bride's father, John F. Whitlaw, of Cleveland, to Miss Alma, daughter of Hon. D. R. Paige, of Painesville. Groomsmen: J. Colwell, Ralph K. Paige. Bridesmaids: Miss Mary A. Whitlaw, Miss Helen L. Steele.

June 7, 1866

Married Thompson the 29th ultimo at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Lyman D. Stearns, of Madison, to Miss Elma D. Hodges.

Died on the 25th ultimo of typhoid, Roderick I. Comstock, late Post Master of Hill House, S. LeRoy.

Died in Loda, Iroquois Co., Ill., May 11, of congestion of the lungs and croup, little Charley, youngest child of Abner and Sylvia Hungerford, age 6 yrs., 1 mo., 26 days.

Died at his residence in Painesville, May 26, Dr. Geo. W. Card, age 74 yrs., 6 days. He was born in Herkimer Co., N.Y., where he received his medical education under that eminent physician and surgeon, Dr. Willoughby, with whom he practiced several years and in 1819 emigrated and settled in Willoughby, then Chagrin, and in June, 1842 moved to this place where he has since resided. About 12 years ago, he had an attack of paralysis affecting his face and speech.

p. 3 The Second Annual Shearing Festival of the Wool Hollow Sheep Breeders and Wool Growers' Association was held on the premises of Dea. John Wells, in Kirtland, June 1st. (All the entries and awards are listed.)

Notice – The Geauga Furnace Company has disposed of all its manufacturing interests to Messrs. H. R. Sanford and R. L. Blair.

N. M. Duston will pay no debts on his account but the ones of his own contracting. Painesville.

Thos. Carroll gives notice that his wife has left him (her name not given) and he will not pay any debts of her contracting. Painesville.

June 14, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Benj. Daggett, south Kirtland, is general agent of the Hubbard Mowers.

Dr. C. C. Olmstead has resumed the practice of Medicine in Painesville in place of Dr. Webster who has left. Thayer, Noyes & Co.'s Grand Combination Circus will be in town next Wednesday.

Dr. D. P. Kayner, who has practiced 2 years in this place has moved to Erie, Pa.

Conneaut *Reporter* – Mr. Lucius Main *was* employed in Sweet's Mill in Monroe Township when a board he was carrying got caught in the saw and dragged him against it killing him. He leaves a wife and child.

Died Chicago May 19 of scarlet fever, Ardie Grant, only child of J. Smith and Hattie Briggs, age 3 yrs., 6 mos.

Died Concord at the house of her son-in-law, A. B. Wilson, June 11, Sally Cone, age 74 yrs.

H.D.L. Webster has sold his practice to Dr. C. C. Olmstead.

June 21, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Dr. Joseph Caldwell, of Huron, Erie Co., O., died. He was advanced in age and died of heart disease. He was a pioneer of the Firelands.

C. L. Hoyt, familiarly known as the Teller of the Bank of Geauga and more recently the First National Bank of Painesville, died Monday, age about 55 years. He leaves a wife and several children.

Died Painesville June 15 of erysipelas, Adeline M., wife of Daniel Thompson, age 44 yrs., 7 mos., 28 days.

Died Painesville on the 19th instant, Mr. Joseph H. Tyrell, age 44 yrs.

Probate Court

Laura M. Ensign, adm. of Caleb W. Ensign, deceased, final account

Luther C. Fenton, guardian of Polly Gilman, first account

Andrews Merriman, guardian of Theo. Stearns, final account

June 21, 1866

William E. Holmes, guardian of Bradner P. Holmes, final account

p. 4. Boiling or burning coal tar under trees infested with tree caterpillars will kill them off.

June 28, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Accounts continue to come in of the great destruction of sheep—chilled to death by the late severe storm. Several thousand in Lake Co. alone perished.

Chardon Democrat

Ambrose A. Butts, of Auburn recently lifted a dead weight of 2,737 ³/₄ lbs. which is the greatest lifting feat on record. Dr. Winship, for several years past considered the strongest man in the world, at last accounts had lifted only 2,600 lbs.

Married Mentor June 25 at the residence of the bride's sister, Mr. Norman Lewis Brookins, of Little Mountain, to Miss Sarah Maria Stanhope, of Painesville.

Died Painesville June 18, Comfort L. Hoyt, age 55 yrs. of age.

Died Rockport, Ohio, June 14, Mrs. Adeline Andrews, daughter of Joseph Ring, formerly of LeRoy, age 35 yrs., 7 mos., 7 days. Her remains were brought to Mentor for interment.

Died Perry on the 10th instant of consumption, Mary Ann, wife of Henry J. Bowen, age 23 yrs. Little time she walked beside me, Voices called her, soft and low. From the land that lay beyond us— And she whispered, "I must go."

All members, Company A, 85th Battery, O.N.G., are requested to meet at Perry Town House to decide the question whether the Company continues their organization or be mustered out of service.

July 5, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Married Detroit, Michigan, May 9, Mr. E. C. Morse to Miss Hattie E. Stuart, both of Detroit.

Married at Willow Manse June 26, Mr. Lewis C. Gill, of Ashtabula, and Miss Emma J. Chapin, of Painesville.

Married Madison June 30, Mr. John Chapman, of Austinberg, to Miss Amelia D. Kelly.

Married in St. Peter's Church, Ashtabula, June 21, Horatio J. Noyes, of Painesville, to Hattie L., daughter of Wm. W. Mann, of Ashtabula. Bridesmaids: Miss Sarah M. Mann, Miss E. E. Seymour

Groomsmen: Mr. Geo. E. Stevens, Sidney Ticknor

Died Madison June 10, O. D. Hendryx, age 57. Died Painesville June 24, Mrs. Mary Hills, wife of the late J. Hills Esq., age 87. She had been a resident of the town 51 years. She was known only to be beloved.

Court Case

Alonzo Lee, Lucy Lee, Delia Rawson and Grandal Rawson vs Mary Magilton, Albert Magilton of Pa.; Mahala Stratton, Franklin Stratton, Eliza Hickock, Albert Hickock, Franklin Lee minor child of John Lee, deceased and Lucy Lee, widow of Linus Lee, deceased. Re: Land in Madison to be partitioned.

July 12, 1866 Thursday

p. 3. Launch of a New Vessel – Last Thursday a large number of citizens turned out to witness the launch of a new vessel built by E. L. Herrick and owned by Martha A. Fountain and Lovisa Byrns, each one-half. She has been christened *Asa Childs*. Burthen 206 tons. It will be commanded by R. H. Fountain.

There was a baseball game Painesville vs Willoughby played on the depot grounds at Willoughby, July 4; Painesville Athletic Club and the Willoughby Baseball Club. Willoughby won 23 - 17.

July 12, 1866

Important to Pensioners

Invalid pensioners, having hitherto received but eight dollars per month who have lost one hand or one foot, or who have been totally and permanently disabled in the same, or otherwise disabled as to render, their inability to perform manual labor equivalent to the loss of a hand or foot, can now procure an increase of pension to fifteen dollars per month. Invalid officers, whose pensions were based upon their rank as fixed by actual muster at the time of receiving their disability, are now entitled to an increase in pension corresponding to their rank as fixed by a commission. The same rule applies to widows, minor children, and dependent mothers of deceased officers. Fathers having lost sons in the service upon whom they were in whole or part dependent are now entitled to a pension. For particulars apply to D. W. Gage, General War Claims and Pension Agent, No. 12 Case Block near Post Office, Cleveland.

Married Mentor at the residence of Almon Sawyer Esq., Mr. Frank A. Ingleston, of Hideville, Vt., to Miss S. Ines Perkins, of Painesville, Ohio.

Married June 12 at the residence of Wm. Ward, Mr. E. W. Morley, of East Saginaw Mich., to Miss Sally Carter, formerly of Cincinnati.

Married Port Huron, Mich., June 30, John W. Shearer, of Bay City, Mich., to Miss Mary E. Larned, eldest daughter of Erastus Larned Jr., of Mentor, Ohio.

July 19, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Weather: The past week we have had extreme hot weather, the thermometer at 98 degrees in the shade Monday and Tuesday and 115 degrees in the sun.

The return match of baseball between Painesville and Willoughby was played at the Fairgrounds; Painesville won. Died Concord July 1, Mrs. Rebecca Merrell, age 87 yrs.

July 26, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Wm. F. Greer has sold his famous milch cow "Empress" to Winthrop W. Chenery Esq., of Boston, Mass., the importer of Holland cattle. The amount of milk produced by this cow is considerably larger than any other upon record, in this or any other country.

Married at her mother's in Concord, July 17, Mr. Oscar C. Douglass, of Claridon, and Miss Calista L. Clark.

Died Painesville July 15, Thomas Hickok, age 61 yrs.

Died in Painesville July 18 at the residence of his uncle, A. Bliss, Chicago, Ill. Aaron Freddie, age 9 yrs., son of H. E. Moseley Esq. of this village. His remains were brought to this place for interment.

Died July 16 of cholera infantum, Harry B., only son of David and Emma Parmly, age 10 wks., 1 day.

Lewis Hoyt is executor of Comfort L. Hoyt, deceased, of Painesville

Aug. 2, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. Ogden French, of Leroy, this county, committed suicide by hanging himself last Monday. A cause cannot be assigned for the act. He leaves a wife and five children.

A drove of 2,000 sheep purchased in New York passed through here last week bound for Missouri. The man who had them in charge said they averaged 8 miles per day.

Deacon Smead, father of Dr. Smead, Post Master in Madison, died Friday evening by being gored to death by a bull in his pasture. He had been in the habit of petting the animal. He was 71 yrs. old.

Aug. 2, 1866

Death of Mrs. Frances R. French

Mrs. Frances R., wife of Hon. John R. French, formerly editor of the *Telegraph*, died at Edenton, North Carolina of congestive fever, age about 43. Her two sons were ill with the same disease but were better by last account. We hope Mr. F may not be called to part with others of his little family. Mrs. French's remains were forwarded to Cincinnati, where her relatives reside, for interment.

Our late townsman, A. J. Williams Esq., is now located at Macon, Missouri.

Geauga Co. - The two year old son of Mrs. Timothy Fowler, of Burton Township, fell in a well of 20' deep with 5' of water. The mother somehow climbed down the well and lifted up the lifeless form. Another child, three years old looking in at the top of the well, was told by the mother to get help from the neighbors. She did and neighbors came and got them out of the well. The little boy is now doing fine having been resuscitated by his mother.

Married at the Parsonage in Madison, July 29, Mr. Joel B. Vrooman and Miss Frank C. Tousley.

Died Madison on the 21st ultimo, Mrs. Lavinia Smith, wife of the late Dea. Elijah Smith, age 77.

Died Fairport, July 17, Miles J., only child of Henry and Melissa Butler, age 9 mos., 3 days.

Died Fairport, July 27, of chronic diarrhea, Melissa A., wife of Henry Butler, age 24 yrs., 7 mos.

Court Case – Hezekiah Cole vs. Henry J. Benson, Luther W. Holmes, late partners under name of Holmes & Benson; Arthur W. Benson, John Van Wert, and Almet Reed, of New York City, N.Y. Re: Money owed Freeman Hurlburt vs Mary A. Hurlburt

Mary Hurlburt, of California, is notified that Freeman Hurlburt has filed his petition in Lake Co., Ohio, for divorce charging her with gross neglect of marital duty. Depositions will be taken at law office in Kent Co., Michigan, and In Iona Co., Michigan.

Milton S. McFarland has filed a petition in Lake Co., Ohio, to divorce Susan McFarland of Munson, Geauga Co., Ohio. Milton is charging Susan with adultery with William Palmer, one Daniels, one Wright, one M. Dickey, and W. Prince.

James Flood has filed a petition for divorce from Elizabeth Flood, of Titusville, Crawford Co., Pa., charging her with adultery with William Cain and John Cain.

Jennie McDonald has filed a petition for divorce from James C. McDonald, of Jamestown, Mercer Co., Pa., charging him with gross neglect of duty and adultery with Irena Bennett; also, petitions for alimony and custody of minor children.

Aug. 9, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 The large brick building on State St. built as a steam mill and now used as a barrel factory, has been purchased by Messrs. Geo. W. Steele, J.E. Angier, and others to be fitted up as a first class carriage manufactory.

Our fellow townsman, Mr. A. Rogers, has invented a new style extension ladder. It is light, cheap, convenient and durable and would be useful in gathering apple crops.

Walter G. Gunn died on July 19 by the accidental discharge of his pistol.

List of Income Tax Payers in Lake Co. for 1865

(listing in newspaper, also, shows the amount of tax that each person paid)

<u>Painesville</u>

Avery, C. A. Angier, J. D. Adams, C. D.

Painesville con't Andrews, J. H. Axtell, I. P. Axtell, Laura K. Bissell, Benjamin Brown, L. C. Bartlett, C. S. Brainard, Noah Blair, L. R. Briggs, R. P. Bailey, J. E. Brooks, John F. Beardslee, H. C. Blackmore, Wm. Baker, George Barstow, H. L. Burridge, Samuel Barnes, William Baker, George O. Brink, Nicholas Babcock, J. A. Bosworth, Perry Child, C. O. Cooley, Lathrop Clapsadel, E. Chesney, B. D. Childs, Asa Clayton, D. B. Clayton, Wm. E. Carson, John B. Casement, D. T. Clayton, William Curtiss, George C. Darragh, Edward Dickinson, B. W. Dingley, W. W. Doolittle, M. R. Dickson, M F. Eddy, D. M. Everett, Isaac Ross, Richard Fertig, John Gray, D. C. Goodell, N. P. Griswold, H. L. Gray, H. C.

Hoyt, C. L. Huntington, Colbert Hubbard, A. S. Harrison, J. J. Harvey, T. W. Hitchcock, Reuben Hawley, Gideon Harvey, M. S. Higgins, James Johnson, R. M. Judson, L. E. Jenkins, Edgar Jewell, E. S. King, T. E. Loomis, T. W. Lee, N. O. Lines, O. J. Little, L.A.M. Mrs. Ladd, S. T. Moodey, R. A. Malin, R. Marshall, Raphael Mansfield, J. A. Maltbie, C. Maltbie, W. H. Mead, D. W. Marsh, B. F. Moodey, Samuel Morley, Albert Marshall, Seth Nevison, W. W. Osborn, S. S. Pratt, C. E. Parmly, J. L. Patterson, C.W. Parmly, D. C. Pratt, Pliny Porter, L. A. Pancost, S. G. Perkins, Wm. L. Park, B. B. Pike, E. S. Paige, David R. Rich, John Raynolds, Geo. K. Rich, M. J. Sanford, P. P.

Skinner, Augustus

Painesville con't Storrs, Jesse Seymour, M. M. Skinner, R. W. Smith, C. C. Steele, Horace Stebbins, L. C. Sterling, Lord Sanford, H. P. Seeley, Uri Tisdel, Silas A. Tinker A. L. Teachout, A. Tillotson, F. A. Tinan, Richard Tanner, M. J. Van Etten, B. A. Wade, I. T. Warner, F. D. Wells, Thos. B. Willard, Chas. P. Wheeler, N. S. Wood, Otis M. Wilder, G. N. Waterbury, Robert Warner Jr., Daniel Wilcox, Aaron Willard, Charles A. Young, William LeRoy Abbey Jr., George Carter, S. E. & H. N. Elias, A. J. Warner, J. A. Concord Blish, George Blish, Zenas Camp, H. C. Fay, H. S. Kellogg, E. P. Murray, Jared Murray, George N. Murray, John Nye, L. E. Norris, G. G. Perry

Axtell. A. P. Axtell, L. A. Armstrong, Harvey Barber, J. W. Baker, O. Cook, James Cook, Warren Crosby, M. L. Davis, W. A. Green, Lucius Gray, William Hutchins, Calvin Haskill, Eli B. Hurlbert, Jehial Haskill, Ferdinand Holcomb, Mark Manchester, O. Owen, Hiram Pike, D. H. Parmly Jr., Jehial Parmly, Jehial Salked, George Stratton Eliphalet Thompson, Thomas Thompson, John Thompson, Moses Wright, C. T. Wood, Louis B. Watts, N. J. Wyman, Don Young, Milo Madison Balch, William Burden, M. L. Cook, P. O. Colby, C. G. Cram, Lowell Cook, M. B. Crocker, Erastus Crocker, M. E. Dow, John Dayton, James Ensign, H. C. Ensign, E. F. Freeman, Raymond Follett, Almeron Ford, James Ford, Wm. H.

Madison con't Geaves, Carlton Hayden, J. B. Holbrook, N. B. Johnson, L. G. Keener, C. L. Kellogg, H. E. Loveridge, O. Merriman, Andrews Plympton, E. L. Roe, H. A. Sherer, J. P. S Sherwood, W. H. Smead, S. M. Torrey, S. W. Thomas, Delos Taylor, J. S. Vandeveer, H. Winchester, Jonadab Warner, O. W. Warner, S. C. Wood, S. E. Wood, J. L. Winchester, Horace Woolever, L. B. Williams, Dan Williams, Allen Williams, John Willoughby Austin. A. Y. Bun, T. H. Bates, R. C. Baker, Lucius Barber, A. P. Dillie, J. M. Ellen, J. S. Gray, M. E. Grimme, Ernst Hitt, R. T. Hanscom, Alva Kennedy, Ransom Lloyd, Thomas Masury, Joseph Merriam, W. F. Powell, N. Penfield, J. W.

Robinson, J. B. Rudd, C. D. St. John, O. S. St. John, O.S., exec. of Maria Fisk, dec. Sharp, O. H. Stark, Sheron C. Smart, S. W. Strong, John Sorter, Z. I. Stewart, A. H. Worrallo, Morcenas Wilson, W. F. Wilson, S. N. Ward, E. A.

Mentor

Aldrich, W. S. Andrews, N. M. Andrews, F. Brooks, Hugh Baker, S. S. Bostwick, A. S. Corning, Nathan Clapp, Thomas J. Dunbar, Henry Gurney, A. H. Hart, Stephen Hart, D. B. Hodge, E. E. Harrington, Aug. Hodges, O. S. McClelland, John Parker, Franklin Rexford, S. H. Smith, James M. Smith, Thomas Sawyer, Almond Sperry, Nancy Wells, Newton Whitney, H. C. Youmans, S. **Kirtland** Brown, Samuel Crary, C. G. Gildersleve, Samuel Hotchkiss, Uriah Metcalf, P. A. Metcalf, E. B.

Kirtland con't Morley, T. M. Russell, George Randall, Henry Roderick, George Tryon, J. H. Tiffany, William Wilson, William

Obituary - Mrs. Frances R. French

Mrs. Frances R. French, age 43, wife of John R. French, of Linwood, Ohio, U. S. Tax Commissioner, of North Carolina, died July 22, very suddenly of congestive chills in Edenton, North Carolina. Mrs. F. was the daughter of N. P. Rogers, of New Hampshire. Frances was the eldest of five daughters. Last autumn she left her home in Cincinnati to join her husband in North Carolina where official duties have called him for the last two years. She leaves two sons and a husband. Her body was brought back to Cincinnati and now rests in "Spring Grove."

Married Aug. 7, Mr. Emory A. Bedient and Miss Alice E. Patchin.

Court Case - J. P. Sherer vs. Timothy Parks, Eliza W. Parks alias Eliza W. Young, and Trumbull C. Young. Re: Money and sale of mortgaged premises

Aug. 16, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 D. W. Talcott gives notice his wife, Joanna S. Talcott, has left his bed and board and he will not pay any debts of her contracting. North Madison

p. 3 The people of Madison have formed a society for the detection of thieves and recovery of stolen property.

Major Wm. R. Tracy, a native of this village died at Chattanooga, Aug. 9, age about 27 yrs. In the war, he was a Major in the 1st Tenn. Cavalry. He was recently appointed Police Commissioner by Gov. Brownlow. We are sorry of learn of the death of Mrs. Robinson, wife of John C. Robinson, of LeRoy, which took place at Newburg Wednesday of last week. Her remains were forwarded by express to LeRoy for interment. She had been suffering for several weeks from extreme nervousness. She was about 48 yrs. old.

Hon. Edward Wade died at his residence in East Cleveland, Monday, Aug. 13, age 64 yrs. He was in Congress for this district, first elected in 1852 for four consecutive terms. The deceased was a brother of Senator Wade.

Alexander McConnell was hung on the 10th instant for the murder of Mrs. Rosa Colvin, committed March 23 last in Olmsted Falls. He was strangled to death, the struggle lasting 8 minutes due to a faulty knot in the rope which failed to break his neck when he fell.

Married Aug. 2, on Mentor Plains, Mr. George W. Pike to Mrs. Lavina F. Warren, both of Willoughby.

Married Aug. 5 at the house of W. S. Smith, Willoughby, Mr. George H. Smith to Miss Mary Van Sickle, both of Willoughby.

Married Painesville on the 14th instant, Mr. George F. Rogers, of Paynesville to Miss Lottie S. Ford, of Stillwater, Saratoga Co. N.Y.

Died Buffalo, Aug. 8, at the residence of his sonin-law, Stephen A. Walker; of congestion of the stomach, Landon J. Wurts, father of Mrs. Samuel Doolittle and step-father of D. F. Pomeroy, of this place, age 67. His remains were interred at Forest Lawn.

Died N. E. LeRoy, July 29, Margaret A., daughter of John and Ellen Cowin, age 8 ½ years.

Aug. 23, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Abel Watkins, adm. of Roger Foot, deceased vs Hannah Ford, Nathaniel Foot, Rebecca Tompkins, Eunice Bailey, Wm. Foot, Rufus Foot, Elmina Foot, Fidelia Foot, and R. B. Dayton. Re: Land in Madison

Aug. 23, 1866

p. 3 A little boy, son of Mr. James H. Avery, was injured when thrown from a pony he was riding last Monday. The back of his head was cut and one of his legs injured, but we learn the injury is not of a serious nature.

A new bark will be launched Aug. 25 at Fairport built by Messrs. Bailey. She holds 800 tons and will be christened *Annie Sherwood*.

Painesville Driving Park - Two great horse matches will take place on the grounds of this Association, Sat. Aug. 25, at 2 o'clock p.m. First race \$200 between "Pilgrim" and "Flora.".

Second race \$100 between "Jersey" and Flying Tennessee." Admission 25 cents, carriages free.

Died Madison Aug. 7, of bowel complaint after a brief illness, Clark W. Gardener, age 29. He leaves a wife and two children.

Aug. 30, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 The funeral services of C. Norris will be held at the M. E. Church Thursday, 30th instant. The deceased was formerly a citizen of Painesville.

Dr. N. L. Burns, dentist of Madison, has moved to Painesville and opened an office, corner of Main & State Sts. (Bissel & King Block)

Notice of Soldiers' Widows

By recent law you are entitled to an increase in pension at the rate of \$2/month for each of your children under age 16 yrs. of age dependent upon you for support.

Married at Mr. Chas. Teachout's in Painesville, on the 13th instant, Mr. John O. Phillips, of Euclid, to Mrs. Emily Bostwick, of Painesville.

Died Painesville, Aug. 23, Mrs. Orilla B., wife of William H. Earl, age 22 yrs.

Sept. 6, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Court Case – Isaac Holloway vs Roxana Stuart, adm. of Alvah Stuart, deceased; Lyman Durand and Eunice L. Durand. Roxana Stuart is of Detroit, Michigan. Re: Land in Painesville

Death of Wm. Mathews Esq.

Wm. Mathews died at Washington, Monday of dysentery. His wife learning of his condition, on Saturday, left on Monday before the dispatch announcing his death arrived. He has left a wife and two children. He has been residing in Washington since 1863 employed in the Treasury Dept. He was about 41 yrs. old. His remains will be brought here for interment.

Married Hambden, Geauga Co., Aug. 29, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Perry O. Griste, of East Troy, Wis., and Miss Millie L. Quiggle, of Hambden.

Died Concord Aug. 18 of cholera, Lucrecia, wife of Dr. Matthew H. Burchard, of Panama.

Died Mentor Sept. 4, Mrs. Sarah Wheeler, wife of David Wheeler, and mother of Nathaniel Wheeler, of Bridgeport, Conn. The deceased's family resided in Watertown, Conn., age 66 yrs.

Probate Court

Louisa Hendryx, adm. of O. D. Hendryx, deceased, late guardian of Frank L. Wood; final account

Louisa Hendryx, adm. of O. D. Hendryx, deceased late guardian of Henry G. Hitchcock; final account

Asa Childs, guardian of Clara B. King; first account

I.P. Axtell, guardian of Hezekiah King; final account

Alfred Morley, adm. of A. C. Russell, deceased; final account

Allen Earl, guardian of John Lusk, insane; first account

George Skiff, adm. of Thos. C. Gunn, deceased; first account

George C. Clapp, guardian of Frank E. Page; final account

Sept. 13, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 C. Woodford has purchased the Milk Business from Henry Shepard.

Married Chardon Sept. 4 at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. G. Burr Turney and Miss Hattie M. King.

Married in Headlands at the residence of Capt. Green, Sept. 4, Mr. George W. Bessant, of Southampton, England, and Miss Ann Green.

Sept. 20, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Married on the evening of the 15th at the residence of the bride, Mr. Edward M. Paine and Miss Laura Jane Norton, both of Painesville.

Married on the same evening in LeRoy, Mr. L. J. Foot and Miss Jane Sawyer, both of Cuyahoga Co.

Married the 17th instant at his residence, Mr. Martin Haywood and Miss Sultana St. John, both of Madison.

Death of Lewis Miller

We are called on to chronicle the death of one of our oldest citizens, Lewis Miller, who died last Monday, age 89 yrs. He had been a resident of this county since 1817, first settling in Willoughby where he lived until 1825, when he moved to Painesville. Mr. M was Justice of the Peace for 30 years—6 years in Willoughby and 24 years in Painesville. He was an honest, upright man and was universally esteemed. He was buried with masonic ceremonies.

Jennie C. Mathews has been appointed adm'x. of William Mathews, deceased of Lake Co. Painesville

Sept. 27 1866 Thursday

p. 3 S. W. McCaslin recently admitted to the bar has formed a partnership with W. W. Nevison Esq.

We had a call from Capt. Mason Jackson, formerly an employee in this office, but who was in service during the whole rebellion. Capt. J is now in the regular service and is stationed in the recruiting service in Cleveland.

J. S. and Stanley B. Lockwood are now open at their former stand in Milwaukee Block with Gents Clothing, Boots and Shoes (men, women children) and Crockery.

Martin Burricott, a soldier under Napoleon and one of seven who returned from Moscow, died in Madison, this county, last Saturday, age 104 yrs. old. He came to Madison about 35 years ago and has always been regarded as an honest man. He leaves a large circle of children and grandchildren.

A plowing match connected with the Lake Co. Fair will be held on the farm of Mr. Henry Cummings next Tuesday.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, Sept. 25, Mr. W. Birney Straight, of Hudson, and Miss Marion V. Tisdel, of Painesville.

Married Montville Sept. 23, Mr. John A. Allen to Miss Martha J. Lovelace, both of Montville.

Married this village Sept. 25, Mr. Geo. H. King and Miss Lida J. Johnson, daughter of Col. Hiram Johnson, all of Painesville.

Married this village Sept. 19 at the residence of the bride on Erie St., Mr. H. E. Moseley and Mrs. B. A. Little, both of this village.

Married Willoughby at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Schuyler Baker, of Mentor Plains, and Miss Louisa Vrooman, of Willoughby.

Died Sept. 20 of heart disease and diabetes, George E., eldest son of Edward and Almira Babcock, age 15 yrs., 9 mos., 28 days.

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Died of consumption at her home in Painesville, Sept. 15, Mrs. Susan Stuart, age 78 yrs., wife of Benjamin Stuart, deceased.

Died of glandular croup at Titusville, Pa., Sept. 21, Frankie E., only son of E. W. and Laura Granger, age 4 yrs, 6 mos.

Horse Fair of the Painesville Driving Park Association to be held Oct., 10, 11, 12 and 13, 1866—at Painesville, Ohio. Prizes for Best Stallion Colt, 1 yr. old stallion, 2, 3 yrs. old, & c.

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p. 3 The Grand Jury found indictments against: David Winchell, of Madison, for petit larceny and Martin Carroll, of Concord for living in adultery

Wm. Bifflin was charged with stealing goods from the store of Blackmore & Becker, Painesville, plead guilty, and will serve one year in the Penitentiary.

John Brady and Wm. Messey for stealing clothes from the house of Warren Ford, In Perry—one year in the Penitentiary.

John Brister and John Morris for stealing a horse and buggy in Sharon, Pa.—found guilty and sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary.

Wm. Coogan for an assault on a little boy in Painesville was put on bread and water of three days.

Ira B. Wightman is in jail until he pays the \$25 costs fined for selling liquor.

Gen. Jas. H. Paine, formerly of this village, but for the last 18 years a resident of Milwaukie, Wis., is in town visiting friends. He is now in his 76th year.

J. M. Smead has been removed and Job S. Taylor appointed Post Master in Madison. The people of Madison did not ask for the change, but it was made at the suggestion of "My Policy" men of this town and Cleveland. Mr. Smead is a Union man; Mr. Taylor is a Democrat.

Fifty Year Wedding Anniversary

Fifty years ago, Mr. Joseph Cady married Miss Phebe A. Tisdel, eldest daughter of Dea. Curtis A. Tisdel on Sept. 19, 1816, in Madison, Lake Co., Ohio.

The 50th anniversary of the couple was celebrated at the house of Mr. Cady in Madison. There were present six persons who were guests at the wedding 50 years ago: Mr. Lonson Brooks, Mrs. Edward Bissell, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Dr. Merriman, Mrs. Dr. Plympton, and Mrs. Don Wyman. Dr. Merriman entertained the company by reading some historical sketches of Madison as it was in the early settlement when the inhabitants all lived in log cabins, slept on pole bedsteads with elm bark for bed cords, rocked babies in sap troughs, rode to church in ox teams, etc.

Married Kirtland, Sept. 19, Mr. William P. Whelpley and Miss Margaret E. Wells, both of Kirtland.

Died Willoughby Aug. 26 of typhoid fever, Sarah J. Palmer, age 18 yrs., 3 mos., 19 days.

Died Painesville Sept. 27, Mrs. Martha D. Mathews, age 71 yrs., relict of Dr. John H. Mathews.

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p. 2 Gen. Sheridan Concentrating his Troops New York *Tribune* Oct. 5

Some important disclosures will soon be officially made public in reference to secret rebel societies which permeate the entire South. These organizations have branch circles in New York City and the West. That in New York is said to number 50,000, principally composed of men who served in the rebel army. Each circle has a different name. Some are known as the "True Sons of the South," others as the "Knights of Arabia," and all are

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armed with the most improved weapons, ready at a moment's notice should a favorable opportunity arise to renew the struggle for the lost cause. One of the chief members of this organization, now in prison, is said to have made important disclosures.

General Sheridan is concentrating troops in this city for important purposes which will soon be made apparent. Nine cases of whipping of negroes have been recently officially reported in the Parish of Beinville.

A large number of Justices in different parishes have sent certificates to Gen. Sheridan that they are unable to execute the laws protecting freedman in collecting wages for the last year's service. General Grant's order is being applied to the offenders, and they are arrested and held in military confinement.

p. 3 Nathan Balch, of Concord, was killed below the crossing on the railroad in this town last Friday. He was walking on the track and though the whistle sounded he did not get off the tracks and was struck by the cow catcher, thrown off the track, and immediately killed. He was about 65 yrs. old and leaves a wife and one married daughter. His family has for some time thought he showed indications of insanity.

We received a basket of tomatoes from Thomas Swift, the same that took the premium at the County Fair. Mr. Smith got quite a number of premiums on vegetables.

Suicide in Mentor - Last Friday evening the 4th instant, Michael Hallihan shot himself dying almost instantly. He was a shoemaker by profession doing a good business and respected by all.

Carter Brothers took the premium for Best Cheese at our County Fair. Their cheese is becoming celebrated all over the country as is the butter made in Orange Co., N.Y.

Court Case - W. S. Kerruish, adm. of Thos. Quayle, deceased vs Daniel Quayle, Wm.

Christian, Elizabeth Corkhill, and others. Mentioned: Ann Kyffin, Alice Fitzsimmons, Catharine Christian, George J. Christian, Maria J. Christian, Eliza Fishwick, Emma J. Nesbil, all of Liverpool, Lancaster, England; and John Christian of Singleton, Northumberland Co., in New South Wales; also, Elizabeth Corkhill and M. B. Corkhill, of Liverpool and other unknown children of Jane Corkhill, late of Liverpool, deceased. The administrator petitions to sell land in Concord.

Married the 4th instant at the First Presbyterian Church, Mr. Ely Gill and Miss Almira, daughter of Ara Sprague Esq., all of Painesville.

Married Oct. 2 at the bride's residence in Perry, Mr. Addison D. Call to Miss Emma A. Cook.

Married this village Oct. 9 at the residence of Mr. Harrison Morse, Mr. Horace S. Bovier, of Hartford, Michigan, and Miss Carrie A. Wilson, second daughter of Philip Wilson Esq., of Thompson.

Married Oct. 6 Painesville, Mr. Edw. J. Clague, of LeRoy, and Miss Susan C. Rogers, of Concord.

Died Painesville Oct. 4, Chauncy C. Offer, age 30 yrs.

Oct. 18, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Sad Accident – Mrs. Gage, who formerly resided here was getting off the cars at Painesville Saturday when the train suddenly started to back, throwing her down, and the car smashing her right foot terribly. She was placed on a cot and carried to her brother's, Capt. G. L. Riker's, where her foot was amputated by Drs. Beardslee and Brown.

Mr. Geo. Nettleton, of Ashtabula, and wife were thrown from the carriage when the horses became unmanageable. Mrs. N has a broken leg and Mr. N a wound on the head. They came in collision with another team causing a smash up.

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Married Painesville Oct. 11, Mr. Myron W. Tuttle and Miss Emily W. Race.

Died Madison Sept. 20, of consumption, Mrs. Rebekah Benjamin, age 68 yrs.—wife of Levi Benjamin, deceased and only remaining daughter of Dea. Joseph Emerson, deceased.

Oct. 25, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 R. O. Hammond Esq., of Akron, a lawyer, has become insane and is now confined in the asylum at Newburgh.

Ravenna *Democrat* relates a singular occurrence in Nelson. At the Feb. term of the Common Pleas Court, Eli Hartman and wife were divorced, and on the 26th ultimo remarried.

Our friend Prof. G. G. Finn who has been in Europe for his health has returned to Painesville.

Weather: Tuesday afternoon we had a change in weather—hail, rain and snow. At Chardon snow enough fell to cover the ground.

The Ohio State Fair was held at Dayton last week. Messrs. Carter, of this county, were awarded first premium on cheese.

George Hoyt Esq., the city editor of the *Plain Dealer*, was married last Thursday to Miss Abbie Worthington, the daughter of our well-known merchant, George Worthington Esq. Yesterday the couple left for a trip eastward. *Leader* 20th

Catharine Masury, alias Kitty St. Clair, from Columbus, formerly and more recently from Cleveland, died in the sinking of the *Evening Star*. She was only 20 yrs. old and had run away from home in Cleveland three years ago being strongly inclined to as fast life.

Married Oct. 17th in Painesville at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wilson T. Wheelock and Miss C. Estelle Kurtz.

Married Madison Oct. 18th, Lemuel H. Kimball Esq. and Miss Carrie Nash.

Married on the 18th instant in Perry, Mr. Albert Werbach to Miss Elizabeth Custer, of Painesville.

Married Oct. 11th at the residence of Mrs. Elias, Mr. Wm. H. Sharpnack, of Salem, Ohio, and Miss Julia A. Elias.

Married at Willow Manse, Oct. 17th, Mr. Judson Johnson and Miss Mary E. Fowler, both of Painesville.

Married in the First Church Oct. 18th, Mr. Andrew T. Andrews and Miss Mary E. Foot, both of Painesville.

Married at the residence of the bride's father on South St., Oct. 18th, Mr. Thomas Collins and Miss Maryette Elnora Hickok.

Married on the 18th at the residence of the bride's father in Cleveland, Mr. James R. Drake, of Painesville, to Miss Jennie A. Sherman.

Nov. 1, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 The citizens of Monroe, Ashtabula Co., having been visited too often by horse thieves, have organized themselves into a Mutual Protection Association under the name of the "Vigilance Committee of Monroe."

David Hutchinson, Post Master of Wickliffe, has resigned due to old age (having served 15 yrs.) and Joseph P. Mapes has been appointed in his place.

Ashtabula Co. *Sentinel* of the 24th ultimo Last Saturday, Andrew McNutt of this village met with a painful accident that will probably leave him a cripple for life. He was cutting slabs of wood with a circular saw in his saw mill. At one point, the foot needs to push the slab to get it started into the saw; in pushing a short

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piece it tipped up and his heel went into the saw cutting a large and deep gash.

An unusual accident happened at Austinburg on the 18th. A mill stone in the Grist Mill of Mr. Foote burst, throwing fragments in every direction. One fragment weighing over 100 lbs. was thrown outside hitting a mill worker, Mr. Gray, in the leg, injuring it so badly it had to be amputated.

On the 9th instant, Mrs. Pool and her sister were returning home from Amboy when their horse became frightened and threw Mrs. Pool out into the wheels of a passing carriage, severely injuring her and breaking some bones.

Married Oct. 18, in Unionville at the residence of the bride's father, Deacon P. Mixer, Mr. Samuel H. Putnam, of Harmar, Ohio, and Miss Abbie F. Mixer.

Died Kirtland, Sept. 23, after an illness of 8 weeks, Royal N. Skinner.

Franklin Paine Jr., adm. of Nathan Balch, deceased will be selling personal property at or near Z. Rider's Tavern, one mile west of Painesville on Nov. 17th.

Probate Court

Mary E. Multer, adm'x. of John E. Multer, deceased; final account

John McMakin, guardian of Charles McMakin; second account

Maria A. Holmes, guardian of Arthur H. Holmes and Ira E. Holmes; first account

Silas T. Ladd, guardian of Edward Paine; first account

Susan Blair, adm'x. of Orris Blair, deceased; final account

John Kellogg, adm. of Gaius Hitchcock, deceased; final account

William L. Perkins, adm. de bonis non (with the will annexed) of Levi Shepard, deceased; first account

Nov. 8, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Four thousand six hundred forty-three cars laden with livestock passed through here on the railroad in the month of October.

Peter Darrow, a teamster of Ashtabula, when driving a wagon load of wood, fell from the top of the load and slipped under the hind wheel of the wagon which crushed his legs.

Russell Hastings, of Willoughby, formerly Lieut. Col. of the 23rd Ohio, has been promoted to Brig. Gen. by brevet for "conspicuous" gallantry at the battle of "Opaquan." He was wounded at the battle of Shenandoah and was saved from the battlefield by his sister who sought him out on the field and cared for him during his convalescence.

Died Painesville Oct. 11th, Olin B. Plimpton, son of Dr. A. Plimpton, deceased on consumption, age 23 yrs.

Died Jamestown, N.Y., Oct. 23, Mrs. Salome Cowing, age 65 yrs., 3 mos., 14 days, oldest sister of John House, of Painesville.

Died Oct. 4 in West Concord, Charlie, only child of Frank and Lucy Hill, age 2 yrs., 6 mos., 3 days.

Nov. 15, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Ashtabula Co. Sentinel

Three accidents occurred a few days since in one neighborhood and in which three legs were broken. Orlando N. Tinan, of Rome, was thrown from a buggy by the scaring of his horses—breaking his leg which got caught in a wheel.

J. F. Baldwin, of Morgan, had a leg broken (no particulars yet).

E. P. Noble, of Morgan, had his leg smashed by a piece of timber at the steam saw mill.

p. 3 Old Records

The Ashtabula *Sentinel* gathers from old records in the recorder's office, the following items bearing date 1812. They show very conclusively

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the strict Puritanism of the time, when "sparking Sunday night" was considered very immoral. The Lebanon mentioned in the first item is now New Lyme.

May 18, 1812 Upon inquiry, it appears that Calvin Knowlton is guilty of riding from the township of Morgan to the township of Lebanon, on the Sabbath day evening, previous to sunset, to see his sweetheart. Therefore, it is my opinion that the said Knowlton pay to me the sum of one dollar, for breaking the laws of morality. T. R. Hawley, JP.

Truth: Jona. Warner, Dep'y Recorder

State of Ohio, Ashtabula Co.

July 12, 1812 By virtue of a warrant, Jonathan Warner appeared before me, and after

witnesses being heard, it is my opinion that he said Warner pay the sum of seventy-five cents and costs, for raking 8 cocks of hay on the Sabbath of the 11th day of July, 1812, notwithstanding the said Warner's hay might have been injured by a heavy thunder shower. Ezra Dibble, J. P.

Truth: Jona. Warner, Recorder

Married Painesville Nov. 7th, Homer C. Nellis and Libbie S. Gray, eldest daughter of the editor of this paper.

Married Nov. 7th, Mr. Wm. H. Wheeler and Miss Minerva Chadwick, both of LeRoy.

Died Painesville, Nov. 10, Minnie Augusta, youngest daughter of Rev. J. A. Brayton, age 18 yrs.

Died Franklin, Pa., Oct. 26th, W. D. Williams, age 83 yrs., formerly of Madison, Lake Co.

Died Trumbull Oct. 28, Mrs. Eliza Spencer, age 70 yrs., 4 mos., wife of Henry Spencer, deceased.

Died Thompson, Nov. 6, Mrs. Charlotte Leonard, widow of the late Dea. Levi Leonard, age 71 yrs.

Nov. 22, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 L. L. Lyon Esq. a prominent business man of Cleveland died in that city last Saturday. He was 48 yrs. old. Flags were flown at half-mast upon the shipping on the river Sunday.

S. M. Pettengill Esq. of New York and Boston Advertising House of Pettengill & Co., married on the 8th instant, Miss Georgiana Holt, of Brooklyn.

Serious Accident

During an auction in Montville, Geauga Co., on the 15th, about 30 persons were on the platform used for running up carriages, when it gave way. Wm. Clapp was injured about the head is supposed to have internal injuries; a boy, Wells Covel, had a leg broken above, the knee; and Frank Hill had a leg broken below the knee. Henry Searl, of Chardon, had a hand badly mashed, and many others received bruises and scratches. S. T. Loomis, of this village, was selling the property of B. F. Ruggles, of Montville, at the auction.

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The 25th wedding anniversary of Rev. Benjamin Excell, of the M. E. Church of this city, took place at his residence Saturday. A young bridal couple, the son of Mr. Excell, and the daughter of Mr. Taylor, of Warren, Ohio, were present.

Married Nov. 14th, Henry T. Woodruff, of Juliet, Ill., to Fannie C. Howden, of Painesville.

Married Nov. 15, Mr. James M. Turney, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Elizabeth A. Crichton, youngest daughter of Uri Seeley Esq.

Married LeRoy, Nov. 18th, Mr. Cornelius Donovan, of Thompson, and Miss Melissa Jane Teachout, of the former place.

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p. 2 Geauga Co. (from the *Democrat*)

Miss Helen Douglass, of Claridon, while returning home from the exhibition in Burton last Friday, was taken suddenly ill and died in

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about two hours after reaching the residence of Hon. Peter Hitchcock.

Henry Sweet, of Auburn, has raised a sweet turnip, measuring 30" in circumference and weighing 15 lbs.

Jeremiah White and his wife celebrated their golden wedding on the 10^{th} instant.

p. 3 Capt. Paine's Pioneer and Hunting Party will start from Painesville for Michigan, Dec. 3, Monday, on the 7 p.m. train.

Married Perry, Nov. 25, Mr. Clark Citerly to Miss Mary Dawley, both of Perry.

Died Concord Oct. 28 of congestion of the lungs, Stephen Carroll, age 61 yrs., 3 mos., 20 days.

Dec. 6, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 The Brewer, lately the Parmly House, has again changed owners, Mr. B. Stockwell having purchased the property including the furniture and the fixtures. The Brewer House as we have noted before, is kept by Mr. Geo. Bingham, who is a first class landlord.

Mr. E. S. Pike and wife returned from their European tour after a year or more. During their absence and while in Edinburgh, they had an addition to their family—a young Scotchman who arrived home in "good condition" with them.

Penfield & Co. opened books for subscription of \$30,000 to establish a stove foundry. That amount was so soon taken it was resolved to make the capital \$50,000 and start on still more liberal basis.

Dr. E. L. Plimpton is on a visit to his daughter in Hudson, Mich. There are several families from Ashtabula Co. and three or four from Madison.

Murder in Portage County

A terrible murder was committed near Mogadore on the line between Summit and Portage Counties. A Mrs. Munson had circulated rumors about a Mrs. Roofe and daughter living in Mogadore. A son of Mrs. Roofe, age 19 yrs., became greatly incensed at Mrs. Munson on account of this. On Monday, he took a pistol to her house and shot her, killing her instantly. He fled but was arrested in Stark Co. last Friday. Mr. J. Roath, a farmer while in his barn, saw Roofe pass, and having seen an account of the murder and a description of the man, at once suspected him. He mounted a horse and overtook Roofe and ordered him to put up his hat so he could see his forehead—at which Roofe said "I give up." He is in jail to await his trial in March.

Mr. J. H. Paine has had a successful operation performed on an abscessed lung. He has suffered with it for nearly 5 years. He lives in Milwaukee.

Married in Rushford, Fillmore Co., Minn., Miss L. A. Valentine to D. J. Tew, both formerly of LeRoy, Ohio.

Married Painesville Nov. 29th, Nathaniel Merrills, of Euclid, to Mrs. Hannah H. Gurley, of the former place.

Married Dec. 1 at the M. E. Parsonage in Painesville, Mr. Andrew J. Taylor and Miss Sarah Dobson, both of Lake Co.

Married in St. Andrews, Nova Scotia, Sept. 29th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Prof. G. W. Linton, of Halifax, N.S., and Sarah H. Knowles, sister of Eld. J. B. Knowles of this village).

Married Oct. 8th at the residence of the bride's father on Carlton St., Edmund J. Hewitt, B. A., Dental Surgeon, (brother to Mrs. J. B. Knowles, of this town) and Alice daughter of R. Dalton Esq.—all of St. John, N. B.

Dec. 13, 1866 Thursday p. 3 Death of Mrs. Harriet Paine

Mrs. H. Paine, wife of Col. H. E. Paine, an old settler of this village died Dec. 7 in Monmouth, Ill. Mrs. P was the mother of Henry Paine Esq. of LeRoy.

Golden Wedding – Harlow Bailey Esq. and wife of Madison celebrated Dec. 5 their 50th wedding anniversary. They settled in Madison in 1819 at which place they have since resided. They were the parents of seven children; four are now living and were present with their families, and a brother, Mr. Bailey, all residents of this county. Present, also, were a sister of Mrs. Bailey and her husband Mr. Benj. Smith, of Unionville, whose married life now numbers 64 years. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey had been married in Vermont 50 years ago.

Married in this city Nov. 29, Mr. Thomas E. Kelly, of this city, and Miss Hettie S. Corlett, of Concord, Ohio.

Married at Fort Howard, Wis., Nov. 5, Mr. Arthur T. Corlett, of Beaver Island, Mich., formerly of Concord, Ohio, and Miss Frances A. Webster, of Hinsdale, N.Y.

Asa Childs, guardian of Clara King, will be selling land in Painesville.

Dec. 20, 1866 Thursday

p. 2 Mr. Alfred Phelps, of this place, left home on Saturday for Hong Kong, China, where he is to remain about 3 years having accepted the position of sub-agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Line Company.

Married Dec. 16th, at the M. E. Parsonage in Painesville, Mr. Edward Green and Miss Victoria Wilson, all of Lake Co., Ohio.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, on the 12th instant, Mr. F. J. Goldsmith and Miss Caroline Palmer, both of Mentor Street. Married in Painesville, Dec. 12th, Mr. Monroe Masters, of Erie Co., Pa. and Miss Delia Foss, of Painesville.

Married at the bride's father's in Perry, Dec. 11th, Mr. Charles W. Stanhope Jr. and Miss Emma Cooper.

Died in Chesaning, Mich., Nov. 13th, Waity, wife of Henry McCormick, age 77 yrs., 5 mos.

Died at his residence in Perry, Dec. 19th, Otis M. Wood, age 66 yrs. Funeral will be held at the Disciple Mtg. House in Perry.

Died in Painesville, Dec. 16th, Emma T. Woodworth, youngest daughter of Harvey and Sarah Woodworth, age 16 yrs., 9 mos.

Dec. 27, 1866 Thursday

p. 3 Keep off the Crosswalks

Some people still allow their wagons and teams to stand upon the crosswalks, compelling ladies to step out into the mud to cross the street. There is a law against such obstruction, and we hope our street officers will see it enforced.

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Gen. Casement, the track layer of the U.P. R.R., has erected a large warehouse at the North Platte Station, where during the winter he will collect supplies for next season's work, and early in the season move his headquarters to that point.

Married Madison, Oct. 3 at the house of L. B. Wolever Esq., Mr. Alson A. Cady and Miss Frances C. Wolever.

Died Campville, Tioga Co., N. Y., Dec. 17, Mrs. Frances C. Cady, of Madison, age 21 yrs. Ten weeks a bride! A visit to a sister, a cold, inflammation, suffering, prostration, death.

Married Dec. 28, at the residence of the bride's father in Joliet, Ill., Mr. W. E. Crocker, of Madison, Lake Co., and Miss May Jewell.

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Married Dec. 20th at the residence of the bride's father near Painesville, Mr. A. W. Carpenter, of Saginaw, Mich., to Miss Carrie N. Hardy, of Painesville.

Married Madison on the 25th instant at the residence if the bride's father, P. Cook Esq., Mr. Lester J. Rindge, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Miss Allie J. Cook.

Died Madison, Lake Co., Dec. 20, Miss Martha C. Curtiss, age 45.

Died Dec. 26 of consumption at the residence of his father-in-law (S. Hickson), Seth E. Myers, age 32 years.

Probate Court

Albert Hickok, adm. of Linus Lee, deceased; final account

Urania W. Wilder, guardian of Thomas Wilder, insane; first account

Ellen A. W. Ingersoll, adm'x. of Cyrus J. Ingersoll, deceased; final account

LeRoy St. John, adm. of Elizabeth St. John, by Lewis Platts, adm. of said LeRoy St. John, deceased; final account

Emily St. John, guardian of Sultana St. John; first account

Emily St. John, guardian of Sultan St. John; first account

Charles Coquerrle, executor of Bridget McGary, deceased; final account

William W. Nevison filed an action against Seth Heath for money owed and will attach lands in Kirtland.

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