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Jan. 7, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Louis Davis, the murderer of Mr. Skinner, has been sentenced to be hung Feb. 4.

Last Tuesday two car loads of Prussian emigrants passed over the Lake Shore Road on their way to Chicago and other parts west. They were 75 days from Bremen to New York, coming by sail rather than by steam.

The Geauga Stove Co. which burned last fall will resume the work of casting next Monday.

Christmas night the house of Mr. A. Anderson, in Concord, caught fire from a defective flue. There was no one in the house except the father of Mrs. A. The fire was discovered by neighbors who succeeded in saving the house.

A. P. Sandford, one of our former telegraph operators, was elected on the 18th ultimo, Adlerman of Cheyenne, D.T. "Tony" is one of the popular men of that new and growing place.

A Traveling Pudding – On Tuesday the 31st, a package was received at the Express Office in Cleveland, having the following unique direction: "Stop! Handle me carefully. I'm an English Pudding. Don't you wish you had some? Trot me through by New Years to Horace Wolcott, Farmington, Trumbull Co., O." From Wyandotte, Kansas

We have received advance sheets of the – American Newspaper Directory which will be issued by Geo. P. Rowell & Co., Advertising Agents in N.Y. City. It will be a volume of about 400 pages.

National Bank Building – The splendid stone block, corner of Superior and Water Streets, Cleveland, has been completed and the Commercial National Bank has moved to it from

the Atwater Block. Our former townsman, B. F. Morse, superintended its construction. The Union Depot, the Saving Bank, this National Bank Bldg., and the new addition to the Insane Asylum at Newburg, all bear the impress of "Frank's" unequaled skill as a builder.

Weather: Friday introduced the New Year in a very stormy manner. Saturday followed with rain making the sidewalks very slippery to a degree seldom seen. Sunday and Monday brought warm South winds and a thaw, wiped off the snow, substituted mud for ice. Tuesday brought chilly winds, snow and freeze. So the January thaw has come and gone.

Dec. 26, George York, who for two years has resided in the small house belonging to Mr. Henry Williamson, Mentor Ave., opposite Mrs. Goldsmith's, left town with his family and household effects. No one knows where he went, and he forgot to pay for his span of horses and perhaps other items.

A man named "Quakenbush" working in Kilbourne & Clark's Shoe Factory, "let out" of town, forgetting to pay for a gold watch.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST SALE OF LANDS

Madison

Gleason, heirs of Augustus
Warner, Oliver W.
Hitchcock, Gaius

Perry

Park, Caroline M.
Welsh, Jones

Concord

Balch, Anna
Balch, Nathan
Clay, Margaret M.
Cram, Harvey
Goldsmith, Delos E.
Osmond, John F.
Painesville & Hudson R.R.Co.

Painesville

Brown, Silas
Bennett, Sarah A.

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Briggs, Frank
Cole, P. B.
French, Sam'l B.
French, Henry B.
Gregory, Mary Jane
Hitchcock, Reuben
Holcomb, Marcus
Hayes, Roswell & Daniel
King, Hezekiah
Mansfield, Jesse A.
Mahoney, Cornelius
Pease, Carlos C.
Stockton, C. L.
Smith, Gabriel A.
Viall, J. V.
Wicks, William

Kirtland

Hammond, Chas. V.
Lloyd, William
Miller, Mary J. and Martin Harris
More, William
Martindale, C. D.
Rich, Philomena T.
Stockton, C. L.

Mentor

Barber, J. R. & Edward Barber
Burridge, Eleazer
Hodges, J. Arthur
Lapham, Sam'l
Warner, Fred D.

Willoughby

Graham, David & Levi Mosher
Judd, Alfred
Nash, Homer
Smith, Danford
Sharp, O. H.
Clark, Eli G.
Stockton, C. L.
Tinker, J. E.
Wilson, Sarah M. Miss
Wright, Chas. W.

Town Lots

Bissel, Benj.
Gage, Louis P.
Gilbert, Mary
Pease, Carlos C.

Skinner, R. W.
Blair, Wm. J.
Drake, Ambrose
Davis, Henry W.
Mathews, William
Canfield, Ann S.
Case, Leonard
Hitchcock, Reuben
King, Edward W.
Sanford, Henry P.
Tracy, Anna M.
Terry, Emily
Whaley, Phebe

Married in Painesville at the residence of H. Clay, Dec. 24, 1868, Capt. W. W. Hamilton, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Libbie Eddy, of Painesville. They left Monday for a tour of the eastern cities and their home in Washington.

Married Dec. 23rd at the residence of the bride's parents, Chicago, Ill., Mr. Homer A. Plimpton, of Chicago, and Miss Sophia C. Wood.

Married Dec. 30th, Mr. Alfred R. Munro to Miss Eliza C. Gifford, both of Madison.

Married at the Methodist Parsonage in Madison, Lake Co., Jan. 1, Mr. Joseph R. Baker to Miss Emily Gill, both of Madison.

Died Mentor Jan. 1 of quick consumption Mary A., wife of O. S. Hodges, age 45 yrs. (Cleveland *Herald* please copy)

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p. 2 Sad Accident in Norton

Dec. 28th, Mrs. Sarah Gregory, of Norton Township, slipped and fell, plunging both arms into a kettle of boiling lard, very severely burning her hands and wrists. She may lose one if not both of her hands. Her husband is insane and an inmate at the Asylum in Newburg.

Mr. Jos. Tuttle has been in our office speaking of the fine winter we have had so far. He said 51 years ago, he and Mr. Hawkin Hendrick

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sowed 20 acres of wheat and rye in the month of January on the present James Murray farm in Concord.

Mrs. Seymour, wife of Dr. M. M. Seymour, died Sundays morning. She had been a great sufferer since her accident last summer. While on a visit to Minnesota, she was thrown from a buggy and severely injured.

The beautiful new house erected by Homar C. Nellis on Casement Ave. was burned to the ground—supposed to be the work on an incendiary.

P. M. Whipple, of Sheffield, Ashtabula Co., when trying to butcher a hog had the end of his finger bitten off. The lacerated portion was amputated by Dr. Webster; but Mr. W died last Sunday from the wound.

Married on New Year's Eve at the residence of Capt. G. W. Byrns, Mentor Headlands, Capt. Andros Snell to Miss Frances A. Byrns, both of Mentor.

Married in Hambden at the residence of the bride's parents New Year's Eve, Mr. Fernando Valentine and Miss Hattie Wemple, both of Hambden.

Married Perry on the 10th instant, Mr. Lyman C. Manchester to Miss Seraphene O. Young.

Died Painesville Jan. 10, Maria L, wife of Dr. M. M. Seymour, and daughter of the late D. D. Aiken, age 48 yrs.

Died Hambden, Jan. 9th, of inflammation of the lungs, Jannette A., wife of Jerome B. Simons, age 44 yrs.

Died at his residence in Painesville, Jan.5, A. Young, age 79 yrs. Mr. Young was one of our oldest citizens. He moved to Lake Co. from New Hampshire in the spring of 1841 and settled in Concord, where he resided for several years, and then moved to Painesville where he resided

for over 25 years. He was an honest man and a kind husband and father. He leaves a wife and several children.

The house of L. G. Shaylor, in East Ashtabula, was entered by burglars on the 29th ultimo. Some provisions and silverware were taken. The following night the hot house of Emory Luce took fire and was nearly destroyed.
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James McLaughlin has been appointed adm. with the will annexed of Samuel B. McLaughlin, late of Lake Co., deceased.

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p. 3 Mrs. M. M. Seymour was the daughter of D. D. Aiken Esq. She was born in Chardon and married Dr. M. M. Seymour and soon after moved to Painesville. She died Jan. 10th at the age of 48 yrs.

Y.M.C.A. Officers for the new year:

Pres. – Walter C. Tisdell
V.Pres. – S. S. Wheeler, B. F. Marsh
Clerk – N. O. Lee
Corrs. Sec. – J. W. Tyler
Treas. – S. R. House
Trustee – G. N. Wilder, J. A. Babcock, F. A. Tillotson, J. F. Sanborn, P. Pratt, C. M. March, M. A. Bacon

History of the Second Cavalry – Introduction

Lake Co. Agricultural Soc. Officers for the new year:

Pres. – David Law, Willoughby
V. Pres. – C. M. Thompson, Perry
Directors – W. A. Davis, Perry; G. F. Baker, Concord; John Warren, Mentor; B. W. Potts, LeRoy

American Fence Co. Directors elected at the Annual Stockholders' Meeting:

D. A. Danlger, Seth Marshall, C. V. N. Kittredge, A. Ely Jr., J. C. Buell, Allen Jones, Theodore E. King.

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Officers:

C. V. N. Kittredge, Pres.
Allen Jones, V. P.
A. Ely Jr. Sec. & Treas.
Theodore V. King, Superintendent

We are called to chronicle the death of Mrs. Frances E. Warren, wife of Mr. Eugene G. Warren, of Perry, who died on the 1st instant, age 20 yrs.

Suicide – A day or two since, Henry McCloud, of Grander, Medina Co., was found dead, hanging in a barn. He was a young man and married last June. No possible cause can be assigned for the rash act. For some time he had manifested symptoms of partial derangement, and he is supposed to have done the deed while in this condition.

Golden Wedding – Our respected citizen, Wm. Crowell and wife, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Jan. 6th. Married in Harpersfield at the residence of the bride's father fifty years ago, Mr. William Crowell and Miss Nancy Hewins, eldest daughter of Judge Hewins. *Geneva Times*

Thomas S. Harback, of Painesville had filed for bankruptcy.

Petition by Sarah Hale to partition land in Painesville and to receive her dower. Notice is given to Mary Ann Hale, Margarett Erwin, James Erwin, Lydia Mohawk, and Allen Mohawk.

Married in Kirtland at the residence of the bride's father on the 14th instant, Mr. B. F. Jenkins, of Willoughby, and Miss Jennie C. Upham, of the former place.

Married Jan. 5th at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Wilson S. Hobart, of Kirtland, and Miss Leona E. Rogers, of Willoughby.

Married in Madison, Jan. 13th, John L. Brooks and Miss Lovern Palmer, daughter of Cullen Parmer.

Married Jan. 6th at the residence of Maj. S. W. Munn, Juliet, Ill., Col. Wm. D. Collins, of Morriss, Ill., to Mrs. Emily C. Davis, daughter of Col. E. Crocker, Madison, Ohio

Died in Painesville, Jan. 10th, Maria L., wife of Dr. M. M. Seymour, and daughter of the late D. D. Aiken, age 48 yrs.

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p. 3 Rev. John Hall died in Ashtabula at the age of 81 yrs.

Painesville has a paid Fire Department with twelve men under W. B. Slocum as Chief.

Col. T. S. Card, died in the *Morning Star* accident last fall, and his body was found near here and buried at that time. His friend Col. Blossom came last week and had the body removed to Homer, N.Y., the home of Mr. Card at the time of his death.

A. H. Gurney, of Mentor, sold his splendid farm to Almon Gilbert, of Chester, last week. Mr. G will move in the spring to Kidder, Mo., where he has three sons and one daughter.

Sheriff Alderman, of Michigan, came to Painesville, and then to Madison to arrest a 16 yr. old boy, Nathan T. Fisher, who stole \$115 from his stepfather. He was found with relatives in Madison; was taken to his grandfather's to get some clothing where the old people and their daughter tried to prevent the Sheriff from taking the boy.

Mr. H. N. West, between 60 – 70 yrs. old, living in Madison Gore and one of the older residents of Madison Township, died very suddenly Monday. He died supposedly of heart disease. He left a wife.

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A Panama letter of Jan. 18th says "Paymaster Spalding, shore paymaster of the U. S. Navy, lost his youngest son by fever on the 5th instant; and on the 9th instant his wife, Mrs. Martha Breese Spalding, died of the same disease." Paymaster Spalding is a nephew of Hon. R. P. Spalding.

The barn of Mr. James McLellan, living on the Bennet Rd. in Madison burned down Tuesday night with all the livestock and contents; no insurance. Mr. McLellan is 72 years old and badly crippled. He is an old resident of Madison having lived there 33 years.

History of the Second Cavalry, Its Men, Marchs and Battles. Part 2

The organization of Company G:

Commissioned Officers

Captain – Charles C. Smith, Painesville, O.
1st Lieut. – Henry S. Wood, Chardon, O.
2nd Lieut. – Stanley B. Lockwood, Painesville, O.

Non-Commissioned Staff

1st Sergt. -John J. Pike, Painesville, O.
Q. M. Sergt. – William R. White, Painesville, O.
2nd Sergt.-Orris N. McGonnigal ,Chardon
3rd Sergt. – Charles Williams, Painesville, O
4th Sergt. – Francis Paris, Concord, O.
5th Sergt. – Albert Barnitz, Mentor, O.

Corporals

1st Corp. – Luther B. Bingham, Windham, O.
2nd Corp. - Solon A. Rand, Perry, O.
3rd Corp. – Homer C. Squire, Chardon, O.
4th Corp – Henry H. Drake, Concord, O.
5th Corp. – Spencer Munson, Mentor, O.
6th Corp – Edward E. Gould, Painesville, O.
7th Corp. – Thomas Morley, Kirtland, O.
8th Corp – Hiram M. Bruce, Painesville, O.

Buglers

1st Bugler – Lewis O. Benner, Wooster, O
2nd Bugler – Henry C. VanDeusen, Painesville, O.

Farriers and Smiths

Uriah Helmich, Wooster, O. (recruited at Cleveland)

Wagoner

James B. Barnes, Painesville, O.

Privates

Alexander, Daniel - Troy, O.
Atkins, Thomas S. - Painesville, O
Adams, Joseph H. - ditto
Batchelder, Leander N. - ditto
Barrett, Daniel Ansel – ditto
Burr, Seymour D. – ditto
Burdick, Jewett – ditto
Brookins, Benj. C. – ditto
Broughton, Brougham A. - ditto
Bowden, John E. - Cleveland, O.
Caldwell, Alfred – Painesville, O.
Campbell, Lorenzo – ditto
Clapp, Albert A. – ditto
Copeland, Richard – ditto
Davis, Edgar – ditto
Estell, John B. – ditto
Fobes, Walter – ditto
Flannigan, John – ditto
Goodrich, Theo. F. – ditto
Goodsell, Albert – ditto
Grotz, Chas. E. – Cleveland, O.
Hartman, Daniel – Windham, O.
Higley, Henry – Auburn, O.
Hart, Arthur Payson – Painesville, O.
Jones, Edgar H. – ditto
Johnson, Wm. H. – ditto
Kellog, Chas. – Madison, O
Kent, Levi G. – ditto
Kaylor, Joshua – ditto
Livingston, Ed. D. – ditto
Line, Jacob – Auburn, O.
Marshall, William H. – Painesville, O.
Merwin, Leland – ditto
Merwin, John Clark – ditto
McGeary, James – ditto
Meigs, Richard M. – ditto
Malin, George W. – ditto
Mosher, Norman G. – ditto
Messenger, Francis O. – Windham, O.
McAvoy, Peter C. – Painesville, O.
McCarthy, William – ditto

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McMackin, George – Painesville, O.
Morley, Lewis A. – ditto
Morley, Charles T. – ditto
Neal, William John – ditto
Nixon, John – ditto
Northard, George W. - ditto
Nosh, Marian – ditto
Osborn, Horatio D. - ditto
Pelton, Hiram B. - ditto
Perkins, John- ditto
Post Richard - ditto
Pattie, Wesson M. - ditto
Rogers, George F. - ditto
Rand, Silas M. - ditto
Robinson, William H. - ditto
Squire, Everett A. - ditto
Seeley William F. - ditto
Storrs, William G. - ditto
Story, Isaac - ditto
Story, Cyrus S. - ditto
Traver, Robert N. - ditto
Tucker, Joseph - ditto
Thompson, Eustace N. - ditto
Tullar, Sidney G.- ditto
Turney, Uri S. - ditto
Williams, Bishop - ditto
Weatherby, Ralph - ditto
Weatherby, John - ditto
Wheeler, Chancy - ditto
Windnagle, Jacob A. – ditto
Windnagle, Charles H. - ditto
Whipple Samuel B. - ditto
Walters, Charles - ditto
Welsh, Livingston S. - ditto
Yahns, August - ditto

By Sept. 10th the twelve companies of the Second Cavalry were all organized. The following, with dates of commission, are found on its first roll of officers:

Colonel – Charles Doubleday, Sept. 5, 1861
Lieut. Col. – Robt. W. Radcliff, Aug. 22, 1861
Major – George G. Miner, Aug. 24, 1861
Major George A. Purington, Sept. 10, 1861
Major Henry R. Wilson,
Surgeon – Alfred Taylor, Aug. 27, 2861

Asst. Surgeon James L. Smith, Sept. 6, 1861
Chaplain – Gaylor B. Hawkins, Oct. 10, 1861
Capt. Hiram A. Hall, Sept. 6, 1861
Capt. William J. Keen, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. Chas. C. Smith, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. Aaron K. Lindsey, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. Allen P. Steel, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. R. W. Steward, Sept. 30th, 1861
Capt. Dudley Seward, Sept. 30, 1861
Capt. John L. Smith, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. John B. Franklin, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. Chauncey Eggleston, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. John H. Clapp, Sept. 9, 1861
Capt. James Caldwell, 1861
Capt. Thos. W. Sanderson, 1861
Capt. Baylis R. Faucett, 1861

1st Lieut.

Seth A. Abbey, Aug. 11, 1861
Edmund Ward, Adj't. , Sept. 4, 1861
Timothy D. Leslie, Sept. 9, 1861
Henry S. Wood, Sept. 9, 1861
Miles J. Collier, Sept. 10, 1861
Gurdin Woodruff, Sept. 10, 1861
Mandred Weeks, Sept. 30, 1861
A. Bayard Nettleton, Sept. 9, 1861
David E. Welch, Sept. 10, 1861
Lyman C. Thayer, Aug. 22, 1861
Robt. L. Hart
Samuel F. Geil
James D. Kennedy
William S. Dodge
Charles F. Ingersoll
Albert Watson, Oct. 10, 1861
Joseph B. Holmes, Oct. 30, 1861

2nd Lieut.

Abner D. Strong – Sept. 9, 1861
Franklin S. Case, Sept. 9, 1861
Wm. B. Shotten, Sept. 9, 1861
Stanley B. Lockwood, Sept. 9, 1861
Wm. B. Nieman, Sept. 30, 1861
Edward B. Hubbard, Oct. 17, 1861
Crawford N. Stewart, Oct. 23, 1861
Henry J. Virgil
John C. Hutchings
Frederick R. Demming
Peter L. Rush

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Married Jan 26, Mr. James A. Doty, of Painesville, and Miss Lydia J. Whitney, only daughter of H. Whitney, of Mentor.

Died in Concord, Jan 22nd, Mary Z. Smith, age 19 yrs., 8 months.

p. 4 Dissolution of the firm J. E. Strass & Co. by J. E. Strass and S. N. Levi; J. E. Strass will continue the Buffalo Clothing Emporium at the old stand, 101 Main St.

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p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 3

p. 3 The Commissioner of Ashtabula Co. offered a \$1,000 reward for the arrest and information that will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who murdered Mr. Robert Pray in Austinburg last week.

Weather: Our mild weather became moist last Friday—there was rain, lightning, and thunder. On Saturday a damp, chilly atmosphere and a light fall of snow, by midnight it froze hard and has remained so since. The last freeze made the ice 5" thick—the ice is very clear and pure. Mr. Landon Smith commenced cutting for his large ice house on Tuesday.

If any reliance is to be placed on the Ground Hog Tradition, we are to have an early spring. The 1st Tuesday of February is when the ground hog and his cousins leave their winter quarters and come out into open daylight. If the day is clear and they see their shadow, they return to their burrow to remain six weeks longer.

At Unionville there is a revival in progress. Extra services are held by the pastor Rev. J. C. Burnell, every evening.

Faribault *Central Republican*, Jan. 6th
Obituary notice of Dr. Edward Everett. Worn out with duty, his blood poisoned by Southern

malaria, Dr. Edward Everett, a citizen for three years, died. Scarcely a half year ago, his wife died in Minnesota.

Mrs. Mary J. T. Evans, sister of the late Gov. Tod, died in Akron, Tuesday after a long illness.

Her funeral will be on Thursday from the residence of her son, G. T. McCurdy.

The Second Cavalry – Part 2 by Robert N. Traver

Died in North Madison, the 28th ultimo, Ebenezer Hardy, son of P. F. Hardy, late of northeast Pa., age 25 yrs. In the late war, he was a volunteer in Co. F., 111th Regt., Pa Volunteers. His death was the result of wounds he received in battle.

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p. 2 Man Killed in Burton - Monday evening, Mr. J. E. Johnson, of Burton, a young man—to test some non-explosive coal oil, filled the oil can, set fire to it and placed it on a brandy cask. The oil ran over and for fear it would penetrate the cask, he removed the cask and set fire to that on the cask to be sure of cleaning it. The cask exploded, forcing out the head, which struck Mr. J under the chin, killing him instantly.

p. 3 Names of Persons now Residing Madison who were living in this township February 1, 1819, being fifty years:

Joseph Emerson
Luman Wheeler
Mrs. Luman Wheeler
Peleg Randall
Chester Stocking
Wells Stocking
William Stocking
Lyman Doty
Mrs. Saml' Potter
Edward Bissel
Mrs. Edward Bissel
Noah Hobart
Samuel Hill

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Byron Cady
Mrs. Ichabod Adams
Asa Talbot
Mrs. Joseph Cady
Nelson Sherwood
Wadsworth Brewster
Jasper Brewster
Mrs. Dr. Merriman
Alanson Brooks
Mrs. James Dayton
Horace Ensign
Reuben Copley
Abel Kimball
Addison Kimball
Horace Newcomb
Mrs. Elisha Wood
Mrs. Charles Burr
Mrs. Job Taylor
Albert King
Nathan Allen
Wheaton Allen
Henry Frisbie
Mrs. Melton Tilden
Mrs. Geo. Fisher
Phineas Mixer
Stephen Warner
Mrs. Nathan Warner
Mrs. C. Cunningham
Laura Bartram
Mr. Eli Olds
Lowell Cram
Grindal Rawson
Mrs. Nahum Miller
William Balch
Mrs. Luther Winchell
Oliver Warner
William Potter
Nathan Cram
Mrs. Andrew Flower
Harlow Bailey
Mrs. Harlow Bailey
Mrs. A. Cunningham
Jackson King
Leverett Hotchkiss
Mrs. Benton
Mrs. Judge Branch

Mrs. Lewis
Joseph Fuller
Jesse Green
Mrs. Jesse Green
Asa Turney
Mrs. Asa Turney
Laban Waterman
E. L. Ware
John Hinkley

Lewis Davis was executed for murder in the yard of the Cleveland jail last Thursday.

Dr. Pancost appeared before E. Huntington Esq. Monday for punishing his boy, and waiving an examination was bound over to trial to the Probate Court in two weeks.

Smash up and Fall of Beef – Saturday, Mr. F. Hulbert, of Thompson, stopped his team in front of Mr. Callender's and went in to see his "big pig." There were three-quarters beef in the wagon. For some reason, best known to horse thoughts and feelings, the team started down State St. at a pace to suit themselves, distributing the beef at points from which Mr. Hulbert had received no orders—they finally came to a halt in front of Wilder & Stone's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tinker were surprised with a silver coffee pot and tea set.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lapham, Mrs. Isaac Hale, Mr. Dayton and his little daughter, were in a sleigh that broke through the ice in the river. The current was not strong and with assistance, all were saved—though none were able to stand when rescued.

In Madison at an entertainment, Frank and George Wood, and Lawton Custin began a disturbance and Constable H. P. Allen intervened. All three turned on him and handled him roughly. The next day, Mr. Allen

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came with the Sheriff, who arrested them and brought them to Painesville.

Among Common Pleas Court Cases:

Helen A. Douglas vs. Wm. D. Douglass – divorce

Edna E. Lindsley vs. Wm. Lindsley – divorce

Sarah Goss vs. John Goss – dismissed

Married Feb. 3rd, Mr. Mark H. Woodworth and Miss Emily A. Cole, both of Madison, Lake Co.

Died at Westfield, N.Y., Feb. 7th, of paralytic stroke, Miss Charlotte C. Eyre, age 71 yrs.

Died Painesville at the residence of her son-in-law, J. H. Taylor, Feb. 8th, of heart disease, Mrs. Electa Mann, age 84 yrs. and three days, formerly of Bloomfield, N.J.

Died Painesville Jan. 20th, Eddie, eldest son of B. A. and Louisa Park, age 2 yrs., 4 mos.

Probate Court

Wilber F. Cleveland adm. of Daniel Cleveland, deceased; first account

Homer F. Griswold adm. of Arba Benjamin, deceased, final account

Alexander Williams, guardian of Samuel S. Brain and Ida M. Brain; final account

John Randall adm. of Laura Allen, deceased; final account

Darwin S. Osborn, guardian of Emma A. Kellogg; final account

J. H. Boyce and Benjamin Excell, executors of Benjamin Woolsey, deceased; second account

Horatio N. Gray, guardian of Mark Young; second account

Jane Crow, guardian of Brew minors; first account

Wm. L. Perkins and M. V. Hopkins, adms. of Daniel Hopkins; final account

William Clark, guardian of George W. Wood; final account

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p. 2 Erie Co., Pa., is the latest region in which silver has been discovered.

A young man named, McEvery, was murdered at Kalamazoo, Michigan, Thursday night.

The roof of the tunnel under the Chicago River has become cracked and passengers are subjected to a drizzling shower bath of dirty water.

p. 3 The estate of Benjamin Woolsey, deceased, was sold at auction on the 10th instant. *Willoughby Gazette*

Common Pleas Court

Augusta L. Roberts vs. Henry P. Roberts – divorce granted, plaintiff restored to her maiden name.

History of the Second Cavalry – Part V

A young man, Geo. Mitchelson, of Geneva, employed for the last few days on the Way Freight Train, was killed Wed. at Wickliffe. In attempting to cross before a train, he was struck in the left temple.

An old resident of Painesville, John Page, died at his residence near the Fair Grounds last Monday, age 79 years. His name is quite extensively known among horticulturalists in connection with the "Page Grape." He was buried Wed. with Masonic honors.

Died Willoughby at the residence of his brother, Feb. 13, of consumption, Elliott T. McLaughlin, formerly of Nebraska M. E. Conference, age 29 yrs.

Died Mentor the 10th instant, Mrs. P. M. H. Brooks, wife of H. A. Brooks, and only daughter of I. C. Hodges, of Concord.

Daniel Kerr is selling his late residence at the corner of Jackson and Richmond Streets—fronting on Jackson, including all the buildings and extending southwesterly. Bounded on the south by Jackson St. and the east by Richmond St.

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p. 3 Mr. A. Call, an old and respected resident of Perry died the 15th, age about 65 years.

Westward – J. F. Sanborn, one of our most active businessmen, has taken his family and gone to reside at Clinton Junction, Missouri. Health of himself and his little son is the occasion of his removal.

Dr. S. P. Huntington, a long-time resident of Painesville, left for Eureka, Kansas. His family is to follow him in the spring. He is a dentist.

Mr. G. F. Callender has weighed his Chester White monster hog. His live weight is 1,070 lbs; length 7', girth front of hind legs 8'; girth front of fore legs 7'.

Madison - The Mill at the Center has closed up business. M. M. Geer, who has been running it of late, has sold his effects and gone west.

Mr. & Mrs. James Smead have a baby girl. He now has two sons and a daughter.

Mr. Orlando Warner, who the Cleveland papers reported as dead and buried last fall, is slowly recovering from the injury sustained at that time.

Willoughby

Mr. Joseph White's house burned to the ground on the 10th. Mr. White is a pioneer settler first coming to these parts in 1816, then settling in Washington Co., N.Y., and returned in 1817 for a permanent residence. He came originally from Connecticut.

Mr. John Clements, a day laborer and good citizen, started last Friday for Dodge Co., Nebraska, to take up Government land.

No doubt, this last like other fires that have occurred in Willoughby lately, will be a means of rejuvenating the place. On the west side of the business section where the old wooden block once stood and the brick tavern, several

new structures now stand. Mr. Jonathan Sharpe has built a pair of twin stores, with a flight of stairs between leading to rooms for offices, & c.

Mr. Merriam on the corner has built a large brick edifice; between this and Sharpe's, Deacon Bates has a "Government Shop."

One of Sharpe's buildings is occupied by H.H. Baker as a dry goods and grocery store. The other store of Sharpe's is occupied by R. Kennedy as a grocery and tin ware store. Mr. Perkins' grocery completes the row.

On the first corner north, R. C. Bates has a drug and grocery store.

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Hereafter at the conclusion of each chapter, there will be given a small roster of "Ohio Dead" with name and rank of each man, the date of his death and, if buried in the National Cemetery, the number of his grave. We commence the **ROLL OF HONOR--**

Union Soldiers interred at the National Cemetery in Cleveland:

1. Bartholomew, E., Corp. 166th O., Sept. 6, '64
2. Bissel, C. J., Private, 6th Ohio Cal., Oct. 31, '64
3. Cloe, Jno. W., Private, 14th Ill., April 1, '64
4. Cook Ira, Private __ V.R.C., April. 17, '64
5. File C. E., Private, 65th Ohio, Jan. 25, '64
6. Foster, James, Private , 191st O., Sep.19,'64
- 7.Green, Wm., Musician, 67thO., Aug. 3, '65
8. Killinger, Geo. S., Private, 20th O., May 3, '65
9. Lee, Thos. A., Private, 166th O., May 18, '64
10. Maddock, L. Private, 15th O. Bat., Jan. 14, '65
- 11.McClellan, T. L. Private, 166th O., Sept. 5, '64
- 12.Miller, Lewis, Private, 23rd O., Aug. 18, '64
- 13.Milligan, M., Private, 6th O. Cav., Sept. 4, '64
- 14.Patterson, Alex F.,Private, 128th O., Apr.5, '64
- 15.Powers, Wm.H., Private, 166th O., Sept. 2, '64
- 16.Romtree, Wm. H., Navy, June 20, '64
17. Sheverly, A., Private, 14th O., Oct. 27, '64
18. Slayhill, J., Private, 38th O., June 21, '65
- 19.Smith, N. H., Sergt., 176th O., Jan. 22, '65
20. Smith, S. A., Private, 6th O. Cav., Nov.28,'64
- 21.Wallus, Wm. L., Private,154th N.Y., Aug.1, '64
22. Wood, Edward, Private, 32nd O., Apr. 9, '64

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Died Mentor, the 15th inst., after a lingering illness, Julia Hyde Andrews, wife of Frederick Andrews, age 37 yrs.

Died in Mooresville, Livingston Co., Mos. Feb. 6th, Harry G., infant son of Oliver G. and Juliette Wright, age 3 mos., 6 days.

Died Concord, Feb. 8th, John Corlett, son of Robert Corlett. He was born in the Isle of Man, March 9, 1782. In 1827 he emigrated to Concord, Lake Co., Ohio, where he resided until his death. To know him was to love him.

Died Perry, Lake Co., Ohio, Feb. 15th, Amherst Call, aged 64 yrs., 11mos., 22 days. Mr. Call moved to this country with his parents from Vermont, his native state, at age 12 yrs., and has since been a resident of Perry.

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List of those interred in the Cemetery at Chattanooga, Tenn. (list has section and grave numbers)

Twenty-Ninth Infantry

Flinn, Thomas J., Private, Co. I, March 25, '65
Gardner, Jacob, Private, Co. D, May 24, '64
Goodrich, Allen V., Conscript, Feb. 1, '65
Henderson, Thos. M. Sergt., Co. I, Sept. 10, '64
Knowlton, M., Private, Co. A.
Long, Amos, Co., K
McCartney, T. S., Private, Co. E, July 26, '64
Newcomb, Hiram, Private, Co. I, June 1, '65
Remney, C. F., Private, Co. G
Stevens, Alman, Private, Co. __, June 9, '64
Smith, J., Private, Co. A., March 24, '64
Wright, G. W., Private, Co. B, June 1, '64
Williams, Thomas, Private, Co. E., Feb. 29

Seventh Infantry

Baxter, Morris, Adjutant, Nov. 27, '63
Bennett, Wm. H., Private, Co. H., Nov. 27, '6e
Baker, Chas., Private, Co. A, Mar. 24, '64
Copeland, T. S., Private, Co. __
Callet, J. C., Private, Co. A
Duds, Joseph B., Private, Co. I, June 13, '64

Elkler, Geo., Private, Co. E., Dec. 13, 1863
Fish, Joseph, Private, Co. C, Nov. 27, '63
Grinnell, O., Private, Co. E. Nov., '63
Gardner, John, Sergt., Co. C, Dec. 22, '63
Goem, Albert, Private, Co. E., July 29, '64
Hankston, Elmon, Sergt., Co. K., Jan. 31, '64
Hanson, H. H., Private, Co. G, May 4, '64
Herrick, Ira, Private, Co. G, May 4, '64
Jackson, ____, Lieut.
Jones, Jeremiah C., Private, Co. E, Feb. 22, '64

p. 3 The young men of Chardon have recently organized a Young Men's Christian Assoc. Dr. Nichols is the President.

An old man named Ryan, employed as a watchman and switch-tender at Swanville on the Lake Shore Road, was killed last Thursday by a train that struck him.

Weather: Saturday evening the thermometer went to 2 degrees below zero, the lowest point of the winter.

Death of J. Mills Bradley

He died at Troy, N.Y., Feb. 6, at age 44 yrs. He was born in Sunderland, Vt., Jan. 31, 1825. When he was quite young, his father's family moved to Mentor, Ohio where he lived until the death of his father, Dec., 1851. Soon after, he became a resident of Troy, N.Y. In 1858, he formed a business partnership with Mr. J. E. Kimball. His remains will be taken to Mentor for burial.

We have received other names of those living in Madison as of Feb. 1, 1819:

Mr. Thom. Blair
Mrs. J. Mixer
Mrs. N. Whipple
Horatio Whipple

Willoughby – George Durban is building a very nice and large house on the north part of the lot once owned by the Widow Sharpe.

Asa Cottrell will build a new wagon shop on the first lot south of A. P. Peters; cooper shop. The Catholics of this town have bought a lot on Vine

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Street and will build a commodious church on it soon.

Married in Perry Feb. 24, Mr. Frank E. Barrett and Miss Ruth A. Stephens.

Died in Troy, N.Y., Feb. 6th, J. Mills Bradley, age about 44.

Died Leroy, Feb. 22, Charles A. Wright, age 53 yrs. His remains were taken to Unionville for interment.

Died Leroy, March 2, Mrs. Polly Weed, wife of Jonathan Weed, formerly of Lanesborough, Mass., age 71 yrs., 7 mos.,

Died Painesville, Nov. 25, Harry B., son of Henry and Millie M. Letson, age 3 mos., 22 days.

Died Feb. 14, at the residence of H. C. Durand, in Seville, Medina Co., Ohio, Mrs. Polly A. Blish (wife of Benjamin Blish, deceased) age 69 yrs.

Died in Madison, Ohio, Feb. 20, Henry Brakeman, age 83 yrs., 7mos. He came from Ostego Co., N.Y., in 1816, to Harpersfield, Ashtabula Co., O., and the next year to LeRoy in this county, where he resided until 1859, when he moved to Madison. He was a Lieut. commanding a company in the War of 1812, and was Justice of the Peace many years in LeRoy. A lover of peace, his country, and his God.

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p. 3 Mrs. J. Murphy, Canal St., Cleveland, had girl triplets, Friday.

The case of Dr. Pancost for whipping his son came up for trial in the Probate Court—adjourned until the 1st Monday in April.

More Old Residents Gone

On the 27th ultimo, Mr. Gurdon Reynolds, of Mentor, died of congestion of the lungs, age 71

yrs. Mr. R had resided in Mentor 37 yrs. and was formerly from Broom, Schoharie Co., N.Y. He was widely known as proprietor of the Mountain House for many years previous to the last.

Friday of last week after an illness of only a few days, George Munson, of Mentor, died. Mr. Munson was born in Connecticut. When he was about 5 yrs. of age, his father's family came to Mentor and bought a large farm. He was the youngest of a family of several children. When a young man, he was engaged in the grocery trade at the location the Cowles House now stands. He was buried in the cemetery in Mentor.

Rufus Call, the oldest man in Lake Co., died in Perry last Friday. Mr. Call would have been 100 yrs. old in July. He was one of the very first settlers in Perry Township. His wife die several years ago and about two weeks since he lost a son. He leaves one son living.

D. T. Casement has arrived home after a harrowing experience when the train he was on got snowbound 100 miles beyond Laramie. After 10 days of suffering and no aid, Mr. C and some others started on foot for Laramie. Eventually they lost their way, and Mr. C was one who could go no further. Some others pressed on through the snow and brought aid.

Mrs. Martha Hecker, age 31 yrs., sister of fellow townsmen Horace and Geo. Steele, died in Corry, Pa., last Saturday, after a brief illness of a few days. Her remains were brought here and conveyed to the residence of her brother, Horace.

The Veteran Corps

List of the persons now living in Perry who have been residents for the last forty years:

Cyrus Bartholomew and wife
Orrin Butler and wife
John Bowen and wife
John McMurphy and wife
Batholomew Vrooman and wife
Jonathan Vesey and wife
Jonathan Owen

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Solomon Owen
Hiram Owen
Philip Searles
George Hurlbert
Jahiel Hurlbert
Warren Ford
John Perry
Jesse Perry
Solomon Lockwood
Andrus Bowen
Charles N. Wright
Harcy Armstrong
Isaac Webb
Philip Lockwood
Mrs. Elizabeth Owen
Mrs. R. C. Hawkins
Mrs. Eunice Pleasants
Mrs. Elisah Ford
Mrs. Eli B. Haskell
Mrs. S. Z. Bennett
Mrs. Thomas Edwin
Lewis B. Wood
Luther O. Lockwood
Joshua Parks
Arial Call
Rufus Call (just died 6th instant)
Ferdinand Haskell
Eliphalet Stratton
Daniel Bartholomew

By J. Coolidge

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Roll of Honor – Seventh Infantry

King, F., Private, Co. C, Nov. 27, '63
Merrill, J. H., Private, Co. H, Nov. 27, '63
Mead, Henry W., Private, Co. F, Mar. 19, '64
Pfahl, Wm., Private, Co. K
Remuel, L., Private, Co. I, Nov. 27, '63
Spencer, Geo. E., Private, Co. A., Dec. 16, '63
Sweet, Thos., Private, Co. B., Dec. 5, '63
Wood, Daniel, Private, Co. C., Nov. 27, '63
Wall, Charles, Private, Co. C., Nov. 27, '63

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD INFANTRY

Acker, Henry C., Private, Co. I, May 24, '64
Kennedy, Karl P., Private, Co. D. May 28, '64
Lush, Henry, Private, Co. A, Nov. 14, '64

Miller, A. Corporal, Co. C.
Puffer, Jabez G., Private, Co. E., June 12, '64
Silver, W. H., Private, Co. H., June 3, '64
Stinler, N., Color-Sergt., Co. E. May 14, '64
Ulignan, A., Private, Co. B
Wise, Edward, Private, Co. I, May 30, '64

Answers:

Falkiner, Hiram, Co. A., 7th Ohio Cav., was originally buried at Rutledge, Tenn., is now buried in Knoxville, Tenn.
Kennedy, S. J. B., Private, Co. E, 45th Ohio Inf., died at Andersonville, Ga., Aug. 29, 1864, and is buried in grave 7,177 at that prison.
Richmond, John R., Private, Co. H., 51st Ohio Infantry, died Sept. 12, 1865 and is buried near Wessequere's House, 6 miles N.W. of Victoria, Texas.

Mr. Jesse Tryon, and lady of Waite Hill, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on March 4.

New Nursery on Mentor St.

Messrs. Loomis and Brainard completed three prorogating houses 50' x 13' each and their greenhouse 50 x 24 two months ago and have commenced to propagate a full variety including 157 varieties of roses. Mr. S. M. Whitmore is the Superintendent of the establishment. Mr. Whitmore has had large experience both in this country and in England. One of the curiosities here is a small banana tree now about 2' high. Think of a tropical tree like that fruiting under glass on Mentor St.—it will doubtless attract crowds of visitors.

Weather: The last three weeks have been the coldest of the whole winter. Today the Frost King relaxed his grip and there was a pouring rain at midnight.

The remains of J. M. Bradley arrived in Mentor Wednesday from Troy, N.Y. and will be buried Thursday. He leaves a wife and four sweet little daughters.

From the Geauga *Democrat*, 4th inst.

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About 70 friends of Mr. & Mrs. L. C. Treat met at their residence recently to celebrate their 10th anniversary.

Mr. Andrew Martin and son-in-law, with their families, have started from Hambden for their new homes in Tennessee.

Moses Carpenter, an old resident of Bainbridge, died suddenly Feb. 15.

In the early marriages under the head 1839 are the following:

Aug. 24, 1839 Erastus Palmer and Harriet Emerson by Samuel Hodges, J.P.

Sept. 22, 1839 Asa Childs and Sarah Ann Bond by Rev. Carlos Smith

Sept. 19, 1839 Alexander Phelps and Jerusha Reynolds by Ahira Clark, J. P.

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From an old 1833 Painesville newspaper: Nelson Hitchcock and Matilda Rider are married by Lewis Miller Esq.

Mr. Fred Palmer, of the firm of Wright & Palmer, married Miss Adaline King, daughter of Gen. Hezekiah King by Wm. Holbrook Esq.

Chas. B. Storrs, died at Braintree, Mass., President of Western Reserve College, age 39 yrs.

Sudden Death – On Tuesday, Mr. Seth Hill, boarding with Mr. Beardsley, of Eagleville, went out to milk. He was later found on the ground in an epileptic fit, from which he died on Wed., age about 65 yrs. *Ashtabula Sentinel*, 3rd.

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p. 2 Geauga County

D. B. Hosmer, an old resident of Parkman, has sold his property with the intention of moving to Kansas.

Early marriage in Geauga Co. in 1839 newspaper:

Aug. 27 Alonzo B. Turney and Mahitable Mosher by W. C. Mathews, J.P.

The Mountain House was built by Mr. S. Reynolds and kept as a hotel by his son, Mr. John Reynolds, who sold it a year ago to its present proprietors.

Mr. Gurdon Reynolds who died last week was an old resident of Lake Co. He was born in Broom, Schoharie Co., N.Y., and came to this vicinity in 1832, and immediately purchased his brother Simeon's farm, near the mountain, where he lived until his death. He left a wife, three sons, and three daughters. He died as a good man dies.

Kirtland – Mr. Chester Palmer, who moved on to Waite Hill about a year ago and now owns the farm occupied by Capt. A. S. Richards, has just received letters patent on a potato plow of his invention.

Mr. Jacob Markt and Mr. Mark Sanford, of Madison, left Tuesday for Ionia, Ionia Co., Mich., to make their homes. In spring they will return for their families.

Next Tuesday three Madison men start for Tenn.: D. M. Doty, a resident of Madison up to a few months since when he resided in Painesville and has been associated with Mr. Malin in the saw mill on Jackson St.; Mr. M. A. Doty, his brother; and brother-in-law Mr. S. R. Brainard. They intended to start some weeks ago but the illness of Mr. J. Doty, the father of these young men, prevented. But as now the venerable old man has passed to his rest, they take their departure. They go to the same place where Mr. Teachout and son are located, McMinnville.

B. W. Tinan, our young friend, is in Clinton, Iowa, and takes the *Telegraph*.

Died Mentor March 12 at the residence of her son-in-law, H. Carpenter, Mrs. V. Prouty, age 54.

Died Painesville March 7, Mr. Jared Doty, age 77 yrs.

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Died Painesville Feb. 26, of congestion of the lungs, Grant W., only son of Abijah and Kate Cone, age 2 mons, 18 days.

Marshall A. Lewis has filed a petition for divorce from Rosanna Lewis charging her with extreme cruelty and absence of three years.

Sarah P. Comstock vs. Nathaniel F. Comstock; petition for divorce and restoration of her maiden name. She charges him with willful absence of three years.

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p. 2 From early Geauga *Democrat* of 1840, early marriages:

Feb. 29 Jonathan F. Scofield and Nancy A. Hallack by Rev. T. Goodwin.

Mary 25 Erastus Larned Jr. and Lucinda Jones by Thos. Metcalf, J. P.

Robert Corlett has been appointed executor of John Corlett, deceased, late of Lake Co. Painesville

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p. 3 Weather: The past week has furnished a full assortment of weather in this vicinity—most of it perfectly adapted to the polar bear and walrus.

Mrs. Julia E. Stockwell, wife of A. B. Stockwell, and second daughter of the late Elias Howe, died in N.Y. City, after a short illness

Two weeks ago, we published a short notice of the death of Mr. Rufus Call, the oldest resident in the county. A grandson of Mr. Call, whose father Mr. A. Call died two weeks before his father, has called and wishes us to say that his grandfather never owned any land in Perry; that the farm where he lived belonged to this young man's father; also, at the time of his death, Mr. Call was not a member of the Disciple Church having withdrawn from it on a difference of opinion.

Willoughby – Elijah Sorter, of Mayfield, in his 88th year, died. Forty years ago, Mr. Sorter moved from Painesville to Mayfield and bought land of the Mormons (then residing there) at \$3 per acre—worth at this time about \$100 per acre.

Married Concord, March 20, Mr. Daniel W. Aylworth, of Painesville and Miss Rosa M. Leslie, of Concord.

Died in Gratiot, Wis., March 14, of paralysis, Mr. William Barrows, age 81 yrs.

Died at his residence in Ashtabula, March 8, William Jones, age 86 yrs., 3 mos., 8 days.

Died in Stryker, Williams Co., Ohio, Feb. 23rd, Caroline Matilda, wife of S. K. Wilcox, formerly of this place.

Died Concord, the 9th instant, Mrs. Betsey Carroll, age 81 yrs.

Died Madison, Feb. 23rd, Ida Wright, daughter of A. W. and P. S. Kimball, age 2 mos., 16 days.

Wm. P. Davis has been appointment adm. with the will annexed of Richard Uden, deceased, late of Lake Co. Painesville

Apr. 1, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry - Part 10

p. 3 Mr. E. D. Howe, and early resident of Painesville, is soon leaving for a home in Kansas.

Monday morning, the remains of Mrs. C. C. Stewart, daughter of L. L. Lathrop, were brought from Illinois and buried from her father's residence. This makes five deaths in the family in 11 years: Mrs. Lathrop, three daughters and a son, Mr. Lathrop and one son are all that remain.

Fatal Accident

Mr. Robert Gibbs resides in the second story of the Parmly block, corner of Main and State

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Streets. His wife's mother, Mrs. Fanny Baker, age 80 years, has been living with them since last June. Last Sunday evening Mrs. Baker was making some gruel for Mrs. Gibbs, who is sick. To cool it more speedily, she stepped out the back door onto the platform of a stair leading to the rear of the building, and in turning to reenter, fell backwards down the stairs, striking her head. She was picked up, taken inside, and Dr. Beardslee summoned. She passed into a lethargic state and on Monday died. She has a son residing in Iowa who was telegraphed Wednesday.

Married March 29, Mr. John V. Edgcomb, of Chicago, and Mrs. Mary A. Mason, of Bay City, Mich.

Died in Denmark Ashtabula Co., O., March 22 of croup, Florence Lell, youngest child of Josiah G. and Jerusha Bates, age 4 mos., 13 days.

Died in Lyons, Iowa, March 20, of consumption after an illness of many months, Mrs. Nettie K. Eaton, wife of Wm. D. Eaton, of the *Mirror*, and daughter of the late Henry Kellogg, formerly of Ohio, age 28 years.

Died at the Bethel Home, In Cleveland, March 24th, Mrs. Phylura Twing, of Chardon, age 70.

Died in Madison, March 17, Eleanor Corlett, wife of Wm. Corlett, age 57.

Mary Bancroft petitions for divorce from Madison Bancroft. She was married Oct. 17, 1867 in Madison Co., Ohio. She charges him with extreme cruelty and wants custody of her child, Lottie, and alimony.

Sarah Storey vs James Storey; petition for divorce. She married him Nov. 4, 1861, charges him with extreme cruelty and drunkenness and requests custody of the children.

Sidney Bostwick has been appointed adm. of Geo. W. Wood, deceased, late of Lake Co. Madison

Apr. 8, 1869 Thursday

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p. 3 Conneaut Reports –

The family of Mr. Alvin Vangorder of this town was severely affected by the death of their four months' old child by suffocation. The family drove to the Ridge to visit Mrs. V's parents having the child bundled up to protect it from the raw atmosphere, and when reaching their destination, the babe uncovered, and found it to be dead.

Married March 31 at the residence of the bride's father in Panama, N.Y., Mr. Henry H. Rhodes, of Painesville, and Miss Edith A. Ellis, of the former place.

Died at South Mentor, the 29th ultimo, Mrs. Harriet Thompson, wife of Jas. Thompson, age 57 yrs.

Apr. 15, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Mrs. Angier, wife of J. H. Angier, Mayor of Mentor, died at her residence and was buried on Monday.

Outward Bound to Michigan

Madison friend, T. W. Stoughton, will move from North Madison to Fair Grove, Tuscola Co., Mich. Also, Truxa Ware and another neighbor were going. The big wagon was on the street loaded. They were on their way to Cleveland to take the boat to Detroit.

Geauga Co. old newspaper early marriages:

Oct. 21, '41 Christopher Morse and Waty M. Gillmore

Feb. 22, '42 Hamlin Gregory and Mary J. Huntoon

Feb. 10, '42 Joel Bartholomew and Hannah S. Moore

Mr. & Mrs. E. V. Canfield celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary on Monday.

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Married at the bride's residence Apr. 4, Mr. John Kelley to Lydia A. Curtis, both of Mentor.

Died LeRoy, April 1, Eliza A., only daughter of J. A. and Esther A. Warner, age 17 yrs.

Apr. 22, 1869 Thursday

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p. 3 Mrs. R. Squires, who will be remembered as the excellent matron of the County Home for a number of years, died at the residence of her brother-in-law in Windham, Pa., last Friday. Her remains were brought here Saturday; funeral services at the residence of N. Brink, and interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

E. D. Howe is home from Kansas.

Mr. A. H. Gurney leaves Thursday for Kidder, Mo., where he goes to make his home.

M. W. Carter, of LeRoy, has purchased a 200 acre farm next to Mr. Teachout in McMinnville, Tenn.

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Another Pioneer Gone

Mr. Moses Parsons, of Hambden, died March 23rd, age 87 yrs. He first came to this township in 1810 and selected farms for himself and for each of his brothers. He was the last one to marry and stood at the head of the family previous to July 1, 1816. He with his family moved to this township (which was then called Bondstown) July 1814, numbering at that time 20 families.

The death of Eliza A. Warner, only daughter of J. A. and E. A. Warner, took place in LeRoy, April 1, age 17 yrs., of consumption.

Married on the 14th instant, Mr. William Averill and Miss Sarah A. Brooks.

Married Madison, on the 14th instant, Mr. Wm. A. Corlett and Miss Nellie M. Cole, both of Madison, Lake Co.

Died Poland, Chautauqua Co., N.Y., March 23rd of consumption, Silas K. Ferry, age 51 yrs., 11 mos., 16 days.

p. 4 Probate Court

Charles W. Spalding, guardian of Alice G. Spalding; second account

John Page, deceased, guardian of Frank E. Page (by C. S. Leonard, adm.); final account

John Craine, guardian of Theodore Stearns; final account

L. C. Stebbins, guardian of Jessie Griffith and Frankie Griffith, first account

Rodney E. Allison, guardian of Clinton W. Allison; first account

Wilbur F. Cleveland, adm. of Daniel Cleveland, deceased; final account

Franklin Paine Jr., adm. of Nathan Balch, deceased; final account

Willard Foster adm. with will annexed of Aaron Kent, deceased; final account

Mary A. Loveridge, guardian of Lucy E. Loveridge; first account

Mary A. Loveridge, guardian of Lina L. Loveridge; first account

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p. 2 History of Second Cavalry – Part 13

p. 3 S. N. Davis, of Willoughby, and two other families of that place are going west and still others from Perry and Madison are going west, some to Michigan and others to Missouri.

Driving Park – The company will sell at auction the lumber of the buildings and fences, and then run a street through the park and cut it up into lots to sell.

George B. Doolittle, for a number of year's chief clerk, leaves Painesville today for an extensive trip of Europe and maybe Syria and Egypt before he returns.

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Ashtabula Co. from the *Geauga Times*

The lake is unusually low at the present time. Also, the Great Marsh at Cowles Creek, usually at this season covered with water, is now dry. The stream going through it has run down to a mere rivulet.

John H. Howe, of Keewanee, Ill., lately appointed Chief Justice of Wyoming Territory, was formerly a resident of this county. He studied law with E. B. Woodbury at Kelloggsville and was a partner in law for some time with A. L. Tinker, at Unionville.

O. S. St. John has a patent for a car coupling.

Married April 20, Mr. C. P. Mayo and Miss Leah Decker, both of Painesville.

Married at the residence of the bride's father in Thompson, April 22, Mr. N. P. Tillotson and Miss Eliza Mathews.

Thomas S. Harbach has filed bankruptcy.

May 6, 1869 Thursday

P. 1 Early Times in Harpersfield

We propose to say a word or two about the first settlers of Harpersfield. William Harper, Major McFarland, and Ezra Gregory with their families, left old Harpersfield, New York, and arrived here June 24, 1798; pitched their tents in the northwest corner of the town near the junction of the middle ridge and the county line roads. Their families came through lakes Ontario and Erie and landed at or near the mouth of Wheeler Creek. Their oxen and cows were driven through by land. Soon after their arrival here they put up log cabins. Harper located on the north side of the road a little east of Unionville, McFarland on the lot adjoining Harper on the south, and Gregory located two miles south of Unionville on the Grand River. To make corn meal for bread, they chopped down a tree to make a stump, and with fire turned the stump into a mortar and attached a

pestle to a spring pole and pounded their corn. The finest they used for bread, the remainder for samp. When it became necessary to replenish their supply of grain for bread, all they had to do was to go to Cleveland, with shipping furs, fifty miles, exchange them for corn and bring it down on their backs through the woods - one half-bushel to a man.

Mr. Gregory exchanged his place for one on the river south of Hartwell's corners, and put up a horse-power corn mill, the stones of which were dressed out of river stones. He later built a flour mill. As more settlers came, they built a school house in the woods southwest from Hartwell's corners about 200 rods. McFarland taught the first school there.

Bear, elk (deer were scarce at first, but after the elk were thinned out there were plenty), raccoon, wild turkeys, wolves and wild cats were very plentiful; they were frequently met in the path by citizens traveling from one neighbor's to another. Bear's oil and coon's oil were esteemed very highly to fry cakes in by the early settlers. (A story about tracking a panther and a wolf is given.)

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p. 3 Geneva -

The following are the principal dry goods houses: Maltbie Brothers, H. B. Stephens & Son; Stephens, Turner, Lamb & Co., W. E. Proctor.

Of groceries, there are: Hubbard & Norris, P. & W. H. Harper, and P. W. Fuller.

M. C. Talcott has the hardware store.

Munger & Co. run the boots and shoes.

L. C. Chamberlin adorns the outer man with clothing, according to age, size, season, and purse.

J. Berder furnishes the "staff of life" at his bakery; while Seymour & Son and S. S. Burrows carry on a vigorous fight with all manner of fleshly ills, by dispensing curatives of all sorts from their fine drug stores.

Chief manufacturing establishments: Caswell & Tinker, Agricultural Works; Olds & Rice, Machinists; Goodrich, Cook & Co., Planing Mill,

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etc.; C. S. Stephens, marble works, and Geo. Kinney wagons, carriage, etc.

G. W. Malin, Photographer

J. S. Blyth, Cashier in charge of the First National Bank, and J. L. Morgan, pay attention to financial affairs of the place.

Capt. M. B. Gary, Attorney at Law

Prof. G. H. Roberts, principal with three assistants, of the schools of the village. A fine high school building, of brick, is nearly finished and will be ready for use by the time fall schools commence. It is four stories high; the lower or basement story is divided into kitchen, store-room, pantry, large dining hall, parlor and two bedrooms for the matron. The next floor has recitation rooms and a very fine school room; the third floor has a reception room, a teachers' room, and bed rooms—nine handsome rooms for young ladies who attend school from out of the village. The upper floor has a teachers' room, and eleven rooms for young men and boys from a distance. The dining hall, etc. are for the accommodation of those boys and girls who come from too great a distance to admit of their boarding at home.

There is a very fine Town Hall, 92 x 45 feet which seats 700. It is a very fine room for lectures and concerts. Below the hall are the offices for the use of the Town Council and the "lock up."

Geneva has four churches: Congregational-Rev. A. D. Barber, Pastor; Methodist, Rev. John Tribby; Baptist, Rev. Wm. Entwistle; Disciple, Rev. James Ingram.

There are two hotels: The Fountain House, A. D. Myers, proprietor, and the Tuller House, by Thos. Tuller.

The newspaper is the *Times* with Messrs. Spencer & Vaughn.

Weather: There was a heavy frost during the night.

John P. Jones has been appointed by council as our new Marshall and Watchman.

Capt. Mixer died in Ashtabula Co. (lived in Rogers neighborhood) age 35. His remains were taken to Madison for interment.

A son of H. E. Fenn, of Plymouth, had an accident with his rifle when out hunting and shot himself under the right arm into the neck. The prospect is that he will recover.

Ashtabula *Sentinel*, 28th ultimo

G. M. Pinney, recently the Principal of Grand River Institute, died in Florida last week. He was over 30 years old. His remains were brought home and interred in Geneva.

Mr. J. Ladd, one of the oldest inhabitants of Lake Co., leaves us today for Tabor, Fremont Co., Iowa. He came to Kirtland in 1820—so has been here 49 years. The last 15 years he has lived in Painesville. Having no family left except one son, he now goes to spend the remainder of life with him, near the waters of the Missouri.

Married May 3 at his residence 189 St. Clair St., Mr. Wm. H. Corkens, of Milwaukee, and Miss Sophia Palmer, daughter of Isaac Palmer, of Painesville.

Married April 18 at Kirtland, Mr. C. C. Bronson, of Talmadge, to Miss C. M. Scott, of Mentor.

Died April 15 at his residence in Mentor, Mr. Thomas Lapham, age 82 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days.

May 13, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 15

p. 3 Last Thursday a train of ten cars filled with emigrants passed this point bound for Cleveland.

On the 4th, Richard H. Foss, son-in-law of D. O. Carter, of LeRoy, started for California where he goes in search of a climate to help prolong his life—now threatened by consumption. He will send for his wife and child to join him.

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George Clayton, son of Descomb C. Clayton, age 17 yrs. and a student at Griswold College at Davenport, Iowa, accidentally shot himself with a small pistol on the 3rd instant. The father brought the remains back to Painesville; the funeral services were at the residence of his father-in-law, Julius Weed, and the body was placed in Evergreen Cemetery.

Levi Kerr Esq. died at his residence in this city the 7th instant, age 75 yrs. Mr. Kerr was one of the oldest residents of this county having settled in it 55 years ago. About 10 yrs. ago he left Mentor and came to Painesville to live. During the early part of the war, he lost a son of the 105th O.V.I.—killed at the battle of Perryville, Ky. He leaves a wife, four daughters, and three sons.

Dr. D. H. Brinkerhoff, of Willoughby, left last week for Fort Scott, where he goes to make his home. Dr. B. was surgeon of the 103rd O.V. He will be a valuable addition to the medical fraternity at Fort Scott.

Married May 5th, Mr. Joseph McVitty and Miss Mary J. Root, both of Perry, Lake Co.

Married May 3 at the residence of Chas H. Turner by Rev. H. C. Haydn, Mr. Willie Higgins, and Miss Ellen S. Turner.

Married April 21st, John T. Tinker and Nellie H. Hudson.

Died Willoughby, April 13, at the residence of Dexter Damon, her son-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Frank, relict of Henry L. Frank, of Kirtland, deceased, age 82 years.

p. 4 How to Construct an Earth Closet Privy

May 20, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 16

p. 3 The Geauga *Democrat* has moved to a new office at the corner of Water St. and Public Square.

Miss L. Marwin, about 10 years ago stepped on a piece of glass, a portion of which remained in her foot causing pain at times and deformity. Dr. M. P. Brainard, of Unionville, has removed this and the deformed member.

H. O. Brown, a young man in the employ of E. B. Ingersoll, of East Cleveland, took a horse and buggy and the little son of Mr. Ingersoll (4 yrs. old) to drive to Bedford. While in Cleveland, he got intoxicated, started about 5 p.m. for Rocky River and let the horse plunge off the bank into the river, where the horse and little boy were drowned.

Evergreen Cemetery now has a beautiful fountain with jets so fine and numerous they form a beautiful column of spray. The force is furnished by a force-pump placed down the river bank and is worked by an overshot wheel of 10' in diameter, drive by the same spring that feeds the pump. As soon as funds accumulate, pipes will be laid to the center of the grounds for another fountain, and finally a third one at the center of the north division. The directors have recently been at work in the old Washington St. Cemetery repairing and putting things in order.

The parents of Capt. L. A. Pierce of Prospect St., Cleveland, who live in the northern part of N.Y., will be married 62 years in October. They were formerly old residents of Perry.

Mr. Robert Rowland says his parents living in Erie Co., Pa., (father 85 yrs. and mother 80 yrs.) have been married 60 years. They had six children, all now living. The parents of Mrs. Robert Rowland are living in Huron Co., the father's name is Marcus Winchester, age 77 years, and his wife is 71 yrs.; they have been married 55 yrs. Mr. Robert Rowland has a married son in Concord who has a daughter 12 years old. Three of the grandparents and seven of the great grandparents of that little girl are still living; the other great grandparent having died in Perry, a few weeks ago. This is a remarkable case.

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Common Pleas

Sarah Goss vs John Goss; Divorce dismissed
Mary Prouty vs. Varney Prouty; Divorce dismissed
Libbie Rynex vs. John Rynex; Divorce dismissed without prejudice

Three little children Emma and Johnny Graff, ages 5 and 4, and Peter Pigeon, age 3, were buried by the sliding of a sand bank at the north side and near the top of Columbus St., Cleveland. They lived in the same house.

Died at Fairport the 10th instant, little Douglass, only child of M. L. and Sarah E. Davis, and grandson of Capt. J. W. Winchester, age 19 months.

Died Fairport, May 7, of quick consumption, Capt. Daniel R. Owen, age 31 yrs., 12 days.

Died LeRoy, May 16, of consumption, Clarence A. (?), son of Charles A. and Elizabeth E. Wright, age 11 mos., 5 days.

Died Mentor on the 14th instant of disease of the heart, Elijah Brand, age 81 yrs.

John P. Markell, adm. of Benj. F. Markell, deceased, will be selling land in Kirtland.

May 27, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 17

Mrs. Graff, mother of two of the children killed in the sand slide in Cleveland some days ago, died Friday. She never rallied from the shock caused by the terrible accident.

p. 3 Gen. Casement arrived home last week.

At Cleveland, two painters fell when the scaffolding gave way at Oviatt's Exchange. One named, John Tobelin, was killed instantly. The other was not much injured.

Died in Painesville, May 21st, Mrs. Simeon Toby, of New Orleans, daughter of Dr. L. S. Parmly, age 18. She died of consumption, she had been sick about 6 months, and she and her mother arrived in Painesville one week ago.

Mr. Landon and his ice wagon are now daily looked for as one of the indispensable blessings. He has enough ice to supply every family and business establishment in town until fall.

Common Pleas

M. A. Lewis vs. Rosanna Lewis; divorce decree for plaintiff
Sarah P. Comstock vs. Nathaniel F. Comstock; divorce decree for plaintiff

Willoughby – Mr. Geo Durban has his new house covered with brick and enclosed.

Died May 2 in Madison of dropsy on the brain, Gladys I., daughter of J. T. and A. L. Dodge, age 3 yrs.

June 3, 1869 (partial newspaper)

June 10, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 18

The biggest egg yet has been brought in by Frank Crofoot, of LeRoy. It measured 9" x 6-5/8".

Mr. Robert Briggs left Painesville for Clinton, Iowa, having purchased a home there.

Mr. Eli Baldwin, age 85 yrs., died last Saturday at his residence, east of the village.

Hannah White, alias Fisher, of Madison, has been arrested for an assault upon her father.

A man by the name of Oliver Perrin, a farmer in the vicinity of Norwalk, was killed by a train last Monday. He was about 35 yrs. old and leaves a wife and a family.

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Married at the house of Wm. Craine in LeRoy, Mr. Samuel J. Craine, of the former place to Miss Arilla A. Radcliffe, of Concord.

Died Hudson, Summit Co., April 18, of typhoid fever, Mrs. Clarinda Loomis, age 61 yrs.

June 17, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 19

p. 3 Weather: A slight hail storm passed over the south western portion of the county Saturday.

The law requiring physicians, clergyman, and sextons to report deaths to the Probate Judge has been repealed. Hereafter, the township assessors are to obtain such statistics.

We are sorry to learn of the destruction by fire at McMinnville, Tenn., of the livery stables, horses, etc. belonging to D. M. Doty and brother which occurred a few nights ago. No insurance.

Mr. Bishop, landlord of the Cowles House, has retired and returned to his former place of abode, Ravenna.

New Marriage Law – First cousins and girls under 16 years old cannot marry in this State now. Neither can a lady under the age of 21 yrs. old marry without the consent of her parents. Under the old law girls over 14 and under 18 yrs. of age were allowed to marry with parents' consent, and those over 18 to marry without consent.

Mr. Wm. Balch, of Madison, one of the pioneers of the Western Reserve, is 76 yrs. old. He purchased the first stove introduced into Madison Township and was regarded by the neighbors as beside himself for such a purchase.

On the track, 594 miles west of Omaha, U.P.R.R. Have just passed grade. Grasshoppers so thick, they stopped our train. Strange but true! Track

heated in the sun and thousands of grasshoppers "oil the track" too plentifully. The wheels revolve but cannot propel the train. After repeated trials, we are up and going along merrily.

Ten years ago there was a great frost on June 5.

Died at her son's residence in Painesville, April 14th, Mrs. Hannah Newton, age 72.

M. J. Warner gives notice against anyone contracting debts for him as he will pay no debts of that sort.

June 24, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. C. Green has a duck with four legs, two weeks' old.

Mr. & Mrs. B. H. Woodman, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Wilder, and Mr. & Mrs. Moulton will be going to the Peace Jubilee in Boston.

Thompson – Widow Ann Smith, relict of James Smith, deceased, of this place died on the 15th instant at 90 yrs. of age. She had come from Ireland accompanied by her husband and three children (two of who survive her) 50 years ago—sojourning sometime in Conn., at Enfield Locks. Forty years ago came to Thompson where she has since resided; three sons and one daughter reside here, and one daughter (Mrs. D. W. Mead) at Painesville with numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Death of H. D. Shephard

From the Manitowoc (Wis.) *Tribune*, we learn of the death of a former citizen of Painesville, Henry D. Shephard, on June 7, of consumption age 35 yrs. He was a native of N.Y. State, but early in life moved with his father, H. F. Shephard, to Painesville, O., where he lived until 11 or 12 yrs. ago when he came to Manitowoc to engage in business. Here 10 years ago, October, he was married, and here except for 4 years spent at Fon du Lac, Wis., he has since made his home.

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Married Madison, June 16, Mr. M. H. Allen and Miss Louisa Turney, both of Madison.

Died Thompson, 15th instant, Ann Smith, widow of James Smith, age 90 years.

July 1, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 20

p. 3 Married at the residence of Julius C. Huntington, the 19th, Mr. Lycurgus O. Marvin and Miss Alice Knoxon, both of Andover, Ashtabula Co.

Died Erie Pa., June 2nd. Mrs. Cynthia Weller age 74 yrs. Also, at the same place June 22nd, Amos Weller, age 81 yrs.—formerly of Rutland, Vermont.

July 8, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 21

p. 3 Alexander Brewer, while firing a salute at Willoughby on Monday with a small swivel, had his arm blown off by a premature discharge of the gun.

Miss Ellen E. Smith, daughter of Landon Smith, has received the appointment of Principal of the Glendale College for Young Ladies, near Cincinnati.

How Mr. Isaac Bates is doing on his farm in Iowa; soon to be one of the wealthiest men in Western Iowa.

A little boy, F. Cortez Coucha, age 12 yrs., drowned in the river while bathing with other boys. He was taken with a cramp and drowned in water not 3' deep.

Married June 30th, at the house of the bride's father, Eli Olds, Mr. Solon W. Call, of Perry, and Miss Eunice M. Olds, of Madison.

Married Perry, July 3rd, Miss Mary Kirk and Mr. George Mallery, both of Perry.

Died at the residence of H. Trulsen, in Mentor, June 27, of heart disease, Mrs. Anna Lockwood, widow of Rev. Philip Lockwood, age 81 yrs. She lived with her husband's children most of the time since his death.

Probate Court

Moses Morrell, guardian of Calvin W. and Martha A. Snell; second account

Eunice M. Small, guardian of Mary M. Crandall; final account

Robert P. Briggs, adm. of Jennie M. Haines; final account

Don Wyman, guardian of Eunice S. Tisdell; seventh account

Owing to the death of Obid Rust, I offer for sale his threshing machine. Corodine Rusk

July 15, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 Yankee Robinson's Consolidated Shows! Menageries! Circuses !! Ballet!!!

Over 400 men, women and horses

Painesville, July 26, 1869

(Secure your teams to prevent running away and make room for the gratuitous street display early in the forenoon.)

p. 3 Death of Lyman Hitchcock

Chicago *Tribune* of the 2nd instant

Omaha, July 1 – Lyman Hitchcock, a resident of Jackson, Mich., over 80 years old arrived from the east yesterday, occupied a room on the 4th story of the International. This forenoon his body was found horribly mangled on the pavement, he had fallen a few minutes' previous from a window while in a somnambulist state. Mr. Hitchcock was formerly a resident of Painesville and at one time owned our little farm, Willow Manse, on Mentor Ave. He, also, used to own the lot on Mentor St. recently sold by C. C. Pease to Wm. Young. He left his home in Jackson, Mich., on the 28th ultimo to visit his children in California. He leaves six daughters and three sons—Mrs. J. W. Hulin, of Chicago, Mrs. Rev. S. Clements, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Dr. L. A. Rogers, of Grand

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Rapids—there are two sons in Illinois, and three daughters and one son in California. He was buried in Jackson, Michigan.

July 22, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 22

p. 3 About four years ago, two boys, Joseph and John Reed, aged then 13 and 9 years old respectively, left their father's home in Ashtabula, and since which time nothing has been heard of them. Anyone knowing the whereabouts will confer a favor upon their father, John Reed, by addressing him at Conneaut, Ohio.

Alonzo Prentice, the mill team driver who has been living here as a married man, recently went on a visit to Pa., taking with him a young woman who had been living in his family as a domestic—his wife being an invalid. A few days ago, they returned as husband and wife; he claiming that the woman with whom he has lived so long is not his wife. There are rumors connected with this affair that are anything but complimentary.

Mr. William Croft died in Minneapolis, Minn., on the 11th.

Died in this village last Monday, Mrs. Fanny P., wife of Mr. Henry Southerland, age 57 years. Died Madison, July 13, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Murphy, wife of Sumner E. Murphy, age 56 yrs. 9 mos., 13 days. Mrs. Murphy was one of the choice ones of the world.

July 29, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 23

p. 3 **Weather:** If there is a county under the sun where they have more rain than we have had during the past 4 months, the people must be web-footed or live in boats.

Harvey Whitney, a boy about 18 yrs. old, subject to epileptic fits was sent on an errand on the 20th. His body was found Thursday in the

rear of Mr. S. A. Tisdell's garden lot on St. Clair St. It was ascertained by the coroners' jury he died in a fit. He was buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. William Lanterman, an old citizen of Austintown, committed suicide by cutting his throat on Tuesday; age 70 years. *Mahoning Register*, 22nd

Obituary – Mr. Wm. Croft died at the residence of his son, Thos. H. Croft, near Minneapolis, Minn., July 11, age 70 yrs. He moved from Painesville to Perry in 1838. After being in Painesville 20 years, he went westward to LaPorte, Ind. Where he remained until last year. He moved to Minneapolis to live with his children. He died of liver complaint.

William Green has been appointed administrator of Anna Lockwood, deceased, of Painesville.

Aug. 5, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 24

History of Yo Semite

The name Yo Semite was from the Yo Semite tribe of Indians. It means large grizzly bear. The Yo Semites were exterminated by the Mono; and but a single representative of the tribe now lives, an aged female.

p. 3 The old man, Wyatt Woolcott, 74 years old who attempted suicide in Mentor a few weeks ago and was sent to the County House, hung himself from an apple tree with a piece of clothes line.

The little daughter of Marshal Jones died on the 19th of congestion of the lungs when visiting in Pennsylvania.

Messrs. Carpenter and Mathews, the builders of the splendid new court house at Meadville, Pa., have been employed to superintend the work

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on the Geauga Court House, now in process on construction.

Married at the Cowles House, July 26, Mr. Amenzo Brown, of Hambden and Miss Jane Decker, of LeRoy.

Died in this city on the 31st ultimo, infant son of Almon and Laura Underwood.

Died in Pithole, Pa., July 29th, of congestion of the lungs, Lizzie S., youngest daughter of J. P. and Elizabeth B. Jones, of this place, age 4 yrs., 7 mos., 28 days.

Aug. 12, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 25

p. 3 Henry Wood, son of D. B. Wood of this place, age about 19, cook on board the schooner *Industry*, was lost overboard off Cleveland last Saturday and drowned. The body has not yet been found.

Married Perry, Aug. 8, Wm. W. King, to Emily Wheeler, both of Madison, Ohio.

Married Perry Aug. 3, Mr. William C. Kelly and Miss Augusta E. Rought, both of Perry.

Died Aug. 1 of consumption, Mrs. Elizabeth Barkalow, wife of M. P. Barkalow, of Perry, age 50 yrs.

Aug. 19, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 Second Cavalry – Part 25 (Concluded)

p. 3 Taylor & Mitchell grocers have dissolved their partnership. Mr. Taylor will continue the business at the old stand at 139 State St.

A Mr. Green, of Conneaut, got on the train at Girard. He was told the train did not stop at Conneaut, but he jumped off and bounced off a pile of timber and was thrown under the train where both his legs were mashed off below the knee. He will probably die.

On the 14th, Mr. H. H. Manchester lost his leg in a threshing machine accident.

Married Aug. 11, Mr. Ellory L. Gray and Miss Altha Dow, daughter of Dr. Dow, all of Painesville.

Aug. 26, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 26

p. 3 J. T. Tinker, Horace Alvord, Homer E. Stewart, and J. A. McHenry were admitted to the bar last week and can practice law in the state courts.

Mrs. Betsey Brewer, age 85 yrs., died at the residence of Dea. Morley, in Kirtland, Aug. 19th. She was sister of Mrs. Jeduthan Ladd, who died about a year since, and up until two years ago had been a boarder in Mr. Ladd's family.

Married in New Haven, Conn., Aug. 19, Henry H. Dewey, of Madison, Ohio, and Mary M., only daughter of R. H. Harris.

Married Rawlins, Wyoming Terr., July 28th, Mr. S. K. Swaine, of Rawlins Hotel, and Miss Anna M. Waklee.

Died Mentor the 23rd instant, Mrs. Lucinda Bliss Sawyer, age 45 years, wife of Almon Sawyer, and youngest daughter of Hon. Zenas Blish, of Concord.

Died Painesville, Aug. 15, Clarence G., infant son of G. W. and R. A. Doty, age 3 mos., 5 days.

Sept. 2, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 27

p. 3 Weather: A week ago the weather was scalding hot, and "humans" everywhere were panting for breath. This week the opposite is the fashion. Flannels, thick coats, and fires are object of desire while the cool breezes cause a shiver to creep over all.

George W. Benjamin, age 39, and a mason by trade, died Aug. 27th of consumption. He leaves

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a wife, two sons, and a daughter—the youngest 4 years and the oldest 13 years.

It is law now that all persons using steam boilers are required to attach to them and indicator. This has met with opposition in all parts of the state.

Married August 24th at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Frederick Andrews and Mrs. Mary L. Campbell.

Sept. 9, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Mrs. Skinner living at No. 23, Harrison Alley, Cleveland, presented her astonished husband with triplets—two girls and a boy. All are doing well.

Great Fire in Painesville - The Union Fence Company's Works Entirely Destroyed. Some 30-40 men are now out of work.

Geo. P. Kinney and M. L. Root have returned disappointed from Nebraska.

Married in Painesville, Sept. 1, Mr. R. M. Murray, and Miss Alice G. Gray, second daughter of H. C. Gray.

Died Painesville, Aug. 31, Mr. Liff Tousley, age 62 years.

Died Madison, Aug. 22, Ella N., daughter of Tracy and Emeline Matteson, age 19 yrs.

Died Perry, Aug. 24, of dropsy, Mercy Bartholomew, wife of Cyrus Bartholomew, age 63 years. The deceased had been a resident of Perry over 40 years.

Sept. 16, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Geo. B. Doolittle is home from his European tour with health restored.

Horse Thieves – Two men named L. Moore and Bisby were arrested for stealing a horse from John Hickok, of Mesopotamia, Trumbull Co.

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A young man, age 21, son of Wm. Humphrey, was knocked overboard off the *Elm City* and lost.

Charles S. Freer, of Trumbull Co., O., was admitted to the bar.

Death of Miss Parmly – This Wed. morning we received the notice of the death of Miss Louisa O. Parmly, youngest daughter of Dr. Eleazar Parmly, age 24 years. She has been a great sufferer for the past year.

H. E. Paine, of Monmouth, Ill., is on a visit to his Lake Co. friends.

Married Thompson the 7th instant, Mr. Wm. H. Burns, of Michigan, and Miss Sophia Barrett, of Thompson.

Died Painesville, Sept. 3, at the residence of H. Gregory, Rena Gertrude, only child of C. H. and Anna Pelton, age 6 mos., 21 days.

Died Sept. 10th at her father's country residence, Bingham Place, Shrewsbury Township, N.J., Louisa C. Parmly, of N.Y., age 24 yrs., 5 mos., 2 days.

Sept. 23, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 29

p. 3 Geo. W. Allen, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting his friends in this section.

Mr. George Perkins has returned from his European journey.

The remains of Mrs. Edward Morley were brought to Painesville from East Saginaw, Michigan on Wednesday and interred at Evergreen Cemetery by the side of her infant child buried there last summer.

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On Friday the 10th, the cornerstone of the new court house in Chardon was laid with appropriate ceremonies. The Masonic Fraternity laid the stone. **The box placed in the stone contained:**

The Holy Bible

A copy of each of the following journals of recent issue: *Geauga Democrat*, *Cleveland Herald, Leader*, and *Plain Dealer*; *Painesville Telegraph* and *Advertiser*

Pictures of the court house, before and after the fire destroyed it

List of county officers in Geauga County from 1806 to present year

List of names of officers and member of Chardon Lodge, No. 63, F. and A.M.

Copy of building contract of commissioners of Geauga County with L. J. Randall, Esq.

Names of Architect, Contractor, and Builders of court house

The day's proceedings

Last Thursday a heavy thunder storm passed over this place. About half past twelve there were several terrific crashes of thunder. The barn of Mr. E. E. Johnson, on Watson St., and the adjoining barn of Mr. Green was, also, stuck and caught on fire. The heavy rains helped the firemen save the barns.

Serious accident – A little son of Mr. Parker, of South Harpersfield, about seven years old, was kicked on the head by a horse on the 3rd instant. H. C. Parker the brother of the lad was plowing in the field. During the day, the lad came to the field and followed until he became weary, when he lay down and fell asleep with his feet across the last furrow. When the team came around the off horse stepped over the boy before H. C. discovered him. The boy was awakened and arose when the horse took fright and kicked him laying open the scalp about 4 inches. When last heard, the boy was in critical condition. *Geneva Times*

Married at the Cowles House in Painesville, Sept. 15th, Mr. George M. Barkalow and Miss Jane Perry, all of Perry.

Married in LeRoy, Sept. 16th at the residence of Thomas Radcliff, Mr. Eugene Corlett, of Rockford, Ill, and Miss Sarah Radcliff, of the former place.

Died at East Saginaw, Mich., Sept. 11, Sallie Morley, wife of Edward W. Morley, age 26 years, 10 mos., and 2 days.

Died in Buffalo, N.Y., the 20th instant, Daniel Bailey, infant son of C. M. Hemenway, aged two and a half months. The remains were brought to Painesville on Tuesday evening and interred in Evergreen Cemetery at the hour of twilight.

Died Painesville, Sept. 16th, Susan M., wife of Chas. W. Harris, and daughter of Daniel and Adaline Thompson, age 22 yrs., 1 mo., 25 days.

W. H. Card and H. H. Shepard have dissolved their partnership. W. H. Card will continue the business as before.

G. A. Gross and L. M. Ford have dissolved their partnership. L. M. Ford will continue the business at the old stand.

Probate Court

Wm. L. Perkins and M. V. Hopkins, adms. of Daniel Hopkins, deceased; final account.

Harriet Smith and Morris Smith, executors of Davis Smith, deceased; first account.

Henry Paine, adm. of Alvin Loomis, deceased (by H. N. Paine, his executor); final account

Martha S. King, guardian of Kate E. King; first account.

O. H. Sharp, executor of Margaret P. Sharp; first account.

Harriet Haines, guardian of Edmund Haines; first account

Almon Sawyer, adm. of Henry Locker, deceased; final account.

Mathew L. Root, adm. of J. W. King, deceased; first account.

J. P. Sherer, adm. of Andrew Merriman, dec.; first account.

Sept. 30, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. S. H. Borworth died very suddenly at Geneva Wednesday evening. His family did not learn of his illness until Wednesday, when his daughter, Mrs. Stacy, went to see him, but arrived only in time to see him die.

L. J. Randall, of Chardon, Geauga Co., died Monday of typhoid fever. He was one of the largest businessmen in this part of the state. He had the contract for building the new court house in Chardon at a cost of \$70,000.

A Family Group

Mr. B. F. Marsh, our first- class artist, has just sent us a large photograph of a group of seven sisters, from 65 to 45, all daughters and only children of the late Gaius Kent, of Chardon, Geauga Co., Ohio, and formerly of Connecticut. Six of these ladies are now residents of Lake Co., and one resides in Elgin, Illinois. Their names in the order of their ages are:

Mrs. Hardy, of Painesville

Mrs. K. A. E. Bell, of Painesville

Mrs. Tucker, of Painesville

Mrs. R. Smith, of Elgin, Illinois

Mrs. Barney, of Painesville

Mrs. Andrews, of Perry

Mrs. Harris, of Madison

A family reunion, numbering forty persons, including all these sisters, children, and grandchildren, took place at Mr. Bell's table on Thursday, Sept. 16th.

Married in Painesville, Sept. 13th, Mr. Hiram A. Brooks and Miss Phebe Lapham, both of Mentor.

Married Sept. 26th at the residence of the bride's father in Chardon, Mr. A. J. Phelps and Miss Annette Griswold.

Married Sept. 22nd at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John S. Churchward, of Berea, Ohio, to Miss Nettie Barnes, of Painesville.

Married Sept. 16th at the residence of Mr. George Everett, Mr. Wm. H. Ludlum, of Jamaica, L. I., and Miss Sarah E. Everett.

Died in St. Charles, Winona Co., Minn., August 23rd, of typhoid fever, Lucy A. Stone, age 32 years, daughter of John and Harriet McMurphy, of Perry, Lake County, Ohio.

Died in Cleveland Sept. 16th of consumption, Minnie E. Stratton, age 16 yrs., 5 mos., and 10 days.

Died in Concord at the residence of his grandfather, ___Woodruff, Esq., of cholera infantum, Parmy, infant son of Samuel L. and Flora A. Hathaway, aged 2 yrs., 2 mos., 19 days.

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p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 30

Losses

Died of disease:

Alfred Caldwell, Private

John Nixon, Private

Daniel Hartman, Private

Cyrus S. Story, Private

Luther B. Bingham, Corporal

Discharged on account of disability:

O. N. McGonigal, Sergeant

Daniel Alexander, Private

Thomas S. Atkins, Private

John B. Estell, Private

B. A. Broughton, Private

Joshua Kaylor, Private

Leland Merwin, Private

Peter C. McAvoy, Private

Wesson Pattie, Private,

E. A. Squire, Private

L. D. Welsh, Private

H. C. Van Duzen, Bugler

Deserted:

John Weatherby, Private

Richard Post, Private

Edgar James, Private

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By Promotion:

Capt. Charles C. Smith to Colonel 10th Cavalry
Orderly Sergeant John J. Pike, to 2nd Lieut.

Resigned:

First Lieut. Henry C. Wood
Second Lieut. Stanley B. Lockwood

At Camp Chase the following men were mustered out because of disability:

Hiram M. Bruce
Homer C. Squire
Wm. H. Johnson
Wm. H. Robinson
Charles T. Morley
Richard Copeland
Henry Higley
George McMackin
E. N. Thompson
Charles L. Williams
John Perkins
James B. Barns
Arthur P. Hart
Ralph Weatherby
Jewett Burdick

p. 3 Perry - A wedding at H. N. Carter's, Sept. 22nd, when his daughter, Miss Alche, married J. W. Collins, of Ashtabula.

Dr. R. M. Powers has left us to take the practice of Dr. Stear, of Huntsburg.

Married Sept. 30th at his residence, 189 St. Clair St., Mr. Joseph Curtiss Jr. and Miss Sarah E. Bowman.

Died Richfield, Lucas Co., Ohio, after a short illness on the 29th ultimo, Mrs. Deborah Ely, age 74 yrs., formerly of Madison, mother of Mrs. S. A. Tisdell, of Painesville.

For the Country Boys – Cash will be paid \$1 per peck or shilling a quart for seeds of the Cucumber Tree gathered as they fall, resembling small red beans. They must be

brought in fresh, or if kept a few days, must be spread quite thin, so as not to ferment and change color. At N. O. Lee's Drug Store, Painesville

Oct. 14, 1869 Thursday

p. 1 Reminiscences of Long Ago from the Telegraph

A. H. Gurney writes about his boyhood days. On Sept. 24th, I with two lady cousins, strolled out to what is known as Fort Point. This point is formed by having a stream on either side, Grand river on the north and Painesville on the south, and forming a junction with the river at the western terminus of this elevated table land, which I think is about 300' above the level of Lake Erie. This locality has long been thought worth visiting on account of its antiquated forts. These forts consist of three lines of breastworks—the one on the west being the smallest, the second or middle one the largest, which now being measured from the bottom of the ditch to the top of the breast work will give at least twenty feet. These breast works are made at right angles with the line of the north side of the point—on the side where runs the largest stream. While viewing, I often wondered by whom they were built. I had not visited this place in 40 years. When we reached the valley a little below Paine's Creek, I recognized the place on which was formerly located the residence of one Jones Murphy. This residence was a large hollow tree, in which Murphy lived for many years, and in which I had met him in my boyhood days. An nearby on the bluff, is the spot historical spot where one Joseph Marshall displayed his powers of killing a yearling bear with only his bare hands and feet—and I heard he was much admired by the young maidens of the time for the courage he displayed with the bear. Another incident transpired near this place over half a century ago: Two of the most noted hunters of this region viz: George Caldwell and Tom Wright, were out on one of their Nimrod excursions and happening to cross Paine's Creek on some flood wood, discovered a den of rattlesnakes. They

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went to work and killed them until they got sick of it. The country at that time was infested with the large yellow rattlesnake and the copperhead. Near this point, Mr. Caldwell caught the last beaver in this section.

p. 2 Letter to editor of the *Telegraph* from G. B. Barnes, Pastor, in Reading, Michigan, Sept. 30th: Mr. Samuel Huston, late of your place died the 18th instant at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Lucius Judson, also, late of Painesville, now of this place. The deceased was born in Strong, Maine, in 1794. IN 1831, he moved to Lake Co., Ohio, where he remained until about 6 months ago when he came to this place to spend his last days with his daughter's family by whom, and his faithful wife, he was cared for till the last.

p. 3 Mr. & Mrs. Flavious Josephus Huntington celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Oct. 11. Mr. & Mrs. H were married Oct. 11, 1819 in a house that stood on the lot now occupied by the residence of their son-in-law, Mr. Joseph Sedgebeer, near the First National Bank. They lived in State St. for 17 years; then in 1836, moved to their present residence on Erie St.—which they have occupied for 33 years. They have one son—now residing in Oregon—and one daughter—Mrs. Sedgebeer—now living. They lost one daughter as a young woman many years ago. For 41 years, Mr. Huntington was *the* teacher in Painesville having at that time educated two generations.

Madison - Dea. Edmund Smith and family have this morning, Oct. 6, left us for Florida. For more than 25 years, Dea. Smith has been a resident of Madison township. He has an invalid sister.

Miss Louisa A. Richards has married Mr. J. B. Collacott, of Chagrin Falls.

Married in Mentor on the 6th instant, Mr. W. H. Barriss and Miss Hellen F. Murray.

Married in Madison, Oct. 7, at the residence of her parents, Miss Louisa A. Richards to Mr. Jonathan B. Collacott, of Chagrin Falls, Geauga Co., O.

Married in Concord, Oct. 7th, Mr. Theron Johnson, of Mentor, and Miss Lucy Ann Beckwith, of Kirtland.

Died in Madison, on the 13th ultimo of consumption, Alonzo J. Denton, age 40 yrs.

Died Thursday, at his residence in Cleveland, Solon Corning, age 59 yrs.

Died at Reading, Mich., Sept. 18th, Samuel Huston, age 76 yrs., formerly of Painesville, Ohio.

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p. 3 J. H. Tillotson is moving to Eureka, Kansas.

Mr. Alexander King and family move to Philadelphia, Pa., during the present week. He and his son have obtained a patent for an improved washing machine, and they have sold their patent to a company in Philadelphia. Mr. A. King is going to that city to superintend its manufacture.

Mr. Elisha Abbott, a long-time resident of Painesville, died of congestive chills in St. John, Mich., Oct. 11th, age 70 yrs., 32, days. He was born in Chester, Berkshire Co., Mass., Sept. 9, 1799. During his boyhood he worked 6 years by the month on a farm. In Dec., 1817 or Jan., 1818, he left Chester for Mayfield, Cuyahoga Co., walking the entire distance in 13 ½ days. One day he walked 54 miles with snow on the ground. Arriving in Mayfield, he immediately commenced chopping wood for himself and neighbors. In 1821, he moved to Willoughby Ridge and engaged in labor. In 1824, he and his father-in-law, Lewis Miller, came to Painesville and started the first tin shop in town. They boarded with Gen. King, but every Saturday afternoon, they walked to Willoughby to spend the Sabbath with their families. In 1825, they brought their families to Painesville. He lived here until Sept., 1865, when he sold his

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property and moved to St. John, Mich., where he resided until his death. In connection with Judge S. Fuller, in Willoughby, Mr. Abbott established the "Franklin Library" consisting of about 1,000 books. His son, L. S. Abbott, of the Auditor's Dept., Washington, was here to vote when the telegram of his father's death reached him. From him we gather the above interesting facts.

The Annual Miller Visit

Wednesday, six, two-horse wagons loaded with wood and other supplies passed through Main St. all destined for the widow of Lewis Miller from the children living in Willoughby and Kirtland for their mother.

Common Pleas

John A. Turner vs Lydia A. Turner – Divorce granted to plaintiff

Mahoning Register

Mr. David Stambaugh, of Girard, had a hunting accident on Tuesday. When firing his gun, the breech flew out and entered his skull above the eyes. At last accounts, he was sinking fast.

Married Oct. 14 at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Ashbel Tillotson, Mr. Noah F. Moseley and Miss Alice Tillotson, both of Thompson.

Married Willoughby Oct. 7, Mr. Christopher C. Viall of North East, and Miss Mattie E. Holmes, of Willoughby.

Married Oct. 20th, Mr. Charles Lynn Smith and Miss Jennie Wadsworth, daughter of Wm. Wadsworth, of Painesville.

Died Painesville, Oct. 8, Susan D. Hughson of consumption, age 17 yrs. and 5 mos.

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p. 3 Mrs. Harrison Morse died Sat. She was the daughter of the late Philip Wilson, of

Thompson, Geauga Co. In less than 3 years, four of the family have died of consumption— Mr. Wilson, a son, Mrs. Bovier, and Mrs. Morse.

Capt. Mason Jackson was murdered by the Ku Klux in Texas. (In a later issue this is a false rumor.) He was of the 23rd U. S. Infantry. By trade he was a printer and at one time worked for the Telegraph. It was while here, he became acquainted with Miss Smalley, sister of V. E. Smalley, late editor of the *Youngstown Register*, who he married. He leaves a wife and child.

Wisconsin – Gen. James H. Paine moved from this county to Wisconsin in 1840. Ira C. Paine, brother of the Gen., moved to Wis. a little later than his brother and is a prominent lawyer in Racine. Byron Paine, son of Gen. Jas. H., and now Judge of the Supreme Bench of the State, is one of the most influential men in the state. Gen. Halbert E. Paine left Painesville and went to Wisconsin in 1858. After the war he was elected to Congress. A. M. Thompson, Editor of the *Janesville (Wis.) Gazette* is another son of Lake Co. He went to Wis., when a young man. He has served two terms in the Legislature and was Speaker of the House both terms. Judge Wheeler, who went to Wis., from Unionville, was another man of influence. He has gone to his rest. Then there are L. H. Rann and H. L. Rann, brothers, who went to Wis. from Kirtland. They are now editing the *White Water Register*; one of the very best local papers in the State. These are some but not all the names that might be mentioned of those who have gone from our county to Wisconsin.

Married Oct. 20 at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Preserved H. Curtiss and Miss Lenora E. Scribner, both of Mentor.

Died Concord Oct. 10, Mr. Bushnell Austin, age 64 yrs.

J. C. Hutchins, guardian of Joseph R. Barbour and Charles E. Barbour minor children, will be selling land in Mentor.

Nov. 4, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Mrs. J. R. Hall died last week at age 58. She was a sufferer of cancer for many long months. She was one of the early residents of Painesville. She was interred at Evergreen Cemetery.

Married Oct. 26th at the residence of the bride's father in Thompson, Mr. Albion M. Stocking, of Madison, O. and Miss Alice M. Leonard.

Married Oct. 16th, Mr. Daniel A. Alvord and Miss Sarah M. Wilcox, both of Cleveland.

Probate Notice

Abraham Teachout, executor of Samuel Miller, deceased; first account

Sally A. Gardner, Adm. of Clark W. Gardner, deceased; final account

Job Harris, Guardian of Lucy A. Harris, final account

J. J. McCaslin and Samuel W. McCaslin, adm. of James McCaslin, deceased; final account

Horatio N. Gray, guardian of Mark Young; final account

John Multer, guardian of John A. Austin; first account

Richard Sheperd, guardian of Emma Ball; first partial account

Philo T. Safford, guardian of Emma J. Safford; fourth account

Nathanial P. Bailey, guardian of Edeth C. and George R. Matthews; first account

Seymour H. Rexford, guardian of Emma, Louisa and Luta J. Wells; first account

Edward Cain has been appointed adm. of Isabella Cain, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., O.

W. H. Price is executor of Jarius Guild, deceased, last of Madison, Lake Co.

Nov. 11, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 Dr. Livingston has set the anxiety to rest by brief dispatches from him to his friends in England, announcing that he is in good health.

He believes he has discovered the true source of the Nile.

History of the Second Cavalry – Part 31

Battle of Monticello – Killed were:
Anson Chapman and John Delvin, of Co. H

Death of Capt. J. Carpenter and Wife

The bark *Naomi* had been wrecked at Manistee, on Lake Michigan, and Capt. Carpenter and his wife and one seaman drowned. To his daughters and the people of Painesville, this is a painful loss.

Married Nov. 3, Mr. Lourin Fish and Miss Mary Ann Ingram, both of Mentor.

Married Kidder, Mo., Nov. 2, Wm. L. B. G. Allen to Miss Marie M., daughter of Herman Townsend.

Died Painesville, Oct. 25, after a lingering illness, Mary, wife of J. R. Hall, age 58.

Died Nov.5, Anna, wife of C. H. Pelton and only daughter of H. and M. J. Gregory, age 21 yrs., 11 mos., 12 days.

Nov. 18, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Rumor brings a report that our fellow citizen Judge Milo Harris and wife will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary this Thursday.

Death of Mrs. P. P. Sanford

Mrs. Sanford, one of the oldest residents of Painesville, died on Tuesday.

The body of Mrs. J. M Carpenter arrived Tuesday. We are still in ignorance if the body of Capt. Carpenter has been recovered. Capt. Martin went to Manistee for the purpose of securing both bodies.

Among Common Pleas Cases:

Ohio vs J. J. Pratt, for rape

Ohio vs. Ira Burr, for rape

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Married on the 6th instant at the residence of Mr. Burr in Mentor, Sheridan Lowrey to Miss Jane Burr.

Married Nov. 11, Mr. Milton L. Parker and Miss Ella A. Bandall, both of Mentor.

Died Nov. 16, Mrs. Ann E. Sanford, wife of P. P. Sanford, age 57 yrs.

Died Eagleville, Ashtabula Co., Nov. 11th, of typhoid fever, Bro. Lee Cushman, of Lodge No. 456, I.O.G.T.

Nov. 25, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 Capt. J. T. Martin has returned from Manistee. He has not found the body of Capt. Carpenter. A strict watch is being kept along the beach.

Our young friend, Washington Hine, has just left for a home and business in Independence, near Galveston.

The 50th wedding anniversary of Milo Harris and wife was celebrated last Thursday at the residence of Mr. J. Palmer, son-in-law of Mr. Harris, and at a later hour the party crossed yard to the house of Mr. H.

Mr. Chas. F. Willard, a citizen here for the last three years, formerly of Muncie, Ind., has just returned from the burial of his only brother, at the old home. From the Muncie *Times*, Nov. 18: Dr. William C. Willard died Sat., though sudden not wholly unexpected. He entered Dartmouth College, Hanover, N.H., in 1827 at age 17 yrs. He immediately began the study of medicine, entering the office of Samuel Webber, Charlestown, N.H., for 3 years. They went west in 1836 and located in Muncietown, now City of Muncie.

Married Nov. 175h, Mr. Varney Prouty and Mrs. Hannah Holmes of Willoughby.

Married Mentor, Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 18, Mr. John Smith and Miss Anna J. Benedict, both of Mentor.

Married at the M. E. Parsonage in Mechanicsville, Mr. Orrin S. Gates and Miss Alma A. Dodge, both of Harpersfield, Ashtabula Co., O.

We have information referring to the charges against Mr. J. J. Pratt which look as though he has been very much injured. We ask the public to suspend judgement until Mr. Pratt can be heard in defense.

Dec. 2, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 32

p. 3 Weather: There is an old saying that if there be thunder in November, the next season will be fruitful and good. It will be remembered that November has furnished the thunder.

False Rumor- Capt. Mason Jackson whose death at the hands of the Ku Klux of Texas had been reported a few weeks ago is alive and in the active discharge of his duty.

Mr. William Potter an old resident of Madison died Nov. 24. He was born in Lebanon, Conn., May 20th, 1788, to which town his grandparents emigrated in the early part of the last century from South Shields, England. (They were among the sufferers when the town was burnt by Arnold in 1781.) His father's name was John Potter; his mother's maiden name was Elizabeth Witter. From age 9 – 12, he lived with his uncle, Septimus Witter in the hills of Berkshire, Mass. From age 12 – 21, he was mostly at sea—he had spent 13 months on a whaling voyage off the coast of Pagonia. He came to Madison, May 8, 1809, two days before completing his 21st year. Three or four years were spent with his older brother, Samuel Potter, on a farm south of Unionville. In 1814, he purchased the farm on which he spent the rest of his life. He married Feb. 20, 1823 to Miss Nancy Ferrill, of Covington, Genesee Co., N.Y., now his surviving widow. Madison had been his home for 61 ½ yrs. He had three sons and one daughter—all of whom survive him.

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The oldest son is Rev. Wm. T. Potter, of Yates, Orleans Co., N.Y. The daughter, Mrs. Blinn, resides in Geneva, Ashtabula Co. The two younger sons reside in the homestead.

Edward Schroder, a brakeman on the Lake Shore Road, was killed in a train wreck near Dunkirk.

Married In LeRoy, Nov. 28, Mr. Chilton A. Sylvester, of Perry, and Miss Susan A. Hopkins, of the former place.

Died Madison, Nov. 24, Mr. Wm. Potter, age 81 yrs., 6 mos.

Dec. 9, 1869 Thursday

p. 3 George S. Durand, age 16, left the residence of S. C. Niece, Kinsman, Trumbull Co., on Oct. 2; requesting information which will be liberally rewarded.

Died Madison, Nov. 30, of measles and inflammation of the lungs, Myra J., daughter of L.D. and V. R. Brockway, age 18 mos. Twice has God bereft the afflicted parents of a cherished and beautiful little daughter.

Roswell Hayes is adm. of James M. Carpenter, deceased, late of Lake Co. Painesville

J. C. Hutchins, guardian of the minor heirs of J. R. and Edward Barber, has deposited with the County Treasurer \$17.85 for the redemption of two acres of land in Mentor Township, sold for taxes Jan. 15, 1867.

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p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 33

Married in Cleveland, Dec. 8th, at the residence of the bride's father, Robt. Bailey, Mr. Jno. A. Benjamin to Miss Elizabeth A. Bailey.

Married at Kirkwood, Ohio, on the 8th instant, George T. Ladd, of Painesville, to Miss Cornelia A. Tallman, of the former place.

Married in Saybrook, on Nov. 30th, Mr. Charles F. Wyman, of Perry, Lake Co., O., to Miss Libbie Dain, of Saybrook, Ashtabula Co., O.

Died in Painesville, Dec. 11th of congestion of the lungs, Emma, youngest daughter of G. L. and Ervilla Riker, age 4 yrs. and 17 days.

Dec. 23, 1869 Thursday

p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 34

p. 3 N. Norton, of Perry, brought in a white Russia turnip measuring 21" in circumference and carrots 13" in circumference and 17" long.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, North East LeRoy, on the 14th instant, Mr. Lamar M. Loveland and Miss Jemima Colwell.

Married on the 16th instant at South LeRoy, Mr. Leonard Burton, of Warren, and Mrs. Nancy L. Comstock.

Married Nov. 17 in Perry at the residence of the bride's father, Augustus A. Cone, of Painesville, to Miss Ella M. Armstrong, of the former place.

Married Montville, Nov. 24, at the parsonage, Mr. E. N. Orcutt to Miss Ellen A. Doty, of Madison.

Married in Madison, Nov. 11 at the parsonage, Mr. Almeron Follett, to Miss Clara Orcutt, both of Madison.

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p. 2 History of the Second Cavalry – Part 35

p. 3 Rev. B. J. Kennedy, formerly a resident of Painesville, died in Hudson, Summit Co., of heart disease, age 61 yrs.

Mr. B. F. Lyon, of Perry, brought in a large cabbage—its two circumferences are 3'9" and

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3'1" and its diameter 1'2". He reports larger ones buried—some weighing 25 lbs.

Married, Saturday, Dec. 25, Mr. Wm. H. H. Bryner, of Strongsville, Ohio, and Miss Hellen L. Bryant, of Painesville.

J. B. Kilbourne and J. H. Clark have dissolved their partnership.

Joseph Curtiss gives notice that his wife, C. L. Curtiss has left his bed and board without any just cause or provocation and the most foolish freak that every influenced a woman. He forbids anyone from harboring or trusting her as he will pay no debts of her contracting.

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