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PAINESVILLE TELEGRPAH  
Painesville, Ohio  
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## **Jan. 5, 1898                      Wednesday**

**p. 1** Elizabeth Mahoney White died Dec. 15, 1897, wife of Geo. White. She was born in Wexford Co., Ireland, 44 yrs. ago.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Abbey, of Elyria, has been the guest of Mr. E. Cadle and family for a few days.

Mr. H. N. Munson was the recipient last week of a box from the west containing two Jack rabbits and two prairie chickens.

Mrs. D. S. Wood has sold her place and will soon move to the city.

Brainard Hull, who is now located in Chicago, called on his friends in this place last week.

The following is the list of those in the immediate vicinity who died in the past year:

Harrington, Mr. Gillett A.

Clapp, H. H.

Aldrich, Mrs.

Shaw, Mr.

Phillips, Mr.

Collister, Mr. J.

Peck, Miss Fannie

Lett, Mr. Bert

Pike, Chas.

Maloney, Thos. child of

Lenchon, Jerry child of

Johnson, C. S. child of

Diosagie, Carl child of

North Ohio Grape Co. Mentor Branch

Officers for the new year:

Johnson, C. S.

King, H C.

Gulliford, D. E.

Cadle, E.

Morley, F. D.

Baxter, A. M.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. Overmyer's children have the chicken pox.

Mrs. Belle Crowder returned from Cleveland last week.

Miss Mattie Cashen, of the Madison Home, spent Xmas at her father's.

Emory Skinner visited relatives in North Madison for a few days.

Miss Laura Rothermel, of Munson, visited at Albert Borroughs last week.

Mrs. Wrioley is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Strong, in Huntsburg several weeks.

Grandma Vogel is having an attack of grip; she is one of the oldest people in town.

Mrs. A. Borroughs has been quite sick, also, Mr. Basquin; both are better at this writing.

V. E. Whitney gave an oyster supper in Montville, New Year's Eve.

Mr. & Mrs. Hanson Basquin held a reception Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, in honor of their grandson, Mr. Olin H. Basquin, of Chicago, Ill., who was married in Toronto, Canada Dec. 27 and came with his bride to visit his parents before leaving for London, England. We wish them a safe journey.

### **Hampden**

Mr. & Mrs. Hayes' young son broke his leg at school, at the Center.

Mrs. Barnum is in Hiram caring for her son's wife. Mr. & Mrs. Ray Barnum are the parents of a boy born Christmas eve.

Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Hollis, of Chardon, are in town for a few days.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Kennedy and Miss Lizzie Kennedy are visiting in Pa.

Al Willman is home from the oil field.

Mrs. E. G. Bascomb, of Wickliffe, is a guest of Mrs. Bidwell.

Mr. & Mrs. Ballard entertained several friends on New Year's Day.

Mr. & Mrs. George Ray and son, Ford, of Cleveland, were visiting his parents during the holidays.

Mr. & Mrs. G. H. Hubbard, are visiting in Pa. guests of Mr. & Mrs. Locy.

Mr. & Mrs. Allie Stockham, of Berea, are visiting at Mr. A. Stockham's.

Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Richards entertained Mr. & Mrs. Albert White, New Year's Day.

Mrs. N. Coons is very feeble.

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### **Perry**

Truman Hulbert is again able to be out again after being confined to the house by sickness.

Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Tenney, of Geneva, were visiting relatives in town last week.

Miss Mary Craft, of Austinburg, spent last week among Perry friends.

The news of the death of Mr. William Davis, which occurred last week at the home of his daughter in Painesville, caused much sadness. He had been a resident of Perry more than 30 yrs.

Mr. Charles Boyd has sold a portion of his farm to the Green Nursery Co.

Miss Margaret Boyd is at home from Cleveland for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. John Flynn, who met with quite a serious accident several weeks ago, is improving.

Mr. Roy Whiting, of Austinburg, was a guest of B. F. Wood and family last week.

### **Kirtland**

Lewis Markell is home from Salamanca, N.Y.

Miss Mary Morse and Nannie Billings are spending their vacation here from Oberlin College.

Mrs. Skedd is very sick with congestion of the lungs; her treatment is by Mrs. Dr. Hirtzog.

Newton Whitcomb and wife, of Chardon, are at his father's a few days.

A surprise party was given to Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Whitcomb last Tuesday, and the next day they left for their home in Wauseon.

Mrs. Bentley, of Rock Creek, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Brockway.

Alice Harris has been suffering with otalgia considerably of late.

Floyd Allen has neuralgia.

Georgia and Fannie Morse spent last week in Kirtland. Georgia will leave for Cleveland next week to train as a nurse.

### **p. 2 Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **LeRoy**

Holt, Iriom H.

Freshley, Frederick

##### **Perry**

Dustin, Lillian Wade

Chandler, Mary W.

Cramblett, John

Davis, James W.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Sessions, Lucia C.

Steele, Lucia C.

##### **Mentor Township**

Hungerford, Levi W.

Lapham, Augusta

Hopkins, Julius W.

McCormick, Chas. W.

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Cook, Delia J.

##### **Willoughby Village**

Barber, A. P.

Skiff, Charlotte E.

Baker, Nancy J.

Storm, S. T.

Carpenter, W. A.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Root, O. J.

Dille, Geo. W.

##### **Painesville Township**

Hutchinson, Mary A.

Realty Title & Investment

##### **Fairport Lands**

Dailen, A.

Nieminer, Heikki

Nieminer, Mina

Barnes Co.

Cook, Delia J.

##### **Kirtland**

White, John

White, Amy

Moran, Ann

##### **Probate Court**

Studney, Lizzie – lunacy inquest; adjudged insane and committed to Newburgh Asylum

Corlett, Hattie B. – Meade A. Brotzman appointed guardian

Thompson, Oral E. – guardianship; order to appraise issued

Thompson, Vogle W. – guardianship; order to appraise issued

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Corlett, Edward C. – report of sale  
Lane, Edward E. – marriage license  
Schmitt, Mary A. – marriage license  
Pratt, Grace L. – marriage license  
Thayer, Alpha R. – marriage license  
Rhodes, Velma I. – marriage license  
Hayden, J. B. – first and final account  
Yaxley, Richard – final account  
Callender, John E. – Ernest A. Callender  
appointed administrator  
Criswell, Robert – inventor and appraisal  
White, Amy – guardianship; order and report of  
sale  
Hall, Lyman – marriage license  
Vrooman, Maude F. – marriage license  
McGregor, James Charles - marriage license  
Fuller, Bertha Leola – marriage license  
Hackley, Kent – marriage license  
Murphy Alice M. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

Divorce case of Ruth E. Towell vs Patrick H.  
Towell is being hear

### New cases:

Aaron M. Wilcox vs Maverette G. Cole, exec. of  
will of Hezekiah Cole; money only  
A. C. Pepoon, trustee vs Carroll C. Waite; to  
marshal liens  
Martha R. Olson vs Frank O. Olson - divorce  
alimony and custody of child; habitual  
drunkenness and gross neglect  
Edith Clark vs. John Clark – divorce, alimony and  
custody of child; extreme cruelty and gross  
neglect  
Arthur W. Foote vs Myrtle N. Foote – divorce and  
custody of children; adultery and gross neglect  
Bernard Keating vs George M. Huss; money only  
In the matter of the estate of Augustus  
Harrington; appeal  
Mark Abell vs Margaret Richards; specific  
performance  
George Wass vs F. L. Warren; appeal

### Delinquent Land Tax List for 1897

#### Madison

Barnes, Emma J.

Branch Jr. W. W.  
Siske, Henry T.  
Fowler, F. H.  
Ford Robert N.  
Harrington, Perry  
Hodges, Charles A.  
Jones, Newton  
Nash, Clara  
Noves, Ralph D.  
Paige, R. K.  
Quayle, Nellie M.  
Roberts, R. H.  
Roemer, Katie M.  
Slingerland, Joseph R.  
Taylor, Harriet E.  
Tuttle, Wm.  
Tuttle, Mrs. Wm.  
Welton, Garry

#### Madison Village

Allen, Horace P.  
Ford, Robert N.  
Freedman, Cora A.  
King, Mary A.  
Moodey, F. C.  
Seeley, L. C.  
Talcott, Asa

#### Perry

Benedict, Florence R.  
Coolidge, Julia A.  
Hausch, Gertrude  
Mason, Margaret  
Skinner, John F.  
Talcott, Chauncey B.

#### LeRoy

Arnold, David L.  
Thompson, Ann M.

#### Concord

Church, Almon  
Clapp, George C.  
Dow, Alex  
Farnsworth, Charlotte  
Mansfield, Angelica  
Robins, Francis V.  
Reynolds, Catharine M.

#### Kirtland

Chilson, Alma E.  
Hart, Charles B.

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Miller, Ebenezer  
 Simmons, Wm.  
 Squires Sr., Joseph  
 Fullar, Emeline  
 Ward, Jonathan

**Mentor Township**

Bake, Ed J.  
 Davis, E. Y.  
 G\_\_\_\_, Homer J.  
 Mack, Henry  
 McNally, Edward  
 Parker, Green  
 Price, J. W.  
 Price, Thomas  
 Rumsey, Albert R.  
 Rumsey, A. R.  
 Wilson, Thomas

**Mentor Special District**

Clapp, Jennie P.  
 Parker, Green  
 Rittman, Geo.  
 Rittman, Louise

**Mentor Village**

Hart, Charles B.  
 Murray, Jared  
 Pike, Elna M.

**Willoughby Township**

Adams, Margaret A.  
 Baker, Ida S.  
 Black, Katie  
 Briggs, Laura E.  
 Buckeye Brick Co.  
 Chase, Emma  
 Edick, Orla N.  
 Everett, Isaac  
 Little, John  
 Lloyd, Rose E.  
 Mosher, Eddie H.  
 Osborn, F. M.  
 Paige, Ralph K.  
 Phelps, Arthur  
 Stevenson, John  
 Stevenson, Joseph W.  
 Stewart, Charles H.

**Willoughby Village**

Armstrong, J. S.

**Painesville Township**

Barton, Geo. W.  
 Barton, Sophronia  
 Clampet, A. B.  
 Crandall, Bert G.  
 Calhoun, N. S.  
 Freeman, Mary H.  
 Guenschow, Otto E.  
 Hayes, Phoebe  
 Hine, Augustus  
 Jerome, Frank J.  
 Kinney, M.  
 Lowman, Mary A.  
 Morrison, Peter  
 Owen, Mary A.  
 Owen, Fannie F.  
 Pierson, Edith M.  
 Rowthan, J. J.  
 Scott, Henry S.  
 Seligman, L. A.  
 Wetherbee, E. G.  
 Wilson, Z. S.  
 Williams, Lyman B.

**Richmond Lands**

Moodey, C. A.  
 Carson, J. B.  
 Ogborn, Henrietta S.

**Fairport Lands**

Bloom Andrew H.  
 Butler, Samuel  
 Hine Augustus  
 McCrone, Patrick  
 Paige, R. K.

**Painesville Village Lands**

Barnes  
 Scott  
 Barton, Geo. W.  
 Barton, Sophronia A.  
 Bowman, Anna E.  
 Buys, Margaret  
 Downer, Sarah L.  
 Durand, Mary  
 Freeman, Warren H.  
 Gladwish, Ellen S.  
 Hill, James E.  
 Hine, Augustus  
 Hyde, Portland  
 Knox, Harriet M.

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Lynch, Mary  
Moodey, C. A.  
Moodey, F. C.  
Murray, F. C.  
Murray F. H.  
McGlynn, Anna  
McMillan, Samuel  
Parsons, Alice H.  
Pierce, Mary R.  
Powers, Maggie  
Smith, Wm.  
Spencer, H. A.  
Free Will Baptist Home Miss. Soc.  
Wilson, Andrew  
Wolverton, Frank L.

### **Richmond Lots**

Clampet, A. B.  
Gladwish, H. B.  
Moodey, Frank C.  
Wilson, Z. S.  
McCrone, Patrick  
McCrone, John  
Post, John E.  
Durfee, M. F.  
Wilson, M. J.  
Harrison, W. C.  
Wilson, M. J.

### **Fairport Village Lots**

Clampet, A. B.  
Hine, Augustus  
Marine Supply Co.  
Walss, Wm. J.

### **Painesville Village Lots**

Barton, Geo. W.  
Clampet, A. B.  
Dolan, Mary  
Thomson, Louisa

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Fedo is the name of the new post office west of Chardon, and it was named for the postmistress' pet cat.

Hon. J. K. Wing, of North Bloomfield, Trumbull Co., occurred on Sat. He was the father of attorneys Francis and George Wing, of Cleveland.

Frank A. Martin has been appointed postmaster at North Madison to take effect at once.

Martin Barlow, a brakeman on the P. & W., had his right hand badly crushed when making a coupling at the Nickle Plate Wed. night. He may have to lose his hand.

Mr. Bert H. Rogers, the popular clerk at The Parmlly, and Miss V. M. Smith occurred at the rectory Thursday.

Miss Phoebe G. Baker, sister of the late Geo. O. Baker, of Painesville, died at the home of D. D. Weed in Leroy, after a short illness. Age 71 yrs.

Mr. N. E. Donaldson of the firm of Donaldson & son, of this city, married Miss Minnie Wilson, of Thompson, Jan. 1 at the Baptist parsonage.

### **Smothered to Death**

Mrs. Charles Williams, wife of the well-known machinist, was found dead in bed Thursday afternoon at her boarding place on North St. Clair street. When found, she had her face buried in the pillow with a towel bound tightly around the head. The towel was saturated with chloroform. The use of chloroform suggests suicide. Some have conjectured that she may have taken the chloroform to relieve pain and while under the influence smothered to death in the pillow. The amount of chloroform used was not sufficient in itself to cause death. A letter was found which was written to her sister in Swansville, Pa., a few hours before and there was not the slightest suggestion of a melancholy or desperate mood. Mrs. Williams was Miss Gussie Virtue and she was married to Mr. Williams, who is employed by the Horton Mfg. Co., Nov. 1896. They had been living at Mrs. Wharton's boarding house six weeks. The deceased was 22 yrs. old and a mother and two sisters are living.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Beardsley and family went to Huntsburg last Friday to visit Mr. Beardsley's parents.

Lewis Nighman, of Streetsboro, Portage Co., spent the holidays with his brother, Stephen Nighman.

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Charles Tenney made a business trip to Cleveland and Brecksville last week.

Mr. & Mrs. T. H. Wright were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Carrie Reed, of Perry, on New Year's Day.

Miss Pheobe Baker died at the home of her cousin, Mr. Delas Weed, last Sat. age 72 yrs.

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Dunkel spent New Year's with Mr. Dunkel's parents in Perry.

There was a family gathering at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. F. Callow on New Year's Day.

### Personals

Dr. Todd has had a slight relapse and is improving very slowly.

Miss Marion Bartholomew spent New Year's in North Madison.

Mr. Walter W. Pratt returned to Hartford, Conn., on Sat.

Mr. B. F. Crolley is confined to the house with an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Horace Huntoon, of Cleveland spent Sunday with Painesville friends.

Miss Mae Smith returned to the Oberlin Conservatory of Music Tuesday.

Mr. D. Conley is confined to the house by a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Thomas Warren has concluded his vacation at home and returned to Saginaw.

Miss Carrie Mason, of Leroy, was the guest of her uncle, Dr. Tillotson over Sunday.

Mr. Jake Hunter, the popular motorman on the C.P. & E., is out after an illness of ten days.

M. P. Underwood, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his sister, Miss Capitola Underwood.

Mr. & Mrs. Bert H. Rogers returned from their Eastern wedding trip Sunday evening.

Judge Frazier, of the Circuit Court, is spending his vacation from the bench in California.

Mrs. John Pierce, nee Francis Baker, of Peeksville, N.Y., is visiting her father, Mr. L. Baker.

The Conversation Club will meet with Mrs. M. J. Wilson Jan. 6.

Miss Adah Coates, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. H. P. Coe on Sat. and Sun.

Mrs. W. C. Anderson, of The Parmly, is spending the holiday with Mrs. J. M. Gallaher, in Blairsville, Pa.

Miss Belle Hughes, of Cleveland, who has been a holiday guest of Miss Maude Arter, has returned home.

Mr. Harry E. Hammar returned Monday morning from Wooster where he spent the holidays with his parents.

Mr. Brainard Hull, of Chicago, Ill., is spending his holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Hull, of this place.

Miss Charlotte Coe, of Chicago University, spent a vacation of a week at home.

Miss Chapman and Miss May Chapman accompanied Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Oliver to Pittsburg Friday and will remain there a week.

Mr. & Mrs. Elmer E. Kintner had a daughter born on Jan. 1.

Mr. & Mrs. A. R. Nordahl, Mr. M. Hansen and Mr. Oscar Olson, of Cleveland, spent New Year's at the home of Mrs. O. Trulson.

Miss Marguerite Pratt returned Sunday to Montclair, N.Y., where she is attending school.

Mrs. I. P. Axtell and daughter, Miss Axtell, left Monday for Titusville, where they will spend the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Julius Byles.

Miss Isabelle Preston, of Muncie, Ind., on her return to Lasell Seminary, stopped in Painesville as the guest of Mrs. Charles E. Booth.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur F. Skeelee, of Wellington, were in town a few hours Friday.

The marriage of Anna Bonnell Carson, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Carson and George J. Fullerton, a member of the Fullerton Lumber Co., of Minneapolis was Jan. 1 in Chicago. They will live in Minneapolis.

### **Grand River Lodge No. 321 K. of P. met in their Castle Hall and installed the following officers:**

Byrns, T. W.

Warren, Dr. F. L.

Herrick, G. D.

Marquette, Harry

Leonard, F.

Kile, C. J.

Pratt, F. P.

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Callender, A. J.  
Graves, E. E.  
Slee, L. W.

### **Wedding Bells**

The most notable social event of the Holiday week was the marriage of Grace, daughter of Mrs. Pliny Pratt, at the Pratt home, to Mr. Allen W. Carpenter and the wedding reception given by the groom's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Allan Carpenter, at their home on State street, Wed. evening. Mr. Norris P. Stockwell was best man. Miss Helen Pratt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a gown of white organdie over green taffeta and carried red carnations and maiden hair fern. The bride wore a gown of white satin with mousquetaire front and sleeves, trimmed with ribbon and escurial lace and slightly en traine. She wore a veil of tulle and carried bride roses. Guests from out of town:

#### **From Shields, Pa.**

Loree, Mrs.  
Pefferman, Miss

#### **From Toledo**

Rockwell, Mrs. Samuel

#### **From Cleveland**

Handy, Mrs. E. H.  
Handy, Miss  
Kimball, Miss  
Ambos, Miss Hudley  
Green, Mr. & Mrs.  
Williamson, Mr. Charles  
Mather, Mr. F. M.  
Williams, Mr. Fred  
Haskell, Mr. Jack  
Sheridan, Mr. Hal

#### **From Milwaukee**

Munroe, Dr. & Miss  
Pratt, Mr. & Mrs. W. J.

#### **From Seattle**

Riton, Mrs. V. A. and daughter

#### **From Saratoga**

Martin, Mrs. W. M.  
Peters, Miss

#### **From Hartford, Conn.**

Curtis, Mr. Carl  
**From Mont Clair, N.H.**  
Pratt, Miss Elizabeth  
Pratt, Miss Marguerite

#### **Ashtabula**

Belknap, Mr. John  
Ingersoll, Mr. Howard

#### **Thayer-Rhodes**

A home wedding took place Wed. at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Rhodes, East Main street, when their daughter, Velma lone, married Mr. Alpha Randall Thayer, a well-known young man of Painesville; he is a clerk in the post office. They will live at present with Mr. Thayer's mother, at 124 Pearl street.

#### **Married**

At the bride's home in Striker, Ohio, Dec. 28, 1897, Mr. Geo. S Woodruff, of Painesville and Miss Ida M. Chappins. They will live at No. 173 Prospect street, this city.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 5:

#### **Ladies**

Hulbert, Miss Levinna

#### **Gentlemen**

Arnot, J. L.  
Bond, T.  
Baker, C.  
Cole, E. A.  
Christian, A.  
DeForres, Abnor  
Deitz, Will  
Finch, James  
Granger James  
Helmer, Daniel  
Natte, Michael  
McClintock, D. K.  
Miller, C A.  
Mortensen, Otto  
Skinner, Edwin M.  
White, James  
Wooden, J. F.

#### **Died Together**

Fort Wayne, Ind. Jan. 4  
Miss Viola Marquand, age 23, daughter of a wealthy farmer, and Michael Miller, age 26, a



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saloon keeper, were found dead in a room in the rear of Miller's saloon. The revolver was found in the woman's hand. Two letters were found, one from each of the parties, declaring they wanted to die and be buried together.

Attachment: J B. Foster & Co. vs John Biltti for sum of \$106.44.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. J. L. Smith recently lost one of his farm horses.

Miss Ida Murphy will return to Warrensville today.

Mr. A. O. Ford, of Painesville, was visiting relatives here.

Mr. Charles Beetham after a vacation of several months has returned to Scio college

Mr. & Mrs. O. Jewell are making an extended visit with friends in Cleveland.

Mr. L. J. Bliss, of Ashtabula, was the guest of his parents Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Bliss.

Mr. Henry Foley formerly of this place but now of Minnesota, is visiting old time relatives and friends.

Mr. Wm. Atkin returned last Friday from a visit of nearly two weeks with Chardon friends.

Mr. & Mrs. F. E. Benjamin, of South Madison, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. S. P. Pomeroy, one day last week at Calm.

Miss Lena Binnig and Mr. Adolph Binnig, of Perry, spent several days of the past week with friends at Calm.

Among the New Year's guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. F. Nye were Mr. & Mrs. J. Nye, of Madison, and Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Hodges.

The married daughters with their families enjoyed a New Year reunion at the home of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Smith

A son of Mr. Frank Smith recently of Andover has rented the L. A. Deming house recently vacated by L. J. Bliss and family.

Dr., & Mrs. D. G. Proctor spent New Year's with the family of their daughter, Mrs. H Smith, of Ashtabula.

M. E. Rappold, one of our former, Thompson boys and brother of Mrs. Dr. Proctor, has a

contract for building a new town hall at Trumbull.

Mrs. W. A. Basquin has been for some time the guest of Mr. & Mrs. A. Basquin, of Chardon, where she has been receiving medical treatment by Dr. Allyn.

Mrs. Lervera Blakeslee sold nine turkeys weighing 145 lbs.

The home of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye was the scene of a quiet home wedding last Friday when their only daughter Miss Orpha, married Mr. Elba Benjamin, of South Madison.

### **Concord**

Dec. 24 was a gathering at the Home of Cecil Pomeroy's, it being the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary, of his marriage to Hila A. Bradley. Present were:

#### **Of Thompson:**

Pomeroy, Mr. O. P.

Pomeroy, Mr. & Mrs. Orando

Hurlburt, Mr. & Mrs. Edgar

Pomeroy, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph

Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph

Pomeroy, Mr. & Mrs. Jessie

Smith, F. E.

#### **Of Chardon:**

Bradley, W. E.

Stevens, Mrs. A. C.

#### **Of Thompson:**

Gee, Mr. B. F.

#### **Of Montville:**

Bradley, Mr. & Mrs. J. H.

Bradley, Sadie

#### **Of Cleveland:**

Shepherd, Mrs. D. S.

### **Madison**

Miss Jenny Upton was at home from Fairport for the holiday.

Miss Elva Pettis entertained a number of Cleveland friends.

Mr. Cyrus Martin was home from Illinois last week for a short vacation.

Born, in Madison, Dec. 29, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Will Waters.

Born, in Madison, Dec. 24, a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. John Everts.

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Dr. & Mrs. Greenlee, of Cleveland, were holiday guests at the Pershing homestead.

Dr. & Mrs. J. V. Winans entertained Mr. & Mrs. E. Henry and child on Christmas.

Mr. Philo Smith was a Christmas visitor in Conneaut and Mr. Alanson Bailey in New Philadelphia.

Miss Berta McKirn entertained her friends very pleasantly at her home on East Main last Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Francis Hearn, of Youngstown, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Miner on Middle Ridge, recently.

## Little Mountain

On Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> S. Reynolds visited Reuben P. Harmon, who had his 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday. The children of William Reynolds planned a surprise party for him and his wife on New Year's Eve as it being the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their marriage. Their neighbors, Rilbourn F. Way and wife were invited to join the party.

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### p. 1 In Common Pleas Court

Judge Canfield decided the Towell divorce case Wed. by granting plaintiff, Ruth E. Towell a divorce and ordering an equal distribution of property.

## Court House Items

### Real Estate Transfers

#### Painesville Township

Saari, Alex  
Merrill, Samuel J.  
Hungerford, Levi W.  
Fisher, Geo. M.  
Hayward, D. D.  
Lynch, Michael  
Lynch, Margaret

#### Painesville Village Lands

Severance, John H.  
Downs, James B.  
Downs, S. L.  
Severance, Lizzie R.  
Downs, James B.

Downs, S. L.  
Morse, George  
**Mentor Township**  
Hopkins, Julius W.  
McCormick, Chas. W.  
Hopkins, Julius W.  
Dickey, Edward J.  
Rumsey, Albert R.  
Odell, Arthur  
Rumsey, Maryette  
Upton, Alvah  
Downing, Myron  
Dickey, Edward J.  
McCormick, Chas D.  
Dickey, Edward J.  
Smith, Irene Mary

### Mentor Special School District

Rexford, Harriet, L.  
Rexford, Frank J.  
Rexford, Wm. J.

### Mentor Village

Cudney, James W.  
Norton, Mary E.

### Perry

Davis, James W.  
Chapman, Geo. W.  
Chapman, Fred J.  
Jones, Wm. G.  
Winter, Isabella C.

### Kirtland

Simmons, Wm.  
Simmons, Julia A.

### Probate Court

Dunn, Wm. – inquest of lunacy, adjudged insane and committed to infirmary  
Fitzpatrick, Martha – first account  
Burns, Margaret S. – guardianship; first account  
Hardy, Mary Ann – first and final account  
Hotchkiss, Eliza Ann – final account approved  
Bunnell, Ann – first and final account  
Dunsha, Mary A. – first account  
Foote, Caroline – first and final account  
Squires, Caroline G. – first and final account  
Prentice, Charles A. - first account  
Wilson, Elizabeth – first account  
Parker, Harmon – final account  
Buys, Margaret – final account

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Bixby, Clarence B. – final and only account  
Smith, Ward Earl – first and final account  
Balch, Mary – final distribution filed  
Averill, John W. – second account  
Murphy, James – first and final account  
Bietzel, Evlyn – inventory and appraisal  
Clague, John R. – final distribution  
Paige Mfg. Co. – order of private sale issued  
Manchester, Orsemus – inventory and appraisal  
Frances, John C. – second account  
Searls, Grandison – petition filed to sell real estate  
Searls, Chas. W. - petition filed to sell real estate  
Bixby, Ida M. – first and final account  
Paine, Edward L. – second account filed  
Callender, John E. – order and report for private sale  
Huntoon, Harriet – cause continued  
Dexter, Mary A. – second account  
Davis, Wm. A. – first and final account  
Davis, Wm. A. – Will filed for probate  
Griswold, Wm. – cause continued  
Gilmore, Lucy - order of appraisement issued

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Mary F. Elton vs Osborne J. Elton; divorce, alimony and custody of child; gross neglect and extreme cruelty.  
E. D. Keener vs Henry L. Aumick; to marshal liens and equitable relief

### **Perry**

Mr. & Mrs. Irving Stephenson spent New Year's Day with relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech left for Newark, Thursday morning.

Raymond Jewell, a young son of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Jewell, has had quite a serious attack of pneumonia the past week, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watts, of Geneva, are in town for few days.

The burial of Mr. W. A. Davis, an old and much respected citizen, will take place Tuesday under the management of the G.A.R., of which he was a member.

Mr. Ernest Trisket and his bride have commenced housekeeping in W. A. Wheeler's house.

Tom Wyman spent Sat. with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Burleigh will be glad to learn of the improvement in her condition.

Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Ensign entertained the Circle at their home on Safford street, Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucy Strong entertained the Women's Missionary society of the C. C. Church.

Mrs. Horace Allen received news of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Myra Talcott, and only two weeks later of her sister, Mrs. Davis, in Iowa.

Mr. James Schafrer stopped overnight with the family of Mr. O. F. Loveridge, on his way from Buffalo, where he had been called to attend his father's funeral.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will hold a social at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Hickok, Safford street, Jan. 14.

Mrs. Thomas Patrick died very suddenly at her home in Saybrook, it is supposed of diphtheria, last Friday. Mrs. Patrick formerly lived in Madison at the National Home and leaves many friends to mourn her untimely death.

Married: At the home of the bride in North Madison, Jan. 5, Mr. Kent Hackley and Miss Alice Murphy.

Married: At the home of bride, in North Madison, Jan. 1, Mr. Will Roff, of Ashtabula, to Miss May Patchin.

### **Concord**

Mrs. Blanchard has returned to Concord for the winter.

The funeral of Mrs. George Baker occurred Jan. 11, at her home on the Plank road.

Mr. & Mrs. G. O. Beede are again in Concord after spending the holiday in Jefferson.

The deed of the Orson Wilson property was placed in the hands of the trustees of the churches of Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>, and M. E. church now has a home for its minister.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Corlett entertained all their children and grandchildren on New Year's Day.

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**West Mentor**

Miss Helen Ingersoll was at home during the Holidays, but has returned to her school in Cleveland.

Mrs. Emily Corning Worcester and two little boys, Nelson, and Mills, have been spending a week at the Corning homestead.

Harry Garfield and family have returned to their Cleveland home for the winter, and Mrs. Lucretia R. Garfield spent the Holidays with them.

Mrs. Thomas Morley lies dangerously ill from pneumonia, at their home "Maple Hill Farm." Mr. Will Morley was called home Sat. night on account of his mother's illness.

Mrs. Edmund Cadle has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Abbey, of Elyria, and she also has a niece from Colorado, who is spending the winter among us.

Mrs. Lillian Hopkins, of Geneva, came to the old homestead recently, for a short visit, was taken ill and has been removed to the home of her son in the city.

Mrs. Emery Harrington and daughter, Mattie, were among the few from Mentor, who attended the wedding of Miss Carrie Cleveland in Grace Church recently and the reception afterwards at the Stillman.

Mrs. C. Johnson and Miss Alda Hart are visiting her cousin, Emma Manley Rose, in Illinois. Mrs. Johnson was accompanied by her husband's little daughter, and her own little adopted daughter, Hazel.

Miss Jenny Munson has been visiting her sister in Elmwood, Ill., and other relatives there recently.

Mr. Phillips went home to Pittsburgh with his daughter Mrs. Page, where he expects to end his days. The home at the center known as the "Bradley Place" will be for rent in the spring.

Mrs. Bradway, the wife of our Lake Shore ticket agent, visited relatives in Pa. recently. Mrs. Henry Johnson has been in Akron on the same pleasant errand.

Bert Perry and family of the Plains have moved into the west half of the Frank Presley house, known to your readers as the Nathan Corning

homestead. Mrs. Perry is kept very busy at her trade of dressmaking.

The Robert Murray homestead passed into the hands of Will Murray recently.

Senator James R. Garfield has returned to his duties at Columbus while his wife and children are at Mrs. Newell's in Chicago. Their home here, "Holly Croft" is cared for by trusty servants.

A dime social was held a few days ago at "Echo Hill Farm," the home of Mr. & Mrs. N. C. Frost at which some 80 persons were present and a very fine supper served.

**p. 3 Local Brevities**

The Willoughby *Enterprise* made its bow to the public last week. It is edited and published by Charles F. Overacker, formerly of Kingsville, Ohio.

Cleveland papers announce the death of Mrs. Rickoff, wife of Andrew J. Rickoff, for many years, superintendent of the Cleveland, schools. Mrs. Rickoff died of malarial fever in New York City, Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>.

Dyke Hawley has been drafted by the Cincinnati baseball team.

O. A. Bartlett, of LeRoy, made a shipment of fine English Berkshire hogs last week, sending five head to Kentucky, two to Indiana, and one to Pa.

Miss Ada Button entertained friends from Cleveland Sunday.

Mrs. Whitlaw and daughter, Miss Whitlaw, returned to Paris, Ont., Tuesday.

Prof. & Mrs. M. W. Cobb, of Burton, are visiting Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Clapp, Mentor Ave.

Mr. & Mrs. Jay Murray, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with Mrs. Harry Collacott, of State street.

Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Foster, who have spent a week with East Painesville relatives, returned to Cleveland Sat.

Mrs. Elmer E. Kintner, who has been critically ill for a few days, is gaining.

Mr. E. H. Johnson, of Marion, Ind., accompanied his daughter back to the Seminary.

Mrs. Alfred Jayne and Miss Blanche Jordan left Monday morning for Columbus to visit the family of Prof. Sidney A. Norton.

Mrs. Theodore Curtis, of 529 Liberty street, is seriously ill.

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Mrs. W. C. Anderson returned from Blairsville, Pa., on Sat. She was accompanied home by Mrs. J. M. Gallaher and Miss Virginia Gallaher, who are guests at The Parmlly.

Mr. Vaughn E. Wyman, who joined the Painesville delegation to Columbus on Monday will attend the banquet of the Ohio Society, S. A. R., at the Chittenden Tuesday.

Mr. E. B. Wilhoit has been appointed night yard master on the C.C.C. & St. L. R.R. with headquarters at Bloomington, Ill.

Mrs. H. B. Green, of Erie street, is critically ill from bronchitis.

Gen. & Mrs. J. S. Casement, Mrs. D. T. Casement and son, Dan, left Wed. for New York where they will sail for Costa Rica. Mr. Gray Casement preceded the party a few days, going by the way of New Orleans.

Mr. & Mrs. James M. Young left for New York, Tuesday to be the guests of Mr. Frank M. Tinkham and Mr. & Mrs. Fred. B. Tinkham. Mr. Young and the Messrs. Tinkham are associated with the firm of S. A. Cook & Co.

### Royal Arcanum

Officers elected for the new year:

Mosher, H. M.

King, S. R.

Moodey, F. C.

Sanford, H. P.

Smart, E. C.

Frank, C. H.

Avery, F. B.

Thompson, S. L.

Turney, G. B.

Johnson, H. C.

Alexander, J. W.

Coe, H. H.

Carnegie, C. J.

Sanford, H. P.

Root, Dr. E. B.

Hon. Aaron Pardee, probably the oldest practicing attorney in the United States, died at his home in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Sunday, after a short illness. He was 90 yrs. old, and for 80 years had lived in Wadsworth.

### Death of Mrs. Sally Baker

Mrs. Sally Baker, widow of the late George F. Baker, died at her home on the old plank road, in Concord, Sat. night after an illness of five weeks. She was a daughter of the late Capt. Scribner Huntoon and was one of the few remaining pioneers of Concord township where her whole life was spent. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. Sidney Weed and Mrs. Bradley Williams, of LeRoy; and Mrs. Jenkins, of Willoughby; and two sons—Herbert and Carlos Baker, who still reside on the old homestead in the Huntoon Settlement in Concord. Mrs. Baker was 77 yrs. of age.

### Death of Alexander King

The death of Alexander King occurred at his home on South State street Wed. If he had lived until March, Mr. King would have been an octogenarian. He was born in Madison Co., N.Y. He lived for many years in Sheridan, N.Y., where he was in business. His subsequent homes were in Cherry Valley and Ashtabula, coming from the latter place to Painesville 33 yrs. ago to take charge of the fence factory, which was then just starting. His remains will be taken to Andover where his beloved wife was buried a few months ago. Six children survive him: Mr. George King, Mr. O. S. King, Mr. F. F. King, Mr. Henry King, Mrs. Chalfant and Mrs. Woolson.

### Hampden

Tom Kilcawley and George Salkeld, of Perry were in town recently.

Miss Lura Chamberlin is in Chardon for a short stay.

Claude White left town Monday for Kane, Pa., to work in a glass factory.

The funeral of Mrs. Nelson Searls was held in the M. E. Church Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>.

Miss Allie Shattuck is sick with erysipelas.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Shaw, of Montville, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. E. L. Williams last Wed.

Mrs. A. Worthington has gone to spend the winter with her son, F. D. Worthington, of Troy.

Miss Lizzie Kennedy was married Christmas to a gentleman in Niles.

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Mr. C. L. Stebbins and Mrs. Emma Treat were guests at Mr. A. G. White's Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. Alvord, of Montville, were in town Friday.

The ladies of the Baptist Church of Chardon, met with Mrs. Warren Ballard, Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>, and quilted a quilt for the society.

### **Two Deaths Among the Aged**

#### **Mrs. A. D. Wilcox**

The death of Mrs. A. D. Wilcox occurred at the home of her niece, Mrs. Gail G. Grant, Monday. She died of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Wilcox was born in Chester, Mass. 76 yrs. ago. She was among the early settlers of Geneva, O., and the greater part of her life was spent there. Her husband died there over 20 yrs. ago. Mrs. Grant went to live with her aunt when a young girl and at her marriage she brought Mrs. Wilcox to her home in Painesville. Interment will be in Geneva by the side of her husband, father and mother.

#### **Mrs. Elmina S. Underwood**

Mrs. Elmina S. Underwood died at their home, corner of Wood and South streets, Sat. Mrs. Underwood was nearly 83 yrs. old. She leaves five sons.

#### **William Avery Davis**

William A. Davis bought the Pleasant's farm on the South Ridge in Perry in 1857 and moved there with his wife and three little girls and a baby boy. In 1860, the two elder girls and the little boy died of diphtheria. When the war broke out Mr. Davis enlisted in the 171<sup>st</sup> Regt. O.N.G. while his wife devoted herself to the cause of The Soldiers' Aid Society. He was one of the early promoters of the Lake Co. Pioneer Assoc. Mrs. Davis had been Miss Sarah Williams and they were married in 1843. She died in 1889. At the time of their marriage, he was living in LeRoy having come from his native place of Parkman, some years before and learned the tanner and currier trade with the late Henry Paine with whom he later entered into

partnership. In 1891, he married Mrs. Elsi Dodge who cared for him in his advancing infirmities. For the last year, he has been cared for by his sole remaining child, Mrs. Dr. F. H. Todd and her husband, until his death Dec. 29. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Cavilee, of Missouri; Mrs. Wilson, of Concord; and one brother, Spalding Davis, of California.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of Jan. 12:

#### **Ladies**

Baldwin, Miss Rose  
Chaloupka, Miss Josie  
River, Miss Mary

#### **Gentlemen**

Coville, Chas.  
Griffeth, Mr. Harley  
Johnson, P.  
Johston, William  
Latamer, Guy  
Reed, I. S.  
Seborn, F. E.  
Springs, Art  
Whitney, E.

#### **p. 4 South Thompson**

Will Brakeman is on the sick list.

Geo. Fales, of Shelby, made his parents a flying visit Sat.

Mrs. John Parker died Tuesday, the funeral was held in Windsor Thursday.

Mr. Tom Hatcher, of Chester, visited at Mr. Fales last week.

Vassar Morton, of Footville, is visiting his uncle, W. D. Sutherland.

Mrs. Brakeman, of Trumbull is visiting her son, Will Brakeman, a few weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Hills will visit friends in Chester and Mayfield this week.

We received the sad news that Tommy Patrick's wife died of diphtheria last Friday. Their home is in Williamsfield but they were visiting relatives in Saybrook from which place she was taken suddenly ill and died. Mr. Patrick's former home was in this place.

Paul Stetson worked in Huntsburg last week hauling bass wood from that place to Burton Station.

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Mrs. Alice Proctor was called to East Montville last Sat. to help care for her sister, Mrs. Coe, who is dangerously sick.

Collins Morse and family, of LeRoy visited relatives of this place Sat.

Mr. & Mrs. H. F. Pitkin have gone to Chicago. Mr. Pitkin has gone for medical treatment.

### **Thompson**

Miss Clara Van Gorder is entertaining her aunt, Miss Anna Craine, of North Madison.

Miss Grover, of the Dock road, North Madison, is the guest of Miss Sylvia Murphy.

Miss Margaret Radcliffe returned from Chardon last Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. M. Balch, of North East LeRoy, were guests of Thompson relatives last Wed.

Mr. & Mrs. O. Jewell returned last Wed. from their New Year trip to Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. E. G. Blakeslee called upon friends in the east part of town last Wed.

Mr. Harmon Bower, of West Trumbull, has purchased a new piano for his daughter, Ida.

Mr. L. J. Bliss our former townsman, who several months ago engaged in the plumbing business at Ashtabula, has removed to Trumbull.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Gill, who for several years have operated the Henry Hulbert farm, are removing to Madison Township.

Mesdames A. M. Stocking, Lucinda Shepard, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Scott, and Mr. James Johnson were called to Painesville last week on business.

Hon. E. J. Clapp were called to Orwell last Friday by the death and burial of his mother.

Miss Clara Hausch has returned to Chardon school and Miss Inez Hausch to Footville school.

Miss Sarah Quayle, who is attending Chardon school, spent the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle.

Mrs. J. C. Scott has a lemon tree which is loaded with lemons.

Mr. & Mrs. Jenks are happy over the arrival of a son, during the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Loomis have a son born Jan. 6.

The three children of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener are afflicted with chicken pox.

Miss May Bartlett, of East LeRoy, is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Mr. G. T. Ransom is recovering from a three-week siege of la grippe.

Mrs. E. S. Stevens is in very poor health, her mother, Mrs. Morrow, of Hartsgrrove, is staying with her.

Dr. Morrison, of Rock Creek, was in town last Thursday.

Mrs. A. Stocking and sons, of Cleveland, who with her sisters, enjoyed the family Christmas tree at the home of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch, and the New Year gathering at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Frisbie, of South Madison, returned to their home last Saturday.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Robt. Murray has gone to California where she will spend the winter. She accompanied Mrs. Kate Sanborn home.

Mrs. Abram Rexford is visiting with her mother in New London, Ohio.

Mr. Will Green, of Akron, and Mr. Fred Green of Warren, visited relatives in town last week.

Mrs. Thos. Morley is listed with those who are seriously sick at present.

Miss Lizzie Craig has been visiting friends in Glenville.

Mrs. A. H. Mead, of the city, is in town under medical care.

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### **p. 1 Death of John Warren**

Mr. John Warren of South Mentor, died very suddenly on Monday. He had only been confined to the house a day. Appendicitis is supposed to the cause. He was 77 yrs. old and leaves a wife, four sons and two daughters.

### **Miss Clayton Married**

George H. Munn and Ellen Louise Clayton were married at the home of the bride's parents in the Minerva Flats, Otta Boulevard, Dec. 30 by Rev. Francis Allen Gould, of the Warsaw, Ill. Episcopal Church, cousin of Mrs. A. G. Clayton. The bride wore a gown of white lom de gras silk en train trimmed with a profusion of mousseline de soi and

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heavy white satin ribbons. She wore a necklace of pearls, the gift of a groom. She was attended by her brother, W. H. Clayton. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. A. G. Clayton. George H. Munn, the groom, is one of Chicago Heights, most substantial business men. *Chicago Heights Signal*

### **In Memory of Alexander King**

The funeral of Alexander King was held from his late residence on State street, last Friday. Mr. King was born March 12, 1818, in Sheridan, Madison Co., N.Y., and came of Connecticut stock. He was married in 1841 to Miss Fanny L. Francesco. He moved to Ohio, with his wife, while yet a young man. When in Ashtabula Co., he became with others of his neighbors an ardent anti-slavery man, and it was he who concealed the pikes and guns sent from that section to old John Brown, for the use at Harper's Ferry. He was one of the promoters of the Painesville Fence Factory, and interested in many useful patents. His wife died a few weeks before him. Six of the seven children they raised survive them: Mrs. C. H. Chalfant and O.S. King, of this city; Frank F. King of Cleveland; G. H. King of Jackson, Tenn.; Henry A. King and Mrs. A. F. Woolson, of Philadelphia.

### **Ashtabula Items**

Capt. W. C. Richardson, of Cleveland, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Tracy H. Paine, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Fitch and daughter Miss Alta, of Jefferson and W. B. Philpot, of Cleveland, were guests of Attorney and Mrs. Winchester Fitch, over Sunday. *Beacon*

### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Village**

Lee, Daniel

Kneale, O. W.

#### **Fairport Lots**

Moodey, Robert C.

Foster, Alice C.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Stewart, Alexander J.

Scott, C. J.

Shepard, W. L.

Shepard, Earl D.

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Frank Henry as adm. of Leonard Henry, deceased vs The Pa. & Lake Erie Doc Co.; money only

### **Probate Court**

King, Alexander – will filed for probate

Griswold Wm. – cause continued

Huntoon, Harriet – order of appraisal issued

Gilmore, Lucy – order of appraisal issued

Henry, Leonard – Frank Henry appointed adm.

Church, Marcia – Clark H. Nye appointed adm.

Waite, Mary A. – inquest of lunacy, adjudged insane and committed to State asylum

Buys, Margaret – final distribution filed

Underwood, Elmina S. – will admitted to probate

Paige Mfg. Co. – order of re-appraisal

Davis, Wm. A. – will admitted to probate

Rush, Robert H. – marriage license

Carrell, Eva M. – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

Justina C. Fenton vs. John C. H. Vance; money and equitable

State and Geo. M. Cranston vs Wallace L. Baker,

A. G. Reynolds, E. D. Heartwell

### **Grand Jury**

Marshall, T. H.

Northcroft, Thomas

Hungerford, J. W.

Chapman, Joseph

Snell, Alva

Moffett, C. C.

Osborn, F. M.

Waite, G. W.

Nolan, O. E.

DeForest, C. H.

St. John, H. G.

Vrooman, J. B.

Northard, W.

Parks, F. J.

Young, H. H.



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### **Petit Jury**

Dawson, Henry C  
Pratt, Frank P.  
Powers, R. L  
Knight, Louis  
White, E. L  
Vroman, H. C.  
Reynolds, Lewis  
Sawyer, Joseph  
Fitch, E. M.  
Ostrander, L. J.  
Sunderland, L. A.  
Salkeld, Frank  
Mixer, W. F.  
Ernst, M. J.  
Randall, Henry J.  
Stocking C. W.  
Marshall, Nelson  
McGwinn, Jerry  
Tear, Wm.  
Slocum, W. B.

### **Death of George W. Allen**

News has been received here of the death of George W. Allen, a pioneer merchant of Painesville, which occurred at his home in Grand Rapids, Mich., Wed. Mr. Allen went from this place to Grand Rapids in 1853. He was the first Vice Pres. of the Grand Rapids Savings Bank and succeeded to the presidency on the retirement of A. X. Cary. He died from a stroke of paralysis, which he suffered about four years ago. He leaves a widow and five children—Mrs. D. L. Keeler, George R., Stanley N., Arthur K. and Henry G. Allen. All are Grand Rapids residents except the last named, who is a resident of New York City.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Dan Carr has been helping at the water works plant for several days.

James Eddy, of Concord, was at work several days last week on the Snell farm.

Androus Brooks, 82 yrs. of age, is about again recovered from a sprained ankle.

Mrs. H. V. Hanson and Mrs. W. G. Kelley, of the Plains, were calling on friends here Wed.

We have received the sad news of the death of Mrs. Burr Brooks, of Kirtland.

The cribs that were sunk in the lake last spring by the commissioners to form a beach to save the county road were a success, and a wide beach was formed last fall.

*The Willoughby Enterprise*, Charles F. Overacker's new paper, has been received. He possesses sufficient ability and energy to win the people of Willoughby and vicinity.

### **The Fullerton-Carson Wedding**

Miss Anna Bonnell Carson and Mr. George J. Fullerton were married in the parlors of the Great Northern Hotel, of Chicago. The bride is the beautiful daughter of Mrs. A. M. Carson, of this city. The ring service was used. The bride wore a wedding gown of navy blue tulle, embellished with point lace, orange velvet, fur and jewel trimmings. The bridal pair left for an extended wedding tour through the Southern States and Mexico. They will live in Minneapolis.

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Glenn Hitt, a former Painesville boy, is now in business at Highland Lake, Col.

The Robison Basket Factory began Monday to move its plant from Willoughby to Painesville.

Mrs. Post, wife of Commissioner John E. Post, died Thursday, age 58 yrs.

M. D. Loveless, a pioneer liveryman, of Warren, died Sat. of Bright's disease. He was 67 yrs. old.

Edward H. Fitch, of Jefferson, son of the late Attorney Fitch, has a position with the Standard Oil Co., of Cleveland.

Martin and Wade Adams bought the 27-acre farm in Concord sold at public sale Sat. by Geo. A. Bates, adm. of the estate of Horace Stebbins, deceased.

An officer of the Reformatory at Mansfield came to Painesville Sat. to get John Mullo, who was convicted at the last term of court of cutting with intent to wound and sentenced to an indefinite length of time to the Reformatory.

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Mr. & Mrs. Bert H. Rogers have secured rooms at the B. H. Woodman place on State street where they are pleasantly domiciled.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Briton, of Erie street, left Sat. for Atlanta where they will spend the remainder of the winter with their son.

Mr. Alfred Henry Lewis, the Washington correspondent of the New York Journal, is renewing acquaintances he had here in 1873 when he left for Kansas City. Mr. Lewis is the son of Mr. L. G. Lewis, of Concord, the builder of the present Methodist Church of Painesville.

Mr. Samuel P. Hathaway has been quite seriously ill for the past week but is reported better today.

Rev. Jay C. Hathaway, who has been detained here by the illness of his father, returned to Canton today.

Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Anderson, Mrs. J. M. Gallaher and Miss Virginia Gallaher went to Elyria Tuesday for a trolley ride.

Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Shattuck have returned to their home on Bank street after a month in Wellston, O.

Mr. Walter S. Riker returned to his place of business on Monday after an absence to three weeks due to illness.

Mrs. Laura Hartwell and daughter have gone to Clinton, Tenn., to spend the remainder of the winter with Mrs. W. A. Hughes.

Mrs. T. L. Perine visited her sister, Mrs. Beardsley, in Cleveland, Monday.

Mr. Harry H. Heile, of Erie, Pa. spent Sunday with his cousin, Mr. J. Wylie Powers.

Mr. Robert Casler, of Perry, arrived home from Boston Sunday, having spent two months there with his sister, Mrs. French.

Mr. G. C. St. John, of New York City, has been called to Painesville by a case now pending in court. Mr. St. John was formerly a resident of this county.

Mrs. Mary R. Croswell is the guest for a few days of Mrs. W. G. Hawkins, N. St. Clair street. Her home is in Chicago.

Miss J. Blanch Wolff left last week to resume her studies at St. Xavier's, Beatty, Pa.

The friends of Mrs. Ellen L. Hoag will regret to hear that she is critically ill at her sister's, in McMinnville, Tenn. Miss Hoag is with her.

Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Williams, of Gustavus, O., and Mrs. Susan Atkins, of Cleveland, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. F. T. Pyle, Liberty street, Sunday.

Miss Grace Stone, of Mentor Ave., was given a surprise party last evening. There were about 35 friends present.

Dr. T. H. Armstrong, of West Farmington, was the guest of Mr. Harley Barnes Friday evening. He has a brother, who is a prominent member of the House and other friends in the State Legislature.

### **Felix Jones Case Continued**

The embezzlement cases against Felix Jones, the Willoughby barber, instituted by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hornby, were set for hearing this morning but were continued by request of the prosecuting attorney.

### **A Sad Affair**

A tragedy was enacted in the home of Mr. Smith Coolidge on the Narrows Road in Perry Tuesday morning. At half-past four o'clock his wife left her bedroom and two hours later was found in her kitchen dead. A rope suspended from a rafter above and fastened about her throat was the means. She had been troubled with insomnia for some time so nothing was thought of her leaving her bed at that early hour. Their adopted son, a little boy of five, found her in the morning. He ran back and told his father. Long continued illness is undoubtedly the cause of this sad event. She has been quite an invalid for six years. Mrs. Coolidge was Miss Alice Baker, sister of Mrs. Charles L. Paul, who formerly resided here. She was married to Mr. Smith Coolidge in 1887. Besides an adopted son, they have one daughter, a child of 18 months. Mrs. Coolidge was 39 yrs. of age.

Officer A. T. May went to Fairport Tuesday morning and arrested John J. Spiwok on a warrant charging him with selling adulterated whisky.

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### **Court House items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Slingerland, Joseph R.

Arnold, Chas. W.

##### **Madison Village**

Cady, S. E.

Ingersoll, F. S.

##### **Perry**

Haines, Lester S.

Fowler, Frank

##### **Concord**

Nye, Henry C.

Kinkalaar, Johanna

##### **Painesville Township**

Caskey, Alexander C.

Button, Albert

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Kirby, Henry

##### **Kirtland**

Hoose, Geo. H.

Hoose, Warren L.

##### **Mentor Township**

Baton, G. W.

Harrison, J. J.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Harrison, W. H.

Harrison, Alfred S.

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Burns, Patrick – petition to sell real estate

Skiff, Charlotte E. – petition to sell real estate

Hill, John – application for citation to file account

Humphrey, James O. – final account

Thomas, Julia L. – application for appointment of guardian

Hoose, Cornelius – order of private sale issued

Baker, Phoebe G. – will filed for probate

Griswold Wm. – cause continued

Underwood, Elmina S. – S. J. Jackson appointed adm.

Harrison, Alfred S. – marriage license

Lilley, Berible B. – marriage license

### **Obituary - Sophia Jane Orcutt**

Sophia J. Armstrong was born June 2, 1829, in Perry, O., and died Dec. 13, 1897, having spent her whole life with the exception of a few years after her marriage to Alonzo Orcutt when they lived in Hampden, in her native township and neighborhood. She was the daughter of Milton and Lura Armstrong. Her mother was one of five, who formed the Methodist Church in Painesville. She was married to Alonzo D. Orcutt, Jan. 3, 1849, who died nine years before her. She had two sons, Edward M. and George W.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. A. L. Barton, of Chardon, is visiting at Mr. Henry Fahnstock's.

### **North Perry**

Mr. & Mrs. Will Child have a baby girl born Wed., Jan. 5.

Miss Gertrude Sweet was the guest of Miss Ida Hoose a few days last week.

Mrs. Casler returned from Boston, Mass. on Sunday.

Chas. Sinclair and Arthur Fairchild were home over Sunday.

Mrs. Few is spending a few days in Painesville.

Mrs. Allie Shook, who has been confined to the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Chase, since Xmas with la grippe, returned to Madison this week.

Mr. Geo. Little is erecting a new house on Maple avenue.

Mr. Harley should have his house ready to occupy on April 1.

Mrs. Butterfield is able to be around the house after being ill for three weeks.

Mr. Nelson Makepeace returned from a visit of three weeks in Willoughby.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Culp has been entertaining a friend from Mantua the past week.

Mrs. Luse, formerly a photographer of our city, died at her home in Geneva, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Wm. Ford has been quite ill.

Mr. F. S. Ingersoll, the hardware dealer, is building a commodious dwelling house on River street.

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P. F. Hardy, of North Madison, died on Friday from a paralytic stroke received on Tuesday before. The body was taken to North East, Pa., for burial. He leaves a wife, a son Mr. Albert Hardy, and a daughter, Mrs. Chas. Southwick.

The funeral of D. A. Strong, of Milwaukee, was attended from Mr. John Blair's on Wed. The deceased was formerly a citizen of Madison and leaves a wife and two daughters. Mrs. David Strong, Mr. & Mrs. John Strong, of Ashtabula; Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Strong, of Geneva, and Mr. & Mrs. Webb Strong, of Cleveland, were present at the funeral.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 19:

### Ladies

Lynch, Mrs. John  
Schmerder, Miss Flora  
Wilcox, May

### Gentlemen

Alexander, C. T.  
Bayer, N. P.  
Bonne, Chas. A.  
Carpenter, M. W.  
Jones, Henry P.  
Jones P.  
Simmons, K.

### Kirtland

Mr. D. Sanborn is quite sick.

Cassius Kelly and family have returned from New York to Kirtland.

Mrs. George Markell has just received a visit from her brother of Salamanca, N.Y.

Mrs. Martha Chapman has been suffering from an affliction of the facial nerves.

Mrs. Sarah Brooks, wife of Burr Brooks died after an illness of a few hours on the 8<sup>th</sup>. She had been a resident of Kirtland about 30 yrs.

### Perry

Mrs. William Ray has returned from a visit to her aged parents at Jefferson.

Mr. & Mrs. M. D. Presten spent Sunday at Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Orcutt visited Rev. G. W. Orcutt and family at Warrensville.

Rev. Ira Durfee and family who have been visiting for two weeks returned to their home in New Castle, Pa.

Miss Sadie Langshaw returned Sat. from a pleasant visit with friends at Cleveland.

Mrs. Julia Butterfield is recovering from a severe and lengthily attack of asthma.

Mr. Harry Carter, who is spending the winter with his daughter in Ashtabula, was visiting in town last week.

Frank Lapham, of Black Brook, was in town on Wed.

Prof. Truman Hurlbert, who spent the holidays with his parents, has returned to his music class at Akron.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Shepard arrived from Seattle, Wash., Monday evening

Harry Joiner entertained 26 of his little friends at his home on Sat.

Clarence Stinchcomb has a severe attack of congestion of the lungs.

Mr. William Huddy, of St. Katherines, Canada, arrived in town Tuesday, where he will remain for some time with his daughter, Mrs. Julia Lapham.

Mrs. William Northard, of LeRoy, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Northard.

Mr. McLeod has been suffering the past week with quinsy.

Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery, who have spent the last two months with their children in Cleveland and Geneva, are again at the Cowdery homestead.

It is rumored that the land owned by Mr. George Watts, known as the Charles Thompson farm, will soon be laid out into village lots and put on the market.

### Probate Court

Birge, C. W. – guardian of Kate Birge, first account

Hall, Harvey H. – guardian of George Elliott, second account

Treat, William B. – trustee of Eugene H. Carroll, first and final account

Hayden, Eliza W. – executrix of J. B. Hayden, deceased; first and final account

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Yaxley, Wm. H. – executor of Richard Yaxley; final account

Yaxley Oscar E. – executor of Richard Yaxley; final account

Williams, Alexander – guardian of John C. Frances; second account

Barnes, Harley – adm. of Edward L. Paine; second account

Upton, Alvah – adm. of Ida M. Bixby, first and final account

Lapham, Henry L. – executor of Mary A. Dexter; second account

Rowland, J. W. – guardian of William A. Davis; first and final account

Smart, Samuel W. – executor of James O. Humphrey; final account

### p. 4 Thompson

Mr. C. Oviatt is visiting friends at Kent.

Mr. Fred Wilber returned last week from a trip to the city.

Miss Bessie Mathew has been confined to the house by a severe cold.

Mr. Burton Keener returned to Cleveland after two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. E. S. Stevens is not improving as rapidly as could be wished.

Mrs. W. A. Basquin has returned from Chardon much improved in health.

M. J. L. Smith is now operating a stove factory in connection with his saw mill.

Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester, of East LeRoy, have a baby boy.

Miss Rosa Knecht, of Cleveland, spent the past week with Mrs. Gottlieb Keener and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Scott and son, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. George Scott, of Calm.

Mrs. E. Bower and Mrs. W. J. Foote were guests last Friday of Mr. & Mrs. E. Down, of Painesville.

Mrs. Errett Bower, and daughter, Pearl, and Mr. John Leslie, of Trumbull, were guests last Friday of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Mr. Geo. Bingham returned last week from a visit with Cleveland relatives. He was accompanied by his niece, Miss Jessie Magnum.

The young lady will spend the winter with the family of her uncle.

### Mentor

Mrs. Fred Parmelee and children, have returned from a visit in Titusville, Pa.

Mrs. A. R. Smith and daughter, Lottie, of Willoughby, visited in town last week.

A number of friends and neighbors of Mr. Sandburg gave them a kind of surprise party on Thursday.

Mrs. Seitz, of Cleveland, and Miss Anna Boughtenski, of Adrian, Pa., were the guests of their sister, Mrs. G. A. Dille for a few days last week.

The marriage of Miss Mable, the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Radcliffe, of Wasco, Oregon, has been announced. She used to live in this place.

Mrs. Wood, Carl Diosagi and wife, have removed to Cleveland.

The Progressive Euchre Club was entertained at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Bell on Jackson street.

It is with painful regret that we chronicle the death of Mrs. T. M. Morley on Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>. She died of pneumonia. She leaves a husband, two sons, and three daughters.

Correction: Miss Helen Cleveland was married and her sister Callie was her maid of honor.

### Geneva

Miss Mildred McBride is spending a few weeks in Cleveland.

Miss Lerria Carter is visiting in Cleveland the guest of Mrs. L. H. Webb.

Capt. L. B. Cummings, of the schooner Polynesia, is home for the winter.

Dr. Lena Hitchcock and Mrs. J. H. King were guests at the Medical College last week.

Mrs. Judge H. C. White, of Cleveland, is a guest of Mrs. S. S. Eggleston, of North Broadway.

A. J. Trunkey, a prominent young lawyer of this place, was admitted to practice in the U. S. Supreme Court.

Mrs. Ann Wilcox a former resident of this place died.

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Mr. P. W. Webster, of Cleveland, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Welthia Osborn, who is seriously ill. He is helping to care for her. She is at the home of her niece, Mrs. Leon H. Philips, on West Main street.

### Willoughby Plains

Mrs. E. N. Hyde is off on a business trip.

Mrs. Jennie French is at her father's, Mr. Sigsbey, who is quite sick.

Mrs. John Kelley does not improve as rapidly as her friends wish.

Mrs. Lucy Brown and Mrs. Willard Tyler are better.

Mr. & Mrs. Byron Richmond are both sick in bed and have been for some time.

Mr. J. C. Campbell went to Columbus to see Hanna elected and stopped with his daughter, Mrs. John Flickinger.

A new post office is at the east end of the Plains, called Salida kept by Mr. Pike, who will keep a stock of groceries.

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**p. 1** The Robison Basket Co. has been incorporated. Officers are J. T. Robison and F. R. White. It is probable the main office will be located in Willoughby and Mr. S. H. Smart has been urged to assume the duties of Sec. and Treas. The work of removing the plant from here to Painesville began last week. It is expected that from 15 to 20 million baskets will be turned out the first year.

### Thompson

B. G. Crandall has been on the sick list the past week.

C. G. Keener is seriously indisposed.

Charles Ford recently visited friends in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener were guests last week of Mr. & Mrs. Hassey Miller, of Montville.

Misses Ida and Pearl Bower, of Trumbull, were guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

Mrs. Harmon Bower, of Trumbull, will entertain the Missionary Soc., Feb. 3.

W. W. Hodges has opened his sugar camp.

Miss Martha Keener visited Trumbull relatives last week.

F. Atkin, of Harpersfield, transacted business in this place Friday.

Mr. B. G. Crandall entertained guests from out of town last week.

Frank Webster, who has spent several years in the "wild and woolly" West, has returned and is at present the guest of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Webster.

News has been received by friends at this place of the death at his home in Cleveland of Mr. Dickenson, a former resident of Thompson.

Mrs. Matilda Gilbreath is spending several weeks with Lake Co. friends.

Mr. J. L. Smith is operating a stave factory in connection with his sawmill.

Mr. W. C. VanGorder spent the past week with friends in North Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott spent two days last week with Mr. Scott's parents in Madison.

The local "checker club" comprised of Messrs., Frank Dewey, Austin Wilber, H. H. Gilbreath and M. L. Ernst spent last Friday at Montville showing them "how she is played" at Thompson.

### Madison

Mrs. Hayden has been visiting Madison friends.

Mrs. Wm. Ford is gaining.

Mrs. Brower, of Mason City, Iowa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Hill of North Madison.

F. S. Montgomery and family, of Geneva, have moved into the Geo. Woodworth house, on Safford street.

Will Ensign and family have moved into part of his mother's house.

Born Jan. 10, a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Smith, of North Eagle street.

Born Jan. 15 a son to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Berry, Middle Ridge.

**p. 2** Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Jan. 26:

### Ladies

Crandle, Mrs. Sarah

Curtiss, Miss Frances

Kirk, Miss Marcello Olga

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Payne, Mrs. J. R.

MacDonald, Miss Beatrice

Slaybaugh, Mrs. David

Van Nostrand, Miss Clara

### Gentlemen

Battersholl, H. A.

Balkesley, Dell

Hartshorn, James

Nakles, Albert

### p. 3 Local Brevities

George Kelsey was arrested Thursday on complaint of Nickel Plate Agent Fay for malicious destruction of property. A large thermometer was the property alleged to have been destroyed.

The total enrollment in the public schools of Conneaut is 954.

Most of the county officials at the Court House attended the funeral of Mrs. John E. Post Friday.

Northway is the name of the new post office established on the road between Ashtabula and Jefferson near the iron bridge.

The *Middlefield Messenger* says that their pail factory is not going to be moved to Chardon. But that is what Willoughby said about the basket factory.

Courtland, in Trumbull Co., has an epidemic in mumps. So far there has been 87 cases with no fatalities.

The Madison Wheel Co. is doing a thriving business. They have 60 men at work.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Conneaut Telephone Co. Wed., it was decided to extend the line west and meet the Ashtabula company's line.

Jerry Magargil has been off duty on his mail route due to a fall from his wheel which strained a tendon of his left leg.

Daniel and Chas. Owen, of Ashtabula, were summoned to Fairport Wed. by a message telling of the low condition of their mother.

Mr. Adam Schippacasse, the proprietor of the fruit and candy stand on Main street, has leased the house recently used for the Methodist parsonage and is moving his family there.

The body of Mrs. Stansell, widow of Mr. Dow Stansell, former resident of Chardon, passed through Friday for interment at Chardon. It was accompanied by her sons, Delos and Dwight.

Mr. B. D. Bartholomew has sold his interest in the Geneva Bed Spring factory to Mr. F. O. Potter, who will continue the business. Mr. Bartholomew will go on the road as a "knight of the grip."

President McKinley sent to the Senate on Friday the name of Charles W. Searles, ex-commissioner of Lake Co., for postmaster of Madison.

### Personals

Mr. A. P. Baldwin, of Cleveland, called on Painesville friends.

Mrs. E. J. Gray and son, of Concord, who have been ill with grip, are much better.

Mr. E. J. Dickey, treasurer of the Wade Park Banking Co., of Willoughby, was in town Monday.

Mr. Will. W. Morrison left Tuesday for New Castle, Pa., where he will spend the week in the interests of the Cleveland bicycle.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Powell Jones entertained the men of St. James vested choir at their home on Washington street Friday.

Mr. J. R. McKay, of Ashtabula, a brother of Mrs. J. R. McDonald, who formerly resided here, registered at The Parnly Sat.

Miss Bessie Thomas, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. John Thomas, of Prospect street left Tuesday for Warren, Pa., to accept a position as stenographer in a real estate office.

Mesdames S. R. King, R. C. Moodey, G. W. Alvord and Fannie Moodey, of Painesville were guests of Mrs. C. H. Greer and Mr. B. B. Seymour Friday. *Ashtabula Beacon*

Mr. Arthur Brush and Mr. George Brush were visitors in town Monday. Both are connected with the famous Brush Electric Co., of Cleveland. Mr. Arthur Brush married a graduate of Lake Erie Seminary.

B. B. Park returned from Detroit, Mich. Sat. He will still make his home in Painesville. He has been appointed to the position of city salesman in Cleveland by Parke, Davis & Co.

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Capt. Thomas Fitzpatrick and his daughter, Mrs. Cleveland, of Mentor, passed through town Tuesday. Mrs. Cleveland was on her way to New York City to visit her daughter and her father accompanied her as far as Buffalo.

Mr. W. G. Lotze and wife arrived from Denver Sat. They are on their way east where Mr. Lotze has accepted a position in the Y.M.C.A. work. They are guests of Mrs. Lotze's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Cone.

Ex-Sheriff S. D. Barber, of Madison, had the misfortune to have a chip strike his left eyeball and seriously impair his sight.

George A. Mitchell, a prominent Warren merchant, died Sat. from appendicitis.

### **Death of Mrs. W. E. Ferguson**

Mrs. Ferguson, wife of W. E. Ferguson, one of the trustees of Willoughby Township, died Monday very suddenly of heart trouble. Mrs. Ferguson was a sister of Mrs. W. E. Taylor, of Wickliffe, and a daughter of the late Marceus Warrallo, once a prominent citizen of Willoughby. The Ferguson home in Willoughby is on Euclid street. Mrs. Ferguson leaves two daughters and a son, besides her husband.

### **Obituary**

Mrs. Lucy Martindale Morley died Jan. 14, at Mentor, O., after a very severe illness of ten days. Mr. Morley was ill at the same time. Lucy Martindale was born Feb. 5, 1837, at Kirtland, O., the sixth child of Timothy Dwight Martindale and Harriet Gunn, both of whom emigrated to Kirtland from Mass. She attended Western Reserve Teachers' Seminary and afterward Mt. Holyoke Seminary. She entered Painesville Seminary the year it was opened, joining the senior class. However, in a few weeks she was called home by her father's death and was thus prevented for completing her studies. In 1863, she taught a school under the A.M.A. at Fortress Monroe, Va. She was married to Thos. M. Morley March 11, 1864. Of their six children the fifth, Mary, died two years and seven months before her.

### **Death of Mrs. John E. Post**

The death of Mrs. Post, wife of Capt. John E. Post, commissioner of Lake Co., occurred last week, Tuesday. Mrs. Post had been confined to the house for three weeks with a cold which aggravated her diabetes. She died of pneumonia. Margaret I. Allen was born in Painesville 58 yrs. ago last Feb. and this place has always been her home. Her father was a blacksmith. Her mother, a Miss Foote, was one of the earliest settlers, coming here from New York City in 1810. She married Capt. Post in the fall of 1858 and seven children were born to them, six of whom, three sons and three daughters survive their mother. All were at her bedside last night except Mary, who arrived from New York this morning, being summoned home as soon as her mother's case became alarming. In Mrs. Post's own family were three sisters, Mrs. B. O. Wilcox, Mrs. James Davis, and Mrs. Charles Gebeau. Only the last named now survives. Her brother died in New York several years ago.

The Geneva post office was robbed Monday night of all its money and stamps. The robbery was not discovered until the clerk came to open the office in the Munger Block on East Main street. The doors of the safe where money and stamps were kept were drilled and the bolts which fastened them slipped back. W. M. Carpenter is postmaster at Geneva being an appointee of President Cleveland. A week ago, the post office at Conneaut was entered and the post office of Westfield was robbed of a large amount. Other places in Geneva were also entered Monday.

### **Death of Mrs. Hoag**

The death of Mrs. Ellen L. Hoag, of Unionville, occurred at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mead, at McMinnville, Tenn., Sat. The interment took place there this morning.

### **Death of L. S. Abbott**

Jan. 21, L. S. Abbott died. He had been failing for the last three months. L. S. Abbott was born in Painesville, O., Jan. 27, 1822. He spent his



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boyhood days here, but his father, Elisha S. Abbott moved to Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, where a winter was passed. Mr. Abbott was at one-time editor of *The Painesville Telegraph*, and was, also, treasurer of Lake Co. In 1865, he was appointed a clerk in the Treasury Dept. at Washington, D. C., which position he occupied for 11 yrs. resigning on account of ill health. In 1876, he moved his family from Washington to Reading, Mich., where he remained two years, returning to West End, Va., in 1878. At this place he passed the remainder of his days. He was a great reader and collected books; his library was bequeathed to his grandson, Walter Grant Abbott. He numbered among his friends Salmon P. Chase, James A. Garfield and other famous statesmen who Ohio has produced. Mr. Abbott was twice married and his second wife survives him. He was the father of four children, Mrs. Mary L. Wilson, and Mrs. Alta V. Kennedy, of Washington, D.C.; and H. B and L. S. Abbott, of Chicago. He has seven grandchildren living and two are dead. The remains were interred at Falls Church, Va.

### Committed to Jail

Annie Cousins, of Fairport, was placed in the Cleveland jail Monday. Some time ago, she was arrested for selling liquor without a federal license. She had been out on bail but her bondsman did not want to wait until the April term for her case and brought her in yesterday and surrendered her.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

#### Willoughby Township

French, Julius, E.  
Outhwaite, Anna Boyce  
Hayes, Charles  
Richmond, Joseph

#### Concord

Nye, Clark H.  
Huntoon, Harriet  
Woide, John G.

#### Mentor Township

Haines, Elizabeth C.  
Sawyer, Mary B.

#### Perry

Parmly, Jahial  
Barkalow, Geo. M.

#### Painesville Township

Button, Albert  
Robison Basket Co.

### Common Pleas

#### New case:

J. C. Ellsworth vs the American Clay Working Machine Co.; money only

### Probate Court

Paige Mfg. Co. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Welton, Charles – third account  
Richmond, Daniel – lunacy inquest; committed to county infirmary  
Stebbins, Horace – report of sale of real estate  
Korkisalo, Gideon – marriage license  
Jarvi, Johanna – marriage license  
Presley, Clark H. – marriage license  
Downing, Julia B. – marriage license  
Huntoon, Harriet – report of sale of real estate  
McMasters, Isaac W. – tenth account filed  
Thomas, Julia L. – Robert C. Thomas Jr. appointed guardian  
King, Alexander – Charles H. Chalfant appointed executor  
Thomas, Robert C. – motion  
Griswold, Wm. – cause continued  
Beach, William – marriage license  
Donley, Sarah A. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

F. W. Bell, adm. of Clara C. Coltrin vs Gertrude Hausch; money only  
The Marian Mfg. Co. vs P. O. Johnson and J. M. Byrnes; money, foreclosure of mortgage  
Nancy B. Warner vs George W. and Sophronia A. Barton; foreclosure

### Seminary Notes

Dr. Mary E. Newcomb, of the class of '75, who has given up her position as resident physician at the Mass. State Infirmary at Tewksbury, to

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establish herself in her profession at Lowell, Mass., visited the Seminary Sat. and Sun.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Brush, of St. Paul, Minn., visited the Seminary Monday. Mrs. Brush was a member of the class of '68.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Miss Birdie Hayford is visiting with relatives in Chester.

Miss Mattie Harrington has been visiting at the county seat.

Miss Lucy Morley, of Hudson has been at home for a few days.

Mr. A. H. Mead, of the city, spent Sunday with his wife and children.

Mrs. Chas. Mitchell is spending a few days with her father in Aurora, O.

Mr. Abram and Fred Warren, of Cleveland, were in town last week

Mr. Ed Ackley, of Battle Creek, Mich., has been visiting at the residence of his father.

Mr. Eugene Warren, of Illinois, has been here for a few days attending the funeral of his father.

Mrs. Spencer Munson, of Jackson street, entertained a number of women in a symposium on Friday afternoon.

Frank Woodruff lost the forefinger on his right hand on Tuesday when coupling a car on the Lake Shore at Unionville.

Mr. Thomas Morley who has been sick is recovering. Mrs. Parsons is still very feeble.

John Warren, died Jan. 17; age 77 yrs. Although it was known that he had some heart disease, he was able to get out and attend to business until the day before his death. He died of strangulation of the intestines. He was the last son of a family of sixteen; Mrs. Mayhew of Willoughby, is the only sister who survives him. The deceased was born in Manchester, Ontario Co., NY., Sept. 1, 1820. He came to Ohio with his parents in 183[4]; settled in Huron Co. Jan. 30, he married Miss Caroline M. Clough, who died ten years later leaving him with four children: Albert C., George E., Benjamin P. and Caroline M. Sept. 4, 1850, he married Miss Anna Hopkins, of Mentor. Forty-two years later she died leaving

him with two more of a family: John S. and Anna M. On Nov. 15, 1893, he married Miss Libbie McCue, of Painesville, who still survives him. His only living sister was at the funeral.

### **Perry**

Frank Wood Jr. was in Cleveland last week.

Nelson Norton visited friends in Geneva.

Mrs. Frances Wheeler, of St. Clair street, spent Wed. with Perry friends.

Louie Harley, who has been in Geneva for some weeks past, is again at home.

Miss Inez Gaylord, who has been absent from Perry for some years past is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Shepard.

Mrs. Jay Goddard and children are spending some time with Mrs. Goddard's parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery.

Irving Stevenson has left Green & Hoose's store and Allie Bartlett has taken his place.

F. D. Green was in New York part of last week.

C. H. Haskell Post, No. 462, G.A.R. print resolutions of respect for their deceased member William A. Davis.

### **LeRoy**

E. B. Beardsley spent last week with his brother in Huntsburg.

George Potts went to Cleveland last Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Dunkel went to Perry Sunday to assist in caring for Mrs. Dunkel's parents, who are both sick.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Will Stevens, of Orwell, visited his father, Roll, of this place, last week.

Lyman Rhodes and bride has moved into Anderson Basquin's house, on the West street.

Wm. Sober is very low and a great sufferer. Mrs. Joe Courtney of Mahoning Co., his daughter, is helping to care for him.

Mr. & Mrs. E. F. Stetson visited at Rome Hibbard's in LeRoy recently.

Will Jackson is attending court at Chardon as one of the jurors.

Some friends of John Morse met at his home to help him celebrate his birthday last Tuesday.

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Elias Strong and sister, Julia, visited their brother, Charley, in Burton two days last week.

Ralph Eggleston, of Hampden, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Bessie Jackson, several weeks.

The Pedro Club met at M. L. Ernst's recently.

Frank Patrick has gone to New Lyme for a few days.

Some from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Fred Coe at Montville last Sat.

Horace Pitkin is in Chicago seeking medical treatment.

Daisy Skinner, of Collinwood, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wesley Murphy, a few days.

We hear Frank Dewey, the champion checker player, of Thompson, and Mr. Hall, of Montville, will meet here next Friday and have a big game.

Mrs. M. S. Morehouse, from Ashtabula, is visiting and calling on her old neighbors in this place.

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### **p. 1 Determined to Die**

Mrs. Amanda Ely, who is awaiting trial on the charge of murder at the Lake Co. jail, furnished another sensation Friday by a desperate attempt to end her miserable existence. She had cut her throat from ear to ear. The only thing they could figure was used was a large safety pin.

### **Died in the West**

George M. Sears, a nephew of Mr. L. P. Gage, which occurred on the evening of Jan. 27, in Phoenix, Arizona. He had gone West for the benefit of his health, being threatened with consumption, of which he died. In 1894, Mr. Sears was for several months the clerk at the Cowles House and is pleasantly remembered here. He was a brother of Miss Hattie Sears, now Mrs. Rollin P. Skinner, formerly a student of Lake Erie Seminary. His body will be brought to Cleveland for interment. He was 25 yrs. old.

### **Mrs. Ellen L. Hoag**

Died at residence of her sister, Mrs. Eben Mead of McMinnville, Tenn., Jan. 22. Mrs. Hoag was born on Sept. 3, 1828 and was 70 yrs. old at her

death. She was married Feb., 1858, to Mr. E. Hoag, whom she survived several years. A few weeks since, she left her home in Unionville, O., to visit her sister, Mrs. Mead. She contracted a deep cold on her journey. For several weeks she lingered. She was buried beside her mother in the cemetery at McMinnville. Her only daughter was with her mother in the last days of her sickness. The funeral was at the home of Mr. Eben Mead on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Dayton, Paulona

Rand, H. C.

Groken, Edward D.

Groken, Guy

Scott, Warren H.

Scott, Ella A.

Scott, J. W.

Buttermore, James

Buttermore, Eliza

##### **Madison Village**

Kimball, Addison

Kimball, Lemuel H.

##### **Perry**

Boyd, Mary L.

L. Green & Son Co.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Freer, Horace M.

Ferguson, Martin W.

Gould, Oramel

Gould, Jennie C.

##### **Mentor Township**

Dickey, E. J.

Moore Thos. M.

### **Probate Court**

Scott, Frances M. – report of sale of real estate

Warren, John – will admitted to probate

Ryan, Elizabeth C. – guardianship of E. Lynch

Ryan, Benjamin P. – guardianship of E. Lynch

Lynch, Charles Edward – Maria Duffey appointed guardian

Belden, Hattie E. – second account of T. G. Hart, adm.

Kimball, Addison – report of private sale

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Baker, Phoebe G. – will admitted to probate  
State of Ohio vs. Felix Jones – admitted to bail  
Raynor, Lucinda – first and final account  
Davis, William A. – Lone E. Todd appointed  
executrix  
Smith, Roy H. – marriage license  
Shirley, Florence A. – marriage license  
Lynch, Charles Edward – petition to sell real  
estate  
Brown, Eljah – final distribution  
Smith, Rosa – notice file  
Kelley, George W. – final distribution  
Thompson, Ann M. – order of appraisal issued  
Manchester, Orsemus – order of private sale  
issued

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Margaret Smith vs Elkeney Smith; divorce and  
custody of children; willful absence  
Lamar L. Kewish and Almar E. Baker vs William  
Wire – injunction and equitable relief

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Gen. Halbert E. Paine has been granted a  
pension of \$50 a month by special act of  
Congress. Gen. Paine was Colonel of the Fourth  
Wisconsin Regiment Volunteers during the war.

Daniel Eaton, an aged resident of Hampden,  
died Friday at the age of 84.

Albert Pohl, of Unionville, and H. S. McKinstry,  
of Geneva, expect to start for Alaska gold fields  
this week.

Mrs. Albert Winchell, of North Hampden, died  
Friday after a long illness. Mrs. Winchell  
formerly lived in Concord.

W. F. Post has added to his undertaking  
establishment a fine new undertaker's wagon,  
built by the Geneva Wagon Co., of Geneva, N.Y.

The death of Mrs. Mary Ann Owen occurred  
Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> at her home, Courtland street, Fairport.

Mrs. Jennie Bartholomew, of Willoughby, died  
at San Diego, Cal, on Wed. and her body will be  
brought to Mentor for burial. She was a well-  
known milliner and sister of Mrs. William

Hanson, of Willoughby, and a niece of Mr.  
Erastus Parmelee, of Mentor.

Attorney Theodore Hall, of Ashtabula, slipped  
on the ice and fell on the sidewalk Thursday,  
hitting his head; he had a slight concussion of the  
brain.

Sylvester Burch, a wealthy farmer of  
Williamsfield, near Kinsman, died Thursday and  
his wife and daughter are at the point of death  
by arsenic poisoning. His grandchild, a babe in  
arms was very ill but is now out of danger. There  
is mystery surrounding the case and officers are  
investigating.

Omar H. Allen died recently at his home in  
Chicago from an attack of apoplexy. He was 64  
yrs. old and was born in Madison, being the son  
of Judge Nathan Allen, who moved to Indiana in  
the thirties.

An extension ladder 60' long has been ordered  
for the fire department. It will reach the top of  
any block on Main street and the fourth story of  
the Seminary.

That riches are no guarantee of happiness is  
well illustrated in the divorce proceeding  
instituted by Mrs. D. R. Hanna, of Cleveland,  
against her husband, who is a son of the Senator.  
Mrs. Hanna was Miss Carrie May Harrington, a  
former Painesville girl and still well known here.

The L. Green & Son Co., of Perry, has purchased  
over 100 acres of land from Mary L. Boyd as an  
addition to their nursery.

Mr. Elizabeth McManus died in Warren  
Tuesday; age 74 yrs. Mrs. McManus has been  
until recently a well-known resident of this place,  
coming here from New York State early in the  
fifties. Her funeral will be held at the home of  
her son, Mr. Peter McManus, Elm street, on Fri.

The family of Mr. E. T. Donaldson, bowed down  
by a great sorrow, print a card of appreciation of  
the tokens of sympathy and regard which have  
come to them in these day days from so many  
sources.

Mrs. Sylvester Burch, of Williamsfield, one of  
the victims of poisoning, is worse. She rallied  
Friday and was able to dictate a will. The coroner  
is having a chemical analysis done of Mr. Burch's  
stomach.

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It is claimed that gold has been discovered on the farm of Mr. Tillotson at Pierpont, Ashtabula, Co.

Miss Evelyne Avery, sister of the Rector of St. James Church, expects soon to build a fine residence on the lot on the southwest side of the Park.

### Personals

Dr. & Mrs. A. L. Gardner entertained the Mentor Symposium Club Friday.

Mr. Charles Anderson, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his parents on South street.

Mr. Thomas Hayes, of Dallas, Texas, is the guest of his cousins, Mr. & Mrs. O. S. King.

Mrs. Adalaide M. Smith left Tuesday for Mobile, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. S. D. Barber, of Madison is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Henderson, of Pearl street.

Mr. Charles Hitchcock was at Wilcox Place Monday. He represents the Moon Run Coal Co., of Pittsburgh.

Miss Gussie Anderson, of South street, left yesterday for a course of stenography and typewriting at the Spencerian College, Cleveland.

Mr. Geo. A. Bates is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. R. W. Fisher and daughter, Miss Fisher, departed on Sat. for Chicago, where she will spend the month of Feb. with Mr. George M. Fisher.

Mr. & Mrs. W. G. Hawkins and daughter, Mildred, left Tuesday morning for Pittsburgh, to be gone a couple of days. Miss Sue Davis accompanied them as the guest of Miss Mildred.

Mr. & Mrs. George A. Pullis, of Austinburg, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Trumbull, over Sunday.

Mr. George P. Steele left for New York Tuesday being called there by a message from his sister, Mrs. Janvier, stating that amputation of the foot had been found to be necessary in the case of her daughter, Sallie.

Mr. Leverett Barnes, passed his 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday on Sunday surrounded by the Painesville members of his family. Mr. Barnes is spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Clark Williams, Mentor Avenue.

Mr. J. H. Severance was home over Sunday. He has accepted a position with The Standard Oil Co. He will be located in the southern portion of the state for the present.

### LeRoy

Mrs. Margaret French was 90 yrs. old last Sat. Jan. 29.

Mr. Wm. West guessed nearest the number of pieces in the quilt at the social at G. L. Ostrander's last Friday and won it.

Percy Hillis, George Barnett and Albert Barnes, of Painesville, were guests of William Kewish last Friday, and spent the day hunting rabbits.

### Buried at Sea

Painesville was rudely shaken Wednesday evening by news of the death of Arthur D. Donaldson and his burial at sea. In the dispatches from New York: The steamer Alene arrived Wed. morning for Kingston. Arthur D. Donaldson, a cabin passenger, age 28, of Painesville, O., died of acute dysentery, and was buried at sea. Donaldson had been employed as a draughtsman by the Pacific Railway Co. in Costa Rica. Later message stated that Mr. Donaldson died Jan. 23. A telegram from the agents of the steamship company was received by Mr. E. T. Donaldson, Thursday morning. Arthur went to Costa Rica last fall to assist Gen. J. S. Casement in the construction of his railroad.

### Richardson & Herrick

Messrs. A. J. Richardson and Carl Herrick have purchased the Chamberlin shoe store and will take possession Feb. 9. The Chamberlin shoe store has been established nearly 20 yrs. and Mr. Richardson has been connected with it five years—the past three as manager. Mr. Herrick has been in Chamberlin's store in Geneva seven years. *Ashtabula Beacon*

### In Memory of Mary Dean

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Mary Dean, for many years matron of the Temperance Reading Rooms, died Monday. The end came suddenly from pneumonia. Mary Dean was born in Boston in Sept., 1814. She was of Revolutionary ancestry, her grandfather serving as captain at Lexington and Bunker Hill. Her father, Major Thomas Dean, was commanding officer at Fort Independence in the War of 1812 and an officer in the famous Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston. Major Dean was afterwards the founder and editor of the Boston *Transcript*. Miss Dean was the last survivor of a family of twelve children. She was a cousin of N. P. Willis, the writer, an intimate acquaintance of Samuel F. Smith, author of "America." Mrs. Samuel Mathews is her niece. It was about 20 yrs. ago that Miss Dean came to Painesville to assume charge of the Temperance Reading Rooms.

### **Perry**

Mrs. E. S. Belknap is quite ill.

Mr. Walter Shepard made a business trip to Akron Sat.

Miss Bernice Tenney is at home from Oberlin.

Guy Wyman spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. Glenn Salkeld and Frank Langshaw, two of our young business men, have purchased building places on West Main street, near the center of town.

Mr. James Braley, of Saybrook, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. James McVitty left for Port Huron, Mich., on Tuesday, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Laura Goddard and children leave this week for Ottumwa, Iowa.

### **Mentor Headlands**

The funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann Owen were on Sunday. She was 61 yrs. and 11 months old and died last Friday at her Fairport home. Mrs. Owen was one of seven daughters and three sons of Samuel and Elizabeth Brooks, who came from New York in their early married life by ox teams and settled in North Mentor, where

their daughter Mary was born and lived until her marriage with Capt. D. R. Owen. Soon after their marriage they moved to Fairport where she has since resided. Of the brothers and sisters, there are now four: Mrs. Martha Megley died in 1883, and the mother in 1888, age 91 yrs. The next sister to pass away was Mrs. Rebecca Cooper, age 62 yrs. She died at her home near Sutherland, Obrien Co., Iowa, of dropsy, May 20, 1892. The brother, William, died in 1894. The late Mrs. Owen leaves three daughters, Mrs. Anna Simpson, Mrs. Addie Nelson, and Mrs. Myrtle McCoy; also, four sons, George, Daniel, Charles and Joseph; all live in Ohio. She leaves two brothers, Burr Brooks, of Kirtland, and Alfred Brooks of the Headlands. The four sisters are: Mrs. Snell, Mrs. Scribner, Mrs. Gibson, and Catherine Wright of Michigan.

Monday, E. W. Brooks and wife were the recipients of an invitation from Mr. & Mrs. Charles Smith, of Fern Cliff House, requesting their neighbors' presence at their silver wedding anniversary, Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Capt. Thadford Byrns has been quite ill for the past three weeks; Friday she seemed better.

### **Hampden**

Mrs. Emma Waldren, of New York State is visiting Mrs. Bidwell.

Ezra White, of Damon, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Barnum, who has been in Hiram for some weeks is at home.

Mr. Roy Barnum has hired out to Mr. Ballard and will move his family here.

Charlie Loomis is in poor health.

Miss Mabel Kellogg is in Concord for a short stay.

Ted Youngs, son of Mr. & Mrs. Youngs, died Sunday, Jan. 23, age 25 yrs. For the last 7 years he has been confined to his home by sickness.

Mr. Daniel Eaton died at his home in Hampden, Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>, age 84 yrs. He leaves two sons, S. D. Eaton, of this town, and Henry Eaton, of Kansas.

Mrs. Albert Winchell died Jan. 28. She leaves a husband and one son.

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### **Concord**

Mrs. Abel Wilder, wife of our mail carrier has been seriously ill since Sat. when she was stricken with what seem to be paralysis. She has regained the use of mind and body to some extent.

The Misses Mary and Florence Lentz are spending some time at the Lentz home in this town.

Rev. and Mrs. Zeal were in Cleveland last week. Rev. Zeal is assisting the pastor of Asbury M.E. church, in revival meetings.

Mrs. Henry Wilson visited in Cleveland a few days and is with her daughter in Geneva at present.

F. H. Murray returned on Sat. from a business trip to Illinois.

The pastor of the church here, Rev. W. J. Zeal, has attended three funerals within three weeks: Mrs. George Baker's on Jan. 11; an infant child of Mr. & Mrs. Malvern Oliver in Jan. 12<sup>th</sup>, and on Jan. 30<sup>th</sup> Mrs. Albert Winchell was buried in Concord cemetery.

Last Sabbath, three new members were received by this church on probation, Mr. George Goodrich, Mr. Charles Church, and Henry Card.

Mr. G. O. Beede is absent from his home for a few days attending to business interests.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Feb. 2:

### **Ladies**

Adams, Mr. & Mrs.

Booth, Miss Mary

Bowen, Mrs. Fred

Lawrence, Miss Clara

Magunson, Anna L.

Richmond, Mrs. Lillie

Robinson, Miss Ella

Rosaco, Mrs. Thresa

Warren, Mrs. Blanche

### **Gentlemen**

Barmon, J.

Benedict, S. A.

Bernhart, Jno.

Bower, Bert

Call, A. E.

Critchett, Frey

Davis, Chas.

Dhlie, A. H.

Flynn, Wm.

Grove, H. L.

Headley, Chas.

McGee, H. M.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

William Atkin visited relatives at Painesville last week.

Thompson post office will be moved to Crandall Bros. store, Feb. 1.

John Sanford, son of Mr. & Mrs. D. A. Sanford, is also on the sick list.

Mr. Chilson has disposed of his farm to a Mr. Van Valkenburg, presumably of Russell.

A sister from Wisconsin is visiting the families of her brothers, Messrs. A. Z. and Henry Olds.

Mrs. Wm. Patchitt one of our aged residents has been considerably under the weather during the past week.

H. B. Palmer has accepted a book agency.

A. J. Bliss has plastered his dancing hall. D. Sanford was employed.

Viola Woodin is recovering from an illness of two weeks caused by premature exposure after an attack of chicken pox.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Ralston, are home after engaging in religious work in Pa.

Mr. & Mrs. Stevenson, of Youngstown, are visiting Mrs. Stevenson's mother, Mrs. Lois Hausch, of West Trumbull.

Mrs. W. B. Keener and Miss Martha Keener, of Calm, spent last Wed. with Mrs. E. S. Stevens, who is still seriously ill.

Mrs. Dr. W. P. Ellis returned last week from a pleasant visit with the family of her sister, Mrs. Homer Smith, of Ashtabula.

Mrs. A. Cole accompanied her husband to Painesville last week and remained as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Tillotson until Mr. Cole's return from Cleveland.

Mrs. M. S. Morehouse, of Ashtabula, returned to her home last week after visiting the family of

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her sister, Mrs. W. J. Morehouse, and Hon. and Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

Thompson checker players are again draped in crepe. Mr. Dewey, of this place, and Mr. Shirley Hall, of Montville, met last Friday at South Thompson. Five games were played: The first was won by Hall, four were draw games.

Miss Maude Foote returned from Ashtabula after spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. E. W. Holden.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Elenore Marsh is the guest of Ashtabula friends.

Born Jan. 25, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Nolan. Misses Mame and Willa Domer spent Sat. and Sun. with their parents in Saybrook.

On Sat., Master Harry Bell and Miss Fanny Bell gave a party to a number of their young friends.

Miss Harrington entertained her cousin, Mrs. Nettie Baker, of Lindale, O., over Sat. and Sun.

Mrs. Burleigh was moved last Friday to the Paige House and has a capable nurse to care for her.

The Ladies Society of the Congregational Church are invited to meet with Mrs. James Middleton at her home on West Main street, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. Delos Bates were given a surprise party by some of the Baptist people last Friday.

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Onderdonk were held at the family residence on Middle Ridge, Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>. She was a sufferer for 20 yrs. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Thomas Nolan.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Emery Harrington is spending a few days in Cleveland.

Miss Marguirite Hall, of Painesville, has been in town a few days.

Harry Robinson, of Collamer, was spending Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. Will Hopkins Jr., of Cleveland, was in town last week.

Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick is in Buffalo, N.Y.

Mrs. J. A. Cleveland is visiting her daughter in New York City.

Mr. H. B. Van Cleve has been confined to the house suffering from some throat trouble.

Miss Alice Woodford, who is a teacher in North Eaton school, is home in consequence of the schools being closed there due to the measles.

Mr. L. C. Cowles, of Chardon, was in town last week on business with C. E. Justus.

Mr. George E. Warren, who was called here by his father's death, returned to his home in Illinois.

Mr. Ed. Proudfoot is named as a candidate for assessor in the spring elections.

Mrs. Libbie Warren and family print a card of thanks to their friends and neighbors who assisted them in their bereavement of a husband and father.

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### **p. 1 Recollection of Geo. W. Allen by S. C. Hickok**

I read about the death of George W. Allen, of Grand Rapids, Mich., a former resident of Painesville. There is considerable history of Painesville connected with Mr. Allen and the families to which he was related, to wit, Mr. Jonathan Sanford, Mr. Solomon Kingsbury, and Mr. Jedediah Hills. Mr. Sanborn, was Mr. Allen's step-father having married Mrs. Allen Feb. 17, 1820 and in 1825 in company with Eliakim Field, who was also a citizen of Painesville, built the Concord Furnace and kept a general supply store there. Mr. Sanborn's health was failing and he sold his interest in the furnace in 1827 to parties in Buffalo named Colton, and one by the name of Hickox, and Mr. Jonathan Stickney and the firm was Field, Stickney & Co. When I first became acquainted with Mr. Allen in 1832, he was a clerk in the Geauga Iron Co.'s store, which was on the southwest corner of State and Main streets. In 1837 Mr. Allen opened a drug and grocery store in Fairport with Mr. Addison Hills. After Mrs. Allen's mother (whose maiden name was Nancy Kingsbury) married Mr. Sanborn, there were two sons and two daughters born to them. The daughters' names were Lavina, who married a



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Mr. Cook, of Chardon, and Elvira, who married James Belknap. In 1850's, he too sold out and went to Grand Rapids and with him went Mrs. Sanborn, his wife and mother. The sons' names were Origin and Jonathan Sanborn. Mrs. Chambers (who was Miss Ann Beard) informed me that Origin in company with Mr. Rogers went to the west part of the state. I first find Jonathan Sanborn's name on the records of Painesville in 1821 as being elected supervisor of highways. Mr. Sanborn died Feb. 26, 1828, age 34 yrs. The school where Mr. Allen attended school was on the site of The Parmly house lot. We think it was built in 1804 by Eli Bond, the father of Mrs. Asa Childs and it was in the first appraisal of the village of Champion (now Painesville). This history of the school house was from Lewis E. Miller, who came to Painesville in the early 1820's. Mr. Miller had a wonderful memory and died about 10 yrs. ago. Mr. Solomon Kingsbury, Mr. Allen's uncle, was elected commissioner in the county in 1815. He was a man of means and in 1818 was appraised at \$500; there were only two others of that amount at the time, viz; Hezekiah King and George Warner. Mr. Kingsbury was twice married and had one son by his first wife, Solomon Kingsbury. Solomon was the first of these families to go to Grand Rapids, Mich., in the late 1840's. Mr. Kingsbury had three sons by his second wife: Delos, Stewart, and Walbridge, all of whom went West. Mr. Kingsbury's second marriage occurred in Painesville Dec. 25, 1821, and he married Caroline Forbes. Mr. Kingsbury died in Painesville, Sept. 21, 1831, age 45 yrs.

### **Swallowed Needles**

The post-mortem examination of the body of Mrs. Amanda Ely led to the true discovery of her death. Dr. Amidon was satisfied that death was not the result of her attempt to cut her throat a week previous. The autopsy found needles in the abdomen which caused her death.

Mr. J. H. Merrill, of the *Willoughby Independent* called attention to the fact that within a brief

space of time, five old editors of *The Telegraph* have died: John R. French, John L. Batchelor, J. F. Scofield, M. R. Doolittle and now Hon. L. S. Abbott. Mr. Abbott was twice married. His first wife, Miss Mary S. Briggs, was a daughter, of Col. S. B. Briggs and a sister of the late Mrs. M. R. Doolittle. She died in 1849. His second wife was Miss Harriet J. Briggs, daughter of the late Erastus Briggs, who was a prominent farmer of Perry, in this county.

### **p. 2 Hampden**

Mrs. Mattie Betts has returned from a visit to Cleveland.

Mrs. Hellen Hale spent a few days visiting her sister in Claridon.

One of Mr. Still's horses dropped dead while going to Chardon with wood.

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Barnum have moved back from Troy to work for Mr. Ballard the coming season.

Mr. John H. Valentine died at his home in LeRoy, Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> after an illness of about a week.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. & Mrs. M. G. Kelley, of the Mentor Plains, were calling on Headlands friends Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Smith celebrated their silver wedding anniversary with friends, Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Eugene Brooks is driving a matched span of horses.

Mr. Hugh Henericle, of Michigan, is visiting at home.

### **LeRoy**

Mrs. Arthur Wilson returned last week from a visit in Painesville.

Mrs. Fred Hook has been very sick this past week. Mrs. Lura Doncaster spent a part of last week at home. Mr. & Mrs. George Teachout, of Madison, were guests last Sunday of his sister, Mrs. C. Donovan.

Dell Taylor, of Collinwood, was at home a few days last week.

Mr. John Henry Valentine, of LeRoy, died last week, Thursday. He was an old soldier and a member of the G.A.R. He leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter.

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The LeRoy Whist Club met at the residence of Mr. J. A. Patch Friday.

### **Kirtland**

D. Sanborn is still very sick.

Mrs. Allen, of Temple Hill, died after a brief illness, the 25<sup>th</sup>, and was buried Thursday.

Daniel Richmond died in Painesville, Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>, and was brought to Kirtland for interment.

George Hare Jr., who was hurt so badly as to affect his heart in sliding down the Campbell hill, is fast improving.

### **Perry**

Mr. Taskett, teacher in District No. 4, is giving his school free lessons in penmanship two evenings per week.

Mr. & Mrs. John Burrows, and daughter, Nellie, are visiting Mrs. Burrows' parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery.

Mr. Charles Scranton, of Brockport, N.Y., was visiting relatives in town last week.

Mrs. Corilla Green has returned from a month's visit in Cleveland.

Don W. Barrows, of Saginaw, Mich., arrived in town Sat. and will remain with his grandmother Wyman for a few days.

Mr. & Mrs. Isaac Shook have entered into partnership with their second son during the past week.

Miss Nellie Langshaw entertained a party of friends at tea on Sat. afternoon.

### **Madison**

Abel Kimball has returned from the West.

Mrs. Clara Bates entertained the Baptist Aid Society last Friday.

Miss Gertrude Hendry is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendry, of Cleveland, for a few days.

Miss Ella Miller, of Unionville, has left Ohio Cottage to care for Mrs. Burleigh at the Cook House.

Mrs. Chas. Bliss entertained the C. C. Missionary Society last Thursday.

Master Ralph Couch is recovering from a very severe attack of pneumonia.

The infant son of Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Kimball has been very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Chas. Quayle has been suffering a severe attack of quinsy.

Mr. Philo Smith is the guest of his brother's family in Conneaut for two or three weeks.

Miss Katherine Collister is at home from New York City for the remainder of the winter.

Master Howard Cozad fainted in the doctor's office while having a broken arm dressed.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Russel Bailey, Jan. 25, 1898, a son.

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A birthday surprise party was given for Miss Mary C. Tuttle Monday at the home of C. H. King.

Mrs. Thresa Parsons died at the home of her son, Mr. Geo. E. Parsons, Monday, age 83 yrs.

Ninety men bound for the Klondike passed through here on the Nickel Plate Thursday evening.

Robert S. Parks, an attorney of Willoughby, has been admitted to practice to represent claimants before the Interior Department at Washington.

Dr. Sawyer, of Cleveland, purchased a slice of Headlands property and will build a summer home there.

Mr. W. S. Martindale, the Kirtland Miller, will be the proprietor of a flour and feed mill to be added to those in Willoughby.

Mr. Hirsh is the draftsman of the firm of Steffens, Searles & Hirsh, who have the contract for the architectural work on the new High School building.

Dr. G. F. Webb has opened an office in Warren but continues as usual at his Painesville office the first three days of the week. He will keep his family and home here.

John Lazelle, of Madison left for the Klondike on Sat. He will join a party in Nebraska.

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Mrs. F. K. Downer, of Auburn, N.Y., is visiting with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. E. T. Donaldson.

Mr. Don W. Barrows, of Saginaw, is spending a week with his cousin, Mr. Guy Wyman, of State street.

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Miss Loretta Carroll, of this place, left Monday to visit her brother, Dr. G. E. Carroll, of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. J. T. Robinson has returned from an Eastern business trip.

Mrs. F. H. Kendall will entertain the Fortnightly Club on Thursday.

Mrs. W. F. Smith is entertaining today her nephew, Mr. Ashley Miller, who is with the Otis Skinner Co. at the Cleveland Opera House this week.

Mr. W. H. Dunsha left this afternoon on a Western business trip in the interests of his bath tub.

Mr. Lucian B. Gibbs, of Minneapolis, has stopped in town to see Painesville friends on his way East.

Mr. George N. Hodges will go to Burton tomorrow and expects to purchase a 130-acre farm on the shores of Punderson's lake.

Mrs. Edward Chapin, of South State street, went to Cleveland to spend a few days in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Fuller.

Mr. Geo. P. Steele returned Sunday from New York. He reported that Miss Janvier, whose leg was amputated last week is out of immediate danger.

Mr. Harry Clyde Brooks has been engaged to direct the music in the M.E. Church.

Rev. Arthur F. Skeele arrived from Wellington Monday and his family will follow later in the week. He will begin his pastorate in the First Church next Sunday.

### **A Revolting Crime**

Marshal Connell arrested Matt Johnson, a Finn, in the employe of the Dock Co. Johnson is charged by his daughter, Sophia Fanny Johnson, a young girl of fifteen, with criminal intimacy, covering a period of three years. Johnson is 38 years of age and has been in this country 12 years. Four years ago, his wife left him and went back to her native land, taking one child with her.

### **The Kellar Farm Sold**

The farm owned by N. S. Kellar on the North Ridge was sold on Thursday to Fred Storm, of Willoughby.

### **Severely Scalded**

Wheeler Waters, a young man 21 years of age living near the Lake Shore depot in Mentor, fell into a kettle of boiling water Thursday and was probably fatally scalded. He was assisting in butchering hogs and was standing on the platform from which the hogs were put into the boiling water. In some way, he lost his footing and rolled down the incline into the vat. Walters is single.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Morris Bean, Jackson street, a daughter, Feb. 6.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfer**

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Cole, Hezekiah

Mathews, Maria R. D.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Brown, Charles R.

Cillette, Nettie C.

#### **Perry**

McVitty, James

Bennett, Charlie

Mallory, Albert

Skinner, Jane

Henderson, Charles

#### **Concord**

Towell, Ruth E.

Towell, Patrick H.

Scott, C. F.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Ryan, J. J.

Ryan, Elizabeth

Colgan, Margaret

Hicks, Dey

Tunis, C. H.

#### **Willoughby Village**

Talbot, Howard A.

Harbach, Thomas S.

### **Probate Court**

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Post, D. Frank – assignment; order of appraisal issued  
Thompson, Oral E. – trusteeship; order of sale issued  
Thompson, Vogel W. – trusteeship; order of sale issued  
Thompson, Albert – marriage license  
Strey, Caroline – marriage license  
Giblin, James J. – distribution ordered; final and only account  
Thomas, Julia L. -guardianship; petition to sell real estate  
Tuttle, Eldon – trustee appointed  
Devall, Charles H. – application filed  
Birge, Kate – first account  
Elliott, George – second account  
Carroll, Eugene H. – assignment; first and final account  
Hayden, J. B. – first and final account  
Yaxley, Richard – final account  
Frances, John C. – guardianship; second account  
Frances, John C. – second account  
Paine, Edward L. – second account  
Bixby, Ida M. – first and final account  
Dexter, Mara A. – second account  
Davis, William A. – first and final account  
Griswold, Wm. – cause continued

### **Common Pleas**

Addie D. Loveland vs Mary Scott – partition  
Charles M. Mix vs Henry B. Perkins – to quiet title

### **Obituary – Sally Huntoon Baker**

Died peacefully Jan. 8, 1898, after an illness of five weeks, at her home in Concord, O., Mrs. Sally Huntoon, widow of the late George F. Baker. Mrs. Baker was born at the place of her death in 1820. She was the fifth child of a family of eight daughters of Captain Scribner and Hannah Huntoon. She married George F. Baker in 1844; they were married more than 54 yrs. Since her husband died two years ago, she has been cared for by her children, of which there are two sons—Carlos F. and Herbert G. Baker. Besides the sons, she leaves two granddaughters and three sisters.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. Feb. 9:

### **Ladies**

Barnard, Mary S.  
Croford, Mrs. John  
Curken, Mrs. J.  
Harris, Miss Ethel  
LeClear, Miss Mary  
Payne, Mrs. J. B.

### **Gentlemen**

Batts, Edward  
Beaton, Alex.  
Billington, G. E.  
Kenmard, Jack  
Mathews, A. F.  
Reed, F. C.  
Shale, S. P.

### **Mrs. J. A. Bartholomew**

Mrs. Jennie A. Bartholomew died Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>, in San Diego, California. She went from here Nov. 3, in the hope of finding a restorative or medical help in that sunny climate. She spent last winter in Florida, and a part of the summer in Buffalo under medical advice.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. R. M. Smith spent Saturday in Cleveland.

Mr. W. W. Cowan was a recent Painesville visitor.

Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener visited Trumbull relatives last week.

Mrs. W. J. Foote spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Holden.

Mr. & Mrs. Behm, of Trumbull, spent Sunday with relatives in this locality.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott visited Mr. Scott's parents at South Madison yesterday.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Miller, of Montville, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener yesterday.

Mr. & Mrs. Fenton are called to Jefferson by the serious illness of Mrs. Fenton's grandmother.

Mr. & Mrs. Austin Cole and daughter May, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. McIntosh, of Hartsgrove.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle spent Sunday with their daughters Miss Sarah Quayle and Mrs. A. F. Allyn and family of Chardon.

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Mrs. A. L. Loomis, who recently celebrated her 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday, has been seriously indisposed.

Mrs. Charles Winn, of West Trumbull, returned last Sat. from Cleveland where she has been caring for the family of her son, which has been afflicted with measles.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Porter Ellis are away for the day at least. He with his wife were called to Springfield, Pa., by the death of a near relative.

Mrs. C. G. Keener together with the twins and the rest of the family including Mrs. Lena Woodin and daughter, Viola, are spending the day with Mrs. Clayton Dewey, of South Madison.

Mrs. M. A. Goodrich is on the sick list. Mrs. E Boyd is also among the sick. F. C. Tuttle was in quest of the doctor last Sat. Eugene Bower is afflicted. Mrs. James Johnson is in very feeble health.

Mrs. B. F. Gee fell and broke her leg near the ankle.

Mrs. E. L. Stevens submitted last week to a surgical operation which was successfully performed by Dr. J. Quayle, of Madison, and Ellis, of this place.

Mr. Charles Anderson, who not long since returned to his home in Pa. after an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. R. B. Chaffe and family, was troubled with a crippled finger upon his right hand which was amputated.

Mr. & Mrs. Chaffee, of Troy, met with a serious accident yesterday. While out riding their horse became frightened and overturned the cutter. Mrs. Chaffee fractured her arm.

### **Mentor**

A. H. Mead, of the city was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Ellsworth spent Sunday at home in Hudson.

Miss Dema Bennett, of Bedford, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Humphrey.

Mr. G. P. Marsh has accepted the agency for the Richardson and Boynton furnace, while Mr. S. A. Pearson, will continue to handle the "Boynton" as heretofore.

Mr. Farnsworth, father of Mrs. William Andrews, died here last week while on a visit with his daughter. He was 84 yrs. of age. The remains were interred in Mentor Cemetery.

Mr. Wheeler Waters, the young man who was severely scalded by falling into a large kettle of boiling water, will make a good recovery. Some skin grafting may be necessary.

### **South Thompson**

Mrs. Milo Goodrich is very sick.

Miss Rose Morgan, of Madison, is visiting relatives at this place.

Luther Wright has gone to Madison to visit his niece, Mrs. Frank Stiles.

Vogel & Boroughs have dissolved partnership.

Miss Maud Fales was entertaining a friend from Chester over Sunday.

Eddie McKee has left for parts unknown.

Miss Bessie Jackson visited her aunt, Mrs. McKnight, at the center a few days last week.

## **Feb. 16, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 With Intent to Kill**

John Cain, a saloon-keeper at the Lake Shore depot, was arrested Thursday on a warrant charging him with intent to kill. The alleged assault was committed upon night policeman John Creedon. Policeman Creedon saw Cain strike a son of Barney Gallagher. Cain struck Officer Creedon in the forehead with his fist and then seized a knife and was about to plunge it into him.

### **Madison Woman Robbed**

Mrs. John Lazelle, of Madison, got on the train to go to Utica, N.Y. A well-dressed stranger occupied the seat behind her and it is supposed he committed the robbery. Mrs. Lazelle had fallen asleep and awoke to find her money to the extent of \$28 and a gold watch missing. Her husband has recently departed for the Klondike and she was on her way to Utica to visit relatives.

## **Feb. 16, 1898**

### **Obituary – Mary Ann Owen**

Mrs. Mary Ann Owen, age 61 yrs. 11 mos., died Jan. 28, 1898, at her home, Courtland street, Fairport Harbor, O. The deceased was born in North Mentor, Feb. 28, 1836, and was the youngest of eleven children (one having died in infancy), of Samuel and Elizabeth Brooks, who in 1818 moved from near Catskill, N.Y. to settle in Ohio. It took them 6 weeks with ox teams through severe weather to reach where Painesville now stands. They settled on a farm of 200 acres which has since been known as the Dyre farm in Black Brook. Mr. Brooks had signed a note for a friend and ended up paying it which took nearly all his hard earnings. One day he died while in the woods leaving Mrs. Brooks a widow, with 3 sons and 7 daughters, youngest of whom, Mary Ann, was but a child. The mother lived to be 91 yrs. old and died in 1888 at the home of the late Mrs. Owen, who at the age of 19 was married to Capt. Daniel R. Owen, who soon after settled in Fairport. Capt. Owen died May, 1869. Mrs. Owen passed away surrounded by all her children except George and Joseph. Besides her sons and daughters, and 12 grandchildren, she leaves two brothers, Burr and Alfred Brooks, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Snell, Mrs. Ann Scribner, and Mrs. Emily Gibson. All but one brother in Kirtland, one sister on the Headlands, and two grandchildren in Ashtabula were present at the funeral services.

W. D. Swezey died in Marion, Ind., Monday, father of Mr. D. Swezey. Funeral in Painesville at home of Mr. J. Q. Darrow.

A card of thanks is printed in appreciation for the kindness and sympathy extended to them during the bereavement for their mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Owen, by Geo. Owen, Daniel, Owen, Charles Owen, Joseph Owen, Mrs. Anna Simpson, Mrs. Addie Nelson, Mrs. Myrtle McCoy.

### **Death of Mrs. Beckwith**

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Sarah Otis Beckwith, daughter, of the late Rev. Otis, of Chardon, and wife of Mr. Dewitt Beckwith, of Milton, California. Mr. Beckwith is a brother of Mrs. M. L. Warner, of Painesville.

Resolutions of respect are printed by S. Dexter Williams Post No. 943, G. A. R. Dept. of Leroy, O, for their deceased member J. H. Valentine.

### **Geneva**

Mrs. Nettie Knapp has returned from a four week visit with her brother, Marshall Teachout, of Columbus, O.

Mr. Edward Brakeman has been enumerating the dwelling houses in Geneva village and finds 685.

Death has taken from our midst several of our elderly ones. Last week there passed to higher life, William P. Simmons, the senior partner, of W. P. Simmons & Co. He died on Wed. last at the age of 81 yrs. Tuesday after a severe illness of several weeks Mrs. Elizabeth Miner died at the home of her son, Mr. I. B. Miner, age 73 yrs. Mrs. Laura Capron died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Eggleston, of North Broadway, Feb. 7. Mrs. Capron was also mother of Mrs. Judge White, of Cleveland.

Mrs. Lillian Palmer, wife of Dr. D. G. Palmer, died at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, where she went to undergo a surgical operation to have a cancerous tumor removed with the hope she might recover; but the shock was too great, and she died.

### **Three Runaway Boys**

Marshal Connell captured three runaway boys from Cleveland Sunday morning. They gave their names and residence, as follow: Chester Messer age 11; Perry Messer, age 7; both living at No. 113 Reynolds street; and Emanuel Dawson, age 9, living at No. 127 Reynolds street, Cleveland. The Messer boys are well known in Painesville. They formerly resided here and used to amuse themselves by unhitching horses and driving away with them.

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### **p. 2 Kirtland**

Mrs. Alice Tiffany Mills, passed away of consumption on the 7<sup>th</sup>; leaving three children parentless. The father having died of the same disease some years since, leaving now the children to the care of relatives and friends.

Fred and George Morse have given their attention to old fashioned farming being the raising of grain, hay and animals.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. Edward Slitor is a young blacksmith of the Headlands and he can do considerable custom work.

Dr. John Sawyer, of Cleveland, last fall bought a part of the Samuel Owen farm, the land is on the lake front and Dr. Sawyer has improved it by building a fine modern city styled house.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Chauncey Talcott, an old resident of Perry, dropped dead from heart disease Wed. The deceased was 88 yrs. old.

Mrs. Samuel Hotchkiss, of Burton, mother of Miss Susan Hotchkiss of last year's graduating class at the Seminary, died on Friday after a long illness. Mrs. Hotchkiss was the daughter of the late Rev. S. W. Pierson, of Painesville.

W. P. Simmons, of the florist firm of W. P. Simmons & Co., of Geneva, died Wed. of kidney and heart trouble at the age of 81 yrs. He was once head gardener at Eton Hall, one of the finest private places in England.

A sad death by accident is reported from Niles, the victim being Will Ferguson, son of Charles Ferguson. The boy was playing with a lead pencil and accidentally ran it down his throat. Blood poisoning developed and caused his death.

The dispute over land owned by Gamaliel C. St. John in Willoughby has been settled out of court, Windham C. Jones having purchased the interests of the other heirs. The property includes 62 acres of lake frontage.

Mr. Rehill, who has been employed by the Storrs & Harrison Nursery Co. the past season left last week for his home in Canada, 100 miles

north of Toronto. His two sons, William and Albert are now employed at Mr. James Garrett's blacksmith and carriage shop on Pearl street and expect to join the family soon and then start for Manitoba where they expect to make their future home.

### **Personals**

Miss Adah Coates spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. H. F. Coe, returning to Cleveland Monday afternoon.

The Misses Lizzie and Nellie Foley, of Conneaut, are the guests of their cousin, Mrs. McCarthy, of Washington street.

Mr. C. H. Horton went to Pittsburgh Monday to attend the National Convention of the Brick-makers Assoc.

Miss Mary Landphair has sold her interest in the tea store to her sisters, Miss Carrie J. Landphair and Mrs. E. W. Hadelier.

Mr. Frank H. Carter, of Caselton, North Dakota, arrived Friday on his annual visit to his parents, Mr. & Mrs. D. O. Carter.

Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Coleman and their guests, Mr. & Mrs. Perkins, attended the funeral of Mr. J. A. Moffett in Cleveland on Thursday.

Mrs. M. J. Ivins, of Vineland, N.J., is visiting Mrs. A. T. Perry, of Prospect street and Mrs. D. J. Lansing, who is a sister of Mrs. Ivins.

Mr. D. E. Brooks and family have removed to Richmond, having purchased the place formerly owned by Mr. Frank.

Miss Bessie Boalt returned Sat. from Cincinnati, where she has spent several weeks with her brother, Mr. Charles G. Boalt, and family.

Mrs. O. S. King went to Cleveland Monday afternoon for treatment at Dr. Martha E. Canfield's private sanitarium. She has not recovered from la grippe and goes to take the "rest cure."

Miss Zaida Chambers left Sat. evening for Brooklyn, N.Y., where she will make her home for the present with her uncle and aunt, Mr. & Mrs. Edward LeClear, at No. 76, St. James Place, and pursue a different course of study.

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Mrs. J. A. Babcock has decided to sell off the jewelry stock and fixtures in the store now occupied by her and retire from business.

### **George H. Hopper Dead**

Mr. George H. Hopper, the well-known stockholder of the Standard Oil Co., died at his country home at Unionville, Tuesday. He was 61 yrs. old and had been in poor health the past year. He was one of the large stockholders of the Standard Oil Co. The Hopper country home at Unionville is an immense estate with numerous cottages and other buildings and a fine racing track.

Mrs. Winchester Fitch, of Ashtabula, and Mrs. Nicholas, of Unionville, are daughters of Mr. Hopper and Mr. Charles Hopper is his only son. The body will be taken to Lake View Cemetery in Cleveland for interment.

**Married** – At the home of James Swegan, Fairport road, Feb. 13, Thomas Bodwin and Augusta Kortke, both of Richmond, Ohio.

**Died** - Of consumption, Miss Annie McNalia, at the home of her parents, West Mentor, Sat.

### **Stabbing Affray at Mentor**

Two Finns by the name of Oscar Mondlen and Charles Monsikka had a set to Sunday evening at Mentor station as a result of which the latter was severely cut on the left arm and in the hand. Both had been drinking wine. Mondlen went to Monsikka's house and attacked him. Mr. Monsikka crashed through a window and ran; Mrs. Monsikka smashed a chair over Mondlen's head and the blow put him to sleep.

### **Death of Mrs. Patterson**

Mrs. Lovilla Patterson, widow of Mr. Charles W. Patterson died at her home on Mentor Ave., Feb. 14. Mrs. Patterson was 65 yrs. old and leaves one daughter.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Village**

Ritscher, L. K.  
Scott, Frances M.  
Scott, Halina R.

#### **Perry**

Skinner, Jane  
Henderson, Charles

#### **Concord**

Clark, Eliza J.  
Wilson, Henry

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Shattuck, Ellen E.  
Lee, Albertus, A.  
Dunsha, W. H.  
Dunsha, Cordelia M.

#### **Mentor Township**

Storm, S. T.  
Carroll, F. C.  
Munson, H. N.  
Woodford, Wm. H.  
Woodford, Charles

#### **Willoughby Township**

Gray, M. E.  
Richardson, M. O.  
St. John, L. M.  
Taylor, Janett A.

#### **Willoughby Village**

O'Neil, Jas. P.  
Smart, Carlos S.

#### **Probate Court**

Allen, James – James R. Ferguson appointed adm.  
Blair, Arthur C. – guardianship; Frank E. Blair appointed guardian  
Scott, Frances M. – final account  
Hathaway, Wallace – settlement approved  
Clayton, David B. – final account  
DeVall, Charles S. – settlement approved  
Valentine, John H. – will filed for probate  
Warren, John – election of widow  
Bartholomew, Jennie A. – administrator appointed  
Griswold, Wm. – cause continued  
Hoose, Cornelius – first and final account  
Wellner, George – first and final account  
Wilcox, Alma D. – will filed  
Searls, Grandison – guardianship; statement of claims filed



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Searles, C. W. – statement of claims filed  
Bowden, Thomas – marriage license  
Koutke, Augusta – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

The Painesville National Bank vs George H. Shepherd as adm. of Nancy I. Paige; to compel adm. to pay over and distribute funds.

Julia McManus as adm. of Thomas McManus, deceased vs Th L.S. & M. S. Railway Co.; money only

### **Madison**

Mrs. O. S. Hoskins entertained the Reading Circle Tuesday evening.

Mr. & Mrs. Cummings, of West Main street, enjoyed a visit from their son, of Willoughby.

Miss Grace Fraser, of Cleveland, was the guest of Miss Helen Kimball, last week.

Russell Bailey was thrown from his horse one day last week and one foot badly injured.

Miss Hattie Ensign, on account of illness, has been obliged to return home. Miss Agnes Ross taking her place as nurse at Mr. Bailey's.

Miss Helen Kimball entertained her friends last Friday evening, in honor of her guest, Miss Fraser.

Born in Cleveland Feb. 11, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Cranahan.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. John Morse, of South Thompson, visited his sister, Mrs. Esther Covill, one day last week.

Mrs. Nellie Warren and daughter, Maud, of Concord, spent four days last week with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. C. Donovan.

Mrs. Adelia Wright is sick with quinsy.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Covill went to Montville last week Wed to see Mr. Covill's mother.

Mr. & Mrs. Willis Brown, of Cleveland, spent last Sunday at J. W. Doncaster's.

Miss Carrie Mason, went last Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. G. L. Ostrander, and was taken so

suddenly, and seriously ill, that she is not yet able to be taken home.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of Feb. 16:

### **Ladies**

Jackey, Mrs. Jacob  
Lawrence, Miss Clara  
Rivers, Miss Mary  
Temple, Miss Anna

### **Gentlemen**

Armstrong, G.  
Conke, Mm.  
Dickens, Dell  
Donaldson Bro.  
Jones, Henry P.  
Luket, Earl  
Moss, Chas.  
Talbot, L. J.  
West, J. W.  
White, Mr.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Master Ralph Hyde is happy over a new wheel.  
Mr. Dennis Lapham has another son.

### **Perry**

Mr. Frank Lapham, of Black Brook, was in town on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Jewell is about to become a resident of Mentor.

Mrs. Marvin had quite a serious attack of heart trouble last week.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. C. H. McLean, of Painesville, was the guest one week ago of Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Davis and Miss Kate McLean.

Miss Sarah Quayle, of Calm, is suffering with measles at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. F. Allyn, of Chardon.

A sleigh load of young people from Calm were entertained last Monday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Hassy Miller, of Montville.

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Scott visited Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan last Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Miller, of Montville, were guests the latter part of the past week of Mr. & Mrs. W. B.

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Keener, Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Smith, of Calm, and Mr. & Mrs. Will Behm, of Trumbull.

Mr. R. Patrick, of Geneva, arrived last Friday and is looking after the interest of his sister, Mrs. Warren Griffiths' property. Mrs. Griffith recently returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. Foscitt, of Perry, after taking medical treatment at Cleveland Hospital.

Mr. Henry Lobell, we are told, has rented the Paul Reigert farm.

Mr. Jay Scott, of South Madison is making extensive repairs upon his new home.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye entertained Mr. Nye's parents from Madison, the past week.

Mrs. Richard Mathews has returned from Ashtabula after an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. Tillotson.

Mr. Henry Crocker has broken ground for a fine residence at the Center which we have been told will be occupied by Dr. & Mrs. W. P. Ellis.

Mrs. B. F. Gee, who recently fractured an ankle has been tenderly cared for first by an aunt, Mrs. Shepard, of Cleveland, then by Mrs. A. C. Stevens, of the Chardon schools. Mr. Bradley of Chardon, is also, with his daughter.

Mr. & Mrs. James Ferguson, formerly of this place but now of North Madison, brought the remains of a child 18 mos. old for interment.

Milford Behm, age 12 yrs., 5 mos., second son of Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Behm. Milford became sick last Monday. After a consultation of three surgeons last Thursday, it was decided an operation for appendicitis was necessary to save the boy's life. The operation was performed Thursday but too late as blood poisoning had accomplished its fatal work. Milford never rallied from the operation. An older brother, Walter, who is attending school in Painesville, was brought home to see his brother before the operation. Mr. Burton Keener came from, Cleveland to attend his nephew's funeral.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Tracy Parsons died last week at the age of 84 yrs. The funeral took place from the residence of her son. She leaves one son George

and a daughter, Mrs. G. A. Laubscher, of Cleveland, a sister, Mrs. Lauer, of Cleveland, and a nephew, Mr. Evans, of New York City, were present at the funeral.

Mr. Hessenmuller and family will not return to their Mentor home this summer. The loss of their daughter has caused them to change their plans.

Miss Hattie Collins lost a very nice silver watch while shopping one day last week.

F. A. Henning has commenced the building of a home on his lot on Burrigge Ave.

Mrs. A. H. Mead, who has been a victim of gastric fever for the past four weeks is again able to be out.

Miss Mary Crouch, of Warren, O.; Miss Rice, of Clarksville, Pa.; and Mrs. James Thrasher, of Chardon, were guests of Dr. J. W. Lowe and family over Sunday.

## **Feb. 23, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 More Recollections of Judge Kingsbury**

Judge Kingsbury was born in Enfield, Conn., 1787, month and day not known.

He came to Painesville in 1812 and bought what has since been known as the Hills farm, later the Burrigge farm which then included the northeast corner of Main and State streets, extending north on State to what is now the Doran block, and easterly to the flats—included about 200 acres. After making the purchase, Judge Kingsbury went back to Conn. for his family. They came with two teams—one horse team and one ox team. Judge Kingsbury built the American House which still stands near the post office and many more buildings. The Moody block was on the corner of what is now St. Clair and Main streets, then known as the "cross road" and the "ridge road." He was elected appraiser in April, 1814; later was justice of the peace almost during his entire residence in the township, he was 6 yrs. Assoc. Judge; in 1824 he was presidential elector for Geauga Co. for Henry Clay ticket. He was not successful in business and lost most of his property before his death. (by Harley Barnes)

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### **The Frederick Cases**

Capt. Charles Frederick does not care to contest the divorce case brought by his wife, provided her request for alimony is withdrawn. This has been agreed upon and it has been further agreed that the wife can obtain her divorce on the ground of neglect.

### **To Close "Elmwood Farm"**

Mrs. George H. Hopper, on account of business matters in New York and broken health, will close "Elmwood Farm" at Unionville for a few months and leaves for Lakewood, N. J. She will be accompanied by Mr. & Mrs. Winchester Fitch, of Ashtabula.

### **George Hopper as a Farmer**

About 10 or 12 yrs. ago, Hopper purchased Elmwood Farm, at Unionville, and started in to lead the life of a gentleman farmer. He thought he wanted to turn it into a stock farm so he bought the stallion Bell Boy, for \$51,000. Six months later, Bell Boy was burned; the investment being a total loss. He then decided a gentleman of leisure should own a yacht. He had one built and christened it "The Florence" in honor of his eldest daughter. It was launched at Ashtabula, a big wave hit it and it capsized and went to the bottom. It was raised, by Mr. Hopper never again set foot on it; only allowing his friends to use it if there was fair weather for 3 or 4 hours. His whole career as a farmer was an amusing failure. He was of a nervous, restless disposition and had such a busy life it was an agony for him to be idle. He inspired the farmers about him with life, and made them care for farms and houses they never cared for before.  
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### **Mentor**

Mr. Will Morley, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. B. A. Smith was very sick last week, but is now better

Invitations are out for the golden wedding reception of Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Justus on March. 9<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. W. S. Ackley and Mrs. Dr. Lowe spent Sunday with friends in Conneaut.

Mr. E. M. Ackley was in town last week making arrangements for a trip to California with his family. He goes there to remain and will establish himself in the optical business.

Mrs. Asa Larned is on the sick list.

Mr. Monsikka, who was slashed by his fellow countryman last week, is making a good recovery.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mrs. Helen McVey, of Mayfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. N. Hyde.

Mrs. R. A. Park, of Salida Beach, has gone to Findlay to stay a few weeks with her sister.

Mrs. Maud Rumbaugh has been sick some time and it will be some time before she will be able to be around.

### **Hampden**

Mr. St. John is very sick.

Alonzo Chamberlain has a baby girl.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Brown, a daughter and a son, Feb. 14, 1898.

Mrs. Rosa Ray is in very poor health.

Mr. & Mrs. John Ransom have a baby boy.

Mrs. Mildred Hollis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cora Radcliffe, of your city.

### **Little Mountain**

There was a surprise party at Orlando Pinney's given in honor of Miss Mollie Reynolds, who is about to return to her Iowa home. Forty people were in attendance.

### **LeRoy**

Miss Bernice Bedell has the measles.

Miss Louise Upson has been spending several weeks in Irondale, Jefferson Co., with her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Pritschau. She returned home last week.

The family of Mr. Elmer Brown, of Perry, was increased by a boy and girl on the 13<sup>th</sup>.

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Miss Carrie Mason is a little better but still very sick at the home of her aunt, Mrs. G. L. Ostrander.

Mrs. Adelia Wright is not better.

Misses Georgia and Bessie Wilson spent last Sunday in Perry.

### Anniversary Ball

The first anniversary of the East Side Club was celebrated last evening. Between fifty and sixty couples were present and enjoyed this society event. Many beautiful gowns were worn by the ladies and the scene during the grand march was delightful to behold. Officers are:

Manchester, Robert

Crofoot, B. F.

Gilmore, E. J.

Stumm, Will

Burrige, Geo. P.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Henry Hunt, an octogenarian and long resident of Jefferson, died of pneumonia on Sunday.

William Cook, a prominent druggist of Madison died Thursday after an illness of several days.

Alva Dibble, of Fullertown, Geauga Co., died Sat. and was buried at Briar Hill Cemetery, Fullertown, Monday. He was a member of the firm of Dibble & Dibble, well drillers.

David R. Paige, R. K. Paige, A. T. Paige and C. C. Paige have been named as defendants in a suit for \$10,000 brought by Clara G. Carey, of Akron.

Mrs. Henry Baldwin mother of Mrs. W. H. Card, died of cancer at the latter's home on Jackson street, Monday, age 71 yrs. Mrs. Baldwin's home was in Helena, Montana, and she came on a visit to her daughter in Painesville two years ago. Sickness has since detained her here.

Louis Nordyke, the crack third baseman of last year's Geneva team, has signed with the Detroit for the coming season.

Mr. A. C. Craine, Wed. received a telegram notifying him of his appointment as special agent of the department of justice. He is a son-in-law of Col. Louis Smithnight.

### Personals

Mrs. Harry P. Coe is visiting Miss Coates in Cleveland.

Miss Norma Wabel, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Marion Barkalow, of Erie street.

Mr. George Stumm has been installed as deputy clerk of courts of Lake Co.

Miss Anna Wise, of Youngstown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. S. Parker, of Sterling, Ave.

Miss Hoffman returned to her home on Erie street Sat. after an absence of four months in the East.

Mrs. E. G. Wetherbee and Mrs. E. F. Sawyer left Sat. for Washington, D. C. and Old Point Comfort, Va.

Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Van Cleveland, of Mentor, have a new daughter born Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. G. Huntington, of Jackson street, have a baby girl.

Mrs. C. C. Viall left Sun. for Washington, D. C. where she goes as a delegate to the national meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution from the New Connecticut Chapter.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Avery, Mrs. Mary A. Stockwell, Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Jerome, Mr. L. J. Wood, Mr. P. K. Smith, Rev. F. B. Avery, Mrs. McAbee, Mr. Albert Green, Mrs. Harley Barnes and Mrs. J. S. Burrows will attend the S.A.R. banquet in Cleveland Tuesday.

On March 1, Mr. F. A. Searl will open a grocery store in his own block. It will have all the accessories of a first class, city grocery. Last August, Mr. Searl purchased of the David B. Clayton estate the well-known block on Main street. Mr. Searl has been in business in Painesville for 25 yrs.

### Perry

Mr. & Mrs. Edward Lapham, of Black Brook, were visiting relatives in town last week.

Mr. Norman Sweet, who was injured last week by a piece of steel penetrating his leg, is now able to stand upon his feet.

Don W. Barrows, who was a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wyman a couple of weeks, left for his home in Saginaw, Mich.

## **Feb. 23, 1898**

Mrs. Joseph Ashley, of Oberlin, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. L. V. Axtell.

Mrs. Larabee spent Sunday with relatives in Madison.

Mr. Giles Chapman is in poor health.

Mr. Parmly Clapp, of New York, was in town on business last week. He is a grandson of the late Samuel Parmly, who was a former citizen of Perry.

Mr. Gordon Stephens and Rol Tenny are making preparations for leaving for Seattle, Wash., soon.

The marriage of Miss Adah Champion, second daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Hart Champion and Mr. Amherst Thompson, took place at the home of the bride on Wed.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Common Pleas**

Re: Embezzlement case against Felix Jones; jury acquitted.

Mrs. Lizzie Frederick was granted a divorce from Capt. Charles Frederick.

#### **New cases:**

P. T. Thompson vs George Beech; foreclosure  
Christopher Schiller vs Herman Ruschke;  
foreclosure

### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **LeRoy**

Loveday, William D;  
Bjorkman, Earnest  
Flood, James H.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Storm, Samuel  
Storm, Frank

#### **Probate Court**

Yaxley, Harriet – fifth account  
Harris, William E. – motion filed  
Stebbins, Horace – sale of personal property  
Skiff, Charlotte E. – sixth account filed  
Wilcox, Anna D. – will admitted to probate  
Valentine, John H. – will admitted to probate  
Baker Phoebe G. – will admitted to probate  
Pratt, P. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Warren, John – order of private sale issued

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Wallace Amidon, of Trumbull, visited Mr. Amidon's mother, Mrs. Wallace Jewell.

Miss Caroline Carpenter is at present with friends in Concord.

Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Bliss, of East Trumbull, were guests Sat. of Mr. Bliss' parents, Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Bliss.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Keener, of Trumbull, were recent guests of Mr. Geo. Keener and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Wright, living near Bostwick, are the parents of a daughter one week old.

Mr. Henry Block, who spent nearly all of the past year on the farm with his family, has again accepted a position with a tailoring establishment in Cleveland.

The Cleveland wood cutters have returned and are boarding with Mr. & Mrs. Henry Moseley.

Miss Clara Hausch, of Chardon schools spent Sat. and Sun. with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch.

Mr. Will Ernst, of Footville, called upon relatives last Sat.

Mr. C. D. Proctor, our mail carrier, made a business trip to Cleveland last Sat. Mr. D. A. Phelps carried the mail.

Mr. Will McFarland, of Trumbull, was in town Sat.

Mr. A. M. Brockway, representing the International Phosphate Works, is being introduced to the farmers of the township by Mr. H. B. Palmer.

Mrs. O'Brien is engaged in taking orders for a fine line of ladies' wearing apparel.

Mr. Harnard, of Montville, who has for some time been staying with Mr. & Mrs. Byron Payne, spent last Sat. with his old friends, Mr. O. Jewell and wife. Mr. & Mrs. Nye, of Madison were also guests of Mr. & Mrs. Jewell.

Mr. E. G. Blakeslee has purchased of Mrs. A. M. Stocking a lot of 50' front, located north of Mrs. Stocking's residence.

Charles Johnson, a young man employed by E. C. Sidley, broke his ankle last week. Last week, Mrs. Winchell fractured her arm. Mr. Winchell has been ill for some time.

## **Feb. 23, 1898**

Mrs. Charles Dewey has been seriously ill with pneumonia the past week.

Retire Trask, who received a severe injury in a runaway two weeks ago when some piece of the harness broke while driving through Madison, is getting along finely.

Mrs. James Johnson, who has been in poor health, is confined to her bed.

Miss Pearl Tuttle and Mr. Arthur Crandall, of the firm of Crandall Bros., were married last Wed. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. S. Tuttle. The couple will occupy the house owned by Mrs. Warren Griffith.

Miss Maria Austin, age 69, died last Wed. at her home in the west part of this township.

The remains of Milford Behm which were placed in the vault one week ago were interred in our beautiful cemetery on Sunday. Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Behm print their heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for their sympathy and many acts of kindness in the death of their beloved son.

## **South Thompson**

Mrs. Arthur Fales visited her grandparents in Painesville for a week.

The Visiting Club met at Ed Allen's last Thursday, it being his birthday.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Hillis visited her mother in Chester last week.

Mrs. Wisley is in very feeble health this winter.

M. O. Garrett is on the sick list.

Mr. & Mrs. E. F. Stetson attended the funeral of Mrs. David Strong at Huntsburg, Wed.

Paul Stetson has rented the Patrick farm. Henry Vogel will occupy the house.

Frank Patrick has hired out in Collinwood.

Wesley Murphy had a bad fall in his barn the other day.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Covill, of LeRoy, visited relatives in Montville and this place recently.

Miss Eva Morehouse, of Ashtabula, is spending a few days with her grandparents at this place.

Paul Stetson attended the Agricultural Society at Burton, Sat., of which he is one of the directors.

## **Concord**

Mrs. Abel Wilder is ill.

Miss Anna Corlett has been confined to the house with a severe sore throat.

Mrs. Maria Morse has had a return of heart trouble;

## **Madison**

Dr. & Mrs. Culp were guests of Akron friends last week.

Miss Mamie Hoskins entertained her cousin, Miss Flower, recently.

Mr. Chas. Cook has been spending several weeks with relatives in Pa.

Mrs. Lucy Lee has returned from an extended visit with friends in southern Ohio.

Mrs. Walding Phelps is quite ill with grip.

Mr. Wm. Bliss has moved his family into their new home on West Main street.

We are glad to learn of the improved health of Harry Rand's little daughter, Kate, who has been suffering a long and trying illness.

William Cook, the well-known druggist and proprietor of the Cook House, died Friday. He leaves a wife, father, mother, brother and sister.

Born in Madison, Feb. 12, a daughter Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Mills.

Born in Madison, Feb. 13, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Fred Parsons.

Born in Madison Feb. 15, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Claud Crocker.

Born in Madison, Feb. 18, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Clare.

## **Mar. 2, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Circuit Court Decision**

David E. Taylor vs James H. Taylor – on appeal  
Marjorie Warner Rote vs Eugene M. Warner – appeal

Catharine Ward vs Homer H. Hine; for decree

James H. Clark vs. S. Q. Ford – appeal

Clara Palmer vs Ella S. Levy – error

Otis A. Keach vs. Horace Bacon – error

Orphelia Z. Freeman vs Cora B. Cleveland – appeal

State of Ohio vs John E. Post – appeal

J. F. Burke vs Cleveland Electric Co. – appeal

## **Mar. 2, 1898**

Harrison Bros. vs. Delacont French – error

### **A Business Change**

Lieut. C. W. Morley has purchased C. W. Stocking's interest in the lumber and feed establishment of Austin & Stocking, of Madison, and the firm will hereafter be known as Austin & Morley. Ex-Sheriff Austin the senior member of the firm is the father-in-law of Mr. Morley. Lieut. Morley will move his family to Madison.

### **Burial of Gray Nellis**

The remains of Gray Nellis, son of Mr. & Mrs. Homer C. Nellis, of Piqua, arrived in Painesville Thursday and were buried by the side of a sister in Evergreen Cemetery. From the Piqua *Daily Call*:

The sad news of the death of John Gray Nellis, the young son of Mr. & Mrs. H. C. Nellis, was conveyed to Will C. Gray of this city by telegram from Asheville, North Carolina Monday evening. Two years ago, Mrs. Nellis left for Asheville hoping the climate there would benefit her son, Gray, who was suffering with lung trouble the result of an attack of measles at the World's Fair. He was fourteen years old.

### **Memorial to Edward H. Fitch**

The following memorial was adopted by the Western Reserve Society, Sons of the American Revolution: Edward Hubbard Fitch, of Jefferson, O., was a son of the Western Reserve, having been born in Ashtabula Co. and living there all his life. He was a son of Orramel Hinckley Fitch and of Catherine M. Hubbard Fitch. His father was of Conn. birth and traced his ancestry back to the great Puritan migration. His mother was a native of New York State but she too was of Conn. stock. Mr. Fitch was born May 27, 1837, was educated at St. Catherine's Canada, at Williams College where he graduated as a classmate of James A. Garfield. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1860.

This society unites with his other friends in mourning his loss.

### **Concord**

Mrs. Maria Morse, widow of Jacob Morse, died Thursday afternoon of heart trouble.

Eugene Smith, of the Union Pacific RR., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Emma Ward, and relatives in Cleveland.

Ralph, the eldest son of Dolph Brown, has been quite sick with rheumatism.

### **Perry**

Alla Bartlett and family have moved into the rooms over Green and Hoose's store until the place he recently purchased is vacated.

Mrs. James McVitty returned on Friday from a visit of a month at Port Huron, Mich.

Mr. A. E. Kintner and brother, Otis, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Walter Shepard on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Vesey and his mother, Mrs. Marion Vesey, of Chicago arrived in town on Sunday.

Miss May Upton has been a recent guest of Mrs. Darius Hamblin.

V. E. Wyman of our city was visiting relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. George Moses and sister, Lila, were at home over Sunday.

George Watts, of Geneva, was in town on Monday looking after business interests.

### **Mentor**

Miss Elsie Johnson has been making a short visit at home.

Mr. & Mrs. C. E. French, of Cleveland, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Ross has been visiting at the residence of C. E. Breadway.

Mrs. Daniel Haley, of Ashtabula, has been visiting friends in town.

A. C. Saunders and daughters, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the residence of G. L. Ingersoll.

B. A. Smith suffered a relapse last week and was sick again.

Frank Khulen, past foreman at Dewhurst Farm, has returned to Plains City.

Mr. & Mrs. W. L. Hopkins, of the city, spent Sunday in town. Mr. Hopkins is with the Howe Scale Company.

Wheeler Waters, who was scalded a short time ago, is again able to be out.

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Frank Parkhurst is making preparations to operate a bicycle depot on a little larger scale the coming season.

An effort was made by the secretary of the Improvement Association to induce the Heinz Pickling Co. to establish a branch factory at Mentor.

The greenhouses of Merkel & Son are very attractive this spring. Their new violet, known as "The Prince of Wales," which has stems about a foot long is the great attraction there just now.

**p. 2** Mrs. H. Crowningshield, residing at 304 Prospect street, Painesville, O., was severely afflicted by inflammatory rheumatism and could not use her hands or feet. She took Hood's Sarsaparilla and after five bottles she was well enough to attend to her housework.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Earl Morris, a former Perry boy, has been made postmaster at the sub-station in Ashtabula, known as Sweden.

Frank Fortune has been named by Congressman Northway as the next postmaster at Jefferson and C. M. Crane at Garrettsville.

Emory G. Hardy has been granted an increase of pension from \$6 to \$8 a month.

Mr. & Mrs. H. R. Ayres, of Denver, are guests of Dr. & Mrs. Charles F. House.

W. J. Spaulding, of Mentor, has sold a fine team to New York parties.

Duff Bros. & McCool are getting their machinery in place to drill a gas well for C. J. Scott at his home on Liberty street.

Mrs. Daniel Thompson, of Prospect street, is recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. Carrie Pond Thompson returned yesterday from a few days stay at Cleveland. Mr. & Mrs. Thompson will make Cleveland their home.  
*Warren Tribune*

Miss Maria L. Morse died at her home in Concord Thursday of congestion of the lungs. She was 70 yrs. old.

Married at the home of the bride's father, Nicolas Tower, Feb. 23, Jacob W. Heinbaugh to Margaret A. Tower.

Ed. Walding, son of Richard Walding, of Jackson street, came to Uncle Sam's call for help by joining the U. S. Navy. He enlisted at League Island.

George Spade section hand on the Lake Shore at Geneva and brother of the foreman, was struck by a train Monday and it is thought he cannot recover.

The *Conneaut News* has, in a private letter from Valencia, Spain, received information that there is an iron box containing 650,000 francs buried somewhere near Conneaut.

William H. Davidson, junior editor of the *Chardon Record*, and Mrs. Belle Knapp, a milliner of that village, left suddenly several weeks ago. News has come back they have married and are located in San Francisco, Cal.

Oscar Mondlen, the Finn, in jail for stabbing Charles Monsikka, furnished bail and was released.

Tom Carey, a Nickel Plate brakeman, slipped Wed. at Nypan and fell between two cars the wheels severing his body in half. Death resulted almost instantly. His home was in Conneaut.

Dr. G. F. Webb says his uncle, Mr. William Henry Webb, who resides in New York City, constructed the first iron clad crew frigates ever built in American. The father of William Webb constructed the first steamship ever built for Robert Fulton.

### **Personals**

Mr. & Mrs. E. Clyde Gates left Tuesday for their home in Kansas City.

Miss Addie Wilkens, of Erie, Pa., is the guest of Miss Kate Huntington, Jackson street.

Miss Burwell, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. P. Steele, Mentor Ave.

Miss Emma Graften left here Monday for Girard, where she will spend a few weeks visiting her parents.

Mr. M. C. Alcorn, of Cottonwood Lake, North Dakota, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Amos Breed.



## **Mar. 2, 1898**

Miss Jane E. Finch, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. W. Thorley for the past six weeks went to Cleveland last evening.

Mrs. F. E. Arter and daughter, Maude, went to Cleveland Monday to make their home at 72 Claremont street, Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Baldwin and son, Leslie, have moved into their home at the corner of Jackson and Richmond streets.

Mr. A. F. Stebbins and son, Clarence, spent Monday, Feb. 28, in Chardon, at the home of Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Hayes, it being Mrs. Stebbins 70<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Mr. & Mrs. Sydney Justus, of Mentor, have issued invitations for their golden wedding, March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Harry B. Grauel, after serving for eight years as clerk in the Lake Shore freight office at this place, has resigned his position to take charge of the telephone exchange at Madison and its branch office at Geneva. His place at the Lake Shore office will be filled by Pearl Callender, who has been connected with the baggage department at the Lake Shore depot for some time. Ernest Callender will have the place left vacant in the baggage room by his promotion.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mrs. Maud Rumbaugh and Mrs. Ella Kelley were both taken worse Sat. night.

Mrs. Helen Kelley has gone to Perry to visit her brother, C. S. Brown.

Mr. John Andrews, of New Mexico, has been home visiting his brother, Mr. O. Andrews and a host of relatives.

### **In Memoriam**

A church society writes about Mrs. Lucy Martindale-Morley, wife of Mrs. Thomas Morley. In the last ten years these members of the society have died: Margaret Parmelee, Auntie Hodge, Ada Case and Mrs. Morley.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

### **Madison Township**

Fraser, Martha M.

Parsons, Bert A.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Sanford, Forestine G.

Gilmore, Lucy S.

Wilson, Zenas S.

Ward, John C.

Wooten, Sophia

### **Willoughby Township**

Hoose, Cornelius

Trowbridge, Geo, G.

Woodworth, Ralph H.

Hoose, Geo. H.

Harris, Wm. E.

Harris, Eugenia M.

Harris, Rosamond C.

Beebe, Maria

Beebe, Ezra

### **Willoughby Village**

Woolever, Charles

Dodd, William R.

Dodd, Abigail A.

Wright, Charles W.

Wright, Helen I.

### **LeRoy**

Balch, Spencer E.

Bartlett, Eva E.

### **Perry**

Norton, Horace

Langshaw, Frank W.

### **Painesville Township**

Dwyer, Thomas

Dwyer, Wm.

Dwyer, Frank

### **Richmond Lots**

Hutchinson, Mary J. A.

Bowden, Thomas

### **Fairport Lots**

Tucker, Mollie S.

Merrill, Samuel J.

### **Probate Court**

Latham, R. R. – first account

Palmer, Earl W. – last will admitted to probate

Lynch, Chas. Edward – guardianship; order of appraisal issued

Gilmore, Lucy – first and final account

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Thomas, Julia L. – guardianship; order of appraisal issued

Thompson, Ann M. – order of sale issued

Lynch, Chas. Edward – guardianship; order of sale issued

Valentine, John H. – election of widow; inventory and appraisal filed

Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship; order of appraisal issued

Post, D. Frank – assignment; order of sale issued

Burns, Patrick – order of appraisal filed

Church, Maria – bond filed; order of public sale issued

Glenn, George H. – marriage license

McFarland, Rubie - marriage license

Garner, Orson, J. – marriage license

Brinkman, Myrtle M. – marriage license

Heinbaugh, Jacob W. – marriage license

Tower, Margaret Adelia – marriage license

Zboenik, Anton – marriage license

Sylvester, Gertrude – marriage license

Rauch, Henry – commission issued to take widow's election

Thomas, Julia L. – guardianship; order of sale issued

Silvi, Mary – inquest of lunacy; adjudged insane and committed to Newburg Asylum

Moseley, Leo A. – guardianship; order of appraisal issued

Harris, William E. – application to be appointed adm. filed

McNaughton, Noel – guardianship, final account

McNaughton, Mabel – guardianship, final account

State vs O. D. and Max Freidman – transcript filed

Thomas, Robert C. – report of distribution

Wheelock, Fred A. – Jane Wheelock appointed guardian; petition filed to sell real estate

Stebbins, Horace – first and final account

Brown, Alvah T. – application for appointment of adm.

## **Common Pleas**

### **New cases:**

Edward G. Green vs Hattie N. Parker; for partition

J. C. Ward vs J. B. Aumick; foreclosure

Maud C. Rossman vs Frank Rossman; divorce; habitual drunkenness and gross neglect

## **North Perry**

Mrs. John Hawkins is not well.

Miss Wood, of Cleveland, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Charles Nickles.

Mrs. J. H. Clouse has been very sick but is better.

Mr. Winters, of Glenville, is moving his family to the farm known as the Burns place.

Mr. VanFelt and family returned to Cleveland this week.

Mrs. Gertrude Sweet, of your city, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ida Hoose.

Mrs. Will Miller and family were called to Perry to witness the marriage of her daughter, Myrtle May Brinkman to O. J. Garner, of Lane Station, Feb. 22, at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ida Hoose. On account of the poor health of the bride, only the immediate family were invited. Present were:

Cornell, Mr. Daniel – grandfather of the bride

Hoose, Mrs. Ida – next to his youngest daughter

Worden, Mrs. Minnie – daughter of Mrs. Ida Hoose

Worden, Freddie – son of Mrs. Minnie Worden

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of March 2:

### **Ladies**

Brown, Alise

Comstock, Mrs. C. D.

McIntosh, Mrs. Ida

Ross, Mrs. Lola

Stroud, Miss Lydia

Wright, Miss Florence.

### **Gentlemen**

Deiningner, Edward

Negrean, Vaughn

Wilder, Larndar

**Married** - At the Congregational parsonage, Painesville, O., Feb. 24, Anton Zbornik, of Painesville and Gertrude Sylvester, of Homer.

## **Mar. 2, 1898**

### **Thompson**

Mr. John Ferguson is still very ill.

Miss Artie Chaffe is afflicted with tonsillitis.

Miss Caroline Carpenter returned from Concord last week.

Mr. Walter Behm returned to Painesville to school last Monday.

Mr. Carlos Ford, of South Madison, is suffering with la grippe.

Mrs. M. A. Goodrich and Mrs. E. S. Stevens continue to improve.

Mr. T. G. Cottam transacted business at Painesville one day recently.

Mr. & Mrs. Miller, of Montville, visited relatives at Calm last week.

Mr. Frank Penhollow, of Cleveland, spent several days in town last week.

Mrs. Lena Woodin has been confined to her room by illness during the past week.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, of Painesville, is visiting Mr. & Mrs. James Johnson. Mrs. Johnson is improving slowly.

Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Cowan, together with other relatives from this place, were called to Geneva last Friday by the death of Mr. Dorman, of that place.

Mrs. Charles Dewey has been very ill with pneumonia but is recovering. An infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Scott is now ill.

Mrs. Tanner and son, of Chester, were entertained at dinner last Sat. by Mrs. A. M. Stocking. Later, they all went to the home of Mrs. D. A. West, in South Madison, who is still seriously ill.

Mr. A. O. Ford, of Painesville is visiting relatives. He was at one time was a Thompsonite.

Mr. Frank Scott and sister, Elna, gave a pleasant reception last Friday to teachers and pupils of Center High School.

It is reported that Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Uden, who have managed a farm in Trumbull during the past year, will return to Thompson to take charge of the farm owned by Mrs. Uden's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch.

### **Madison**

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Saxton attended the convention meeting in Cleveland last week, also visited their daughter in Akron.

Mrs. Ann Pancost is still very ill with grip.

Mr. & Mrs. Francis Hearn, of Youngstown, were Madison visitors last week.

Mr. Horace St. John and family will occupy their house in town sometime during the month.

Mr. J. P. Barden of *The Telegraph* is to be postmaster at Painesville.

## **Mar. 9, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Suburban Chips**

Mr. Zeba French, of North Mentor, is able to sit up after a recent illness.

Mr. H. F. Lapham is able to drive out after a winter of suffering from the effect of la grippe.

Mrs. Norman Snell and Mrs. Fred Brooks are still sufferers from nervous prostration.

Scott and Winfield hold the contract for an addition to Brooks' boarding house at "Brookdale," Headlands. They have the fine new addition to the "Willow Bluff" boarding house ready for plastering. Headlands citizens are expecting larger crowds than ever to their popular resort.

Mr. Frank Malling returned from Berea Monday morning with his bride, who was formerly Miss Gwedolin Cochran, of that place. They are presently domiciled with Mrs. Capt. Alvah Snell, until arrangements are completed to occupy the adjoining house, lately vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Todd.

The trustee of the Spencer Library Association, of Geneva, have leased rooms on the second floor of the I. C. Chamberlin & Sons block, North Broadway, and will move the Library there about April 1.

### **Perry**

Miss Hattie Quinby, of Ashtabula, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Shepard.

Mrs. Samuel Northard, who has been sick for some time is gradually failing.

Miss Margaret Boyd, who has been at home the past two months, has returned to her business in Cleveland.

## **Mar. 9, 1898**

About twenty people gave a surprise party at Mr. Few's on Friday evening.

Miss Daisy Saynes, who has been attending school through the winter at Washington, C. H. returned last week.

Mr. Lloyd Wyman, of your city, is spending a few days in town with his mother.

Miss Gertrude Chapin, of New Lyme, is a guest of Miss Laura Ashley.

Mrs. H. H. Shepard is on the sick list.

Miss Lotta Marvin, of Austinburg Institute, is spending a short vacation home.

### **LeRoy**

Mrs. Adelia Wright is very low

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Dunkel have moved on to the Harvey farm, west of Carter's Corners.

Mrs. E. W. Taylor of your city, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Alta Pardee.

Charles Wright is sick with quinsy.

### **p. 2 Willoughby Plains**

Mr. E. N. Hyde is off on another business trip.

Mrs. Sigsby has been to Cleveland to have her eyes treated at the Hospital.

Miss Georgia Sleemin closed her singing school two weeks ago for lack of funds, some refusing to pay after they promised they would. Mrs. Emma Hayes is so interested in the singing school that she taught the class last week and will teach them a few more times.

Carl Brown will go to Cleveland for treatment on his limb for inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Pullman, of your city, is staying with her niece, Mrs. Belle Lapham

Mrs. Emma Tyler went Sat. to visit her sister, Mrs. Lillie Hoose, in Nottingham. Mr. & Mrs. Hoose have a fine new boy.

Miss Emma Dodd visited Mrs. Belle Lapham Sat.

### **South Thompson**

Will Wright, our mail man, lost one of his horses Thursday night, of spasmodic colic, only sick a few minutes.

Mr. Folsome of the west street is very sick.

William Croft is moving to Painesville.

Miss Sadie Bradley closed a very successful term of school here last week.

Mr. Sam Sutherland and wife, of Footville, visited his brother in this place recently.

Mr. Sampson, of Hampden, visited at Mr. Fales, Sunday.

Emory Skinner has been quite sick but is some better now.

M. O. Garrett is able to ride out again.

Mrs. Hannah Morse, who has been staying in Leroy for some time, is now at her son's, John Morse, at this place.

### **Geneva**

O. C. Pinney, of Cleveland, was at home over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Stewart, of Painesville, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Henshaw.

Miss Eva Taylor, of your city, was a recent visitor of Mrs. J. F. Scranton.

Mr. C. H. Scranton, of Brockport, N.Y., was in town last week.

Mr. George Spade one of the section hands on the L.S.M.S. Ry, was struck by No. 28 Monday and may recover.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Jones, William G.

Hackley, Alice M

Murphy, Laura

Murphy, Geo. W.

#### **Perry**

Barkalow, Geo. M.

Lapham, George E.

#### **Madison village**

Stocking, C. W.

Morley, C. W.

#### **Concord**

Woide, William

Woide, Wilhelma

Farmsworth, Charlotte

Robinson, A. D.

#### **Painesville Township**

Keller, Elizabeth M.

Storm, S. T.

Benedict, R. F.

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Foss, Mary  
Benedict, Geo. M.  
Condon, Minnie A.  
Welch, Carrie L.  
Spaller, August  
Vogel, David  
Post, John E.  
Post, Augusta

### **Kirtland**

Criswell, John M.  
Criswell, Lila A.  
Criswell, Clara M.  
Criswell, William A.  
Criswell, Chas. W.  
Criswell, Sarah J.  
Criswell, W. A.

### **Willoughby Village**

Stewart, Julia A.  
Stewart, Mary F.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Croft, Margaret  
Croft, Charles  
Morley, Susie J.  
Stocking, C. W.

### **Willoughby Township**

Sones, W. C.  
Taylor, Janette A.  
Breadsley, Joseph C.  
Jones, W. C.

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Ruie Atkins vs Alton J. and Nancy Atkins; divorce alimony and custody of child; Extreme cruelty and gross neglect  
P. W. Shaw vs Elmer Bowen; appeal from JP  
N. S. Calhoun vs. Charles O. Sidley; foreclosure of mortgage  
F. W. Roemer vs Kirk Vanderlip; money only  
Frank T. Ayer vs Roehal A. Plaisted and Stella A. Sked, as adm. of Mary A. Patcher, deceased

### **Probate Court**

Coolidge, Murilla A. – guardianship; application for appointment of guardian

Freeman, Raymond – resignation of executor; Cora B. Cleveland appointed adm.

Hart, Daniel B. – first and final account

Griswold, Caroline – second account

Cudney, John – first and final account

Wasson, W. D. – motion filed

Moseley, Leo A. – guardianship; order of sale issued

Freeman, Raymond – first and final account

Kent Jr., John E. – petition to sell real estate

Farquharson, Alice – first and final account

Merrell, Correll - Corell B. Merrell appointed adm.

Brown, Alvah T. – cause continued

Burns, Patrick - order of public sale issued

Woodruff, Ralph H. – guardianship; inventory filed

Wellner, Charles – third account

McMasters, Isaac – tenth account

Thomas, Robert C. – guardianship – final and only account

Belden, Hattie E. – second account

Kimball, Addison – final account

Raynor, Lucinda – first and final account

Giblin, James J. – final and only account

Scott, Francis M. – final account

Clayton, David B. – final account

Hoose, Cornelius – first and final account

Wellner, George – first and final account

Yaxley, Harriet – fifth account

Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship, sixth account

Fred & Wheelock – guardianship; petition heard and appraisal issued

Manchester, Orsemus – first and final account

Lynch, Charles Edward – guardianship; report of private sale

Alexander, Justin – F. J. Rexford, appointed special adm.

Allen, Albert E. – marriage license

Lock, Bernice, E. – marriage license

### **Kirtland**

Orrin Sweet has moved to the west part of town  
S. Workman and family have moved into John Brook's house while John Brook's family is with his father, Burr Brooks.

Mrs. Royal Green is quite feeble.

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Miss Georgia Sleemen's singing school at Mentor Plains has closed.

Mrs. G. H. Morse had an ingrown nail removed with the use of anesthetic.

Miss Fannie Morse, of Willoughby, was visiting in Kirtland last Monday.

### **Madison**

Postmaster Searls plans to move his family into the house now occupied by Allen Benjamin.

Mr. Floyd Bailey will move into part of the house owned by Mrs. Bliss, on West Main Street.

Mrs. W. T. S. Culp and little daughter, Miriam, were guests of Akron friends last week.

Arthur Follett has accepted a position with Mr. Chas. Barnum, of Geneva.

Mrs. Harriet Smead recently invited the young ladies of the city to an old fashioned taffey-pull at her home on East Main Street.

Mr. & Mrs. D. D. Potter were given a surprise party last March 4 for their 14<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

### **Little Mountain**

Miss Mollie Reynolds left for her Iowa home on March 1<sup>st</sup>.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of March 9:

#### **Ladies**

Aiken, Mrs. Margaret

Callen, Mrs. R. S.

Hevens, Mrs. E.

Jones, Mrs. Albert

Kaine, Miss Mabel

McIntosh, Mrs. Ida

Moheany, Miss Margaret

Scribner, Emma

Sullivan, Emma

#### **Gentlemen**

Audney, Chas.

Karnstrom, A.

Malone, James

Meaeen, Mr.

Mertor, Wm.

Murphy, Billey

Myers, F.

Ordner, Chas.

Richmond, Tanery

Rothstine, M.

Searls, John

Walsh, John

Wheaton, W. J.

Wiles, Edgar

Williamson, G. B.

Wilson, Andrew

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Squaw Creek Park will be open to the public about June 1<sup>st</sup>.

Thomas Douglas, of Warren, celebrated on Sunday his 86<sup>th</sup> birthday at the residence of his brother-in-law, John Pew.

Elmer Dorman, a young businessman of Conneaut, died Sunday.

Adelbert R. Tooley, of Lane Station, was notified March 2, of his appointment as postmaster of Lane, in the place of Mrs. C. M. King.

W. H. Bliss, of Madison, and H. H. Webster, of Montville, are poultry dealers.

Mr. F. L. Babcock has purchased the grocery and provision store of M. F. W. Share on the East side.

The formal transfer of the farm of Elizabeth M. Keller to S. T. Storm was made March 2.

Mrs. Eyman, wife of Dr. Eyman, the superintendent of the Cleveland State Hospital at Newburgh, is critically ill from gastritis.

There was a party at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Webster, March 5<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Mrs. Webster's birthday.

Fred Gale, of Unionville, who has been in jail for several months serving out a sentence for assault was released from custody today.

Mr. Arthur Skinner, of Chardon, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Catherine Warren left Thursday to visit friends in Pa.

Mrs. E. G. Wetherbee has returned from a trip to Washington with her sister, Mrs. Sawyer.

Miss Jennie Dyer is reported to be dangerously ill.

Mr. Harry Robinson, of East Cleveland, spent Sunday with Stanley Allnutt, of this place.

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Miss Nellie Murphy, of New Castle, is the guest of the Misses Wilkens, Washington street.

Mr. & Mrs. F. P. Pratt have a new daughter born Monday.

Mrs. E. C. McCormick, the mother of Mr. F. W. Littlejohn, has recovered from a serious illness of two weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Smith visited their daughter, Mae, in Oberlin.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Kneipp, of Pittsburgh, visited Painesville friends.

Hon. C. E. Bonebrake and wife, of Columbus, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. S. C. Hickok over Sunday. He is a cousin of Mr. J. M. Hart.

Mr. Fred V. Viall, of Willoughby, who was in town Thursday, announced he disposed of his interest in The Kingsley and the grocery business to his partner, Mr. E. H. Tryon.

Mr. H. R. Ayres, of Denver, will take the Mediterranean voyage for the benefit of his health. He and his wife have been guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. House.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert C. Moodey and their mother, Mrs. Addison Moodey, left for an eastern trip of a week.

Miss Isabel Howe, of the High School faculty has leased the Herbert L. Moodey place on Mentor Ave. and will bring her mother here to live. Her brother, Mr. Frederick C. Howe, who is with the firm of Garfield & Garfield in Cleveland, will also make his home here.

### **Business Change at Fairport**

On Monday the general store of Merrill & Hungerford at Fairport passed into the hands of Charles H. Stuber. The retiring firm has been in business in Fairport eleven years. They will seek a new location. Mr. Stuber is well known in Fairport and has lately been a member of the police force.

**Died** – Joseph M. Weitz, March 5, 1898. Funeral from the residence, 30 Longwood Ave., Cleveland, O.

### **Asphyxiated**

A profound sensation was caused in Mentor Monday morning by the discovery that Mr. & Mrs. Justin Alexander had been asphyxiated during the night. Mr. Alexander was 77 yrs. old and his wife was 75. They lived alone but had a woman in every day to do the work. This woman was Mrs. Rider and she was the one to make the dreadful discovery of the death from the escape of coal gas. The odor of coal gas was still oppressive when the coroner arrived. Relatives of the deceased lived in Newberry.

### **A LeRoy Boy Promoted**

Guy A. Cone, of the Lake Shore railway, has received a merited promotion. He has been called to Brocton to take the place of John E. McCrath and left for his work this week.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mrs. W. J. Smith, after one week stay with her aunt, Mrs. James Johnson returned last Friday to her home at Painesville.

Mr. Harry Flahavan, of Cleveland, was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. W. J. Morehouse and family, and Mr. & Mr. Mauria Flahavan.

Mr. & Mrs. A. O. Dewey tried the sleighing last Thursday, between this place and Rock Creek.

Miss Pauline Rappold formerly of this place, but now of Ashtabula, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Proctor and family.

Mr. E. Jewell, who is spending the winter at Madison, visited his old home yesterday.

Mrs. E. Bower, of West Trumbull, while enjoying a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. Down, of Painesville, was called to Ashtabula by sickness in the family of her daughter, Mrs. E. Holden.

Mr. & Mrs. B. G. Crandall spent Sunday with Mr. Crandall's parents at Trumbull.

Mr. & Mrs. Skinner, of Hartsgrove, attended M. E. Church yesterday as guests of Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy.

Mrs. John Proctor is spending some time with her daughter in Middlefield.

Mrs. R. M. Garis is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. L. H. Tillotson and family, of Painesville.

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Mrs. Emily Talcott and granddaughter, Carrie Acker, after spending the winter with Mrs. Talcott's son at Ashtabula, have returned to their home west of center.

Mr. B. Fredebaugh, of Richmond, visited his brothers and their families last week.

Burton Behm, youngest son of Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Behm, had a severe attack of croup the latter part of last week.

Mr. A. Teachout, of Madison, will manage Mr. George Keener's farm this coming season.

Mr. & Mrs. E. Sanford, who have for several years managed the Ferguson farm on the north town line road, have taken possession of the Louis Knight farm.

Mr. Austin Cole and family intend to remove to Painesville about the first of April.

Mrs. M. Caveney, who with her daughter, Mrs. O'Brien, has during the past year occupied the E. Jewell house, intends to return to her farm at Harts Grove this spring.

## **Mentor**

Mrs. Hurst has purchased a lot at the west end and will build.

F. A. Henning is erecting a new residence.

Mr. & Mrs. Thompson, of Kelloggsville, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Hovey.

Miss Grace Ellsworth, of Hudson, has been the guest of her sister, Miss Lillian Ellsworth, for a few days.

A. W. Jewell and family are the occupants of the O. Sawyer residence on Jackson street.

## **Mar. 16, 1898      Wednesday**

**p. 1 A golden wedding** event came into the lives of Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Justus, of Mentor, March 9. Sidney Justus was born 72 yrs. ago in Chardon. His wife, Matilda L. Smith, was born near the Green Mountains of Vermont about the same time. They were married in the house now occupied by Mr. E. T. Dunham. Mr. Sidney's brother, George, celebrated his golden wedding in his Illinois home and their sister, Mrs. Chester Brainard will next year celebrate her golden wedding in the old family home in Munson.

## **Obituary**

After an illness of only five days, William Harrison died Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>, 1898, at Rocky Ford, Colorado. He was born Oct. 5, 1827 at Ramsgate, Kent Co., England. He came to America with his parents when five years of age. The family settled about three miles from Painesville on Jackson street on the place now known as the Wells Farm. About 35 yrs. ago, he went to Elkhart, Indiana, where he married his second wife and by whose side he now sleeps. He moved to Detroit, but soon bought out a book store and news stand in Windsor, Ontario, where he continued until 1865. He moved to Sturgis, Michigan and bought out a book store which business he conducted for nearly a quarter of a century. He lived there until 1896 and then went to Hartford, City, Indiana, to live with his daughter and family, Mrs. J. M. Kelsay. Last fall they went to Denver, Colorado, to be with their daughter who had consumption, and last January to Rocky Ford where they expected to make their permanent home. The deceased was a brother to J. J. Harrison of The Storrs & Harrison Co. and Mrs. G. W. Barton, Erie street. Besides, he leaves three children, Fred W. Harrison, Velzy, Michigan; Frank J. Harrison, Chicago; Mrs. J. M. Kelsay, Rocky Ford, Colorado and their families.

## **South Thompson**

William Sober died March 10 of dropsy. He had been a sufferer for months. He leaves a wife, one son and a daughter to mourn the loss of a husband and father. The funeral will be held in Montville. Mr. Sober was about 65 yrs. old

Mrs. Mary Morgan died at her home in the northeast part of Montville, March 8, age 78 yrs.

The body of Mrs. Jack Havey, of Cleveland, was interred in the Catholic cemetery last Wednesdays.

Mr. Overmire's people moved to Bloomfield this week.

Emory Perkins of Collinwood, and Milton Sober, of Hudson, are in town.



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### **p. 2 LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Shaffer have moved to Wm. Taylor's to take care of him.

Mrs. Wayne Orion, who has been very sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Whipple, is improving.

Mrs. Addia Wright is a little better.

Dr. J. J. Orton of Randolph O. visited his mother at Mr. Whipple's, last week.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Curtis, of Geneva, is organizing a class in oil painting in town.

Mrs. Mary Isham, of Geneva, was calling on friends in town last Friday.

Mrs. Harriet Smead is the guest of Geneva friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Jane Wilkinson, of Conneautville, Pa., has been spending a week with friends in town.

Mrs. C. G. Ensign is occupying her old position in the post office for a short time.

Miss Winifred Rider is making her home with Mrs. Wallace Stocking.

Mr. McKim, of East Main, who has been seriously ill, was reported better.

Miss Clara Halstead has accepted a position at the Detroit Street Industrial Home, Cleveland.

Dr. & Mrs. J. V. Winans entertained the Reading Club this week.

Russell Cady spent Sat. and Sun. with his sister in Oberlin, in honor of his 14<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Mrs. W. G. Cook is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Helen Hoag and Mrs. Albert Cook, of Cleveland.

Rev. D. D. Strong and wife are expected this week from the est.

Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Ensign will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Floyd Bailey.

Mr. Chas. Searles will move into the Saxton house on Eagle street, Mr. Benjamin having purchased the Searles property on River street.

We learn with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Stanley Allen, formerly of this place, which occurred at U.B.A. Hospital, Grand Rapids, Mich., March 5, 1898. The family had gone west 30 yrs. ago. She leaves a husband, son and daughter.

### **Probate Notices**

1. F. R. Latham, executor of the estate of R. R. Latham, deceased; first account
2. Forestine G. Sanford, adm. of the estate of Lucy Gilmore, deceased; first and final account
3. A. S. Stratton, guardian of Noel McNaghton; final account
4. Geo. A. Bates, adm. of Horace Stebbins, deceased; first and final account
5. Aldie L. Hart Johnson, adm. of Daniel B. Hart, deceased; first and final account
6. Levi J. Mason, executor of the estate of Caroline Griswold, deceased; second account
7. Frank J. Rexford, adm. of the estate of John Cudney, deceased; first and final account
8. Wm. H. Genung, executor of Raymond Freeman, deceased; first and final account
9. R. C. Taylor, executor of Alice Farquharson, deceased; first and final account
10. Lyman C. Manchester, adm. of Orsemus Manchester, deceased; first and final account
11. Henry Hooper, guardian of George Bishop; final account.
12. Alice C. Hawley, adm. of James H. Maratta, deceased; first and final account.
13. Fred E. Wasson, executor of W. E. Wasson, deceased; second account
14. Mary Foss, adm. of Royal F. Benedict, deceased; final account.  
C. D. Clark, Probate Judge

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Visit John E. Cleary's meat market.

Nehemiah Hubbard, a prominent citizen of Ashtabula, died Thursday of pneumonia. He was 68 yrs. old. During the past 25 yrs., he had been clerk of Ashtabula township. For eleven years, he was postmaster of the city of Ashtabula.

James McCrone and Katherine Davis married this morning in the office of Justice Nye.

Alva Snell, of Fairport, who has been in the employ of the Fairport Fishing Co., will sail their new tug, the L. W. Knapp, the coming season.

The Hinsdale bill which compels farmers to cut brush and weeds along the roadside adjoining their property is now a law.

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George Smith, of Waite Hill, had a barn burn down, Thursday night with horses and cattle.

Mr. Charles Waterman, a former resident of this place, died at the home of his daughter Mrs. W. Winchell in Concord, Friday, age 90 yrs. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

The body of William Rexford was brought from Michigan on Friday for burial in Mentor which has been his home for the last 30 yrs. He was 90 yrs. old and a life-long resident of this county.

Leon, the 9-yr. old son of George Brigham, died of pneumonia at his home on Liberty street, Thursday.

Mr. Geo. A. Bates has negotiated an exchange of the property owned by Rev. S. S. Bartlett and Mrs. Bartlett, situated on Payne and Morse avenues and Jefferson street, for the seven-acre property on Stebbins Avenue, the property of Dr. C. F. House and Mrs. Elizabeth J. Baldwin.

Mrs. William H. Burrige, formerly of Unionville, died at her home in Toledo Sunday. She died of apoplexy. Mrs. Burrige was the mother of the late Rev. B. Marc Burrige.

The senior editor of the *Norwalk Reflector*, F. Wickham, celebrated his 86<sup>th</sup> birthday. For 58 yrs., he has been connected with the paper in one capacity or another.

### Personals

Mr. William Clayton is considered quite low.

Mr. & Mrs. H. P. Sanford expect to move to Cleveland this spring.

Mrs. E. H. Casement has been confined to her room several days by illness.

Mrs. Jennie Ward, of Cleveland, is visiting the family of Dr. W. H. Fowler, for a few days.

Mrs. Frances M. Howe, of Coldwater, Mich., is a guest at the home of Mr. C. H. Frank.

Mr. C. J. Scott is slowly recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Thos. R. Green, en route from California to New York, has stopped to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. R. S. Wood.

Mr. Gail G. Grant has leased the E. H. Gibbons place on N. State street and will make that his home after April 1.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert C. Moodey and their mother, Mrs. Addison Moodey, returned from a trip to Washington on Monday.

Mr. Andy Musgrove, the well-known P. & W. engineer, returned Monday from a visit to his West Virginia home.

Mr. Field D. Warner is visiting friends in town. He is about to decide to make Painesville his home again.

Mrs. George H. Hopper has decided to keep her home in New York and wishes her children to reside there, though the family will spend their summers at Elmwood.

Mr. Henry Alvord, of Cleveland, was in the city overnight called here by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. S. P. Alvord. The physician could give him no hope of her recovery.

Mr. John C. Fitzpatrick was in town Sat., having stopped a day in Mentor to see his father, Capt. Thos. Fitzpatrick. Mr. Fitzpatrick has just received the appointment of general agent of the Clover Leaf Steamship line with headquarters in Buffalo.

Mr. Albert August, of Fairport, had a lively runaway on the north side of the Park Monday. The horse was frightened by a street car.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

#### Madison Township

Scott, Mary

Scott, Warren

Bowen, Elmer E.

Bowen, Anna M.

Manley, Sarah R.

Dougan, Jane

Brown, H. H.

#### LeRoy

Proctor Edward

Hill, Clinton R.

Hill, Seth E.

Hill, Clinton R.

#### Perry

Ramsey, Wm.

Abbott, Robert S.

Craine, Max J.

Watts, George T.

Shepherd, James H.

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Shepherd, Geo. H.

Skinner, Jane

### **Painesville Township**

Day, Orrin C.

Day, Lina A.

### **Willoughby Township**

Harmon, Hiram P.

Cleveland, Chas. M.

### **Willoughby Village**

Barber, A. P.

Skiff, Charlotte E.

Everett, H. A.

### **Fairport Lots**

Stuber, Chas. H.

Merrill, Samuel

Hungerford, Levi W.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Morley, Susie J.

Stocking, C. W.

Lynch, John O.

Duffy, Maria

O'Brien, Margaret

Lynch, Charles Edward

O'Brien, Margaret

### **Probate Court**

Lewis, Jane – inquest of lunacy; adjudged insane and committed to Newburgh Asylum

Miller, Helena A. – cause continued

Bishop, George – guardianship, final account

Palmer, Erastus – will filed for probate

Maratta, James H. – order of private sale issued

Pratt, P. & Son – order of private sale issued

Skiff, Charlotte E. – sale of real estate

Maratta, James H. – first and final account filed

Ayer, Frank L. vs. William H. Plaisted – proceeding in aid of execution

Miller, Sylvester J. – exemplified copy of will filed

Wasson, W. E. – second account filed

Tuttle Eldon – petition filed

Coolidge, Murrilla A. – guardianship; S.M.

Coolidge appointed guardian; inventory filed

State of Ohio vs. Wm. J. Smith – assault; plead guilty and fined \$5 and costs

Belden, Hattie E. – account approved

Hardy, Parker F. – O. S. Southwick appointed administrator

Madison, Warren – inquest of lunacy; adjudged insane and committed to Cleveland hospital

McCrone, James – marriage license

Davis, Katherine – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

William H. Pope vs Samuel Quirk - injunction, money

H. N. Amidon vs the Diamond File Co.; to subject liability of stockholders

Phillip Schoelles and Augusta J. Schoelles vs. W. H. and Annie Humphrey and J. B. Vrooman – partition and accounting

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of March 15:

#### **Ladies**

Baumgardener, Mrs. Jacob

Crawford, Mrs. R. S.

Davis, Mrs. Mary

Ells, Miss Mary Mabel

Fouler, Mrs. Sarah

Hayes, Mrs. Hattie

Johnson Mrs. Mary

Ploytor, Mrs. S.

#### **Gentlemen**

Chapman, Jim

Davis, Charlie

Decker, F. A.

Jewell, Frank

McLillie, Mr.

Mueller, Pat

Stanton, Harry

Stringer, E. T.

Truello, Sannon

Wasson, Mr.

Walker, Geo.

**Died** - Mrs. Margaret Johnson, widow of the late Dr. Johnson, died Friday night at the residence of Mr. Norman Radcliffe in Hampden.

### **Grand Jury**

#### **From Painesville**

Hurbert, H. H.

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Hadden, C. W.  
Mighton, M. C.  
Collacott, H. R.  
Judson, L. E.  
Moodey, C. A.  
Kintner, E. E.

### **From LeRoy**

Kewish, L. L.

### **From Mentor**

VanCleve, H. B.  
Brown, O. H.  
Blish, Geo.

### **From Kirtland**

McFarland, M. S.

### **From Madison**

Burdick, Jewitt

### **From Perry**

Belknap, E. S.

### **Petit Jury**

#### **From Painesville**

Masters, W. M.  
Andrews, E. L.  
Hawkins, W. G.  
Tillotson, Earl  
Sheldon, E. M.  
Williams, D. E.  
Taylor, E. B.

#### **From Madison**

Gerling L. A.  
Adams, J. Q.  
Hall, Lyman  
Halsted, W. H.

#### **From Concord**

Weigel, Solomon W.  
Trowbridge, Wesley

#### **From Kirtland**

Frissell, Thomas  
Harris, R. H.

#### **From Willoughby**

Rockefeller, Frank  
Abell, Mark  
Wall, Charles

#### **From Perry**

Chapman, John

#### **From Mentor**

Sweet, J. E.

### **Stolen Horse Recovered**

W. L. Upton, of Madison, who had a valuable horse stolen from his barn a week ago, got it restored to him. The rider abandoned the horse in the vicinity of Myron Horton's land where the horse wandered around to Mentor street, where it was taken up by John Tuttle. Mr. Tuttle reported the matter to Marshal Connell Wed.

### **Death of Mrs. Sarah P. Alvord**

Mrs. Sarah P. Alvord died at the home of her niece, Mrs. W. G. Hawkins, Tuesday. Mrs. Alvord was a sister of the late M. R. Doolittle and during the later years of her life has shared his home. Mrs. Alvord was born in Middlebury, Vermont, Feb. 15, 1819.

P. H. Towell will be selling his animals and farm implements at an auction sale at his farm on Johnny Cake Ridge, Concord, Ohio. C. W. Canfield, Auctioneer

### **Perry**

Mrs. Sarah Salkeld has recovered sufficiently to take a short drive.

Mr. William Northard and family of LeRoy, have moved to Perry, where they are caring for their aunt, Mrs. Samuel Northard.

Mr. Charles Moon, of Allegheny Co., N.Y., is in town. He was a resident of this place 20 yrs. ago.

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Sinclair were called to Geneva on Friday to attend the funeral of a niece.

Miss Lotta Marvin returned to Austinburg on Tuesday where she will spend three months in study before graduating.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. A. Z. Olds returned home last week.

Mr. & Mrs. N. A. Penhollow have moved to their suburban residence and are entertaining a brother from Kirtland.

Mrs. Charles Hubert entertained visitors from Calm last Monday.

Mr. E. Tillotson is spending some time in Ashtabula where he is receiving medical treatment.

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Mr. Henry Olds, of Bostwick and sister were guests last week of Mr. & Mrs. A. Z. Olds.

Miss Margaret Radcliffe and Louis McKnight spent Sunday at Chardon.

Miss Ida Bower, of Trumbull, spent several days visiting relatives in this vicinity.

A sugar social was held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. John Reigert, of West Trumbull.

Mr. C. N. Cloes is employed as general agent by the Michigan Mutual Life Ins. Co.

Mr. Wm. Abbey, of North East LeRoy, may buy a residence at Thompson center.

Mr. & Mrs. A. K. McNish, of Chardon, with two sons, were guests of Mrs. A. M Stocking on Sat.

Mrs. Byron Payne, who has been seriously ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. N A. Penhollow received a telegram last week announcing the death of a brother in New York.

Mr. F. M. Ford received a telegram informing him of the dangerous illness of his mother living in Chicago.

Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch will not be compelled to make a journey to Cleveland to visit their eldest daughter and family, as Mr. Stocking has exchanged his city property for a farm in Harpersfield near Rogers Corners.

Mr. Edson Wilber caught a great big coon on his way out to his barn.

Mrs. Jay Scott and Mrs. Fred Scott, of South Madison, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. George Scott last Thursday.

### **Mentor**

Major W. Clapp was in town over Sunday

Mrs. Stanley-Brown and family are at Lawnfield.

Mrs. Dr. F. A. Coats visited her daughter in Glenville last week.

Swain & Carver is said to be the name of the new meat market soon to come.

Mrs. J. A. Ritter spent a part of last week with her sister in the city.

Mrs. Prentice, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Harrington over Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Diosegi, of the city, visited friend in town the first part of the week.

Miss Alice Barnes, of Painesville, was the guest of Miss Flora Cook over Sunday.

Three of the aged of Mentor passed away last week. In addition to Mr. & Mrs. Alexander, William Rexford's remains were brought to this place, age 92 yrs.

**Weather History:** Facts regarding the weather for 43 yrs. by F. S. Weed.

Mean temperature for Mentor was 28 degrees. The highest mean temperature for the period was 41 in 1889 and 1890.

The next highest was the was 37 degrees in 1877-1878.

The lowest for the same period was 18 degrees in 1855-1856 being the coldest winter of the period.

The next lowest was 19 degrees in 1892-93.

The most remarkable snowstorm of this period occurred Jan. 21, 1878, when nearly two feet of snow fell from 4 a.m. to 9 p.m. Within this time there fell in 8 hours, 18 inches of snow between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. During 20 mins. of this time, there fell 4 inches of snow, being at the rate of one foot per hour.

More snow fell during the winter of 1878-80 than any winter of this time since 1856. The total was 101 inches.

The earliest snow fall in Northern Ohio was Sept. 30, 1879.

The latest snow fall for this period was May 9, 1885.

The winter of 1878 ended earlier than any in this time, the last snow fall being March 24<sup>th</sup>.

The least snow fell in the winter of 1865-66, the total being less than 22 inches.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mrs. Jennie Downing is sick a bed with a hard cold.

Mrs. R. A. Park returned home from a visit in Findlay.

Mr. Huselton moved his family into J. C. Campbell's house north of the church.

Mr. Harry Grace is expected back in a few days to work for Mr. S. Brown.

Mr. S. Clyde Richardson spent three- or four-days visiting friends in Cleveland.

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Mr. Silas Green has been sick for several days, caught cold those warm days.

Mr. Frank Andrews has moved into his house by the Disciple Church and Mr. Robert Abbott will move in with O. Andrews and work for Mr. A. this year.

Twenty-five patrons went to Mr. A. Becker's in Blackbrook, took their supper and had a good time.

The Andrews family, near and far, made a surprise party at Mrs. Harriet French's Sat. to have one more visit with their Uncle John before he goes back to New Mexico.

### **Concord**

Mrs. G. O. Beede is making a lengthy visit with her parents in Jefferson, Ohio.

Mr. & Mrs. Shan, who have for the past year occupied the Orrin Wilson place, have returned to their former home in Claridon.

Mrs. Robt. Corlett will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society on March 16<sup>th</sup>. The work is on rugs to be sent to the King home, in Marshall, Texas, at the opening of another school year.

The funeral of Mr. Waterman was last Sunday at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Warren Winchell, with whom he had been living. He was the oldest man in town, and Mr. Erastus Palmer, the next oldest, died but a few days before Mr. Waterman.

## **Mar. 23, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 A Sad Death**

Miss Kate Corlett, youngest daughter of Robert Cortlett, died Friday. The family resides in Fairport and is composed of two boys and two girls who live with their parents. Miss Jessie Corlett, the elder sister, teaches school in Concord, and the boys are employed on the docks in Fairport. Kate was 17 yrs. old and her death was due to suicide, the result of ill health. It is said she was afflicted with severe headaches. On Friday afternoon, she complained of a terrible pain in her head and went upstairs to lie down. The mother went up to visit her and tell her that her sister would be home soon. She met

Kate at the door and she was deathly pale. She fell forward on the floor and became unconscious. Dr. Root was called but arrived too late to save the girl's life. She had taken a large dose of carbolic acid with suicidal intent. Robert Corlett was a farm hand and was recently in the employ of Dr. Root. A few years ago, he was manager of the farm belonging to Gen. J. S. Casement on the East Side.

### **Wrestling Match a Draw**

A number of people from Painesville and Madison witnessed the wrestling match between Homer McManus, of Painesville, and Jerome Emerson, of Madison given at Madison Wed. night. McManus secured the first fall in 14 minutes. The second fall was won by Emerson after 32 minutes. At the end of the second round, both men were so exhausted that they willingly consented to a draw.

### **Thrown from a Wagon**

While Theodore Harrington was driving across the street car track on Main street at noon today the wheels of his lumber wagon caught on the rail and the force was sufficient to throw his wife to the pavement. The woman was run over by the wagon. She was taken to Moodey's Pharmacy and much indignation was expressed because her husband denied her the services of a physician. Dr. Fisher was called, however, and Mrs. Harrington was taken to her office to recover from the shock. Her husband had been drinking. They live near Chardon.

### **Kirtland**

Arthur Sperry, wife and two children, are at home on a visit.

A warm sugar social was enjoyed at Frank Millard's the 17<sup>th</sup> for the benefit of the River Side Sunday School.

Mrs. Beck has received a visit from her sister, Mrs. Aultman, of Pa.

Mrs. Bentley returned to her home last week.

### **Thompson**

Mrs. Lena Woodin is improving.

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Mrs. G. Keener recently visited friends at Unionville.

Mr. H. Lobdell visited Rock Creek last week.

Mr. Austin Cole spent two or three days of the past week with his parents at Trumbull.

Mr. Frank Webster, after spending the winter with his parents and other relatives, has returned to his home in eastern Nebraska.

Mr. David Ralston and family are back home in West Trumbull after a trip to Pa.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Crandall are moving into their new house.

Mrs. Matilda Gilbreath returned home Friday from a four week stay in Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott visited relatives at Madison last week.

Germans from this place, Madison and Harpersfield, recently held religious services at the home of Mr. Turk in Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Nye, of Madison, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Hodges Monday.

Mr. Fred Scott is again in the employ of Mr. Henry Crocker.

Bills are out announcing a public sale of personal property at the late home, of Miss Maria Austin.

Mrs. Rachel Keener, of Trumbull, mother of our townsman, Mr. George Keener, has been seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. C. N. Cloes started out two weeks ago on an insurance trip accompanied by Mr. Earl Burroughs, of South Thompson. Upon reaching Geneva, Mr. Burroughs was taken with measles and quarantined. Mr. Cloes is still at large.

Mrs. W. W. Hodges has been seriously ill with rheumatic fever.

Mr. Frederick Hulbert, who has been in poor health for some time, was at last report confined to his bed.

Mrs. Margaret Morrow, of Harts Grove, who has remained with her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Stevens during her severe illness, intends to return to her home today. Mrs. Stevens has not been so well of late and Miss Jessie Fredebaugh has been engaged to stay with Mrs. Stevens.

Mr. W. J. Foote is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Reuben and Louis, sons of Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Chaffee, have the chicken pox.

Mrs. L. B. Woodworth is staying for several weeks in Ashtabula with her young daughter, Leonou, who is receiving medical treatment at that place.

Mr. & Mrs. Elba Benjamin, of South Madison, were guests yesterday of Mrs. Benjamin's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Cole entertained visitors from out of town.

**Weather:** The thermometer registered 70 degrees Sat. at noon. This isn't half bad for March 19.

Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Ernst had a baby girl born on Sat. Night.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Master Alvin Tyler spent part of his vacation with his brother, Garfield, in Buffalo.

Mr. N. P. Downing, who has been in Texas all winter for his health, returned the 20<sup>th</sup> looking very well.

There is to be a surprise party this week for Mrs. R. A. Park, Wed., to help her quilt; take your dinner and work all day.

Mrs. Ethel Flickinger is making her father, J. C. Campbell, a visit, also Miss Gertrude Krause is visiting Mr. Flickinger.

Mr. Dayton Phelps will move this week to his place on Little Mountain.

Mr. Joe Richmond has built a new house on the farm he bought of Charlie Hayes, said farm being part of the old Brown farm up towards the river, will be occupied by Mr. H. Wright.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Mame Woodruff, of Collinwood, has been spending the past week with her parents.

Miss Georgia McCullough has been visiting with her friend, Mrs. John Nott.

Miss Florence Rose has been the guest of her relatives in Cleveland for several days.

Mrs. L. L. Cook and daughter, Flora, have returned from a visit with their friends in the city.

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Mr. Bert W. Smith has returned from his trip to Madison, Wis., and Chicago.

Mrs. J. Stanley-Brown has accompanied her husband to Alaska this season.

Mrs. W. S. Hopkins visited with her son in the city the greater part of last week.

Mrs. Chase, of Painesville, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. T. S. Weed, for a number of days.

The old flag stop on the Lake Shore known for many years past as Heisley has been transformed almost into a full-fledged station. A new building has been erected by the Railroad Co. and the name changed to Mountain View. The new name was given because of Little Mountain being in full view from this point on the road.

Mr. C. O. Wright, who suffered from chronic cystitis for years, passed away on Sunday. He was 68 yrs. old and was the oldest of a family of 12 children, five of whom survive him. He leaves a wife and two daughters.

### **p. 2 Madison**

Miss Nellie Hurlburt, of Cleveland, is spending a few days with her mother.

Dr. Domer, of Saybrook, was shaking hands with Madison friends last Friday.

Mrs. J. Carmer and Miss Mary Hammond, of Collamer, were in town part of last week.

James Woodworth and sister, Miss Nora, of Cleveland, have been visiting their uncle, John Woodworth.

A box of bedding and clothing will be sent this week to the Cuban sufferers. Also, a sum of money from the Junior C. E. Society and others.

Mrs. W. M. Cook expects to leave the Cook House, April 1, and will occupy rooms over the Globe Drug Store.

Wedding – In Madison, March 9, Mr. W. B. Wheeler to Mrs. Victoria Gilbert Roswell, both of Madison.

Born – In Madison, March 12, a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Charles King.

### **Perry**

Mrs. O. C. Pinney, of Glenville, is visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery.

Mrs. Larabee, who has been in town through the winter, returned to her home in Jefferson.

Mr. O. H. Cady, who has been a resident of Perry the past two years has returned to Madison.

G. Burr Turney of your city was in town on Wed.

Mr. Archie Merriman has been quite sick the past week.

Frank Turney, of South Madison, has moved on to the Isaac Sawdey place on the Middle Ridge.

Tom Kilkawley visited friends at Hampden on Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Preston spent Sunday with relatives at Madison.

Mr. A. C. Hoose has purchased the house recently occupied by Henry Whiting.

Mrs. Alices Shook is visiting Mrs. St. John.

Ernest Cadwell, of Austinburg, was a guest of John and George Salkeld last week

Forest Bedell and Heber Haywood left today for Chicago.

Miss Lura Ashley is spending some time with friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. Henry Shepard is quite sick.

**Sheriff's Sale:** Frederick Freshely vs Irwin H. Holt; land in LeRoy, Lake Co., Ohio, will be sold.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Wallace Ormes was given a workhouse sentence this morning for the abuse of a horse which he had hired.

Burgess H. Richards, of Willoughby, enlisted in the heavy artillery of the regular army in Cleveland Thursday.

Charles O. Wright, a former resident of East Painesville, died at his home in Mentor, age 69 yrs.

Sam Gordon, a colored boy who is a pupil in Miss Huntington's room, had his leg broken Thursday while engaged in a game of pull-away.

The marriage of Mr. Lester Reed and Miss May Barlow was announced today. The ceremony took place several days ago in Willoughby but was kept a secret until now.



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The Ashtabula Telephone Co. is going to construct a line to Red Brook this spring and perhaps to Sturgeon Point, as there are twelve boarding houses now at the latter place and one double and two single cottages to be built this spring, besides several private residences.

Frank Shepard, of Erie, the Lake Shore brakeman who lost a leg at Painesville a year ago, is visiting his uncle, James Shepard, and family of Ashtabula. He is now quite recovered from the accident, but he needs a second amputation before he gets well. *Ashtabula Beacon*

Mr. Geo. Caufield, of Girard, O., returned from Washington last Friday, commissioned as U.S. Inspector of post offices.

Mr. A. J. Smith, general passenger agent of the Lake Shore, has been in railroad service 42 yrs. He is nearly 58 yrs. old.

H. T. Wilson of Akron was appointed receiver of certain property owned by Col. A. L. Conger in that city.

### Personals

Mr. C. W. Morley removed his family to Madison Monday.

Mrs. F. L. Warren spent Sunday in her home in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. John H. Britton have returned from a visit with their son in Atlanta.

Miss Martha Harrington will leave tomorrow for Michigan where she expects to reside.

Miss Adda Mathews, of Jackson street, left for a visit to Philadelphia Friday.

Mr. H. S. LaCount is confined to his room by illness and is threatened with an attack of malarial fever.

Mr. & Mrs. H. F. McFarland, of Cleveland, are guests of the McFarland homestead, Richmond street.

Miss Cora Herrick has gone to Boston, Mass., to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Stevens.

Mrs. E. H. Rich, of Fort Dodge, Ia., is visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin, Liberty street.

Mr. L. E. Judson went to New York City Thursday to purchase goods for the spring and summer trade.

Mr. & Mrs. Sam Reynolds, of Ashtabula, have been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past few days.

Mrs. L. O. Barstow, of New Haven, Conn., on her return from Denver, has stopped to visit her sister, Mrs. C. O. Higgins, this week.

Capt. J. E. Post has returned from a visit of three days in Mayfield where he was the guest of Mr. George Bennett, commissioner of Cuyahoga county.

Mr. H. L. Pitcher has leased a part of the Aaron Bartholomew place at the corner of St. Clair and Jackson streets and will make this place his home again.

Mrs. Nellie McBride of Chardon, returning from a visit at Akron, stopped for a two days' visit with her aunt, Mrs. A. F. Stebbins, 726 West Jackson Street.

Mr. Seba French, of Warrensville, Ill., a former resident of this village, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. B. H. Woodman. Mr. French is accompanied by his grandson, Frank.

Miss Alta Fitch, of Jefferson, and Howard L. Ingersoll, of Dunkirk, a civil engineer on the Lake Shore, will be married very quietly this Wed. at the home of Attorney & Mrs. Winchester Fitch.

Mr. Will Rehill has returned from Flesherton, Canada, his former home and will enter the employ of James Garrett. Mr. Rehill has married, and they will reside at the corner of Pearl and St. Clair street.

Mr. & Mrs. Winchester Fitch, of Ashtabula, have leased apartments in New York City near Mrs. Hopper's home and will soon remove there. Mr. Fitch has retired from the law firm of Hall & Fitch and resigned his place on the board of County examiners. The family will spend their summers in Unionville.

Mr. Theo. Hall Jr., of Ashtabula, who was injured at the riot in Oberlin last fall, has just returned to his home from a hospital in Cleveland. An operation removing a piece of his skull and trephining was successfully performed while he was in the hospital.

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The editor of the *Jefferson Gazette* announces that he has renewed his contract with the proprietor, Mr. E. L. Lampson, and will continue his management of the paper.

To be included, free of cost, in the List of Country Homes open to Summer Boarders, published annually by Advertising Dept. of the Nickel Plate Road, address B. F. Horner, General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O., at once.

The Western Union office will on April 3 be moved to the front part of the real estate office of Geo. A. Bates. Mr. Grant Kee, the jeweler, will occupy one of the windows in the west store of Barto & Kerr and E. J. Kelley will move his barber shop to the present office of the Western Union.

### **Tragedy at Geneva**

Marshal Connell and other members of the police force in Painesville were on the lookout Monday night for a fugitive from justice. James McStockard was wanted at Geneva for shooting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Gaines Trunkey, with probably fatal results. Mrs. Trunkey was shot twice, once in the chin and the other in the left breast. McStockard had been drinking heavily for several days and was abusive to his wife. His wife took her little girl and fled to her sister's home for refuge. He went to Mrs. Trunkey's house and when she answered the door, he fired two shots at her and started to run. Physicians were summoned to attend the wounded woman and it is thought she cannot recover as they have been unable to remove either of the balls. McStockard is about 45 yrs. of age and slight of build with a sandy mustache. Mr. Trunkey, the husband of the woman upon whom the assault was made is a brother of the well-known lawyer, A. J. Trunkey Esq.

### **Fell from a Scaffold**

Friday noon Charles Werbeck and E. E. Lawrence were working on a scaffold, painting Mr. Lawrence's store at Fairport, and the scaffolding gave way. Both men fell a distance of 28'. Mr. Lawrence escaped without injury, but Mr. Werbeck was seriously cut about the head.

Dr. York and Dr. Quayle, of Madison, attended the injured man.

### **A Golden Wedding in New York**

The golden wedding of Mr. & Mrs. George W. Gillette was celebrated at their home, 70 West 87<sup>th</sup> street, New York on March 15. Mr. Gillette is a brother of Mrs. S. S. Burrows and Mrs. George W. Morgan, of Geneva. Mr. Gillette when a young man left Geneva and settled in Sheboygan, Wis., where he was appointed postmaster and edited the *Sheboygan Mercury*, where he met and married Fanny L. Camp, the eldest daughter of Samuel Camp. Mr. Gillette is well-known as the author of the *White House Cook Book*. *Free Press*

Order Goods by Mail. Write to our Mail Order Dept. for samples of spring dress goods, silks, wash goods and trimmings. Z. L. White & Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Letters uncalled for at Painesville P.O. as of March 22:

#### **Ladies**

Impponer, Ida  
Lonay, Miss Elizabeth  
Wooden, Miss Georgia

#### **Gentlemen**

Benedict, S. A.  
Carey, C. C.  
Gilman, A. G.  
Harmon, C. G.  
Kerfott, W. D.  
Moore, F. H.  
McGuire, James  
Williams, Henry S.

#### **LeRoy**

Mrs. Helen Harvey returned home last Sunday from Concord, where she has been spending several weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Donovan attended a surprise party last Monday at Wells Warren's in Concord. It was Mr. & Mrs. Warren's 10<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

S. Dexter Williams Corps, of LeRoy, will have a New England supper at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ed. Proctor.

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Mrs. Marsh, of Madison Gore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emory Sprague.

Mrs. C. H. Collister, of Painesville, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Dunmore Warren.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Perry**

Norton, Horace  
Salkeld, Glenn H.

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Brooks, Mary M.  
Bates, Nellie E.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Barnes, Harley  
Brooks, Mary M.  
Kings, Jane S.  
Potter, Mary E.  
Ward, John C.  
Crofoot, Isaac W.

Crofoot, M. Eugene

##### **Willoughby Village**

Tryon, E. H.  
Viall, F. V.  
Tryon, E. H.

##### **Concord**

Barnes Co.  
Avery, Matilda C.

##### **Painesville Township**

Crofoot, B. F.  
Crofoot, I. W.

##### **Kirtland**

Johnson, Addie S. Hart  
Sanborn, Alden  
Houtz, Elizabeth  
Farrow, Elizabeth P.

##### **Mentor Township**

Barnes Co.  
Avery, Matilda C.

##### **Mentor Village**

Garfield, James R.  
Rudolph, Joseph  
Andrews, Antoinette D.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Price, Carrie B.

Rudd, Halsey H.

### **Probate Court**

Bartholomew, Jennie A. – order of private sale issued

Alexander, Justin – will filed for probate

Rosa, Catharine – will filed for probate

Rosa, Amphila – will filed for probate

Bartholomew, Aaron – will admitted to probate; election of widow

Searls, G.- assignment; sale of real estate

Searls, C. W. – assignment; sale of real estate

Frank L. Ayer vs Wm. H. Plaisted – cause continued

Palmer, Erastus – will admitted to probate

Woolsey, Desire – first and final account

Green, Wallace D. – marriage license

Moore, Myrtle – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Aaron M. Wilcox vs Henry Dressler - foreclosure and equitable relief. Lewis J. Wood attorney for plaintiff

#### **Indictments:**

State vs Oscar Mondlen - cutting and stabbing with intent to kill

State vs Matt Johnson - incest

State vs Matt Johnson – rape on daughter

State vs John Cain – assault and battery

### **Concord**

Eugene Smith, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Edmund Ward in Cleveland, has returned to Wyoming where he is engaged in bridge building of the Union Pacific R.R.

Miss Bell Smith and Jennie Chadwick, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with Mrs. Edmund Ward.

Mrs. Julia Fay has returned from the west.

Peter Sweet is sick in bed for the first time for forty years.

L. E. Hudson is selling a road wagon and a surrey.

Thomas Stinchcomb, Perry, O. is selling a team of heavy black draught horses.

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Tom Linton, 555 Mentor Ave., is selling an 8-room house, nearly new.

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### **p. 1 A Stabbing Affray**

There was a stabbing affray at Duffy's saloon, on Prospect street, Thursday. Some were at this place engaged in the pleasant pastime of painting Tim Hayes green in honor on St. Patrick's Day. Tim aroused from the lethargy into which he had fallen from over indulgence and struck at one of his tormentors with a knife, striking upon the abdomen of James McGravey. The wound was serious but not thought to be fatal. Hayes was arrested and plead guilty of intoxication. He is being held until the effect of McGravey's wound is determined.

### **Fitch-Ingersoll Nuptials**

Miss Alta Fitch, of Jefferson, and Mr. Howard L. Ingersoll, of Cleveland, O., were married Wed. at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Winchester Fitch, at Ashtabula. The young lady is the daughter of the late Hon. E. H. Fitch and formerly a student at Lake Erie College. The groom is assistant chief engineer on the Lake Shore Railway. He is the son of Mr. & Mrs. George L. Ingersoll, of Mentor, and brother of Miss Helen Ingersoll, who graduated at the Seminary two years ago. The couple will reside at 54 Park Street, Ashtabula.

### **Caught in Lake County**

James McStockard, the Geneva assassin, was captured in Solon A. Rand's woods in Perry. His captor was S. D. Barber, the ex-sheriff of Lake Co., and now acting as deputy sheriff. McStockard took breakfast at the home of Frank Fuller, who lives on the South Ridge near the township line between Perry and Madison. He was recognized by a neighbor of Mr. Fuller, who knew him well. J. H. Brown of Perry, was notified of the fact and he called Sheriff St. John by telephone. When they got to Perry, they were informed that the man had been captured by Deputy Sheriff Barber. As soon as Deputy Sheriff Barber was notified of McStockard's presence in

his bailiwick, he and his brother, Malin Barber, started out to look for him. They caught him in the woods. The day before McStockard had held at bay a whole posse who tried to take him in Hubbard's woods near Geneva.

Four of the men, who painted and assaulted Tim Hayes, were arrested Thursday. James Duffey, the saloonkeeper, who did the painting was fined \$15 and costs. Mike Murphy, William Welsh and Richard Lynch were bound over to the probate court charged with assault and battery.

David Donovin, who is under indictment for pick-pocketing, was arrested in Cleveland. He is charged with taking L. C. Bodie's gold watch while intoxicated. Three boys saw him do it and reported it to Officer May.

### **Death of Mrs. Lucy Britton**

Relatives have been notified of the death of Mrs. Lucy E. Britton, widow of M. T. Britton, which occurred at her late home, No. 75 Magnet street, Cleveland, Friday. She died of pneumonia. Mrs. Britton was formerly Miss Lucy Fowler, of Chardon, and was an employee in the office of *The Telegraph* for two years with Mr. J. H. Merrill. Her husband, the late M. T. Britton, was a brother of John H. Britton, of this place. They were married in Painesville. Burial was at Evergreen Cemetery.

The Fairport Lighthouse lights were resumed on Thursday night much earlier than the usual date by reason of the entire absence of ice in this part of the lake. Last year 664 vessels entered and departed from Fairport.

### **p. 2 J. S. Burrows, Proprietor of *The Telegraph***

On Sat., John P. Barden severed his connection *The Telegraph*. He leaves the editorial desk to assume responsibilities as postmaster of this city.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Mrs. Josephine Knowles, 134 High street, corner Wood. Dressmaking promptly done.

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John W. Lynch, a brakeman on the P. & W, had the fingers on his right hand mashed while coupling cars Monday

An inquest of lunacy was held on Agnes Elizabeth Field, of Madison today. The court determined she was of unsound mind and had her committed to the asylum at Newburgh until cured.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Co. has purchased the entire property of the Andrews estate at Conneaut harbor.

The Lake Shore has issued a circular describing the uniforms to be worn by engineers and firemen. The requirement is that all suits are to be the same material and color. It will consist of coat, overall, and cap which will be furnished by the company the first time at cost, after which the men may purchase where and when they desire.

The case of Larmar L. Kewish and Almar E. Baker vs. William Wise was taken up in common pleas court. Kewish and Baker had prevented Wise from cutting timber on a farm in Blair's Hollow in Perry. It is claimed by the defendant that the trees in dispute were purchased by him and that he held title to them.

Mr. W. S. Ricker purchased a building lot in the Mrs. Martha Curtiss allotment on Liberty street.

Mr. M. E. Crofoot sold his house and lot on Washington street Monday; he will move into his new home on Erie street.

John Cain entered a plea of guilty for assault and battery upon officer Creedon. He was fined \$25 and costs and ordered committed until paid.

James McConnell, brother of Mrs. A. A. Lee, died at his home in Woodstock, Ontario, Thursday. He had visited Painesville several times.

Miss Laura Mason sold her property on Erie street to Mr. M. E. Crofoot.

Harold Kelley Cowdery, 4 yr. old son of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Cowdery, of Ashtabula, died Thursday after an illness of ten days with typhoid fever. The child was the grandson of L. H. Cowdery of Perry.

James T. Cannon and David Fuller, the two men who were arrested for breaking into cars at the Nickel Plate, Sat., were released on bail. They named Cleveland as their home.

Mrs. Cordelia M. Dunsha, sold her place on Marion street to Mr. C. E. Sherman. Mr. Sherman will occupy the house with his family.

The Lake Shore passenger depot at Perry caught fire Friday night and was totally destroyed together with considerable baggage. The origin of the fire is unknown.

## Personals

Mrs. C. N. Tinklepaugh, of Burton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Proctor, of Prospect street.

Mr. & Mrs. M. F. Durfee, of Nebraska street, left Sat. for Elgin, Ill., to visit relatives. Master Hugh F. Blackmore has gone to Cleveland to spend a week with his aunt, Mrs. J. F. Doolittle, of Madison Ave.

Mrs. George Brewer, of Sandusky, formerly Miss Annette Fitch, and Mrs. Everett L. Abbey, of East Cleveland, formerly Miss Graham, were guests of Lake Erie College on Friday.

Mrs. R. W. Fisher and daughter, Miss Fisher, have returned to their Mentor Ave. home from a visit of two months in Chicago and South Bend.

Rev. Clair F. Luther, formerly of Richmond and a graduate of the Painesville High School in 1885, after a pastorate of 6 yrs. in Redding, Conn., has been called to the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Mystic, Conn.

Mrs. S. J. Goldsmith, who has been visiting D. E. Gregory and family in Orangeville, returned Thursday.

Col. & Mrs. D. H. Darling left for their home in Joliet, Ill., on Thursday.

Mr. Fred Storm and family have become residents of Painesville township. They have a new farm east of the Storrs & Harrison Co. Nurseries.

Miss Lucia Crofoot left Monday for a visit with friends in Lafayette, Ind.

Mrs. W. D. Swezey, of Marion, Ind., is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. J. Q. Darrow.

Mr. H. S. La Count was able to be out Sunday for the first time since his recent illness.

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Mr. T. E. Gregory, of Collinwood, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Robert Gregory, of Pearl street.

Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Jerome and son, Jay, left Monday evening for a trip to Denver and Colorado Springs, Col.

Miss Pauline Uttig, of Lincoln, Neb., has come to spend the summer with her friend, Miss Virginia Wright, of the Nursery.

Mr. Thomas Warren, of Saginaw, Mich., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Warren, of Washington street.

Mr. Dey Hicks, the janitor of the Episcopal Church, leaves this week for Madison, where he will locate on the farm recently purchased by him at that place.

Mr. R. J. Brakeman was in town Monday on business and intends to return here with his family about the middle of April.

Lieut. W. M. Irwin, U.S.N., was ordered on Sat. to the command of the monitor Montauk and will be stationed at Portland, Me. Lieut. Irwin formerly resided in this city.

Mr. R. P. Burnham, of Collinwood, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Brewer, this week.

M. R. M. Wilson is studying architecture in the offices of Knox & Elliot, Cleveland.

Mr. D. R. Davis was in Fairport Monday photographing lands in the interest of the P.P. & F. Railroad.

Miss Lotta Osborne, of St. Clair street, went to Chardon Monday to spend the vacation with relatives.

Mr. & Mrs. H. P. Sanford moved to Cleveland on Monday. Many will regret their departure from this city which has always been their home.

Miss Mabel Toope and Miss Jennie Thompson, of Collinwood, returned home Monday, after a two week visit with Mrs. J. H. Brewer, of South St. Clair street.

Capt. Ralph Byrns of Cleveland, is visiting his father, T. W. Byrns, of Mentor Headlands.

### **Perry**

Mr. William Huddy left for his home at St. Catherine's, Canada, on Friday.

Mr. G. W. Orcutt and infant son, of Warrensville, spent last week with Perry relatives.

Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Sheldon were guests of Eugene Norton and family on Friday.

Preston, the jeweler, moved his family and stock of goods to Madison last week where he will continue in the business.

Wildflowers are plenty and have been for several days, which are at least two weeks in advance of their annual arrival.

Leo Reynolds is the new clerk in Salkeld's store.

Mr. Roy Whiting, of Austinburg, on his return from Columbus, called on Perry friends and left his trunk at the Lake Shore depot which went up in smoke Friday night. Several bicycles which were stored there for the night met a similar fate.

### **Concord**

Mr. & Mrs. G. O. Beede are home after an absence of three weeks.

Mrs. Correll Merrell and daughter, Helen, of Cleveland, are spending some time in Concord.

Geraldine, the little daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Wright, has been critically ill with kidney disease. Dr. Pomeroy, of Chardon, is attending.

### **Little Mountain**

Orlando Pinney is about to move to Willoughby for a season, having hired a farm there.

A sugar social is to be held at the residence of Spencer Phelps next Wed. under the auspices of Mr. H. B. Rayls' Sunday school class.

Layton Phelps has moved from Mentor Plains to his home near Little Mountain, and Mr. Woodworth, who has been living in Mr. Layton's house, has moved to Concord.

### **LeRoy**

Arthur Dille has moved from East LeRoy to Painesville.

Mrs. Marian Gardner and Miss Margaret Huston attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Charles O. Wright, in Mentor, last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Grant Graham had a baby boy on Tuesday.

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Charlie Tenney is in Brecksville, Cuyahoga Co., and will soon move his family to that place.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Thompson, of Collinwood, are visiting their sister Mrs. Grant Graham.

The S. J. Miller farm has been sold to Cleveland parties.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of March 30:

### **Ladies**

Fowler, Mrs. Della  
Mooney, Sadie, B.  
Whiting, Flora  
Wright, Mrs. H. c.  
Wright, Miss F. E.  
Vactor, Celia

### **Gentlemen**

Abbey, John L.  
Allen, E. A.  
Bates, Chas.  
Black, Thos.  
Edwards, Chas.  
Goodwin, John  
James, W. J.  
Leslie, L. L.  
Mason, Chas.  
Perry, W. H.  
Searl, J. T.  
Wills, David

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Perry**

Young, Otis E.  
Few, Alfred  
Few, Anna  
Wire, Samuel  
Shepherd, Jas. H.

##### **Concord**

Smith, James Hanford  
Bushnell, Edward  
Morse, Maria S.  
Morse, Jane E.  
Tuttle, O. G.  
Harrison, J. J.  
Harrison, Rachel A.

Harrison, J. J.

#### **Painesville Township**

Carter, Kate L.  
Poshcosh, John  
Carter, Lillian K.  
Carter, Philip A.  
Tuttle, O. G.  
Harrison, J. J.  
Warren, John S.  
Wheeler, George H.  
Wheeler, Louisa A.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Shaw, Olive  
Shaw, Fayette W.  
House, C. F.  
Baldwin, Elizabeth J.  
Bartlett, S. S.  
Barlett, Mary E.  
Dunsha, Cordelia  
Akins, Ralph H.  
Dunsha, W. H.  
Bartlett, S. S.  
House, C. F.  
Baldwin, Elizabeth J.  
Smith, W. F.  
Poxon, Della  
Curtis, Martha S.  
Ricker, Walter S.

#### **Kirtland**

Mason, Harry E.  
Mason, Annie R.  
Anderson, William  
Simmons, Julia Ann  
Simmons, Wm.  
Presley, M. L.  
Coleman, C. J.  
Hart, E. E.  
Hart, Charles B.  
Galloway, David F.  
Gaylord, W. H.

#### **Mentor Township**

Lapham, Grace F.  
Moore, Thomas M.  
Hutchinson, Jas.  
Tucker, E. R.  
Dickey, Edward J.  
Angier, George E.

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### **Willoughby Township**

Green, Horace

Green, Floyd A.

Kocian, Ann

Miller, Helen

### **Willoughby Village**

Hurd, Emily J.

Dayton, Mary

Dickey, Sarah A.

Hadlock, Mabel

Wright, Charles W.

Wright, Helen I.

### **Fairport Lands**

Empfield, William

Poytosh, George

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Bartlett, Mary E.

House, C. F.

Baldwin, Elizabeth J.

### **Mentor Village**

Rider, Maria

Galloway, Addie

### **Probate Court**

Hale, Selden, D. – first account

Moseley, Leo A. – guardianship; sale of real estate

Miller, Helena A. – guardianship; second account

Alexander, Justin – will admitted to probate; F. J. Rexford appointed adm.; order of private sale issued

Coolidge, Alice S. – Carlos Coolidge appointed adm.

Wheelock Fred A. – guardianship; order of sale issued.

Thomas, Even E. – marriage license

Harris, Alice Verginia – marriage license

Hodgman, Francis E. – marriage license

Smith, Margaret – marriage license

Graves, Raymond W. – marriage license

Lowe, Leona M. – marriage license

Harvey, George C. – marriage license

Blanchard, Margaret J. – marriage license

Tuttle, Eldon – order of appraisal issued

Daus, August – will filed for probate

Alvord, Sarah P. - application for letters of adm.  
Fields, Agnes Elizabeth – inquest of lunacy; adjudged insane and committed to Cleveland asylum

Colson, Alexis E. – application for letters of adm.

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Charles W. Ford vs Nellie Donahue; foreclosure

Richardson & Boynton Co. vs C. H. McLean; money only

Webb A McIlrath vs. J. R. Slingerland and Oliver C. Hampton, trustees; money only

### **Earliest Opening on Record**

Mackinaw City, Mich., March 29

The straits of Mackinaw were opened Monday by a southwest gale which is rapidly driving the ice into Lake Huron. This is the earliest opening for the 63 years for which records have been kept.

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Mrs. O'Brien is entertaining visitors from out of town.

A. Z. Olds has accepted the agency for a Cuban history.

Mrs. W. J. Morehouse suffered a severe attack of heart trouble one day last week.

Mrs. Homer Smith, of Ashtabula, is the guest of her parents, Dr. & Mrs. D. G. Proctor.

Madge, infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. N. A. Penhollow, was taken violently ill last week but is recovering.

Frederick Hulbert is again able to be about and is contemplating a visit to his son, Rev. N E. Hulbert, of Troy.

Mr. & Mrs. Lattimer, of Jefferson, are visiting the families of John and George Cottam and Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxie Cottam.

Miss Carrie Smith, is at present stopping with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Keener and family.

Mrs. W. W. Hodges, who has been suffering with rheumatism for some time, is still very ill, being entirely helpless and requiring a constant attendant.

Mrs. Stone, mother of Mr. C. Oviatt, married Mr. Frank Hoffman, of Footville. Mrs. Stone has



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for some time, until recently been a resident of Thompson.

Mrs. D. Burgett has purchased the school building with grounds at Tillotson's Corners, and the building will be remolded into a dwelling house.

Miss Nora Gilbreath and Mr. Joseph Trask were quietly married at the M.E. parsonage Sat. the 19<sup>th</sup> isn't.

A very exciting runaway occurred last evening while Mr. Edgar Van Gorder and sister, Clara were on their way home from church. The horse became frightened and the young man was thrown between the wheels and shaft and dragged for some distance. He finally had to let go of the reins. The girl was clinging to the buggy. At Wilson Corners, a sharp turn overturned the buggy, throwing Miss Clara to the ground. The horse went a short distance more and stopped. Miss Clara had no bones fractured and was able to walk home. It was at these very corners that Mrs. Van Gorder was thrown from a buggy, receiving injuries from which she never recovered.

### **Mentor**

Prof. Frank Houle is spending his Easter vacation with his mother in Bellevue.

Mrs. Gertrude Taylor was spending Sunday with friends in Cleveland.

Miss Lillian Ellsworth is spending this week with her parents in Hudson.

A. D. Winslow, en route from Buffalo to Sandusky, was spending Sunday with his niece, Mrs. B. A. Smith.

Mrs. Walter Phelps, of Chester is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Hayford.

Charles Dille, of Columbus, is spending some time with his parents.

Miss Lottie Cudney is home from New London.

Rev. Mr. Severs has purchased a lot on Burrige Ae.

D. B. Peck will not spend the summer in Mentor this season.

Mr. & Mrs. G. S. Remington have arrived from the city and opened their summer residence.

F. Sweet's new residence and meat market is assuming business-like proportions.

F. A. Hennig expects to have his residence ready for occupancy within two weeks.

The Progressive Euchre Club was entertained at the home of F. Streetor last Friday.

Miss Mattie Harrington has gone to Midland City, Mich., where she will spend the summer with her uncle, Mr. Patrick.

### **South Thompson**

James Clark is very sick.

The Misses Aggie and Oliver Sutherland, of New Lyme, are visiting their uncle, W. D. Sutherland.

Born – March 19, a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Mark Ernst.

Mrs. Fales has been with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Smith, at Montville, a few days.

Miss Bernice Ernst is visiting an aunt in Rock Creek.

Harry Miller and wife made a quick trip to Cleveland one day last week.

Charley Vogel is repairing a grist mill in Munson.

Miss Amanda Snyder is visiting friends in Painesville.

Will Sutherland and John Morse have invented an incubator.

A man by the name of Smith has moved on the Croft place.

Mrs. Laura Nickerson visited her daughter in Collinwood recently.

Mr. O. Garrett, who has been very sick, is improving.

Charley Devine, of Painesville, is staying with his sister, Mrs. Arthur Fales, a few weeks.

Earl Borroughs while in Geneva had a tussle with the measles.

John Morse expects to be at the county seat for the next two weeks.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mrs. E. E. Brooks, Mrs. E. W. Brooks, and Mrs. Frank Henricle, enjoyed a tea with Mrs. E. A. Brooks at her residence.

The homes of Mr. & Mrs. Dann Carr and Mr. & Mrs. Ira Brown have new coats of paint.

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Miss Marion Snell, of North Mentor, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Snell and other relatives at home Sunday.

Mr. Newhouse will move soon on to a farm at Concord.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mr. Silas Green returned to Westfield, N.Y., to stay a while with his son.

Mrs. Lathera Stockwell, of Willoughby, and Mrs. Martha Richardson, of Berlin, Wis., were visiting their nephews C. J. and M. O. Richardson last week.

Mr. Krause and family are down from the city to spend their vacation.

Mrs. A. C. Cole had the misfortune to step on a nail last week. She is hobbling around.

Mr. Bert Cole fell from a wagon and was run over; has not gotten well very fast.

Mr. E. N. Hyde has returned home with a new horse.

Master Henry Tyler has a calf and drives it all over with a harness and a cart; trots along like a little horse.

Mrs. Maggie Reeve and children were visiting on the Plains last week.

Mr. John Kelley took his son, Stanley, to the city to Dr. Smith and had his eye straightened.

Mr. Ed Green, who have moved into Mr. S. M. Downing's tenant house on the bank, is intending to put in a pound, so it will be a good place to get fish.

Mr. C. J. Richardson visited Perry and stayed with Mr. Cyrus Baker, also next day visited his sister, Mrs. Graves, in Perry.

Master Garfield Tyler is home from Buffalo for a short visit.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Hale are moving into Mr. Al Cole's house across from O. H. Brown.

Mr. Geo. Hayes has moved into Mr. Bryon's tenant house.

Mrs. Ethel Flickinger returns to Columbus this week.

Report says that our young friend, Carl Brown, is getting along nicely.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Collister has a broken arm.

Mrs. Lucy Lee is caring for her sister, Mrs. Hickok, at North Madison.

Mrs. L. Gerling goes to Cleveland Tuesday to spend a week with relatives.

Dr. & Mrs. Will Hardy returned to their home in Cleveland Thursday.

It is reported that Fred Hodgerney has purchased the creamery building. Fred Parsons will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Hodgerney.

Menzo Preston has opened a jewelry store in the room belonging to Mr. L. K. Ritscher.

Miss Ethel Kneale, who has been seriously ill the past week, is much improved.

Mrs. J. V. Winans and daughter, Erata, are guests of Mrs. Ed Henry, in Cleveland this week.

Mrs. Fred Callow and children, of Kingsville, are visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Woodworth before leaving for Spokane, Wash., to join Mr. Callow, who has been spending the winter there.

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### **Wednesday**

#### **p. 1 A Business Change**

It is announced that the firm of Radcliffe & Harrison, proprietors of the restaurant in the Parmly block will dissolve partnership soon and vacate the store now occupied by them. Mr. Radcliffe will form a partnership with W. L. Shepard of the Model Bakery and the new firm will do business at Mr. Shepard's present location.

#### **New Firm**

Mr. R. S. Wood and Mr. Grant B. Kee have formed a partnership under the firm name of Wood & Kee and will conduct a general jewelry business. They have the stock of the estate of J. A. Babcock and will make extensive addition to that stock at once.

#### **A Frightened Horse**

A horse belonging to John Barkinen, of Fairport, while standing in front of the Button Sisters' store Sat. became frightened and breaking from

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its fastening wheeled up St. Clair street at a terrific rate of speed. The horse was caught at the corner of St. Clair and Washington streets.

There was a slight blaze at the home of John Chase on Washington street when the roof caught fire from the chimney. It was put out with a few buckets of water.

### **p. 2 Willoughby Plains**

Master Harry and Grove Dean, of East Cleveland, are visiting their cousin, Master Ralph Hyde.

Two or three cottages are in being built at Salida Beach.

Mr. Everet Campbell will start Monday to sail on the lake, hope he will come out all right.

Mrs. Robert Abbott has moved in with Mr. O. Andrews and will work for him this summer.

Mrs. Mary Perry, who has been sick with la gripe is able to be about.

Master Charles Richardson has a new wheel for his 12<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Mrs. Ella Graves and daughter, Grace of Perry, were out on the Plains visiting last week.

### **Perry**

Mr. Arthur Sewell and daughter, Bessie of Mentor, were calling on friends in town Thursday.

Miss Grace Wyman, with her brothers, Tom and Charles, spent a day or two last week with their grandmother.

Mr. Harry Allen of your city, was in town Friday afternoon.

F. E. Bartholomew is putting up a warehouse near the Lake Shore tracks.

Miss Hattie Palmer and Miss Eva McManus, two lady bicyclists of considerable celebrity, passed through town on Friday.

Mrs. L. V. Axtell left for Oberlin Thursday where she will remain some time with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Ashley.

Mr. Hiram Lapham was at Black Brook on Sunday called there by the severe illness of his grandmother.

Miss Agnes Crosby, of Ashtabula, is visiting g her aunt, Mrs. Henry Shepard.

Mr. Darius Quinby is on the sick list.

Earnest Broughton, who is making his home at Munson for the present, is at home for a few days.

Miss Kate Brown has been visiting her sister at Collinwood and Rockport the past week.

Mr. Wallace Cheney is spending his vacation in Perry.

Mr. Albert Hoose is very pleasantly located in his new home on Main street.

Mr. Wm. Wire has moved into the Henry Shepard place.

Mrs. T. B. Wire with her daughter, Lena, were in the city last week making purchases of spring millinery.

### **Madison**

Mr. Charles Cook has returned from a long visit with relatives in Pa.

Miss Nellie Sunderland has returned from Collinwood.

Miss Lizzie Lyman, of St. Paul, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. James Middleton.

Mrs. D. C. Ransom will soon fill her window with hats and bonnets of the latest styles.

Mr. Chas. Chapin has moved his family into the home owned by Mr. Geo. Cook, on Middle Ridge.

Mr. Burleigh and her nurse, Miss Miller, are occupying rooms with Miss Walding, East Main street.

April 4<sup>th</sup>, a new millinery and jewelry store will be opened by M. D. Preston & Co. opposite Exchange Bank.

F. S. Ingersoll move into his new house on River street Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Brooks has moved her family to Unionville. The rooms thus vacated will be occupied by Mr. & Mrs. Willis Sunderland.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Born a daughter, April 1 to Winslow and Hilda Robbins, near the Life Saving Station.

Mary E. Daine brought a divorce petition against her husband for extreme cruelty and gross neglect. She is also requesting alimony.

Born April 1, a son to Mr. & Mrs. A. Plummer.

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Charles Croft is building a new home on Walnut Ave.

Mr. Geo. Mead has moved his machine and repair shop to No. 207, Maiden Lane.

Judge Clark issued a marriage license for Raymond W. Graves and Leona M. Lowe last week.

Mr. John Robinson, the plumber, is having some repairs made on his residence on South State street.

A special act granting a pension of \$50 a month to the widow of Gen. M. D. Leggett has passed Congress.

Mrs. N. E. Way has purchased the house and lot formerly occupied by Mrs. F. E. Arter on St. Clair street from Mr. Albert Johnson.

The valuable grey racing stallion, Greylock, owned by Mr. Geo. E. Malin, of South street, died Thursday night of some unknown cause.

Mr. Fred Mason, of LeRoy, is erecting a new residence on his lot on South State street and will move his family there.

A combination car has been set out at Perry for a temporary depot pending the erection of a new building to replace the one burned last week.

Mr. W. F. Post has added two spans of fine grays to his livery. He purchased them from H. M. Mathews & Co. at the Fasig stables in Glenville.

### **Miss Frances Bacon**

*The Chicago Times-Herald* of Sunday had an article about Miss Frances Bacon, of this city, and her artistic Poses Plastique. She has brought a unique art to Chicago. She was trained in the best dramatic schools of Boston and New York.

### **Personals**

Mr. Percy Tinan spent Sat. in Cleveland.

Miss Diehl, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Ethel Buck.

Mr. Dudley Wick, of Cleveland, was in Painesville over Sunday.

Miss Blanch Williams, of Cleveland, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. H. H. Rhodes is steadily improving from his recent illness.

Miss Harriet B. Storrs is home from Oberlin for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. John Roberts and children are visiting her parents in Concord.

Judge Reynolds and family returned from Columbus Thursday.

Mr. S. M. Swezey, editor of the *Madison Monitor*, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Walding, of Madison, has been visiting her brother F. S. Allen.

Mrs. Geo. B. McFarland and daughter are visiting in Cleveland for a few days.

Miss Addie Burns, of Pittsburgh, Pa. is a guest at The Parmly for a few days.

Miss Margaret Gill, of Prospect street, was visiting friends in Cleveland and Berea.

E. S. Tillotson has gone West to purchase several car loads of cattle.

Mr. A. T. Tuttle left on Tuesday to visit Mrs. L. B. Talbott at Union City, Mich.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Warren went to Geneva Sunday to attend the funeral of Guy Robertson.

Mr. Robert George was called to Geneva, New York, on Monday, by the death of his father.

Mr. & Mrs. Erit King, of Charon, who have been visiting friends in town returned home Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. Ladow, of Fullertown, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Hodges of Prospect street.

Mrs. Julia Fay, of Concord, was called to Michigan by a telegram to see her sister, who is very ill.

Miss Mae Smith entertained a number of her friends Monday evening in honor of her guest Miss Tabor.

Miss Grace Wyman has been spending a few days in Perry, with her grandmother, Mrs. Don Wyman.

A. L. Bassett, of Cleveland, President of the Buckeye Brick Co., was in Painesville on business Friday.

Miss Anna Murray, recently from Denver, Col, has accepted a position in E. E. Kintner's Dry Goods Store.

Mr. Henry Amidon, of Cleveland, is visiting relatives and friends in Painesville.

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Mr. Will T. Lowman left for Geneva Monday to enter the employ of J. C. Chamberlain & Sons, general furnishers.

Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Coleman returned Wednesday night from a two week visit with relatives in Columbus.

Miss Abigee J. Goldsmith has gone to Wooster, O., to remain for a time with her sister's family, Mrs. John S. Adair.

Mr. B. P. Beals and little son, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with Mr. Lloyd Wyman and family, of State street.

Mr. Walter Riker moved his family Wednesday into the residence on State street formerly occupied by Gail G. Grant.

Mr. Casper Harris, a High School graduate, class '97, holds a position in the Cleveland offices of the Lake Shore railroad.

Mr. & Mrs. L. J. Darrow and family, of Stockwell street, left Thursday for a short visit with relatives in Unionville.

Mr. A. E. Fenton, of Mentor Ave., left for a trip to Dakota Sunday.

Mrs. L. G. Tuttle, who has been the guest of Mrs. B. E. Hotchkiss, of Genesee Ave., Cleveland returned home Saturday.

Rev. & Mrs. R. M. Freshwater, Miss Cartright and Miss Emma Cartright went to Cleveland Monday to hear Gen. Booth.

Mrs. L. E. Judson and son, Clyde, leave from Deming, New Mexico, this morning and are expected home on Saturday.

Miss Houseman, of the High School faculty, returned Sunday from a visit to her home in Columbus during Easter vacation.

Mr. Bartlett Shepherd arrived home from Adelbert Saturday to spend the vacation with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. G. H. Shepherd.

Mr. & Mrs. H. P. Sandford are moving to Cleveland.

Mr. C. M. Luce, who has been confined to his house by sickness for two weeks, left Sunday to resume his business in Chicago.

Mrs. W. B. Wheelock and little daughter, Helen, of Indianapolis are guests of Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Marshall at their home on Mentor Ave.

Mr. A. P. King has moved his family to the Potter residence on the Park. Mr. B. F. Crofoot moves to the residence formerly occupied by Mr. King.

Mrs. Howe, mother of Miss Isabel Howe, of the High School, and her two daughters arrived here Saturday. They will make their home with Miss Howe on Mentor Ave.

Mrs. Robert Gregory, of Pearl street, who has been ill for some time has declined and no hope is entertained for her recovery.

Miss Ellen King, of South street, arrived home Wednesday after an absence of a month, during which she visited relatives and friends in Buffalo and Philadelphia.

Mr. E. F. McConnell has returned from a trip to Seattle, Washington. He reports a fine climate and nice people, but that there is no building going on there at present.

Miss Mae Smith arrived home from Oberlin Thursday to spend Easter recess with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Smith. Miss Tabor, of Oberlin, will be her guest for the week.

Mr. J. W. Rowland, of Perry, was in town Friday.

Mr. Edward B. Rich and Miss Florence E. Rich came from Oberlin last week and will spend the Easter vacation with their grandparents, Mrs. J. M. Benjamin, of Liberty street.

Mr. J. F. Smith, Painesville's enterprising lumber dealer, purchased of C. H. McLean of Monday the place on Mentor Ave. now occupied by Mr. William Truby.

Mr. & Mrs. John Cleary, of Prospect street, were given a surprise lunch on Thursday by a number of friends.

Mr. H. B. Grauel went to Geneva Friday to assume his duties as superintendent of the Madison Telephone Co. Mr. C. M. Grauel, who has been discharging the duties of the past month has returned to this city.

Mr. J. H. Curtiss has moved his family into the residence formerly occupied by his brother, Mr. G. W. Curtiss, on Erie street. Mr. G. W. Curtiss is boarding at Mrs. J. J. Quirk's on Richmond street until his new home is completed on Mentor Ave.

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### **Painesville Boy's Success**

Mr. O. B. Brainard Jr. has become the junior member of the firm of Dewstoe & Brainard Co, which does an extensive plumbing and heating business in Cleveland. Mr. Brainard is secretary and treasurer of the company and its president, Hon. C. C. Dewstoe, is his father-in-law. Mr. Brainard was educated in our High School.

### **A Request**

Will anyone in the county or elsewhere, who can tell of the pioneer women of Concord township, please write Margaret A. Murray, Concord, Lake Co., Ohio.

**Destroyed Property** - Justice Nye issued a warrant Friday morning for the arrest of George Kelsey, of Pearl street and Willie Williams, a colored boy living on Walnut Ave. The warrant charges the boys with malicious destruction of property on the old Steele carriage factory on State street.

### **Accident of Mentor Avenue**

As Mr. Mills Titus accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Alfred Jayne, were driving on Mentor Ave. Friday, his horse became frightened and rearing fell over backward on the wheel throwing the occupants out. The accident happened in front of W. B. Cole's nurseries. No one was injured.

### **Fire at Perry**

The residence of C. Coolidge in north Perry was damaged by fire Tuesday morning. Fire caught in the west wing from a defective flue. Neighbors rushed to help Mr. Coolidge and saved the upright part.

### **New Repair Shop**

Mr. George Mead the well-known machinist, has formed a partnership with Mr. W. A. Proctor, Jr., who has for the past eight years been an employed as pattern-maker at the machine shop of Coe & Wilkes, and gone into business at No. 107 Maiden Lane where they will do general line of wood and machine repair work.

### **Obituary – Mr. Erastus Palmer**

Mr. Erastus Palmer, next to the oldest resident of Concord, nearly 90 yrs. old, passed away Sunday, March 6, 1898, at his late home. Over three years ago, he fell on the ice receiving injuries from which he never fully recovered. He was the fourth son and the fifth child, and the last one left of the late Dr. Isaac Palmer's family, who came here from Conn. in 1800. His father was of English descent, from one Walter Palmer of Nottinghamshire, England, who settled in Stonington sometime in 1700. He was born March 31, 1808, at his father's old homestead, where he has continued to live his full lifetime. He was never ill until age came creeping on. He was married to Miss Harriet Emerson, of Michigan, in 1838, who preceded him home twelve years ago, Feb. 1886; their happy union lasting almost fifty years. Seven children were born to them—four daughters and three sons—all of whom are living excepting the second daughter, Mary. Mrs. Joseph Curtis, who was one of Concord's brightest and finest girls, died in her young married life with quick consumption. The oldest daughter, Helen, Mrs. Morris Emerson, of Benton Harbor, Mich., was unable to be present. The remaining five are residents of this county, Mrs. Marietta Palmer Woodruff, Painesville; Mrs. Emily Palmer Vandever, Madison; Mr. Cullen Palmer, Concord, Mr. Truman Palmer, Painesville and Mr. Charles Palmer, Concord. He had thirteen grandchildren, ten of whom are living. His remains were interred by the side of his wife in Evergreen Cemetery. By Sophia Palmer Corkens

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of April 6:

#### **Ladies**

Jones, Mrs. Maggie  
Murphy, Miss Stella

#### **Gentlemen**

Abbey, John  
Bennett, Wm.  
Castillo, E.  
Crider, Osloe  
Dodge, D. F.  
Egan, J. W.  
McCutchen, Sam.

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Prekler, Gysngey

Searl, E. W.

Stalker, John

Wetz, Henry

### **Thompson**

Mr. A. Cole and family will move to Painesville Thursday.

### **Notice**

George Marsh, of Mentor, is not the agent for the Richardson & Boynton furnace and has no right to offer it for sale. Messrs. Donaldson & Son, of Painesville, have the exclusive sale of the Richardson & Boynton furnace in Lake Co.

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C. N. Cloes is this week canvassing Ashtabula Co. in the interest of the Michigan Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Mrs. Homer Smith and daughter, Dorothy, returned to Ashtabula last Friday.

Mrs. Will Meade, of Chicago, recently spent a week with Mr. & Mrs. James Johnson.

Mr. Alderman and son, of Idaho, who have been guests of E. C. Sidley and family and Mrs. O'Brien returned to their home last week.

Mrs. N. F. Mosely spent last Sat. with the family of her brother, J. D. Tillotson, at Calm.

Miss Belle Burt is spending several weeks with Painesville relatives.

Nathan Warren, of Lenox, is visiting relatives and friends of this place.

Byron Payne recently sold a flock of sheep for seven dollars a head.

Mrs. F. Bower, of West Trumbull, is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. K. Holden, of Ashtabula. Mrs. John [W]eigert spent three or four days assisting in the care of her mother in Ashtabula.

Mrs. Mary Wilson and son have returned after spending several days at Calm.

Mrs. Addie Goodrich, who is attending school in Geneva, spent Sat. and Sun. at home.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Wilson, of LeRoy, were guests last Thursday of Mrs. Matilda Gilbreath.

Last Sat., Mrs. A. Crocker and daughter, of Painesville, arrived and the three sisters will enjoy a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Gilbreath.

Dairy and Food Inspector & Mrs. Martin, of Chardon; together with Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Sumner and daughter, of Bostwick, Mrs. Dr. Ellis and several others of this place, were guests last Sat. of Hon. & Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

Owing to the illness of Miss Radcliffe, Mrs. B. G. Crandall taught in the primary department of the high school.

Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch have a new grandson born to Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Uden, of Footville.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Scott, of South Madison, were guests yesterday of their son, George Scott, and family.

Mr. H. Lobdel has vacated the Quinn farm and the owner with his family from Cleveland have taken possession.

A family from Fairport have leased and taken possession of the Paul Reigert farm.

Mrs. W. W. Hodges is not improving rapidly. Dr. Charles Quayle was called for consultation last week.

Mrs. E. Talcott is in very feeble health.

### **Mentor**

Rev. Jacobs, of Willoughby, was in town last week.

Miss M. S. Tilden is spending this week in Chardon.

Miss Baker, of Painesville, has been visiting at Mr. Woodruff's.

Harry Frost is at home from Oberlin College for spring vacation.

Miss Gertrude Mynders is visiting in Cleveland this week.

Prof. D. M. LaFenn is in Springboro, Pa. this week.

Miss Alice Woodford is at home from her school duties in Akron, O.

Miss Birdie Hayford has returned from a prolonged visit in Chester, O.

Miss Helen Dickinson, of Conneaut, was the guest of Mrs. Iris Lowe over Sunday.

Mark Roberts, who is attending school in Painesville, spent last week at home.

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Mrs. J. T. Pfinger, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Gauger, of Chardon, called on friends here last week.

Mr. F. Sweet, the horse clipper, is again out and doing a good business this spring in assisting nature in the shedding of an unusually large coat of hair.

Mr. L. W. Jenks, last week received the sad news of the death of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jacks, in Illinois. Mrs. Jacks at one time lived in this place with her son and made many friends.

W. H. Shoemaker and Mr. Chas. Pierce will conduct a general repair shop for quick repairs in either wood or iron. All kinds of screening for doors and windows, carpentry, wagon making, or even blacksmithing will be done.

A movement is on foot in the township of Mentor for the home protection of what little game may be left in this section. Many are signing a petition or pledge that they will not allow hunting on their lands.

There is a controversy about how Carl Brown got a crippled limb. Was it from bad treatment of rheumatism, bad treatment of erysipelas or something else that gave him a crippled limb?

### **Hampden**

Miss Estella Fridenger was married to Mr. Scott. Miss Mable Kellogg is at work in Chardon.

Mrs. C. Kellogg left town Friday for a four week stay in Burton.

Mr. William Maynard, of Auburn, spent Sunday with Mr. A. J. Richards.

Mrs. W. Chamberlain spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Cora Radcliffe, of your city.

Mr. & Mrs. George White, of Wood County, are expected this week to visit relatives in this town.

Mr. & Mrs. Alvord, of Montville, were in town Wed., at the home of Mr. & Mrs. E. L. Williams.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. & Mrs. M. V. Hanson, of the Plains, were visiting Sunday.

Aunt Lydia Lapham, of North Mentor, was still critically ill Sunday.

Master Ralph Byrns brought down three wild ducks with his gun.

The sluice near the Slitor and Brooks farms will be fixed soon by the County Commissioners.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Warwick, Margeanna  
Manley, Margaret  
Dyezowski, Josephine  
Rounds, W. Albert  
Andrew, Vernon R.  
Mentzer, Emeline  
Young, Homer H.

##### **Perry**

Shepherd, Jas. H.  
Kelsey, Bert  
Manchester, Herman J.  
Rowland, Jacob W.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Johnson, Albert  
Way, Nellie E.  
Crofoot, M. Eugene  
Barnes Co.

##### **Kirtland**

Gaylord, W. H.  
Moore, E. W.

##### **Mentor Township**

Angier, George C.  
Dickey, Edward J.

##### **Mentor Village**

Rider, Maria  
Galloway, Addie  
**Willoughby Village**  
Wright, Charles W.  
Wright, Helen I.  
Barber, A. P.

Skiff, Charlotte E.  
Palmer, Wm. J.  
Belden, Minnie P.  
Andrews, Margaret M. St. John  
Martindale, Hattie

##### **Madison Village**

Genung, Wm. H.  
Searls, G.  
Searles, C. W.  
Benjamin, A. M.



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### **LeRoy**

Pardee, Marquis F.  
Colmargen, Ludwig  
Thompson, G. L.  
Harrison, John C.  
Phelps, Isaiah  
Thompson, Ann M.  
Harrison, John C.  
Wheeler, Jessie M.  
Thompson, Ann M.  
Rogers, Delos

### **Concord**

Nye, Clark H.  
Church, Marcia  
Ward, John C.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

DeMerritt, Ella  
Todd, Jennie S.

### **Probate Court**

Hill, John – report of private sale  
Wheelock, Fred A. – guardianship; sale of real estate  
Hardy, Parker F. – inventory and appraisal filed; petition to complete land contract  
Pratt, P. & Son – order to sell desperate claims issued  
Ayer, Frank H. – cause continued  
Plaisted, Wm. H. – cause continued  
Collister, Jefferson – application for administration  
Searls, Grandison – assignment; sale of real estate  
Searls, Chas. W. – assignment; sale of real estate  
Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship; sale of real estate  
Church, Marcia – sale of real estate; completion of land contract  
Stebbins, Loring H. – first account file; petition to sell real estate  
Clapp, Geo. C. – sale of real estate  
Mattson, Emaline L. – A. N. Mattson appointed adm.  
Thompson, Ann M. – sale of real estate  
Scott, Nelson - final account

Maratta, James H. – first and final account filed  
Collister, Jefferson – application for letters of administration

Kent Jr., John E. – order of sale issued  
Daus, August – will admitted to probate

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

John C. Ward vs G. F. Webb and Nancy Webb; foreclosure of mortgage  
Ilda S. Pond vs W. D. Harrison; foreclosure of mortgage  
Mary E. Daine vs. Lamont W. Daine; divorce and alimony

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### **p. 2 Perry**

Mr. Olmstead Baker returned last week from Grand Rapids, Mich., where he has spent the winter with his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Smith.

Mr. Calvin Rouse, age 94 yrs., was at the polls on election day as usual.

Mr. Otto Reutenik presented the Ladies Society of the Baptist Church with two of his fine paintings.

Mrs. Curtis is dangerously ill on the John Brown farm.

Miss Sarah Manchester who has spent two weeks at home, returned to the Seminary on Wed.

Mrs. Warren Bowen, who has been confined to her home by sickness for several months is rapidly failing.

The death of Mrs. Ira Durfee occurred at her home in Cleveland on Sat. It was very sudden.

Mr. Dan Belknap, of Austinburg, is in town for a few days.

Mr. & Mrs. William Megley and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Lapham spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. H. R. Van Ness broke his arm last week.

Mr. & Mrs. N. J. Cady were visiting their aunt Mrs. Wyman, the first of week.

### **Gun Exploded**

Will Hadden, son of C. W. Hadden, of Crofoot & Son's market, was hunting ducks at the Mentor marsh Thursday. While returning home, he attempted to discharge the gun. Apparently

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the barrel had become filled with dirt and mud, for the charge exploded and laid open the barrel for several inches along the side. The explosion cut one hand badly.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Adams, of Unionville, spent a week in LeRoy recently.

Mr. & Mrs. Collins Morse visited Frank Morse, in Perry, last week Thursday.

Miss Lutie Crofoot is visiting her aunt Mrs. Edna Goss, in Lafayette, Indiana.

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Hubbell, of Ashland Co., made a short visit to their nephew, Albert Covill, one day last week. They went to Montville to visit Mr. Covill's parents.

Mr. Boer has sold his farm to W. O. Lockwood, of Cleveland. Mr. Lockwood has moved on the place and Mr. Boer has moved to Erie, Pa.

M. F. Pardee sold his farm to Ludwig Colmargen, of Cleveland. Mr. Pardee gave possession last week and has moved into H. F. Callow's house north of the center.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Sheriff St. John has our sympathy for the death of his granddaughter, the 14 months old child of Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Gulord, of Perry. She died Sunday of cholera infantum. Her twin is also sick but is expected to recover.

### **Death of Lucy A. Cook**

Mrs. Lucy A. Cook, a former resident of this city, died of cancer, in Akron Thursday. The remains were brought here Sat. Mrs. Cook was 68 yrs. old. She was the widow of Andrew J. Cook, a son of the late Dr. Joseph Cook, of Perry. Her daughters, Mrs. John Lane and Mrs. E. J. Cole, of this city, survive her.

### **Personals**

Lawyer Trunkey, of Geneva, was in town today.

Mr. H. C. Gray went to Cleveland this morning.

Mrs. J. O. Teed is visiting with friends in Chardon.

Mrs. E. H. Gibbons was shopping Tuesday in Cleveland.

Mr. C. W. Stage, of Cleveland, was in Painesville on Sat.

Mrs. W. H. Fowler spent Thursday with friends in Madison.

Mrs. L. Durand broke her arm Sat.

Mrs. John S. Bonewell is confined to the house by an attack of erysipelas.

Mr. F. G. L. Warner left Monday on a business trip to New York City.

Lewis J. Wood Esq. was called to Warren on legal business Friday morning.

Dr. J. W. Hisey, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. M. E. Hisey.

Mr. Mook, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mr. Dean Mathews for a few days last week.

Miss Alma Riker left Monday for a visit of a few days with relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. A. S. Stratton, cashier of the Exchange Bank, of Madison, was in town Sat.

Mr. Chas. M. Barackman, of Meadville, Pa., is the guest of Mr. Eugene Bates last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Green, of Cleveland, spent Easter with Mrs. H. B. Green, Erie street.

S. J. Massingham Esq., a prominent insurance man of Geneva, was on our streets Thursday.

Mrs. F. J. Jerome and son, Master Jay Jerome, returned home from Denver Sat. morning.

Miss Sadie Storrs returned Friday from Cleveland where she has spent a few days with friends.

Mr. A. T. Kennedy has gone to Madison to assume management of Sheriff St. John's farm.

Mr. H. K. Trumbull, of Shelby, O., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Trumbull.

Mr. O. B. Starkweather, of St. Louis, was visiting at Heisley with Mr. & Mrs. E. V. Sawyer last week.

Mrs. Mary J. Barrett, of Chicago, Ill., widow of ex-Sheriff A. D. Barrett, is visiting her brother, Mr. Stockwell.

Mr. & Mrs. John S. Bonewell left Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Bonewell's mother in Rowsberg, O., today.

Mrs. L. E. Judson and Mr. Clyde Judson returned Sat. from several months in New Mexico.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Gregory, of Mansfield, O. have been called here by the serious illness of Mr. Gregory's mother.

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Ex-Marshal Tom Sidley was in town over Sunday. He is now in the employ of Houghton & Harrington, New Castle, Pa.

Ex-Sheriff Barber, of Madison, is in town serving as deputy at the Court House.

Mrs. T. H. Marshall and son, Robert, arrived home Monday after two weeks visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin arrived home from the University school to spend the Easter vacation with his aunt, Mrs. T. L. Perine.

Mr. & Mrs. L. F. Griswold and children, of Cleveland, spent Easter with Mr. Griswold's parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Griswold, of Liberty street.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. King, who have been sojourning in Mexico for the past two months, have left on their trip home and are expected here this week.

Mrs. E. H. Rich, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin, for the last three weeks, left Friday for her home at Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Mr. E. S. Hobday, of the Western Reserve University, was in town on Friday. He was a winner in the recent debate with the Ohio Wesleyan University.

Mrs. Myrtle Barton, of Chautauqua, N.Y., who has been visiting her brother, William Cramer, of Fairport, returned home Thursday.

Miss Wolverton has leased Mr. H. C. Gray's residence on St. Clair street and will take possession of it on May 1<sup>st</sup>. The house is undergoing some changes to better accommodate a few boarders.

Peter Morrison, who was charged with assault and battery upon a Finn on Prospect street, plead guilty.

Sheriff St. John arrested a Swede named Alfred Gustus, charged with stealing a horse, buggy and harness from George T. Brichford, of Willoughby Center. Gustus was in Madison and stole a horse from W. L. Upton. He took the horse to Mr. Brichford, but the later would not purchase the animal because it was too light. Gustus turned it loose. A few nights later, Gustus stole a horse

from George Morse, of Concord. Brichford bought the horse from Gustus. On Wed., March 30, the Morse horse with buggy and harness was stolen from Mr. Brichford's barn. It was suspected that Gustus was the thief. The sheriff sent out post cards with a description, and in Bedford near the old Shaker settlement found a man who bought the horse and paid \$5 down until he could make inquiries. The Sheriff waited until Gustus returned for the rest of the money and arrested him.

### **Badly Burned**

Mrs. W. A. Proctor Jr. was badly burned at her home on Prospect street Wed. while cleaning some garments in a bucket with gasoline, the fumes were ignited from a nearby stove. She was badly burned about the face and the head.

### **Valentine-Ingersoll**

A quiet home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Warner, 632 Mentor Ave., where their eldest daughter, Laverne E. Valentine, was married to Charles M. Ingersoll. Kathryn, sister of the bride, played the wedding march. After lunch, the couple went at once to their new home, 620 Mentor Ave.

### **Death of Mrs. Perkins**

Fanny Perkins, wife of Grant Perkins, died Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Craig, on Hoyt street, after a lingering illness.

### **Death Walter J. Stevens**

Walter J. Stevens, the well-known clerk at the Parmly died at 5 pm. Monday after a long illness. He was born at Solon, Maine, Jan. 31, 1862, and 17 yrs. ago came to this city, entering the employ of the late Eli T. Booth as clerk at the Cowels House. He has since resided in this city with the exception of six years spent at Sandusky, where he had charge of the desk at the West House. About a year ago, he returned to this city taking a position as clerk at The Parmly. In 1890, he married Mary Power, of Castalia, who has the deep sympathy of all in her terrible sorrow. His father and a sister also survive him.

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### **Ben J. Scoville Will Star**

Mr. Ben J. Scoville, (Marcus La Blanche) formerly of this city, will star next season in the following plays: "The Three Guardsmen," "The Merchant of Venice," "Taming of the Shrew," and "Richard III." He is a young man not yet 26.

### **To Build a Park**

Members of the Shaker settlement of Willoughby have deeded to Henry A. Everett, Edward W. Moore, and Baruch Mahler a large strip of land, the main portion of which lies in the southwestern part of Willoughby township between the lake shore and the lake road.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Barnes, Emma J.  
Cleveland, Arthur B.  
Harley, Norah  
Sites J. W.

#### **Perry**

Orcutt, Edwin M.  
Neff, Florilla P.  
Talcott, Chauncey B.  
Talcott, Gussie L.  
Wire, Samuel  
Hoose, Albert E.

#### **Concord**

Sealand, Pauline E.  
Reade, Daisey E.  
Sealand, Julia M.

#### **Painesville Township**

Hine, Homer H.  
Albert, John J.  
Hennessy, James  
Hennessy, Catherine  
Bice, Frank J.  
Webster, Edgar

#### **Fairport Lands**

Mighton, Martin C.  
Poytosh, George  
Poytosh, John

#### **Willoughby Village**

Hopkins, Frederick C.

Garnett, Laura J.

#### **Fairport Lots**

Johnson, Chas S.  
Perfect Curtain Rod and Novelty Co.

#### **LeRoy**

Quiggle, Christian V.  
Peters, Charles  
Boor, Caroline H.  
Lockwood, Clara J.

#### **Mentor Township**

Burrige, Eleazer  
Ferry, Alfred

#### **Probate Court**

Latham, R. R. – first account  
Gilmore, Lucy – first and final accounts  
Stebbins, Horace – first and final accounts  
Hart, Daniel B. – first and final accounts  
Cudney, John – first and final accounts  
Freeman, Raymond – first and final accounts  
Farquharson, Alice – first and final accounts  
Manchester, Orsemus – first and final accounts  
Maratta, James H. - first and final accounts  
McNaghton, Noel – guardianship; final account  
Griswold, Caroline – second account  
Bishop, George – guardianship; final account  
Wasson, W. E. – second account  
Benedict, Royal F. – final account  
Searls, G. – petition to sell desperate claims  
Searls, C. W. - petition to sell desperate claims  
Frank T. Ayer vs Wm. H. Plaisted – hearing held  
Wickland, Anton – guardianship; P. A. Wickland appointed guardian  
Bowen, John W. -marriage license  
Seith, Rachel – marriage license  
Ingersoll, Charles Myron – marriage license  
Valentine, Lavern Elta – marriage license  
Moseley, Leo A. – final account  
Bunnell, Chas. D. – trusteeship; supplemental final account  
Kellogg, Maynard C. – final account  
Armstrong, Pelatiah – final account  
Stebbins, Lorin – order of appraisal filed

#### **Common Pleas**

State vs. Oscar Mandolin – accused of cutting and stabbing another Finn by the name of Karl Mansikka two months ago – found guilty

#### **New cases:**

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Elizabeth and Chris. Ordner vs Walter C. Tisdell as auditor and William A. Coleman as treasurer of Lake Co. – injunction and equitable relief

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 13:

### **Ladies**

Dunehay, Mrs. Pat.  
Gillman, Mrs. John  
Kenedy, Miss Ellen  
Loma, Mrs. Neal  
Pine, Mrs. Margaret  
Scott, Mrs. Sadie  
Tucker, Miss Madge

### **Gentlemen**

Bennett, Wm.  
Crowley, L. E.  
Evans, E. A.  
Jordon, Mr.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Miss Jennie Munson was at home from Hudson for Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Cummings, of Petrolia, Pa., is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. E. Burridge.

A daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Jno. Cooper.

Aunt Anna Hopkins celebrated her 94<sup>th</sup> birthday last Sat. by having her family together.

Frank Mack and family are occupying the Puck farm.

Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Mynduser were in Chardon Monday.

Miss Emma Cleveland left for St. Paul, Minn., where her brother, Holly, is critically ill at St. Luke's Hospital.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. Harry Haden, an old-time resident of Kirtland, but of late a resident of Cleveland, died there and was brought to Kirtland last Thursday. He was 90 yrs. old.

Last week, Mr. Rand, of South Kirtland, passed away quite suddenly.

Minott Allen is very sick with concurrent appendicitis.

Miss Mary Morse and Miss Virginia Billings were home from Oberlin College last week for their vacation.

### **Mentor Headlands**

John Byrns and John Gibson were in Kirtland Sunday.

A letter from Mr. & Mrs. Levi Hungerford, of West Virginia, formerly of North Mentor, to Lake Co. friends, says they are happy in their new home in the sunny South.

Mr. Chauncy Scribner has recently moved into the Tucker house.

Mr. E. D. Slitor, of Locust Grove, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Mary Dayton, of Willoughby recently.

### **Madison**

Miss Lizzie Lyman left Monday morning for Buffalo, N.Y.

Walter Wolfe suffered a severe attack of quinsy, last week.

Mrs. Robert Brewster has lately buried her mother, Mrs. Williams who for many years resided at Oberlin.

Carl Sloan, of Cleveland, spent Easter with relatives in town.

Mr. Cady's house at the corner of Safford and East Main, has been sold to Mrs. Warrick, North Madison.

Mr. G. E. Rankin, of Kinsman, O., has purchased the drug business of J. O. Pearce & co.

Miss Maud Wright, of Saybrook was the guest of Miss Berta McKim last week.

The family of R. S. Thomas, of Akron, is spending their spring vacation with Mr. & Mrs. Saxton.

Mr. H. R. Vanderlip, one of the pioneers of Madison, died at his home on River street, April 2<sup>nd</sup>; age 84 yrs.

### **South Thompson**

Will Brakeman has moved on to the old Clapp farm north of Bostwick.

Henry Wanamaker, of Youngstown, has moved on the place that Brakeman has vacated.

Mrs. W. D. Sutherland visited friends in Ashtabula last week.

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Mrs. Wisley is staying with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Strong, at Huntsburg, a few weeks.

Ed Jackson went to Kirtland last week Tuesday.

Mr. Gillis and wife and mother, of Pierpont, were at Mr. Sutherland's a few days last week. Mrs. Gillis' son will stay several weeks with her daughter.

Mrs. J. A. Morse is entertaining her brother-in-law, G. M. Williams, of Santa Rosa, California, and a cousin, Mrs. Wilcox, of Huntsburgh, several days. Mr. Williams was called to Ohio by the death of his mother at Mechanicsville.

E. R. Morehouse visited his son, M. S. Morehouse, at Ashtabula, last week.

E. F. Stetson has half a dozen boils.

W. D. Sutherland has a bad cut on his arm.

John Morse has rented the Sober farm.

Mrs. Sober and her father, Albert Allen, have gone to Berlin Center to live with her daughter, Mrs. Courtney.

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### **p. 1 Severely Scorched**

Last Wed. the Gilmore house on Erie street was found to be on fire. In 15 mins., the firemen had the fire under control. The principal damage to the roof was caused by the water. The household goods of Mrs. Forestine Sanford, who occupied the house, were injured by water. The origin of the fire is unknown.

### **Another Hold-Up**

Five men, tramps, claimed they were held up and robbed Sunday night while riding on a west bound freight between Madison and Unionville. They were attacked by three tuffs who threw them from the train after taking the best of their clothing. The men who committed the robbery are probably members of the same Lake Shore gang of which James Carney and Edmund Jones, arrested last week, are thought to be connected.

### **Death of Mrs. Robert Gregory**

Mrs. Robert Gregory died at her home on Pearl street late Sat. afternoon after a long and serious illness. Mrs. Gregory was born in England in

1824 and came to this country 47 years ago. She was the mother of twelve children, eight of whom are now living. Eleven grandchildren are also living at the present time. Mrs. Gregory has been a resident of Painesville for the past 45 yrs. She was the wife of Robert Gregory, who passed away eight years ago at the age of 79 yrs.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. A. Camer had a daughter born April 17<sup>th</sup>.

Conneaut has secured a pickle factory.

Mr. H. W. Beman has moved his livery stock to the Cowles House barn.

Mr. Geo. A. Bates has exchanged the property here of Mrs. Mary M. Brooks for a 50-acre farm in Montville belonging to the estate of A. E. Miller, deceased.

Capt. A. B. Bridestone, of Collinwood, and Henry Sleund, of Erie, were called to Painesville last week to identify the two members of the Lake Shore gang arrested by Officer May.

The American Express Co. has issued an order that shipments of contributions of clothing or money, consigned to authorized relief committees of the Shawneetown, Ill., sufferers will be carried free.

A drafting wheel used during the War of the Rebellion is on display in the window of Daniel Thompson's shoe store. The wheel was made by the late Lewis E. Miller and was given to the township in 1888 and is now in the possession of the G.A.R.

### **Must Pay the Penalty**

Judge Howland pronounced sentence of two years upon Oscar Mandolen Monday for stabbing and cutting another Finn by the name of Carl Mansikka in Mentor two months ago.

Matt Johnson, another Finn, was given a sentence of 15 yrs. for criminal intimacy with his daughter. He pleaded guilty.

### **New Flour Mill**

The Painesville Elevator Co. has recently added a new roller flour mill to the plant.

### **Indictments Returned**

Three separate indictments for robbery were found against James Carney and Edmund Jones,

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who were arrested by Office May last week, for robbing three men on a Lake Shore freight train in Mentor.

Two indictments for horse stealing and one for larceny of a buggy were returned against Alfred Gustus.

An indictment for embezzlement was returned against Louis Voegtler.

### **Personals**

Mrs. E. A. Pepoon is quite seriously ill.

Mr. J. H. Severance spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. Maria L. Rosa is visiting with friends in New Castle, Pa.

Mr. M. T. Mullen, of Prospect street, is quite ill with pleurisy.

Miss Pearl Canfield is confined to her home in Erie street.

Mrs. Allan Carpenter, of Cleveland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. P. Pratt.

Mr. F. L. Kerr has removed his family to his new home on Watson street.

Mr. A. A. Atwater, a civil engineer from Cleveland, was in town on Monday.

C. W. Osborne, Esq., went to Youngstown Sat. on legal business.

Mrs. Fred L. Wingate, of Conneaut, was the guest of Mrs. H. B. Green last week.

Mrs. James Tharolton, of Denver was the guest of Mrs. C. F. House Sat.

Mrs. Earnest P. Bill, of Chardon, was a guest for a few days at The Parmly last week.

Miss Maude Wolff and Miss Maria Truby are visiting Mrs. J. R. Irwin, Clinton, Pa.

Mrs. Birdsall, of New York City, is visiting her uncle, Mr. F. Wilkes, on Washington street.

Mrs. Geo. Adams, of Huntsburg, Ohio, visited her daughter, Miss Grace Adams, last week.

Mrs. Frank Wakelee, of Youngstown is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. James F. Gallaher, of South street.

Mr. Wm. Truby has rented the Alexander house on Mentor Ave and will take possession about May 1<sup>st</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. N. K. Hubbard and daughter, Mable, returned last week from Cleveland, where they spent the last two weeks.

Mrs. Louisa Duncan has arrived home from Fremont, where she has been spending several months with her aunt, Mrs. David June.

Mrs. O. A. Wright, of Grand Ledge, Mich., who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Tillottson for a few days, left this morning for Syracuse, N.Y.

Mrs. L. S. Ayers, of Indianapolis, was called home suddenly Sunday on account of the serious illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred Ayers.

Mrs. W. G. Hawkins, who has been confined to her bed for the past four weeks by sickness, is again able to be about the house, although not fully recovered.

Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Smith, accompanied by Mr. & Mrs. H. E. Marvin, of Toledo, left last week for a trip to New York City, Washington, Richmond, and Old Point Comfort, Va.

Mrs. D. M. Robertson, of Ashtabula, who has been the guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. F. L. Warren, for a short time, left Painesville Monday to visit relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. Harry Vail, of Cleveland, was in town this morning to testify in the Lorenz Keifer case. Mr. Vail is clerk of Cuyahoga Co. and was wanted to testify concerning court records in this case.

Mrs. G. H. Stafford spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. S. F. Streeter, Mentor street. Mrs. Stafford is the wife of Lieut. Stafford, of the cruiser Columbia, which belongs to the Flying Squadron.

Miss Eva Hicks, of Burton, was the guest of Miss Augusta Mathews over Sunday. Miss Hicks sang in the Congregational Church quartet.

### **Pond-Miller**

A pretty home wedding took place where Susie Ilda Pond was married to Curtis Eugene Miller. The ceremony was performed at the cozy little home which the young couple had prepared for their occupancy on South St. Clair street. Miss Belle Gates was maid of honor and Capt. D. H. Pond, brother of the bride gave her away. The relatives from out of town were:

Capt. & Mrs. D. H. Pond

Mrs. John Andrew Thompson

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Mr. Henry W. Pond  
Mr. & Mrs. Miller

### **Destroyed by Fire**

Two large dwelling houses, one in Painesville and one in Richmond, were burned to the ground early Sunday. The house in Richmond was owned by the Realty Title and Investment Co. and was situated on Wetmore street. The house was unoccupied. The house in Painesville was occupied by Wm. Doubledee, a laborer on the P. & W. The house was on Chester street in the Geauga Plat.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Kent, Mabel  
Kent Jr., John E.  
Ritscher, L. K.

#### **Perry**

Hatch, Emma C.  
Hartness, Lula  
Munier, Artillissa

#### **Painesville Township**

Realty Title & Investment Co.  
Wilson, Z. S.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Barton, George W.  
Murray, Jared  
Bartholomew, Aaron  
Stuart, Frank B.

#### **Mentor Township**

Price, Thomas  
Price, John W.  
Books, Miranda  
Brooks, Isaac E.  
Harrison, J. J.  
Barton, G. W.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Rich, Frank B.  
Benjamin, Maria L.  
Wider, Antoinette B.  
Benjamin, Maria L.

### **Common Pleas**

Hughes Fawcett vs Post & Durfee; money only

Frederick Freshley vs A. C. Pepoon; injunction  
Two indictments against Susanna Oscola for unlawfully practicing midwifery; one was nolle and the second she pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 and costs.

### **Probate Court**

White, Henry K. – Wm. E. Taylor appointed adm.  
White, Nettie Rose – guardianship; A. D. Ferguson appointed guardian  
White, Ada Bell – guardianship; A. D. Ferguson appointed guardian  
Moseley, Leo A. – guardianship; Sally Woodworth appointed guardian  
Hardy, Parker F. – sale of real estate  
Doe, Caroline – inquest of lunacy; adjudged insane and committed to infirmary  
Collister, Jefferson – inventory and appraisal filed  
Daus, August – Ezra Daus appointed executor  
Curtis, Mary A. – final account  
Stebbins, Loring H. – sale of real estate  
Kent Jr., John E. – sale of real estate  
Alvord, Sarah P. – W. G. Hawkins appointed adm.  
Murphy, Sumner E. – first and final account  
Hotchkiss, Helen M. – inventory and appraisal  
Hall, Susan – final account  
Palmer, Erastus – I. N. Palmer appointed adm.  
Church, Maria – sale of real estate  
Tuttle, Eldon – trusteeship; order of sale issued  
Hadlock, Irwin – marriage license  
Rockafellow, Mary A. – marriage license  
Harrison, Nelson A. – marriage license  
Spurr, Eva B. – marriage license  
Peterson, William F. – marriage license  
Uthleden, Marganna – marriage license  
Streeter, Solon – marriage license  
Blanchard, Dorothy – marriage license

### **Death of Mrs. Ann L. Goldsmith**

Mrs. Anna L. Goldsmith, widow of the late J. Gillet Goldsmith, and mother of Mrs. Abbie J. Hunter, died at her home in San Francisco, Cal., March 30.

### **Madison**

Miss Linda Sampson, of Cleveland, was the guest of Miss Hendry over Sunday.



## **Apr. 20, 1898**

Miss Clara Halstead, returned to Cleveland Sunday, after a short visit with her parents.

Mrs. Joseph Wolfe leaves Tuesday for Michigan, to be with a sister, who is so ill that her recovery is not thought possible.

Misses Bessie Gill and Nina Ludick have been trying Dr. Green's comfortable dental chair, at Geneva, this week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. O. Pearce have been entertaining friends from West Farmington, this week.

Miss Jennie Gilbreath is visiting her sister, Miss Ruth Gilbreath and other relatives, in Virginia.

Mr. George Willard, a former citizen of Madison, died in Topeka, Kansas, April 8<sup>th</sup>, 78 yrs.

### **Concord**

Miss Jane E. Morse spent Sabbath in Concord.

Miss Anna Corlett has been in Cleveland for a week.

Mr. & Mrs. Bekley, formerly of Painesville, have come to live with Mr. Prentiss in Concord.

Mr. Will Truman has moved his family from the old Tuttle house to the Towell place on the ridge. Mr. & Mrs. Woolworth, of Little Mountain, are now occupying the house vacated by Mr. Truman.

Since the death of their mother, two little granddaughters of Mr. Richard Bond have come to brighten his home.

### **Perry**

Forest Bedell has returned from his western tour.

Dick Warner is making improvements in his place.

Mrs. E. S. Belknap and daughter spent Thursday in Cleveland.

Mrs. Mary E. Garner, of Lane, O., was buried from her son's residence, April 18<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. George Harley has completed his house on the North Ridge and is occupying it.

Miss Bessie Williams, of your city, was a guest of the Misses Carrie and Bernice Tenny last week.

Mrs. Nina Webb returned a few days since from Iowa, where she has spent most of the year with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Van Ness.

Mr. Charles Scranton arrived in town on Sat. from Connellsville, Pa., where he has been visiting his niece, Mrs. C. F. Wyman.

Mr. Heman Manchester and Jacob Rowland have purchased lots on West Main street next to the Baptist parsonage.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 13:

#### **Ladies**

Jewell, Mrs. Mary  
Stanley, Miss Birdina

#### **Gentlemen**

Avery, Lew J.  
Carr, A. D.  
Ford, H. M.  
King, Wm.  
Stafford, Roe  
Warner, J. A.

#### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. H. B. Palmer is delivering garden and field seeds.

Mr. T. G. Cottam and sister are visiting friends out of town.

Mr. A. Z. Olds is engaged in selling gentlemen's clothing by sample.

Mr. Harry Hill is in the employ of Mr. O. A. Bartlett, of East LeRoy.

Mr. & Mrs. D. Blakeslee were guests of Painesville friends last Sat.

Mr. Burton Keener came down from Cleveland to spend Sunday with his parents.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Cole, of Painesville, were guests last Friday of Mrs. R. M. Garr.

Mrs. W. B. Keener and sons spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Miller, of Montville.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott have a new son born April 13<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Willoughby Plains**

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Hyde have a new baby girl.

Miss Alice Harrison, of Painesville, stayed over the Sabbath with Eugene Reeve's family and called on Mrs. Emma Tyler.

#### **Mentor**

## **Apr. 20, 1898**

Miss Agnes Woodford spent Sunday in Cleveland.

Mr. Wallace Dickey, of Troy, Ohio, was in town last week.

Mr. Willis Nurcuven, of Cleveland, was a visitor in town last week.

C. W. Bradway and wife were in Miles Grove, Pa., over Sunday.

Henry Lewis and wife, of Glenville, O., were in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Bassett, who spent the winter in Norwalk, has returned to her Mentor home.

Mr. & Mrs. Earl Woodruff, of Collinwood, were spending Sunday in town.

Mrs. Jennie Kingsley Smith, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Marsh entertained Mr. & Mrs. Broughton, of Painesville Sat. evening.

Mrs. Neff, of Cleveland, and Mrs. King, of New York City, were guests at the residence of J. A. Cleveland last week.

## **LeRoy**

Mrs. Stanley and little son, of Painesville, are boarding at Mr. Holt's.

Mr. & Mrs. E. D. Warren, of Fairport, visited at Mr. Dunmore Warren's last Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Middleton and son, Grant, of Johnson Co., Mo., are visiting her sister, Mrs. David Upson.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Will Davis, a son, April 10.

Will Doncaster has moved back to LeRoy from Indiana.

Mr. Wallace Green and Miss Katie Moore were married March 21.

## **Kirtland**

Mr. & Mrs. Hooper spent last Tuesday in Cleveland.

Minnot Allen is convalescing.

G. H. Morse is in Kansas on business.

John Harris is quite ill

Mrs. Button, of your city, accompanied by Mrs. Hodges, visited her mother, Mrs. Harris, Wed.

Mrs. George Markell left Friday for her former home in Salamanca, N.Y., on account of the serious illness of her father.

## **Apr. 27, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Officers Elected**

At a meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution at The Parmly a week ago, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Wood, Lewis J.

Reynolds, A. G.

Kimball, H. N.

Scott, C. J.

Steele, George P.

Avery, Rev. F. B.

Lockwood, John S.

Nye, Clark H.

Belknap. S.

### **Obituary – Mary A. Lockwood Green**

Mary A. Lockwood was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery. She was born Jan. 4, 1814, at Touxton, Courtland Co., N.Y., and came with her parents to Perry in this county when she was seven years of age. When she was 18 yrs. of age, she married Capt. D. H. Green, and they moved to the Headlands where they owned a large tract of the Lake front including that now occupied by the Painesville Water Works pumping station, and retained it as their home until 1867 and when they moved to Iowa. They remained there until her husband's death in 1872. Since her death, she has made her home with her seven children, three sons and four daughters, of whom two sons and two daughters remain. She died April 20, 1898, at the age of 83 yrs., 9 mos., 26 days.

### **Court House**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Perry Township**

Wilson, Lucretia A.

Wilson, Lester A.

Wilson, Laura

#### **Painesville Township**

Joughin, John

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Colovechio, Bartalomeo

### **Painesville Village Lots**

McLean, Chas. H.

Smith, J. F.

### **Kirtland Township**

McWethey, Andrew J.

Moore, Edward W.

Cleveland, Marian

Moore, Edward W.

Everett, Henry A.

Everett, Josephine P.

### **Mentor Township**

McWethey, Andrew J.

Moore, Edward W.

Everett, Henry A.

### **Mentor Special District**

Burridge, Eleazer

Westeweller, John C.

### **Willoughby Township**

Thomas, Sydney S.

Thomas, Ellen

Thomas, Julia L.

Thomas, Ellen

Ferry, Laura M.

Worrallo, Perry A.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Thomas, Sydney S.

Thomas, Ellen

Thomas, Julia L.

### **Madison Township**

Corlett, Thos. P.

Colby, Orvilla Lee

### **LeRoy**

Crofoot, Albert D.

Freelove, B. F.

Crofoot, Freelove M.

### **Kirtland**

Powell, Lorenzo W.

Crawford, Newton P.

### **Probate Court**

Stebbins, Horace – motion filed

Hodges, O. S. – first and final account

Keeler E. P. – Edward J. Lynch appointed  
examiner of county treasury

Gregory, Ann – will filed for probate

Morley, Lucy M. – Thomas M. Morley appointed  
adm.

Taylor, James H. – motion filed

Hall, Wm. C. – application for adm.

Collister, Ellen – guardianship; Thomas Collister  
appointed guardian; petition filed to sell real  
estate

Warren, John – sale bill filed

Searls, G. – assignment; sale of desperate claims.

Searls, C. W. – assignment; sale of desperate  
claims

Hill, Elisha – marriage license

Gibbs, Nan E. – marriage license

Cobblebick, William H. – marriage license

Prosser, Annie – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New case:**

F. W. Roemer vs the Village of Madison; error to  
Mayor of Madison

### **Mother and Three Children Cremated**

Eagle River, Wis., April 26 – Lake Laura Hotel a  
summer resort owned by Peter Stein on Lake  
Laura, was burned Sunday night, together with  
all the adjacent cottages. Mrs. Stein and her  
three children were burned to death.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Officer May recovered a horse and buggy stolen  
in Ripley, N.Y., in Madison Tuesday last week and  
at the same time arrested a man name Myron  
Brown, who is charged with the theft of the rig.

The Hitchcock house has been moved to  
Nebraska street.

Mrs. Lottie Batchelor became intoxicated  
Thursday evening and after raising considerable  
disturbance on Richmond street, fell into the  
hands of Sheriff St. John.

Mr. Samuel G. Voster, of Cleveland, and Miss  
Nellie Howard, of this city were united in  
marriage at the St. James Rectory, Wed.

While driving home from town last Thursday  
Mrs. Pool and her daughter had what might have  
been a serious accident on Erie street. The horse  
started to run and ran into a telephone pole.

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Both ladies were thrown out of the buggy and Mrs. Pool fell under the horses' feet. She was not seriously injured.

Judge Howland granted Elisha Hill a divorce from his wife, Adelaide Hill, on the ground of gross neglect of duty.

Judge Clark issued a marriage license for N. D. Woodworth and Jennie Woodruff Friday; also, one for William H. Newlon and Mary D. Wynne on Sat.

About twenty-five young people surprised Miss Bessie Crane at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Wakelee, of Nebraska street, it being her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

F. C. Crosby, the P.P. & F. Brakeman, who had his right hand and foot crushed by the cars at DeForest Thursday night, was operated on at Youngstown Hospital. It is thought, he will recover.

The remains of a large flag carried in the War of 1812 by Joseph Pancost, a great-grandfather of Mr. Frank Curtiss, was placed in the show window of Curtiss & Son's store Monday. Only a few shreds of red remain and the once white stripes are brown with age and exposure.

Marshal Connell arrested Pat Cusick Sat. night for raising a disturbance on the streets while intoxicated. Billy McCarthy was also taken in Sunday while in a beastly state of intoxication.

### **Mr. Elizabeth A. Green**

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Green died April 23d after an illness of about a month of la grippe. Mrs. Green was born in Pittsburg, Pa., in the year 1826. Her father, William Reichart, was a sturdy Hollander. The family in later years moved to Mansfield, O., where the deceased was married to Mr. Henry B. Green in the year 1846. It was the first marriage ceremony in Grace Episcopal Church, Mansfield. Mr. Green died in Painesville seven years ago, the family having made this their home during the past thirty years. Seven children survive their mother. The surviving sons and daughters are Mrs. Mary G. McAbee, William R., Eleanor W., Elizabeth, Harry C., Walter B., and Albert R. Green.

She was interred at Evergreen Cemetery.

### **Death of Mrs. Mary Green**

Mrs. Mary Green, aged 84 yrs., widow of Capt. Daniel Green died Wed. last week at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. S. G. Haywood Richmond street.

### **Personals**

Mrs. H. P. Sanford spent Thursday with friends in Painesville.

Mrs. Lydia Noble is visiting friends in Willoughby and Cleveland.

Mr. W. D. Hall, of Warren, registered Monday at the Cowles House.

Mr. J. W. Bath, a State inspector from Elyria, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Vaughn E. Wyman left Tuesday afternoon on a business trip to Cincinnati.

Mrs. J. W. Alexander, of Marietta, O., is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. P. Steele.

Mr. W. B. Green, of Cleveland, spent Thursday with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Green.

Mr. F. G. Johnson left Sat. morning for a visit of a few days in Saybrook, O.

Mr. & Mrs. F. M. Frost have a daughter born April 25.

Miss Margaretta M. Morley, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. P. Steele last week.

Rev. John C. Price, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is visiting his brother, W. L. Price, of Morse Ave.

Miss Mary A. Morley, of Saginaw, was the guest of Mr. & Mrs. T. H. Marshall last week.

Mrs. M. J. Lawless, of Richmond street, is confined to the house by an attack of bronchitis.

Mr. & Mrs. R. S. Wood have gone to Mamaroneck, N.Y., for a visit with relatives.

Mr. Fred W. Tisdell, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Walter C. Tisdell.

Mrs. M. A. Murray has returned from the West and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Clark H. Nye, of Erie street.

Mr. & Mrs. Carson Baldwin and children, of Owego, N.Y., are visiting Mrs. Baldwin's mother, Mrs. A. B. Turney.

Mr. John Adams and Mark Hawes, of Ann Arbor College, were guests of Mr. C. F. Curtiss, of Erie street, for a few days.

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Miss Anna Carlin and Miss Anna Corcoran, of Cleveland were guests of Miss Lillian Brennan, of State street over Sunday.

Friends of Mrs. Carlton Bowhall will regret to hear that she is again confined at Huron Street Hospital, in Cleveland.

Mr. E. R. Skidmore, at present with A. C. Hoose, leaves Painesville soon to accept a position as traveling agent for an electric belt firm.

Miss Helen Pepoon, of Walla Walla, Washington, has been called to Painesville, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Pepoon.

Mrs. G. H. Angell, of Geneva, returned home Sat. after a visit of a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Austin.

Mr. E. D. Whitney returned Sat. from Chicago, where he has just concluded a course of study in the Rush Medical College.

Mrs. N. G. Neason returned Sat. to her home at Fremont, O., after a five week visit with her niece, Mrs. H. C. Garrett, of Mentor Ave.

Mr. Lowry Langley, of Marion, O., brother of Sec. Langley of the Y.M.C.A. has accepted a position in Barto & Kerr's clothing store.

Mr. & Mrs. Ed T. Chapman are receiving congratulations on a son, born April 25. He has been named Edward Hickok Chapman.

Mr. Ralph Clark returned Monday afternoon to Cleveland. Mr. Clark leaves soon for the front with the Cleveland Naval Reserves with which he has lately enlisted.

Mrs. L. H. Mosher, of Alliance, Neb., accompanied by her two youngest daughters, has come to Painesville for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Barnes, of Erie street.

Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of Prospect St., was called to Warren, Pa., Sat. morning by the sudden illness of her daughter, Miss Bessie Thomas, who has a position as stenographer at the Court House at that place.

Dr. Walter B. Lafler has leased the Sanford house on State street and with his parents will make Painesville his home. He is a graduate of

Western Reserve Medical College and has been practicing in Cleveland.

### **Death of Mrs. Eliza A. Pepoon**

Mrs. Eliza A. Pepoon died at the residence of her son, Mr. Albert C. Pepoon, South State street, April 26. Mrs. Pepoon was born May 7, 1818, at Rome, N.Y., being the daughter of Cornelius Hollister. In 1848, she came to Painesville taking charge of a private school which was known as the Lake Erie Female Seminary. In Aug, 1849, she was married to Benjamin Pepoon. Two children survive her, Albert C. Pepoon, who resides here in Painesville and Miss Helen A. Pepoon, of Walla Wall, Wash. Two children by a former wife of her husband are still living, Miss Julia C., now living in Walla Walla, and Edward P. of Grinnell, Iowa. Her husband died twelve years ago in May, 1886.

### **A Large Real Estate Deal**

A tract of 1,700 acres of woodland in Dorset was sold last Tuesday to C. N. Dawson, of Toledo, at \$30 per acre, the total consideration reaching the sum of \$51,000. This is the largest piece of woodland in the county and in fact almost the last of the original forest. It was but a few years ago that wild deer and turkey made their home in this wilderness. *Conneaut News*

### **Death of Mrs. Charles Callender**

Mrs. Charles Callender died at her home on Pearl street Sunday after a serious illness. Mrs. Callender was formerly Miss Emma M. Griswold and was born at Little Mountain on Oct. 24, 1868. She resided there until her marriage to Mr. Callender in 1889, when she moved to Painesville and has lived here since. She leaves a husband and two children, one eight years of age and the other two.

### **Company M Leaves to Join Their Regiment at Cleveland**

Company M has left Painesville. Orders were received Monday night to join their regiment at Cleveland. No definite orders have been received as to the destination of the Company. The following men left with the Company:

Burrows, Capt. J. S.

Bosworth, H. P.

Brainard, H. Z.

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Crane, Z.  
Lapham, W.  
Grauel, C. M.  
Trulson, Carlo  
Roll, Charles  
West, C. C.  
Carter, H. E.  
Cleveland, O. R.  
Bottin, F. T.  
Herron, William  
Card, Burton E.  
Minick, Arthur E.  
Kelsey, Clifford B.  
Card, Wilson R.  
Chapman, Fred  
Hawtett, Halstead J.  
Adams, Wade E.  
Conkling, Elmer A.  
West, J. W.  
Baldwin, H. Lisle  
Shepard, Ray P.  
Spencer, Homer M.  
Gill, Clayton L.  
Sweetland, Ed C.  
Sheldon, Hile G.  
Davis, William F.  
Skiern, John  
Whitney, Frank W.  
Hart, Ralph T.  
Johnson, Sherman  
Burns, Fred J.  
Kincade, Charles E.  
Belden, Burr T.  
Bishop, Jesse E.  
Huntington, Edwin G.  
Eaton, M. Hugh  
Dakala, Thomas V.  
Maikai, Christ  
Issa, Herman H.  
Tunri, Isaac  
Saarenpai, John  
Brown, John E.  
Castle, Grant C.  
Green, William G.  
Cartman, Charles  
Kukke, Jacob

Hakamake, Mathu T.  
Curtiss, John E.  
Kankonen, Anton  
Luoma, Nester  
Markko, Eddie  
Kaski, Krist  
Mattison Emil A.  
Randa, Isaac  
Kasard, Matt  
Nevanpei, Gusta  
Bohtoo, Matt  
Hurley, John  
Brunner, Clayton E.  
Lake, Emil  
LeClaer, Elgie  
Hicks, John H.  
Derby, William  
Williams, John H.  
Parker, James A.  
Swain, Will  
Cone, S. E.

A number of Finnish residents in Fairport have enlisted.

E. Sherwood has family tools for sale cheap also two good work horses.

### **Suicided!**

The body of L. B. Woodworth, of Thompson, who has been missing from home for two weeks, was found hanging in an unoccupied house in Bullis' Hollow Monday. He had fastened the door from the inside with a plow and then hung himself to the rafters. The discovery was made by one of the neighbors. It is thought that ill health caused the unbalancing of Mr. Woodworth's mind. He leaves a wife and family.

### **Obtained Money Under False Pretenses**

Three men, who gave their name as Charlie Meyers, M. Bernstein, and H. Bernstein, were arrested Monday by Officer May charging them with obtaining money under false pretenses. The men had been traveling though the country offering cloth for sale with premiums to all purchasers and the premiums were not forth coming.

## **Apr. 27, 1898**

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 27:

### **Ladies**

Eckles, Miss Adda  
Harvey, Mrs. W. T.  
Hoyt, Mrs. Arthur  
King, Miss Kate  
Smith, Miss Kate  
Swarts, Mrs. Sarah

### **Gentlemen**

Bates, Geo. E.  
Beardsley, Burton  
Bortin, F. D.  
Brewer, J. C.  
Chesebro, D. A.  
Colmorgan, Wm.  
Gray, E. R.  
Gonside, A. C.  
Housh, Aiken  
Hawley, T. W.  
Jewell, Frank  
Lockwood, Jno.  
Werner, Wm. C.

### **Madison**

Fifteen of our boys are wearing blue army coats having enlisted in their country's cause.

Mrs. E. Dodge had a fall and broke her left arm.

Miss L. Helen Kimball is filling the position left vacant by Mr. R. Belknap at Exchange Bank.

The little son of Mr. & Mrs. Cutler Kimball is very seriously ill with pneumonia.

Supt. H. S. Foote, of Chardon, was calling upon his many old Madison friends recently.

Mrs. C. G. Ensign will be glad to know that she is gaining well after a serious operation last Friday performed by Dr. Bigger, of Cleveland.

### **Hampden**

Stewart Thayer is carrying a broken arm.

Mrs. George Ray, of Cleveland, is at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Ray.

Mr. George Ray, of Cleveland, is at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Ray.

Mr. & Mrs. George White and two children, of Rudolph, Wood Co., who has been visiting here, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Emma Fridenger is not so well.

Mrs. R. N. Sumner spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Heman Williams.

Grandma Chamberlain is in Rockport for a short stay.

Mrs. Ida Hood died at her home in this place April 12, 1898. Ida had been an invalid for nine years. She leaves a husband, two children and a large circle of friends to mourn her loss.

Mr. John Kennedy, of Niles has been spending a short time here in town.

Mr. David Ray has improved the looks of his house with a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Margaret Ray spent Sat. with her son's family in Montville.

Miss Addie Alvord and brother, Henry, of Montville, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. E. L. Williams.

Ezra White and family, of Damon, were in town Thursday.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. Frank Henricle Jr., of Cleveland, visited relatives here Sunday.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Nelson, of Trumbull, visited his sister, Mrs. Jane Wilson, recently.

W. C. Doncaster and his sister, Mrs. Josephine Dunkel, made a business trip to Cleveland Monday.

Howard Dunkel has rented Mr. Pickett's blacksmith shop.

Mrs. Wayne Orton, an old resident of Perry, died in this town last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Whipple.

### **Perry**

The death of Mrs. Samuel Northard occurred at her home on Thursday after a long illness. She was tenderly cared for by Mr. William Northard and family, who left their home in LeRoy several months since and came to her place where they remained through her sickness.

## **Apr. 27, 1898**

Mrs. Walter Barnes and little daughter were visiting her father, Mr. T. B. Wire and other relatives over Sunday.

Miss Lotta Marvin, of Austinburg Institute, was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Peterson has gone to Pa. to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sam Fox.

Mrs. Margaret Little and daughter, Lois, who have been spending the past two months with friends at Ashtabula, came home on Thursday.

Mr. T. B. Wire was the recipient of a fine bookcase and writing desk on Sunday which was given him by his family in honor of his birthday.

L. V. Axtell and son, Howard, were at Oberlin last week.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

N. C. Frost has rented his residence for the summer.

Mrs. Job Sweet has returned from a visit with Toledo friends.

Mr. & Mrs. B. G. Crandall spent Sunday with Mr. Crandall's parents in Trumbull.

Mr. Edwin Tillotson is yet in Ashtabula, Mrs. Tillotson and daughter are taking their household effects into their new home on North street.

Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Behm, of Trumbull, were guests yesterday of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Mrs. Phebe Ordner and Mr. George Hamilton drove to Chardon last Wed. He was accompanied upon his return trip by Mrs. Phoebe Hamilton.

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### **p. 1 Gustus Pleads Guilty**

Alfred Gustus, charged with larceny of a buggy and the theft of two horses pled guilty to the charge of grand larceny.

Frank Sinclair, the oil man, who recently purchased Mr. Mills' oil route, fell from this wagon on Erie street in an unconscious condition Monday. He afterwards revived enough to drive his team home. He lives on South Liberty street.

A close examination revealed nothing and it is thought he must have fainted.

### **Sorely Afflicted**

#### **C. L. Kimball Loses Mother and Child**

Tuesday, his little son Paul, died after a brief attack of pneumonia. Wednesday, his mother, Mrs. Pauline Kimball, age 70, died of the same ailment. She lived in Madison. Mr. Kimball has another son, Park, very ill with pneumonia, but he will probably recover.

### **A Collinwood Young Man Loses His Life at Mentor**

Phillip D. G. Fredericks, a young man whose home is in Collinwood, was run over and killed by a freight train on the Lake Shore railroad near Mentor depot Wednesday. In some way, Fredericks had slipped from a position between the cars and fallen under the wheels. He was about 17 yrs. old. His companion did not leave the train and failed to report the accident at the young man's home.

The Fifth Regiment left Cleveland for Columbus Friday morning. Cleveland was in gala day attire, flags floated from every window and immense crowds turned out to do honor to Ohio's soldiers. Company M occupied second place in the line of march. Capt. J. S. Burrows was in command. Lieut. Tuttle headed the first platoon and Sergt. Belden the second. Lieut. Tuttle arrived from Montana Wed. night. First Lieut. Bosworth leaves Painesville on Sunday to join the Company in Columbus.

### **Instantly Killed**

Early last Wed. a man identified as Wm. F. True, of Erie, was struck by a passenger train a few yards west of the Lake Shore depot and instantly killed. He had been living in Erie with his mother and sister and is thought to be unmarried. He was on his way to Cleveland in search of work. It is supposed that in leaving the train, he unknowingly stepped off onto the next track in front of the east bound train.



## **May 4, 1898**

### **Arbor Day in A. Grammar**

Children in A Grammar gave an Arbor Day program Friday. Children mentioned:

Rider, Lucy  
Taylor, Ada  
Malin, Lena  
Wolverton, Annie  
Osborn, Carrie  
Rogers, Maude  
Marshall, Robert  
Walthour, Dale  
Stocking, Wm.  
Carter, Bert  
Proctor, Fred  
Searl, Geo.  
Wilkins, Xury  
Barden John  
King, Arthur  
Pyle, Raymond  
Moodey, Theo.  
Moodey, Frank  
Lanphier, Walter  
McManus, Philander  
Ford, Harland  
Lovely Gertrude  
Hines Mable  
Strong, Calla  
Herrick, Nina  
Morse, Perry  
Armesy, Cornelius

### **Arbor Day Exercises at the High School – Mentioned:**

Barden, Bertha  
Wyman, Charles  
Spencer, Augusta  
Nichols, Harry  
Curtiss, Stella  
Mosher Katherine  
Densmore, Lucy  
Osborne, Lottie

### **Death of Jesse Pyle**

Jesse Pyle, father of County Recorder Frederick T. Pyle, died at his son's home on Liberty street. He had been ill for over a year from a complication of diseases. He was 75 yrs. He was

a well-known resident of Ashtabula Co., but a year ago came to Painesville to make his home with his son. Mr. Pyle has been twice married, in 1857, to Adelaide Lucas. They had two sons, Frederick, T. and Frank. Mrs. Pyle died in 1863 and in 1872 he married Miss Adelaide Ransom, who passed away three years ago. He leaves one daughter, Nellie Pyle, now living in Hartford Co., Md., from his last wife. The interment was in Saybrook, Ashtabula Co.

### **Voegtler Acquitted**

The jury acquitted Louis Voegtler from charges of embezzlement.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Mr. F. M. Wedge, proprietor the store on Main street, is dangerously ill at his home on the east side.

Mrs. Harcy Armstrong, one of the pioneers of Perry township, died at the old homestead on the River road early Sunday morning. She has been blind for nearly 25 yrs. and for some years has been afflicted with a cancer.

Mrs. James Hansen, of Grand Rapids, died of paralysis, Monday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Shepard L. Malin.

John W. Gage, the cash grocer, has leased the store room formerly occupied by Chubb's barber shop.

Born – To Mr. & Mrs. B. A. Paine, of Watson street, a son, April 26<sup>th</sup>.

The funeral of Olmstead Baker, an old resident of Perry, occurred from his late home on the South Ridge Friday afternoon. He was at one-time keeper of the Fairport light house.

Alex Ameril was arrested Saturday on the charge of intoxication.

It was learned Monday that Mrs. Deschenes and daughter, Florence, had left on the Lake Shore to join her husband in Montreal, Canada. This brings to light the whereabouts of "Frenchie" Deschenes, the tailor, who disappeared from here several months ago.

### **Death of Mrs. Walter Lanphier**

Mrs. Walter Lanphier, aged 20, died very suddenly Monday. Mr. Lanphier is proprietor of

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the New Lanphier House at the Lake Shore depot. The deceased leaves one small child, who greatly mourns the loss of its mother.

### Personals

Mr. Henry Rand, of Madison, was in town Saturday.

Rev. C. W. Rockwell, of Chardon, was in town Saturday.

Prof. Homer Kimball, of Madison, was in Painesville today.

Mr. W. A. Proctor, of Prospect street, went to Auburn Saturday.

Mrs. N. R. Bill, of Chardon, is the guest of Mrs. J. G. Wolff.

Miss Maude M. Kelly, of Chicago, is a guest at the Marshall place.

Hon. Geo. H. Ford, of Burton, registered Thursday at the Parmly.

Mr. Stanley Bosworth, of Cleveland, was in Painesville over Sunday.

Lloyd Wyman is spending several days at the Wyman farm in Perry.

F. N. Hathaway, Edgerton, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Jennie Anderson and Miss Saddle Cone spent Thursday in Cleveland.

Mrs. S. H. Sawyer, of Chardon is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. Bates.

Miss Vangie Current, of Cleveland, is visiting Miss Grace Kile, of Courtland street.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Alexander returned Sat. morning to their home in Marietta.

Miss Alice Kane, who has been visiting in Ashtabula for several weeks, returned Thursday.

Miss Maude Wolf and Miss Maria Truby have returned from a visit in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. A. H. Ayer, of Geneva, is spending the week with relatives in town.

Mrs. D. J. Merriman left Thursday to attend the funeral of a relatives in Howell, Mich.

Mrs. C. G. Boalt left Friday for Cincinnati, where she will visit her son, Mr. Chas. G. Boalt.

Capt. Geo. Stone, of East Cleveland, was in town Monday the guest of his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Gardner.

Miss Mae Smith is home from Oberlin to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Smith.

C. H. Scranton, Esq., of Brockport, N.Y., is spending a few weeks with relatives in Painesville and Perry.

Dr. M. H. Carmedy, of this city, is a candidate for appointment on the hospital staff of the Fifth Regiment.

Capt. Horace Huntoon, of Cleveland, formerly of Painesville, is critically ill.

Mr. Will Miller, who has been assisting in the Lake Shore offices, has returned to his home in Buffalo., N.Y.

Mr. C. J. Scott is recovering from his recent severe illness.

Mrs. W. H. Dyer, of Jackson street, left Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Johnson, of Noblesville, Ind.

W. R. Cady went to North Amherst last Tuesday to attend the funeral of his brother, J. P. Cady, who was a veteran of the rebellion.

Mr. Jack Thompson, of Cleveland, law partner of Senator W. T. Clark, and a former Middlefield boy, was in town on legal business Sat.

Mrs. John Thomas, of Prospect street, has returned from Warren, Pa., with her daughter, Bessie, who has been sick with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. Edwin M. Green of New York, and Mrs. William C. Thayer, of Cleveland, came to Painesville Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Green.

Mr. Thos. Fricker, of Ashtabula, Mr. A. F. Stanley, of Conneaut, and Mr. E. L. Hills, of Jefferson, were in town Tuesday in the interest of the proposed electric railroad between Painesville and Conneaut.

Messrs. N. T. Breed, J. C. Ward, W. W. Fowler S. R. King, C. W. Osborne, C. A. Moodey, R. C. Moodey, A. P. Boyd, W. B. Blair, E. C. Smart, W. G. Hawkins, C. F. Schofield, and A. N. Wood attended a meeting of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine in the Masonic Temple in Cleveland tonight.

### Death of Harmon J. Clark

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Mr. Harmon J. Clark, brother of Probate Judge C. D. Clark died very suddenly while visiting in Willoughby Sat. night. He was the head of the firm of H. J. Clark and Co., proprietors of the Buchtel Hotel, of Akron and came to Willoughby to visit his brother and sister, Judge Clark and Mrs. Kingsley. He walked with the Judge a quarter of a mile to the Judge's residence. He complained several times of pain in his chest and asked that they walk slower. When Mr. Clark, retired, he found it difficult to breathe and a doctor was called; but Mr. Clark died before he could reach the bedside. He was born in Chardon and was a soldier in the Civil War, having been the first man in Geauga Co. to enlist. He built the Park Hotel at Warren, O., and was proprietor to it for some time. Three years ago, he went to Akron. July 21<sup>st</sup>, he would have been 66 yrs. old. He leaves the brother and sister named herein and a brother, E. D. Clark, in Colorado.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of May 4:

### **Ladies**

Robinson, Mrs. W. D.

### **Gentlemen**

Benedict, S. A.

Caswell, G. G.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Sweet, Robert M.

Sweet, Lucelia A.

Shepherd, Geo. H.

Skinner, Jane

Murphy, Ellen M.

#### **Perry**

Ashley, R. L.

Ashley, Alleta L.

#### **Concord**

Wilson, Harriet

Murray, F. H.

Nye, Clark H.

Church, Marcia

### **Painesville Township**

Clapp, Climina

Fifield, Arba A.

### **Richmond Village Lots**

Moodey, Frank C.

Wilson, Z. S.

Schlather, L.

### **Fairport Village Lands**

Empfield, Wm.

Empfield, Nellie G.

Harper, Homer

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Garrett, James

Donaldson, Dwight

Donaldson, Nat. E.

Bates, Nellie E.

Miller, Fremont E.

Miller, Frank L.

Garrett, Georgia

### **Painesville Village Lots**

Brooks, Mary M.

Miller, Fremont E.

Miller, Frank L.

Garrett, Georgia

### **Kirtland Township**

Presley, M. L.

Coleman, C. J.

### **Mentor Township**

Angier, George C.

Blish, Helen P.

### **Mentor Special District**

Burrige, Eleazer

Sever, A. J.

### **Willoughby Village**

Ferguson, Robt. G.

Ferguson, A. S.

Ferguson, Mildred S.

### **Probate Court**

Court was closed Tuesday due to the funeral services of Harmon J. Clark, brother of Judge C. D. Clark.

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

John W. Fox vs Road Supervisors and Trustees of Willoughby Township; injunction

R. C. Moodey, trustee vs J. W. Alexander; equitable relief

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Patrick H. Towell and Ruth E. Towell vs John and Bridget Donahue; foreclosure

Judge Howland sentenced Alfred Gustus for grand larceny to 3 yrs. in the penitentiary.

David Donovan convicted of pocket picking, was sentenced to 1 yr. in the penitentiary.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Amidon, of Trumbull, spent Sunday with Mr. Amidon's mother, Mrs. Wallace Jewell. Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Ellis spent one day of the past week at Painesville.

Mr. Roemer, of Unionville, was a guest at the Thompson house during the past week.

Mr. L. A. Deming and daughter, of Warren, spent part of the past week with friends here.

Mr. Houser, of Kirtland, spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. N. A. Penhollow and family.

Mr. Sidley, of Cleveland, is visiting the families of his sister, Mrs. Eugene Ernst.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Tilley have returned to their home at Ashtabula after spending a week at their old home the guests of Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy.

Mr. Clough and granddaughter, Miss Alice McLean, of Footville, were guests last Wed. of Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Davis and Miss Kate McLean.

Mrs. J. W. Scott who has been staying with the family of her son, George Scott, returned to her home in South Madison last week.

Mrs. Agler, of Ashtabula, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Crocker.

Miss Delia Sackett has returned home after 3 months caring for the motherless children of Mr. F. Coe, in Montville.

### **Little Mountain**

John White has purchased 4 acres of land from the heirs of Edwin Ferris adjoining the farm of Adair Carver.

A quiet wedding occurred at the home of your correspondent April 21<sup>st</sup>, as per the following notice: Married April 21st, 1898, by Rev. Samuel Reynolds at his residence, Byron D. Phelps, of Kirtland, and Mary H. Palians, of Concord.

### **Hampden**

Miss Hollister, of Cleveland, has been visiting her father, Rev. Mr. Hollister of this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert White were in Chardon center Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Searl, of your city, are visiting in town.

Miss Maude Thayer was visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Thayer, last week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Richards made a quick visit to Auburn Saturday.

Oliver Tenney spent last week in Dorset.

Mrs. Edward Hulbert, of Thompson, was in town Tuesday delivering grape roots.

### **Mentor**

Mr. J. A. Cleveland is home on a short vacation.

Mr. Stinhoff, of Willoughby, visited his son and family over Sunday.

Mr. Paine and family, of the city, were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Oliver over Sunday.

Mrs. Warren has returned to her home in New York City accompanied by her sister, Miss Cleveland.

Mrs. A. Upson is visiting friends in the east part of the State this week.

Mr. E. M. Green, of New York City, who spent the winter at Palm Beach, Florida, made his semi-annual visit to Mentor relatives last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowe and Miss M. S. Tilden made a short visit to Chardon last week. Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Hull were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. M. V. Hopkins last Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. French have returned from the city and opened their summer home at Mentor.

### **Perry**

Mrs. Bert Cobb has been visiting relatives in Ashtabula recently.

Miss Lucy Griswold, of South Madison, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. L. Morris on Saturday.

Mrs. Ault, who has been in town the past two months, has returned to her home at Geneva.

T. B. Wire will be found in his ice cream parlor after this week ready to receive customers.

Mrs. Marion Vesey visited a sister at Collinwood last week.

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Master Blake Axtell, with his little brother, Lucien, went to Oberlin Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Amelia Upson, of Conneaut, was visiting her brother, Mr. Leander Tenny, last week.

Mrs. Harcy Armstrong, who has been a great sufferer for year, is at rest.

Ed Horace and family have moved to Ashtabula.

The funeral of Mr. Olmstead Baker, one of Perry's oldest citizens took place on Sat. from the family residence.

Mrs. Amelia Baker Smith returned to her home at Grand Rapids, Mich., on Monday.

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### p. 1 Addison Hills Passes Away

Addison Hills, for many years a well-known citizen of Painesville and late assistant to the president of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Co., died at his home in Cleveland, Sat. He died of pneumonia. Addison Hills was born at Enfield, Hartford Co., Conn., April 6, 1807. His father, Jedediah Hills, moved to Painesville in 1814 bringing his family with him. His son, Lucien Hills, was appointed general freight agent of the C. C. C. & I. Railway. Since the death of his wife several years ago, Mr. Hills has been presided over by his daughter, Emily, with a granddaughter, Mary Hills; the only direct descendants who survive him.

In the Sunday edition of the *Cleveland Leader* is announced the engagement of Miss Frances Alger, daughter of the Sec. of War to Mr. Charles B. Pike, a son of Mr. Eugene Pike, one of Chicago's wealthiest citizens. Mr. Eugene Pike was formerly a citizen of Painesville and President of the Lake Co. Bank.

### Related to Dewey

Following close upon the wonderful victory achieved by the American fleet under Commodore Dewey at the Philippine Islands, it is interesting to know that the great commander is the second cousin of Dr. W. H. Fowler, so well-known in Painesville.

### The Nursery

Our two supply and grocery stores, owned by A. T. Anderson and Messrs. Newton & Storrs, are busy places much of the day.

There is no more busy man in all the Nursery than the blacksmith, Mr. William Oram.

**p. 2 Another Great Fire in Painesville** – May 4<sup>th</sup> are fire started in a warehouse on Maiden Lane, back of Main St. It burned all buildings with 250 yards (stores and owners listed). The new steamer undoubtedly saved the whole of Main St.

**Died** – In Madison, April 6, Carrie Ellen, age 9 mos., dau. of D.L & Marie J. Calkins, of Waterloo City, Ind. -- In Mentor, April 21, Nellie Gertrude, only child of Wm. H. and Sophia Corkins, age 1 yr.—Miss Fanny Kendall, age 83 died at home of W. F. Smith --In Mokelumne, Cal., Mrs. Betsey L. Rutan, age 37 yrs.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O.

Babcock, Mrs. Almira

Lewis, Mrs. Harriet

Johnson, Mrs. Curnelia

Tounsley, Mrs. Hannah

Asheley William

Patrick Calloghan

Casey, William B.

Chandler, David

Clark, Willis G.

Franklin, James

Holt, G. C.

Hough, Edmond

Hutchinson, James

McLean, John T.

McKenzie, Hugh

Merrill, J. B.

White, R. A.

Woodhead, Francis

Held for postage:

Messrs. Peake, Opdyke, & Co., N. Y.

Minerva Phillips, Riceville, Pa.

Mrs. S. E. Spencer, S. Thompson, Ohio

Mrs. Clara Morley, Harvard St. Mass.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

W. H. Cozad's horse took off on a 23-mile run from Madison to its former home in Hampden last Friday.

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The house on Washington street formerly occupied by Mr. M. E. Crofoot was purchased of the Barnes' Co. by Mr. S. T. Gill.

Joe McKinzie and William Grayle spent Thursday in the lock-up for intoxication.

Recorder Pyle has a new style typewriter by which the records may be typewritten.

Albert Button has purchased a tract of timber of Callow Bros., of LeRoy and will start a saw mill there.

C. A. Wise, of Collinwood, a brakeman on the Lake Shore, had a miraculous escape from being killed at Girard Tuesday night. He fell between two cars, twenty cars passed over him but he was between the rails and escaped without injury.

Following is the score of the regular shoot of the Painesville Gun Club last week.

Hodges	22
Carnegie	16
Cain	15
Thayer	14
Payne	11
Hardway	8
Morgan	7

A car load of cobs has arrived for the cob pipe factory. It is understood that farmers can obtain seeds to raise cobs for this new industry at any of the feed stores.

A new law by the State Legislature requires the owners of land along the highways to cut all Canada thistles, briars, and other noxious weeds within the road limits between June 15-30<sup>th</sup>; Aug. 1-15 and Sept. 15-30. If the weeds are not cut, the Supervisor of Roads is required to cut them and add \$1.50 per day to the taxes of the land.

### Personals

Mrs. George E. Wood, of Chicago, is a guest at the Marshall Place.

Mr. Samuel McMillin, of New York, is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. H. P. Sanford, of Cleveland, spent Thursday with friends in Painesville.

Rev. J. C. Hathaway, of Canton, is visiting a few days at the home of his parents.

Mrs. Wm. A. Davis left Monday for Green Springs, Ohio.

Mrs. Edward W. Briggs, of Collinwood, is the guest of Miss Jennie Taylor, of State street.

Mr. Dell Melton, formerly with J. W. Gage, is now learning the jeweler's trade with A. C. Hoose.

Mr. John Skinner, of Perry, guard at the State Penitentiary at Columbus, is home on a month furlough.

Dr. F. L. Warren left Friday on a business trip to Jamestown and Olean, N.Y.

Mr. Phillip McAbee left Sunday for Andover, Mass., where he will continue his studies in the Phillips Academy.

Mrs. Lucy Beardsley and Mr. Stanley Baldwin, of Cleveland, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. T. L. Perine on Sunday.

Mrs. E. G. Wetherbee left Monday for Boston to spend a fortnight with her sister, Mrs. Edward Sawyer.

Miss Warner, who has been spending the winter with her aunt, Mrs. S. P. Hathaway, returned to her home in Iowa.

Mr. H. B. Skeele, of Chicago, spent Sunday with his brother, Rev. Arthur F. Skeele, and returned to his home Monday.

Mrs. H. D. Griswold and mother, of South street, have gone to Cleveland to spend a few days with her son, Mr. Louis Griswold.

Rev. W. H. Gallagher is improving from a serious illness of brain fever.

Mrs. H. B. Gladwish left Friday for a visit to Atlanta, Ga., stopping to join Mr. Gladwish in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. H. M. Moodey, of Northampton Mass., arrived Tuesday morning from New York City to be a guest at the home of her son, Mr. F. C. Moodey.

Mr. Vaughn E. Wyman goes to Ann Arbor today to attend the May Festival. He will be the guest of his brother, Bayard Wyman, of the University of Michigan.

Mr. J. F. Barrows, of Saginaw, Mich., spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Lloyd Wyman, of State street.

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The Lake Erie Land Co. has a fine tract of land of about 150 acres adjoining Linden Beach, which it proposes to sub-divide into lots of several acres each for summer homes.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Noyes, Ralph  
Atkins, Frank M.  
Skinner, F. J.  
Skinner, A. H.  
Ferry, Kate G.  
Berry, Oliver F.  
Tracy, Pearl B.

##### **Leroy**

Harrison, John H.  
Holp, Christopher

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Callander, Geo. F.  
Henry, Edwin E.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Green, Alonzo  
Green, Edward L.  
Roe, Clara M.  
Baker, Sinda S.  
Roe, Ida  
Parker, Hattie M.  
Ellen, J. S.

Gillett, Cephus

##### **Painesville Township**

Reynolds, A. G.  
Burns, Patrick  
Ramsey, William M.  
Benedict, Geo. M.  
Benedict, Chas. Francis  
Condon, Minnie A.

Welch, Carrie L.  
O'Brien, Thomas  
O'Brien, Nellie

##### **Willoughby Village**

Morgan, Mary E.  
Norton, Eber  
Wright, Helen I.  
Baldwin, Maybelle

##### **Richmond Village Lands**

Wyman, Vaughn E.  
Realty Title & Investment Co.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Barnes Co.  
Crofoot, Eugene M.

### **Probate Court**

Payne, B. A. – second account  
White, Henry K. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Collister, Ellen – guardianship; order of sale issued  
Taylor, James H. – second account  
Post, D. Frank – assignment; sale of real estate  
Parmelee, Arlington – guardianship, additional bond filed  
Paige Mfg. Co. - assignment; report of no sale at private sale  
Woolsey, Desire – first and final account  
Hale, Seldon D. – first account  
Alexander, Justin – first and final account  
Stebbins, Loring H. – first account  
Scott, Nelson – final account  
Moseley, Leo A. – guardianship; final account  
Kellogg, Maynard C. – final account  
Murphy, Sumner E. – first and final account  
Armstrong, Pelatiah – third account  
Hall, Susan – final account  
Daus, August – election of widow; first and final account  
Burns, Patrick – sale of real estate  
Northard, Samuel – inventory and appraisal filed  
Black, Isaac S. – guardianship; fifth account  
Coolidge, Alice S. – order of appraisal issued  
Alvord, Sarah P. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Childs, Sarah A.B. – first and final account  
Axtell, Harriet W. – first and final account  
Hall, Hervey H. - Mira Hall appointed administratrix  
Skinner, Jane – first account  
Mary Malin appointed deputy clerk of Probate Court  
Hopkins, Edgar – supplemental petition filed  
Noyse, Samuel H. – marriage license  
Devall, Ida – marriage license  
Hall, Wm. C. – Samuel Phelps appointed adm.  
Dayton, Paulina A. – first account

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Smead, Samuel Mills – affidavit filed

Crawford, Lucian – Frank Crawford appointed adm.

Hall, Harvey H. – partnership appraisal appointed and order to appraisal issued

Button, John – marriage license

Lynch, Margaret – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

Mrs. Williams vs Sharp; plaintiff sues for damages for injuries alleged to have been received by assault last fall. Verdict for plaintiff for \$150.

The case of Frederick Freshley vs A. C. Pepoon has been settled out of court.

Albert W. Parsons vs Chas. W. Durand– case dismissed

Cases of the State vs Michael Murphy, State vs Michael O'Herron Jr., and State against Felix Jones were all nolle.

W. A. McIlrath vs J. R. Slingerland, trustees; case dismissed by plaintiff

B. W. Turney vs F. W. Roemer; judgment for plaintiff for \$20 and costs.

Case of Marjorie W. Rote vs Eugene M. Warner was dismissed for want of prosecution.

### **New cases:**

Margaret M. St. John Andrews vs unknown heirs of Alpheus J. Smith and Orrin Holmes; to quiet title.

### **Capt. Horace Huntoon**

Capt. Horace Huntoon, the subject of this sketch, was born in Painesville, Sept. 4, 1845, and lived here with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Corbin Huntoon, until their death, which occurred while Horace was but a small boy. He then went to live with his grandfather Capt. Harvey Huntoon, of Concord, a veteran of the War of 1812. He enlisted in the Civil War at the age of 16 yrs. with Company D, Seventh regiment O.V.I., as a drummer boy, but in the very first battle he threw away his drum and took up a musket. He was taken prisoner and was held at Andersonville and Sallsbury prisons for nine

months. After his release, he returned to fight with his company. After the war, he took up the life of a sailor eventually becoming commander of the schooner E. R. Williams. He died at his home, 20 Walnut street, Cleveland, May 4<sup>th</sup> of typhoid pneumonia. Burial was at Woodland Cemetery. He leaves a widow.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of May 11:

### **Ladies**

Ashbury, H. W.

Holbrook, Miss Agnes

Oliver, Miss Ida M.

Quill, Mrs. Nettie

### **Gentlemen**

Batchelder, D. S.

Bernstein, H.

Griswold, Carl

Hamilton, M.

Heydon, Clifford

Irwin, C. G.

May, Rev. John

Streeter, Solon

St. John, F. M.

Supiner, Chas.

The W. B. G. Co.

Welch, J. R.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Basquin attended the E. L. Convention at Chardon last Wednesday.

Mr. Wannamaker, who has been quite sick for several days is not better.

Mrs. Lizzie Tucker from Chester visited her two daughters over Sunday.

Mrs. Hannah Morse is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Barnes near Bostwick.

Alfred Rhodes has moved on to the Coe place.

Mrs. Wannamaker has a brother and cousin from Mahoning Co. visiting her.

Miss Maud Fales visited her sister at Hartsgrove last Sunday.

Emory Skinner who wanted to join Company M at Painesville did not come up to physical requirements and consequently did not go with the boys. He was disappointed.



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We hear of Hemes Spencer occasionally. He is well and seems to enjoy soldiers' life at Camp Bushnell.

Last Sat. Mrs. Sutherland started for Pierpont with her mother, Mrs. Gillis, to take her home. The horses became unmanageable and started on a run and threw the occupants out. Mrs. Gillis sustained a broken ankle and her back is in a terrible condition. Mrs. Sutherland had two fractured ribs but was able to walk up to Foley's for help. The ladies were brought home and Dr. Ellis was called.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

John Gilbreath spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. O'Brien left for Cleveland last Sat.

Miss Kate McLean returned last Wed. from visiting relatives in Painesville and Madison.

Mr. Edwin Tillotson has returned from Ashtabula.

Miss Myrtie Graham spent part of the past week with Mrs. A. M. Stocking.

Mrs. George Binning and Mr. Adolph Binnig, of Perry, visited relatives at this place one day last week. Mrs. Binnig is expected to spend the week with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

Mrs. W. J. Foote and daughter, and Mr. G. Keener and children were guests last Tuesday of Mr. & Mrs. John Reigert, of Trumbull.

### **Mentor**

Capt. Thos. Fitzpatrick has returned from a visit with relatives in Buffalo.

Mrs. Colgate has returned and taken apartments with her brother, S. G. Remington, where she will remain for the summer.

Mr. Buckley, of Chardon, has located in Mentor and is occupying the house recently vacated by Miss Prouty. He is a watchmaker and will engage in his profession here.

Miss Ellsworth, who has been on the sick list for some time past at her home in Hudson, has so far recovered that she returned to resume her duties as teacher.

Mr. George Marsh has removed his tanning establishment to the Burrige Park lot next to the paint works of H. B. Doty.

Mrs. Minnie Jacks and children visited at the county seat last week.

Mrs. Charles Wright has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Foshay, in West Cleveland.

Harry King has returned from a business trip in the South.

Miss Lillian Ellsworth has returned from Hudson and is again in her school.

Mr. Henry Moore, from the West, is visiting with his nieces, the King girls.

Miss Mary Sawyer celebrated her 11<sup>th</sup> birthday last Thursday.

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### **p. 1 Badly Injured**

Edwin D. Curtis, of Concord, became mixed up in a street fight early Sat. with Frank Duck, whose home is in Richmond. Mr. Edward Curtis, age 54 yrs., the father of the young man, attempted to intercede in his son's behalf and was knocked to the sidewalk, receiving injuries that will probably be fatal. Duck pleaded guilty to assault and battery on the young man and was sent to the workhouse for six months. An indictment for assault on the elder Curtis will probably be made.

### **Drowned at Geneva**

While fishing near Sturgeon Point, Sat., George W. Bartholomew, a Lake Shore freight fireman residing at Geneva, was drowned. He, with three other men, were out in the lake about two miles in a small row-boat when suddenly the boat was overturned. Bartholomew drowned, the other three held on to the overturned boat until rescued.

### **Used a Gun**

Miss Mary Proper, who lives in the settlement back of the City Mills, known as Parmly Row, was arrested Sat on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Sara Carmen, a colored woman who lives opposite

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the steam laundry, charging her with shooting with intent to kill. Miss Proper had become angry at Mrs. Carman and had at different times thrown stones at her to let her know her presence near the Proper residence was not desired. Mrs. Carmen and her little girl passed by the house to call on friends who lived nearby. Seeing her coming, Miss Proper appeared in the doorway with a revolver in hand and threatened to shoot if she should attempt to pass. Mrs. Carmen passed the house and Miss Proper shot twice, both times without effect. She was arrested and released on bond.

### Concord

B. L. Stafford has bought Fay's Mill.  
Charles Gebeau has moved from the Hollow.  
Mrs. H. B. Drake has returned from a few days visit to her daughter in Cleveland.

### LeRoy

R. V. Taylor, who has been very sick for more than a week is no better. His son, Dell, is at home assisting in caring for him.

Mrs. Caroline Prentiss' little niece, Sadie Shepard, who lives with her, is very sick with pneumonia.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Doncaster left Tuesday morning for a visit of several months in Nebraska.

David Upson is on the sick list.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

The four-year-old child of Mr. & Mrs. John Maginson, was killed Wed. by falling into a rain barrel. He was playing in the rear of the house. He was in the barrel but a few minutes before he was found by his mother. The barrel contained about seven inches of water.

John Wagner, of Chardon, was arrested at the depot Monday. He pleaded guilty to being drunk and disorderly and was released on promise of good behavior.

Mrs. Albert Harris, who was struck by a passenger train at Geneva Wed. died within an hour after the accident.

Mr. Clarence Stockwell, grandson of Mrs. B. Stockwell, of this city, has been promoted to assistant paymaster of the Monitor Nahant, now stationed at Staten Island at the entrance to New York Harbor. He joined the Naval Reserve last year while a student at Yale College, and was called into service at the beginning of the present war.

The funeral of Mrs. Charles Cole was largely attended from St. Mary's Church Saturday.

James Duffy was bought before Justice Nye Monday on the charge of keeping his saloon on Prospect street open Sunday.

Word was received last Monday from Mr. Fred C. Woodward, of Los Angeles, Cal., by his parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. Woodward of State street, stating that he had enlisted in Company C., 7<sup>th</sup> California Regiment and that they expected to start for the Philippines on Sunday. Mr. Woodward formerly resided here.

Will Dunn was charged for intoxication and fined \$5 and costs. Dunn is an employee of the Penfield brick works in Willoughby.

L. A. Trumbull is closing out his crockery at greatly reduced prices, 133 Gage Block.

Jeff. Kelley, a colored man from Concord, was arrested on suspicion that he might have had something to do with the burglarizing of G. W. Blackmon Sons' store about a week ago. Nothing could be found against the man and he was released.

### Personals

Prof. R. W. Henderson is recovering from a week's illness.

Mr. Gail G. Grant is entertaining his father from Geneva.

Mr. E. M. Riton, left Monday on a business trip to Westfield, N.Y.

Mr. & Mrs. Allan Carpenter, of Cleveland, were in town over Sunday.

Miss Capitola Underwood is spending a few days with her brother in the city.

Miss Coates, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. H. P. Coe, of Nebraska street.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Hodges, of Prospect street, are visiting relatives in Fullertown, O.

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C. E. Stebbins, who has been confined to the house the past three weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. F. J. Jeannot and Mrs. Hollister, of Youngstown, are guests of Prof. and Mrs. J. Powell Jones.

Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Archard and Miss Archard, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. V. A. Riton arrived Monday from Roanoke, Va., to be the guest of Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Carpenter.

Mr. Axtell Byles, of Titusville, Pa., returned home Friday after a visit of several days in Painesville.

Mrs. Chas. Lowman, of Cleveland, returned home Friday, after a visit of several days with Mrs. Robt. Murray.

Mrs. Katherine Warren returned home last Wed. after a visit in Ridgeway, Pa.

Mr. Chas. F. Wyman returned Tuesday morning to Connellsville, Pa., after visiting relatives in town.

Mr. George Austin has completed his course of study at the Western Reserve Medical College and returned home.

Miss Maude Arter, of Cleveland, who has been visiting friends in Painesville for the past week, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. T. E. Alvord, of Dunkirk, O., was called here Thursday by the death of her mother, Mrs. Lydia Lapham, of North Mentor.

Mr. Will H. Pullis, who has visited his cousin, Mr. Percy K. Smith, for a few days, returned to Austinburgh Friday.

Chas. F. Wyman, of Connellsville, Pa., is spending several days with his brother, Lloyd Wyman, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Wyman, of Perry.

Mr. Charles Forbes, of Cleveland, was the guest over Sunday of Mr. Bartlett Shepherd at the home of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. H. Shepherd.

Mr. John Byrne, a prominent clothier of Hebron, Neb., while en route to Ireland, has stopped in Painesville to visit his brother-in-law, Mr. E. Haffey, the well-known C. P. & E.

motorman Mr. Byrne will sail from New York on the 25th.

Dr. M. H. Carmedy left Thursday for London, England, where he will spend the summer in Guys Hospital, studying medicine and surgery.

Robert Manchester and wife arrived home Tuesday for the summer. Prof. Nicholas Brow and wife from San Francisco, Cal., will remain with them during the summer.

Mr. Dan Holwick, who was awarded the contract for the new high school, arrived Monday from Canton.

Mr. Edward Pelton Merrill, of whom mention was recently made, has returned safely to his home in Cleveland from Santiago, Cuba.

Word was received Thursday from Seattle, Wash., of the death of Mrs. Mary Eddy Day, formerly of Painesville. The cause of death was heart failure. Mrs. Day was a sister of the late D. M. Eddy and was 82 yrs. old.

It may be of interest to the friends of Mr. Maynard Turner, formerly of this place but now of Duluth, to know that he is a relative by marriage to Admiral Dewey, the hero of Manila. Mr. Turner married Miss Ida Dewey, daughter of Col. A. C. Dewey, who is a first cousin of the naval commander. The fathers of A. C. Dewey and the Admiral were twin brothers.

E. J. McDermand, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has opened a photo studio on Main street in Radcliffe & Harrison's old stand.

### The Late Mrs. Bissel

The *Clearfield (Iowa) Enterprise* notes the death of Mrs. Bissel, widow of the Hon. Benj. Bissel, for a long term of years both esteemed residents of Lake County. Sarah Bright was born in Ulysses, Thompkins Co., N.Y., on Aug. 23, 1807 and died April 12, 1898. She was married to Mr. Bissel in 1829, and five children were born to them. The oldest and only son, Bright Bissel, eight or nine years old, was killed by horse cars running from Painesville to Fairport. The surviving members of the family are: Mrs. R. N. Shepherd, Mrs. C. E. Waring, and Miss Mary Bissell, of Clearfield; and Mrs. Albert Clapp, of Alhambra, California. The family moved to Iowa about 25 years ago, Mr. Bissel dying in the fall of 1878 and the remains

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brought to Painesville for burial. The relatives in the latter city are Mr. William Clayton (who married Mr. Bissell's sister for his first wife) and his daughters, Mrs. Edward H. Casement and Mrs. Seymour Gill. Also, Mrs. C. L. Hoyt. *Willoughby Independent*

### **Death of Mrs. Lydia Lapham**

The death of Mrs. Lydia Lapham occurred at an early hour on Wed, May 11<sup>th</sup>, after an illness of six weeks, age 78 yrs. and 6 mos. March 31<sup>st</sup>, Mrs. Lapham was suddenly stricken with paralysis while engaged with her household duties since which time she has been confined to her bed and very helpless. Her sons, Mr. Edward and James Lapham, of North Mentor, and daughter, Mrs. T. E. Alvord, of Dunkirk, O., were with her during her last moments.

### **Death of Mrs. Charles B. Cole**

Mrs. Charles Cole died at the family residence on Jackson street, after an illness of only two weeks. Mrs. Cole's maiden name was Miss Anna C. Lamar, and she was born on Mentor Headlands 18 yrs. ago last July. On Nov. 8, 1896, she was married to Charles Cole and the happy couple have lived together with Mr. Cole's parents, Mr. & Mrs. E. J. Cole.

### **Seriously Injured**

Mrs. Harris, the wife of Mr. Albert Harris, an employee of the Geneva Bicycle Factory, was stuck and badly hurt by a passenger train last Wed. in front of the Lake Shore depot in Geneva. She had started to cross the track to the factory where her husband was at work. In doing so, she stepped onto the track directly in front of the west bound passenger train. Her foot slipped and she was struck by the train. She was not killed but her injuries are serious and there are no hopes of her recovery.

### **Death of Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin**

Mrs. Ida B., wife of William McLaughlin, age 34 yrs., died at their home at 502 South State street Monday. She was born in Cleveland and lived

there all her life until last fall when she came to Painesville with her husband, who had obtained a good position with Sherwood's laundry. She leaves four children, two little girls—one eight, the other six years old, and two little twin boys only eight days old. Interment will be in Woodland Ave Cemetery Wednesday.

### **Dock Road**

Mrs. A. King has been visiting in Cleveland for a few days.

Dell Duke came home from Colorado after an absence of over two months. He likes Ohio best.

Mrs. Elmer Joiner and daughter, Miss Lillian went to Cleveland yesterday; they will be gone two weeks.

Mrs. W. Harris and children, of New Castle, Pa., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Moore.

Miss Inez Sohn came home Saturday. She has been staying for the last two months with the family of George Haywood and been helping to care for the sick there.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of May 18:

#### **Ladies**

Brook, Miss Alice  
Davis, Miss Stella  
Queer, Gertrude

#### **Gentlemen**

Barber, J. W.  
Bernard, Fred  
Frank, Ira  
Hall, Charley  
Jones, H.  
McGee, Ed  
Parker, C. C.  
Rowe, J. M.

#### **Perry**

Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Lapham were called to Black Brook on Friday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Lapham.

Mrs. Arthur Jewell with her two daughters and son, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Henry VanNess over Sunday.

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Mrs. Augustine Carman and children, of Springfield, Ohio, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. I. N. Carman.

Mrs. Samuel Hickson and Mrs. William Ray spent Wednesday in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. William Stowell, of Geneva, were visiting their daughters in town last week.

Miss Lillian Voss left for Edinboro, Pa., on Wed. where she will spend a month among her former associates.

Joe Wood, of Cleveland, was a guest of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Wood, over Sunday.

### **Madison**

Friends of Mrs. Jane Wilkinson will be glad to learn that she has recently been granted a pension.

Mr. Cummings, of Willoughby, was the guest of relatives over Sunday.

Mr. H. Wilson, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Line Sunderland, of Cleveland, is making a short visit at her old home.

Mrs. W. T. S. Culp is recovering from a recent serious illness.

Dr. & Mrs. Verne Winans and daughter spent Saturday in the city.

Mrs. Hannah Queen after visiting friends in town and in Thompson returned to Cleveland, Saturday morning.

David Smead and family, of West Superior, have returned to Madison for the summer. They are located at Mrs. Teachout's on Main street.

Mrs. Chas. Forbes and daughter, Ethel, returned to Cleveland on Monday. They expect to return to Madison for the summer, after the close of school.

Born in Youngstown, May 3, 1898, a daughter Mr. & Mrs. Francis Hearn.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Concord**

Tuttle, W.

Kelso, William H.

Collister, Thos.

Collister, Ellen

Kelso, Augusta E.

#### **Fairport Village Lands**

Mattson, Susie

Herttua, Matti

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Wilcox, Aaron

Paige, Caroline W.

Andrews, Rose L.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Collister Helen M.

Jopling, Mary

Jopling, Mary

Escobar, Florence Jopling

#### **Willoughby Village**

Presley, M. L.

Coleman, C. J.

Sherman, Nellie R.

Sprague, Ida

Campbell, J. C.

Wright, Helen I.

McGlenchy, Frank

#### **Madison Township**

Bidwell, Helen A.

Morrison, Mary O.

#### **Perry Township**

Shepherd, James H.

Manchester, Eva May

Erkson, Nicholas

Haywood, Jacob

#### **Mentor Township**

Rexford, Josephine

Harrington, Edwin A.

Harrington, Emery S.

Harrington, E. A.

Harrington, E.

Rexford, Josephine

#### **Mentor Village**

Dickey, Mathew

Hurst, Susan C.

#### **Probate Court**

Miller, Helena A. – guardianship; second account

Pratt, P. & Son – assignment; sale of desperate claims

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Collister, Ellen – guardianship; sale of real estate  
Church, Marcia – first account  
Brown, Jerome B. – notice filed  
Brown, Sarah M. – notice filed  
White, Henry K. – notice filed  
Coolidge, Alice S. - order of sale issued  
Whiting, James H. – appointed guardian of Nettie Thompson  
Taylor, Mary – application for appointment of guardian  
Latham, R. R. – petition to sell real estate  
Collister, Jefferson – notice filed  
Merrill, Correll B. – notice filed  
Lapham, Lydia – notice filed  
Hall, Charles – marriage license  
Howard, Nettie E. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

John C. Ward vs G. F. Webb; premises to be sold if mortgage is not paid

L. T. Armstrong vs Eugene Reeves – non-fulfilment of contract in the erection of a building; verdict for defendant of \$1.

A. C. Pepoon vs C. H. Greer, settled out of court

### New cases:

Aaron M. Wilcox vs Maverette S. Cole; account and equitable relief

David H. Allen vs Burnley Battery and Mfg. Co. – specific performance; money

Catherine Manning vs. John Manning – divorce; restored to maiden name, alimony for extreme cruelty

Bridget Rafer vs John Rafter; mortgage

### Mentor

Porter Tynen, of Garrettsville, was the guest of W. S. Ackley and family last week.

Mrs. Ira Woodruff has been visiting with her son's family in Collinwood.

Miss Nellie Cadle has been engaged as teacher at Euclid Creek School.

Mrs. Mary Loomis, of Kansas is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Wright.

Miss Lottie Smith, of Waite Hill, has been visiting relatives in this place.

Mrs. Laura Root and Miss Marion Amidon, of the county seat, visited at the residence of S. Justus last week.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson and Mr. & Mrs. Gale Tower attended the funeral of a cousin in Cleveland last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Allen Mead, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday with her parents.

Mr. & Mrs. Horace Andrews have again taken up their residence in this place for the summer months.

Mrs. Gillett Sr. is very low at present writing.

Mr. Newell and family, of Cleveland, will occupy the Geo. Rose Sr. residence for the summer.

Mr. Geo. Rose Jr. is adding a commodious veranda to his residence.

Carl Hagenberger, the florist has a most elegant display of geraniums at his greenhouses just now.

Mr. C. H. Moore, Mr. Blish, Moore, and Mr. Milan Moore, of Clinton, Ill., Mr. H. C. Moore, of Oskaloosa, Ia., and Dr. Abner Moore, of Amherst, Ohio, five brothers are visiting relatives in this part of Lake County. They were old settlers in this section. It is said to be forty years since they all happened to meet in Mentor.

### Geneva

Mr. Robert Caulfield was knocked down on the pavement by some careless bicycle riders.

Mr. F. O. Stone has sold his interest in the *Geneva Free Press* to Mr. M. C. Hawley. Mr. Hawley was once one of the proprietors of the *Geneva Times*.

Company E, Fifth Regiment of Geneva – Capt. J. P. Woodworth has been promoted to Major; Lieut. H. B. Williams to Captain of Company E; C. C. Maltbie to First Lieut.

J. W. Maltbie to Second Lieut.

Fred Perry promoted to Orderly Sargeant

### p. 4 Thompson

Mr. J. L. Smith transacted business in Ashtabula last Wednesday.

The Misses Mamie and Katie Sullivan spent last Friday in Painesville.

Mr. Joseph Linhart enjoyed a trip to Painesville last Sat.

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Mr. Oakley Douglass was a recent guest at the home of Hon. and Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

Mr. & Mrs. Rufus Hulbert and son spent Sunday with Mr. Hoyt Hulbert and family at Calm.

Mr. Fred Wilber is in the employ of Mr. Henry Ernst.

Mrs. L. Leonard is in very poor health.

### **Mentor Headlands**

The assessor, Mr. Ed Proudfoot, was well fixed on the Headlands.

Mr. Samuel Brown and his mother, Mrs. Eliza Brown, of the Plains were visiting relatives on this street Sat. Miss Ella Brown, daughter of Mrs. Brown, is not improving in health as fast as her friends would like. Miss Brown has been in Denver, Col., several years in search of health. Soon she will go to the iron springs of Colorado, not far from Denver.

Little Alice Hough has been quite seriously sick for several weeks past.

Robert Carr was 7 yrs. old on Saturday and was allowed to invite in friends for a party.

One afternoon last week, Mary Brown the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Ira Brown was seriously ill from an over dose of worm poison. She was better Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Hailstone, wife of Superintendent Hailstone, of the Water Works plant on the Headlands, leaves Painesville Wed. with her children for a year's visit at her old home in Scotland.

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### **p. 1 Struck by a Motor**

John Ryan was driving a wagon that was struck by a street car. The horses were just across when the car crashed into the wagon. The driver was thrown to the ground and escaped without injury.

### **James Harvey Avery**

James Harvey Avery, of the firm of Avery & Stacy, of State street, was taken suddenly ill Thursday in his place of business and fell in a fainting spell from which he never recovered. He

died Friday evening. He was born in Cortland, Cortland Co., N.Y., in 1821, and came to Painesville in 1855. For five years he owned and managed the Goldsmith farm on Mentor Ave., after which he engaged in business in Painesville. From his family of four children, only one survives him, Mrs. Charles E. Russell, of La Porte, Ind. Hon. Charles A. Avery, of this place, is the only surviving brother of the deceased. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

### **Notice of Dissolution**

The firm doing a meat and grocery business under the name of Cawley & Cashel, at 518 North State street, was on May 20<sup>th</sup> dissolved. Richard Cawley will carry on the business in the future.

### **Dock Road**

Mrs. Ernie Rand is entertaining her sister-in-law, Mrs. Darby, and children from Cleveland.

Miss Catherine Berge, of Mentor, has been the guest of Mrs. Helen Fitch the past week.

Bernie Brew, accompanied by Jesse Miller and John Williams, wheeled to Cleveland Friday and returned yesterday.

Mr. & Mrs. William Gardner and daughter, Mrs. Marsh, of Mobile, Ala., have moved to this place. They expect to make Ohio their future home. At present, they are staying with Mrs. Gardner's brother, Warren Vrooman.

W. H. Treat will not be doing grinding at present as he is putting in new machinery in his mill.

### **Kirtland**

Henry Sleeman is quite sick with pneumonia.

Miss Laura Morse is spending some time with friends here.

Miss Fannie Morse spent last Sunday at the home of G. H. Morse.

Last Sunday Mrs. Bosworth gave an interesting report of the State conference which she has just attended.

Mr. Deidrick, of Chardon, was calling on friends here last Friday.

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### **Concord**

Mrs. Edward Kellogg is in the east for a month or more visiting her former home.

Miss Carrie Wheelock is with her relatives, Mr. & Mrs. Chester Winchell and family.

Miss Jane E. Morse has been visiting relatives and friends in Concord for two weeks.

Miss Minnie Chapman is again in Concord after an absence of several months. She is at the home of her brother, Mr. Charles Chapman.

Mr. & Mrs. Colburn, of Ansonia, Conn., are visiting their son, Mr. Fairchild Colburn, at his home in Concord.

Mrs. Correll Merrell and daughter, of Cleveland, are with Mr. & Mrs. R. Corlett for an extended visit.

Miss Lizzie Lentz is with her brothers and sister in this town for the present.

The community is much saddened by the continued illness of Miss Hattie Oliver. She is not able to retain nourishment taken.

### **A Narrow Escape**

While returning from the funeral of Mrs. Sumner on Elm street, Sunday, Frank and George Huntoon had a very narrow escape from sudden death. They were walking on the track and did not hear the west bound train approaching due to the noise of the east bound train. They finally looked around and just managed to step aside and get out of the way.

### **Opening of Euclid Beach**

Cleveland's most popular amusement park, viz: The beautiful Euclid Beach will start its fourth season with many new attractions on May 28<sup>th</sup>. There is a new open-air pavilion theater. The opening attraction will be the famous Clara Morris who will give two performances every day. The Great Western Band of 45 musicians will be in attendance at the park every day. Two lines of street cars run direct to the Park gates.

### **Fell from the Lake Shore Bridge**

Will Welch had been engaged in a fight on a freight train on the Lake Shore and was thrown

off the car by his assailant. He fell about 199 feet but struck a soft patch of ground and escaped uninjured.

### **p. 2 No Aid from the Cubans**

It is now very evident that but little assistance from Cuba can be looked for by the United States in its efforts to wrest the island from the control of Spain. To end a barbarous war, to rescue a starving people from prosecution, to drive the Spaniards out of Cuba, and to establish a stable, independent government, the United States has assumed the risks and responsibilities of war with Spain.

Changes have been made in the Ohio laws relating to the issuance of marriage licenses. The age of both the parties to be given and the maiden name of the lady's mother must be stated and if either party has previously been married. The license must be given by the clergyman or justice of the peace to the probate court within 30 days instead of 90 days as heretofore. The law takes effect Jan. 1, 1899.

A new law allows the probate judge to waive the taking of inventory in estates of deceased persons under the value of \$500.

### **Perry**

Miss Lydia Stephens, who has been quite an invalid for the past year, has improved so much that she can return to her home.

Mr. Charles Worden has been on crutches the past two weeks due to a severe cut on his foot.

Arthur Fairchild met with an accident last week as he was assisting in moving a building which has laid him up for a time.

David Carman has gone to North Michigan for the summer for his health.

The funeral of Mrs. Warren Bowen occurred at the family home on Sunday.

Mrs. Will Ensign and little daughter, of Madison, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Abel.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of May 25:



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### Ladies

Johnson, Mrs. L. M.  
Loney, Miss Elizabeth  
Taylor, Mrs. Margaret  
Taylor, Lydia M.

### Gentlemen

Bailey, Ellis  
Dewalt, J. T.  
Dillie, E. F.  
Haynes, W. D.  
Perkins, Jno.

### Madison

Miss Alice Hayden has returned to Warren.  
Dr. and Mrs. Domer were in town recently.  
Mrs. Culp has recovered from a recent illness.  
Mrs. P. C. McKenzie is also recovering from an illness.

Mrs. A. A. Hall was taken very suddenly ill last Saturday but is recovering.

Miss Lizzie Lyman after spending a week with Madison friends left Saturday for Cleveland, en route for St. Paul.

Mr. & Mrs. Gale and Mrs. Brakeman attended the funeral of their relative Private Ed. Pancost, of Company E., Geneva, on Wed. the 18<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Will Isham and Miss Louise Church, of Geneva, were in town on Monday.

Mrs. Fraser, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Morey, of Saybrook, were recent visitors in town.

Mrs. Harriet Smead has gone to Dalton, Mass., to spend several weeks with relatives.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

The band stand in the park is being repainted. It will be a light green with darker green trim. The roof will be painted red.

Pat Cusick and Frank Duck were taken to the workhouse Monday by Marshal Connell.

Clark and Luella Barber were arrested Sat. night on the charge of intoxication. Clark, only 18 yrs. old, pleaded not guilty. Luella, who is a young woman of about 20 yrs., pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs.

Geo. Pritchard stated to an officer that he had been held up on his way home and relieved of his week's wages.

George Klophar, age 35, a Hungarian, was found dead on the Lake Shore tracks near Wickliffe Sat. His body was severed in two pieces. His parents live in Austria.

Mrs. Sophronia Devine, age 69 yrs., died at her home in Richmond Thursday.

George Stumm's new song entitled "Come Along Melinda," has just been published and bids fair to make a hit.

Frank A. Bowman, formerly of this place, is now editor of the *Collinwood Chronicle*.

Mr. Harry C. Hurd, of Cleveland, who is spending the summer in Painesville, is at the residence of Miss Young, on the Park.

The funeral of Mrs. T. W. Sumner was held at her late residence Sunday. She died Sat. after a short illness and was 75 yrs. of age.

Miss Mary Proper, who was charged by Mrs. Sara Carmen with shooting with intent to kill, waived examination.

### Personals

Mrs. E. J. Baldwin, of State street, is confined to the house with pneumonia.

Mrs. E. B. Packaid, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is the guest of her brother, Mr. F. L. Burnham.

Mr. Wm. McLaughlin has accepted a position with the Globe Iron Works Co. in Cleveland.

Mrs. J. G. Nuhfer, of Fremont, O., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Garret, of Mentor Ave.

Mrs. C. G. Boalt, has returned from a 1 week visit in Cincinnati with her son, Mr. Charles Boalt.

Miss May Dillon attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Klara Doutrill, of Cleveland, Thursday.

Miss Lee, of East Erie street, is stopping in Ashtabula a few weeks, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Soules.

Mrs. H. B. Gladwish, of Mentor Ave., returned home Monday from two weeks to Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Lottie Berry, who has been attending college in Cleveland is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. L. B. Duncan.

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Mr. Bartlett Shepherd, of Adelbert, was at home over Sunday, Mr. Elliott, of Columbus, was his guest for the day.

Mrs. A. G. Clayton, of Chicago Heights, Ill., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harris Gould, of North St. Clair street.

Mr. Joseph King, Miss Ellen King and Miss Laura King left Friday to visit friends in Jefferson.

Mr. Blish Moore, of Clinton, Ill., formerly of Lake Co., is spending a few days with his cousin, Henry C. Nye, of Jackson street.

Mr. J. P. Sharkey, the new superintendent of the Painesville public schools, was in town Sat. looking over his new field of labor.

Mrs. F. T. Jeannot and Mrs. Hollister, of Youngstown, returned home Thursday after a visit of several days with Prof. and Mrs. J. Powell Jones.

Mrs. M. B. Beardslee, a former resident of Painesville but recently of Cleveland, has returned to Painesville and made her home on South State street. Mr. & Mrs. E. P. Williams are guests of Miss Louise Hall.

Mrs. W. J. Shattuck leaves this evening for Milwaukee, Wis., being called there by the critical illness of her uncle, Hon. A. M. Thomson.

Miss Mary Bell, of Cleveland, who has been a guest of Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Scott, returned home Tuesday morning. Miss Bell is a matron in the Girls' Industrial School at Delaware.

Mr. Charles E. Russell, of La Porte, Ind., was called here Saturday by the sudden death of his father-in-law, Mr. James H. Avery. Mrs. Russell was detained at home on account of illness.

Mrs. A. F. Stebbins has received the sad news of the death of Mrs. L. A. J. Stebbins which occurred May 7, 1898, at the home of her son, Homer Stebbins, in Clovis, Fresno Co., Cal. Her death was caused by typhoid fever. The deceased formerly resided in East Painesville.

### **Miss Helen Parker Briggs (Died May 14, 1898)**

Prepared by Miss Evans to be published in the Record for the Alumnae of Lake Erie College and Seminary.

During the fourteen years of her connection with our work, Miss Briggs has been absent only during her journey to Europe in 1887, and for an occasional evening when she remained in Cleveland to hear some eminent musician. She had Glee Club, Chorus, private lessons morning and afternoon and every intervening moment was filled with study or work. More recently she had been lecturer and instructor in the Kindergarten Training College. During the last weeks of March, a severe cold developed into grippe. After two weeks of rest, she returned to the Seminary and attempted a few private lessons only to be prostrated and confined to her room for ten days. On May 4, she returned to her home in Cleveland. The heart difficulty rapidly increased and her suffering became intense.

### **Mrs. Lydia Ann Magargil**

Mrs. Lydia Ann Magargil, widow of the late F. W. Magargil, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Bowhall, of the East Side, Monday. She was born in Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 12, 1824 and came to Painesville with her husband and family 26 yrs. ago, where she has since resided. Mr. F. W. Magargil, her husband, is the one, who about two years ago, disappeared from home and was afterward found in Portage Co. in a precarious condition. He died a short time afterward. The excitement of his disappearance was too much for Mrs. Magargil and a stroke of apoplexy was the result and she has been gradually failing since then. She was stricken the third time last Sat. and never regained consciousness. She leaves seven children, as follows: A. J., I. E., Jerome and Howard Magargil, Mrs. Martha Durand, Mrs. Mary Bowhall, and Mrs. Alice Broughton. The funeral will occur from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Bowhall Wed.

### **The Hutchinson Family**

The Hutchinson family visited Painesville, July 3, 1852. A committee approached them to ask if they would sing for the celebration on the 4<sup>th</sup>, to be held in the grove near the High School building. Most of the committee were pro-slaver men and wanted the Hutchinson to sing certain

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pieces which they considered to approve the system of slavery. The Hutchinsons refused to comply with these wishes. The M. E. Church had previously engaged the Hutchinsons to sing but when they went to the church the doors were locked. The church trustees said they locked the church for they feared a mob if the Hutchinsons were permitted to enter. In the meantime, a crowd of more than 1500 people gathered in front of the church while the Hutchinsons for two hours stood on the large steps. The year before our Civil War, the Hutchinsons furnished the music to which the great anti-slavery army marched.

### **The Moore Brothers**

This last week there was in Mentor a remarkable group of men, the five sons of Mr. Isaac Moore, familiarly known in this township as "Squire Moore." The oldest son, Clifton Moore, is 80 yrs. old, and the youngest Henry Moore is 65 yrs. old. They are all the sons of one mother. Their mother was Philina Blish Moore, a sister of Benjamin and Zenus Blish, Mrs. Orris Clapp and Mrs. Ebenezer Nye. Her three daughters were Minerva Moore Bishop, who died in Illinois some years ago; Cornelia Moore King, wife of Henry C. King, who died here in Mentor at her home, and Miss Orinda Moore, who died at the home of her brother, Clifton. The great object of this trip was to meet once more at their mother's grave in Warrensville, where they have just erected a handsome granite monument. Mrs. Moore died in 1832 leaving a family of eight little children, the youngest but six months old and the oldest under seventeen. Clifton H. Moore went to Illinois in 1839 and settled in Clinton a pretty little city about the size of Painesville and half way between Bloomington and Decatur. Mr. Moore is one of the largest real estate owners in the west. Dr. Abner Moore has been an honored physician of Lorain Co. for many years where his kindness to the poor, and this integrity of character have won him the very highest place in the community. Benjamin Blish Moore went to Illinois in 1845 where he has held office of

responsibility. Mr. Milan Moore also went to Illinois in 1850 and lives in Farmers City, where he has a large jewelry and watch repairing business. Henry C. Moore went to Iowa in 1855 and lives in Oskaloosa, where he is largely interested in coal mining. The Moore brothers have made their headquarters with their nieces Antoinette and Eleanor King and have visited their cousins, George Blish and Mrs. Rosa Nye Doan, of Mentor and Messrs., Henry and George Nye, Homer Hine and Mrs. Lavinia Barnes, of Painesville. Among old acquaintances whom they have met may be mentioned Harrison Carpenter, Thomas Morley and his sister, Harriet Morley Talbot. Mrs. Elizabeth Pratt, Miss Mina Corning Angier, Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Justus, Mr. Thomas Radcliffe, Mr. Erastus Parmele, Mr. & Mr. Frank Murray and Mr. & Mrs. Wallace Dille, of Euclid, who have recently moved here. Prominent among their relatives are two cousins, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps (Ward) and Emily Huntington (Miller).

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Painesville Township**

Barto, N. E.

Williams, Alton D.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Duffee, James

Vogel, David

#### **Willoughby Village**

Wright, Helen I.

McGlenchy, Frank

### **Common Pleas**

Catherine Manning vs John Manning; divorce

R. T. Ashley vs F. E. Wildman

Amanda Kennedy vs Timothy Kennedy for divorce, decree for plaintiff, custody of children and alimony

#### **New cases:**

Josephine Post vs Thomas A. Post; divorce, gross neglect of duty; asks for alimony and custody of minor children.

Samuel Lapham vs James Francis; for ejectment

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### **Probate Court**

Lapham, Lydia – will probated and executor appointed

Traver, Mary E. – trusteeship; application to invest funds filed

Taylor, Mary L. – guardianship; Hattie L. Taylor appointed guardian

Hall, Harvey H. – inventory and appraisal filed; election of surviving partner

Mount, Oscar D. – marriage license

Allyn, Blanche – marriage license

Dean Mary F. – Mary E. Mathews appointed adm.

Thompson, Oral E. – final and only account

Thompson, Vogel W. – final and only account

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Dr. Basquin, of Chardon was in town last week.

Mrs. S. Justus was spending Sunday with her sister in Painesville.

Mrs. Alice Bayard, of Canton, called on fiends in this place last week.

Mrs. Charles Wright is spending a few days with friends in Painesville.

Mrs. James Thrasher and Mrs. C. Kyle, of Chardon, made a short call on Mentor friends last week,

Mrs. Mary Corning Woodruff and child, of Collinwood, were spending Sunday with her parents.

Lute Tinker and wife were spending a few days with her parents last week before going to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to live.

Mrs. Loomis, sister of the late C. O. Wright, and a resident of Rope, Kansas, was visiting relatives in town last week.

### **South Thompson**

Roy Morse has a bicycle.

Mr. Hartson has a very sick child.

Little Clyde Fales has the mumps.

Michael Carraghan is in very poor health.

Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Sutherland are gaining.

Mrs. Jessie Hills is visiting relatives in Chester.

Mrs. Rose Strong visited her son in Burton.

Mrs. E. R. Morehouse is visiting her son at Ashtabula.

Roll Stevens made a business trip to Cleveland last week.

Leah Sutherland and Roy Morse have had the chicken pox.

Mark Ernst's baby has been very sick but is now convalescing.

Mrs. Geo. Vogel went to Cleveland to visit her sister last Saturday.

Mr. Clark Fales visited his son in Geneva two days last week.

Fred Corwell and wife, of Painesville, visited Ed Jackson's recently.

Mr. Wannamaker has a sister from the southern part of this State visiting him.

Mrs. Belle Crowder has returned from an extended visit with Cleveland friends.

Mrs. Frank Morgan and son, Charlie, of Madison, were guests of Mr. Cashen over Sunday.

Miss Mattie Cashen is at home now after staying several months at the Madison Home.

Mrs. Kate Williams, of Mechanicsville, visited at the home of John Morse last week.

Mike Sidley, of Cleveland, was calling on his old neighbors and friends at this place last week.

Mrs. J. A. Morse is entertaining her grandmother, Mrs. Long, and aunt, Mrs. Brewer, of Columbus, for a few days.

Mrs. James Burk, an old pioneer of Thompson, died last Thursday of paralysis.

Mrs. Frank Clark and children, of Cleveland, have come to this place to spend the summer. They have rooms with Will Hills.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ernest were Mrs. Bower and daughter, of Calm, Rev. Towne and Mr. & Mrs. Rob Smith, of the Center.

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### **p. 1 A Painesville Boy**

A letter is printed which was sent by Fred C. Woodward to his mother, Mrs. H. Woodward. He is in 7<sup>th</sup> Reg., Cal. Vol., stationed at San Francisco and may soon be sent to the Philippines.

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**Hogs and Chickens-** Nelson Kyes and Willard Armstrong, both of Harpersfield, were arrested by Officer May last week and charged with the theft of six chickens, a hog and a crock of jelly from Steve Barnes in Perry and a crock of lard at Lane Station. They were tracked to Fairport where they had sold the stolen goods. Pete Parish, of Fairport, is said to have purchased the hog. He was arrested and later released from custody.

### **An Attempt at Burglary**

An attempt was made to burglarize the house of Mr. W. H. Corkins, the mail carrier, of Friday. Mr. Corkins had a revolver which he had recently purchased from Jerome Magargil, and frightened the burglars away.

### **Company M**

A letter is printed from a private, Carl O. Trulsen, of Company M, stationed in Tampa, Florida, May 23, 1898. There are about 14,000 soldiers there. They are eating hard tack, he has not had a square meal since he left Columbus. They are just 1,702 miles from Painesville. He met Reuben E. Best there. He is the young man who clerked in Judson & Smart's store two years ago. He is a member of the regular army.

### **Painesville Telephone Co.**

The following is a list of subscribers who added the company's service since the issuance of the last telephone directory in January:

Adams, Miss Margaret  
Baker, G. E. & Co.  
Baldwin, J. A.  
Baptist Church  
Breed & Nye  
Brooks, Harry Clyde  
Cleary, John  
Coe, Harry P.  
Congregational Church  
Davidson, E. B.  
Davis, S. C.  
Foster, John  
Hull, F. W.  
Laffer, Dr. W. B.  
Lanphier, Frank S.  
Lindsley, R. B.

Linton, Thomas  
Loomis, C. R.  
Morgan, T. W.  
Moseley, Geo. E.  
Nye, Clark  
Painesville Bottling Works  
Parsons, A. W.  
Perry, A. T.  
Pitcher, H. L.  
Shepherd, Geo. R.  
Storm, Fred  
Stumm, Geo. W.  
Tillotson, Earl  
Traver, W. P.  
Williams, C. H.

### **On Palmetto Plain**

#### **The Fifth is in Camp 'Neath Florida's Burning Sun**

Drills are impossible during middle of the day.

Tampa, Fla., May 25, 1898

Article about Company M in Florida.

### **p. 2 Perry**

Friends of Mrs. Isaac Hurlbert will be glad to hear that she is improving from the recent illness.

Mrs. William Mosher and Miss Vaupel, of Cleveland, spent Decoration Day with friends in town.

Miss Margaret Boyd, of Cleveland, and Miss Fannie Boyd, of Thompson, were at the Boyd homestead, over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Harper, of Cleveland, with her daughter, Carrie, and sons, Orrin and William, were guests of John Harper and family over Sunday.

Miss Grace Wyman, of Painesville, has been in town several days among her many friends.

Mr. Perry Neff, a former Perry boy, is in town with his family, the guest of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Lemuel Neff.

Mr. J. E. Chambers, former editor of the Northern Ohio Journal, was in town on Decoration Day.

County Auditor Tisdell and son, Clayton, were calling upon friends in town on Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Wood, who has been spending several weeks with B. F. Wood and family, returned to her home in Cleveland, on Wednesday.

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Dan Hadden and family have become residents of Cleveland the past week.

### Madison

Miss Mary Ensign was down from Cleveland over Sunday.

Mrs. Burleigh and nurse now occupy the lower office of the Paige House.

Norman Bliss has secured permanent employment in Cleveland.

Miss Mary Hammond, of Collinwood, spent part of last week with friends in town

Miss Winifred Rider left Friday evening to visit friends in Oberlin.

Mr. & Mrs. L. K. Ritscher are entertaining Mr. R. W. Bend and Miss C. B. Ritscher, of Newark, N.J.

The funeral of Miss Cornelia Vanderlip was attended from her late home May, 26, 1898. The sister is left alone, having recently buried her father.

### Sheriff's Sale

John C. Ward vs G. F. Webb. Land in Painesville Township, Lake Co., Ohio, will be sold.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

#### Madison Township

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

St. John, Sultan

Murray, F. H.

#### Madison Village

Turney, Carry W.

Donahue, John

#### Perry Township

Shepherd, James H.

Flynn, Michael

#### Concord

Mansfield, Angelica

Robbins, Francis V.

Stafford, B. L.

#### Richmond Village Lots

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

#### Painesville Village Lands

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Warren, Rose E.

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Amidon, Henry N.

Amidon, Rebecca S.

Amidon, Nellie M.

#### Painesville Village Lots

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Scott, C. J.

Wyman, Vaughn E.

#### Perry

Coolidge, Smith M.

Wilson, George

#### Painesville Township

Riker, Bert G.

Creedon, John

#### Fairport Village Lands

Foster, John J.

Chanforde, Anton

#### Willoughby Village

Tipscomb, Ezekial

Excell, Benjamin

### Probate Court

Gregory, Ann – cause continued

Traver, Mary E. – trusteeship; cause continued

Avery, James H. – Harry Avery appointed adm.

Palmer, Earl W. – widow's election to will

Sloughton, Charlotte – will filed for probate

Coolidge, Alice S. – sale of real estate

Murtin, Joseph – marriage license

McIntosh, Ida – marriage license

Neville, Ora L. – marriage license

Miner, Stella E. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Wallace W. Sinclair vs. Thaddeus E. Hoyt; money only

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Thirty-six ambulance wagons for the Red Cross Society to be used with the U.S. Army passed through Painesville Sunday afternoon.

Barney McDonald was arrested Thursday night by Marshal Connell and had a hearing. He has been before the Justice several times before. He lives in Cleveland.

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Mr. Will Radcliffe, a freight conductor on the Lake Shore, dropped dead in Nottingham. Mr. Radcliffe is a son of Charles Radcliffe, of Hampden.

John Collins, the tramp arrested Friday morning was given a trial Saturday. He was committed to the workhouse.

Mrs. Laura Chapin Stout, wife of the Rev. Chas. B. Stout, died at the home of her daughter on April 28, at the age of 89 yrs.

### Personals

Mrs. C. W. Morley, of Madison, was in town Sunday.

Mr. C. M. Luce spent Sunday and Monday at home.

Mr. Fred Dickerman, of Middlefield, was in town Friday evening.

Mr. George S. Lockwood, of Cleveland, spent Decoration Day in town.

Mr. Bert A. Paige, of Akron was in town over Sunday.

Miss Louise Malin, of Cleveland, spent Sunday and Monday in Painesville.

Mr. C. Stebbins is again able to be out after a 6 weeks siege with neuralgia.

Mr. William Foss, of North Painesville, is building an addition to his house.

Miss Cora Emery, of Pittsburgh, Pa., has returned to Painesville for the summer.

Mrs. Horace Bacon is spending a couple of weeks with her sister in Cleveland.

Miss Lizzie Brooks has returned after an absence of three weeks from Ashtabula.

Mrs. M. J. Dunkle, of Edgerton, O., is visiting friends and relatives in Painesville.

Mr. Will Ford, formerly of this place, but now to Titusville, Pa., is visiting friends here.

Mr. W. W. Sinclair and wife and sister, Mrs. Wire, of Perry, were in Town Saturday.

Mr. Will O. Lathrop has returned from New York for a vacation of a month at home.

Mr. F. L. Burnham, of the American Express Co. visited relatives in Cleveland Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Hall, of Cleveland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wakelee, for a few days.

Mrs. James Sterling, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Hoffman

Mrs. C. C. Brown, of Chatham, N.Y., is the guest of her brother, Mr. Geo. Colby, for the summer.

Mr. & Mrs. H. E. Riker, of Lincoln Ave., Cleveland, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. E. Riker.

Mrs. M. M. Bosworth left Friday afternoon for Tampa, Fla.

Mr. Earl Shepard, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., leaves tonight for Pittsburgh on business.

Mr. Merwin L. Thompson, of the steamer Robert Fulton, was in town Sunday, the guest of his mother, Mrs. A. L. Gardner.

Dr. J. R. Mills, of New Philadelphia, formerly pastor of the M.E. Church at this place, is the guest of Mr. N. F. Marshall.

Mr. Charles C. Stumm, of this city, departed last Thursday for Girard, O., where he will act as manager *pro tem* for Squaw Creek Park.

Mr. Frank M. Naylor, editor of the *Kingsman News*, with his wife and daughter, are visiting friends and relatives for a few days in Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. King are intending to build a summer home in Connecticut.

Rev. George R. Merrill formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church, has recently resigned his position in Minneapolis to accept a call to the Leavitt Street Church in Chicago.

Mr. Daniel Hayes, of North Mentor, was taken violently ill last week Monday and was removed to the hospital in Cleveland the same day and has undergone a serious surgical operation.

### Lost or Stolen

My red Irish Setter dog, Wougal, left home on May 27th. A reward will be given for his return or information concerning him. A. M. Tyler, Geneva

There was a slight blaze at the home of Mrs. Fannie Herrick the first house beyond the P. & W. bridge on the north side of Mentor avenue. It was under control in a few minutes.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of June 1:

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### Ladies

Crocker, Mrs. F. W.  
Dodsworth, Mrs.  
Dunn, Mrs. Lizzie  
Fowle, Miss Sarah  
Johnson, Mrs. L. M.  
Johnson, Sofia  
Leenes, Miss Mary A.  
Prociuno, Mrs. A.  
Rose, Mrs. Lola May  
Smith, Miss Rosie

### Gentlemen

Flint, R. C.  
Hough, Aiken  
Kagel, Frank  
Miller, Joe  
Murry, Vet  
Wright, J. W.  
Roberts, S. E.

### LeRoy

Mr. R. V. Taylor is much better.

Mrs. Lucian Loomis, well known by the older people as Miss Mary Wright, accompanied by her twin sons is visiting her relatives here. Her present home is in Kansas.

### Hampden

Mrs. Louisa Hale, of Middlefield, is spending a few weeks visiting her old neighbors in Hampden and LeRoy.

Miss Addie Alvord, of Montville, was in town last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Williams.

Ray Dunning, of Auburn, made a short visit in this place recently.

Mrs. Addie Ballard, Mrs. E. S. Hale and Mrs. Austin Richards were on the sick list Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Phinney and children, of Rockport, are visiting in town.

Mr. & Mrs. James Wedge went to Painesville Sunday to visit Mr. Frank Wedge, who is sick.

Mrs. Lizzie Williams and children attended Memorial services in Montville.

### p. 4 Thompson

Mr. Wm Scott has sold his farm to Cleveland parties.

Mr. Nathan Warren, of Lenox, is visiting his old home the guest of Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Moseley.

Mr. & Mrs. Hoyt Hulbert are entertaining a niece from Canada.

Miss Gillson, of Elyria, is visiting three families of her uncles, Messrs. R. B. and Gilbreath Chaffe and also other relatives.

Mrs. Frisbie and daughter, of South Madison, were guests last Monday of Mrs. Frisbie's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch.

Mrs. Mary Gurney and Mrs. Lester Moffett, of Burton Station, drove out yesterday for the Memorial Services. These two ladies are sisters of Harry C. Gurney, in honor of whom Gurney Post and W. R. C. were named.

Mrs. Pierson Tillotson, of Ashtabula, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. Mathews.

Mrs. James Ferguson, of North Madison, is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. John Ferguson.

Mr. D. G. Skinner paid a farewell visit last week to his sister, Mrs. B. J. Murphy and family. Mr. Skinner is about to leave for Russia.

Mrs. E. S. Stevens has recovered from a long illness.

Mrs. C. E. Jenks was reported seriously ill last Saturday.

Mr. E. T. Wilson was on the sick list last week.

Mr. Chapman, of Mechanicsville, is establishing a peddling route through this locality.

Commissioner W. J. Grant and Editor C. B. Murdock, of the *Middlefield Messenger*, were in town last Wednesday.

Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch invited the family of their daughter, Mrs. A. Stocking, of Harpersfield, one day last week.

Mrs. Batcheler died last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Hulbert. The remains were taken to Montville, her former home.

Mr. James Fitzgerald, father of Mrs. Augustus Sidley, of this place, died last Sunday at his home at Hartsgrove.

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### p. 1 Summer Club Houses

With the advent of June comes the announcement of the opening of summer club



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houses at the Headlands by several parties of Painesville people.

The following young people comprise the parties renting cottages:

### **Averill Cottage –**

Kilbourne, Margaret

Malin, Mary

Pratt, Helen

Cane, Bessie

Trumbull, Jessie

Ready, Mae

Hoffman, Louise

Frank, Klara

Howe, Marion

Howe, Isabel

Slocum, Katherine

Harper, Madge

Smith, Mae

### **Woodward Cottage –**

Smith, Percy

Warner, Franz

Wood, Lewis

Post, Warren

Wyman, Vaughn

Harper, Robert

Means, Albert

George, Ed

Treat, Will

Wilson, Ray

Colby, Arthur

Lockwood, George

Chapman, Oliver

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Fairport Village Lots**

Becker, Wm. F.

Patrick, Michael

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Baker, Wallace L.

Stocking, C. W.

Ingrim, Alice M.

#### **Kirtland Township**

Moran, Ann

White, John

#### **Willoughby Township**

Harmon, Hiram P.

Page, Frank M.

Beidler, J. A.

Beidler, Hannah

Davis, Thomas

Bales, Walter

#### **Willoughby Village**

Smart, Samuel W.

Harrow, J. W.

Brown, Sarah W.

Brown, J. B.

Smart, Augusta M.

Smart, Henrietta

Brown, Hosmer H.

#### **Painesville Township**

Fox, Louisa

Calhoun, N. D.

Stage, S. K.

Post, D. Frank

Post, Augustus W.

Post, Daniel K.

Post, Warren

#### **Richmond Village Lots**

Post, John E.

Durfee, M. F.

Seelye, L. C.

Moodey, F. C.

#### **Kirtland Township**

Moran Ann

White, John

#### **Probate Court**

Brown, Jerome B. – first and final account filed

Brown, Sarah W. – first and final account file

Norton, Edwin L. – marriage license

Pope, Ioah May - marriage license

Snell, Judson – marriage license

Norton, Winnifred – marriage license

Haley, Justin W. – marriage license

Brooks, Mary M. – marriage license

Parmelee, Abner M. – third account

Hood, Elma S. – inquest of lunacy

Ohio vs. Wm. Taylor – assault and battery

Ohio vs Nelson Keys; petit larceny

Ohio vs Haines Duffy – keeping salon open on Sunday

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Clayton, Wm. – will probated

Yocum, Elmer S. – marriage license

Brooks, Jennie E. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

W. A. Breed and Mrs. Mary J. Young reappointed as members of board of county visitors

John Poytosh vs George Studney; settled

Horace Alvord vs M. L. Giesman; chattels to be sold

Amandus Dewey vs E. B. Griswold; plaintiff purchased property for \$400

### Cases Dismissed

T. E. Alvord, trustee vs Patrick McCrone

William Howser vs Frank H. Todd

Frank H. Freeman vs W. H. Genung

Duncan McDonald vs Charles C. Kraft

### New Cases

Ohio Mutual Savings & Loan Co. vs. Edwin D. Knapp; money

A. C. Coskey vs B. M. Strother; to subject land

### Stole Tobacco

Willie Sutton, a boy twelve years of age, whose home is on Sterling Avenue and Renolds La Belle, of the same age, who lives on Latimore street, stole several pounds of smoking tobacco last Wed. morning from Wedge's cigar store "The Midway." While making away with the stolen goods they were seen by Mr. Wedge and soon after arrested.

### Obituary

Died in Painesville, May 12, Ann Celestia, wife of Charles B. Cole and eldest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Lamar, of Fairport, age 19 yrs. Mrs. Cole was born in Fairport and from earliest infancy won many friends and companions by her gentle and loving disposition. She was ill only two weeks. The remains were interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

### Kirtland

Henry Sleemin is not gaining as fast as at first.

Last Friday and Sat, Mr. & Mrs. Job Harris spent in Painesville with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Button.

Jay Kingsley has married a Chardon lady and they are to live at Jay Beals'.

### Fire in Geneva

The new factory of the Geneva Paint Co., owned by Martin & Bartholomew was totally destroyed by fire Thursday together with a large stock of machinery, chemicals, etc. A spring bed factory, which is next to the paint factory, owned by Baker & Wade, was also consumed. Eli Bartholomew, one of the proprietors of the paint factory, was frightfully burned about the body, arms, and face and died from the injuries Thursday afternoon. He was well known in Painesville and was a nephew of Mr. S. T. Gill.

### Mentor

Rev. A. J. Seavers and wife, of Perry, visited friend in town last week.

Mrs. Orson Root, of Washington, is visiting with her friends in the city.

Mr. A. D. Quimby, of Perry, was calling on friends in town last week.

Mr. & Mrs. I. A. Kingsley, of Chardon, were recent guests at the Porter residence.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Parker, of Cleveland, were spending Decoration Day in this place.

Mrs. A. H. Mead and children of the city, are the guests of her parents.

Mr. Harry Garfield and family have taken up their residence in this place for the summer.

Miss Laura Pinney has been spending several days with Cleveland friends.

Mr. Collins and Mr. Marshall, of the city, were guests at the Van Cleve residence on Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Taal gave a farewell party to Miss Emma Johnson, who departs for Sweden.

Mr. C. Merkel & Son, florists are having quite a run on sweat peas. They are cutting 5,000 every other day.

### p. 2 Geneva

A. T. Simmons took the position of postmaster at Geneva Wed. Jan. 1.

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George A. Carter is pulling the wires hard for the office of sheriff.

Burglars entered the home of Mrs. H. B. Williams last Tuesday night and secured a quantity of silverware and clothing.

Elmo Martin, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Maud Sawyer, of Geneva, were married May 28 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Sawyer. They will live in Minneapolis.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

The Williams reunion will be held at the home of Alexander Williams in Kirtland, O., the last Saturday of June.

The death of William Clayton leaves Mrs. S. Hickok the only voter living in Painesville, who voted in this place for William Henry Harrison, in 1840.

Andrew Sharp, age 52 yrs., died suddenly Sunday at his home near Lane.

Dan R. Young fractured his collar bone Saturday afternoon. He was riding on Main street and was thrown violently from his wheel to the ground.

Mrs. Edna S. Hood, of Richmond, in an inquest before Judge Clark Monday, was adjudged insane and taken to the Cleveland State Hospital for the insane.

The young son of Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Moss received a bad injury on this right hand at the Robison Basket Factory Monday.

Mrs. Alice M. Ingram's place, now occupied by Dr. Tillotson, on State street, was sold to Mr. C. W. Stocking, of Madison.

Eugene DeGroff, a driver for Malin & Son's lumber yard, suffered an attack of neuralgia of the heart in front of Post's livery stable at about noon Friday and fell to the sidewalk before assistance could reach him. He was taken to his home on State street.

### Perry

Mr. William Halstead has moved his harness shop to Madison which is a great inconvenience to Perry people.

Mrs. Harriet Blair, of your city, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Jared Tyler, over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Lapham spent Sunday with their parents at Black Brook.

Rice Harper was invited by the P.H.S. baseball team to accompany them to Burton last week to act as pitcher.

Several in the high school have mumps.

Mr. & Mrs. D. L. Wyman spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Sharp, of Lane died suddenly Sunday.

### Personals

Mr. P. J. Breeze, of Conneaut, was in town Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. H. P. McKinstry, of Cleveland, were in town Sunday.

Mr. P. L. Trulson was the guest of friends in Sharon, Pa., Sunday.

Mrs. L. Baker, of St. Clair street, is recovering from an attack of bronchitis.

Miss Clara Branch is the guest of Mr. Ed Brooks at the Headlands for a few days.

Mr. C. M. Luce spent Sunday with his family; he left Monday for Toledo.

Mrs. E. Wakelee is the guest of her son, Mr. P. B. Wakelee, and other relatives.

Mr. C. B. Murdock, editor of the *Middlefield Messenger* was in town Thursday.

Mr. Noyes Rossman, of Superior, Neb., is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. Kirby, of Pearl street.

Miss Ida Bacon has returned to her home on Watson street after spending the winter in Chicago.

Mr. Newton Worley, of Cleveland, was the guest over Sunday of the Misses Allen, Erie street.

Mr. B. F. Crofoot, clerk of courts, left Friday for Hot Springs, Ark., for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. M. W. Turner and children, of Duluth, are the guests of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Turner, of Erie street.

Mr. Wm. Martin, of Chardon, State food inspector, was registered at the New Cowels Friday evening.

Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Barnes, of Erie street, left for a month's visit in Farmington, Ill.

Miss Riker and Miss Rue, of Harrodsburg, Ky, are visiting their cousin, Miss Henryette Hine, of Riverside.

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Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Burrige are the guests for a week of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Pease, at Roslyn, L.I.

Mr. Len Carroll, of Saybrook, returned home Friday, after spending a few days visiting relatives of this place.

Mr. F. C. Crosby, who has been in the hospital in Youngstown for some time, returned to his home Saturday.

Mrs. James M. Young returned home from New York City after a two-month trip with Mr. Young.

Mr. W. C. Austin left Tuesday for Columbus to attend the annual meeting of the Ohio State Pharmaceutical Association.

Messrs. Howe and Levi Stockwell, of New York City grandsons of Mrs. B. Stockwell, of this city, are enlisted with the New York Naval Reserves and stationed on the gunboat Yankee, now off Staten Island.

Miss Helen A. Pepoon left Wed. for Grinnell, Iowa, on her return to Whitman College at Walla Walla, Wash. She expects to spend a week at Grinnell with her brother, Edward Pepoon.

Mrs. W. J. Spaulding, of Mentor, is recovering from a recent surgical operation lately performed at Huron Street Hospital, Cleveland. Mrs. Lykens, also, of Mentor, has returned home after a term of treatment at the hospital.

Mr. David Pickett, one of the oldest residents, of LeRoy, has been seriously ill for several weeks, but is now improving and may recover.

### **Another Fatality at the Lake Shore**

The body of an unidentified man was found at the Garfield crossing on the north track of the Lake Shore R.R. Tuesday. He was probably riding on the train and fell between the cars. He was crushed into a shapeless mass. Burial was at Mentor Cemetery.

### **Geauga's Celebration**

Reminiscences of some of the settlers in Geauga Co. 100 years ago. Burton, Geauga Co., will celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the settlement on June 14, 15, 16, 1898. The first settlers of Burton arrived at Fairport. Their names were Turhand Kirtland, Wm. Law, David

Beard, Levi Tomlinson, Phineas Pond, Jason Rice, and Thomas Umberville and family. They camped at Fairport one night and traveled up the Grand River where about four miles from the mouth of the river they found quite a settlement of Indians and several huts. This Indian Village is on the bluff bank of Grand River on land purchased by Gen. Paine., now owned by Pliny Mather. On June 5, 1798, Mr. Law and Beard, the surveyors, began to mark out a road starting three miles from the mouth of the river. This Burton road was the first road laid out through Painesville on what is now State street, and so on through Concord, Chardon, and on to Burton. They took nine days to cut the road from Grand River to Burton; an average of two miles per day.

### **Killed in Willoughby**

Mathew Campbell, a young man employed as messenger in the Lake Shore station at Willoughby, was run over by an east bound freight early Thursday. He died from his injuries in a few hours. He had jumped on the caboose, and when the air brakes were suddenly applied, he was thrown to the ground in front of the moving train. An arm and both legs were cut off. He was about 18 yrs. old, the son of John Campbell, a well-known resident of Willoughby.

At the high school commencement, Miss Lotta Osborn is to be the valedictorian of the class, and Miss Maude Anderson, salutatorian.

### **William Clayton – One of the Oldest Residents of Painesville Passes Away**

William Clayton, age 84 yrs., died at his home on Wood street, after a long illness. He was born in Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 12, 1814, came to Painesville when he was 18 yrs. of age and has since resided here. He had been engaged in the grocery business on Main street for a number of years. For two terms, he served the county in the office of sheriff. Mr. Clayton was twice married, his first wife, Marcia C. Bissell, died in 1858. Two children were born to them, Mrs. E. H. Casement, of Wood street, and Mrs. S. T. Gill, of Washington street. His second wife, Minerva

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Walker, died in 1893, An adopted daughter, Mrs. Maynard Bond, also survives the deceased.

Mr. Clayton retired twelve years ago.

### Willoughby Plains

Mr. Rudd's family have been at Mr. Merton Kelley's the past week or more.

Mr. Frank Cole had a mishap last Sat. evening while coming home from Painesville by the way of the Headlands, his horse took fright, tipped over the buddy, and threw him out. He was dragged by the lines some ways which put his shoulder out of joint.

Four new cottages have been built at Salida Beach. As there is no water fit to use, sewer pipe has been laid, a windmill put up and they are in hopes to have a supply of good water. It was quite a chore to carry it all in cans.

Mrs. Lucy Brown is really bad off, not much hopes of her getting better very soon.

Master Orson Richmond is home from Painesville sick with measles.

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H. O. Bostwick, Mayor of Chardon, was in town last Friday.

A. F. Allyn, of Chardon, was a guest at the Quayle home last Wed.

Mr. & Mrs. Miller, of Montville, were calling upon relatives at this place and Trumbull last Sat.

Mrs. Welsh, of New Castle, Pa., and Miss Augusta Skinner, of Windsor, were guests of Hon. and Mrs. E. J. Clapp Wednesday.

Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam were called to Chardon last week by the serious illness of a sister.

Miss Alma Morehouse and Miss Nora Phelps accompanied Miss Margaret Radcliffe to Chardon last Sat.

Mrs. M. L. Ernst and child recently spent several days with her parents at Chardon.

Mrs. E. Bower and Mrs. J. Reigert, of West Trumbull, were guests last Sat. of Mrs. Bowers' daughter, Mrs. E. Down, of Painesville.

Mrs. M. Radcliffe and son, Wesley of Chardon, who attended commencement exercises were

guests of Hon. and Mrs. E. J. Clapp during their stay.

Mr. & Mrs. George Bingham recently entertained visitors from Mentor Headlands.

Mrs. Gillson, who has been for some time a welcome guest at the homes of R. B. and Gilbert Chaffe, returned home to Elyria.

John Gilbreath, who is living at Unionville, spent Memorial Day at home.

Mr. Wm. Lilley and daughter, Mrs. Charles Adams, of Ashtabula, spent Decoration Day in Thompson.

Mr. C. N. Cloes was invited to sing at Hartsgrove for memorial services.

Mrs. Osborn, of Pa., has been the guest for some time of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Woolworth. It is the intention of Mrs. Osborn to take her granddaughter, Lenore Woodworth, and place her in charge of a specialist at Youngstown, for treatment of the child's injured arm.

Mrs. P. Tillotson, of Ashtabula, who has been visiting relatives at this place, spent last Tuesday with friend at LeRoy.

Mr. & Mrs. John Ernst were pleasantly surprised last Monday by the arrival of their son J. J. Ernst, who has been for a long time a resident of the wild and wooly west, Nebraska.

The new owners of the Wm. Scott farm have taken possession. Mr. and Mrs. Scott will for the present occupy the Charles Warren place.

While at play on the school ground in district No. 5, Grace Smith stepped upon a piece of glass which nearly severed a toe from her foot. While handling wood, a large splinter penetrated a finger on the hand of Belle Smith, which defied "homemade digging." Dr. Ellis removed the splinter which was an inch in length. Grace and Belle are daughters of Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Verne, the year-old twin daughter of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener, was terribly scalded last Tuesday. The child caught hold of the table cloth, pulling it toward her and overturning a cup of scalding hot tea; both feet and one limb were terribly scalded. The littler sufferer is as comfortable as could be expected under the circumstances.

Mrs. F. C. Tuttle is reported seriously ill.

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### **Madison**

Mr. Abel Kimball was down from Cleveland over Sunday.

Dr. J. Verne Winans has returned from visiting his sister in Wisconsin.

Ed Detzel moved his family back to Painesville last week.

Clark Sloan was down from Cleveland over Sunday.

The Union Temperance Society will meet with Mrs. Jessie DeWitt on Friday.

Dr. & Mrs. Culp have been enjoying a visit from Dr. Culp's brother and wife, from southern Ohio.

Rev. Frank Domer and family of Youngstown have been visiting his sisters, Miss Domer and Miss Willa Domer.

Bert F. Blakely was in town May 30 for the purpose of raising a military company. He left with 15 names enrolled.

Mrs. Frink and her daughter, Mrs. Hardy, of North Madison, have moved into the rooms occupied by Mr. Philo Smith. Uncle Philo is no longer obliged to claim acquaintance with the dishpan.

Mr. H. C. Gill and family attended the funeral of Will Bartholomew, who was killed at Geneva.

A class of eleven will graduate at the Opera House on June 14.

Alumni Banquet on Wed. evening at the home of Mrs. James Middleton, of West Main.

Married May 31, at the home of the bride, on Middleridge, Miss Stella Miner and Mr. Arthur Neville, of Mayfield, N.Y.

Married June 2, at the home of the bride, Miss Norton and Judson Snell, both of Madison.

### **South Thompson**

Born, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Joe Sidley, May 28.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Underwood, of Cleveland, are visiting at Mr. Cashen's a few days.

Mrs. M. L. Ernst visited her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Reed, in Chardon, a few days last week.

Miss Grace Stevens spent Decoration Day at Geneva.

Margie Whitney, of Montville, is living at Mr. Burroughs this summer.

Mrs. Folsome is still in very poor health and there are but little hopes of his recovery.

Mrs. Clark Fales is sick.

The body of Mrs. N. Mooney was brought from Cleveland last Monday and interred in the Catholic Cemetery. She was a former resident of this vicinity.

Dewilton Skinner, of Cleveland, made his father a visit recently.

Walter Nancise has a very bad hand caused by running a thorn in it. He is afraid of blood poisoning.

Samuel Schlabaugh, of North Jackson, was a guest at Mr. Wannamaker's last week.

Hiram Vancise, of Claridon, is staying at W. Vancise's for a few days.

Paul Stetson made a business trip to Burton last Saturday.

Miss Agnes Cashen is very sick with pneumonia.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Coville, of Leroy, visited at his father's last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Enos Clark, of Pa., are visiting their many friends in this section.

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### **p. 1 From Company M**

News about Company M from a letter written by Private John C. Hart, at De Soto Park, Tampa, Florida on June 3. Their food is much improved; they get beef often. Yesterday, they got new belts. His health though not improving is not getting worse; he has been on full duty ever since enlistment. Rubber ponchos were issued to take the place of overcoats. The sand is terrible; it gets into coffee, food, eyes, shoes and in fact everything. June 5 --- Fresh troops are arriving every day from Ohio, Mass., and N.Y. The regular army inspecting officer says that the 5<sup>th</sup> Ohio O.V.I, is the finest volunteer regiment in Tampa. C. C. West was just carried to the hospital.

### **Disappointed! The First Expedition Sails without the Fifth**

June 9 – For a week there has been great activity in the Fifth in preparation for the first expedition to Cuba. Tuesday night plans were suddenly

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changed. Orders were received to move at once transports already loaded with troops. This order shut out all 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Ohio and in fact all volunteer regiments except the 71<sup>st</sup> N.Y. and 2<sup>nd</sup> Mass. As soon as the first expedition is landed, the transports will return and the second expedition will be sent perhaps to Porto Rico.

June 10 –Private Harry L. Kepler, who enlisted in Co. M in Cleveland, was detailed as mounted orderly to Gen. Henry commanding this brigade. June 11 – Allen Lett was taken to the hospital this afternoon suffering with a slight attack of fever. Word was received today that the Daughters of the American Revolution of Painesville were preparing to send useful articles to Company M. This was welcome news to the boys. The transports loaded with troops are still lying in Tampa Bay, below Port Tampa and nothing is known of their proposed movement. John Hurley was charged with absence without leave and sentenced to two days in quarters and hard labor.

### Williams Reunion

The annual reunion of the Williams family will be at the home of Alex. Williams in South Kirtland, June 25, Sat.

Two Painesville boys were arrested in Madison Thursday charged with intoxication and disorderly conduct: Charles Bartlett and Charles Kincade.

### South Thompson

Daniel Folsom died June 6, at his home in the southwest part of Thompson.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Walter Vancise, a daughter, June 7.

Mr. Biji Nickerson's family has moved to Painesville.

Emory Skinner visited friends at Geneva last week.

Victor Culp, of Jackson, is working for Mr. Wannamaker this season.

Mrs. M. O. Garrett and daughter are at home now, after spending the summer at Geneva, where Miss Bernice has been attending school.

Mrs. Hanna Morse is visiting friends in Perry.

Mrs. J. W. Brewer has returned to her home in Columbus.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Bean, of Hartsgrove, are guests at Mr. Fales' recently.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Will Jackson, June 6, a girl.

Mr. S. N. Burroughs, who has been living with his daughter in Geneva, is now at his son's, Albert, at this place.

Mrs. Sarah Underwood, of Cleveland, is helping care for her sister, who is very sick.

Mr. Vogel's people are entertaining relatives from Euclid.

Mrs. Alice Randolph, of Michigan, visited her aunt, Mrs. Wrisley, last Saturday.

Will Sutherland went to New Lyme Sunday.

### p. 3 Brevities

Mr. W. W. Hailstone, the engineer at the lake station of the waterworks, was thrown from his buggy while driving through Richmond Sunday and badly bruised.

Mrs. Nettie Gray Vail, wife of David F. Vail, and formerly of this place died at her home in Hudson, Wis., on Sat. night. The burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery, Chicago, on June 15.

J. A. Anderson, a bartender in Carrigan's saloon, was arrested Thursday on the charge of petit larceny. He pleaded not guilty.

Mrs. James T. Robinson, who has been spending the past five months in New York City, has returned to her home in Willoughby, accompanied by her son, Warren Sumner, who has been attending the Henry C. de Mille school at Pompton, N.J.

Arthur Burbee, the little child of Mr. & Mrs. Earnest Burbee, of Newell street, died Thursday of measles.

Alfred Anderson one of Horace Bacon's drivers, lost a finger at the Lake Shore depot Friday while unloading heavy steel work for bridges.

### Personals

Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Scott are visiting friends in Huntsburg.

Mr. James H. Shepherd, of Perry, spent Monday in town.

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Mr. & Mrs. Oliver Littlejohn spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. F. H. Shaw, of Canal Dover, O., was in Painesville Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis J. Wood and Mr. Vaughn E. Wyman spent Sunday in Perry.

Mrs. Bessie Bunnell Crane spent Sunday with her aunt in Ashtabula.

Mr. & Mrs. N. K. Hubbard left Thursday on a lake trip to Detroit.

Dr. & Mrs. F. L. Warren left Sunday for a visit of a few days in Olean, N.Y.

Miss Evelyn Hain, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mrs. Will G. Lee, of Erie street.

Mrs. Charles F. Scofield left today on a trip through western Pa.

Dr. A. L. Gardner was called to Chagrin Falls Sunday on account of his mother's illness.

Mrs. A. H. Ayer, of Geneva, is spending a few days with friends and relatives in town.

William Lloyd, manager of the Shaker vineyards at Wickliffe, spent Monday in Painesville.

Mrs. Capt. Huntoon and Mrs. E. A. Miller, of Cleveland, were visiting friends in town Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. T. L. Perine returned home Thursday from a two week visit in Dansville, N.Y.

Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Thompson, of Kansas City, Mo., are the guests of Mrs. D. E. Brooks and family.

Miss Margaret Walbridge, of Saratoga, N.Y., is a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Carpenter.

Miss Isabella Preston left Tuesday for Muncie, Ind., after a visit of several days with Mrs. C. E. Booth.

Mr. Harmon Pinney, of Des Moines, Ia., a former citizen of this county, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Banister.

Mr. Stanley Cartwright, of Cleveland, and the Misses Skinner, of Conneaut, are guests at the Lowman homestead.

Mr. & Mrs. S. R. King returned Sat. from a trip by carriage to Coshocton, O., where Mr. King was called on business.

Miss Hattie Chapin and Miss Murphy, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with Miss Chapin's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Ed Chapin, of South State street.

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Card and son arrived from Pasadena, Cal., last night and are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Gardner Baker, of Watson street.

Mr. Patrick Lynch and family left Sat. morning to attend a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Henry McCormick at Footville, Ashtabula Co.

Miss Isabelle Preston, of Muncie, Ind., is the guest for a few days of Mrs. C. E. Booth. Miss Preston is returning home from Lasell Seminary for the summer vacation

Mr. C. W. Wasson and a party of eight from Cleveland, visited Painesville Thursday evening. The party made the trip in Mr. Wasson's private car and dined at The Parmly.

Mrs. A. M. Frisbie, of 139 Bank street, left a week ago for a three month visit in Conn., the home of her childhood and will also visit Philadelphia and New York before her return. Mr. Robert Doolittle, of Elyria, her son, accompanies her.

Mr. F. H. Warren, of Chicago, is spending a week at the old home in Leroy. He has recently been appointed general manager of the Southwestern division of the consolidated stock car companies, with headquarters at East St. Louis.

Mr. J. J. Thomson, of Lane, who returned a few days ago from Milwaukee, Wis., having been called there by the dangerous illness of his brother, Hon. A. M. Thomson, has again been summoned and left Wed for Milwaukee. No hopes are entertained for Mr. Thomson's recovery.

### Instantly Killed

Nathan Wood, an Old Soldier in the Mexican War, the Victim

Nathan Wood, aged 74 yrs., who has been residing for nearly two years at the home of Mrs. Hopkins on Owego street, was walking on the tracks and being very deaf did not hear the train. The train struck and instantly killed him. The train did not run over his body but his neck was broken. Two daughters and several grandchildren survive him. Burial in Mentor.

Mr. J. P. Sharkey, the recently elected Superintendent of the Painesville Public Schools



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tendered his resignation to the Board of Education on Sat., June 4. The resignation was made so he could accept a similar position in the public schools in Van Wert, O., for a larger salary.

### **Death of Patrick H. Towell**

Patrick H. Towell, the well-known contractor, formerly a resident on Johnny Cake Ridge, died Monday evening at the age of 72 yrs., in the Cleveland Huron Street Hospital from the effects of an operation for kidney trouble performed on Wed. last week. Burial will be in the cemetery at Thompson.

**The "Old Parmly Mansion"** is re-opened and is a most delightful place for a summer outing. Excellent bathing, boating and fishing. For particulars, address Mrs. M. Payne, Perry, Ohio.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. Olney, of Dayton, Tenn., is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Horace Parks.

Mr. & Mrs. B. H. Booth celebrated their golden wedding June 7<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. Job Harris spent last Sat. in Mentor at Mr. Rexford's.

Mrs. Barton, of Chardon, visited her relatives here last week.

The little daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Workmon has been very sick with pneumonia but is much better now.

Mr. Henry Booth and Miss Maria Booth attended the Geauga Co. Centennial held at Burton.

Born, a son to Mr. & Mrs. Strebinger.

Miss Martha Wells has gone to Cleveland to spend some time with Mrs. Harriet Morley Talbot.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Harris, John W.

Harris, Eugene W.

Harris, Francis W.

### **LeRoy**

Woodin, Hiram

Slater, Allen J.

Slater, Minerva E.

#### **Painesville Township**

Foss, Mary

Benedict, Fred

#### **Fairport Village Lands**

Phoenix Brewing Co.

Cleveland & Sandusky Brewing Co.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Smith, Wilber F.

Blackmon, Harriet E.

Huntington, Colbert

Foster, Alice C.

#### **Willoughby Village**

Wright, Chas. W.

Donnelly, Jas. H.

#### **Richmond Village Lands**

Wyman, Vaughn E.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

#### **Mentor Special District**

Burrige, Eleazer

Roushkolb, Rose Ann

### **Probate Court**

Curtiss, Mary A. – first account

Smith, Rosa – first and final account

Hodges, O. S. – first and final account

Daus, August – first and final account

Murray, Thomas – first and final account

Paine, B. A. – second account

Taylor, James H. – assignment; second account approved

Axtell, Harriet W. – first and final account

Matteson, Emaline L. – first and final account

Childs, Sarah A. B. – first and final account

Black, Isaac – guardianship; fifth account

Skinner, Jane – first account

Dayton, Paulina A. – first account

Church, Marcia – first account

Arragan, Julia – will filed for probate

White, Henry K. – first account

Gregory, Ann – will probated

Griffin, H. C. – resignation of administrator

Menell, Conell – order of private sale issued

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### **Common Pleas**

Fanny Stone vs Mary A. Stone – defendant gave notice of intention to appeal to Circuit Court

### **Township Commencement**

The fifth annual commencement of the Painesville Township Schools will be held in the First Baptist Church on June 23.

List of graduates:

Braden, Leon D.

Harde, Elmo A.

Day, Gertrude, G.

White, Hazel

King, Sarah Abbie

Post, Lenorah

Kilcawley, Helen Agnes

Carpenter, Emma

Hamilton Carlton A.

Call, George Howard

Kehres, Mabel L

Creedon, Jennie

Hough, Katherine

Flanagan Robert E.

Glynn, Harry

Anderson, Lee M.

Harper, Lillie

Hazel White is the valedictory and Sarah A. King is the salutatory.

### **Dock Road**

P. E. Kimmey went to Painesville last Friday on business.

Rose Darrow, of Unionville, is spending the week at her grandparents, H. H. Pierce's.

Mrs. W. H. Brew and children, who have been sick are much better.

W. H. Treat will start his grist mill Tuesday.

P. E. Kimmey and wife have been entertaining the past week: Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Britton, of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reigert, of Trumbull, Guy Reigert, of Painesville and Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Herroon, of the Bennett Road.

Geo. Ferguson, of Thompson, spent Sat. with his brother, J. A. Ferguson.

### **Perry**

Mr. Frederic Tyler from the State University, is at home of the summer vacation.

Arthur Cowdery, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery.

Mrs. John Chapman has recently enjoyed a visit from her brother, and her aged father, Mr. Johnson, of Burton.

Miss Lotta Marvin, daughter of Mrs. T. B. Wire, graduated with honors at Austinburg Thursday.

L. J. Wood Esq. spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. Glenn Griswold and sister of South Madison, were calling upon relatives in town on Saturday.

Mrs. H. H. Shepard, who has been quite an invalid for the past three months, is so far recovered as to be able to return with her daughter, Miss Hattie Quimby, to Ashtabula for a visit.

The pupils who passed the examination for the high school from district no. 4 were Miss Atta Brewster, Flora Nighman, Lizzie Wheeler, Florence Tyler, John and Harry Belknap, Blake Axtell and George Gibbs.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of June 8:

### **Ladies**

Brown, Mrs. Geo. B.

McLachlin, Mrs. Maude

Smith, Miss Rose

Scotfield, Miss

Thompson, Miss Mamie

### **Gentlemen**

Adolph & Stohl

Housnich, Peter

LeBaron, H. B.

Miller, Al.

Taylor, J. R.

Wilson, James

Woodmire, H. H.

### **Madison**

Mr. John Quayle is on the sick list.

Mr. A. C. Bailey is spending some time with friends in Toledo, Ohio.

Miss Jennie Brooks has gone to Kentucky to spend the vacation with relatives.

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Miss Ruby Culp cut her foot very badly last Thursday by stepping on broken glass while wading in the creek.

Katie Rand was again taken seriously ill last week but is much better.

Miss Winifred Rider leaves on Wed. for her home at Andover, Mass.

Mrs. Downer, who has been spending several days with the family of Mr. Chas. Searles, returned Sat. evening to her home in Cleveland.

Mrs. Ida Markham Knight, of Springfield, O., is the guest for a few days of her uncle, Mr. Philo Smith.

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Mr. & Mr. L. W. Keener were guests one week ago of Mr. & Mrs. Keyes and Mr. & Mrs. Anderson, of Geneva.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Nye, of Madison, spent last Wed. with the family of their son, Mr. Frank Nye.

Mrs. Stevenson and daughter, of Cleveland, and Mr. Frank Warren and son, Carl, of Chicago, are among recent guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. D. L. Phelps.

Mr. N. A. Penhollow, wife and daughter, Madge, spent Sat. and Monday with Mrs. Penhollow's parents at Kirtland.

Mr. Emery Skinner, of Montville, and Mr. Olin Murphy, of this place, spent part of last week at Ashtabula.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Woodin, of Harpersfield, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Gilbreath.

Miss Ida Murphy was the guest last week of Mrs. Elba Benjamin, of South Madison.

Germans of this and adjacent towns will hold religious services in the near future at the home of Mr. Gottlieb Keener. A German clergyman from Cleveland is expected to be present.

Mr. Will Ralston is engaged at carpenter work, at Geneva.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott and sons were guests yesterday of Mr. Scotts' parents at South Madison.

Mrs. Barlow, of Perry, Mr. Martin Ernst, of Madison, Messrs. Christopher and Charles Ernst,

of North Madison, Mr. Benjamin Ernst, of Harpersfield, were visitors yesterday at the bedside of their father, Christopher Ernst, who is lying at the point of death as the result of injuries from a fall while carrying wood from the house a week before. We believe, he was the oldest resident of this township, being 90 yrs. old.

Mr. Bergh while out in his field just east of the North ledges at Thompson Ledges, came across a monster snake. The snake climbed an apple tree, coiled himself about a limb two or three feet and extended down to the ground with three or four extra feet in length thrown in as a tail. He had 3 large prongs on his tail, and his head had two horns. It disappeared beneath the ruins of a cellar wall. Some of the local men are out looking for it.

### Mentor

A daughter was born to Mr. & Mrs. Fred Swain. Noyes Prentice, of Cleveland, spent last week in this place.

Mrs. H. N. Munson is on the sick list.

Miss Carrie Likens has returned from the Huron Street Hospital much improved in health.

Mr. E. W. Moore and family will this week move into the Frost house for the summer.

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### p. 1 Death of Mrs. N. P. Bailey

The death of Mrs. Bailey, wife of Rev. N. P. Bailey, formerly pastor of the First Church of Painesville and afterwards editor of *The Telegraph* occurred at their home in Sabina, Ohio, June 15. Interment was at Evergreen Cemetery by the side of a beloved son, Sanford.

### Twenty-Eight Members of the Class of '98 Graduated

Anderson, Maud

Stone, Frank Pennyn

Creedon, Minnie A.

Warn, Albert M.

Hadden, Will E.

Curtis, Stella

Jones, Edna E.

Joughin, Wilhelmina Ernestina

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Moodey, Harry Sterling  
Ferron, Frances  
King, Joseph O.  
Densmore, Lucy May  
Webb, Leroy A.  
Lapham, Laura  
Spencer, Augusta  
Woodward, James G.  
Doty, Mercy L.  
Jayne, Ethel  
Rochat, Grace Louise  
Wyman, Thomas  
Lincoln, Grace  
Nichols, Harry B.  
Mosher, Katharine  
Rogers, Nellie  
Woodford, Arthur G.  
McGwinn, Edna  
Hulbert, Wade O.  
Osborne, Carlotta

The class motto was "Diligence conquers all things."

Mr. Willis E. Salkeld, of Perry married Miss Witham, of Pigeon Cave, Mass. Mr. Salkeld is very well known in Painesville, having spent his boyhood in Perry. The couple will make their home in Perry.

### p. 2 Perry

Miss Hazel Orcutt, of Warrensville, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Thompson.

Alla Stanhope has been suffering very much the past week with a felon.

Rev. Augustrine Carman, of Springfield, Ohio, was visiting his parents at the Baptist parsonage last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Norton and Mr. & Mrs. Stowell, of Geneva, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. Bayard Wyman, of the university, of Michigan, spent Monday with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

Mr. Wayland Rupert, of Erie, while on his way to Detroit last week called upon several of his Perry friends.

Mr. Eber Haywood has taken unto himself a wife the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery, were called to Glenville on Tuesday to attend the funeral of their grandson, Marcus Pinney, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pinney.

H. F. Haskell was visiting his brother, Joe, and family at Geneva on Sat.

Mrs. Frank Salkeld returned last week from a visit to her parents in Indiana.

Rev. and Mrs. McAlpine are happy over the arrival of a young son, on Sat. the 18<sup>th</sup> inst.

Mr. & Mrs. F. D. Green have returned from a delightful two-week trip through the West.

Mr. Robert West spent Sunday with his partners.

Mrs. Charles Fickels has recently enjoyed a visit from her brother of Cleveland.

Mr. Wm. Crary, of South Kirtland, was in town Sat. looking after his farm interests.

Mrs. Adda Graves and children, from Geneva, are guests of the Haywood homestead.

Mrs. Milton P. Barkalow was called to Thompson last week by the illness of her father.

Mr. & Mrs. Burge Herrick are visiting in Cleveland for a week.

Miss May Wilcox was presented with a new easy(?) the other day from her grandfather, Andrus.

Mrs. Losinda Owens of your place was the guest of Mrs. Rollin Hawkins last week.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

#### Madison Township

Ashley, R. L.

Rand, Elisabeth F.

Harrington, Perry

Harrington, Maria E.

#### Madison Village

Armstrong, Phebe Ensign

Ensign, Maria E.

Ensign, Hattie M.

#### LeRoy

St John, Sultan

Moseley, George E.

Sees, Jennie G.

Canten, Nelson

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### **Painesville Village Lands**

McSparren, Elvina

Hill, Clinton D.

Parmly, Harriet H.

Nye, Eleanor M.

Gregory, Ann

Gregory, Abby S.

### **Kirtland Township**

Traver, S. D.

Traver, Mary E.

### **Willoughby Township**

Harbach, Thos. S.

Brott, Lewis A.

Woodford, Wm.

Woodford, Ellen

St. John Sultan

Hills, W. D.

Hollister, George

### **Probate Court**

Woodruff, Hezekiah – petition for appointment of administrator

C.P. & E. R. R. Co. vs the Village of Willoughby – decision was made that the company could not appropriate streets for electric railway purposes in a municipal corporation.

Matteson, Emaline L. – first and final account

Searls, G. - assignment; application of surety to be released from bond

Searls, C. W. – assignment; application of surety to be released from bond

Towell, Patrick H. – will filed

Cole, Hezekiah – supplemental petition filed to sell real estate

Latham, R. R. – petition heard and order of appraisal issued

Traver, Mary E. – trusteeship, cause dismissed

Woodruff, Hezekiah – adm. appointed; report filed

DeLong, Wm. – hearing continued

Pratt, P. & Son – final account

Sharp, Andrew – adm. appointed

Smith, Wm. – guardianship; first account filed

Carrel, Frederick – administratrix appointed

Clayton, William – adm. appointed

Ohio vs Mrs. K. Keitikko – transcript filed

Haywood Heber S. – marriage license

Crowe, Bessie E. – marriage license

Kenning, Herbert – marriage license

Sherman, Gertrude – marriage license

Davis, Victor E. – marriage license

Edwards, Jennie – marriage license

Kelley, William – marriage license

Chapman, Annie – marriage license

Fuller, Ben Quinn – marriage license

Ramsey, Myrtle – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

Mark Abel vs Margaret Richards – issues were found in favor of the plaintiff

Fawcett vs Post & Durfee - issues in favor of plaintiff

Woodard vs Woodard – decree of divorce was given plaintiff

Atkins vs Atkins – decree of divorce given to plaintiff

Stone vs Stone – defendant gives notice of her intention to appeal the cause to the Circuit Court

Foote vs Foote – divorce case; decree given to plaintiff

Wilkerson vs Wilkerson – divorce case; decree given to plaintiff

### **New cases:**

The Ohio Mutual Savings & Loan Co. vs Edwin D. Knapp; money

A. C. Caskey vs B. M. Strother – to subject lands John C. Ward, adm., of the estate of Lucy A. Ward, deceased vs Andrew J. Holmes; money only

### **Madison**

Mrs. Emily Page, of Conneaut, was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. Charles Cook has been seriously ill for some time.

Mr. William Hendry, of Cleveland, is visiting his parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Smead.

Rev. Joseph Wolfe attended the G. A. R. encampment at Mt. Vernon last week.

Wallace Hurlbert, of Cleveland, visited his mother last Sunday; also, Miss Nellie Hurlbert.

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Mrs. Ellen Ingersoll recently entertained a party of wheelman from the city, of which her nephew, Clark Sloan, was one.

Elbert F. Blakeley, Mrs. Ed Heartwell and Miss Keener, of your city, attended the alumni banquet of the M.H.S. on June 15th.

Mrs. Eunice Wood represented the Oliver Brewster Circle at Mt. Vernon G. A. R. encampment.

Carl Wright, former Lake Shore baggage-master, is now filling the position of brakeman on the Conneaut accommodation.

Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Osborne, and Miss Ritscher, who have been spending some time with the family of L. K. Ritscher, leave Wed. for their home in New Jersey.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Mrs. A. Murray, dau. of H. and Anna D. Hickok, died at Madison Wis., June. 11 She was born in Perry on July 1, 1843.

The death of Mrs. D. F. Vail, of St. Paul, Minn., formerly Miss Nettie Gray, of Painesville, occurred June 10.

Mr. B. B. Bathrick has accepted a position as assistant shipping clerk in the Basket Factory. Mr. Ralph Sumner fills Mr. Bathrick's former position in the American Express office.

E. D. Powers and Chas. Lace were arraigned before the police justice last week on charge of intoxication and disorderly conduct. Powers was fined \$3 and costs. Chas. Lace was fined \$5 and costs.

L. D. Miller, who has been acting as deputy sheriff at the Court House, and H. Eugene Bates were in Cleveland Thursday and enlisted in Troop A, 1<sup>st</sup> Ohio Cavalry. They left for Chickamauga Saturday.

### Sherman-Kenning

Dr. Herbert Kenning was married to Miss Gertrude Alice Sherman, daughter of Dr. & Mrs. J. L. Sherman, last evening. Miss Bertha F. Pomeroy was bridesmaid and Mr. Fred P. Smith, of Detroit, was best man. The bride wore a gown of mousseline de soir over white taffeta silk with

pearl trimming and carried a bouquet of white roses and maiden hair ferns. The bridesmaid was attired in a costume of white organdie over pink silk and carried pink roses. Guests from out-of-town:

#### Of Detroit:

Kenning, Dr. & Mrs. Thos.

Kenning, Miss Martha

Marantette, David T.

Smith, Fred P.

#### Of Cleveland:

Shaw, Mr. & Mrs. E. H.

Bucan, Mr. & Mrs. T. H.

Callow, Miss Katherine F.

Bishop, Dr. H. P.

#### Of St. Louis, Mo.:

Bond, Mr. & Mrs. M. H.

#### Of Ewen, Mich.

Udall, Miss Elma

#### Of Cuyahoga Falls:

Smith, Mr. & Mrs. C. D.

Smith, Leigh

Smith, Miss Reine

#### Of Chagrin Falls:

Fuller Dr. & Mrs. P.

### Personals

Miss Sarah T. Barrows, of Columbus, is the guest of Miss Anna Jefferson.

Miss Cornelia Ferris attended the Geauga Co. Centennial last week.

Miss Lucia Crofoot has returned from a two month visit in Lafayette, Ind.

Hon. Geo. H. Ford and Mr. Louis J. Ford, of Burton, were in town on Monday.

Miss Houseman, of the High School, left Sat. for her home in Columbus.

Mrs. F. E. Arter and Mrs. Budd, of Cleveland, are the guests of Mrs. M. Courtwright.

Mrs. M. G. McAbee is in Andover, Mass., to attend commencement of Phillips Academy.

Mr. H. A. Hillis, and Little Roger, left for Woodbine, Ia., to visit his mother Thursday evening.

Miss Cora Betts, of Jefferson, is a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. O. S. King, on South street.

Mrs. John P. Barden returned Sat. from a week's visit with her parents in Westfield, N.Y.

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Miss Leota Avery, of Buffalo, N.Y., spent Thursday with Mrs. Robert Wakelee, of Nebraska street.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. P. Steele have gone East to attend the Amherst College Commencement this week.

Dr. & Mrs. Warner, of Lowell, Mass., are the guests of Mr. & Mrs. A. A. Wheeler, of St. Clair street.

Mr. Harry W. Swezey arrived Monday from Marion, Ind., to be a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. J. Q. Darrow.

Mrs. Alden Maxwell Armstrong, and Mrs. & Miss Johnson, of Cleveland, are spending a few days at Maple Brook farm.

Mr. Roland Jones, of the Western Reserve University, was in town Friday to attend the High School commencement.

George Dingley, Esq., of Chautauqua Co., N.Y., brother of the late W. W. Dingley, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mr. C. F. Blackmon and son, Lansing; Walter Malin, and Fred Downer left Sat. for a week's camp at Mechanicsville, Ohio.

Miss Susan Hotchkiss, of Burton is in Painesville attending the commencement exercises of Lake Erie College and Seminary.

Miss Lottie Hawthorne, of Pittsburgh, is spending the summer with her cousins, Charles E. and Mary E. Carroll, of Morse Avenue.

Mr. Bayard Wyman, of Ann Arbor, will visit his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Wyman, for ten days.

Mr. Wm. Bain, of Stratford, Ont., is spending a week at the home of Mr. P. Murphy, Sanford street, the guest of Mrs. Jas. Bain and children.

Mrs. D. L. Parker, of Gilman, Ill., is in Painesville to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Miss Grace Parker, from Lake Erie College.

Miss May Hamilton left Monday for a tour through the West, stopping in Chicago and Omaha, taking in the Trans-Mississippi exposition.

E. Jenkins, B. M. Haskins, and A. G. Hutchins, of Cleveland, were registered at the Cowels House Sat. and Sun. and visited old friends in town.

Mr. & Mrs. A. E. Fenton, of Mentor Ave., left Sunday for Amenia, N. D., via Omaha and Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Margaret Tracey and daughter, Mrs. Henry Tucker, of Rochester, N.Y., are called to Painesville to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Frank Breed.

Mr. Theodore Sinks, of Youngstown, was the guest of Miss Wilkes, of Washington street during commencement.

Dr. W. H. Fowler left Monday to attend the convention of the Tri State Dental Assoc. which is in session at Put-In-Bay this week.

Mrs. Samuel K. Gray, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. James B. McDougal, arrived from Chicago Friday and will soon open the Gray home at Park place where Mrs. B. E. Chesney will join them for the summer.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Alexander and Miss Laura Alexander arrived from Marietta on Monday. Miss Alexander is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Collacott. Mr. & Mrs. Alexander are visiting at the home of Mr. & Mrs. F. C. Moody.

### A Pretty Home Wedding

A very pretty June wedding was celebrated Wed. at the home of Mr. I. S. Childs, on State street. Miss Jennie Edwards and Mr. Victor E. Davis were married. The bride was beautifully gowned in creamy white and carried a large bouquet of roses. Guests from out of town:

Miss Dayton, of Willoughby

Mrs. Frank Poland, of Xenia, O.

Prof. Milton C. Palmer

Mrs. William Hendry

Mr. & Mrs. Whipple and daughters

Miss Elizabeth Corssette, of Cleveland

Miss Corssette was the guest while in Painesville of Miss Maude Stacy.

### Death of Mrs. Franklin Breed

Mrs. Franklin Breed, who had a serious illness, died Wed. at the family residence on Erie street.

### To Oak Point Beach

Outing parties of 25 or more may secure very low rates to Oak Point Beach and other resorts on the Nickel Plate Road.

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### Hon. Alexander MacDonald Thomson

Alexander M. Thomson, one of the foremost citizens of Milwaukee and of the State of Wisconsin died at his home June 9, 1898. His life is of special interest to Lake Co. people from the fact from 1837 to 1848 he resided in his county and received his education in Kirtland. In 1846, he married Miss Emeline L. Peck, of Bloomfield, O., who was a teacher at the school which he attended in Kirtland. His first wife died in 1892 and in 1894 he was married to Miss Annie Greenman, of Chicago, who survives him. He was a brother of Mr. J. J. Thomson, of Lane, who with his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Shattuck, of Jackson street, were with him during the last of his illness and accompanied the remains to their final resting place at Hartford, Wis. He was 76 yrs. old. For a week or ten days, he would not partake of food and grew weaker. Interment will be at the former home of the deceased, Hartford, Wis. He was a native of Pa. having been born in Pittsburgh, May 20, 1822. His father was a Scotchman and his mother a native of Holland. The family moved to Ohio when the son was quite young. In 1848, Mr. Thomson, left Ohio and settled in Hartford, Wis., where he started a paper called the *Home League*. In 1862, he moved to Janesville and became editor of the *Gazette*. In 1868-69, he was speaker of the Assembly. About 1875, Mr. Thomson moved to Dakota and pursued farming. Later, he returned to Milwaukee.

### Beidler Out

According to the *Cleveland Leader*, Hon. J. A. Beidler, of Willoughby, has withdrawn from the race for the Republican nomination for Congressman from the Twentieth District due to ill health.

### Police News

Elmer Ostrander, a middle-aged man, residing in LeRoy, was arrested by Marshal Connell Monday on the charge of intoxication.

Fish Peddler Arrested – Charles Bolster, a fish peddler, living in Thompson, was arrested by the Marshal Monday on the charge of intoxication.

### Hampden

Miss Laura Chamberlain and mother go to Rockport this week. Miss Laura will stay with her sister, Mrs. Phinney, for some time.

Mr. Alonzo Searl is confined to his home with a broken ankle. Mrs. Lucy Hood left town Saturday for a visit in Girard.

Miss Anna Cutts is failing.

Mrs. E. S. Hale is still sick with the grip. Miss Minnie Chapman, of Troy, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. A. Worthington.

Mr. & Mrs. Allie Stockham are at home from their vacation in Berea.

Mattie Williams spent last week in Montville.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of June 22:

### Ladies

Colmorgen, Mrs. Endnig

Gamble, Miss Retta L.

Gaskell, Miss Ann

King, Mrs. C. H.

Leland, Mrs. Lidda

Miller, Mrs. Mary

Printiss, Mrs. Minnie

Ross, Mrs. Lola

Thompson, Miss Cora

Woodruff, Mrs. Chet

### Gentlemen

Chamberline, Lester

Doery, G. W.

McDowell Co.

Fowler, W. D.

Robinson, Harry L.

Warner, L. A.

Roy D. Palmer, age 4 yrs., 6 mos., son of Mr. & Mrs. Jerome Palmer, of Perry, died yesterday.

William Carter, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Penitentiary, has been recommended for parole or final discharge. Said application will be for hearing on and after July 19, 1898.



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Mary Elisabeth Mathews has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Mary Farley Dean, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

### p. 4 Thompson

Mrs. D. Billington is in very feeble health.

Miss Clara VanGorder is entertaining a cousin from Warren.

Miss Kate McLan recently spent a week with Mrs. J. N. Strong.

Christopher Ernst, who it was thought was dying one week ago, is still alive.

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Tuttle entertained a cousin from Erie the past week.

Mr. E. C. Sidley and employees have resumed work upon the River bridge in Perry.

Mrs. Effie Johnson, of Meadville, Pa., is the guest of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Ernst.

Mr. & Mrs. L. J. Bliss, of East Trumbull, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Bliss on Tuesday.

Mr. W. J. Scott has purchased the Ogden farm near LeRoy recently occupied by Mr. Ordner and family.

Miss Bessie Mathews, of South Madison, recently entertained her sister, Mrs. Clayton Sanford, of Windsor.

Rev. and Mrs. Darius Woodworth are removing their household effects to their former home at South Madison.

Mr. John Fredebaugh, of Richmond, was the guest of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Fredebaugh last week.

Mrs. O'Brien has been staying in Cleveland for some time as the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Sidley.

Mrs. H. Exceen, of Montville, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Morehouse, of Thompson House.

Miss Delia Sackett attended Painesville commencement, remaining overnight as guest of Mr. & Mrs. Volney Arnold.

Mrs. B. G. Crandall will entertain the M.E. Ladies Aid Society next Thursday.

Last Sat., Mrs. H. Doty, of South Madison, and Mr. John Boyd, of LeRoy, visited Mr. F. C. Tuttle, who is very ill.

**Weather:** The hailstorm of one week ago did considerable damage to gardens and wheat fields in the western part of the township.

Invitations are sent out for the Fowler-Moseley reunion to be held August 17, 1898, at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Wick Hathaway at North Madison.

Miss May Bartlett is recovering from a severe attack of measles.

Mrs. Mattie Manchester, who with her little son, have been staying with Mrs. D. H. West, of South Madison, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Chilson, and Miss Inez Hausch is now with Mrs. West.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Tilley, together with their granddaughter, Miss Alice Adams, of Ashtabula, were guests last week of Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy. Mr. Tilley and Miss Adams returned to Ashtabula Friday accompanied by Miss Ida Murphy.

Mr. Charles Scott and family were called to Painesville last week by the death of Mrs. Scott's father, Mr. Patrick Towell. Remains were brought to this place last Wed. and placed in the vault. Mr. Towell had requested that he be buried in his former home, Thompson.

The Bartlett-Ober family reunion was held last Saturday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ober, of East Leroy. Among the relatives from a distance were:

Mr. & Mrs. Monroe Arnold, of Kent.

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Bartlett and son, of Painesville  
The visitors were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. O. A. Bartlett, of East LeRoy.

### Mentor

Miss Lillian Ellsworth has returned to her home in Hudson where she will spend the summer.

Mr. Porter is building a new barn which will add to the appearance of his place.

Prof. Frank Houle left on Sat. for his home in Bellevue to spend the summer vacation.

The Misses Wing, of Cleveland, are the guests of their grandparents Mr. & Mrs. S. Remington.

Miss Viola Dickey is spending this week with her relatives in Akron.

Mr. Albert Ingersoll is at home after being away at college for the past year.

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Mrs. Geo. Rose and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Wrigley, are spending a few weeks in New York City.

Mrs. D. A. Wood was visiting friends in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Shoemaker were spending Sunday with her brother in Concord.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Hopkins, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Will Hodge and children, of St. Joe, Mo., arrived in town this week and will spend the summer here.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Sawyer and children of Utah, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Blish.

Miss Callie Cleveland is at home from a visit to her sister in New York City.

Miss Lillian Hopkins, of Geneva, is visiting with her friends and old neighbors in this place.

Mr. Oliver Loomis, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Geo. Wheeler.

The following made up a fishing party that went to Fairport last Friday for an outing:

Cleveland, J. A. Mr. & Mrs.

Munson, Spencer Mr. & Mrs.

Hopkins, M. V. Mr. & Mrs.

Lowe, Dr. & Mrs. J. W.

Sanborn, E. Mr. & Mrs.

Neff, A. Mr.

Cleveland, C. Miss

Hodge, E. E. Mrs.

Parmelee, Lillian Mrs.

Hopkins, W. S. Mr.

Mrs. Peter Johnson met with a painful accident while delivering milk last week. Her horse became frightened and threw her from the milk wagon, injuring her spine and left hip.

Extract from a letter written by R. T. Hart, of Company M, 5<sup>th</sup> O.V.I., at Tampa, Florida. Mr. Hart is the only man from Mentor Village who has gone to serve his country. He is asking everyone to write as they do not get much news of any kind. William Davis is from the Special District and would be glad to receive mail; as would Elmer Conklen and Allen Lett.

## Concord

Mr. Geo. Wilson, who has spent the past year in the West, is at home for the summer.

After an attack of measles, Miss Carrie Winchell has been recovering at her home in Concord.

Mr. & Mrs. G. Owen Beede are at their Concord home for a few days. Mr. Beede has been in several southern states looking up business that will cause their removal from this town.

Mr. Philo Bond, who has traveled extensively in the West, and explored Alaska, is with his parents in Concord for a visit.

Mrs. Zeal, wife of the pastor, returned last week from a visit in Cleveland bringing with her guests from the city.

Miss Hattie Oliver is rapidly improving.

Mr. R. D. Emerson has gone East on a business trip.

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### p. 1 Struck by Lightning

During the electric storm that passed over Painesville Sat., the trolley on the north side of the Park was struck by lightning. A ball of fire as large as an arc light burned on the trolley for several minutes. The incandescent light wires became charged with electricity and ignited the ceiling of Crofoot's market in several places.

### Lake Erie Seminary Commencement – '98

Seven Graduates:

Mather, Olive Lavina – of Clinton, Miss.

Parker, Mary Grace – of Gilman, Ill.

Stockwell, Florence Mary – of Painesville

Gund, Cora Irene – of Marcus, Iowa

Gast, Cornelia Amsden – of Fremont

Maxwell, Laura – of Paulsboro, N.J.

Haight, Lee Belle – of Cleveland

Miss Mary Sterrett, of Girard, Pa., was awarded a degree Bachelor of Literature.

### A Sad Misfortune

Mrs. W. W. Hailstone, wife of the engineer at the Water Works pumping station met with a sad misfortune while on a voyage to her old home in Scotland. While on board, her small child was stricken with measles and was moved to the

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hospital ward of the boat. While there, the steam pipes in the room burst and both mother and child were badly scalded. The child was in a dying condition when they arrived at Glasgow.

### For Company M

When Sergeant Cone returns to Tampa, he will take with him 41 more suits of pajamas for the boys of Company M, making with the suits already furnished by the patriotic ladies of Painesville, a total of 106 suits or one for each member of a full company.

Officers elected for the year for the Y.M.C.A.

Gage, John W.

Jerome, F. J.

Parmly, J. L.

Searl, F. A.

Frost, F. M.

Kerr, F. L.

### Narrow Escape

A horse and buggy driven by Walter King and John DeLay, of Richmond, was struck by the east bound express at Richmond street crossing Friday night. The men were returning home from the circus in Painesville when the accident occurred. The horse was instantly killed and the buggy demolished. The two men were thrown to the ground. Walter King was picked up unconscious; John DeLay had two broken ribs.

Prof. W. W. Boyd, of Marietta, has been appointed superintendent of the Painesville Public Schools.

### Revenue Stamps

At the request of the collector of customs the Painesville National Bank has a supply of new revenue stamps on hand and are ready to sell them to those who desire to purchase.

### p. 2 Roosevelt's Rough Riders

Roosevelt's "Rough Riders," upon whom the eyes of the world have been centered since their organization, were among the first to enter into

actual combat with the Spanish forces. Placing themselves in front of the American forces they attacked the hidden and skulking enemy without flinching. Before they left for Cuba the "Rough Riders" were the object of considerable ridicule. Since their display of bravery before Santiago they have been the subject of much pride and admiration.

### Perry

Mrs. O. C. Pinney and young son, of Glenville, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery.

Mrs. L. V. Axtell, who has been visiting her parents at Oberlin, returned on Friday much improved in health.

Mr. Kirk Hickman arrived in town last week where he will remain a month.

Mrs. Warren Bowen died and resolutions of respect are printed for her.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of June 29:

### Ladies

Hinkler, Mrs. Jessie

Roberts, Miss Ida Marie

Swartz, Mrs. Salde

### Gentlemen

Beresford, John

Blanchard, Mr.

Bowers, W. C.

Buckley, Iris

Miller, W. L.

Peschke, Herson

Sovak, Jojan

Tumat, Selvestro

### Earth in Constant Tremble

Mendocino, Cal. is the shakiest county on earth at the present time. For the past two months earthquakes have been of daily occurrence and a great deal of damage has been done. During a single night about two months ago, 153 distinct shocks were felt at Tom Bell Gulch. No one has been able to keep count of the total shocks felt. The center of the seismic disturbances seems to be on the coast between Mendocino city and

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Greenwood. A great deal of timber has fallen in the redwood forests and great trees block the roads in every direction.

### Pump up Live Fish

Workmen sinking an artesian well in Windsor, Conn., pumped up three small and transparent specimens of the fish family on the land of W. R. Risley. They were placed in a glass jar. The fish are slightly more than an inch in length, of silver-white color and nearly transparent, as the vertebrae can be seen through their sides. They are not eyeless, as is generally the case with fish found in underground streams.

Sarah E. Casement is the administratrix of William Clayton, deceased, of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

The bay Shetland pony belonging to Master Philip Viall, of Mentor Ave., strayed from its pasture Friday night.

Mrs. Flora A. Hathaway's 100-acre farm in Concord, known as the Daniel Woodrud farm, was sold to Mr. Norman E. Hills, of Cleveland.

Married at the home of James Murray, Concord, O., on June 26, Mr. Alfred M. Sidley, of Montville, O., to Miss Nora E. Atkins, of Thompson, O. They will live at Thompson.

### Suicided

Mr. Cordine Rust committed suicide Monday at his home on the Chardon Center Road. Mr. Rust arose with the rest of the family and went to the barn to do the usual morning work. A short time afterwards, he was found hanging from a rafter. His son, Bert Rust, who made the discovery, called to his assistance, Mr. E. Gray and Lewis Barber, who were making repairs to the house and the lifeless body was cut down. He has been in ill health for some time and is thought to have been temporarily deranged. He is a resident of Concord. He leaves a wife, several grown children and the son, Bert Rust, who assisted him

in operating the farm. He was about 50 yrs. of age.

### Killed While Wheeling

While returning from his work in the greenhouses of the Storrs & Harrison's Nursery Co., Sunday noon, Alfred Chislitt, age 18 yrs., was killed on the Lake Shore. Several of these young men ride between the tracks to avoid the hills. He did not hear the express train coming from the east; the train struck him breaking his left arm and inflicting other injuries from which he never recovered. He was taken to his boarding place at R. F. Emsley's on Fobes street and died at two o'clock. His home was at Fresherton Station, Ontario, Canada, and he had been working at the Nursery since Thursday noon. The remains will be taken to Canada.

### Willoughby Plains

Mrs. Jennie Downing is quite poorly.  
Mrs. Lucy Brown is able to be out.  
Mrs. Emma Tyler has summer boarders.  
Miss Cora Gray is home from Granville.  
Mrs. Frank Stockwell is still very sick.  
Mr. Miller and family are stopping for the season in Mr. T. Kelley's.  
Miss Angie Downing has been seriously ill.

### Personals

Miss Mary Oliver is entertaining the measles.  
Mrs. J. A. Tillotson is visiting her son in Toledo.  
Miss Lillias Masters is visiting her grandparents in Amboy.  
Miss Laura Wright, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Gussie Spencer.  
Mr. & Mrs. Henry St. John, of Cleveland, were in town over Sunday.  
Miss Mae Smith returned Friday from Oberlin for the summer vacation.  
Miss Correll, of Willoughby, spent last week with Miss Angie Cone, East Side.  
Mrs. Dr. F. L. Warren, left Tuesday for a week's visit with friends in Ashtabula.  
M. Bartlett Shepherd left Monday morning to rusticate for a week in Perry.  
Miss Florence Weeks, of Scottsville, N.Y., is visiting her uncle Mr. L. P. Gage.

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Miss Lovicy Moran, of Kinsman, O., is visiting her uncle, Mr. Freeman Gates.

Miss Frances Walker, of Columbus, is the guest for a few weeks of Mrs. H. P. Coe.

Mr. Carlos Tilton spent Sat. and Sun. in Rock Creek with his parents.

Mrs. F. C. Langley, secretary of the Y.M.C.A. is visiting his mother in Marion, Ohio.

Mr. Thomas A Warren, of Saginaw, is visiting his parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Warren.

Mrs. E. M. Sheldon left Sat. for a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. Welsh, of Cleveland.

Mr. Will Lane, of Kenton, O., was the guest over Sunday of Mr. & Mrs. T. L. Perine.

Miss Frankie Belding, of Cleveland, was the guest over Sunday of Miss Alice Barnes.

Mr. & Mrs. Louian Tillotson, of Toledo, have a two-pound baby girl.

Mr. Geo. Fisher, of Chicago, visited his mother, Mrs. R. M. Fisher, for a few days last week.

Dr. & Mrs. P. J. Wenner and Dr. & Mrs. E. Clainge registered at The Pamy on Sunday.

Mr. A. E. Kintner left Tuesday morning for Wooster, O., where he will spend a short vacation.

Mr. T. A. Harvey, of Saginaw, Mich., is visiting his sister, Miss M. B. Harvey, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Martha Harrington has returned from Midland, Mich., and spent Friday at the home of Mr. J. T. Harrington.

Miss Eva Card, of Toledo, is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. S. D. Marsh, on Washington street.

Dr. & Mrs. Warner of Lowell, Mass., left Tuesday after a visit of a week with Mr. & Mrs. A. A. Wheeler.

Judge J. B. Burrows has returned to Painesville, having finished the spring term of court in Saint Clairsville, Belmont Co.

Mr. & Mrs. Wilber, of Thompson, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. O. A. Ford, returned home Saturday.

Mr. N. K. Hubbard and wife and daughter, Miss Mable, leave on Wed., for Fargo, N.D., going by steamer Northland to Duluth.

Mr. & Mrs. V. E. Davis returned Tuesday from Harriman, Tenn. Miss Margaret Davis, of Harriman, will be their guest for a few weeks.

Platt Mills, Walter Parsons, Claude Canfield, Carl Coleman, Roswell Palmer, Dan Mathews, Dwight Seymour and Mr. Earnest Moore, from Chardon, are camping at the Headlands for a week.

Mr. J. W. Culver, formerly bookkeeper for the Horton Mfg. Co., of this city, was in town visiting friends. He has been employed as a teacher of bookkeeping and banking at Oberlin Business College for the ensuing year.

### **A Daring Jump**

While the Euclid Beach boat was lying at the pier in Cleveland, Sunday, waiting for the time to leave for the beach, about 500 passengers saw a young man preparing to jump from the viaduct to the water, a distance of about 200 feet. He made the jump and swam to shore safe and sound. A collection was taken up for his benefit.

### **Those Pajamas**

The members of Company M received the box of pajamas and abdominal belts sent by the ladies of Painesville. They all put on pajamas and paraded through the camp. The soldiers need a change of clothes to sleep in at night and on a ship voyage pajama are almost indispensable. The belts are recommended by medical authorities and are used almost universally in hot climates. One drinks a lot of cold stuff in hot weather, and the stomach often get chilled. These belts help keep the stomach warm. There have been several cases of men getting severe cramps and a sort of colic, which usually ends in severe diarrhea. It is very noticeable, that men who wear the abdominal belts are almost entirely free from bowel disorders.

### **June Weddings**

#### **Doty – Baptiste**

A very quiet home wedding was celebrated last Wed. at the home of Mrs. C. L. Doty on Washington street, when Miss Ada Doty, of Cleveland, married Mr. George Baptiste, of

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Brooklyn, N.Y. Both are graduates of Painesville High School. The couple will live at the home of the groom in Brooklyn, N.Y.

### **Jacobs-Coddington**

Miss Lula M. Jacobs, of Painesville, was united in marriage to Mr. John D. Coddington at the hall of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics. Miss Barnes, of Concord, was the maid of honor, and the best man was Mr. Coddington, the groom's brother.

### **Family Reunion**

June 25<sup>th</sup>, the Broughton family held their 21<sup>st</sup> annual reunion at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Cleveland, in Mentor. Fifty were present representing sixteen different families. Among them was Oliver Pomeroy, of Thompson, now in his 80<sup>th</sup> year, who came with his little granddaughter. Also Mrs. Sarah Broughton, of Painesville, age 81 yrs., the oldest one present. The next reunion will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Millard, of Kirtland.

### **Madison**

Walter Scott, of the *Monitor* staff has enlisted in Company M, Painesville.

Mr. Nelson Stearns is home from Harvard for the summer.

Carl and Bessie Kimball are home from Oberlin for summer vacation.

Mr. & Mrs. Bert Parsons entertained friends from Painesville to dinner on Sunday.

Miss Pearl Rand, of Safford street, is the guest of Cleveland friends.

Dr. W. T. S. Culp preached last Sunday in Conneaut.

Mrs. S. B. Strong left last week to spend the summer with relatives in Massachusetts.

Mr. O. F. Loveridge was called to Girard, Pa., last Wed. to attend the funeral of his cousin's wife, Mrs. Addie Loveridge.

Mrs. Lemuel Kimball leaves Thursday for a lengthy visit to relatives in Mass.

Mr. O. S. Carnahan is spending a few days in Cleveland.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Wannamaker visited friends in Southington, Trumbull Co., last week.

Mrs. Agnes Cashen has nearly recovered from her recent illness.

John Bradley's folks are riding in a new carriage. Clark Fales and wife are visiting their two sons in Geneva.

C. L. Cowles, of Chardon, was in town Friday night.

Monroe Morehouse, of Ashtabula, is visiting his grandfather at this place.

Mrs. Frank Clark is entertaining her sister, Miss Marshall and nephew, Charley Hyded, of Cleveland this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Gillis have returned to their home in Pierpont.

John Morse's folks entertained company from Middlefield last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Vogel went to Smithville last week to visit their old neighbors. They drove through, a journey of about 100 miles.

Mrs. Wrisley has just finished knitting the sixth bed spread. She is over 85 years old and has knit these spreads in about 3 years. Each spread contains 8,448 blocks besides nine yards of lace four inches wide for each. Who can beat that?

Mrs. Lizzie Tucker, of Chester, is visiting here.

Mrs. Betsey Folsom has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Daniel Folsom.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Fuller, S. T.

St. John, Sultan

Persels, Georgie

#### **Concord**

Hathaway, Flora A.

Woodruff, Daniel E.

Hills, Norman E.

Winchell, C. B.

Winchell, Nancy S.

Winchell, Matilda C.

Arnold, Bert

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Kohankie, Adam & Augustus

Kohankie, Samuel

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### **Mentor Township**

Burr, Ambrose L.  
Burr, Seymour D.

### **Mentor Village**

Lynch, Timothy F.  
Swaine, Frederick D.

### **Willoughby Township**

Thomas, Mary E.  
Thomas, Ellen  
Pelton, Ed D.  
Ford, Emma A.

### **Willoughby Village**

Harbach, Thomas S.  
Durban, Geo. B.  
Thomas, Mary E.  
Thomas, Ellen

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

C.P. & E. R. R. Co. vs the Village of Willoughby;  
brought on error from Probate Court  
Hattie Couch vs Leonard S. Couch -petition for  
alimony  
Edwin A. Harrington and John T. Harrington,  
administrators of Augustus Harrington,  
deceased vs A. H. Sherman; money only

### **Probate Court**

Paige, C. C. – assignment, third account  
DeLong, Wm. – guardianship, hearing continued  
Clayton, Wm. – claim of adm. filed; first and final  
account  
Davis, Wm. A. – election of widow  
Searls, G. – assignment, report of sale of  
desperate claims  
Searls, C. W. – assignment, report of sale of  
desperate claims  
Hotchkiss, Helen M. – guardianship, first account  
Towell, Patrick H. – probate of will  
Crandall, Elizabeth – first account  
Keeberger, Harry A. – marriage license  
Cusic, Mary A. – marriage license  
Clark, Benjamin C. – marriage license  
Collister, Ellen – marriage license  
Waterman, Charles G. – marriage license  
Chambers, Mary – marriage license

### **Little Mountain**

The third annual reunion of the Carver family  
was held at A. L Carver's, Little Mountain, O.,  
June 24<sup>th</sup>. Seventy members gathered.

Mentioned:

Carver, A. L.  
Carver, Miss Mattie  
Booth, George  
Stebbins, Florence  
Booth, Walis  
Carver, Florence  
Booth, Terry  
Mighton, Marion  
Booth, Mary  
Cook, Howard

Next year the reunion will be at H. V. Carver's, of  
Chardon, O. The ancestors of the Carter family  
lived at Hertfordshire, England. John Carver, was  
Gov. of Mass. and came to this county in 1620.  
Robert Carver, brother of Gov. John Carver,  
came in 1628. John Carver came over in 1682 on  
the ship Welcome. They are all direct  
descendants of Gov. John Carver's family.

Mrs. Dr. R. S. Lord, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting  
her sister, Mrs. Samuel Reynolds.

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Dr. L. H. Luse has been on the sick list.  
Mr. Howard Long has been visiting his sister,  
Mrs. D. Gulliford.  
Mr. Wm. DeLong, of Cleveland, has been in  
town several days.  
Mr. Robin Case is visiting with relatives in  
Summit Co.  
Mr. B. F. Kerr was in Columbus a part of last  
week.  
Miss Elsie Johnson, of Cleveland, was spending  
Sunday at home.  
Mr. & Mrs. Philander Parmelee, of Burton has  
been visiting in this place.  
Mr. & Mrs. Brand, of Cleveland, spent Sunday  
at the residence of E. Parker.  
The Rev. E. M. Kemm has been seriously ill at  
Hiram, Ohio.  
Mrs. J. W. Lowe and daughter, Iris, have been  
visiting with friends in Geneva.  
Miss Jennie Munson is at home from her school  
duties in Hudson.

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Mrs. Geo. Cone, of Geneva, has been visiting relatives of this place.

Mrs. Oliver Roberts, of Cleveland, has been visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Julius Hopkins, of Cleveland, spent part of last week in town.

Mr. & Mrs. Hurd, from New York state, have been visiting with their old neighbors in this place.

Miss Mollie Titus has gone to Alpena, Mich., for a short visit with her parents.

Mrs. Earl Woodruff, of Collinwood, is visiting her parents.

Miss Martha Harrington has returned from Midland City, Mich., where she has been for the past few months.

Miss Ara Radcliffe is at home from Lake Erie Seminary for her summer vacation.

Mrs. Imogene Gilmore and children and Miss Lamson, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the residence of S. Justus.

Mr. A. Harrington and granddaughter, Margaret, of the County Seat, were visitors in town.

Miss Dawson of Braddock, Pa., is visiting with her friend Mrs. Gertie Ingersoll Taylor.

Capt. Thomas Fitzpatrick was given a pleasant surprise party Saturday for his 76<sup>th</sup> birthday. Between 35 and 40 Mentor friends were there under the management of Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Cleveland.

Work is progressing finely on the Salvation Army colony farm. Cabbage, tomatoes, and sweet corn will comprise the principal product for this season. The erection of six cottages is well under way and the other four will soon be started. More will be added next season, enough to accommodate thirty families.

### Thompson

Mr. J. W. Stocking, of Wickliffe, was in town last week.

Mrs. Skinner and sons, of Montville, attended M. E. Church yesterday with B. J. Murphy and family.

Mr. Isaiah Phelps, of East LeRoy transacted business at this place.

Mr. O. A. Bartlett of East LeRoy, is engaged in a severe struggle with measles.

Dr. W. P. Ellis spent Sat. and Sun. at Gageville, where he was called by the death of a cousin.

Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens were guests last week of Mr. & Mrs. Parker, of Garlo.

Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Thompson, of Trumbull, were guests yesterday of Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam.

Mrs. E. Down, of Painesville, spent several days of the past week with her mother, Mrs. E. Bower, of West Trumbull.

Mr. & Mr. Wm. Bradway, of South Madison, called upon old time friends at the center last Sat.

Mrs. Wm. Tilley returned to Ashtabula last Tuesday.

Miss Ida Murphy returned from Ashtabula last Tuesday.

Rev. Mrs. Orrin Gates, of Chardon, spent several days of the past week with relatives at this place and Trumbull.

Mr. Eugene Tillotson and sister, Elsie, will drive to Chardon tomorrow for Miss Edna Hollett, who it is expected will remain at the Tillotson home for an extended visit.

Mrs. Angler, who for some time has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Crocker and family, returned Wed. to her home in Ashtabula.

Mr. D. H. West, of South Madison, who has been confined to the house for many weeks, is sufficiently recovered to ride out.

Mrs. H. Hulbert, who in the spring took up abode at the old Homestead in the west part of the township, has returned to her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Bliss.

Mrs. Amelia Flahavan, of Montville, is the guest of Mrs. H. McKnight.

Mrs. Emington, of Madison, and Mrs. Treat, of New York, were guests not long since of Mr. & Mrs. O. Jewell.



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A Rebekah Lodge was organized last Thursday evening. Officers elected were Mrs. R. M. Smith, Mrs. Dr. Ellis, Mrs. J. C. Scott, Mrs. W. W. Cowan, and Mr. D. L. Phelps.

Elder O. Gates, of Chardon, occupied the Disciple pulpit yesterday.

Master Frank Murphy, who is living with Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Hodges, met with a painful accident last Friday. While driving the cows from the pasture, the lad fell on a stone fracturing his arm below the elbow.

Mr. Edwin Tillotson is engaged in his old occupation of taking in wool at Spiritual Hall.

Mr. Christoph Ernst, age 90 yrs., died Thursday. He leaves a wife, one daughter, and five sons.

The remains of Mr. Patrick Towell were one week ago removed from the vault and interred in Maple Grove Cemetery.

### Dock Road

George Sisson, the 12-yr. old son of Charlie Sisson, fell off of a low shed while helping his father put on roof boards last Sat. afternoon and broke his left arm just above the wrist and hurt his left knee.

Levi Gilbert and family, of Madison, were guests of J. A. Ferguson and family Sunday.

P. E. Kimmy and family were the guests of Sam. Buttermore and family last Sunday.

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### p. 1 Company M – Report from Tampa, Florida

New men joining the Company in Tampa, Florida:

Atwater, Mathew  
Blakely, Elbert F.  
Book, Austin W.  
Brown, John A.  
Barnes, Fred E.  
Cone, Roy A.  
Custin, Pearl N.  
Double, Chas. C.  
Ditmaus, Garret P.  
Elliott, John G.  
Gay, Jessie L.  
Gray, Archie E.

Graves, Chas. R.  
Howlett, Fred H.  
Hazen, William E.  
Kruter, Jacob  
Kruter, John E.  
Leslie, C. M.  
Motte, Edwin  
Miller, John C.  
McGill, Frank  
Parvis, James W.  
Pepoon, Albert C.  
Rauch, Chas. A.  
Robinson, Ernest A.  
Raki, William  
Smith, Geo. A.  
Sage, Geo.  
Swaine, Will  
Spencer, Homer M.  
Spore, Albert  
Scott, Walter A.  
Shea, Patrick  
Tuuri, Isaac  
Taft, Geo. E.  
Woolson, Chas. H.  
Whaley, Elmer E.  
Wolfe, Jessie B.

Regarding an article in the *Cleveland Leader* of recent date which said the ladies of the Western Reserve Chapter of D.A.R. were opposed to pajama parades and thought the labor of the ladies were wasted and pajamas should be given through the Surgeon General to be used only in hospitals *after* the men are sick. The pajamas are especially useful in preventing illness by making it possible for the men to sleep in dry clothes instead of in the uniforms or government underwear which is often damp from perspiration or exposure to dew or rain. The Cleveland ladies do not understand the situation nor the occasion for use of pajamas.

### Storm Struck and Excursion Boat and It Sank

An excursion steamer capsized in a storm at Beverly, Mass. Killed in a storm were:

Weber, Catherine D. Mrs.  
Snell, Grace Miss – daughter of Arthur Snell of Beverly

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### Turin Relic of Savior

A sensation has been created among the Catholics in Turin, Italy by the alleged miraculous photographic reproduction of a likeness of Jesus. The *Observer Romano* describes the incident: Among the relics of the house of Savoy is the winding sheet in which it is stated that Joseph of Arimathea wrapped the body of the crucified Savior and on which are almost imperceptible blood stains faintly outlining the contour of the body. The relic was recently shown in the Turin Cathedral. An amateur photographer obtained the King's permission to photograph the relic. When the negative was developed, the face, hands and limbs were clearly shown.

### Madison

Mrs. Wallace Stocking is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. Lewis.

Miss Gertrude Hendry visited friends in Ashtabula.

Mrs. Julia Siringer of Cleveland, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Gunther.

Jacob Schworm, Stephen Emery and Warren Gill went with the Painesville band to Warren to celebrate the 4<sup>th</sup>.

The Misses Mame and Willa Domer are spending a few days with their parents at Saybrook.

Mr. Wm Genung, of Middle Ridge, was taken seriously ill on Sunday.

Mrs. Adelaide Woodworth and Mrs. Mary Hodgerney were guests of Cleveland friends last week.

Mr. Wm. Duran, of Ripley, O., is acting as agent at the L.S. & M. S. depot.

Miss Lina Loveridge returned Friday morning from Oswego, having completed the course of study at the State Normal.

The ladies of Madison will sew for the soldiers Thursday afternoon on the Park.

W. T. S. Culp and family are visiting friends in the West.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of July 6:

### Ladies

Emed, Miss Mary  
Felix, Mrs. M.  
Mhyhew, Miss Abbie  
Throup, Miss Ida  
Watson, Mrs. Harriet  
Williams, Mrs. H. J.

### Gentlemen

Avery, George  
Bromley, C. A.  
Brainered, Ed  
Charlesworth, F. W.  
Davis, Chas. L.  
Miller, Lewis  
Prentiss, Ethean  
Sprague, Forest

### Perry

John Strong, of Austinburg, visited in town on Saturday.

Miss Ida and Bertha Chapman, of Cleveland, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Giles Chapman.

Miss Mary Craft visited Perry friends.

Mr. Milton Armstrong and family, of Claridon, were calling among Perry friends last week.

Mrs. Ab. Clark and family, of Ashtabula Harbor, were guests of Dr. & Mrs. Achley over Sunday.

Mrs. Horace Norton is visiting Mr. & Mrs. Joe Norton at Lansing, Mich.

Ben Perry opened Hemlock Grove on July 1<sup>st</sup>.

R. S. Belknap and sister spent the 4<sup>th</sup> with friends at Austinburg.

Miss Grace Wyman and brother, Charles, were in town over Sunday.

Mr. George Gibbs is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Joe Morton, at Lansing, Mich.

### Mammoth Cave in Ohio

People have flocked to the new cave, or series of caverns, unknown in exact size, yet immense in extent, just discovered near East Liberty, Ohio, through the queer experience of Joseph Mopps, of the locality. Mopps while plowing on his farm, was astonished to see his cultivator horse sink into the earth several feet. With the help of neighbors, the animal was extricated with difficulty. An investigation followed and a hole

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about 30 feet deep was found. This led to a large chamber and then to a second chamber and other rooms which went back a distance of 500 feet. It is beyond doubt connected with the Abe Reams cave, discovered last summer.

### p. 3 Death of N. O. Lee

Mr. N. O. Lee, who has been a prominent business man of Painesville for nearly forty years, passed away at his home on Erie street Thursday. He had been ill for nine years. Burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

### Stolen Horse

Dean Forney, of Ravenna, it is alleged, forged an order on C. C. Myers, a liveryman of that place for a horse and carriage last week Monday night. He drove the horse to Burton and then exchanged the buggy for one of less value and also some pocket money. He disposed of the entire outfit to the Parishes, of Fairport, and then disappeared. Marshal Connell obtained the harness and carriage Thursday morning and located the horse.

### Lawn Fete

A pleasant lawn fete was held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Wetzel, Oak street, last Wed. by the Daughters of Erin for 250 persons.

### Personals

Mr. J. H. King left Tuesday for Branford, Conn.  
Miss Harriet Storrs is home for the summer vacation.  
Mr. David R. Paige was in town for a few hours on Thursday.  
Miss Chase, of St. Louis, is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. A. P. King.  
Mr. T. F. Sidley, of New Castle, Pa., was in town over the Fourth.  
Mr. Will Miller, of Buffalo, visited friends in town over Sunday.  
Mr. William Chisholm and party visited Painesville on Monday.  
Mr. D. Conley is confined to his home by an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. F. A. Searl and daughter Grace, left Tuesday for a visit of a week in Canton.

Mail Carrier Jerome Magargil is taking his annual vacation of fifteen days.

Mrs. C. H. Stocking and children are visiting in Ashtabula Co. for two weeks.

Mr. Ray M. Wilson and Mr. Wm. P. Jones visited friends in Fremont in Monday.

Mr. A. A. Atwater, of Cleveland, registered at the Cowles House on Monday.

Miss Alice Jeannette Bill is the guest of Miss Blanch Wolffe, of Jackson street.

Miss Eva Kenney has been appointed as teacher of the Perry school for the coming year.

Dr. F. L. Warren left Sat. evening for Ashtabula, where Mrs. Warren is visiting with friends.

Mr. & Mrs. Brutus Stockwell, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. B. Stockwell, of Washington street.

Miss Capitola Underwood left Sat. to spend the summer with relatives in the city.

Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Doolittle and daughter, Cora, of Cleveland, spent the Fourth with relatives in town.

Mr. Bert Brashares, of Marion, O., has accepted a position with the American Express Co.'s local office.

Miss Mathews, of Courtland street, returned home Sat. from a visit of several months with friends in the east.

Hon. L. E. Holden, of Cleveland, and son, Mr. A. F. Holden, of Salt Lake City, registered Sunday at the Parnly.

Mrs. Willis Brown and sons, Arlie and Norman, of Cleveland, are spending the summer at Mr. W. F. Dunkel's in Concord.

Miss Sadie Storrs and Miss Eugenia Storrs left Sat. for Ithica, N.Y., where they will take a six weeks course in chemistry.

Mrs. I. M. O'Banion, of Tifton, Ind., is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Forrer.

Mrs. Charles E. Doolittle, Miss Elsie Doolittle and friend, Miss Marjorie Stinson, of Hamilton, Ont., are visiting Mrs. I. K. Pierson, Bank street.

Mrs. A. L. Gardner and son, Ranney, and Mrs. T. G. Hart, of Mentor, returned Thursday night from a trip to Duluth on the steamer Robert Fulton.

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Miss Hattie Hardy has been elected to a position with the schools at Northfield, Ohio.

Mrs. F. D. Janvier and two daughters and Miss Julia Janvier arrived this morning from Brooklyn, N.Y. to be the guests of her sister Mrs. F. C. Moodey.

Mrs. D. A. Prentice, of Jefferson, O., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. W. Sawyer and her mother, Mrs. S. M. Hyde, who is also a guest of her sister, Mrs. Sawyer.

The Misses Mary and Carrie Landphair, Margaret Cole and Ada Lord attended the State C.E. Convention at Mansfield as delegates from Painesville this week.

Miss Lottie Sawyer spent the 4<sup>th</sup> with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Sawyer, accompanied by Mr. J. C. Seward, an uncle and brother of Mrs. Sawyer and Mrs. Hyde.

Mr. H. B. Gladwish has closed his house on Mentor Ave. and moved his family to Atlanta, Ga., where they will reside permanently.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles W. Benfield and daughter, Marion, were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. B. B. Park on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Benfield is the senior member of the Benfield Bros. Co., of Cleveland.

### Gun Club Shoot

The Gun Club held their regular shoot Monday. The first shoot was 25 birds. Scores:

Austin	20
Wasson	19
Hodges	18
Donaldson	17
Hardway	16
Morgan	14
Bacon	14
Lynch	13
McLeod	05

Second shoot of 25 birds:

Wasson	25
Donaldson	19
Austin	18
Morgan	15
Bacon	15

### Half a Century

Mr. & Mrs. Derick J. Lansing, east of the City, celebrated June 18, 1898, their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary with family. Seventy-five were present from Kalamazoo, Mich., Rockford, Ill., Youngstown, Ashtabula, Geneva, Willoughby, and Perry. Mr. & Mrs. Lansing have eight children and all were present. Mrs. L. H. Cowdery, of Perry and Dr. A. J. Holmes, of Kalamazoo, Mich., brother and sister of Mrs. Lansing who were present at the wedding in '48. Letters were received from Dr. George R. Holmes, of St. Louis and Mrs. G. C. Irins, of Tacoma, Washington, Mrs. Lansing's brother and sister. A poem read at their 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary was read by Mrs. Anna Wilbur. Mr. B. P. Holmes of Youngstown, in a happy manner gave reminiscences of early visits to the home of Uncle Derick and Aunt Cornelia. His mother, Mrs. Wm. Holmes, of Mentor, was Mrs. Lansing's eldest sister. Of the remaining members of Mrs. Lansing's family, Mrs. Asa Cottrell, of Willoughby, died in 1891; Mrs. Irins, formerly of Kirtland, recently visited her friends in Ohio and in April went to Tacoma to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Flora Yerkes. One brother, Ezra Holmes, lives in Dakota, George R. is a dentist in St. Louis and Andrew J. is a dentist in Kalamazoo. Mr. Lansing came west in 1838 from Lansingburgh, N.Y., and Mrs. Lansing came with her parents from York, Livingston Co., N.Y., in 1832. Both grew to maturity on adjoining farms in Kirtland. They have always resided in this county with the exception of five years spent in Michigan in their early married life. A family of six daughters and two sons grew to maturity and live in the vicinity of Painesville, except one daughter, Anna L. Wilbur, who resides in Rockford, Ill.; Mrs. R. P. Dewey lives in Perry; Mrs. L. H. Lockwood, Mrs. Alfred L. Perry, Mrs. Charles M. Lyrrell and Wm. Lansing reside in Painesville. Mrs. G. S. Ives and Charles D. Lansing live in Ashtabula. Seventeen grandchildren and one great-grandchild are living. Mrs. Edna Ives and Mrs. Lizzie Abell had charge of the serving room. Miss Metta Cottrell, Hazel White, Bertha Lansing and Sadie King assisted in serving. Eva Lansing, Eva Cottrell, Howard Holmes and Ralph Perry acted as maids and usher.

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### **A Wheeling Party**

Miss Gertrude Carpenter very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening by a wheel ride given in honor of her guest. Miss Margaret Walbridge, of Saratoga, N.Y. They wheeled from State street up Erie street to St. Clair and back again on Phelps to State street, Main street and the Park and then up Mentor Ave. and home again by way of Johnny Cake Ridge. Those present:

Walbridge, Margaret  
Carpenter, Gertrude  
Frank, Klara  
Hoffman, Louis  
Smith, Mae  
Lowman, Minerva  
Anderson, Maude  
Wilson, Alice  
Carpenter, Henrietta  
Avery, Hattie  
Treat, Will  
Colby, Arthur  
Wilson, Ray  
Smith, Percy  
Green, Albert  
McAbee, Phillip  
Riton, Eugene  
Means, Bert  
Warner, Franz  
Davis, George

### **His Escape**

A man, who gave his name as Geo. Benjamin was arrested by officer May at the Lake Shore depot Friday and charged with the theft of a bicycle from the residence of H. P. Munson in East Mentor early in the morning. He escaped through the rear wall of the engine house. He has not yet been captured.

### **Court House Items - Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Village**

Kimball, Pauline  
Kimball, Cutler L.

#### **LeRoy**

Rand, Mary A. Uden  
Shafer, Nicholas  
Callow, H. F.

Callow, E. A.  
Button, Alice F.

#### **Perry**

Mercer, Wm. R. and Emma E.  
Harris, James F.  
Shepard, Samuel W.  
Hodgman, F. E.

#### **Concord**

Merrill, Phineas  
Merrill, Correll  
Hodges, Gaylord  
Hodges, Antoinette  
Hodges, Gaylord S.

#### **Richmond Village Lands**

Powers, A. E.  
Fairport Warehouse & Elevator Co.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Kleeberger, Susan  
Kleeberger, Charles A.

#### **Kirtland Township**

Myers, Susan E.  
Whiting, Cornelia  
White, John  
Johnson C. C.

#### **Mentor Township**

Herrick, Myron F.  
Parmelee, Jas.  
DeTucker, Frederick  
Booth, Latour

#### **Willoughby Village**

Skiff, Charlotte E.  
Smith, Thomas C  
Andrews, Margaret M. St. John  
Butler, Fred O.  
Butler, Catharine F.

#### **Probate Court**

Hoag, Ellen L. – will filed  
Scofield, Nancy A. – first account  
DeLong, Wm. guardianship; hearing  
Crawford, Lucian – inventory and appraisal filed;  
order and report of private sale  
Sharp, Andrew – inventory and appraisal filed  
Davis, John – H. J. Randall appointed adm.;  
application for authority to cancel mortgage  
Freeman, Harriet – distributive account filed  
Crandall, Sarah L. – will filed  
Towell, Patrick H. – executor appointed  
Ingersoll, Eliza Ann – inquest of lunacy

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Hoag, Ellen L. – commission with the will annexed issued

Mather, Frank I. – marriage license

Reynolds, Kittie E. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

Ida E. Kintner vs Alenin E. Kintner – divorce given to plaintiff; restoration to maiden name and alimony

Hattie Couch vs Leonard S. Couch; plaintiff allowed temporary alimony

John W. Fox vs Frank Crawford; plaintiff's petition dismissed and issues found in favor of defendants

Justina C. Fenton vs J. C. H. Vance; sale of property confirmed

Stone vs Stone; issues in favor of plaintiff; defendant gives notice of intention to appeal to Circuit Court

Gerdes vs Barkinen; issues in favor of plaintiff; mortgage deed set aside; defendant gives notice of intention to appeal to the Circuit Court.

### New cases:

Furnice Craine vs Bertha Craine – divorce; gross neglect

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Palmer, of Perry desire to thank their friends and neighbors for the kind assistance rendered during the illness the death of their child.

### Thompson

Mr. Nathan Warren, of Lenox, is a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Moseley.

Miss Turner, of Geneva, was recently a guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. Pomeroy.

Mrs. Melissa Ramsey and daughter, of Meadville, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Ramsey's parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. Ernst.

Mrs. Effie Johnson, of Meadville, who has spent several weeks at the home of her parents was last week joined by her husband, accompanied by a lady and gentleman friend also from Meadville, Pa.

Mr. & Mrs. George Scott spent Sat. night with Mr. & Mrs. George Binnig, of Perry.

Mrs. Towell and daughter, Anna, of Painesville, were recent guests of Mrs. C. Scott and family.

Mrs. F. Benjamin and Mrs. E. Benjamin were guests last Thursday of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Fye.

Miss Anna Van Gorder, after a pleasant visit of two weeks returned Sat. to Warren accompanied by her cousins, Miss Clara and Mrs. Edgar Van Gorder, who will celebrate the glorious 4<sup>th</sup> in the city.

Mrs. C. O. Warren and daughter, of East LeRoy, were guests last Monday of Mrs. B. G. Crandall.

Hon. and Mrs. E. J. Clapp, Mr. Frank Scott and sister, Elma, attended the Epworth League convention held at Madison last week.

Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan, visited her mother, Mrs. Emily Talcott, last week. Mrs. Fowler returned home accompanied by her niece, Miss Carrie Acker, who will remain for an extended visit.

Miss Rosma Knecht, of Cleveland, is spending several days with Mrs. Gottlieb Keener.

Miss Frieda Keener, of Cleveland, was recently a guest of her parents and is at present with her sister, Mrs. Ira Whipple, of Madison.

Messrs. Charles and Austin Wilber have, during the past week, been engaged at mason work in Concord.

Mr. Eugene Tillotson and sister, Elsie, together with their guest, Miss Edna Hollett, drove to Madison last Thursday and Mr. Eugene is now the owner of a brand-new croquet set.

A family picnic will be held today at the home of Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Tillotson. This, we understand is in honor of Mrs. Dexter Clough and daughter, of West Virginia, and Mr. Eugene Clough, of Williamsburg, Ohio.

Mr. B. J. Murphy and family, together with the other friends, will celebrate at Riverside.

Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Proctor will entertain visitors from Ashtabula.

Miss Jessie Pomeroy, of Bostwick, is enjoying a visit with her cousins, Alice, Grace and Arthur Hulbert.

Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Holman, of Collinwood, are the 4<sup>th</sup> of July guests of Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Holman.

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Mr. Homer Smith and brother, of Ashtabula, Mrs. Rappold and Mr. Turner, of Geneva, were guests at Dr. D. G. Proctor's.

Mr. & Mrs. L. Thompson and Mr. A. Thompson and wife were guests of Mr. T. G. and Miss R. Cottam.

Mr. Cecil Pomeroy and family, of Concord, spent the 4<sup>th</sup> at this place.

### Death of Chas. Callendar

Mr. Chas. Callendar, of Pearl street, who has been seriously ill for some time, died at his home Friday.

### Mentor

B. W. Smith spent Independence Day at Sandusky.

Miss Mattie Jones and Miss Jessie Bruce were the guests of Miss Evelyn Smith, at the home of her parents over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Hull, of Painesville, was a guest at the Cadle residence a part of last week.

Miss Marian Amidon, of Painesville, was the guest of Miss Carrie Justus, a portion of last week.

Mrs. Bert Steel, of Cleveland, was a visitor at the residence of A. J. Haskels, for a few days.

Geo. Marsh and family and Miss Laura Duer left town Saturday for Andover, where they were to remain a few days.

Mrs. Will Wilcox, nee Anna Young, of Chicago, was in town last week calling on friends and acquaintances.

J. S. Spearer, of Bay City, Mich., called upon Mentor relatives last week, all of whom were glad to see him.

Mrs. Fechet and family, of Washington, D. C., are occupying their summer home at Mentor.

Frank Mather, of this place and Miss Kittie Reynolds, of Little Mountain, were married last week.

H. Merrell and R. Harn collided on their wheels last week with disastrous results to Mr. Markell. He was knocked insensible and did not recover consciousness till next morning.

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### Getting Used to Camp Life – Camp DeSota, Tampa, Florida

Describes current camp conditions.

### The Fourth at Camp

The reports that Paul Underwood, of Painesville, died at Santiago, are false. A week ago, he was in Battery J of a heavy artillery company, in New York City. Battery J is assigned to coast defense.

### South Thompson

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Baldwin and brother, Harvey, visited Mrs. Wrisley last week.

Henry Vogel is sick.

Miss Helen Beaumont, of Trumbull, is a guest at Mr. Wannamakers'.

Miss Grace Stevens is making baskets at Damon.

Paul Stetson visited relatives at Youngstown the 4<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. Henretty went to Collinwood last week.

Henry Wannamaker and John Morse spent a day at Callender's Grove.

Mr. & Mrs. Morehouse attended the funeral of his brother, Jesse, at Mesopotamia a week ago last Friday.

The last news of Homer Spencer was from Tampa, Florida.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Kennedy visited friends here the 4<sup>th</sup>.

Harry Miller has a new carriage.

Mrs. Sutherland and daughter, Ethel, went to Sturgeon Point near Geneva recently.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Fales, of Geneva, visited his parents over Sunday.

Miss Bessie Jackson is visiting her uncle in Chester. Mrs. Shimmerman is entertaining friends from the city.

Mr. Frank Clark, of Cleveland, visited his family at their place last week. He was en route for Salt Lake City to see his mother.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Mrs. Lizzie Brown has paid \$5 and costs in police court for creating a disturbance on the flats nearly a week ago.

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Mr. Walter Clayton, son of Mrs. A. G. Clayton, is a member of Co. B. 1<sup>st</sup> Illinois Vol. Inf.

### In Memoriam

Mr. Nelson O. Lee died suddenly June 30th. In 1858, when a young man with very little capital, but with ambition and determination, Mr. Lee came to Painesville and engaged in the drug and grocery business for more than 30 yrs. until his health failed. He leaves a widow, one son, Mr. W. G. Lee, and two daughters, Miss Lizzie E. Lee and Mrs. Jessie Lee Soules.

### Dock Road

Mrs. Albert Williams and child, of Cleveland, are spending a few weeks at the home of Miss Addie Williams.

Arthur Herroon, of Windsor, O. spent last Saturday with his uncle, A. J. Herroon.

George Baily and sisters, of Trumbull, and Miss Belle Burt, of Calm, were the guests of A. J. Chaffee, over Sunday.

### Personals

Mr. Clyde Judson is visiting relatives in Hillsdale, Mich.

Charles Pratt is in camp on Black Lake, Northern Michigan.

Miss Grace Morgan, of Collinwood, is visiting her friend, Myrtle Allen.

Mrs. S. S. Skinner, of Conneaut, spent Sunday at the Lowman homestead.

Prof. G. W. Ready left last Wed. for Enid, Pa., where he will spend the summer.

Mr. W. L. Clark, of Chagrin Falls, is the guest of Mrs. C. F. Stumm, of Mentor Ave.

Mrs. J. F. Mathews returned this morning from Newport, Tenn., where she has spent the winter.

Miss Myrtle Allen has returned for Collinwood and Cleveland where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary Durban went to Chicago Tuesday to visit her son, Mr. Chas. Durban, for a few weeks.

Mr. Brainard Hull, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Hull, of South street.

Mrs. Nancy Carroll, of Concord, is visiting the family of her son, Mr. Albert Carroll, of Bank street.

Miss Margaret Radcliffe, of Chardon, was the guest Thursday evening of her brother, Mr. W. R. Radcliffe.

Miss Lea Fiske left for Ludington, Mich., Thursday morning, where she will spend the summer vacation.

Dr. George H. Wilson and sister, of Cleveland, formerly of this place were guests of friends in town Sunday.

Miss Belle Whelpley, teacher at Straight's University in New Orleans, is at home for her summer vacation.

Miss Bessie Crosette, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Maynard Bond, of Willoughby were guests of Miss Stacy Sunday.

Mr. Geo. K. McLeod left Friday for a two-week outing in Canada. He will visit his old home at Shelburn, Ont.

Miss Grace Wyman left Tuesday afternoon to be the guest of Mrs. W. B. Straight, of Cleveland, for a few days.

Miss Mattie Taylor has returned from Clifton, Tenn., for the summer vacation after a very successful year of teaching.

Mrs. J. J. Harrison and Miss Harrison have returned from an extended visit in Chicago and vicinity and Coldwater, Mich.

Charles H. Williams, of Alcester, S. Dakota, is spending a few days with his brother, Clark H. Williams, of Washington street.

Col. W. P. Tisdell arrived in town Friday morning for a visit with friends and relatives. He is en route to Central America by way of San Francisco.

Charles Green of Moodey's Pharmacy went to Cleveland Tuesday to enlist in the hospital corps of the U.S. Army. He failed to pass the examination and was obliged to return.

Mrs. S. A. Fuller and Miss Wood, of Cleveland, and Miss Amelia Leibold, of Springfield, who spent last season in Painesville, have returned for the summer, and have rooms at 119 Park Place.

Robert Manchester, who some time ago added an elegant chicken repository to his palatial East



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Side residence, is now building a summer house which he says will eclipse anything in that line ever attempted in Painesville.

Mr. C. J. Scott and wife, Mrs. C. V. Case, of Ashtabula, Miss Carrie Conley and Miss Emma Cowles of Chardon, left for Cleveland, Friday night for Duluth.

### **The Williams' Reunion**

The Williams' reunion was held on Saturday, June 25. Fifty were present for dinner. Mr. Crowther, of Willoughby, took a photo of them with his camera. By Alex Williams, South Kirtland, Ohio

### **Two Drowned**

About three miles south of Willoughby, near Gates' Mills, was the scene of a double drowning Sunday morning. Twenty-five young men from Cleveland had come down to Willoughby for an outing and were guests of a German family near the scene of the accident. Several of the group were bathing in the Chagrin River at this point and Julius Weiner, age 20 yrs. strangled and went down. The other members of the party were attracted to the noise and Otto Ebert, who was nearest, went to the rescue. He was unable to save Weiner and was pulled down by the clutches of the drowning man. Before assistance arrived, both were drowned. The bodies were placed in charge of G. E. Manville, the Willoughby undertaker. Julius Weiner was an employee of the H. P. Nail Co. and resided at 152 Lyman street, Cleveland. Otto Ebert was employed in the Champion rivet works and resided at 18 Mathews street, Cleveland.

### **Death of Field D. Warner**

The death of Field D. Warner occurred at his last home of on Washington street early Sunday. His 68<sup>th</sup> birthday occurred July 4. His three sons were summoned two weeks ago and remained constantly with him until the last: F. G. L. Warner, of this place; Will B. Warner, of Cleveland; and Ralph B. Warner, of Marion, Ind.

### **Kirtland**

A son of Benjamin Daggett, of Vermont, a former resident of this place has just made a visit to his relatives here.

Mrs. Almeda Daniels Hessinger, from Pa., is spending some time at her childhood home at Mr. Daniels'.

The Fourth was celebrated very pleasantly by nearly two hundred people on the ground of Mr. Corwin Sperry in South Kirtland.

Mrs. Jennie Parks Harrington, of Redford, is paying a visit to her mother.

A few days since someone entered Mr. Whitcomb's house and took a valuable gold watch and a purse containing four dollars.

Mrs. Barton, of Chardon, is visiting here.

### **Perry**

Mr. Ida Worden Wilson, of Cleveland and her three daughters are guests of her father, Mr. John Worden.

Mrs. Solon Rand was at the farm on Friday.

Mr. E. Parker King, of your city, spent Monday with friends in Perry.

Mrs. J. F. Barrows, Don W. Barrows, and Grace Barrows, of Saginaw, Mich., are visiting Mrs. Barrows' mother, Mrs. Wyman.

Mr. Nelson Norton and D. B. Sinclair, took a drive over the hills into Geauga Co. Monday last.

Mrs. Anna Carothers and children are visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Wood.

### **Hampden**

Miss Frankie Thayer and Mrs. Austia Furguson, of Cleveland, attended church here Sunday.

Albert White has been repairing his barn.

E. L. Williams is driving a new McCormick reaper and binder.

Miss Addie Alvord, of Montville, spent part of last week with Mrs. E. L. Williams.

Mr. James Wedge is confined to his home with a sore foot caused by stepping on a nail.

Miss Anna Cutts, who has been sick so long, is failing.

Claude White is home from Kane, Pa.

Miss M. Atherton, who has been living with Mrs. Rogers, has gone to Willoughby to live.

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### Notice

Frank Thompson, "Old Frenchy," wished to inform the public that he has boat and bathing conveniences of all descriptions at Fairport, about one hundred yards to the east of the light house, and the old sailor will do his part to give his patrons all the pleasure and comfort there is at his disposal.

Mr. L. S. Couch can be found at Hennessy's old stand at the foot of Main street and is prepared to do horseshoeing in his usual perfect manner.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

##### Perry Township

Smith, Amelia M.

Baker, Cyrus H.

Davis, Wm. A.

Davis, Elsie A.

##### Willoughby Township

Warren, Rose E.

McIlrath, Amelia L.

Grant, Arletta S.

Grant, Charles W.

Bigg, Thomas P.

Bigg, Lillie F.

##### Madison Township

Kirk, Christy & Co.

Burgess, A. F.

##### Painesville Village Lands

Grant, Arletta S.

Bigg, Thomas P.

Bigg, Lillie F.

##### Painesville Village Lots

Gallagher, Mary J.

Johnson, Laura A.

##### Mentor Township

Dickey, Edward J.

Whitney, Edith T.

##### Willoughby Village

Wright, Charles W.

Cleveland, Grant T.

### Probate Court

Ohio vs Wm. Taylor – continued to Aug. 1

Ohio vs. Willie Sutton – continued to Aug. 1

Ohio vs. Mrs. K. Hertikke – continued to Aug. 1

Ohio vs John Turri – continued to Aug. 1

Estate of N. O. Lee – will filed and probated

Estate of Elbridge O. Warren – notice to compel executor to file account

In re minor child of Joe and Ida Martin – affidavit filed

Coolidge, Alice S. – first and final account

Crandall, Sarah L. – will probated

Dean, Mary F. – first and final account

Moseley, Mary M. – first and final account

Woodford, Wm. – first account

Robin, James B. – marriage license

Parsons, Emily – marriage license

Finnerman, Robert W. – marriage license

Donley, Lottie – marriage license

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Realty Title & Investment Co. vs. Alex Dow; foreclosure

Perfect Curtain Rod & Novelty Co. vs. George Poytosh

Wm. Scheingold, trustee vs William Empfield; money only

George L. Case vs William E. Huggins; foreclosure

Crocker Fertilizer & Chemical Co. vs. W. A. Corlett; money only.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of July 13:

#### Ladies

Bramley, Mrs. E.

Bunker, Miss Majorie

Craine, Mabel

Downing, Miss Jennie

Eckert, Miss Mattie

Hill, Mrs. Sarah

Louis, Mrs. Nellis

Morse, Miss Pauline

Sampson, Mrs. Melvina

Shafer, Mrs. Mary

Sprague, Mrs.

Thompson, Mrs. Vera

Ward, Mrs. Jennie

Wright, Mrs. Sadie

#### Gentlemen

Alvord, J.

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DeMills, Prof.  
Dispenso, Giuseppe  
Downer, Geo.  
Fowle, Herbert  
Franklin, M. E.  
Hall, G. F.  
Herrick & Sons  
Huffman, Wm.  
Hunver, Adof Aron  
Luellan, Forest  
Rose, Geo.  
Scott, S. C.  
Wallace, James  
Wood, N. F.

### Old Pioneers

Lorain Co. has been recently called upon to mourn the death of two distinguished men, the Hon. James Monroe and the Hon. Geo. W. Washburn. Mr. Washburn was born in Orange, Maine in 1821 and came to Ohio with his parents when he was eleven years old. At the age of 21 he entered Oberlin College for 4 years and then commenced the study of law and was admitted to the bar in 1848. He became a journalist and was connected with the press of Elyria for many years and only retired from editorial duties in 1883. For four years, he served in the legislature of Ohio. He leaves a wife and one married daughter, who resides in Fort Worth, Texas. When a young man, Mr. Washburn lived for a time in Lake Co. (then Geauga Co.) and went to school in Perry in 1832.

Mr. James Monroe died at his home in Oberlin, where for forty years he was identified with Oberlin College. Mr. Monroe represented for five terms the 14<sup>th</sup> district in Congress. For four years he was U. S. Consul at Rio Janeiro.

### Installation

Grand River Lodge No. 321 K. of P. installed the following officers Monday:

Warren, F. L.  
Herrick, G. D.  
Marquette, H. P.  
Proctor, W. A.

Sperry, C. S.  
Spaller, E. H.

### p. 4 Mentor

Mr. Bert Gulliford and family, of Cleveland, have been visiting with the family of his brother.

Mr. Brainard Hull was visiting here last week. He expects to be located in St. Louis, Mo., for the coming year.

Mr. E. P. Bauder and wife, of Cleveland, were recent visitors at the home of L. L. Cook.

Mrs. B. A. Smith is spending this week with her son and daughter in Cleveland.

Mrs. A. H. Mead and children have been spending the past week with her parents.

Miss Lottie Smith, of Waite Hill, was spending the Sabbath in this place.

Mr. Harmon Pinney and wife, of Iowa, have been visiting at the home of W. H. Shoemaker.

Miss Mary Patchen, of Chardon, is visiting with her relatives in this place.

Mrs. T. G. Hart is at home from a trip up the lakes.

Salida Beach summer resort at the northwest corner of Mentor township is attracting a little more attention this year. The hotel opens up with prospects of a good season.

### Thompson

Mr. & Mrs. Brown, of Trumbull, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. Chilson.

Mrs. Magargil, of Painesville, was during the past week, a guest of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Wilson.

Miss Georgia Wilson and friend of LeRoy spent the Fourth at Thompson.

Mr. & Mrs. Johnson and Mr. & Mrs. Foraker and wife spent a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. & Mrs. J. Ernst and returned to Meadville, Pa., Tuesday.

Miss Ida Nichols, of Trumbull, is assisting Mrs. Christopher Ernst.

Miss Rosina Knecht after a two-week visit with Mrs. Gottleib Keener and family returned to Cleveland.

Mr. C. J. Olds, publisher of the *Gaugua Leader*, was a guest at the home of Hon. E. J. Clapp.

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Mrs. L. A. Cole and daughter, Mary, of Painesville, were guests of Mrs. Coles' mother, Mrs. R. M. Garis.

Rev. N. E. Hulbert, of Troy, was a guest of his father, Mr. Frederick Hulbert.

Miss Nellie Dickerman has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at Burton and Parkman.

Mr. Charles Effner, of Cleveland, visited Hon. & Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

Mrs. C. F. Scott and children spent the past week with Painesville relatives.

Mayor H. O. Bostwick, of Chardon, called upon Thompson friends last week.

Mr. J. S. Tuttle has the measles.

Mr. Herbert Booth, of Madison, is engaged as a paper hanger in M. Crocker's new mansion.

Mr. Quirk, of Trumbull, is enlarging a barn for Eugene Bower.

Mrs. Lehigh, of Buffalo, recently called upon old time friends at this place. Mrs. Lehigh was at one time a Thompson girl and will be remembered as Miss Carrie Daniels.

Miss Belle Burt spent the past week caring for a sick sister-in-law living in Hartsgrove. This week, Miss Burt intends to visit her brother at Olean, N.Y.

Mr. & Mrs. R. M. Smith visited Chardon friends last Wed.

Mrs. F. C. Tuttle passed away last Tuesday after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Leonard Nye, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Master Hugh Sidley fell from the scaffold of a building being constructed. Mr. E. C. Sidley returned from Cleveland unaccompanied by his son, who was not in condition to be moved.

Mr. William Patchitt, one of our aged residents, was one week ago prostrated by the intense heat and was for several hours deprived of speech.

Mr. C. N. Cloes has accepted a position as a teacher in one of Chardon's schools.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mr. C. J. Richardson has his house finished that he was repairing.

The Salvation Army has bought a large tract of land north of Reynolds Station and are putting up ten or more cottages.

Mrs. R. A. Park is enjoying a long visit with her mother, Mrs. Long.

Mrs. Fred Brooks, who has been sick a long time, went to Cleveland to be operated on and died soon after.

Miss Ella Brown returned home from Golden, Colorado, where she has been a long time for her health.

Miss Angie Downing is able to be out again.

### **Concord**

Mr. & Mrs. George Corlett have been spending some time at the home of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Corlett.

Mrs. William Leuty, of Willoughby, is visiting her sons and daughters at the Leuty home in Concord.

Friends of Mrs. Gould, of Toledo, formerly Lida Manly of this town, are glad to welcome her daughter here and hope that her stay in Concord may be a very pleasant one.

Mrs. George Morse and son and Miss Jane E. Morse are spending some time with Concord relatives while the new home on Liberty street, Painesville, is being completed.

Miss McKinstry, of Lake Erie College, is with her friend Miss Margaret Murray, for a week or more.

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### **p. 1 A Narrow Escape**

While bathing in the lake Friday at Hemlock Grove in Perry, Brainard Hull of this place had a narrow escape from drowning. He was taken with cramps when out beyond his depth. Wilber Parks, of Madison, who happened to be present, went to rescue and saved him.

### **Death of Sextus Sloan**

It was a great surprise Thursday to Painesville people to learn of the death of Sextus Sloan, the well-known pension and real estate agent. He had been ailing for some time but decided to visit

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his old home in Greene, planning to stay a week or two. His landlady, Mrs. McCarthy, received a telegram announcing his death this morning and so far, little is known of the cause of his death.

### Wet Weather

News from Company M camped at Tampa, Florida. There are thousands of soldiers sitting in camp at Tampa with their feet in the mud. Every large cook tent in camp has blown down as the sand will not hold the guy-rope stakes. The flies in camp are terrible, the tops of the tents being black with them. The only way to sleep is to cover oneself entirely.

Installation of Officers of Cornucopia Lodge, No. 212, I.O.O.F.

Bartlett, E. B.  
Snedeker, Will  
Connell, D. J.  
Plaisted, C. E.  
Plummer, Albert  
Quirk, John  
Eaton, Geo. L.  
Malin, Walter E.  
Pitcher, H. L.  
Woodman, B. H.  
Lapham, Chas.

### p. 2 Thompson

Mrs. Waters and daughter, of Painesville, are visiting relatives and friends at this place and South Madison.

Charles Horn and sister, Mrs. Schendel, of Cleveland, will spend this week at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Gottleib Keener.

Mr. Leon Smith drove that new top buggy to Middlefield Friday.

Messrs. James Johnson and Charles Scott visited Grand River Lodge I.O.O.F. last week.

Mr. Rudolph Keener was on a load of hay when the horses started to run, and he was thrown to the ground, receiving only slight injuries.

George Scott is assisting his grandfather, Mr. Loveland, of South Madison, during the haying season.

Miss Carrie Smith is staying with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Miss Florence Johnson, of Toledo, is visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. D. A. Holcomb and daughter of Youngstown, were the guests during the past week of Mrs. J. P. Pomeroy, also called upon other former friends.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Tilley, of Ashtabula, spent the past week at their farm, the guests of Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy.

Mrs. Darius Wolcott spent the past week with Mrs. Frank Nye assisting in the care of Leonard Nye, who is still very ill.

Mrs. F. Benjamin, of South Madison, spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Pomeroy.

Mrs. Matilda Gilbreath has accepted a position as cook at one of the lakeside summer resorts. Mrs. Gilbreath enters upon her duties today.

Master Leon Keener is spending his vacation with his uncle, Mr. F. Keener, of Trumbull. Miss Sarah Quayle, who is attending school at Chardon, is spending vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle.

Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Crocker spent several days of the past week with relatives in Ashtabula.

Mrs. A. L. Cole and daughter returned last Wed. to their home at Painesville after a visit of ten days with Mrs. Coles' mother, Mrs. R. M. Garis.

Miss Lottie Leonard, of many years a missionary among the Utah Mormons, arrived last Saturday at the home of her mother, Mrs. F. M. Leonard, where she will spend her vacation.

Mr. Harry Pancost, electrician, of Orwell is putting the "hello machine" upon speaking terms with their neighbors.

Mr. & Mrs. R. Morrow, of Harts Grove, were guests last week of Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens.

Master Lloyd, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Tillotson, of Painesville, spent three or four days of the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. R. M. Garis, returning home last Saturday.

Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxie Cottam are assisting in the care of Mr. E. A. Thompson, of Trumbull, who is seriously ill.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Sidley entertained out-of-town guests Sat. and Sun.

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Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Loomis and sons, together with Mrs. A. L. Loomis, were in Painesville last Tuesday.

Mrs. Stockwell, of Painesville, was the guest last Wed. of Mr. & Mrs. E. G. Blakeslee.

### **Mentor**

Willis and Winnie Dunham have been visiting with the Comey family of Euclid Heights.

Mrs. S. Justus is spending this week with her sister on Waite Hill.

Mr. & Mrs. N. C. Frost and children are occupying their residence at Chautauqua Lake for a few weeks.

Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Allen, of Detroit, are guests at the residence of J. A. Cleveland.

Mr. Chas. Justus and daughter were spending Sunday at Akron, O.

Mrs. Imogene Gilmore, of Cleveland, was spending Sunday in this place.

Word was received last week of the death in St. Paul, Minn., of Mr. Holly Cleveland, only son of Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Cleveland of this place.

Miss Lavilla Sawyer has rented her house and will live with the family of her brother.

E. M. Green, of Orange, N. J., was in town over Sunday. He is on his return home from a two month visit at Battle Creek, Mich.

H. F. Brainard and daughter, of Harpersfield, have been visiting at the residence of M. Dickey.

Miss Florence Weed was given a birthday party last Thursday by twelve of her young friends, it being her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Miss May and her younger brother, of Detroit, Mich., have returned from a visit to Miss Sebble Butler and her parents.

William Logan and wife have returned to Pa. from a visit with B. Lowrey and family.

Mr. & Mrs. D. A. Crouner, of Wooster, have taken up their residence in Mentor. Mr. Crouner has been engaged as herdsman at Delhurst Farm.

### **Dock Road**

Mrs. Vashta Marsh is visiting in Cleveland for a short time.

Miss Ella Duke is spending a few weeks in Ashtabula, the guest of her friend, Miss Frankie Nettleton.

Mr. & Mrs. Warren Vrooman are rejoicing over the arrival of a little granddaughter at the home of their son, Arba Vrooman, in North Dakota.

Mr. Harry Carter, of Ashtabula, and J. B. Vrooman, of Painesville, are guests at Orange Grove Farm for a short time.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mr. Augustus Morrison's little boy was badly kicked by a horse Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Stockwell passed away after a long and painful illness. She leaves a husband and three children.

Mr. Oscar Reeve and family are here from San Jose, Cal., and will keep house in Mrs. Griswold's house through the summer.

### **Tallest Man in Chicago**

Joseph Blacisyewski of No. 681 West Seventeenth street, died the other day. He was seven feet eight inches tall and weighed but 125 pounds at the time of his death. He was said to be a veritable living skeleton. He was born in Poland 41 yrs. ago, and had lived in American 10 yrs.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

The funeral of Sextus Sloan occurred at the home of his mother in Greene, Trumbull Co., Friday.

Dr. Whitney, physician and surgeon, has opened an office on Main street over Rand & Hodges hardware store.

"Mascot" is the name of a new post office on the Dock Road in North Madison.

Pastor Burns, of this city, was called to officiate at the funeral of C. W. Asbrandt, of Cleveland, last Wed. Mr. Asbrandt was the man who jumped from the sixth story window during the fire on Erie street last Saturday. He made the windows for the Baptist Church and was intimate friend of Pastor Burns.

A runaway horse belonging to Mr. J. B. Whitney caused considerable excitement on State street, Friday evening.

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Lightning struck Dan McCool's house on Jefferson street Monday. The telephone wires were torn away and the corner of the house damaged slightly.

Lew Deming was arrested Thursday on the charge of intoxication.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Stiles, age 82 yrs., died Monday morning at the National Women's Relief Corps home in Madison. Mrs. Stiles was a spy in the Union Army throughout the Civil War.

Mr. Ralph Gregory is recovering for injuries received by being kicked by a horse recently.

### Sunday at Willoughbeach

A number of Painesville people attended the concert given by the Citizens' Band at Willoughbeach Park Sunday.

### Personals

Miss Martha Mullen has returned from a week's visit in the city.

Mr. James Pitcher, of Conneaut, was in town Monday on business.

Mr. Harley Barnes and family have gone to Lakeside to spend the summer.

Mr. E. S. Tillotson left for Indiana Monday to purchase a car load of cattle.

Miss Bessie Byal, of Findlay, is the guest of Miss Hattie Barker, of Bank street.

Mrs. Cora Yarick, of Toledo, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Fowler for a couple of weeks.

Edward Beck, of Cleveland, was visiting friends in Painesville.

Dr. W. P. Ellis, of Thompson, was registered at the new Cowles House Monday.

Gen. J. S. Casement and family are expected home from Costa Rica on Wed.

Constable Kirk Vanderlip, of Madison, was in town Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. J. J. Wood and son, Clarence, are visiting relatives in Geneva and Ashtabula.

Miss Klara Frank has gone to Titusville, Pa., to visit in the family of Mr. Julius Byles.

Mrs. L. A. Thorp is enjoying a trip up Lake Superior, the guest of Captain and Mrs. Reed.

Mr. James Kerr, of Chicago, is the guest of his sisters, the Misses Kerr, of Richmond street.

Mrs. C. W. Stocking and children returned Thursday from a ten-day visit in Ashtabula.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. House have left for a trip to Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. James A. Garfield, of Mentor, left Thursday to spend several weeks in New York City.

Rev. F. B. Avery and family are at Edward Brooks' farm on the Headlands for a short outing.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Alexander, of Marietta, have engaged rooms for the summer at The Parmly.

Mr. & Mrs. O. A. Gleason, of Chagrin Falls, are visiting B. F. Barnes, of Erie street and other relatives.

Mr. Brainard Hull, of South street has accepted a position with the Butler Bros., wholesale jewelers of St. Louis.

Miss Jennie Fuller, who has been in Tewksbury, Mass., for the past two years, acting as hospital nurse, has returned to Painesville.

Mr. W. C. Harrison has gone to Shelburn, Ont. for an outing. He will return in about a week accompanied by Mr. Geo. K. McLeod.

Miss Harietta Hardy left Thursday for Mayville, N.Y., where she will spend several weeks with friends and relatives.

Miss Helen Lowman returned home Monday from Conneaut where she has spent the week with relatives and friends.

Mr. John Cusic, Mr. Reno Doolittle and Mr. Harry Hubbard, of South Painesville, spent Sunday at the Little Mountain with friends.

A LeGrand Cole has just returned from a six-week trip to Chicago where he has been taking instruction in music under Prof. T. S. Bergey.

Mr. C. E. Vesey, of the firm of Downs & Co., returned Friday from Bristol, Trumbull Co., where he has been for the benefit of his health.

Rev. H. C. Haydn, formerly pastor of the Congregational Church of this place, but now occupying the pulpit of the Old Stone Church in Cleveland, with his family is in camp at the Headlands.

Prof. & Mrs. F. H. Kendall returned Sat. from the southern part of the State where they visited on

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their return from the meeting of the National Educational Assoc. at Washington.

Mr. & Mrs. B. E. Chesney and infant son and Miss Janette Shaner, of New Castle, Pa., Mr. & Mrs. J. B. McDougal and infant son, of Peoria, Ill., are guests at the Gray homestead on the Park.

Mrs. John S. Adair, Little Mary and Baby Ruth, of Wooster, O., arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Goldsmith, on Mentor Ave., July 8<sup>th</sup>, where they will remain one month or more.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Reinhart, of New Castle, Pa., are guests of Mr. & Mrs. Milburn, of North St. Clair street for a few days. Mr. Reinhart is a conductor on the Pennsylvania lines.

Mr. & Mrs. Freshwater left Monday to spend a few days at New Philadelphia, the home of Mrs. Freshwater.

The following out-of-town people attended the funeral of Field D. Warner Tuesday:

Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Warner, of Marion, Ind.

Mrs. Harry Sweezey, of Marion, Ind.

Mrs. Eliza Field Quiggle, of West Salem, Wis.

Mrs. L. L. Boyle and daughter, of Chicago

### **Of Cleveland:**

Mr. W. B. Warner and son

Mr. & Mrs. D. W. Aylworth

C. W. Field

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Treat

Mr. & Mrs. J. McCaslin

Mr. & Mrs. Pard B. Smith

Mr. G. Nash

Mr. Weston Eddy

Mrs. Perry Hathaway

Mr. Silo Warriner, of Chardon

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Hathaway, of Claridon

Mr. & Mrs. Allie Stockham, of Hampden

### **Died Suddenly**

Mrs. Jacques, wife of Dr. E. F. Jacques, died suddenly at her late home at the age of 40 yrs. She had been ill for some time; the cause of death was spinal meningitis. The remains were taken to her former home in Middlefield for burial.

A man named, George Osborn, who says that he formerly lived in Geauga Co., lost two fingers when he tried to grab his hat off the railroad track; the engine ran them over.

### **Death of Frank M. Wedge**

Frank M. Wedge, another of Painesville's veterans of the civil war, passed from this life to a better one. He has been in poor health for nearly a year. Mr. Wedge has been a life-long resident of Lake Co., and of Painesville for 20 yrs. He served nearly three years in the Civil War. Besides a wife, the deceased leaves a son and daughter, Mr. F. D. Wedge and Mrs. Robt. Jackson. The funeral occurred from his late home on Casement Ave. Tuesday.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Painesville Township**

Luck, Ellen M.

Lyman, Charles A.

Johnson, Laura A.

Gallagher, Mary J.

Gallagher, Neil

#### **Kirtland Township**

Moore, Edward W.

Moore, Louisa C.

#### **Mentor Village**

Moore, Edward W.

Moore, Louisa C.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Durand, C. W.

Gage, John W.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Thomas, Robert

Thomas, Ellen

#### **Willoughby Village**

Slee, A. M.

Marnar, John

Thomas, Robert

Thomas, Ellen

#### **Probate Court**

Lilly, Orissa – final account

Elliott, George – guardianship – final account

Traver, Mary E. – second account

Hoag, Ellen L. – probate of will

Orton, Fred – first account



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Aubrey, John – marriage license  
Davies, Lizzie M. – marriage license  
White, Nettie R. – guardianship, inventory filed  
White, Ada B. – inventory filed  
Morley, Lucy M. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Ainstin, John M. – marriage license  
Smead, Rachel H. – marriage license

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Cora A. Jackson vs Willie L. Jackson – alimony and custody of children

### Nuptials

A pleasant wedding occurred last Wed. at the home of David J. Davies on West Jackson street. Mr. John Aubrey, of Youngstown, and Miss Lizzie M. Davies, the daughter of the host. Richard Aubrey, brother of the groom, and Miss Mary Lamb, of Youngstown, acted as best friends. The couple will live in Youngstown.

Resolutions of respect are printed for Mrs. Jennie A. Brooks, deceased.

### Perry

Miss Malinda Stephens, of Pa., is spending some time with her brother, Newton, and sister, Lydia.

Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Wyman, of Connellsville, Pa., arrived in town on Tuesday, where they will remain a couple of weeks with their mother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

Our former townsman, Harry Carter, of Ashtabula, was visiting his many friends in town last week. He is recently back from visiting a cousin in Detroit whom he had not met for 60 yrs.

Mrs. Ira Durfee and daughter, of New Castle, Pa., are visiting Mr. & Mrs. Horace Norton.

Miss May Moodey, Katherine Warren, Helen Harrington, and Carrie Miller spent a pleasant hour with their friend, Grace Barrows, on Saturday.

Mrs. Horace Norton has returned from a pleasant visit with her son and daughter at Lansing.

Mrs. W. A. Wheeler has been spending a month with friends in Michigan.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of July 20:

#### Ladies

Spafford, Vera

#### Gentlemen

Lynch, J. L.

Pitzer, Watson

Russell, B. J.

### Mentor Headlands

Miss Mary Schwind, of Cleveland, is spending a portion of her vacation at her father's residence, Mr. Charles Schwind.

Mr. Harry Moodey, Joseph King, Percy Tinan and two other young gentlemen are camping at Maple Wood Camp.

Mr. Dake, of the law firm of Burton & Dake, of Cleveland, and family are summer boarders of Mr. E. W. and Mrs. Brooks, of Breezy Hill residence.

Eliza A. Lee and Will G. Lee are executors of N. O. Lee, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

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### p. 1 In Memory of Sextus Sloan

The brothers and sisters of the Eastern Star Lodge print resolutions of respect for their departed member, Sextus Sloan.

Resolutions of respect are printed by Painesville Lodge, No. 110, I. O. G. T. for member Sextus Sloan, deceased.

### Death of Mrs. Charles Kleeberger

Mrs. Charles Kleeberger, age 39 yrs., died last evening at the family home on High street, after an illness of 15 weeks. She leaves a husband, and two children, son and daughter, age 11 and 13 yrs. respectively.

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### Mentor

Mr. Will Hopkins and his wife of the city have been visiting with his parents.

Miss Minnie Shearer, of Bay City, Mich., is spending a few weeks with her relatives in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Hamilton, of Pa., have been visiting at the residence of Mr. Benton. Mr. & Mrs. Hennings were spending time with friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. J. A. Garfield and Harry Garfield and family are spending some time in the East.

Mr. Fred Greer, of Cleveland, has been spending several days with his mother.

Mr. Frank Warner, of Cleveland, was spending Sunday with his father.

Miss Evalyn Smith accompanied by her friend, Miss Inez Liggitt of Ghent, left Monday for a trip through Georgian Bay.

Mrs. Holly Cleveland and sister of Montana, are at the residence of H. E. Cleveland.

A small fire occurred on Jackson street last week. The barn on the Dunham farm occupied by David Woodford was destroyed with wheat and five tons of hay.

The remains of Mr. Holly Cleveland were brought here from Montana for interment. Short services were held at the home of his parents Monday afternoon.

Mr. B. Buckley has announced to the public that he has located in Mentor and will operate a general repair shop for watches, clocks, jewelry, musical instruments, etc.

### Thompson

Mrs. Emily Talcott is spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan.

Miss Clara Hausch will teach school at Montville this fall. Miss Kittie Sullivan will teach at Calm.

Mrs. Cooper and daughter, together with Mrs. Brooks, of Saybrook, were recent visitors at this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Miller, of Montville, were guests last Friday of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. W. B. Keener and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle were guests last week of their sons, Drs. C. H. and John Quayle, of Madison.

Mrs. J. C. Scott and daughter, Elna, left last Sat. for a visit of one week with relatives at Willoughby.

Mrs. Lucinda Shepard spent the last two weeks with relatives at Geneva and Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. Gottlieb Keener, together with their Cleveland visitors and Mrs. Woodin and daughter, spent last Thursday at Sturgeon Point.

Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens, accompanied by Dr. & Mrs. John Quayle, of Madison, enjoyed an outing at the lake recently.

Mr. Fitzgerald, of Hartsgrrove, was last week the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. Sidley and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Pomeroy were guests last Sat. of Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Pomeroy, Concord.

Charles S. Beetham, of Scio College, arrived last Sat. at the home of his parents, Rev. & Mrs. J. Beetham.

Charles Horn and gentleman friend, of Cleveland, returned to their homes on their wheels last Friday.

D. Sanford, who has been engaged at mason work at Geneva, returned last week to remain through haying and harvesting.

Mr. Quirk, who is engaged at carpenter work for Eugene Bower, spent Sat. and Sun. at his home in Rock Creek.

Mrs. E. Benjamin, of South Madison, is spending the greater part of her time at the bedside of her brother, L. Nye.

Master Leon Keener, who was spending his vacation in Trumbull, returned home last week seriously ill. It is thought he was affected by the intense heat.

Miss Marie Stevenson, of Cleveland, is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Hungerford married Mr. B. Nighman, of LeRoy at the home of Mr. Hungerford.

Mr. & Mrs. Anderson, of Geneva, were guests over Sunday of Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

### p. 2 A Victim of Appendicitis

Ray W. Wilson, member of the firm of S. V. Wilson & Son, of Willoughby, died Tuesday at his home after a short, but severe suffering of ten

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days from appendicitis. Friday afternoon, he underwent an operation. He was a prominent Mason and a member of the Knights of Pythias. Besides his parents, he leaves a brother and sister.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Griswold, E. B.

Dewey, Amandas

##### **Painesville Township**

Brick, Francis M.

Davie, Wilbur H.

Davis, Sarah J.

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Johnson, Joseph

Radcliffe, Lydia A.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Murray, F. H.

##### **Kirtland Township**

Ross, Frank

Ross, Anna L.

Kleindienst, Carl;

Kleindienst, Fransiska

##### **Willoughby Township**

Thomas, Robert

Thomas, Ellen

Hardaker, Laurretta

Grant, Charles H.

##### **Willoughby Village**

Slee, A. M.

Warnar, John

Thomas, Robert

Thomas, Ellen

### **Probate Court**

Carrel, Frederick – order and report of sale

Elliott, George – guardianship; H. J. Randall appointed guardian

Lee, N. O. – inventory and appraisal filed

Paige Mfg. Co. – assignment, application for order of re-appraisal

Taylor, Mary – guardianship; inventory filed

Ferguson, Kezia – will filed

Thompson, Julia A. – first account

Wright, J. M. – Chas. H. Wright appointed adm.

Finneran, Mattie – guardianship; first and final account

Finneran, Carrie – guardianship; first and final account

Randall, Alta - guardianship; first account

Randall, Francis - guardianship; first account

Hoag, Ellen L. – will probated

Momin, John – H. J. Randall appointed adm.

Momin, Louisa – H. J. Randall, appointed adm.

Towell, Patrick H. – inventory and appraisal filed

Crocker, Ella J. – first and final account

Penfield, J. W. – election of widow to will

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Emma A. Morse vs W. S. Stacy – to revive judgment and relief

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of July 27:

#### **Ladies**

Cook, Mrs. Agustas

Dunn, Miss Alice

Jane, Mrs. Milton

Miller, Mrs. E. K.

Payne, Mrs. S. E.

Swaim Mrs. Jennie

#### **Gentlemen**

Bunton, F. D.

Enton, Jim

Judson, J. L.

Morris, J. W.

Marsette, Elmer

Smith, John S.

Wier, Herman

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

The Mosher family reunion will be held in the Boyd Grove, Perry, O., Wed., Aug. 31.

Gus Leumoni, a Finn, was arrested Monday on the charge of intoxication.

A complete home to rent to a family with no children. Bathroom, furnace and all modern conveniences. W. F. Smith

Mrs. Martin, who was arrested some time ago for stealing from Liberty street yards, was

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released from the county jail Monday after the fine had been paid by her husband.

Sergt. A. H. Turner, Co. E, 18 Regt., Pennsylvania Volunteers, was in town Tuesday en route from camp at Fort Brady, Mich., to his home in Pittsburgh to bid his parents goodbye. He has a week's leave of absence.

W. H. Corning and a party of fourteen came down from Cleveland Sunday on M. A. Hanna's private car and dined at The Parmly.

Sunday, *The Plain Dealer*, had a drawing of the battleship "Iowa" done by Howard Wetherbee, age 13 yrs., of Painesville.

Lightning struck R. J. Brakeman's barn Monday and killed his horse.

William Beverly, an employee of the basket factory, crushed his hand Monday morning between rollers.

A cinder platform will soon take the place of the wooden one now in use at the Nickel Plate station. The new platform will be raised to about eight inches above the rails.

Grant Bowhall and Dave Cole engaged in a little altercation on Main street Sat. night which resulted in a knock-down fight. They were separated before arrests were made.

Lightning struck a pile of kindling wood in the rear of John Robinson's residence on State street Monday. A garden hose and a few people and the rain soon put out the fire.

Ed Howard, of Colebrook, an employee in a mill at Burton, was killed while trying to board conductor Waldron's train at East Claridon, Sunday. He missed his footing and fell under the wheels. The body was horribly mangled; both limbs being cut off and his skull fractured.

Eighteen young men from Pittsburgh arrived Monday on the Conneaut accommodation. They belong to a club for camp life named "The All Sorts Hunting and Fishing Club." They expect to remain in camp on Grand River, near Mr. Hine's, about two weeks.

W. L. Baker is drilling for gas on his Bank street property.

Coe & Wilkes are shipping a fine new veneering machine to New York to be exported to Glasgow, Scotland.

Mr. C. F. Blackmon has purchased the house owned by W. F. Smith and now occupied by F. W. Littlejohn.

Will Jones stepped on a ten-penny nail on Thursday that went through his boot and made an ugly wound.

Chas. Ticknor, of North Madison, lost a horse and colt Wed. They were struck by lightning while in the pasture.

A Finn child was run over by a Painesville cyclist at Fairport Thursday. The rider was thrown from his wheel and received several injuries.

A team belonging to Fred Rand, of North Madison, while hitched to a binder, ran away Thursday. It ran through a young peach orchard cutting down a number of trees.

Geo. Murray's little child, of Concord received a bad injury while swinging in the hammock the other day. Somehow, she was thrown out and a hook in the hammock caught in her mouth and inflicted an ugly wound.

Steam power brick machinery for the David Mullen brick yard on the West Side has been shipped by the Horton Mfg. Co., of Painesville. *Warren Chronicle*

The Geneva Cycle Co. during the past year manufactured nearly 11,000 bicycles.

Band concerts are now given every Sunday at Willoughbeach.

### **The Death of Mrs. Chas. A. Kleeberger**

Mrs. Kleeberger, wife of Rev. Chas. A. Kleeberger, died at their home in this village on the 20<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Kleeberger, who was Miss Anna M. Hayden, was a daughter of Prof. W. S. Hayden and was married on May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1884. Her husband then being pastor of the Disciple Church, at Chagrin Falls, Ohio. She has resided much of the time since 1891, in Painesville. She has been a faithful nurse to her husband, who is a great sufferer from nervous prostrations. She died at the age of 39, leaving besides her husband, a little girl of 13, and Bruce, a boy of 11.

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### Little Mountain

The Ladies' Aid Society at Little Mountain held a lawn fete at the residence of Adam Carver on July 22.

Mrs. Dr. R. S. Lord, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Reynolds. She recently received a visit from her cousin, Mrs. Mary Pierson, of Kirtland.

Harmon Tinney and wife, of Iowa, who have been visiting relatives and friends at Little Mountain and vicinity are about to leave for home.

The golden wedding of D. C. Manchester and wife, which is to occur on July 29, will likely secure a large attendance of relatives and neighbors.

### Personals

Mr. Geo. Stumm spent Sunday in Montville.

G. H. Ford, of Burton, was in town Sunday night.

Mrs. Axtell Byles, of Titusville, Pa., is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Harry C. Nye was the guest of his parents in Montville over Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Blackmon and children have gone to Fremont, Neb., to visit relatives.

Miss Flossie Littlejohn left Sunday for Chester, where she will make a short visit.

Miss Helen McCormick, of Niles, is the guest at the home of Mr. F. W. Littlejohn.

Mr. J. H. King left Thursday for Mexico City; to be gone three weeks. Dr. O. Pomeroy left Tuesday for a two-week outing at Mackinaw.

Miss Blanche Nichols, of Battle Creek, Mich., is visiting at Mrs. John McMackin's.

Dr. Lee and wife, of Burton, are guests of Mr. Clark Williams' family, of Washington street.

Miss Nellie Murphy, of Cleveland, is spending the week with Mrs. A. B. Miltner, of South street.

Mr. Richard Lapham has returned from two weeks in Buffalo.

Mrs. Mary R. Deal and daughter, Helen, of Chicago, Ill., are guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Harrington.

Miss Marion Barkalow, of the Nickel Plate freight office, is vacationing at the lake.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. C. Paige have gone to Penetang, on Georgian Bay., where they will spend several weeks.

Lieut. H. H. Burrows accompanied by his wife is visiting his brother, Judge J. B. Burrows for a short time.

Mrs. Mary Booth left for Lilly Dale, N.Y., where she will spend the summer with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Blakeslee, of Ashtabula, is the guest of Mrs. Wynne S. Smith, of Richmond street, for a few days.

Miss Ruby Severance left for Jefferson to be the guest of Miss Mattie Daniel for a couple of weeks.

Miss Mary Brick of the post office is taking her vacation this week.

Mrs. J. H. Wright, Mrs. Baldwin and daughter and Mrs. Jury, of Cleveland, were guests of Mrs. E. H. Gibbons, Monday.

Miss Maude and Master Freddie Rogers have returned after a week in Montville with their friend, Blain Hitt.

Mrs. Lola R. Shaw, of Canton, accompanied by her children, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. E. Riker, of South St. Clair street.

Miss Mary C. Welch, of Rochester, N.Y., is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Richard Welch, of the Nursery.

Mr. Trevor P. Jones left Monday for Buffalo and Toronto. He expects to make the return trip by wheel.

Miss Maud and Mary Anderson returned Thursday from Blairsville, Pa., where they have been for several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. A. LeGrande Cole with his family left for Chautauqua Monday to be gone a few weeks. Mr. Cole while there will continue his study in music.

Dr. M. H. Carmedy returned Sat. from London, Eng., where he has been in Guy's Hospital for the past three months studying medicine and surgery. He will resume practice here next Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Frisbie, of Bank street, recently returned from visiting relatives in Connecticut. While there, she rode over 200 miles

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through the country. She is today celebrating her 81<sup>st</sup> birthday.

### A Brutal Fight

Marshal Connell was called to Prospect street Monday to the scene of one of the most brutal fights he has ever witnessed. John Cane and Wm. Eckline were the participants. Cane was arrested. This is the second time Cane has been in police court; the other time he assaulted and attempted to stab Officer Creedon.

### Still at Tampa

News from Company M as of July 21, 1898.

We are still camped in this God-forsaken swamp hole. Tells how the men pack up and make their blanket rolls. Next day – We are packing and expect to start for Fernandina, Fla. within the hour.

### Champion Shot of the World

Miss Annie Oakley writes: “Myself and many of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Co. have given Allen’s Foot-East the powder to shake into the shoes, a most through trial, and it does all it if not more than you claim.”

### South Thompson

Mrs. S. Covill visited her son in LeRoy last Thursday.

Miss Susie Strong and a friend from Geneva are rustivating a few weeks at Mr. Burroughs.

Mr. Clark returned from his western trip last Friday.

Misses Sadie and Lynn Bradley are visiting relatives in Columbus and Grandville.

Mrs. Lizzie Tucker is at home now for a few weeks.

It is reported that Roll Stevens has sold out to Cleveland, parties.

The 15<sup>th</sup> annual reunion of the Whitney family will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. John Morse, Aug. 11.

Mr. & Mrs. A. F. Gretton and children, Mrs. Clark and children picnicked at the lake last Wed.

Mrs. Sticks, of Cleveland, is a guest at Mr. Shimermans’.

Mrs. Maud Fales spent several days with a sister at Hartsgrove last week.

Bert Allen, a young man from this vicinity, has been adjudged insane and taken to Newburgh.

Miss Lizzie Cashen visited relatives in East Montville last week.

Mrs. Lucinda Courtney and children are visiting friends at Berlin Center.

Miss Allie Bean, of Hartsgrove, is a guest at her grandfather Fales’.

### p. 4 Stark Co. Treasurer Died

Canton – County Treasurer Jacob Geib died at his home in Louisville, Monday. He died of Bright’s disease.

The Cleveland Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has forwarded a check to the secretary of war for \$1,000 to be added to the national war fund for the purchase of supplies for the soldiers in the field.

### Tried to Suicide

Akron – July 26 John Shook, a resident of South Akron, held a revolver against his stomach Sunday night and pulled the trigger. The wound will probably prove fatal. Domestic troubles were the cause.

### Two Men Drowned

Put-In-Bay, July 26 the yacht, Clipper, of Toledo, capsized in a squall here Monday and William Arbuckle and Marcus Battelle were drowned.

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### p. 1 Company M Encamped on Sand Dunes at Fernandina

Fernandina is situated on Amelia Island, which is divided from the main land by Amelia river and bay and is washed by the Atlantic Ocean on the east. The tents are pitched on a series of ridges of ocean sand. At Tampa there were millions of flies and armies of mosquitos. Here there are millions of mosquitos and few flies. It is said that stock cannot live on this coast due to the mosquito pests.

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### Thompson

Mrs. Emily Talcott has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. Fowler, of Morgan.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Green, of North East LeRoy, together with Mrs. O. S. King, of Painesville, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. George Bingham.

Mrs. Ralston, of Pa., arrived last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathew, of South Madison.

Miss Avis Miller, of Painesville, spent Sat. and Sun. at the home of Hon. E. J. Clapp and W. J. Morehouse.

Miss Grace Blanchard, of Erie, Pa. is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. F. M. Leonard, and auntie, Alice Stocking.

A. Talcott, wife and son were guests of Mrs. E. Talcott over Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Scott and daughter returned from a visit to friends in Willoughby.

E. Jewell is in New York on business.

Miss Jessie Magnum, after a long visit with the family of her uncle, G. Bingham, and Miss Nellie Dickerman, returned to her home in Cleveland.

Melvin Keener, wife and daughter, of Perry, visited relatives last week at this place and Trumbull.

Miss Clara Hausch will attend Teachers' Institute to be held at Burton in the near future.

Mr. Reuben Beetham has joined his brother, Charles, at the home of their parents, Rev. & Mrs. J. Beetham.

Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam visited Chardon friends last week.

Master Arlie McLean, of Painesville, is a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Davis and Miss Kate McLean.

Dr. John Quayle, of Madison, was called Saturday and again last evening to counsel with W. P. Ellis in the case of Mr. Elihu Stevens.

Mr. & Mrs. O. Jewell visited friends at Madison last Friday.

Mrs. Clayton Dewey, of South Madison accompanied by her mother, Mrs. G. Keener, called upon friends at Calm last Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Wilson recently visited at Calm.

N. F. Moseley is making extensive improvements in his residence.

A. Z. Olds had to stop work about a week ago due to threatened pneumonia; he is recovered enough to resume work today.

Mrs. Frank Garis is still very poorly. Miss Jennie Murphy, of Madison, is staying with Mrs. Garis.

Mrs. Newton Malin and Mrs. A. Wilson are reported as being very ill. Mrs. Austin Walber is kindly caring for Mrs. Malin's youngest child.

C. C. Warren, of East LeRoy, placed his infant daughter in charge of Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Bower, of Trumbull. Mr. Warren is most fortunate in securing so good a home for his child.

Mrs. A. O. Ford and daughter, of Painesville, returned home last Thursday after visiting relatives here for two weeks.

Miss Lottie Leonard, after a pleasant visit of two weeks with her mother, Mrs. F. M. Leonard, and sister, Mrs. A. M. Stocking, left last Thursday for Madison, Ind., where she will visit friends before returning to her labors among the Mormons of Utah.

Rev. J. Beetham will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. C. M. Hollett, of Chardon.

Mrs. Amelia Flahavan, of Montville, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Cottam, will spend this week with Miss Rose Sidley.

Leonard Nye, age 20 yrs. and 9 mos., one of Thompson's most prominent and highly respected young men, died last Monday at the home of his parents.

Elihu Stevens has been dangerously ill for the past three days.

Mrs. Rachel Keener, of Trumbull, who has been visiting her daughters at Fort Wayne, Ind., and Chicago Junction for three weeks, returned last Thursday accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Maggie Rappold, of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Rosetta Myers and son, of Chicago Junction, Ind. Mrs. Myers will remain for ten days with her mother and other relatives.

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### **Police Court News**

James Ward and John Mack were arrested Sunday by Marshal Connell on the charge of intoxication. Francis Gray was arrested Sat. night on the same charge.

Marshall Connell arrested Andrew Kleuth Monday on a warrant issued by Justice Ward on a complaint of Clyde Collier. Collier alleged that he received a severe horse whipping from Kleuth. That latter pleaded guilty.

A horse and buggy were stolen from the farm of Samuel R. Tittle, four miles southwest of Bellevue, O.

### **South Kirtland**

The Misses Elenore and Ethel Goodwin, of Des Moines, Ia., nieces of Mrs. Mary G. Williams, are spending a little time with the Williams family on their return home from the Buffalo Baptist Convention.

D. K. Gilmore, wife and son are spending a few days at the former home of the wife.

### **Little Mountain**

Mr. & Mrs. D. C. Manchester celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in connection with the Manchester reunion. Mentioned: Mrs. Emma Haskell, of Madison; Miss Ethel May Haskell.

### **Mentor**

A son to Mr. & Mrs. Loomis at Delhurst Farm.

A daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Maloney.

A son to Mr. & Mrs. Royer.

The annual reunion of the Luse family will be held in Chagrin Falls on Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Sarah Green, of Duluth, Minn., has been visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Ida Rexford is at home from a visit in New London, O.

Mrs. Helen Loomis Hayward, of Cleveland, has been visiting her old friends in town.

Misses Nellie and Mary Rexford are attending the Christian Alliance meetings at Beulah Park.

Mr. & Mrs. E. N. Saunders and three daughters and Mrs. M. L. Saunders and two children of St.

Paul, Minn., and A. C. Saunders and family, of Cleveland, were last week guests at the residence of G. L. Ingersoll, and one day enjoyed a hay rack ride to the lake.

Miss Carrie Dunham, of Oberlin, has been visiting at the home of her brother.

Mrs. T. G. Hart is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Simpson, of Vermillion.

Mrs. Jessie Doty Phillips, of Cleveland, was spending part of last week in town.

Mrs. Amanda Tinker and Misses Louise and Sophia Whittemore, of Toledo, visited Mrs. T. C. Radcliffe last week.

Mr. Elliott Luse, of Orange, and Mrs. Hattie Hinman, of Windom, O., were visitors at the residence of L. H. Luse last week.

There was a fire at the home of Mr. W. J. Spaulding on Tuesday morning. In a short time, a large number of neighbors put out the fire after considerable damage was done to the rear of the house and the whole house injured by smoke. Mr. Spaulding was in Medina at the time but hastened home with all possible dispatch.

### **Officers elected by the I.O.G.T. last week:**

Mrs. E. Burrige

Mrs. L. H. Luse

Mrs. S. L. Curtiss

Mrs. James Glazier

Russell Brichford

Dr. L. H. Luse

Miss Laura Duer

Mrs. Lizzie Gilbert

Theodore Stali

Miss F. Weed

Ludwig Ferix

### **Hampden**

A. J. Richards was in Auburn last week.

H. E. Rogers is on the sick list.

Miss Anna Williams, of Montville, spent a part of last week with Miss Mattie Williams.

Miss Rena Jackson died at her home in Hampden July 28th.

Miss Laura Chamberlain came home from Rockport Sat.

Mrs. R. N. Sumner is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Williams, a few days.

Mrs. E. G. Bascomb, of Wickliffe, was a guest of Mrs. Bidwell Sunday.



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Mrs. Mary Russell and son, of Mayfield, and Miss Hattie Gardner attended church here Sunday.

Alpha Thayer, wife and mother of your city, were called here Sat. to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rena Jackson.

### **Dock Road**

P. E. Kimmey and family spent Sunday in Trumbull. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Nola Reigert.

Mrs. D. Barber, of Painesville, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Warren Vrooman, for a few days.

The Pierce reunion was held July 30 at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Pierce, when all their children and grandchildren, but a few, were present. Those from abroad were:

Mrs. Minnie Woolsey and children, of Akron  
Mrs. Grace Lazelle and little son, of Columbus  
Mr. Harry Pierce and family, of Geneva  
Mr. & Mrs. Silas Pierce, of Unionville  
Mrs. John Forbes and family, of Unionville  
Mr. Charles Darrow and family, of Unionville

### **Geneva**

J. H. Severance, of Painesville, was in town recently on business.

W. E. Proctor and wife were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. Thad Mills.

Mrs. J. J. Wood and son are guests of Geneva relatives.

O. E. Pancost is home for a short time.

Miss Clara Lum, of Cleveland, who has been the guest of relatives and friends for several weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. W. W. West, of Chardon, is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. George McBride for a few weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. Ben. Bennett, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. McBride, Mrs. W. W. West, and Mrs. Claudie Hubbard, attended the Williams-Cady wedding Wed. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Oscar Cady, of Madison.

Mr. George Morse and two grandchildren, Miss Grace Kurtz and Master Gaylord Kurtz, of 6<sup>th</sup>

Ave., Cleveland, are visiting Mr. Morse's daughter, Mrs. Luzern Bedell.

Mr. Jonathan Lockwood died July 21<sup>st</sup>, after a long and severe illness of four years. The funeral was held at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. D. Myers, July 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Mrs. Mary F. Fitch, celebrated her 85<sup>th</sup> birthday July 20. Mrs. Fitch is the mother of Mrs. L. H. Higley, of Grant street. Mrs. Fitch is an old and highly esteemed resident of Geneva.

Miss Edith M. Thomas, of New York, formerly of Geneva, is spending the summer in Geneva.

The friends of Capt. W. H. H. Crowell, of the 6<sup>th</sup> U.S.S.I, who was engaged in one of the hottest attacks on Santiago, are much rejoiced to hear that he is well and unharmed.

Major J. P. Woodworth sends good reports of the "boys" of Co. E, 5<sup>th</sup> regiment.

**p. 2** Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 3:

#### **Ladies**

Daniels, Mattie  
Ferm, Miss Louise C.  
Hills, Mrs. F. F.  
Jones, Katie C.  
McLalin, Mrs. Emily

#### **Gentlemen**

Brooks, A. E.  
Crame, L. R.  
Radcliffe, A. R.

#### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

George E. Waldo, age 56 yrs., of Hoyt street, who was very low Monday, died this morning.

The annual reunion of the Palmer families will be held at the home of Mr. R. F. Downen on Mentor Ave., Aug. 6.

D. F. Metcalf, of Ashtabula Harbor, was thrown from a bicycle on Friday and received two broken ribs and other injuries.

A Finn by the name of Esterka was wounded at Fairport Monday. A heavy boom fell striking him. He died Monday afternoon.

Jacob Prany, a Finn living at Ashtabula, stabbed and killed one of his countrymen by the name of Erika Lehto on Friday. He is the county jail at Jefferson.

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P. W. Furlong, age 50 yrs. foreman of the car department of the P. & E. Railway, died Sat. at his home on Nebraska street. The remains were taken to Freeport, Pa. Monday.

Dr. Carmedy has occupied the rooms over Searls' grocery store, formerly used by Sextus Sloan.

Private Willard A. Farmer, of Geneva, a member of Co. E. has been discharged for disability.

Ashtabula Co. people now living in Cleveland, will picnic at Euclid Beach Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>. About 1,000 people are expected to attend.

Married July 29, at the Congregational Parsonage, B. F. Ruggles and Mrs. Jane Tillotson.

### **From Santiago**

Dr. Phillips and Mrs. Beman, who have been in great suspense and anxious to hear from their younger brother, Fred G. Phillips, who was in the thickest of the fight at the battle at Santiago on July 1 and 2, were very much pleased Monday to get a letter from him written July 15<sup>th</sup>. It was cross-written with a lead pencil over a letter he has just received from Mrs. Beman and sent back in the same envelope, marked "Soldier's Letter," sewed up with a thread and without a stamp. He formerly played with the Citizen's Band of this place and enlisted as a trumpeter in the 7<sup>th</sup> U.S. Inf. Extracts from his letter are printed.

### **Badly Injured**

While Mr. C. H. Frank, cashier of the Painesville National Bank, was driving his family down the hill near Storrs & Harrison's nursery Monday, the harness broke and the buggy forced upon the horse's heels. Mr. Frank leaned from the buggy to catch the front wheel to prevent the buggy from overturning, but in doing so was thrown under the wheel severely injuring his right hip and leg and cutting him badly about the face and head.

### **Card of Thanks**

Mrs. F. M. Wedge and family, F. D. Wedge and Mr. & Mrs. Robt. Jackson, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all for their

kindness during the sickness and death of their husband and father, Frank M. Wedge.

### **Personals**

Miss Lillie White is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Fowler, of Liberty street.

Mrs. Chas. Fowler and son, Glen, have returned to their home, after a week's visit with her parents.

Mr. G. E. Tenner, general superintendent of the Pittsburgh & Northwestern Dock Co., registered at The Parmly Monday.

Messrs. Will and Harry Schwarm, of Saginaw, Mich., Dr. Burrows, and Miss Margaret Williams, of Cleveland, who were the guests of Miss Jessie Jones at the Headlands, have returned home.

Mr. & Mrs. O. S. Barnes returned Sunday from a week at Lakeside, Ohio.

Geo. K. McLeod and W. C. Harrison have returned from a fishing trip at Georgian Bay, Canada.

Mrs. M. E. Tanswell and children, of Wood street, have returned from a two week visit to Chardon.

Miss Daisy Davis left Sunday for her home in New Butler, Pa., where she expects to spend five weeks with relatives.

Miss Theodocia Griswold, of Hart, Mich., is spending a short time with her uncle and aunt, Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Britton, East Erie street.

Miss Louise Malin left last Wed. for a visit in Washington, D. C., by way of New York City.

Mr. F. E. Ferris left Friday for Minden City, Mich., for a month's visit.

Mr. Cortlandt Barker, of McComb, O., is the guest of his father, Mr. F. M. Barker, of Bank street.

Dr. M. H. Carmedy was called to Middlefield Sat. to perform an operation.

Mrs. E. M. Hecox, of Chicago, is making her annual visit at the home of her parents, Mr. A. W. Post.

Mr. & Mrs. Wetstone, of Cincinnati, are guests of her sister, Miss Young, Park place. They left Painesville two years ago.

Mrs. S. W. Laraway and her granddaughter, Miss Lena, who have been staying with Mrs. F.

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M. Wedge for ten days, have returned to their home in Burton.

Mrs. W. B. Wheelock, of Indianapolis, has been called home by the death of Mrs. Fred Ayres, who died at Mackinac Island where she had been taken for the benefit of her health.

Mr. Elbert Smith and daughters, Miss Elda and Elberta, of Springfield, Ill., and Miss Edith Wright, of Cleveland, have been visiting Mr. O. H. Smith, of Prospect street, the past week.

### **A Pleasant Social Affair**

Monday evening the members of Arista Temple tendered a very pleasant surprise party to Mrs. lone L. Baker the occasion being her birthday.

Letters from Company M at the new camp at Fernandina.

### **Concord**

Miss Anna Corlett spent last Sabbath with relatives in Cleveland.

Mrs. John H. Murray is enjoying a visit from her grandchildren, Alice and Murray Stillman, of Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. Zeal is entertaining Miss Brown, of Cleveland

Miss Carrie Wheelock, who has been in Concord, some weeks goes soon to visit relatives in North Amherst.

Miss Margaret Murray goes to Niagara this week with her niece and nephew.

Little Helen, second daughter of George Murray, was injured a week ago by catching a hammock hook in her mouth while falling. She is rapidly healing.

Mrs. Alvira Murray is with her son, and family, helping care for the little daughter.

The Winchell family will hold its annual reunion Aug. 10, at the home of George Winchell, in Burton.

Earl Eminger was hurt last week by falling from a defective scaffolding while working on a barn belonging to F. H. Murray.

Miss Alice June Emerson was married July 31 at her home in this place, to Mr. Bert Rust, of Chardon.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Proctor, T. M

Olive, E. A.

St. John, H. G.

Zander, Herman

##### **Fairport Village Lots**

Foster, John J.

Leisy, Otto E.

Studney, Andrew

Studney, Mary

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Cowles, W. T.

Croft, Bridget

##### **Kirtland Township**

Randall, Henry J.

Sherwin, Henry A.

Powell, Lorenzo W.

Handy, Maggie E.

##### **Leroy**

Blakeslee, E. G.

Bartlett, O. A.

Bartlett, Eva E.

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Callow, Edwin A.

Mahoney, David

Mahoney, Catharine

##### **Willoughby**

Armstrong, Julius L.

Armstrong, Edward L.

Armstrong, Tulley B.

### **Probate Court**

Wedge, Francis M. – will probated; election of widow

Ferguson, Kezia – will probated; W. S. Ferguson appointed adm.

Hoag, Ellen L. – Mary Hoag appointed adm.

Warner, Elbridge O. – motion sustained

Andrew J. McCue vs F. A. Hungerford and Alfred Lewis – complaint filed

Searls, G. – first and final account

Searls, C. W. – first and final account

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Warner, Elbridge, O. – hearing  
Paige, C. – assignment; exceptions to third account filed  
Daniels, John – guardianship; motion to set aside guardianship  
Thompson, Oral E.  
Thompson, Vogle W. – final and only account  
Brown, Jerome B. – first and final account  
Brown, Sarah M. – first and final account  
Parmelee, Abner M. – third account  
White, Henry K. – first account  
Pratt, P. & Son – assignment; final account  
Smith, Wm. S. – first account  
Clayton, Wm. – first and final account  
Hotchkiss, Helen M. – first account  
Crandall, Elizabeth – first account  
Scofield, Nancy A. – final account  
Coolidge, Alice S. – first and final account  
Dean, Mary Farley – first and final account  
Moseley, Myra E. – first and final account  
Woodford, William – guardianship; first account approved  
Traver, Mary E. – trusteeship; second account  
Lillie, Orissa – guardianship; final account continued  
Elliott, George – guardianship; final account continued  
Orton, Fred – first account  
Ohio vs. Wm Taylor – continued  
Ohio vs Willie Sutton – continued  
Ohio vs Mrs. K. Heitikko – continued  
Ohio vs John Tuvri – continued  
Nighman, Albert D. – marriage license issued  
Hungerford, Etta R. – marriage license issued  
Williams, W. W. – marriage license issued  
Cady, Georgia Augusta – marriage license issued  
Fenton, Frank E. – marriage license issued  
Mennier, Roxie B. – marriage license issued  
Ruggles, R. F. – marriage license issued  
Tillotson, Jane – marriage license issued  
Rust, Bert Hart – marriage license issued  
Emerson, Alice June – marriage license issued  
Murphy, Howard – marriage license issued  
Lugenback, Lucy – marriage license issued

## **Common Pleas**

H. B. Harrison vs the L.S. & M. S. Ry. Co.; money only  
Martha Lynch vs William J. Lynch; alimony and relief

Stanley C. Jones has made an application for pardon in the Court of common Pleas; convicted of the crime of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

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### **p. 1 Another Painesville Boy Gets to the Front**

Henry E. Flavin has been appointed to the position of division superintendent of the Union Pacific R. R. He was born and raised two miles south of Painesville on the old Chardon road and is a brother of our townsman, Mr. Will Flavin. Some 15 or 20 years ago, Henry went west and obtained a position as a telegraph operator in a small office along the line of the Union Pacific. A few years ago, he was appointed chief train dispatcher. He is reputed to be one of the very best railroad men in the west.

### **Neighborhood News**

Ashtabula is manufacturing ice.  
Newton Falls has a crack gun club.  
Farmers in Milton are drilling for oil  
Thompson will be a century old next year.  
A brass band has been organized in Hubbard.  
Geneva's new pickle factory began receiving cucumbers last week.  
Speckled bass are being caught in large numbers in Conneaut Lake.  
Lightning recently killed five horses under one tree on S. Hood's farm and two yearlings of Wm. Dutton, in Auburn.  
Thirty horses were recently purchased in Chardon by the U.S. Army for artillery service.  
The pail factory at Middlefield furnishes Baltimore firms on an average of two or three carloads of oyster pails each week.  
The pest of caterpillars at Youngstown is to be officially investigated by an expert from the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station.  
Rev. L. A. Hall, of the First Baptist Church, of Ashtabula, has been dismissed by his

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congregation for conduct unbecoming a member of the clergy.

Harland Phillips, of Bainbridge, secured an Albino robin recently. It is a fine specimen of buff white without a dark feather. They are extremely rare in this vicinity and the bird will be mounted by G. B. Huggett.

P. H. Wallace, a lineman at Warren, was burned by contact with a live wire last week which threw him from the pole to the ground. He was burned on the back, side, thigh and hands.

There is a pretty flower bed on the P&W road kept up by E. Robinson. Besides foliage plants and geraniums there are several large castor plants. *Middlefield Messenger*

Jas. Rafferty, a Montville boy, was wounded at Santiago. He is a bugler. While blowing the bugle, the ball struck his left-hand palm, passing down the forearm and coming out at the elbow. He is now in the hospital in Brookland and is doing well. He is in the 14<sup>th</sup> Infantry, Regulars.

Amishmen, quite a number of whom have moved into Trumbull and adjoining counties of late years, are opposed to the war on general principals. They do not enlist because they wish to be considered non-combatants. Their devotion to the flag is unquestionable. Whenever, they can contribute toward the assistance of any family whose head has gone to war, they cheerfully do so.

### **Honor to Lake County**

This county has had several noted heroes. Among those in prominence at present is Lieut. Col. Ezra P. Ewers, now in command of the 9<sup>th</sup> Regulars at Santiago. It is reported this morning, he has been promoted to the rank of Brigadier General. Whether this report is correct, we hope that it may prove true. He was born in Madison, where it is thought his mother is still living, and came to Painesville and learned his trade as a machinist with Anderson & Genung. In 1862, he enlisted in the Civil War as a private. He was wounded at Stone River. He was promoted twice and ranked as first lieutenant. At the battle of Santiago, he displayed great bravery

and received the surrender of the Spanish at Caianera.

### **In Memoriam**

The members of the bar of Lake Co. print resolutions of respect for Sextus Sloan, Esq., deceased.

### **Head End Collision**

Two C.P. & E. Cars Collide Near Willoughby  
The Citizens' Band went to Willoughby Sunday to give their usual Sunday afternoon concert. The car was jumping from the wire and near Willoughby it was torn completely from the car. It was replaced and they finally reached their destination. On the way home, the special car was going at a high rate of speed to avoid another car coming along. A collision was in sight. Frank Hubbel the motorman jumped at the last instant. Supt. Bellstein stood at his side and after the motorman jumped, he reversed the car and was thrown to the floor.

Dr. Warren, Will Stumm, Pete Trulsen and Bert Elias and others who were waiting at Willoughbeach for the next regular car, ran all the way to the accident. No one was fatally injured. Those most seriously injured were:

Waldo, Joe  
Haffey, Frank  
Titus, Murray  
Schworm, Jacob  
Bickle, Harry  
Parker, Chas.  
Bellstein, Supt.

Frank Hubbel and H. A. Day were motormen and conductor respectively on this car. Ed King jumped from the rear platform and rolled down a bank of mud. Bert and Will Blackmore were sick all night. The latter fainted twice at the scene of the accident. Geo. McFarland received an injury to his right arm.

James Post, motorman and A. E. Day, conductor, of the other car, had jumped. It was their fault the accident had happened as they had orders to take a switch east of the bridge and wait for the special.

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### **p. 2 A Few Sick (News from Fernandina)**

A number of the members of Company M are in the hospital with fevers and ailments contracted from camping in the mud at Tampa; letter tells how a regimental camp is laid out

On the sick roll:

Hart, Ralph T.  
Gill, Clayton L,  
Minick, Arthur E.  
Card, Burton E.  
Marsh, Aura C.  
Herroon, Wm. C.  
Carter, Herbert C.  
Blakely, Elbert F.  
Cushman, Fred L.  
Johnson, James E.  
Peoppel, Gustave  
Smith, George  
Eaton, Hugh  
Atwater, Mathew  
Gay, Jesse L.  
Melton, Charles H.  
Robinson, Ernest E.  
Adams, Wade E.  
McGill, Frank L.  
Davis, Wm. F.  
Graham, Albert  
Pender, John L.  
Kepler, Harry L.  
Barnes, Fred J.  
Tuuri, Isaac  
Woolson, Charles  
Thompson, Clive  
Conkling, Elmer A.  
Lever, Clarence C.  
Whaley, Elmer  
West, John W.

There are 12 companies in a regiment and 103 men in a company. There are three Majors, a Lieut. Colonel and a Colonel. In our company, we have sixteen tents, 15' of ground allowed for each tent. In Fernandina all our tents in Company M have board floors in them, the lumber being purchased from the company fund and being our share of the profits from the regimental canteen.

On that floor we sleep seven of the men sleeping in a row on one side and one of the men who is a very restless sleeper on a raised bunk at our feet. Full description of the camp.

### **Madison**

Miss Bertha Safford is the guest of Mrs. Newton Bailey.

Mrs. James Schryver and daughter, Florence, of Chicago, are spending the summer at O. F. Loveridge's.

Postmaster Searles and family are enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Downer, of Cleveland.

Miss Ethel Woodworth has returned from Spokane, called by the illness of her mother.

Mr. Asa Stratton is recovering rapidly from a recent illness.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Kerr, Dr. Kerr and others, were guests of Dr. John Quayle one day last week.

Arthur Carnahan and wife have returned to Cleveland after a two week visit at his old home.

Miss Ida Mae Gerling has returned from a long visit in Cleveland. Her friend Miss Kennard accompanied her home for a visit.

Rev. Joseph Wolfe is out of town enjoying a much-needed rest.

Miss Lina Loveridge is recovering from a very serious illness, resulting from a surgical operation.

The funeral of Miss Carrie Ludick was attended from her late home on River street on Sunday.

Mrs. O. F. Loveridge and Mrs. James Schryver are spending the week at Chautauqua.

### **Mentor**

Mr. Will Hodge, of St. Joe, Mo., has joined his family, who are spending the summer in town.

Mrs. Frank Murray has returned from a visit at Chautauqua Lake.

Mrs. Maria Wood, of Nebraska, is visiting her relatives in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. H. N. Munson and Miss Jennie Munson are visiting with relatives in N.Y. State.

Mrs. W. S. Ackley is spending a few days with her daughter in Cleveland.

Mr. Chas. Dilley has gone to Colorado for the benefit of his health.

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Mr. Harry and Nellie King are at home from the Christian Alliance Meetings at Beulah Park.

Mrs. Pitcher and children of Salt Lake City, Utah, are in town called by the illness of her sister, Mrs. John Warren.

Capt. Burrige and wife attended the reunion of his company at Sturgeon Point last week.

Miss Wardner, of Buffalo, and Mrs. Law of Toledo, are visitors at the residence of L. L Cook.

Postmaster Smith and wife spent Sunday at Salida Beach Hotel.

Mrs. J. Ely, of State Line, Pa., has been spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. Lillian Hopkins, of Geneva, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Carrie Justus was given a surprise party last Tuesday for her 12<sup>th</sup> birthday.

### **Perry**

Mr. McAlpine's Sunday School Class will give a concert and an ice cream social August 19.

Miss Mary Craft, of Austinburg, was visiting Miss Bernice Tenny last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Orcutt spent several days last week at Warrensville the guests of Rev. G. W. Orcutt and family.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech are camping at Red Brook with Mr. & Mrs. Walter Barnes.

Miss Grace Wyman spent a few days with her grandmother last week.

Miss Eva Cottrell, of Willoughby, spent last week with Mrs. Julia Lapham.

Prof. Gendrot and Miss Carrie Harper, of the School of Design, of Cleveland, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. James E. Keech on Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. John Welsh, of Cleveland, and Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Sheldon, of your city, were guests of Eugene Norton and family the first of the week.

Dan Abel is visiting relatives near Cleveland.

Miss Bernice Sinclair is spending a couple of weeks with her grandparents at Geneva.

Mr. Burn, of Fairport, got hit in the jaw with a ball thrown by Rice Harper when playing baseball.

### **South Thompson**

Henry Vogel spent several days in Cleveland last week.

Miss Mitta Sutherland is visiting relatives in Footville.

Eddie Sidley is very ill with pneumonia.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Will Hills a girl August 1. Also, to Mr. & Mrs. Shimerman, a son, August 2. Roll Stevens is moving his family into the Ed Tillotson house this week.

Frank Tyler, of Little Mountain, was a guest of Earl Burroughs recently.

Mr. Campbell, of Cleveland, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. McKough of this place.

The Grover reunion will be held at Eugene Skinner's Aug. 18<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Edith Bean visited her father, Mr. Fales, last week.

Mrs. Comstock, of Painesville, Mrs. Long, of Columbus, and George Garkill, of Claridon, were recent guests in town.

Miss Agnes Cashen is visiting an uncle in Madison

Mrs. Will Wright and little Margrett Sidley have been quite sick.

Miss Maud Fales is spending some time in Geneva.

Mrs. Sarah Wintersteen visited friends in Montville last week.

Geo. Vogel's folks are entertaining friends in Wickliffe.

Spencer Beckwith, of New Lyme, was in town Friday.

Mrs. E. Patrick, of Collinwood, is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Basquin and Mrs. J. A. Morse attended an Aid Society meeting at Rev. Hollister's in Hampden last Friday.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 10:

#### **Ladies**

Arnold, Nellie  
Evans, Mrs. Mason  
Green, Miss Linda  
Sutton, Miss Lillian  
West, Miss Bertha

#### **Gentlemen**

Carlin, R. G.

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Power, B.  
Stafford, L. E.  
Woodruff, Frank

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Born to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Knowles, a daughter,  
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The Duncan-Lapham reunion will be held at the home of Mr. Sam Lapham in Madison, Aug. 26.

Mr. Geo. Allen and Miss Jennie Fuller were married at the Baptist Church on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary A. Tinan sold a fine residence on South street in Chardon, to Mr. F. A. Parmelee, of Burton, Geauga's nominee for treasurer.

Dr. E. D. Whitney has moved his office to Sanford house on State street, opposite the Public Library.

Martin Jones was arrested Sat. on the charge of intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Mr. Geo. L. Eaton had a serious accident while employed at Malin's lumber yard Saturday. He had three fingers on his left hand cut off by the gang saw, and the middle finger cut through to the bone.

Geo. Gridley was seriously hurt by being kicked by a horse on Main street Saturday.

Methodism in Ohio is 100 yrs. old. The event was celebrated by the Methodists of Geauga Co. at Lake Aquilla in Claridon, Aug. 3.

Jas. Pease, of Hambden, was arrested Thursday on the charge of intoxication.

### Painesville People Make a Large Donation for the Sick Soldiers

The following is an extract for a personal letter to Mr. E. P. Keeler from Mrs. Tingle and explains the condition of the soldier boys: "The Fifth is located 40 miles north of Jacksonville on the sea shore in Fernandina, a place of about 3,000 inhabitants. The boys are situated on a rolling spot, up high and dry about one mile from the beach with a nice shell road leading to the water. Our boys contracted a good deal of malaria in Tampa, so I have had a good deal of work to do in the last few days, making tick for cots and pillow slips and more are needed. The ladies

here are doing all they can but for so many it takes many hands to do and, of course, their own state troops are here. So, they came to me the other evening and talked things over and we could plainly see it would be necessary for each state and town to do everything possible for their own." Margaret Tingle

A box was sent addressed Hospital Supplies for the Fifth Regiment, care of Captain J. S. Burrows with towels, pillows, pillowcases, sheets, hospital shirts and nightshirts, mosquito netting, old linen and cotton and some food items. Another box will be sent by Capt. Tillotson, of Cleveland, who leaves for Fernandina Saturday.

### Personals

Dr. J. H. Burrows, of Cleveland, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Eva Tallman is visiting friends in Cleveland this week.

Clarence Rust has gone to Orwell, Ohio, to spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. W. A. Proctor Sr., of Jackson street, is confined to her home by illness.

Master Egbert Tinklepaugh, of Burton Station, is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Mabel Corkins has gone to Youngstown to spend a week with friends.

Mrs. Robert Jackson and little daughter, Hazel, left Saturday to visit friends in Erie.

Miss Harrietta Hardy returned Sat. night from a two weeks' visit in Maysville, N.Y.

Mr. Porter S. Tinan and son, of Garrettsville, were calling on friends in town Monday night.

Mrs. Gardner Baker and daughter returned Monday from a week's visit in Cleveland and Toledo.

Miss Blanche Stanley, of Cleveland is spending the week with Miss Mary Hillis, of Mentor Ave.

Miss C. P. Everett, of Chicago, is visiting her parents Mr. & Mrs. I. Everett, of Wood street.

Mrs. C. H. Greer, of Ashtabula, is spending the week with Mrs. R. A. Moodey of St. Clair street.

Mr. B. W. Tinan left Thursday for Cambridge Springs, Pa., where he will remain for a week or two.



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Mr. R. W. Nims and family, of New York, are visiting his brother, Mr. F. C. Nims, of Mentor Ave.

Mrs. Eaton and son, Clive, of Portland, Oregon, are spending a few days with Mrs. J.H. Britton, of East Erie street.

Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Kile left Thursday evening for Verona, Wis., and other Western cities on two weeks' pleasure trip.

Mr. Tom Wyman left Monday for Connellsville, Pa., where he will clerk in his uncle's hotel during the summer.

Mr. S. C. Hickok celebrated his 81<sup>st</sup> birthday Tuesday. He was born in Poultney, Rutland, Co., Vermont.

W. A. Breed, Esq., left Friday for Stonington, Conn., to join Mrs. Breed, who has been visiting there for some time.

Mr. F. A. Parmelee, of Burton, treasurer elect of Geauga Co., with his wife, were guests Monday of Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Scott.

Mr. H. H. Coe left Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup> on a business trip to Glasgow, Scotland. His daughter, Miss Charlotte F. Coe, accompanies him.

Mr. & Mrs. S. L. Walker and daughter, Ida., returned Thursday to their home in Chicago, after a short visit with relatives here.

Miss Mary Smith, of Mentor Ave., returned Friday from a six-week trip in the East, visiting relatives in New York and New Jersey.

Hon. Lester Taylor, of Claridon, celebrated his 100<sup>th</sup> birthday last Friday.

Miss Kate Burton, of Grinnell, Iowa, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. A. Wheeler, left Thursday for Lowell, Mass. where she will visit relatives.

Messrs. R. W. Williams and C. E. Ward, of Cleveland College of Physicians and Surgeons, have returned home, after spending two weeks with friends.

Mr. & Mrs. George W. Lormor, Miss Hazel Lormor and Master Webb Lormor, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at The Parmly, the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Chalfant.

Mr. & Mrs. B. W. Robb, of Cleveland, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. James M. Young Sunday.

Mr. Robb is the passenger agent for the Port Arthur, Texas Route

Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Osborn and family attended the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Judge Lester Taylor at Claridon Friday. Judge Taylor is Mrs. Osborne's great uncle.

Mr. W. B. Wheelock has returned from Indianapolis and left Sat. for Mackinac to join Mr. & Mrs. Miss Ayers. They will spend the remainder of the season there.

A party of eight ladies and gentlemen rode down on their wheels from Cleveland to Mr. & Mrs. Will Black's, North St. Clair street Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Alvord, Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Moodey, Miss Chapman, Miss Chase and Miss Kilbourn left Friday morning on the steamer Samuel Mitchell for a lake trip to Duluth.

Mr. Percy W. Tinan and Mr. Geo. Morgan Callander left Monday for a few weeks in New York City and vicinity.

Prof. J. Powell Jones will be kept busy during the next three weeks having been engaged to teach at the Geauga, Portage, and Lake County teachers' institutes in the above order.

Mr. Charles P. Clark, deputy clerk of the Probate Court, is taking a short vacation. He has gone to Mackinac.

Mrs. J. W. Scribner, of Jackson street, entertained Mr. & Mrs. Philip Vroman and granddaughter, Blanche of Put-In-Bay, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Robinson, of Waterville, Kan., and other relatives to a family gathering on Monday.

Mrs. Ed Buckman had for her guests Tuesday Mrs. Wyman, Miss Webster, Mrs. Roosa, Miss Roosa, of Cleveland; Mrs. P. E. Bissell and son, of Conneaut; Mr. & Mrs. A. C. Miller, Mrs. H. C. Strong and Art Sawtelle, of Willoughby.

Miss Mabel Gertrude Corkens went to Youngstown last Sat. She will be the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Perry Wayland Sinks for a week. Master Albert Sinks accompanied her home. He has been spending two weeks at Miss Wilkes' home on Washington street.

### **His Hundredth Milestone**

The celebration of Judge Lester Taylor's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday Friday, which occurred at his home in Claridon, was a very pleasant event. One son

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and three daughters, the only surviving members of his family were present, and also many other relatives.

### **A Mysterious Skeleton**

The *Cleveland Plain Dealer* contained the following article from Ashtabula Saturday: In a secluded spot on some unimproved property in Saybrook, Henry Starkweather, while cleaning off brush Friday, uncovered the end of a rough box buried end down, which contained a skeleton devoid of flesh, but apparently not having been buried very long. He notified the coroner. The circumstances indicate quite a mystery connected with the affair.

### **The Robison Basket Factory Went Up in Smoke**

Sunday morning, shortly after midnight, the Robison Basket Factory was discovered to be on fire. When the firemen arrived, there was no water to put out the blaze. The fire raged for about four hours. The building was totally lost. The Robison Basket Factory was the largest basket factory in the United States. One hundred and ninety-four men, boys and girls were employed. The president, Mr. J. T. Robison, was camping with his family at Geauga Lake when the fire occurred and did not learn of the destruction of the plant until late Sunday morning.

### **Rather Expensive**

Bill Barrett, of Conneaut, hired a livery rig of H. W. Beman Friday and drove south on the old plank road. He told Mr. Beman that he was going in another direction and when he heard of his change of course he followed and could not catch him. He secured a warrant of Justice Huntington and with Marshal Connell drove to the supposed scene. Barrett was found on the old plank road after dark and was brought back to Painesville.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Richmond Village Lots**

Donahue, Michael

Fuchs, George

Fuchs, Louisa

#### **Fairport Village Lands**

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Mighton, M. C.

#### **Kirtland Township**

Kingsley, Mary C.

Mahen, Geo. W.

Green, Robert

#### **Willoughby Township**

Silver, Ellen

Perkins, Edwin R.

Bascom, E. G.

Bascom, Euphenia

Fuller, Lester

#### **Willoughby Village**

Andrews, Margaret St. John

Jennison, Frank C.

### **Probate Court**

Allen, George Ellsworth - marriage license

Fuller, Genfrid Vina – marriage license

Koski, Risto – marriage license

Myllykoski, Ida Emma – marriage license

Sharp, Andrew – order of sale issued

Kames, Martha A. – first account filed

Towell, Patrick H. – order of private sale issued

Clayton, Wm. – first and final account

Stoughton, Charlotte, probate of will

Pease, Ellen C. – inquest of lunacy

Ingersoll, Ann – inquest of lunacy

Thompson, Nettie – guardianship, inventory filed

McCue, A. J. - continued

Hungerford, F. W. – continued

Canel, Frederick – petition to sell real estate

Stoughton, Charlotte – taking testimony

Hall, Wm. C. – motion filed

Wilson, Ray W. – Siebney S. Wilson adm.

Haskell, Wm. H. – first and final account

Haskell, Raymond H. – guardianship; Emma E.

Haskell appointed guardian

Estate of Anna Hopkins – will filed

Ohio vs Wm. Taylor – plead guilty to assault on young Curtiss

Ohio vs. Wm. Taylor – continued

Ohio vs. Mrs. K. Keitikko – trial heard

Jones, Wm. H. – will filed for probate

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### **Common Pleas**

H. F. Kennedy vs Thomas Northcotte – appeal from J. P.

John Flynn vs Mary Flynn; divorce, gross neglect

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Grandma (Mrs. Anna) Hopkins the oldest pioneer of Mentor passed away last Wed. at the age of 94. She retained all her faculties up until the day before she died when it was discovered her heart was failing. The cemetery was only a short distance from the house.

The seventh reunion of the Curtis-Warren families was held at the residence of S. L Curtis on Thursday of last week. There were 83 members present. One death occurred within the last year, that of John Warren. Mr. & Mrs. Mayhew, of Willoughby, the oldest living members of the family were not able to attend on account of illness. M. Sweet was elected president for next year. P. C. Rexford, vice president; Mrs. F. Campbell sec. and treas.; Mrs. Job Sweet, obituarian. Miss Ada Reynolds has charge of the music. The next reunion will be held at Mr. Hunter's, In Painesville, on the first Tuesday of Aug., 1899.

### **Thompson**

Prof. Jenks returned from Middlefield last Saturday.

Miss Florence Johnson leaves today for her home in Toledo after a pleasant visit with relatives at this place, LeRoy, Concord and Painesville.

Mrs. L. Stearns and grandson, of Pa., are guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ziba Stearns, of South Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. Sprague of Cleveland, were guests last Tuesday of Mr. & Mrs. E. G. Blakeslee.

Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam visited relatives at Jefferson last week.

Mrs. J. L. Smith spent several days of the past week with the family of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Behm, of Painesville.

Mr. Arthur Smith has returned from a trip to Akron and Toledo.

Miss Abbey, of Northeast Leroy was recently a guest of her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Foster Benjamin, of South Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. N. A. Penhollow and daughter recently visited Mrs. Penhollow's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Hauser, of Kirtland.

Mrs. M. Gilbreath is now taking care of Mrs. Frank Garis.

The condition of Mr. Elihu Stevens is reported as unchanged.

Mr. Grant, of Willoughby, was awarded the contract for grading the ledge hill

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Loomis, of Trumbull enjoyed a pleasant visit with their mother, Mrs. A. L. Loomis.

The Misses Jessie and Nellie Quirk, of North Madison, were guests of Miss Kate McLean and Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Davis.

Mrs. Ralston, the Bradford, Pa. evangelist, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Ratson, and brother, N. A. Penhollow. Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener, together with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Scott, and sons, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Scott, of South Madison

Rev. & Mrs. Towne are visiting relatives at Fayette.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Tilley, together with their daughter, Mrs. C. Adams, and daughters of Ashtabula, are visiting relatives at this place

Mrs. Amelia Flahavan, of Montville, is the guest of Mrs. Harriet McKnight.

Mr. A. F. Allyn and family, of Chardon, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Miller, of Montville, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener, last evening.

Mr. & Mrs. Cloes will remove to Chardon the first of next month.

Miss Mamie Tillotson, of Unionville, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Tillotson.

The Hulbert family reunion will be held on Thompson Ledge Aug. 18.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Scott, of South Madison, were guests Wed. overnight of their son, George Scott and family.

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The cornet band started in with a new member, Mr. Clyde Smith, recently of Andover.

Mr. A. Sidley and Mr. Brockway narrowly escaped a very serious accident last week while quarrying a shelving rock. They fell several feet, falling upon rocks beneath them. They were not seriously injured.

Mr. J. L. Smith after years of waiting has been granted a pension.

Pebble Rock Lodge installed the following officers Tuesday:

Gilbreath, H. H.

Dewey, Charles

Phelps, D. L

Johnson, James

Tuttle, F. C.

Pomeroy, J.

Bartlett, O. A.

Orrin, W. W.

Smith, J. W.

Fredebaugh, Wm.

Mr. Elihu Stevens, one of Thompson's most respected citizens, died this afternoon. He leaves a wife, son and wife, and one sister.

Mrs. W. W. Ralston recently sustained injuries by falling upon the door step at her home.

The very latest report from Mr. E. Stevens is very unfavorable. A specialist has been summoned from Cleveland.

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### **p. 1 Malarial and Typhoid Fevers Rampant in the Regiment**

The Fifth regiment had been encamped in this seemingly healthy spot only a week before an epidemic of fever broke out. All the present sickness of troops is attributed to Tampa.

Corporal Arthur E. Minick is in the most dangerous condition. He is very sick and wasted away greatly. It is believed he will recover. Martin Adams is also one of the very sick ones. Others sick are: Corporal Herroon, Private John West, Private Burns, Private Pender of Cleveland; Private Poeppel, of Geneva; Johnson, of Cleveland, and Calkins of Willoughby; Private Lever, of Cleveland. The Fifth has only lost one

man since arriving here: Private Clifford H. Dalzell, of Co. H., Youngstown, died Sat, Aug. 6. Mrs. Tingle, whose son is a lieutenant in Co. K., of Cleveland, and who has been near the regiment since shortly after we arrived at Tampa, has been active in caring for the sick of Co. K. and of the regiment. She has been assisted by Mrs. Pole, wife of Capt. Pole, of Co. A., and by ladies of Fernandina.

### **Neighborhood News**

Huckleberry swamps in Portage County are overrun with pickers.

David Biggers, a pioneer business man of Warren, was found dead in bed Tuesday morning of last week.

The hill at Thompson Ledge is to be graded down, as it is nearly all solid rock. The expense will be \$700.

The Shenango River at Sharon, Pa., is covered with dead fish. The dumping of acid from one of the industries into the river is thought to be the cause.

The pickle factory at Conneaut will have 24 tanks, each capable of holding 1,000 bushels of cucumbers.

Lightning killed five cows and two heifers, standing under a tree on Chas. Forbes' farm in Conneaut Township during the storm last week.

The residence of John Wells, who lives two miles north of Rock Creek was burglarized on Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> while Mr. & Mrs. Wells were in a nearby lot and money and valuables to the amount of \$150 were taken.

One of Burton's oldest residents died on Aug. 6<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. Sarah Hotchkiss. She was the daughter of Judge Peter Hitchcock, one of Ohio's great jurists. She was born Nov 25, 1815 and was married to Robert Hotchkiss in 1834. She had three children, one of whom, Samuel survives her.

The state hatchery has already sent out 12,000 Mongolian pheasant eggs, and this fall will distribute 3,000 young birds over the state. Over a year ago, a number of these birds were liberated in Huntsburg Township, Geauga Co., and they have since multiplied rapidly. About

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100 of the pheasants will be liberated near Garrettsville the coming spring.

### **Receiver Appointed**

Yesterday a receiver was appointed for the Lakeside Co., which operates the well-known summer resort on Lake Erie. The receiver was appointed upon a petition filed in the Common Pleas Court by Harley Barnes, who says he is a creditor of the Company to the extent of \$5,000 and that the interest is not being paid. On the land is erected a fine hotel and the Lakeside Tabernacle.

### **Violated the Bicycle Ordinance**

Fenton Wooten was arrested by Marshal Connell Friday on the charges of fast riding and riding on the sidewalk. He was fined \$1 and costs and committed to the county jail until fine and costs are paid.

### **Death of Mrs. McSparren**

Mrs. Elivna McSparren, age 76 yrs., passed away at her late home on South State street, Sunday. She and her husband came to Painesville 11 years ago from San Francisco. Her husband preceded her in death by a few months. At her earnest request, there will be no funeral. The remains will be buried in Erie. Two brothers were with her during her illness, Albert Hill and D. C. Hill. Another brother, Washington Hill, survives the deceased. His home is in Oregon.

### **Shot in the Hand**

Frank Croley, of Covington, Ky., who is a guest of his uncle, Frank Croley, of Watson street, was accidentally shot in the hand Monday. Drs. Sherwood and Amidon were called and worked for a long time to locate the bullet but could not find it; it is probably in the wrist.

### **Attempted Suicide**

Mrs. Grant Bowhall, of East Painesville, attempted suicide Sunday in the absence of her husband, cause for which is unknown. Her husband on returning home, found her with a

towel over her face soaked with chloroform. Dr. House was called and soon revived the unconscious woman.

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The Duncan-Lapham reunion will be held Sat, Aug. 27<sup>th</sup>, at the home of Mrs. Samuel Lapham, in Madison.

Eugene Adams has gone to Fernandina to care for his son, Wade, who was reportedly very sick. He is better but unable to come home yet.

Mrs. Strong, of Madison, mother of Mrs. Alson A. Cady, jumped or fell from a window Friday and died Saturday. She was an aged lady and said to be partially deranged.

Mrs. C. H. Greer's place on Elm street has been sold to Mr. Fred Eggert, an employee of the L.S. & M. S. R.R. Co.

Next Sunday the Salvation Army farm in Mentor will be dedicated.

Fred Sprague, of Willoughby, who enlisted in the regular army last February, was shot in the shoulder at the battle of San Juan and has returned home on a 60-day furlough.

An Aug. 9<sup>th</sup>, the home of Edgar Moseley, in Leroy, was broken into by a tramp. The family was away at the time. Mr. Moseley is minus a new suit of clothes and a small amount of money.

### **Two Finns**

Tuesday morning two Finns were in the city lock-up awaiting their trials. Harry Peterson was the first and he plead guilty to intoxication. While drunk, while driving home, they abused and misused a horse.

The next man brought before the Justice was Henry Johnson, of Mentor. He was charged with intoxication.

Thos. Slavin was arrested at The Parmly for trying to pick a fight.

### **Personals**

Geo. Roddick and family spent Sunday at the Mountain.

Mr. Will Slocum, of Cleveland, is visiting his parents for a few days.

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Jay Kelley and Will McCarty go into camp today for a week at Hardy's.

Mr. Frank Beard, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Lucy Hoyt, of Liberty street.

Dr. Carmedy was called to Collinwood Monday morning to perform an operation.

Mr. & Mrs. F. C. Moodey, wife and daughter, left Friday night for a trip up the lakes.

Mr. James M. Young left home Monday for Minneapolis, Minn., after a month's vacation.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Fifer, of Salem, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. Frost, of Prospect street.

Miss Myrtle Hamilton has gone to Chester where she will spend two weeks with friends.

Mr. Irving Lawrence, of the National Bank, is spending his vacation with friends in Norwalk, Ohio.

Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Hillis left Monday for Winona, Ind., where they will visit for a few days.

Mr. Franklyn Breed and Mrs. H. P. Coe have gone to Flat Rock, Mich., to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. Gary Guisewite left Monday to visit relatives in Oil City, Pa. He expects to be away about a week.

Mr. Frank Langley was called to his home in Marion Thursday by the serious illness of his grandfather.

Messrs. O. W. Kile and H. B. Grauel, left Tuesday morning for a week's pleasure trip up the lakes.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Powell, of Lincoln, Neb., are visiting relatives and friends in Willoughby and Painesville.

Mr. Earl D. Shepard, of the Western Union Telegraph office, is confined to his room with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Pearl Sawyer left Monday for Worcester, Mass., where she will study for the duties of trained nurse at Memorial Hospital.

Mr. J. W. Simpson, of Cleveland, and Mr. L. G. Simpson, of Boston are visiting Mrs. C. R. H. Stickney, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Klara Frank and Miss Louise Hoffman left for Toledo Sat. where they will visit Miss Cora Skinner for a few days.

Miss McElroy, of Allegheny, Pa., who has been visiting Miss Margaret Truby, Mentor Ave., returned home Tuesday morning.

The Misses Fanny and Lillian Morse left for Pittsburgh Thursday morning, where they will spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Kile returned from the West Sat. morning, Mr. Kile resumed his work in the Lake Shore ticket office Sunday.

Miss Laura and Francis Lynch returned Friday from Footville, Ashtabula Co., where they have been visiting their grandmother for several weeks.

Rev. B. V. Putnam and family, of Canisteo, N. Y., are guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Barden, Washington street. Mr. Barden and Mr. Putnam were college mates at Hudson.

Mr. C. E. Coltrin returned Monday from Berea, where he has spent several days with friends. He left Tuesday with his son, Eugene, for Bemus Point, N.Y., where he will remain several days.

Mr. C. C. Stumm and wife returned Monday night from Squaw Creek Park, Youngstown, Ohio. Mr. Stumm leaves for New York City as general and advance agent for The Rays.

Mr. C. W. Osborne Esq. was stricken with a slight apoplectic stroke Monday at The Parmly but recovered from this.

### **Obituary**

Eva Carpenter Warren was born in Kirtland, O., Feb. 24, 1856, and died in Painesville, O., Aug. 7, 1898. Her father was the Hon. Stephen C. Carpenter and her mother, Elizabeth Wats. Oct. 17, 1877, she was united in marriage to John S. Warren, of Mentor. They moved to their cozy home on Mentor Ave. some twelve years ago.

Married – Edward W. Spaller and Louise M. Lapham, at the home of the bride's parents, Aug. 11.

### **Died Suddenly**

The announcement of the death of Frank C. Curtiss, of the firm of Curtiss & Sons, was received by the people of Painesville with sorrow. He died of heart failure. Out of a family

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of five sons, Frank was the second and passed his forty-fifth birthday on March 26<sup>th</sup>. A father, mother, four brothers and wife and daughter survive him. The burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

### **Discharged on Account of Illness**

Mr. Eugene Bates, who enlisted in Troop A, First Ohio Volunteer Cavalry arrived home Thursday. He had been in camp at Lakeland, Florida, since July 15<sup>th</sup>. After he reached Florida, he was taken sick and received his discharge. Mr. Bates says that Lew S. Miller, who enlisted with him from Painesville, is as well as could be expected of a Northern man in that warm climate.

### **An Accomplished Driver**

From a write up of the Commercial Travelers' Picnic at Fort Dodge, Iowa, which appeared in the *Evening Messenger* of that place: There was a ladies' driving contest which attracted the most amount of attention. The prizes were awarded to the most accomplished lady driver who must be accompanied by a gentleman to her left. The large audience was very much surprised to see a handsome pair of high headed, light stepping bays hitched to a new rubber-tired road cart, drive down the track. Mrs. Chas. Wilder, the driver was the envy of every lady present. Mrs. Wilder was formerly a Painesville young lady, the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin.

### **Manila Surrendered**

Washington, D. C. Aug. 16 - A dispatch from Madrid today officially announced that Gen. Jaubens surrendered Manila to Dewey Sat. The city is occupied by United States troops.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfer**

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Jefferson, Anna

Flack, R. A.

Flack, Jessie E.

#### **Mentor Township**

Dickey, Edward J.

Whitney, Edith T.

### **Probate Court**

Woodruff, Daniel – application of creditors for appointment of adm. filed

Pease, Louisa C. – motion filed

Williamson, Sherman L. – guardianship; application for appointment of guardian

Dayton, Bernice A. – guardianship; application of appointment of guardian

Corlett Edward C. – A. G. Reynolds appointed adm.

Warner, Elbridge O. – application for order to sell desperate claims

Pike, John Dwight – app. for administrator

Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship; petition to sell real estate

Kupari, Gustara – inquest of lunacy

Fesco, Emery – appointed adm. of Stephan Eszterhay

Spaller, Edward W. – marriage license

Lapham, Louise M. – marriage license

Rutland, Frank E. – marriage license

Granger, Delia G. – marriage license

Crammer, Miles J. – marriage license

Johnson, Esther – marriage license

Murray, Thomas – distribution voucher filed

Crandall, Sarah L. – inventory and appraisal filed; first and final account

Wilson, Ray, W. – app. for inventory partnership assets

### **Common Pleas**

H. N. Munson vs E. J. Baker

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Dake, of Cleveland, boarders at the Breezy Hill residence recently visited Buffalo, Niagara Falls and vicinity.

The family of Mr. Newman, manager of the Globe yard is at the boarding house of Mr. Hugh Brooks for this season.

### **Perry**

Miss Laura Ashley is the guest of a cousin in Cleveland for a couple of weeks.

Miss Etta Blair spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Jared Tyler.

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Mrs. Larabee, of Jefferson was visiting Mr. I V. Axtell last week.

Mrs. H. H. Shepard and Mrs. Walter Shepard visited relatives at Ashtabula recently.

Miss Lotta Marvin is spending some time with relatives in Ashtabula and Trumbull Counties.

Mr. & Mrs. Homer Harper, of your city, spent Sunday with Mrs. Harper's mother and sister.

Mr. & Mrs. E. J. Norton attended the Norton reunion at Chester last Thursday.

Mrs. Marion Vesey and daughter, Florence, have moved to the county seat.

Miss Allie Hommel, of Omaha, is visiting her cousin, Miss Bernice Lockwood.

The Misses Ruth and Bertha Chapman are visiting their grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Giles Chapman.

Mr. Lysander Tenney spent a day or two with is son, Jerry, at Geneva last week.

Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Lapham visited Mr. Lapham's parents at Black Brook on Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. Peter Sweet, of Concord, spent Sunday with his son, Norman and family.

Mrs. Broughton and little grandson have been visiting relatives in Montville.

### **Dock Road**

Warren Vrooman is improving some of his buildings.

Miss Ida King is entertaining a friend from Cleveland.

Mrs. A. J. Chaffee, who has been sick for the last two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Ed Forbs and children, of Madison, are spending the week with Mr. Forbs' parents, Mr. & Mrs. William Forbs.

Mrs. O. Randall and son, of Ashtabula, have been the guests of Mr. & Mrs. William Randall the past week.

While P. F. Kimmy and family were attending the Grange picnic at Sturgeon Point last Thursday, burglars unlocked the door and took a suit of clothes and some money. No clue has yet been found.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 17:

### **Ladies**

Davis, Mrs. Allie

Holt, Mrs. John

Laugenbeck, Mrs.

Thomson, Mrs. Harry

Warring, Mrs. W. O.

### **Gentlemen**

Budd, Martin Willis B.

Dodge, D. F.

Janke, Otto W.

Knowles, W. O.

Manchester, Fred

Miller, Ned

Reed, C. B.

Smith, N.T.

Virturer, E. M.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. John Harmon, of Texas, is visiting here.

Mr. & Mrs. Basquin, of Leroy, visited their daughter, Mrs. Ford Booth, the 11<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Beck is on a three week visit to her people.

Charles Parks and Almerin Dunwell took a ride on their wheels to Salmon Co., N.Y., visiting DeWitt Markell the 6<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Eva Carpenter Warren, who died in Painesville the 8<sup>th</sup>, was brought to Kirtland for burial Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Pitcher, her sister, of Salt Lake City, reached here a few days before her death.

Mr. Lewis Markel spent the 7<sup>th</sup> in Huntsburg.

### **Probate Notice**

1. Barto, N. E. – adm. of Julia A. Thompson, deceased

2. Randall, J. H. – guardian of Alta M. and Frances H. Randall; first account

3. Corkins, W. H. – guardian of Carrie Finneran; first and final account



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4. Crocker, Ephraim A. – adm. of Ella J. Crocker, deceased; first and final account
5. Genung, Wm. H. – assignee of Grandison and Charles W. Searls; first and final account
6. Karnes, John W. – adm. of Martha A. Karnes, deceased; first account
7. Haskell, Frances C. – adm. of William H. Haskell, deceased; first and final account
8. Crandall, Louise T. – executrix of Sarah L. Crandall, deceased; first and final account
9. Quayle, Grace D. (formerly Grace Dayton) – guardian of Bernice A. James and Grant Dayton; first account; final as to Bernice A. Dayton

### **Madison**

Rev. Whittaker, wife and children are guests of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Owen.

Rev. Sanford and family are camping at the Lake; also, Frank Cummings and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Emmons, of Otsego Co., N.Y., have been spending some time with relatives in town.

Mrs. Sarah Ritscher is slowly recovering from a serious illness. Mrs. H. P. Gill is convalescent, also.

Mr. & Mrs. O. T. Mason, accompanied by Mrs. Ellen Ingersoll, left Friday for Lake Chautauqua.

Mr. & Mrs. A. S. Stratton are visiting relatives in Indianapolis.

The funeral services of Mrs. Strong, were held from the late home, Monday afternoon. She was 91 yrs. old.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mrs. A. Wilson is still very ill.

Mrs. Haldane is entertaining nine Cleveland guests.

Miss Grace Blanchard intends to return this week to her home in Erie.

Mrs. Frank Garis is not improving as rapidly as her friends could wish.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye are entertaining summer boarders from Cleveland.

J. J. Strong and family are called to Madison by the death of Mr. Strong's mother.

Mrs. Jane Bower spent last Sat. with her daughter, Mrs. H. Booth and family, of Madison.

Miss May Frazer we are told will soon establish dress making parlors at the home of Dr. And Mrs. D. G. Proctor.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Spiegel and children, of Trumbull, were guests the past week at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Gottlieb Keener.

Mrs. Newton Malin passed away Aug. 14, at her home near Bostwick.

Mrs. O. S. Latimer, of Jefferson, has been the guest of her brother, and sister, Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam since last Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener had a son on the 14th instant. Mrs. E. Bower, of Trumbull is caring for the new baby.

George Welch, of New Castle, Pa., was at the home of Hon. & Mrs. E. J. Clapp, Wed.

Mr. Grant, of Willoughby, who has secured the contract from grading the Ledge hill has moved his family into Mr. Hanson Basquin's house and will begin work upon the hill at once.

Mrs. Margaret Marron, of Hartsgrove, is attending to household affairs at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Stevens. Mr. & Mrs. Stevens have been with Mrs. Elihu Stevens since the death of her husband.

The funeral of Mr. Elihu Stevens was held last Wed. in the M. E. Church. Mr. Stevens was born Nov. 23, 1840. He enlisted and fought in the Civil War.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Wright has returned from a visit to her daughter in Lakewood, Ohio.

Mr. B. Lowrey and wife are making a visit to their daughter in New Castle, Pa.

Mrs. E. Larned is visiting with the family of her son in Cleveland.

Rev. Fooshay and wife, of Lakewood, are spending a few weeks in town.

Mr. Frank Langdon, of N.Y. state is spending a few days with his old friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Geo. Haskell, of Bellevue, is a guest at the residence of A. J. Haskell.

Miss Cad Haskell is spending a few days with friends at Villa Beach, Cleveland.

Mr. Thos. Fitzpatrick and daughter, Mrs. J. A. Cleveland, have returned from their visit in Detroit, Mich.

## **Aug. 17, 1898**

Mr. Maynard Murray, of Cleveland, was a recent visitor in this place.

N. C. Frost and family have returned from their outing at Chautauqua Lake.

Miss Fitzpatrick, of Buffalo, is the guest of Mr. J. A. Cleveland, and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Spindle had a son last Wed.

Dr. L. H. Luse has returned from Orange and will resume his business this week.

The death and burial of Mrs. John Warren last week was startling news to many friends at Mentor.

The Woodruff family reunion was held at the residence of Mr. Ira Woodford of last week. It was the 10<sup>th</sup> annual gathering of the family. Over 60 members were present. Mr. Ira Woodford was elected president for the ensuing year, E. W. Woodruff, sec. and Prof. J. W. Pike, of Garrettsville, historian. The next reunion will be held the second week of August, 1899, at residence of Clinton Woodruff, Johnny Cake Ridge, Lake Co.

## **Aug. 24, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Injured at Fairport**

While the schooner J. J. Barlum was unloading coal at Fairport Friday afternoon, Captain McKeighan was struck on the head by a piece of coal which dropped from a bucket. He was knocked overboard into the river but was rescued by Frank Rankins, one of the sailors, who plunged in after him. He was placed in the Marine Hospital.

### **News from Company M**

Fernandina, Fla., Aug. 15, 1898

Sick of Company M are better – no new cases.

### **p. 2 Died Suddenly**

Mrs. Dianthia Bowen, age 82 yrs., died suddenly Friday noon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leslie, on Liberty street. The remains were taken to Elyria for burial.

**Police Court** - Michael Hayes and Tip Wilber, of Geneva, were arrested for intoxication.

## **Perry**

The Bartholomew family reunion was held at Hemlock Grove Saturday, Aug. 20<sup>th</sup>. Albert Bartholomew was elected president for the ensuing year.

Stephen Young and bride are visiting among their relatives in town.

Mrs. Joe Hommel and children, of Omaha, are spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Garry Lockwood.

Mr. & Mrs. Truman Wire, former residents of Perry, are in town for a short visit with Mr. Wire's brothers and sister. Mr. Wire is at present located at Grinnell.

The familiar face of our former townsman, G. Burr Turney, was seen in town Monday.

The Sinclair reunion which was held at the pleasant home of Solon Call on Thursday last, was well attended by a goodly number in spite of the rain. Mentioned: Mrs. Mary Harper and daughter, Carrie, of Cleveland; Mrs. Joe Hommel and children of Omaha; Jackson brothers, of Ashtabula; and Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech, of Newark.

## **Mentor**

Miss Slater, from New York state, is a guest at the L. L. Cook residence.

Mr. & Mrs. P. L. Curtiss are visiting with the family of her sister in Alpena, Mich.

Miss Anna Hutton, of Cleveland, has been spending a few days at the residence of B. A. Smith.

Mrs. A. Harrington, of the county seat, was spending the Sabbath with her sons.

Mrs. H. B. Van Cleve and children have taken a cottage at Salida Beach for several weeks.

Mrs. Allen, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting her friend, Mrs. Angier.

Mrs. Newman and Miss Lawrence, of Norwalk, are guests of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Mack. Mrs. Newman is sister of Mr. Mack.

Miss Florence Weed has returned from a visit with her brother and family in Kirtland.

C. L. Lamb, one of Mentor's carpenters, is doing work in Perry and Madison at present.

Mrs. Joshua Long and children, of Newton Falls, O., are visiting.

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Mr. Clarence Nowlen and wife who have been engaged in the Salvation Army work in South America and England, are visiting with his mother.

Miss Carrie Likens has returned from an extended visit in Ravenna and vicinity. She spent some time in camp at Muzzy Lake and is improved in health.

Miss Kate Blair, of Painesville, who has eight years been a missionary in India, will speak of her experiences at the M. E. Church.

### **Thompson**

Miss Kate McLean is visiting friends at North Madison.

Miss Huysman, of Delphos, who has been for several weeks the guest of Dr. & Mrs. W. P. Ellis returned to her home today.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Smith, of Chardon, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. R. M. Smith.

Mrs. John Proctor has spent the past two or three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Kethcum, at Middlefield.

Mr. J. L. Smith, accompanied by his son John, recently attended his regimental reunion held at Akron.

Mr. & Mrs. Binnig, of Perry, and Mr. Burton Keener, of Cleveland, were guests last week of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

Mr. A. Exceen was called to Painesville Sat. by the illness of his daughter, Mrs. Bowhall.

Mr. Rupert Beetham, who has been the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Beetham, attended Harrison Co. teachers' institute held last week at Freeport.

Mrs. A. L. Loomis recently enjoyed a pleasant visit from her son, Mr. Ray Loomis, and wife, of Trumbull.

Miss Blanche Hollett, of Chardon, is visiting her many young friends at this place.

Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Cole and daughter, who recently returned from a two-week sojourn at Chautauqua, and Miss Eliza Hulbert are guests of Mrs. R. M. Garis.

Mr. Louis Becker, of Clinton, who has been spending some time in Michigan, is making his

annual visit with the family of his sister, Mrs. J. L. Smith.

The annual reunion of the Pfeifer family will be held Sept. 1, at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Myron Bower, of West Trumbull.

The Atkins family reunion will be Aug. 31, at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Strong, of Huntsburg.

Mr. & Mrs. John Reigert, of West Trumbull leave this week for Warren to attend the Moser family reunion.

Austin Wilbur, wife and daughter are enjoying a visit to Chautauqua.

Mrs. S. O. Lattimer returned to Jefferson last week.

Mr. & Mrs. W. Jewell have removed to south side of Ledge to avoid the flying stone at times of blasting. He is going to build a home on the land he recently purchased of Mr. W. D. Will.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. N. Malin were held last Tuesday in Congregational Church.

Mr. & Mrs. George Furgison had an infant child die.

The bad weather prevented the Hulbert family from enjoying an outdoor reunion. Names mentioned:

### **Of Troy:**

Hulbert, Rev. N. E.

Hulbert, Miss Myra

### **Of Cleveland:**

Meeker, Mr.

Hulbert, Miss Eliza

### **Of Jackson, Mich.**

Mathew, Mrs. G. A.

### **Of Painesville:**

Tillotson, Dr. L.H.

Cole, Mrs. L. A.

Officers for the new year: Frank Mathews, Hoyt Hulbert, Rev. N. E. Hulbert. The next reunion will be at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Mathews, South Madison.

### **South Thompson**

Mary and Susie Morehouse, of Ashtabula, are visiting at their grandparents.

The Moore reunion will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Vogel, Sept. 1.

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George Jackson, of Chester, was visiting relatives in town and Montville last week.

The men from this neighborhood had a bee for Mr. Henretty last Monday and hauled all his hay and oats.

Miss Grace Stevens entertained about 30 of her young friends recently.

Peter Rice, of Hartsgrove, is staying at Joe Sidley's for a few weeks.

Earl Burroughs visited in Munson over Sunday. Miss Grace Webb, of Claridon, is a guest of Mrs. Minnie Vogel.

Mrs. George Vogel has a daughter visiting her from Bedford.

Frank Morse, of LeRoy, visited his cousin, Ray Morse, a few days last week.

The third annual reunion of the Fritinger-Ishee families was held at the home of Mr. B. E. Naughton, at South Thompson Aug. 13, 1898. The next reunion will be Aug. 14, 1899, at L. Eaton's Hampden, Ohio. Susie E. Naughton, secretary.

The 15<sup>th</sup> annual reunion of the Whitney family was held at the home of John Morse, South Thompson, Aug. 11. There were about 70 present. Officers for next year: Franz Whitney; Mrs. Everett, V. E. Whitney. The next reunion will be held at C. L. Whitney's, in Warren, the second Thursday in August. Mentioned: Prof. Whitney and family, of Chicago; C. L. Whitney and family; Frank Tucker and family, of Warren; and L. E. Whitney, of Chagrin Falls. A picture of the family was taken.

Mrs. Frank Morgan and son visited at Mr. Carhen's Sunday.

Mrs. Wrisley and Roll Stephens and family attended the Stevens reunion at Damon last Thursday.

The Grover reunion was held at Eugene Skinner's last Thursday. The weather was unpleasant and only twenty were present.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 24:

### **Ladies**

Barber, Miss Luella

Ferguson, Miss Nellie

Jones, Kate D.

Jones, Mrs. William Henry.

McCue, Mrs. Emma

McIlray, Mrs. David

Shappee, Mrs. Viola

### **Gentlemen**

Dickens, Clayton,

Robinson, J. H.

Way, Geo. M.

Wood, John

### **Madison**

Mr. Stephen Emery, who has been in the employ of the Madison Mercantile Co. for the past three years, left Sat. night to engage in his profession elsewhere.

The Misses Gertrude Carnahan and Anna Barnes, Mrs. David Van Vaulkenberg and H. N. Kimball take in the Niagara Falls excursion on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.

The Misses Georgia Phinney and Nettie Beard were the guests of Madison friends over Sunday and Monday.

Miss Melva Latham is at her old home for a short visit and entertained Miss Belle Barnum, of Cleveland, over Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Strong intend to make Colorado their permanent home. They expect to leave for Sandy Lake where Rev. Mr. Strong will preach in two weeks.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Nettie Baker, of Berea, are guests of Miss Libbie Harrington.

Mrs. Nettie Strong and two daughters, of Milwaukee, will arrive here Sept. 1 and will make their future home with Mrs. Strong's parents, Mr. & Mrs. C. John Clair.

Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Kimball and daughter are the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Dayton at their home in Buffalo.

H. N. Kimball is in Circleville, N.Y., this week attending the weddings of two old college friends.

Mrs. W. T. S. Culp has been confined to her room by illness and the past week, but is recovering slowly.

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Miss Ethel Forbes gave a picnic party to her young friends at their camp on the lake last Sat., it being her 14<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Master Whitney Bollard celebrated his sixth birthday last Wed. with a birthday party at his home on Lake street. Miss Antoinette Walding also celebrated her sixth birthday.

### **Little Mountain**

The Reynolds and Phelps reunion was held at the residence of Mortimer L. Reynolds, on Tuesday, Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>. The Way family reunion was held on Aug. 17<sup>th</sup>, at the residence of Kilbourn F. Way.

The 18<sup>th</sup> birthday of Miss Mary Reynolds, eldest daughter of John W. Reynolds, occurred on Aug. 18<sup>th</sup>. A party in her honor met at her residence in the evening.

Mrs. Dr. R. S. Lord, of Springfield, Ill., and Mrs. Samuel Reynolds, returned from a visit to Southington, Trumbull Co., on the 19<sup>th</sup>. While at Southington, they attended the reunion of the Chalker and Norton families, also the Hurd family reunion. Mrs. Lord is intending to return to her home on 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Baby Martinson, the ten months old, son of Otta Martinson, died Tuesday morning of cholera infantum.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Cook, of Stockwell street, a son, Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>.

Licenses have been issued in the Probate Court for the marriage of Hal B. Wildman and Annie B. McLean; Thos. Chapman and Alice Sinclair.

Private Fred Bottin of Company M returned to Painesville last week from Fernandina. He was granted a discharge on account of his health.

Mrs. C. F. Bishop, of Wood street, invited a large number of her friends to her home Friday evening to witness the blossoming of a beautiful night blooming cereus.

Lightning struck a tent on Gen. Clark's farm in North Madison, Wednesday, and shocked one of the occupants. His wheel was standing near and

several spokes were melted, besides doing other damage.

C. B. Holt, of this city, a brakeman on the P&W had his ankle badly sprained by falling from a car at Chardon Thursday.

Mr. Frank Heath, of Ashtabula, was in town Sat. and with officer May was looking for a horse stolen from Heath's stable on the 17<sup>th</sup>.

Margarette Finneran, the 6-yr. old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. C. C. Finneran died Sunday morning.

Jacob Shaughnessy, age 84 yrs., a resident of Johnny Cake Ridge, died Sunday from a cancer, after a confinement of about three months.

Mr. Clifford Grauel, bugler for the 5<sup>th</sup> Regiment, arrived home Monday on a twenty days' furlough. "Chub" felt the fever coming on and thought best of leave for the north before it got too much of a hold on him.

### **A Wedding, Reception and Farewell**

At the home of Mr. & Mrs. Freeman Gates, 116 East Washington street, a quiet wedding took place on Monday when Miss Lulu Belle Gates, the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Gates, was married to Mr. Morris Wellington Ehnes, of London, Ont. A farewell reception was given to Mr. & Mrs. Ehnes as they start for Africa to engage in missionary work near the east coast.

### **Personals**

Mr. W. D. Austin is recovering from a short illness.

Mr. Chas. Pitcher, of Elyria, was in town Monday evening.

Mrs. Louis Malin, Park Place is recovering from a short illness.

Mrs. John Harmon, of Warren, O., is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Austin.

Mrs. L. W. Ely, of Mentor Ave., is confined to the house by illness.

Jay Proctor is visiting his cousin, Egbert Tinklepaugh, of Burton Station.

Miss Saunders, of St. Paul, is the guest of Miss Tisdell, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Jennie Armsey, of Jackson street, left Thursday for Grafton, W. Va.

Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Hillis arrived home from Winona Lake, Ind., Tuesday night.

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Mr. W. B. Treat leaves this week for Two Harbors, Mich., and the Minnesota Iron Range.

Mr. Vaughn E. Wyman returned from a pleasure trip to Mackinac Thursday evening.

Mrs. F. H. Briggs and children, of Cleveland, are the guests of friends in town.

Mrs. P. M. Porter, of Elyria, who has been at Little Mountain this summer, is at The Parmlly for a few days.

Mr. Lewis J. Wood Esq, went to Fremont, O, Tuesday where he will spend a few days with the Ottawa Club.

Miss Adda Mathews returned from Toledo Thursday, where she has spent five weeks, the guest of Mrs. H. W. Card.

Mr. Isaac Newman, of Fairport, leaves for New York and Boston Wed., the 15<sup>th</sup>, to purchase fall and winter goods.

Guy Wyman and Ralph Gregory left Sunday for a two weeks wheel trip through New York and Pennsylvania.

Miss Cora Doolittle and Miss Clarke, of Cleveland, who have been visiting friends and relatives in town, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. M. Luce and Mrs. J. Amidon have gone to Ashtabula and Conneaut to be the guests of friends there for two weeks.

Mrs. C. A. Shaw and children returned to their home in Canton Thursday.

The Misses Louise and Georgia Smith left Sat. for a two week visit with their sister, Mrs. Geo A. Pulis, in Austinburg.

Mr. & Mrs. W. R. Radcliffe returned Sunday evening from Chardon where they attended the funeral of Mr. Radcliffe's grandmother.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Curtiss, of Bank street and Miss Cora Curphey attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Radcliffe at Chardon, Sunday.

Mrs. Evan Thomas, Mrs. A. J. Harris and son and daughter, of Fairport, left Aug. 17th to visit relatives in West Virginia for a few weeks.

Mr. Homer Smith, of Fobes street, is confined to his room with typhoid fever. He is recovering as rapidly as possible under the care of Dr. Carmedy.

The Central Hotel at Lorain was destroyed by fire last week.

The Misses Eugenia and Sadie Storrs returned home Sat. from Utica, N.Y., where they have been studying chemistry for the past six weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Wetmore and daughter are visiting at the home of Mr. E. W. Thorley, on East Erie street.

George E. Winsor, recently arrested in Ashtabula, plead guilty to obtaining money under false pretenses.

Columbiana farmers think they have a bonanza in the willow brush that heretofore they have looked upon as a nuisance. It is in demand to make charcoal for gunpowder.

Mrs. A. H. Adams, of Buffalo, accompanied by Miss Della Adams, who has been visiting Mrs. G. E. Stevenson the past week, left Tuesday for Chicago and Peoria, Ill.

Miss Anna McMillen, who has been the guest of Miss Carrie Landphair for some time, went to Lane Tuesday where she will be the guest of Mr. H. W. Littlefield and family.

Mr. & Mrs. W. R. Kissick, Mrs. Ellen Kissick, and Mrs. Ralph Critchly, of Cleveland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtiss, of Bank street, Sat. evening.

Mrs. T. C. Strong and son, Louis, who were the guests of Mrs. Alice Jones, of State street, returned Sunday to their home in Ashtabula. Miss Hazel Jones returned with them.

Mr. Bartlett Palmer, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his fiancée, Miss Louise Tibbetts, of Boston, who is passing the summer with Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Richardson, of Grant street.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech, of Newark, who are spending the summer at Mrs. Keech's former home in Perry, were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Tuttle, of State street, Sunday.

Dr. J. H. Quayle, Ex-Sheriff Barber, of Madison and Capt. J. E. Post and Mr. Henry Smart, of Painesville, who were to comprise a party for a lake trip a few days ago, did not leave until Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Simpson, of Cleveland, and her son, L. G. Simpson, of Boston, Mass., who have been visiting Mrs. C. R. H. Stickney, of Mentor Ave., have returned to their respective houses.

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Mr. J. J. Thomson, of Lane, left Tuesday for New Rockfork, Dak., to look after his interests in a wheat ranch in the Devil's Lake District.

In sliding from a load of hay the other day, Reuben, the young son of Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Whitney, of Kingsville, became impaled on a pitchfork, one of the tines entering his mouth and passing through his cheek.

This week S.P.M. leaves Cleveland for Salem, O. where he will visit his brother-in-law, Dr. A. S. Hayden and family.

Mrs. Alfaretta Janke formerly a student at Mrs. Mathews' School, now at the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, was visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Walter Riker has been confined to her room since Sat. with an attack of quinsy.

Mayor Robert E. McKisson, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at Director Norton's cottage at the Headlands.

Mr. V. E. Strong, of North St. Clair street, spent Sunday with his family leaving this morning for Detroit, Mich.

Miss Edna Jones, of Jackson street, who has been spending the summer in Warren arrived home Monday.

Mr. Louis F. Griswold, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Griswold, of Liberty street.

Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Shattuck and daughter returned Sat. from an outing of a week at Chautauqua.

### Neighborhood News

Lightning recently killed 26 sheep from C. M. Streetor, of Shalersville, Ohio.

Louis Huff, an Ashtabula saloon keeper was fined \$100 and costs for selling liquor on Sunday.

Stark County produces more celery than any other in the state, Wayne coming next in the list.

Harry Picket, a Huntsburgh boy, died in Chicago a few days ago, from the effects of an injury on the railroad.

O. W. Swift, of Kingsville, threshed 418 bushels of wheat from 15 acres this season.

A barn belonging to a Mr. Seifert in Sheffield township was struck by lightning and burned last Wednesday.

Homer Strong, of North Kingsville, lost the sight of one eye destroyed last week, having been hit by a piece of watermelon rind thrown by careless boys.

### Y.M.C.A. Committees

The president Mr. J. W. Gage announced the committees for the new year:

#### Religious Meetings:

Blackmore, Frank  
Littlejohn, Frank  
Smith, Homer  
Dayton, J. E.  
Higgins, C. O.

#### Membership Committee:

Littlejohn, F. W.  
Kerr, F. L.  
Pratt, Foss  
Moodey, Harry  
Dow, Frank

Tisdell, Clayton  
Harrington, John

#### Lecture Course:

Bartlett, S. H.  
Littlejohn, F. W.  
Kintner, E. E.  
Kendall, F. H.  
Blackmore, Frank  
Woodford, Arthur  
Avery, F. B.

#### Building Committee:

Tisdell, W. C.  
Stocking, C. H.  
Austin W. C.

#### Finance Committee:

Radcliffe, W. R.  
Tisdell, W. C.  
Littlejohn F. W.  
Reynolds, A. G.  
Searl, F. A.

#### Rooms Committee:

Frost, F. M.  
Searl, F. A.  
Billings, S. C.

#### Gymnasium Committee:

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Austin, W. C.  
Davis, George  
Moodey, Harry  
Warren, F. L.  
Blakely, E. F.

### **Music Committee:**

Littlejohn, Frank  
Melton, F. D.  
Stocking, Wm.  
Lord, Albin  
Babcock, Ralph  
Thompkins, W. Frank

### **Social Committee:**

Kerr, F. L.  
Reynolds, A. G.  
Langley, Lowry  
Grant, G. G.  
Billings, S. C.  
Rich, John  
Nye, Harry  
Davis, Victor

### **Educational Committee:**

Skeele, Arthur F.  
Harper, Robert  
Green Jr., Charles

### **The New Library Building**

The people of our village will be glad to know that the contract is signed and within a few days work will be commenced on our new library building at the corner of Phelps and St. Clair street. The contract calls for completion of the building Dec. 25. For some time, it has been an open secret that the benefactor of the gift of the library was Mr. J. H. Morley, of Cleveland. The library is to be called the Morley Library and is built in the memory of Mr. Morley's father and mother, Mr. & Mrs. Albert Morley, who for many years lived in the homestead now occupied by Mr. C. A. Carpenter.

### **Assistant Elected**

The Board of Education elected an assistant in the High School to fill Mr. Wood's place, who resigned to accept a position in Willoughby. Mr. Roy A. Tuttle will fill the vacant position.

### **The Crofoot Reunion**

The Crofoot annual reunion was held on the Chamberlain farm on the road between Bass Lake and Chardon. Officers elected for the following year: C. M. Hemenway; Arthur Tanswell, Geo. Crofoot, I. W. Crofoot. The next reunion will be at the home of Mr. C. H. Hemenway, in Painesville.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Loveland, Addie D.  
Moore, Charlie S.  
Moore, Carrie A.

#### **Perry Township**

Stinchcomb, Thos. E. J.  
West, Robt. S.

#### **Concord**

Nye, Henry C.  
Burrige, Eleazer

#### **Painesville Township**

Scott, Chalmer J.  
Barnes Co.  
Scott, C. J.  
Scott, Chalmer J.

#### **Richmond Village Lots**

Scott, Calmer J.  
Barnes Co.

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Scott, Chalmer J.  
Barnes Co.

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Scott, Chalmer J.  
Barnes Co.  
Barnes, Harley  
Clayton, Wm.  
Bond, Clara M.  
Morley, C. T.  
Radcliffe, Chas. T.

#### **Willoughby Village**

Austin, Susie S.  
Wason, C. W.

### **Probate Court**

Warren, Eva Carpenter – will probated; election of widower



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Jones, William H. – will probated  
Warner, Elbridge O. – petition filed  
Stoughton, Charlotte – will probated  
Thompson, Henry W. – petition filed to sell real estate and order of appraisal filed  
Scofield, Nancy A. – first account  
Woodruff, Daniel E. – cause dismissed  
Wilson, Ray W. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Williamson, Sherman L. – guardianship; Thankful L. Williamson appointed guardian  
Alexander, Justin – report of private sale filed  
Andrew J. McCue vs F. A. Hungerford – answer filed  
Cole, Hezekiah – waiver of notice; report of sale filed  
Warren, Eva Carpenter - declination of one of the executors J. C. Carpenter, to act; M. W. Carpenter, the other executor, will act  
Kropuri, Jacob – application for appointment of guardian filed  
Whitney, Samuel F. – fourth account filed  
Coddig, Burt – marriage license  
Johnson, Sarah – marriage license  
Ehnes, Morris W. – marriage license  
Gates, Lulu Bell – marriage license

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Eliza Ann Ingersoll vs Geo. W. Ingersoll; equitable relief; money and injunction  
Asa S. Stratton vs Thos. P. Corlett; money only  
Lettie B. Holmes vs Joseph Holmes; divorce, gross neglect, alimony  
E. R. Densmore vs Perry Brower; appeal from J. P.

### The New Salvation Army Farm Colony at Mentor Formally Opened – Named Fort Herrick

The new Salvation Army farm at Mentor was formally opened Sunday in the presence of over 2,000 Salvantionists and their friends at the dedication. The Mentor farm colony comprises a tract of about 280 acres of land. Six families now occupy cottages on the farm.

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### p. 1 Neighborhood News

Hubbard brick works have been abandoned.

Poland Township, Mahoning Co., is one of the three places in Ohio where free rural delivery is being tried.

The recent damage to the Parkman M. E. Church by lightning was adjusted by the insurance company at \$325.

F. J. Skinner, a respected citizen of Geneva died last Wed. from injuries received when thrown from a buggy.

John Matson, of Ashtabula Harbor, was fined \$50 and sixty days in the workhouse for resisting an officer last week.

Officer John Goodenough, of Ravenna, has been doing police duty for 14 yrs. and has placed over 2,000 men behind bars.

Rev. Robert Hill has resigned his pastorate at the First Baptist church at Cherry Valley and will act as permanent editor of the *Ashtabula Daily Record*.

Eastern capitalists are building an evaporator works at Orangeville. They will evaporate all kinds of fruits, especially apples.

The Ashtabula Baptist Church was consumed in flames Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup>. The fire is believed to be of an incendiary origin as there has been much trouble among the members and the late Pastor, Rev. Hall, who was dismissed from the church about two weeks ago.

### Fortieth Anniversary

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Drake occurred on the 22<sup>nd</sup> and they were given a surprise party.

Arrangements were made for holding an annual reunion of the Wheeler family, and W. A. Wheeler was chosen to preside; Mrs. Henry Child, secretary; Miss Lucy Griswold, treasurer.

Visit the Canadian International Fair at Toronto; special train excursion to Niagara Falls will make stops between Cleveland and Conneaut Sept. 7.

### Pioneer Picnic

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The annual gathering of Lake Co. pioneers occurred Sat. at Burr ridge's grove in Mentor. The weather was cold but 300 were present. The following officers were elected for next year:

Burr ridge, Capt. E. - President

Luse, Dr. L. H. - Secretary

Taylor, W. A. - Treasurer

### **Vice Presidents**

Olds, Eli

Thompson, John

Hickok, S. C.

Cleveland, E. H.

Merrill, J. H.

Lace, Chas.

Doncaster, J. W.

Williams, Alexander

### **Drowned at Picnic**

Grove P. Curtis, a young man 20 yrs. old, son of Charles Curtis, of Kirtland, drowned at Willoughbeach Thursday. He was among the Kirtland Congregational Sunday School picnickers at the beach, and being an excellent swimmer, went in bathing. The lake was quite rough and suddenly he disappeared. Friends went to the rescue but it was too late. Mr. Theodore Curtis, of this place, is an uncle of the unfortunate young man.

### **Concord**

Mr. Robert Corlett spent Sabbath in Cleveland with his daughter, Mrs. Correll Merrell.

Miss Minnie Chapman spent ten days in Trumbull recently attending the family reunion on the 20<sup>th</sup>.

Miss Gertrude Eminger leaves Concord soon to fill a position in the County Infirmary.

Mrs. Allen, of Cleveland, was the guest last week of her cousin, Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Miss Gould, of Toledo, who was visiting her uncle, Mr. Harmon Manley and family, was suddenly called home because of her father's illness.

Miss Blanche Murray leaves home this week for Martinsville, Ill., to visit a former school friend.

Miss Alice Stillman and her brother, Murray Stillman, returned last week to their home in Minneapolis.

Miss Ella A. Aull and Mrs. Elizabeth Holland, of Pittsburg, were guests last week of Miss Margaret Murray.

### **Thompson**

Mrs. Harms, of Buffalo, is a guest at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. Pike, of South Madison.

Mrs. Margaret Marrow and son, Frank of Hartsgrove, were guests yesterday of Mrs. Elihu Stevens.

Mrs. George Somers and two children, of Cleveland, arrived today at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener, where they will spend a week or more.

H. H. Gilbreath and his mother attended Battery C reunion held at Painesville last week.

Mrs. Mary Blanchard, of Erie, is enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. F. W. Leonard, and sister, Mrs. A. M. Stocking.

Mrs. Clara Wintersteen, of Hartsgrove, called upon friends at this place last week.

Mrs. West, of Chardon, and Mr. Parker, of Jefferson, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Davis.

George Murphy, of North Madison made a business trip through here last week.

Mrs. Lyttle, of Cleveland, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Smith

Mrs. W. H. Behm and three daughters were guests last Friday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Nye of Madison, visited Thompson relatives last Thursday.

Mrs. Clayton Sanford, of Windsor, is the guest of her sister, Miss Bessie Mathews, of South Thompson.

Miss Margaret Radcliffe, of Chardon, visited Thompson friends last week.

Mrs. Gotleib Keener, together with Mrs. Lena Woodin and daughter, visited Unionville friends recently.

Miss Jeanette Bingham, of Chardon, recently spent several weeks with the family of her brother, Mr. George Bingham.

C. G. Keener, wife and twins spent last Monday with Mr. & Mrs. George Binnig, of Perry.

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Mrs. H. Pike and daughter, of South Madison, accompanied by their guest, Miss Harms, were guests one day last week at the home of Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Chaffee.

Dr. D. G. Proctor went to Ashtabula last Thursday to pay his respects to his new granddaughter, who arrived recently at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. Smith.

W. C. VanGorder and family spent last Thursday with relatives at North Madison.

Mr. Daniels, of Footville, was in town last Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. W. Bower are visiting relatives at Trumbull and this place.

Mr. George Bingham spent three days of the past week in Cleveland.

R. B. Chaffee and family recently visited relatives at South Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. S. U. Grant and son are guests of Mr. George Bingham and family.

Mrs. R. M. Garris drove to Trumbull last Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Cole, of Painesville, who was taken seriously ill one week since while visiting at the home of Mr. Cole's parents at Trumbull.

Miss Ida Nicols, of Trumbull, who is in the employ of Mrs. Christoph Ernst, is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia. She will be taken to her home and a younger sister will take her place with Mrs. Ernst.

Mr. George Bingham and family and Mr. A. Dickerman and daughter, Nellie, are riding in a fine new surrey.

Mrs. Isaiah Phelps, of East LeRoy, is reported seriously ill. Mrs. Phelps is the mother of Mr. D. L. Phelps, of this place.

### **p. 2 Mentor**

Capt. Fitzpatrick and daughter, Mrs. J. A. Cleveland, are visiting in Buffalo.

Miss Pearl Campbell, of Buffalo, is the guest of Miss Cleveland, and Mrs. J. Burton Warren.

Miss Starr, of Hudson, sister of Dr. Starr was the guest of Wm. Starr and family last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Cadle have returned from a visit to Niagara, Toronto and other points.

Mrs. John Radcliffe, of Hersey, Mich., has been visiting with her relatives in this place.

Miss Lizzie Bletcher, of Cleveland, has been visiting at the residence of B. A. Smith.

Misses Frankie and Mollie Titus, of Alpena, Mich., are visiting at the residence of their uncle, Mr. P. Curtiss.

Mr. Sayles Coles, of Belleville, Mich., was calling on friends here last week.

Mr. Martin Hopkins was attending the Democratic convention in Dayton the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Hart, of Mercer, Pa., were in town last week, having made the trip on their wheels.

Mr. Christopher Canfield, Chardon, O., has been visiting with his relatives the Kerr family.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Parmenter, of Bowling Green, Ohio, have been the guests of Eleazer Parker and family for a number of days.

Mr. E. M. Green, of Orange, New Jersey, on his way westward to enjoy the game season, stopped off at Mentor to visit relatives.

Rev. & Mrs. J. M. Keck stopped for a short time on Mackinac Island.

Rev. Herman Burns, of the Painesville Baptist Church, will address the Union Temperance Meeting at the M. E. Church.

Miss Minnie Shearer has returned to her home in Bay City, Mich., and was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. E. Larned, who will spend the winter there.

Masters Harry and Fred Larned, of Cleveland, are visiting their relatives in town.

Mr. Alfred Armstrong, of Claridon, called on old friends the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Merriman, of Sandusky, O., were recent visitors at the home of A. J. Haskell.

Mr. & Mrs. David Gulliford visited in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Cummings and daughter, of Petrolia, Pa., are guests at Capt. Burridge's home.

Mrs. B. E. Helman and Mrs. Harmony Taylor, of Cleveland, have been guests for a few days at the home of W. J. Spaulding.

Miss Margaret Pamelee is back from a short visit with relatives in Chardon.

Among those attending the yearly meeting of the Disciple Church in Chardon were:

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Kemm, Rev. E. B.

Root, Miss Lydia

Rose, Miss Florence

Lowe, Dr. & Mrs.

Justus, Mr. & Mrs. S.

Dilley, Mr. & Mrs.

Mr. Clarence Smith, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the home of Jos. Sawyer.

### **Perry**

Rev. John Cary, of Cleveland, was in town Sunday the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. F. Haskell.

Mrs. Alma Gibbs Norton, of Lansing, Mich., arrived in town Thursday for a visit with her parents.

Clayton Johnson, of Andover, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Chapman.

Mrs. O. C. Pinney and son, Wallace, were visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery, last week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech, who have spent the past month with friends in town, left of Newark Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Cowdery and Mrs. Golden attended the Disciple's yearly meeting at Chardon last week.

Mrs. Emma Gaylord, of your city, spent Sunday with the family of her brother, John Harper.

Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Barnes and daughter, Marjorie, were visiting in town last week.

The funeral of Mrs. Lydia Stephens occurred at the Baptist Church on Sunday.

There was a reunion of the Wire brothers on the 19<sup>th</sup> instant here in Perry. Samuel, Truman, Theodore, and William and one sister, Amanda met. Three of the brothers live in Perry. Truman lives in Grennell, Iowa. No disagreement has ever broken the brotherly tie.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Aug. 31:

### **Ladies**

Crandall, Mrs. J. J.

Ewing, Miss Susie

King, Ella

Swink, Carrie

Wooden, Miss Georgie

West, Miss Cora

### **Gentlemen**

Anderson, John C.

Brown, Wm.

Brown, U. C.

Calahan, J P.

Cash, Herman

Hurd, Geo.

McHammon, Mr.

Nordhoff, Joe

Richards, Geo.

Radcliffe, E. L.

Steets, H.

Smith, Jno. W.

Wright, C.

### **Descendant of a King**

When Lieut. Jules G. Ord fell before Santiago, fighting with the American army, there died a descendant of a king of England. His grandfather was the son of George IV. The family has been known in America for a century. The first to come here was James Ord, a naval constructor of great ability, who was accompanied by a young man he called his nephew, but who was really the son of George IV, king of England. This boy, who took the name of James Ord, founded the house of the name in this country. He was the father of Judge Pacificos Ord, an eminent jurist in California, who is now living at 1827 I street, N.W. Washington, and Dr. James Ord, who lives in Maryland and whose resemblance to the prince of Wales has made him famous; as well as Gen. Edward O. C. Ord, who distinguished himself in the civil war.

Edwin J. Beardsley is the administrator of William Lloyd, deceased, late of Willoughby, Lake Co., Ohio.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

E. F. Ensign, an aged and life-long business man of Madison, died very suddenly at his home Monday of heart failure.

Thos. Moore, who was charged with assaulting Lew Demining Saturday night, was acquitted in court Monday.

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Alex. Thoires had his hand amputated Monday. He had injured it in the yards at Richmond last week.

Mr. L. Andre, of Jackson street, received a fine speckled brook trout Friday from his nephew, Leon Temple, Pennsylvania.

The eight-month-old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Bert Taylor, of E. Erie street, died Sunday.

Mrs. Gorman, of the gypsy van that was around town the past week, was arrested Wed. by Marshal Connell on the charge of assault and battery. She had defrauded a poor wash woman of \$1.50 which she had earned in washing for them. The woman they were searching for could not be found, but during the search, a woman came out of a wagon and assaulted the wash woman, cutting her lip and injuring her.

### **Personals**

Miss Blanche Wolff and Miss Klara Davies are visiting in Youngstown.

Miss Louise Moseley is visiting friends in Perry, Madison and Geneva.

Miss Florence Straight, of Cleveland, is a guest of Miss Searl, of Mentor Ave.

Mr. F. G. Salkeld, treasurer of Perry township, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. C. H. Frank, of the National Bank, is attending the Omaha Exposition this week.

Rev. A. J. Land and wife and two sons, of Fremont, O., are guests of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. W. Alvord.

Mr. & Mrs. Allen Carpenter and Miss Helen Pratt left Thursday for a trip up the lakes.

Mr. Seldie Chapman, of Chapman & Heartwell, went to N.Y. to purchase a fall stock of goods.

Mr. Chas. D. Stewart, of Cleveland, who has many friends in this city, has returned home from Scotland.

Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Sutherland attended the funeral of Mr. Sutherland's sister in Ashtabula Thursday.

Miss Irene Greene returned Friday from a two-month outing at New Haven, Conn.

Miss Anna Malin, of the Park is recuperating after a long illness on the Wass farm on Johnnycake Ridge.

Mr. & Mrs. Homer C. Nellis, of Piqua, O., are the guests of Mrs. E. E. Gould, E. Erie street, for a few weeks.

The Misses Mary and Ethel McDonald, of Cleveland, are the guests of the Misses Harrington, of Washington street.

Bert Means and Franz Warner left Sat. by boat for Detroit, and from there will go on a wheel trip through Canada for a week.

Miss Florence Stockwell, who has been spending a month in Southern Ohio, left Monday for Erie, Pa. to attend the wedding of Miss Gertrude Ormsbee.

Mr. & Mrs. Gail G. Grant left for New York Monday for a few weeks. Mr. Grant will purchase a fall stock of goods.

Miss Mary Hillis, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Percy Hillis, left last week for New Lyme, O., where they will attend school. Miss Klara Frank and Miss Louise Hoffman returned home Sat. evening from Toledo where they have been the guests of Miss Cora Skinner for several weeks.

Mrs. H. B. Smith, of Buffalo, Mrs. F. E. Ingram and daughter, of Lorain; Mrs. C. E. Tyler, of Lakewood, O; and Mr. & Mrs. A. S. Drake, of Cleveland, were here Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. W. B. Slocum.

### **A Quiet Wedding**

Mr. S. Fremont McDonald, of Ashtabula, and Miss Maude Harrington were united in marriage last Friday at the home of the bride on Washington street. Rev. Mr. Curry, of Cleveland, an uncle of the bride, officiated. They will live in Ashtabula.

### **Death of W. B. Slocum**

Mr. W. B. Slocum died this morning at the family residence, corner of Erie and Richmond streets. He had been confined to his room nearly nine weeks with a severe attack of pneumonia. This developed into congestion of the brain, which was the immediate cause of death. He was 66 yrs. old and had been a resident of Painesville for 41 yrs. He was a contractor and

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builder. Besides a wife, he leaves four children: Mrs. Drake, of Cleveland; Mary and Katherine, of Painesville; and W. R. Slocum, of Cleveland.

### **Called Home**

Died at the home of her parents, 537 Erie street, Sunday, August 21, Margaret Irene, youngest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. C. C. Finneran, age 6 yrs. and 7 months.

### **Married**

George Haffell and Alice Drummond, both of Perry, at the Disciple parsonage, Aug. 25.

Charles E. King and Marion G. Elwell, at the home of the bride's parents on East Main street, Aug. 25.

### **Fort Thomas**

Homer Harper Esq. has just returned from Fort Thomas, Ky., where with Mr. H. W. Blakely, of Madison, he has been for part of this week. These gentlemen arrived at the hospital early Wed. to ascertain the whereabouts and condition of Mr. E. F. Blakely, who had been taken from Fernandina, Fla., and transferred to Kentucky hospital. He was finally located in a part of the hospital set aside for typhoid fever patients. He is improving and if that continues, he may be moved in two or three weeks.

### **The Plains Reunion**

A reunion of all residents of the Plains, old and new, will be held at the Plains on Thursday, Sept. 1. Mrs. Mary Campbell Cladding, of Windsor, has accepted an invitation to be present and address the gathering, also other local talent. A basket dinner will be served in which all are urgently solicited to participate.

### **A Good Horse**

Mr. C. A. Hine returned Friday from a week's trip through Indiana and Illinois where he purchased a fine imported 2,000-pound black Percheron stallion of M. W. Dunham, of Wayne, Ill., the largest breeder and importer in American.

Breed & Barber is the name of a new firm in Painesville. They have purchased the insurance business formerly carried on by A. A. Lee & Co. and will continue underwriting in all of its branches. N. T. Breed, a former Mentor man, and Mr. E. D. Barber, late of Wahpeton, N.D., will take possession Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>.

John Kane was arrested for the third time in a few months for intoxication and creating a disturbance. He resisted the officer but with help was landed in jail. James McCarthy was in a fight with him and had several big gashes cut in his face and required 27 stitches.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Painesville Township**

Ambler, Wm.

Carpenter, Carrie M.

#### **Madison Village**

Brooks, Lonson A.

Brooks, Sarah J.

#### **LeRoy**

Mason, Fred

Potts, George

### **Probate Court**

King, Alexander – first and final account

Cummings, Henry – Henry H. Cummings appointed adm.; final report filed

Warner, Elbridge, O. – motion filed for removal of executors

Pike, John D. – order of private sale issued

Foote, Arthur W. – marriage license

Shelden, Ethel – marriage license

King, Charles E. – marriage license

Elwell, Marian B. – marriage license

Belden, Emily – distribution account filed

Frisbie, Sedenia S. – I. S. Childs appointed adm.; final report filed

Kupari, Jacob – John Tuuri appointed guardian

Adams, George N. – marriage license

Koss, Lizzie J. -marriage license

Happel, George – marriage license

Drummond, Alice – marriage license

McDonald, S. Fremont – marriage license

Harrington, Maud – marriage license

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Dyke, William J. – marriage license

Taylor, Hattie L. – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

A. W. Kelley vs The Perfect Curtain Rod Novelty Co. – land and money

Jessie Richardson vs. the Perfect Curtain Rod and Novelty Co. – foreclosure; lien and equitable relief

### **Gone Home**

Lydia T. Stephens passed away at her home in Perry, O., Aug. 25, 1898. She was born at Troy, Pa., April 6, 1843. When six months old, she was brought by her parents to Ohio. Her life has been spent in Perry since she was two years old. She had poor health since she was 20 yrs. old. The last sickness continued for more than a year.

### **A Reunion**

The Consaul reunion met Aug. 24 with Mrs. T. C. Radcliffe, of Mentor. A dinner was served under a tent on the lawn belonging to W. H. Johnson. From out of town”

#### **Adrian, Mich.**

Consaul, Mrs. Lewis

Consaul, Mary

#### **Toledo, O.**

Consaul, Mr. & Mrs. Jason

Consaul, Mrs. Lillie

Consaul, Miss Jessie

Consaul, Miss Jennie

Whitmore, Miss Louisa

Whitmore, Miss Sophia

Whitmore, Chas.

Henry, Mr. Elton

Consaul, Mr. & Mrs. Ely

Consaul, Mr. & Mrs. Frank

Wickenden, Mr. Thos. R.

McClure, Mr. & Mrs. David

Kirkham, Mr. & Mrs. Will

Griffith, Mrs. Chas.

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**Wednesday**

**p. 2 Willoughby Plains**

Master Henry Tyler, youngest son of Mrs. Emma Tyler, fell from his wheel a while ago and broke his arm badly.

Mr. & Mrs. Cyrus Reid, of Grand Blanc, Mich., made their niece, Mrs. C. J. Richardson, a short visit.

Mr. S. Green has returned from Westfield, N.Y.

Mrs. A. L Perry and family spent some days at Hopkins point in a tent. Lots of mosquitoes.

Miss Grace M. Graves, of Perry, spent last week with her uncles, C. J. and M. O. Richardson.

Mr. & Mrs. E. N. Hyde and son went to Perry to visit Mr. Y. Barrett, stopping overnight.

The Plains picnic and reunion place took place in Mrs. S. W. Browns' place on the lake east of the school house. There were more than anyone expected, 107 ate dinner. The tables could seat over 50 and they were full twice. They organized by electing Mrs. E. N. Hyde, president; John Kelley, sec.; and appointed committees. Names mentioned:

Keck, Rev. Mr.

Andrews, O.

Richardson, T.

Snell, Mrs. Mary

Reeve, O. of San Jose

### **Kirtland**

Mrs. Minnie Booth who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is better

Miss Mary Wells, of Waite Hill, visited her cousin, Miss Alice Harris, last week.

Mrs. Whitcomb is not well of late.

Alice Booth is home from Gallipolis.

Mrs. Electa Damon is moving back to Kirtland.

Mrs. Ruth Haskell Hayton from B. C. College, Mich., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Pierson, started with her husband from New York on their voyage to Cape Town, Africa via Liverpool. They will teach in Union College under the auspices of a missionary organization.

### **South Thompson**

Moses Hall, of Windsor, was calling on his old friends at this place last week.

M. S. Morehouse, of Ashtabula, was in town last week several days.

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Miss Bessie Jackson is visiting friends in Huntsburg.

Mr. & Mrs. Wannamaker entertained about 30 of their neighbors last Thursday to ice cream, cake, bananas, oranges and candy.

Mrs. Clark and children, who have spent the summer here, have returned to Cleveland.

Miss Laura Rothermell, of Munson, was a recent guest of Mr. Burroughs.

South Thompson was well represented at the harvest home picnic at Harts Grove, Aug. 23.

Mrs. McKough is entertaining a sister from Cleveland.

Fifty-five were present at the Moore reunion last Thursday. Several were from Freedom, Portage Co.

Mr. & Mrs. Sutherland entertained relatives from Footville Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Reed, of Chardon, recently visited their daughter, Mrs. Ernst.

Grace Stevens and Howard Ernst will attend school at the Center this fall.

### Mentor

Miss Ingram, of Cleveland, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. V. Sawyer.

Mrs. Foot, of North Bloomfield is the guest of W. S. Ackley and family.

The many friends of Corp. R. T. Hart will regret to learn that on his return home he was taken down with malaria fever and unable to go any further that Chattanooga. His father Hon T. G. Hart, proceeded at once to the city of the south that he might attend personally to the wants of his son.

D. B. Hadden, the genial and popular village blacksmith of days gone by, passed through here on his way from Perry to Waite Hill.

Mr. A. H. Mynderse has been spending several days in Elyria, Ohio.

The Comey children, of Cleveland, have been visiting at the residence of Edgar Dungam.

Miss Ada Smith, of Waite Hill, has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. A. Greer.

Mr. Herbert Gunn, of Montana, has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Hanson, and old friends in town.

Mrs. H. R. Leonard and Mrs. Robert VanEpps, of Orange, N.Y., have been visiting at the residence of H. S. Robison.

Miss Elsie Johnson was spending Sunday with her parents.

Miss Nettie Munson has returned to Illinois, where she will teach during the coming year.

N. C. Frost and son, Harry, are in Petoskey, Mich.

The Warren Family reunion was held last Thursday, Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, being the anniversary of the birthday of the late John Warren. Benj. P. Warren and wife entertained the gathering at the old homestead, and it was reported as one of the most pleasant meetings ever held by the family. Those from a distance:

Graham, Mrs. A. B.

Beall, Mr. & Mrs. W.

Carpenter, Mrs. Eva

Warren, Miss Hattie-, of Adrian, Mich.

Warren, Mr. & Mrs. Geo.

Warren, Mr. & Mrs. David - of Ovid, Mich.

Payne, Mr. & Mrs. Dr. - of Mich.

Warren, Mr. & Mrs. Elliott - of Bloomfield

Warren, Mr. & Mrs. A. M.

Warren, Mr. & Mrs. Fred - of Cleveland.

There were four deaths during the year:

Warren, John

Warren, Mrs. John S.

Warren, Mrs. Thos.

Orial, Mrs. Onilla

The next reunion will be held at the residence of A. B. Graham, Adrian Mich., on Aug. 19<sup>th</sup>. Officers elected were A. M. Warren, pres.; A. B. Graham, V. P.; Miss David Warren, historian; F. A. Warren, sec. and treas.; and W. Beall, corres. secretary.

### Neighborhood News

Warren is to have a cut nail factory.

A steer owned by Edward Moor, of Hubbard, was killed by lightning in a recent storm.

Conneaut is to have an immense summer hotel built on the old Lakeview park site.



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Miss Belle Spoul, of Pierpont, was stung in the eye by a bee, and the wound caused the loss of sight.

One day recently a hawk was killed by a Trumbull farmer, which measured more than four feet from tip to tip of wings.

W. H. Johnson, of Girard, fell off the Disciple Church in that village while fixing the roof. He escaped without much if any injury.

Isaac Twri, a seven-year-old Finn boy of Ashtabula Harbor, was drowned last week while playing on the dock.

Two of the large poultry houses of E. H. Clay, of Chagrin Falls, one of the most extensive poultry fanciers of Ohio, were recently destroyed by lightning.

Clyde Rounds, a 15 yrs. old lad of Ashtabula, fell from a tree Friday a distance of 35 feet, striking his side and breaking two ribs.

Jacob Clark very narrowly escaped death at Ashtabula Aug. 27. While working in the new Booth street sewer at a depth of thirteen feet, several tons of dirt caved in. It took several men two hours to dig him out.

Jerome Thomas, who resides on the Hampden road a mile east of Chardon, came near losing his life one day last week while digging a well. He was 28 feet down when a cave in occurred. A chunk of blue clay weighing some 200 lbs. or more fell on him, crushing him down face first onto the bottom of the well. He worked his way out from under it.

### Thompson

Mr. Austin Wilber, wife and daughter, Winifred, returned last Monday from Chautauqua, and report a delightful time.

Messrs. Henry, Theodore and Joseph Trask, recently spent a day in Cleveland.

Mr. Lynn Scott returned home last Wed. from a three week visit with his aunt, Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan.

Mr. Harry Miller and wife, of Montville, were guests last Sat. of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Mrs. Emma Crafts and children, of Mantua, are guests of Mrs. Crafts' mother Mrs. Jane Bower.

Mrs. Arthur Wilson, of LeRoy, spent two or three days of the past week with his sister, Mrs. Matilda Gilbreath.

Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch recently enjoyed a visit from their daughters, of South Madison.

Miss Beckwith, of Jefferson, is a guest of her uncle, Mr. C. N. Cloes and family.

Mrs. D. H. Babcock, of Unionville, visited relatives at his place last week.

Mrs. Crittenden and son, of Iowa, and Mrs. Dora Bell and son, of Chardon, were guests at the Atkins homestead.

Mrs. A. H. Thompson, of Trumbull, was the guest last Tuesday of Mr. T. G. and Miss Roxana Cottam.

Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Moseley enjoyed a picnic on the Ledge last Thursday with friends from the nursery.

Mr. & Mrs. F. S. Turner, of Geneva, were guests last Tuesday of Mr. & Mrs. J. Pomeroy.

Mr. A. C. Sumner was prostrated by the excessive heat one day last week.

Miss Boyd, of Perry, will return to her former boarding place with Mr. & Mrs. R. M. Smith.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Malin entertained visitors from Trumbull last Friday, among the Mrs. Malin's sister, Mrs. B. Murphy.

Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens spent the greater part of the past week upon the farm, leaving Mr. Marrow, of Hartsgrove, in charge of the outdoor work at Mrs. E. Stevens.

Mr. Melvin Keener, of Perry, and Frank Keener, of Trumbull, called upon their brother, George Keener and family last Saturday.

Miss Mamie Tillotson spent the past two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Church, of Unionville.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hedley, former residents of this place but now of South Madison, are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. & Mrs. B. G. Crandall entertained a niece from Trumbull during the past week.

Dr. & Mrs. W. P. Ellis are entertaining an aunt and uncle from Idaho, and a sister and husband from Sheffield, Ohio.

Mr. Peter Atkin and wife, of Harpersfield, called upon relatives at this place last Thursday.

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The Misses Harms and Pike, of South Madison, spent several days of the past week as guests of Misses Artie and Jennie Chaffe.

Mrs. Gottlieb Keener was called to South Madison last week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Dewey.

Mrs. Parker and daughter, Fern, of Garlo, and Mrs. Warren, of Colebrook, were recent guests of their aunt, Mrs. Elihu Stevens.

Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Smith are entertaining a party of seven relatives from Akron. Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Behm and three daughters, of Trumbull, Mr. & Mrs. H. Miller, of Montville, and Mrs. W. G. Keener, wife and three sons, were entertained yesterday at the Smith house.

Mr. & Mrs. Talcott, of Ashtabula, and Mrs. Fowler, of Morgan, were guests of Mrs. Emily Talcott during the past week.

The Pfeifer reunion was attended by 183 relatives. Officers elected for the year: Pres. L. W. Keener; Sec. Mrs. George Binnig. The reunion for 1899 will be held at home of Mr. & Mrs. Harman Bower, of Trumbull.

Rev. & Mrs. Towne returned last week from a four-week visit to Carroll Co.

### Wheeler Reunion

The ninth annual reunion of the Wheeler family met at the home of Mrs. Thankful Williamson.

#### From Ashtabula:

Lowery, Mr. & Mrs. S.

#### From Perry:

Wheeler, Mr. & Mrs. A. L.

#### Collinwood

Kennedy, Mrs. Editha

#### From Cleveland:

Abrams, Mrs. Carrie

Williams, Mr. Fred A.

#### From Toledo:

Keneig, Mrs. Fannie

### Perry

Mrs. Sarah Salkeld had been spending the past two weeks with friends at Avon, Lorain Co.

Mr. & Mrs. Myron Durfee returned recently from Michigan and have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Salkeld.

The Misses Carrie and Bernice Tenney spent Sunday with their brother at Geneva.

L. V. Axtell and his son, Blake, attended the State Fair at Columbus last week, where they made a display of their fine blooded stock.

Rev. F. Dawn a former pastor of the Baptist Church in this place was visiting in town last week.

Mrs. O. H. Cady, of Madison, with her daughter, Mrs. Williams, was calling among their friends in town on Friday.

Miss Lizzie Brinkerhoff has spent a part of her vacation with friends in the southern part of the state.

Grinly Peterson attended the state fair at Columbus last week.

Mr. Albertus Nichols, a former Perry boy, but now a prominent Illinois farmer is in town the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jerome Palmer.

Mrs. William Stowell, of Geneva, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Sinclair, last week.

Mrs. Nellie Housman, of Cleveland, has been in town the past two weeks, the guest of Dr. & Mrs. R. L. Ashley.

Mr. & Mrs. Jared Tyler have been taking a tour through the southern part of the state and spent a day or two with their son, Fred, at Columbus.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Edwin J. Stebbins died in West Chardon on Aug. 26<sup>th</sup>, after an illness of six days. He leaves a widow to mourn him.

News has been received of the death Wm. H. Cullum, a former Painesville resident, at his home in Brooklyn, N.Y., the first of the week. Burial was in this place.

### Obituary

Died, Aug. 28, after an illness of four days, of cholera infantum, Helen, age 8 months, only daughter of Mr. & Mrs. B. L. Taylor, Erie street, Painesville.

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### Personals

J. Burt Thompson has returned from an Eastern pleasure trip.

Mrs. M. M. Bosworth returned home from Fernandina, Fla., Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Crofoot have gone to Toronto to attend the fair.

Mr. & Mrs. Jos. Chapman, of the Park, left Thursday for Dubuque, Ia.

Mrs. Will Doran, of Dallas, Texas, is visiting her father Mr. H. H. Hine, of Riverside.

Miss Myrtle Stumm, of New York City, visited relatives and friends in town Monday.

Mrs. A. G. Baker, of Syracuse, N.Y., is the guest of Mrs. A. G. Clayton at the Parmly.

Mrs. Alice Ingram and daughter, Grace, are guests, of friends in town for a few days.

Messrs. Guy Wyman and Ralph Gregory have returned from a wheel trip through Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Bert H. Rogers left Monday for a visit among the millinery houses in Cleveland.

Miss Bessie Flynn, of Prospect street, left Sat. for a 10-day trip up the lakes.

Mr. Ralph Synder, of Great Falls, Mont., is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Marshall, of Mentor Ave.

J. Page Moodey left Monday evening on the steamer Samuel Mitchel for Duluth for a short pleasure trip.

Mr. & Mrs. Droin, of New York, and Mrs. Welch, of Cleveland, spent Monday with Mrs. Eugene Adams.

Miss Harrietta Hardy left Sunday for Northfield O., to assume her duties as teacher.

Mr. Morgan Callender returned Thursday for a visit in Tarrytown, N.Y., and other places in the East.

Miss Florence Straight, who has been visiting relatives for a few days, returned to Cleveland.

Mr. F. G. L. Warner left for New York Thursday to buy his fall stock. Mrs. Warner and son, Wurt, accompanied him.

Mr. J. H. King arrived here from the city of Mexico, Thursday, and left for Hartford, Conn., where his wife is now located, Friday.

Mr. W. C. Anderson and daughters, Maud and Mabelle, left Monday for Toronto to attend the fair.

Mr. & Mrs. G. L. Cook, of Oberlin, have returned to their home, after spending two weeks with Mrs. Cook's parents Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Pitcher.

Miss Frances Williams had a tenth birthday party.

Mrs. S. M. Kibby and daughters, Anna and Florence, who have been visiting Mrs. H. S. Barton, of Richmond street, have returned to their home at Bloomington, Ill.

Mrs. H. W. Carde, of Toledo, returned home Friday with her daughter, Miss Eva V. Carde, after spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. S. D. Marsh, of Washington street.

Mrs. Cone, of Rockford, Ill., and Mrs. Roberts, of Detroit, Mich., and her son, Mr. E. S. Roberts, of Akron, O. are visiting their cousins, Mr. & Miss Ferris, of Mentor Ave.

Mrs. Robert Manchester entertained a party of East Siders Friday in the advent of the opening of a night blooming cereus.

Mrs. P. W. Sinks and daughter, Bessie, of Youngstown, who have been the guests of the family of Mr. Wilkes, of Washington street, during the last ten days, returned home Sat.

Mrs. George B. Converse has returned from a visit in Geauga and Portage counties. While there, she attended the Canfield reunion held at Maple Dell Grove, Mantua Station, Aug. 25<sup>th</sup>.

Miss Marion Bartholomew left Monday for Grand Forks, Dak., where she will spend a month's vacation with her aunt and uncle, Mr. & Mrs. John Bartholomew.

Mrs. Helen Lynch will sail for Ireland, Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>. She will stop a week with Mrs. J. H. King in Conn. and then travel to Tyrone, Ireland, where she will spend the winter with her mother.

Mr. & Mrs. O. B. Stroud, of 621 South St. Clair street, entertained Prof. A. F. Dengler, of Cleveland, Sept. 4. Messrs. Frank and William Petznik and Mr. J. Prahm, pupils of the professor accompanied him.

Mr. Isam G. Cox, of Wanesburg, Mo., nephew of Mrs. R. Holden, has been visiting the family since the latter part of July.

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### **Fractured His Skull**

From the *Munci (Ind,) Times*

Willie Woodward, son of Mr. & Mrs. William Woodward died in Muncie. The family formerly resided here and are well known by Painesville people. The boy had climbed a tree and fell striking his head on the pavement and fracturing his skull.

### **Rev. Hobart C. Brayton**

Aug. 30<sup>th</sup>, Rev. Hobart C. Brayton, age 67 yrs., passed away at the family home on High street. He was born in Canandaigua, N.Y., and has long been a resident of Painesville. About three weeks ago, he was taken ill. Two sisters are left by the deceased, Anna F. and Mary.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Sept. 7:

#### **Ladies**

Pancost, Mrs. Ernest  
Rhodes, Miss Hattie  
Shappee, Mrs. Viola

#### **Gentlemen**

Fleming, W. F.  
Rose, Geo.

### **Lake Erie College**

An article written about Lake Erie College and Seminary by H. B. Abbott, a former resident of Painesville, which appeared in the *Chicago Interior*.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Badger, Nathaniel L.  
Badger, Eunice A.  
Bancroft, A. J.

#### **Madison Village**

Bissell, F. M.  
Hickok, Daisy S.

#### **LeRoy**

Sanford, Anna E.  
Heiman, Jacob

#### **Painesville Township**

Williams, August  
Sawyer, Seth H.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Clayton, Wm.  
Casement, Sarah E.  
Gill, Marcia A.

#### **Mentor Township**

Dickey, Edward J.  
Angier, George C.  
Cody, Frank L.  
Moore, E. W.  
Everett, H. A.

### **Probate Court**

Lloyd, William – Edward J. Beardsley appointed adm.; order of private sale issued

F. H. Kendall appointed school examiner

Pratt, P. & Son – assignment; final account

Warren, Eva Carpenter – inventory and appraisal filed

Post, D. Frank – petition to sell desperate claims

Slocum, Wm. B. – will probated

Ferguson, Kezia – inventory and appraisal filed

Brooks, Jennie Ann – will probated

Riker, Bert G. – marriage license

Bowhall, Ella M. – marriage license

Downing, Eugene J. – marriage license

Harvey, Helen M. – marriage license

### **The Students of the Old Madison Seminary - Fifth Annual Reunion**

The fifth annual reunion of the students of the old Madison Seminary was held Aug. 30 on the lawn of Mr. William Genung, a former student. President Ferd. Lee, of Geneva, called on Mr. Call, of Perry, who read a poem. Mrs. Wills, of Brooklyn, read a letter from her brother, John Branch, a prominent New York lawyer, who was a Madison Seminary Alumni. Mrs. Cowles, of Geneva, spoke. She is a directress of the national Home on the site of the old Seminary. Mr. John B. Potter, of Geneva, read a fine original poem.

Miss Call, of Perry, sang a solo and Hattie Corlett gave a recitation. Mentioned:

Ferry, Will

Ferry, Mrs. Kate

Avery, Prof

Lockwood, Mr.

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Anderson, Mrs. George  
Allen, Mrs. Lucian  
Burns, Mr. Don. J.  
Lapham, Miss Melva  
Bliss, Mrs. N. A. S.  
Duckworth, Mrs. Mary Genung

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### **p. 1 Suspicious Characters**

Three Bohemian boys from Cleveland were arrested Thursday night by Officer George Austin at the Nickel Plate depot. They had baskets and it was very evident they were after plunder, but said they were only after mushrooms. They gave their names as Lew Psenninger, Joe Kobich, and James Tricka. The judge told them to keep clear of Painesville after dark in the future.

### **Ralph T. Hart Home**

Corporal Ralph T. Hart, of Co. M, fifth Regiment, O.V.I., who has been sick since July 25<sup>th</sup> reached home Saturday. He was sick in the hospital at Fernandina and when able was started northward. A collapse came over him at Chickamauga and he was taken to a hospital in that city. It was here that his father, Hon. T. G. Hart, found him. He stayed with his son until he was able to be moved again. He is gaining rapidly and will probably be out in a short time.

Orrin R. Cleveland was wired by Mr. F. J. Barnes Sunday and received a reply from him that he is better but can't have anything but milk 8 times a day and will be home soon.

### **Horses Recovered**

Officer May recovered the buckskin mare that was recently stolen from Frank Heath, of Ashtabula, in Cleveland on Friday. Byron Brown, who it is said stole the animal and traded it to a Cleveland party, was arrested and taken to Ashtabula. A black horse, was recently traded to Will Mixer, of this place by a tramp. Officer May found the horse to be one taken from a carload of horses shipped from Cleveland to Chicago and belonging to a horse dealer named Hyman. The tramp sold the horse he received from Mixer to

John Kane, the north end saloon keeper. Kane was obliged to give up Mixer's horse.

### **Webb Family Reunion**

The ninth annual reunion of the Webb family was held at the home of Daniel Webb, Gustavus, on Sept. 7, 1898. This family is one of the oldest families in American and dates back in an unbroken line of genealogy 444 years which are recorded the family and their ancestry were among the wealthy "Lowlanders" of Scotland, in the 12<sup>th</sup> century. Sir Richard Webb, the direct ancestor, recorded in the line as belonging to the Webbs of Conn. and Ohio, was born in Gloucestershire, England, in the year 1454. Richard Webb Jr., born in England in 1611, came with his father and uncles to America after his graduation from Cambridge, England. They landed in Boston and were made Freemen of Boston in 1632. The family later moved to Hartford, Conn., with Thomas Hooker and the colony of Gov. Haines. Four brothers came to Ohio. From one of these early Ohio settlers, Dr. G. F. Webb, of this place, the well-known inventor and physician is a descendant. Dr. Webb has married a descendant of Ethan Allen and has a son, Leroy Webb, recently graduated. Gov. Hayes married one of the family and Dr. G. F. Webb's mother was of the family of Wm. Sherman, and she was as cousin to Gen. Wm. T. Sherman. The reunion of the Ohio branch is usually held in Ashtabula Co. each year, but this year it was been held in Gustavus, Trumbull Co.

### **Neighborhood News**

Stock is being rapidly subscribed for a basket factory at Orwell.

W. R. Miller, of Madison, raised 2,000 bushels of onions, this year on three acres of land.

The fish catch at Ashtabula Harbor during the past year is estimated at three and one-half millions.

Wick Hathaway, of Madison, acted as judge in the poultry department of the State Fair at Columbus last week.

William Dean Howells, the novelist, of New York City, is visiting his brother J. A. Howells, editor of the *Jefferson Sentinel*.

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Mr. Truman Reeves, at one-time recorder of Ashtabula Co., has been nominated for the state treasurer on the Republican ticket in California.

About 200 Canadians came over to Conneaut on the boat from St. Thomas and London, last week, and were entertained by Conneaut citizens.

A few years ago, there were a dozen tanneries in Mahoning Co., two large ones being in Canfield. Now there is not a single one in that county.

Portage Co. Infirmary usually has about 100 inmates. There are about 25 in the insane wards, at the present time, nearly all of them hopelessly insane.

Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, a threshing machine boiler exploded near Newton Falls and killed the owner, Wesley Gano, and burned the farm building of Dr. Fiester, where the machine was at work.

The pickle factory at Mishler Station is booming; several hundred men, women, and children being employed. They pick from 4 to 28 bushels per day at 10 cents per bushel.

James Reed Jr., of Ashtabula, who was appointed a naval cadet to Annapolis by Congressman Northway last spring, has passed the examination successfully and will enter the academy at the term just beginning.

Fitz. Talcott, of Marvard, Ia., resided in Madison 54 years ago, and drove through to his present home with a yoke of oxen in nine weeks. He has come to Madison for this first visit since going west and made the trip by train in 27 hours.

### Home on Furlough

Bugler Fred Phillips, brother of Dr. Philips, of the 7<sup>th</sup> Regimen, U. S. Regular Army is home from Montauk on a furlough. He is somewhat the worse for the strain of the Santiago battle and confined for yellow fever in the hospital but is on the gain.

### p. 2 Thompson

R. M. Smith spent Friday and Saturday in Cleveland.

Mr. Peter Wilt is remodeling his residence.

Mrs. Guy Reigert, of the Nursery, was in town yesterday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens are reported on the sick list.

Adelbert Smith is suffering from a severe attack of quinsy.

Infant son of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener is quite seriously ill.

Mrs. G. A. Mathews and children returned to Jackson, Mich.

The infant son of Rev. & Mrs. Babcock is under the physician's care.

Mr. & Mrs. B. G. Crandall spent several days of the past week in Cleveland.

Mrs. C. N. Cloes removed his family last Friday to Chardon, their future home.

Mr. Walter Behm was recently the guest of his aunt, Mrs. G. Binnig, of Perry.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Green, of LeRoy, spent Sunday with friends at this place.

Rev. S. Beetham is spending some time with his son, Rev. Beetham, of Lowell.

Miss Mary Fraser arrived last Sat. at the home of Dr. & Mrs. D. G. Proctor.

Mrs. Parsons, of Chardon, was the guest over Sun. of Miss Roxana and Mr. T. G. Cottam.

Mr. Samuel Sanford has leased his place to Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Bradway, of South Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Jewell and children, of Dorset, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. O. Jewell.

Mrs. Lester Hotchkiss, who has been caring for the sick at Troy, is expected home this week.

Mrs. Christopher Ernst and son, Henry, entertained guests from out of town last week.

Hon. E. J. Clapp attended the funeral of Hon. S. A. Northway last Sat. at Jefferson.

Mr. John Fredebaugh, of Fairport, was the guest of his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Fredebaugh.

Mr. Wm. Martin, of Chardon, was the guest last week of his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Summer and family, of Bostwick.

Mrs. Ruth Towell, of Painesville, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Scott, also visiting the family of her brother, R. B. Chaffe.

Mrs. Emma Crafts and children after a long visit with Mrs. Craft's mother, Mrs. Jane Bower, returned to their home in Mantua.

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Miss Ida Murphy, who has been for some time with Rev. G. W. Orcutt and family, of Warrensville, is visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy.

Mrs. Archibald Wilson continues to be very ill. Her daughters, Mrs. Lapham, of Perry, and Mrs. McDonald, of Painesville, are with her much of the time.

Mrs. George Somers and children, after a visit of nearly two weeks at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener, returned last Friday to Cleveland.

Mrs. Mary Blanchard has returned to her home at Erie, Pa. after a visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. F. M. Leonard, and Mrs. A. M. Stocking respectively.

Rev. R. J. Hibbard, of Leroy, filled in for the pastor of the M. E. Church last Sunday.

Mr. Jenks, of Gates Mills, who has been the guest of his brother, Prof. Jenks and family, is helping with the care of Mr. A. C. Sumner, of Bostwick, who is ill from sunstroke.

G. A. Mathews, of Jackson, Mich., spent a night with relatives at this place. Mr. Mathews was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. C. D. Mathews, who remained for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Benjamin.

### **Madison**

Clark Sloan is down from Cleveland for a few days.

Our new jeweler is Mr. P. N. Dayton from Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Alling, of New Haven, Conn., are visiting their niece, Mrs. James Middleton.

Mr. L. Gerling is moving his family into the Strong House, on Safford street.

David Smead and family will make their home with his parents for the winter.

Mrs. James Schryver and daughter returned to their home in Chicago last week.

Miss Melva Latham is a teacher at Cook Co. Normal.

Mr. & Mr. O. T. Mason visited relatives on their return from the east.

Rev. D. A. Strong and wife, with Master Walter Buddington, left the evening of the 6<sup>th</sup> of Highland, Col., where Mr. Strong will preach.

Will Gunther, of Topeka, Kan., was visiting his parents Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Gunther, last week.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Cumings Boyce was held on the 6<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. & Mrs. O. T. Mason, Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Ensign, Mrs. Mary Sloan, Mr. Clark Sloan, Mrs. Ellen Ingersoll and Miss Merve Wood are taking an outing to Claridon and vicinity.

### **Mentor**

Mr. Wm. DeLong, of Cleveland, is spending some time in town.

Mrs. N. C. Corning has been visiting with her brother in Eagleville, O.

Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Mead, of Cleveland, have been visiting with her parents.

Mrs. Leander Hills, of Kansas, has been visiting his relatives of this place.

Miss Lillian Ellsworth, of Hudson, will teach this year in the school here.

Mrs. Imogene Gilmore and Miss Lamson, of the city, were in town on Sunday.

J. W. Lowe, M.D. has been laid up with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. & Mrs. I. D. Rowley and daughter, Edna, of Silver Creek, N.Y., have been spending the past week at the residence of B. A. Smith.

Mr. Chas. Rexford and Miss Pearl Pettis, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday with his parents.

### **Twins Marry Twin Sisters**

Isaac and Moses Martz are twins, who married twins. They are farmers and live in Areadia, Ind. The couples, who were married Nov. 27, 1934, celebrated their golden wedding in 1884. It was only last May that the wife of Isaac died, after 63 years of devotion to husband and family. The Martz families settled in Indiana when it was a territory. Isaac and Moses were born in Pickaway Co., O., May 27, 1812 and stayed with their parents until they were 21 yrs. old. When they were 22 yrs. Old, they were married to the twins, Levina and Tabitha McCormick, who were born near Connersville, Ind., and in 1816. Their parents

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settled on the site of the present city of Indianapolis when the twins were four. All were born on the 27<sup>th</sup> of the month, married also on that date, and each couple reared seven sons and five daughters. Isaac Martz, the widower, has nine children living and Moses and wife have eight.

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A son was born to Mr. & Mrs. Covell Merrill in Cleveland Sept. 8.

John J. Urias, a former Painesville boy, is at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Station, having lately returned from Santiago. He is a member of Co. B, 2<sup>nd</sup> U.S. Regulars.

Rev. & Mrs. S. H. Bartlett have a ten-pound son born Friday.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Chas. H. Lepply, a daughter, Sept. 11.

Mr. P. W. Furlong died July 30<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Lucy Furlong, his wife, now of Olean, N.Y., has received \$1,000 policy from the Knight's of Maccabees.

### Arrested Again

Loren J. Miller, the south end saloon keeper, better known as "Put," was arrested Monday on the charge of violating the Sunday closing ordinance.

### Personals

Harry E. Hammar Esq. is sojourning this week in Wooster, Ohio.

Mr. W. H. Beatty, of Barto & Kerr's, has gone to Pittsburg, Pa., for a few days.

Miss Sadie Rhodes, of Lake O., is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. W. Richards.

Miss Bonewell, of Akron is the guest of her brother and wife, State street.

Mr. J. J. Harrison returned home last Sat. after absence of several weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Breed have returned from a visit in Stonington, Conn.

Mrs. C. S. Day, of New York City, is visiting Mrs. B. Stockwell, of Washington street.

Mrs. Gernflo and son, Havard, of Cleveland, are visiting Mrs. Kohanki of Erie street.

Mr. Roy McMackin is taking a business course in the Spencerian Business College, Cleveland.

Mrs. Daisy Patterson and daughter spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. O. Durand, last week.

Mr. T. F. Sidley, formerly marshal of Painesville, but now of New Castle, Pa., was in town Sunday.

Miss Minerva Fowliss was suddenly called home last week to care for her sister, who is dangerously ill.

Mr. Lawrence Stebbins, of Jackson street, is spending the week at the Stone homestead in Huntsburg.

Miss Louise Hoffman has returned from a week's sojourn with friends in Newton Falls, Trumbull Co.

Mr. A. D. Sturges, who has been spending a three weeks' vacation with his family, left for St. Louis Tuesday.

Miss Lydia Bogue, of Prospect street, is spending a couple of weeks in Rootstown, Ohio, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. F. J. Goldsmith, of Mentor Ave., commenced her school work at Chardon last week. This is her second year.

Mr. Harry Howe and sister, Miss Mary, of Buffalo, N.Y., are guests of Mr. & Mrs. O. S. King and Mrs. G. W. Blackmon.

Mr. & Mrs. John P. Barden left Monday to visit friends in Detroit, Kalamazoo and Chicago.

Mr. Wm. Bain, Eubro, Ont., arrived here recently with his niece, Miss Millie Bain, who has been visiting in Eubro and London, Ont.

Robert J. Rich, of Fort Dodge, Ia., spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin. He left Monday for school in Andover, Mass.

Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Littlejohn and children, Mr. W. C. Anderson and daughters, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Crofoot, and Mr. & Mrs. Al Johnson returned from the Toronto Exposition Sat.

Mrs. M. T. Clark, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. C. R. H. Stickney, Mentor Ave., has returned to her home at Mason City, Iowa. Mrs. Clark was accompanied by Miss May Goodrich, of Windham, Ohio.

Rev. and Mrs. Lathrop Cooley, from Medina, also Pres. E. V. Zollars, of Hiram College, who



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were guests of Mr. W. H. Corken's family returned home last week.

The one-year old child of Mr. & Mrs. L. C. Smith, of Kirtland, died Friday of convulsions.

Wade Adams, of Company M, died in the hospital at Fort Thomas, Ky., Thursday. He succumbed to typhoid fever at Fernandina. His is the first death in the company. He is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Adams and was born and raised in Concord.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Tracy, Pearlie B.  
Spring, Myrtle I.  
Spring, LaRue C.

##### **Concord**

Cole, H.  
Curtiss, Henry L

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Thayer, Irwin W.  
Barnes Co.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Hall, H. H.  
Reeve, Alvin O.  
Pelton, Chas.  
Pelton, Fidelia

##### **LeRoy**

Cole, H.  
Hurst, Thos.  
Hurst, Mary

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Nichols, Mary A.  
Barnes Co.

### **Probate Court**

Wilson, Ray W. – partnership inventory filed, order private sale issued  
Lovelace, Mary H. – first account filed  
Hopkins, Edgar – order of sale issue  
Hart, A. P. – first and final account  
Barber, Truman O. – Albert B. Payne appointed guardian; inventory filed

Paige Mfg. Co. – report of private sale filed  
A. J. McCue vs F. A. Hungerford – continued  
Barber, Nettie E. – additional bond filed  
Hopkins, Edgar – report of sale filed  
Elliott, George – final account  
Church, Marcia – requisition filed  
Crandall, Elizabeth – first account  
Hoag, Ellen L – order of private sale issued  
Jones, Wm. H. – application for adm. filed  
Worden, Joseph – application for appointment of guardian  
Paige, C. C. – third account  
Leffingwell, John B. – marriage license  
Barnes, Cora R. – marriage license  
Ohio vs. Willie Sutton – cause dismissed  
Ohio vs. Wm. Taylor – continued  
Hopkins, Edgar – order of appraisal issued  
Corlett, Edward C. – order of sale issued  
Post, D. Frank – order to sell desperate claims issued  
Wilson, Ray W. – order of private sale filed  
Salkeld, Glen H. – marriage license  
Skinner, Nellie – marriage license  
Yekar, Peter – marriage license  
Majoras, Annie – marriage license  
Ray, Owen E. – marriage license  
Merritt, Mary V. – marriage license  
Lockwood, Iva B. – marriage license  
Hoose, Ida A. – marriage license  
Burke, John J. – marriage license  
Race, Pearl – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Mary Flynn vs John Flynn and John H. Brown; divorce alimony and injunction

#### **Willoughby Plains**

Mr. Gar. Tyler and his best girl went to the Burton Fair.

Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Perry took in the Burton Fair.

Mrs. Lillie Richmond made a three week stay in Michigan.

Mrs. Maud Rumbaugh, who has been very sick, is not out of danger.

Miss Jessie Turney, of Painesville, was calling on her old scholars Sat.

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Mrs. Mary Hurd, of Girard, Pa. has been visiting her niece, Mrs. C. J. Richardson.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Sept. 14:

### Ladies

Carroll, Mrs. Maggie  
Harris, Miss Lillian  
Johnson, Mrs. George A.  
Warner, Miss Ever.

### Gentlemen

Bernard, L.  
Burdo, F.  
Clark, G. E.  
Grettn, C. H.  
Jones, Glade  
Law, F. L.  
Spaulding, Ernest  
St. John, F. M.  
Welles, G.

### Geneva

Mrs. J. H. Tower is seriously ill.  
John Stone, of Emporia, Kan., is the guest of his brother, F. O. Stone.  
Capt. W. W. Dowley, of Buffalo, commander of the steamer Andrew Carnegie, has bought a home here and will locate on Eagle street.  
The death of Stephen A. Northway has cast a gloom over Ashtabula County. We have lost a good statesman, citizen, lawyer, and orator.  
Miss Mae Stephens accepted a position as a teacher in a college in Seattle, Wash. Her mother accompanied her; also, Mrs. N. C. Hawley, who goes to visit relatives.

### Perry

Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Tenney, of Geneva, were guests of their father and sisters over Sunday.  
Jerry Bartholomew, left for Granville College on Tuesday.  
Mrs. F. D. Green gave a corn roast on her lawn on Thursday as a surprise for her husband.  
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Ticknor, of North Madison, were calling upon friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. Edward Graves and mother of your city, spent Sunday with E. J. Norton and family.

Glenn Salkeld and bride returned from a pleasant wedding tour the first of the week.

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### p. 1 Returned Home

Corporal Elbert F. Blakely, of company M, who has been so dangerously ill at Fort Thomas arrived home Thursday.

### Perry

Miss Blanche Benjamin, of Edinboro, Pa. is visiting her cousin, Miss Lillian Voss.  
Mr. & Mrs. Sam Wire, of Lorain, were in town over Sunday, guests of Mr. & Mrs. William Wire.  
Miss Rose Swift and niece made a short visit in town last week on their return to Ann Arbor.  
Mr. John Cowen, of Edinboro, Pa. made a flying visit in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Joe Norton, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Gibbs, returned to her home at Lansing, Mich., last week.

Mr. Peckham's barn on the Narrows Road was burned to the ground Sat. night in a storm. The house occupied by Irving Stevenson on the Middle Ridge, was struck by lightning and considerably injured. Miss Agnes Shepard was actually shocked and has not yet recovered.

### Mr. LaCount Honored

Mr. H. S. LaCount has been honored by an offer from Wooster University of the instructorship of oratory. He has been a resident of Painesville for some time.

### Travels

Miss Frances Norris, formerly of Painesville High School writes of her sojourn in Europe.

### Hampden

Mr. & Mrs. Oliver Ray spent a few days in Montville last week. They will live in Painesville.  
Claude White is at work at Chagrin Falls in the foundry. Mrs. White will join him there and they will commence housekeeping at once.

Mrs. Estella Scott is quite sick. Dr. Pease, of Chardon, is attending her.

Mrs. W. C. Chamberlain is visiting in Bolivar, N.Y. Mrs. Mildred Hallis is keeping house for her.

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The funeral of John Artman was held Sept. 11. The remains were taken to Jamestown.

Mrs. Robert Harrison left town last week for the Isle of Man.

W. C. Chamberlain and Lynn Hollis were in Burton Saturday.

Perry Griste and wife, from Wisconsin, were calling on friends here last week.

Allie Stockham and wife have returned to Berea.

Mrs. Hollister and Mrs. O. R. Chamberlain were in Montville Friday.

Mrs. Etta Beach is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mila Bidwell is in Ripley, New York.

Maud and Myrtle Carpenter have gone to Wickliffe to pick grapes.

Mr. & Mrs. James Wedge were in Madison last week.

### Neighborhood News

A melon was grown on the Wickham farm in Saybrook this year, which weighed 46 pounds.

Frank Cottrell, of Chester, one day last week ploughed up 15 blacksnake eggs, each egg containing a blacksnake nearly a foot long.

The patients from Portage and Columbia counties in the Cleveland Hospital for the Insane, were last week removed to the hospital which was recently built at Massillon.

A. Limbert, of Youngstown, a widely known horseman, has commenced a \$100,000 suit for damage against J. C. Vanscoter, an influential Erie citizen, for the alleged alienation of the former's wife's affections.

Sept. 13, before school began, at Geneva, the old frame school building where the primary schools were held, took fire from some unknown cause and was totally destroyed.

Charles Bloomer, of Newton Township, Trumbull Co., was recently sentenced to the county jail for six months and fined \$50 for keeping a place where beer was furnished. His wife and three children will have to go the infirmary.

Prof. King has resigned his position as editor of the Ashtabula *Daily Record* to resume the duties

of superintendent of Harbor Special school. A. R. Woolsey, of the Rock Creek Signal, has been engaged to fill his place as editor of the Record.

William Jones was arrested for stealing flour at Conneaut last week from a Nickel Plate freight car.

Elmer Gerren, of Conneaut, Tuesday night of last week, took his own life by shooting himself through the temple with a shot gun, in the presence of his 17 yrs. old daughter. He leaves a wife and son aged 9 yrs. He had been drinking heavily.

A Conneaut harbor stabbing affray occurred last Wed. night between two Finns. The man, named John Savi Marci, said he struck in self-defense.

The Western Reserve furnished the new head of the Mormon Church, Lorenzo Snow having been chosen its president to succeed the late Wilford Woodruff. Lorenzo Snow was born in 1814 in Mantua. Snow joined the Mormon Church at Kirtland and in 1873, emigrated to Davis Co., Missouri, where Mormon settlements were being formed. He was ordained an apostle in 1849.

### Madison

Mrs. Hayden and Miss Alice, are in town.

Mrs. Culp is spending a week with friends in Mantua, Ohio.

Miss Carnahan has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Bovee have moved into the lower part of the Dodge house.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Hendry and Mr. Henry Wilson, of Cleveland, to take place on Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Sarah Brooks left last week for Colorado Springs with her granddaughter, Miss Edith Kneale for the winter, in hope of improving her health.

Mr. Fred Wolfe was granted a 24 hour leave of absence from camp for a short visit home. Jesse Wolfe is also home on a furlough.

### p. 3 Local Brevities

Ed Graves is opening a feed store on Main street.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Wells had a son born Friday.

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Born in Auburn, N.Y., Sept. 14, a son to Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Cowles

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Harry W. Woodward, of Cleveland, a son Sept. 18.

### **The Boys of Company M are Received by Their Friends.**

Many of the boys were loath to accept the welcome on account of the Company's not seeing active service, but the people of Painesville appreciated the spirit of the men who enlisted and rejoiced in their return home. All the places of business and many homes were decorated with bunting in honor of the homecoming. There was a mounted escort, a bicycle brigade, band, and parade. The soldiers who could not march, followed the company in carriages. Speeches and dinner followed.

### **Personals**

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. McLean were in Montville Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Davidson left for Boston Thursday from his vacation trip in Maine.

Miss Josie Jones, of Grayling, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. B. F. Crofoot for a few days.

Miss Gertrude Wakelee entered the conservatory department at the Seminary Thursday.

Mr. John H. Nolan, of Cleveland, was in town Sat. in the interest of a dancing school.

Dr. M. E. Hisey was called to Columbiana, Co., Ohio, Sat. night by the death of his mother.

Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Ayer, of Geneva, was calling on friends in town Thursday night.

Mr. N. K. Hubbard arrived in town Sun. from Fargo, N.D., to remain here this winter with his family.

Mrs. W. W. Boyd and daughter, left Monday morning for a short sojourn in Marietta, O., their former home.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson and children are visiting relatives in Pittsburgh and New Brighton, Pa. for two weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Ruggels, of Casement Ave., have gone to Jefferson for a visit.

Mr. Wm. Gray, conductor on the mail line of the C.P.&E. railroad, is taking a short vacation on account of illness.

Mr. Will Couch, of Madison, who was a member of Battery A, of Cleveland, was in town Wed.

Mrs. N. K. Hubbard and daughter, Miss Mabel, have arrived at The Parmly again, after spending several months in the West.

L. S. Miller, of Troop A, First Ohio Cavalry, is in town today attending the reception of Company M. He is on a furlough.

Mr. W. H. Hobart, of Medina Co., was in town to place his daughter in Lake Erie College and Seminary.

Rev. & Mrs. C. F. Luther, of Mystic, Conn., arrived Wed. for a three week visit at the home of Mr. Luther's parents in Richmond.

Mrs. Col. B. Van Buren and son, of 768 Warren Ave., Chicago, and Miss Grace Bader, of Bolivar, O., are guests of their sister, Mrs. J. W. Richards, and family, North State street.

Rev. R. M. Freshwater preached his last sermon to the Painesville Methodist Church Sunday. He moves this week to Cleveland.

Hettie McConnell, Mrs. Geo. Blish, Mrs. Henry Brower, Mrs. H. E. Chamberlin, Myrtle M. Nesbit, Mabel E. Wallace, Mabel A. Hanson, and Mrs. H. R. Boyden, all of Northfield, formed a trolley party to Painesville today.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank C. Crosby returned from Pittsburgh on Thursday. He purchased an artificial limb, to replace one lost in a railroad accident.

Bert Brockston wanted for robbery in Franklin, Pa. is in jail in Painesville.

Fifty-five people were poisoned in Plainwell, Allegan Co., Mich., by eating canned beef at a church social. Four are dying.

**Died** – Mrs. Margurette Thomas, beloved daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Cusic, died at her late home in South Painesville, Sept. 20.

**Married** - In Fostoria, O. Sept. 15, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Harry Towell, of Painesville, to Miss Maggie Moore, of Fostoria, Ohio.

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### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Concord**

Fay, Lizzie

Fay, Edward

Stafford, B. L.

##### **Mentor Special District**

Burrige, Eleazer

Leet, Peter A.

Rittman, George

Rittman, Louisa

Sague, Jennie S.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Wright, Ellen L.

Barnes Co.

##### **Mentor Township**

Baker, James M.

Parker, Mary M

Whitney, Edith T.

Dickey, Edward J.

Hopkins, M. V.

Hopkins, E.

Haskell, Geo. C.

##### **Probate Court**

Hoag, Ellen L. – order of private sale issued

Jones, Wm. H. – application for adm. filed

Worden, Joseph -hearing and decision

Paige, C. C. – third account approved

Hopkins, Annie – will probated; M. V. Hopkins

and Wilson Hopkins appointed executors

Smith, Walter – A. A. Hall appointed guardian

Wilcox, VanRansaler – petition dismissed

Latham, R. R. – order of public sale filed

Davis, Frank C. – marriage license

Harrison, Anna M. – marriage license

##### **Common Pleas**

###### **New cases:**

William H. Dunsha vs. H. Wells – money only

Amanda Colwell vs Lizzie Studney and George Studney – foreclosure

Ella D. Leslie vs Lorin L. Leslie – divorce; habitual drunkenness, extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty; restoration to former name

Prosecuting Attorney Bosworth, first lieutenant of Company M, who has been on detached service as adjutant general, First Brigade, Third Division, 4<sup>th</sup> Army Corps, with Gen. Jacob Kline, has been relieved at his own request and reached home Friday.

##### **Convicted in Finland**

John Pouttu, the Finn who was indicted by the Lake Co. Common Pleas Court last Dec. for stabbing and killing Matti Autio, another Finn, in Fairport last Oct., has been convicted for the same crime in Finland. He had made his escape to Finland before he was arrested.

##### **Saturday Night Fire**

A barn owned by Mr. L. E. Peckham on the Narrows Road was burned down during the electrical storm on Sat. night. One horse was destroyed.

##### **Manville-Carruthers**

Married Aug. 26 at the home of the bride's mother in Seward Co., Berthold W. Manville, of Crete, to Annie E. Carruthers, daughter of the late John Carruthers, formerly of Painesville, Ohio. They will live in Beatrice. *Crete (Neb.), Vidette*

##### **Trouble on Prospect Street**

Clark Barber and a young fellow named Joe Armstrong, from Madison, had an altercation on Prospect street Monday. Armstrong claimed that Barber was trying to steal his money and Marshal Connell was sent for.

Letters uncalled for at Painesville Po. O. Sept. 21:

##### **Ladies**

Brendal, Mrs. Chas.

Browne, Miss Agnes

Celon, Miss Julia

House, Mrs.

Jenkins, Miss Anna

Johnson, Mrs. Levi

Miller, Mrs. E. H.

Thomas, Mrs. Salvator

##### **Gentlemen**

Aves, Rev. C. S.

Badd, Onas

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Carroll, S. D.  
Cooper, F. H.  
Doty, F. R.  
Hatfield, W. P.  
Hosier, G. W.  
Jewell, Harry  
Martin, Rev. T. G.  
Metice, H. M.  
McIntosh, Richard  
Retenik, Mr.  
Stevens F.  
Tailor, W. E.  
Wallace, Geo.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Fred Stevens was in town last week.  
Mr. & Mrs. B. A. Smith are spending a few days with friends at Fenton, Michigan.  
Miss Gibbons, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. Wringley and Miss Rose for a few days.  
Mr. N. C. Frost and son, Harry, have returned from a few weeks outing up the lakes.  
Miss Mollie Ennis, of Pattersonville, New York, is the guest of H. P. Munson and family for a few weeks.  
Mr. J. M. Bassett has returned from an extended visit to relatives in the East.  
Rev. W. L. Hayden and wife, of Edinburg, Pa., were the guests of Mrs. Aurie A. Greer one day last week. Miss Edna Greer Lake, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her cousins, Mrs. Greer and son, this week.

### **Thompson**

Frank Nye is reported as being in very poor health.  
Cottam family reunion was held last Wed.  
Mrs. Lester Hotchkiss returned from Troy last Thursday.  
James Scott, of Madison, is in the employ of E. C. Sidley.  
Mrs. Newhouse enjoyed a visit from Cleveland friends.  
Mrs. Sarencen, of Madison, called upon friends at this place yesterday.

County Commissioner, W. J. Grant, of Middlefield, was in town last week.

Mrs. J. S. Tuttle left for a ten day visit with friends in Ashtabula.

Mrs. Gotleib Keener and son, Rudolph, are spending the grape season in Madison.

H. B. Grant, of Middlefield, was in town last Friday with a view to introducing his wire fence.

Oliver Basquin, of Brakeman, assisted Hon. E. J. Clapp in insurance work last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Bower, of Kansas, visited relatives in this locality last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Braden, of Rock Creek, accompanied by a lady and gentlemen, visited Thompson Ledge last Friday.

Mrs. Stevenson, of Chagrin Falls, is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Lester Hotchkiss, and family.

Mrs. Harmon Bower, of Trumbull, who has been very poorly for some time, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

A lady from Iowa, a former resident of this place and well-remembered as Miss Adeline Dodge, called on old time neighbors last week.

Mr. & Mrs. George Cottam had a fourth son on Thursday night.

Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Chaffee, Mr. & Mrs. G. B. Chaffee, and Mr. & Mrs. C. Scott attended the funeral one week ago, of their cousin, Mr. Wade Adams, Concord's dead soldier.

Augustus Dickerman returned from a visit with friends at Port Clinton. He stopped at Cleveland to visit his grandson, Mr. W. Dickerman and family.

T. G. Cottam recently entertained Mr. Hodges, of Colorado. The two were bunk mates during the Civil War.

Thompson has two "train boys," the sons of Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Organ having accepted positions on trains running between Cleveland and Buffalo.

### **South Thompson**

Our school commenced last week with Miss Sadie Bradley at the helm.

Miss Susie Naughton is visiting friends in Huntsburg.

Chester Crowder attended the Baptist Assoc. as a delegate at Richmond Center.

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Wallace Morehouse and family, of Huntsburg, visited at his father's last Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Wintersteen, Mrs. Nickerson, Mrs. Henry Vogel and Mr. & Mrs. Burroughs attended a picnic at the Madison Home last Thursday.

Mrs. Clara Stetson entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of Montville M. E. Church last Wed.

Addison Austin, of Concord, was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Wrisley, recently.

Tom Sidley, of New Castle, Pa., is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. George Sidley.

Mrs. Rose Sidley is teaching the fall term at Bostwick.

Mrs. Belle Crowder, who has been receiving medical treatment in Chardon, is at home now much improved.

Paul Stetson transacted business in Burton Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. Collins Morse, of LeRoy, visited relatives in this place last week.

John Croft has hired out to Henry Vogel for the fall and winter.

There was a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Folsom last week Saturday.

Mrs. Wannamaker has gone to Jackson to see her father, who is sick.

Mrs. McKough is in Cleveland helping care for her mother, who is very sick.

Miss Maud Fales is the possessor of a new guitar.

## **Kirtland**

Miss Alvira Stokes, of Cleveland, paid a visit to her parents as few days since.

Lee Smith's little son has been very sick.

There are several relatives as guests at Abraham Phelps in East Kirtland from Rushford, N.Y.

Mr. & Mrs. Newton Whitcomb, of Chardon called on their parents last week, on their way to the wedding of her sister on Temple Hill.

G. H. Morse and L. Williams are in Ravenna, having a contract for part of the construction of a new road.

## **Sept. 28, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 A Surprise**

Mr. Fred Storm gave a surprise party to his father, Mr. Stephen Storm at their beautiful North Ridge Home. Mentioned: Mr. W. H. Turner, an old resident of Willoughby.

### **Mentor**

Mrs. Robt. Tanswell has been spending a few days with relatives in Cleveland.

Fred Stevers and Fred Greer, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday in town.

Rev. Mr. Nutting and family, of Salt Lake City, Utah, are guests at the residence of Thomas Morley.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Chas. Rexford, son of Mr. & Mrs. N. C. Rexford of this place, to Miss Pearl E. Pettis, of Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. James E. Roberts, of Kirwin, Phillips Co., Kansas, are the guests of their brother, Marcus A. Roberts and family. Mr. Roberts has not visited in Mentor in 25 yrs. He is a veteran of the 105<sup>th</sup> Ohio.

### **Thompson**

The Root family reunion was held last Friday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. S. Root near Bostwick.

Mr. Metro entertained a brother from Buffalo during the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. Marshall, of Chardon, Mr. & Mrs. Alderman, of Burton, and Mr. F. M. Ford and wife, of Bostwick, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Grant.

Mr. Ira Atkin spent Sat. with his sister, Mrs. D. H. Babcock, of Unionville.

Mr. & Mrs. Grant, Mr. Geo. Patterson and several others attended the reunion in Bedford of the 177<sup>th</sup> Regt. O. V.T.

Mrs. Tuma, of Chicago, has returned to her home after a pleasant visit with her son, F. M. Ford and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Grant spent the first of the past week with their son and family at Wickliffe.

William and Ira Atkin have hired Mrs. H. Miller, of Montville, and Miss Allie Smith, of this place, to pick the grapes. The ladies will board with Mr. & Mrs. Keener.

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Mr. W. H. Behm, wife and three daughters were guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Keener.

Mr. J. J. Tucker, from abroad, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Retire Trask and family.

Mr. James Stevenson, who has been dangerously ill during the past, is in a fair way to recover.

Mr. J. S. Smith while working in his saw mill suffered the loss of two fingers near the first joint; the middle finger on the hand of Mr. Arthur Smith was severed at the second joint Sat. while handling staves.

Thompson's new M. E. pastor is J. F. Ellis, who has been located at Somerton for the past three years. Rev. J. Beetham will go to Somerton.

### **p. 2 Little Mountain**

Mr. Ely and wife who have been quite sick are thought to be somewhat better.

Mrs. Mira Neill continues in a sick condition.

### **North Madison**

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Craine were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. C. Boyd, of Perry, Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Phillips, of Dorset is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. B. Loomis, and other friends.

Will Branch, a former resident here accompanied by Mrs. Branch, of Parkes, South Dakota, are guests of their uncle, John Crocker Sr., also Mr. Branch's sister, Mrs. Fannie Parsons, of Cleveland, has been a guest of their friends here.

Miss Flossie Crocker is attending school at Lake Erie Seminary.

Miss M. C. Laine, of Thompson a former teacher, on the Bennet Road, has been a guest of friends here.

M. A. Brotzman, of Dorset, a former resident, was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. E. C. Corlett, last week.

Rev. & Mrs. Darias Woodworth, of Thompson, called on North Madison friends, last week.

Mrs. Anna M. Dresser, an army nurse, died at the National Home, Sept. 15, after a long illness.

She had come to the home from Michigan and had been an inmate for a number of years.

The only son and child of Mrs. Annie Wittenmyer accompanied her in her recent visit to the National Home.

Little Hatti Corlett is recovering from an attack of bronchitis.

### **Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of Sept. 28:**

#### **Ladies**

Aushery, Mrs. Sadie  
Emerline, Mrs. John  
Gorman, Barthy  
Hunt, Libby  
Johnson, Miss Emily  
Long, Mrs. Eda  
Smith, Miss Mary  
Seals, Mrs. Charles B.  
Weathers, Miss Eliza

#### **Gentlemen**

Adams, Abe  
Bates, Harry F.  
Johnson, L. H.  
Larabee, Uena  
Luhtal, Jakub  
Morlor, Wezciek  
Parson, W. C.  
Rickelman, J. H.  
Sipe & Co, D. A.  
Uansfse, Hiram  
Williamson, Herald

### **p. 3 Probate Court**

Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship; order of appraisal issued

Worden, Joseph – guardianship; application for appointment of guardian

Smith, Rosie E. – marriage license

Horton Mfg. Co. Incorporated – Painesville  
Incorporators are:

Charles. H. Horton, C. J. Scott, N. T. Breed, W. F. Smith, Vaughn E. Wyman and J. B. Collacott

Pres. Chas. H. Horton

V.P. N. T. Breed

Sec. Geo. P. Steele

Directors: Charles H. Horton, Geo. P. Steele, N. T. Breed, D. H. Proper, C. J. Scott, W. P. Storrs and

Percy K. Smith.



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### **A Pioneer**

Patrick Ferron, the well-known flagman at the State street crossing, died at his home on Elm street after an illness of only a few days. He was 70 yrs. of age and one of the pioneers of the Lake Shore railroad having helped in its construction. He was on the road for 46 yrs.

### **Death of L. M. Dutton**

Mr. L. M. Dutton, of Cleveland but formerly of this place, died suddenly on Monday. His remains were brought here and the funeral held at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. M. J. Leland, 106 E. Jackson street. He served in the Civil War; he was 57 yrs. old. He leaves a wife and one son, Mr. Chas. Dutton, of New York City, and an aged father of this place.

Geo. Smith, a member of Co. M was taken sick Tuesday and moved to Dr. Amidon's residence. Wed., he was able to be moved to his aunt's in Chardon.

### **At Willoughbeach**

Willoughbeach Park was crowded Sunday afternoon by people there to hear the last concert. The park will close Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>. The Carnegie-Waterbury Kodak Co., of Painesville, took some photographs of the buildings, landscapes and other last scenes.

Mr. C. H. Chalfant attempted suicide in Cleveland. He went into a hardware store and asked to see a revolver. He looked over several weapons and left the store stating that he would return and expected to make a purchase. In a half an hour, he came into the store again and said he would take one of the revolvers shown to him. Before paying for the gun, he asked for permission to test it. He was granted permission to try the revolver in the basement and the door to the cellar was pointed out. A shot was heard and the sound of a falling body; he had shot himself in the mouth. He was removed to Huron Street Hospital in an ambulance. He remained conscious and had nothing to say about the

incident. Mr. Chalfant is a serious condition with only a slight chance of recovery. The bullet is still in his body. Dr. Chalfant, of Bellefontaine, a brother of the injured man, arrived Monday.

Mr. Henry O'Leary, road supervisor, had his arm broken by the kick of a horse on Saturday.

Frank K. Haffey asks the Court to grant him \$10,000 damages for injuries he received in a head on collision of the special car for the band on the C. P. & E. Railroad Aug. 7, 1898.

### **Boy Identified**

The boy killed at Willoughby recently has been identified as Earl Blair. He and his sister were making their way from Chicago to Cohoes, N.Y., where they were stopped in Buffalo and were placed in the country house, where they were cared for. They had lived with the father in Chicago, but the mother had left him and gone to Cohoes, N.Y. and the two children started out for that place. The boy had escaped from that place and nothing was heard from him until the description was sent out by Coroner Phillips.

### **Neighborhood News**

The tallest horse in Ashtabula Co. stands 17 1/2 hands high and is the property of G. H. Wolcott, of Trumbull.

Two thugs attempted to hold up Webb Jeffords, of Rock Creek, one-night last week.

John Williams, a carpenter on the church of Christ, Ashtabula, fell 20 feet recently. He stuck on his left side on a joist.

With last week's issue, the *Willoughby Enterprise* ceased publication. Willoughby was not large enough to support two newspapers.

H. T. Holden brought a crate of chickens to the express office the other day to be shipped. He was willing to pay the express charges but objected to paying the war tax. Mr. Cowles, the agent, tried to explain that the company insisted that the shipper should pay the tax, and still Mr. Holden protested. While the parley was in

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progress, one of the fowls, laid an egg in the crate. Mr. Holden sold the egg to Mr. Cowles for a cent, paid the tax, and all parties were satisfied.  
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### **South Thompson**

Mrs. Belle Crowder has gone to Cleveland to visit friends.

Mr. Henry Roath, of Wisconsin, was a guest at the home of Mrs. H. Basquin, recently. He has not been here in many years.

Mrs. Wrisley was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Grace Crowder and little son are visiting her mother, Mrs. Sprague, in LeRoy a few days.

Roy Morse has a badly sprained wrist.

Miss Mary Gurney, of Burton, was at Will Hill's last Sunday.

Died – In Cleveland, Mrs. Jane Alexine Lewis, age 87 yrs. Funeral service held at Mentor Cemetery, Wednesday.

### **Personals**

Mr. Bell and family, of High street, have moved to Cleveland.

Miss Ruth Hull left for Larchmont, N.Y., Saturday to attend school.

Rev. Robt. M Freshwater left Thursday for his new home in Cleveland.

Miss Alice G. Wilson left Thursday for Rye Seminary, N.Y., where she enters school.

Mr. Geo. Herrick, left last Wednesday for Boston, Mass., where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. William Chubb is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Farrell, of Case Ave., Cleveland, for a week.

Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Jerome left Saturday for Pittsfield, Mass., where they will spend several days.

Miss Lucy Dowling left Friday for Macedonia where she will spend her vacation with friends and relatives.

Miss Emma Foss, of Sanford street, spent Sunday in Willoughby, the guest of her cousin, Miss Ellen Gibson.

Mrs. N. K. Hubbard and family moved from The Parmly to the Gladwish house on Mentor Ave. Saturday.

Mrs. Helen M. Ayres, of Indianapolis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clark and niece, Mrs. N. F. Marshall, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Jennie Eckels, Miss Ina Smith, of High street, and Miss Jennette Pinks of Erie street, who were picking grapes in Wickliffe, returned Monday, the grape picking season being over.

Miss Bonewell, of Akron, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. John Bonewell, on Washington street, left Friday with her father for Toledo, where they will be guests of Dr. Lloyd Bonewell for several weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Willard, of Hanging Rock, O., and three sons and a daughter were in town over Sunday. They are relatives of the late Uraih Seeley, who was for many years a resident of the East Side.

Since the Spanish war, Edward Pelton Merrill, the chemist, did not return to Santiago De Cuba, but took a still better position in one of the big iron mills in Niles, O. He now has an attack of appendicitis.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mrs. Ethel Campbell Flickenger, of Columbus, and little daughter are visiting at her father's.

Mrs. John Chambers, who has been sick nearly all summer, died last Sat. She leaves a husband and nine children.

Mrs. Jennie French is quite sick.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Ford, Arthur B.

Hill, Etta

#### **Perry Township**

Groken, C. A.

Groken, Lucy E.

Murser, Wm. R.

Murser, Emma E.

#### **Concord**

Grace, Harry E.

Rittman, Louisa

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### **Painesville Village Lands**

Hulett, Mary C.  
Williams W. O  
Wyman, Vaughn E.  
Horton, Charles H.  
Button, Albert  
Horton, Charles H.

### **Painesville Village Lots**

Jerome, Frank J.  
Seymour, Moses M.  
Crane, Maria A.

### **Mentor Township**

Angier, Geo. C.  
Dickey, Edward J.

### **Fairport Village Lots**

Weiser, Joseph  
Schlather, L.

### **Probate Court**

Carroll, Reese J. – final account; app. to file desperate claims  
Wakelee, Oscar A. – guardianship; additional bond filed  
Seymour, Moses M. – for benefit of Maria A. Crane; Frank J. Jerome appointed trustee; final and final account filed  
Post, D. Frank – assignment; final account  
Hall, Wm. C. – hearing continued  
Pike, John D. – petition to sell real estate  
Pike, James R. – L. D. Pike appointed guardian  
Carrel, Nina L. – Martin A. Tuttle appointed guardian  
Brooks, Burr – marriage license  
Parker, Martha – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Albert N. Belden vs Turhand G. Hart, adm.; money only  
South Cleveland Banking Co vs. Ezra Sherwood; money owed

### **Perry**

Mrs. Ault, of Geneva, was visiting in town Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Mason, of your city, dined with her brothers, Rodney and Roland Allison, at the

Allison homestead on Sunday. Mr. Roland Allison has been absent from Perry for 30 yrs. and is at present a resident of Decatur, Alabama.

V. E. Wyman spent Sunday afternoon with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

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### **p. 1 Mentor**

Nelson J. Kuder, of N.Y. City, was calling on friends here last week.

Miss Martha Harrington has returned from a trip up the Lakes.

Among our soldier boys, who are home on furlough, are Wm. Davis, Edwin Mott, Elmer Conclin and Will Swain.

Miss Elsie Johnson, of Cleveland, was spending Sunday at home.

Mrs. W. S. Hopkins and Mrs. Ed. Sanborn have been spending several days with relatives in Cleveland.

Miss Bessie Sheridan has returned to her home in Iowa.

Miss Alice Rhodes and friend, Miss Turner, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday at the residence of David Gulliford.

Mrs. E. W. Hull with her children are boarding in North Madison.

Mr. & Mrs. C. C. Downs, of Cleveland, were calling on old neighbors in this place last Sunday.

Mr. Albert Parker, of this place, and Miss Grace Ricks, of Cleveland, were married on Tuesday last in Cleveland. They will make their home in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Benj. Rose, of Cleveland, were spending Sunday at the Rose Homestead.

Mrs. J. Kuder, of Clyde, O., has been the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Mack for the past two weeks.

Mr. John Nott has purchased a building lot on Burrigge Ave. and is erecting a residence on it.

Carl Hagenberger, our hustling florist, has put out a new fall catalogue, illustrated and descriptive of Nursery and greenhouse stock.

### **North Madison**

Mrs. Taylor, of Cleveland, is a guest of Mrs. Geo. Murphey.

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Miss Ella Fiddler has returned to Columbus to complete the sixth year of her studies.

### **Concord**

Wilson Card, the last member of Company M to leave Florida, is at home and welcomed most heartily and thankfully by his many friends.

Mrs. Margaret Arnes, of Aurora, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. John H. Murray.

Mrs. Katie Wheelock, of North Amherst, is spending some time with her relatives, Mr. & Mrs. Chester Winchill and Mrs. Nancy Morse.

Mrs. Katie Wilson Hindes left last week for her home in Murray, Iowa, after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Wilson.

### **South Thompson**

Farmers are busy digging their potatoes. M. L. Ernst has the Boss potato digger.

Frances Henselty is making some repairs on his barn.

Homer Spencer, of Company M, 5<sup>th</sup> Regt. O.V.I., is home on a 30-day furlough.

Mr. & Mrs. Strich, of Perry, were at John Morse's last week.

Mrs. Hannah Morse is staying at her son's, at this place.

The infant child of Mr. & Mrs. Will Folsom died last week.

James Raffetty, of the U.S. Regulars, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

### **Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Behm had a son Sunday night.

Mrs. F. M. Leonard has been seriously ill.

Mrs. E. Bower, of Trumbull is recovering from a recent illness.

Gould Stevenson and son, of Painesville, recently visited his father, James Stevenson, who has been ill for several weeks.

Miss Clara and Edgar Van Gorder entertained a goodly number of their young friends Saturday.

Miss Maude Foote recently spent several days in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Dean, of Sharon, spent last Thursday with Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Behm, of Trumbull.

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Quirk, of North Madison, were guests of Miss Kate McLean and Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Davis.

Mrs. McBirney, of Cincinnati, who is spending some time with the family of her brother, Mr. E. Tillotson, was the guest last week of Mr. & Mrs. N. F. Moseley.

Miss Fidelia Gee, for many years a missionary worker among the Utah Mormons, is the guest of her brother, Mr. B. G. Gee and wife.

The remains of Mr. L. Olds, who died during the past week at his home near Bostwick, were removed from the vault yesterday and interred in the cemetery at this place.

Mrs. Lovica Billing, of Ashtabula, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. A. J. Bliss and wife, spent several days of the past week with Mr. & Mrs. George Bingham.

Mr. N. G. Chilson has disposed of his farm to Mr. Anton Stock, of Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Wilber are removing to their residence on the Ledge, and Dr. & Mrs. Kellogg, of Madison, are taking possession of the house now being vacated by Mr. Wilber.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Dewey are about to leave the Center and move to South Madison. Mr. Edwin Tillotson will take possession of the house now occupied by Mr. Dewey. Mrs. Clara Wintersteen and family, of Hartsgrove, will occupy the house vacated by E. Tillotson.

Mr. B. Dakin, of Burton, was a guest of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Bingham and Mr. Augustus Dickerman. Mrs. E. A. Davis was also a guest of Mrs. Bingham.

Mr. C. Sinclair, of Trumbull, made a business trip through the neighborhood last week.

### **p. 2 Perry**

Mrs. Agnes Baker Hurlburt gave a pleasant little family party last Friday evening to parents, brothers, and sisters of both herself and her husband.

The familiar face of Mit Armstrong, of Claridon, was seen in town on Monday.

Miss Nora Woodard, of Munson, was visiting friends in this place last week.

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Miss Grace Ackley, of Oberlin, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. V. Axtell.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter, Miss Edith, of Greene, Trumbull Co., spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. William Ray.

Mrs. H. H. Shepard is visiting her aged father Mr. Joseph Crosby at Ashtabula.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Abels were given a surprise party for 35<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Isaac Hurlbert has been visiting a sister in Cleveland the past week.

### Neighborhood News

Lyman basket factory at Chardon employs 45 men and ships its baskets, pails, and tubs to all parts of the country.

H. W. Olds, editor of the *Orwell News-Letter*, was married Sept 28, to Miss Amarett L. Stevens.

Henry Lee, a Chinese laundryman from Oberlin, has been arrested by Pittsburg officials on the charge of embezzling several hundred dollars from a Chinese benevolent society.

### Kirtland

Charles Harrington, of Newbury, was in town Wednesday.

John Curtiss, of New York and Charles Curtiss, of Michigan have been visiting their brother Grove Curtiss.

Mr. Edwin Clark, of Colorado, an uncle of Fayette Kingsley is visiting here.

Edwin Hadlock has moved his family into his former home in the east part of the town and Mr. Hayward takes his place at the mill.

Mrs. McFarland, who was severely burned by an explosion of gas in their house, is now able to be about attending to the domestic cares.

Mr. & Mrs. Burr Brooks, who were recently married at Fowler's Mills were the recipients last Thursday evening of a musical serenade.

### Mentor Headlands

Mr. & Mrs. Henrice tendered a reception to their son, Mr. Frank Henrice and bride Thursday.

Mr. Geo Adams and wife have begun housekeeping in the new house recently built and vacated by Mr. & Mrs. Norton, of Cleveland.

Mr. Frank Lewis Henrice, of Cleveland, formerly of this street, and Miss Myra Phillips Jordan were married at the home of the bride Thursday Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>. He is a prominent young man of the Forest City and the bride is one of Glenville's estimable young ladies.

The beautiful characteristics of the late Mrs. Fred Brooks were such as should be emulated by all young ladies.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Oct. 5:

#### Ladies

Bolster, Madge  
Campbell, Miss Ethel  
Gilbert, Mrs. H. O.  
Hubbard, Miss Vinney  
Dunham, Mrs. Harvey  
Miller, Mrs. J.  
Robinson, Miss Mary  
Swain, Mrs. Jenni

#### Gentlemen

Black, Thos. F.  
Besty, Wm.  
Brown, W. J.  
Collins, J. M.  
Hubbard, Ray  
Prentice, Oren  
Sipe D. A. & Co.  
Simmons, Stephen M.  
Zitris, Master Walter

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Marriage licenses have been issued for the marriage of Jay W. Cottam and Jessie L. Green. Henry Lynn Wilson and Gertrude Hendry.

Judge G. N. Tuttle has purchased the Hezekiah Cole place on North St. and expects to move his family there from Johnny Cake Ridge.

Orrin Stroud a man about 50 yrs. old living on St. Clair street, was arrested Monday by Marshal Connell for using obscene language.

Ohio vs H. W. Williamson for selling mortgaged property.

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Mr. Fred W. Littlejohn has leased the McLean place corner South and St. Clair streets and removed his family to that place. Mr. C. F. Blackmon and family, formerly residents of Wood street, will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Littlejohn.

A party was given for Miss Lulu, at the home of Mr. A. J. Harris, deputy revenue collector at Fairport.

### **Personals**

Mrs. Lloyd Wyman was in Perry over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. L. A. Thorp spent Sunday in Geneva.

Mr. B. W. Tinan is attending the Omaha Exposition.

Mr. S. K. Gray is at home on the Park for a few days.

Miss Frances Brick spent Sunday with friend's in Perry.

Mr. Percy K. Smith has returned from Washington, D. C.

Dr. S. E. Woodruff spent Sunday at his home on South street.

Mrs. W. A. Coleman has returned from a visit to Corry, Pa.

Mr. & Mrs. E. J. House left Monday for the Omaha Exposition.

Mrs. J. C. Clark, mother of Mrs. N. F. Marshall, has been quite ill recently.

Miss Flora Myers, of Buffalo, is visiting at Mr. & Mrs. C. T. Radcliffe's.

Rev. & Mrs. W. B. Winters now occupy rooms at Miss Young's, Park Place.

Mr. F. G. King, of Warren, Pa., spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. H. King.

Mr. Charles West, of Jackson street, Company M, is very low with typhoid fever.

Messrs. C. L. Kimball and F. J. Fuller, of Madison, were in town Tuesday morning.

Mrs. E. W. Hull, of South street, left Saturday to spend several months in Madison.

Miss Davies, of Cleveland, was the guest of her parents on Jackson street over Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Warren went to Cleveland Monday to spend ten days with her parents.

Mrs. E. Kean, of State street, who is confined to her room with illness, is reported better.

Mr. C. M. Scott, son and daughter, C. J., Jr., and Miss Hannah have been visiting at Mr. C. J. Scott's.

Mrs. E. B. Adams, of South Bend, Ind., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. W. Fisher, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Ruie Beach, of South St. Clair street, went to Pa. Monday to visit friends.

Mr. Merwin Thompson, of the steamer Robt. Fulton, was in town Sunday, the guest of his mother, Mrs. A. L. Gardner.

Mr. & Mrs. C. P. Baker and the Misses Maude and Blanche Wolff were guests of Mrs. Alfred Jayne, of Headlands, over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Nevison, of Lawrence, Neb., are registered at The Parmly. Mr. Nevison was at one-time prosecuting attorney in this county.

W. H. Beatty, formerly with Barto & Kerr's clothing store, has accepted a position as superintendent of the People's Gas Co., of Washington.

Mr. Robert Dickey, of Jackson street, left today for Hiram College, where he will spend the year. Miss Nellie Dickey accompanied him to Cleveland.

Mr. J. J. Thompson, of Lane, is back from a six-week trip to Devil's Lake, North Dakota.

Capt. William Brown and bride are the guests of Prof. and Mrs. F. H. Kendall. Capt. Brown will leave for Cuba next month.

### **Palmer Reunion**

The fourth annual Palmer reunion was held on the farm of the late Capt. Isaac Palmer, in memory of his 96<sup>th</sup> birthday, at the home of his youngest daughter, Ellen, Mrs. R. F. Dowens, in August. Between 30 and 40 being present. Mrs. W. H. Corkins, who looks forward every year to meet with her father's relatives was taken seriously ill that morning before leaving home.

### **Largest in the U.S.**

The huge monolith, said to be the biggest ever quarried in the U. S. will be erected on the family lot of John D. Rockefeller in the Lake View Cemetery in November. The monument will be

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located on the same ridge as the Garfield monument. It is stated that the Egyptian obelisk in Central Park, N.Y., is the only stone in the U.S. that surpasses in size the weight the one purchased by Mr. Rockefeller; it is 19 feet taller than the one that will stand in Lake View Cemetery.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfer**

##### **Painesville Township**

Williams, August

Sawyer, Seth H.

Loomis, Flora E.

Phillips, A. G.

Phillips, Ella A.

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Radcliffe, Lydia a.

Mason, Levi J.

Cole, Hezekiah

Ashley, Mary M.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Barnes, Harley

Wood, Lewis J.

Cole, Hezekiah

Ashely, Mary M.

##### **Concord**

Cole, Hezekiah

Ashley, Mary M.

### **Probate Court**

Worden, Joseph – application for appointment of guardian

Dutton Lewis M. – will probated; Dotta Dutton appointed executrix

McSparren, Elvina – will filed

Warren, Elbridge, O. – amend to motion filed

Thompson, Ann M. – order to sell issued

Rauch, Karolina – will filed

Ohio vs Henry Shafer – admitted to bail

Pease, Ellen C. – inquest of lunacy; cause dismissed

Woolever, Charles G. – marriage license

Lockwood, Dora A. – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

### **New cases:**

Samuel S. Oliver, adm. of Celia A. Oliver, deceased vs Fred Baker; foreclosure of mortgage  
Delia Bowhall vs Grant W. Bowhall – alimony, custody of child; gross neglect and extreme cruelty

Frank B. Morrison vs Wells Reed; money only

William J. Wales vs George W. Barton; specific performance of land contract

### **Hoose-McLeod**

The wedding of Mr. A. C. Hoose, the well-known jeweler, of this place, to Miss Marguerite McLeod was Sept. 27 at Shelbourne, Ont. The bride is the sister of Mr. Geo. K. McLeod, the well-known tailor of this place. They live now at 133 South street.

### **Horace Steele Dead**

Horace Steele, age 78 yrs. died at his home on the Park, Wed. He had been confined to his room for three weeks although he had gradually been wasting away for several years past. The deceased was born in Montpelier, Vt. May 14, 1820, and came to Painesville in 1836, since which time he has been a resident of this place.

### **Around the World**

Mr. & Mrs. H. Dorwin McIlrath under the management of the Chicago Inter Ocean, are making a tour around the world. When they arrive here, the ladies and gentlemen cyclists of this place are expected to form an escort.

### **Arrived Home - on 30 Day Furlough**

Most of the boys have come home while ten were left to guard camp of Company M:

Sergeant Lapham

Corporal Weiser

#### **Privates**

Book

Rauch

Chapman

Trulsen

Hart

Howlett

Burnes

McGill

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### **An East Side Party**

A surprise party was given for Miss Catherine Cone, of the East Side, Sept. 30, it being her 12<sup>th</sup> birthday. Seven of her classmates were present:

Ackerman, Gertrude

Benedict, Edith

Day, Edith

Stevenson, Clifford

Hopkins, Berton

Wheeler, Harry

Allshouse, George

### **Death of Mrs. C. C. Finneran**

Miss C. C. Finneran died on Friday. She had been very ill for about four weeks. She leaves a husband and three small children.

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### **p. 1 Neighborhood News**

Geauga Co. Commissioners have granted to the County Historical Society, the use of a room in the Court House for storing, exhibiting and preserving articles of historic values.

Punderson Lake the popular Geauga Co. resort, that is the objective point of two rival electric lines from Cleveland, has been purchased by the Cleveland & Chagrin Falls Electric R'y Co. With the advent of an electric road, the place will take on a publicity that will destroy its attractiveness in the estimation of Warren people, who have been wont to camp and fish there. *Chronicle*

### **A New Firm**

The Painesville Feed Store is a new enterprise that has been started in the Parmly House block. Mr. E. E. Graves is the manager of the store.

### **p. 2 Hampden**

Gereno Ray is at home sick with the measles

Mr. & Mrs. O. R. Chamberlain celebrated the 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their marriage with a variety wedding, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>.

The remains of the two-year old son and Mr. & Mrs. Frank Johnson were brought from Chardon here Sunday for burial.

### **Mentor**

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. French have closed their house and returned to the city for the winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Radcliffe, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting with their relatives in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. Crugeer and twins, of Chicago, are visiting at the residence of J. A. Cleveland.

Mr. George Parsons is building a new barn. Messrs. Week and Cudney are the architects.

Mrs. Harmony Taylor, of Cleveland, celebrated her 80<sup>th</sup> birthday last Saturday. She is spending a few days with Mrs. W. J. Spaulding.

Mrs. Kittie Burridge Ely and Mr. Abner H. Meinke, of Cleveland, were married at the residence of her brother. They will live in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred J. Parmelee celebrated their 15<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> at their home on Jackson street.

### **Thompson**

Mr. Henry Quayle visited Cleveland for the first time in 19 yrs. Mrs. Quayle was accompanied by her son, Dr. John Quayle and wife, of Madison.

Mrs. Pauline Armstrong, of East Claridon, and Mrs. Clara Wintersteen and son, of Hartsgrove, were in town last Monday. Mrs. Wintersteen will not move to this place until next spring.

Mr. A. Z. Olds had an accident while working upon the Ledge Hill last Sat.; he crushed one of his fingers and it needed to be amputated.

Miss Lizzie Keener, of West Trumbull, is about to leave for Madison where she intends to remain for some time with her cousin, Mrs. Ira Whipple.

### **Geneva**

The 105<sup>th</sup> O.V.I. held their 23<sup>rd</sup> annual reunion in Geneva Oct. 6 and 7. The old and tattered battle flag was brought into the hall and all the old soldiers rose and saluted it. The reunion was next year at Akron at the home of Col. Perkins.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Mrs. John Scanio, of State street, died Sat. of pneumonia. The funeral was Monday.

Mrs. Margaret Bain, living on Sanford street, was operated on Monday morning for cancer by Dr. Carmedy.



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Mr. Grant Carlton, formerly of this place, has taken half interest in a cigar store in Cleveland at 69 Prospect street.

Frank Franks, of Conneaut, the 13-year-old grandson of Mr. & Mrs. David Nichols, of this place, lost an arm Friday while attempting to board a freight train at Conneaut. He is in a dangerous condition.

### **Personals**

Miss Grace Adams was visiting relatives in Huntsburg Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Jerome have returned from a visit to Pittsfield, Mass.

Mr. & Mrs. Goss, of Cleveland, were guests of the Misses Malin Sunday.

Mr. Ralph Gregory, is now employed as clerk in John S. Lockwood's clothing store.

Mr. Allan Gray, who has been spending the summer here, left Thursday for Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Anna Ball, of Vermillion, is in town for the Street Fair, the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Gardner.

Col. Robt. R. Kimberly, of Cincinnati, was the guest of Mr. & Mrs. R. S. Wood, of Bank street, over Sunday.

Mrs. Mark Nelson, of Lakewood, O., returned home Monday after a brief visit with her uncle, M. L. Baker, of St. Clair street.

Mrs. Charles F. Wilder, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin, for the last month, left Friday for her home at Fort Dodge, Ia.

### **Perry**

Mrs. Frank Babbitt and children, of Collinwood, were visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. McEwen, last week.

Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Shepard attended the wedding of Mrs. Shepard's daughter, Miss Hattie Quimby, at Ashtabula on Wed.

Miss Blanche Gray was pleasantly surprised by a party of her young friends last Wed. evening.

Mr. & Mrs. Nakels, of Linesville, Pa., are visiting friends in town. Mrs. Nakels will be remembered as Mrs. Fannie Hendricks.

Roy Brewster, oldest son of Mr. Eugene Brewster, while running on the school grounds on Sat. broke his collar bone.

### **North Madison**

One hundred cans of fruit were stolen from the cellar of W. E. Fuller by thieves.

Mrs. Mary MaGilton, of Philadelphia, is helping to care for her sister, Mrs. Albert Hickok, who is yet very ill.

Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Billington and wife had a baby girl Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Mrs. Fowler, who is a guest of Mrs. Helen Fitch, of the Dock Road is quite ill.

### **Drowned**

P. W. Waters, the fireman on the Peerless, which is the pleasure steam yacht at Fairport Harbor, was drowned Sunday. It is not known how the accident happened. His body was found in the river.

### **Post Office Robbery**

The West Farmington post office was robbed sometime during Friday night. About two hundred dollars was the amount stolen; one hundred dollars of this was in postage stamps.

### **Obituary**

John Herson Pierce, who for 18 yrs. past was a well-known resident of our village, died Wed. at his residence, 321 Smith street after a brief illness. He had pneumonia and endocarditis developed. John H. Pierce was born in Troy, N.Y., Aug. 12, 1836, and was 63 yrs. old. He learned the trade of a molder and worked in one of the Troy foundries and became one of the best. He went west for a while and there met and married at Willoughby, Ohio, Miss Frances Jane Baker, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. L. Baker of St. Clair street, Painesville. He was in Mass. a few years and in 1880 came from Peekskill. He assumed the superintendence of Ely & Ramsay's foundry and has since held that position. He was beloved by all his employees. He served in the Civil War.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Carrigan, John

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Button, Albert  
Curtiss, Addison G.  
Realty Title & Investment Co.  
Lee, N. O.  
Lee, Eliza A.

### **Mentor Township**

Dickey, E. J.  
Moore, T. M.  
Dickey, Edward J.  
Whitney Edith T.  
Cole, Hezekiah  
Case, Gertrude G.

### **Willoughby Township**

Roe, Lewis, R.  
Boley, Frida

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Lee, N. O. Lee  
Lee, Eliza A.  
Lee, W. G.  
Lee, Lizzie  
Soules, Jessie Lee

### **Probate Court**

Cook, M. B. – will filed  
Hopkins, Anna – order of sale issued  
Barber, Nettie E. – order of sale issued  
Dayton, Paulina A. – account of final distribution filed  
Streeter, Oscar A. – inquest of lunacy  
Meinke, Abner H. – marriage license  
Burrige, Kittie E. – marriage license  
Doughty, Edwin B. – marriage license  
Phillips, Clara J. – marriage license  
Ojanpaa, Jahan – marriage license  
Lala, Laima Maya – marriage license  
Warner, Elbridge – application for allowance of claims  
A. J. McCue vs F. A. Hungerford; decision; the demurrer overruled  
Norman, Eliza – Mary Hurlburt appointed adm.  
Tilley, Orissa – guardianship; final account  
Murray, John H. – first account  
Corlett, Edward C. – first and final account filed  
Cook, M. B. – will probated  
Ohio vs Henry Shafer; plead guilty; fined \$1 and costs

## **Common Pleas**

### **New cases:**

Gertrude E. Taylor vs Gilbert Lee Taylor – divorce, gross neglect of duty; custody of child  
H. W. Luetkemeyer & Son vs W. J. Van Deusen – foreclosure of chattel mortgage  
A. D. Myers vs Katie M. Roemer and Fred W. Roemer – foreclosure and equitable relief  
Henry Fitz vs Thomas A. Williams and Hannah Williams – foreclosure  
Worden, Joseph – guardianship  
Alexander, John W. – executor of George W. Steele vs George C. Steele; to foreclose mortgage and equitable relief

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Oct. 12:

### **Ladies**

Barrows, Mrs. John F  
Boot, Mrs. Loise  
Fuller, Mrs. Louise  
Harris, Mrs. May  
Stephens, Mrs. Susie  
Wilson, Mrs. E.

### **Gentlemen**

Adams, Delmer  
Clark, E. E.  
Hartenstern, Jacob  
Hills, N. E.  
Hoyt, Arthur J.  
Knowlton, Chris  
Martin, W. B.  
Phillips, W. B.  
Shankland, P. N.  
Wilson, Hon. W. C.

### **Madison**

Oliver Smead is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Searles have been enjoying a visit from their mother, Mrs. Downer, of Cleveland.

Supt. R. S. Thomas and family, of Akron, have been spending a few days with Mr. & Mrs. Henry Saxton.

John Kellogg finds the West too fast for him and will return with his family to his native town. He has purchased the business of the late E. F. Ensign.

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The Wilson-Hendry wedding on Oct. 4 was a brilliant affair, the social event of the season here. Ninety invitations were issued. They will live in Cleveland.

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### **p. 1 Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. Ketchum, of Middlefield, were guests of Mrs. Ketchum's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Proctor.

Mr. & Mrs. Harvey entertained guests from Harpersfield yesterday

Miss Ida Bower, of Trumbull, together with her sister, Alice, and brother, Lloyd, spent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Keener.

Mr. Alger, wife and child of Ashtabula, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Crocker over Sunday.

Oakley Douglas, of Claridon, spent last night with Hon. & Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

Mr. & Mrs. Ralston entertained visitors from out of town yesterday.

Mrs. Spain, of Harpersfield, is with her daughter, Mrs. John Hedley, who continues in poor health.

Miss Artie Chaffe is suffering from an attack of quinsy.

The infant child of Mr. & Mrs. Teachout has been very ill during the past week.

Mrs. Isaiah Phelps, of East LeRoy, is reported dangerously ill.

Mrs. James Stevenson continues to improve.

Miss Myrta Graham was visited by her brother, Mr. Myron Graham, and family of Hartsgrove.

Mrs. Wm. Tuttle, of Concord, was the guest during the past week of Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Chafee and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Scott.

Miss Myra Hulbert, who has been staying with the family of her brother, Rev. N. E. Hulbert, of Troy, has returned to this place, and has for the past week been the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. D. Wilber.

Miss Pauline Rappold, of Ashtabula, is the guest of Dr. & Mrs. D. G. Proctor. Miss Rappold is accompanied by Miss Dorothy Abigail Smith and

Master Paul Smith, grandchildren of Dr. & Mrs. Proctor.

Ira Atkin attended the reunion of the 9<sup>th</sup> Ohio Battery recently held at Bedford; also, spent several days with his brother, Ralph Atkin, of Painesville.

Mr. Houser, of Kirtland, was recently a guest of his sister, Mrs. N. A. Penhollow and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Beebower have returned from a pleasant visit of one week with friends in Pa.

B. G. Crandall assisted the firm of Judson & Smart during the Street Fair at Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Hall, of Montville, Miss Mary Gurney, of Burton Station, and Mrs. Mary Joseph, of Buffalo, were guests last Friday of friends in this vicinity.

Miss May Hotchkiss leaves today for a two week visit with relatives at Chagrin Falls.

Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Organ are making preparations for returning to Cleveland, their former home.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Nye were guests the past week of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye.

N. A. Penhollow, who is in the employ of Hon. E. J. Clapp, leaves home today for work upon the telephone line.

Mrs. Ralph Pomeroy was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. D. Murphy, with her son, Wesley Murphy and wife, of Montville, were entertained at dinner yesterday by Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Murphy.

Will Long is the latest victim of Ledge Hill mishaps which resulted in a crushed toe.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Scott, of South Madison, were guests yesterday of Mr. & Mrs. George Scott.

Messrs. Arthur Crandall and Eugene Stevenson caught a live coon last Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Loomis has reached the 83<sup>rd</sup> milestone of life.

### **Perry**

Mrs. S. Wire has been quite ill for several days.

Mr. & Mrs. L. H. Cowdery are spending a month with their daughter in Rochester, N.Y.

Many of our citizens have received invitations to the wedding of L. J. Wood, formerly of Perry, to Miss Hayden, of Indianapolis.

The fine herd of brown Swiss cattle owned by Warren Hull on the Narrows Road, passed

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through the village Sunday on their way home from a trip at the eastern fairs. These with L. V. Axtell's Guernseys make Perry noted as the home of two of the finest herds in Northern Ohio.

The funeral of Mr. Space, of the North Ridge who died Friday, was held at his late residence Sunday.

Miss Zana, the little daughter, of Ed Morehouse was given a tenth birthday party.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Wilber Hyde, of Cleveland, was calling on his uncle last Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Bloomfield Talbott, of Union, Mich., but formerly of this place, are visiting old friends this week.

Frank Osborne and family have moved back to the city for the winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Kelley started last Wed. for a visit in northern New York.

Mrs. Laura Clark, of Michigan is staying some time with her sister, Mrs. T. Kelley.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Andrews had another little daughter added to their family.

Mrs. Lizzie Dean, of Fairmount, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Cora Hyde, the first of the week.

Miss Lila Brown has gone to Boston, Mass., to study elocution.

Mrs. E. H. Talbott is quite sick and under the doctor's care.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. Henretty lost a horse last week.

Harry Miller is ill with the measles.

Clark Fales attended the reunion of the 105<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Geneva.

Mrs. Wrisley was very sick last week but is better at present.

Mr. & Mrs. Sutherland, of Denmark, visited their son at this place last week.

Mrs. Burroughs and Mrs. Vogel went to Girard, Pa. to visit relatives recently.

Mrs. Sarah Wintersteen is visiting friends in Painesville.

Miles Vancise, of McKeesport, Pa., was in town recently.

Mrs. Croft and daughter, of Painesville visited their old neighbors here.

Homer Spencer and Walter Vancise have started up their cider mills.

### **Unionville Fire**

Tuesday morning the immense hen house on Highland Farm, Unionville, was destroyed by fire. A granary, barn office, windmill and huge water tank were also destroyed. The residence was spared. The hen house was over 500 feet in length and built for \$14,000 by the late N. R. Monroe. The fire is thought to be from an incendiary.

### **p. 2 Perry**

L. J. Wood Esq. spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Wood.

The Misses Hattie, Kate and Etta Blair, of your city, spent Sunday at the home of their sister, Mrs. Jared Tyler.

Mrs. S. N. Carman has been spending a week with her brother at Oberlin.

Mr. Wm. Huddy and daughter, Mrs. Maggie Baker, arrived in town Friday from St. Catherines, Canada. Mr. Huddy will remain through the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Julia Lapham.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Salkeld and Miss Grace Salkeld spent Sat. in Cleveland.

Miss Bernice has been spending several days with her brother at Geneva.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Rowland and son, of Cleveland, are guests of Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Rowland.

Mr. James Shepard is again quite sick.

Mrs. Andrew West has been quite ill in the past week.

### **Hampden**

Mr. & Mrs. Horace Thayer, of Cleveland, were in town Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Doncaster, of Kent, O., were calling on old friends here last week.

The funeral of Mrs. Allie Shattuck was held at the Congregational Church Sunday, Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>. She was 19 yrs. old. She leaves a husband, father, mother, three brothers and two sisters.

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### **North Madison**

Mrs. Sarah Norton has sold her home to Levi Kent, which he now occupies.

Rose Cummings is very ill in the hospital at New York.

Henry Cummings and wife, who have been spending the summer at the lake, returned home to Tedroute, Pa.

Mrs. Eugene Adams was a guest of Kingsville friends last week. Mrs. Adams' sister, Mrs. Phelps, goes to a Cleveland hospital for a surgical operation this week.

Mrs. R. E. Loomis was a guest last week of her sister, Sarah Proctor, of Geneva.

Charlie Graves is sick with fever at the home of Dr. J. V. Winans.

Mrs. E. C. Corlett is doing a fine business in dressmaking.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Parks leaves this week to spend some time with friends in Michigan.

Fred and Jessie Wolfe are attending school in Austinburg.

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Harris and children return home today (Monday).

The W.C.T.U. will meet with Mrs. Couch Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>.

Miss Lina Loveridge is teaching in Brookline, Mass.

Henry Saxton has been very ill this past week at his home on Safford street.

S. D. Strong, of Safford street, celebrated his 73<sup>rd</sup> birthday last Sat.

Ten of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Wilson's friends will attend their reception in Cleveland on the 18<sup>th</sup>.

Miss Hattie Ensign is visiting her sister in Cleveland.

Miss Mead from Washington state is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charles Bates, and expects to remain with her until spring.

A barrel was packed on Monday at the home of Miss Gilbreath for Miss M. E. Wilcox, who is teaching in the Freedmen High School at Andersonville, Ga.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Oct. 19:

### **Ladies**

Alexander, Mrs. M. A.

Arthur, Mrs. Eleanor

Root, Mrs. Laura

Smith, Miss Lillie

### **Gentlemen**

Barret, Henry

Coats, D.

Frank, William

Gordon, Capt. James

Gordon, Col. Chas.

Gordon, Col. Wm.

Harrison, Willard O.

Pearson, H. M.

Prentice, Orell

Taylor, John R.

### **Probate Court**

1. George H. Shepherd, adm. of Samuel F. Whitney, deceased; fourth account.

2. Charles H. Chalfant, executor of the estate Alexander King, deceased; first and final account.

3. A. G. Reynolds, guardian of Mary Helen Lovelace; first account.

4. Geo. Blish, assignee of Arthur P. Hart; first and final account.

5. Allen K. Carrell, adm. of Reese Y. Carell, deceased; final account

6. Stephen K. Stage, assignee of D. Frank Post; final account

7. Maria A. Crane, executrix of the estate of Moses M. Seymour, deceased; first and final account

8. Jessie M. Wheeler, adm. of Ann M. Thompson, deceased; first and final account

9. Harriet A. Corlett, adm. of Edward C. Corlett, deceased; first and final account

10. Frederick H. Murray, executor of John H. Murray, deceased; first account.

11. Edward J. and Daniel H. Baker, adm. of Lovina H. Baker, deceased; first and final account

12. Wm. H. Genung, executor of E. L. Norton, deceased, first and final account

13. Charles E. Booth, executor of Mary A. Cowles, deceased; final account

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### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Andrew Kintosh, a Finn, who has been an inmate of the county infirmary since last May died Monday.

Mr. A. D. Work, of Jamestown, N.Y., was visiting Mr. G. J. Carnegie during the street fair.

Lieut. Barritt, adjutant of second battalion, 5<sup>th</sup> O.V.I. and Lieut. Jas. Maltbie, of Company E, were visitors here during Street Fair.

Mrs. James G. Rayant and son, Frank, of Cleveland, spent Wed. at the home of Mrs. James H. Davis, of Latimore street.

Mrs. C. H. Scranton, of Brockport, N.Y., came up from Ashtabula to attend the Street Fair and was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. O. Kenny.

Mrs. R. M. Murray, of Cleveland, was here for the Street Fair.

J. H. Smith, of Ashtabula, was arraigned before Justice Ward Thursday for assault and battery.

Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Davidson were given a surprise 12<sup>th</sup> anniversary party at the home of Mr. E. H. Merrill.

Azariah Space, about 70 yrs. old and a life-long resident of North Perry, died Friday after a long illness.

### **Personals**

Mrs. Justin J. Wetmore, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. Robt. George.

Miss Stella Cummings has gone to Chicago for a visit of a few weeks.

Mrs. A. W. Post has gone to Chicago to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hecox.

Mrs. E. G. Wetherbee has gone to Boston, Mass, to visit her sister, Mrs. Sawyer.

Mr. Franz C. Warner left Monday on a two-week trip through Michigan.

Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Doolittle, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with relatives in Painesville.

Mrs. Thomas Newness, who has been visiting Mrs. Wedge, of Casement Ave., has returned to her home in Burton.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Mr. L. J. Wood to Miss Jessie Hall at Irvington, Ind., Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>.

Mail carrier Geo. A. Garner is taking a ten-day vacation. His place will be filled by M. P. Rafter, the extra man.

Mr. & Mrs. I. W. Mead, of Frankfort, Mich., have been visiting their son, Mr. George Mead, of Prospect street.

Miss R. Isabelle Schwenger, of W. Jackson street, has gone to Cleveland to visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

J. B. Whitney, of Painesville, was driver of Dame Trot, the winner of the 2:40 pace at Valley Track, Cleveland, Thursday.

Mr. J. F. Breed left Monday evening for a trip to Omaha and Denver. He will visit the exposition in Omaha.

Mrs. Mary Baxter and son, Anson, in company with Miss Kelsey, of Cleveland, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. & Mrs. Geo. L. Livingston.

Mrs. F. B. Heath and little son, Sheldon, of North East, Pa., have been visiting Mrs. Heath's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Burnley, of South State street.

Mrs. M. E. Searles and Miss F. T. Gee, of Cleveland, and Mr. & Mrs. S. A. Gee, of Washington, D C. are guests of Mrs. Wm. Wales, of Cortland street.

Mr. Judson Johnson and brother D. H. Johnson, were called to Blissfield, Mich., on receipt of a telegram from there stating the death of Mrs. Mary Carriage, their aunt.

Mr. J. Powell Jones has been engaged as musical adjudicator at the Milwaukee Elsteddfod on New Year's Day, at Fairhaven, Vt., on May 1<sup>st</sup> at Poultney, Vermont, Aug. 30, 1899.

Fred Phillips, bugler of the 7<sup>th</sup> U. S. Inf't., who has been at home some time on a sick furlough had a severe relapse on Friday. He is very sick at the home of his brother, Dr. Phillips, of the East Side.

Mr. Samuel W. Curtiss and family, of Chicago, have again become residents of Painesville. They are residents at 331 Erie street.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles F. Leach and sister, Mrs. Earle, of Cleveland, were visitors at the Street Fair Wed. being guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Barden. Mr. Leach is collector of customs of the Cleveland district which includes the harbor at Fairport.

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A slot telephone has been erected in the New Cowles House by the Central Union Telephone Co.

W. C. Emerich, of Collinwood, won the time prize in Century Road Race Sat. F. Dayton, of Hiram, secured first place.

Mr. & Mrs. Dan D. Casement, of San Jose, Costa Rica, have a daughter born Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Waters, wife of the late Pat Waters, who was recently drowned at Grand River, has been located by Coroner Philips. The coroner shipped the body to her home in Buffalo at once as instructed.

**Died** – At the home of A. R. Glenn, of High Street, Oct. 13, Mrs. Anna Barbara Lohiser, aged 89 yrs.

### A Runaway

Dr. Axtell's team, which was left with his cousin, Miss Laura Axtell, started to runaway. They made a turn too short and the carriage was capsized, throwing Miss Axtell to the ground where she remained semi-conscious until removed to the house. She is recovering.

### A Window Attraction

Gail G. Grant has arranged for a series of attractions to be displayed in his front window. The attractions are quite a novelty and the latest things out. The first of the series, Miss Callme, is already displayed and the following are promised changing every two weeks: Football Game, The Old Wind Mill, The Shoe Maker's Workshop, A Clubhouse Scene in the City, the Ragpicker, The Farmer and his Friend, The Rural School, The Clown and his Dog, Burlesque Guards, Plantation Scene, Monkeys in Monkeydom, Execution of The Deserter, A Sleeping Beauty.

Article describing the Painesville Street Fair. There was a balloon ascension which came down and struck a barn. The balloonist was badly burned. Harry Devine the tight rope walker performed some daring feats. There was a pie eating contest held on the balcony of the Cowles

House. Jim Miller won first prize; Guy Brookins won second.

The prettiest baby was 13-month-old Beatrice Frances Price a thirteen-month-old motherless baby of Cleveland. A prize of a \$5 go-cart. The most graceful lady bicyclist was Miss Anna Johnson, of Mentor was awarded a gas lamp by John W. Rice. The prize for best booths were awarded to Barto & Kerr, E. E. Kintner, John W. Gage. For the matched gelding team, Mrs. E. Taylor received the first prize of \$5, single driver. W.T. Briggs, of Chardon, \$2.50. Prizes given by H. B. Harrison. Dale Curtiss won the prize for best drawing of the battleship Maine. John Barden Jr. won the prize for a pencil drawing of the soldier's monument in the Park. Mrs. M. E. Dewey won a prize of certain numbers of the weekly *Telegraph*. Mentioned, won prizes for stamps or photographs: Jack Moodey, Raymond Paige, Geo. Searl, Nora Smith. Mr. E. L. Grauel also had a skeleton in the window which operated by electricity attracted considerable attention.

### Court House Items

#### Real Estate Transfers

#### Madison Township

Baker, S. A.

Baker, O. C.

Clark, M. B.

#### Madison Village

Stoughton, Chartlott

Badcroft, Mary

#### Perry Township

Space, Hannah

Hawkins, Hattie Space

Hawkins, Retta

#### Kirtland Township

Tanner, Adalene

Sherwin, H. A.

#### Mentor Village

Murphy, Michael J.

Hammond, Emily

#### Willoughby Village

Richardson, Chas. E.

Richardson, Ann S.

Stockwell, Luthera

Thomas, Robt. C.

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### **Kirtland Township**

Tanner, Adaline

Sherwin H. A.

### **Mentor Township**

Dickey, Edward J.

Angier, George C.

Winfield, John T.

Winfield, Wm. H.

Lapham, James

### **Mentor Special District**

Burrige, Eleazer

Roberts, Ralph

Nott, John

### **Probate Court**

Baker, Loring H. – first and final account

Kunpari, Gustava – inquest of lunacy, cause dismissed

LaPottry, John – marriage license

Stroud, Lydia – marriage license

Kline, John G. – marriage license

Burnley, Nettie A. – marriage license

Goodwich, Frank D. - marriage license

Morse, Laura E. – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Katherine B. McCrone vs James McCrone – divorce, custody of child, alimony; adultery

Smith H. King vs Hattie Bell King – divorce; willful absence

A. H. Rexford vs Ida M. Rexford – divorce; gross neglect of duty

Aaron M. Wilcox vs Harley Barnes – money and equitable relief

Godfrey & Gilbert vs J. W. Penfield & Son – money only

C. P. & E. Ry. Co. vs Village of Willoughby injunction and equitable relief

### **Mentor**

Mr. Raymond Carroll and a friend from the city spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Mather have returned from a visit with relatives in Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Blish were attending the Knight Templars conclave in Pittsburgh last week.

Mrs. A. K. Smith and daughter, Lottie, of Waite Hill, have been guests of relatives here.

Mrs. C. A. Prentice, of East Cleveland, has been visiting in this place.

Miss Lydia Root left on Monday morning for a visit to cousins in Pa.

Mrs. M. V. Hopkins is at home after visiting in Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. W. J. Spaulding has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Carpenter, of Mayfield.

Mr. Frank Aldrich, of Tenn., is a guest at the residence of his father.

Will Radcliffe is taking a course of Shorthand in Day's Shorthand College in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Lasher, of Plainwell, Mich., visited Wm. Starr and family last week.

Miss Mame Mott, of Geneva, was the guest of Dr. Lowe and family a part of last week.

Fred Greer and a company of friends came from the city on evening last week to meet his cousin, Miss Edna Greer Lake, who has been visiting in Mentor for the past three weeks. Miss Lake returned to her home in Washington, D. C. last Friday.

### **Burnley – Kline**

A quiet home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Burnley, of South State street. Miss Nettie A. Burnley was united in marriage to Mr. John Kline, of Miamisburg, O. They will live in Miamisburg

### **A Dancing Party**

Miss Gertrude Carpenter gave a small dancing party to a number of friends Thursday. Those present were: Miss Daisy Kilburn, Miss Isabelle Howe, Miss Helen Pratt, Miss Mae Ready, Miss Florence Stockwell, Miss Geraldine Avery, Miss Nellie Dingley, Mr. R. Morse Wilson, Mr. William B. Treat, Mr. Arthur Warren Colby, Mr. Grey Casement, Mr. Dan Casement, Mr. Perry W. Tinan, Mr. Edwin P. King, and Whiting Avery.

### **Police Court**

James Croft – charged with intoxication



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Geo. Brown, a one-armed man of Willoughby, charged with intoxication

Tom Flynn, a boy of 19 yrs., was charged with intoxication.

Porter Wright, of Perry, charged with intoxication.

William Fitzgerald, charged with intoxication

Jas. Duffee, a former saloon keeper, charged with intoxication.

Edward Tappan, an Ashtabula man, charged with intoxication.

Jacob Kupler, of Mentor, charged with intoxication

J. S. Multer charged with intoxication.

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### **p. 1 Neighborhood News**

Warren has a woman lawyer, Miss Lulie McKay has been admitted to the bar.

Miss Elverda Bushnell, of Mansfield, was among the lost on the Mohegan. Her family is among the wealthiest in Mansfield.

John McKay, an Ashtabula lad, fell from a chestnut tree a distance of 50 feet, striking in a shallow pond. His injuries were not serious.

Tobias Wilson a colored man of Kinsman, died Monday at the age of 105 yrs. He came from Kentucky and escaped to Canada on the underground railroad.

Austin E. Shaw, of Ashtabula, has received a verdict against the Lake Shore for \$10,000 damages for the amputation by a train of his right leg while in the company's employ.

A burglar entered the residence of C. W. Harrington, a prominent Rock Creek merchant, one night recently.

Last Friday afternoon Benny White, a nine-year-old Jefferson lad, while jumping a freight train fell under the wheels and lost both legs. He lived several hours.

### **South Thompson**

Mr. McMann, of Trumbull Co. is helping Mr. Wannamaker with his farm work.

Emory Skinner is very sick with the measles.

Carlos Burrough and son, of Collinwood, visited at Albert Burrough's last week.

Lynn Bradley is attending school at Chardon. She boards with her aunt, Mrs. Stevens.

Mrs. Mary Long is visiting at John Morse's. She returns to Columbus next Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Vancise is on the sick list.

Mrs. Patrick is down from Collinwood for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Jackson went to New Lyme last week.

### **Painesville's Population**

According to the Bicknell Directory Co., of Cleveland, who have been compiling a directory of Painesville, Fairport and Willoughby, the total population of Painesville village alone is 8,932.

### **Thompson**

Mrs. Hedley is no better

Miss Kittie Sullivan is convalescing.

D. L. Phelps is the owner of a fine new surrey.

Mrs. James Johnson is confined to her room much of the time.

Mr. & Mrs. Hoyt Hulbert had a son added to the family recently.

Mrs. J. Pomeroy recently spent several weeks with her parents at South Madison.

Rev E. J. Ellis was called to deliver a discourse at the funeral of Mrs. E. Perry, of Montville.

Mr. Frank Garis shot an eagle last Sat. He was shot in the wing and captured alive.

Mr. Earl Talcott and sister, Mrs. Stevens, of Burton, were guests several days of the past week of Mrs. A. M. Stocking.

Before leaving home last Monday Mr. N. A. Penhollow removed his family from their suburban to their city residence.

E. C. Sidley together with George Keener, H. H. Gilbreath, and J. Croft, are engaged in "bridge" building at Perry, near the Red Mills.

Mrs. H. H. Gilbreath and daughter, Doris, returned last Sat. after a pleasant visit of several days with Mrs. Gilbreath's brother, Frank Gill and wife, of Madison.

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Mrs. Willis Chamberlin and daughter, of Granville, were guests of Mrs. F. E. Bartholomew last Friday.

D. L. Wyman has been spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

Miss Millie Norton, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. Corilla Green.

Mr. George Happel and Frank Griffin, who have been engaged in making a township ditch in Perry the past six weeks have their work completed.

Mr. M. O. Warren, of Ashland Co., has been in town several weeks engaged in cleaning marble in the cemetery in Perry, also one of the cemeteries in Madison. He does not use chemicals but uses Scotch pomise (?) stone and chisel.

### **Mentor**

Mr. & Mrs. S. L. Curtis visited friends in LeRoy last week.

Mrs. H. J. Lewis was the guest of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Coats over Sunday.

Mr. Allen Smyth has returned to New York City where he will remain for the winter.

Miss Sarah Teed, of Chardon, has been visiting friends in Mentor.

Miss Elsie Johnson was in town over Sunday. Her sister, Miss Anna, returned to the city with her for a week.

Mr. Loomis, the assistant herdsman and dairyman, of Delhurst Farm, visited Pittsburgh the fore part of the week where he expects to accept a position as chief dairyman.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Oct. 26:

### **Ladies**

Bartheld, Clara

Dunman, Miss Dick

Miller, Martha J.

Phillips, Miss Inez

Robinson, Mrs. W. H.

Sear, Miss Allie

### **Gentlemen**

Dowell, J. W.

Davenport, Prof. Wm.

Fostdrick W. C.

Gleane, Fred

Kramer, A. M.

Marmount, F. A.

Vansant, B. F.

### **Madison**

Pat Clair is moving his family to Ashtabula today.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Frost and little daughter, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. L. Warren.

Mrs. Henry Wilson, of Cleveland, is spending the week at her old home.

Mr. D. D. Potter suffered a hemorrhage of the lungs last Sunday.

The W. R. C. tea party at the home of Mrs. McKensie of Friday evening, was largely attended.

Mrs. David Van Vaulkenburg and children left last Friday evening for their home in Dakota. They have been spending the summer with Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Barnes.

Mr. C. G. Ensign's house on Eagle street was visited by burglars.

Mrs. Wm. Hammond and her daughter, Mrs. Waite, of Collinwood, were in town several days recently.

Born – a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Adolph Hettinger, River street.

Born – a son to Mr. & Mrs. Weldy, West Main street.

### **North Madison**

Mr. F. Fiddler expects to spend the winter in Geneva.

Mrs. E. L. Williams is visiting friends in Painesville.

Mrs. G. Welton and daughter, Gertrude, are visiting friends in the Forest City.

Miss Mattie Gunn, who is in business in Cleveland, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Marion Green has returned from a visit in Painesville with her aunt, Mrs. J. McMackin.

Mrs. C. G. Hutchinson has returned from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Tinker, of Rome.

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Mrs. Frater, of the Home, left Tuesday for Viroona, Wis., where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Albert Mixer, a long-time resident of North Madison, but late of Cleveland, was buried in the Middle Ridge Cemetery Monday.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

A boom has struck the little town of Malvern, near Canal Dover, O., by the discovery of gold.

Married – Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> John N. Rogers, of Concord, and Mattie J. Wedge, of LeRoy.

The summer residence of Mr. Brooks in Willoughby was destroyed by fire Monday evening.

Willie Driscoll, of Richmond street, fell and broke an arm Monday.

Matt Hotula, a Finn, who gave Hampden as his residence, was found intoxicated on the railroad track.

Joe Shelby and Smith O'Brien were recently arrested for disturbing the Salvation Army meeting.

### **Personals**

Mr. W. C. Collister, of Willoughby, was in town Monday.

Mr. E. Fred Emery, of New York, is visiting his sister, Miss Ella Emery, Meigs Place.

Maynard W. Turner, of Duluth, Minn., spent Sat and Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Turner, of Erie street.

Mr. J. W. Richards and family, who have been residents of Painesville for three years, have moved to Uniontown, O., for take charge of Mr. Richard's father's estate.

Messrs. Percy Kendall Smith and Vaughn Ely Wyman left Monday for Indianapolis, to attend the Hall-Wood wedding at Irvington, a suburb of that city, on Wednesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Bates and Mr. & Mrs. R. F. Downen and families drove to Huntsburg Sunday morning to visit their former neighbors, Mrs. Stone and her family.

Miss Charlotte F. Coe has returned from Scotland and left Thursday to resume her work in the University of Chicago Library.

Mr. Albert Warn, has gone to Saginaw, Mich., to accept a position with the Morley Bros.

Miss Maree Wass, of Cleveland, with her cousin, Miss Frankie Simmons, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Julia Stockwell, of New York City, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. B. Stockwell, of Washington street.

Mr. E. W. Bond, of Willoughby had business in town on Monday. He spent last week in the national capital.

Mrs. A. E. Fenton has arrived home from Amenia, N. D. to spend the winter here. Mr. Fenton will arrive in a few days.

Private Fred Bottin rode up town Monday. This is the first time he has ventured out of doors for over a month. He is still very weak and has to walk with the use of a cane.

Mr. Geo. Woner, of Wooster, O., is registered at the Cowels House. Mr. Woner will soon enter upon his duties as editor of the new daily publication, which will be presented to the public in a sort time.

Mrs. H. L. Davis, of Richmond street, accompanied by her daughter, Laura, has gone to Pittsburgh where she will visit her brother, who has returned from the West, being absent 21 yrs.

Mr. Chas Nelson, of Brocton, N.Y., will take Mr. Brashare's place in the American Express office after Nov. 1.

Mrs. Catherine Warren, of 125 East Washington street, left Friday for several week's visit with friends in Syracuse, N. Y.

Miss Caroline Miller was entertained by about 12 of her friends Friday at the home of her brother, Mr. C. E. Miller, of St. Clair street.

### **Two Runaways**

W. M. St. John was driving into town on State street when his team became frightened at a Nickel Plate freight train and started to run. There were no injuries.

The team of John Stritch, of Lane, became frightened and took off. The driver was intoxicated and unable to control the horses. The driver was thrown out but uninjured.

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### **Gold Watches**

Wm. Abbey, of Northeast LeRoy, had a gold watch and chain stolen. The family was in Thompson Monday and upon returning found the house had been ransacked.

Dr. Hopkins, of Middlefield, was held up by tramps and relieved of a gold watch and chain.

**Died** - Died at Eloise, Mich., Oct. 16, of inflammatory rheumatism, Mr. E. W. Van Etten, aged 43 yrs.

### **Lake County Boy**

E. B. Thomson, a Lake Co. boy, was unanimously nominated in the Republican Legislature convention to represent the 22<sup>nd</sup> District in the legislature of North Dakota. Mr. Thomson is one of North Dakota's pioneers having located there nearly twenty years ago.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Perry**

West, Thos. B.

West, Robt. S.

##### **Richmond Village Lots**

Thompson Chas. F.

Foster, John J.

Thompson, H. W.

Foster, John J.

##### **Mentor Township**

Winfield, John T. and W. H. Winfield

Lapham, Jas.

Dickey, Edward J.

Moore, Thomas M.

Smith, Irene M.

Winfield, Wm.

##### **Mentor Village**

Dow, Alex.

Goodrich, Geo. W.

##### **Madison Township**

Ritschee, Lemuel K.

Happel Alice Maude

Corlett, Edward C.

Corlett, Harriett A.

##### **Painesville Township**

Kehres, H. J. and Eva Kehres

Cornell, Abraham T.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Taylor, John A.

Crawford, Frank

##### **Willoughby Village**

Carrel, J. C.

Carrel, R. Y.

Carrel, A. K.

Green, Amelia M.

Thomas, Milo H.

Thomas, Minnie C.

##### **Fairport Village Lands**

Freedman, Bertha

Empfield, Wm.

##### **Probate Court**

Cowles, Mary A. – final account

Thompson, Henry W. – order private sale issued

White, Ansel – will filed for probate

Rogers, John N. – marriage license

Wedge, Mattie J. – marriage license

Wyckoff, Mary J. – Martin A. Tuttle appointed adm.

Roddick, Geo. – trustee's bond filed

Skiff, Charlotte E. - report of approval

Corlett, Edward C. – sale of real estate

Bunnell, Ann – motion filed

Tisdell, Elizabeth B. L. – first account filed

White, Ansel – Geo. B. Durban appointed adm.

Bailey, Pearl – guardianship; second account filed

Bailey, Arthur – guardianship, second account filed

Jewell, Mary J. – lunacy inquest

Ohio vs. H. W. Williamson – transcript filed

##### **Circuit Court**

Orphelia Z. Freeman vs Cora B. Cleveland and the case of Cornelius Carrigan vs. the Village of Painesville were dismissed.

##### **Common Pleas**

James W. Jacobs vs W. S. Mapes – to quiet title  
A. G. Reynolds, adm. of Edward C. Corlett, deceased vs The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Co.; money only.

##### **New cases:**

James F. Richards vs Samuel R. House; money only

## **Nov. 2, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Neighborhood News**

The Chadman divorce case which has been attracting considerable attention in Ashtabula Co. has been settled by granting the plaintiff a divorce and restoration to maiden name.

Chas. T. Ely, of Elyria, is suing C.B.E. & O. Ry. Co. for damages alleging smoke and cinders from their power plant house has greatly damaged his residence.

The 18<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Ashtabula, Lake, and Geauga Medical Society will be held in Ashtabula, Nov. 1, 1898.

Raymond Kelley, son of Dr. Kelley, of Ashtabula, who went to Japan to practice dentistry some months ago is making his way in the Orient.

### **Madison**

Mrs. Gertrude Oliver, of Collinwood, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed Dayton, recently.

Mrs. Orlando Warner has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Marsh Palmer, in Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Effie Willsy and little daughter, of Kansas, are guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Lucien Gale.

Mr. D. D. Potter is quite ill.

Dr. John Quayle is still very low with pneumonia.

### **List of Jurors Summoned for Common Pleas Court**

#### **Grand Jurors**

Hunter, J. W.  
Cummings, Frank  
Wolff, W. J.  
Mosher, Geo.  
Rogers, J. A.  
Thorley, E. W.  
Wilson, Geo.  
Eddy, Geo. S.  
Haskell, S. A.  
Harrington, E. A.  
Crary, William R.  
Callow, Henry  
Holcomb, Deloma  
Adams, Eugene E.

Hadeler, E. W.

#### **Petit Jurors**

Eaton, George  
Hopkins, M. V.  
Wells, John F.  
Leach, Harlow N.  
Ward, Joseph A.  
Barber, S. M.  
Donaldson, E. T.  
Ford, Carlos  
Crofoot, B. F.  
Glenn, A. B.  
Woodhead, Walter  
Pomeroy, Cecil  
**Talesmen**  
Carter, P. A.  
Mehaffey, Chas. F.  
Brown, John  
Tryon, Chas. D.  
Olds, Alfred  
Burrige, Geo. P.  
Ferry, L. S.  
Chase, J. W.

#### **Thompson**

E. T. Wilson, wife and son spent Sunday at Calm.  
Mrs. E. S. Stevens spent the past week upon the farm.

George Scott purchased a horse last week of Mrs. R. M. Garis.

Miss Artie Chaffee is well enough to attend church.

Mrs. Carlos Ford, of South Madison, was the guest last Friday of Mrs. Arthur Ford.

Mr. O. Jewell spent the past week with the family of his son, Arthur Jewell, of Mentor.

Mrs. Jane Bower and daughter, Rosa, will entertain the Disciple Society next Thursday.

Dr. D. G. Proctor last week visited his sister Mrs. Reed, of Perry.

Mrs. B. G. Crandall visited her parents, Mr. & Mrs. O. Pomeroy, of Bostwick, one day last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Rufus Hulbert were guests last Friday of their son, Hoyt Hulbert, and family of Calm.

Miss Myra Hulbert, who recently returned from Troy will spend a month with her aunt, Mrs. Emily Talcott.

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Miss May Hotchkiss will be home this week from visiting an aunt at Bedford.

Mrs. J. C. Scott enjoyed a two day visit last week with her sister, Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Moseley, Mr. W. J. Scott, Mr. E. Sanford and several others spent Saturday at Painesville.

George Scott, wife and two sons, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Harry Merwin, of Joint.

Mrs. Miranda Spain walked from Harpersfield last Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Hedley, who is still very ill.

Grant Penhollow and family, of Perry, returned home yesterday from a visit with relatives in West Trumbull.

Mr. & Mrs. Beidler, of Ashtabula, accompanied by their five children, were guests over Sunday of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Crocker.

The bird shot by Frank Garis was not an eagle; it is some other animal with wings.

Mrs. Dickenson, of Cleveland, is visiting Mrs. E. Wilber and other friends on Under-Ledge Road.

Mr. & Mrs. Jay Ernst visited Mr. Ernst's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Ernst.

Mrs. David Ralston, of West Trumbull, who has spent several weeks in caring for sick relatives in Pa. returned last week accompanied by her mother.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Quayle were called to Madison last week by the serious illness of their son, Dr. John Quayle.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Phelps, of South Madison, gave a surprise party for their daughter, Mabel.

Mr. E. Holden and family of Ashtabula visited Mrs. E. Bower, J. Reigert, of Trumbull; and W. J. Foote, of Calm, returning to Ashtabula last week.

Martin Rappold, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., is the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rachael Keener, of Trumbull. Mrs. Keener and Mr. Rappold were guests last Wed. of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Keener. Mr. Rappold remained as guest of his sister, Mrs. D. G. Proctor. Miss Maggie Rappold who has spent the summer with her grandmother, will return home with her father.

## **Died from Fright**

Toledo – A party of boys playing Halloween pranks frightened Mrs. William Sagur so badly last night that she died before help could get to her.

## **p. 2 Perry**

Miss Clara Moses, of Perry, is spending a week with Rev. and Mrs. J. J. McAlpine, of Cleveland.

Mrs. S. Hickson and James Shepard, who have been quite ill for several weeks are said to be improving.

Mrs. Chas. Diebler and little sons have been spending a week with friends in Conneaut.

Mrs. Glenn Salkeld is preparing herself for post office assistant, thus making herself a helpmate to her husband.

Mrs. Carrie Hadden and children have removed to Painesville, where they will reside with Mrs. Hadden's mother, Mrs. Vesey, on Washington street.

Mrs. Belle Thompson, of Madison, has come to Perry to spend the winter with her brother, Newton Stephens.

Mrs. Archie Chisholm is very ill.

Mr. Sterling Hull and Miss Lizzie Childs, were married in Cleveland, last Wednesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Barbour are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Jessie, from Central Michigan.

Mrs. Maggie Wood Howard, of Nebraska, with her two children are visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Wood.

## **Mentor**

Mrs. T. C. Radcliffe visited in Cleveland this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Lyman Knapp, of North Madison, were here part of last week.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Upson are visiting their relatives in the eastern part of the estate.

Mr. & Mrs. Chas. M. Duer, of Cleveland, recently visited with her parents.

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Andrews, of Cleveland, are visiting with the family of their son.

Miss Josie Davis, of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., is a guest at the residence of M. V. Hopkins.

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Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Hart have closed their home and gone to the city for the winter.

Mr. L. L. Cook conducted a successful chestnut part of young people last Saturday afternoon.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

A young man named Matt Tienvern(?) met with a fatal accident on the Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Ashtabula docks Monday. He fell into a coal chute as coal was being dumped. He lived less than an hour after being extracted.

Mrs. George, age 67, mother of Herman George, of Superior, Wis., died Wed.

Miss Freeman is a niece of Capt. J. C. Thompson, of the steamer, H. A. Tuttle.

Mrs. W. Wasson, wife of President Wasson of the C. P. & R. Railroad Company died Wed.

Guy Carnegie has two mammoth potatoes weighing three and one-half pounds each.

Victor Salkeld, of Perry, who was charged with destruction of property, was discharged in Justice Nye's court Monday.

### **Hull-Child**

Miss Lizzie M. Child and Mr. Sterling A. Hull, both of Perry, were married Oct. 26. The bridal party was accompanied by the groom's brother, Mr. Lewis Hull and Miss Agnes Brewer of Perry. They will live in Perry.

### **Personals**

Mr. P. E. Carnegie is confined to his room by illness.

Mrs. Geo. P. Burrige and daughter, Helen, spent Saturday in Cleveland.

Miss George Atkin is spending the week with Miss Sawyer, of Cleveland.

Mrs. S. G. Gill, after an illness of three weeks, is able to be up and about the house.

Mr. Anson Russell, of Cleveland, a resident of Painesville some forty years ago, has been visiting in town.

Mrs. Lydia P. Noble has gone to Willoughby to visit her brother, Mr. S. W. Phelps, who is quite seriously ill.

Miss Laura King, of the Woman's College, Cleveland, was in town to spend Sunday at her home on South street.

Mr. Perry W. Morse left last week to accept a position as manager of Independent telephone office in Willoughby.

Mrs. Albert Dickinson and infant daughter, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting at the Trumbull homestead on Prospect street.

Corporal Geo. Nuhfer, of the 2<sup>nd</sup> U.S. Cavalry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is on a furlough, visiting his sister, Mrs. H. C. Garrett, of Mentor Ave.

Sir Robert M. Powers, Grand Commander of Knight Templars, of California, Mrs. Powers and daughter are the guests of Dr. & Miss Sherwood.

Mr. Bert Brashares, who has been connected with the American Express office at his place for some time, left Tuesday for Canton, O., where he is connected with a different line of business.

Mr. & Mrs. Peter J. Ferron and daughter, Frances, were the guests Wed., of Mr. & Mrs. William Sullivan, of Cleveland, at the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Mr. F. C. LaLonde.

### **Stolen Onions**

Clark Barber was arrested for stealing 6 bushels of onions from Ed Tucker of Jackson street.

### **Wood-Hall**

Miss Jessie Hall, eldest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Jabez Hall, and Mr. Louis John Wood, of Painesville, O., were married at the Downey Ave. Christian Church at Irvington. Little Miss Genevieve Hall preceded the bride and carried her prayer book; the maid of honor, Miss Elsie, Hall, followed by two bridesmaids, Miss Pennington, of Cleveland, O., and Miss Elsie Smith, of Cincinnati. The best man was Mr. Frank Wood, of Perry, Ohio. Ushers were: Mr. Henry Dowling, of Indianapolis; Mr. W. B. Higgin's, of Wheeling, W. Va.; Mr. V. E. Wyman and Mr. P. K. Smith, of Painesville, O. The bride wore a gown of white Swiss over silk. Her flowers were lilies-of-the valley set in maidenhair ferns. Miss Elsie Hall wore white silk with crushed collar and belt of green velvet and carried a bouquet of variegated chrysanthemums. Guests from away were:

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Adams, Mrs. Ira  
Pennington, Mrs. B. L.  
White, Mrs. A. L.  
Smith Mr. & Mrs. B. L.  
Smith, Miss Elsie  
Manry, Mr. & Mrs. W. J.  
Wood, Mr. Frank  
Higgins, Mr. W. B.  
Smith, Mrs. P. K.  
Wyman, Mr. V. E.  
(*Indianapolis Journal*)

### **LeRoy**

Mrs. Isaiah Phelps is very sick.

Mr. & Mrs. David Davis have another little daughter.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Doncaster returned home last Thursday from a 5 month visit in Nebraska.

Mr. John Crellin, an old and highly esteemed citizen of LeRoy, died Oct. 27, age 78 yrs.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Nov. 2:

### **Ladies**

Ewing, Mrs. Susie

### **Gentlemen**

Bromley, Chas.  
Giebner, S. F.  
Hatfield, N. P.  
Heintz Michael  
Kennan, N. K.  
Ross, Chas.

### **North Madison**

Mrs. E. L. Williams has returned from a three week visit in Painesville.

Mrs. C. M. Hervey is slowly recovering from a severe illness.

Rev. & Mrs. D. Woodworth Thompson are to spend the winter in North Madison.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Perry Township**

Hoose, Ida  
Worden, Minnie E.  
Hilles, Laura

Skinner John

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Vorce, David  
Moseley, G. E.  
Vorce, David  
Paige, Caroline W.  
Cone, Frank A.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Fassett Elizabeth  
Bundy, Elizabeth J.

#### **Madison Township**

Latham, Frank R.  
Latham, R. R.  
Latham, Melva

#### **Concord**

Cole, Hezekiah  
Cole, H. Seeley

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Cole, Hezekiah  
Cole, H. Seeley  
George, Eunice A.  
George, Herman A.

#### **Kirtland**

LeRoy, Amanda  
LeRoy, Charles V.

#### **Probate Court**

Pool, Assa – marriage license  
Nichols, Mary A. – marriage license  
Hull, Sterling A.- marriage license  
Child, Lizzie M. – marriage license  
Flint, Alton C. – marriage license  
Garfield, Martha – marriage license  
Sherwood, Fred E. – marriage license  
Wharton, Blanch B. – marriage license  
Wyckoff, Mary J. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Stebbins, Loring H. – guardianship; petition filed to sell real estate heard; order of appraisal issued  
George, Eunice A. – will probated; A. G. Reynolds appointed executor  
Stockwell, N. C. – motion for new bail continued  
Huntoon, Harriet – second account filed

#### **Common Pleas**

##### **New cases:**

L. Harrison Carpenter vs. Wm. S. Kerr and Benj. F. Kerr; appeal



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Andrew J. McCue vs F. A. Hungerford and Alfred Lewis; error

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### **p. 1 Thompson**

Miss Clara Hausch spent Sat. and Sun. at home. Mrs. J. L. Smith will spend this week with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Behm of Trumbull.

Mr. N. A. Penhollow spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Pauline Rappold, Dorothy and Paul Smith returned to Ashtabula last Wed. after a visit of several weeks of Dr. & Mrs. D. G. Proctor.

Miss Hattie Wheeler, of this place, and Mr. A N Scott, of South Madison, were married at the Congregational parsonage, Oct. 26.

Mr. D. L. Phelps and family were called to LeRoy yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Phelps' mother. Remains were brought here for interment.

Mr. A. C. Sumner, wife and daughter, of Bostwick were calling upon friends last Wed.

Miss Carrie Smith spent the past week with her sister and family at Trumbull.

Mrs. A. Stocking and two sons, of Harpersfield, and Mrs. Alfred Uden with two children, of Trumbull, were guests of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Hausch.

Miss Della Krieghbaum, of Geneva, enjoyed a one week visit with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram Krieghbaum, then went to Willoughby to visit her brother's family before going to Geneva.

The friends of Miss Julia Strong gave a surprise party for her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Mrs. Marshall, of Painesville, accompanied by her grandson, Mr. Lincoln, spent Fri. and Sat. with Mrs. F. M. Leonard and Mrs. Stocking.

### **South Thompson**

Paul Stetson has a very sick horse.

E. W. Jackson was in Cleveland last week.

Mrs. Geo. Vogel is entertaining a niece from town.

Homer Spencer returned from Cleveland last Sat. night.

Born – a son to Mr. & Mrs. Crowder, Oct. 23rd, died Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>.

Solomon Williams, of Gridley, Cal., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. Vancise.

Mrs. Crowder and son, Chester, transacted business at the county seat last Sat.

Mrs. John McKough is very sick with pneumonia. She is attended by Dr. Black, of Montville.

Mr. Shimerman's father and mother, recently from Germany, are making an extended visit at this place.

Mrs. Morehouse and Mrs. Wintersteen visited their niece, Mrs. Garritt, at Montville last Wed.

Mrs. Julia Strong was given a party for her birthday last Thursday.

### **Attempt at Burglary**

A burglary attempt was made on the residence of Mrs. McCabe, of Elm street. The would-be burglars were frightened away.

### **Madison**

J. Clair is recovering from typhoid fever, under the care of Dr. J. V. Winans.

Miss May Creen is attending the Spencerian Business College at Cleveland.

Delton C. Burdick is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia at his father's home on Union street.

A. G. Norville is again located in Madison for the purpose of renovating feather beds.

Mrs. Eliza Hayden and daughter, Miss Alice, left Thursday evening for California, where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Hayden's son.

Mr. James Middleton, of New Orleans, spent last week with his family in town.

### **P. 2 Bath Parlors**

Ladies and gentlemen can get that combined hot air and vapor bath so delightful, refreshing and hygienic and remedial at Hill's bath parlors, at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Cole and D. Clinton Hill, 153 South State street.

### **Mentor**

Mr. H. H. Loomis and family have moved to Pittsburgh.

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Dr. Blish Sawyer, of Cleveland, was a caller in town last week.

Mrs. Almira Davis, of Clyde, has been visiting relatives in this place.

Mr. Coats, of Kelloggsville, has been visiting with the family of his brother.

Mrs. Will Murray was attending a funeral of a relative in Chardon last week.

Miss Bessie Linehan has been spending several days with Cleveland friends.

Miss Nellie Woodford has entered the Huron St. Hospital, Cleveland, for a two-year course.

Mr. Frank Murray has closed his house and with his family has taken up residence in Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. Allen Mead, of Cleveland, have been the guests of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. S. Ackley.

Mr. Wm. A. Davis, Harry Robinson, and Theodore Stoll have joined the "Regulars" and are expecting to leave for the South very soon.

Mr. Henry Munson and Mrs. Simeon Wheeler, of Mentor Plains were quietly married last Tuesday. They will live at her home on the Plains.

Mr. E. E. Case, the Postmaster at West Mentor, and Miss Carrie Likens (?) were married on Monday.

Miss Florence Fillmore celebrated her 16<sup>th</sup> birthday Friday at the residence of her uncle, Mr. Robt. Fillmore.

### **Concord**

Miss Florence Lenty is spending a few weeks with her sister in Concord.

Mrs. Correll Merrill returned last week, with her children, to their Cleveland home.

Mrs. Henry Alexander is recovering from an attack of measles. Miss Mabel Tuttle is ill with the same disease.

Miss Ethel Winchell is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Whiting, in Painesville.

Mrs. W. J. Haskell and her grandson, John Haskell Murray, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. George Wheeldon at the Nursery over Sabbath.

Mrs. Eugene Murray entertained the Aid Society Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>.

Miss Jane Morse has sold her home in Concord to a gentleman from Youngstown.

Mrs. George Wheeldon and Mrs. Frances George, of the Nursery, visited Miss Blanche Murray last week.

Mrs. G. W. Orcutt and Miss Hazel Orcutt were in Concord on Sat. attending the funeral of Ruth Gordon, the only child of Wm. Gordon.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Nov. 9:

### **Ladies**

Barkadon, Mrs.  
Bartlett, Mrs. N.  
Ferance, Miss Delia  
Hough, Mrs. G. E.  
Krieter, Miss Lizzie  
Root, Mrs. Chas.

### **Gentlemen**

Allen, James  
Bates, Harry  
Chester, G. D.  
Flick, Clark  
Frank, Will  
Hammond, Geo. N.  
Miksch, C.  
Rica, Lawrence  
Stayton, Harry  
Walters, C. L.  
Watson, I. H.  
Waters, Louis  
Wood N. F.  
VanAuken, H. A.

### **LeRoy**

Mr. & Mrs. Howard Carothers have a little son born last Friday.

Mrs. Morse, of Perry, is spending a few weeks with her son, Collins Morse, and daughter, Mrs. Esther Covill.

Miss Georgia Wilson returned home last Sat. for a visit with relatives in Painesville.

Mrs. Eliza Phelps died last Nov. 4, aged 65 years, at her home in east LeRoy.

Mr. John Dunkel has moved to Wood Co.

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### **Dock Road**

Misses Eva and Lettie Bailey, of Trumbull, are guests of Mrs. A. J. Chaffee.

Mrs. Helen Fitch accompanied her friend, Mrs. Fowler, home to New York state.

Miss Bell Burt goes to Aloone, New York, this week for a short visit with her brother's family.

Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Reigert, of Trumbull, accompanied by Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Root and little son from Johnson, O., and Guy Reigert, of Painesville, were the guests of P. E. Kimmy and family and A. J. Herroon and family from Thursday till Monday.

### **Perry**

Mrs. Thomas Thompson has been suffering the past week with rheumatism.

Ed Nighman has a son.

Mr. Charles Ticknor, of Madison, spent Friday among his Perry friends.

L. J. Wood and bride are spending a few days with the Wood family at the lake while their new pleasant home in your city is being prepared for them.

Mr. Edward Lapham, of Black Brook has purchased the farm of Hilas Vesey, at Antioch, and will become a resident of Perry in the spring.

Judge Lewis and daughter, of Medina, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. L. V. Axtell over Sunday.

May Keys and daughter, Gladys, visited friends and relatives in Perry one day last week.

The death of Mrs. Archie Chisholm occurred at the home of the Middle Ridge on Monday.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. & Mrs. Croft, from Chagrin Falls, were visiting at Mr. Hunkin's on the 30<sup>th</sup>.

The two sick ones are better. John Parks is under the care of Dr. Dimick, of Chardon, and Lew Lee is under the care of Dr. Tanner, of Willoughby. They employ a nurse from the city.

Mr. & Mrs. Oscar Reeve, of California, and their four children and a brother of his and wife with three children from Willoughby visited at Mr. Abram Phelps last Saturday.

Wright Pierson and little daughter, Agnes of Little Mountain, visited his mother M. W. Pierson, a few days since.

Mr. & Mrs. Whitcomb spent last Friday in Painesville.

Charles Pierson was in Cleveland last Saturday.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. Schwind has improved his home with a coat of paint.

Several are on the sick list. Mrs. Slitor was quite ill Friday.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Mrs. Isaiah Phelps, of LeRoy, died Friday at age 65 yrs. She leaves a husband and two sons, D. I. Phelps, of Thompson and V. M. Phelps, of LeRoy.

Miss Jane Morse sold her farm in Concord to Mrs. Eva J. Kelly.

Mr. Charles Magargil died Wed. after a week's illness with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Ruth I. Gordon, a pupil of the Painesville High School, died at her home in Concord Thursday after a week's illness of typhoid fever.

Clark Barber, who has been under arrest on the charge of burglary, plead guilty.

Joseph Frund and Frank Rothenbecker engaged in an altercation at the Lake Shore depot Wed. and were arrested.

### **Personals**

Mrs. M. A. Baldwin, of Springfield, O. is visiting her son, Mr. J. A. Baldwin.

Mr. Eckstein Case, of Cleveland, attended the funeral of Miss Axtell Friday.

Mrs. Dana, who has been ill for 4 weeks at the home of Mr. Freeman Gates, of Washington street, has recovered and returned to her home in Hudson.

Dr. J. E. Cook of Cleveland, was in town Sunday morning.

Mr. & Mrs. A. LeBar, of Hampden, were visiting Painesville friends Saturday evening.

Mrs. M. A. Carson, who has been visiting friends in Chicago, Omaha and Minneapolis, has returned home.

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Mrs. G. E. Stevenson was called to Buffalo on Sat. evening on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Adams.

Mr. & Mrs. O. Eckels, of High street, left Monday morning for Titusville, Pa., where they will visit their son, Mr. Warren Eckels and family.

Mr. Tom Wyman, who has been seriously ill with typhoid-malarial fever for the past few weeks, is improving.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. King left Friday for Astoria, N.Y.

Miss Helen O'Leary and Miss Elinor Kavanaugh have returned to Cleveland after spending three weeks with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Shultz and daughter, of Toledo, and Miss Nettie Evans, of Cleveland, have been the guests of the Mullen family, Prospect street.

Miss Lucy Emery, of Millsboro, Pa., is visiting her sister, Miss Emery, at the Meigs home.

Mr. & Mrs. Freeman Gates left Tuesday for a three weeks' trip which will be spent in Iowa and Kansas City.

Miss Julia M. Travor left Tuesday evening to spend the week with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Naylor, in Kinsman, Ohio.

### **Death in Perry**

Mrs. Archie Chisholm a well-known resident of Perry, died Monday at the family home on the Middle Ridge, after an illness of four weeks. She leaves a husband and a daughter, Mrs. Chas. West, also a resident of Perry, and an aged mother, Mrs. Hiram Bowhall, of the East Side.

Mrs. Frank L. Griswold died at Argentina, South America, Sept. 27

### **Neighborhood News**

Mr. & Mrs. Erastus Williams, of Ashtabula, recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

The largest apple tree in Geauga Co., is on the farm of B. C. Bennett in Parkman. It measures 9' and 5" in circumference.

### **New Phones**

The Painesville Telephone Co. has added the following list of new subscribers:

Hubbard, N. K.

Blackmon, C. F.

Curtiss, William

Blackmon, Mrs. Geo. W.

Allen, F. C.

Barnes, O. L.

Woodward, H.

Woner, Geo I.

Ward, J. C.

Wolff, J. G.

### **North Madison**

Mrs. Fidler was a guest of Mrs. Philena Beebe over Sunday.

Miss Jessie Quirk was a guest of friends in Ashtabula a few days last week.

Mrs. Charles Tallman and family returned from Collinwood Monday.

Misses Eva and Lettie Bailey, of Trumbull, are guests at A. J. Chaffee's.

Prof. Virgil P. Mills has been spending a few days with friends out of town.

Mrs. Helen Fitch, of the Dock Road, accompanied Mrs. Fowler to her home in New York.

Charles Belden and family, of Uttea, Montana, are guests of Mrs. Belden's father, Sidney Platt.

Mrs. Eunice Adams's sister, of Kingsville, who went to a Cleveland hospital for a surgical operation a few weeks ago, returned home Sat.

Miss Elnor Corlett, of Kirtland, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Corlett, Sat.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Village**

Gailor, Geo. H.

Gailor, Nettie

Smith, Gertrude

Wood, Stella M.

Norton, Sarah F.

Kent, Hattie M.

Southwick, C. S.

Hardy, P. F.

St. John, S. A.

#### **LeRoy**

Hammon, William

Callow, Elizabeth

#### **Mentor Special District**

Filmer, Robert

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Noble, Albert

### **Madison Township**

Cummings, Henry H.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Colgrove Sr., G. G.

Colgrove Jr. G. G.

Scott, Chalmer J.

Dockery, Thos.

### **Mentor Village**

Moore, Thomas M.

Mason, Samuel R.

### **Willoughby Township**

Jopling, May

Jopling, Anna Mitchell

### **Probate Court**

Hardy, Parker F. – report of sale filed

Stebbins, Lorin H. – order of sale issued; report of sale bill filed.

Lillie, Orissa - guardianship – inventory filed

Elliott, George – guardianship; inventory filed

Bunnell, Ann – notice to executor

Space, Azeriah – application for appointment of adm.

Warner, Sarah E. – first account filed

Munson, Henry W. – marriage license

Wheeler, Emaline – marriage license

Nash, Willie W. – marriage license

Brain, Josie S. A. – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

Isora Brooks vs. Charles H. Brooks – divorce; gross neglect; alimony and injunction

Charles P. Harris vs. Carrie F. Harris – divorce, gross neglect

Milwaukee Avenue State Bank vs James F. Mathews – appeal

Maverette G. Cole, executrix, vs T. W. Byrns; money only

### **Death of Miss Laura Axtell**

Miss Laura Axtell died Wed. at the family home on Erie street. She was a daughter of the late I. P. Axtell and leaves a mother with whom she lived and a sister.

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### **p. 1 Murderously Assaulted**

A special from Kansas City referring to a Painesville boy appeared Friday morning. "Charles W. Young, a corporal in Co. C, Fifth Missouri Volunteers, mustered out yesterday, is unconscious and probably dying at the city hospital, his skull crushed, the result of a brutal assault. His assailant is under arrest."

Young was a school boy in this town and is quite well known. Miss Hattie Young, Park Place is an aunt of the unfortunate young man.

### **Enlisted in Regular Army**

William Raki, or Rike as the name should be spelled, enlisted in the Regular Army in Cleveland last week and was assigned to the 22<sup>nd</sup> Infantry. He was a member of Company M of this place and was mustered out Nov. 5

### **Neighborhood News**

The old chair factory at Farmington has been rented by a firm who will manufacture baskets.

George Y. Arthur is to open a creamery in Ashtabula.

The "West Side" of Cleveland wants the projected new court house badly. Citizens are willing to pay \$400,000 to have it located on their side of the river.

Dennis Hawley, an old soldier who lived in Ashtabula Harbor for many years, has mysteriously disappeared. On the day of his disappearance, he drew his pension money in the morning and has not been seen since.

Percy Judd, a member of Co. E, Fifth O.V.I. was buried at his home in Harpersfield Tuesday. He died Saturday. He had passed the medical examination and was mustered out with the other members of the company on Wednesday. He died of "walking" typhoid fever.

### **Raging Flames**

A large and destructive fire burned down the large planing and saw mill of Goldthorpe & Welch in Chardon Friday night. The building burned to the ground with 15 tons of lumber. It is thought the fire was of incendiary origin as it is not

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thought possible that it could have started in any other manner.

### **p. 2 Little Mountain**

Mrs. Mira Neill, who has been very sick, is now much better.

Wm. Reynolds is shingling, the club house. John White has moved into his new house. J. A. Pepen and John Reynolds are making additions to their residences.

O. W. Burr is building an addition to his house.

### **Hampden**

Measles are at George Conley's and Fred Carver's.

Mrs. Mary Sheldon, of Lenox, attended church here Sunday.

Miss Maude Thayer, of your city, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. W. C. Chamberlain, spent part of last week, wither daughter, Mrs. Cora Radcliffe, of your city.

Hiram Salter has moved his family in the house with Mr. Jackson on the Radcliffe farm. Rev. Hollister will move into the house that Mr. Salter vacated.

A. J. Richards went to Harpersfield Sunday.

Fred Ray and wife, of Montville, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. D. Ray.

Mrs. O. R. Chamberlain returned from Rockport Wednesday, where she has been taking care of her son Charles who a sick with measles.

Miss Nettie Phinney, of Rockport, is spending a short time here.

### **Auction Sale Nov. 25, 1898**

In LeRoy at Weed's Corners on the farm of the late Rodney J. Prentiss. Horse, cows, wagon, mowing machine, etc. will be sold

Mrs. C. V. Prentiss

### **Geneva**

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Carter have returned from an extended visit to Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. A. M. Proctor is visiting her daughter in Jefferson for a few days. Mrs. Sarah Lovett, of Duluth, Minn., was the guest of friends in this village last week.

Elder H. McAllen is visiting his sons in Chicago.

Miss Mamie Mott has returned from a 3-week sojourn in Mentor and Cleveland.

Miss Flavia Ayers goes to Cleveland to accept a business position there.

Miss Edith Crandall spent several days in Cleveland last week.

Miss Laura Means left last week to take a course in instrumental music at Lake Erie College.

Mrs. Esther Fardon, died of pneumonia on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst., age 78 yrs. Also, Mrs. Olive Woodworth, Nov. 11, age 78 yrs.

In Oil City, Pa., Nov. 9, Mr. Slade R. Youngs, of Rochester, N.Y., formerly of Geneva, O., was united in marriage to Miss Bessie G., daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert Magee, of Oil City.

Mrs. Agnes Fields, age 29 yrs. died. Mrs. Fields was taken to the asylum at Newburgh last winter from Madison, hoping that she might be restored to her right mind. She was brought to her father's home (Capt. Buff) last Thursday morning and died the next night. She leaves a husband and three little children.

### **Madison**

Walter Scott is at his old place in the Monitor office.

Mrs. Standish and children, of Buffalo, are guests at Wm. Genung's.

Miss Lucy Strong is at home from Dakota for the winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Wilson of Cleveland, spent Sunday at F. Hendry's.

Mrs. Reuben Bliss has been spending a week with friends in Garrettsville.

Supt. Thomas and family are at Henry Saxton's called there by the serious illness of Mr. Saxton.

Mrs. Wyman, of Painesville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Sanford, over Sunday.

Mrs. Evelyn Arnold is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. F. Loveridge. They leave this week for a tour of the Eastern cities.

Mrs. Mathews, of New York, has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. & Mrs. James Smead.

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Miss L. Luella Loveridge leaves this week for Brookline, Mass., where she will spend the winter with her sister.

### **South Thompson**

Mrs. Belle Crowder has returned to Cleveland. Geo. Vogel has rented his Hartsgrove farm to Mr. Williman.

Auction sale at D. Sidley's last Saturday. William Croft, of Painesville, was in town last Sunday.

Homer Spencer has moved the sash shop up on the hill and is making a dwelling house of it.

Lyman Rhodes, who has been living on the A. M. Basquin farm, has moved to Montville, and Lowell Bliss has moved to the farm that Rhodes vacated.

Charley Vogel is home again after a prolonged stay in Cleveland.

Victor Culp, of Jackson, spent the Sabbath with his sister, Mrs. Wanamaker.

Mrs. Geo. Vogel is visiting friends in Wickliffe and Cleveland.

Born - a son to Mr. & Mrs. Enstein.

Will Hills has an auction sale of his property Nov. 23. He and Mrs. Hills expect to move to Mentor about Dec. 1, where he has hired out on a farm.

### **Perry**

Amherst Call, of Cleveland, was visiting his brother, Solon, and sister, Mrs. Thompson, last week.

Miss Lotta Marvin is recovering from an attack of measles.

Mrs. Langshaw has been quite ill the past week.

Miss Hollingshead is spending a few weeks with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hollingshead at the M. E. parsonage.

Mrs. Lucinda Owen is visiting friends in town.

Albert Hoose and Miss Mamie Ray are confined to the house with measles.

V. E. Wyman spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

Mrs. Elmer Manchester, who has been suffering very much with rheumatism the past year, is not improving much.

Dr. Robert M. Powers with his wife and daughter, of San Diego, Cal., was calling upon his old-time friends in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Will Joiner, who has been severely ill with measles, is improving. A. E. Hoose, Mrs. Chas. Orcott and sister and the small children of Fred Green, Isaac Shook and Melvin Keener all have the measles.

Mr. & Mrs. Wing expect to return to their former home in Pa. the latter part of this week.

### **Thompson**

Frank Ford, of Bostwick, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. A. Ford.

Mrs. L. B. Woodworth and daughter, Lenore, have returned from a trip to Pierpont.

Mr. Hauser, of Kirtland, spent several days of the past week assisting his daughter, Mrs. N. A. Penhollow.

Mrs. Edson Wilber and daughter returned recently from a pleasant visit with friends in Mentor.

C. W. Grant and son, together with Mr. Hubbard, spent several days of the past week in Wickliffe attending to farm work.

Mr. & Mrs. Call, of Perry, visited Thompson friends Wed.

Mrs. A. Sumner and daughter, spent several days with Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Martin, of Chardon.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Brook have moved to North Madison.

Mr. William Atkin is in very poor health.

Mrs. James Johnson is still very feeble.

Mrs. John Headley is not improving very rapidly.

John Grant and family are to move into the house with Frank Garis.

Hausch Brothers, of Trumbull, have the contract to build the residence for Wallace Jewell

L. J. Bliss, formerly of this place, and late of Trumbull, has returned to take charge of the Andrew Basquin farm. Mr. Bliss has purchased the house and lot at the Center owned by Frank Penhollow and now occupied by C. D. Proctor and family.

Fred Scott and family have moved from South Madison on to the S. Sanford place.

Miss Maud Foot is learning the art of millinery.

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Mrs. C. E. Jenks and son spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Tillotson at Calm.

The remains of Mrs. J. Stearns, of Newberry, formerly of Bostwick, were brought to this place last week for interment.

E. S. Stevens will dispose of his personal property upon the farm at a public sale the 15<sup>th</sup>. There will also be a public sale at the home of Mr. D. Sidley.

Mrs. S. Shepard visited friends at the Center last week.

Mrs. E. G. Blakeslee was reported upon the sick list last week.

Mrs. Mattie Manchester is quite ill.

Mrs. Archibald Wilson is much improved.

Mrs. A. L. Loomis fell while crossing the street some time ago and considers herself fully recovered.

Mrs. W. D. Wilber is recovering from a fall received in her new house.

### **Harbor Notes**

Dr. & Mrs. Cadwell and family, who have been visiting Mrs. Cadwell's parents in Wisconsin, returned home Monday night.

August Wolff is building a new ice house.

Mrs. I. D. Newman has been confined to her room by illness.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

The funeral of Little Emma, the youngest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. M. Beans was held at their residence, 419 S. St. Clair street, Tuesday.

Joseph Worden, an old resident of Willoughby, died early Thursday morning.

Mr. John S. Lockwood has purchased a pencil sharpener which will be located in the front of his store for the use of the public every day, with the exception of rainy days.

The body of John Kinney, of Cleveland, formerly of this place, was brought in by train for burial here. Kinney was a son-in-law of Thos. Naylor.

### **Personals**

Rev. J. Sanford, of Madison, was in town Monday.

Mr. J. H. Cheney, of Chardon, was in town Monday.

Dr. J. V. Winans, of Madison, was in town Monday evening.

Mrs. Frank Howland, of Perry, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. A. H. Ayer, Geneva, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. Geo. S. Alexander returned to West Virginia Monday.

Mr. C. A. Sylvester, who has been ill for a few days is reported better.

Mrs. F. J. Jerome has returned from a visit to N.Y. City.

Mr. S. J. Massingham, of Geneva, registered at The Parmly Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. P. D. Reed, of Perry, were visiting friends in town Sat.

Mr. H. C. Bostwick, of Chardon, registered at The Parmly Tuesday.

Mrs. A. A. Wheeler has gone to Chicago to visit her daughter.

Miss Hattie A. George left Thursday for Chicago for a several weeks' visit with friends.

Mrs. L. A. Porter, of Elyria, who has been spending the summer in Painesville, has returned home.

Mr. George S. Alexander, of West Union, W. Va., arrived Thursday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. Fred Mears, who has been visiting with Mr. V. E. Wyman for several days, left Sat. for Saginaw, Mich.

Louis F. Griswold and family, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with Mr. Griswold's parents of Liberty street.

Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Post returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hecox, of Chicago.

Dr. D. J. Merriman returned home today from Chicago where he had been visiting his daughter.

Mr. & Mrs. Arbie Fifield, of Leroy, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Wells Reed, of Nebraska street, over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. R. Densmore, of Erie, formerly Miss Gertrude Ormsbe, is the guest of Miss Florence Stockwell for a few days.

Mr. Gardner Baker and family, of Watson street, have rented their place and intend to make Cleveland their future home.



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Mrs. Wm. McKee, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Antony Zebornik, of Cleveland, the past week, is home again.

Corporal William C. Herroon, late of Co. M., 5<sup>th</sup> O.V.I. left last week for Linwood, Mich., where he has obtained a situation.

Mrs. F. Aubrey, formerly Miss Lizzie Davies is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. D. T. Davies, Jackson street.

Mr. L. S. Larrick, the new secretary of the U.M.C.A. and wife, have arrived in town. Mr. Larrick will take charge of his work immediately.

Mr. S. K. McQuiston, of Ashtabula, is acting as manager of the local American-United States express office. Mr. F. L. Burnham is taking a short vacation.

Mrs. Louisa Duncan, after visiting three weeks with Painesville friends and relatives, has returned to her aunt's, Mrs. David June, to spend the winter at Fremont, Ohio.

Mr. Fred Storm has moved his family to Willoughby where they will live for the winter. Of course, Fred will be a Painesville resident again next summer.

Dr. J. S. Youman, of Cincinnati, formerly pastor of the M.E. Church here, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Winters and Miss Hattie Young Thursday and Friday.

Mr. D. G. Sumner, of Thompson, has returned from a summer's outing in Middlebury, Vergennes, Bristol, New Haven and Burlington, Vt., and in Montreal and other Canadian places.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Winters were called to New Philadelphia, O., Sunday on account of the serious illness of Mr. Winter's father.

Miss Julia Traver, formerly editor of the Lake Co. *Advertiser*, left Monday for her former home, Weston, Mo., where she has not visited for nine years.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Madison Township**

Hill, Hiram

Hill, E. A.

#### **LeRoy**

Patch, Jas. A.

Arnold, Bert

#### **Perry**

Thompson, A. M.

Prentice, Leon L.

#### **Concord**

Morse, Jane E.

Kelley, Eva J.

Cline, Sarah

#### **Fairport Village Lots**

Merrill, Samuel J.

Moodey, Robert C.

#### **Fairport Village Lands**

Skinner, Orrin

Skinner, Melissa

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Lamb, Jas.

#### **Mentor Village**

Kerr, William W.

Moore, Clifton H.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Harrison, Jas.

Snider, Martin

Boyce, James H.

Duff, D. B.

Duff, S. E.

Ward, Alice B

#### **Painesville Village Lands**

Dow, Royal F.

Sweet, Lottie E.

Detzel, Fred

Detzel, Mary

#### **Probate Court**

Space, Azeeriah – Pitt Hawkins appointed adm.

Warner, Sarah E. – first account

Axtell, S. B. – will probated

Ohio vs H. W. Williamson – certified to Common Pleas Court

Carrel, Frederick – answer of Minnie Carrel filed; order of appraisal issued

Golding, John L. – guardianship – Sophia Golding appointed guardian

Furlong, Peter A. – Dr. C. F. House appointed adm.; order of appraisal issued

White, Ansel – inventory filed

Post, D. Frank – first and final account filed

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Cowles, Mary A. – final account  
Lovelace, Mary H. – first account  
Murray, John H. – first account  
Corlett, Edward C. – first account  
Seymour, Moses M. – first account  
King, Alexander – first account  
Hart, Arthur P. – first account  
Carrell, Reece Y. – first account  
Thompson, Ann M. – first account  
Norton, E. L. – first account  
Baker, Lovina H. – first account  
Whitney, Samuel F. – first account  
Worden, Joseph – will filed for probate  
George, Eunice A. – inventory filed  
Paige Mfg. Co. – assignment; final account filed  
Lynch, Henry – marriage license  
Laracy, Agnes – marriage license  
Crawford, Lucian – final account  
McSparren, Elvina – will probated  
Roddick, Geo. – account filed

### Common Pleas

#### New cases:

Frank Coches vs Peter Demcsak – money only

### Mentor

J. G. Oliver and family will this week return to the city for the winter.

M. V. Hopkins and wife entertained the Symposium Club on Friday evening.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Mack have been visiting with friends in Norwalk for a few days.

Miss Grace Ellsworth, of Hudson, has been a guest for a few days of her sister, Lillian.

Mrs. Minnie Jacks and children have been spending the past week with her aunt in Geneva.

Mrs. Leonard, of Kinsman, O., has been a guest at the M. E. parsonage for the past few days.

Mrs. Wing and children, of the city, have been visiting with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. S. Remington.

Mrs. Howard Ingersoll, of Ashtabula, was a guest during the past week at the residence of G. L. Ingersoll.

Mrs. Orson Root, after spending several months in this section, has returned to her home in Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs. Colgate, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Remington, has gone to Washington, D. C., for the winter.

Mrs. H. H. Munson was in Hudson, O., last week, where she was called by the sickness of her daughter, Jennie, who is suffering from an attack of scarlet fever, but at present writing is gaining slowly.

The Misses King have a new home lot purchased of W. W. Kerr and will build a nice residence. Mr. Buckley has purchased Mr. F. Benton's house and lot and will take possession immediately. Mr. Hagenberger has a large quantity of stone on the ground for building purposes, near the green house. T. S. Weed is receiving building material at his place.

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### p. 1 A Fine Monument

Probate Judge C. D. Clark recently purchased of C. T. Morley, of this city, the well-known and popular monument dealer, a plain granite monument to place over the grave of his deceased brother, Harmon Clark. It weighs 8,100 lbs. and is in the Willoughby Cemetery.

### Election of Officers

The following officers were elected in Eagle Commandery, No. 29, K.T. last week:

Blair, W. B.

Kimball, C. L.

Cheney, J. H.

Penfield, L. W.

Prentiss, Geo. H.

Bostwick, H. O.

Wilson, Z. S.

George, S. J.

Musgrove, H. A.

Kennedy, H. F.

Breed, N. T.

### Old Resident Dead

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J. R. Eddy, aged 89 yrs., an old and respected resident of this section, died Friday at the home of his daughter in Geneva. Mr. Eddy was born in Statford, Conn., and came to Orwell when a young man. He was a resident of that place about 40 yrs. and then moved to Painesville. He has since been a resident of Lake Co. The remains were taken to Windsor for burial. He leaves two sons and two daughters, F. H. Eddy, of this city; G. H. Eddy, of Cleveland; Mrs. David Burrige, of this city, and Mrs. Eugene Stone, of Geneva.

### **Police Court**

Jas. Dunlap, of Willoughby, was arrested Friday for intoxication.

John McMahon, another Willoughby man, was found intoxicated Friday.

Miss Margaret Ball was arrested by Constable A. T. May for assaulting a young boy whose name is Grover. Miss Ball has a little brother and the Grover boy had whipped him, the sister did her best to get revenge.

### **Major Cramer Appointed**

Major C. Frank Cramer, late of the 5<sup>th</sup> O.V.I. has been appointed building inspector for the Treasury Department in Northern Ohio.

A letter was received from Mr. F. T. Bottin last week stating that he was comfortably situated at Los Angeles and that his health was considerably improved. He has been examined by the physician of the 9<sup>th</sup> California Regiment, who has recommended that Mr. Bottin move to Redlands, California.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Darwin McIlrath the noted globe girdlers arrived in town Friday night. They spent a few minutes at The Parmly and then pushed on to Willoughby, where the night was spent in Kingsley hotel. Some history of the doctor's family – the doctor's father was Oliver P. McIlrath, who was one of the most noted and most successful fox hunters in this country. His grandfather was commonly called Ab. McIlrath.

He was a tall man and once stood back to back to Lincoln in the Weddell House in Cleveland to determine which man was the taller. They were the same height.

### **A Perry Residence Destroyed by Fire**

The residence of J. H. Brown, in Perry, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. The fire was discovered by John Bedell.

### **Thrown to the Ground**

The driver of the Painesville Transfer Company's surrey, Charles Warren, was quite seriously injured in a runaway and smash-up at The Parmly Thursday night. He was turning around at the side entrance and did not see a runaway coming which hit him; capsizing the surrey and throwing him to the ground.

### **Grand Lodge Election**

New officers for the Knights of Pythias lodge:

Guyer, John C.  
Catrow, Josiah  
Ellenwood, M. L.  
Donavin, G. B.  
Deckman, Charles J.  
McCloud, S. N.  
Dunn, James  
Brown, Charles Edgar  
Dow, Andrew E.

### **A Valuable Bequest**

Joseph Worden, deceased, in his will left his large collection of Indian relics to the Western Reserve and Northern Ohio Historical Society, of Cleveland. He donated his collection with the condition that they be in a case with conspicuous letters, as follows: "Presented by Joseph Worden, James Worden and Carlos Warner." Before his death, Joseph Worden took the relics to the Historical Society in Cleveland. Worden was quite a wealthy resident of Willoughby and leaves the remainder of his property, excepting two bequests of \$2,000 each, to his sisters.

### **p. 2 LeRoy**

Miss Elsen Wilson is quite sick.

Mrs. Margaret French is in feeble health and seems to be failing. She is over 90 yrs. old.

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Mrs. Jerusha Loveridge, of the Nursery, visited her mother, Mrs. Jane Wilson, last Friday.

### Mentor

Mrs. F. M. Smith was in Cleveland over Sunday. Miss Abbie Mayhew, of Willoughby, visited relatives in Mentor last week.

Rev. J. J. Billingsley has commenced special week night meetings at North Mentor.

Mrs. A. E. Collins, of Newburgh, and Miss Cora Liggitt, of Grent, O., were recent guests of Mrs. B. A. Smith.

### Thompson

Mrs. Mattie Manchester is recovering from an attack of tonsillitis.

Gottlieb Keener Jr. is in the employ of F. Keener, of Footville.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Dewey moved to South Madison last Wednesday.

Miss Edith Reigert, of West Trumbull, is attending school at Geneva.

Master Clyde Manchester is again able to be out after his recent illness.

Mr. Louis Grant, of Willoughby, attended service at M. E. Church yesterday.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Trask are now occupying E. S. Stevens' farm residence.

Mr. Hubbard was called to Hartsgrove last Friday to attend the funeral of his sister.

Mr. & Mrs. Hopkins, of Ashtabula, were recent guests of Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Crocker.

Mr. & Mrs. J. McFarland were guests last Tuesday of Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Keener.

Miss Jackson, of Montville, was the guest over Sunday of her aunt, Mrs. Harriet McKnight.

Mrs. E. A. Davis was the guest last Wed. of her brother, C. H. McLean, of Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Wilber will in the future remove to Footville, Mrs. Wilber's former home.

Miss Elsie Tillotson was taken quite ill while in school one day last week but is again able to be out.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Tilley were guests of Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy from Thursday of last week until Monday.

Messrs. H. B. Grant, of Middlefield, and L. Grant, of Willoughby, are erecting the iron railing on the sides of Ledge Hill.

Mrs. E. Bower and Miss Nola Reigert, of Trumbull spent the past week with Mrs. Bowers' daughter at Ashtabula.

Assistant Dairy and Food Commissioner Wm. Martin was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Sumner, last Wed.

Mr. Burton Keener, of Cleveland, will spend Thanksgiving in Oberlin.

Mrs. Louis Housch, of West Trumbull, is enjoying a visit from her son, H. Housch, and family, who live near Richmond, Va.

Mr. J. F. Organ and family are moving to Cleveland. Mrs. Organ was Thompson's first and probably only lady huckster.

Mr. Anton Stocker, of Cleveland, who has purchased the N. G. Chilson farm, recently called upon Mr. Chilson. Mr. Stocker was accompanied by his brother.

Arthur Sumner, of Bostwick, was removed last Wed. to a Cleveland Sanitarium.

Mrs. M. Caveny, after spending the summer on her farm at Hartsgrove, has returned to the Center, where she intends to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Sidley.

Mrs. Emily Talcott intends, in a few days, to remove to the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Scott. Miss Myra Hulbert, who is at present staying with Mrs. Talcott, will try housekeeping for her father, Mr. Frederick Hulbert.

Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Stevens, who have of late divided their time between their farm and the home of their mother, Mrs. E. Stevens, removed their household effects last Wed. and are now domiciled with Mrs. E. Stevens.

### Officers elected at the Rebekah Lodge:

Ellis, Mrs. Julia

Cowin, Mrs. Addie

Philps, Mrs. Esther

Scott, Mrs. Effie

Bartlett, Mrs., Eva

Pomeroy, Mrs. Jennie

McKnight, Mrs. Harriet

Miss Nellie Dickerman gave a reception to her young friends at the home of Miss Nellie and her sister, Mrs. G. Bingham.

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### **Perry**

Robert Graham and family have moved to the Benjamin place in Madison.

Mrs. C. J. Miller, of Unionville, spent a day at the Wyman home last week.

Mrs. A. D. Thorpe is visiting friends in New York.

Marcus Elliott, a respected citizen of Perry, is very ill at his home on the North Ridge.

Three are three new cases of measles in the Kelsey family.

Albert Hoose is able to be at his place of business.

On Monday a young son of Mr. & Mrs. Dick Padon died, from measles.

John Brown, mother and sister, Kate, will for a time be located in the rooms which are attached to his store.

Mrs. L. G. Pancost, of your city, is the guest of Mrs. James Van Ness.

Glen Salkeld's pleasant new home on West Main street is rapidly nearing completion.

The many friends of Mrs. Heman Manchester will regret to hear of her illness.

The funeral of Frank Bartlett, youngest son of Mr. & Mrs. Addison Bartlett, occurred at their home on Sunday. He died of measles.

### **North Madison**

Mrs. Ida Mills has returned to Brooklyn, N.Y.

The little child of Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Noland is very sick with lung trouble.

John Chapman threw his shoulder out of joint while at work one day last week.

T. P. Miller is having a cement floor put in his barn.

Remson Lott of Brooklyn, N.Y., formerly of this place, is spending a few weeks at the home of Prof. Riley.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mrs. Peaterson was visiting Sand Beach friends Sunday.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Nov. 23:

### **Ladies**

Brown, Mrs. Mary

Chapman, Mrs. Jennie

George, Miss Nettie

Leeds, Mrs. Helen

McConnell, Mrs. Minnie

Rally, Miss Susie

Sterritt, Mrs. E. A.

### **Gentlemen**

Johnson, Edwin

Mason, E. B.

Miller, Ned

Nisley, C. J.

Simpson, Samuel

Williams, John

Wood, N. F.

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Born – a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Lester Reed.

Samuel Brooks, of Painesville, has been granted an increase of pension from \$6 to \$8 per month.

E. L. Disbro, formerly of the Oberlin Owl has assumed the management of the Daily Report at Elyria.

A sub-division and allotment embracing twelve acres of land in and adjacent to Willoughby Village property of Charlotte E. Skiff, was filed in Auditor W. C. Tisdell's office Wednesday also week.

H. F. Sutherland, who has been on the American Express wagon for a long time, has been promoted to clerk. Chas. Nelson will have the wagon for the present and perhaps permanently.

### **Sensation!**

Mentor has a sensation arising from mysterious and suspicious events which have recently occurred at the home of Oliver Jones. Jones lives in North Mentor on a street known as Bloody Run. For some time, he has employed a housekeeper and it is over the condition of his last one that the community is aroused. Dr. L. H. Luce, of Mentor, was called to the Jones place and found the housekeeper, Mrs. Farnsworth, in a precarious condition. She was unconscious and examination show that her hips and side were covered with bruises. The matter was

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brought to the attention of the trustee and Infirmary Director David Law. Mr. Sayer and Dr. Luse visited the Jones place this morning and found Mrs. Farnsworth in an unconscious condition. Owing to her condition, it was impossible to move the housekeeper and the officials have provided two nurses to take care of her. What especially excites Mentor citizens is the fact that a former housekeep, Mrs. Ropinger, died under somewhat similar circumstances and there are whisperings of foul play and dire threats in case definite evidence thereof should be discovered. Jones has been a man of many wives, three of whom have died. In July, he had employed Mrs. Ropinger and she died of pneumonia and heart failure. Mrs. Coville, one of the nurses now caring for Mrs. Farnsworth, says that there were bruises on Mrs. Ropinger similar to those found upon Mrs. Farnsworth. The latter has been in Jones' employ about four weeks. It is a terrible case and one full of mystery and it should be given a most thorough probing by authorities.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Cook, Manis A.  
Vesey, Chas. M.  
Cook, Morris A.  
Vesey, Chas. M.  
Hardy, P F.  
Southwick, Etta J.

##### **Mentor Township**

Bryson, Hattie A.  
Baker, Mary M.

##### **LeRoy**

Picket, Margaret  
Neilson, Neils R.  
Williams, Thomas A.  
Williams, Hanna

##### **Painesville Township**

Dow, Royal F.  
Harliky, John  
Benedict, R. F.  
Benedict, Wilber F.

### **Richmond Village Lots**

Calhoun, Newton B.  
Crow, Morris E.  
Hough, John

### **Fairport Village Lands**

Foster, John J.  
Duff, D. B.  
Duff, S. E.  
Wilcox, Aaron

### **Willoughby Township**

Griffin, Martin  
Griffin, May

### **Perry**

Tuttle, Nettie A.  
Sweet, Peter G.

### **Painesville Village Lands**

Paige, Caroline W.  
Graul, Clifton M.

### **Painesville Village Lots**

Hawkins, Helen E.  
Barnes Co.  
Johnson, Mary P.  
Tate, Nettie F.

### **Willoughby Village**

Barber, A. P.  
Skiff, Charlotte E.  
Dayer, Ada L.  
Bartholomew, Jennie A.  
Munson, H. N.  
Randall, H. J.  
Randall, Jane M.  
Belden, Minnie P.  
Carrel, F. M.  
Barber, A. P.  
Skiff, Charlotte E.  
Carrel, A. K.  
Barber, A. P.  
Heugenbach, Frank P.

### **Probate Court**

White, Ansel – election of widow filed  
Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship; sale of real estate  
Barkinen, John – involuntary assignment  
Lawrence, Carlton E. – Alice Dickey appointed adm.  
Ludlum, Sarah E. – final and distributive account filed

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Wright, J. M. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Post, D. Frank – final account approved  
Barkinen, John – involuntary assignment; W. Albert Davis appointed trustee  
Hardy, Parker F. – first and final account  
Pike, John D. – sale of real estate  
Latham, R. R. – final account filed  
Bartholomew, Jennie A. – sale of real estate  
Bunnell, Ann – motion heard and executor removed  
Space, Azariah – inventory and appraisal filed

### **Common Pleas**

#### **New cases:**

Della E. Unkefer vs Albert H. Unkefer – divorce, adultery, gross neglect, custody of child, alimony. Plaintiff says in her petition that they have been married about four years; that the defendant said at one time that he cared nothing for her and for a year past she has been obliged to support herself and child.

Martin Duffey vs John Barkinen – money only

Mary J. Brown vs William J. Brown – divorce; extreme cruelty; habitual drunkenness alimony, injunction. Plaintiff says that defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty. They have been married nearly nine years. He has on several occasions assaulted and beat her.

Mary C. Everett vs Edward J. Baker – foreclosure and equitable relief

Sarah Sutherland vs C. M. Graydon – error from J.P.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Wm. H. Flynn and Mary Hayden; Aaron Tanswell and Mary L. Green.

### **Personals**

Mr. F. C. Langley, of Canton, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Durand was in Madison on real estate business Tuesday.

Ex-sheriff S. D. Barbor, of Madison, was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. E. Patchin, of Chardon, registered at The Parmly Friday.

Mr. L. G. Tuttle went to Cleveland on business Tuesday.

Mrs. C. R. Graves of Stockwell street, is confined to her room by illness.

Miss Julia Doolittle, of Hamilton, Ont., has been visiting at the Wilcox place.

Capt. Geo. Morse, of the firm of Blair & Morse, was in Ashtabula on business Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. Wynne S. Smith took in the “Idol’s Eye” at the opera house Friday night.

Mrs. Calista Miller, of Unionville, was visiting with Mrs. Stephen Warner Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. Sawyer, of Chardon, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. Bates.

Mr. & Mrs. F. L. Fay left last week for Arkansas where they will spend two weeks.

Miss Mary E. Wilcox and Miss Julia Doolittle are visiting friends in Cleveland this week.

Miss Eda Marble, of the Seminary, was called to Bedford Monday by the illness of her father.

Miss Margaret Thomas, of Springfield, Pa., was a guest at the Wilcox home on High street Saturday.

Mr. A. M. Beattie, a well-known attorney from Norwalk, O., is attending the Common Pleas Court.

Mr. C. H. McLean left Tuesday for a business trip to Geneva, Ashtabula, Jefferson and Andover.

Miss Grace M. Donaldson, of South St. Clair street, has been confined to the house by illness since Sunday.

Miss Ethel Bowhall, of the East Side, is just recovering from a severe attack of inflammation of the bowels.

Mrs. Jesse Richardson left Tuesday morning to spend Thanksgiving Day with relatives in Union City, Pa.

Mr. A. E. Fenton returned Thursday from Amenia, N. D. where he spent the summer on his Western farm.

Mr. L. J. Hodgerey, of Madison, was in town Tuesday looking after coal and prospects for the winter.

Mrs. Geo. B. McFarland leaves Wed. for Cleveland where she will spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

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Mr. Charles Leffingwell, of Kingsville, will have charge of the Nickel Plate station during Mr. Fay's absence.

Mrs. Chas. Bates, the Madison furniture man, was in town a short time Tuesday morning en route to Cleveland.

Miss Fidelia Gee, who is visiting friends in this city, leaves for Washington, D. C., in a few days to spend the winter.

Frank Cook son of Mr. & Mrs. A. S. Cook, of Elevator Ave., is spending a few weeks with friends in Ashtabula Co.

Mr. H. H. Coe arrived home Thursday from his trip to Glasgow, Scotland.

Mr. & Mrs. J. B. McCarthy, of Rochester, N.Y., are the guests of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. McCarthy, of Richmond street.

Mr. John S. Lockwood and Mrs. L. Malin attended the 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. C. Knowles in Cleveland last Wed.

Messrs. G. J. Carnegie, J. C. Barto, Walter Malin and Al Johnson, comprised a fishing party who went up the river in quest of bass Tuesday morning.

Ed Merrill, nephew of "S.P.M.", goes on Thanksgiving Day to Santiago de Cuba to take his former position as chemist in the Spanish-American Mining Co.

Road master Geo. H. Prentice, wife and two children, left on Lake Shore Train No. 46 Monday afternoon to spend two weeks with his parents in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. Lester Hubbard and Miss Katherine Hubbard, of Sandusky, have been guests of Mr. & Mrs. George K. Reynolds, at Oak Hill, Washington street.

Mr. George R. Davis, of this city, is among the contributors to Life's Book of Animals, a collection of drawings from the columns of Life recently published by Doubleday and McClure Co.

Mr. C. F. Overacker has moved from Willoughby to this city. He was formerly publisher of the Willoughby Enterprise and it is said that he expects to start a Democratic newspaper.

Mr. C. H. Barney, night operator at the Nickel Plate is taking a short vacation near his home in Cherry Hill. He probably will return in two weeks with a bride.

Miss Frances C. Norris, a former teacher in the High school, but now a member of the faculty of the Univ. of Kansas, at Ottawa, Kan., was the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Alvord from two- or three-days last weeks.

Mrs. Anna Miller, wife of the well-known south end saloon keeper, was arrested Sat. night on the charge of intoxication.

Born – Mr. & Mrs. George J. Fullerton, of Minneapolis, Minn., a son, Oct. 15. Mrs. Fullerton will be remembered as Miss Anna B. Carson, formerly of this city.

### **Will Leave Painesville**

Mr. A. A. Lee, who has been engaged in business in Painesville for many years is leaving for Ashtabula next Tuesday to embark in the grocery business. He purchased the stock of Reeves Sons' Co. on Main street, opposite the Fisk House.

### **Four Divorces**

Four divorces have been granted by Judge D. W. Canfield. Mrs. Bessie L. Craine has been granted a divorce for Wells B. Craine. Geo. H. Shepard was the attorney for Mrs. Craine.

Mary Flynn was granted a divorce from John Flynn for extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty. Alimony to the amount of \$250 was granted.

Desev Toth vs Barbara Toth. Hungarians. Plaintiff was granted divorce.

Gertrude E. Taylor was granted a divorce from Gilbert Lee Taylor today on the grounds of neglect of duty. She was allowed the custody of the child.

### **Gold in Ohio**

Gold in paying quantities has been discovered on the property of the Riverside Iron Co. at Steubenville, O., while digging post holes.



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The I.O.G.T. Lodge installed officers Monday.

Traver, R. N.

Cole, D. H.

Pratt, Miss Carrie

Bail, Miss Lucy

Pratt, Dr. B. F.

Miller, Chas.

Tagg, Wm.

Cole, Mrs. D. H.

Green, Miss Hattie

Densmore, Miss Lucy

West, Chas.

Notice is given that the firm of Coddington Bros, is hereby dissolved. A. B. Coddington, J. D. Coddington

### **Death of Mrs. Gordon**

Mrs. Gordon, mother of Wm. Gordon, of Concord, died Wed. at the residence of her son. She was 72 yrs. of age. Mrs. Gordon leaves two sons, William, of Concord, and Luther, of Little Mountain. The funeral of Brookseynia Gordon, late of Concord township, will be held at the residence of her son, Wm. Gordon, in Concord.

Notice is hereby given that Alice Dickey is the administratrix of Carlton E. Lawrence, deceased, late of Mentor, Lake Co., Ohio.

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### **p. 1 Pinney-Paterson Nuptials**

Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, Edna May Paterson married Hubert A. Pinney, of Huntsburg, at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Paterson, of Hampden.

There are 32 saloons left in Lake Co.: Eighteen in Painesville, eleven in Fairport and three in Richmond.

### **Sent to Reformatory**

Judge C. D. Clark Saturday ordered David Green to be committed to the Boys' Industrial School at Lancaster. He was arrested for truancy. He as thirteen years old last July. He is the son of George Green, of Jackson street school.

### **Painesville Boy Enlists**

Stanley Allnut, a well-known young man of this city, enlisted in Battery B, 6<sup>th</sup> Regiment Heavy Artillery, in Cleveland. He left Monday morning for Fort McHenry, Baltimore, where his regiment is now located.

### **Burglarized**

The residence of Dr. W. D. Hendry, No. 3033 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, had been entered by burglars, during the absence of the doctor and his wife, who had gone to their former home in Madison to spend Thanksgiving, Thursday morning. The house had been entered the previous night also.

Mr. & Mrs. Addison Bartlett print a thank you to neighbors and friends for their kindly help during the sudden illness and death of their little, Frank.

### **Kirtland**

Miss Kate Hunkins started the 21<sup>st</sup> on a visit to her parents and former home in England.

Miss Kate Clapp is in a hospital in Cleveland for treatment.

A pleasant birthday surprise party was given Miss Marie Booth on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **p. 2 Mentor**

Mrs. Frank Murray is in Buffalo, N.Y., where she is receiving medical treatment.

Mr. & Mrs. Webster of Waite Hill, have been visiting with their daughter, Mrs. N. Hale.

Mrs. Harmony Taylor, of Cleveland, has been a guest at the residence of W. J. Spaulding.

Miss Lillian Ellsworth has returned from a few days' visit with her parents in Hudson, Ohio.

Mr. A. H. Mead together with his wife and mother have been spending a few days here.

Mrs. C. A. Prentice, of East Cleveland, has been visiting with Mrs. Emery Harrington.

Miss Margaret Parmelee has been spending several days with Chardon relatives.

Miss Nettie King left on Monday for the west where she will spend the winter with an uncle.

Miss Helen Ingersoll, who is located in Cleveland has been visiting with her parents.

Mr. Tom Filmer and Miss Emma Gawnt were married by Squire Rexford last week.

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Mr. Edwin Mott last of Company M has accepted a position in New York City.

Mrs. Stanley, of Cleveland, is a guest at the M. E. Parsonage for a few days.

Mrs. Geo. Rose Sr. entertained a large company of her relatives at her home for Thanksgiving Day dinner.

Mr. Horace Andrews and family will this week remove to the city for the winter months.

N. C. Rexford, Geo. Parson, and Albert Tanswell have the thanks of the people for bringing out the snow plow Saturday after the snow and making walks throughout the town.

W. H. Shoemaker, who has been confined to his bed for some time, is a little better.

### **LeRoy**

Miss Laura Doncaster, of the Nursery, spent Sunday at J. W. Doncaster's.

There was a family gathering at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Wilson, of Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Nighman spent last Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. Ed Landphier, of Perry.

The families of W. C. and J. W. Doncaster spent Thanksgiving at W. F. Dunkets in Concord.

Mr. Albert Searle met with a serious accident a short time ago. He was hauling a load of corn in crates on a sled from the field when crossing a little run, he fell out between the horses. The horses stopped but a crate of corn fell on them and they ran and the sled passed over Mr. Searle. He is doing well now and in a fair way to recover.

### **Kirtland**

Miss Kate Hunkins started the 21<sup>st</sup> on a visit to her parents and former home in England.

A pleasant birthday surprise party was given Miss Marie Booth on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **Obituary**

The funeral of Mrs. Gordon took place Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>. She did not long survive her granddaughter, Ruth, who fell beneath the stroke of death three weeks ago. Mrs. Gordon was born in Concord, Oct. 1825, she was united in marriage to Wm. Gordon in 1848, and he was

taken from her in 1860, leaving her with three sons, William, George, and Luther. Since 1889, she has lived with her eldest son in the old home. She was 72 yrs. old. Her two sons, William and Luther were at the bedside when the summons came.

### **Concord**

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Wright, after a few weeks spent with their parents Mr. & Mrs. James Oliver have removed from Concord to LeRoy, where they will live with Mr. Samuel Crain, an uncle.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Colburn, of Ansonia, Conn., have been visiting their son in his Concord home.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Corlett were present last Sabbath with their daughter, Mrs. Correll Merrell, at her home in Willoughby, Ohio.

Miss Blanche Murray entertained Miss Hunter and Miss Johnson, of Lake Erie College, during the Thanksgiving recess.

Mr. & Mrs. Chester Winchell had relatives and friends from Painesville as well as Concord for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Robert Corlett will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Mrs. Alvira Murray, of Painesville, is at the home of her son in Concord for an extended stay.

Mr. Richard Bond has been ill for some time but is reported better. His son, George, of Cleveland, visited him last week.

Mrs. Charles Chapman has been ill for two weeks but is recovering under the care of Dr. Pomeroy.

### **Perry**

Mr. William Ray has been quite indisposed of late.

Miss Millie Norton, of Cleveland, spent Thanksgiving with her brother, Eugene, and family.

D. L. Wyman with his family ate Thanksgiving dinner with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wyman.

Mr. Joseph Colby, had the misfortune to get his hand in a feed cutter last week.

Mrs. Geo. Mallory had a slight stroke of paralysis recently.

Mrs. Larabee, of Jefferson, was a guest of Mrs. L. V. Axtell, last week.

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Mr. John Cowen, of Edinboro, Pa. was visiting in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Lura Chamberlain, of Hampden, has been visiting Miss Lillian Voss the past week.

Mr. Eugene Norton and family were called to Painesville on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cyrenus Graves.

W. W. Rowland and family, of Cleveland, have been spending a few days the past week with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Rowland.

### Runaway

Officer Austin took into custody a boy named Mike Bialkl, who was stealing a ride on the Nickel Plate train. The boy is a Hungarian, eleven years of age, who said he lived in Cleveland.

### Hampden

Mrs. W. C. Chamberlain is in Randolph, Wood Co., visiting her brother and other relatives.

Albert Winchell and Miss Curtiss were married last week.

Mr. J. Potter went to Ravenna, Thursday.

Wallie Ballard left town for New York state Thursday.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. Nov. 30:

### Ladies

Brinh, Mrs. A.  
Hope, Miss Edith  
Leeds, Mrs. Helen  
Smith, Mrs. Ann  
Taylor, Mrs. Lovina  
Winchell, Mrs. Alma

### Gentlemen

Alman, Seeley  
Barr, D. P.  
Groene, J.  
Town, Henry  
Weeles, James  
Wing, J. G.

Married – In LeRoy, Nov. 22, Aaron Tanswell and Mary L. Green, both of Painesville.

Mr. Fred J. Taylor and Miss Hattie Stuart, both of this city, were married Nov. 28.

Mary Brayton is the executrix of Hobart C. Brayton, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

**p. 3** Born – a nine-pound boy of Mr. & Mrs. H. S. Burnham, Nov. 23.

Born – On Thursday a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Charles Waldron, of Erie street. Marriage license issued to John Reibo and Zuzsy Lokar; Thomas Filmer and Emma L. Grant.

Capt. S. A. Squires, who organized a company of State Volunteers at Ashtabula during the recent war has received orders from adj. Gen. Kingsley to muster out his company.

H. H. Hollenbeck of Chardon, has been appointed deputy collector of internal revenue for this district.

Mrs. Maverette G. Cole has commenced the construction of a new house on North St. Clair street, adjoining the residence now occupied by Dr. Frank Buys.

### Personals

Dr. Ellis, of Thompson, was in town Friday.

Miss Stella Williams visited in the city Thursday. Miss Klara Frank was visiting friends in Cleveland last week.

Mr. Frank Salkeld, of Perry, was in town Saturday morning.

Mrs. E. G. Wetherbee returned from New York Tuesday morning.

Mr. O. F. Bunnell, of Willoughby, had business in town Saturday.

Miss Kate Shaughnessy, of Oil City, Pa., is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Will Eaton is much improved in health from his recent illness.

Mr. D. C. Hopkins, of the East Side is confined to his room by illness.

Miss Maud Stacey was the guest of Willoughby friends Thanksgiving.

Miss Malin, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the Malin home on the Park.

Miss Anna Gould, of Erie street, entertained the whist club Monday evening.

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Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Curtiss spent Thanksgiving with friends in Cleveland.

Miss Louise Hoffman spent Thanksgiving with Miss Perkins in Cleveland.

Mr. O. R. Loveridge, of Madison, was in town Tuesday morning on business.

Mr. H. S. Thorley, of Norwalk, O., is visiting Mr. E. W. Thorley this week.

Mrs. A. P. Sanford, of Cleveland, spent Thanksgiving with friends in town.

Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Whetstone left last week for Cincinnati to spend the winter.

Miss Mary McFarland was the guest of relatives in Kirtland over Thanksgiving.

Miss Frances Roe, of Cleveland, spent Thanksgiving at home with her mother.

Mr. W. N. Collister and family were visiting relatives in Geneva Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. F. C. Allen and family were the guests of Mr. Allen's father in Madison Thursday.

A. W. Brainard and wife, of Jackson street, were visitors in Cleveland Wed.

Mr. S. J. Merrill, of the firm of Radcliffe & Merrill has become a resident of Painesville.

Mr. Charles Kinnon, of East Painesville, who has been on the sick list is much improved.

Mr. C. A. Carpenter was called to Saratoga, N.Y., Friday night by the death of his sister.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert George entertained a family party at dinner Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. & Mrs. F. S. Streator returned Sunday from their Eastern trip.

Mr. & Mrs. N. T. Donaldson spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Donaldson's mother in Thompson.

Mr. H. L. Martindale, of Mentor, was in town Friday, after an illness of four weeks' duration.

Mr. & Mrs. Irving Allison, of Omaha, Neb., are visiting Mr. & Mrs. George P. Steele.

Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Wyman and family spent Thanksgiving at the Wyman farm in Perry.

Mr. W. H. Turner, the Lake Shore agent, was able to resume work at the depot Saturday morning.

Mr. A. W. Spaller, of Mentor Ave., entertained some of his many friends at dinner Thursday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Forrer were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Wheeler, of Mentor, for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. B. F. Barnes, who has been confined to her home by illness for the past ten days, is convalescing.

Misses Alice and Katherine Condon went to Cleveland Sat. morning to spend Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Ed Metcalfe, of Warren is visiting her brother, Mr. S. D. Traver and family, of Washington street.

Prof. R. W. Henderson has a son born Thanksgiving morning.

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Barto and family spent Thanksgiving at the Nursery with Mr. & Mrs. Robert George.

Mr. John Hoyes, of Hambden, and Mr. Carl Stone, of Youngstown, were visiting friends in town Wed.

Miss Pearl Bailey, of Willoughby, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Thayer, of Pearl street, Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Gerrett and Miss Grace Sheldon, of Cleveland, were the guests of Mrs. Geo. Gleason over Sunday.

Miss Martha Harrington arrived last Wed. for a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. George S. Colby, St. Clair street.

Mr. & Mrs. R. Wheeler, of LeRoy, were in town Monday.

Mr. Charles Canfield, of Erie street, was taken ill Sunday night.

Misses Minnie and Myrtle Morris, of Perry, were in town Monday.

Mr. E. D. Shephard, township clerk of Perry, was in town Monday.

Mr. Charles Hardway was in search of partridge in LeRoy Monday.

Mr. H. E. Fowler was a guest of friends in Cleveland Sunday.

Miss Minnie Gibson, of Youngstown, is visiting at the Hine homestead.

Mrs. George S. Lockwood spent Sunday at the Malin home, Park Place.

Mr. George Mead, of Prospect street, visited friends in Cleveland Sunday.

Miss Anna C. Lynch, of Cleveland, visited her father, W. J. Lynch, Sunday.

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Mrs. George B. McFarland returned Sunday night from visiting Cleveland friends.

Mr. A. S. Stratton, of the Exchange Bank, of Madison, dined at The Parmley.

Mr. Wilcox Doolittle of University school, Cleveland, spent the Thanksgiving recess at the Wilcox place.

Mr. & Mrs. Austin Tracy, of Jamestown, N.Y., are spending a few days at the Franklin Breed home on Erie street.

Miss Marion and Master Whitely Phipps, of Bellevue, are spending a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Whitely.

Mrs. J. M. Gallaher, of Blairsville, Pa., arrived Sat. evening for a short visit in town.

Mrs. C. M. Heckman, of Cleveland, spent Thanksgiving week at the Harvey home.

Mr. & Mrs. Sam Johnson, of Geneva, spent Thanksgiving evening with Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of Railroad street.

Dr. Albert Williams, of Chardon, goes to Kansas Tuesday to make that his future home.

Mr. Carl Loomis and Miss Henrietta Weatherhead, of Cleveland, visited the former's parents, Mr. & Mrs. L. G. Loomis, Sunday.

Mrs. M. G. Beans, and daughter, Ellen May, of St. Clair street, left last week for a few weeks' visit with her sister in Youngstown.

Mr. & Mrs. A. A. Lee and Miss Lee left Tuesday for their new home in Ashtabula.

Mr. & Mrs. Z. S. Wilson entertained a party of 24 friends Sat. in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Arthur F. Skeele.

Mr. & Mrs. Webb Alderman, of Concord, entertained a number of relatives on Thanksgiving.

Miss Irene Kibbey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Barton, at Grand River, has returned to her home at Bloomington, Ill.

Miss Harrietta Hardy, who is teaching school at Northfield, O., spent the Thanksgiving vacation at home, returning to Northfield Sunday.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, of University School, Cleveland, spent the Thanksgiving recess with Mr. & Mrs. T. L. Perine, Mentor Ave.

Mr. Thos. Caley, of Little Mountain, was a caller at this office today. He recently returned from a trip through Iowa.

Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Littlejohn entertained Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Collacott and Mr. & Mrs. Harry R. Collacott and family at Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. James M. Young arrived home from Indianapolis, Ind., Wed. to spend Thanksgiving and stay over Sunday with Mrs. Young.

Mr. Phineas Merrill went to Unionville Sat. to attend the horse sale at Elmwood farm.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, of Nebraska street, entertained at Thanksgiving dinner about 40 relatives from Chagrin Falls, Cleveland, and Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Bailey, of Perry attended the party at the Colored Odd Fellow's Hall Thursday evening.

Mr. & Mrs. George A. Bates had guests on Thanksgiving, Mr. & Mrs. Able Sawyer, Mr. & Mrs. Seth H. Sawyer, of Chardon.

H. H. Smead and H. W. Blakely, of Madison were in town Monday looking after their interests in a case in court.

Miss Jennie Armsey married Mr. J. C. McKenna, of Williamsport, Pa. They will live in West Virginia.

Mr. Edwin M. S. Mott, who was a member of Company M, 5<sup>th</sup> Regt. Ohio Vol. Inf. and who has been in Mentor since the Company was mustered out, left last week to accept a situation near New York City.

Mr. Thomas A. Harvey, wife, and son, Albert Sargent Harvey, who have been spending Thanksgiving week at the Harvey home on Mentor Ave., left Tuesday for their home in Saginaw, Mich.

Oren R. Cleveland a former member of Company M. will be pleased to note that he now has a trustworthy position with the drug firm Strong, Cobb & Co, of Cleveland.

Mrs. Howard, of Nebraska, and Mrs. Caruthers, of Butler Pa., sisters of Mr. L. J. Wood, of this place and who have been visiting at the Wood home in Perry, were in town Friday evening en route to Butler, Pa.

Mrs. Dr. Fowler and Miss Bessie Fowler went to Madison Saturday to visit friends.

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Roadmaster Geo. H. Prentice and family returned from Massachusetts. Miss Annie Prentice, his sister, will spend the winter here.

Mr. D. B. Clayton left on Sunday for Jennings, Ia., where he will engage in business.

Carl O. Trulsen is home sick with malarial fever.

Miss Isabel Howe, of Mentor Ave., gave a dinner party Friday to meet Mr. & Mrs. L. J. Wood. The guests were:

Wood, Mr. & Mrs. L. J.

Craine, Mrs.

Kilbourne, Miss

Ready, Miss

Pratt, Miss

Trumbull, Miss

Stockwell, Miss

Malin, Miss Mary

Smith, Mr. P. K.

Wyman, Mr. V. E.

Treat, Mr. W. B.

Warner, Mr. F. C.

Colby, Mr. Arthur A.

Wilson, Mr. R. M.

Means, Mr. A. S.

Lockwood, Mr. Geo. S.

### **Grand Jury Reports**

Katherine McCrone vs James McCrone – plaintiff granted \$15 temporary alimony

Ohio vs William Kinney, burglary and larceny

Ohio vs Keneres Karoly, larceny of watch and \$19 in money

Ohio vs William Dunn, assault with intent to kill on John H. Crane, of Willoughby

Ohio vs James McCrone, neglect to support minor child

Ohio vs Henry Hinze, Mentor, keeping a place where liquor was sold in violation of law

Ohio vs. John Cain, resisting an officer

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Madison Township**

Stevens, Mary

Stevens, Lester J.

Stevens, Mattie V.

Rounds, W. Albert

Andrew, Vernon R.

Johnson, P. A.

##### **Painesville Township**

Barnes Co.

Moshier, Geo.

Cay, F. E.

Cay, Ella R.

Pierson, Edith M.

Hazlett

Lewis

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Callow, Edwin A.

Lewis & Hazlett

Little, Emma E

Hathaway, S. P.

Brewer, E. F.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Lee, Albertas A.

Lee, Newton L.

##### **Kirtland**

Carlton, Arvin D.

Carlton, Ida M.

Upham, Benajah S.

Upham, Laura S.

##### **Willoughby Township**

Silver, Ellen

Ambler, Jay C.

##### **Willoughby Village**

Skiff, Charlotte E.

Hengesbach, Frank P.

Smart, Carlos S.

Barnett, Edward E.

##### **Perry Township**

Davis, Elsie A.

Todd, Lona E.

##### **Probate Court**

Ingrim, Freelove – first account

Worden, Joseph – administrator appointed

Hall, Harvey H. - petition filed to sell land

Barkinen, John – inventory and appraisal filed; petition to sell real estate

Penfield, J. W. – inventory and appraisal filed

Wright, J. M. – application to increase allowance to widow

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Lawrence, Wm. W. – Mary Lawrence appointed administratrix

Saxton, Henry J. – will probated; R. S. Thomas appointed adm.

Pitcher, Mary A. – motion filed

Burns, Margaret S. – final account filed; application to transfer funds

Bunnell, Ann – Ely G. Bunnell Jr. appointed adm.

Avery, James H. – first and final account filed

Francis, Margaret – account and final distribution filed

Brayton, Hobart C. – will probated; Mary Brayton appointed executrix

Hall, Harvey H. – order of private sale issued

Taylor, Fred J. – marriage license

Stuart, Hattie – marriage license

### **Common Pleas**

Smith H. King vs Hattie Bell King – plaintiff was granted a divorce on the grounds of willful absence

S. J. Wilson, executor vs Samuel P. Hathaway – sale was confirmed by the court and deed ordered

Mary J. Beverly vs John M. Beverly – alimony; injunction; willful absence, gross neglect

### **Cases Submitted:**

Henry Paul vs The Baptist Church

Albert U. Belden vs T. G. Hart, adm.

Wm. Kenney to two years' imprisonment in the Ohio Pen. for robbing Blackmore Bros.

Keneres Karoly, a Hungarian, pleaded guilty to the charge of petit larceny and was fined \$25 and costs

Eugene N. Warner vs Mary Ann King – motion over ruled

F. W. Roemer vs Kirk Vanderlip – heard on demurrer, sustained

India Rubber Co. vs C. C. Fineran was occupying the attention of the court this afternoon

Wm. Dunn pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault with intent to kill

**Died in Manila** - Mrs. L. G. Loomis, of this city, has received word from an uncle, in San Francisco, announcing the death of her nephew, John Lynch.

The young man was the son of W. J. Lynch, also of this city, and enlisted in the 14<sup>th</sup> U. S. Infantry at San Francisco last spring. Mrs. Loomis said that he died from yellow fever, but whether this be true, or not cannot be learned. He was 19 yrs. of age when he enlisted.

### **Lively Smash-Up**

Mrs. Caroline Balch and her daughter, Mrs. O. A. Barlett, of LeRoy, had an exciting experience on the Moodey Hill south of this city Monday afternoon. They were driving a team of large, young horses hitched to a light wagon. They stopped at the watering trough on the Moodey Hill and while there one horse became restive and slipped, falling on its side. The ladies jumped to the ground and unhitched one horse; then the other horse made a struggle but came upon the opposite side of the pole. The horse ran away down the hill at full speed. Ralph Clark and E. A. Doolittle, who were returning from hunting, managed to bring the horse to a standstill.

### **A Distinguished Relative**

Maj. Gen. A. E. Chaffee, who gained fame at the battle of Santiago as a Brigadier General and was promoted for gallantry in action, is a cousin of Mr. Freeman Gates, Mrs. A. E. Fenton, and Mrs. C. Harrington of this city.

James McStockard, who shot a sister of attorney A. J. Trunkey at Geneva last summer, pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting with intent to wound in Ashtabula Court of Common Pleas and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

### **Death of Mrs. Powers**

The death of Mrs. Catherine Powers, age 72 yrs., occurred at her late home on Nebraska street, Saturday. The body was removed to Kelloggsville, for interment.

### **p. 4 North Madison**

Mrs. E. L. Williams is convalescing from heart trouble.

Mrs. H. H. Pershing is recovering from an attack of catarrhal tonsillitis.

Little Paul, infant child of Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Noland, died Sat. evening with lung trouble.

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Mr. & Mrs. James Hynds, of Hyndsburg, N.Y., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Noyes.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. Cole is musical instructor of the township public schools.

Mr. Charles Brooks was recently in Cleveland three days on business.

Mrs. Slitor is more seriously ill than is generally supposed.

Mrs. Addie Nelson and two children were guests at the Breezy Hill farm over Sunday. The families of Edward and Hugh Brooks called by invitation Sat. to celebrate the event.

### **South Thompson**

Earl Burroughs spent Sunday in Munson.

Mrs. J. A. Morse was on the sick list last week.

Mr. W. Bradley, of Chardon, was in this part of town last Friday.

Cyrus Stetson, of Windsor, visited his brother at this place last week.

Mrs. Sprague and son, of LeRoy, visited at Chester Crowder's Thursday.

Roll Stevens has been buying poultry from Mr. Bliss of Madison, this fall.

Mrs. Lizzie Tucker, of Chester, spent a few days with her daughter at this place.

Earl Burroughs and Paul Stetson spent a few days in Ashtabula last week.

Ben Sutherland, of Ashtabula, was a guest at the home of his brother at this place last week.

Henry Hartoon expects to move on the Wilson farm in the west part of town in the near future.

Mr. & Mrs. Zimmerman, of Bostwick, were entertained at the home of H. Gretton last Thursday.

Mrs. Clara Wintersteen, of Hartsgrove, was a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. Wintersteen, one day last week.

Married in Jefferson about the first of Nov. Mr. John Cain, of Cleveland, and Miss Lucy Sidley, of this place. They are at home to their friends on Hoadley street, Cleveland, Ohio.

**Thompson** Mr. & Mrs. W. F. Wilber have moved to Footville.

Mr. Wm. Atkin, is attended by Dr. Vern Winans, of Madison.

Mrs. Caroline Carpenter is spending several weeks at Concord.

Mr. F. Hulbert and daughter, Myra are occupying the homestead.

Mr. Samuel Tillotson, of Painesville, is visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. Holcomb, of Madison, was the guest last week of his sister, Mrs. A. J. Bliss.

Mr. P. Sullivan and men have been engaged during the past week in bridge building at East Trumbull.

Mr. & Mrs. Ellis, of Springfield, Pa., are guests at the home of their son, Dr. W. P. Ellis and wife.

Mrs. E. G. Blakeslee and son spent Thanksgiving in Painesville, guests of Mrs. B's mother, Mrs. Stockwell.

Mrs. A. L. Loomis received the sad intelligence last week of the serious illness of her son, Ray Loomis, of Trumbull.

Miss Addie Goodrich came from Geneva to spend Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. M. A. Goodrich.

Mrs. Abbie Atkin, of Concord, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sidley, of Bostwick.

Mr. & Mrs. Ketcham, of Middlefield, are expected soon to move into the house with Mrs. Ketcham's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Proctor.

Mrs. Emily Talcott, Miss Carrie Acker, and Mrs. J. C. Scott and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Fowler, of Morgan.

Mr. A. Z. Olds and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Olds, of Bostwick.

The Misses Paine, of Austinburg, return to their home today after a pleasant visit of one week with their aunt, Mrs. L. Leonard and cousins, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Nye.

### **Election of officers to Pebble Rock Lodge results:**

Dewey, Charles

Phelps, D. L.

Smith, R. M.

Phelps, V.

Pomeroy, J. P.



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Mrs. J. W. Scott and son, of South Madison, Miss Oliver, of Painesville, together with Mr. Fred Scott and family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. & Mrs. George Scott and family.

Mrs. M. Gilbreath and son spent Thanksgiving in Painesville. Mrs. Gilbreath remained for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Crocker, of Painesville, and Mrs. A. Wilson, of LeRoy.

Mrs. L. Leonard, Mr. & Mrs. F. Nye, and the Misses Paine, of Austinburg, were Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. F. E. Benjamin and Mr. & Mrs. Elbe Benjamin, of South Madison.

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### **p. 1 Death of George C. Hickok**

The following from the *Wisconsin State Journal* of Nov. 28 tells of the death of George C. Hickok, a nephew of S. C. Hickok, of this city. The deceased was the son of S. C. Hickok's youngest brother, Lucius L., who was born in Perry, this county and died a number of years ago in California.

### **Obituary**

Mrs. Prueella Hickok received word last evening that her only son, Mr. George C. Hickok, had died of pneumonia Monday at his home at Sumpter, Oregon. Some 15 years ago, Mr. Hickok decided to go West and since that time has been engaged in the banking business. He leaves a wife and five children at Sumpter, his mother and aunt in this city, and sister Mrs. Harvey Clark, at Monroe.

A lawsuit has commenced by the William B. Dunlap, administrator, of John Dunlap vs the P.P. & E. Mr. Dunlap was somewhat deaf and was crossing the railroad track of the C.P. & E. when he was struck and instantly killed. The accident occurred June 25, 1897 in Willoughby.

### **Death of Fredericka Green**

The friends of Mr. & Mrs. F. D. Green will be saddened to learn of the death of little Fredericka, their youngest daughter on Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>. It was her first birthday.

### **Death of Mrs. Headley**

Mrs. John Headley, of Thompson, a sister of Mr. W. L. Prentice, of this place died Thursday of consumption. She was 26 yrs. old and leaves two small children, a boy and a girl.

### **Harbor Notes**

Mrs. I. D. Newman has gone to Cleveland for medical treatment.

Mrs. Joseph Babcock has been confined to her bed by illness for several days.

### **Koch- Green**

Mr. Thomas C. Green, Jr., of this city, was married to Miss Anna Koch, of Cleveland, on Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the home of the bride's parents, 71 Wade Park Ave. The couple will reside in Cleveland where Mr. Green is employed in the Union Wire Mills.

### **Somewhat Peculiar**

Mrs. Millsdem, who formerly lived at Mulberry Corners, was taking her son, who is said to be an idiot, to the Geauga Infirmary when he ran away from the train they were on in Painesville. They had depended on the charities in Cleveland and the authorities would not help them any longer. When the boy was caught, she softened and took him back to Cleveland again.

### **Death of William S. Kerr**

William S. Kerr, a citizen of Mentor and a well-known pioneer of Lake Co., died Friday. He was about 75 yrs. old. His death came suddenly from heart disease. He settled in Mentor Township over 60 yrs. ago. Two sons, Mr. W. W. Kerr and Mr. B. F. Kerr, and one daughter, Mrs. Arthur M. Baster survive him. All three reside in Mentor and near the homestead. Mr. Kerr was a cousin of the late Levi Kerr, of Cleveland, and the late Laura K. Axtell of this city. He was also a cousin of Mrs. Charles A. Avery, Miss Cornelia Gray, Miss F. M. Kerr, Miss Mary M. Kerr, Miss Anna E. Kerr and Mr. W. F. Kerr, of this city.

### **An American Citizen**

Edwin Johnson, a resident of Lake Co., and now of Painesville Township is now a citizen. He took out his final naturalization papers Friday from Judge C. D. Clark's office. He is a native of Great Britain.

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### **Wants a Divorce**

Bertha E. Wrigley vs Edmund W. Wrigley is a new case in Common Pleas Court. Action is for divorce and restoration to maiden name; grounds are willful absence and gross neglect of duty.

p. 2 Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of Dec. 7:

Bayliss, Miss L.  
Dezell, A. N.  
Foster, F. A.  
Hastings, Miss Charlotte  
Housn, Peter  
Roath, Mrs. Malvina  
Sherwood, H.

### **A Wedding Reception**

A brilliant wedding reception was given at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Meigs, nee Sarah Schwind, of Mentor, O., at Beaumont Rivers, Boston, Mass. on Nov. 29<sup>th</sup>. The bride's mother, Mrs. Charles Schwind, of Mentor Headlands, O., was present and assisted in the ceremonies.

Mary L. Allen administratrix of Ellen A. Allen, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Erastus Weed, an inmate of the infirmary, died Friday morning of consumption.

R. F. Lowe, the blacksmith, was kicked in the leg by a horse Thursday and painfully bruised.

Dr. Carmedy, assisted by Dr. Whitney, performed a surgical operation upon Mrs. Snow, of Henry street, Thursday.

The wedding of Ensign Richard Robinson and Miss Rosaline Wood, of Pittsburgh, will be celebrated in Plymouth Church, Pittsburg, on Jan. 4. The groom is the youngest son of Judge Robinson, of Ravenna, and a promising young naval officer.

### **Personals**

Mrs. Charles Donaldson is very sick with quinsy.

Mr. J. E. Lynch was in Geneva on business Friday.

Mr. Alex Williams, of Kirtland, was in town in business Friday.

Mr. E. C. Sawdey, of Perry, was in town Thursday on business.

Mr. L. J. Ford, of Burton, was registered at The Parmly Friday.

S. D. Traver left Monday on business in Bedford and Cuyahoga Falls.

H. F. McFarland and wife were at their father's over Sunday.

Mr. DeForest Griffith, of Chardon, was visiting in town Sunday.

Mr. O. F. Bunnell, of Willoughby, was in town on business Monday.

Mrs. S. D. Reese, of Pittsburg, Pa., was visiting relatives in town Saturday.

Miss Grace Carroll, of Bank street, is spending the week at Little Mountain.

Ensign Walker, of the Salvation Army, is confined to her room by illness.

Mr. I. A. Patchin, of North Madison, transacted business at the Court House Friday.

Mrs. Martha Curtiss left last week for Montgomery, Ala., to spend the winter.

Mrs. Wynne S. Smith and son, Harold, were visiting in Ashtabula Sunday.

Mr. W. E. Salkeld, of Perry, who is traveling for a Cleveland firm, was in town Monday.

Mr. Albert Taylor left Saturday for Burton, where he will spend a week or two on business.

Mr. Oren R. Cleveland, who is now with Strong, Cobb & Co., Cleveland, was in town Sunday.

Mr. Max Rudolph and Mrs. Geo. Lockwood, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the Malin home.

Mr. M. J. Swain left Tuesday for a business trip to Buffalo, Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky.

Mrs. Chas. E. Carrol, of Morse Ave., is slowly recovering after an illness of two months.

Miss Hoffman, of Erie street, left on Thursday for New York City, where she will visit relatives.

Rev. W. B. Winters left Monday to visit his father, who is very sick at New Philadelphia, O.

Master Albert McGill, of Newberry, Mich., is a guest of his uncle, D. J. Connell, for a few days.

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Mrs. Dora Evans, of Kirtland, visited with her brother, David Proper, of Courtland street over Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Dickenson and Miss Georgia Smith visited Mr. & Mrs. A. S. Stratton, of Madison, Friday.

Mr. Addison Bedell, a former resident of Lake Co., but now of Loda, Ill., is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. E. A. Van Ettan left for Chardon, where she will spend the winter with her brother, Mr. E. Patchin.

Mr. J. Reader, of Cincinnati, was a guest Sunday at the home of Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Swain, of Prospect street.

Mr. L. A. Leonard, of Kelley's barber shop leaves for Cleveland soon to work with a brother on Erie street.

Mr. S. R. Morrison, formerly a resident of Painesville, but now of Madison, was in town Thursday afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Irving Allison, who have been visiting Mr. & Mrs. Geo. P. Steele, left for Omaha, Neb., this morning.

Miss Mona Hodges, of Prospect street, entertained some of her little friends Sat. in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. W. C. Austin left Tuesday for Geneva, where she was called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. G. H. Angel.

Miss Harrington, who has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. S. Colby, returned to Mentor Thursday.

Mrs. Will Kane and little son, of Geneva, have returned home after visiting several days with Mr. & Mrs. C. M. Luce.

Mr. Henry LaDow and daughter. Mrs. J. M. Zethmayr, are visiting at the home of Mr. George Hodges on Prospect street.

Mr. Will O. Miller, of Buffalo, N.Y., who has been visiting Dr. & Mrs. House, left Tuesday for Omaha and other western cities.

Miss Henrietta N. Hine goes to Cleveland this week to assist her sister, Mrs. M. G. Norton, entertain a large card party in their elegant new residence.

Mr. George T. Ladd, Jr. of Ft. Wayne, Ind., was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. C. O. Higgins, of State street, Friday night. Mr. Ladd is the son of Prof. George T. Ladd, of Yale College.

Mr. Warren Post recently injured by falling from his bicycle, is recovering. The doctor removed the stiches from his head Friday morning.

Mr. E. B. Rich came down Saturday from Oberlin where he is attending college and spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Benjamin.

H. J. McFarland Jr. was visiting his brother, Geo. B. McFarland, Sat. and Sun. He expects to leave for Texas the first of the year, where his wife now is for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. Loren Vosburgh and Mrs. Edward Vosburgh, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Charles Vosburgh, of Fairport, were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Frank Kuster, of the East Side. The husbands of the three ladies are well-known lake captains.

A license was issued Sat. for the marriage of Geo. L. Johnson and Ellen Quirk.

### **The First School**

First school in Painesville was taught in 1804 by Abraham Tappan on the Huntington farm.

**Died** – Mrs. Rose E. Fetzer, at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Gridley, on Bank street.

### **Died of Measles**

The little four-year-old son of Mr. & Mrs. F. E. Morrison, of Perry, died Sat. of measles.

### **Death of W. H. Bidwell**

Mr. W. H. Bidwell a lifelong resident of Lake Co. died of consumption at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Morrison on State street, after a lingering illness. Mr. Bidwell spent his life in Madison until about a year ago when he came to this city to reside with his daughter. He was 60 yrs. old. Mr. W. W. Morrison, son-in-law of the deceased, was absent on a business trip and great difficulty was experienced in getting word to him.

Deputy Sheriff A. T. May arrested Humphrey O'Leary at Richmond Monday night for horse stealing. His home is in Burton, but he has been

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employed at the elevator for three seasons. The horse was said to have been stolen from A. Crocker. Humphrey said he found the horse wandering.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Mr. Clyde Porter is at home from a visit with relatives in Orange.

Mrs. N. C. Rexford has been spending a week at the county seat.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Blish entertained the Symposium Club last Friday evening.

Mrs. Frank Murray was called home from Buffalo by the death of her brother.

Mrs. Hovey has returned from visiting her parents in Pa.

Mr. Arthur Baxter was spending a portion of last week with his brother in Oberlin, Ohio.

Mr. Oscar Loomis is lying at death's door at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Seeley in Cleveland.

W. S. Kerr, who dropped dead upon the floor of his dining room immediately after breakfast last Friday, had been aware for some time that he had some heart trouble, but did not regard it as anything serious. In the years 1880-82 Mr. Kerr served as Mayor of Mentor. He leaves a sister, a widow, two sons and a daughter.

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### **p. 1 Death of Fred K. Downer**

Mr. Fred K. Downer was for a long time a resident of Painesville, having been born in this place and spending his early life here. He was a brother of Mr. B. F. Downer of Mentor Ave. and his wife was formerly Miss Ann Donaldson daughter of Mr. & Mrs. E. T. Donaldson. His death this morning resulted from typhoid fever. He had been ill for a few days. The body will be brought here for burial.

### **Hampden**

Mr. Edie and his family have moved to Russell.

Mr. McGee and his family were visiting at the home of Mrs. McGee's father, J. L. Richards, last week.

Edgar Ray butchered a hog that weighed 480 lbs. Friday.

Mrs. Alta White was confined to the house last week with lung trouble.

Elno Hubbard has moved into the house with his father.

Invitations are out for the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the marriage of Mr. & Mrs. P. C. Bacon.

The sale of personal property of Al Crofford was held Monday.

### **Kirtland**

Mrs. Clara Phelps Hoose is on the sick list.

A surprise was given Mrs. Beck on the 9<sup>th</sup>.

Clayton Booth has gone to Little Mountain to help care for his sick uncle, Clark Reynolds.

Elder Griffith, who has been so very ill with appendicitis is favorably recovering under the treatment of Dr. Tanner, of Willoughby.

### **Thompson**

Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Grant moved to Chardon last week.

Mr. Henry Smith, of Andover, was a recent guest of his brother, Mr. F. J. Smith.

Mr. Stephen Fredebaugh has exchanged his farm for a house and lot at East Painesville.

Mrs. Eva Atkin and daughters, of Trumbull, called upon relatives at this place last Saturday.

Mrs. George Binnig late of Perry, arrived last week. Mrs. Binnig is confined to her room with rheumatism.

Mr. Bloch and family intend to remove to Cleveland when Mr. Bloch is employed in a tailoring establishment.

Rev. Byron Bower, of Pa., is expected this week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jane Bower.

The friends of Mr. & Mrs. A. Hausch, of Virginia, who are guests at the home of Mrs. Lois Hausch, of West Trumbull, helped them celebrate their 20<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Mr. Ray Loomis, son of Mrs. A. L. Loomis, died at his home in Trumbull, the 4<sup>th</sup> isn't. The funeral occurred Wed. at the M. E. Church, Trumbull. The remains were brought to this place for interment.

Mr. W. B. Keener visited his brother, Mr. Burton Keener, in Cleveland.

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### **Concord**

Mr. Fred Oliver is ill with an attack of grippe.

Mrs. J. H. Murray will entertain the Aid Society Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Henry Wilson entertained the Aid Society last week.

### **South Thompson**

Mrs. Wintersteen is spending some time in Montville.

Clyde Loomis is staying with Mrs. Nickerson this winter.

Geo. Haywood has hired out in Concord for the winter.

Emery Skinner is attending school at the Center this winter.

Mrs. Chester Crowder visited her parents in LeRoy last week.

Misses Lizzie and Agnes Cashen are visiting their sisters in Cleveland.

Mrs. Laura Nickerson is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Betts, of Munson, a few weeks.

Mark Ernst almost severed his toe off with an ax while cutting wood last week.

### **p. 2 Death of John Turner**

Mr. W. H. Turner received notice Sat. of the death of his oldest brother, John Turner, of Muskogee, Indian Territory. John Turner was a former Lake Co. man and was a pioneer in the building of the Lake Shore road. He was born at Cazanogia, N.Y., but came to the county with his parents in 1832 and was a resident of Wickliffe until he left for the West. He was 74 yrs. old.

Helen A. Bidwell is the administratrix of Walter H. Bidwell, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Born – a daughter to Mr. & Mrs. T. W. Lamunyan, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>.

Marriage licenses issued Monday Clarence H. Frink and Eva Perry, of Perry, Chris Stone and Eliza Shipley.

Little Arthur Mizner died in Perry last night of diphtheria after a brief illness.

Born – a seven and one-half pound daughter to Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Woodruff, of Prospect street, Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>.

Six members of the family of E. Cadle, of Mentor, are sick with typhoid fever.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of J. F. Gilmore and Miss Marion Barkalow, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>.

Chris Stone, of Bay City, Mich., and Mary Shipley, of Fairport, were married Monday in the auditor's office. D. J. Connell was best man.

Among recent pensions allowed in Ohio is noticed: Increase – William H. Bannister, Painesville \$17 to \$24. Original widow – Dotha A. Dutton, Painesville, \$12.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Hattie Mae Barker, daughter of Co. Surveyor F. M. Barker, of Bank street, to Mr. Francis G. Holland, Dec. 21<sup>st</sup>.

Mrs. Frances L. Strother, of Louisiana, Mo., has sold the property on the Black Brook road to Mrs. Jennie Jewell, of Mentor.

### **Harry Babcock**

In the death of Mr. Harry Babcock, Painesville loses one of its most respected and honored citizens. He came to Painesville before its settlement and resided here all his life. His wife, it will be remembered died a few years ago, and at his death two sons, Mr. Edward Babcock, of Cleveland, Mr. George Babcock, of Port Clinton and one sister, Mrs. Lemuel Durand, of this city mourn his loss. His remains were buried at the side of his wife in Evergreen Cemetery.

### **Personals**

Mr. Albert Button is on the sick list.

Mr. Robert Harper Sr., of Jackson street, was ill last week.

Mr. Albert Boyd returned Tuesday from a short business trip.

Mr. Geo. Waterbury is confined to his room by illness.

Mr. B. E. Chesney, of New Castle, Pa., was in town over Sunday.

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Mrs. J. H. Cook, of Perry, was a caller at this office Sat. morning.

Mr. Solon Williams, of Jefferson, was a recent guest of Painesville friends.

Mrs. John Blackmore, of the East Side, is confined to her room by illness.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Green, of Cleveland, spent Sunday at the Green home.

Mrs. M. G. McAbee is a guest at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York City, this week.

Mrs. A. G. Dickinson and little child are recovering from a week's illness.

Mrs. H. L. Conley, of Huntsburg, was a guest of Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Scott over Sunday.

Mr. Carl Trulsen, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever is said to be improving.

Messrs. E. S. Belknap, H. M. Abel and Geo. M. Barkalow, of Perry, were in town Monday.

The Misses Alice and Stella Cumings left Monday for a two weeks' visit in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Marion Bartholomew visited her cousin, Miss Grace Corlett, of Madison, over Sunday.

Misses Caroline Conley and Emma Cowles, of Chardon, were registered at the New Cowles Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Morley Crapo, of Saginaw, Mich. was the guest of Mrs. H. A. Warren, Washington street.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred W. Tisdell, of Cleveland, were guests on Sunday of Mr. & Mrs. Walter C. Tisdell.

Mr. E. H. Johnson, formerly a resident of Painesville, but now of Marion, Ind., is at The Parmly for a few days.

Miss Juliet Doolittle returned to Hamilton, Ont., Thursday, after a few weeks at the Wilcox place.

Mr. & Mrs. Freeman Gates, of Washington street, have returned from a five weeks' trip through the West.

Dr. T. S. Bidwell, of 482 Ashland Blvd., Chicago, attended the funeral of his brother, W. H. Bidwell, Thursday.

Judge A. G. Reynolds and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. A. R. Chapman in Willoughby Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Allen and little daughter, Hazel, were in Madison Sat. Mrs. Allen was called there by the illness of his mother.

Bobby Manchester and wife and Prof. Nick Brown and wife spent Sunday at the Manchester home in East Painesville.

Mrs. E. S. Tillotson, of East Painesville, left for Cleveland Sat. where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Rose.

Mr. Chas. Murphy, formerly in the Colonial Arcade Barber shop in Cleveland, is now with E. J. Kelley, the Main street barber.

Mr. E. P. Keeler received word Thursday morning from his wife at Maumee, O., that her sister was very ill and could not recover.

Mrs. Mary R. Crosswell, of Chicago is spending a few days with Mrs. W. H. Hawkins, of St. Clair street. Mrs. Crosswell is on the way to New York City.

Mr. & Mrs. J. H. King arrived from the East Friday and spent the night at the Parmly. They were on their way to visit their daughter, Mrs. S. H. Tolles in Cleveland.

Mrs. Geo. M. Hoaz, Dr. A. J. Cook, Jas. Stover, T. S. Knight, Capt. M. B. Gary and Jno. Duschel, of Cleveland, attended the funeral of the late W. H. Bidwell Thursday afternoon.

Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Wallick will make Painesville their future home.

Dr. Samuel Phelps Leland, of Chicago, cousin of M. J. Leland, of this place, was in town Sat. en route to Burton. Dr. Leland was formerly a resident of Geauga Co.

### **Enlisted in Cleveland**

Fred Chapman, of this city, a former member of Company M, Fifth O.V.I. re-enlisted Monday in the Twenty-Second U. S. Infantry.

### **Death of Mrs. Chapman**

Mrs. A. R. Chapman, widow of the late Rev. Chapman, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Merrick, at Flushing, Long Island, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>. The remains were brought to Willoughby. She leaves several sons and one daughter.

Married – Nov. 21, in Cleveland, Mr. George E. Davis and Miss Lottie Hayward, both of Cleveland. They live at 326 Prospect street, Cleveland, Ohio.

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### **Stephen S. Schramm Dead**

Stephen S. Schramm died at Ogden, Utah, Dec. 11. Mr. Schramm was formerly a well-known resident of Willoughby and Painesville.

### **Death at the Nursery**

Miss Lucy Cox, aged 21 years, daughter of Mr. Geo. Cox, living near the Storrs & Harrison Nursery, died Sunday.

### **A Shooting Affair**

Robt. Corlett Jr., a young man was arrested by Deputy Sheriff A. T. May, charged with shooting with intent to wound. The warrant was issued on complaint of Bertha Homer, who alleges that Corlett shot at her house once and broke a window. The young man stated he was shooting at a rabbit.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **Leroy**

Valentine, Cady  
Valentine, Ellen M.  
Warren, V.  
Valentine, Clyde T.  
Valentine, Carl W.

##### **Perry Township**

Elliott Sr., Marcus A.  
Elliott Jr. Marcus A.  
Elliott, Mary

##### **Painesville Village Lands**

Cole, Margaret C.  
Morgan, Timothy W.  
Morgan, Nellie  
Babcock, Frank L.  
Shaw, Fayette W.

##### **Painesville Village Lots**

Potter, J. A.  
Potter, Mary E.  
Mosher, H. M.  
Mosher, Isabel M.

##### **Mentor Village**

Haywood, Garry P.  
Haywood, Nelson  
Heinz, Barbara

##### **Willoughby Township**

Hawley, David R.

Clark, Adam

##### **Willoughby Village**

Barber, A. P.  
Skiff, Charlotte E.  
Walker, William T.

### **Probate Court**

Keener, Charlotte E. – first account filed  
Ferguson, Helen M. – William S. Ferguson appointed administrator  
Wilson, Ray W. – report of private sale issued  
Cady, Allison A. – first and final account filed  
Rauch, Henry – first and final account filed. R. Bell Schweninger appointed adm.  
Mosher, Ralph F. & Chas. W. – guardianship; final account filed  
Norman, Eliza – petition to sell real estate filed, order to appraise issued

Painesville Lodge No. 29 A. F. & A. M. had a public installation of officers Thursday, they were:

Harris, W. H.  
Waterbury, G. K.  
Wright, J. A.  
Wright, G. O.  
Slee, L. W.  
Foss, W. D.  
Newton, Henry  
Burr, E. E.

### **College Girls Given a Tea**

Mrs. Charles F. House entertained fifty young ladies from Lake Erie Seminary to a tea at her home on South St. Clair street. Saturday.

### **Brick School House**

Some history of Painesville Township by S. C. Hickok.

The Disciple Church was organized in the old brick school house which was built in 1823 at the corner of St. Clair and Phelps St. A history of the Disciple Church was published in the Lake Co. *Advertiser* in March, 1898. Joseph Curtiss and Wm. Harrison were the first elders and Thomas Smith and Lyman Durand the first deacons. There were 36 charter members; the only one of these original members now living is Mrs. Almocina Stebbins, 726 Jackson street. After the brick school house was abandoned about 1845,

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the Disciple Church held services in a two-story building near the corner of Mentor street and Park where the Congregational Church now stands. The lot on which that building stood was owned by Carlos Granger. That two-story building is still in existence; it is now on west South street and is occupied by I. M. Anderson.

Sometime prior to 1829 the first Protestant Episcopal Church was organized in Painesville. The first services were held in a tavern on the site now occupied by The Parmly. The act of incorporation is dated Feb. 25, 1835; the incorporators being Lemuel G. Storrs, Carter Foot, Addison Hills, Fred A. Palmer, William Lockwood, Stephen Mathews, Peleg P. Sanford and several others.

**A Merry Party** - Mr. Ralph Gregory entertained a party of friends at his home on the ridge last Friday. Present were:

Harper, Miss Madge  
Allen, Miss Bernice  
Wyman, Miss Grace  
Gilchrist, Miss Ida  
Shattuck, Miss Jessie  
Malin, Miss Kate  
Wyman, Mr. Tom  
Wyman, Mr. Guy  
Miller, Mr. Lew  
Parks, Mr. Kennedy  
Gregory, Mr. Ralph

### **They Came to Blows**

Mrs. Mary Morrison struck Mrs. Wells Reed several blows when in their back yard on Nebraska street Monday morning. Mrs. Morrison was arrested. She pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs. The two women live under the same roof but do not get along. The trouble Monday started over a hydrant key. Mrs. Morrison had broken hers and wanted to borrow Mrs. Reed's. That later would not recognize her due to previous troubles with her and this angered Mrs. Morrison—thus the trouble began.

**A Somnambulist**—Mrs. Foster was reported to have walked in her sleep and found nearly frozen in the snow. She has been living with Mr. C. F. Bishop and family and the Congregational

Church was assisting in her support. She is a somnambulist and has been found outside the house on three different occasions previously. Mrs. Foster knows nothing of the affair and denies being out in the cold.

### **A Pleasant Surprise**

A surprise farewell party was given to Judge G. N Tuttle and family, of the ridge, on Saturday. The family will move to Painesville soon. Mr. & Mrs. Tuttle have resided on the ridge for 27 yrs.

### **Narrow Escape**

The residence of F. E. Presley, of Mentor, had considerable damage by fire on Wed. The neighbors helped get the fire out.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Dec. 14:

### **Ladies**

Burrows, Miss Julia

### **Gentlemen**

Bakki, Herman  
Curtiss, P. H.  
Gatt, Will  
Leeds, Harry  
McLaughlin, Mr.  
Murphy, E.

### **Probate Notices**

1. Tisdell, Walter C. — executor of Elizabeth B. L. Tisdell, deceased; first account
2. Scott, C. J. - guardian of Pearl E. and Arthur Bailey, second account
3. Nye, Clark H. — adm. of Harriet Huntoon, deceased, first account
4. Bliss, Mary E. — adm. of Sarah E. Warner, deceased; first account
5. Button, Albert — trustee for benefit of creditors of the Paige Mfg. Co.; final account
6. Crawford, Frank — adm. of Lucian Crawford, deceased; first and final account
7. Hart, T. G. — trustee of George Roddick, deceased; second account
8. Hendrickson, Henrietta E. — executrix of Sarah E. Ludium, deceased; final account
9. Southwick, C. S. — adm. of Parker F. Hardy, deceased; first and final account
11. Breed, W. A. — executor of Freeloove Ingram, deceased; first and final account



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12. Burns, Susan A. – guardian of Margaret S. Burns; final account

13. Avery, Harry W. – adm. of James H. Avery, deceased; first and final account

14. Ward, John C. – guardian of Joseph Worden; first and final account

15. Button, Albert – guardian of Oscar A. Wakelee; second account

16. Orcutt, E. M. - adm. of Charlotte E. Keener, deceased; first account

17. Geo. W. Mosher, guardian of Ralph F. and Charles W. Mosher; final account

18. Rauch, Caroline, executrix of Henry Rauch, deceased; first and final account

19. Cady, Sylvia E. - adm. of Alison A. Cady, deceased; first and final account

C. D. Clark, Probate Judge

### **p. 4 Mentor**

Mrs. J. W. Lowe was in Geneva one day last week.

Miss Emily Haskell has been visiting her brother in Concord.

Mr. & Mrs. H. B. Van Cleveland have returned from a visit in the East.

Mrs. Simpson, of Vermilion, is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. G. Hart.

Mrs. S. Cleveland and daughter, Frances, have returned from a visit to Cleveland.

Mr. Burt Warren has gone out on the road again after being with his wife for several weeks.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Dunbar, of Lisbon, Dak., have been guests at the residence of A. Hanson.

### **Perry**

Mr. Allen Stanhope spent Saturday in the city.

Miss Margaret Boyd is at home for the winter.

Master Newton Carman is recovering from mumps.

Mr. Arthur Champion is attending school at Oberlin.

Mrs. Isaac Haines has been seriously ill with pneumonia the past week.

Mr. Samuel Hurlbert made a business trip to Cleveland on Sat.

Miss Sadie Langshaw has been visiting relatives in Cleveland.

Mrs. Heman Manchester is in a very critical condition.

Mr. & Mrs. Rex, of North Bloomfield are spending a few days with T. B. Wire and family.

Mr. & Mrs. George Little's four-year old son has been very sick the past week with mumps.

Mr. & Mrs. Cowdery are again at home, after spending some time with a daughter at Rochester, N.H.

## **Dec. 21, 1898      Wednesday**

### **p. 1 Former Painesvillian**

Mr. James G. Kerr, a former resident of this city, who has for many years been an employee of the Chicago post office was caned by his fellow employees last month. Mr. Kerr is the oldest employee of that office. He went to Chicago permanently in 1854. During the world's fair he was detailed for duty at the post office there, serving while the office was in existence. Nov. 13, Mr. Kerr was 70 years old and his colleagues wished to celebrate the day appropriately. They purchased a handsome gold-headed cane. Mr. James G. Kerr is a brother of Miss Kerr, Miss Frances Kerr, Miss Anna Kerr and Mr. W. F. Kerr, of this city.

### **Death of Mrs. Powers**

Mrs. John Powers died at her home in Youngstown on Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>, age 75 yrs. She was the mother of our well-known townsmen, Engineer R. L. Powers, of the P. & W. The funeral services were held from her late residence on North Watt street on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst.

### **Fairport Happenings**

Mrs. I. D. Newman, who has been in Cleveland and under the doctor's care is reported better.

Mr. Frank Tabor, of Painesville was in Fairport on business Thursday.

Chal. Irwin, who has been working in Pa., has arrived in town to visit friends and his old home.

Miss Mary Wolff, who has been sick, is improving.

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Mr. McCue, of New Jersey, is visiting his son, A. J. McCue, the city marshal.

It has just come to light that Mr. Chal. Irwin, who recently returned home from Pa, was married in Youngstown, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>, to Miss Lillian Kelley, of Bruin, Pa.

Ernest Cadwell, of Austinburg, is visiting his brother, Dr. M. D. Cadwell.

### **The Perry Diphtheria**

The little three-year old son of Geo. Little, of Perry, who has been very low with a peculiar form of disease, is convalescing. It resembles diphtheria.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

#### **Painesville Township**

Forgason, Geo. I.

Welch, Jas. W.

#### **Mentor Village**

Kerr, Wm. S.

Dille, W. W.

Dille, Mina T.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Waite, Elizabeth W.

Lilley, John W.

Slephain, Mrs. Jos.

Brichford, Thos. H.

Realty Title & Investment Co.

Owen, W. B.

### **Common Pleas**

Frank A. Haskell was granted a divorce from Laura E. Haskell on the charge of gross neglect of duty. Custody of child to remain with the mother until further order of the court.

Catherine Manning was granted a divorce from John Manning on the ground of gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty.

#### **New cases:**

Edwin A. Harrington adm. of Augustus Harrington, deceased vs Edward J. Baker; action for money, foreclosure

Ezra B. Bailey, executor of Prudence M. Armstrong, deceased vs. Sidney Justus, Charles E. Justice and Robert Filmer; money only

### **Probate Court**

Harrington, Augustus – first account filed  
Bidwell, Walter H. – Helen A. Bidwell appointed adm.

Brayton, Hobart C. – inventory and appraisal filed  
Carroll, Eugene H. – report of payment of dividend filed

Colgrove, Ebenezer S. – final account filed

Skiff, Charlotte E. – guardianship, report of private sale

Pitcher, Mary A. – resignation of executrix filed and accepted

### **The LeRoy Fire**

Norman Mosher's house in North East LeRoy was destroyed by fire. Will Gaffney and wife occupied the house with Mosher. Everything was destroyed by fire.

### **A Correction**

F. B. Morrison wants to correct the article about the trouble between Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Morrison. He states that Mrs. Morrison was not the aggressor. I also deny that we have at any time been quarrelsome or done anything that good neighbors would not do. Mrs. Morrison acted in self-defense.

### **Mentor**

Capt. Fitzpatrick has returned from Buffalo.

Mr. Peters, of Cincinnati, was the guest of J. A. Cleveland over Sunday. Mrs. Imogene Gilmore, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. S. Justus.

Mrs. N. C. Rexford visited her son, Charles and his wife, in the city over Sunday.

The sister of Rev. E. Burdett Kimm accompanied the pastor to Mentor last Sunday.

W. S. Ackley and family and J. W. Lane and family will spend Christmas in the city.

Mr. W. H. Johnson has come in from the road and will remain through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Deosagi, of Cleveland, attended the Babcock-Jones wedding in the city last week.

Mr. Oscar L. Loomis, who until a few years ago was one of the Mentor's prominent men, died Dec. 16. In 1865-66, he was village treasurer. Mr. Loomis after the death of his wife in 1891, removed to Painesville and resided with his children. He remains were brought to this place.

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### **Women's Relief Corps officers:**

Dickey, Mrs. Matt  
Curtis, Mrs. P. H.  
Weed, Mrs. T. S.  
Baker, Mrs. S.  
Baker, Mrs. J.  
Rexford, Mrs. N. C.  
Brichford, Mr. J.  
Luse, Mrs. L. H.  
Rexford, Mrs.  
Cay, Mrs. W.

### **North Madison**

Rev. H. N. Richard, of Unionville, has been spending the past two weeks in North Madison.

West Young has been driving the school wagon for Monroe Hall since Mr. Hall's recent illness.

Samuel Quirk suffered a slight stroke of paralysis one day last week while returning from Painesville.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Seven of the little friends of Flossie Brewer, of Bank street, gave her a surprise party Friday evening, it being her eleventh birthday.

Friends of Mrs. Charlotte Sherman of Pearl street, gave her a pleasant surprise party Sat. in honor of her 70<sup>th</sup> birthday.

The date for the execution of Edward Heidler, who was convicted at Erie, Pa., for the murder of his brother-in-law about two years, ago, has been set for Feb. 7.

Mormons in Jefferson Co. are trying to convert people to their faith.

Friends of Geo. Gleason, of Jackson street, gave him a surprise Friday for his birthday.

### **A Quail Dinner**

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Wasson, of West Jackson street, entertained Messrs. Frank and Elmer Jenkins, of Willoughby, and Mr. & Mrs. Geo. A. Bates and family at a quail dinner Monday.

### **The Late Oscar Loomis**

From the Osceola (Mich.) *Outline*: From the Willoughby, O., Independent we learn that Oscar Loomis is dying at the residence of his daughter,

Mrs. Mary Seeley, Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Loomis was formerly engaged in lumbering at Big Lake, Orient Township, in this county. He and the editor of the *Outline* were once good friends as young men at Mentor, Ohio. The Osceola *Outline* is edited by Mr. J. F. Radcliffe, a former employee of *The Telegraph* under the management of Mr. H. C. Gray. He is a relative of Mr. S. C. Hickok, of this city, and well-known by the older residents of Lake Co.

### **Death of Oscar L. Loomis**

Oscar L. Loomis, aged 73, died at the home of his daughter, Mary M. Seeley, No. 297 Genesee Ave., Cleveland, O., Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>. The remains were brought from Cleveland by special electric car and deposited in the vault at Mentor.

### **Personals**

Mr. C. R. Graves is reported on the sick list.

Mr. E. M. Orcutt, of Perry, was in town Friday.

Mr. Geo. L. Waters, of LeRoy, found business in town Friday.

Mrs. Joe Burns, has returned from a 2 week visit in Erie.

Miss Grace Salkeld, of Perry, was a guest of friends here Friday.

L. L. Morris Esq., of Perry, was in town on Tuesday on business.

Mr. L. L. Segar, of Bank street, has arrived home for the holidays.

Miss Mae Smith is home from Forest Glenn, Md., for the holidays.

Mr. E. M. Woodard, of Kirtland, was in town Sat. morning.

Mr. A. L. Barton, of Chardon, was a caller at the office Sat.

Mr. Harrison Haskell, of Perry, was transacting business in town Friday.

Mrs. A. D. Sturges and two children left Thursday afternoon for St. Louis.

Miss Louise Garnow, of North East, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. May.

Mr. Roy Rush, of Wickliffe, attended the dance at The Parmlly Sat.

Mr. H. L. Moodey, of New York, is assisting in the care of his brother, Mr. F. C. Moodey.

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Prof. & Mrs. J. R. Adams, of Unionville, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Segar.

Mr. O. H. Smith, baggage master at the Lake Shore, is improving after a siege with malaria.

Mrs. Chas. L. Bliss, of Madison, spent last week with her husband and daughter in town.

Mr. Raymond Lloyd, of Cleveland, was visiting R. H. Sherwood for a few days last week.

Mr. Willis Downing, of Chardon, was in town Friday night to attend the ball at The Parmly.

Mr. F. C. Moody is still dangerously ill.

Mr. John Cusic, of South Painesville, has accepted a position with Williams & Rogers, of Cleveland.

Mr. T. H. Marshall, of Bank street, has been confined to the house by illness for the past ten days.

Mr. F. C. Crosby and wife went to Salida Monday to attend a party given by Mrs. C. N. Hayes.

Miss Hettie George returned from an extended visit with friends in Chicago and Toledo Saturday night.

Mr. B. F. Wood, of Perry, and daughter, Mrs. Howard, of Wymore, Neb., were in town Friday.

Mr. Ely Dowing, of Westfield, N.Y., is visiting his brother, Mr. Frank Downen, of Mentor Ave.

Miss Emma Schlitz and Mrs. Will Bear, of Cleveland, were the guests of Miss Delia Button, Sunday.

Mr. Wm. B. Owen, of Chicago, was in town Friday. He is spending a few days with his son in Wickliffe.

Miss Eva Ferguson left Monday for Cleveland to accept a position with the Ford Grocery Co., of the South Side.

Mr. N. K. Hubbard and family are entertaining Mr. W. Grovenor and family from North Dakota last week.

Mr. Robt. Harper, Sr., of West Jackson street, returned to his duties in Cleveland Friday morning after a short illness.

Mr. H. D. Fowler of Cleveland, was in town Tuesday on business and spent the evening with Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Taylor.

Messrs. Michael McMahon, John Brown, and Clive Thompson, of Willoughby, attended the dance at The Parmly Friday night.

Miss Emma Stickney, of Galesburg, Ill., stopped on her way home from the east, for a few days with Mrs. Gregory, of the Ridge.

Mrs. R. N. Traver went to Cleveland Tuesday morning. She will spend the holiday with Mr. & Mrs. F. M. Naylor, in Kinsman.

Mr. Wm. Carmen, of LeRoy, was in town Thursday on business. He owns one of the largest farms in that township, about 500 acres in all.

Mr. Percy W. Tinan left on a Western trip Sunday. He will spend Xmas with his father, Mr. Clate R. Tinan, Kimball, S. Dak.

Director-of-Police A. Adler went to Cleveland today to help celebrate his mother's birthday. She is 94 years old today.

Prof. and Mrs. P. P. Mason, of Pierpont were guests over Sunday of Mr. & Mrs. S. A. Haskell.

Mr. Carl O. Trulson, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is steadily gaining.

Mrs. J. A. Shiland, of Liberty street, came through a dangerous operation at Huron Street Hospital, in Cleveland.

Mr. C. C. Finneran has moved into the binding factory on Elm street, which was recently fitted for housekeeping, and Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Wallick, will occupy the house left vacant by Mr. Finneran, on Erie street.

Mr. Eleazer Parmelee renewed his subscription to *The Telegraph*. He has been a subscriber of 60 yrs.

Mrs. S. T. Gill left Sunday evening for Des Moines, Ia. She was summoned there by the serious illness of her son-in-law, Mr. T. L. Couch. Her granddaughter, Gretchen Couch, is also ill at the same place.

Mrs. A. H. Ayer and daughter, of Geneva, spent Friday night with Mrs. Ayer's mother. Mrs. H. H. Shepard, of Mentor Ave.

Mrs. Daniel Warner lies very low at the residence of her nephew, M. J. Warner, Mentor Ave. Mrs. Warner suffered a stroke of paralysis about five years ago and has been an invalid ever since. There is no hope for her recovery.

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Mr. J. Frank Barrows, of Saginaw, Mich., was in town Saturday and will spend Sunday in Perry. He will meet Miss Grace Barrows at Toledo, accompanying here to Saginaw. Miss Barrows is a student at the Western Seminary at Oxford.

Mr. J. W. Richards, a former well-known newspaper and business man in this city, was in town Monday night. He returned to his home in Uniontown, Ohio. He has settled down on this father's estate and reports farm life very enjoyable.

Temple Lodge, No. 28, F. and A. M. elected the following officers:

Breed, W. A.

Chapman, S. D.

LaMunyan, T. W.

Searl, F. A.

Kile, O. W.

Taylor, G. W.

Gray, W. J.

The Woodmen of the World elected the following offices:

Radcliffe, C. T.

Kelley, E. J.

Warren, F. L.

Post, Dan

Kintner, D. O.

Newton, H.

Barnett, F. E.

Buys, Dr. Frank

Morgan, T. W.

Pratt, F. P.

Chapman, C. M.

### **Enlisted in Cavalry**

Lee R. Slayton, who has been a resident near the Nursery, has enlisted in the U.S. Cavalry. He leaves soon to join the troop at Huntsville, Ala.

### **Resolutions of Sympathy**

Diamond Lodge I.O.O.F. prints resolutions of sympathy on the death of a child of brother, D. F. Green and family.

### **A Christian Worker**

The remains of the late Mrs. Marietta Phelps, who died at the home of Rev. S. H. Bartlett, Sat.

were removed to Smithfield, Pa., last night by her brother. Mrs. Phelps was not well-known in Painesville having been here only since last July. She was aunt of \_\_\_ Bartlett. She was 71 yrs. of age. The remains were taken to Smithfield for interment.

### **Hampden**

Born to Mr. & Mrs. W. Alderman, a daughter, Dec. 12.

Mr. & Mrs. Don Wedge visited in Madison last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Alvord, of Montville, spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. E. L. Williams.

Mrs. N. Coons is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Julia Fay, of Concord, visited Mrs. James Wedge, Friday.

### **LeRoy**

Mrs. India Palmer, of Concord, visited her sister, Mrs. Charlie Wright, last Friday.

Mrs. Josephine Dunkel, of Concord, spent last week with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Doncaster.

Mrs. Ida Kelley, of your city, spent a part of last Friday and Sat. with her mother, Mrs. Jane Wilson.

Mr. George Teachout, of Madison, visited his sister, Mrs. C. Donovan, last Sunday.

Mr. David Upson and family and Don Wedge and family visited friends in Madison one day last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Taylor, of Painesville, have been spending a few days at Bidwell Pardee's.

Mrs. Stephen Nighman has been very sick but is now recovering.

Mrs. Elva Wheeler has sold her farm near Carter's Corners to Mr. Carmen, who owns the old Carter farm.

The old Mosher homestead, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire last Thursday. The house was occupied by Mr. Pat Gaffney and family.

### **Perry**

Mr. Archie Chisholm spent a few days last week with the Bowhall family in Painesville.

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Mr. William Graves was visiting a couple of days last week among relatives in Willoughby.

Miss Capiola Underwood, of Painesville, attended the Morehouse party Friday evening.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles West was gladdened by the arrival of a little daughter in their midst recently.

Miss Clara Wood was given a pleasant surprise by a party of her former schoolmates of the Painesville High school on Sat. evening.

The cases of diphtheria at Mrs. Mizner's are improving. New cases are reported.

### **Mentor Headlands**

Mr. Chas. Tyler was on the Headlands Sunday.

The family of Mr. Edward Brooks will enjoy a Christmas tree Sat. evening.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Dec. 21:

#### **Ladies**

Ayers, Mrs. Carrie

Cosgrove, Miss L.

Roberts, Mrs. M. M.

#### **Gentlemen**

Slaytor, S R.

### **p. 4 Thompson**

Mr. J. D. Tillotson was reported sick Sunday.

A daughter, to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Bliss, 14<sup>th</sup> inst.

A son was born to Mr. & Mrs. Bert Murphy, 13<sup>th</sup> inst.

Mrs. F. S. Stevens was seriously ill during the week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Tillotson visited relatives at Footville last Thursday.

Miss Abbey, of LeRoy, was the guest last Friday of Mrs. Dr. W. P. Ellis.

Miss Delia Sacket returned recently from a visit at North Madison.

Mrs. W. B. Keener, is spending the day with her sister, Mrs. H. Miller, of Montville.

Mr. & Mrs. B. G. Crandall spent Sunday with Mr. Crandall's parents at Trumbull.

Miss Addie Goodrich has returned from Geneva schools for the holiday vacation.

Miss May Bartlett was the guest yesterday of her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Fredebaugh.

Mrs. N. A. Penhollow and daughter, drove to Kirtland last Friday to pay a visit to Mrs. P's parents.

Mrs. Lena Woodin and daughter, Viola, recently spent several weeks with Mr. & Mrs. Clayton Dewey, of South Madison.

Mrs. \_\_\_ L. Loomis is again saddened by the sad intelligence of the very serious illness of her daughter-in-law, widow of the late Ray Loomis, of Trumbull.

H. Lobdell had a runaway last week on his return to Madison and his cutter was totally demolished.

Miss Pearl Bower and Mr. John Leslie were united in marriage last Thursday evening, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Carrie Bower, of Trumbull. Rev. Byron Bower of Auburn, N.Y., uncle of the bride, officiated. Miss Maude Foote, cousin of the bride, and Mr. Charles Leslie, brother of the bride groom, acted as bridesmaid and groomsman.

The five measles patients at the Levi Blakeslee home are improving. Mrs. Anna Pleuss is also convalescing, but her two sons are now afflicted. There is a case of measles in the family of Mr. & Mrs. Beebower on Madison Town road.

Mr. Charles Winn, of Trumbull, while returning from town last Friday, alighting from his sleigh the horse took off at a run and ran a lady with a horse and cutter into a snow drift.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. & Mrs. Ezra Bond are in Florida to spend the winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Hunkins were spending the 14<sup>th</sup> with relatives in Cleveland.

Mrs. David Traver is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Metcalfe, in Warren.

Mrs. Jessie Plaisted is very sick.

Miss Goodrich and Mr. Horley were married at the parsonage by Rev. Mr. Bosworth last Thursday morning.

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### **p. 1 Barkalow-Gilmore**

A wedding occurred at the home of Mr. & Mrs. L. P. Barkalow on Erie street, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>, when their daughter, Miss Marion Elnora and Mr. J. Fredrick Gilmore, were married. Mr. Will Gillchrist acted as best man. The bridesmaid was Miss Kate Huntington. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses. From out-of-town were: Barkalow, Mrs. Geo.

Edwin, Mr.

Edwin, Miss May

Barkalow, Mrs. Pauline

Harper, Mr. & Mrs. John

Hulett, Mr. & Mrs. Chas.

Bennett, Mr. & Mrs. Dick

Perry, Mrs.

Simons, Mr. & Mr. Bert

Bradway, Mr. & Mrs.

Wable, Miss Norma

Manning, Miss

Ellis, Miss

Walker, Mr. C. E.

Mrs. Hines, Mr. Gilmore's grandmother of Omaha, arrived just too late to see the ceremony. The couple will live in Painesville.

### **Mrs. Farnsworth Dead**

Mrs. Mary Farnsworth, who was the housekeeper for Oliver Jones of Mentor, and who was found unconscious at his home Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, died at the county infirmary Friday. She had been rational for a time at the infirmary and was questioned by the Coroner Phillips and Deputy-Sheriff May. She told a horrible story of brutal treatment by Oliver Jones and by his son, Frank. The coroner did not take testimony in the case and probably will not render a verdict.

### **Barker-Holland**

Miss Hattie Mae Barker, daughter of County surveyor Frank M. Barker, was married to Mr. Francis G. Holland on Wed. evening. Mr. Cortlandt Barker, brother of the bride, with his wife sang "Oh, Promise Me." The bride carried a bouquet of white roses. Guests: Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Richardson, Mrs. Clyde, Mr. & Mrs. M. O. Richardson, Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Graves, Miss Grace Graves, Mr. F. H. Sawdey, Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Sevar,

Mr. & Mrs. G. E. Moseley, Miss Josie Moseley, Mr. & Mrs. D. H. Cole, Mr. & Mrs. G. L. Royer, Mr. & Mrs. Jas. B. Aumick, Mrs. Herman Burns, Miss Grace Carroll and Mr. G. W. Griffin. The groom's father, Mr. John Holland, of London, England, gifted them with an oak bedroom suit also a similar one from the bride's uncle, Mr. Robt. Manchester. They will live in Painesville.

### **Mrs. Seymour Injured**

Mrs. B. B. Seymour slipped on the walk-in front of Gregory & Burwell's store Sat. and fell to the sidewalk on her left wrist fracturing it.

### **Dock Road**

N. L. Waterman is in Ashtabula with his corn husker, husking corn.

A Christmas tree was enjoyed at Alice Forbs'.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Lowe, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Mrs. Williams, P. E. Kimmy, B. Barr, and A. J. Herroon have the grip.

### **LeRoy**

John Bedell, of Perry, spent Christmas in LeRoy, at B. F. Bedell's.

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Landphair, of Perry, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Nighman.

Mrs. Alta Pardee has been quite sick and under the doctor's care for a few days.

Mr. Eugene Grant has been very sick but is able to be about again now.

Mrs. Middleton, who has been spending a few months with relatives here, and in Madison, returned to her home in Missouri last week. Her niece, Miss Louise Upson, went with her intending to spend the winter in the West.

### **Willoughby Plains**

Mrs. Byron Richmond is quite sick.

Miss Nellis Gray, who has been sick some time is slowly improving.

Mr. Merle Hanson and J. P. Rumbaugh are home for the holidays.

Mr. Joe Richmond is gaining so as to be around.

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Dunbar, of Lisbon, North Dakota, are spending the winter with their old friends.

**p. 2 Married** at the parsonage in Concord, Dec. 26, Charles A. Nighman and Miss Elzie S. Stearns, both of Hampden.

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Mrs. S. A. Haskelly, of our city, was in town Monday.

Miss Lillian Voss spent Christmas with friends at Edinboro, Pa.

Fred Tyler, of the State University, is spending the holiday vacation at home.

Mr. Fred Jewel and family spent a part of the holiday week with friends at Thompson.

Mr. Arthur Tooley returned to Westfield, N.Y., on Monday where he is attending school.

V. E. Wyman ate Christmas turkey with his relatives at the Wyman homestead Monday.

Jerry Bartholomew, of Granville College, is spending the holiday vacation with his parents.

Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Keech, of Newark, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Keech's parents.

Mr. H. L. Gibbs and his sons, Lucian and George, have been among the sufferers of grip.

Mr. & Mrs. P. M. Lucas, of Painesville, and Miss Gertrude Chapin, of New Lyme, were guests of Dr. Ashley and family Christmas.

Mr. Elwood Orton, formerly of this place, returned to his home in Virginia on Friday, accompanied by his aged father, Mr. Wayne Orton.

Mrs. Frank Howard and children, who have spent the past two months with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Wood, left for her home in Nebraska on Wed.

### **South Thompson**

Henry Wannamaker was unexpectedly called to Jackson the first of the week. Mrs. W. has been there several days.

We were pained to hear of the death of S. N. Dutton which occurred at Painesville. He lived in this neighborhood several years ago. His remains were brought to Montville for interment.

The Sutherland family spent Christmas at Footville.

Mrs. Geo. Vogel has returned from Cleveland, also Mrs. Crowder.

Mrs. Wrisley and Mrs. Alice Stevens were on the sick list last week.

E. W. Jackson spent two days with Chester relatives this week.

Miss Rose Sidley, who is teaching at Bostwick is enjoying a two-week vacation.

Mrs. Emeline Stevens, of Montville, is visiting at her son's at this place.

### **Kirtland**

Mr. B. F. Upham hurt his hand badly by falling over a stick.

Glenn Booth cut his finger with a razor and it is feared blood poisoning has set in and he is suffering considerably.

Elijah Curtiss is much better after his severe illness.

Mr. & Mrs. Newton Whitcomb, of Chardon, are spending the holiday week at his father's.

Payson Clapp has just been treated in Cleveland by the extraction of a nasal tumor.

### **p. 3 Local Brevities**

Sat. afternoon, Frank Brown Jr. fell from a horse he was riding and dragged some distance. His head and face were badly bruised and cut.

Louis Voegtler was charged with stealing.

Frank McGill, a former member of Co. M, 5<sup>th</sup> O.V.I. has enlisted at Cleveland recruiting office for the 22<sup>nd</sup> U.S. Infantry.

### **Death of Nancy B. Warner**

Mrs. Nancy B. Warner, widow of the late Daniel Warner, passed away Wed. at the residence of her nephew, Mr. M. J. Warner, of Mentor Ave. Five years ago, she suffered a stroke of paralysis and has been an invalid ever since. She was 71 years old and had been a resident of this county since a young girl. She came here from Conn. with her parents Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Judd, who formerly resided in Concord. She was married to Daniel Warner, who 25 yrs. ago was a prominent figure in the business life of Painesville. Two daughters and two sons were born to them. The son, Frank, and Alice and Kate are deceased. The latter was married to C. R. Tinan, now of Kimball, S. Dak, and she was the mother of Percy W. Tinan, who has been attending school here for several years. The other son is Fred Warner, who is a resident of



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Kimball, S. Dak. He was expected to reach here today. Mrs. Warner is survived by two sisters and one brother. They are Mrs. Sarah B. Cook, of Madison, Ga.; and Mrs. Julia Merriman, of Waterbury, Conn.; and Mr. Fred W. Judd, of Flint, Mich. Mr. Judd married a daughter of the late Henry Wick, of Cleveland. Mrs. Warner was related by marriage to many prominent families in this vicinity. The funeral was from the home of Mr. M. J. Warner.

### **Bold Bad Burglars**

An unfruitful attempt was made to burglarize the residence of Mr. D. C. Hill on South State street. Mr. A. T. Cole, who lives in the house with Mr. Hill, woke up and frightened the intruder away.

### **Personals**

Mrs. Mixer, of Fobes street is reported seriously ill.

Mrs. S. W. Call, of Perry was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Manning Kelley, of Dayton, is visiting friends in town.

Dr. D. J. Merriman is confined at home with the gripp.

E. F. Blakely Esq. spent Christmas with his sister in Ashtabula.

Miss Grace Kile, who has been ill with the grip, is convalescent.

Mr. T. D. Webb, of Cleveland, was visiting Mr. & Mrs. Guy J. Carnegie Monday.

Dr. M. E. Hisey left for Toledo to be gone a week.

Mr. C. T. Morley was in Chardon erecting a monument to Julius Worallo.

Mrs. H. L. Sanford, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. S. Colby on Christmas.

Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Canfield are moving into their new home on West South street.

Mrs. C. E. Roe has returned from LeRoy where she was called by the illness of relatives.

Mr. W. D. Mackenzie, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. G. Lee, of Erie street.

Miss Sadie Thackwell, of Cleveland was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Downer, over Christmas.

Miss Alice Wilson, who has been attending school at Rye, N. Y., is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Heartwell and daughter, Miss Grace, were visiting Painesville relatives Christmas.

Mr. & Mrs. L. Willard and Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Card. spent Christmas with Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Gleason.

Mr. C. A. Hardway returned home Monday evening from Cleveland where he spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Price.

Mr. & Mrs. Gardner Baker and daughter, Lena, were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Homer Harper, on Christmas.

Mr. Thomas Warren, of Saginaw, Mich., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Warren.

Mr. Ford Barnes, traveling salesman for the Collins Cigar Company, of Pittsburgh, is home for a two-week vacation.

Mrs. June, of Fremont, is assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. Hayward, of Elm street, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Harry D. Cram, traveling salesman for Kinney & Levan, of Cleveland, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Esther E. Cram.

Mr. & Mrs. S. P. Bosworth, of Cleveland, spent Christmas with Mrs. M. M. Bosworth and Mrs. H. P. Bosworth, of Jackson street.

Mrs. A. L. Gardner and sons, Merwin and Ranney Thompson, were guests of Mrs. Gardner's father, Capt. Geo. Stone, of East Cleveland, Monday.

Mr. George S. Austin started Sunday night for Cincinnati where he will spend his midwinter vacation as the guest of Dr. D. W. Leshner and family.

Mrs. Aaron Bartholomew and Miss Bartholomew have returned from Cleveland where they were Christmas guests of Mrs. Frank Hills, of Prospect street.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Lepley are preparing to move into the residence on Courland street which has been recently occupied by Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Canfield.

Mr. & Mrs. Austin Tracy who have been guests for the past five weeks at Franklin Breed's, left of their home at Jamestown, N.Y., on Monday.

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Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Beardsley and family, Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Hines and family, and Neal L. Riker spent Christmas with Mr. & Mrs. Bert G. Riker, of LeRoy.

Arthur H. Roberts, a former resident citizen of Painesville, now a resident of Bennett, Pa., who has been ill with typhoid fever, is recovering slowly.

Mr. & Mrs. V. E. Davis and Mr. I. S. Childs entertained Mr. & Mrs. D. R. Davis and family, Mr. & Mrs. A. A. Wheeler, Miss Robinson and Mr. W. O. Doolittle at dinner Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. Clark H. Nye, Mr. & Mrs. F. S. Littlejohn and Mrs. Marilla Starkweather were guests of Mr. Vernon C. Sawyer and Miss Sawyer, of Mentor Ave., for Christmas dinner.

Mr. Brainard Hull, of St. Louis, Mo., was in town Saturday en route to Madison, where he will spend the holidays with his parents. Incidentally, he purchased the first '99 model White of F. E. Stiverson.

Mr. & Mrs. M. A. Frost and family, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Vosper, of Cleveland, and Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Treace and two sons of Mansfield, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. & Mrs. Peter Howard.

Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Hudson and children, of Chardon; Mr. & Mrs. G. H. Rose and children, of Mentor and Mr. Chas. S. Pitcher, of Elyria, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Pitcher of Grant street.

Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Plaisted entertained at Christmas dinner the following: Mrs. J. B. Mahoney and sons, E. D. and F. E. Mahoney, of Chardon, Mrs. J. D. Mahoney and family and Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Plaisted, of this city.

The home of Hon. & Mrs. T. G. Hart, of Mentor, was the scene of a Christmas tree Sunday evening. Among those present were: Mrs. A. L. Gardner, Merwin and Ranney Thompson, Mr. & Mrs. D. W. Hart, of this city, and Mr. & Mrs. C. M. Hart, of Mercer, Pa.

Mrs. E. W. Thorley left Friday to spend Christmas with relatives at Norwalk. Mr. Thorley left Saturday to join his family.

Miss Ready spent Christmas in Meadville, Pa.

Mr. Lee Shepard spent Christmas in Geneva.

Mr. Lew S. Miller spent Christmas with his parents in Madison.

Mr. W. G. Hawkins returned from Pittsburgh Friday afternoon.

Mr. Daniel Leg Esq., of Madison, was in town on business Friday.

Mr. Bartlett Shepherd is home from Adelbert College for the holidays.

Mr. L. P. Gage was visiting his sister, Mrs. Sears, in Cleveland Sat.

Mr. Lowery S. Langley spent Christmas at his home in Marion, Ohio.

Miss Wilcox, of Hamilton, Ont., has been visiting at the Wilcox place several days.

Mr. W. J. Dale, of Richmond, went to Buffalo.

Mrs. M. J. Lowman and family spent Christmas with relatives in Conneaut.

Mr. & Mrs. B. F. Crofoot went to Cleveland Friday afternoon to spend Christmas.

Mr. Foss Pratt, of Baker street, has returned home for the holidays from Hiram College.

Miss Houseman, of the High School, is spending the holiday vacation in Meadville, Pa.

Mrs. Emily Leland, of Cleveland, is a guest of Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Leland for the holiday.

Judge Geo. H. Shepherd is able to be out after a few days' confinement with rheumatism.

Miss Harietta Hardy returned home from Northfield Friday evening to spend the holidays.

Miss Fannie Foote, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent Christmas at the home of Capt. John Post.

Mr. Philip McAbee is spending the holiday vacation at home. He arrived from the East Friday.

Mrs. A. C. Smith, of Wood street, entertained a family party at Christmas dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Buys and Mr. Frank Dow spent Christmas with relatives in North Madison.

Ex-Sheriff S. D. Barber and family spent Christmas with Prof. and Mrs. R. W. Henderson.

Mr. James Duffee left Friday morning for Toronto, Ont., to spend the holidays with friends.

Miss Annie C. Bliss, of the College, returned to her home in Madison last night for the holidays.

Rev. R. M. Freshwater, of Cleveland, was in town a short time on business Friday afternoon.

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Miss Eva Church, of Steubenville, spent the holidays with friends and relatives in Painesville.

Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Shepard went to Oberlin Sat. to spend Christmas with Mr. & Mrs. P. Wooster.

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Heisley, of Cleveland, took Christmas dinner with Mr. & Mrs. T. W. Morgan.

Mr. Geo. McGuinn is home from Adelbert College and spending the holiday vacation with his parents.

Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Segar, of Bank street, spent Christmas with Mr. & Mrs. Geo. E. Tyler in Glenville.

Miss Louise Hoffman went to Cleveland Thursday to spend the holidays.

Mrs. F. Wedge, of the East side, entertained her cousin, Mrs. Laraway, of Burton.

Mrs. M. G. McAbee arrived home Thursday from New York City where she has been visiting over a month.

Miss Callie Parmelee, of Chardon, will be the guest of Mrs. N. F. Marshall, Mentor Ave., for several weeks.

Miss Rebecca Amidon and Miss Nellie Amidon, of Cleveland, were guests of Mrs. B. H. Woodman, of State street, over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Miller, left this morning for Cleveland to spend Christmas at Capt. Pond's on Bolton Ave.

Mr. Ralph Rogers, of Duluth, Minn., is visiting his parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. R. Rogers, through the holidays.

Mr. & Mrs. H. J. McFarland, of Richmond street, entertained the McFarland family at dinner Sunday.

Mr. H. L. Moodey, who was called here by the serious illness of his brother, Mr. F. C. Moodey, returned to New York, Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. S. C. Snell, and son, of Tiffin, arrived Sat. to spend the week with Mr. G. W. Alvord, corner of Richmond and Erie street.

Mr. & Mrs. T. E. Durban and daughter, of Erie, were Christmas guests of Mrs. Durban's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Malin, of Courtland street.

Dr. H. N. Amidon entertained at Christmas dinner his father and two sisters, Mr. H. N.

Amidon and Misses Rebecca and Nellie Amidon, of Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. H. R. Collacott entertained at Christmas dinner, Sunday, Mr. & Mrs. E. E. Gould and family and Mr. & Mrs. Fred W. Littlejohn and family.

Mr. C. C. Viall and son, Philip, arrived from the east Thursday morning. Philip has been attending school at Southboro, Mass., and came home for the holidays.

Mrs. C. G. Boalt and son, Edward, arrived from Cincinnati Friday and will spend Christmas with Mr. Boalt's mother, Mrs. C. G. Boalt, Washington street.

Miss Mary Wilcox, Mr. & Mrs. C. C. Paige, Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Warren, Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Marshal, Mrs. Casement and her sons, Mr. Gray Casement and Mr. Dan Casement, attended a Christmas party at Mr. & Mrs. P. M. Hitchcock's, of Cleveland.

Mr. & Mrs. F. W. Leland gave a Christmas dinner party Sat. The following guests were present: Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Leland, Mr. & Mrs. Willis Cay, Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Segar, Mrs. C. C. Baker, Mrs. L. M. Dutton, of Painesville, and Mrs. Emma Leland, of Cleveland.

Miss Tina Jacobs, of Elm street, left for Cleveland Tuesday where she will spend the winter with her cousin, Mrs. George Papworth, of Spangle Ave.

Mr. Guy Barber, a Perry boy, now located at Blackwell, Oklahoma, is spending the Holidays with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Barber, of the South Ridge, Perry.

### **Nearly Exploded**

Thursday night the home of Mr. & Mrs. L. L. Segar, of Bank street, was the scene of no little confusion. They were entertaining some friends when a hanging lamp was discovered to blazing very high nearly to the ceiling. The lamp was thrown out of doors where it burned for nearly an hour and finally broke into many pieces.

### **An Old Resident**

Samuel Newton Dutton, age 81 yrs., died at the home of his son, M. L. Dutton, in the Barnes

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block Friday night. He was taken with a stroke of paralysis Sunday and never recovered. Mr. Dutton was an old resident of Thompson, where he was township trustee for many years. The last few years of his life have been spent in Painesville with his son. The burial will be in Montville.

### **Contempt of Court**

Frank Roseman, a former member of the regular army, who has been staying at the New Lamphier House, was brought before Judge Canfield Tuesday of last week to show cause why he should not be committed for contempt of court for refusing to pay \$50 temporary alimony allowed to his wife sometime last spring on the application for divorce. He informed Judge Canfield that the court had no jurisdiction over him as the reason. He was promptly committed to jail.

### **Divorce Granted**

Judge Canfield Friday granted plaintiff a divorce in the case of Charles P. Harris vs. Carrie F. Harris on the ground of gross neglect of duty. The parties in the divorce were married in Rochester, N.Y., in 1889 but resided in Cleveland until 1897 when the defendant left her husband and has not since returned. Mr. Harris is a contractor and lives at the new Cowles House in this city.

### **Off for Porto Rico**

John Kenney, of Burton, who has been home on a sick furlough, was in town Thursday morning en route to Porto Rico, where he joins his regiment, the 19<sup>th</sup> U.S. Infirmary.

### **Court House Items**

#### **Real Estate Transfers**

##### **LeRoy**

Wheeler, Elva A.

Carman, W. T.

##### **Perry**

Nye, Herbert F.

Nye, Susie

Gunn, Julia E.

Gunn, Ellen C.

Shepherd, Samuel

Hodgman, Frank E.

Bartholomew, Frank E.

Orcutt, Mina C.

#### **Painesville Township**

Forhay, Manfred W.

Lockwood, Lillie H.

#### **Painesville Village Lots**

Barnes Co.

Canfield, Jesse S.

#### **Willoughby Township**

Page, John M.

Loomis, Augusta

Stewart, Chas. H.

Raeuber, Reinhart

#### **Willoughby Village**

Wasson, C. W.

Austin, Susie S.

Austin, D. R.

Harrow, Jno. W.

Smart, Apphia G.

Ball, John

Dawson, Henry C.

#### **Probate Court**

Fitch, Wm. T. – final account

Cowles, Mary A. – final account

Tillie, Orissa – amended final account

Cady, B. A. – final account

Norman, Eliza – order to sell issued

Cowels, Mary A. – motion dismissed

Stockwell, N. D. – cause continued

Hall, Harvey H. – order to appraise issued

Keener, Charlotte E. – petition to sell real estate

Milliff, William E. – marriage license

Mullec, Mary E. -marriage license

Furlong, Peter W. – inventory and appraisal filed

### **Three Deaths**

#### **Mrs. Theodore Curtiss**

Mrs. Theodore Curtiss, of Liberty street, aged 51 yrs., died Tuesday of apoplexy. Mrs. Curtiss was supposed to be in good health and her death was a great shock. Monday she took dinner with her daughter, Mrs. John W. Gage. An hour later, she was dead of an apoplectic stroke. She leaves

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a family of three children, Lewis and Stella and Mrs. John W. Gage besides a husband.

### **Mrs. J. L. Shiland**

Mrs. J. L. Shiland, age 47, died in the Huron Street Hospital in Cleveland Sat. The remains were brought here and a short funeral service occurred at the family house. The remains were taken to Kendallville, Ind., her former home for interment.

### **Thomas O'Brien**

Thomas O'Brien, age 85 yrs., died Tuesday after being in feeble health for some time. He was the father of Mr. Wm. O'Brien, a well-known carpenter and Mrs. Wm. Chubb, both of this city.

### **A Christmas Present**

Stanley C. Jones was given a Christmas pardon by Gov. Bushnell Monday. He was too ill and weak to make a response and doctors predicted his early demise from consumption. He is a physical wreck. Stanley Jones was taken to Cleveland Monday night by his brother, John P. Jones, of this city and removed to the home of his sister, Mrs. Phelps Sanford, where he will remain for the present. On Aug. 30, 1869, Attorney A. A. Amidon was murdered by Stanley C. Jones and after a long and memorable trial in the Court of Common Pleas, he was sentenced to be hanged. This was commuted to life imprisonment.

### **Barkinen-Root**

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. & Mrs. John Barkinen in Fairport last Sat. Miss Hilma M. Barkinen and Mr. Melvin L. Root were married. Miss Bertha Lieber acted as maid of honor, with Miss Theresa Werne and Miss Eva Babcock as bridesmaids of honor, with Miss Theresa Werne and Miss Eva Babcock as bridesmaids. Mayor Lee Hungerford acted as best man, assisted by Oscar Barkinen and Everett Humphrey. The couple will live in Fairport. Among the out-of-town guests were: Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Sigler, Mrs. Huntoon and Mrs. Herman Newfield, all of Cleveland; Mrs. Elias Warn, of Chicago; Mrs. Humphrey and sons, Lewis and

Everett, of Painesville, Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Swain, of Pa., and Mr. Geo. Weaver of Cleveland.

### **The Jury Agreed**

Leonard Henry vs the Pittsburg & Lake Erie Dock Co. verdict was in favor of the plaintiff for the small sum of \$3,875. The history of the case: Leonard Henry was the father of nine children the youngest 6 yrs. old and was operating the hoist on the Fairport docks. While unloading a vessel on Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>, he was instantly killed by being crushed to death by an ore bucket which fell from an adjoining machine. The case will be appealed.

### **p. 4 Mentor**

The little child of Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Sawyer is quite ill.

Capt. Thos. Fitzpatrick is seriously ill.

Mr. & Mrs. Cyrus Fuller of Ashtabula, and Miss Mary Fuller, of Cleveland, have been guests at the residence of C. F. Justus.

Miss Nettie Munson is at home from Illinois spending her holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Blake and son of New York State are visitors at the residence of S. Wardner.

Mr. Fred Greer, of Cleveland, was spending Christmas day with his mother.

Miss Laura Duer is spending a few days with her parents in West Andover.

Miss Elsie Johnson, of Cleveland, has been spending a few days with her parents.

Mrs. C. A. Prentice, of East Cleveland, is a guest at the residence of Emery Harrington.

Mr. Frank Houle is spending his holiday vacation with his mother in Bellevue, Ohio.

Miss Lillian Ellsworth left on Sat. for a brief visit with her parents in Hudson, Ohio.

Miss Evalyn and Bert Smith, of the city, have been spending a few days with their parents.

Harry Frost is at home from Oberlin College and enjoying his vacation with his parents.

Mrs. Jessie Doty Phillips, of Cleveland, was spending last Sunday with friends in this place.

Mr. & Mrs. John Nott have moved into their new home on Burr ridge Ave.

Miss Marguirite Hull, of North Madison, was visiting at the residence of M. V. Hopkins last week.

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Mrs. John Oliver was in town last week.

Miss Lucia Billingsley, who is attending the musical Institute at Warren, is home for the holidays.

### **Thompson**

Miss Allie Smith is staying Mr. & Mrs. Carl Proctor.

Miss Clara Hausch is spending the holiday vacation at home.

Mr. Beebower will assume the management of Mr. Block's farm.

Mrs. Christophe Ernst has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Foote entertained guests from out of town.

Mr. Geo. Patterson, of Huntsburg, called at the Ledge House one day last week.

Mr. H. H. Crocker is erecting a new barn on the premises occupied by Dr. W. P. Ellis.

Personal property will be sold at the home of Mr. Henry Block.

Mrs. Geo. Binnig is very much improved.

Mrs. Marsh, of South Madison, who has been with her son, John Hedley, has returned home.

Mrs. D. Wolcott is home after an extended visit with friends in Calm.

Mrs. Gottlieb Keener and son, Randolph, are spending the holiday with Cleveland relatives.

Mr. D. Burgett and family were among the Christmas guests at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Harvey.

Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Crocker spent Christmas with relatives in Ashtabula.

Mrs. Ruth Towell together with her son, Harry Towell and wife, of Concord, are Christmas guests of Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Scott.

Mrs. Charles Winn, of West Trumbull, was called to Cleveland last week to attend her son, Mr. Dell Tucker, who recently suffered the amputation of one limb. It is feared he may not survive the operation.

Mr. & Mrs. Elbe Benjamin, of South Madison, had a baby girl one-night last week. Mrs. Benjamin was formerly a South Thompson girl.

Miss Ida Murphy joined the Christmas festivities at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. B. J. Murphy.

Mr. J. L. Smith and family, Mr. W. B. Keener and family and Mr. L. A. Behm and family will assist today in picking fruit from the family tree at the home of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Behm, of Trumbull.

Mr. Harry Flahavan, of Cleveland formerly of this place, and Miss Austa Skinner, of Cleveland, were married the 21<sup>st</sup> inst., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Milo Skinner, of Windsor. The bride is a niece of Hon E. J. Clapp and the bridegroom a nephew of Mrs. E. J. Clapp.

### **Concord**

Ralph Emerson is on the sick list this week.

F. H. Murray is in Illinois on a short business trip.

Mrs. Jesse Curtis is at work again after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Robert Corlett was very ill last week but is reported improving.

Mr. James Scott is gaining slowly.

Miss Cora Tyler is spending the holidays at her home, Little Mountain.

Miss Hazel Murray, spent Christmas with her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Nye, in Painesville.

Mr. George Corlett and wife are spending the holidays with Mr. & Mrs. Robert Corlett.

Miss Mabel Hunter, of Lake Erie College, is spending vacation with relatives in Concord.

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Wilson received by express last week a Christmas turkey raised in Iowa.

Richard Bond and Fred Oliver who have been sick are able to be out again.

### **Geneva**

Mr. & Mrs. Newton Strong entertained their son and wife, and other friends from Cleveland, Christmas.

Mr. & Mrs. H. H. Baker, of Madison, were Christmas guests of Mrs. Barkers' sister, Mrs. J. F. Scranton.

Miss Ester Race is the guest of her brother, Herbert Race, of Willoughby, for a few days.

Mrs. Cora Stewart and children of Collinwood, are visiting Mrs. Stewart's father. Mr. Sidney Pancost, of West Main street.

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Frank Wetmore has returned from a trip in Cleveland.

Mrs. Jennie Henshaw, who has been quite ill with an attack of pneumonia, is better at this writing.

Mrs. Harriet Freeman met with a severe accident last Wed. She stepped on a chair to adjust her chandelier and as she touched it, it fell to the floor and she was thrown from the chair. Her right knee cap was displaced.

Aurin L. Johnson died very suddenly at his home on Eagle street last Thursday morning. He had been drawing cornstalks on Wed. and though he had sprained himself in loading them, he was able to get home. A physician was called but he got worse and died. Mr. Johnson was a horse-trainer by profession. He leaves six children. His wife preceded him to the better land several years ago.

**The End**