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Jan. 6, 1882 Friday

p. 2 Willoughby Plains

Plains Grange Officers elected:

And. Gray, M.C.;

J. Richardson, O.;

S. W. Brown, L.;

G. C. Newton, S.;

Fred Whitney, A. S.;

C. J. Richardson, Sec.;

A. Hanson, G. K.;

Mrs. Minnie Simmons, Ceres;

Mrs. Thos. Kelley, Flora;

Mrs. S. M. Downing, Pomona;

Miss Maud Hanson, L.A.S.

Wickliffe

Mr. Wm. Taylor is sick with typhoid fever.

On Dec. 25, Mr. Frederick Taphouse was married to Miss Jennie Bucey, of Zanesville, Ohio. The service was at the Grace Episcopal Church, Cleveland. Dinner was served to 177 guests.

In reporting the school examination grades of last week, the name of Cyphron Merrill was accidentally omitted-- he had 94 % , and Frank Barnes had 94%.

Mr. Joseph King was absent during the holiday visiting the families of two sons—one at Elyria, the other at New London.

Mrs. Thos. Dodd and her two little daughters, Mable and Sadie, were at the entertainment on Christmas Eve. Her family had formerly lived in Wickliffe, moving to Pleasant Valley two years since.

Mentor

Mr. Fred Greer, of Painesville, is visiting relatives here.

The next Disciple social will be held at the house of Mr. Duncan, opposite the residence of Mr. Lyman Nye, on Jan. 10.

Mr. Frank Leslie, lately of Geneva, told us tales of his recent 5 years' sojourn in the south.

Kirtland

There was a smash up Saturday opposite the house of "ye scribe." Willie Balantine while coming from the station with Cleveland relatives suddenly felt the buggy sinking down, and himself going over the dashboard. The horses dragged him over the ground some distance but did not get away. He was considerably hurt, but after a time could walk with assistance. The buggy was pushed to a fence, the team hitched to a lumber wagon, and they resumed their journey.

Miss Sophia Storm is critically ill with congestion of the lungs.

Miss Lucy Martin is, also, ill. She is attended by Dr. Blinn.

Fred Curtis writes to his parents from New York: "Dec. 28th, had green peas for supper tonight."

On Saturday night before New Year's Eve the Randall family members gathered at the home of the father, Jared Randall, to the number of 18. Willie Gotham and wife were expected but did not come. He is in town, however, but intends to go to Washington tomorrow. Mrs. Gotham will stay during the winter.

Mr. Jacob C. Hadden, notice of whose death appeared in your last, was born in New Jersey and when quite young was bound apprentice to the hatter's trade. He stayed with his employer until he was 21, at which time he came to Kirtland, 36 years before his death. At the time of his death he was living with his third wife. His family was large—numbering 12—9 survive. He was the last surviving member of his father's family. They died comparatively young—his age well up to three score years and 10. In politics, he was a Republican; in religion, a Methodist. His grave is in the old burying ground close to the M.E. Church. In his youth and up to 65 years of age, he was capable of great physical endurance.

Painesville

On Wednesday evening of last week at a church social, Auditor Tisdell was made helpless for the time by a sudden "crick" and was taken home on a lounge.

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The "Florida fever" is quite prevalent. Mr. L. Freitag expects to remove thence about the middle of the month. A colony is talked about from Cleveland and vicinity.

p. 3 Miss Addie Howell, of Painesville, is visiting here this week.

Mr. S. P. Merrill is spending a few days with friends in the neighborhood.

Messrs. A. Y. Austin and A. P. Barber have been on the sick list for some days past.

Miss Emma Russell, of Lapeer, Mich., is visiting her grandfather, Mr. Robert Harrison.

Mr. Hiram Brown is reported to be in quite feeble health. Tuesday, he was somewhat better.

Mr. Bryon Damon arrived home from Ann Arbor, Mich., last week. He will remain a week or ten days.

Miss Sue E. Timberman and her sister, Mary, of Lake Erie Seminary, were on a visit to relatives here last week.

Miss Estelle J. Smith, of Painesville, is pursuing higher musical studies at the Conservatory of Music in Cleveland.

Dr. and Mrs. Brinkerhoff, of Fremont, spent a part of last week with relatives in town.

Mr. A. Elwell is making numerous changes and improvements in the property recently purchased by him and adjoining his present residence.

Prof. G. R. Waters (Ida Co., Iowa) had a baby daughter.

The following students of C and D Grammar Dept. were neither tardy or absent during the entire term:

Aggie Hildreth, Mary Haver, Katie Woodard, Blanche Yaxley.

Miss Sarah E. Dickey, Principal of Mt. Herson Female Seminary at Clinton, Miss., spent last Sabbath with Mrs. S. W. Flickinger. She is traveling north in interest of the school of which she is the head.

Chagrin Falls has recently organized a Historical Society with the following officers: Pres. O. F. Frazer; Vice Pres. Robt. Graham; Sec. A. C.

Williams; Treas. J. J. Stranahan; Custodian F. Brown.

Mr. N. C. Smith and two boys returned from a visit to Chicago last Friday; Mrs. Smith prolonging her visit a week. "Nate" sports an elegant gold watch which we suspect was a Christmas gift from his wife.

Mr. Fred W. Greer, of Pottsville, Pa., made a flying visit to his mother, Mrs. Aurie Greer, in time to see the New Year. He returned to his home Tuesday where he has been engaged as clerk in an art store for the past three years.

Piqua is now the residence of Mr. R. M. Murray, once of Mentor; and the place where Mr. Nellis, of Painesville, soon removes.

Our friend Chas. Powell, of the Powell House, Willoughby, was married to Miss Jennie E. Elias, of Painesville, on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Theresa Pease will take charge of part of "B" grammar grade which has grown to 65 pupils—too many for Mrs. King's room. A room has been provided in the basement of the College where Mrs. Pease will teach.

From Mentor Correspondent

Miss Emma Murray after a year's visit in Piqua has returned home.

A recent issue of the Oil City *Derrick* contains an account of the marriage of Mr. Frank Ashmead, of Philadelphia, and Miss May L. Herron, daughter of Rev. Dr. J. H. Herron, formerly pastor of the Willoughby M.E. Church.

Arthur J. Carroll is assistant in the Post Office at Plainview, Minn. He is the youngest in the family of Samuel D. Carroll who died in 1862 when he was editor of the Painesville *Telegraph*.

The social event of the past week was the marriage of Miss Emily A. Payn to Mr. Donald B. Haggett at the residence of the bride's mother on River St. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. J. Waugh. It was a happy coincidence that one year before on the same day of the

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month, standing in the same spot, Mrs. Haggett's younger sister Hattie, was married. It is expected after the bridal tour, Mr. Haggett will return to Willoughby with his bride.

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p. 2 A pleasant surprise party took place at R. Tullar's on the 2nd instant.

On the 31st ultimo, T. Cox, was crossing a bridge on his premises with a pair of trucks on which were two hemlock poles; one of the horses shied throwing horses, truck, driver, and planks 6' into the ditch below. The load was turned upside down with Mr. Cox under it. He was uninjured which he attributes to the poles which rested on either bank.

Wickliffe

Mr. O'Connell Dodd and family spent the New Year at the residence of Mr. Joseph King.

Last Monday, Miss Jessie White left to attend a Normal School at Ada, Hardin Co.

Kirtland

Rarely if ever have the sympathies of our people been so deeply stirred as on the melancholy occasion of the sickness, death, and burial of Miss Sophia Storm. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Storm, of this village. She was born in Willoughby, but came to Kirtland with her parents when she was 3 or 4 years old. She was 19 years old when she died.

p. 3 Miss May Dille, of Euclid, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Warne.

Mrs. S. W. Smart arrived home yesterday from his trip to the south.

Mr. F. C. Carroll and wife have been visiting friends in Geauga Co.

Mrs. T. S. Hodgson, of Kingsville, is on a visit to her father, Mr. A. Gunn.

Mrs. L. M. Ford, of Cleveland, is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Wm. Thomas.

Mrs. Kingsley and daughters, Delia and Anna, returned to Warren on Monday.

Miss Mamie Merritt, of Cleveland, was the guest of Miss Belle Hanson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. King are now fairly domiciled in their new quarters on Third St.

Mr. C. N. Davis secured about 18 tons of ice last week end about 4 inches in thickness.

Mr. A. Y. Austin who has been confined to the house for a couple of weeks, was out again on Monday.

Mr. A. B. Holmes, after a visit of several months in the county, returns home this week—Osborne, Kansas.

Dr. J. L. Sherman has purchased the house and lot now occupied by Mr. W. H. Johnson on River St.

Mr. Frank Gibbons, now with Mr. A. R. Hurd, of Geneva, has been spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. Leo Slayton and wife arrived from Kansas a few days ago, and were stopping with Mr. S's parents on Center St..

Raymond Penfield, Elmer Flickinger, and Anna Boyce have returned to their respective places of school instruction.

Miss Lena Fowles left on Monday for Fort Wayne, Ind., on a visit to her sister (Mrs. L. B. Johns) and other relatives.

Miss Ina Learn, of Willoughby, has been spending her holidays with Miss Ida Bates, of No. 174 Garden Street. *Cleveland Sun*

Mr. Geo. M. Davis and wife, of Cuyahoga Falls, have been spending a couple weeks in town, the guests of Mr. J. Sherman.

Miss Mattie Hopkins (daughter of C. H.) who has been quite ill of fever and obliged to leave school, was reported on Monday as somewhat better.

Mrs. Schram, age 74, walked 5 miles from her home on Tuesday to the village and is the guest of Mrs. S. S. Ferriss.

We notice by the Cameron (Mo.) *Vindicator* that Misses Belle and Gussie Hills (late of our village) received numerous calls on New Year's Day, with their cousin, Miss Lillie Evans.

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The skewer manufactory at Painesville was burned early Sunday morning, throwing out of employment 20 – 30 men. It will be rebuilt.

Indictments of the Grand Jury:

State vs. Chas. King and Sylvanus Stillman, grand larceny.

State vs. Jos. M. Barnes and Wm. Barnes for assault and battery.

J. T. Hayford, living half-mile north of Mulberry Corners, having disposed of his farm, offers personal property at auction Jan. 28 at 10:00 a.m. Horses, calves, sheep, wagons, &c.

The absence of Mr. H. C. Dawson from town was satisfactorily explained on Tuesday night by his return from Jefferson with a wife, Miss Kate Bowdre. The ceremony taking place the afternoon of that day at the residence of the bride's parents by Rev. S. W. Dickinson.

Sunday last was Mrs. Nathan Clark's birthday. She was invited out to tea while 25 or 30 of her lady friends smuggled themselves into her house. Two or three men dropped in at supper time—just to see if when by themselves women kept good things to eat: Their verdict is that they do.

Officers of the **Mentor Grange** for 1882:

Master – E. T. C. Aldrich

O. – G. L. Pinney

L. – O. E. Root

S. – C. W. Lamb

A.S.— O. Sawyer

C. -- Rev. W. B. Hendryx

Treas. George Blish

Sec. C. A. Camp

G. K.-- E. Burrige

Pamona, Miss Nettie Daniels

Flora, Miss Katie Baxter

Ceres, Mrs. Mina Dunham

L.A.S.—Mrs. O. E. Root

Organist – Miss Ida Wells

Masonic Lodge – Installation of new officers:

J. S. Ellen, Worthy Master

N. C. Smith, Senior Warden

G. S. Storm, Junior Warden

W. Collister, Treasurer

W. J. Hutchinson, Secretary

J. C. Ward, Senior Deacon

T. Brichford, Junior Deacon

R. C. Bates and C. C. Ackley, Stewards.

Mentor

Mrs. Taft, of Painesville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Aldrich.

Mr. W. H. Johnson is spending a short time at home, after an unusually busy season in New York City.

Mr. N. C. Frost thoroughly tested the "Ozone" as a so called preservative and pronounces it an unmitigated fraud.

Mr. Herbert Gunn, of Colorado, is at home for a visit.

We are told the cards are out for the wedding of Miss Kerr and Mr. A. Baxter. next Tues., p.m.

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p. 2 **Mentor**

An indictment was found last week against Messrs. Will and James Barnes for an assault upon Mr. Simmons, not long ago.

Mr. Charles Hadden killed an immense hog last week which was raised by Mr. John Warren, of South Mentor. It weighed 669 lbs.

The next Disciple social will be held at the home of Mr. Austin Blackman, Jan. 24.

Messrs. Hendryx, Burrige, and Justus all had a birthday Saturday and the result was a surprise party for Mr. Hendryx. He is 46 years old. Someone who counted noses reported over a hundred present—from 80 years and upward down to the baby.

Wickliffe

The name of Chas. Woodard was omitted by mistake in the list of names that averaged 90 percent in the written examination in the Wickliffe schools.

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Married on the 5th instant at the M. E. Parsonage in Willoughby by Rev. B. F. Beazell, Mr. Horatio Graves and Miss Bell McMinness.

One day last week, George Holister and George Pearse were walking on the railway track near the station here; they crossed over to the other track to get out of the way of the freight that was moving slowly after them, when No. 21 the Fast Express, came dashing along in the same direction. They stepped from the rail just in time to save their lives. People cannot be too careful when walking on the tracks among moving trains.

Allie Daniels, of Mentor, passed the Sabbath and a portion of Monday in Wickliffe.

Mr. Simon Arnold is now quietly resting at his home and his strength is better than it was before going to the sanitarium in Cleveland.

An oyster supper is planned at Stray's Hall. Proceeds to go to Henry Graves, for his services at the chapel.

Committee: Mrs. Stocking, Jennie Barnes, Millie Graves, S. P. Merrill, L. D. White, Carl Jones, Mrs. White, Nettie Graves, Ella Lloyd, A. H. Tarbell, J. W. Stocking, Frank Barnes.

Maple Grove

There was a surprise party for Mrs. Jane Viall's 75th birthday. All ladies, no gentlemen. Mrs. Viall was presented with a beautiful lamp.

p. 3 Mr. A. W. Gunn is absent on a trip to Pittsburgh.

Mr. N. C. Stockwell leaves for New York City this week.

Mr. Ed Shipherd, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with friends here.

Born on the 9th instant, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dickey.

Mr. S. H. Smart returned to his studies at Western Reserve College Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Penfield entertained a party of their friends to dinner Tuesday.

The boys again occupy the dry spots on the sidewalk with the royal game of marbles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McKinnie, of Cleveland, spent last week with relatives in this village.

Mrs. E. Cowan and family have returned from Pittsburgh where they spent the holidays.

Mrs. Hodgson returned to Kingsville on Monday accompanied by her sister, Miss Hattie Gunn.

Mr. Geo. B. Huston of this place has recently been appointed Adjutant of the 5th Regiment O.N.G.

Two funerals took place last Sunday—Mrs. John Butler, late of Vine St., and the child of Mr. E. Burnet.

Mr. C. H. Hopkins recently sold his crop of wheat (\$1.36 /bushel) to Mr. Fred Storm to be delivered at the depot.

Mr. T. J. Ferguson, of Fulton Co., has been spending the past few days with relatives on the Ridge.

Mr. A. P. Barber is still confined to his house by sickness. At present he is suffering from neuralgia in the face and head.

We learn that Dr. Davis has purchased the house and lot formerly owned by Mr. John Granger at the foot of Third St.

The Armstrong Bros. have been doing the inside work on Will Stewart's brick house and yesterday were fitting the outside blinds.

The Ladies Christian Association will hold its next social gathering at Mrs. C. B. Young's, Jan. 26.

The marriage of Mr. Carlos H. Graves and Miss Bell McMinnis, both of Wickliffe, was performed by Rev. B. F. Beazell on the 5th at the M. E. Parsonage in this village.

The property on the Ridge advertised for several weeks was purchased last Sat. by Messrs. H. C. and A. D. Ferguson; consideration, \$2,025.

We hear that Dr. Blinn, of Kirtland, was seriously injured yesterday by being thrown from his buggy. Dr. Davis was called.

Mr. A. Hanson has an Alderney cow which is giving 10 qts. of milk at each meal.

In Lake Co. Court, Mrs. Bell is suing for divorce from K. A. E. Bell. They have been married 50 years. The plaintiff is 72 years old, while her husband is 4 years her senior.

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Rev. Dr. Wells is holding a series of meetings in Chicago. He is stopping at the house of Mrs. Senator Robinson, 600 Fullerton Ave., who is the daughter of the late Dr. Paddock, one of the faculty of the Willoughby College.

Mr. Wells goes to Auburn, N.Y., at the end of this month.

Mrs. Conley, of Cleveland, formerly of this place is visiting old acquaintances in town. Her son, Theodore, recently married a lady from Liverpool in this state, and together with a brother, is living on a large stock farm in Stafford Co., Kansas.

Among the **transfers of real estate** for the past week we find the following:

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Ezra Hoose to E. J. Baker, 32 acres, tract 1, lot 3, \$1,280

Kirtland

Augustus Pepoon to W. S. Wisner; 41 acres, tract 3, lots 95 and 96, \$1,700

Willoughby

Solomon F. Mapes to Augusta M. Post; 94 acres, in tract 10, lot 3; \$4,000

Mr. O. N. Barber and family are now fairly installed in their new and commodious house on Prospect St. and immediately adjoining the residence of Mrs. Barber. The carpenter work was done by Messrs. C. G. and J. L. Armstrong.

Chagrin Falls *Exponent* from the Mayfield letter: Mr. Wm. Presley died. He had been for several months a great sufferer from ulceration of the bowels, although, up to three hours of his death, he was as well as usual, so that his death though expected, was sudden. The deceased was a promising young man. His remains were placed in the vault, to be interred in the future in the Maple Hill Cemetery in Munson.

Lake County Pomona Grange Officers:

Master, A. P. Axtell, Perry

Overseer, W. L. Bacon, Painesville

Lecturer, E. W. Taylor, LeRoy
Steward, E. Chaffee, Madison
Assistant, Geo. Balch, Madison
Chaplin, Mrs. R. Marshal, Painesville
Treas., S. Raplee, Madison
Sec., B. S. Upham, Kirtland
Gatekeeper, E. T. C. Aldrich, Mentor
Pomona, Mrs. A. W. Post, Painesville
Flora, Mrs. Ida Upham, Kirtland
Ceres, Mrs. Mary Aldrich, Mentor
Organist, Miss Ellen Raplee, Madison

Kirtland Grange Officers:

Master, B. S. Upham
Overseer, Mrs. A. K. Smith
Lecturer, S. M. Whiting
Steward, E. D. Billings
Asst. Steward, Wm. Crary
Chaplain, P. H. Booth
Treas., Alex Williams
Sec., E. D. Rich
Gatekeeper, A.K. Smith
Pomona, Miss Ida M. Upham
Flora, Mrs. S. M. Whiting
Ceres, Mrs. Nellie Allen
Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. A. Williams

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. E. W. Bond is still very low of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Geo. Skiff is still quite sick.

Mrs. E. W. Burbank, of Toledo, is in Painesville—called there by the sickness and death of Mr. Rogers.

The death is reported of Mr. George T. Estes, one of Mr. Penfield's active business agents, of typhoid fever.

Mr. Artemas Rogers, an old citizen of Painesville, and father of Jud Rogers, died on Tuesday, age 69. Funeral 2 o'clock today at the Baptist Church.

Miss Anna Leggett, of New York, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Nellie Colwell, of Elkhart, Ind., is the guest of Miss Mollie Hickock.

Mr. M. F. Wilson and wife, of Chicago, spent Sunday with friends in town.

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Miss Kittie Kilbourne and Leora Seymour are expected home soon from their season in New York.

The vacancy at the First National Bank caused by the resignation of Mr. Nellis, is filled by Mr. C. D. Adams.

Judge Sherman has granted Mrs. Bell a divorce with alimony at \$3,000. The charge of cruelty and personal abuse is sustained.

Mr. H. C. Nellis will leave town in about a week for his new home in Piqua where he will engage in manufacturing pursuits.

The firm of King Bros. chair manufacturers has been dissolved; George associating himself with C. A. Avery. The new firm will commence manufacturing chairs immediately occupying the fence factory building. The business of the old firm will be carried on by Oscar.

The following officers were elected at the **agricultural meeting** last Saturday: Pres. – E. W. Taylor; Vice Pres. F. Breed; Directors B. A. Park, E. Chaffee, W. T. Atkinson, Wm. R. Cray. G. N. Wilder, and C. R. Stone were reappointed Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

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p. 2 West Kirtland

Mrs. S. C. Carpenter is quite sick and unable to do her ordinary work; friends and neighbors are kindly lending their assistance.

For the first time since his illness nearly 8 weeks ago, Perry Rice yesterday walked up as far as the corners. His improvement is very slow.

J. Whitward has a 6 year old cow from which 75 lbs. of butter was made from Oct. 6 – Dec. 17.

Wm. Tullar's team is recovering from pink eye much to the thankfulness of Will, who expected to lose one of the horses.

A surprise birthday party was given to Miss Evangeline Kitts last Thursday evening.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. Andrews is quite sick at the residence of her son-in-law, Frank Cole. She is under the care of Dr. Davis.

Mrs. Byron Richmond is, also, just recovering from a fever.

M. O. Richardson has returned home after an absence of several months in the western states.

Geo. Newton has commenced building a barn for N. P. Downing.

Mentor

Mrs. Mason, of Pittsburg, the mother of Mrs. Jos. R. Rudolph, is a guest at Lawnfield.

The Baxter-Kerr wedding Thursday at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wm. Kerr, was an unusually pleasant one. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. N. Steadman, of Chagrin Falls.

Weather: Mercury down to zero this morning for the first time in 1882.

Everybody and his family have been vaccinated for smallpox.

Wickliffe

Mr. Simon Arnold has again gone to the Cleveland Sanitarium. He seemed to gain strength faster there than at home.

Mr. E. Briggs has returned from his visit to his father who lives in Wayland, Michigan.

Mrs. Taphouse is now quite unwell having been confined to her home for a number of days.

Miss Lyda Wemple, of Collamer, spent Sabbath with her sister, Mrs. Mariah Stevens.

Mr. Marvin Pickett, foreman on the railroad grading is quietly passing a few days at "East Prospect Hill."

Mrs. Barnes has been with friends in your village about two weeks.

The Wickliffe mail pouch was thrown from the train on Monday afternoon, was run over by the wheels and cut open; the letters and papers ground to a nearly indistinguishable mess.

Kirtland

Mr. Mahlon Sweet is home again from their visit west.

Mr. Isaac Long, formerly a citizen of this place, is back again on his old farm.

Mr. Jesse Long has moved into Mr. Geo. Russell's house, with whom Mr. R will board for a time.

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Dr. Blinn who was thrown from his buggy last Wednesday is getting well rapidly.

p. 3 Mrs. Dr. Moore is visiting at Bedford.

Miss Carrie Viall has gone to New York.

Mrs. Jos. Boyce has been spending a week or more in Cleveland.

C. D. Clark returned Saturday night from his business trip to the east.

Mr. Chester Palmer and wife left Fostoria for Brooklyn, N.Y., last Friday.

Mr. D. Hagget and wife returned last Saturday from their wedding trip to the west.

Mr. H. G. Inman, of New Straitsville, Ohio, is in town on a visit to his father and friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Storm left last Friday on a few weeks' visit to her daughter in Wisconsin, Mrs. Stouch.

Mr. A. J. Elias, of Painesville, with wife and daughter, spent the past weekend at the Powell House.

Weather: Tuesday morning was the coldest this winter—4 degrees below zero.

Mrs. Amand Hulett, of Unionville in this county, died on the 18th instant at the age of 85. The deceased was one of the earliest settlers of the county.

The new railroad company has found it necessary to purchase additional land from Mr. Joseph Ward, consequent upon the filling in of earth beneath the trestle work.

Two former residents were married: Willis S. Root, now of Suffolk, Va., and Clarence G. Reynolds, of Indianola, Iowa. *Advertiser*

Mr. S. C. Durban, of Painesville was in town Saturday spending the day with his brother, George, and former typo acquaintances. Mr. D. is now proprietor of a job office.

Mr. Jos. Miller (who has been a resident of this place since last May, employed as an engineer on the new road) left for Chillicothe on Tuesday

night. Mr. M, we believe, expects an engagement on the new Hocking Valley road.

It is said, L. E. Wightman is on his way here, from the west, to take a position in the shops of the Willoughby Manufacturing Co.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Henry Covert to John Langshaw, 38 and 68/100 acres, tract 9, lot 8, \$1,500

Isaiah Covert to Wm. H. Covert, 2 and 93/200 acres, tract 5, lot 5, \$600

S. E. Williamson to C. C. Ferguson, 128 acres in tracts 3 and 7, lots 5 and 10, \$5,632.09

Mary A. McSparren to Sarah M. Bushnell, 2 ½ acres, McSparren premises, \$700

J. E. Granger to A. H. Davis, lot 60, St. John's sub division, \$850

Kirtland

Alvena McCann to George Martin, 6 ½ acres, in tract 2, lot 4, \$300

Birthday Surprise

Mrs. S. Sharpe was surprised with a party last Monday on her 59th birthday. Mrs. Sharpe was presented with a nice hanging lamp.

A Pleasant Occasion

Arthur Baxter and Miss Nettie Kerr were married on the 19th instant by Rev. Steadman, of Chagrin Falls. The ceremony was performed in the East Room.

From the Hub - Painesville

The death of L. M. Severance took place yesterday.

O. J. Robinson, for many years one of our business men is closing out his stock and will locate in the west.

C. C. Drake an old and estimable citizen started for Florida on Monday. He is compelled due to his health to go either south or west, and will visit both sections before making a choice.

A son of S. K. Stage, while skating on the river last Friday, broke through the ice and was extricated with considerable difficulty by his friends. He is sorely cut about the face, but sustained no further injuries.

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p. 2 Little Mountain

Alexander Phelps is home from an extended visit in the west. He was at Mt. Carmel during the great smallpox scare.

Wm. and Lewis Reynolds are home from a prospecting tour in the western part of the state, where rumor says they have been investing, and that the mountain is likely to lose them as citizens soon.

We are informed that E. J. Baker has been purchasing some real estate of his father-in-law, E. Hoose, on which he intends to build a large fine building.

Spencer Phelps has been dealing quite largely in turkeys the past fall and winter buying for the Cleveland market.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Graves, mother of Mr. Henry Graves, has been severely afflicted for over six weeks with a very painful finger. The inflammation and swelling at times extending to nearly the whole arm. Dr. Davis says gangrene was once threatened, and a number of pieces of bone have been taken out of the finger.

The new shoemaker, Mr. Glines, is now ready for business and is located near Stray's store.

Mr. Arthur Kidward, of England, has arrived at his brother's, Mr. Jas. Kidward, and will remain for some time.

Mr. John Stevenson has lost a horse with the pink eye last week.

Mrs. Fred Taphouse will remain this week with her mother who is still very sick.

Mr. S. Higgins, of Mayfield, made new maple sugar last week.

On Monday morning as Mr. Geo. Merrill was going to work with his team, one of the horses fell and injured one of its legs very seriously, as it was cut by the sharp steel work of one of the other shoes. It lost quite a bit of blood on the way back to the stables.

Perry

Thursday, Jan. 26, 1882, Mr. Stephen L. Walker was married to Miss Kate M. Wheeler, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. A. Wheeler. Rev. Benj. Excell performed the ceremony. The bridal pair took the train for Painesville and then Chicago.

Kirtland

A surprise party was held at Mr. Van Deusen's last night.

A sad accident occurred to Mrs. Manley; while stepping out she slipped and fell and was hurt so badly she had to be carried home on a lounge. She passed a painful night and is not better this morning.

Mentor

Mr. and Mrs. Frost, of North Evans, N.Y., are guests of Mr. Stephen Hart and family.

The M. E. Social was held at Mr. James Prouty's Friday evening last.

Mr. C. Gulliford has added a fresh meat room in his store.

p. 3 Ice cutting has again commenced

Mrs. E. W. Bond is said to be gaining in health.

Mr. A. P. Barber is still confined to the house.

Miss Effie Elliott, of Erie, is the guest of Miss Nettie Wilson.

Miss Mamie Merritt, of Cleveland, visited friends here the past week.

Mr. Hugh Buckley has been able to visit town again after a long siege of ill health.

Mr. John Granger has his brother's house on Third St. nearly ready for the roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Gates, of Nottingham, spent a few days of the past week with Mr. Oscar Bliss.

Gas has been struck in Newton, Trumbull Co., in sufficient quantities to light the town.

Mrs. J. D. Barber has been confined to the house a number of weeks due to illness.

Rev. and Mrs. Dewart were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smith during their stay in town.

Miss Laurie Bates is at home from Ashtabula on account of her mother's dangerous sickness.

Mr. Erastus Davison, who has been sick almost to death, is reported as somewhat better.

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Mr. Moses Hughes, of Northern Missouri, was in town a few days the past week on a visit to his relatives.

Miss Julie Smith, of the Cleveland Public Schools, has been spending some days with her mother, Mrs. Beebe.

Mr. Wm. Buckley and family of Cleveland have taken up their residence with Mr. Hugh Buckley on the Euclid Rd.

A grandson of Mr. Thos. Page hands us an egg laid by a hen of the Buff Cochon variety which measure 7 x 8 ½ inches.

Scholars perfect in deportment and lessons last week: Bessie Pease, Mary Code, Ella Phillips, Venala Jenkins, Paul Lyon.

Mr. O. A. Dean is now the happiest man in town (or ought to be) a fine looking boy and girl being added to his family.

During the past few days a number who still regard Willoughby as their home have been in town—Messrs. A. R. Hurd, L. D. Austin, Chas. Clark, and A. J. Waite—hailing respectively from Geneva, Toledo, Cleveland, and Collinwood.

The accommodation train has a new stopping place; Foster's crossing, about 4 miles east of Cleveland. It will be called Glenville, while the old station of that name will be known as the Fair Ground.

Mr. Geo. Ferguson has left the employ of the Lake Shore Rd. and intends to go to Leadville, Colorado.

The many friends of Mrs. R. C. Bates will be pained to learn of her dangerous illness.

Mrs. Donahue, of Youngstown, gave her husband \$10 to leave her and go out west. He was only gone over night until he came home and licked the whole family. Now he is in jail.

About 600 tons of good ice was secured for the Cheese Factory by Mr. Chadderton early last week; and in addition to this, Mrs. S. Wilson, Geo. Ruder, and Kneiling & Bliss put up a quantity before the sudden thaw.

Mr. Albert Farnsworth, of West Mentor, died on Monday after a very short illness which was

some form of Cholera. He leaves a wife and several children. Funeral today at 1 p.m. at the late residence.

Application has been made to Judge Thoman, of Youngstown, to send Patrick George, age 19, to the Hospital for the Insane. The excessive use of tobacco and whiskey has reduced him to a state of imbecility.

Mrs. Geo. W. Clement was called to Wilbraham, Mass., Wednesday of last week due to the sudden death of her father, Mr. Brewer. His death was supposed to be due to heart disease. Mr. Brewer made a lengthy visit here in 1879.

Wm. G. Hall, of Youngstown, has entered suit against Dr. Isaiah Brothers to recover damages for malpractice in not properly reducing a dislocated ankle. The doctor says the negligence was on the patient's part for not properly caring for himself.

The *Telegraph* published the death of two old citizens, Mrs. Evaline Blair, of LeRoy, widow of the late Levi Blair, at the age of 83, and Mrs. Ann Craine, age 80. The latter came from the Isle of Man about 40 years ago to LeRoy, where she has since resided. She leaves a husband several years her senior and 5 children.

In addition to the severe illness of Mr. and Mrs. Skiff, their grandson, Skiff Shelden, had the misfortune last night to shoot himself in the fleshy part of the right leg while cleaning his revolver. The ball is not yet taken out.

Mr. Albert Barber while at work on Monday evening in the wood yard at Wickliffe met with quite a serious accident having his arm come in contact with the buzz saw, cutting and mangling the arm between the hand and the elbow. Under the skillful handling of Dr. T. M. Moore, nearly complete restoration in time may be expected.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Sophia M. Graves to Carlos H. Graves, ½ acres in Graves lot, \$1

John T. Casey to Margaret Corcoran, ½ acres in lot 13, Gore, \$660

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W. C. Andrews to A. H. Davis, 49/100 acre in Andrew's lot, \$2

Pleasant Event in Kirtland

Last week about 25 of the ladies in our village planned a surprise party for Mrs. Frances Van Deusen on the occasion of her 30th birthday which occurred on the 30th instant. In the evening 25 gentleman joined the party to whom supper was, also, served. There was an accident early in the evening when Mrs. Lucy Manley slipped on an icy door step and fell; causing it is feared, a fracture on one of the bones of the left limb.

Painesville – From the Hub

Prof. S. B. Hamlen is dangerously ill.

Fred Kenner is suffering from a severely sprained ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. McAbee, of Cleveland, spent the weekend with relatives here.

Chas. Powell and wife, of Willoughby, spent Sunday with Mrs. Powell's parents.

Ed Darragh has gone to Minneapolis and will commence operation on his bridge contract at once.

List of letters remaining in the Willoughby Post office not claimed for the past week:

Miss Lillian Dickson

Andrew Hailey

George Milliss

Mrs. O. Perry

Mrs. H. H. Reeves.

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Mr. A. D. Sturges takes another trip to N.Y. this week. He reports an increase of business on his line.

Arthur Higgs is taking a short respite from his advertising labors and is visiting relatives and friends here.

Our worthy merchant, Mr. Wetherbee, is on a trip to Florida and reports the thermometer at 80 degrees.

Kirtland

Mrs. B. S. Upham is seriously ill with the typhoid fever.

Mrs. Manley is not well yet—and does not sit up much—so we are informed.

A daughter of Alfred Morley is here from the west visiting home and friends.

Wickliffe

Last Sunday Mr. Thos. L. Nichols, of the Union Depot at Cleveland spent the day with his father-in-law, Mr. Henry Jones, of this place.

Last week Mr. A. Barber had one of his arms badly cut by a buzz saw; a man by the name of Hill cut his foot with ax; the next day Will Jones sawed one of his fingers with the buzz saw. On Saturday afternoon, Mr. Clark Stevens, foreman on the job, threw an ax into his right foot producing a ghastly gash.

Mentor

Mr. Wallace Dickey and family, of Ravenna, are guests of Mrs. H. Dickey.

Dr. W. A. Belding, of Troy, N.Y., spent a few days with friends here last week.

Mr. E. Dille and wife, also, make a short visit to the families of Rev. Hendryx and Mr. James Prouty.

Mrs. Wm. Cobb died at her home after a long and painful illness of consumption.

Mr. James McGlynn, a brakeman on the Lake Shore Rd., who resided near the Mentor Depot, was caught between two cars in Painesville last week receiving fatal injuries. He was buried in the Catholic cemetery last Friday.

Mr. Wallace Hammond is very ill and but small hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Mr. Henry Mason was thrown from his buggy while driving in Painesville with his wife and daughter last Thursday. He was severely injured and removed to his house. He has three broken ribs and a much bruised head.

Mr. Albert Farnsworth died at his residence after a very short illness. He was 46 years old. He was at Mr. Blackman's for the Social the Tuesday before and was in fine health and spirits. The funeral was from the late residence

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on Thursday. Rev. W. B. Hendryx delivered the funeral services.

Dr. Luse's little nephew died in Orange last Saturday from a hurt received a few weeks before at school. When leaving school the teacher came up behind him and another child and bumped their heads together a number of times with such force that the little fellows both reeled, and he fell against the stone wall as he fell. From that moment on his head hurt incessantly.

West Kirtland

Mrs. S. C. Carpenter is improving.

Smith Bros. have been working in the woods of G. D. Smith where they have been cutting wood for Warren and George Hoose and J. Whitworth.

A surprise party was given at M. A. Brown's in West Kirtland. On the morning of the same day Mr. Brown sustained a severe fall.

p. 3 Mr. H. B. Maxwell arrived Saturday on a short visit to friends.

The Ellen brothers, of Cleveland, spent the weekend with relatives here.

It is now Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and daughter.

But little improvement is noticed in the condition of Mrs. R. C. Bates' health.

Miss May Bartlett, of Painesville, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Powell, for several days this week.

Mr. Noah Stewart has disposed of his dwelling house on Center Street to Mrs. Rudd., consideration, \$2,500.

Mr. James Ford is filling the position as operator at the depot made vacant by the resignation of C. F. Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Damon left for the city yesterday for the purpose of spending a few days with their daughter—Mrs. A. C. Saunders.

The Armstrong brothers are putting up three porches to the Will Stewart house.

The remains of Mr. Thaddeus Howe, formerly a resident of this place, were brought from

Cleveland, Saturday, and deposited in the vault here.

The Ladies Christian Association will meet next week at Mr. R. Kennedy's.

After several weeks confinement to the house Mr. A. P. Barber ventured out on our streets—though still quite feeble.

Miss Allie Barnum who has been visiting with her aunt (Mrs. J. O. Humphrey) returned to her home in Laporte, Indiana, on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. H. Miner is lying almost at the point of death.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill are now in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Geo. W. Clement has returned from Massachusetts.

Mrs. Quincey Miller, of Cleveland, made a short visit here this week.

Skiff Sheldon has had the pistol ball taken out of his leg but is not able to be out.

Brick is being hauled this week for the completion of Mr. Geo. Durban's barn.

It is said Mr. Damon has sold his place on the Plains known as the Dunbar farm.

Miss Effie Merrill, of Erie, Penn., is expected here today on a week's visit to friends.

Mrs. Hattie Schram, of Kingsville, and daughter, Nellie, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Barber.

Mr. Skiff has been lying low for a few days past but this morning is reported a little more comfortable. Mrs. Skiff is still confined to her bed.

Tuscarawas County claims to have the oldest man in Ohio, Jesse DeLong, and he lives in Union Township. He is **105 years old** and has lived in Tuscarawas County for 25 years. He was married in 1812 and has 12 children—the oldest is 68 years old and there are 60 grandchildren.

Mr. A. G. Reynolds is again devoting himself to the study of law. Mr. Homer Harper will assume the former's position as teacher of "B" class in Grammar School.

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A. H. Davis to C. W. Andrews, 40/1000 acres in Richard's lot, \$2.

Augusta M. Post to Amanda T. Wilcox, 94 acres, tract 10, lot 9, \$5,000

James Scanlon to Edward Baker, 95/100 acres, lot 67 and 68, \$660

Kirtland

S. H. And T. G. Hart to Floyd S. Allen, 52, and 91/100 acres, tract 3, lots 17 and 18, \$1,500

Court Proceedings

Mary A. Bell vs. K. A. E. Bell. Divorce granted and alimony of \$3,000.

August G. Huntry vs. the P. & Y Railway Co, Ralph K. Paige appointed receiver.

State of Ohio vs. Sylvanus Stilson charged with stealing hides and tallow, &c. from the slaughter house of I. W. Crofoot. Tried. Verdict guilty.

State of Ohio vs. James Barnes Jr. and Will Barnes, indicted for assault upon Simmons. Tried. Verdict not guilty.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Penfield made them a surprise visit on Tuesday evening being the 53rd birthday of Mrs. Penfield.

From Chagrin Falls *Exponent*

Mr. Oscar French has bought of T. W. and M. V. Scot, the place opposite the Baptist Church, \$1,000

Mr. Chas. L. Williams died suddenly Wed. night age 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cottrell celebrated their 15th anniversary on Jan. 28.

Mr. Chas. F. Roy resigned his position of Manager of the Western Union office in Willoughby. He had been in the employ of the company for 10 years and half of that time has been in charge of the Willoughby office. After spending a few days with his mother in Painesville, he will take a tour through Colorado and New Mexico and may remain in one of those places.

Painesville – From the Hub

Miss May Durban, of Ashtabula, spent Sabbath with her parents.

Fred Warner, Bryon, Ohio, formerly of this place is in town.

Mr. Glynn who had his leg taken off last Wednesday died the same night.

Miss Minerva Wright, for several years a teacher in the public schools of this place, died at the home of her parents Sunday last.

The team of Mr. Henry Munson was frightened by the cars while crossing the Mentor St. bridge last Thursday; the result Mrs. M. had a sprained ankle, Mr. M. is a severe sufferer, and the buggy is a wreck.

The body of a stranger was found hanging in the sugar house of Mr. Shepard in Perry last Thursday. A note in one of his pockets explained he had been swindled out of his property and driven from his home by his relative. He was well dressed and his appearance indicated the truth of his story.

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p. 2 A long letter is printed from Mr. E. W. Bond in favor of Spiritualism.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. H. Talbot has purchased some fine stock of Hereford breed and intends to improve our stock that way.

Mr. Fred L. Whitney, who intends to leave here soon, has resigned his position as Secretary and Treasurer of the Sunday School, a place he has held for many years.

Mr. Herrick moved from Mr. Campbell's house on the Plains to Bainbridge, where his wife's people reside. He left very suddenly. He was a quiet neighbor and kept his own counsel.

Kirtland

Mrs. B. S. Upham is improving.

Mrs. Manley improves slowly.

Mr. Reuben Gilmore is on the sick list. Dr. Blinn called who pronounced the symptoms those of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Gibbs starts Monday for Canada in company with her son-in-law—not the husband

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of her own daughter, but the daughter of her husband by a former wife. She seems much improved, but it can hardly be said that all traces of insanity have disappeared. Mr. Richard Bane is the name of her son-in-law with whom she expects to live the rest of her days.

Mentor

Capt. E. Burrige began the business of sugar making last week.

Mr. Wallace Hammond is lying very ill and is not expected to live.

Mrs. A. Bills has been very ill with lung fever, but is much better at present.

Mr. Henry Clapp has, also, been sick, but is now able to be around again.

While at work in the gravel pit of the new railroad, James Wallace was badly hurt by the steam shovel.

Wickliffe

Mr. Simon Arnold has returned from the Cleveland Sanitarium to his home; and has received considerable benefit of the treatment he has been receiving for a number of weeks.

The Misses Stella, Ida, and Nellie King spent the Sabbath at their grandfather's, Mr. Joseph King.

The Ridge

Mr. John Mosher who has been out of health for some time is gaining slowly.

Life's Labor Ended

George Skiff is dead. He died Saturday morning Feb. 11 at age 74. He had been a great sufferer for two years or more. He leaves a widow and daughter. Mr. Skiff's favorite hymn was sung at his funeral which begins "One sweetly solemn thought comes to me o're and o're, I am nearer my home today than I was before." He would say whenever he heard that hymn sung that the words were the sweetest he ever listened to. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Jas. Masury, And. Houliston, Zopher Warner, A. King, Myron Wells, and T. S. Harbach. J. S. Ellen, master of ceremonies.

Funeral services by Rev. Mr. Waugh. The remains were deposited in the vault until the grave could be prepared as it was his request that it should be bricked up.

A Farm City, Iowa, newspaper *Public Reaper* gives the particulars of an old folks party held at the residence of Mr. Milan Moore, in honor of the 88th birthday of his father Isaac Moore, who will be affectionately remembered by all old residents of Lake Co., having come to this section at the age of 17 years. He lived in Mentor for many years. He afterwards, lived in Willoughby, where he removed until the death of his third wife in March, 1880, when he accompanied his son, Hon. C. H. Moore, to his home in Clinton, Illinois. Since that time, he has been a resident of the west and made welcome in the families of his children. He was never sick a day since he can remember that he could not get around and tend to business. He has been successful in his business and is now quietly floating on the smooth surface to the great ocean.

In a recent issue of the Harrisburg (Pa.) *Daily Tribune* in an article on Schools and School Masters of Paxtang Valley—one paragraph refers to a former citizen of Mentor, now deceased, Mr. Geo. Gunn, father of Herbert Gunn.

There were two distinguished teachers of the free school of Swatara in Nos. 1 and 5—Edwin L. Moore and George Gunn. The two men were relatives and came to the valley in 1840—young men from Massachusetts. Mr. Moore taught several years at No. 1, then opened a school at Harrisburg and was for many years principal of the Mount Jay Academy. In 1861, he entered the army as a paymaster and served until sometime after the close of the war when he settled in Nebraska, where he died about 1870. Mr. Gunn took charge of No. 5 or Hockerton, as it was called because of its location on the lands of George Hocker, in Nov., 1841, and taught the school with 2 or 3 intervals until 1856, when he married and engaged in farming on Mentor Plains, Ohio, where he died Sept., 1862. As a teacher he was second to no man of his day. His

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capacity for work in the school room was enormous.

From Iowa Falls *Sentinel*. The subject of the sketch was grandmother of Mrs. C. J. Komar of this village. Mrs. Susannah Alvord was born in Rhode Island Apr. 4, 1780, and died in Georgetown, Iowa, Feb. 1, 1882, at the advanced age of almost 93 years. Her maiden name was Johnson and she married when 15 years old to Mr. Obed Alvord near Albany, N.Y. Their married life lasted more than half a century. He died about 26 years ago when they were residing in Willoughby, Ohio. Eight children were born to them, of them five—two sons and three daughters are still living.

Daniel Alvord is living in Lake Co., Ohio, fourteen miles east of Cleveland; David Johnson Alvord with who the mother was living until the time of her death, another son residing in Georgetown, Ia. Her three daughters are: Mrs. Lucretia Dingee, Mrs. Olive Smith, and Mrs. Watkins. One lives in New York and the other two in Ohio. The oldest child is 74 and the youngest 60 years old. There are 12 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. The deceased resided more than 50 years at Mentor, Ohio—only 2 miles from the residence of the late President James A. Garfield. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Susannah Alvord, the subject of the above memoir, and Mrs. Clarissa Jones, of Willoughby, Ohio, were the only remaining settlers of Willoughby Township. Mrs. Jones who is widely known as "Aunt Clarissa" is now 92 years old.

p. 3 Mr. Ben Hughes is visiting a son in northern Missouri.

Frank Gibbons, of Geneva, has been spending a day or two in town.

The health of Mrs. R. C. Bates is much improved.

Disciple Social Thursday this week at Mr. R. Kennedy's.

Fred J. Sheak, of Cleveland, was the guest of Will Wilson over Sunday.

Mr. C. B. Lynn made his home with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Miller while in town.

Messrs. Cox and Freeman are partners in the new barber shop under Wing's Store.

Mr. Arthur Huston, of Cleveland, made a flying visit to our village one day last week.

Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Judd spent a couple of days with their sister in Wickliffe—Mrs. Barnes.

Miss Hattie Richardson, of Cleveland, has been spending some days with Miss Lizzie Stockwell.

Mr. John Warren, with a son from the west, and other members of the family, were visiting relatives here on Tuesday.

Mr. W. T. Atkinson is adding to his stock several Jersey cows, purchased on the line of railroad between Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

Mr. Quincey Miller's daughter, May, who has been stopping in Willoughby for a couple of weeks, returned to the city last Saturday.

Dr. J. L. Axtell, of Mercer Co., Pa., and Mrs. M. L. Prouty, of Mentor, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dille the past week.

Rev. W. F. Wilson and wife, of Willoughby, are visiting Rev. C. V. Wilson, pastor of the First M. E. Church, of Youngstown, a near relative.

Capt. J. W. Armstrong anticipating an early season is putting his fishing boats and tackle in good order and will be prepared to rent them for use either in lake or river. He will, also, furnish meals to the hungry (and what fisherman is not?) at all hours.

Mrs. L. C. Meeker, of Greeley, Colorado, formerly of Collinwood, is stopping a few days with her cousin, Mrs. J. N. Warne. A brother-in-law of Mrs. M's was one of the first settlers of Greeley, and formerly a writer on the New York *Tribune*, and was, afterwards, massacred by the Indians, of which our readers will no doubt remember.

Intelligence reaches us of the unexpected death of Mrs. Rachel Campbell, wife of Lorenzo Campbell, and daughter of Mrs. James Payn, of this village. We have no particulars but are informed her death was caused by inflammation of the bowels. Mr. Campbell and wife removed from the Plains last spring to Belton, Cass Co., Mo.

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Mr. Delano A. Goddard's friends are raising money in a tribute to him to be presented to his widow. For the last 14 years he has been editor of the Boston *Daily Advertiser*. At one time he was editor of the Painesville *Telegraph* and a most estimable man.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Erastus Davison, which occurred at his residence a short distance east of town, on Tuesday morning. He had been ailing for several months, and he became seriously ill last week. He leaves a wife and children. The post mortem examination done by Drs. Davis and Moore showed abscesses of both kidneys.

Death of Mrs. Miner

The death of Mrs. S. H. Miner, which has been anticipated for some days, took place on Thursday last week at her residence on the Cleveland road, age 78 years. Mrs. Miner has been in poor health for over a year, and a fall last November completely prostrated her. She was an old resident of this section coming with her husband from Connecticut to Mayfield in 1841, residing there until 7 or 8 years ago, when they removed to Willoughby, building and occupying the house in which she died. The remains were taken to Mayfield Saturday and the funeral service held in the M. E. Church on Sunday by Rev. Mr. Hunscher. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons and two daughters, all of whom are married and settled, and with one exception, present at the funeral. She was regarded as a worthy neighbor and an exemplary wife and mother.

Death of Mrs. Firth

Mrs. Wm. Firth, who had been a sufferer from paralysis for about 2 years, died at her residence in the southern part of the township last Saturday, age 68. The deceased came from England to Willoughby in 1852 (being at that time a widow with 3 children) and for a season lived with her brother—Mr. Sam Gibbons. She then went to keep house for her father in

Mentor, who lived on the farm now owned (we believe) by Mr. T. M. Morley. Soon after she married Mr. Firth, they had one daughter, Lizzie, who is now at home with her father. Mrs. Firth had 3 sons by her first husband—Samuel Robert and John Allen. The first of these belonged to a battery in the Civil War—largely raised in this section and was drowned while in service. The other two sons are residents of Michigan—Robert at Reed City, and John at Adrian. Mr. Sam Gibbons, of Lapeer, Michigan, arrived a short time before his sister's death. The funeral service was at the M.E. Church, Rev. Mr. Bezell officiating and the remains laid in the vault at this place to later be buried in the cemetery on Waite Hill.

Of the original Gibbons family but 4 remain: Samuel and William Gibbons, of Lapeer; Benj. Gibbons of Willoughby, and a sister living in Ashtabula.

The Late Mr. Geo. Skiff

The funeral service took place at his late residence on Erie St., Feb. 14, at 2 p.m. Rev. A. J. Waugh, of the Presbyterian Church officiated. Mr. Skiff was 74 years old and has been a prominent citizen of this place for 42 years. He was born in Bridport, Vt., Nov. 7, 1807, and passed his early life at that place. When a young man, he moved to the town of Georgia and engaged in business, and there met and married Miss Eliza Mix. From Georgia, he went to Milton in the same state, and there formed a partnership with Mr. Heman Losey, also, associated with the history of our village. Mr. Losey moved west, and Mr. Skiff after residing for a short time at Alburgh, followed him to this place, when again they formed a partnership.

For the last 15 or 16 years he was retired. In his later life, he was a member and Chairman of the Board of Education. He leaves a widow and a daughter. The couple had lately celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Among those present at Mr. Skiff's funeral were: Mr. C. D. Sheldon (son-in-law) of Houghton, Michigan; Mr. W. J. Mix (nephew of Mrs. Skiff) of Oregon, Illinois; Mrs. Dr. Lyman Little, Mrs. Hiram Little, Rev. Anson Smythe, Mr. H. C. Blossom and Mr.

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C. C. Carlton, of Cleveland. A letter was received from Mr. Skiff's brother in Bridport, Vt., regretting his inability to be present due to his extreme age and infirmity.

Painesville – From the Hub

Mrs. Oscar King is dangerously ill.

Prof. Hamlen is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Levi Kerr died Monday and the funeral takes place today.

Mr. David Perry, an old and estimable citizen, died last Friday. The funeral took place Sunday at the M. E. Church and was attended by the Cornucopia Lodge, I.O.O.F. in full regalia.

Mrs. Mary Wright, of Perry, has taken the place of Prof. Hamlen, until he recovers sufficiently to resume his duties in the Public Schools.

A thank you card is printed from the family of Mrs. Miner to their neighbors and friends for their kindnesses to her in her last illness.

S. H. Miner

W. H. Miner

Mrs. Belle Gates

Mrs. M. Ackley

F. L. Miner and wife

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Mr. Wallace Hammond died at his house in the Center Wednesday evening, after a short severe illness. Rev. Hammond delivered the funeral discourse Saturday morning.

Miss Jenny King returned home last week after an absence of nearly 5 months in New York.

Mr. E. Bassett, recently of Brazil, is a guest of Mr. E. Burridge.

Weather: A severe wind, rain, and hail storm here this morning added to the old time soaker of last night has left the roads in an outrageous condition.

Wickliffe

Grades from the last examinations of those who reached 100 per cent in three of the subjects:

Lizzie McSparren, Mary Taylor, Orrie Graves, Cyphie Merrill, Frank Barnes, Eddie King (100% in Algebra and Physiology).

Grades for the entire class are listed.

Maple Grove

A birthday surprise party was given for Mrs. Lucy Campbell on the 20th instant for her 70th birthday. Dinner was served to 36 ladies, 4 gentlemen, and 7 children. The old ladies present were: Mrs. Campbell, age 70; Mrs. Downen, age 76; Mrs. Whitright, age 69; Mrs. Andrews, age 67.

p.3 Miss Minnie Fowles is spending a few weeks in Cleveland.

Mrs. Edwin French is on a visit to her daughter—Mrs. Joseph Boyce.

Mrs. Vaughn, of Chicago, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Julia Davison.

Mr. A. G. Waite and wife spent a portion of last week with relatives in Olmstead.

Weather: On Tuesday the mercury fell 14 degrees in the space of 25 minutes.

Mrs. A. J. Elias and daughter, of Painesville, were visiting at the Powell House last weekend.

Mr. Nelson McGurer goes this week to Fulton Co. in this state for a summer's residence.

Mr. Chas. Clark, of Cleveland, came down Saturday night and spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. A. Y. Austin shares with us some green peas lately received from Savannah, Ga. Green peas in February are indeed a rarity and a luxury.

Mr. T. H. Burr has been on the sick list for a few days the past week and confined to the house.

Mr. L. E. Wightman has returned from the west. It is rumored that he will go in the works of the Willoughby Mfg. Co. as a master mechanic.

Mrs. J. P. Warner and daughter, Rosie B., of Scranton, Pa., respectively mother and sister of Mrs. James T. Robison, are visiting the family on River St.

The bill granting a pension of \$5,000 a year to Mrs. Garfield passed the lower branch of Congress last week.

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Mr. Fred Whitney left a few days ago for Washington Territory on a tour of observation and inspection.

Mrs. A. J. Haggart, of Grand Ledge, Michigan; Mrs. Jennie E. Munroe, of Parkland, Michigan; and Mrs. Hattie B. Schram, of Kingsville, Ohio, daughters of Mrs. O. M. Davison are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Barber. They all go down to Kingsville the last part of this week.

We call attention to the advertisement of Aldrich Bros. and Hubbard, of Fargo Dakota. They are young men of energy and integrity.

While Madame Litta was in Cleveland she made a personal call on Miss Estelle Smith, of Painesville, and offered her a position in her opera company. Miss Smith as a vocalist has been steadily rising in popular favor and we are glad to hear of this additional and distinguished mark of appreciation.

Mr. Joseph Worden is seriously sick. He is suffering from erysipelas which attacked one of his ankles and, also, the left parotid gland, in which an abscess formed, which was opened on Saturday by Dr. Davis. During the last 2 days his fever has subsided.

Last Friday afternoon, Mrs. J. V. Viall and Mrs. A. W. Dewey met with quite a mishap. In driving to the village and coming down East Hill, the horse took fright at the uncoiling of some telegraph wire on the roadside, became unmanageable, and overturned the buggy, the ladies underneath. The horse freed himself and the ladies were extricated, fortunately more frightened than hurt.

Mrs. D. B. Goodrich was given a surprise birthday party Wednesday of last week. Miss Frances King, in behalf of the ladies, presented Mrs. Goodrich with a handsome castor, butter knife, thimble, and sugar and mustard spoons.

A card of thanks was printed by Mrs. O. M. Davison and daughters to friends and neighbors for the kindness shown to their late son and brother, Erastus Davison, during his late illness.

Painesville

Tracy H. Paine is home from Hudson.

F. F. Crofoot is home from Kenyon.

S. W. Wheeler from Marquette is here.

The funeral of Mrs. Geo. Stone took place Sunday. A special train brought friends from Cleveland.

Mr. Kidney sold his farm on Mentor Ave. to a Cleveland party; consideration, \$9,000.

West Kirtland

Wm. Webster contemplates more under-draining on his farm in the spring.

The Tullar brothers, Dell and Will, are cutting a quantity of wood for L. A. and S. A. Kitts.

Miss Ella Smith has had very poor health for more than a year and is still unable to be out much.

H. G. Tryon is cutting down those large locust trees on the part of his farm lying near Hobart's corners.

Miss Evangeline Kitts was on the sick list the past week and on Saturday had an attack of pleurisy; but at this writing is improving.

O. B. Gridley understands the art of trimming and cutting grape vines to perfection.

C. Hill has cleared his land of a large number of stumps adding more plow land.

A. G. Tryon has a year's supply of wood already cut.

H. A. Rice bought land and erected a two story house, 16 x 25, , and wing 12 x 14. It is ready for plastering.

The late Jesse Tryon had donated the land for the cemetery on Waite Hill and the family has done more than its share of the work to keep it up. It is suggested a collection be taken up to hire someone to mow it and look after it.

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p. 2 Surprise

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyce were given a surprise party last Wednesday. Mrs. Allen presented a bath set, contributed by friends as a token of their respect.

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Wickliffe

Correction to the school examination—Clarence Ferguson's average percent was 80, not what was reported.

Mr. Chauncey Fuller is quite unwell, not being able to be out to do any work.

Mr. Simon Arnold is able to go to the city to visit friends.

Kirtland

Mr. and Mrs. Myres have gone to Buffalo.

Mrs. Captain Walley is sick with typhoid fever.

Mentor

Mr. A. D. Coe, of Cleveland, called on friends here a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayward, Wahperton, Dakota, are the guests of Mrs. E. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackman have been on a visit to friends in Cleveland and Solon the past week.

Mr. Royal Carpenter, another of our boys, has gone west. He joined his brother, George, in Kansas last week.

Mr. E. J. Farris and wife have gone to Los Angeles, California, intending to make a permanent home upon the Pacific shore. Mrs. Farris was Miss Carrie Daniels, one of the charming girls for which Mentor is noted.

Mr. Jas. McManus has been left \$20,000 by his brother in Ireland. The interest of Mr. M. is being cared for by Mr. T. G. Hart.

West Kirtland

Mrs. S. Metcalf is reported today as being much worse. Grave fears are entertained that she will not recover.

Ed Hill has been very sick for over a week past. At present writing all danger is over and the patient is doing well.

Howard Pike has been sick again for several days but is out again. It is but recently he has been able to be out after nearly 5 months confinement.

It looks like P. A. Metcalf is making maple sugar as we see the smoke and steam rising between his trees.

Perry Rice rode out as far as Willoughby on the 27th for the first time in 4 months since his confinement due to ill health.

J. Stone of West Kirtland has the contract to furnish stone for the new depot at Willoughby from the quarry of G. D. Smith and purchased of Porter Rice. Mr. B., also, has the contract for furnishing stone for the Mentor and Painesville depots.

Another pleasant surprise party occurred at the home of Milton Miller on the 24th instant.

New officers of the Athenaeum Society:

Pres. G. H. Morse; Vice Pres. A. P. Squires; Rec. Sec. C. E. Bostwick; Cor. Sec. Miss Mary Ward; Treas. E. G. Metcalf; Janitor A. Cowles.

Lake Common Pleas

State vs. Martin Noonan for grand larceny and concealing stolen property; Trail had, verdict guilty. Noonan's statement to the judge was "On the first day of July, 1878, I did not steal that money; neither did I intentionally carry it away." The judge sentenced him to the penitentiary for 7 years at hard labor (the extent of the law).

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Heirs of Finley Ferguson to A. D. and H. C. Ferguson, 46 and 23/100 acres, tract 11, lots 3 and 4, \$2,025.

James C. Clark, by adm., to J. S. Ellen, and R. Y. Carroll, 16 acres in Storm's lot, \$2,933.

Kirtland

Trustees Cemetery Association, Kirtland to Wilson Wills, ½ acre, lots 91 and 82, \$40.

p. 3 Plowing and potato planting have been done on the Plains this week.

Mrs. C. D. Clark expects to leave today for a two weeks' visit to relatives in Peoria, Ill.

Mr. Orrin Wilson, one of the old residents of Concord died suddenly in his chair last Saturday.

Mr. L. P. Bates, of Cleveland, is in the village, called on account of the dangerous illness of his father.

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Mr. Isaac Schram, of Michigan, has been spending a few days with friends in the township the past week.

There have been 11 deaths in this village during the past year. Two were young children and the other nine from 32 – 82 years of age.

In connection with the illness of Mr. L. P. Bates, it has been stated that last Sunday was the first for 30 years that he had not been able to attend church.

While at work last weekend, Mr. M. H. Roberts had the misfortune to break one of his ribs by falling against a piece of scantling.

R. Y. Carrol is having a new barn built on Vine St., size 40 x 50 and 24 feet posts.

The will of Mr. Geo. Skiff has been admitted to probate. The property is being equally divided between Mrs. Skiff and her daughter.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bond died sometime during the night Sunday. It was in good health at midnight. Rev. H. N. Couden officiated.

Mr. W. H. Johnson, of Mentor, is at home for a rest of some months. He is with the house of Whiting & Campbell, manufacturers of paper hangings and shades, New York.

Mr. Perry H. Barnes, of the village, married Miss R. Ming, of Cleveland, Tuesday of last week at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Russell, on Case Ave. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. P. Rulison, of St. Paul's Church. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes have commenced housekeeping on River St.

Mr. M. H. Roberts received news Monday afternoon that his son, Wallace, was lying quite sick at Euclid Creek. Though ill himself, he immediately procured a team and brought him home. The son is threatened with lung fever. Mr. and Mrs. R. desire to thank their friends for sympathy and kindness manifested under these circumstances.

A letter from Mr. Jos. E. Stockwell, of Doniphon, Kansas, informs us that he is about to leave that

place for Lincoln, Nebraska. He says the family are all well.

Mr. L. W. Penfield has resigned his position as teacher in our public schools and goes into the office of his uncle, Mr. J. W. Penfield, whose increasing business demands larger clerical assistance. His place in the schools will be filled by Mr. Howard S. Straight, of Mayfield, a former student of Western Reserve College.

Mrs. Sarah Wilson lost a valuable colt Tuesday under mysterious circumstances. A. S. Hare, the hired man, found the colt in the yard bleeding profusely from a wound in the neck. Mr. R. Stevens was sent for but found the animal in a dying condition. The wound it is supposed was done with a round pointed instrument. The colt was worth \$200.

Much sickness prevails in our town especially among the older class. Of those confined to the house, we may mention: Mrs. Skiff, Mrs. R. C. Bates, Miss Ruth Hastings, Miss Mayhew, Mrs. Wm. A. Little, Mrs. J. D. Barber, Mr. L. P. Bates, Mr. A. Y. Austin, Mr. N. B. Davis, Mrs. S. B. Taylor. The following are able to be around, although very far from being in good health: Messrs. J. V. Viall, Jos. Davis, A. H. Barber, W. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Armstrong, Miss Clara Leonard, and Dora Stevens.

Death of Mr. Hiram Brown

Mr. H. Brown passed away Wednesday noon in his 86th year. He had been a resident of Willoughby for over 50 years. Funeral services were at the residence of his son, Watson H., Friday, at 1 o'clock.

Miss Lucy J. Warren, Cleveland, married Mr. Carlton J. Ferguson, of Willoughby, at the residence of Mrs. C. K. Remick, No. 6, Glendale Ave., Cleveland. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Jabez Hall. Misses Eva Warren and Mabel Allen were bridesmaids, and Dr. W. E. Warner, of New London, and Mr. Jas. Warren, as groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson will spend a few weeks visiting friends in the east and upon their return will make their home in Willoughby.

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p. 2 The 69th Milestone

Mr. Dexter Damon celebrated his 69th birthday by being given a surprise party Saturday evening.

Kirtland

Mrs. B. S. Upham is on the high road to recovery.

Mrs. Martindale, an old lady of more than four score years, is quite sick.

Mr. Edward Lee who has been suffering for so long is still very low and his recovery is more than doubtful.

Miss Minnie Woodard has commenced her school today—a very short vacation.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griswold had a baby girl last week.

Mr. E. H. Talbot has purchased a thoroughbred Alderney cow.

Mr. Frank Cole has purchased 13 head of store cattle which added to his other herd, gives him one of the largest herds on the street.

Mrs. S. M. Downing has been quite sick for a number of days and is now gaining slowly.

Mr. Chas. Hopkins has purchased a creamery.

Mr. Chas. Vrooman, formerly of this neighborhood but now of Michigan, is visiting friends and his old home associates. He has had a boy and a girl since leaving here 5 years ago.

Mr. N. P. Downing had an old fashioned barn raising last week. George Newton was the boss and put in the “he-oh-he’s” so that men could not help but lift. It has a 30 x 40 feet frame.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Taphouse who has been sick for sometime is now improving in her health.

Mr. Frank Hardaker moved his house last week from Euclid Street over to Taylor Avenue.

Mentor

Mr. Frank Corning and family start for Dakota this week.

A Disciple Social will be held at the home of Mr. F. M. Green tonight.

Miss L. Wilson has returned from a short visit to friends in Collinwood.

Miss Alice Hawley, East Cleveland, spent the Sabbath with Mrs. W. B. Hendryx.

Miss Mollie Garfield accompanied by her cousin (Miss Lizzie Clapp, of Hiram) spent a few days at Lawnfield last week.

Mr. Addison Goodell, of Loda, Ill., called on friends here last Friday on his way to Washington and other eastern cities.

The news of the death of Miss Florence Hayden was received last evening. Miss Hayden had been taken to the home of her brother Eugene, in Dakota, with the hope the change in climate might retard the ravages of consumption. The widowed mother is left here alone.

The sad news of the death of Rev. H. N. Steadman came to us the evening of the Sabbath. His Mentor friends had been apprised of his sickness though the news of his untimely death was a shock. He leaves a wife and daughter.

Surprise parties have been the fashion here this week. Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Houghton and Saturday evening Miss Nellie Green were recipients of surprise parties.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Helen S. Wait to Sarah J. Buffington, 19/100 acres, tract 9, lot 8, \$1,800.

James H. Tracy to R. Y. Carroll, 18 acres, Card tract, lot 8, \$1,800.

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A. Carney to E. Burrige, 10 acres, tract 11, lot 10, \$500.

Emily Osterhoudt to E. S. Baler, 30 and ¼ acres, Shehi tract, \$845.78.

p. 3 Mr. James Ford is suffering from a sprained ankle.

Judge Austin, of Toledo, has been in town a few days.

Rev. Mr. Hunscher, of Mayfield, is reported as being quite sick.

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The condition of Mr. L. P. Bates this morning is said to be very critical.

Mr. S. C. Durban, of Painesville, was visiting friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. Goland (Minnie Sargeant) is on a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bates.

The family of Dr. Weber will occupy the farm residence near this village after April 1.

Mr. G. A. Brakeman is at work finishing the receiving vault.

Dr. and Mrs. Brinkerhoff, of Fremont, were here last week, to attend the funeral of Mr. Brown.

Mr. Geo. W. Cole, of Elizabeth Town, Ky., has recently been on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Julia Davison.

Miss Abbie Mayhew who has been ill for many weeks is much improved.

Mrs. Sharpe invited in a few of her friends Tuesday evening, it being her mother's, Mrs. Bliss, 81st birthday.

Mrs. H. A. Gladding, of Windsor, daughter of the late Jeremiah Campbell is visiting her relatives on the Plains.

We are told that Rev. A. B. Green expects to go to Cleveland and reside. The house that he now occupies has recently been traded to Mr. A. Blackman for Cleveland property.

A Washington paper announces that Harry Garfield, the late President's son, will marry Miss Lulu Rockwell, daughter of Colonel C. A. Rockwell, when his college course is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Robinson, on River St., had a fine baby girl last Friday.

The family of the late Mr. E. Davison is in receipt of a handsome floral tribute in the form of a pillow, composed of immortelles, pampas grass and ripened grain. Across the center it the word "Uncle" in purple letters. It was sent by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kimmerling, Chicago, the latter being a niece of Mrs. Davison.

Mr. G. E. Manville informs us he has rented the store belonging to Mr. S. W. Smart (formerly occupied by Wm. Thomas) and intends opening a furniture store. He will, also, keep a cabinet shop.

The Late Mr. Brown

Mr. Hiram Brown whose death took place on the 1st instant was born Aug., 1796, and came to Ohio in 1823 from Renssalaar County, N.Y., and settled in Willoughby. Prior to his coming, he married Wealthy, daughter of Rev. Elijah Ward, who has been dead 37 years. They had 6 children—one of which died in childhood. The others are: Mrs. T. M. Gordon, of Fort Scott, Kansas; Mrs. Dr. Brinkerhoff, of Fremont; Mrs. Geo. Tarbell, of Mentor; and his sons, W. H. and E. A. who occupy the old homestead. His second wife was Jeanette Watson (sister of Mrs. Wm. Kerr, of Mentor) who died quite suddenly in the summer of 1880. The only child of this marriage, a daughter, died at the age of 5 years. While never a money-making man, yet by frugality and industry, he secured for himself and family an excellent home and farm. Many years ago he gave the land on which to build the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was a member of the church 64 years.

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p. 2 Mr. Harrison who has lived on the Fred Andrews' place goes back east to his father's this week; he has been a very quiet neighbor the past year.

Correction: Mr. Albert Griswold's family has a baby girl (last week the name was given as *Arthur* Griswold).

Miss Sarah Richmond goes to Cleveland as teacher in the industrial school Wednesday of this week.

East Kirtland

M. E. Sweet has received an order from Kansas for two hundred weight of maple sugar.

Kirtland

Our neighbor, Edward Lee, died Mar. 10. A man of marvelous physical strength in his time. So absolutely perfect was his health that for 70 years he had scarcely known what pain was unless by some wound or bruise; never had the

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headache in his life. He was born in Massachusetts, living there until 16 years old, when he removed to Lewis Co., N.Y. About 20 years since he came to this place, making his home on the farm of Mr. Stephens whom he bought out. In May next, he would have been 77 years old. His sickness began two years ago. He leaves a widow and 4 children—two sons and two daughters—only one, Harry Lee, living here. The Rev. Mr. Buel lead the funeral services. He was interred in Wells' burying ground a short distance south of his earthly home.

Payson Clapp thought he would break in a colt the other day. He has a bruised knee and sits in a chair demanding and getting a great deal of attention.

Mr. Porter Whepley, of Madison, was in town the other day.

Dr. Blinn's office is now at the residence of Mrs. Milliken. King Milliken left for his home in Chicago, early last week.

Miss Minnie Morley will teach school in the Warren district starting April 1.

E. E. Rich who has been taking a course at the Spencerian Business College, Cleveland, returned home Saturday.

E. D. Rich and grafting party will leave for the east the latter part of the week and will operate principally in Connecticut and Rhode Island.

Mentor

Dr. Warren A. Belding, of Troy, N.Y., was in town last week. He is soliciting funds for the Disciple Institute for Freedmen in Georgia.

Mr. Cadle and family returned to their homestead and are welcomed back to Mentor again.

The little babe of Mrs. Kate (Barnes) Mosier was buried last week in Painesville.

p. 3 Mrs. Brinkerhoff returned to Fremont on Friday night.

Judge Austin returned to Toledo on Wednesday morning for a few days.

Miss Edith Penfield is visiting a former school mate in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Mr. S. H. Smart, of Western Reserve College, made a brief visit home last week.

Mrs. Nora Schieley, of Cleveland, was the guest of Miss Lizzie Stockwell over Sunday.

Mr. Chas. W. Austin and family from Savannah, Georgia, are on a visit to relatives here.

Miss Belle Austin, of Toledo, has been in town the past week on a short visit to relatives.

Mr. J. J. Humphrey, of Brownville, Calif., forwards us copies of San Francisco newspapers.

Mrs. R. C. Bates was much better a few days ago and was able to visit her neighbors.

Mrs. S. P. Merrill, of Wickliffe, spent the week end with the family of Mr. Hills on Waite Hill.

Mrs. Law, one of the old residents of Chester, died Wednesday morning. She was 84 years old.

Rev. T. B. Knowles and wife of Geneva, have been stopping several days at Rev. A. B. Green's.

Mr. H. G. Tryon has lately added to his farm some blooded stock, purchased of Mr. J. L. Wood, of Madison.

Mrs. Sally Peters returned last week from an extended visit to relatives in Seneca and Wayne Counties, N.Y.

Miss Carrie Randall, after spending several months in Washington and New York, is expected home in a few days.

Mrs. C. D. Clark returned from her Illinois trip Monday evening. Miss Rosa Tompkins will prolong her visit several weeks.

Mr. Jas. Ford has resigned his position as operator in the Western Union office here. It is said he goes west soon to accept a situation.

Mr. S. H. Laman, of Cleveland, with two daughters (one Mrs. Larned of Anderson, Indiana) were in town last week on a visit to Mrs. Ezra Holmes.

Mr. Will Gotham returning from his trip to Florida is at Mr. H. J. Randall's. He will soon be joined by his wife and then journey home to Iowa.

The Ladies' Christian Association will meet next Thursday afternoon at Mr. W. J. Hutchinson's.

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Mr. J. S. Hastings has just purchased a Cooley Creamer so highly celebrated in the manufacture of choice butter. It was furnished through the agency of Mr. T. M. Morley, of Mentor.

The pupils of A. P. Squires of 1st Kirtland district made him a pleasant surprise visit at his father's on Friday night.

One day last week a four year old daughter of Mr. Jessie Whitmore, of Ashtabula, was choked to death at the dinner table by a piece of meat lodging in the windpipe—all efforts to dislodge it being unavailing.

On Saturday, Messrs. E. P. and R. Barnes were called to Cleveland to attend the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. Bertha, wife of Edward Barnes, who died quite suddenly. The services were at 26 Thurcy St. and the remains taken to Woodland Cemetery.

Mr. J. A. Allen has been transferred to the Bridge Dept. of the new railroad with headquarters in Cleveland. He has given up housekeeping in this village and stored his goods. His wife and children are at present visiting in Oneida Co., New York.

But little change is reported in the health of Mr. A. Y. Austin or Mr. L. P. Bates.

The other day, as J. G. Washburn was sawing some elm wood, grown on land of R. Y. Carroll, he saw what appeared to be some names burned or cut in the wood in 3 separate lines. The base of the tree was 22 inches through and the portion referred to was 25 feet from the ground and at least 10 inches from the bark. None of the words were distinct but letters forming the word "Ohio" were on the third line. The stick is left with us for those who have any curiosity about it.

The *Chagrin Falls Exponent* gives the particulars of the post mortem examination of Rev. H. S. Steadman.

Rev. A. B. and Mrs. Green were given a farewell visit on Tuesday. They will be moving to Cleveland and contiguous to relatives.

Death of Mrs. Barriss

Mrs. Margaret Barriss died in Cleveland recently at an advanced age. The deceased for many years was a resident of Richmond in this county, afterwards, moving to Painesville and finally to Cleveland. She was the mother of Capt. J. T. Martin and Mr. Wm. H. Barriss making her home of late with Mr. B., No. 1580 Euclid Ave. The funeral took place Thursday and the remains deposited in Lake View Cemetery. Pallbearers: Messrs. E. N. Hammond; B. S. Cogswell, F. A. Tillotson, T. B. Livingston, W. C. McFarland, W. B. Murray. Dr. Wolcott officiated at the funeral services.

Painesville

Harry Barstow, of Columbus, is home on a visit. Mrs. David Matthews is dangerously ill. Recovery said to be impossible.

Jas. Ford came down Tuesday with the aid of two crutches.

Ben Ash and Heman Hopkins left town Thursday for Fargo, Dakota.

Fred Porter, on account of his health is compelled to take a vacation from the store.

A large white swan was captured on Tuesday a short distance from town. It measures 7' from tip to tip of wings.

We are to have another saloon. The site will be the store now occupied by Will Post and E. Ehrlich. The proprietors, the Lanphier Bros.

The funeral of Mr. John Stone took place from his residence on the east side of the river on Saturday last. The services were conducted by Mr. Thos. Lees, of Cleveland. Mr. Stone was the father of George Stone and a very estimable citizen.

The funeral of Mrs. Will Rogers, daughter of A. D. Crofoot, who died Sunday evening, took place Tuesday afternoon from the residence of her parents. Mrs. Lillie in the delivery of the discourse showed herself to be a very able lady.

A thank you card is printed by A. B. Green and Mrs. A. B. Green for the parting visit they were given.

Land to Rent: 15 acres, quarter mile west of Willoughby village; inquire of Wm. E. Taylor, Wickliffe, O.

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Brown mare for sale, 6 years old. David Hodgson, Mentor Plains

Bees for sale – Three hives of bees. Mrs. Geo. Wilson. Lake Shore Willoughby

O.B. Gridley, Waite Hill, is selling a house and lot well set with fruit. For rent if not sold by Apr. 1.

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p. 2 Willoughby Plains

Mrs. S. F. Whitney and family returned from their southern home on Monday of this week; all are well.

Mr. S. Youmans on Monday afternoon raised another building to be used for a workshop, &c. Smith Vaughn leaves for the east this week; goes to his parents in York State.

Mr. Nathan Dowing has his barn nearly completed.

Mr. O. Brown has been leveling his place and has set out a nice lot of maples east of his house.

Mr. O. Andrews has purchased two fine ewes from Mr. Carlos Mason, of Painesville.

Waite Hill

Miss Sylvia Pike is spending her vacation home.

Mrs. David Whitright last week visited her daughter in Painesville.

Fred Presley spent a portion of Last week at his uncle's in south Willoughby.

Geo. Payne, of South Bend, Ind., will work Wm. Smith's farm this year.

Geo. Smith has purchased H. Freer's interest in the steam thresher and will go into business again next fall.

Von Stephens, of Painesville will, during the present year, occupy the house soon to be vacated by H. A. Rice.

Miss Lottie Smith entertained her friends Friday evening—the principal feature of the evening being warm sugar.

Miss Frankie Gregory who has been attending school in Michigan, has returned and will teach the summer term of school in the Tullar district.

J. Hoffman has suffered considerably this winter from a tumor located in his shoulder. It was recently and successfully removed by Dr. Moore.

At the Waite Hill school house Friday evening, J. H. Tryon delivered a lecture on the Culture & Pruning of the grape.

Elbert Hubbell has been doing a good work in filling with gravel certain mud holes in the highway near Eagle Mills that made the road nearly impassable.

Surely, we have been an afflicted people: Thirty among us having been victims to that dire disease, the mumps. There are still more to be heard from.

Jim Barnes is drawing stone from the quarry with a four-horse team guided with one line and a jockey stick; the novel sight of which carries the memories of our older residents to the good old days.

Madison

A daughter of Mr. Harvey Woodworth is to be married in the Congregational Church here Thursday afternoon.

Mentor

Mrs. Dr. Luse is visiting relatives in Orange.

Mr. James McLaughlin has rented the home of Mr. Oscar Loomis for the ensuing year.

Miss Jenny Bradley is visiting in Constantine, Michigan.

Mr. N. C. Belding, of Chautauqua, N.Y., is the guest of J. C. Tyler and family.

Mrs. W. Cummings, of Petrolia, Pa., is at home once more with her parents—Mr. and Mrs. E. Burridge.

Mr. Sidney Justus has already gone on his spring grafting tour and will be in the vicinity of Canton, Ohio, most of the time this year.

Mr. Chas. Hadden has purchased the property of Mrs. E. Bradley at the Center known as the "Houghton home." Consideration \$1,500.

The first report of the death of Miss Florence Hayden was proven to be false, but the sad news comes to relatives here last week that she had really passed to her long home. Miss Florence was the last of three sisters who

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within a short time have fallen victims to consumption.

Mrs. James Marshall, more familiarly known as "Mother Marshall" died at the residence of her daughter (Mrs. Sarah Denver) at 8 a.m. Sunday. She was born in Hudson, Ohio, in 1815 and has lived in Mentor 12 years. When 14 years old, she was immersed by Elder Alexander Campbell. For the past 7 years, she has been an invalid, confined to her room most of the time from the effects of paralysis. Rev. Hendryx delivered the funeral discourse at the Disciple Church yesterday.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Solon Smith, of Cleveland, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Jennie Barnes, for a few days.

Mr. Stodart, who lived a mile south of this place, has moved with his family to a farm near Olmstead Falls.

Mrs. Taphouse who has been quite ill for a number of days has recovered so far to be out at church yesterday.

Mr. Henry Jones has been suffering for a number of days with a rheumatic attack, but is better at the present writing.

Miss Orrie Graves has resigned her position as Secretary of the Sunday school here; Miss Barnes was elected to fill the vacancy.

The Wickliffe Schools will have a closing program: All those who will be giving readings are listed and what they will read. (Here is only the list of names.)

Alice Stray	Cyphie Merrill
Hala Robinson	Leslie Fuler
Eddie Mosher	Gustave Provo
Horace Nichols	Kinney Graves
Sterlin Smith	Harry McSparren
Jessie Lloyd	Annie Jones
Jimmie Stocking	Harold Pears
Willie Merriman	Chas. Woodward
Kate McCarty	Carrie Smith

Jeptha Fuller	Clarence Ferguson
Arthur Lloyd	Minnie Arnold
Lizzie Hardaker	Frank Barnes
Wallis McSparren	Mary Taylor
John Provo	Edmund King
Lillie Lloyd	Addie Ferguson
Lulu Wilson	Orrie Graves
Ada Lloyd	Will Carmen

Dr. St. John left Tuesday at noon for Lincoln, Nebraska.

Miss Nellie Whitney is visiting relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell (nee Rose Moore) leave tonight for Philadelphia.

Mrs. Dolph Smith, of Toledo, is on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Benham.

Mr. Joseph Coe, of Sloan, Iowa, is on a brief visit to relatives in Kirtland.

Miss Lena Williams of Lake Erie Seminary is spending the vacation at Columbus.

Mr. Charles Austin left for Savannah Sunday night. His family still remains here.

Mrs. H. Ingersoll returned to Fremont yesterday. She was accompanied by Miss Belle Hanson.

Ed Gibbons is now employed as clerk in the drug and grocery store of Baker & Lee, Painesville.

Mrs. Benj. Excell, of Perry, received serious injuries a few days ago in being thrown from her carriage.

Mr. O. C. Reynolds is home from Indianola, Iowa, in which place he has large business interests.

Mrs. Judson Rogers, of Ashtabula, is on a visit to her old home and stopping at her father's—Mr. R. C. Bates.

Rev. G. L. Perin, of Bryan, was here Tuesday, returning from Burton, where he had been officiating at the funeral of Mrs. Canfield.

Mr. Geo. A. Allen was able to visit town last week after several weeks' confinement to the house from inflammation of the stomach and bowels.

Mrs. Warner and daughter, mother and sister of Mrs. J.T. Robinson, after a number of weeks' visit here, returned Wednesday to Scranton, PA.

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Messrs. A. A. Amidon and F. Paine Jr., of Painesville, have formed a co-partnership for the practice of law.

Mrs. Jos. Boyce left this morning on a visit to her daughter, Miss Anna, at Clifton Springs, N.Y. Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson, now located at Red. Wing, Minn., formerly of this place are the proud owners of a brand new baby.

The Garfield Memorial window was placed in St. James Episcopal Church at Long Branch.

Mr. Henry Belden, one of the early pioneers of the county, died of paralysis—reported in the Ashtabula papers. He was the brother-in-law of Mrs. Belden, of this village, and was 92 years old.

Mr. Malkin is renovating the dwelling house of Mr. A. Houliston on Euclid Road.

Mrs. Anna Castle died Monday, age 87 years old. The funeral was held from the residence of Mr. Elliott on Vine St. Thursday afternoon. The deceased had been a resident of Kirtland and Willoughby for over 40 years. She was the mother of 10 children, 5 only of whom are known to be living—Fred Castle, of this village, being the youngest.

Miss Carrie Abbot died at the home of her parents on Tuesday evening, age 19 years. She had been a great sufferer for two years as the result of a fall. Funeral services at the Universalist Church on Friday.

Mrs. O. M. Davison celebrated her 65th birthday, relict of Mr. Geo. W. Davison, on Sat. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. N. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Palmer returned Saturday from Brooklyn, N.Y., after an absence of three months. The health of Mr. Palmer is better than for several years. The time was spent with the families of two sons—and an occasional visit with Mr. and Mrs. Grove Curtis. On their return, they called upon Mrs. Lura Orr at Syracuse.

One-Horse Shay with high body, large wheels, huge springs, &c. It was brought from the east by the original Paine family. After many years,

it became the property of the late Mr. Levi Sheperd and was used by him and his bride to take a wedding jaunt to the (then) village of Cleveland. H. B. French, of Painesville, drove it Monday.

Miss Bessie Pease celebrated her 10th birthday last Saturday by a party of friends.

Mr. Madison Strong died at Ashtabula on the 21st instant at the age of 75 years. Services will be held here at the M. E. Church. Mr. S. was for many years a resident of Willoughby.

Painesville

Mr. J. H. Britton and family have returned from their winter's residence in Atlanta, Georgia.

Miss Myra Hall, of Willoughby, has been visiting Mrs. Louisa Pease.

Mrs. Julia, wife of the late Dr. David Mathews, died at her residence Thursday night, age 75.

Mr. Jesse Storrs died at his residence on the 21st instance, age 78. He was born in Concord, N.H., afterward removed to Courtland, N.Y., and came to Painesville in 1854, where he engaged in the nursery business.

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p. 2 East Kirtland

Perry Rice is now able to take an occasional horseback ride.

Mr. Gilmore has rented the farm of Chas. Devine for one year.

Mrs. S. Metcalf is still very low and hopes of her recovery are entertained.

Russel McClintoch, of Bainbridge, has purchased 50 acres of land of Calvin Bidlake, and occupies the house formerly owned by G. Bidlake.

John Rice has purchased the place of Jason Andrews consisting of five acres.

Mrs. D. Morgan, of Corunna, Michigan, is visiting with her sister in Cleveland—Mrs. Wm. Starrett (Hattie Whitworth). The little daughter of the latter says her grandma is doing finely.

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Willoughby Plains

Sid Smith is setting out some shade trees along the street which will add to its beauty.

Miss Etta Brown returned home from Valpraiso, Ind., last Saturday where she has been attending school since September.

Mr. Brainard is putting up a wire fence in front of his place, which will be an improvement over the old rail fence that has stood there for the past 40 years.

Mich. Brennan and Fred Johnson left for Minnesota last week intending, we believe, to locate there. Their wives will remain here until homes are prepared for them.

M. E. Gray, on going to town Tuesday morning, went into one of those fearful mud holes inside the corporation limits and broke his buggy, the horse taking the front wheels and running at a fearful rate up to near the railroad crossing at the east hill where he was stopped. Fortunately, Mr. Gray was not hurt.

Mentor

Miss Nellie King is in Cleveland studying German.

Mr. Geo. Gunn is home from Oberlin for vacation

Mr. T. P. Barber is in poor health but is reported better at present writing.

Mr. T. G. Hart is intending to build a handsome new dwelling house in his corner lot opposite of Mr. Wm. Kerr.

Mr. Will Hodge arrived home from Fargo, Dakota, yesterday having been "snowed in" while en route through Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Case, of Hudson, have moved here and will make their home in the house on Jackson St., owned by Mrs. Munson, mother of Mrs. Case.

It is expected that Misses Nellie and Leona Wooster, together with Miss Addie Merrill, will begin to wield the birch in the Center Schools next Monday.

Miss Genie Justus is still in Painesville taking vocal lessons of Prof. Hamlen and, also,

supplying Miss Harvey's position as organist in the M. E. Church.

Mr. D. Lovett, of Painesville, has begun the publication of a new musical monthly.

Wickliffe

Mr. Thos. Lloyd has begun his new house.

Miss Gussy Ingersoll is home from the Lake Erie Seminary spending her vacation.

Mr. Thos. Nichol's furniture went to the city yesterday; the family is to move there this week.

Last Sunday, E. M. Jones Jr., of Cleveland, visited his father.

Mr. Marcus Pelton and family of Euclid spent a portion of last Sunday at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. G. H. Merrill.

The house of Henry Graves is fast approaching completion and will be a model of convenience.

Painesville – From the Hub

Miss Flora Merrill returned Saturday from a week's visit to Chagrin Falls.

The new Skewer Manufactory of Swezey & Johnson is once more in operation with a full force of men.

Stewart Albertson, for 2 years with Judson & Smart, goes to Cleveland April 1 to accept a position in a clothing store.

Miss Abbie Cushman, Principal of the High School, spends her vacation in Cleveland.

George M. Hoyt went to Florida last Wednesday to join a surveying party.

Chester Lockwood goes to Point Pleasant, W. Va., to accept a position with J. S. Casement & Co., and not to Point Pleasant, Ohio, as was stated by the papers in this vicinity.

Mrs. J. W. Beach (daughter of Harvey Woodworth) was married in the Congregational Church at Madison, last Thursday evening to Mr. C. S. Alleman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. G. Fraser, and the wedded pair went east on the evening train.

Maple Grove

A festival was held at Maple Grove Schoolhouse last Friday at the close of the winter school term. Seventy-five were present. The

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schoolroom was beautifully decorated with evergreens and the tables taking up almost the length of the room, loaded with all that could tempt the eye and palate.

p. 3 Mrs. S. S. Ferris is visiting in Jefferson. Mr. F. T. Waters, of Geneva, is in town. Mr. Leo Slayton and wife left Tuesday for Kansas. Mr. L. D. Austin, of Toledo, spent the entire weekend here. Mr. A. King is home again from one of his business trips. Mr. J. E. Granger has again returned to Allegheny City, Pa. Mr. W. A. Gotham and wife left for their home yesterday. Mrs. Dr. Dalrymple, of Bedford, is visiting relatives in town. The Misses Belle and Mary Austin expect to leave for their home on Saturday. Mrs. A. B. Holland, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, is visiting Miss Lizzie Stockwell. Mr. E. Crowfoot has been confined to his house by sickness much of the past week. Miss Delia Kingsley (now of Warren) is spending a week with relatives in the village. Mr. Tom Durban, of Painesville, is spending his vacation in Willoughby and West Mentor. A petition for the pardon of Mason has been circulated in the village the past week. Mr. Henry Randall is engaged in moving the barn of Mrs. S. Wilson, farther from the road. Mr. N. C. Stockwell and his son, Lora, arrived here last Thursday from New York City. Mr. Fowles last week received intelligence from England of the death of his mother, at the age of 85 years. Messrs. Ed Slayton, Chas. Malkin, Ed Gibbons and A. J. Waite spent the weekend with their relatives here. Mrs. S. W. Smart and two children after an absence of several months in Mississippi, returned home Monday.

Rev. S. L. Binkley and wife, of Cleveland, are visiting the family of Rev. B. F. Beazell Thursday and Friday.

Messrs. E. A. and W. H. Brown have been appointed executors on the estate of Mr. Hiram Brown.

Mr. Fred Whitney informs us by postal card that his residence for the present will be Seattle, Washington Territory.

Miss Carrie Randall returned from her visit to Washington and New York last week.

One of our Township Trustees, Pelton, now wears the "title" of "grandfather."

The funeral service of Miss Carrie Abbott was largely attended last Friday. Remarks were made by Rev. Mr. Couden and Mrs. Shepherd Lillie.

Mr. Solon Louer is home from Western Reserve College suffering with a severe cold. If health allows, he will return at the beginning of the next term—in about 3 weeks.

Mr. C. N. Davis has purchased from Mr. H. H. Hall the farm formerly owned by his father, the late Simeon Hall. The place has 24 acres; consideration \$3,500.

Personal property of Will Stewart will be sold at the Town Hall next Monday 10 a.m.

The examination of the body of Miss Carrie Abbott revealed the cause of the long sickness which ended in her death was caused by the presence of two separate internal abscesses.

Mr. Lewis Parker, an old resident of Madison, died yesterday morning.

It is rumored that Mr. A. S. Bostwick of the Plains will retire from farming and with his wife take up their abode in this township.

The *Telegraph* notices the death of Mrs. E. A. Graves, after a few days illness. She was about 70 years old. In this section, she will be remembered as Mrs. John Holmes.

Mr. Masury and wife entertained a party of neighbors to tea last Saturday afternoon; and at a later hour Miss Lizzie Gill received a company of young friends—being her birthday.

A letter from Chester to the *Exponent* speaking of the death of Mrs. Thomas Law, says that she has been a resident of that place 42 years,

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coming from England, and had been married to her husband, who survives her, over 61 years.

Mr. Geo. Houliston has a new baby. He has purchased the Miller property adjoining his present residence—to prepare for additional mouths to feed.

Miss Mary Ryder died on Tuesday after a brief illness of typhoid fever, age 21 years. The deceased had been a resident of this place about 5 years. The services will be held at the Universalist Church Thursday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. J. O. Humphrey is preparing to sink a pipe for gas on the lot in the rear of his house. He says if necessary to get a good supply he will penetrate 1,000 feet. We trust he will be successful in getting of good supply of illuminating gas—the only kind the village needs at present.

The Kirtland Will Case

The will of Edward Lee, of Kirtland, was presented to Probate on the 13th and its admission was contested by his children on the ground that he was unsound of mind when he executed it and the witnesses did not sign in his presence. The hearing took 3 days and Judge Shepherd refused to admit the will because it was not witnessed in front of the testator. The widow now will receive only 1/3 of the property and the children the rest. O. S. Farr, the executor, gave notice of appeal to the Common Pleas Court.

A card of thanks is printed by Estes Abbott, and Mrs. S. O. Abbott for the assistance received by many kind friends during the long illness of their daughter who died.

The Mentor Disciple Social will be at the house of Mr. Benj. Young, April 4.

E. A. Brown and W. H. Brown are the executors of the estate of Hiram Brown, deceased, lately of Willoughby.

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p. 2 Death of a Pioneer

M. W. Cottrell, Mulberry Corners, Geauga Co., died at age 75. Mr. C. came to this section 60

years ago. He has been a heavy sufferer for years from disease of the kidneys, which no doubt hastened his end. The deceased leaves a wife and several married children.

East Kirtland

Miss Amy Covert has been engaged to teach school in the Sleemin district.

Miss Booth is the teacher in the Chair Factory District.

Levi Dorman is moving onto the farm of Mr. Hooper.

C. W. Hadlock is in Madison, acting as engineer in the shop of W. W. Branch.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. C. J. Richardson is visiting her parents at Conneaut the present week.

Mr. Newton has set the scrapers going on our clay road and now it is the best road we have.

Mr. Gilson is building a substantial fence in front of his orchard.

Mr. Bostwick and wife have moved in with their son-in-law, A. Gray, for the present, Mr. Tullar having rented Mr. B's farm.

Mentor

Mr. Henry Munson will occupy the farm of Mr. E. Parmele the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baxter have set up their household goods on the old Root homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Curtiss have removed to the mountain.

Mr. S. Cooley has gone into the Curtis house.

Mr. C. Hadden has rented the Loomis store—a combination grocery and meat depot for the year.

Mr. D. Pratt is making preparations to go away to Fargo before long.

Mr. Herbert Gunn has returned to Colorado.

Mrs. Laura Root, of south Mentor accompanied her son (Mr. L. E. Root) who has gone to Virginia.

Mr. E. M. Johnson and family have returned from Florida where they have been spending the winter.

Mrs. Wm. Wilcox (nee Miss Annie Young) is visiting her parents.

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Mr. Martin Sawyer is very sick

Mr. E. Aldrich has nearly recovered from his sickness of last week.

Mr. T. P. Barber is still very low with congestion of the brain; Dr. Storm of your village is in attendance.

Result of the Corporation election:

Mayor: Wm. S. Kerr; Clerk, L. H. Luse; Treas. Otis Haskell; Marshall, Charles Haddan; Councilmen: N. D. Corning, E. Cadle, N. C. Frost. School Board: E.T.C. Aldrich, E. Cadle.

Mr. Martin Sawyer died at his residence on Jackson St. this morning. Mr. S. had been sick about 2 weeks. He was about 74 years old. He was beloved by everyone and will be sadly mourned.

Mr. T. P. Barber is better; he received his family this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aldrich arrived from Fargo yesterday.

Kingsville

The wife of Dr. Kingsley, of North Kingsville, died on Saturday.

The wife of Mr. Ferry, of the Cheese Factory, is lying at the point of death from puerperal fever.

Kirtland

The election in our town passed off quietly. We understand that S. C. Carpenter was elected Magistrate under protest. No one wants the job.

Liva Sanborn was chosen Assessor. No one thinks of running against John F. Wells for Clerk. This must be his 4th or 5th term. Trustees: Geo. Morse, Geo. Metcalf, and H. O. Wells. Constables: B. M. Curtis and John Harmon.

Warner Cottrell was buried Sunday.

James Presley is quite sick.

Painesville – From the Hub

James Morley, of South Bend, (formerly a businessman of Painesville), accompanied by his

daughter, Miss Jennie, are visiting friends in town.

H. D. Edgecomb has purchased the old Williams block on State St., now occupied by S. Andrews. The later will remove his tin store to Cleveland and will make the city his home.

B. F. Crofoot, Will Childs, and Frank Burridge are home from Kenyon; and T. H. Paine, Walter Pratt, F. W. Sweezy, and J. S. Burrows from Hudson.

p. 3 Miss Lizzie Stockwell is visiting in the city. Mr. Geo. Stoner, of Colorado, has been on a visit to Mrs. Maria Miller.

Mr. S. E. Oviatt and family have taken their departure for Lansing, Mich.

Henry Riker, of Painesville, is one of the operators of the telegraph here.

Mr. S. P. Merrill will spend his vacation with his friends at Berea and Waite Hill.

Mr. C. G. Armstrong is building himself a commodious workshop on Union St.

Mr. L. G. Tillinghast is selling his farm, 1 ½ miles east of Willoughby, 72 acres.

Mrs. Ward has purchased the house of Mr. E. M. Wing on River St., \$2,500.

Miss Sadie Greer has returned from Oberlin and has engaged to teach in the Shankland district.

Miss Julia Smith, of the Cleveland schools, spent the weekend with her mother here, Mrs. Beebe.

The Ladies' Christian Association will meet next at Mrs. Lillie's on Center St. Thursday afternoon. Miss Aikin has been in Painesville over a week making herself useful at the Loan Exhibition.

Mr. Miner turned up a brood of potato bugs while plowing for potatoes this week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Storm returned home last Saturday after a visit of 10 weeks to her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Stouch, of Eau Claire, Wis.

Mr. Joseph Worden who has been seriously ill for a number of weeks was so much improved Monday as to enable him to attend the election.

Mr. N. C. Stewart has purchased the house and lot where Mr. Joseph Davis resides on River St., and formerly owned by Mr. P. A. Metcalf.

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Carl Weber, son of Dr. Weber, has returned from Germany where he has been studying for more than two years. He expects to return to Berlin in the fall.

Fred Clark who is quite a dog fancier has just purchased a Chesapeake Spaniel, between one and two years old, which is considered quite a beauty.

Mrs. Waugh is expecting to make a few weeks' visit to Coshocton, N.Y.—the residence of the elder Waugh.

The sad death of Mr. Truman Dunham, of Cleveland, who was almost instantly killed at the linseed oil works, was received here with much sorrow where he was well known. The funeral was held Sunday at his late residence on Euclid Ave.

Mr. H. L. Hitt and family left early in the week for Laporte City, Iowa, where they expect to make a permanent home. Mr. H. has always resided in this portion of the country.

Mr. Henry A. Palmer (formerly of the Plains and more recently a resident of Colorado) is now in Lisbon, Ransom Co., Dakota, and a member of the firm of Langlin, Palmer & Co.—dealers in agricultural implements.

Three persons were admitted into fellowship of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday; Mrs. O. J. Bunnell by letter; E. G. Bunnell (her son); Miss Steele; the infant of Mrs. Bunnell was, also, sprinkled.

A line from Mr. Ed L. Farris (husband of Miss Daniels of Mentor) gives us his post office address as Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., California. Ed is a Painesville boy.

E. J. Dickey will occupy the Harmon Clark place on Euclid Rd.

W. G. Benham has taken one of the John Hill houses on Vine St.

H. D. Post goes into the Chadderton House on Erie St.

A. F. Rutland takes possession of the old Williams place (now owned by W. C. Andrews).

J. B. Barnes Jr. has gone into the dwelling owned by W. H. Johnson on River St.

Joseph Davis will remove to Painesville.

Rev. A. B. Green has gone to live at East Cleveland.

Rev. W. H. Hayden has rented the Hiram Brown place on Euclid Rd.

Justus Fowler removes back to the farm on the Ridge.

Rev. H. N. Couden moves into the village into one of the John Hill houses on Vine St.

Mrs. Chapman (now in Misawaka) is expected to return to her house on Prospect St.

Mrs. Rudd (Carrie Leonard) is now in possession of the house purchased from Noah Stewart on Center St.

W. J. Hutchinson changes from the village to the Ransom Roberts' place on Cleveland Road.

C. S. Squier goes into Mrs. H. Losey's house bottom of Second St.

Geo. Sharpe has rented Mrs. Caroline Barnes' place vacated by C. N. Davis.

Myron Roberts is already in the house of Dr. Davis, foot of Third St.

J. E. Rose goes to Wickliffe to take charge of the old Hunt place, purchased some time ago by Mr. Umbstetter, of Cleveland.

Mrs. Garlick and Miss Hall will have a portion of the Presbyterian Parsonage; while Mrs. Theresa Pease goes to reside with her sisters, the Misses Hastings.

The remains of Mrs. Graves (formerly Mrs. John Holmes whose death we wrote of last week) were taken on Thursday to Bristol, Conn., for interment. They were accompanied by Mr. J. H. Tryon. J. H. Tryon and M. K. Moodey (of N.Y.) are the executors of the will of Mrs. Graves.

Mr. D. C. Miller was given a surprise party last Saturday for his 62nd birthday. He was the recipient of a handsome easy chair.

The funeral of Mrs. Emily Lilley, the wife of Jacob Lilley, took place from the Methodist Church last Saturday afternoon; the body committed to the village cemetery. She had been a resident of this section of Ohio many years. She would have been 62 years old in July.

The condition of Mr. A. Y. Austin and Mr. L. P. Bates are without material change.

Mrs. Skiff and Miss Abbie Mayhew are much better.

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Painesville

Rev. N. N. Bartlett died on the 4th. Funeral will be at the Disciple Church Thursday at 2 p.m.

Mr. John Bartholomew and family left for Dakota on Sunday morning. Mr. Cass Carter and wife and Mr. Callendar started with them; and Mrs. E. R. Dewey and her daughter (Mrs. F. Dingle and child) took the evening train Monday for the same destination.

Mr. H. H. Cole, a sufferer from rheumatism, has gone to the mineral springs at Mount Clemens, Michigan.

Mr. J. L. Frisbie is pushing the work on his new house on the corner of St. Clair and Washington St.

Mr. Frank Stickney, on Mentor St., is not better. His has been a long sickness.

Dr. D. C. Wilson has disposed of his interest in the dental business to his son, George H., who will continue to carry on the business at the old stand. The elder Wilson will travel in the west as a salesman for a prominent dental house.

Fred Clark is offering \$5 reward for a plain gold ring lost on Monday.

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p. 2 The Weekly *Argus*, Fargo, Dakota, mentions Mr. E. G. Eddy formerly of this section of Ohio, and who is connected by marriage with several Willoughby families. He started as a shoemaker and is now a prominent business man. He was one of the earliest settlers on Greenwood Prairie, Minnesota, going there in the spring of 1855, and living there in a tent for 3 months. In 1862, he entered the army occupying the positions of 1st and 2nd Lieutenant, quartermaster, and acting captain in command of his company. In 1886, Mr. Eddy lost his hand in a threshing machine accident and soon after engaged in the hardware trade in Plainview, Minn. He went into the banking business from 1867-1878 when he returned to Fargo locating his bank where it is now. He moved his family here in 1878, consisting of

himself, wife, and 4 children. One of the children, a daughter, is married residing at Fergus Falls, Minn. His son, E. C. Eddy, is a cashier at the First National Bank of Fargo with his father; his remaining son and daughter, both younger, are at home.

Mentor

Mr. T. P. Barber seems somewhat better, but is very low yet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Viall, Pittsburgh, are guests of Mr. Geo Viall.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kennedy, of East Cleveland are visiting Mrs. Henry King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Coats move into the Joel Smith house at the "other burgh."

Mrs. Pillow, of Pittsburgh; also, Miss A. McKinley, of same city, were guests of Mrs. Joseph Rudolph last week.

Wm. E. Radcliffe and family have returned to Mentor after an absence of several years in the west; are intending now to make Lake Co. their permanent home.

Mr. Don Pratt started for Fargo, Dakota, yesterday.

The funeral of Mr. Martin Sawyer was largely attended on Thursday at his late residence. Mr. Sawyer was born in Mentor on the homestead now occupied by his brother, Mr. Isaac Sawyer, and had always lived in this township where there was no man more universally respected by everyone and beloved by all who knew him.

Mrs. Captain Burrige is decidedly better. After an illness of 19 months, she now sits up an hour at a time. The wonderful patience and fortitude shown by Mrs. B. during her illness has been a marvel.

Henry and James Garfield accompanied by J. Stanley Brown, spent a short time at Lawnfield last week while en route to the Painesville Seminary to take tea. On a similar occasion, Harry very gallantly offered to wipe the dishes for a certain bright eyed lass whose work came after supper. Of course, the offer was gleefully accepted. After which, amid shouts of laughter, the dish towel was torn in bits by the girls and carried off to their rooms as choice souvenirs.

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There was a donation social at Mr. A. Blackman's Friday evening for Rev. W. B. Hendryx and wife. He was presented with \$20.

Kirtland

Weather: A wave of cold air has swept down from the north, and Kirtland puts on her winter suit again.

Our neighbor, Randall, has just passed his 82nd year. Though feeble his health is quite good.

Painesville

Mr. F. G. Stickney, of Mentor St., is very low.

Mr. Frank Woodruff, Concord, is reported seriously ill from pneumonia.

The house of J. L. Frisbie has already taken shape and is partly enclosed.

Mr. C. C. Drake, who has spent most of the winter in Florida, has returned.

The singing of Mr. Henry Wells, of Kirtland on Easter Day, at the Congregational Church, was much complimented.

Mr. S. K. Gray contemplates making extensive additions and improvements to his property, corner of Jackson and Richmond Streets. G. A. Brakeman is the contractor.

The funeral of Rev. N. N. Bartlett was largely attended at the Disciple Church. Several clergymen—among them a brother of the deceased who spoke at length. We have been told it was the fulfillment of an agreement made many years ago, that at the death of either, the survivor should speak at the burial services. It will be remembered by many that a similar pledge was made by Col. Ingersoll and his brother, Ebon. Such testimonials of fraternal love are touchingly beautiful and appropriate. Large delegations of Masons and Oddfellows attended in regalia, and the services were chiefly conducted after their impressive rituals.

West Kirtland

Mrs. S. A. Kitts, the past week, has been visiting friends and relatives in Cleveland.

Miss Mary Ward, of Maple Grove, commenced her duties as teacher on the 10th instant in the school house at Peck's Corners.

Mrs. D. Morgan, of Coronna, Michigan, has been spending the past week visiting her father J. Whitworth.

On the 31st instant, J. Kitts was driving by Warren Hoose's when the horses became frightened by some burning brush by the wayside, and shied into the ditch, throwing Mr. Kitts out and nearly upsetting the buggy and breaking the tongue. He was badly shaken up and bruised. The kindness of C. and G. Hoose and Allie Whitright in stopping the team and assisting in splicing the damaged tongue was very much appreciated. Such kindness to the aged always finds its reward.

Transfers of Real Estate

Kirtland

James M. Gilmore and Jane L. Colby to Wm. R. Crary, 15 and 3/5 acres, tract 3, lot 100, \$520

Jane L. Colby to J. M. Gilmore, 50 acres, tract 4, lots 92 and 93, \$146.66

Aseneth Gilmore to James M. and Jane L. Girmore, 50 acres, tract 3, lots 92 and 93, \$1

Board of Education of Kirtland to Ella M. Whiting, school lot 17, in tract 1, \$300

p. 3 Mr. H. T. Smith is making a specialty of Elgin watches.

Raymond Shipherd left last week to join his father in Minnesota.

A good piece of sodding has been done in the front yard of Mr. Penfield.

L. H. Manville, of Nebraska, is on a visit to this brother in this place.

Chas. Loy has been confined to the house for over a week with lung fever.

It is said Rev. T. B. Knowles leaves Geneva to take charge of a pulpit in Toledo.

The latest dinner party agony is ice cream stamped with the initials of the invited guest.

Mr. J. L. Armstrong is building a new barn for Mr. Baker on River St.

Mrs. A. J. Elias and daughter, of Painesville, were guests at the Powell House on Saturday.

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Mr. Joseph Davis and family remove this week to Painesville, taking up their abode on High St. Mrs. J. S. Ellen left home on Tuesday evening for the purpose of visiting a sister in Niles, Michigan.

Stone has been hauled for the foundation of H. C. Dawson's new building on the site of his present shop.

Messrs. S. H. Smart, N. C. Stevens, Rollin Welner and Harry Taylor are here spending their college vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Seeley and their daughter, of Cleveland, spent the past weekend with relatives in the village.

Mr. Horace Pratt, of Chester X Roads, has recently lost two children—Cratie and Arthur—from diphtheria.

The musical social announced for the 14th at Bond's hall under the direction of Mrs. Bartholomew is deferred on account of the severe illness of her brother, Mr. T. B. Barber.

Mrs. Strong who has been suffering for two months past from a difficulty of the lungs is still quite sick and unable to use her voice.

Captain Wallace Armstrong lost his boat house by fire yesterday afternoon entailing a loss of several hundred dollars.

Weather: The frost of early last week penetrated into houses and froze up the kitchen pumps.

Mr. W. D. Swezey, of Painesville, accompanied by his son, Field (who is home on vacation from Western Reserve College) made us a short visit on Tuesday.

New officers of the Ladies' **Presbyterian Society:** Pres. Mrs. J. S. Ellen; Vice Pres. Mrs. Dr. G. S. Storm; Asst. Vice pres. Miss Mary Twing; Sec. Miss Stella Young; Treas. Willis Collister.

Charles J. Vining, a prominent jeweler of Painesville, was arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses. He disposed of a safe belonging to other parties. He pleads guilty.

Death of Mr. A. Y. Austin

Mr. Andrew Y. Austin died at the family residence in this village Tuesday morning, April 11. He showed no sign of sickness for years until about 3 months ago. He was born in New Haven, Conn., Aug. 13, 1803 and consequently in his 79th year. He removed to Ohio in 1834 and settled in Willoughby where he has ever since resided. He had a family of 7 sons and one daughter. His wife died about 10 years ago. Two of his sons lost their lives in the Civil War; one died a few years ago in Toledo; two sons reside in the state of Georgia; and two (Judge David R. and Lucius D.) are citizen of Toledo. His daughter, Miss Susie Austin, the youngest of the family has remained at home and since the death of her mother has taken sole charge of her father's household and affairs. Mr. Austin was one of 13 children—2 brothers and 3 sisters surviving him. He was what might be termed a youthful old man; there was an utter absence of that ill temper and peevishness which so often characterizes declining days. Last week Mr. C. T. Morley, of Painesville, finished the erection of two more monuments in the cemetery in this village. They are of Quincey granite. The one, placed on the lot of the late Jeremiah Campbell, is of polished granite; the other for the Hiram Brown family is hammered granite.

Painesville – From the Hub

Mr. A. D. Sturges is home from New York.

Miss Belle Kenny, of Geneva, is on a visit to her brother.

Judge Tuttle is much better and is expected to attend to business shortly.

Arthur Malin is on the sick list suffering from a sort of paralysis of his limbs.

John Malin has just put Planing Machinery into his cider mill which he will operate after the cider season.

Lon F. McAleer has a contract on the Narrow Gauge extending from Youngstown 12 miles to Pittsburgh.

James Cahill, a molder on the Furnace, was severely cut on Saturday night in a street fight, near the Lake Shore Depot.

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p. 2 Mr. F. G. Stickney's health continues to fail. Mr. Frank Woodruff is reported somewhat improved and is thought by friends that he will recover.

Mr. M. L. Wright is about to open dental rooms over the drug store in Ladd's old block.

A. B. Turney has been making repairs and improvements on his place on St. Clair Street.

Kirtland

James Presley died. He was married 6 years ago; 3 years they lived in Chardon then sold out and moved to south Kirtland and purchased a farm just north of his father-in-law, Wm. Tiffany. Sometime in December when doing some butchering for one of his neighbors, he suffered a severe injury from lifting too hard. He felt, as he explained it, something snap like a pipe stem in his side. He knew no well day after that; but still he kept at work until two weeks before he died. The cause of his death was judged to be abscesses of the liver. He was born in Chester, Geauga Co., Ohio; went to Munson at 7 years of age; at 26 he married Lucy G. Tiffany, daughter of Wm. Tiffany, of South Kirtland. He leaves, also, a father, 2 brothers, 3 sisters and many cousins.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. Fred Johnson starts Monday to meet her husband in Minnesota, who has taken a farm in that state to work on shares.

G. C. Newton is building a barn for Chas. Pelton, just north of Johnson's; the frame most likely will be up this week.

J. W. Simmons starts Monday for Wisconsin, intending to make his future home there. His family will soon follow him, having sold his farm to Mr. Chase.

The other day while Lu Roe was in town, someone broke into his house and stole his boots, got what they wanted to eat and left; so Lu has to wear his old boots; he is thankful they did not take anything more.

Mr. S. Brown has recently set out another large peach orchard.

The Plains people are unusually well considering the number of old people. We have living on our street within 1 mile of each other, 12 or 13 people over three score years. All have passable good health except Mr. Abbot who is nearly gone with consumption.

Mentor

Mr. Sidney Justus has returned from his grafting pilgrimage.

Mr. W. Parmele, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. Robt. Murray.

The house owned by Mr. C. H. Dewer has been moved around until it faces Main St. and stands in range with the home of Mr. Robt. Radcliffe.

It is a matter of some congratulation that Miss Genie Justus (a Mentor girl) has been elected organist of the M.E. Church, of Painesville, for the ensuing year.

Miss Mary A. Hopkins is reported very low, but hope is entertained for her recovery. Drs. Sterling, of Cleveland, and Hawley, of Painesville, are in attendance.

Mr. Thos. Radcliffe leaves here today for Pottsville, Pa., where he expects to go into business.

Work has begun on the house of Mr. T. G. Hart on the corner opposite Mr. Wm. Kerr's. This is to be a large, nice house that will be an ornament to our "Euclid" Ave.

Mr. T. P. Barber is slowly recovering; he recognizes all who approach him, and although very weak and in an extremely critical condition, there now seems to be grounds for his ultimate recovery.

Grandma Garfield's only sister, Mrs. Boynton, died in Solon last week. The "little white haired mother" is now left the only survivor of the Ballou family.

Dr. Robinson's farm has a fine peach orchard just planted. Under the supervision of Mr. N. C. Frost, the Stephen Hart farm was never in better condition. Mr. Geo. Mather has been converting his grain into a fruit farm and now has a large vineyard just planted. Mr. Sidney

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Justus has the charge of the vineyards of Mr. Mather and Mrs. King the coming year.

Wickliffe

Harry Taylor begins school starting today on Waite Hill. Success to you, Harry.

The house of Mr. S. B. Taylor was burglarized last evening. Stolen were food and clothing; none of the family knew it until the morning.

Clinton Hill's peaches and those of the Tryon Bros. were not injured by the frost.

p. 3 Anson Bateham is becoming quite an expert on the bicycle.

Mr. A. A. Goodrich has left Wickliffe and again becomes a resident of Willoughby renting a house on Wilson Ave.

Weather: The aurora borealis of Sunday night is said by those who witnessed it to have been beautiful.

Heavy thunderstorms on Wednesday put an end to the village dust.

The funeral of Mrs. Alfa Boynton, mother of Dr. Boynton, of Cleveland, was largely attended in Solon last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Austin made his son, David, and daughter, Susie, executors of his will.

Capt. Armstrong is building a new boat house in the place of the one destroyed by fire.

Material for Mr. E. Baker's new residence on Vine St., is being deposited on the ground and work on the foundation will commence at once. (The old house, formerly Mr. Penfield's has been removed to the rear of the lot and will be used as a barn.)

Mr. Julius Armstrong has secured the contract for the erection of H. C. Dawson's new building. It is to be of two stories with stairs from the outside as well as inside, and porch across the entire front. The barber shop will occupy a portion of the lower floor; the remainder with the upper story will be used for dwelling apartments.

Mr. Louis Kneiling having lately purchased the property in the rear of the meat market, and where he has resided for some time, had put up

a neat picket fence the full length of the lot fronting on Third St. and the dwelling is to be painted.

Mr. J. W. Simmons, a life-long resident of Mentor Plains, left early in the week for his new home in Taylor Co., Wis., about 16 miles northwest of Milwaukee—taking with him his horses, cows, furniture, &c. His wife and baby will join him in a week or two.

Lake Common Pleas commences next Monday. The Grand Juror from Willoughby is Arthur L. Brown. The Petit Jurors are: J. C. Ward, J. W. Penfield, Wm. Dodd.

Death of Mr. Berry

Mr. A. M. Berry departed this life on Sunday night, age 64 years. He was born in the state of New York and married the one who survives him in 1848. Mr. Berry we remember as a citizen of Painesville 30 years ago. He removed from Painesville to Cleveland about 14 years ago and for a large portion of that time was an invalid. Mr. Berry had resided in Willoughby for over 2 years, and was half-brother to Wm. Richardson. Funeral services were held at the Disciple Church, conducted by Eld. A. B. Green. The remains were taken to Cleveland. Mr. R. C. Berry (a brother of the deceased) and wife, of Oakland Co., Michigan, were present at the funeral.

The Late Mr. Austin

Thursday the funeral services were held at the Episcopal Church. Services being in the charge of Rev. Frank M. Hall, formerly Rector of this parish, but now located in Newark. Ten years ago, he was, also, called upon to officiate at a similar service to the family in loss of a wife and mother. Besides two sons from Toledo and their families, Mrs. Charles Austin from Savannah, Ga., was present.

Personal and Society

Lawyer H. F. Canfield, of Chardon, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepard Lillie gave entertainments at Geneva this week.

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Henry L. Bates, of Cleveland, lately made a short visit to his relatives here.

Dr. St. John arrived from Lincoln, Nebraska, a few days ago, on his way home to Buffalo.

Mrs. Dr. Moore left home on Tuesday for a visit of several weeks to relatives in Iowa.

Mrs. Geo. O. Baker, of Painesville, is visiting her sister (Mrs. Malkin) on the Euclid Road.

Dr. and Mrs. Weber drove down to their farm on Saturday, returning to the city on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. G. Waite has been suffering for several weeks from malarial fever, but is now somewhat better.

Carlos Durban is spending a vacation of 2 or 3 weeks at home in Mentor and with acquaintances here.

Mr. Simon Arnold was able to visit his Willoughby friends last Friday after a protracted season of ill health.

Mrs. Norman Snell has been spending some days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Palmer, Willoughby Plains.

Miss Lottie Skiff left Tuesday morning for a visit to St. Paul, Minn. It is possible she may extend her trip to California.

Leo Slayton started for Lincoln last Monday, his wife remaining with her parents for a week or two. *Doniphon News*, April 14.

F. L. Tillinghast took the express on Tuesday evening for a trip to Minnesota and Dakota, and probably other points in the great North West.

Capt. Gibbons and Bertie Ellen have spent a few days in Warren the past week—the latter visiting her former schoolmate, Anna Kingsley.

Mrs. Burr returned from her visit to Fremont on Monday. During her absence the Powell House catered to the appetites of T. H. and “that boy.”

Miss Leona Boyce will accompany her uncle, Julius C. French, to Europe, sailing from New York about May 6.

Mr. Collins Morse, of Painesville, and Mrs. Allen, of St. Louis, were in town on Tuesday. Mr. Morse will be 79 years old in a few days and still looks rugged and well.

Mr. John Mosher, after a long siege of sickness from nervous affection, was in town Tuesday. He is now gaining in body and mind.

We notice that Wallace Merrill, of Painesville, and R. S. Metzger, of Mentor, took part in the Philharmonic Concert at the Armory in East Cleveland., Thursday night—as members of the orchestra.

Mrs. J. L. Armstrong was given a surprise party for her 36th birthday last Saturday.

The following students of Western Reserve College have left to resume their studies at that place: Cushman Stevens, Omar Reeves, Rollin Welner, and Solon Louer. James A. Rohbach, of Lelius Grove, Pa., and James T. Lees, of Elmwood, Ill., visiting chums, also, returned this week.

Painesville – From the Hub

The Kenyon boys have returned.

Postal Clerk Geo. Converse is at home sick.

The Lamphier Bros. have opened their saloon.

On the 18th instant, Fred Searles and Miss Lizz Tisdal were married at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. Merrill.

It is reported that Harry W. Avery will have charge of the eating business on the new railroad between Buffalo and Chicago.

Henry Tisdale reached Painesville from Washington last Saturday. He is quite ill, but hopes are entertained by friends for recovery.

Miss Kittie Kilbourne died at her father's residence on State St. last evening, age 22.

Mrs. Hannah Burridge's 90th birthday was celebrated on Tuesday. Seven of her eight children were present and the old lady was lively as a cricket.

A card of thanks printed for the many kindnesses shown by the citizens of Willoughby to the late Mrs. Lilley during her sickness and death. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes, Mrs. J. F. Dunbar, Mrs. D. L. Barnes.

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p. 2 Eagle Mills

Our miller, Hubbell, has finally moved his family from Willoughby to this place. The family is

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occupying the pleasant mill house, which was recently used to store rice, but emptied, and cleansed previous to their coming.

Three miles from Willoughby stands lone Eagle Mills.

Wickliffe

Last Sunday Edwin King spent the day at Nottingham with relatives.

Mrs. Barnes has been quite unwell for a number of days; but at this time is slowly improving.

Mrs. Stevens and children made a few days' visit at her father's house in East Cleveland.

Mrs. Nellie Turner (nee Carmen) and her husband, of Cleveland, sailed from New York for England on April 9. They arrived safely only a few days ago. The parents of Mrs. Turner live a short distance west of Wickliffe on the main Euclid Road.

On the same night that S. B. Taylor's house was burglarized, also, was that of Edwin M. Jones. They entered through a pantry window by removing a pane of glass to open the fastenings on the window. The intruders did not carry away very much of value.

Willoughby Plains

Another daughter is added to the family of Sid Smith.

John Kelley came near to having his house burned up on Saturday. The chimney burned out and set the roof on fire. It was discovered and put out without much damage; 5 minutes more and John would have had no home, as a strong east wind was blowing at the time.

Mentor

Weather: Ice froze a quarter of an inch thick last night. Ugh!

Mrs. Lucia Morse, of Colorado, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Daniel Hart.

Elder Harrison Jones, of Alliance, was the guest of Dr. Robinson last week.

Dr. Luse has been spending a pleasant week with relatives and schoolmates in Cuyahoga Co.

Elder John Encell, of Royalton, is in Mentor for a few days, looking after the interests of the farm.

Miss Jenny Bradley has returned from her visit in Constantine, Michigan, much improved in health and spirits.

Will Hodge has had a baby girl added to his family.

Mr. J. Coney is building a house and barn upon the farm purchased of Will Sawyer, opposite the Almond Sawyer residence.

Mr. N. C. Frost has gone into the "creamery" business.

Mrs. Eugene Morse (nee Miss Hetti Baxter) of Denver, Colorado, with a little daughter is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Baxter, of South Mentor.

In my last was a misprint, as there has been no hope of the recovery of Miss Mary A. Hopkins for a long time. She is failing very fast and cannot last long.

Miss Nellie King professes herself delighted with the "natural method" of teaching German, as explained and taught by Prof. Haupt, of Cleveland. A second class of 200 is already organized.

Mr. T. P. Barber is much better and is surely going to get well. His recovery almost seems a miracle. Mr. Jacob Ely, of Erie, fills the position of ticket agent during the illness of Mr. Barber.

Mr. T. G. Hart is having a new residence built. Mr. Case, of Hudson, is the architect. The new house of Mr. C. Lawrence is nearly ready for occupancy.

Mr. C. Loomis, of Wahpeton, Dakota, is spending a few days with old friends.

Kirtland

Kirtland is quite a village. We begin to have our streets named and numbered, for instance: Rigdon St. and Joseph St. The latter is the place (No. 3) where Mrs. Green has her millinery store.

p. 3 Weather: We have had frosts every night for the past week.

Chauncey Fowles made a flying visit home to his parents last week.

Mr. W. Cowan lost 2 fine hogs a few days ago, supposed to be from cholera.

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Scanlan and Hughes have commenced the brick work in Mr. G. B. Durban's barn.

Tramps entered Mr. John Rutland's house last week and made off with some "grub."

Miss Mary Barless, from the city hospital, is spending a few days with her mother.

Mrs. Samuel Gibbons and daughter, of Lapeer, Michigan, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Dr. Sabin, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, is visiting his niece, Mrs. W. Richardson, of Third St.

Mr. Jas. T. Robison is the local agent for the New York Equitable Life Insurance co.

Mr. Ben Hughes returned home last Saturday from several months' visit to sons in Northern Missouri.

Mr. Geo. Ruder has sold his meat market to Ashcraft & Presley, who take possession next Monday.

Mr. Omar Bliss recently sold 20 and 65/100 acres on Vine St. to Mr. H. H. Hall; consideration \$2,050.

Mr. G. H. Morse has been appointed special administrator of the estate of the late Edward Lee, Kirtland.

Mr. Peter Thatcher Jr. and Miss Lettie Terrell, both of Cleveland, are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Couden.

Mr. Harbach purchased the building of H. C. Dawson and has moved it on to land in the rear of Ellen & Co.'s store.

We were told that Mr. and Miss Tompkins and Mr. F. O. Carroll and wife will occupy the new house of Will Stewart.

Mr. N. C. Stockwell has been appointed Township Trustee to fill the vacancy. The Board is now full: Stockton, Newton, Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden will entertain the Ladies' Christian Assoc. next Thursday afternoon.

John Rogers, of Rome, Ashtabula Co., shot himself on Sunday while his wife and child were at church. Financial troubles thought to be the cause.

Miss Leona Boyce will make a visit to her sister, Anna, at Clifton Springs early next week, and

will then join her uncle at New York, and together sail for Liverpool on May 6.

Mr. R. C. Berry and wife, of Oakland Co., Michigan, are visiting friends on the Plains. Mrs. B. is the daughter of Mr. Horace Simmons, a former citizen of Lake Co., now, also, of Michigan.

The three sons of Mrs. Ezra Holmes—W. L. of Onawa, Iowa; Arthur of Pittsburg, and H.A. of Lorain, Ohio, lately meet together at the family homestead for the first time in many years.

Mr. Julius C. French has been spending a short time in town this week with relatives, and will leave Cleveland for New York on Saturday, having business there preparatory to his European trip.

Mr. J. W. Stewart has just finished a harness intended for use in Nevada, which, from the strong and massive character, he does not intend shall ever need any repairs in that state. A team belonging to Mr. Plaisted, of Kirtland, while plowing near the bank of the river, fell down to the water's edge, a distance of 60 or 70', and dragging young Plaisted to the bottom. No serious injury was experienced either by the horses or the driver.

Gas was reached last week in the well now being sunk on Mr. Humprey's property, at a depth of 200 feet, apparently in abundance, and is now used in getting up steam.

Some fine cattle were sold the first of the week by Mr. C. Hoose (13 steers) and Mr. Harrison Carpenter (8 steers) destined for Cleveland.

Mr. Beekman, of Kirtland, has just completed a large portrait of Blanche, the little daughter of Mr. E. Crawford.

A writer from Chester for the *Geauga Republican* alluding to the late M. W. Cottrell says he was born in Cumington, Mass., in 1807; came to Willoughby with his father's family in 1823; In 1825, he settled in Chester where he lived until his death. He was married to Miss Mary Covert in Nov., 1829. They lived together for 52 years. He left a widow, three sons, and many friends to mourn his loss.

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In Memoriam

Mr. A. M. Berry died April 16. He was 64 years old and for many years had been an invalid.

Mrs. Rev. W. H. Hayden was given a surprise birthday party for her 24th birthday on Friday.

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Chas. Carson is home due to the severe illness of his sister.

The house of H. H. Coe narrowly escaped a fire Thursday night.

Ray Clarke, from Grinnell, Iowa, is in town visiting his brother, E. W. Clarke, of the Advertiser.

We are to have a new weekly paper called the *Argus*. The founder is Miss Lou J. Bates, a young lady of considerable literacy ability, some time past connected with a daily paper in Minneapolis, Minn.

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p. 2 Mentor

Mr. E. Cadle is building fence and making other improvements upon his home farm this spring.

Mr. Wilton Hodge was about to depart to Fargo last week but was detained by the illness of his wife. Dr. Young, of Painesville, is in attendance, and it is hoped her life may be spared.

No hope at all is entertained for the recovery of Mrs. Geo. Blish, who has been out of health for a long time.

Mr. Sidney Justus is on the sick list, also, Mrs. Vernon Sawyer.

Mr. Barber and Mr. Nathan Corning are both improving.

Miss Mary A. Hopkins died at the residence of her mother on Jackson St. Wednesday, age 47 years 9 months. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. Hammond, pastor of the M.E. Church.

Miss Nora Lawrence was badly burned last week. While cleaning up preparatory to moving into her father's new house, she came upon a package of "stuff" labeled medicine, which she

tossed in to the stove and, it was supposed, there was gunpowder or something of the kind in the package, for it immediately exploded, blew off the top of the stove and burned Miss Lawrence very badly about the face and neck. She was alone in the house at the time but had the presence of mind to put out the fire before she ran to the neighbor's where she fell fainting on the floor. A physician was sent for, and she is recovering as fast as could be expected.

Thursday noon word came to the relatives here that Mr. Thomas Clapp had died very suddenly of smallpox the evening before. The body was brought to Mentor for burial accompanied by the Cleveland Health Officer and with only Rev. Hendryx and an aged brother present at the grave. The name of Thomas Clapp is largely connected with the early history of the Reserve. He was nearly 80 years old when he died. He lived in Mentor many years, moving to Cleveland 5 years ago. He leaves a widow.

Kirtland

Christopher Crary is back again from Iowa where he has been for the last 16 months. Judging from appearances his 3 score years and 16 sat lightly on him (we have guessed his age). Mr. George Sharpe's youngest child is very sick with lung fever, attacked while Mrs. Sharpe was visiting at her father's. At this writing the child seems better.

Mr. Rogers has "new" sided his barns and built an addition.

We have just heard that Mrs. Samuel Metcalf is dead. She has been a great sufferer but all that is ended now.

Brainard Child and wife have gone to Michigan. Myron Bond, from Michigan, is stopping for the present in Kirtland.

Prize Contest at Peck's Corners

Eight or nine contestants appeared and spoke for the prize. Emma Warner, of Chester, 8 years old won the prize: Ridpath's *Life of General Garfield* a finely bound volume.

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Willoughby Plains

Mr. Rufus Berry, who left the Plains some 27 years ago, and now a resident, of Michigan, is visiting friends and relatives on the Plains.

Messrs. Brown and Graves have rented a farm in Concord for the summer, and on Saturday last took their young stock out there to pasture.

West Kirtland

Wm. Webster is doing considerable under-draining this spring.

J. H. Tryon and C. Hoose are considerably enlarging their stock of growing peach trees.

Mrs. Carpenter has been very sick for several weeks with liver complaint attended by Dr. Blinn. She is now able to be about the house a little.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

A. R. Hurd to Geo. F. Houliston, 15 acres in the Houliston estate, \$1,850

Geo. L. Lloyd to A. L. Moses, 16 and 70/100 acres, tract 12, lot 7, \$2,266.83

Hiram Brown to E. A. Brown, 2 and 81/100 acres, tract 13, lot 2, \$350

Edward E. Hudson to Cornelia H. Ingersoll, 10 acres, tract 2, lot 9, \$2,506

E. W. Bond to Oviatte Mfg. Co., 3 and 78/100 acres, part of Cushman Tavern stand, \$1,005

Henry Thackwell to George Elliott, 5 acres, tracts 10 and 11, lots 8 and 8, \$1,000

H. H. Hall to Cyrus N. Davis, 24 acres, tract 11, lot 1, \$3,500

Benejah Williams to R. Y. Carroll, 2/3 acre on Vine St., \$550

Kirtland

Cornelia F. Pedric to G. L. Ingersoll, 2 village lots, quit claim, \$1

D. W. Fessenden to C. W. Devine, 46 and 1/2 acres, tract 3, lots 89 and 104, \$2,000

August Wakefield to M. S. McFarland, lots 17 and 18 in tract 1, \$200

R. H. Gilmore to J. M. Gilmore and Jane L. Colby, 140 and 68/100 acres, tract 2, lots 92, 93, and 100, \$1

J. M. Gilmore and Jane L. Colby to W. R. Crary, 15 and 2/5 acres, tract 3, lot 100, \$250

Jane L. Colby to J. M. Gilmore, 50 acres, tract 3, lots 92 and 93, \$146.66

Aseneth Gilmore to James M. and Jane L. Gilmore, 50 acres, tract 3, lots 92 and 93, \$1

Board of Education Kirtland to Ella M. Whiting, school lot 7, in tract 1, \$300

Mentor

Emily C. Bradley to Chas. W. Hadden, 1 and 27/100 acres in Bacon Lot, \$1,500

In an old church yard in Ohio, there is an epitaph dated 1800:

“Under this sod, and under these trees,
Lieth the body of Solomon Pease.

“He’s not in this hole, but only his pod,
He shelled out his soul, and went up to his God.”

p. 3 Mr. Gilson is adding a commodious barn to his buildings.

Mrs. E. Davison and family have recently moved into the village.

Mr. L. D. Austin, of Toledo, spent the Sabbath here with relatives.

Mr. Samuel Johnson has sold out his place in the south part of town and removed to Euclid.

Mr. Rufus C. Berry and wife left for home—South Lyon, Michigan, and yesterday morning.

One of the oldest settlers of Madison, Mrs. Linus Lee, died at her residence on Middle Ridge a few days ago. She was 85 years old.

Mr. J. A. Allen and family have again taken up residence in the village renting the house of Mr. Blackman on Spaulding St.

Stone from the Amherst quarries is being prepared for Mr. Penfield’s sidewalk. Work being done by Mr. D. Haggett.

Mr. Chas. Wright returned to Grand Rapids, Michigan, on Tuesday. He was accompanied by his mother who intends to make an extended visit.

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The new vineyard of Mr. Elwell is started and ready for the first vine.

Ernie Woodward who has long worked at Mr. Ruder's meat market will continue with the new owners.

Mrs. A. C. Smith who has been visiting relatives here for some weeks, left for Chicago early in the week. She was accompanied by Mr. Smith, who spent Sabbath in town.

Miss Leona Boyce and her uncle, Mr. J. C. French, sailed from New York for **Europe** on Saturday in the "Britannic."

Mr. S. H. Smart has returned from Hudson and at present takes a position in his father's store.

Noah Stewart received this week by express from Nevada, a Mexican bridle. The lines are made of horsehair tightly woven together; while the bit arrangement is massive and unique. If we should estimate the price of the bridle by its elaborate workmanship, the figures would be high.

We record this week the death of two valued friends: Thomas J. Clapp and Frank G. Stickney.

Mr. Elwell's property located directly north of the Lake Shore Rd. in this village (the old Stewart house) and contiguous to his present residence is having many additions and improvements and is rapidly approaching completion. The interior of the house has been completely renovated upstairs and down and bath room added.

April 28, Mrs. Hanscom was given a surprise birthday party by friends.

Painesville – From the Hub

Fred Porter is quite sick and is now in Cleveland for treatment.

John Brennan, former proprietor of the Cowles House, is in town.

Horace Alvord has been ill and confined to his room for several days but is now convalescent.

Mrs. S. E. Higgins, wife of the late Jas. Higgins. Died at her residence on Bank St., Saturday, age 61 years.

Mr. E. P. Branch has sold his beautiful residence on Casement Ave. to a Cleveland party—the same that recently purchased the Eddy place.

After quite a lengthy illness, Mr. F. G. Stickney died at his residence on Mentor Ave. last Saturday, at age 54 years. The deceased was for many years a resident of Concord, his father (Jonathan Stickney) then being proprietor of the flouring mills which bore his name. The funeral was held Tuesday morning.

We made an error in our last in stating the name of the new paper to be published here. It is the *Graphic* not the *Argus*. The local column will be under the direction of Mr. E. E. Bates.

Wm. Hadel, formerly a successful and prominent businessman of this place, ended his life by the use of morphine last Sunday. General despondency, occasioned by shattered health and ruined business is assigned as the cause. The funeral which was conducted by the Masons was held on Tuesday.

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Willoughby Plains

p. 2 John Bernherdt, of Collinwood, spent this last week with his people on the Plains.

A. Hanson has purchased a fine blooded calf of Mr. Mathers, one mile north of Painesville—half Jersey and half Holstein.

A. Cole and Arthur start for Kansas, we believe, this week. Mr. C. has a brother there on a sheep ranch—probably going there.

Someone cut down Sid Smith's row of trees he had set out this spring along the road side last Saturday night—only one is left standing.

Dan Hopkins had 4 sheep killed by dogs.

Wickliffe

Mr. John Mosher has so far recovered as to be able to attend service at the Chapel, even at evening meetings.

Mr. Frank Walton and family together with Mr. Will Aldrich, all of Collinwood, spent a portion of the Sabbath with the family of Clark Stevens of this place.

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It is now definitely settled that the Wickliffe Depot for the new railroad is to be located just about opposite Stray's store. The location for the reservoir is fixed and water is to be drawn, it is said, from the springs up on the farm of L. E. White.

Mentor

Mrs. Geo. Marsh is visiting friends in Claridon. Our sick people are gaining; Mr. Barber walks around and is quite independent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pratt, of East Cleveland, spent the Sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. Blackman.

The M.E. Society will hold its next social at the residence of E. T. C. Aldrich, May 12.

The pleasant voice of T. C. Radcliffe, was heard in song of praise last Sabbath. Mr. R. is looking better and it is hoped that the Pennsylvania air will prove beneficial to him.

Miss Martha Mays, whose home was in Mentor some time with Mrs. Garfield, has been spending the winter in Paris and is now preparing to travel in Germany and Italy until her return to Lake Erie Seminary next September.

Mr. Isaac Moore is well and has enjoyed a pleasant winter in the home of his son "Milan," in Farmer City, Ill. He always wishes to be remembered to old friends in Lake Co. who are dearer than all others.

Byron Carpenter, second son of Harrison Carpenter, is studying medicine in the office of Dr. Bixby.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

George A. Baker and wife to A. Everett, 108 and 84/100 acres, tract 14, lot 1, quit claim, \$1.

A. Everett to Geo. A. Baker, 108 and 84/100 acres, tract 4, lot 1, quit claim, \$20,000

Benjamin Gibbons to S. H. Merrill, lot 45, Union St., \$2,000

J. H. Walter to Commissioners of Lake Co. roadway, \$75

Francis Hardaker to Com. of Lake Co. Roadway, \$135

Cornelia H. Ingersoll and others to Commissioner of Lake Co. Roadway, \$1
Sophia Graves to Comm. of Lake Co. Roadway, \$1

Almira L. Citterly and others to Charles H. Hopkins, 20 acres, Douglass tract, Campbell lot, \$1,500

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Calvin Ingersoll to Edwin F. Ingersoll, 105 acres, tract 6, lot 8, \$8,414.72

Ranson H. Root and others to Orson E. Root, 31 acres, Shelic tract, lots 1 and 2, \$750

Orlando G. Root to Orson G. Root, quit claim to Erastus Root's estate, \$300

Neil Gallagher to Peter J. Ferron, 14 acres, tract 10, lot 4, \$700

Kirtland

James M. Gilmore to Jane T. Colby, 124 and 84/100 acres, tract 3, lots 93 and 100, quit claim, \$666.66

E. Markell to Thos. Cox, 36 and 23/100 acres, in Austin farm, \$1,050

Aurilla Bilson, to Leroy L. Abbey, 39 acres in lot 87, \$1,530

p. 3 Mrs. Chas. Austin returned to Savannah, Ga., on Tuesday.

Painesville can now boast of having four weekly newspapers.

Judge Austin, of Toledo, has been in town most of the past week.

The gas well, of Mr. Humphrey has now reached 400'.

Mr. L. P. Bates is reported as being a little better.

Mrs. David Law leaves on Friday for Philadelphia, for the purpose of visiting her son, Myron D.

Mr. Chas. Clark came down from the city on Saturday night and spent the Sabbath with friends.

Mr. John Babcock returns with his son, George, to California expecting to be absent a year or more.

Mr. D. M. Alvord and family, of Collinwood, have been spending a few days in town with Mrs. Komar.

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Mr. R. H. Abbott, now a resident of Perry, was on a visit Saturday to his invalid father on the Plains.

Mrs. Thos. Clapp, of East Cleveland, is reported suffering from the same disease that carried off her husband.

The marriage of Mr. W. P. Whelpley and Miss Virginia H. Carey took place in Kirtland a few days ago.

The *Doniphan* (Kansas) News says that Mrs. Leo. Slayton left that place on Monday of last week to join her husband at Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mrs. Harry McKinnie, of Cleveland, (Miss Kate Sharpe) sailed last Saturday from New York for Liverpool—expecting to be absent about 2 months.

The friends of Mr. S. B. Taylor will be sorry to learn that he is still confined to his bed, and his physician says he must keep it for the next four months.

Mrs. S. C. Durban and daughter, of Painesville, together with the youngest male scion of the family, have been visiting for a week past with relatives in West Mentor.

Our friend, A. G. Reynolds, of Little Mountain, has recently been admitted to the bar. He has been a close student for sometime in the office of Tuttle & Tuttle, Painesville.

Deacon John Wells, one of the oldest and best citizens of Kirtland, died at his residence in that place Tuesday.

The next Universalist Social will be at Rev. Mr. Couden's, Vine St. on May 17.

Rev. A. J. Waugh will leave Monday on a brief vacation visiting friends in Coshocton, N.Y.

Mr. E. G. Bunnell is in Cleveland and undergoing treatment for spinal disease by a homeopathic physician.

Those drinking cups made of quassia wood are going off like hot cakes. It is well known that this wood possesses remarkable medicinal properties—water used from contact with it is good for loss of appetite, sick headache, liver and kidney complaints, constipation, &c. Mr. Neveu has had a few of these cups sent him

from the manufactory which he will sell to those making application.

Mr. Will Stewart expects to take his departure for Nevada tomorrow night and hopes to arrive at his destination in about 8 days. He has innumerable relatives there, so he will be well taken care of. Harry Stevens goes with him.

We clip the following from the *Semi-Tropical*, of Lake Eustis, Florida: "Mr. G. V. Folk, of Ashland, Ohio, has been with us for a week past and is selecting a location in this place for a sawmill. There are three other Ohio gentlemen connected with the enterprise, who are expected here shortly, their families will follow in the fall."

We are informed the three gentlemen spoken above are residents of Willoughby, and expect to start as soon as things are in readiness.

Mrs. J. A. Bartholomew and Mr. O. N. Barber were given birthday surprise parties. At the house of the former on Thursday, neighbors and friends poured in and presented a handsome China tea set, & c. Two days later the second named lady was similarly greeted.

Mr. C. C. Colson had a narrow escape from serious injury on Tuesday. While using a team on his land over the river, the wagon box became overturned with Mr. C. underneath. The horses got loose and were seen by Mrs. Wood making for the village, who notified her husband, and with other help proceeded in the direction whence the horses came. C. C. was found and released from under the wagon. He had a bad cut on the head. The horses were secured near Mr. Viall's uninjured. Mr. C. was about the streets yesterday looking pale, but worth more than 20 dead men.

Four Score Years and One

A pleasant gathering took place at Mrs. Payn's residence on River St., last Thursday afternoon to celebrate the 81st birthday of Mrs. A. Nash. Her grandchildren, all from Cleveland, were present. Beautiful birthday cards were received from Mrs. S. Wilson and Mrs. A. J. Waugh. Only one unpleasant feature marred the occasion, the last surviving sister of Mrs. Nash, eight years

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older than herself, was the same day buried in the distant east.

A card of thanks is printed by Samuel Metcalf and family to their neighbors and friends who kindly lent their assistance during the illness and funeral of the late Mrs. S. Metcalf.

Obituary

Entered into rest at her late home in west Kirtland, April 30, Maria Baldwin Metcalf, age 61 years 11 months 10 days. She was born in Mount Morris, Livingston Co., N.Y., June 20, 1820. In 1836, at the age of 16, she removed with her father's family to Kirtland, Ohio, where she has since resided. Of her family, there were 10 children: Adaline, Emeline, Maria, Truman, Julia, Lucinda, Mary, and Amanda: A younger brother dying soon after their arrival here. Of the family, there are now living 3 sisters—Mrs. G. W. Fowler, and Mrs. John Bradley, of Batavia, Ill., and Mrs. Amanda Latham, of Indiana. At age 19, she married on Oct. 31, 1839, to Samuel Metcalf—the ceremony performed by Esq. Holmes. In Oct. next, they would have been married 43 years. They had 4 children: Martin, Aurelia, Beeda, and George. Martin, now of San Jose, California, is engaged in raising fruit. Aurelia died July 3, 1865, age 21 years. For over 3 years, the deceased has been a great sufferer requiring almost constant attendance. She had extreme nervousness, prostration, and pneumonia, all arising it is thought from neuralgia of the head. When she died the last name she uttered was "Beeda." Rev. H. N. Couden officiated.

Painesville – From the Hub

Alfred Mathews is on a visit to his parents.

Miss Minnie Wood has returned from New York.

Messrs. Merrill and Lowrey have left for Grand Fort, D.T., where they will go into business.

Fred C. Porter died in Cleveland last Wednesday night; a sad stroke to his parents and friends. The C.Z.Q., a society in which he belonged,

made a beautiful floral offering and attended the funeral in a body.

Mrs. Erastus Davison, Willoughby, Ohio, was provided with a gift of \$56.33 from the G.A.R. Andrew Y. Austin Post. One of the principal objects of the "Grand Army" is to provide aid to the widows of their comrades in arms.

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Wickliffe

p. 2 Mr. Walker's grocery is to be moved across the street this week.

Frank Hardaker and family attended the funeral of his mother last week in Chardon. She died of paralysis.

In a little more than a week, Miss Jessie White will return home from the Normal School at Ada, Hardin Co., where she has been since the first week of January.

Mr. Joseph White, who lives about two miles south of here, has been very sick the larger part of the past winter. He is now improving, and it is hoped he will recover.

On Thursday last, Mr. John Babcock who lives one mile east of Wickliffe, started for California to make an extended visit with the family of his son, George, who has for some years been a resident of that state.

Dr. A. S. Hayden, of Columbiana, son and daughter are on a short visit to relatives and friends in this vicinity. They spent a part of last Saturday with his brother, Rev. W. H. Hayden, of your village, and they continued their visit with the family of his brother-in-law, Geo. H. Merrill, of Wickliffe.

Mentor

Mrs. Harriet Dickey has returned from her visit to Akron.

Mrs. Kate Holmes, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. Dickey.

Mr. T. Radcliffe spent Sabbath at home; as did also, Mr. J. Rexford, of Cleveland.

Mrs. E. Horn, of Allegheny City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Rudolph, of Lawnfield.

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Mr. O. Hodges and his daughter (Mrs. Allen, of Painesville) spent Monday with friends in Mentor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Viall intend making Mentor their headquarters for the summer, glad to hear.

Mrs. Laura Root and her son have returned from their visit to old Virginia—delighted with their trip.

Dr. Bixby and widowed mother, Mrs. Curtiss, have gone to housekeeping in the George Viall house, opposite the residence of N. H. Clapp.

Mrs. Facet (nee Mrs. Montgomery) and her little daughter will spend the summer in Mentor. Also, Gen. Northrop and Mrs. Montgomery have secured room with Mrs. Whitney for the summer.

Mrs. T. Clapp, of East Cleveland, is now suffering from varioloid, but is not considered in a dangerous condition. Her son, M.G. Clapp, returned home from N.Y. immediately upon the receipt of the news of the death of his father, and is with Mrs. C. are present.

Kirtland

And yet another pioneer has fallen in Kirtland. This time the death of Deacon John Wells. He was born in Greenfield, Franklin Co., Mass, Jan. 26, 1798, and died May 9, 1882, therefore, 84 years old. The family had settled in this part of Mass. for nearly a century previous. An ancestor, Capt. Agrippa Wells, enlisted in the Old French War in Mass. in a company called the Massachusetts Rangers, renowned for their heroic achievements. Later, he fought in the Civil War. He was the grandfather of Deacon John Wells of this sketch.

His father's name was Jonathan. He died when this boy was 10 years old. From that time until age 21, he found a home with a man named Smead, who lived just over the line in Vermont. He proved to be a father to this orphan. In 1824, John came to Kirtland and soon after bought a farm located on the hill west of the East Branch on the Chardon Road and now owned by J. Beals. Fourteen years ago, he sold

out and came to the Flats, buying a farm at the foot of the hill, east of the Well's Store. In 1837 (1827?) he married Salome Billings, youngest of 11 children. She died Mar. 12, 1833, leaving 3 children: Martha, the eldest and living at home, Mary E. Ladd, of Iowa; and Emily S. Button, living in Wood Co., Ohio. In 1834, he married the second time to Emily Billings, sister to his first wife, and who survives him at 84 years of age. Her children were 4 in number: John F. Wells, merchant at the Flats; Charles F. Wells, of Iowa; Henry O. Wells, living at the homestead; and Marguerite, deceased (she was the wife of Porter Whelpley, now of Madison, in the county). He was smitten with the paralytic stroke one year ago from which he finally rallied and was to go sometimes to church. A few weeks ago, he became ill and died from that illness. The funeral was Thursday at the house. Rev. Mr. Waugh, of Willoughby, conducting the services. Six bearers were selected from the oldest in the township: Christopher Crary, age 76; Harvey Morse, age 77; Alfred Morley, age 76; John Randall, age 74; Gurdon Pitcher, age 75; Chester Clapp, age 70. He was buried in the old burying ground on the hill. Deacon Wells had been a professor of religion since his youth and was a deacon for more than 40 years. He was a member of the Congregational Church, of Kirtland. In politics, he was a Republican.

Miss E. Markell is quite sick with typhoid fever. Drs. Davis and Blinn are in attendance.

Mr. Geo. Hanscom has returned from Washington, where he has been all winter. He looks hale and hearty.

p. 3 Weather: Heavy white frost last night.

Mrs. Kingsley and daughter, Delia, are visiting in Madison.

Mr. D. Haggett and wife are at home again from Bedford.

Mr. B. B. Wirt is now teaching in the 1st District of Mentor.

Mr. E. J. Dickey, left for Dakota, last Friday on a prospecting tour.

Mr. J. V. Viall is out and in better health than for a number of weeks.

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Mrs. T. S. Hodgson, of Kingsville, made a short trip here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowles spent the Sabbath in Cleveland with their friends the Chaddertons.

Mr. Ed. Greary, of Munson, has been here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Palmer.

Mr. Harmon Clark, now of the Park House, Warren, made a brief visit to town last week.

Miss Lottie Mitchell, of Cleveland is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Minnie Fowles.

Messrs. Yaxley & Brichford have the contract for building Mr. E. Baker's new house on Vine St.

Mr. Alfred Elwell has been appointed guardian of Miss Emily Belden, in place of Judge G. N. Tuttle.

Mrs. Jane M. French, of Muir, Michigan, is making a visit to her relatives here—the Pelton brothers.

A line from Mr. M. W. Judd informs us of the change of residence from Attica to Drayton Plains, Oakland Co, Michigan.

Perry Carroll, of West Mentor, was thrown from a colt last Sunday and received severe injuries about the head and face.

Mr. J. N. Warne has just finished a handsome double harness for Mr. Thos. Cox, of West Kirtland.

Mrs. Henry Randall will entertain the Ladies' Christian Assoc. next Thursday afternoon.

The Welton family, who were spoken of in our last as visiting in Wickliffe, should have been credited to Collamer, not Collinwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bond are absent on a trip to Florida. It is said Mr. B. will make a purchase of timber land out there and ship a portable sawmill.

Rev. J. A. Waugh left for Coshocton, N.Y., Monday on a visit to his father. He will return in about 2 weeks accompanied by his wife and boy, who preceded him several weeks ago.

Mr. Penfield employs between 50 and 60 hands in his shops and brickyard.

Mrs. E. B. Chase, of Camp Point, Ill, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hercules Carroll, of Kirtland, for two months past, returns to Illinois today.

Mr. Durban's new barn presents a very neat appearance from the road, and is in perfect keeping with the rest of the premises. It is the only brick barn in the township.

The carpenters have reached Second St. and are about to enlarge the premises of Mr. E. Crawford, giving him a new kitchen, wood shed, and a roomier cellar. A bay window is, also, to be added on the east side of the house.

Mr. Geo. Hanscom, of Kirtland, has recently returned from Washington after spending several weeks with his nephew, Mr. C. H. Gray, regular correspondent of the Cleveland *Leader*. Will Stewart and Harry Stevens left Monday noon for Paradise Valley, Humboldt Co., Nevada. At Cleveland, the two boys were met by Ben Ellen, who generously furnished them with a well-filled lunch basket.

Universalist Church Social Organization officers

elected: Pres. Mrs. H. N. Couden; Vice Pres. Mrs. D. Low; Sec. Miss Nettie Grover; Treas., Mrs. J. Arnold.

Executive Committee: Messrs. Jas. Allen, Justus Fowler, Mrs. D. B. Goodrich, and Mrs. H. C. Dawson.

Court Proceedings

State of Ohio vs. Martin Noonan, grand larceny. Laura A. Teachout vs. the Mahoning Valley Mutual Relief Assoc. Judgment for Plaintiff for \$2,220 and costs.

Laura A. Teachout vs. the Knights Templars and Masonic Mutual Relief Assoc. Judgment for plaintiff for \$5,560 and costs.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Maria A. Campbell to Eliza A Downing, 15 and 45/100 acres, on lake shore, \$700

Mentor

Mattie Chase to Fannie Andrews, 25 acres, tract 8, lot 1, \$1,500

Fannie Andrews to Mattie Chase, 12 and 60/200 acres, tract 16, \$830

John W. Simmons to Mattie Chase, 50 acres, tract 13, lot 7, \$3,260.

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Calvin Bidlake to Russell W. McClintock, 50 acres, in the Bidlake farm, \$1,700

Mr. A. D. Sturges is home from New York.

Howard Baldwin is confined to his room by intermittent fever.

Judge Tuttle has had another severe attack of sciatic rheumatism.

Our young lawyers have formed a society call the Blackstone Club.

Mr. F. Clapsadel died on Mentor Ave. on Monday, age 63 years. He was for many years a prominent businessman. He leaves a wife and two children. Funeral today.

The following are the names of those who had an average standing of 90% in the monthly examination at the Ridge School: Lizzie Sargeant, Fannie Perkins, Mary Norman, Willie Norman. Perfect in attendance: Maud Boyce, Fannie Perkins, Lizzie Sargeant, Myra Mosher.

W. G. Benham can be found on Vine St. occupying one of John Hill's brick houses, where he is prepared to repaint, varnish, and upholster carriages promptly and at reasonable prices.

Estate of Elma Holmes Graves

J. H. Tryon is the executor of the deceased late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio

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p. 2 The Late Mr. Greary

Mr. Edward Greary died suddenly. He was born in Ansty, near Leicester, Leicestershire County, England. About the year 1852, he came with his wife to this country. Arriving in Philadelphia, he sought out his trade, that of a frame work knitter, being poor at that time, he determined to strike for the (then) west, and came to Ohio where he had a cousin living in Chester, Geauga Co. When he reached Willoughby, the ground was covered in snow and Chester 8 or 9 miles distant, money all gone; a box or two and a bass viola and flute embraced his worldly goods. Taking the instruments under his arm, he and

his wife, with a baby 6 weeks old, started on foot for Chester, arriving at the home of Mr. Chester Palmer, worn out and discouraged. He lived with Mr. Palmer six years. For some time he was a teacher and afterward, Superintendent of the Presbyterian Sunday School in Chester. When the war broke out he went to the front as a musician, serving to the close of the war and returning home to Munson where by frugality and industry he had been enabled to buy a small farm. His wife suddenly sickened and died; shortly after, his aged mother who had followed him to America, dropped dead as she was walking in the garden. Disease had taken hold of him in his old age, and his youngest daughter and husband returned to the old homestead to take care of him. But death again visited the family taking away two grandchildren—two bright little ones of Mrs. Pratt, his eldest daughter. He became sicker after this and his friends urged him to seek medical assistance. To this end, he visited his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, and the weather being fine, Mr. Palmer drove him to Cleveland. Mr. G. appeared to enjoy the ride and stopping with a relative Mr. T. S. Knight. He retired early apparently in good health, but soon complained of distress in the chest, and arose and paced the floor. He returned toward the bed, but fell on the floor. Mr. Palmer went to his side but obtaining no response, he called for a light and assistance, but Mr. Greary was dead. The following day the body was taken to his daughter's home in Chester and Friday laid away in the vault. At 11:00 a solemn procession moved from the house to the Presbyterian Church, preceded by the Chester Band playing a dirge, followed by probably the largest number of people that ever gathered at a funeral in Chester. Mr. Chauncey Barber, in an act of respect having charge of the ceremonies, placed upon the coffin the cornet with which he used to instruct the band. He leaves a family of four children to mourn his loss: Two sons and two daughters, three of whom saw him buried, the oldest son being in Dakota. He was 67 years old. When a young man he organized a band in the manufactory at Leicester of which he was

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an employee. He was, also, one of the principal spirits in the English Chartist movement, and contemporary with O'Conner and Cooper.

Wickliffe

Miss Jennie Barnes, of the Primary Dept. in Wickliffe schools, now presides at the organ in the chapel

Mrs. Thos. Dodd, of Pleasant Valley, and her daughters, Mabel and Sadie, spent the Sabbath in Wickliffe at her father's, Mr. Jos. King.

Mentor

Mrs. L. H. Luse is visiting relatives in Orange. Charles Loomis has returned to his home in Wahpeton, Dakota.

Dr. L. H. Luse has been appointed Notary Public for the sixth time. Such is fame.

Mrs. Wm. Dawson, of Bedford, and Rev. J. M. Atwater, of Cleveland, were guests of H. H. Clapp over the Sabbath.

There will be a Disciple Social at H. F. Green's, May 26.

Gen. Northrup with his daughter and granddaughter (Mrs. E. Facht) are expected to spend the summer in Mentor.

Word has been received of the sudden death of Mrs. Edward Marsh in Chardon yesterday. Mrs. Marsh has seemed to be in some big trouble for some time but her condition was not considered serious. About 3 weeks ago, she started with her two little ones to make some visits among relatives in Claridon, Munson, and Chardon. At the later place, she was taken sick and died very suddenly.

Maple Grove

A pleasant gathering took place at the residence of Mr. Greenstreet to celebrate the 82nd birthday of Mr. Jacob Lilley. Mr. Lilley was presented with a substantial cane by his children; and, also, presented with a handkerchief by Mr. and Mrs. Pike. Some of his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren were present.

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Miss Markell is reported better.

E. Rich is expected home sometime this week.

Rev. Mr. Buel drove from Cleveland Saturday, and today drove back in the rain.

Alvin Daniels, of Mentor, won first prize and Miss Lillian Warner second price in the prize contest in Kirtland for best recitation.

In Transfer of Real Estate, we find the following:

Willoughby

Sophia J. Brown to Kate McVey, 7/16 acre in St. John's subdivision, \$250.

Eliza J. Downing to Myron H. Downy, 5 and 6/100 acre, lot 18 in Gore, \$92.

Omar Bliss to H. H. Hall, 20 and 65/200 acres, lot 12 in Gore, \$2,650.

Court Proceedings

Orsemus Manchester vs. Ed Warner; dismissed.

Wm. W. Johnson vs. W. A. Babcock

Adm. of G. M. Dickey, dec. vs. Nannie McCrslin

Wm. Kerr vs. Incorporated Village of Painesville

Oliver D. Gray vs. S. R. House – dismissed.

Jerry McGuinn vs. J. L. Tabor

Albert Fleming vs. David Colby

Gideon S. King vs. Maud M. King

E. J. Sweeney vs. Jessie Rooker Jr.

Wm. DeLong vs. James B. Barnes

A. M. Ferguson vs. Lon F. McAleer

J. S. Ellen & Co. vs. E. F. Stockwell – judgment to plaintiff, \$596.93.

L. C. Thompson vs. Wm. Hall, judgment for plaintiff, \$75.80

Charles W. Lamb vs. Albert D. Duer and Henry Randall

One of Mossman's celebrated stump pullers, For Sale, H. W. Freer, Willoughby

p. 3 Mrs. Dawson is visiting at Jefferson her former home.

Mrs. Dr. Fuller and daughter of Michigan are here to spend the summer.

Mr. Ned Rockafellow of N.Y. City, was a guest at Mr. Stockwell's over the last Sabbath.

Mr. S. D. Moore and son, of Fullerton, spent a couple of days with Mrs. J. C. Sharpe last week.

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A fine granite monument has been erected on Mr. R. Y. Carroll's lot in the Willoughby Cemetery.

Mrs. Mitchell, of the Forest City, has been visiting the family of Mr. Fowles. On her return home she was accompanied by Minnie Fowles.

Mrs. E. W. Bond returned from Florida last Sunday.

Mr. Bond continued his journey to Lookout Mountain, but is expected home this week.

The Cleveland Coffee House, Mr. Ben. Ellen, proprietor, is now located at No. 63 Public Square between the old court house and the Stone Church.

Wm. Lewis who sails on the *Franz Seigel* between Buffalo and Superior says that freights on ore are a dollar per ton less than this time last year.

Mr. Seymour Kelly, for so many years the popular express agent on the Lake Shore accommodation, has been transferred to the supply department on the road, his residence being in Painesville.

Mr. W. T. Carmen, who has just recently returned from Alliance says that wheat and grain are doing very well, and it is safe to reckon on a large yield of the latter.

Mrs. L. B. Johns, of Fort Wayne (nee Belle Fowles) is on a visit of 2 or 3 weeks to her parents. Miss Lena Fowles who has been at the same place for several months past returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mr. W. C. Andrews and Dr. St. John arrived from the east last night.

Dr. J. M. Peebles was in town Friday on his way to Cincinnati, where he lectured on Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Wells is at home planning improvements to his already handsome premises.

Miss Glen Penfield assisted at a concert given last week at the college in Westerfield, Ohio.

The audience was delighted with Miss Penfield's singing.

Mr. Lewis H. Case, of Painesville, and Miss Mary A. Hughes, of Willoughby, were married last Sunday by Mr. Bezell.

A new iron fence was put up for Mr. Penfield last week.

Rev. Lewis Paine, wife, and daughter, Myrtle, of Alliance are at Mr. Joseph Boyce's on a visit. Mrs. Paine will remain over the Sabbath and the daughter will spend several weeks here.

The sudden death of Mr. E. Geary, of Munson, took place in East Cleveland last Wednesday night. The deceased left home on Tuesday morning, taking the stage for Chester, for the purpose of visiting relatives in Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. C. Palmer. He visited our office. After dinner, Mr. Palmer drove him to Cleveland stopping at the house of a relative, intending to consult a physician as to Mr. Geary's ailment the next day. At night both occupied the same bed, and soon after retiring, Mr. Geary became ill.

A Double Wedding

Wed., May 24, will long be remembered as an eventful day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Presley, of Waite Hill. Their only children Melva and Fred were both married on that day. The former to John R. Brichford (son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brichford), the latter to Ella Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaRoyal Taylor. Rev. B. F. Bezell performed the ceremony.

Willoughby Plains

A. Cole and Arthur Griswold have gone to Kansas; the former for his health.

Mr. Talbot has set out maples and other improvements.

Mr. Geo. Newton has replaced missing evergreens in fence, and painted his residence.

Mr. Walter Tyler's boy has been very sick, but is better now.

Mrs. Flora Perry is quite sick of malarial fever.

M. E. Gray left Monday to attend the Baptist anniversary at New York City as a delegate from the Painesville Church.

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Mr. E. M. Wing says that on his visit to Kansas, he met with Mr. T. M. Gordon and Mrs. S. Brinkerhoff. Mr. W. has set his face Kansasward and next fall will see him on the way thither.

Painesville – From the Hub

Dan Young and Charlie Durban have gone to Dakota.

Major Pierson has purchased a house on South St. and his family will return soon.

Erastus Briggs, a former citizen of the county, died. He was 81 years old.

Mrs. Norris P. Stockwell and children arrived from abroad a few days ago. A part of the summer will be spent at the Avery mansion.

West Kirtland

It is a son of S. C. Carpenter who is sick, reported in my last; the patient is slowly improving.

C. D. Tryon, of Waite Hill, has a new baby boy.

Miss Frank Gregory, of Waite Hill, is the teacher in our school. G. S. Metcalf is teaching at Maple Grove.

George Hoose recently purchased of John Sperry, South Kirtland, 20 acres of timberland.

John Daggett, of south Kirtland, had a baby daughter.

The remains of Mrs. S. Metcalf were taken to their final resting place last Saturday in Chestnut Grove Cemetery in the southwest corner of the township. In this cemetery are interred the parents of Mr. S. Metcalf who came into this section from Vermont in 1820. They settled on the present homestead building first a log house and in 1835 erected the house now occupied by the family, being one year after the Mormon Temple at Kirtland was built. The grandfather of Mr. Metcalf was a large and powerful man weighing over 300 lbs., and it is told he had 54 feet of boys--there being 9 and each 6 feet in height and well proportioned. Also, 2 sisters of generous height. Seven of the brothers settled in or near this section. The parents of P. A. Metcalf are, also, buried in this

cemetery settling here in 1818. Old settlers will recall other names of the interred here, among which are: Squire Cummings, Elisha Goodell, Thomas Cuddy, Col. Paige, Daniel Marble and brothers, and the parents of Alex Williams. Previous to 1838, the cemetery was situated on the north side of the road on land now owned by Calvin Bidlake. In that year, the bodies were exhumed and placed in the present site.

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p. 2 It is said S. B. Ware, of Orwell, will raise four acres of cucumbers this season. He expects a yield of 100,000 cucumbers per acre.

Most of p. 2 is taken up with Decoration Day speeches and poems.

p. 3 Walter Tyler and wife of the Plains, have a boarder—it is a boy.

Mrs. Sally Hanson has returned from Columbus and will spend the summer here.

Miss Nellie Sharpe, of St. Louis, is visiting her relatives here—Mr. and Mrs. Neveu.

Miss Nellie Radcliffe has been visiting friends here the past week.

Mrs. Conley and daughter, of Cleveland, spent Decoration Day in our village.

Mr. Mark L. Deering, of Cleveland, was at the Powell House from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. A. J. Elias and daughter, Painesville, spent a portion of the past week at the Powell House from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. S. Bichford is once more able to come to town after a confinement to the house of several months.

The Rev. D. K. Flickinger arrived at home Monday after an absence of 6 months in a foreign land.

Miss Jennie Chadderton made a visit to friends here and returned to the city Monday.

Mrs. E. W. Palmer left for Wisconsin on Monday morning in summons to a dispatch that her son, George, was at the point of death.

Willoughby now has **five velocipedes** owned by: Ornie Waite, A. P. Bateham, F. E. Bond, George Law, and L. W. Penfield.

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News has been received of the arrival of Will Stewart and Harry Stevens at Paradise Valley, Nevada; both in good health and spirits.

Mrs. O. M. Davison has been very sick at her daughters at Kingsville; and Mrs. O. N. Barber left Tuesday evening to assist in taking care of her.

The Madison *Index* says that Frank Benjamin captured a black snake the other day on his Middle Ridge farm which measured 6' in length. Ed White has painted the dwelling of T. H. Burr and W. T. Clark.

Mr. H. H. Sanford and wife, Painesville, spent last Saturday in town-- the former on business for the Geauga Stove Co.

Mr. Truman Barber, of Mentor, was so much improved last week that he was to spend a few days here with his mother and sister.

Geo. Dille, of Mentor, is doing considerable work on Chester Palmer's house, inside and out. Mr. Fred Sheak, of Cleveland, spent the Sabbath with his friend, Mr. Will Wilson.

Mrs. Dr. Johnson, of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days with Mrs. Bartholomew.

Several bicycle riders from Painesville were out here Tuesday—among them the two Casement boys.

Mrs. A. J. Elwell left yesterday for a trip to the west.

Miss Leona Boyce writes of her safe arrival and party at Liverpool where they were met by Miss Mildred French. They are enjoying the sights of London.

Mrs. Bunnell returned Friday night from a visit of several days with relatives at Cleveland and North Dover. Mr. E. G. Bunnell spent the Sabbath at home, no permanent improvements in his health is yet experience.

E. Barnes has finished a handsome job of decorative work for Mr. Bond and since then his services have been requested for similar services by Mr. Ellen and Mr. Clement.

We add to our subscription list this week the name of John S. Woolsey, of Gilroy, California. Mr. W. left Willoughby in 1870 and is now in

business as a machinist at the above place. He is, also, the manufacturer and patentee of a steam generator and cheese vat, the merits of which are highly regarded.

The Loy Bros. have painted the dwelling of Mr. Fred Yaxley and new shingles are on the barn.

Mr. O. C. Reynolds arrived at his home in west Mentor last Friday from Indianola, Iowa, and will remain 2 or 3 weeks. Mr. R. and brother are in the hardware and implement business there and this spring have opened a branch store in Des Moines.

Messrs. D. F. Hopkins and W. Richardson started for Florida on Monday and Frank W. Bond will join them in 2 weeks. They have formed a company with Mr. G. V. Volk, of Ashland, Ohio. The company intends to run a sawmill, lath, and shingle operation.

Wickliffe

Miss Jessie White returned home from the Normal School at Ada last Friday.

Mrs. Dr. Bryant and mother, of Ridgeville, made a visit to George H. Merrill and family last week.

Our townsman and merchant, Mr. Walker, and Mrs. Mary Lamoreaux were married last week.

Mr. M. Wemple, of Collamer, spent last Sunday with the family of his brother-in-law, Clark Stevens.

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Mrs. Emma Murray is visiting friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. Justin Kennedy, of Aurora, is the guest of Mrs. H. C. King

The little daughter of Mr. D. Woodford, got her arm broken on Friday while playing with some girls.

Mrs. Harriet Dickey and her friend, Mrs. Holmes, had a narrow escape from suffocation by gas from a coal stove one night last week.

At last reports, Mrs. T. J. Clapp was convalescent and her physicians declare she will not be disfigured from the disease—as was first feared from its severity.

Mr. Geo. Robinson had a narrow escape on Friday while helping Mr. Cadle in some of the

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necessary prying before moving a barn on the Cadle farm. A chain gave way, and Mr. Robinson was badly hurt on the head. He had so far recovered, however, as to be about his work as usual yesterday.

Upon receiving more full particulars in the death of Mrs. Geo. Marsh, it was learned that she died suddenly of dropsical consumption while visiting her aunt, Mrs. N. H. Park, of Chardon. Funeral services were conducted in the Disciple Church of that place. The body will be buried in the village cemetery where, also, sleep her father and mother. She leaves two little ones who will be cared for by their grandmother, Marsh.

Painesville

We have to announce the deaths of Kitty Carson, and Ezek Rosa; one in the spring time of youth and one in the ripeness of days. The funerals of both will be held on Tuesday.

List of letters remaining in the post office at Willoughby:

Miss Winnie Bogart, Mr. C. Hayes, Mr. H. E. Howard, Mr. Horace Jenkins, Mr. Orrin Perry J. W. Stocking, Wickliffe, has found a revolver.

David Hurren 6 acres of **land for sale** on Willoughby Ridge, 2 ½ miles from the village. There are 200 maple trees on the place.

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p. 2 Maple Grove

Ella Taylor married Freddie Presley.

Melva Presley married John Brichford. They will live in Maple Grove in the house owned by T. Norman.

West Kirtland

Miss Ella J. Smith has been very sick the last two weeks with erysipelas in her hands; attended by Dr. Storm. Although unable to help herself she is much easier.

Messrs. Oliver and Green, of Pelton's Corners have their steam sawmill located in the woods of Leroy Abbey where they have over 50,000' of lumber, principally white wood.

C. E. Hildebrand, wife and two children, Maud and Frankie, of Cleveland, have been visiting the past week with the family of J. Kitts; the two latter are great-grandchildren of Mr. Kitts.

The Morse Bros. have sawed and shipped during the last year about 50,000 hickory buggy felloes to the Woolsey Wheel Co., of Sandusky. They are now filling a contract of 8,000 per month to the same firm.

John Parks has a new baby girl.

The cemetery at Waite Hill contains the graves of two soldiers Nathan Tomlinson and Sidney Tullar. The latter was wounded in the arm in the battle of the Wilderness, but died a few days after being taken to the hospital in Alexandria, after suffering two amputations of the arm.

H. Martin, of Cleveland, is visiting his uncle S. F. Whitney for a few weeks for his health. About 4 months ago he had the misfortune to get his foot caught in a planer for heavy timer at his sash and blind factory, mangling the foot so badly as to require amputation. Two operations have since become necessary, the last about 4" above the ankle. He is now able to ride out a little. Dr. Storm attends him.

Graves of soldiers in the cemetery at West Kirtland: Ransom Storm, Sheldon Moore, Samuel Billings, Geo. Richmond. The family monument of N. T. Hotchkiss bears the name of a son whose life was lost in the rebellion, but who is buried elsewhere.

Mentor

Miss Nellie King has returned to her studies in Cleveland.

Fred Parmele, of Chardon, visited friends here last week.

Miss Juliett Comstock is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Young.

The new house of T. G. Hart is progressing and promises being a thing of beauty.

Mrs. Eugene Morse and her sister Miss Kittie Baxter are visiting friends in Chagrin Falls.

Mrs. Henry Clapp met with an accident last week which resulted in a badly sprained ankle.

Mr. E. Cadle is moving his barns back into the orchard and away from the street. A gold medal should be given him!

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Mr. A. D. Coe has just sold a New Era Organ to Mr. and Mrs. Buel Butler.

The familiar faces of Mrs. Smith Beardsley and her little son, Ernest, were seen in some of our homes last week. Mrs. B. now resides in Mill Village, Pa.

The Disciple Society will give a lap supper, consisting of biscuits, cold meat, pickles, cheese, cake, tea or coffee, and so on at the residence of Robt. Radcliffe Tuesday evening, June 13.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Belle Johns, of Fort Wayne, last week visited the Wickliffe Schools, the scene of her former school labors for 3 years.

The prizes at the Chapel in Sunday School went to: Mellie Stockwell, 1st; Harry McSparren, 2nd; Kinnie Graves, 3rd; Cathie Taylor 4th prize.

Last Sunday, Mr. Ashley Stevens, Collamer, with his family made a visit to his brother, Clark Stevens, of this place. The same was also, visited on Monday by his father, of Wauseon, in this state.

Olin Johnson, a Swedish laborer from Moses Woods, was lying near the iron rail of the L.S. last Saturday in an intoxicated condition when a train came along and struck him injuring his head. He was picked up and taken to the boarding house where he was staying and his wounds carefully dressed.

Miss Jennie Eddy, from Green Cove Springs, on the St. John's River, Florida, has been making a few days' visit to her aunt, Mrs. Helen Tarbell; also, visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Eddy, of Wickliffe.

The final examination average percentages for Grammar and Primary grades:

Eddie Mosher, 94	Willie Jones, 86
Chancy Fuller, 88	Horace Nichols, 80
Leo Merrill, 100	Leslie Fuller, 83
Anna Furlong, 80	Harry McSparren, 89
Katie McCarty, 95	Howard Ingersoll, 100
Willie Provo, 97	Kinney Graves, 86
Belle Tarbell, 93	Lee Woodward, 86

Anna Jones, 91	Lizzie McSparren, 94
Emma McSparren, 93	Frank Barnes, 94
Blanche Tarbell, 97	Minnie Arnold, 97
Gustave Provo, 93	Addie Ferguson, 100
Jimmie Stocking, 88	Cyphie Merrill, 97
Cathie Taylor, 91	Lizzie Hardaker, 76
Hattie Taylor, 96	Tommy Wilson, 82

Probably many of your readers do not know where Blissville is. It is near the extremity of Vine St., 2 ½ miles from Willoughby village. It is what was once known as Pilfershire. This name given it by the first settlers owing to the great prosperity they have for pilfering: Pigs, poultry, hoop poles, &c. The present inhabitants are honest laborers of the same. I thought people would not venture as far as Blissville in this mud, but May 29 found a party with baskets and parcels plodding their way through the mud to the residence of Mr. Omar Bliss to celebrate Mr. B's 60th birthday. About 30 were present among them Mrs. Gates and grandson from Nottingham; Mr. Mellroth, wife and daughter, from Collinwood; and the remainder from your own village.

From the Oil City *Derrick* of the 15th ultimo, we see reference to an old friend and Willoughby Pastor. About 70 friends of Rev. J. H. Herron surprised him at the Grace Episcopal Parsonage, in honor of his 53rd birthday.

p. 3 Weather: We have had two days in succession without rain.

Frank and Ed Gibbons were both at home on Sunday.

Miss Nettie Wilson is spending a few weeks with friends in Erie, Pa.

Miss Rose Tompkins returned last week from her visit to the west.

Mr. E. K. Squires, of Waynesburg Pa., is on a visit here to his son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johns returned to Fort Wayne, Indiana, Monday.

Mrs. M. S. Mosher and daughter returned to their home in Elyria Monday.

Mr. H. O. Wells is executor of the estate of John Wells, of Kirtland.

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Burr & Bates are constantly receiving fresh flowers from Simmons' Geneva Nurseries.

Dr. and Mrs. Dalrymple, of Bedford, arrived here last week, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Davis. Miss Mary Lane, of Cleveland, spent a few days with the family of Mr. Sam Fowles the past week.

Mr. Harbach, of this town, was a delegate to the Law and Order Meeting at Cleveland last Saturday.

Mrs. Amanda Turney, one of the early settlers of Madison, was buried Sunday last. She was 90 years old.

Mrs. Della Higgins was in Cleveland over Sunday, spending the time at her brother's—Mr. Quincy Miller.

Mrs. Capt. Mulholland, of the West Side, Cleveland, came down last week to spend a few days at her father's, Mr. Ed Baker.

Mrs. O. N. Barber has returned from Kingsville leaving her mother much better, and soon as she is able, she will be brought home.

Miss Katie Woodward gave a pleasant party to her friends last Friday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Minnie Mosher.

Rev. Chapman and wife are expected to return from Mishawaha this week and occupy for the summer their house on Prospect St.

Mr. J. L. Armstrong has contracted to build the veranda in front of Mr. G. B. Durban's house.

Miss Mamie Merrill, of Cleveland, has been visiting friends here the last week.

Mr. Squires, the grocery man, had a daughter added to his household.

John W. Ward (the milkman) said he is prepared to fill bed-ticks with good clean straw for 25 cents each.

Mrs. Ezra Holmes had the misfortune Saturday afternoon to fall by stepping on a round stone, breaking one of the bones of her left wrist and dislocating another, causing severe pain. Dr. Storm was called to set the broken bone.

Mr. Jos. Loy is the foreman of one of the gangs hired to paint the new depot on the New York, Chicago, and St. Louis Road from Brocton to Bellevue. He left Monday for Ashtabula accompanied by his brother, George, and John Pierce.

Mr. Wm. Richardson and son, Charlie, together with Mr. D. F. Hopkins, started for Florida on Tuesday. Mr. Frank E. Bond and wife, and Miss Nettie Hopkins will follow in a few weeks.

The stone intended for a horse block in front of Mr. Penfield's house weighed 7,500 in the rough state. Mr. Haggett has been spending several days upon it with hammer and chisel.

Mr. E. J. Dickey returned from a trip to Dakota last Friday night after an absence of three weeks. Mr. Dickey purchased a tract of land in Richland Co.

Much excitement has been occasioned among the Catholics, of Cleveland, by the threat of Bishop Gilmour to excommunicate every female member of his flock who belongs to the Ladies' Land League. At their meeting on Sunday, the Bishop's authority was openly defied, and the end is not yet.

There is a big excitement in Dakota over the opening of the Chippewa tract to settlers. The Interior Dept. has decided these Indians have no valid claim to 9 million acres, hitherto, held apart for them. A crowd of settlers are ready to start and two railroads are already projected to pierce the region.

Mr. S. V. Wilson started Wednesday for Windsor to visit the sick bed of his father Leonard N., who was stricken with paralysis about 4 weeks ago. He is now 85 years old and this is his first serious illness. Mrs. Abigail Derby, of Wilton Junction, Iowa, who has been with her father some time will return to Willoughby with her brother for a few days before starting for her western home.

Miss Marian Dunbar and Miss Richmond, of Lake Co., are teaching in the Industrial Home School on Detroit St., Cleveland, one of the many philanthropic institutions which reflect so much honor on the Forest City.

Oliver G. Wright (son of Jos. Wright, of LeRoy) is engaged in lumber business in Morrisville,

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Missouri. Mooresville is located on the Hannibal & and St. Joe R.R.

Mr. W. Richardson, who has been employed in the Penfield Shops 17 years, on the evening previous to his departure for Florida, was presented with a handsome silver watch by Mr. Penfield in behalf of the men.

The Disciple Aid society will hold its next social at the residence of Robert Radcliffe, June 13.

Mr. W. P. Whelpley, of Madison, has purchased a New Era Parlor Organ of Mr. Coe. Last week, Mr. Coe sold organs to Buel Butler, Mentor; C. Booth, Madison; Loring Parker, Chagrin Falls; Sylvanus Foster, Chagrin Falls.

Painesville – From the Hub

Capt. Coleman is now in Lake Co. Bank.

Frank McFarland and wife spent Sabbath in town.

Our new depot will be finished July 1.

Mrs. C. O. Child has sufficiently recovered to ride out

C. C. Palmer, of California, is visiting friends here.

The drug store of J. Willey Smith is closed-probably for repairs.

A rumor has been circulating that Mr. Herman Hopkins, a young man of this place who recently went to Grand Forks, Dakota, had been shot dead; but the report was without grounds.

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p. 2 Ben Kerr is home from Buchtel College, Akron.

Mr. Nathan Corning is putting a new roof on his tenant house.

Mr. Z. Rudolph has just returned from a visit to his brother in Hiram.

Mr. John Schumaker, of Cleveland, is spending a few days among relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. C. Aldrich spent the Sabbath with friends in Cleveland.

Mr. E. Coney has almost finished his new house and barns.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kennedy, of East Cleveland, were the guests of Mrs. H. C. King, over the Sabbath.

Rumor has it that E. S. Harrington, of Bridgeport, Conn. (formerly a Mentor boy) has again taken unto himself a wife.

Mr. Thos. Morley is building a creamery building and proposes churning by horsepower.

George Thatcher, age 14, died last Friday of dropsy at the home of his father in South Mentor. Rev. W. B. Hendryx conducted the funeral service at the home on Sunday.

Willoughby Plains

School closed Friday for summer vacation. Miss Abbie Gilbert has been a very successful teacher according to reports.

Mr. Abbott passed away and was buried last Friday. Rev. Couden preaching the funeral sermon. Robt. Abbott, of Perry, was with his father the last few days attending to his every want.

While Mr. O. Perry was trimming apple trees one day last week, the ladder on which he was standing fell to the ground; he fell striking his head and shoulders, loosening some of his teeth and wrenching his back so that he has scarcely been able to leave his room since.

Mrs. Flora Perry has had a relapse and is again confined to her bed.

Maple Grove

Uncle Chester Ellsworth celebrated his 81st birthday. There were 46 guests including children, so many in fact it was necessary to remove the stove to make room.

Wickliffe

Last Sunday, the two children, Mamie and Maud, of Steward Crump, of the White House, Washington, attended the school at the chapel. They were living at Edward Ward's, a relative of theirs near the lake and will spend the summer there. Their parents and two other children sailed for Europe two weeks ago. Mr. C's health became impaired in taking care of President Garfield, and he has taken this voyage to recover, if possible, his strength.

At the Lake Erie Seminary among other updates a large back porch has been added and

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carriages land their trunks and owners of trunks upon this porch. A gift of Mr. Horace Steele to the Seminary is a fine collection of minerals from the far west, all collected and labeled by Mr. Steele, of Painesville. The programme of the last "doings" of the graduating class has been kept a profound secret; whether they will plant trees in the grove at sunset, or what, remains to be seen.

We note the death in Fayette, Michigan on the 10th ultimo of Curtis J. Bellows in the 62nd year of age. The deceased was formerly a resident of Bloomfield, Trumbull Co., and was known to the many veterans of this section of Ohio—especially to those in service at Chattanooga in 1863-64.

The *Rock Creek Banner* has suspended publication.

Mrs. C. B. Young was visiting in Geneva last week.

Miss Belle Hanson is home again from a lengthy visit to Fremont.

Mr. Will Wilson spent last Sabbath with a friend in Ashtabula.

Miss Allie Hill is enjoying a visit of some weeks with friends in New York City.

Mrs. A. W. Luton, of Grand Rapids, was a guest of Mr. Penfield's family the last week.

The Flickenger boys are expected home this week together with the members of the family.

Mrs. Dr. Moore returned home Friday from a 2 months' visit to relatives in the west.

Mrs. R. C. Bates returned the latter part of last week from a few days visit with friends in Ashtabula.

Mr. F. Paine Jr., of Painesville, is the Committee Member for the 19th district of the National Party.

Mr. John Cowan, of Allegheny City, spent the latter part of last week in town with his son and family.

Mr. J. L. Armstrong has the contract for building a new home for Mr. R. Y. Carroll on Second St.

Mrs. Grove D. Curtis, New York, is making her parents a visit, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tryon, of Waite Hill.

Miss Mary Wells, of Niles, Michigan, arrived here last week and is stopping with the family of Mayor Ellen.

Rev. and Mrs. Chapman together with their grandson, Carl, arrived here from Mishawaha on Friday night.

Miss Aggie Payn is expected home today after a prolonged absence with the family of Gen. Russell Hasting.

Mr. Fred Curtis, with the Palmer Bros. of New York City, has been on a brief visit to his parents in Kirtland.

Mrs. Julia Beecher, of Lima, Indiana, arrived Monday on a visit to relatives at Maple Grove, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Viall.

Mrs. Skiff has a beautiful English Hawthorne in blossom in her yard.

Miss Nellie Whitney after an extended visit with friends in Cleveland is at her grandfather's (Rev. S. F. Whitney) in west Kirtland.

Mrs. Christine Rice (nee Porter) a former resident of Youngstown, died in Painesville, June 6 and was buried in Youngstown Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Elwell have issued cards of invitation for the reception of Mr. and Mrs. A. Junius Elwell, on Monday evening next.

Mr. Chas. Smart of North Painesville, came on Saturday and spent a short season with his relatives here—Mr. and Mrs. Dille and Mr. and Mrs. Benham.

Mrs. Masury was brought from the farm to the family village residence, the first of the week, much indisposed. Yesterday, she was reported as being somewhat better.

The Lady Land Leaguers, of Cleveland, excommunicated from the Catholic Church are not dismayed. A meeting was held Sunday evening and five new members were elected.

Miss Dora Stevens gave us a beautiful bouquet of white roses this morning for which she has our thanks.

Mrs. Belden and daughter left for Iowa Falls, Iowa, last night on a visit to A. N. Belden. Mrs. C. J. Komar, also, started for the same place on a visit to her father, Mr. Alvord.

Mrs. Allen and daughter from Nebraska, Mr. Neville, and Mrs. Cutler, from Mayfield,

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together with Mrs. Arnold, from Conn., were guests of Mr. Omar Bliss the past week.

Dr. M. M. Blinn, of Kirtland, spent a couple days last week with his parents at Geneva, and attended the commencement of the Normal High School, his sister being one of the graduates.

The remains of Oscar H. Lamon were brought from Cleveland last Friday and interred in the family grounds in our village cemetery. Mr. L. died of consumption, age 21 years and 9 months.

The gas well at Mr. Humphrey's is now down 600' with a steady flow.

The Ellen brothers, Ben and Noah, drove down from the city last Friday and made a hasty call on friends.

Messrs. Bill and Luse, both of Mentor, are now engaged in the business of selling pianos and organs.

W. C. Wilson, of Willoughby, passed the Bar examination last week in Columbus; and Homer Harper, of Painesville.

In a large barn in the cattle yards, Mr. David Law lost a hay press in a fire Saturday night.

Mr. A. J. Elwell, of this village, and Miss Lucia D. Stewart married today the 15th instant at the residence of the bride's parents in Waterville, Kansas. Miss Stewart left home with her parents for the west a little over a year ago. Mr. and Mrs. Elwell will be in the premises adjoining those where Lucia grew up in this village.

Painesville

Miss Nellie Paine has returned home.

Howard Jeffers, of Cleveland, was in town over Sunday.

Frank Burrige has returned from his studies at Gambier.

Wallace and Flora Merrill left here Tuesday to travel through the west. They expect to be absent until August and will visit Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Council Bluffs, Omaha, St.

Paul, Fargo, Denver, Leadville, Ogden, and Salt Lake City.

Married at Cliff House, Stow, on June 8, by Rev. Geo. W. Williams, Mr. John Whitwright, of Willoughby, and Miss Hattie M. Kidney.

Passed to spirit life from the home of G. C. Newton, of Willoughby Plains, June 8, of consumption, Reuben P. Abbott, age 67 years.

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p. 2 **Public Exercises at the school**

Primary Department

Miss Libby Ormsby's Room, Recitations and compositions by:

Mary Goodrich

Bertie Payn

Julia Conner

Minnie Holmes

Allan Smith

George Cline

Bessie Pease

Ella Phillips

Ella Clark

John Smart

Myrtle Saxton

Nettie Haver

Paul Lyon

Mary Code

Leon Crawford

Miss Egbert's Room

Philip Ward

Lydia Sexton

Mary Conners

Jessie Hunt

Gussie Rudd

Bertha Craige

Emmet Cook

Frankie Crawford

Nellie Gibbons

Clintie Miller

Bennie Hastings

Robbie Burr

Blanche Ellen

Flossie Ball

Hattie Strong

Anna Eddy

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Nannie Boyce
Eva Boyce

Grammar Department

"A" Class

Mr. Straight's Room

Ward Smith
Stella Holmes
Maggie Hughes
Hiram Brown
Alice Lyon

"B" Class

Milo Thomas
Dora Stevens
Marcus Wells
Maggie Hill

Mrs. Pease's Room

"D" Class

Edna Rockafellow
Mabel Clement
Alvin Saxton
Alfaretta Black
John White
Edith Stevens

Mrs. King's Room

"C" Class

Bertha Ellen
Gussie Clark
Blanch Yaxley
Willie Bate
Ralph Moore

The following gave recitations or sang:

Miss Martha Granger, Miss May Miller, Albert Daniels, Mary Greer, Gertrude Penfield, Hattie Hutchinson, Lena Holmes, Wm. Jacobs, Vesta Greer, H. B. Manville, Essie Lyon

The following **high school graduates** have their **essays** printed:

"The Stranded Ship" – Sidney Wilson
"Nothing" – Effie Whiting
"There Should be No Alps" – Willie Wallace
"Attention" - Lynda Whiting

p. 3 Mr. Byron Damon came home last Saturday.

Mr. M. T. Mayhew attended a family reunion at Chardon yesterday.

Mr. John Collister attended the Band tournament at Findlay last week.

Mrs. J. T. Robison will make an extended visit with her relatives at Scranton, Pa.

A son and grandson of the late Brigham Young have been visiting in the county.

Miss Nellie French, of Chester, is visiting the Misses Jennie and Edith Rockafellow.

Mr. D. B. Haggett has just contracted for a large job of stone cutting at Chagrin Falls.

Mrs. Cottrell, of Chester, has been on a visit here the past week to her sister, Mrs. A. Bunnell.

Miss Anna Boyce returned home last Friday from the Seminary at Clifton Springs, N.Y.

Mrs. Kingsley and her daughter, Delia, are visiting a few days in Madison before their return to Warren.

Mr. J. E. Houston and daughter, of Beloit, Wis., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Burr.

The Universalist Social will be June 18 at the house of Mrs. Sallie Peters.

Rev. J. J. Mills, formerly, of Chester, has been very sick with typhoid fever at his home in Westerville, Ohio.

Prof. W. L. Todd and family, Mrs. E. P. Williams, Rev. D. K. Flickinger and the Flickinger boys are at home.

Prof. Haggett, Principal of the School at Albion, Ind., has been here this week on a visit to his brother, D. Haggett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lille, together with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hopkins, are at Berlinville, making a visit to Mr. William Waite.

Mr. A. J. Elias mails us a copy of the *Daily Sun* published at St. John's New Brunswick.

Mrs. O. M. Davison arrived from Kingsville Tuesday, feeling much better. Mrs. Schram and daughter, Nellie, accompanied her.

A. J. Rickoff, of Cleveland, has been engaged as Superintendent of the Public School at Yonkers, N.Y.

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The Ladies Christian Social will be held June 29 at the house of Wm. Greenstreet, near Eagle Mills.

W. H. Corkins, of Painesville, was here this week.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brown, of Madison, died last week causing much sorrow. The remains were brought to Willoughby for interment.

Judge Glidden died last week in Boston. He was formerly one of the Common Pleas judges of this district.

Two Mormon missionaries, of the anti-polygamy faith, are holding services at the Temple in Kirtland.

Miss Glen Penfield left Wednesday morning to attend the Commencement exercises at Middleton, (Conn.) University, from which institution her brother, Raymond, is to graduate.

Married in Willoughby, Ohio, Tuesday evening, June 20, at the Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. B. F. Beazell, David E. Merrill, of Erie, Pa., and Annie H. Merrill, of the former place. The ushers on the occasion were Messrs. W. C. Wilson, L. W. Penfield, J. C. Ward, and Willis Collister. The marriage service resembled that of the Protestant Episcopal in nearly every feature. Mrs. C. C. Ackley played Mendelssohn's wedding march. A reception followed the ceremony at the house of the bride's parents. Among those present from out of town were: Mrs. O. E. Merrill; Miss Effie and Master Geo. Merrill, of Erie; Mr. F. A. Mallery (of the *Observer*, Erie); Miss May Butler, Jamestown, N.Y.; Mrs. J. F. Scofield; Capt. and Mrs. Geo. O. Baker; Miss McMurphy; Miss Anna Kerr; Miss Estelle Smith; Miss Lizzie Green; Mrs. A. J. Elias and daughter; Miss Howells; Mr. Edw. H. Merrill and daughter; Nellie; Messrs. Jas. T. Russell; Chas. P. Chesney and Will C. Gray, of Painesville; Miss Ida Waters; Mrs. and Miss Chadderton; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Seeley and dau, Eva; Mr. and Mrs. Lindsley; Miss Mattie Arnold; Miss Matie Barrett; Miss Bertha Keener;

Mrs. Nora Schiele; Miss Mamie Merritt; and Messrs. Chas. Seymour, Red Sheak, Mark L. Deering, Geo. McKay, and C. E. Malkin, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tryon; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tryon Waite Hill; Dr. M. M. Blinn, Kirtland; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Johnson; Miss Nettie King, Miss Eugenie Justus, and Miss Eva Smith, Mentor; Miss Delia Kingsley, Warren.

Brilliant Reception

Monday evening there was a reception at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Elwell, in honor of the return of their, son, A. Junius Elwell, from the west, with his bride, who as Miss Lucia Stewart, was one of Willoughby's charming belles. At the left of the parlor entrance was an arch of exquisite design, having in the center a large horseshoe composed of daisies. Under this stood the bride and groom, father and mother Elwell, Miss Clara Elwell, and Mr. E. E. Strong. The bride was attired in figured white muslin. In the upper room were displayed the wedding gifts, prominent among them were the following:

German student lamp- Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kidney
Painted panel tea roses – Mrs. J. L. Sloan
Painted white satin fan and gold bracelets- Mr. A. J. Elwell

Black walnut sideboard – Mr. E. E. Strong
Pale blue satin collar and jabot, hand painted – Mrs. J. B. Dunham

Rose Camp mat – Miss Emma Wells
Black Satin hand printed chatelaine bag – Mrs. L. B. Dunham

White satin fan – Mrs. Rose Kelley
Two jars crackle ware – Mr. P. P. Spencer
Lace pillow shams and spread – Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baker

Etc. from others:

Mrs. E. Bennett

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kassick

Miss Stella Young

Miss Allie Hurd

Squire Sherman

Miss E. E. Penn

Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. Robison

Gen. and Mrs. J. J. Elwell

Mr. Alfred Elwell

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKechnie

Miss Ormsby

Mr. F. Waters

Among the guests from out-of-town were:

P. P. Spence, Cleveland; Mrs. Rose Kelley Cleveland; Miss E. E. Fenn, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baker, Elyria; Mr. E. E. Strang, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. W. Phelps, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kidney, East Rockport; Mr. A. J. Waite, Collinwood; Mr. F. Waters, Geneva; Miss Mattie Burriss, Saybrook.

Wickliffe

Miss Orrie Graves visited friends in Painesville last week.

Miss Lida Wemple, Collamer, spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Stevens.

Miss Mary Brainerd, Old Haddam, Conn., has been visiting the Jones families and spent the Sabbath here.

James Swane, of Chicago, nephew of the venerable Mrs. Clarissa Jones, has been here a few days visiting old friends after an absence of 28 years.

Master Cyphie Merrill has 60 different varieties of birds' eggs. All the nests were left with at least one egg in all cases.

Correction on the examination percent for Master Howard Ingersoll which was 87.

Miss Ella Lloyd, Wickliffe, was married to Mr. J. C. Ely at the residence of her mother June 14. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. S. Waugh, of Willoughby, and quite a party of family relatives was present.

Mentor

The Chapel Society will give a Strawberry Social at the residence of Mr. E. F. Stockwell on the lake shore.

There was a surprise 25th anniversary party at Mrs. Harriet Dickey's for Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Corning.

The Disciple Aid Society will hold a Strawberry Festival on the spacious east lawn of Mr. Lyman Nye next Tuesday evening.

Willoughby Plains

Lew Kelley has recently beautified his home and the street by building a new fence.

Mrs. S. W. Brown and daughter, Etta, left last Wednesday with a horse and carriage to visit Mrs. B's old home in Coshocton.

Arthur Griswold has returned from his western trip. He does not like Kansas well enough to stay there, but selected Iowa where he intends to go when he returns west.

M. E. Gray in returning from his trip to New York City met with his brother, David Gray, and spent some time at their boyhood home among old friends, afterward, going to Seville, Medina Co., to the Association of Baptist Churches of Northern Ohio.

C. Hyde has gone to Michigan to spend the summer with his relatives; first stopping at Tiffin to see his nephew, C. B. Allen, thence, to his brother's, Norman Hyde, and his sister, Mrs. Robertson, and children; afterwards to his wife's relatives ending his journey at Grand Traverse with his brother, Simon.

A letter is printed from D. F. Hopkins who is traveling in Florida.

O. B. Gridley has a house and lot for sale on Waite Hill.

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p. 1 Report of a tidal wave at Cleveland, Ohio, lake front on June 23, 1882.

p. 2 Wickliffe

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ely gave them a reception at the residence of Mrs. Lloyd last Thursday, the day they returned from their wedding trip.

West Kirtland

Miss Flora Baldwin, of Jefferson, has been spending the past two weeks with the family of her cousin, S. Metcalf, and returns home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Starrett, of Cleveland, with their infant daughter spent the Sabbath with the father of Mrs. Starrett, J. Whitworth, but will return this weekend.

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Spencer Bidlake is hauling stones from S. Metcalf's quarry for a culvert just west of the Rldge church, center of Willoughby. It will be 32' long and 3', 2" by 2'.

Chas. Webster recently purchased the place of Mr. S. H. Buffington, 20 acres, \$1,450.

Officers elected for the **South Kirtland Cemetery Association** Trustees: John Morse, Henry Cottrell; Sec., Fred Morse; Treasurer Ed Billings.

Dynamite is being used by the farmers in clearing the land of stumps and rocks. G. A. Myers, being, I believe, the first to introduce it in this section, he having used large quantities of it.

Miss Mary Ward closed her school at Peck's Corner on the 16th instant.

A brother of Harvey Morse, John F. , of Painesville, lies very sick. The members of the family have been attending him.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Ambrose Cole returned home from his trip to Colorado the past week, the air and climate of that place agreeing with his complaint better than elsewhere.

Mrs. Palmer returned home Saturday with her daughter, Ada Scribner, from Paulding, Ohio.

Sid Smith has gone to Michigan to locate a home if he finds a place than suits.

Mrs. S. W. Brown and daughter returned home from their trip to Coshocton. They report a good time among old home friends and relatives.

Mrs. Eliza Downing is quite sick with a cancer; she is under the care of Dr. Davis.

Mr. Hart and his wife have a baby boy born last week.

Kirtland

Latter Day Saints are reviving Mormon worship and preaching at the Temple

A Strawberry Festival was held on the grounds of Marvin Daniels last night.

Mentor

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Jenny Bradley and Mr. William Aldrich, of Fargo, Dakota, on Thursday of this week. Also, for the

nuptials of Miss Lizzie Bailey and Mr. ___ Burnside, of Cincinnati.

Miss Emma Murray is visiting friends in Cleveland.

Miss Matt Viall has just begun a delightful trip through Wisconsin and Michigan.

Mr. Riley Haskell died of paralysis last Friday at 2 p.m. The funeral services were conducted by W. B. Hendryx at the family residence in South Mentor, Sabbath afternoon.

The Strawberry Festival held on the grounds of Mr. Abner Parmele last Friday evening was well attended and the proceeds go towards the repairing of the M.E. Church.

Mrs. Montgomery accompanied by her father, Geo. Northrup, arrived here, direct from Washington, last Friday. They have secured a pleasant home with Mrs. Whitney intending to remain the summer. The old General is very well and delighted to return home again.

Mrs. S. B. Kingsbury, of Constantine, Michigan, arrived here yesterday and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Bradley.

James Pardee, of Akron, is, also, the guest of relatives here.

Painesville – From the Hub

Mr. A. D. Sturges is home from New York.

Colonel Morse is dangerously ill at his residence on Mentor Avenue.

Mrs. C. G. Boalt had daughter have left town for Wisconsin were they will spend the summer.

Misses Nettie Benjamin and Carrie Garfield, of the class of '82, High School, will leave for the west in a few days.

In the Bronhead (Wisconsin) *Independent* is the following notice of the death of a former citizen from this county and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Palmer, of Willoughby Plains.

"Mr. George W. Palmer, was born in Painesville, Ohio, Feb. 18, 1847, and died in this village on Tuesday, May 30, 1882. When only 17 years of age, he enlisted in the 14th Ohio Battery serving in the war about two years, and there contracted the disease of the lungs and kidneys of which at last he died. He was married Oct.

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23, 1872, to Miss Emeline A. Murray, who with an only daughter is left to mourn his loss.

p. 3 Mr. H. C. St. John arrived from New York on Monday.

Miss Jennie Tryon is at home from Lake Erie Seminary.

Miss Rosa Tompkins is spending two weeks at home with friends in Erie.

Miss Nellie Baker arrived home last week from Joliet, Illinois.

Dr. Davis has had a neat picket fence built along his south line.

Mrs. Masury has so far recovered from her illness as to be able to ride out.

Mr. Chas. Northrup, of Kansas City, has been visiting friends here for the past week.

Mrs. Clarence Furber, of Michigan is making her mother (Mrs. Payn) a visit.

Harry Stevens sends home 5 rattles taken from a snake which he killed in Nevada.

Mrs. Dr. E. J. Goodsell, of Huron, Ohio, sister of Mr. A. P. Bateham, is in town for a few days.

Mr. G. B. Darwell, of Columbus, a college chum of the Flickinger boys is visiting in town the past week.

Mrs. Benj. Gibbons and daughter left Tuesday night for a visit to relatives in St. Cloud, Minnesota.

Misses Lena Williams and Jessie McDonald, of Lake Erie Seminary, are on a visit to friends here.

Mrs. Nora Schieley, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. Stockwell's family—her annual visit.

Miss Sue E. Timberman, teacher at the Lake Erie Seminary, has been visiting relatives in town the past week.

On account of failing health, Mr. E. W. Clarke, announces his retirement from the Painesville *Advertiser*.

Mrs. C. H. Andrews and daughter, of Youngstown, spent last Sunday in our village with Mrs. W. C. Andrews.

The family of Dr. Weber has taken up their residence for the summer on the farm leading from the village to the lake.

Paint and skilled labor by Mr. E. L. White has added greatly to the looks of Mr. A. Hanscom's Euclid St. residence.

Solon Louer's is agent for the book house of F. B. Dickenson & Co., Detroit, for the summer.

Mrs. Barnes and daughter of Niles, Mrs. Mitchell and W. Carver and wife of Chardon, spent Wednesday with the family of Mr. Mayhew.

Mr. Hiram Kennedy left on Saturday to take a trip to Marquette with Capt. Mulholland from which it is hoped he will receive much benefit.

Geo. Loy fell with the scaffold while painting on the new depot in Painesville last Friday. He sprained his left hand and had other injuries.

Mrs. H. B. White went to Cleveland on Tuesday and will spend several weeks with relatives on the west side. She will attain her 82nd birthday on July 10.

Messrs. S. C. Louer, Rollin Welner, and Omar Reeve have returned home from their studies at Hudson.

Mr. Wm. Crobaugh is bringing to the market some fine Monarch of the West Strawberries.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Law, of Philadelphia, arrived the later part of last week for a brief visit to relatives here. Mr. L. returned Tuesday night but his wife will spend some time with her parents in Newburg.

Cliff Merrill has received a letter from Harry Stevens in which he speaks of his employment in Nevada and his satisfaction with the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Frank, of Kirtland and Mrs. Chas. Frank, of Painesville spent yesterday up in our village with Mr. and Mrs. Damon and daughter, Mrs. A. C. Saunders.

Mr. J. O. Humphry in anticipation of colder weather some time, has had the siding removed from his house, and layers of building paper laid almost over the entire dwelling. Messrs. Ben Gibbons and C. Armstrong did the work.

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The Madison *Index* reports two cases of scarlet fever: One reported at the home of H. E. Kellogg, one is that of his little daughter, who is now recovering; the other is the daughter of Rev. Arundel, who with her mother is visiting here.

Two of the Florida party have returned to us— Mr. Wm. Richardson and son, the former on account of sickness. The heat is reported as intense, the water unpalatable, and the mosquitoes and other vermin altogether too familiar.

The Strawberry Social of the Universalist Church will be held at the residence of Mr. B. S. Upham on July 8 in East Kirtland.

The *Nebraska State Journal* published at Lincoln gives a long account of a visit to the brick yard of Mr. Jos. Stockwell who uses one of Penfield's stamp brick machines and gives employment to 24 men.

Mr. S. P. Merrill, of the Wickliffe Schools, is spending part of his vacation with a sister and family in Princeton, Ill., having taken the steamer *Prussia* at Cleveland for Chicago on the 25th.

The marriage of Theodore S. Burnside and Elizabeth Bailey took place Wednesday morning at the residence of the bride's parents, a short distance east of the village. Rev. A. J. Waugh, of the Presbyterian Church, officiated. The couple took the noon train for a trip to Amsterdam, N.Y. We believe they will make their home in Cincinnati.

Remarks of outsiders on the recent Willoughby wedding, Mrs. Scofield, in the *Painesville Telegraph*.

Miss Annie Holland Merrill (daughter of Mr. J. H. Merrill, of the Willoughby *Independent*) and Mr. David Edovard Merrill, of Erie Pa., were married Tuesday evening in the M.E. Church in Willoughby. The bride looked lovely in a combination dress of creamy white keyber cloth and satin, a full veil of tulle flowing gracefully

from the flowers that confined it. (A full list of wedding gifts is printed and who gave each one.)

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p. 2 A Remarkable Incident

I think it was in the fall of '71 that my brother Cassius, being on a visit from Ohio to Illinois, where he then lived, recounted a strange experience, which seemed to be sufficiently interesting to make permanent in print; but until recently I have not been in possession of the dates and some of the particulars which I now have before me through the kindness of Mrs. Mary S___, an esteemed relative, whose home is, also, in western Illinois, and I proceed without comment to relate the story of a business trip to Europe by her father, Mr. T___, of K___, Illinois, M. T. a native of Vermont, removed early in life to the then far west and became the possessor of a fine farm and for many years has been known as a forehanded farmer and successful stockman. Even when past the meridian of life, to gratify his taste for fine horses, he conceived the project of visiting France, and importing one or more of the best blooded animals the country produced. He sailed from New York Aug. 7, 1869, in company with an acquaintance. Mr. V, a Frenchman, (upon a similar mission) for Harve. A letter from Harve announced their safe landing on the 18th. After this date, no tidings of their whereabouts reached the anxious home circle in Illinois; and as week after week passed without further news, the painful suspense at times suggested the possibility of sickness or even death overtaken them.

Toward the close of September, Cassius said to his brother, Hayden, son-in-law of Mr. T, "I wish to tell you something but you must mention it to none but Mary (his wife) until you all become satisfied what has become of Mr. T__" adding "He is all right and will be here in 7 or 8 days about this time of day." It was then about 1 ½ p.m. Brother Hayden replied that that could not be as there was no train due at that hour.

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Cassius went on to relate that he was sitting at home a few days previous, he looked over a level plain in the distance and saw men leading horses, and as they came nearer he recognized Mr. T____. He described the horse as dark bay and very dapple. In his vision he saw the party approach the sea and embark—leading all four horses on the vessel.

By Oct. 5, the family greatly worried, went to town to telegraph the French authorities and sent a messenger to the county seat. They were getting into the buggy to go home when the train arrived, very late, and Mr. T. was there at 1 ½ p.m.

Mr. T. and companion not finding horses in France had gone to Belgium and bought 4 horses there—three dying on the boat trip home. But without further comment, we submit the facts and leave you the task of supplying the philosophy that will account for them.

Painesville, Ohio June 5, 1882 A. G. S.

Mr. Wm. Aldrich has gone to Chautauqua on a visit. Mr. James Angier has returned from his visit east.

Miss Jennie Pratt is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Pratt, for a short time.

Miss Jennie King is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Britton, of Painesville.

Miss Ida Hadden is spending some time in Willoughby with friends there.

Mrs. Wm. Mills of New York City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Emily Bradley.

J. T. Kennedy, of Ravenna, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. C. King over the Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. Harter, of Hudson, have been spending a few days with their old friends here.

Miss Addie Rudolph, one of the Seminary teachers, will spend her summer vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Garfield, here at Lawnfield.

Mrs. O. C. Rockwell, of St. Louis, accompanied by the children, is visiting her brother's family at Lawnfield. Mrs. Garfield and her family are expected at the farm this week.

Miss Jenny Bradley and Mr. Will Aldrich, of Fargo, were married by Rev. W. B. Hendryx at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. E.

Bradley, Thursday at 3 o'clock. The reception was held in the parlors of Mrs. Bradley for 100 guests after which the young couple took the evening express to Fargo, their future home. Among the guests from a distance were: Mrs. L. B. Kingsbury, Constantine, Michigan; Mr. ___Lee, Troy, New York; Miss Frankie Drake, Cleveland; Mr. John Hubbard, Fargo; Mrs. W. Mills, New York City; Mrs. Kate Holmes, Cleveland; Miss Seymour, Painesville; Mr. and Mrs. Harter, Hudson; Mrs. Jones, Ravenna; Mrs. Jacob Viall, son and daughter, Willoughby; and Miss Jennie Pratt, Canada. (A long list of wedding gifts is printed.) Other names mentioned: Mrs. Wm. Mills, Mrs. Will Hodge, Mrs. Alvin Daniels and daughter, Nettie, Fred Viall, Mrs. Will Warren, Frank Stickney, Miss Jennie Law, Miss Ida Hadden, Miss Frank Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murray, Mrs. Harriet Dickey, Mrs. and Mrs. Harter, Miss Lillie Hodge, Mr. Lee, Dr. C. B. Bixby, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sawyer, Mrs. C. C. Viall, Miss Mary Aldrich.

The 52nd birthday of E. H. Merrill and T. C. Radcliffe was celebrated by a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Green, July 1.

Maple Grove

Mr. Viall lost a very valuable cow one day last week.

Mr. Hubbell is repairing his mill, putting in a new bolter.

Thos. Lamoreaux has a calf only six weeks old which weighs 210 lbs. Who can beat it?

Miss Sylvia Pike closed the school at the center on the 30th with a written examination.

A surprise birthday party was given for Miss Ida Lilley last Friday for her 19th birthday.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. D. W. Robertson, of Michigan, (formerly of the Plains) is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Hyde.

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Frank Johnson, of Warren, spent a few days last week with his parents and friends on the Plains. Sid Smith has returned from Michigan where he purchased a home intending to remove there this fall. His sister, Mrs. R. Hodgson, returned with him and is visiting friends and relatives here.

O. Perry has had the best sheep shearing—each head giving 6 lbs. each.

p. 3 F. L. Tillinghast has gone to Dakota.

Dr. Sabin and family returned to Bedford on Monday.

Mr. L. P. Bates is said to be very low and rapidly sinking.

Mr. W. C. Andrews arrived from New York a few days ago.

Miss Callie Viall has returned home from her winter visit in New York.

Counterfeit silver dollars of 1877 are currently on the Western Reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Crobaugh now occupy the Metcalf house on Euclid Road.

Mr. A. C. Mitchell, of Cleveland, has been the guest of Mr. Fowles' family.

Mrs. S. C. Durban and two daughters of Painesville are visiting with relatives here.

Bion Fuller returned to Philadelphia last week and has a situation in Wanamaker's store.

Mrs. T. H. Burr and two children will spend a portion of the summer with relatives in Beloit, Wisconsin.

Miss Florence Lillie, of the Columbus Public Schools, is spending the vacation with her parents on Center St.

Mrs. J. H. Dodd, of Zanesville, accompanied by two daughters, is visiting her brothers here, the Messrs. Durban.

Mr. L. P. Bates Jr., of the Cleveland Post Office Dept., has been making a brief visit this week to relatives in the village.

Mrs. Lura J. Orr and daughter, of Syracuse, New York arrived in town Tuesday and will spend some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Palmer.

Geo. Clement returned from Middleton (Conn.) University last week. He will enter his senior year in September.

Mr. L. E. Wightman sends us copies of the Iowa papers containing full accounts of the cyclone which struck the town of Grinnell.

Messrs. Ed Gibbons, Chas. Malkin, Chas. Clark, and E. Slayton—engaged in business elsewhere—have been on a visit this week to relatives here.

The recent death at Salem, Nebraska of Porter Woodworth, leaves but two brothers—Harvey, of Painesville, and Lysander of North Madison.

Frankie Crawford is visiting an uncle at Madison and Misses Edith and Dora Stevens spent the Fourth there.

Eda Rockafellow is at Cleveland.

Mrs. Alfred Austin and Mrs. J. V. Malcom, of Philadelphia, and Miss Lottie Allemon, of Cleveland, have been the guests of Miss Susie Austin the past week.

Bands of gypsies traveling through the country are getting to be quite common. Saturday, a large company with good horses and wagons passed through the village westward.

Mr. and Mrs. Crampton, of Collins Center, Erie Co., N.Y., on their return home from a trip west called here to see old acquaintances, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Burbank.

Mrs. Jud. Rogers, of Ashtabula, has been at her father's (R. C. Bates) for some days past.

Mrs. Wm. F. Seeley, of Cleveland, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Merrill.

Miss Hattie Parsons, of Cleveland, has been calling upon old acquaintances in the village and neighborhood this week.

Mr. Mark W. Judd, formerly of this township, and engaged at various times as a miller and schoolmaster, is now serving the Government as Postmaster at Drayton Plains, Michigan.

A notable gathering took place at the residence of Mrs. Bartholomew a few days ago, being a party of ladies, cousins of her mother, the ages of 5 of them ranging from 75 – 80 years of age.

Mr. Albert McEween, a former citizen of the Plains arrived here Tuesday on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Hanson, and sisters of Mentor.

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Mr. McEween has been a resident of Michigan for a number of years.

A letter received from Maple Grove says that Misses Adella Ward and Lizzie Frith are visiting friends in Madison; also, the next social for Maple Grove will be held at Porter Rice's, July 11.

A little daughter of Mr. Wm. Ferguson while stopping with Mrs. Fuller one day last week fell into a deep cistern, and but for the timely assistance of the hired man, would have drowned. She had sunk once, when by use of a pole with a nail at the end, she was rescued.

Mrs. Jones, wife of Daniel Jones, of Chagrin Falls, committed suicide Wednesday by poisoning.

Miss Clara Elwell was reported a few days ago by the Cleveland papers as visiting at the Clarendon in that city.

The *Telegraph* announces the death of Wm D. Shepherd, at the residence of his brother in Tipton, Iowa, where he was visiting. The deceased was for many years in government service at Galveston, Texas, and was a brother of Judge Shepherd, of Painesville. His remains will be brought to Perry today.

Mr. W. P. Spencer announces his retirement from the *Geneva Times* in the last issue, and is succeeded by Jay P. Treat.

Mr. O. C. Reynolds mailed us dailies from Des Moines, Iowa.

J. H. Tryon, Executor of Elmina H. Grave, deceased, late of Painesville will be selling personal items of the deceased July 8th.

Married in Mentor, June 29, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. W. B. Hendryx, Mr. Wm. F. Aldrich, of Fargo, D.T., and Miss Jenny Bradly, of the former place.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents, St. Clair St., Painesville, Wed., June 28 by Rev. Geo R. Merrill, Mr. W. G. Hawkins and Miss Nellie E. Doolittle, all of Painesville.

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Friday

p. 2 Painesville

Miss Sarah Hathaway is reported as quite low.

Dr. Fowler's father died today. He was on a visit from Michigan.

Mrs. L. Tibbals, of Niles, is on a visit to the family of H. W. Tibbals.

Judge Bosworth will have one of the most comfortable looking houses in town when his repairs are completed.

Mr. John H. Britton is home for a few days.

The old Jerome house on Mentor Avenue is on its way to settle near the L.S. depot, but has been resting on Erie below St. Clair for a few days.

Claudine Solomon's baby was placed in the vault yesterday. The casket, clothing, and flowers were pronounced among the richest ever seen here.

Wickliffe

Henry Graves is now occupying his new house.

Miss Ida Warren, of Cleveland, is spending a few days with friends in the vicinity.

Mrs. Josiah King who has been confined at home because of paralysis has attended worship at the Chapel two Sundays.

Josiah King's two daughters, Mrs. Vangordon and Mrs. Mapes are visiting at his home; also, Mrs. Vangordon's daughter and child; making four generations.

Mr. Strong returned from his trip to Canada last week where he went to buy ponies. The price was too high, and he returned to make his purchases closer to home.

Mrs. F. Taphouse has a sister visiting from Canada.

Miss Jennie Barnes has been visiting friends in Cleveland.

Mentor

Mr. Alonzo Randall, of Chardon, is the guest of friends here.

Will Sawyer has returned again for a short visit to his native hearth.

Master Burt Rose, of Cleveland, is the guest of his uncle's family—Mr. George Rose.

Mrs. Louisa P. Smith, of Elyria, has been visiting her classmate—Mrs. N. C. Frost.

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Mr. Nathan Corning is very low again and but little hope is entertained of his recovery.

Mrs. Joseph Rudolph, accompanied by her two little sons, has gone to Pittsburgh for a visit.

Mrs. Garfield and her family returned home last week, with the exception of Harry, who has gone with some college friends on a walking tour to the White Mountains.

The sad news of the death of James Smith, a former resident of Mentor, reached here Wednesday. He died suddenly in Kentucky; no further particulars are known yet.

Mrs. George Blish died at her home July 4th morning and was buried Thursday. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. Ely and W. B. Hendryx.

Kirtland

The yield of hay is immense. Mrs. Clapp has cut some grass that must have turned 3 tons to the acre—1 ½ tons for certain.

On Saturday, our old neighbor, Jared Randall, fell out of his buggy striking the hard ground with the force of his whole weight. The side of his face and head were badly bruised. It has come to be understood that Mr. Randall will stand more falls, knocks, and bruises than any other man in the county.

Saturday morning, Thomas Bishop, a young man working for George Morse had a serious accident being kicked by a horse. His nose was flattened, his head badly bruised, and his chin cut through. When found he had no knowledge of what hurt him. Dr. Bliss was called and dressed his wounds, and he is now doing well as could be expected.

Mrs. Judd was given a surprise 50th birthday party.

There, also, was a party to celebrate the 44th birthday of Mrs. G. Manley. It will be remembered that several months ago this lady had a fall, the injury was very severe. She is slowly recovering but needs the help of crutches.

Arthur D. Coe and wife, of Cleveland, were staying with relatives a number of days last week.

Lewis Brown, wife and daughter, of Madison have been visiting in town several days.

Geo. Brindle has put in quite a number of new pumps for our citizens.

Will Whiting has just completed an addition to his house; and John Curtis is improving the looks of his barn.

Family Reunion

The 5th annual reunion of the Broughton family was held at the residence of E. H. Cleveland, in Mentor, June 24. The reunions have been held, with one exception, on the birthday of John, the oldest surviving member. Forty-eight were present—several have been detained by sickness. After dinner Chas. S. Johnson congratulated Uncle John on having attained his 71st birthday under so favorable circumstances. Uncle John read a letter from Capt. E. M. Broughton, of Waseca, Minn., with kindly greeting to them all and regrets he could not be present and invited all who could to meet him on his anniversary Nov. 25. The next reunion will be held at Job Broughton's, Montville, June 25, 1883.

A Well-Spent Life

Mr. L. P. Bates died Thursday, July 6, at 82 years old. He was twice married and leaves two children by his first wife—Mr. R. C. Bates of this place, and Mr. L. P. Bates, of Cleveland, by whom, his widow, and by our whole community will be lovingly remembered. The deceased had been a resident of this place 51 years. He helped build the present Presbyterian church of this place. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. J. Waugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. The casket was borne to the hearse by Messrs. T. S. Harbach, J. H. Boyce, S. Fowles, J. Masury, G. B. Durban, and T. Collister.

p. 3 The gas well on the premises of Mr. Humphrey is now down 840 feet.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burbank, Toledo, have another boy added to their household.

W. W. Johnson has purchased the milk route of J. W. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Palmer, of Fostoria, rejoice over the advent of a new daughter.

A. R. Hurt has decided to move to Geneva and offers his home for sale or rent.

Mr. T. C. Well, of Claridon, was stricken down by paralysis last Sunday and died in a few hours.

Messrs. Benj. Gibbons and C. Armstrong have the contract for addition and repairs on the residence of Mr. Justus Fowler.

Miss Viola Eggleston, the popular vocalist, of Geneva, was married in Detroit last Friday to H. S. McKinstry, of Coleman, Michigan.

Mrs. O. S. Farr and Mrs. M. J. King who are in the silk worm business, have now about 1,350 worms. So says the *Geauga Republican*.

Within a few months, Willoughby has lost four of her prominent and oldest citizens: Hiram Brown, George Skiff, Andrew Y. Austin, and Luther P. Bates.

The Flickinger boys are taking the opportunity during vacation to paint their mother's house.

A. P. Bateham went down to Painesville Tuesday on his bicycle in 68 minutes, and returned in 64 minutes.

Mr. P. W. Parmele was married last week to Miss Anna M. Johnson, at the residence of the bride's grandfather in Burton, M. D. Merriman. Mr. Parmele is a relative of the Mentor families of that name.

The lawns of J. H. Boyce and N. C. Smith are now supplied with water from the river by means of a pipe. The fountain is a movable one and will assist in keeping the grounds pleasant and attractive.

Miss Georgia L. Seymour, of Painesville, and John Hubbard, of Fargo, were married last week, in the Congregational Church in the former place; Rev. Geo. R. Merrill officiating.

Mr. Albert McEwen, now of Lansing, Michigan, was in the vicinity visiting relatives. He informed us that Langley and Mayer families, who

removed years ago from the Plains, are residing in his neighborhood.

Mr. L. B. Talbott, of Union City, Michigan, who is renewing his subscription, says that Mr. and Mr. J. Citerley, formerly of Willoughby Plains, have been visiting with his family for the past week.

Personal and Society

Mr. W. C. Andrews returned to New York last Friday.

Mr. Dexter Damon has gone to Massachusetts on business.

Mr. L. D. Austin, Toledo, spent Sabbath in town.

Jas T. Robison has left town for a prospecting tour of Dakota.

Skiff Sheldon has gone to Houghton, Michigan for a couple of months.

A brother of Mr. Manville's from Elyria is making a short stay in town.

Mrs. G. E. Manville and children have gone to Amboy for a few weeks' visit.

Miss Addie Holmes, of St. Louis, is spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. Ezra Holmes.

Mrs. M. E. Holmes entertained about 40 ladies on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George A. Baker, of Cleveland, and Miss Foster, of St. Louis, are visiting Miss Austin a few days.

Mrs. S. B. Beebe is back in her residence after spending some weeks with her daughter in Cleveland.

Mrs. Thos. Boyce is spending a couple of weeks at her old home in Kirtland where it is hoped her health will be benefited.

Mrs. J. S. Spalding, of Binghamton, N.Y., is spending some days here with her relatives on River St., Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

Jay Komar who has been residing with his grandfather for a lengthy period, left on Monday to join his parents in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Skinner and children of Cleveland spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. C. Andrews. Mrs. Phelps, of Buffalo, is, also, the guest of Mrs. Andrew.

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Mr. Raymond Penfield returned home from his studies at Middleton, University last week. Miss Glen Penfield, who attended the commencement, accompanied him.

Mr. C. R. Brown, of Allegheny Co., Penn., was home for a brief trip last week. He reported all families originally from Willoughby as being well.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Merrill and Miss May Butler left today for Jamestown, N.Y., where Miss Butler resides, and where Mr. and Mrs. Merrill will make their future home. *Erie Observer*

Miss Alice Hanscom, of the village, has become one of the Assoc. Editors of the *Lake Shore Home Magazine* and as of August will have a regular department.

The Late Mr. Bates

Luther P. Bates came to Willoughby at an early day from Cumington, Mass. He was well known all over northern Ohio. His business was that of a hatter which he followed for many years occupying the stores now used by J. W. Stewart and Nathan Clark. D. B. Goodrich, our townsman, was one of his apprentices. Mr. Bates served as the first Sheriff of Lake Co., in 1840 and during his term of office resided with his family at the country seat, living in the house on Mentor Ave. later owned by Ackley the jeweler. He was a magistrate and the postmaster of Willoughby for several terms covering a period of 16 years. His first wife died in 1866. About 2 years later he married the wife who survives him. He is the second sheriff who has died since the county was formed—the first was Mr. Tracy. Five men who have been sheriff of the county attended his funeral.

At Rest

Mrs. Estella Elliott, age 25, and her babe, James Bradford Elliott, age 4 months 21 days died. Thursday, the child died and the next day the mother. The remains of both were placed in one casket. She leaves a husband and two children. The funeral took place from the First Presbyterian Church.

More from Mentor

Mr. Austin Blackman has sold his home in west Mentor to C. S. Bissell, of Cleveland.

Prof. and Dr. Luse spent last week in Orange.

Will Kerr spent Sabbath in Berea.

James P. Lawrence, Burton, spent Sabbath here with friends.

Judge Lester Taylor, from Claridon, and Mr. W. Stannard, of Gates Mills, have been spending a few days in Mentor.

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A sad accident occurred on the Lake Shore Rd. near Heisley Station, last Saturday afternoon. Two little girls, daughters of Mr. Ephraim Brown, age 7 and 9 years, were returning home having been to the field to carry their father's dinner, when both were struck by the engine of the eastern train—one escaping with a bruise on the head but the other, little Annie, was killed instantly and fearfully mangled. The children had crossed both tracks but went back to get their little dog off. The grief of the parents is beyond expression—each one taking all the blame for the accident. Funeral services were conducted last Sunday afternoon at the family residence by W. B. Hendryx.

Another old resident has gone to his final resting place, Mr. Nathan Corning died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Emily Bradley, about 11 o'clock Saturday evening. Mr. Corning was born Feb. 17, 1805 in Aeworth, N.H., and when 6 years old moved with his parents to Mentor Township which has been his home ever since. He was married to Phoebe Wilson, a neighbor's daughter, in 1828, and lived at the farm at the Center known as Corning's Farm until a few years before Mrs. Corning died in 1878 since which time he has made his home with his oldest daughter, Mrs. Bradley. Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. B. yesterday at 2 p.m. for it was decided best not to defer them until Mrs. Hill, the absent daughter, could arrive from Kansas.

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Mr. Thom. Lloyd is very low with consumption. Miss Baster, Gates Mills, is the guest of Mrs. Arnold. Miss Minnie Arnold has been visiting friends in Newburg. Miss Minnie Lambert, Chagrin Falls, has been the guest of Miss Lucy Allen. Mr. Walker is building an addition to his store which is to be used for dwelling purposes. Levi Mosher who is now 80 years old was taken quite ill last week. Dr. Davis is in attendance. John Mosher has moved his dwelling house and is erecting a substantial residence on the old foundation.

West Kirtland

Miss May Buffington is home again for a few weeks visit from Ravenna, at which place she has been learning the dressmaking trade. Geo. S. Metcalf started on a prospecting tour to Nebraska on the 15th instant. It is hoped by friends here he will be satisfied with a few weeks' visit and then return home—to stay. Henry Martin, of Cleveland, is out again at his uncle's, S. F. Whitney, for a short visit. He is gradually improving from the recent amputation of his foot. The carpenter work just put upon the house of Cornelius Hoose by T. Brichford adds greatly to the beauty and convenience—it being an addition of an upper story above the wing on the west side. There was a mowing-bee at the widow Presley's in south-west Kirtland, one day last week, at which times 4 mowing machines were used. Enough hands were there to stow away in the barn 20 tons of hay. There was a quilting held at Mrs. Myron Metcalf's recently.

Kirtland

Mr. Ira bond has recently put on an addition to his house for the comfort and convenience of his wife, who is an invalid and blind.

Mr. R. B. Green has finished the repairs on his house and given it another coat of white, raised the front yard and cleared the brush adding to the attractiveness of Joseph St.

Mr. Guy W. Smith has rebuilt his house making it very attractive—so much so that they say it is going to attract boarders from Cleveland. A Mr. Garner and his wife, from Utah, made a flying visit to Kirtland Sunday afternoon visiting the Mormon Temple and the farm of S. Whiting (Mrs. G's former home) returning to Ravenna on Monday, where they are visiting friends.

Mr. Geo. Russell should receive great credit for all he has done for the Baptist Church in the way of repairs and obtaining funds.

A. G. Reynolds, of Little Mountain, is talking of going to Des Moines, Iowa.

Miss Jennie Blinn, of Geneva, has been spending a week with her brother, Dr. M. M. Blinn.

Mrs. Grace Taylor and Mrs. Van Alstine, of Bronson, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sweet.

M. E. Sweet has something the shape of a carbuncle on his neck from which he has been suffering severely for two weeks past.

The *Ashtabula Sentinel* publishes the death of Samuel Plumb which occurred at Colorado Springs where he had gone in pursuit of health. He came to Ashtabula Co. over 40 years ago and engaged in business at Lenox. He was twice elected Representative to the Ohio Legislature on the Free Soil ticket.

Alfred H. Pease, the missing pianist, and well known in northern Ohio, dropped dead from drink in the street in St. Louis. He had lived there under an assumed name and drank heavily. He was an excellent player and composer.

Transfers of Real Estate

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Saml. E. Williamson to James G. Warner, 25 and 78/100 acres, tracts 2 and 6, lots 1 and 9, \$867.

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Frank W. Turek to Thomas S. Harbach, 3 ½ acres, in Freer lot, \$80.

Concord

George Mitchell, by executor to Harriet A. Sherman, 48 and 60/100 acres, tract 4, lot 1, \$1,300.

Grandison Searles and others to Phebe DeEtta West, 72 acres, lots 15 and 16, \$2,000.

Ella F. Osterhoudt to Catherine Osterhoudt, 7 acres, tract 4, lot 2, quit claim, \$5.

A Relic of Former Ages

In the Lake Region of southern Florida a canal is being constructed in which a curious discovery has come to light. About 4' below the level of Lake Dora, a sandstone wall was discovered which led to further investigation that settled the fact that long before Columbus and perhaps even before the Christian Era, a race inhabited Florida far superior to the Indians. They were a people who lived in walled cities and used flint weapons in war.

From the Cleveland Leader

Detective Goodrich arrested a man named R. H. Magoon yesterday on a charge of assault with intent to kill. Magoon is a teamster and resides at No. 11 Diamond Park. Last Tuesday he was at Mentor, and while in a blacksmith shop there, he became involved in a quarrel with a man named L. D. Carver over some money. Magoon, it is alleged, picked up a whiffletree and struck Carver across the forehead inflicting a terrible wound. Deputy Sheriff Mosher, of Lake Co., came to the city in the afternoon and took Magoon to Painesville.

Jos. Mead lost a black walnut wood box between Willoughby village and J. A. Daniels.

p. 3 A new Miller grand piano has lately arrived at Mr. Penfield's.

A telephone is being erected from the machine shop of Mr. Penfield to the Lake Shore Depot.

Among the list of recent patents, we notice one for a cooling apparatus by M. L. Deering, of Cleveland.

Having decided to move to Geneva, A. R. Hurd offers his home for sale or rent.

The ladies visiting Mrs. Andrews and Miss Austin last week attended the social gathering in Kirtland.

Mr. A. P. Teachout has been here a number of weeks giving the Eagle Mills a thorough overhauling.

Guy W. Smith has been making more improvements to his Kirtland home, enlarging, painting, &c.

Mr. Julius French returned from his trip to Europe last week. His daughter, Mildred and niece, Miss Leona Boyce, will prolong their visit until fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Cottrell had a baby girl Monday night.

Murray Higgins is quite the bird fancier. He has a fine specimen of the Virginia nightingale and, also, two young brown thrushes. This week he received by express from the east, a young owl.

A dispatch from Youngstown says that Gen. Casement has secured a hundred men at that place to work on the New York, Chicago, & St. Louis R. R. from Cleveland west at \$1.50 per day.

On the farms of F. H. Yaxley and Jos. Masury grass is being cut that will weigh 3 tons to the acre.

The funeral of Mrs. Grace Storm relict of Ransom Storm took place Tuesday noon, the remains being placed in the vault. Mrs. Storm died of cancer at Cleveland where she went about 6 weeks ago.

The Ohio State Journal of the 7th contains an interesting article by Mr. J. S. Flickinger of a balloon trip from Columbus to Central College in which he accompanied Prof. Grumley, distance of 12 miles.

Mr. B. S. Upham has an immense crop of raspberries this year. Last week, he picked

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1,400 quarts, this week he will pick 2,000—and yet the season is just opening.

There will be a M.E. Church Lawn Social July 28 on the beautiful grounds of Messrs. Boyce and Smith.

Abner Hare is out \$5. He made a bet that he could follow a Champion reaper around a 10 acre field and tie up the bundles as fast as furnished. He worked well but only accomplished 2/3 of the job laid out.

It is rumored that Dick Barnes like his brother, Perry, has committed matrimony.

The finest new potatoes we have seen this season were sent to town by Mr. W. S. Smith, of Waite Hill.

Miss Belle Hills sends us circular and programs of the Cameron Normal School in Missouri.

Letters home from Miss Leona Boyce, dated Vienna, say that in company with her cousin, Miss Mildred French, she is enjoying herself finely. Berlin and other cities will be visited and Oct. 8 fixed upon for sailing home.

Personal and Society

Frank E. Bond left on Tuesday for Florida.

Mrs. Schiele returns to Cleveland in a few days.

Mrs. S. P. Learn has gone east to visit her mother.

Mr. J. C. McCarty, of Cleveland, is at Rev. Chapman's.

Dr. and Mrs. Dalrymple left for Bradford, Pa., Monday.

Miss Lena Fowles is spending several weeks in Cleveland.

George Ferguson, now of Cleveland, spent Sunday and friends here.

Mrs. Quincey Miller and two children are stopping here with relatives.

Miss Moore, of Youngstown, is among the guests of Mrs. W. C. Andrews.

Miss Helen Stockwell is now with friends at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Miss Ida Bates, of Cleveland, is stopping with her friend, Miss Ina Learn.

Mrs. C. D. Clark entertained a party of lady friends Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Thatcher and two children of N.Y. are guests of Mr. Stockwell's.

Fred Parmele, of Burton, made a hasty call on friends one day this week.

Mr. Roelif Brinkerhoff and wife, of Fremont, spent the Sabbath with Mr. T. H. Burr.

Mr. Bradley Gilbert, formerly of Chester, but now of the west, is visiting in this country.

Miss Lanta Gaines, of New York City is visiting relatives in this place and Painesville.

Miss Rosa Tompkins after an absence of several weeks in Cleveland and Erie is at home again.

Miss Emma Paul, of Ottawa, Illinois is visiting her father, Mr. S. Smart, and other relatives.

Miss Carrie H. Hall, of Titusville, is making a visit to her aunts, Mrs. Garlick and Miss Hall.

Mr. W. Richardson has been seriously ill since our last issue, but was reported better yesterday.

Mr. S. P. Merrill expects to leave the city of Chicago for home by the lakes, Friday of this week.

The Misses Belle and Mary Austin, of Toledo, are spending a part of their vacation days in Willoughby.

Miss Allie Hill has returned from her visit to New York, receiving a hearty greeting from her many friends.

Miss Rhoda Moses and Miss Jane Lane, of Cleveland, have been stopping for a few days past with Mr. Fowles' family.

Mrs. Furber and her two sisters, Mrs. Haggett and Miss Aggie Payn, leave today for Detroit, the home of the former.

Miss Foster, of Chicago, is visiting Miss Hanscom with whom Miss Josephine Church, of Painesville spent last week.

Mr. W. H. Chapman, of Washington, D. C., arrived Tuesday night on his annual visit to his parents. He will be here several weeks.

Rev. Mr. Couden and family of our village were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Upham, Kirtland, for several days last week.

Judge S. S. Brinkerhoff, of Fort Scott, Kansas, has been in town several days. He was formerly a law student with Judge Bissel, of Painesville.

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Mrs. Garlock, Mrs. W. B. Davock and two children, Mrs. Fields, and Miss Grace Fields, all of Cleveland are stopping at Mr. W. Hanson's for the summer.

Miss Dozier, Supervisor of Kindergarten in St. Louis, is spending a part of her vacation in this village, finding a temporary home with Mrs. Jonathan Sharpe.

Mr. Jacob Bates, of Princeton, Ill., made a visit last week to the family of Mr. Fred Yaxley. He was on his way to Cummington, Mass., where he spent his youthful days with the late, Deacon Bates, of this village, and Esq. Shaw, of Chester. Mrs. W. H. Hayden returned home on Sat. from a 5 weeks' visit to her old home on the Ohio River. She was but a short distance from the scene of the disaster to the ill-fated *Scioto*, and describes the situation as one of the deepest distress.

Miss Hadden, Miss Smart, Miss Maggie Thomas, Will Pierce, and Allie Daniels will provide the elocutionary part of the entertainment at the Lawn Social on Friday of this week at Mr. John Daniels', Mentor, under the auspices of the young people of the Christian church of this village.

William S. Smart, of Waite Hill, prints a small article for the editor detailing the number of sheep and lambs he has and his best shearing—9 lbs.

Wm. Crobaugh gives notice that a suit for slander will be brought against those circulating stories about Mary Etta Ball (now Mrs. Crobaugh) which are lies gotten up on purpose to hurt her character. Willoughby

Will Hoag has found a pig. Willoughby

E. L. Scarsbrook having served as an apprentice to Mrs. Black to the "S. T. Taylor System of Dressmaking" and perfected herself in "Draping and Finishing" with Mrs. Burk, Superior St., Cleveland, solicits the ladies of Willoughby and vicinity. May be found at her home on the Moore Farm, one mile north of the village.

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p. 2 Abraham Ingalls, of St. Paris, Ohio, has received a letter from the mother of the late president Garfield bearing news that he is a nephew of hers, and a cousin of the late President, and extending him an invitation to visit Mentor and renew acquaintances. His parents died when he was very young and all trace of him was lost by his mother's relatives.

Mentor

Miss Leona Rogers, of Kirtland, visited friends here last week.

Miss Mary Aldrich accompanied by her uncle (N. C. Belden, of Chautauqua) returned home last week.

Mr. James Angier reached home last week.

Mr. Henry Hills, of Highland, Kansas, reached here on Wednesday, intending to visit relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Misses Ellen and Antoinette King have just returned from a delightful visit to their uncle, Dr. A. C. Moore, of Amherst, Ohio.

Mr. Carl Coats fell down stairs not long ago and hurt himself badly. At first, it was thought he would surely die; but he is getting better now.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Youngs are intending to start for Fargo today. Quite a number of others here are beginning to look longingly toward the growing northwest.

Wilton Hodge, of Fargo, Dakota, arrived in Mentor last Wednesday on a short visit. He is intending to move his family to their new home in the west sometime this week.

Kirtland

C. H. Frank and family spent Sunday here with relatives.

C. W. Damon, of northeast Pennsylvania, was in town last week visiting at his old home.

Mr. Kurtz, of New Philadelphia, father of Mrs. Willard is in town for a few days.

Seth Williams, of Cleveland, was in town last week. He was formerly in business at the stand now occupied by E. D. Rich.

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Mr. Willard, our miller, and Mr. F. Millard, of east Kirtland, report newcomers at their homes—and both are daughters.

Maple Grove

Mrs. Lamoreaux was given a surprise birthday party on the 10th instant. She received a pair of beautiful vases.

Extracts from a California Letter

Mr. N. C. Smith has received a letter from Geo. B. Stone who is traveling in California. It is dated San Diego, July 8. He describes his travels.

In the Iowa papers regarding the commencement exercises of Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, in that state, a former Willoughby boy—Rollo F. Hurlburt-- was the orator of the class. The article goes on to describe his speech.

Mrs. Sarah D. Stewart, wife of Rev. T. Calvin Stewart, and a daughter of William Ward, of Niles, Ohio, died at Brazil, Indiana, on the 18th instant. She was a lady of high character and very highly esteemed by all who knew her. Until 1880, Mr. Stewart had for some years been pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Solon. The funeral was held in Niles on the 10th instant.

p. 3 Dr. St. John is here for a few days.

Miss Julia Akins talks to visiting Lake Side.

N. C. Stevens from Hudson is in town.

Mrs. Masury and Mrs. Wm. Richardson are both quite ill.

Mr. Chas Clark has been making a brief visit to his parents

Thanks to Mrs. Geo. Newton for a large and handsome bouquet.

Mrs. Chas. H. Brown, of New York City, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nash.

Mrs. H. B. White returned on Thursday from a visit of several weeks to Cleveland.

A. P. Bateham and George Law journeyed to Newton's Grove. Sunday, on their bicycles.

Mrs. Barless and daughter, Mary, have gone to spend a few weeks with relatives in Michigan.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. S. B. Taylor is improving in health, although quite slowly.

Mr. John Page is about to add a carriage house to his outdoor building on the Euclid Road.

Mr. and Mrs. M E. Beckwith, of the West Side, Cleveland, are spending several days here with relatives.

Mr. W. C. Wilson has been confined to the house for a week past through a severe attack of malarial fever.

The Chester Farmers' Club will meet at D. K. Gilmore's Aug. 17.

Mr. E. B. Durban, of the *News Register* is ill at his home in Newcastle, Penn. (from a dispatch from Youngstown).

Mr. Hiram Kennedy has returned from his trip up the lakes with Capt. Mulholland.

Mrs. T. H. Pease has purchased of Mrs. S. S. Ferriss the house and lot now occupied by Postmaster Eddy for \$950.

A natural gas explosion at the County Home at Erie Friday fatally injured Alfred Brent and dismantled the boiler and engine rooms.

Rev. Geo. R. Merrill, of the Congregational Church, Painesville, is recreating at Lakeside.

Prof. W. W. Gist, now of Iowa intends to spend part of his vacation with friends in Lake Co. and other portions of the state.

Prof. E. B. Webster, formerly of the Western Reserve Seminary, has been secured as Principal of Grand River Institute in Austinburg.

Mrs. Sophia Lamb, of Concord, who was adjudged insane, was taken last week to the asylum at Newburgh by Sheriff Barrett.

Mr. Wallace Merrill and Mrs. Flora E. Merrill, of Painesville, Ohio, were registered at the Walker House, Salt Lake city, Utah, on the 15th instant.

The *Orwell Local* says nine rattles had been left at the office which were taken from a snake 3' in length in that vicinity.

Hon. S. S. Osborn, many years of Painesville but now of Chicago, was spending several days last week at his early home in Ashtabula Co.

Capt. Armstrong has built a platform 13 x 30, at the mouth of the river for the convenience of

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dancing parties. A small charge will be made for its use.

Mr. T. H. Burr has been visiting his old home in Concord.

Rev. Beazell and family will spend some time in eastern Pennsylvania.

Mr. S. P. Merrill arrived in Cleveland yesterday from his trip up the lakes.

Miss Nellie Whiting is the guest of Miss Youmans of north Mentor.

Mr. E. Aldrich, of Mentor, accompanied by a relative from Chautauqua, is in Dakota.

The Misses Louise and Susie Bowdre, of Jefferson, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Dawson.

Mrs. Betts, a former resident, now of the far west, is in town. Also, Miss Field of Cleveland.

Miss Helen Stockwell, after several months' absence, is expected home in a few days.

The Christian Social will be held next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. James Tinkham, Waite Hill.

Mrs. Harry McKinnie, lately returned from Europe, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Sharpe.

Mr. McKinnie spent the Sabbath here.

Mr. John Foster, of Mr. Penfield's shop, fractured a rib and had other injuries when he attempted to remove some heavy machinery.

The Twenty-ninth O.V.I. will hold its reunion at Congress Lake on the 16, 17, 18th of next month. Congress Lake is on the Connotton Valley Railway between Kent and Canton.

Mrs. E. B. Root, formerly of Painesville, has sold the large tent (which she has taken to Chautauqua the last two years) to the Cleveland Grays; they will go into camp at Chautauqua next week.

The Merrill family is all here and will remain until about Sept. 1, when they will return to Wilmington, Ohio. Prof. Merrill being reappointed as Superintendent of the Schools.

Mr. Bion R. Barnes, of this village, and Miss N. Steele, of Mayfield, were married on the 12th instant at Girard, Pa. Rev. Chas. Shipneer, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating.

The 3rd Annual Picnic of the Mayfield Pioneer Association will be held in the grove of Wm.

Covert, on Aug. 10. A general invitation is extended.

The *Geauga Republican* learns that the condition of Mrs. I. N. Hathaway, who is receiving treatment at the Homeopathic Hospital in Cleveland, remains the same for some time past. Some hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Mr. Bigler, of the Painesville Mills, has obtained a temporary injunction forbidding the Commissioners from making any changes in the center pier of the bridge at the foot of Main Street. The case will come before the next court.

While Rev. Frank M. Hall and family were absent visiting friends in Cleveland, their residence in Newark was entered and ransacked.

Ben Hughes has just completed the putting down of a well on the old A. C. Williams Place on Erie St., reaching gravel and good water at a distance of 35 ½'. His plan of operations is simple and much more rapid than the old method.

Rev. Mr. Gibbs, of Marshall, Michigan, has been spending a week with the family of Rev. Couden. These gentlemen grew up in the same neighborhood, belonged to the same brigade during the war, and now both occupy Universalist pulpits.

Mr. John Hill, of this village, was in Greenville, Pa., when the men charged with the Express robbery at that place were brought in, and he says he recognized two of the men, having seen them in Willoughby about two weeks ago.

At Warren Saturday, the jury rendered a verdict of murder in the second degree in the case of Phelps who shot his son last spring in Newton Falls. Two sons were scuffling in the house, the father interfered, one of them resisted, and the father shot and killed him.

The *Cleveland Herald* says Mrs. Sheriff Buckley is quite seriously ill.

One night last week, George Clement and a lady friend left home for a buggy ride, but returned on foot. On nearing Mr. Fowler's residence the

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horse became frightened at a large dog in the road, overturning the buggy, Aside, from damage to the vehicle, no other injury is reported.

There was a 33rd surprise birthday party for Mrs. Lyman Ferry, of west Mentor, on the 15th instant.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Dea. Myron Wells. He had stumbled and fallen outside. His injuries were his head and face badly bruised and parts of his body sprained—he, also, seemed quite bewildered. He is under the care of a physician.

Mr. Harvey Woodworth's family came to Unionville in 1820. Mrs. Woodworth came into the county in 1808.

Rev. Mr. Robinson, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church, of this village and family, arrived in town, this morning.

We do not have the particulars at hand, but learn the little son of Dr. J. L. Sherman, age 2 or 3 years old, was drowned in the river at Mayfield last Wednesday. It is supposed he strayed from home unobserved by family.

The Cleveland *Herald* of Tuesday announces the death of Mrs. Harris, of Painesville. Mrs. Nancy A. Harris, age 85, wife of Judge Milo Harris, died about 11 o'clock last night suddenly and unexpectedly going to bed in her usual health. Mrs. Harris was a native of Walpole, N.H., coming to Painesville in 1817, and with the exception of about 2 years, they lived in Painesville since that time. Mrs. Harris leaves her aged husband and son and numerous relatives and friends to mourn her. The funeral service will be Thursday at 3 o'clock at the residence on Erie St.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Wm. Pike to Martha E. Robertson, Willoughby, 56 acres, tract 11, lot 1, \$2,000.

August Knieling to Lewis Knieling, Willoughby Village lots 6 and 11, \$3,000.

Ira E. Holmes to S. Lavina Holmes, Willoughby, 48 and 83/100 acres, \$500.

Madison

William C. Barnes to Myron Canfield about 20 rods in lot 7, Paine tract, \$50.

Wallace B. Brooks to Alice W. Hoffman, 55 acres in Cowles tract, quit claim, \$1.

Kirtland

S. F. Whitney to Milton S. McFarland, 25/100 acres, the Spring lot, \$15.

George L. Ingersoll to M. S. McFarland, Kirtland, 2 parcels in village, \$225.

Painesville

Warren P. Cook to John F. Curdy, 14 and 17/100 acres in lots 53, 58, and 59, Williams's survey, \$2,030.

John E. Curdy to John Cleary, 3 acres, lot 53, Williams' survey, \$475.

Izora M. Brooks to Geo. E. Paine, ½ lot 249, Fairport, quit claim, \$50.

Geo. E. Paine to Hattie M. Nichols, lot 249, Fairport, \$200.

John Creedon to J. H. King, lot on Jackson St., \$100.

Norris P. Stockwell to B. S. Stevens, lot on Liberty St., for water works wells, \$500.

Sara B. Stacy to Painesville Water and Steam Heating Co., lot on Liberty St. for wells, \$200.

Chas. A. Avery to the Water Works and Steam Heating Co., lot on High St., for reservoir, \$500.

Mentor

Stephen H. and T. G. Hart to Alice M. Ritter, lot No. 40, Smith and Hart's survey, \$700.

T. W. Byrns, by Sheriff, to H. H. Hine, 72 acres, tract 14, lot 4, \$1,288.

H. H. Hines to John M. Brown, 71 acres in Tract 14, lot 4, \$2,060.

Charlotte P. Smith to Chas. T. Parker, 3 and 51/100 acres in Parker lot, \$366.

During the visit of Mrs. H. B. White, to Cleveland, her birthday anniversary occurred. In the *West Side Sentinel* of the 15th: "The 82nd birthday of Mrs. H. B. White, was celebrated at the residence of her son, M E. Beckwith, 115 Hanover St., on the 10th instant.

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p. 2 Miss Jennie Encell is visiting friends in Cleveland.

Misses Mary and Emily Bradley are visiting in Girard.

Miss Mamie Anderson, of Cleveland, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Joseph Rudolph spent the Sabbath with friends in Pittsburgh.

Harry King has been spending a few weeks with relatives in Aurora.

Paul Kennedy, of East Cleveland, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. H. C. King.

Mrs. John Tyler is visiting friends in Mayville, N.Y., on Lake Chautauqua.

Clark Hendryx is spending part of his summer vacation with friends in Concord.

Mrs. Helen Pardee, of Akron, accompanied by her daughter is visiting relatives here.

Frank Crowl, of Cleveland, has been spending a part of his vacation with Mentor friends.

Miss Mollie Windom, daughter of Sec. Windom of Iowa, is visiting Mollie Garfield.

Miss Emma Peckham, of East Cleveland, has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Nellie Green.

E. T. C. Aldrich and brother-in-law Mr. C. Belden of Chautauqua, started for Fargo last Wednesday on a visit.

Miss Addie Rudolph has gone to Geauga Lake today to attend the reunion of old Hiram graduates at that place.

Mr. Sidney Justus has been in critical condition of health for some time past, but the outlook for his recovery is more favorable now.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Hodge left Mentor on Wednesday last for their new home in Fargo, Dakota; Miss Anna Ryan accompanied them.

Frank Ferris, of Little Mountain, will be "one of us" for the coming year; a report indicates he will take control of the school in the "special district."

West Kirtland

B. F. Jenks is afflicted with sore throat originating with a cold.

Our district closed school on the 18th ultimo—Miss Frank Gregory teacher.

Mrs. T. Ballentine suffered a very serious attack of heart disease Thursday of last week, but at the present writing is much better.

The steam threshers of the Smith Bros. and C. Presley have opened that interesting campaign, and with the usual accompaniments of noise, sputter, dirt, and smoke making the day unbearable and the night fraught with visions of towering straw stacks, long straw, and flying sheaves.

The Congregational Sunday School social had been held Thursday last at the home of Harvey Morse. Miss Bell Morse was the hostess. Fred made the lemonade; he is the second son of Harvey. About 120 were present. Mr. Morse is 72 years old. He removed with his father's family from Washington, Mass., in 1815, then a lad of 10 years, arriving here in the midst of an unbroken forest. There was not an inhabitant nearer than Chester. The sickle and the wooden plow, the flint lock, and flail were in use in those days.

Baseball

There were two picked teams from Mr. Penfield's shop under Captains Messrs. Roper and Cook. The Cook team won 9 – 8. (The newspaper article gives some "play-by-play" description.

The *Exponent* has the following items from Chester: Mr. E. E. Mills and Miss Lillie Fessenden were married July 16, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. Mills.

From the *Geneva Times*

Last spring some enterprising gentlemen formed a company and purchased Thompson Ledge. Necessary improvements and repairs were made, and Rev. Mr. Woodworth, of Thompson, was installed as landlord and manager. After everything was put in apple pie order, Mr. L. Taylor, of Chardon, swooped down upon the Reverend with a tax title deed, and proceeded to measure off 3 acres, including the

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building. The sheriff was then sent for to make the occupants "git." The matter is now in the hands of the lawyers.

Mrs. Sarah J. Hathaway, wife of Hon. I. N. Hathaway, of Chardon, died at Huron St. Hospital, Cleveland, Friday morning. She had been sick the past two years. Some time ago her family was preparing to take a trip South thinking that the change might be beneficial, but she failed so rapidly that it was not deemed best; and accompanied by her husband; she was taken to the Huron St. Hospital in hopes that she might be benefited by treatment there. Mrs. Hathaway was in her 50th year. The remains were conveyed to Chardon Friday afternoon for interment. *Herald*

p. 3 Miss Helen Stockwell arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. N. C. Harmon is in town, guest of his uncle, Mr. N. C. Stockwell.

Mr. John Copp, of Madison, spent the Sabbath with the family of H. R. Stevens.

Miss Ada Laman, of Meadville, Penn., is on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Rumsey.

Mr. John Kelly left Tuesday to join other members of the family in Kansas.

Hon. A. G. Riddle is spending some time among his old friends in Geauga Co.

Last week, Mrs. Abigail Frisbie, of Geneva, celebrated her one hundredth birthday.

The Misses Penfield entertained quite a large party of their friends on Monday evening.

Mr. Geo. Hanscom and wife, of Kirtland, have gone East—will visit Boston, New York, & c.

Mrs. D. C. Miller has a lemon on her tree which measures over 10 inches in circumference.

Benj. Gibbons left town on Saturday for Minnesota expecting to be absent several weeks.

The *Gauga Republican* says Rev. W. H. Haskell and family left on Monday for Chautauqua.

Among those building cottages this season at Cassadaga Lake is Mr. E. W. Bond, of this place.

Frank T. Walker, of Geneva, was in town over the Sabbath and was the tenor of the Presbyterian Choir.

The Misses Edith and Dora Stevens returned the later part of the week from a month's visit to Madison friends.

W. T. Clark dealt out the syrups at the Lawn social Friday evening and donated the receipts from the same.

Mrs. Martha S. Wilson, who has been spending the past two months with relatives here, has returned to Warren.

Rev. Frank M. Hall and family, of Newark, in this state are spending a few days this week with Miss Austin.

A children's branch of the W.C.T. Union will be formed at Miss Emma Hart's at Kirtland Flats, on Saturday of this week.

Mr. John Randall has oats growing on his farm in Kirtland which measure 6'10" in length—and still growing.

Mrs. L. J. Talbot, Kalamazoo, Michigan, arrived this week on a visit of a few weeks to her parents—Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Sharpe.

Mr. James Maloney, who has been out of health for several months, started on Tuesday for Canada, in hopes to regain his strength.

The three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Allen, of Tiffin—Cora, Mabel and Millie are visiting their relatives here on the Plains.

The descendents of Capt. Levi Pinney will hold their second family reunion at Bass Lake, Geauga Co., Wednesday, August 9.

Judge Shepherd has appointed Dan Lloyd Wyman, a member of the Lake Co. Board of School Examiners, in place of Rev. J. Cory.

Misses Emma and Julia Henricks, of Cleveland, together with Mr. C. H. Petty, were guests at Mr. N. C. Smith's the later part of the week.

Mrs. Jennie Bartholomew, of Willoughby, is spending a few days in this place, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Canfield. *Chardon Republican* Mrs. Margaret Kelly, formerly of this place, but now of Kansas, recently had a fall and broke an arm, from which advices say, she is great sufferer.

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Mr. M. E. Beckwith and wife, of the West Side, Cleveland, who have been spending a week or more with Mrs. H. B. White, returned home Tuesday night.

Mrs. A. G. Egbert went to Lake Side last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Penfield and Elmer E. Flickinger are expecting to visit Chautauqua this week.

Rev. D. K. Flickinger came to town yesterday from Lake Chautauqua. He goes from here to a Sunday school gathering at Portage.

The Pioneers, of Newbury, with Hon. A. G. Riddle as speaker, will hold a basket picnic at Punderson's Pond on Aug. 22.

Mrs. Clinton Waite expects to leave on Friday for Hampton Beach, a quiet retreat in New Hampshire. She expects to be absent several weeks.

The funeral services for Miss Mary Ann Bly took place Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church; sermon by Rev. Waugh. She was 24 years old.

Rev. C. H. Stocking (son of Lyman Stocking of the Ridge) gave three historical lectures last week at Lakeside which are highly eulogized by the press.

Mr. A. P. Bateham has left the employ of Mr. Penfield and during the fruit season will recreate at the family residence on Mentor Ave., Painesville.

Miss Julia Akin, who went last week to Lakeside, mails us Saturday's number of the Sandusky Register.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackman left Mentor last evening for Ashtabula Co. They will visit Akron and Ravenna leaving the latter place for Florida in December, where they expect to pass the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement of this place attended the funeral of Mrs. I. N. Hathaway in Chardon last Sunday.

Mr. M. L. Parker and family of Mentor have left for Baldwin City, Michigan, where they expect to make their future home. They go on a farm of 160 acres.

Mr. D. F. Hopkins has returned from Florida having failed to make satisfactory business arrangements.

Mrs. E. Stockwell has left at the store of Mr. W. T. Clark, one of those choice plants, a Night Blooming Cereus. It will commence to open its blossoms at 4 o'clock this Thursday afternoon. Any desiring to witness it are invited to call.

Mr. A. G. Reynolds, of Little Mountain, left for Des Moines, Iowa, the first of the week, we presume with the intention of practicing law in that city. Mr. R. is one of the worthiest sons of Lake Co.

Mr. A. H. Mosher, for 10 years past of La Grange, Indiana, came into town last Friday on a visit to his father, Levi Mosher of Wickliffe, and other relatives.

On Sat. Mr. E. S. Durban, in company with his son Frank and Mr. S. Hamilton and wife, of New Castle, Pa., made a brief visit to our village, returning to Bass Lake in the evening. Mr. Durban (brother to our Geo B.) is managing editor of the Youngstown News Register. He had not been in Willoughby for over 20 years.

The following is the list of jurors in the case of the New York, Chicago, and St. Louis R.R. vs. the Oviatt Mfg. Co. before Probate Judge Shepherd:

S. Foster	George Wilson
Wm. Thompson	James A. Allen
John B. Ferguson	A. J. Bliss
Elmer Manchester	Ezra Chafee
George Abbey Jr.	Walter Lamphier
H. D. Osborn	A. W. Morley

The suit is brought to appropriate land in Willoughby for depot purposes, and the trial is progressing as we go to press.

We understand the firm of Viall & Pomeroy have sold out to Mr. R. C. Brinkerhoff, of Fremont, Ohio.

Some of our residents will remember Mr. Brinkerhoff as a student at the college here in 1860-1861. He is a practical tinsmith and has considerable experience in the business. He will continue the business at the old stand and will have a nice stock of stores and house furnishing goods.

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Rev. W. A. Robinson and family, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bates, preached at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Before returning to Springfield, N.Y., they will visit relatives in Hudson.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mr. E. J. Estep, of Cleveland, and Miss Julia E. Smith (daughter of Mrs. S. B. Beebe of Willoughby) were united in marriage. The ceremony took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pope, No. 1328 Superior St., Cleveland—the officiating clergyman was Rev. Jabez Hall, of the Christian church. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The couple left the city for a brief trip to the east.

The marriage of Mr. John C. Ward and Miss Nellie E. Baker, both of this village, was Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents on River St. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. J. Waugh of the Presbyterian Church, and was witnessed by near relatives and a few guests. Mr. and Mrs. Ward left on the afternoon express for Boston and thence will visit the coast of New Hampshire, returning to Willoughby in 2 or 3 weeks.

B. S. Upham sends a report of the Grove Meeting which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton, Kirtland, August 1.

Names of those attending the Lake Co. Teachers' Institute, July 31. Mr. S. P. Merrill, President, Miss Jennie Barnes of the Wickliffe Schools, Sec.

Homer Harper, Perry
Lloyd Wyman, Perry
Inez Gaylord, Perry
Henry Lockwood, Perry
Sarah Shepherd, Perry
Lydia W. Coolidge, Perry
C. J. Weeks, Madison
E. E. Bowen, Perry
E. M. Woodward, Kirtland
Jas. H. Shepherd, Perry
Stattie Thompson, Perry

Lulu Stoddart, Olmsted Falls
Altha A. Hill, Madison
Minerva A. Atkinson, Willoughby
Kate Genung, Madison
Agnes L. Morley, Kirtland
Emma A. Opper, Madison
Kate E. Teachout, Madison
Eva Veits, Madison
Stella Parks, Madison
Sylvia J. Pike, Willoughby
Alice Harold, Madison
Bell Barnum, Geneva
M. Alma Branch, North Madison
Sadie A. Holbrook, North Madison
Aggie G. Holbrook, North Madison
Myrtle M. Bailey, Madison
Jennie S. Preston, Madison
Hattie Kenner, Madison
Lillie Garis, Thompson
Connei Beach, Thompson
Lida J. Kewish, Leroy
Libbie Ormsby, Willoughby
F. D. Morley, Mentor
F. A. Crellan, LeRoy
S. B. Gibbs, Perry
H. P. Cummings, Madison
C. M. Traver, Kirtland
Violet Jenkins, Willoughby
Minnie Gee, Madison
Jessie Crandall, Madison
Minnie Manley, Kirtland
F. E. Ferriss, Mentor
J. R. Celants, Unionville
Marion Frink, North Madison
Geni Van Ness, Perry
Melva E. Latham, Madison
Emma J. Hadlock, Kirtland
Ida Upham, Kirtland
M. E. Booth, Kirtland
Ione L. Smith, Madison
Sarah C. Bateham, Painesville
R. H. Kinnison, Wellington
Mary E. Griswold, Willoughby
Mary E. Ward, Willoughby
M. E. Woodward, Kirtland

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Death of Mr. Richardson

The death of Mr. Wm. Richardson, which has been anticipated for some days, took place Wednesday afternoon at his late residence on Third Street. The funeral services will be at the Universalist church on Friday at 2 o'clock and will be in the charge of the Masonic fraternity.

Painesville

Dr. Geo. Wilson is at Cincinnati.

Mr. Sturges, now doing business in New York, is at home again.

Messrs. Walter Tisdell and Ed Branch are doing missionary work in the county.

Mr. Hollister one of our most successful businessmen left for England last week on a visit to his mother, who he has not seen in 26 years. Mr. Fred Littlejohn, a nephew, will have temporary charge of the business.

The widow of the late George Steele, has filed a petition with the county court asking that dower be assigned her in the real estate of her deceased husband. It is said the claim will be resisted.

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The neighbors of Mrs. Presley recently widowed, turned out and in a single day mowed her grass, raked it, and hauled it to her barns in excellent order.

Increase M. Van Deusen, after an illness of some months, suffering intensely at some times, died on Friday last, Aug. 4. His home had been in Kirtland for the last 22 years, coming directly here from Brooklyn, New York. His birthplace was Hillsdale, Columbia Co., New York. When about 24 years of age he turned his back on his native state and sought the wilds of Michigan, settling north-west of Detroit. While there, he became acquainted with Maria Hoffman, and they were married; she being quite young, only 16, and his age was 29. After a few years they moved further west choosing Nauvoo, Illinois. There were a lot of conflicts between Mormons and people around them

there which became more frequent. After 3 years Van Deusen moved back to Michigan, staying a short time and starting for the east. He stopped at Syracuse for 5 or 6 months. He set out for Albany and then Brooklyn where he lived 3 years. The next move was to Kirtland, Ohio, where he has lived since; 1809 was the year of his birth; his age was therefore, 73 years. His height was above the average, his walk quick and nervous, and form erect; and he must have been in his youth and prime a fine looking man as you would see in a thousand. Disease of the kidneys was the cause of his death. The funeral services were held at the house on Sunday. Mr. Hale spoke. The wife survives. Out of eleven children born, only 3 remain—Charles, Walter, and Mrs. Charles Metcalf—all living in Kirtland.

S. M. Whiting has a sister visiting him from Galesburg, Illinois.

W. P. Whelply and wife (nee Virginia Crary) of Madison are spending several days in town.

Nelson Makepeace still nurses his sprained limb, and uses a cane in getting about the streets.

Geo. F. Damon is absent for a few days on a visit to relatives at Northeast, Pa., and Lake Chautauqua.

Mr. Lewis Morgan and family, of Geneva, made a brief visit to friends here last week. Mr. Morgan is manager of the co-operative store in Geneva.

The family gathering which recently took place at the house of Mrs. Kezia Turk, on the occasion of the 90th birthday anniversary of her father, Mr. Jenkins, is spoken of by those present as a very pleasant affair.

Mentor

Miss Emma Murray is spending the summer in Columbus.

Miss Addie Merrill has been re-elected primary teacher at the Center.

Mrs. J. Montgomery returned yesterday to her post in the War Dept. at Washington.

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Miss Jennie Glazier is spending part of her summer vacation with her grandparents, Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Clapp.

Miss Ellen Kinsley, of Geneva, daughter of Elder Kinsley, a former pastor of the M.E. Church here, is visiting old friends in Mentor.

Prof. Luse will take Prof. Hamlen's place in the musical Department of the public schools in Painesville another year. He had the Professorship of Music at Zanesville for many years. One day a week will be set aside for private scholars here at the Professor's house.

The Lake County Pioneer Picnic which usually meets in Kirtland has been postponed a week and will be held in the same place (the maple grove owned by Capt. Burrige) Wed., Aug. 30. This was deemed advisable in order that old people coming from a distance could remain a little longer with friends here, and conveniently attend the picnic.

It was with untold misery we read in last week's issue of the *Independent*, that Mr. Arlington Reynolds, the "old man of the mountain," had gone to Iowa.

p. 3 Orrie Waite is now day operator at Wickliffe.

Mr. C. R. Brown made a hasty trip to the village last Friday.

Miss Flo Hester, of Alliance, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnside returned from their eastern wedding trip last week.

Mrs. Belden and Mrs. C. J. Komar are expected home from Iowa Falls today.

Mrs. J. W. Penfield and Mr. T. H. Eckfeldt started for Chautauqua Wednesday morning.

Chas. E. Malkin, of Cleveland, came down Saturday night and spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Maltby, Nebraska City, are guests of relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bond.

Mr. Ed Burnett and wife returned Tuesday morning from a short visit to relatives at Saybrook.

Mr. S. P. Merrill is on a visit this week to his brother-in-law, Dr. A. S. Hayden, of Columbiana.

Miss Lena Brennan returned to Ada, Hardin Co., on Monday noon, where she resumes her school studies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward are spending a portion of the honeymoon at Hampton in the old Granite State.

Mrs. S. Fowles left this morning for a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Johns, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The painters have finished work on the new house of Mr. E. Baker on Vine St., and its occupation will be next in order.

Mr. Horace Granger "set up" the cigars Tuesday night—he has a new son.

Mrs. Frank Laman and daughter, of Cleveland, are stopping a few days with relatives—the family of Mrs. E. Holmes on the Kirtland Rd.

Night watchman Morgan has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks, his duties being performed by Wm. Lewis.

A former citizen of Lake Co., Mr. David R. Paige, now of Akron is talked of as the Democratic nominee for Congress in his district.

Mr. Geo. Campbell, who went to Kalamazoo Co., Michigan, a year ago last spring, sold out there and returned to this town.

Mr. A. G. Waite and wife spent several days the past week with relatives at Olmstead Falls. Miss Carrie Waite prolongs her visit in the same neighborhood.

Rev. B. F. Beazell who is quite indisposed left on Monday for West Virginia, with hope of obtaining relief. Two of his children accompanied him.

Mrs. Frank Welling and Miss Carrie Wells accompanied the remains of their mother to this place; and while here will remain with their aunt, Mrs. J. S. Ellen.

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We are told that Culbert Cowan had a thumb torn so badly on Monday while at the grindstone in Mr. Penfield's shop, that Dr. Davis had to cut off a piece of the bone.

The new post office in Ashtabula Co. by the name of Bushnell, is in the township of Monroe. Mr. W. H. Chapman leaves for Washington this week.

Barnes Bros. is doing a big job of paper hanging and decorating for Mr. J. O. Humphrey.

Mrs. S. M. Eckfeldt who has been on a visit to Mr. Penfield's returned Tuesday to Philadelphia. For a week past, Mr. Ben Hughes has been quite sick and under care of Dr. Moore; his morning he is reported to be on the gain.

The next Disciple Social will be held at the residence of Mrs. Dan Storm, Aug. 17.

Mr. Brinkerhoff, successor to Viall & Pomeroy in the tinning business, is putting the shop in good shape.

We are in receipt of a card announcing the marriage of Miss Nellie E. Radcliffe and Mr. Robert C. Moodey, both of Painesville. The ceremony took place on the 2nd instant at the home of the bride's parents on Jackson St. Immediately afterward, the newly married pair left for Cleveland, where they will commence housekeeping at once.

The funeral of Mrs. Wells took place Monday Morning, Rev. A. J. Waugh officiating and the remains deposited in the vault. M. E. Carroll was the 5th child of James and Hannah Carroll, and born Dec. 22, 1822, on the Carroll place, known as the Homestead Farm, where the brick house now stands. She was married to Dr. P. B. Wells, Aug. 3, 1847, and removed to Niles, Michigan, at which place she died Aug. 6.

Capt. Harvey Morse with his son, John F., now of Painesville, came to West Kirtland, in company with J. V. Viall in 1815. We are told the Crays had been there some time prior to that time, and there was quite a settlement at that time in Kirtland.

Mr. William Richardson died at the age of 49 years; for a large portion of that time he resided in Willoughby. The funeral was last Friday at

the Universalist Church. The band, fraternity of Masons, his fellow workman and a crowded church all testify to his worth as a man and a citizen. He leaves a wife and two sons.

Painesville – From the Hub

S. C. Durban, the job printer, is confined to the house by sickness.

Mrs. Geo. Baker is visiting relatives at Fluvanna on Lake Chautauqua.

C. R. Tinan is now sole proprietor of the Cowles House; Upson retiring.

A. L. Tinker has gone west and Sir Wm. Heisley is temporarily installed in the Law Office.

Wallace Stone, for a year past of the Stockwell House, has made an assignment and S. R. House is acting as the receiver.

DeForest Brooks has returned to his wonted vocation—brick making.

The laying of the water pipes causes some inconvenience, but all rejoice in the prospect of an abundance of water.

Wallace Merrill returned last Wednesday from his trip to the west, after an absence of nearly two months. His sister, Flora, tarried in Kansas City for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Eli S. Young.

H. H. Hine's new residence on the old Skinner site is fast approaching completion.

A bee hive and \$8-\$10 worth of honey were stolen from the premises of Mr. W. C. Andrews on Tuesday night.

There will be a Lawn Fete on the grounds of J. E. Pierson, Aug. 16. The object is to purchase an organ for the East Kirtland Literary Society.

Mrs. Richardson prints a card of thanks to friends who lent their assistance during the illness of her husband, Wm. Richardson.

A card of sympathy is printed for fellow band member, Wm. Richardson's family by A. C. Miller, W. S. Ferguson, C. M. O. Neveu.

Apply to J. W. Armstrong who found a paint scow off the mouth of the Chagrin River. Willoughby, Ohio

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p. 2 The Geauga Co. Farmers' Harvest Picnic is announced to be held at the Caves in Chester, on the 24th instant.

Willoughby Plains

Misses Bell, Cora and Millie Allen, of Tiffin, are visiting their relatives—the Youmans.

Mrs. Belle Fanning, of Michigan, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Downing and other friends.

Nate Downing has had another boy—that makes 3 sons.

Little Sadie Talbot met with quite an accident a few days ago. While playing with a cutting box and turning it leisurely, she caught her left arm in the cog wheels, badly lacerating the flesh from wrist to elbow. Fortunately, no bones were broken, and she is recovering as fast as can be expected.

Kirtland

Mrs. C. H Frank will teach our school the coming year.

Mr. F. Morgan and family are guests of Benj. Markell.

Geo. F. Damon returned Thursday from his trip to Chautauqua and northeast.

Mr. Ed Metcalf's folks report a 9 lb. girl at their home in West Kirtland.

C. H. Frank and wife, and Mr. Stevens and wife, drove out from Painesville last Sunday.

Capt. E. P. Spear and daughter, Mrs. Callaway, of Cleveland, are in town for a few days.

Robert Evell, who for several years past has been living in Florida, made his appearance in town last week, and was heartily welcomed by his many friends.

Wickliffe

The new depot is completed.

Miss Addie Ferguson has a new piano.

Mrs. Jennie Bartholomew, of Willoughby, has a music class at Wickliffe.

Miss Mary Tarbell, of Mentor, visited friends in town last week.

Capt. Hall and family, of Cleveland, are the guests of Mr. Chan. Fuller.

Mr. Thos. Lloyd is failing rapidly and little hope is entertained for his recovery.

Levi Mosher has sufficiently recovered from his illness to be able to take a ride.

E. M. Jones Jr., of Cleveland, spent the Sabbath with his father, Mr. Edwin Jones.

Mrs. Pelton, of Cleveland, is visiting the family of her brother, Mr. Simon Arnold.

Miss Lida Wemple, of Collamer, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Stevens.

Mrs. Krapser and daughter of Lyons, Iowa, were the guests of Mrs. Simon Arnold last week.

Dr. Dickenson and wife, of New London, Wis., have been visiting their friends in the vicinity.

Miss Lulu Stoddart, of Olmsted Falls, on her return from the Teacher's Institute at Madison, spent a few days with friends here.

The Sabbath School will hold its annual picnic at Waters' grove, on the lake shore, on Thursday, Aug. 17, and if the weather proves inclement, the picnic will be held the day following.

West Kirtland

Mrs. J. Hobart is reported very sick with intermittent fever.

Royal Taylor's 60th birthday was celebrated recently at Chardon by a family reunion.

H. G. Tryon made a very important sale a week ago of beef cattle: 17 head in all, averaging 1,100 lbs. Young stock is said to be scarce and high.

Mrs. W. Wyckoff, and Mrs. H. Buffington, of Chagrin Falls, each with their little boy and girl are spending the week at their father's, Reuben Tullar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Metcalf have a little 9 ½ lbs baby girl.

It was Capt. John Morse who came in 1815 and not Capt. Harvey Morse as previously stated.

Mrs. Ellen Kingsley, accompanied by her son has gone to Chicago.

Mr. Eugene More, Colorado, is visiting relatives here and "hereabouts."

Miss Ida Mower, Saginaw, is visiting Miss Jennie Pratt and her mother, Mrs. John Pratt.

Mrs. M. E. Warren, of Bridgeport, Conn., is spending some time with the family of Mr. Harrington.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nye have both been quite ill, but are reported better—as is, also, Mr. Sidney Justus.

Miss Estelle Humiston is spending her summer vacation with Mrs. Eugene Case. Miss Humiston is an Oberlin student.

The little son of Mr. Wm. Mills is suffering from scarlet fever. The case is a mild one, however, and no danger is apprehended from contagion. Dr. Young, of Painesville, is in attendance.

Miss Martha Mays expects to return to America sometime this month, and has accepted Mrs. Garfield's invitation to spend the intervening time between her return and the beginning of the school year at the Seminary.

Mr. H. U. Johnson, of Ashtabula, editor of the *Lake Shore Home Magazine*, delivered an interesting lecture at the Methodist Church last Sabbath evening on the "Royal Road to Manhood."

Let all "ye ancient men and maidens" be on hand at Burrige's Grove at 10 a.m., the 29th, for the Lake Co. Pioneer Association Picnic.

Mr. Maynard Murray, formerly a Mentor lad, now in business in Piqua, has been nominated as Democratic candidate Representative from the Third Congressional District.

Mr. Spencer Munson, while on a business trip to Canada, came very near death last week.

Not being very well, he called upon a physician friend, who by mistake, gave him a large dose of belladonna. Fourteen hours he lay in a stupor from which nothing could arouse him; after which it took 5 men to hold him. The doctor, after discovering his mistake, saw Mr. Munson was in a fair way to die, and then took the first train out of town. Moral: Never go to a doctor if you are sick in the summer, but just steep up some raspberry leaves and drink it.

Friends of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll say that when he undertook the defense of the star route men, he fully believed in their innocence. But the more recent testimony as to their guilt has convinced him that he is upholding a bad cause. Consequently, they say he has determined as

soon as he is done with the case, to quit the law business entirely and take up lecturing.

p. 3 Mr. James Damon has gone to New York. Mrs. Dexter Damon is visiting friends.

Weather: The thermometer was nearly 90 on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bond are at Cassadaga Lake. Mr. W. C. Andrews left for New York last Saturday.

Mrs. Field and daughter returned to Cleveland last Friday.

Mr. O. H. Rockafellow is putting on an 18 x 24 addition to his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell (Rose Moore), of Philadelphia, are in town.

Thanks to Mr. Chester Palmer for a number of the *Syracuse Herald*.

Mr. E. G. Bunnell is said to be gaining in health slowly.

Hon. I. N. Hathaway, of Chardon, has gone to White Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. A. H. Tenant, of Oberlin, made a brief visit to relatives here the past week.

Miss Ida Lansing, of Painesville, is on a visit to her cousin, Miss Lizzie Cottrell.

Mrs. Hattie Schram, of Kingsville, is spending a short time with Mrs. O. N. Barber.

Mrs. T. H. Burr and children returned Tuesday from their visit to Beloit, Wisconsin.

H. C. Dawson has a new Upright Bradbury Piano.

Mrs. W. F. Seeley (and daughter Eva), of Cleveland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Merrill.

Miss Hattie Gunn has returned from a visit of several weeks with her sister at Kingsville.

Miss Hattie Canfield, of Chardon, is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Bartholomew.

Miss Bell Calkins, of East Cleveland spends part of her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell.

Miss Carrie Waite is at home again after several weeks' visit with her relatives in Cuyahoga Co.

Mrs. T. S. Hodgson and family are expected here next week to spend a few days with friends before going west.

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Mrs. Delia Higgins and daughter, with Mrs. Albert King, and Miss Miller went to Cleveland Tuesday for a visit to relatives.

Akron and Canton were united last week to Cleveland by telephone, and the line will soon be completed to Hudson, Chagrin Falls, Bedford, &c.

Arthur Rutland's 18th birthday was made the occasion of a surprise party at the home of his parents, Monday evening.

Mr. J. W. Penfield joined his wife at Chautauqua last Saturday, returning on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grove D. Curtis, of Waite Hill, have a baby daughter, and consequently granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tryon.

Among the arrivals at Chautauqua on the 4th, given in the *Assembly Herald*, was the name of E. E. Flickinger, of Willoughby, Ohio.

Two daughters of Mr. Melvin Palmer, of Fostoria, are visiting in Chester. He expects to be here next week attending the reunion of Battery C, which takes place in Painesville on the 24th and 25th.

Asa Smith has had the finest Early Rose potatoes we have ever seen. Mr. S. thinks he will have from 1200 to 1500 bushels of this variety alone.

Mrs. and Miss Belden, together with Mrs. Komar returned last week from their visit to Iowa Falls. A few days previous to leaving for Ohio, Mr. David Alvord, Mrs. K's father met with a severe accident in which he had several ribs broken.

Miss S. J. Moore, of South Kirtland, sends us her records of the days in the month of June and July the rain fell: In June, 18 days; in July 19 days, and August certainly promises to eclipse both previous months.

Weather: Uncle Shel Newton, an "oldest inhabitant" of Youngstown, says that "1816" was a year without a summer, that there were plain visible frosts every month and that the men worked in the harvest field with their coats on, and closely buttoned.

The Cleveland Grays arrived at Lakewood on the 12th for a one week's stay. The Co. numbers 65

and a band of 25 instruments. During the week, a number of entertainments will be given at Kent House, contiguous to the camp.

The marriage of Prof. Frank Wares and Miss Alice E., the accomplished daughter of Mr. A. R. Hurd, took place yesterday in this village.

One of the finest specimens we have ever seen of the Japan flower, *Hydrangea*, is growing in the garden of Mrs. Geo. Durban. It now bears 108 blossoms, some of them immense in size.

Miss Alice Pettingill has been secured as pianist and Mrs. Henry Perkins, of Akron, will assist at the closing concert of the Trumbull Co. Musical Society annual session in Warren Sept. 6, 7, 8. H. R. Palmer, of New York, will conduct it.

The "Mentor Milk Co." is the name of the new firm which succeeds A. J. Tuthill & Co. having the factory in Mentor and principal depot at No. 67 Ontario St., Cleveland. The present company is comprised of N. H. McAllister and H. F. Green.

Mrs. Alexander Frazer, died at their residence in Chagrin Falls, on Thursday of last week, from cancer. She was formerly of Russell, Geauga Co., and a member of the Gates' family, who were among the earliest settlers of that township. Mr. & Mrs. Frazer sold their farm at Russell about 20 years ago, and took up their abode at the Falls which has since been their home. The deceased was a most estimable woman, in all respects, and her sad death will be sincerely regretted, not only by her immediate family, but, also, by the whole community. Six children were present at her bedside to render what assistance they could—Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Burgess, of Montour, Iowa; Mrs. E. H. Merrill, of Painesville; John W. Boliver, N.Y.; and Calvin and Orrin, of the Falls.

Wedding Bells

Mr. F. T. Waters, of Geneva, and Miss Alice E. Hurd (daughter of Mr. A. R. Hurd) of this place were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. J. Waugh, of the Presbyterian Church, at the residence of the bride's father, only a few immediate friends of the family being present. Beautiful and costly gifts were bestowed on the

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happy bride, who has always been a favorite in Willoughby socially. Mr. and Mrs. Waters took the noon train for the east, where after a short stay, they will return and make Geneva their future home.

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Hattie E. Ferris to Russell Hastings, 16/100 acres, lot 46, \$950.

Mentor

Jane G. Blackman to Cynthia D. Bissell, 215 and 26/100 acres, tract 4, lot 8, \$6,000.

Wm. Durban to Cynthia D. Bissell, 14 acres, tract 4, lot 8, \$2,100.

The weekly meeting of the young ladies Try Club, of Mentor, was held at the residence of J. C. Tyler, Wednesday evening, Aug. 9, for the election of officers, who are:

P.- Mary C. Aldrich; V. P. Nellie L. Green; S. Ada E. DeLong; T. Lillis R. Morley; S. Emily C. Corning; G.K. Florence J. Rose.

Ray Hubbell, of Painesville, brought suit in the U.S. Circuit Court Wed. against J. T. Gilmore and son of the U.S. Metallic Binding Co. for infringement of patent. He patented "metal corners for oilcloths." *Herald*

A card from Capt. "Jeremiah Barebones Kilbourne" invited the musical "old folks" of this town to join him at the pioneer picnic in Mentor, on the 19th instant in Mentor, to sing songs of "auld lang syne."

G. W. Clement has a valuable young Hambletonian horse for sale: 5 years old, 16 ½ hands high.

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Friday

p. 2 The Sacramento *Bee* says there has been discovered in the sandstone rock at the Nevada State Prison what is considered a great find: It is the marks of the sandaled foot of a human being and the tracks of a mammoth in the same piece of sandstone, or upon the same level, showing that man and mammoth lived not only

in the same age, but the same year. These marks were found in the sandstone quarry at the depth of 15', at what is supposed to have been the border of a lake where the man went fishing and the mammoth to drink.

There was a "dedication" of Mr. E. W. Bond's new cottage on Saturday evening where perhaps 200 camp residents were present. Colored lanterns among the trees made the grounds gay and inviting.

Cassadaga Lake, Aug. 21, 1882 by A. G. Smith.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Calvin Tyler and wife, from Michigan are visiting friends and relatives on the Plains.

Mrs. Robertson has returned to her home in Michigan, after a 6 weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. C. Hyde and other friends.

Miss Marian Dunbar has left the Industrial Home School, in Cleveland, on account of her health. She intends returning to her home in Minnesota. She is at present with her aunt, Mrs. Hanson.

Kirtland

Samuel Brown and wife are at Cassadaga Lake.

Miss R. Rogers is visiting her brother at Black River.

Lewis Hanscomb and wife are visiting in Ashtabula.

Miss Mary Henry is visiting friends in N.Y. State.

Mr. Will Traver, of Jackson, Michigan is in town spending his vacation.

Maple Grove

Mrs. Mary Freer, the oldest inhabitant of Maple Grove, passed peacefully away at 10 a.m. Sunday, the 20th instant. She was born in New Jersey, July 22, 1795. In 1880, her parents moved to Seneca Co., N.Y., where they remained until her marriage in 1814. In 1819, Mary and her husband, Titus Freer, started for the then great west, and after a wearisome journey of two weeks duration reached Chagrin settlement, where they located, occupying a small log house near Willoughby Mills; Titus Freer ran these mills about 2 years, then purchased a piece of land and mill privilege, three miles up the river where Eagle Mill now

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stands. Here with his own exertions and ingenuity, he built a dam, erected a grist mill, and saw mill, and got them in running order. In course of time, he sold these mills to Samuel Wirt, retaining the land for a farm on which he lived until his death which occurred in 1832, leaving Mrs. Freer with a partially cleared farm and seven small children; only three of these survive her.

p. 3 Miss Rosa Tompkins has gone to Tallmadge. Skiff Sheldon has returned from Lake Superior. The Misses Belle and Mary Austin return this week to Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Estep have returned from their eastern trip.

Mrs. Brown, of Madison, is the guest of Mr. E. H. Tryon, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Penfield came back from Chautauqua Lake on Monday.

Mr. Eugene Losey, of St. Louis, is here at his mother's, quite sick.

Miss Lottie Skiff, is home again from her western visit of several months.

Mr. Wm. F. Seeley, of Cleveland, spent the last Sabbath with friends in town.

Mrs. J. B. Collacott, of Painesville, called on friends here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward returned on Saturday night from their wedding trip.

Miss Vesta Greer has been spending some days with friends in Windsor and Warren.

Mrs. Lura Orr and daughter left for home, Syracuse, N.Y., on Wednesday morning.

Mr. C. S. Baldwin went to Conneaut last Thursday to join the G. A. R. encampment.

Miss Lena Fowles is at home again after a visit of several weeks with Cleveland friends.

Mr. Frank Lille, now of Youngstown, made a brief call upon his parents one day last week.

Mr. A. J. Elias, wife, and daughter, spent some time with Mrs. Charles Powell last week.

Miss Nettie Clark, of Mishawaka, is visiting the family of Capt. Kennedy and others.

The Misses Lena and Stella Holmes left town last week for a visit to Black River, Lorain Co.

Mr. Wm. Waite, of Berlinville, Ohio, came Monday on his annual visit to relatives in this section.

Mr. Dexter Damon has returned from a visit of several weeks to Massachusetts and other eastern points.

Mr. Ferris has been making some improvements on his already pleasant house on Prospect St.

Rev. T. S. Hodgson and wife will spend 2 weeks here before leaving for their new home in the west.

Mr. S. P. Merrill is this week visiting the family of his youngest brother, E. F. Merrill, in the village of Berea.

Rev. W. H. Hayden and wife have left town for a few weeks' vacation.

Mr. S. P. Learn has purchased the house and lot owned by the heirs of Dr. Garlick, on the Euclid Rd., at the cost of \$1,300.

Ed Gibbons is having a week's recreation calling upon his Willoughby friends.

The annual meeting of the Western Reserve Pioneer Association will be held this year at East Farmington, Sept. 9.

Mrs. S. E. Wadsworth, of Toronto, Canada, is making a visit of two or three weeks here with her mother, Mrs. H. B. White.

Mrs. Jas. T. Robinson is home again after a visit to her parents at Scranton, Pa. She was accompanied by her father and sister, Grace.

The Presley family holds a gathering this week on Thursday at the house of Mr. A. F. Presley in the south part of Willoughby township.

Rev. John McCarty, of Cleveland, has bought the place of Mrs. Caroline Barnes on Euclid Rd. containing 5 acres, consideration, \$3,000.

Mr. Jas. Barnes leaves today to try his fortune in Dakota. He takes his team with him and intends to make his home there, sending for his family next spring.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brown went to Willoughby last Wednesday to attend the marriage of their niece, Miss Allie Hurd, to Prof. Waters, of Geneva. *Madison Index.*

Mr. Frank Bond and wife left Tuesday for Cassadaga Lake. Mrs. Asa K. Smith and Miss

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Stella Young went on Monday, and Mr. Smith will join the party today.

Mrs. Theresa Pease and daughter are spending a week in Cleveland.

Dr. L. C. Brown, one of Painesville's oldest physicians, died last Thursday.

Rev. J. D. Norton is in town and is expected to preach at the M.E. Church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Kate Spence, of East Cleveland, has been spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malkin.

Mrs. Capt. John Miller and daughter, of Cleveland are stopping for a few days with the family of Mr. Slayton.

Mrs. N. Powell has returned from a pleasant visit to Chautauqua, Jamestown, Cassadaga Lake, &c.

A large and brilliant reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smith, at their residence, last evening, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward.

Mrs. J. W. Scribner returned home to Paulding last night. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Norman Snell, of Painesville, and little daughter, for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Capt. Geo. Baker, of Painesville, Ohio, is spending a fortnight with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Merrill, corner of Fourth and Jefferson Streets. *Jamestown (N.Y.) Journal*

The *Exponent* says that O. E. Lyman & Son, at Mulberry Corners, have sold their stock of dry goods and groceries to C. W. Cottrell, who will continue the business in the building occupied by Lyman.

Messrs. E. Crawford, Geo. H. Sharpe, and L. P. Burbank, of this place, accompanied by Mr. Hazeltine, of Kirtland, attended the reunion of the 105th Ohio, at Youngstown, Monday and Tuesday of this week.

John W. Flickinger left last Wednesday for Columbus where he joined Co. C. 14th Reg. O. N. G. who started for Camp Belle Island near Detroit, last Thursday. The whole regiment is to go into camp there.

At the recent teacher's examination at the close of the institute, T. D. Morley, of West Mentor,

stood 100 percent in Arithmetic, only two others getting that mark.

Mr. Arthur Huston's portly form and pleasant countenance are once again visible on our streets, making his annual visit to his old home. His wife joins him here from an eastern visit, and after tarrying a day or two will return to the Forest City.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Taylor, of Union Ridge, Michigan, are spending several weeks with friends in various parts of the country. Mr. Taylor formerly owned the farm now the property of S. B. Taylor, and removed from this place 27 years ago.

Harry Stevens, age 17, living in Nevada, sent his sister, Dora, a letter telling her all the good food he has for breakfast and lunch there.

The Waters-Hurd Wedding

The marriage of Alice E. Hurd, of Willoughby, and Mr. Frank T. Waters, of Geneva, was held at the residence of the bride's father (A. R. Hurd) on the morning of Wednesday, 16th. In the west parlor was arranged an arch of the choicest flowers, twined with garlands of smilax, from which was suspended an exquisite floral horseshoe, under which the ceremony was performed. Rev. A. J. Waugh, of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. G. T. Waters, of the Bethel Congregational Church, of Yale, Conn. An elegant wedding breakfast followed. The bride, who is a blond, was dressed in wine satin with rich Duchesse lace trimming. (The wedding gifts were listed.) Some of the names mentioned were A. R. Daniels, Mrs. A. S. Metzger, of Cleveland; Mrs. Frank Williams, Cleveland; Mrs. Frank Williams, Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Elwell; Frank Daniels and mother; Miss Nellie Hall; Miss Stella Young; Mrs. N. Clark; Nellie Viall; Bertha Pomeroy; Mrs. Delia Young, Mr. L. S. Brown; Miss Gertrude Hurd. Under a shower of rice, followed by the throwing of the bride's slipper, etc., the happy couple took the noon train for Lenox, Ashtabula Co., where a reception would be tendered them by the family of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Waters will reside in Geneva.

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Wickliffe

Miss Gussie Ingersoll visited friends in Cleveland the past week.

Mr. Simon Arnold spent last Friday at the sanitarium in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayre, in Cleveland, are spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Stocking.

Mrs. Carlisle, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Dr. Hill, of Cleveland, were in town last Friday visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tenny, of Chagrin Falls, have been spending a couple of days with Amasa J. Allen and family.

Mrs. Thatcher, of N.Y. City, Misses Stockwell, and Mr. Lora Stockwell, of Willoughby, were the guests of Mrs. Frank Palmer last Wednesday.

A Lawn Fete will be held on the grounds of Mr. Henry Jones, of Wickliffe, Wed., Aug. 30.

Mr. Thos. Lloyd died Sat., Aug. 19, after a lingering illness of several months. Mr. Lloyd was conscious until he passed away and expressed his willingness to die. The funeral was at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Thos. Lloyd, Monday, 1 o'clock. Rev. Waugh, of Willoughby, of whose church Mr. Lloyd was a member, delivered the discourse. The body was placed in the vault at Lake View Cemetery.

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Miss Nelly King is the guest of Mrs. John Murray, in Concord, this week.

Mrs. Emma Bishop, of Collinwood, is a guest at the Disciple parsonage for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Loubsher, Cleveland, are visiting Mrs. Parson, the mother of Mrs. L.

Another young voter will register himself as "Hadden," 21 years from now.

Miss Fanny Hutton, of Cleveland, has been spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Crowl.

Mr. H. U. Johnson delivered two or three lectures here last week, which were well received.

Mrs. O. C. Rockwell, New York City, is at Lawnfield. Mrs. Rockwell has been here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson have gone east for a pleasant trip, intending to visit the sea shore before their return.

Arthur Pratt has a new bicycle and all the boys are green with envy!

Mrs. Spencer Munson is receiving a delightful visit from her mother, Mrs. Boyd, of Knoxville, Tenn., and youngest sister, Miss Ella Boyd.

Mr. E. T. C. Aldrich returned from his trip to Dakota last Saturday.

The "Try Club" started a year ago has been elastic enough to "take in" some of the boys! Ed Barber, Harry King, T. C. Morley, and Fred Hart.

A very pleasant party took place at the residence of H. G. Lyon on the evening of the 19th instant, being in honor of Miss Theresa, her 17th birthday. The evening was spent in pleasant conversation, playing games, including the Shaker Dance.

The Lake Co. Pomona Grange prints a resolution in Memoriam for "our friend and sister", Mrs. George Blish, who died.

Married at the residence of the bride's father in Willoughby, Aug 17, b the Rev. A. J. Waugh, Mr. T. F. Hamilton ad Miss Bessy Goodrich, both of this place.

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p. 2 Mrs. Col. Rockwell and daughter, of Washington, D. C., are guests at Lawnfield for a few days.

"Grandma Garfield" accompanied by Harry went to Michigan last week to visit her son, Thomas, where she will remain until sometime next month.

Dr. Abner Moore, of North Amherst, has been visiting his nieces, the King girls, over the Sabbath.

Miss Marilla Sherwood, of Perry, is the guest of Mrs. E. Bradley.

Clifton Beardsley has been visiting old friends in Mentor.

Rev. John Atwater, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. H. C. King, during the recent meeting.

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The welcome faces of Mr. and Mrs. Clement, together with other Willoughby friends, were seen in our midst yesterday.

Pioneer Meeting

There were between 2,000 and 7,000 people in attendance.

Newton's Grove on the bank of the lake, 3 miles North of Willoughby station, is where the annual reunion of Co. C., 88th Reg. O. V. I., will be held Sept. 6 and 7, 1882.

p. 3 Mr. Homer Harper has opened a law office in Painesville.

Prof. Merrick and family returned to Wilmington yesterday.

Miss Lanta Gaines leaves Thursday for her home in New York City.

Raymond Penfield is in attendance at the Ohio State Fair in Columbus.

Mr. T. Norman has our thanks for a basket of fine Red Astracan apples.

Mr. Solon Moore, of Fullertown, paid a visit to his mother (Mrs. J. C. Sharpe) last week.

Mr. S. W. Smart removes next Monday to the store formerly occupied by E. M. Wing.

Mr. N. C. Taylor and wife returned to their home at Union City, Michigan, on Monday noon.

The Misses Edith and Gertrude Penfield are at home again after a residence in Cleveland of several weeks.

The gas well on Mr. Humphrey's lot is down 960', and the plumber is engaged in laying pipes through the house.

Miss Lizzie Aull and her brother's two children (Willie and Blanch) from Pittsburgh, are visiting Mrs. S. S. Ferris.

Mrs. O. N. Barber will host the next Disciple Church Social Thursday afternoon.

Commencing with next Sunday, Lake View Cemetery at East Cleveland will only be opened to those having passes.

Miss Nellie Sharpe left Tuesday for a visit of two or three weeks in Saint Louis.

S. W. Smart, of this town, was drawn as juror from this county, for the October term of the U.S. court.

Mr. J. M. Scoville, a former student here, but now studying medicine in Middlesex, Pa., is visiting relatives on Waite Hill.

The *Exponent* says that Dr. John S. Marshall, of Chagrin Falls, will enter this week into partnership with Dr. House, of Painesville.

The Congregational Sunday School will give a Garden Party at the residence of Mr. David Traver, Friday evening Sept. 1st.

Dr. Rodney Mathews died recently at Nebraska City at the age of 60 years. He was formerly of Painesville and son of the late Dr. J. H. Mathews.

The death of Mr. Seth Anderson, of Johnnycake Ridge near Painesville, is published at the age of 65. He died on the farm on which he was born.

Mr. Rufus Houghton, age 86, died last week. He had been a sufferer from a paralysis for a number of years. He was a resident of Jefferson.

Mr. Melvin Palmer, of Fostoria, attended Battery C. Reunion in Painesville last week and made a brief visit to his father's in this village.

The tin wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Osborne was celebrated last week in Chardon.

E. E. Flickinger left for Otterbein University, Westerville, Ohio, on Tuesday at noon. His brother, John, went directly from his encampment to school.

Mr. J. Seamens, an old resident of the township of Geneva, died suddenly Tuesday of heart disease.

The 4th annual meeting of the Western Reserve Pioneer Assoc. will be held in the grove of Plumpton Wildman, at East Farmington, Wed., Sept 6.

Thomas Christian, an old resident of Chagrin Falls, died on Tuesday. He was born at the Isle of Man, and with his wife immigrated to this country 54 years ago.

Rev. T. S. Hodgson and family left on Monday night for their new home in Kansas—Hutchinson, Reno Co.

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Mr. Will C. Wilson was out Tuesday after an illness of 6 weeks from an attack of typhoid and malarial fever. He looks pale and weak.

Prof. Geo. B. Haggett, late Superintendent of Schools at Albion, Ind., (and brother of D. Haggett of this place) has been secured as Principal of the Gustavus Academy for the coming year.

The *Geauga Republican* says that Dr. Pomeroy, of Chardon, has a fig tree 4 years old, and about 3 ½ feet in height on which there are 41 figs, varying in size from a large pea to a hen's egg. Two of the figs are nearly ripe.

Mr. E. M. Wing, with his family, leaves this week for Fort Scott, Kansas.

Family Reunion

Thursday the 24th, there was a Presley family reunion, held at Asbury Presley's residence in south Willoughby. About 60 were present; four generations being represented. A similar meeting was appointed for next year at Solomon Presley's on Waite Hill.

The Painesville physicians print a resolution regarding the death of one of their professional brothers, Dr. L. C. Brown. By E. B. Rook, F. H. Prick, W. H. Sherwood, C. F. House

During the year, two of the members of Battery C, 1st Ohio Light Artillery, have died: Jessie Wetmore, of Ashtabula, and Storah Wise, of Kansas. The following officers were elected for the next reunion: Pres. James Storer; Sec. Thomas King; Comm. of Arrangements – Solomon Moore, George Salkeld, John Thompson.

Instead of making their contemplated visit to Italy, Mr. William D. Howells and family have had to stay in London until they can rid themselves of the mumps.

Mrs. Chapman is spending a week in Portage Co.

Miss Julia Clement leaves next week for the Lake Erie Seminary.

Miss Anna Askew, of Mansfield, has been the guest of Mrs. Bartholomew.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Benham.

Mrs. Robinson, of Mississippi, (and daughter), is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. W. Smart.

Mrs. H. B. White is about to take up residence in Cleveland with her son, Mr. M. E. Beckwith.

Mrs. William Ferguson recently entertained a company of friends to meet Mrs. E. M. Wing and Mrs. T. S. Hodgson—both of whom were about to take up residence in Kansas with their families.

At the Pioneer Picnic the question was asked who was the **first white child born in Mentor**. C. J. Komar tells us that Samuel Miller, late of Willoughby, was the one. He was born in 1803 at the junction of Kneall Road with the one that runs parallel with the marsh. It was further said that Mr. Miller was the second white male child born on the Western Reserve.

As Mr. John Foster and wife were riding out Sunday evening the horse became frightened and shied suddenly, overturning the buggy. Mr. Foster was soon to his feet uninjured; Mrs. Foster was conveyed into the house of Mr. J. M. Granger. She was soon able to walk home.

The *Fremont Journal* of last Friday contains an obituary notice of Mrs. Sarah Brinkerhoff, mother of Dr. D. H. Brinkerhoff, age 87 years 9 months 14 days. The deceased was born at Port Jervis, New York, and was married in the year 1814, removing to Owasco in that state where they family removed until 1837, when they came to Huron Co., Ohio. In the year 1855, she became a resident of Willoughby, where she lived for several years, finally taking up her abode with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Smith, of Fremont.

Orange Blossoms

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hopkins was the place of the marriage of Mr. G. V. Foulk, of Ashland Ohio, and Miss Nettie Hopkins on the 10th. The couple was ushered in by Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Durban. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. F. Wilson, of the M. E. Church.

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p. 2 Mrs. D. Sanborn received a number of useful articles as gifts on her birthday one day last week.

Mrs. Guy Smith has been entertaining a number of Clevelanders this summer, among them, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnison and Mr. W. Davock and family. She has a commodious house and pleasant grounds.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. S. W. Brown has been quite sick but now seems to be on the gain.

Mrs. Geo. Carroll, of Cleveland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Graves and other friends.

Mrs. Wm. Downing, from Cass Co. Mo., is on a visit to her brother, J. C. Campbell and other relatives.

Mr. D. D. Jones and wife of Harmony, Morrow Co., are visiting C. J. Richardson and other friends on the Plains this week.

Mentor

The Garfield boys return to Williams College this week.

Mrs. Helen Pardee and daughter have returned to their home in Akron.

E. A. Harrington, of Bridgeport, Conn., has been spending a few days at home.

Mrs. E. E. C. Glazier, of Washington, D. C., arrived in Mentor Wednesday, for a short vacation and rest.

Miss Addie Rudolph has returned to Lawnfield from her visit in Hiram, but will begin her duties this week as Greek and Latin teacher at Lake Erie Seminary.

Miss Jennie King returns to the Painesville Seminary this week as a senior.

Miss Addie Merrill will continue as Primary teacher in the Center Schools another year.

Miss Kittie Locke will teach in the high school.

The Late Mr. Smart

He lived beyond three score and ten allotted to man and lived simply never indulging in extravagant living. He died Sept. 2, 1882, age 83 years, with no disease to cause him suffering, but the simple giving way of nature. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon, Rev.

W. F. Wilson conducting the service. The casket being borne to the hearse by Messrs. D. C. Miller, J. Jenkins, O. H. Sharpe, J. V. Viall, T. Collister and Z. Warner.

Geauga Republican

Jabez Maynard died at the residence of his son-in-law, E. C. Luce, in Auburn, on the 23rd instant, age 77 years. He was born in Mass. but had resided in this county for over 50 years, most of the time in Auburn. He was a well known and respected citizen.

p. 3 Miss Laura Bates came up from Ashtabula today.

Miss Alice Hanscom is home again after an absence of several weeks.

Mrs. Wadsworth and son (Hiram Alberts) left for their home in Toronto on Tuesday.

Mr. Solon Louer leaves this week to resume his studies at Adelbert College, Cleveland.

We are told that Mr. J. B. Brown has been seriously ill with an attack of cholera morbus. Mr. Green Parker, of Mentor, and Miss Marian Hall, of Painesville, were married on the 29th ultimo.

Mr. Chas. Powell and wife spent several days last week at Painesville and Thompson Ledge.

Miss Flo Hester, who has been spending several weeks in town, returned to Alliance on Monday.

Mrs. S. P. Learn and son are home again from a visit of several weeks in the state of New York.

Mr. Penfield was awarded the first premium at the Ohio State Fair for his brick and tile machine.

Miss Georgia Keating, Louisville, Kentucky, spent a portion of the past week with the family of Mr. Penfield.

Postmaster Eddy has moved into the house just vacated by Mrs. H. B. White, who gives up housekeeping.

Mrs. Shepherd Lillie is announced to deliver an address at Newton's Grove at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Thursday.

Mr. Harry and Miss Mollie Garfield, with visiting friends of the family, were trading in the village Tuesday evening.

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The annual reunion of the Norton family will be held next Wednesday at the residence of Mr. Eber Norton, West Mentor.

Ralph Moore, of Fullertown, is stopping with his grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Sharpe.

Mrs. G. H. Stuart, of Lone Rock, Wisconsin, and Miss Sarah Bevier, of Plymouth, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burr over the Sabbath.

Mrs. Gravner and Mrs. Erland, both of Warsaw, Indiana, are spending a few weeks with their relatives here, Mrs. and Mrs. Ethan Brown.

Messrs. Raymond Penfield and Geo. Clement will leave early next week for Middleton (Conn.) University—this being their senior year.

Mrs. Clinton Waite returned from the sea side on Tuesday morning, her visit being shortened a few days by the unexpected death of her father.

Invitations are issued for the wedding of Mr. Edgar P. Barnes and Miss Adella Ward at the residence of the father of the bride, Wednesday afternoon, of next week.

We are informed that Frank Aldrich has gone out of the real estate business in Fargo and is now engaged in milling, having purchased an interest in the Fargo Roller Mills.

Mrs. Nellie Titus, of Painesville, was taken to the Asylum at Newburg, last week by Sheriff Barrett, upon the order of Probate Judge Shepherd.

One of the old settlers of LeRoy, Mr. Marlow Hovey, died a few days ago in his 81st year. He moved in to the township from Lima, N.Y. 61 years ago.

Mrs. Shepherd Lillie, of Philadelphia, is stopping at Mr. Bond's.

Miss Anna Clark returned last Friday to her school in Grand Rapids.

Miss Mamie Merritt, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mrs. Belle Hanson.

Will Dewart, of Cleveland, has been spending a few days with Geo. Clement.

Mrs. Clarke (nee Sophia Stewart) spent last Sabbath with her sister, Mrs. Junius Elwell.

Mrs. Judge Tuttle (and son) made a short visit to her sister, Miss Hattie Wilder, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall, of Cleveland, visited Mrs. Clarke on Center St., returning to the city Friday evening.

Mr. Wilbur Armstrong, of Sunbury in this state, a relative of Mr. Watson Brown, is on a brief visit to the family. Mr. Armstrong is devoting a portion of his time in Cleveland as a medical student.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Clayton, of Painesville, called upon relatives here one day last week. Mr. C. had not been in Willoughby for 14 years.

The crystal wedding of Mrs. H. Stevens was observed Tuesday afternoon by a party of friends at her residence.

Mr. Ben Gibbons, wife, and daughter, arrived on Tuesday from a visit of some weeks to the northwest. Mr. B. visited several points in Dakota, but his impressions of that country will not induce him to leave Willoughby—at present.

Frank H. Merrill left on the express last evening for a trip to points in Missouri, Kansas, and Colorado. This has been his first vacation from work in our office since the Centennial year.

Will. Wallace has just secured a position in Cleveland as a stenographer; and Geo. Clark has just gone into Dickey & Collister's store.

Additional Mentor Items

Mrs. S. F. Drake, of Cleveland, is visiting Mr. John Tyler.

Miss Martha Viall has just returned from her visits in Wisconsin and Illinois.

Mrs. C. C. Viall has been called home to California by the serious illness of her father.

Ray Clarke and Miss Cornelia Shepard (daughter of Mrs. Levi Shepard), Painesville, were married at Grinnell, Iowa, last Saturday.

Obituary

Died in Willoughby on Saturday at 10 ½ o'clock p.m. after a very brief illness in the 83rd year of

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age, Samuel Smart, who was born in Devizes, England, Mar. 14, 1800. Mr. Smart was the second child in a family of eleven born to Daniel and Elizabeth Smart. Only one of the eleven survives him, Daniel, the youngest, who is minister of the Providence Chapel, Cranbrook England. He was married to Mary Welch, of Bath, England, in Dec. 23, 1823. They remained in England but 7 years after their marriage. They sailed for the new world reaching New York in the summer of 1830. Here they remained one year, then moved to Cleveland in 1831 remaining there two years. Then they move to Orange in Cuyahoga Co. From Orange they returned to Cleveland, remaining one year, and from thence to Willoughby in the spring of 1836. His wife died in Willoughby on May 6, 1872, at the age of 74 years, after a brief illness. To their union was born eight children, of whom five are now living: Emma, Paul of Ottawa, Ill; S. W. Smart, Hephzibah, B. Wilson, Eliza Waite, of Willoughby; and Sara A. Wheeler, of Arizona.

Mr. E. D. Rich and wife, of Kirtland, are home again from Michigan.

Transfers of Real Estate

Mentor

Alice Ryan to Benj. Warren, 6 and 84/100 acres, tract 2, lot 4, \$600

Kirtland

Susan Lee, to Minerva Gildersleeve; 25 and 59/100 acres, tract 2, lot 15, \$1,700

Willoughby

Elijah Lamoreaux, by adm. to Michael C. Tooney, 34 and 84/100 acres, tract 11, lot 9; \$3,500.

G. W. Mosher to Michael C. Tooney, 34 and 86/100 acres, tract 11, lot 9, \$3,500

A card of thanks is printed (by the Smart family) to friends for kindness and sympathy in our affliction. S. W. Smart, Emma Paul, H. B. Wilson, Eliza Waite, S. A. Wheeler.

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Mrs. Shaw, of Cleveland, has been visiting relatives and friends here.

Wickliffe

The aged mother, Mrs. Jones, of Edwin, and Henry Jones is quite ill, and fears are held that her recovery is doubtful. Neuralgia is the chief trouble. She is nearly 94 and her health has been quite good until this sickness.

Geo. H. Merrill has wheat that averaged 35 bushels to the acre.

Miss Lucy Allen, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Barnes, of Wickliffe.

Mrs. Loisa Crapser, who has been visiting at Mr. Arnold's, returns home today to Lyons, Iowa.

Mentor

Mrs. Garfield has returned to Cleveland for another school year. Her younger children attend the public schools and are progressing finely.

Mrs. Wm. Mills returned to her home in New York City accompanied by her niece, Miss Mary Bradley, who will remain the winter.

Miss Mays is home again. Though born in London, educated in Germany, and just returned from a year in France, she declares herself more of an American than ever.

Mr. J. P. Robison will begin this week to put down a gas well near his residence.

Miss Myra Delong has gone to Canfield for the school year.

West Kirtland

G. H. Morse reports good success in the sale of the Cassady sulky plows.

Mrs. J. Whitright, of Stowe, is spending the week with her aunt—Mrs. M. E. Brown.

Miss E. Kitts started for Oberlin College on the 11th—accompanied by her mother.

H. Warren, of Eagleville, a brother of Mrs. J. Rice is visiting at the home of the latter.

Messrs. Presley and Abbey are now running their Aultman-Taylor threshing machine, largest size.

G. S. Metcalf, of Nebraska, formerly of west Kirtland, has begun teaching at the Maple School.

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Geauga Republican: E. S. Mastick, who has been in Butler, Mo., for some two years past, and previously a resident of Claridon, is visiting friends in this county.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. W. C. Robens, and Alice, daughter of Harvey Bassett.

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Treasurer Huskin and wife, have left for a western trip.

Mrs. Henry Stevens, Willoughby, is visiting at Mr. Oren Coppers'.

p. 3 Mr. Frank Johnson, of Warren, has been visiting his parents on the Plains.

Mrs. J. W. Penfield has gone to Green Springs.

Miss Sadie Greer, of this place, is teaching at Mayfield.

Mrs. H. G. Hackedorn (and little son) of Galion, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. H. Burr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalrymple and Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell have taken up their abode in Cleveland.

Mrs. Adelia Johnson, Preceptress, of Oberlin College, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Hanson last week.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Myron Wells is quite indisposed, most of the time being confined to his room.

Skiff Shelden left Wednesday for Orchard Lake, Michigan, where he enters the Military Academy of that state.

Rev. J. W. Wells and sister, Laura, of Newark, N.J., are spending the month here with their parents on Euclid Rd.

Mrs. Cleveland, of Deleware Co., arrived last Friday for several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown.

Mr. Chas. Pelton has purchased the Henry Woolsey farm for \$77 per acre. It contains about 147 acres.

Mrs. C. H. Hopkins has a tube rose 5' in height. It has grown at the rate of about 1 ½ inches per day for the past two weeks.

Mrs. A. C. Saunders and children, of Cleveland, have been spending a few days with Mrs. S's parents—Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Damon.

Mrs. Mary Paddock and her daughter, Miss Mary Bartlett, from Vermont, are visiting their relatives in Kirtland, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curtis.

Mrs. Volney Curtis, of Ravenna, a former resident of this county, is making a visit to the Page family and brothers, J. C. and Grove, of Kirtland.

The heirs of Henry Woolsey have purchased the house and lot recently owned by Mr. C. Pelton, immediately north of the new railroad crossing in this village.

A corn stalk in the garden of Mrs. C. B. Young was measured on Saturday to be over 13' in height. An ear of corn was a little over 10' from the ground.

The *Ashtabula Sentinel* announces the death of Halsey Phillips, one of the oldest settlers in the county. He died almost instantly last Wednesday evening, in his 92nd year.

Mr. W. J. Clark has been appointed train dispatcher of the Nickel Plate for trains between Cleveland and Buffalo, with his headquarters in Cleveland.

Mr. S. Brichford has a peach tree two years old and 3' high which has on it 57 good sized peaches and 25 had previously been picked.

Mrs. Jones, Wickliffe, died Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The remains were deposited in the vault here.

F. H. Merrill, of the *Willoughby Independent*, called on us this morning. He is visiting relatives in this vicinity, the Robinsons. *Morresville (Mo.) Mention.*

T. C. Morley, formerly of Thompson, is commencing to manufacture furniture on a large scale in Fargo.

Mr. John Foster seems to be quite unlucky: Not long ago he had several ribs fractured; then he was thrown out of his buggy; and now in changing a belt at the machine shop, he has had part of his finger taken off.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Welch and daughter, of Ewart, Occola Co., Michigan, are spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Warne. Mrs. Welch is a sister of Mrs. Warne and well known

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in this section as Celia Dille. Fourteen years ago, they went to Michigan—and now in the language of Mrs. Welch “there is no place like Michigan.”

Death of Mrs. Carson

Mrs. Jeff Carson, formerly Blanche Roberts, died in Peoria, Ill. The Roberts family resided on the premises now owned by B. F. Jenkins on Waite Hill. The family afterwards moved to Painesville and purchased a small farm on Casement Ave. Here they resided for a number of years and then moved to Illinois. Mrs. Carson was the last remaining member of the family—her brother, Tom, having died of fever while with a surveying party on the Plains. Mrs. Roberts died about 6 years ago and Mr. Roberts died suddenly at the hotel in Ottawa three years ago. The remains of Mrs. Carson were taken to Ottawa for interment beside her parents. Four boys are left motherless, the oldest 10 years old. The deceased was 35 years old.

From the Peoria *Transcript* of the 6th:

Mrs. Mary Blanch Carson, wife of Jefferson, Carson, died yesterday at 7 a.m. at her residence on 7th Street of heart disease and chronic diarrhea. She was born on the Isle of Man, Sept. 6, and at her death lacked one day of being 34 years old. She was the daughter of the late Thos. And Mary Roberts, who immigrated to this county from England about 30 years ago, and located in Lake Co., Ohio. In 1870, they came to Ottawa, Ill. The deceased was married to Mr. Carson at that place, with whom she removed to Peoria about 3 years ago.

The marriage of Mr. Edgar P. Barnes and Miss S. Adelia Ward took place on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. W. H. Hayden officiated. After a few days in the east, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes will take up their abode in this village.

Painesville – From the Hub

Jas. Clary is reported dangerously ill.

Mr. J. B. Collacott has returned from England.

Mrs. D. T. Casement has returned from Minneapolis.

Clate Tinan has a flourishing shooting gallery under the Cowles House.

C. S. Squire has moved into the room formerly occupied by S. W. Smart and carries a full line of groceries.

Notice: Lucretia F. Crafts has filed for divorce from Cyrus L. Crafts and is applying for custody of their minor child. Lake Co.

W. F. Richardson has been appointed administrator of the estate of William B. Richardson, late of Willoughby. Lake Co., Ohio

p. 4 History of the Cucumber – It was grown extensively in ancient Egypt. The want of this vegetable was one of the grievances complained of to Moses by the Israelites in the wilderness.

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p. 2 Norton Family Reunion

The Norton Family held their 9th annual reunion at the house of Mr. Eber Norton, West Mentor, on Wed., Sept. 13, 1882. The family emigrated from Connecticut in the early part of the century. The present generation descends from Aaron and Eunice Norton, who had their residence in Killinsworth in the year 1751. Aaron had born to him a family of fourteen children—ten by his first wife, and four by his second. Nine of these children sought homes in “New Connecticut” settling in Portage, Summit, and Geauga Counties. The names of those seven were: Selden, Eber, Lebbeus, Simon, Joseph, Lydia, Sawyer, William, and Horace. The first to reach Ohio being Lebbeus, who is said to have walked the entire distance from Pittsfield, Mass., to Aurora, Portage County. At the reunion were 70 relatives and about 20 invited guests. After a wonderful meal the company was called to order by Pres. Nelson Norton, of Perry. Letters were read from H. N. Stephenson, of Minneapolis, and Newton N.

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Norton, of Schoolcraft, Michigan. Officers for the following year were elected: Pres. Nelson Norton; VP Dudley Pettibone; Sec. Vernon A. Herrick; Historian J. E. Stephenson.

The oldest person present was Sally Norton, widow of Simon Norton, late of Solon, and where she now resides, age 84 years. S. B. Philbrick, son-in-law of the late Lebbeus Norton, was perhaps the next in age, being 83 years. Horace Norton, of Twinsburg, Summit Co., the youngest and only survivor of nine brothers, was, also, present, and as usual, the life of the party, age 74 years.

As reported by Mr. Stephenson, the historian, the changes occurring in the family during the last year were:

Died: One – W. Phelps

Married: Two – C. F. Stephenson and C. J. Stafford. Dec. 14, 1881; and Vernon A. Herrick to Della L. Wing, Jan. 25, 1882.

Born: A son to G. R. and M. L. Stephenson; a son to H. and L. Lattimer; a daughter to Wm. and R. M. Baker.

Present in addition to the Mentor family:

Twinsburg: Horace Norton and wife; S. H. Crankshaw, wife, and child

Morgon: Minot Baker, wife, and child

Sedalia, Mo.: - Mrs. May Hoadley

LeRoy: Sardis B. Baker and wife

Concord: George F. Baker and wife

Ravenna: Volney Curtis, wife and children

Kirtland: Nelson Wells and wife; V. Page and wife

Yates Center, Kansas: G. R. Stephenson, wife, and three children

Willoughby: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yaxley; Alva Hanscom

Solon: Mrs. Sally Norton; D. Pettibone and wife; Simeon Shepard and wife

Chardon: J. E. Stephenson and wife; C. F. Stephenson and wife; Victor N. Smith

Mentor: Almon Gilbert and wife; the Misses Abbie and Clara Gilbert; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Carpenter; Mrs. Northcutt; Mrs. Culver; Mrs. Armstrong; Miss Mary Brichford

Perry: Nelson Norton and wife; Eugene Norton, wife, and two children; Misses Olivia and Camilla Norton; Horace Norton and wife; Miss Kate Norton, Jo Norton; Miss Durfee

Chester: Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Philbrick; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Herrick; H. Bert Herrick; Miss Myra Herrick; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Quirk; Ada and Clifford Quick

The residence of Wm. Quirk, of Chester, will be the location of the next reunion, second Wed., of September, 1883.

Eldon G. Major and Peter Kane were killed at Collinwood Friday night, both being struck as they were crossing the track by engine 392. The remains of Major were forwarded to his grandparents at Painesville, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham; and those of Kane to Ashtabula. Major had been running an engine at Hambden this summer, and had only gone to Cleveland on the afternoon of that day to seek work on the Lake Shore.

The Palmers

The Palmer family (of which Chester of this village is a member, recently had a reunion at Stonington, Conn. The first of the family came here in 1621 from Nottinghamshire, England, and the descendants are very numerous. Exhibited at the reunion were grt. Grandmother's wedding gown and high heeled shoes; the grand-aunt's mourning piece, wrought on silk; second cousin Sarah's embroidered bib or lace tucker; the silver caudle cup of Madame Betty; Lady Anne's brocade stomacher; Capt. George's tankard, Walter Palmer's chair; Thomas Minor's famous diary, etc.

The family of Mr. W. B. Davock, of Cleveland, returned to that city Monday, after spending this summer at Mr. Guy Smith's in Kirtland.

Mr. Geo. Hanscom and wife, of Kirtland, returned Tuesday noon from their trip to Washington, Boston, New York, and other points, after an absence of nearly two months. During this time they made a visit to Mr. H's old

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home, after an absence of over 60 years, the surroundings of which were as familiar as when a boy. After a few days, Mr. and Mrs. Hanscom will return to Washington for the winter, taking up their residence with their nephew, Mr. C. H. Gray, the able correspondent in that city of the *Cleveland Leader*.

The Pinney Family Reunion

The second annual reunion of the Pinney Family was held at Bass Lake on the 9th ultimo, about 51 being present although the weather was unfavorable. President was H. P. Harmon. There was a reading of a letter from Aunt Electa Pinney written at her home in Illinois on her 82nd birthday. Remarks were made by H. P. Harmon, S. Case, Dr. A. L. Pomeroy, Allen Pinney, and Sale Pinney. Mrs. Case gave an interesting account of a visit to the old homestead in Mesopotamia, where all the children of Levi and Betsey Pinney were born. Since last year, one beloved relative and friend died, Amanda Hill.

Next year officers: President S. Case; Sec. E. M. Latimer.

Executive Committee: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pomeroy, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pinney, Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stocking, Mr. and Mrs. B. Curtis.

Obituary Committee: Mrs. H. P. Harmon, Mrs. S. Case, Mrs. B. Curtis, and Mrs. A. L. Pomeroy.

The next reunion will be at Bass Lake, the third Wednesday of August, 1883.

Wednesday, the 13th, was the eighteenth birthday of Carrie, daughter of Mr. H. J. Randall. A party was given at the residence.

Willoughby Plains

Robert Abbott, of Perry, spent Saturday with his uncle, Geo. Newton.

Miss Sarah Richmond, of the Industrial School at Cleveland, is spending a week at home with her parents.

C. Hyde returned home Saturday after an absence in Michigan of some three months,

visiting his brothers, Simon and Norman, and other friends.

Wickliffe

The remains of Mrs. Jones were taken from the vault in your village last Sabbath and placed in the cemetery here in Wickliffe.

A number of people are going to see the elephant "Jumbo" at the circus.

Kirtland

There was as severe thunderstorm last night-- a bolt of lightning struck the barns of Mr. Myers burning them down with the contents, about 25 tons of hay. The barns were on the old Gildersleeve place. No insurance.

Mentor

Dan Pratt is home from Fargo.

Mrs. Hannah Jordon has gone to Buffalo as a hospital nurse.

George Gunn has entered the State University at Columbus.

Miss Mary Laman, of New York City, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Barber is very ill again and Geo. Blish is said to be on the sick list.

Miss Florence Rose is visiting relatives and other friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. Henry Hills and little ones, returned home to Highland, Kansas, last week.

Mrs. Reuben Harmon has joined her husband in Sioux City, Iowa, where he has commenced the practice of law.

Henry Lake, Des Moines, Iowa, will spend the winter with relatives here, where he expects to attend school.

Mr. Lyman Nye and family entertained a number of relatives last Wednesday. It being the first time for many years when all six of the Nye brothers were together.

Truman P. Barber died at his residence this morning. He had been in poor health for a long time. He leaves a lovely and devoted wife.

We are sorry to say that Mr. George Wheeler is very ill with neuralgia of the heart.

We are in receipt of cards, with compliments, from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams (Lucy Harding)

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whose wedding took place on the 7th instant. The groom is the son of A. C. Williams, of Columbus, and for many years a resident of this village.

Miss Amanda A. Gross, of Hudson, has brought suit at Akron, against John L. Chapman, of the same place, for breach of promise to marry. \$5,000

p. 3 Rollis Welner and Omar Reeve are attending Adelbert College.

Mr. R. C. Bates has a new buggy horse.

Miss Nettie Clark (recently the guest of Miss Frank Worrallo) has returned home to Mishawaka.

Mr. O. J. Humphrey is erecting a derrick on Mr. Alfred Elwell's place, preparatory to drilling a gas well.

Mr. and Mrs. Darius Woodworth, Sonoma Co, California, are visiting friends and relatives in this county.

Mr. Wm. Tiffany, of South Kirtland, died of an affliction of the liver at 4 o'clock, Wednesday morning.

Miss Ella Branch, of North Madison, has left home to take charge of the kindergarten school at Sandusky.

Hon. Freeman Thorp, of Geneva, was elected Major of the Fifth Regiment of Ohio Militia at the recent encampment.

Mr. S. B. Palm, editor of the Warren Record, was married on the 13th to Miss Ollie, daughter of Dr. Bracken, of that city.

Saturday last, a company of Mentor ladies spent the day at Mrs. Mayhew's. Her sister (Mrs. Rexford) remained a few days.

Mr. S. Swetland, of Madison, threshed over 400 bushels of wheat from 9 ¼ acres.

Mr. Jud Rogers and wife, of Ashtabula, on their return from a visit to the Burbanks, of Toledo, are spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. Myron Law, of Philadelphia, spent a day with his parents this week, his duties with the Electric Light Co., preventing a longer stay.

Mr. J. H. Wade, has donated to the City of Cleveland, the fine park, hitherto, known by his name, and last week it was formally accepted by the council.

Mr. Geo. Cleveland, of Sunbury, has joined his wife here (Ella Brown) who preceded him two weeks and is stopping with her parents on Euclid Road.

Frank Simmons, age 28, sent up a year ago from Cuyahoga Co., for 4 years, suicided at the Penitentiary last week by taking chloral.

Mr. D. Burnett had his left hand badly injured last Saturday by the band cutter while running a threshing machine.

Mr. Fred A. Stranahan, formerly of the Chagrin Falls *Exponent*, was married recently to Miss Anna Young, also, a former resident of the Falls.

Rev. Dr. Wells, of this town, is engaged in evangelistic work at Mount Joy, Penn. He goes from thence to Wilmington (Del.), Philadelphia, and Yonkers, N.Y.

Mrs. Arnold gave a pleasant tea party Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Chadwick, both of Toledo, are the guests of Miss Glenn Penfield.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Goddard, of Chagrin Falls, and Mr. Jas. Goddard, of Charleston, West Virginia, have been spending a few days with the family of Mr. Stockwell.

Mrs. A. J. Elias and daughter, of Painesville, spent a portion of the week at the Powell House. On Sunday they were joined by Harry Elias and Art Weed.

Mrs. Stevens and son, N.C., left for the east on Monday where the later will attend some educational institution but the precise one is not yet decided upon.

Mr. G. V. Foulk and wife left Monday for Ashland, the home of Mr. F. this makes the third Willoughby girl who has been captured and taken away by non-residents within 90 days.

Mrs. Ben Hughes took the train last Sunday evening for Iowa where she will spend some

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weeks with at sister. While there she will be visited by two of her sons, residents of Missouri.

The mail bag for this place from the west last Thursday had to be fished up from the river.

Prof. C. C. Williams, an eminent musician, formerly of Trumbull Co., died lately at Colorado Springs, where he had gone for his health. His remains have been brought to Gustavus for interment.

Solon Lauer spent Sunday with his parents in the village.

A man named C. R. Moore who gave his residence as Willoughby, fell asleep in a saloon at the corner of Bank and Lake Streets, Saturday night, and when he awoke his \$20 silver watch was missing. *Leader*

Mr. Martin V. Palmer and wife of Paulding, arrived Tuesday for a visit of two weeks with relatives on the Plains. They were accompanied by Mrs. Norman Snell, of Painesville, who has been spending several weeks in Paulding.

Miss Virginia H. Henderson, Chicago, arrived last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Miller. Her father, Dr. Henderson, will be remembered by many of our old residents as once holding the office of Postmaster here.

A monument has just been erected in our cemetery for the families of the late George Skiff and Heman Losey. It is of New Hampshire granite. It is the most costly of any on the grounds.

Mr. C. Palmer has a fine specimen of the Caladium growing in his yard. It now measures 27 x 37 inches. It is a marvel of beauty.

Mr. O. H. Fitch, one of the oldest residents of Ashtabula, died last Sunday. He was born in Connecticut in 1803; moving to Ashtabula in 1829. He had been an active businessman, County Prosecutor, Representative to the Legislature, and Pres. of the Farmers' National Bank for many years.

A son of Bishop Wiley, of the M E. Church, age 19, was burned to death at Cincinnati on the 15th. In connection with the porter of an oil establishment, he was engaged in tightening the hoops of a barrel and using a lantern to give light, the oil suddenly exploded, enveloping Wiley in flames. The porter escaped but was badly burned.

The Ford brothers, Bob and Charlie, who were instrumental in the killing of the notorious bandit, Jesse James, passed through here on the cars Saturday.

Rev. J. L. Wells, of Newark, N. J., (now on a visit to his father Deacon Myron Wells) is in receipt of a letter from the Sec. of Victoria Institute, of Philadelphia, Society of Great Britain, asking him to become a member of the society. The invitation is extended by order of the President, the Earl of Shaftesbury.

Jurors for the October term of Court

Grand Jurors

William H. Bliss, Madison
Charles Bostwick, Kirtland
A. W. Olds, Madison
H. F. Doty, Madison
A. M. Parmele, Mentor
J. C. Carpenter, Kirtland
Solon Hall Painesville
M. S. Colgrove, Painesville
W. G. Hobart, Kirtland
Enos Tew, LeRoy
O. R. Wakelee, Plains
E. M. Jones, Willoughby
H. W. Blakely, Madison

Petit Jurors

M. H. Brown, Painesville
Henry Wilson, Concord
J. W. Titus, Mentor
A. A. Bishop, Painesville
Isaiah Phelps, LeRoy
W. E. Taylor, Willoughby
B. P. Warren, Mentor
B. A. Park, Painesville
H. J. Manchester, Perry
P. G. Sweet, Concord
Sidney Smith, Willoughby

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D. E. Williams, LeRoy

E. E. Hodge, Mentor

David Burr, Concord

C. T. Morley, Painesville

A. H. Dewey, Madison

E. T. C. Aldrich, Mentor

Charles White, Willoughby

P. S. Allen, Willoughby

E. Hayward, Painesville

Seven members of the class of 1849 spent Thursday at Hudson, renewing the memories of their college life. The member present were: Senator Thayer F. Granger, George E. Paine, Gilbert Graham, F. S. Payne, E. S. Sill, and George Kent, Dwight Notting of the class of '46 was, also, present.

Mr. S. H. Miner died of typhoid pneumonia last Saturday at his residence on the Euclid Rd. The remains were taken to Mayfield, the family burying place. Mr. Miner came here from Mayfield a few years ago, and was regarded as a quiet, industrious, and good citizen. He lost his wife last spring and has not seemed to enjoy good health since. He leaves four children, two sons and two daughters, who are all grown and settled in life. Mr. Miner was about 70 years old.

Mrs. Martin Granger and her daughter, Miss Martha, were the recipients of a surprise birthday party.

Painesville – From the Hub

Frank Pierson has been working in Trumbull's store the past week.

Lycurgus Pepoon is reported to have been brought home stricken with paralysis.

Mrs. C. D. Adams and Mrs. Reynolds, entertained the St. James Society last Monday evening.

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Mrs. Carrie Davis, of Iowa, is visiting her father, Jared Randall.

Mrs. J. M. Plaisted is visiting friends in Youngstown.

Mr. Austin Damon has made repairs and painted his house.

E. D. Rich has sold his house, lot, and grocery to Chas. Calloway and brother, of Cleveland.

West Kirtland

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Metcalf started on the 18th instant for their annual visit west to their son, Frank M., and other relatives near Jolliet, Illinois.

H. W. Long, of South Kirtland, recently purchased 24 acres of timber land of the Mrs. Kingsley farm. The Morse Bros. have since bought the timber, thereon.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Martin Palmer and wife, of Paulding, are visiting relatives here.

Wickliffe

Mr. McSparren and family moved to Iowa last week.

Mrs. Ashley Steven, Collamer, made a visit here last week to the family of her brother-in-law.

Married at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Davis, of Wickliffe, to Miss Frances Abbey, of Willoughby. The ceremony was performed by Wm. E. Taylor, of this place.

Tuesday, Sept. 19, at the residence of Mr. Augustus White, a surprise party was given for his wife's 38th birthday, Mrs. Belle Eddy White. The party was gotten up by her daughter, Mrs. Acksa Williams, and her sister, Mrs. Permelia Tarbell. The aged mother of Mrs. White, Mrs. Hazel Eddy, was not able to be present. The table was decorated with flowers presented by Mr. Henry Jones and Daniel Alvord.

Obituary

Mrs. Clarisa Clark Jones, was born in Hadam, Conn., Oct. 3, 1788, and died at Wickliffe, Ohio, Sept. 11, 1882, lacking 3 weeks of being 94 years old. Clarisa was the oldest of two daughters, the only children in her father's family. She was married at the age of 18 to a gentleman named Dickenson, and had one son, Parley Dickenson, who now lives in New London, Wis. He is 75 years old and made a visit here last summer to see his mother. She was married second to Wm. Jones, and 8

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children were born to this marriage, all of whom still live but one. She moved with her husband onto the farm in Oct., 1817, when 29 years old. Only a rude track was marked through the forest and the trip from Hadam to this place took over three weeks. Col. Tarbell's family came in the same wagon. There was a reunion only a few days before her death at her son Edward's. All her living children were at her bedside except Clark, who lives in Illinois. She lived 65 years on the same farm.

Maple Grove

Mr. E. P. Barnes and wife returned from their bridal tour last week.

Mrs. Woodford, mother of Wm. Woodford, recently received a severe injury from a fall. Being 76 years old her recovery is doubtful.

Miss Amy Covert was given a surprise birthday party for her 21st birthday last Wednesday. Grandfather Lilley gave her a commode made by him in his 86th year.

Transfers of Real Estate

Mentor

Laverne A. Amidon to Samuel Moodey; 110 acres; quit claim, \$1.

S. Moodey to A. A. Amidon; tract 1, 110 acres, quit claim, \$1

Willis S. Root to A. A. Amidon, and Leslie H. Root; 110 acres, tract 1, quit claim, \$2,300

Laura Root to A. A. Amidon and Leslie H. Root; 110 acres, tract 1, quit claim, \$3,000

Kirtland

O. B. Gridley to Nettie S. Rice; tract 1, lot 28, \$70.29.

Minerva H. Harmen to James D. Markell; 11 acres; tract 2, lot 20, \$380.

Willoughby

E. M. Wing to Lucy A. Ward; 66/100 acres in lots 46 and 47, \$2,500.

M. L. Stray to Alexander Kennely; 21 96/100 acres; tract 4, lot 11, \$1,500.

Eleven hundred and 40 trains a day pass the signal tower of the Pennsylvania Railroad at the junction of Seventeenth and Filbert Streets in Philadelphia; the largest number that passes any one point in the world.

p. 3 Miss Delia Kingsley, of Warren, is in town.

Mr. R. C. Brinkerhoff has rented the Hills' house on River St.

Mrs. Frank Waters (Allie Hurd) spent a day or two with friends here last week.

Mrs. Folsom, of Meigs Co., is on a visit of two weeks at her father's, Mr. Myron Wells.

Miss Nellie Sharpe, after a visit here of several weeks, returned home to St. Louis on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Florence Webb, Whitney's Point, N.Y., is in the village visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Dickey.

Mr. David Hurren, lost a horse a few days ago from colic; and Mr. Buckley lost a good cow from some unknown cause.

Dr. J. L. Sherman has purchased Mr. Dexter Damon's house and lot on Prospect St.; consideration \$2,000.

Married on the 24th instant, Mr. George Parfitt, of Cleveland, and Miss Emma Burtis, of this village; Rev. A. J. Waugh performed the ceremony.

The Madison *Index* says that Dr. A. H. Sherwood, of that place, leaves for New York to take a course of study in Bellevue Hospital.

Mr. Hiram Moore, of South Kirtland, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Monroe, of Bay Co., Michigan. Before his return, he will visit relatives in different portions of the state.

Howard Straight has entered the office of Dr. Himes, Euclid Ave., Cleveland, to study medicine. *Exponent*

A letter from Charley Loomis, Wahpeton, Dakota, to E. J. Dickey, of this place, says that while out hunting one day they shot 39 chickens, 23 ducks, and 48 geese.

The ladies of the Disciple Church will hold their social at R. Kennedy's next Thursday afternoon.

Weather: Miss Moore, of South Kirtland, has furnished us with a record of the rainy days in August: These were the first 11 days without intermission, also, the 16th, 17th, 23rd, 26th, 27th, and 31st.

A young man named Woodruff, residing in Conneaut, was struck by the fast freight at 7

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o'clock last Friday night, breaking his jaw bone and badly lacerating his head.

Mr. C. H. Gray, the Washington correspondent of the Cleveland *Leader*, was in the village Sunday, having spent the day with relatives in Kirtland.

Miss Leona Boyce and Miss Mildred French were at Paris on the 9th instant. They will sail for home about Oct. 14.

Personal property of S. H. Miner will be offered at auction at the late residence in the village on the 30th, at 12:30. It consists of a span of horses, cow, hog, wagons, buggy, implements, hay, corn, coal, dry wood, furniture, & c.

F. H. Yaxley and R. Y. Carroll have cleared out the old brush fence between their properties and replaced it with a neat wire fence.

At the **County Fair Plowing match**, the winners were: 1st on single plow, Jas. Caruthers, Painesville; 2nd V. Warren, LeRoy; 1st on double plow; R. Pears, Willoughby; 2nd S. Moore, Kirtland; 1st on Sulkey plow, O. Child, Painesville; 2nd H. D. Graham, Mishawaka.

The Iowa *State Register* mentions the business of the Reynolds Bros. (A. O. and O. C. from Mentor) which occupies a three-story building with implements of all kinds, wagons buggies, & c. The paper says "they have the finest sales room of any house in their line in the state."

Frank Merrill (northern Missouri) writes that crops of all kind are good and that of corn being the largest in many years.

Death of Mrs. Goodrich

After a brief illness of heart disease and dropsy, Mrs. Cecelia M., wife of A. A. Goodrich, died in this village the night of the 10th instant, age 47 years. She was a daughter of the late Waterman and Betsey Hall and was born and has always lived in this township. Rev. A. J. Waugh, of the Presbyterian Church, officiated at the funeral service. She leaves a husband and four children under 14 years of age, as well as four step-children.

We are pained to record the death of E. W. Clarke, late of the Painesville *Advertiser*.

Painesville – From the Hub

S. G. Pancost retires from the dry goods business.

Miss Caddie Pratt, of Chagrin Falls, is visiting the family of Pliny Pratt.

Mrs. Geo. Baker returned last week from two months at Chautauqua.

William McGary, age 17, was killed Friday by a large tree falling on him. He was not found until Saturday.

The remains of Mr. E. W. Clarke were taken to Arcade, N.Y., the place of the funeral.

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p. 2 The Late William Tiffany, Early Pioneer

He was born in Chester, Geauga Co., Aug., 1820. The locality was near the "Old Settlement" east of Hudson's Corners in the Cross Roads. There and in Munson he lived until he was 26 years old. On June 11, he married Jeannette Butler, of South Kirtland, Lake Co. He first moved onto the place called the "Fisk" farm in the southwest part of Chester. There he resided 8 years until Feb. 1, 1854. From there he went to South Kirtland and lived there until he died Sept. 20, 1882. His mother was a Scott, one of that numerous family once so largely represented in Chester; few of them remain. They were among the earliest settlers of that township. As a young man William Tiffany was fully 6 feet in stature though he had grown somewhat corpulent in later years. He lived 28 years in South Kirtland. He was a dairyman farmer and quite widely known. He loved music, especially the singing of old songs; and would sacrifice much for the comfort and happiness of his family. He was fully conscious to the last, and gave directions in regard to his funeral, selected the place for his burial and named Rev. Hunscher, of Mayfield, to preach his funeral sermon. Dr. Moore, of Willoughby, attended him and Dr. Sweeney, of Chardon, was called for council. He leaves a wife and four daughters, Mrs. A. L. Quigley, of Mayfield, Mrs.

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L. M. Cottrell, of Chester (widow), Mrs. L. G. Presley, of South Kirtland (also, a widow) and Alice J. Tiffany. There were three brothers. Warren died in Chester some years ago; George lives there today, the only surviving brother. One sister, now 70 years old, living in Chester survives him.

Willoughby Plains

Miss Etta Brown left last Friday for Ada, Hardin Co., to attend an institution of learning.

Mr. Ambrose Bryson and Miss Hattie Youmans were married last Wednesday and gone to Iowa on their wedding tour.

Wickliffe

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Ingersoll have gone to Ithaca, N.Y., on a visit to friends.

Geo. H. Merrill's family has a boy weighing 11 lbs.

Alfred Taphouse recently of England, now of Cleveland, visited his brother, Frank, over the Sabbath.

The operator at the depot of the new railroad has come and the boys call him "Chub Ryan. He hails from Brocton, New York.

Mrs. Stevens, of Wauseon, Fulton Co., is visiting the family of her son, Clark Stevens. Mrs. S. has been suffering severely for a few days with an attack that threatens to be sciatica if not checked. She is at present under the treatment of Dr. Herrick, of Cleveland.

Mentor

Mentor has the nicest fancy work. Mrs. Helen Bell did get first premium on a lovely table spread. Mentor, also, claims the best looking girls and the biggest watermelons.

Wilton Sawyer has returned to Colorado.

Mrs. E. T. C. Aldrich is being visited by her mother, Mrs. Fischer.

Miss Mary Laman has completed her visit here and returned to New York.

Mrs. Will Aldrich (nee Miss Jenny Bradley) is in poor health; but hope is entertained for better news soon.

A Martha Washington or Character Sociable is to take place Oct. 24 at the residence of N. C. Frost.

Kirtland

Mr. Lewis Hanson and wife are visiting in Akron. The Misses Warner and Willard have returned home to Canal Dover.

Mr. Wayland Rogers, wife, and son of Black River, have been visiting at Josiah Rogers.

Mrs. Weeks, of Warren Pa., is at DeWitt Markell's, called here by the sickness of her son, Sydney.

Mr. Geo. Hanscom and wife left for Washington on Monday, where they will remain through the winter.

Mr. E. D. Rich will leave for Florida Wednesday. The best wishes of a large circle of friends go with him.

Mr. E. E. Van Deusen from Toledo and Mrs. V. from Coldwater, Michigan, where Mrs. V. had been visiting her mother at the old home, arrived home today.

Mr. Chas. Calloway, who purchased the property of E. D. Rich, took possession Monday. He will carry on business similar to that of Mr. Rich—groceries, furniture, etc.

p. 3 G. C. St. John is in town from New York. Byron Damon has returned home to Ann Arbor. Mr. Martin Palmer returned home to Paulding Monday.

Mrs. Penfield is home again with her health somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Losey returned to their home in St. Louis last Saturday.

A Kingsville farmer has a pumpkin which measures 4' 8" around.

Ornie White has been appointed telegraph operator at this place for the new railroad.

Mrs. Omar Bliss recently picked a stem from a cinnamon rose bush on which she counted 20 buds.

The East Ohio Conference held at New Philadelphia expelled W. Bedall and J. C. Sullivan from the ministry for immorality.

Rev. J. C. McCarty and family are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman until their residence on

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Euclid Road is vacated now occupied by Geo. Sharpe.

The family of J. C. Hills, who since their removal from Willoughby, have resided in Cameron, Mo., have taken up their abode this week at Kansas City.

Mr. S. B. Taylor is still confined to his bed and Dr. Weber advises him to keep that position three months longer, when it is hoped he will be restored.

One day last week, Mr. S. B. Morrell, with a little assistance from his grandson, put up 60 barrels. This is a big day's work for a man of his age (69 years). Who can beat it?

Mr. W. Hobart, of Waite Hill, exhibited some fine specimens of the Lake Crawford Peach—one measuring 9 inches around and another 9 ¼ inches.

From a copy of the *Ackley (Iowa) Enterprise*, we notice that our friend, Mr. S. H. Lamon, of the Empire House, Cleveland, is visiting near that place a sister, whom he had not seen for over 20 years.

Mrs. Payn left this morning for Detroit where she spends a week with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Furber. She will then visit her son, Walter, near Saginaw.

Mrs. Parker, of Lincoln, Nebraska, perhaps better known as Emma Powell, accompanied by the children, is spending some weeks with her parents.

Mr. Dan Haggett is with us again having completed his job of stone cutting on the McClentic block at Chagrin Falls. It is possible Mr. Haggett may spend the winter in Bermuda building a stone house for Gen. Hastings.

Johnny Smart was surprised on his tenth birthday with a pony and a saddle at the door with his name attached—the gift from an uncle from the south.

Mr. Elijah Stacy died last week at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. L. Granger; he was age 82 years and 15 days. His funeral took place Sunday afternoon at which Rev. Mr. Couden officiated. The deceased was a native of New

York and had resided in the township 60 years. He leaves four children.

Mr. O. N. Barber has received the appointment of station agent at this place for the New York, Chicago, and St. Louis Railroad.

The Chagrin Falls Exponent of last week contains the following: A drover named Scott raised a big breeze on the street last Friday by drawing a revolver on Mr. Dan Haggett, of Willoughby, who is working on McClentic's new block, threatening to blow him to Hades and making other dire threats. The trouble grew out of Scott upsetting some dressed stone and cursing Haggett when he remonstrated to him.

Wallace A. Merrill, of Painesville, for many years operator on the Lake Shore at Cleveland, has been appointed the train dispatcher of the Valley Railway.

The Kirtland Bear

A 140 lb. black bear was shot and killed last week by a couple of young men while hunting in the neighborhood of Gildersleeve Mountain—and elevation 3 miles south of Little Mountain.

Honors of a Former Citizen

Among the Republican nomination of Kent Co. Michigan, is that of Mr. Jas. B. Wilson (brother of Mrs. Sarah Wilson, of this village) who is named for the office of Circuit Court Comm.

James B. Wilson was born at Willoughby, Ohio, Oct. 14, 1823. Graduated from the Western Reserve College and took a law course at Yale; was admitted to the bar at Summit Co., O., 1848. For several years he was a bookkeeper at the Merchants' Bank, Cleveland, and for Dudley Bros., in the same city. Subsequently, he was engaged in the manufacture of carriages in Willoughby. He came to Grand Rapids in 1859. He has been an active lawyer ever since. He was elected Commissioner in 1869 and served 8 years.

On Wed., the 27th ultimo, Mr. Ambrose Bryson and Miss Hattie Youmans were married at the residence of the bride's parents—Mr. and Mrs. S. Youmans, of Mentor Plains. Rev. Mr. McDuff, of Cleveland, officiated in the use of the Episcopal service. Mr. and Mrs. Bryson took the

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No. 5 Express for Iowa City. After an absence of several weeks, they will return to Mentor where they will make their home.

From the Hub – Painesville

Mr. S. C. Carter and wife of Keokuk, Iowa, are visiting at Mr. Harvey Woodworth's.

Mrs. Willard and Mrs. F. A. Preston left Friday for Evansville, Indiana, where they will spend the winter.

The wife of B. E. Chesney died Saturday evening of heart disease, age 28 years. She was the daughter of the late Dr. L. K. Rosa, and was a lady much loved.

Mr. and Mrs. Sturges are preparing to leave for New York City. Their house has been rented to Mr. T. S. Baldwin.

Painesville will have a sewer, consisting of a main running through Main St. to the river and two branch sewers running through Maiden and Mechanics' Lanes, and connecting with the main at State St.

In the **bicycle race** at the fair between Frank Bond, of Willoughby, and D. Hine. Hine won first and Bond second.

The *Exponent* of Chagrin Falls of the 28th contains a number of illustrations of the principal business houses and manufactories there, engraved especially for the paper at considerable cost.

Notice of Divorce

Lucretia F. Crafts vs. Cyrus L. Crafts.

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p. 2 Miss Mary Noble, who lived near Odell Guernsey Co., O., fell dead from apoplexy on Wed. She was 67 years old.

It is now said that Frank James (brother of the notorious Jesse and who surrendered himself last week to the Governor of Missouri), was for some time living in Cleveland under the name Pratt.

Kirtland

L. S. Brown, of Madison, who is visiting his father Dr. M. M. Blinn, left on Saturday for New York where he will attend medical lectures.

A New England supper is announced for Tuesday evening at the residence of Marvin Daniels.

Wickliffe

Mr. Wesley Stocking and wife have gone to visit his brother who lives in Wadsworth, Medina Co., and will be absent from home about two weeks.

Mrs. John Ferguson has a tube-rose stock of unusually large size being 5 ½ feet in height and having 40 buds of the beautiful and fragrant flower on it.

Miss Orrie Graves is suffering with a painful hand, and it is feared that a felon is threatened upon one of the fingers.

Mentor

N. C. Frost is on a prospecting tour in the northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morse return to their home in Colorado today.

Mrs. Thomas Clapp, East Cleveland, is visiting friends and relative here.

Miss Emma Burrige is to be married Thursday at 3 p.m. to Dr. C. M. Hawley, of Painesville.

Mr. Thomas Morley is making 200 lbs. of butter and over every week. He churns by horsepower and has regular customers in Cleveland.

Mr. Sidney Justus has shipped, at last report, 13 tons of grapes. Cincinnati proves a good market this year.

West Kirtland

B. F. Jenks and wife started on the 5th instant for a visit to friends and relatives in Kalamazoo Co., Michigan, and Southern Indiana.

A white wood tree was recently cut on the farm of L. W. Marble by Geo. H. Morse and C. Devine

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that measured 6 feet across the stump. Such sized trees of any kind are rare in this section.

Allen Sperry, of South Kirtland, sold a horse some weeks ago to a gentleman of East Cleveland which has since been put on the track at Glenville, and with three weeks' training made the excellent time of 2:42. Her stride measured 18 ½ feet.

Bear Story

At the time Peter French owned the farm now the property of Wm. Webster, probably 40 years ago, bears were so plentiful and tame as to prowl around the house at night and peer in at the windows. I have heard the last bear killed in this section was by the late Freeman Judd, in company with 2 or 3 others, on the farm of G. D. Smith.

Robert Smith and daughter, Hattie, of Solon spent a few days last week visiting with the family of his late brother, James Smith. "Uncle Robert" is one of the pioneers of Solon and though 84 years old is hale and hearty.

Jurors for the October Term of Court

Grand Jury

Wilman H. Bliss, Madison
Charles Bostwick, Kirtland
A. W. Olds, Madison
H. F. Doty, Madison
A. M. Parmele, Mentor
J. C. Carpenter, Kirtland
Solon Hall, Painesville
Warren Hoose, Kirtland
T. W. Carpenter, Painesville
W. G. Hobart, Kirtland
Enos Tew, LeRoy
O. R. Wakelee, Painesville
E. M. Jones, Willoughby
H. W. Blakely, Madison

Petit Jurors

M. H. Brown, Painesville
Henry Wilson, Concord
J. W. Titus, Mentor
A. A. Bishop, Painesville

Isaiah Phelps, Leroy
W. E. Taylor, Willoughby
B. P. Warren, Mentor
B. A. Park, Painesville
H. J. Manchester, Perry
P. G. Sweet, Concord
Sidney Smith, Willoughby
D. E. Williams, Leroy
E. E. Hodge, Mentor
David Burr, Concord
C. T. Morley, Painesville
A. H. Dewey, Madison
E. T. C. Aldrich, Mentor
Charles White, Willoughby
P. S. Allen, Willoughby
E. Hayward, Painesville

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Mrs. Vrooman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Moore. Monday night burglars attempted to enter S. D. Moore's house but the inmates of the house frightened them away. Probably the same scamp who opened Mrs. Vrooman's trunk at Chagrin Falls followed her up to Mr. Moore's to see what that could obtain.

Chester

Seventy-five friends of Mr. Downey gave him a surprise party recently including the Chester Bank. Supper was served at the old curing house and during the evening a dozen silver knives were presented to Mr. Downey.

The *Great Western* was the first of the regular steamers to cross the Atlantic. She sailed from Bristol on Apr. 23, 1839 and reached New York in 16 days and 1 hour. She was a wooden paddle wheel steamer of 1,200 tons burden. During the past year, the *City of Rome* has been put on the same route and made the voyage in less than 7 days, but she weighs 8,400 tons. No doubt the time is coming when passengers will feel aggrieved if they are detained longer than a week on the voyage between the old world and the new.

p. 3 Mr. A. P. Bateham is now located in St. Paul, Minn.

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Doc. Flower, of Ashtabula, is the station agent of the new road in Madison.

Mr. J. H. Foster has relatives visiting him from Canada, Indiana, and Minnesota.

Mrs. Poole, of Sandusky, is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Nelson Eggleston.

The comet is on exhibition daily at the rather inconvenient hour of 5 o'clock a.m.

Dr. J. L. Sherman expects to take up his residence in our village about the first of the coming month.

Invitations are issued for the wedding of Miss Nettie R. Clark (formerly of this town) and Mr. W. J. Wheeler, of Mishawaka, Ind.

Mrs. O. H. Sharpe returned home last Saturday after an absence of 6 weeks spent with her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Talbot, of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Mr. W. H. Chapman made a brief visit to his parents on Tuesday, deposited his ballot at the Town Hall, and returned to Washington in the evening.

Mr. Jas. T. Robinson gives up the law business and goes into the National Packing House at Cleveland with residence at 166 Franklin Ave.

W. E. Blakeslee, for 10 years in the employ of the Lake Shore Road at Ashtabula, has been appointed station agent of the Nickel Plate at that place.

Mrs. Robinson returns home Friday to the "sunny south" after spending the summer here with relatives—the family of S. W. Smead.

The Plains seems to be a good place for good watermelons judging from those brought to our office the past week by Messrs. C. J. Richardson and E. W. Palmer.

Miss Leona Boyce and Miss Mildred French will take passage at Liverpool for New York on the 14th instant. They will spend a week in the latter city before returning to Ohio.

A little son of Mr. Hendryx, of Mentor, while returning from school Tuesday, jumped from the school yard fence and broke his ankle.

Mr. A. Elwell, as Treasurer of the Wellington Mutual, has paid to Mrs. W. Richardson the sum of \$2,000, the full amount of the policy due on the loss of her husband.

Dr. Bigger, of Cleveland, in connection with Drs. Storm, of this place, performed a painful operation upon Mrs. Geo. Morgan, Tuesday last, which it is hoped will be successful.

A party of hunters left here this week for northern Michigan: C. O. Sharpe, Jos. Kennedy, D. C. Pomeroy, Frank Jenkins, G. C. St. John. They will be absent 6 weeks or 2 months.

Mrs. Emma Paul has returned to her home at Ottawa, Ill. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Florence Wilson, who will spend a few weeks with her, and, also, with relatives at Wilton, Iowa.

Mrs. Wm. M. Shewell, Philadelphia, youngest sister of the late A. Y. Austin, arrived last week and is a guest of Miss Austin.

Murray Higgins will be confined to the house for some time, having fractured his right leg between the knee and ankle Monday afternoon while having a friendly wrestle in his saloon. He is under the care of Dr. Storm.

The *Exponent* reports Dan Haggart as saying the stone in Chagrin Falls works as nicely as that in Berea and Amherst with the single exception that the former material is a little darker.

Mr. Adam Clark has rented his farm. His wife will join him in Mentor next week as he has received the appointment for depot agent of the Nickel Plate at Mentor.

A man named Huber was found by some boys Friday morning hanging to a tree in some woods a little west of Cleveland. He had lately been liberated from the Insane Asylum.

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The gas well on the premises of Mr. Elwell is at 100' in depth and is progressing at the rate of 20' per day.

Mr. P. M. Hitchcock, of this city, and family left for N. Y. City yesterday and tomorrow sail for Marseilles, France. They expect to be absent about 8 months. Mrs. Williams and Miss Mary Wilcox, of Painesville, accompany them. *Herald*, 6th.

A Musical and Literary Social is to be held at Mrs. Greer's on Friday, Oct. 13.

Programme:

Duet – Vesta and Mary Greer

Select Reading – Miss Hattie Gunn

Quartet- Ackley and others

Barbara Fritchie – Miss Gertrude Penfield

Solo – Miss Collister

Essay – Miss Aggie Morley, Kirtland

Piano solo – Miss Nellie Flickinger

Death of Isaac Moore

Mentor – Word was received by relatives here of the sudden death of Mr. Isaac Moore for many years a resident of Lake County. He was born in Saratoga Co., N. Y., in 1794.

“Esquire” Moore as he was familiarly called was nearly 89 years old. Since the death of his daughter, Mrs. John Bishop, 2 years ago, Mr. Moore has made his home with his son, Milan in Farmer City, Illinois, at whose residence he died Saturday night.

The appointment of O. N. Barber as station agent here of the new railroad has been revoked—and Mr. D. Baker, of Spartanburg, Pa., has received the appointment. He is a gentleman of middle life, married and appears to be of pleasant and agreeable manners.

The 39th birthday of E. Crawford was celebrated with a surprise party Monday last. About 40 friends attended. He was presented with a handsome rocking chair.

Painesville

Oscar Kile is station agent here for the Nickel Plate.

Another doctor is coming to Painesville—we already have 17!

Sunday night Mrs. Dayton's house on Courtland Street was in flames.

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p. 2 Mr. B. P. Baldwin, a pioneer of Mahoning Co., was found dead in his yard in Milton a few days ago. He had eaten a hearty breakfast a short time before and was apparently in good health. He was 81 years old.

The Late Isacc Moore

He was one of the earliest settlers of Lake Co. Mr. Isaac Moore, late of Mentor, departed this life at the residence of his son, Milan Moore, in Farmer City, Ill., on Oct. 7, 1882, age 89 years. His remains were taken to Clinton, Illinois, and there laid beside his two daughters in Woodland Cemetery. Mr. Moore was born in 1794 in New York near Baltown. His father's name was John Moore, and his mother's name (before marriage) was Leah Groome. In 1811, when he was 18 years old, he with his parents and sister (two years younger than he) came to Geauga, Lake Co., Ohio, and settled upon the east branch of the Chagrin River on a farm now owned by Mr. Reuben Harmon, where his principal work was chopping, logging, and fencing the land of others until 1816, when he purchased about 100 acres of land, the northeast corner of which was about 20 rods south of the Mormon Temple, in Kirtland; part or all of which we believe is now the property of Mr. Metcalf. Here he lived until the spring of 1830, when he exchanged this farm, about 170 acres, with the Mormons for the one owned by a Mormon by the name of Williams, and lying in Warrensville, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, where he lived until the winter of 1836-37, when he sold this farm and purchased the Hawkin's farm in Mentor, where he lived until age and the absence of all his sons in the west, compelled him to give up farming, when he sold the same

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to is son-in-law, Henry C. King, and purchased a house and small lot near the Disciple Church, on what was then called "Mentor Main Street," where he lived until he broke up housekeeping. After the surrender of Hull he went into the army, and remained in it until Perry's victory told the settlers on the south side of Lake Erie that their homes were not in danger. A land warrant and then later a pension were the rewards given to him by his government for his service. Mr. Moore was married in 1816 to Philena Blish who came to Ohio in 1805 with her parents and brothers Benjamin and Zenas Blish, and their sisters, one of who Mrs. Clarisa Dille, is yet living with an adopted daughter in Iowa City, Iowa, at the ripe age of 91, retaining the use of all her faculties. By this marriage he had eight children—five sons all now living and all attended his funeral, and three daughters, none of whom are living. About 1827 or 28, he and his wife united with the Disciples, then a new order of Christians, led by Mr. Alexander Campbell assisted by Sidney Rigdon and others in Northern Ohio. He had been elected through the years to various little offices, such as Capt. of the Militia, County Commissioner, Justice of the Peace, and one session in the legislature. In spring 1832, his first wife died in Warrensville leaving him with eight children, the eldest not sixteen and the youngest not quite 6 months old. In about a year he married, Miss Martha Jones with whom he had one son who died when he was about 21 years old. His second wife lived until the spring of 1862, when she died. He then married Miss Elizabeth King, a sister of Mr. Oscar Humphrey, of Willoughby, and she died in Willoughby in the spring of 1880, when he came west to spend his remaining days with his children. He was lonely. Old age should be spent with old acquaintances. With those we can talk of old times, old loves, and old hates and find a ready and willing ear. The young have no subjects in common with the aged.

West Kirtland

Mrs. J. Hobart is visiting friends this week in Cleveland.

On the 10th, Cornelius Hoose, Waite Hill, visited Chicago and purchased a car load of 2 year old steers—23 in number—which are now on his pasture farm in Chester. They average 1,000 lbs. apiece.

G. H. Morse and sister, Belle, started from home Thursday last week on a visit to relatives and friends in Council Bluffs, Iowa, and intermediate points.

Wickliffe

Miss Jessie White left yesterday for the Normal School at Ada, to be absent several months.

Result of the written examination held last week in the Wickliffe schools:

Primary Grade

Elmer Hardacker	56
Lizzie Hardacker	88
Dennie McCarty	84
Leo Merrill	92
Willie Provo	93
Jeptha Fuller	80
Ella Furlong	90
Emma Runyon	85
Willie Hardaker	85
Willie Jones	75
James Furlong	68
Katie McCarty	84
Anna Furlong	72
Belle Tarbell	72
Thomas Wilson	77
Lulu Wilson	75
Bertha Butler	65
Howard Ingersoll	96
Chauncey Fuller	68
John McCarthy	100

Grammar Grade

Cyphie Merrill	96
Leslie Fuller	70
Lee Woodard	94
Jimmie Stocking	81
Clark Hendryx	89
Cathie Taylor	89
Anna Jones	83

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Orrie Graves	97
Kinney Graves	85
Gustave Provo	98
Eddie Mosher	97
Horace Nichols	81
Addie Ferguson	100
Blanche Tarbell	92
Minnie Arnold	96

Transfers of Real Estate

Willoughby

Carrie Kay and others to S. P. Lean, 1-3 acres, lot 27, \$1,300

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Samuel Metcalf to E. D. Billings; 5 acres, tract 3, lot 82, quit claim, \$1

E. D. Rich to Wm. and Chas. W. Callaway; village lots 30 and 31, \$1,500

p. 3 Miss Lottie Skiff has gone east for 6 weeks' visit.

E. M. Woodard is teaching school in the 1st Kirtland district.

Miss Belle Hanson is spending a week with friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. Heaton and daughter returned to Washington Sunday evening.

Mr. O. J. Humphrey lost a valuable family horse Monday morning.

S. S. Crawford, of Hudson, is station agent for the Nickel Plate at Conneaut.

Mrs. W. G. Benham is suffering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

N. C. Stevens who went east a few weeks ago has entered Harvard University.

J. D. Thompson, of Perry, raised 421 bushels of Clawson wheat on eleven acres of ground.

Mrs. Ann Davis recently died in Bazetta, Trumbull Co., in her 99th year.

Rev. Mr. McCarty and family have taken up their abode in their new home on Euclid St.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamson, of Cleveland, will occupy Mr. Geo. A. Baker's residence the coming winter.

A little son of C. H. Smith, Newton Falls, was drowned in the flume of the mill at that place last Thursday.

Mr. Will Chapman, accompanied by Miss Glen Penfield, left Tuesday of last week for Wilmington in this state.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Damon expect to leave early in November for Minnesota where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Mary Bunnell has a tube rose that measures 6'3" in height and has over 30 blossoms.

W. S. Peterson, editor of the *Warren Tribune*, has been appointed custodian of the plates and dies of the Treasury Dept.

Mrs. Jeanette Tiffany has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her late husband, Wm. Tiffany, of south Kirtland.

Thos. Graham, of Munson, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while out hunting a few days ago. He leaves a family.

Miss E. B. Couden is on a visit of several weeks to her brother. Miss C. was for many years a leading milliner in the city of Cincinnati.

Chas. Smith, wife, and child recently died of yellow fever at Brownsville, Texas. Mr. S. was formerly a teacher at Madison in this county.

Mrs. Cottrell, of Michigan, who has been visiting friends here, is now spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Haskell, of Chardon.

Mr. Phillip C. Fenn, a former resident of Mentor, died recently at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Conrad Ganesvoort in Bath, N.Y. He was 81 years old.

Mrs. Clara Waite left on Tuesday for Weeping Water, Neb., on a visit to the family of her brother, J. L. Kennedy.

Mr. A. G. Reynolds, formerly of Little Mountain but now of Des Moines, is spending some days in the county. He will return to his western home with one of the fairest and best girls in our county.

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Mrs. C. Cottrell, of Vassar, Mich., Mrs. Lucy Heaton and daughter, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. H. J. Silverthorn and daughter, Coits; and J. Jackson, of East Cleveland, spent a few days last week at Mr. N. C. Smith's.

Mr. Henry Palmer, with wife and sister-in-law (Miss Dexter), of New York City, arrived here, last Friday night. Monday they visited friends in Chester, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. Palmer. The three first mentioned are now in Chicago, coming to Fostoria Saturday where several member of the Palmer family will have a reunion.

Mentor

Frank Tanner, one of our school boys, had his shoulder broken in playing pull-a-way.

Miss Maggie Murray, of Concord, spent last Wednesday with the family of her uncle, Mr. Robert Murray.

Maynard Murray, a Mentor boy, was elected to Congress last Tuesday by the Democrats, but who cares for that?

Mrs. Will Aldrich (nee Miss Jenny Bradley) is expected home this week. Mrs. Aldrich is in poor health, and Fargo is too cold.

The wedding of Miss Emma Burrige with Dr. Hawley, of Painesville, Thursday last was a brilliant affair in every sense. The wedding dress was made of heavy ivory satin; the gown was made very long. The front and sides of the overskirt (also, the sleeves) were made of lace embroidered with chenille and seed pearls. The dress was a gift of Dr. Levi Burrige, of New York, an uncle of the bride and was a complete surprise. It is almost needless to say the robe was bought from Paris, and its cost no ordinary poor mortal can guess.

All the wedding gifts are listed in the newspaper article. (A solid silver syrup cup was given by Mrs. L. C. Stebbins and sons.)

A large horse shoe comprised almost entirely of tube roses, a gift from sister, Sarah Cummings and her husband, was the most noticeable of the floral decorations.

Painesville – From the Hub

C. H. Frank is now teller of the First National—a good appointment.

Christopher Bartlett, an old resident, had a stroke of paralysis last week.

A. P. Sanford has been appointed operator for the Western Union.

Tom Durban, of our city, carried off the prize at the Contest in Declamation last week in Chardon.

Dr. C. M. Hawley and Miss E. Burrige were married last week at the residence of the bride in Mentor. The favored few report an impressive service and an enjoyable evening.

Wm. Rice died this morning at his residence on Mentor Ave. in his 87th year. He came to Painesville about 10 years ago from Youngstown to which place his remains will be taken.

Kirtland

Miss Jennie Shaw, of Cleveland, is visiting relatives and friends here.

The Woodward and Damon wedding was largely attended.

When the steamer "City of Detroit" arrived in Cleveland, a man was found dead in his state room. On his person were found papers which proved him to be James Bour, of Akron. Arsenic was found in the stomach during a post mortem establishing the theory of suicide.

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p. 2 Details of the reunion of neighbors of old Sugar St., on the boundary of Kirtland and Chesterland, which was held. Names mentioned: Almon Gilbert and wife, Mentor; C. T. Morley and wife, Painesville; Henry Miller and wife, Russell; Willard Miller and wife; Zebedee Whitman, wife and daughter; Newton Whitman, Chester; Sol Moore, wife and son; Danford Richmond, Perry Moore; Sara Moore, Kirtland; Mrs. J. W. Clark (once Malvina Miller), Illinois; Charlie Gurney, Michigan. Mrs. Whitman, who died a year ago, was 82.

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Mrs. Milton Bond, of Michigan, is on a visit to her father.

Mrs. Wayland Rogers left Saturday for her home near Rocky River.

Mr. George Metcalf has nearly finished his house and will soon move in.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Callaway, of Cleveland, spent Sabbath here with relatives.

Mrs. George Frank is suffering severely from a carbuncle swelling; she is attended by Dr. Davis of your town.

Wickliffe

Mr. Nelson King goes to Michigan tonight on a hunting trip.

Ed Ingersoll is teaching in the Central High School, in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Pelton, Euclid, made a call Sunday at Geo. H. Merrill's, a brother of Mrs. Pelton.

Mrs. Eliza Stevens, of Oberlin, is visiting her nephew's family, Mr. Clark Stevens, of this place.

W. D. Marten is the agent at the New Nickel Plate Depot.

Frankie Stevens while on a recent visit to his uncle's in Euclid, fell from a wagon and cut his face so badly that it had to have several stitches taken by Dr. Burton, of Collamer, before he came home.

Corrections to last week's examination grades: Belle Tarbell should be 87; Jimmie Stocking 88; Addie Ferguson was not present to take all the examinations.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Albert Hanson sprained his ankle quite badly a few days ago while picking apples.

The birthday of David Gray, the centenarian, was celebrated last Friday at the residence of his son, Martin Gray. Mr. Gray was born in 1780.

Our people were startled at the news that Mrs. Abbie Downing, of Missouri, had suffered a shock of apoplexy. She had two while in

Missouri and was advised by her physician to come east and for the last three months has been stopping with her brother, J. C. Campbell, and her sister, Mrs. Gladding, of Windsor. She was at the latter place, and so much improved, she was intending to return home when she was again stricken fatally. She was brought to her brother's on the Plains where the funeral services were held last Sunday--Rev. Hayden, of the Willoughby Disciple Church, and his choir attending. Her husband, Wm. Downing, was telegraphed but nothing was heard from him. In his last letter to her, he talked of leaving for a season. Mrs. Downing was the mother of four children--one boy and three girls--the youngest seven years old being here--the others in Missouri.

Mentor

Mr. C. H. Kingsbury, of Grand Rapids, has been visiting relatives here.

Miss E. Hovey, of East Cleveland, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Stephen Hart.

West Kirtland

Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster, of Elkhart, Indiana, cousins of P. A. Metcalf were visiting last week at the home of the later.

p. 3 Mr. F. E. Bond and wife left home for Florida on Monday.

Mr. Linsey Hunt, of Russell, died of heart disease quite suddenly last week.

Mr. Thos. W. Fowles, Wabash, Indiana, has been on a visit to his parents for several days.

Mr. E. Hastings, a business man of Chardon, died suddenly on Monday last of paralysis.

Mrs. Jennette Tiffany has been commissioned by the President, as post-mistress of South Kirtland.

Mrs. S. Brichford presents us with a handsome bouquet formed of seven varieties of chrysanthemums.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cottrell will reside for the winter in the house of Mrs. Ezra Holmes, on the way to Kirtland.

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Mr. Harvey Hall has just erected a windmill, bringing water to his house and barn from a spring nearby.

The Universalist Social will be held at Mr. N. Clark's on Wed., Nov. 1.

Mrs. J. A. Rogers who is visiting her father (R. C. Bates) came up from Ashtabula Monday on the first passenger train on the new road.

The *Exponent* says Mr. Robt. Law, of Mayfield, has raised this season from about 70 acres of ground nearly 3,000 bushels of grain, about 1,400 of wheat, and 1,600 of oats.

Mr. Samuel Elwell, of Warren, died suddenly yesterday in his 88th year. He was father of our townsman, Mr. Alfred Elwell.

Mrs. G. H. Warne, together with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Robinson made a short visit this week to Mr. and Mrs. Warne.

There will be a social gathering Friday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Atkinson on the Ridge.

The friends of Will Durban will be glad to know that his health was so much improved Monday that he came downstairs for the first time in 6 weeks.

Mr. Geo. H. Robinson, of Northern Missouri, is making a visit of several weeks to relatives in Willoughby and in Troy, Ohio. Mr. R. was for a number of years a citizen of Painesville Township owning the place on which Mrs. Bateham now resides, but removing to the southwest over 16 years ago. He is a brother of Mrs. J. H. Merrill and Mrs. W. F. Seeley.

Geo W. Clement Jr., of this town is the Associate Editor of the *College Argus* published by the students of Wesleyan University, of Middletown, Conn.

From the *Sioux City, Iowa, Journal*
Married Smith – Bruce

Oct. 8, 1882, by the Rev. Mr. Chalmers, of the Congregational Church, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. L. B. Matson, on Virginia St., Mr. Christopher B. Smith, of Wolf Dale, Iowa, to

Mrs. Emily S. Bruce, of Chicago, Ill. After an elegant repast the bride and groom drove out to their lovely country home, Ashman Place.

(Mrs. Smith is a sister of the Messrs. John and Elijah Ward and Mrs. Lewis White, and has many friends in Willoughby and vicinity.)

Collister- Stockwell

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Stockwell had a large assemblage at their residence Oct. 25 for the nuptials of their daughter, Helen, and Willis Collister. The bride was attired in white Egyptian Muslin with Oriental lace and satin trimming. A large horseshoe floral arrangement of white chrysanthemums, fuchsias, and smilax was suspended from the ceiling. Rev. A. J. Waugh of the Presbyterian Church officiated. (Complete list of the gifts is printed in the newspaper article.) Among those present from out-of-town were: Edgar Rockafellow, E. D. Congdon, E. E. Stockwell, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Misses Hattie and Ida Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ellen, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rogers, Mrs. Chamberlain, Ashtabula; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Henderson, Chicago, A. D. Barrett, wife and son, of Painesville. Regrets were received from Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Merrill, of Jamestown. Mr. and Mrs. Collister will very sensibly spend their honeymoon at home.

Mr. Sam Hughes and Miss Ida Dewey, both of this town, were married Tuesday by Rev. W. H. Hayden.

Painesville

The indictments returned by the Grand Jury are as follows:

State vs. Harry Heath, rape;

State vs. Addison D. Moore, allowing minors to play billiards;

State vs. Richard H. Magoon, assault and battery;

State vs. Thos. Rooney, assault with attempt to kill;

State vs. Asa Callander, Edward Callander, and Henry Roach, assault with attempt to kill and murder;

State vs. Horatio Whipple, rape;

State vs. Dan O. Carter, assault and battery.

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p. 2 North Mentor

Mrs. Capt. Ingraham has joined her husband, of the schooner *Ogarita*, in Ashtabula where she will remain a day or two. She was accompanied by her daughters.

A little son of Capt. Andros Snell fell from a horse, while at grandfather Byrns', on the 21st instant, breaking his left arm just above the elbow. The bone was set by Dr. House and Marshall.

Mrs. Martin Scribner (formerly Mrs. Doom) presented her husband with a little daughter the other day.

Oliver Jones is the father of twin boys. It is the second time in 5 years such a circumstance has happened in his family.

Little Fred, youngest son of Frank and Jenny Jewell, age one year died from dysentery on the morning of the 22nd. The funeral was held at the residence of grandfather, McAdams. Rev. Hendryx officiated. The remains were laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

West Kirtland

Mrs. David Whitright is reported in a very critical condition with a threatened attack of a paralytic nature.

Jefferson Pike, of Steuben Co., Indiana, is visiting relatives here and enjoying the scenes of his boyhood days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Starrett and infant daughter, of Cleveland, spent Sabbath under the parental roof of Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitworth.

Messrs. Sanborn and Call are engaged hauling chestnut telegraph poles from the woods of S. F. Whitney. They are being shipped 150 miles southeast.

Spencer Bidlake was injured while taking down a derrick preparatory to commencing work on another culvert. The derrick slipped striking him

on the shoulder and injuring him quite severely. He is much improved now.

On the 27th instant, as Perry Rice was driving a load of stone on the grade at the corner leading from Kirtland to Willoughby, the brake at the rear end of the wagon which he was using, gave way, causing him to fall between the brake and the wheel, his right foot being caught in the wheel and badly jammed. The team, being a thoroughly broken one, stopped at the word which he thinks saved him from being run over. The load weighed 3 tons. He is somewhat easier at present writing, though still confined to the house.

On the 19th instant, Mrs. Nellie Whitney, of the Plains, and Mr. Arlington G. Reynolds, of Des Moines, Iowa, formerly of Little Mountain, were married at the residence of S. F. Whitney. The Rev. Charles Whitney of Russell, Wayne Co., was the officiating minister. The happy pair took the 6 o'clock p.m. train for their new home in the west, where Mr. R. is a partner in a hardware firm.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. Eliza Wood, of Michigan, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Downing, and other friends on the Plains.

Mr. W. H. Brown, of New Haven, Ct., stopped a few days with his cousin—Mrs. C. J. Richardson.

Mr. William Downing arrived here last Tuesday from Missouri, too late to be present at his wife's funeral, the telegraph summoning him having been on route 3 days. He leaves for Missouri again today.

Wickliffe

Frank Stray who has been on a hunting expedition to north Michigan for a few days, returned last Friday.

Mrs. Thos. Dodd, of Pleasant Valley, made a visit of a few days last week at the residence of her father, Mr. Joseph King.

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Clarence Ferguson came home from Hudson, where he is attending school, last week and remained over the Sabbath.

There will be a surprise birthday party at the residence of Henry Graves, in his honor, this evening.

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Mr. Will Warren, of Kansas, is in town.

Mr. George Wheeler is quite ill.

Mr. Austin Blackman spent a few days last week with friends. Mrs. B. is in Ravenna where they intend remaining until they go southward for the winter.

Dr. J. P. Robinson and wife will celebrate their golden wedding this week.

The Martha Washington **costume social** at Mr. and Mrs. Frost's was a great success:

Some of the costumes:

Gen. George Washington (Robert Murray)

Martha Washington (Mrs. Frost)

Madam McMahan (Mrs. George Rose)

Mrs. Partington (Mrs. Hanson)

Betsey Bobbett (Miss Ina DeLong)

Napoleon (Mr. George Woodbury)

Empress Josephine (Miss Justus)

Spanish senora (Mrs. Spencer Munson)

Pocahontas (Miss Florence Rose)

Snow Maiden (Miss Emily Bradley)

Alpine Maid (Miss Nellie King)

Girl of the Period (Miss Kittie Baxter)

Old Fashioned Girl (Miss Mame Aldrich)

Miss Lillian Morley wore her mother's wedding dress

Frank Green was dressed in the national colors

Holland Maid (Miss Cora Norton)

Milkmaid (Emily Corning)

Gypsies Misses Jennie Pratt and Lizzie Wilson

Red Riding Hood (Little Mary Corning)

Flora McDonald (Bertha Rose)

Saxon Fraulein (Ida Wells)

Mentioned: Mrs. Edward Sawyer and Mrs. Bell. Waiters were Hal Lake, Will Swain, Fred Hart, T. D. Morley, and Harry King.

Transfers of Real Estate

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N. F. Wells and W. A. Smith to Robert Criswell, 206 acres, tract 3, lots 93 and 100, \$12,000.

Willoughby

Jonathan Ward to John W. Crane, 1 and 62/100 acres, tract 6, lot 1, \$181.

N. C. Stewart to Esther Rudd, 24/100 acres and lots 20 and 21, \$2,500.

May E. Elliott to Joel Reeve, 42 acres in Gore, \$2,000.

Christopher Colson to May E. Elliott, 26/100 acre in lot 49, \$500.

William B. Richardson by Executor to Ann S. Richardson, part of lots 17 and 20, \$2,000.

Mary Ann Marble to Elijah Swift, all her interest in estate of Jeremiah Evans, \$1,100.

p. 3 Mrs. J. A. Rogers returned home to Ashtabula Tuesday morning.

The funeral of Mr. Samuel Elwell was largely attended at Warren, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Solon Lauer, of Adelbert College, spent the first two days of the week at home with his parents.

Ashcroft & Presley have dissolved partnership and the former goes on to his farm at Fowlers' Mills.

Mr. Sleemin, of Kirtland, has been engaged for some time past in filling a large order for telegraph poles.

Mrs. Geo. Stebbins, of Toledo, arrived in town last week on a visit to relatives in the village and neighborhood.

Those old landmarks of Painesville, "Gabe" and "Bob" Freer were on our streets last week.

H. O. Freeman, of Chardon, has bought the Little Mountain Cheese Factory.

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Mr. G. A. Brakeman, of Painesville, has the contract for building the new tower on the Chardon Baptist Church.

Dr. Weber and family removed from the farm last week to their city home, which they will occupy until the coming spring.

Miss Leona Boyce and cousin, Miss Mildred French (who have been traveling abroad), are expected to reach Cleveland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Damon start for Minnesota on Saturday where they expect to spend the winter.

The *Fayette Brown*, Captain Spear, of Kirtland, is reported to be lost on Lake Michigan, but we have no particulars.

Miss Nellie Flickinger leaves today for Oxford in this state. On her way, she will visit relatives at Columbus and Westerville.

Mr. E. E. Stockwell, now in business, in New York City, and who has been spending a few days with his parents left for Indianapolis and Chicago Monday night.

Mrs. Rader (formerly Mrs. C. Bunnell) with other members of her family, have been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bunnell. They went east on Monday.

We are informed that the injuries sustained by C. W. Fessenden, of Chester, caused by being thrown from a wagon two weeks ago, are of such a nature that his recovery is thought to be very doubtful.

Ground has been broken for the removal of the M. E. Parsonage to front on Center St., preparatory to building a new church, which is to occupy the present site of the parsonage. *Geneva Republican*

Yesterday afternoon Rev. Bezell officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Thompson, who after an illness of several months, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Levi Dorman, in southeast Kirtland.

A recent business change places Mr. W. J. Hutchinson as proprietor of the harness shop lately owned by Mr. J. N. Warne.

An invitation to the wedding of Mrs. Olive B. Veniere and Mr. DeWayne L. Gray, which takes place in New York City, Nov. 7, is hereby acknowledged. Mr. Gray was formerly a resident and student of Willoughby where he has many friends.

On Saturday last, Mr. Sidney A. Smith and family left our station for their new home in Saginaw, Michigan, where they will enter on a farm of 120 acres, all cleared and upon which there is already 40 acres of wheat sown. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. David Hodgson, of the Plains, whose son, Robert left this county several years ago for the same locality.

The *Geauga Republican* of last week contained a notice of the death of Mrs. Ann B. Phelps which took place at the home of her daughter in New Hampton, Iowa, on the 6th ultimo.

She was the widow of Judge Alfred Phelps who together with her husband came to the then far west in 1820 from Aurora, New York, settling in Parkman, Geauga Co., afterward moving to Chardon, where they resided until the Judge's death in 1864, when she took up her abode in Cleveland. She was 83 years old.

Obituary

Miss Myrtle Miller died on the 14th ultimo at Collamer. The deceased left her school at Maple Grove for a short visit to her aunt at the above place, promising her school mates to be back in a few weeks. In a few days, however, the news came to her mother, Mrs. Saxon that Myrtie was very sick of typhoid fever. The mother hastened to the bedside of her daughter. She was 16 years old. The funeral will be held at her aunt's in Collamer; Rev. Mr. Nowel officiating. The remains were interred at Lake View Cemetery.

Death of a Reserve Pioneer

Last week, we mentioned the death of Mr. Samuel Elwell, of Warren, father of Mr. Alfred Elwell, of this place. Mr. Elwell's family, before death had broken its ranks, consisted of 6 sons

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and 3 daughters. The latter all passed away in early womanhood. The 6 sons will be at the funeral of their father who has lived under all the Presidents of the United States, having been born during Washington's administration. He came to Warren at the age of 21 with his bride who was 17 years old. He has resided here 66 years and here all his children were born. Sons: Stephen R., the eldest, has been a member of the Montana Legislature; John J., a member of the Ohio Legislature, a general in the army and another of a work on Medical Jurisprudence and a member of the Cleveland Bar; Augustus is now and has been a Justice of the Peace for Braceville for many years; Alfred is director and treasurer of the Citizens' Relief Assoc. of Wellington, and a member of the Cleveland Bar; Joseph S. has been a member of the Missouri Legislature, a captain in the army and since connected with the postal service; William H., the youngest, was a lieutenant on the staff of Gen. Alfred H. Terry during the war. These 6 sons will act as bearers and bear their father to his last resting place on the banks of the Mahoning River.

Mr. and Mrs. Warne leave in a few days for their new home in Ewart, Oceola Co., Michigan.

A son of Alexander H. and Harriet M. Sherman died near little mountain on the 10th ultimo of diphtheria, age 12 years. "Little Mitchie" as he was familiarly called was a child of unusual promise—bright, sunny, and affectionate in disposition, a favorite of all who knew him. The remains were taken to Saybrook for interment by the side of other members of the family.

From the Hub – Painesville

The family of Hugh H. Sanford was increased by a baby girl last Sunday.

Mrs. N. B. Prescott of Dewy, New Hampshire, is here on a visit to her father.

Mrs. Will Werner has just returned from St. Joseph, Missouri, where she went about 2 years ago sick with fever.

Edward Harvey, of Kirtland, was adjudged insane by Judge Shepherd last week and ordered to be taken to Newburg Asylum.

Monday of this week, the illness of our townsman, Judge Harris, ended fatally; and Painesville mourns a citizen who was respected by all its citizens.

Our citizens were startled last night to hear of the sudden death of A. P. Axtell, of Perry, which took place about the middle of the afternoon. He died from apoplexy. He was about 68 years old, had been a citizen of the county a long time and had, also, been sheriff for two terms.

S. M. Smart has been appointed the executor of the estate of Samuel Smart, late of Willoughby.

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Old Mr. Jenkins is slowly failing.

Mrs. Capt. Spear is reported sick; also, Mrs. A. Sanborn. A. E. Sanborn is moving to his farm on Chardon Hill.

West Kirtland

Mrs. T. W. Boyce, of your village is visiting for a few days with her mother, Mrs. Minerva Smith. The sad intelligence on Thursday of last week of the terrible death of little Howard, a two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Woodruff, of Concord, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoose, of Waite Hill, by the P&Y cars, calls for the deepest sympathy from the community. The child wandered unseen from home to the tracks a few rods away.

Wickliffe

Little Howard Lloyd fell from a beam in a barn last Saturday and broke one of his limbs.

Mr. Solon Smith, of Cleveland, made a visit last week of a few days to the home of his aunt, Mrs. Barnes, Wickliffe.

During the past week, Mr. C. Fuller has been very ill; suffering at times such intense pain that morphia had to be administered. Drs. Davis, of

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Willoughby, and Scott of Cleveland, have been in attendance, and at report of yesterday he was somewhat better.

A surprise party was given last Monday evening for the 42nd birthday of Henry Graves. A large and beautiful center lamp was presented to him. A luncheon of fruit, cold chicken, cake, teas and coffee was served.

New officers of the W. C. T.U.

Pres. Mrs. Clark Stevens

Vice Pres. Mrs. W. E. Taylor

Sec. Miss Jennie M. Barnes

Treas. Mrs. Wesley Stocking

Kirtland

Mr. Milton Bond is here from Grand Rapids, Michigan, for a short time.

Mr. Wing R. Bartlett and wife from western Iowa are visiting relations in Lake and adjoining counties; among the relations are included ourselves.

Chester Clapp has harvested from 1 acre, 150 bushels ears of corn.

Joseph Plaisted, living close by the Temple of Mormon, raised on 5 rods (less that $\frac{3}{4}$ acre of land) 480 bushels of onions.

Mrs. J. D. Hilde has gone west to visit a dying sister.

Mrs. Belle Dibble, of Cleveland, has returned from Jackson, Michigan, where she has been spending the summer accompanied by her cousin, Mr. R. W. Bostwick.

p. 3 C. S. Smart left Monday for Poughkeepsie, New York, for the purpose of entering Eastman's Business college.

Lora Stockwell took the train Saturday for New York City where we learn he goes into business with his brother, E. E.

We regret to hear that Dr. Sherman, who is about to remove from Mayfield to the village, has two children quite ill with scarlet fever.

Noah Dull, who died recently at Newton Falls in his 78th year, is said to have been the first white child born in Newton Township.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Damon are spending a few days in Cleveland with their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Saunders, preparatory to leaving for Winnebago City, Minn.. They, also, went to the family of their son in East Cleveland; and on Sunday the elder occupied his son's pulpit at that place.

The little son of Mr. O. N. Barber is rapidly recovering from his sickness—scarlet fever in the mild form.

The next Disciple Church social will be at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wilber, Thursday of next week.

Mr. Lamson, wife, and daughter are now occupying the house of Mr. Geo. A. Baker on the Euclid Rd. Mr. L. had charge of the fair grounds of the Northern Ohio Association for a number of years.

On Tuesday last, the remains of Solomon Moore, and wife were disinterred and placed in the village cemetery. They were parents of Hiram Moore, Kirtland, early settlers of this township, both dying in March, 1845, on the same day, and buried in one grave on the home farm near Chagrin River.

Neither absent nor tardy during the second month of school: **A Grammar Grade**

Belle Brown, Mary Dunlap, Della Hopkins, Eva Seeley, Dora Stevens, Byron Fowles, Horace Herrick, Markie Wells, Willis Bates, Sidney Thomas, Carrie Dunlap, Bertha Ellen, Maggie Hill, Aggie Hutchinson, Fannie Hunt, Belle King, Blanche Lilley, Belle Yaxley, Frank Clark.

B Grammar Grade

Alfaretta Black, Mabel Clement, Mary Code, Julia Conner, Mildred Ferguson, Emma Gray, Aggie Hildreath, Nettie Haver, Venala Jenkins, Maggie Maloney, Myrtle Saxon, Katie Woodward, Susie Haver, Mina Cowen, George Cline, Leon Clark, Frank Hopkins, Elmer Jenkins, Paul Lyon, James Ryan, Willie Sherman, Willie Thomas, John White.

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A Primary

Ida Armstrong, Flossie Ball, Nanie Boyce, Mary Conner, Mary Castle, Jennie Davison, Anna Eddy, Blanche Ellen, Nettie Gray, Nellie Gibbons, Jessie Hunt, Ella Phillips, Lydia Saxton, Frank Crawford, Willie Kiley, Clinte Miller, Bertie Paine, Franz Bogers, John Rutland, Allan Smith, Robbie Thomas, Phillip Ward.

B Primary

Willie Armstrong, Emmet Cook, James Code, James Dunlap, Roy Lyon, Clyde Mapes, Freddie Rutland, Freddie Sprague, Lemmie Saxton, Claude Saxton, James Smart, Johnny Brown, Viola Armstrong, May Ackley, Arlena Caldwell, Bertha Craige, Flossie Ellen, Mary Fenwick, Blanch Hunt, Emma Millis, Mamie McVey, Maggie McVey, Bertha Pomeroy, Melisa Sprague, Dina Hopkins.

Mrs. Payne's birthday last Saturday was made memorable by her boarders presenting her with a handsome quilt, set of silver spoons, perfumery, &c.

Description of the working of Mr. J. W. Penfield's new Auger Tile Machine which makes 4 inch and 2 inch tiles.

From the Hub – Painesville

Captain Andrews is now at home having finished his summer's work. His vessel, the *Nellie Reddington*, one of the neatest boats on the lakes, will be laid up at Richmond.

Last Thursday the illness of Mrs. Mary Werner ended fatally, and she was taken home. She was married one year ago last June to W. C. Werner and accompanied him to St. Joe, where he was engaged in the florist business and was brought home a few weeks ago to see for the last time the faces of friends. The funeral was held at the Congregational Church.

A card of thanks is printed by the family of Mrs. M. A. Thompson for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and death of their beloved mother.

L. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Dorman
East Kirtland, Ohio

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p. 2 Kirtland

A letter from Sloan, Iowa, dated Oct. 29, conveys the sad intelligence of the death of little Ruby Coe, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Coe.

Mr. H. D. Whitley, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hathaway (nee Miss Mary Whitley) lately of West Somerville, Mass., has been stopping the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown. Mrs. Whitley and daughter left Kirtland nearly 20 years ago. On Tuesday, all left for Emporia, Kansas, their future home. Colonel H. C. Whitley, formerly connected with the United States Detective Service is now a resident of Emporia.

Mrs. M. S. McFarland is quite sick.

Mrs. C. T. Shaw spent last week with relatives and friends here.

A surprise party was given for Mrs. Geo. Metcalf on Wednesday evening last to celebrate her birthday. She was presented with a silver castor, a table scarf, and several other articles.

Mentor

Mr. J. P. Robison and wife celebrated 50 years of marriage on the evening of the 3rd instant with a few relatives and intimate friends. They had a golden marriage ceremony to repeat their vows over again. Miss Bertie Robison, of Cleveland, a niece of Dr. and Mrs. Robinson, gave several dramatic representations at the request of friends. There were several valuable presents, among them: A tall ebony easel, a handsome painting of cattle made and presented by Mrs. William Robinson, of Cleveland; a pair of beautiful bronze vases; a lovely antique silver pitcher; a handsome carriage rug, etc. After a delicious supper ordered from Weisgerber's, the guests reluctantly sought their homes or waited until the morning train should come.

Mrs. Emily Chace, of Ripley, New York is the guest of her brother, Dr. Luse.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Monroe, Sherman, New York are visiting relatives here.

Dr. Robinson's gas well has put out gas at 220'. It is expected the well will be put down another 500' or 600'.

West Kirtland

Miss L. A. Kitts visited a few days last week with her sister and niece, Mrs. S. A. and Miss A. E. Kitts, of Oberlin.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Andrew Wemple, of Collamer, visited her daughter, Mrs. Clark Stevens, last week.

Mr. W. D. Martin, the agent of the Nickel Plate here has moved his family to our neighborhood.

Mr. C. Fuller, who was mentioned last week, is better and the prospect is he will soon be convalescent.

Mr. Henry Brush was the first person in or near Wickliffe to buy upon the Nickel Plate from this station the morning of the opening.

The most painful accident happened last Thursday to Master Lee Woodard. He was lighting a fire with the aid of coal oil when the gas instantly ignited and an explosion occurred. The flame surrounded the boy, but his clothes did not catch fire. His face was badly burned, especially on the left cheek. At last reports, he was doing as well as could be expected.

The Garfield Farm in Mentor

Elder Zeb Rudolph, one of the founders of the Disciple Church, is living on the farm in Mentor. The porch which ran across the south and part of the west ends of the mansion has been extended clear across the east end this summer. The wires which ran into the little office and library building, a little to the rear and east end of the house, have been removed. Mrs. Garfield is presently living in Chicago with her children and President Garfield's mother.

Some Saturdays Mrs. Garfield and children run down to Mentor and return on Monday.

Rev. J. H. Dewart is settled in Owatonna, Minnesota.

p. 3 Mrs. and Mrs. Ed. Tryon are visiting their relatives in Warren.

A pleasant little party was given last Saturday afternoon by Miss Lizzie Cottrell.

Mr. F. F. Allen is spending a couple of weeks at his old home, Oneida Co., New York.

Mr. Harvey Taylor of Madison, New York, is here on a visit to his brother, S. B. Taylor.

Dr. Sherman has taken possession of the house he recently purchased of Mr. D. Damon.

Clarence Woodward will be in the employ of Mr. Penfield for the coming winter.

Mr. Benj. Gibbons has got his new house in Center St., adjoining his present residence, partly enclosed.

On Wednesday, Mrs. B. P. and Miss Annie Warren, of South Mentor, were guests of their aunts, Mrs. Mayhew.

Ralph St. John, of Rock Creek, has a robe made of 146 squirrel skins, for which he has refused \$20.

In the case of Myron D. Phelps, on trial at Warren for killing his son last February, a verdict of manslaughter was brought in.

The sugar cane mill at Jefferson is running 16 hours per day and there are 30 on the payroll.

On the 2nd instant, Mr. E. E. Hazen, of Ashton, Dakota, was married to Miss Ida Tiffany, at the residence of the bride's parents in Chester, Geauga Co.

Dr. Sherman buried his youngest child last Sunday having died of scarlet fever. The family has been sorely afflicted by the loss of two children within a brief period.

The *Gauga Republican* says that Jacob Hollis was 85 years of age on the 3rd instant and on that day rolled a loaded wheelbarrow from his residence to the village a distance of one mile.

Mr. Wm. Leuty, of this township, returned Saturday from Canada where he purchased 6 head of superior stock—including cattle, pigs, and sheep.

The controversy that has been pending for some time past between Dr. G. C. E. Weber and Wm. E. Pedrick, which involved the farm

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premises occupied by the former, has been decided by the Supreme Court in favor of the doctor.

Weather: 72 degrees in the shade on the north side of the house last Saturday.

Mrs. Emily Page, daughter-in-law, and grandson from Connecticut, returned home Saturday after several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page, of the Euclid Road. Mrs. W. P. Howland, of Jefferson, has, also, been visiting the family.

Mrs. S. B. Beebe has removed back to Cleveland after a residence here for 8 years. Since the marriage of her only daughter, Miss Julia Smith to Mr. Estep, of Cleveland, she deems it her duty to return to the city.

Mr. Jos. E. Stockwell is living in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mr. Thos. Boyce met with a very painful and serious accident on Wednesday morning. He was making soap in a large kettle and left it for awhile to visit his shop. On returning he found the soap at the boiling point and seizing a ladle threw some cold lye on the soap, causing a loud report and throwing the flames over him, burning his face so it is scarcely recognizable. He is attended by Dr. Davis.

Tulley Armstrong prints a notice stating that his name was used in an improper manner. They alluded to the bottle, which he says he is innocent of ever having carried.

Miss Frank Storm celebrated her 40th birthday at the residence of Mrs. E. Storm on the 8th instant. Miss S. was made the recipient of an easy chair and other articles. Willoughby.

From the Hub – Painesville

Mr. N. B. Prescott, of New Hampshire, arrived Saturday on a visit to relatives. Mr. Eastman, our townsman, has returned from Dakota where he has taken up 160 acres of land.

The Water Works has turned on the water and is now testing the hydrants.

The results of the grand hunt; A. D. Work came in with the highest score, Geo. Roddick with the lowest.

Miss Laura Bates leaves today from a week's visit to Cleveland relatives.

Wanted—a good boy to do chores. Mrs. Russel Fuller, The Ridge.

Corn never has odd rows—always 14, 16, or 20.

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p. 2 Abner C. McIlrath died last Thursday at his home in East Cleveland from the effects of dropsy.

From the *Herald*

“Uncle Ab” was one of the oldest inhabitants of this part of the county. He came here in 1817 when but 5 years old and has lived in the same locality in East Cleveland until his death—a period of sixty-five years. The deceased was married 50 years ago and had a large family. Ten children are now living and are all well known. Mr. and Mrs. McIlrath would have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary next October.

Geo. Daniels, who has been for a year past in Elyria, has returned to his home in East Kirtland.

West Kirtland

Mrs. Fred Presley has a class in music.

Miss Marg. Miller, an aunt of Solomon Presley, is visiting at the home of the latter.

John Curtis, of Kirtland, broke his leg on the 21st instant.

Geo. H. Morse returned home on the 18th after an absence of 5 weeks recreating in Iowa, Illinois, and Nebraska, having traveled some 3,500 miles. His sister, Miss Belle, will not return for some weeks.

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p. 3 Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tryon will spend the winter in Warren.

Mr. T. Newton and wife, Defiance, are visiting their relatives on the Plains.

Weather: A brilliant display of the northern lights was visible last Friday night.

Mrs. F. V. Foulk, of Ashland, is here on visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hopkins.

Mr. E. H. Merrill, of Painesville, has been spending some time with relatives in the village this week.

G. W. Cottrell, lately of Chester, has become a resident of Chardon.

Rev. Mr. Travis and family, of Waterloo, New York, have been spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. Barless.

Weather: The greatest electrical storm ever experienced manifested itself throughout the greater part of the county last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Elias, of Painesville, and daughter, Gertrude, spent a portion of this week with Mrs. Charles Powell.

Miss Minnie Fowles gives a party this afternoon for her 17th birthday.

Mrs. E. W. Bond, and her two sons, Maynard and Robbie, expect to leave here next Monday for Florida and join the remainder of the family. The canning factory of D. Cummings, of Conneaut, will put up over half a million of cans of corn, tomatoes, and pumpkins during the present year.

Mr. John Curtis, of Kirtland, had a leg broken Monday from the kick of a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford (Miss Nellie Webster) are visiting Mentor—the old home of Mrs. F.

Mrs. Hanson goes to Columbus today expecting to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. J. W. Calkins (and youngest son) of Chicago are spending a week or more with the family of their brother—Mr. N. C. Smith.

Homer Barnes, a young farmer at Brecksville, Cuyahoga Co., shot himself in his barn last Thursday; domestic trouble being the alleged cause.

A 7 year old son of Geo. Richmond, of the Plains, fell from a wagon yesterday, the wheels passing over his head and thigh. Dr. Davis thought last night the boy could not survive.

Mr. Geo. Robinson, of Mooresville, Mo., who had been visiting relatives here and in other parts of the county for several weeks, left for Troy, Ohio, on Tuesday where he will spend 2 weeks before returning home.

Mr. Calvin Wadsworth, formerly of Madison, in this county, died Saturday last at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Hamilton, 207 Clinton St., Cleveland, age 81 years and 2 months. The remains were taken to Buffalo.

We had a visit on Wednesday from Mr. Eber W. Howe, the veteran journalist of Northern Ohio. Mr. Howe was the founder of the *Cleveland Herald* and for several months delivered papers on horseback from Cleveland to Painesville, having 60 subscribers on the route. He is now in his 85th year and has been a resident of Painesville for half a century.

Mrs. T. H. Pease was the recipient of a surprise birthday party.

Mr. Bion Richard Barnes died Tuesday night in Cleveland, from typhoid pneumonia, age 20 years. The remains were brought here last evening by his brother, E. R. Barnes, who had been in attendance on him for the past two weeks. He leaves a wife who he married last July. Funeral was Thursday at 3:00 p.m. at the Disciple Church.

Obituary

Mrs. Thompson died in Kirtland, Lake Co., October 30, 1882. She was born in Richmond,

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Ontario Co. New York, in 1819 and moved with her parents to Bristol, Trumbull Co., Ohio, in 1833. She joined the M. E. Church in 1837. In 1849, she married John Thompson and moved to Nelson, Portage, Co., where her husband died in 1865, living there until 1875. Since then she has resided most of the time in Willoughby. Her remains were taken to Nelson and buried in the cemetery where rests her husband and a son.

From the Hub- Painesville

Some of the Painesville's young folks visited Miss Lula Breed, of Perry, last Friday evening. A surprise party was the occasion.

Monday afternoon the long illness of Mrs. A. P. Baldwin ended fatally.

G. L. Ensign, Principal at Chester Cross Roads, Ohio, advertises the Geauga Seminary. Very low expenses and provides board.

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p. 2 Chagrin Falls *Exponent*

Miss Belle M. Jones, of Mayfield Center, is quite ill with fever.

Mrs. Evans, widow of Jeremiah Evans, who was some years ago postmaster of this place, suffered a paralytic stroke at her home in South Willoughby, Monday, the day after her 85th birthday. At last accounts she was speechless and there was little prospect for her recovery.

The case of Obadiah Mapes, of Willoughby, vs. W. T. Upham, of this place was concluded in Cleveland Common Pleas Court with a verdict for the defendant. Mapes claimed the woolen machinery sold him in 1880 by Upham was not as represented and sued for \$1,025.

South Kirtland

Mrs. Wm. Tiffany prints a card of thanks to the neighbors who surprised her last Saturday, 25th, and cut wood and hauled it to the house.

Kirtland

Mrs. William Calloway is visiting at C. W. Callaway's.

Mrs. E. W. Davis leaves today for her home in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Palisted expect to leave for Florida in a few weeks.

Mrs. George Frank is much improved in health but has not entirely recovered.

Mr. Spencer Smith, editor of Council Bluffs *Nonpareil*, spent the Sabbath with his uncle, George Frank.

Last week, Mr. A. Damon, slipped upon a frosty board and fell injuring himself quite badly.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Town Newton and wife of Defiance are on a visit to their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. George Newton.

G. A. Dowing, of Lapeer, Michigan, but formerly of this place is visiting his mother and other friends on the Plains.

Weather: The high wind of Friday morning blew down a good deal of the corn and stalks were scattered about badly. Hay stacks will need some attention as many had their tops taken clear off.

On Wednesday last, one of the saddest accidents that ever took place in our quiet neighborhood occurred. Mr. Byron Richmond was hauling logs to Mr. Gray's sawmill, and his son George, an active little fellow of seven years, was with him, when in some way unknown to the father, he fell to the ground, the hind wheel passing over one leg near the thigh and fracturing his skull. He lived but a short time. The funeral was held at the Disciple Church.

Wickliffe

Miss Rosina Taylor is quite ill—Dr. Storm is in attendance.

The Rev. George Stocking is resting at his brother's, Wesley Stocking, for a few days.

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Mr. Joseph King is making his annual visit to relatives who live in Elyria and New London.

Mr. Ephraim Briggs spent a few days last week in Cleveland visiting daughters who live there.

New neighbors in Wickliffe are Mr. and Mrs. Martin White, late of Euclid, who have just moved there.

Lincoln Walker is the boy who now brings our mail to us from the depot. He follows Henry Graves in this work, who has been most faithful to the trust for a number of years.

Mentor

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary Monday evening of last week. It was a complete surprise to them, planned by the brothers and sisters.

West Kirtland

Miss Della Bidlake is very low with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Porter Rice starts today on a visit of a few weeks to her sister, Mrs. Frank Goodrich, of Pine Run, Michigan.

Marvin Daniels is having his barn enlarged 18 x 22 feet, with basement, requiring walls from 10 – 14 feet in depth. Porter Rice and son, John, have laid the walls which are 30" thick at the bottom and 24" at the top. Chas. Sperry is doing the wood work.

The first peach orchard set out in Waite Hill was in 1852 by the late Jesse Tryon and his son, H. G. Tryon.

p. 3 The two children of Mr. O. N. Barber are rapidly recovering.

Mrs. E. W. Bond and two youngest boys left on the Express Monday for Florida.

Miss Mary Austin, of Toledo, is here on a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barber.

Will Hughes is home again, after a summer's visit in Cleveland, Oberlin, and New London. Preparations are being made to bore for gas on the premises of Mr. Joseph Masury in this village.

Mr. R. Y. Carroll lost a colt Sunday breaking its leg in a cattle guard on the railway; it had to be shot.

Miss Julie Clement, of the Lake Erie Seminary, will spend Thanksgiving with her parents in the village.

Mrs. W. J. Hutchinson and youngest daughter leave this week for a visit to relatives in Baltimore, Maryland.

Mr. Ernest Burbank, of Toledo, and youngest son, returned home Monday after several days visit here with their relatives.

Mr. F. F. Allen returned Saturday from his visit to Oneida, New York, his old home.

Mrs. B. Hughes returned from a two month's visit to her sister in Van Buren Co, Iowa. While there she was visited by one or more of her sons residing in northern Missouri.

Mr. A. L. Wilhelm, of Cleveland, is now the station agent here of the Nickel Plate in place of Mr. Daniel Baker resigned.

The friends of Mrs. G. E. Manville presented her with a handsome set of china ware for her birthday.

Mr. Spencer Smith, of Council Bluff, Iowa, has been making a visit to his uncle in Kirtland, Mr. George Frank. It is nearly 30 years since Mr. S. went west to seek his fortune.

Mr. T. C. Brown left here Tuesday to join a party of nine others from Chagrin Falls and vicinity for California by the southern route. Mr. Brown goes in order to regain his health and expects to spend the winter in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Evans remains were deposited in the vault here and will be interred by the side of her late husband. She was 86 years old.

The neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Nate C. Smith made them a call last Saturday night on their 15th wedding anniversary.

For sale by Mrs. S. Wilson, Willoughby.

A straw cutter and a large iron kettle on arch.

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p. 2 North Mentor

Miss Edith Brooks left last week for Canada on a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Knox.

Miss Maggie Garrett is making preparations for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Geo. Mageley, who resides in Muskegon, Michigan.

Mr. Hopp, of the Headlands, who suffered the loss of his house by fire, last spring, is now building on the south side of the road.

Mr. Benj. Shattuck has been very ill the past two weeks with a complication of diseases. Adelbert Shattuck, who has been attending school in Chardon, will remain home during his father's illness.

Mrs. Jas. McAdams has been quite ill since our last, but is more comfortable; her daughter, Mrs. Hiram Brooks, has removed her household goods home to her father's house, where she will remain through the winter that she may the better care for her mother during her illness.

Painesville

Mrs. Fanny Thompson returned last evening from Rochester, New York. It is hoped she is somewhat improved in her health.

Mentor

Miss Jenny King spent Thanksgiving at home. Mrs. Will Aldrich (nee Miss Jenny Bradley) is no better.

Mrs. C. C. Viall has returned from her visit to California.

Leslie Root is "wintering" in old Virginia. Willis Root is expected home during the present month.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Adams, of Mentor, have been visiting Mrs. John Encell, the sister of Mrs. Adams.

Gen. Northrop was taken very sick Friday, and it was thought he would not live through the

night. He is now better but still unconscious and very low.

Old Mrs. Hammond is very poorly, as to health, as are several others here.

Wickliffe

Mrs. John Taylor, who has been ill a few days, is now out again.

Miss Rosina Taylor is still quite ill from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Gussie Ingersoll is home for a few days from Lake Erie Seminary.

Miss Letti Knapp, of Geneva, is visiting her cousin here, Miss Ada Ferguson.

Edward Kidward, in three days last week, had dressed at his establishment, 410 turkeys and 175 chickens.

Mentor

Mrs. A. H. Samson, of Perry, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Winslow.

About two weeks ago, twin boys took up winter quarters with Mr. and Mrs. Locker. The little strangers were made welcome.

West Kirtland

Geo. S. Metcalf is in attendance at the Normal School in Ada, Hardin, Co., Ohio.

Mrs. W. Bidlake returned home on the 2nd instant after a pleasant visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in Jefferson.

Mrs. Wallace Hitchcock, of Jackson Co., Michigan, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown, is reported very low with lung fever.

A surprise party was given Ed G. Metcalf on Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. Geo. H. Morse, on behalf of those present, presented a copy of Worcester's Unabridged Dictionary.

Our committee was both pained and shocked at the sad intelligence of the sudden death of grandfather, Jefferson Pike, last Saturday afternoon. The deceased had been slightly failing for the past year. On the day of his

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death, he gave an exclamation of pain and fell to the floor, calling to his daughter in the adjoining room. He expired in a few moments. He was 79 years old. The funeral is today at his late residence and the remains will be deposited in the vault in Willoughby.

Weather: A furious blinding snowstorm as we go to press.

Miss Gertrude Penfield is spending two or three weeks in Toledo.

Mr. Herbert King and family spent last Thursday with the relatives here.

Mr. Perry Barnes and wife have rented rooms in Miss Humphrey's house.

Mr. T. H. Burr and son, Robbie, spent several days at Fremont the past week.

Mr. E. P. Barnes and wife have taken possession of their residence on River St.

It is reported seven children have died of diphtheria in Kingsville during the fall.

Bennie Ash, of Gregg Co., Dakota, formerly of the Plains is visiting in this vicinity.

Mrs. E. French, Mr. Julius E. French and daughter, Mildred, joined Mr. J. H. Boyce's family on Thanksgiving Day with relatives in this village, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dille.

We notice that Mr. J. W. Penfield, of this place, is on the program for a paper on Preparation of Clays, before the Indiana Tile and Drainage Association, which meets at Indianapolis on the 13th instant.

The hunting party consisting of Jas. Kennedy, C. O. Sharpe, and Frank Jenkins, returned from Michigan Tuesday, after an absence of 7 weeks. Seventeen deer were brought to the ground.

Miss Julie Clement was accompanied home last week by Miss Eleanor Vance, her roommate at Lake Erie Seminary. Miss V. is the daughter of

Rev. Mr. Vance, of Dakota, but 20 or more years ago was a Congregational minister in this village.

Mr. A. G. Waite and wife enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner in Ridgeville and in Willoughby. Miss Carrie Waite who had been absent several months accompanied them home.

Mr. F. E. Presley has disposed of his market to Mr. Albert Barber, and the latter has closed his shop in Sharpe's Bldg. and taken possession of his new quarters.

News was received on Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Mahala Fenner, at Lyons in this state. She was residing at the time with her son-in-law, N. McGurer, but no particulars as to the cause of death have yet been received. The deceased was formerly a resident of Pleasant Valley, and about 64 years of age.

A club of young misses, comprising: Bertha Ellen, Ethel Ellen, Katie Woodward, Eva Seeley, Dora Stevens, Belle King, Blanche and Flossie Ellen, Gussie Clark, and Mabel Clement gave a very pleasing entertainment at the residence of the Mayor on Friday evening last. Cliff Merrill, who carried the bag, report \$5.40 as the proceeds.

Mr. A. P. Barber retired from the Office of County Commissioner on Monday after a service of six years. Mr. S. C. Carpenter, of Kirtland, as Mr. Barber's successor, commenced his duties on Monday.

Miss Sophie Sperry committed suicide by hanging in the woodshed of Mr. L. Sperry's residence in East Kirtland last Saturday afternoon. The deceased formerly resided in Willoughby. We are told she had been quite despondent and regarded as not being of sound mind for some time past.

An old man named William Farley, age 79, who has made his home with Wm. Hall for many years, attempted suicide by cutting his throat on Tuesday in the backyard. From his condition yesterday, we should not be surprised to learn of his death at any time.

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Mr. F. E. Presley had a narrow escape on Monday from serious injury. In driving sharply into the yard of Mrs. J. C. Sharp, the road being covered with ice, the wagon struck one of the stone pillars at the entrance throwing him out of the wagon and under the horses' feet. Before getting free, two wheels had grazed his face and neck, but aside from a discolored eye and a bruise he sustained no injuries.

Taking advantage of the low northwestern railroad rates, Mr. J. C. Palmer, of Eau Clair, Wisconsin, made a visit to his mother in the south part of town last week. He is now traveling for the firm of Smith Bros & Erskine, wholesale dealers in fruits and fancy groceries, St. Paul, Minnesota, and is highly pleased with his situation and duties. It is three years since his last visit here—during which time he is married and is a parent—but after this will come down at least once per year. He was accompanied to Eau Clair by his aunt, Miss Emma Evans, who will spend the winter with his family.

Chagrin Falls *Exponent* of last week Re: The youngest brother of E. P. and Perry Barnes: Bion R. Barnes, who died in Cleveland last week of typhoid pneumonia, was quite well known in this vicinity. But a few months since, he married Nellie Steele, daughter of J. C. Steele. Bion rented rooms in Cleveland and commenced housekeeping. After a few weeks, Nellie fell sick of some strange disease. She was visiting her parents' home and became worse at which time she received a letter from her husband saying he was sick and asking her to come to him. She fell into spasms and remained for hours in an unconscious state. She was not able to go to him and Bion died and was buried without a parting word or loving kiss from the young wife he loved so well. We hope that it may never again be our painful duty to record such a sad event.

From the Hub- Painesville

Mrs. S. P. Huntington and son, Harry, of Kansas, are visiting at Mr. H. Cole's. Mr. H. left here

several years ago and his old friends enjoy his return.

The funeral of Mr. Alexander Snell took place Friday—his illness was very brief. Mr. S. was an old resident of the county and highly respected.

Cleveland last week relinquished quite a number of Painesville boys for Thanksgiving among whom were Fred Corlet, Ed House, Louis Sears, and James Beardslee.

Last Saturday morning, Mr. Wm. L. Perkins, one of our citizens, was taken away. Since 1828, when he first located in our midst, he has been known as a man of much ability in his profession and of spotless integrity in all his dealings. He was an exemplary member of the Congregational Church.

p. 4 Weather: A meteorite weighing 1 lb. 11 ozs. fell in one of the streets of Lebanon, Pa., during a severe thunderstorm on September 8. As it struck the ground, it appeared like a large ball of fire.

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p. 2 Pleasant Event in South Willoughby

One of those pleasant gatherings or rather surprises occurred at the home of Mr. Samuel Brichford on Thanksgiving Day, it being the 70th birthday of Mrs. Brichford. She has reared a large family of boys and girls. After a bountiful dinner, all returned to their homes, wishing her many happy returns of the day.

The Late Alexander Snell

Alexander Snell, an old and respected citizen of the Headlands, dropped dead on Wednesday, November 29, while at the residence of his son, Frank, a few rods distant from his home where he had gone on an errand. It is thought by the family physician that his death was caused by paralysis of the heart. He had been much out of health for many years, yet much of the time he was able to attend to his accustomed duties. He was born, Oct. 30, 1810. He was married to Mary Brook, Mar. 29, 1835, who is now left to walk the rest of life's journey alone after nearly

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50 years of marriage. Of their seven children, 5 sons and 2 daughters, all but one are left to mourn his loss. His daughter, Mrs. John Citerly, formerly of the Plains, died in 1867 leaving 2 children, and son and a daughter, who have received from the grandparents all of a parent's tender care—more especially the daughter. Mr. Snell had been a resident of the Headlands for more than 40 years. He was united with the M. E. Church of this place in 1849. He was 72 years old.

Mentor

Gen. Northrup is very much better—thanks to Dr. Bixby.

Kirtland

C. E. Plaisted is home on a visit to his parents.

E. S. Bond, of Michigan, is in town for a few days.

Mr. Jos. Plaisted and wife leave for Florida this week.

We have just received the sad news of the drowning of Edward Pike, on Lake Michigan, a few weeks ago. He was formerly a Kirtland boy, but for a number of years has lived in Cleveland.

Mr. Jenkins, whose death has been daily expected, breathed his last at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Kezia Turk, Saturday, December 9. He has for many years been a resident of Willoughby Township, but for the last two years has been living here with his daughter. He leaves a wife, a son, and 4 daughters to mourn his loss. The funeral service was at the Baptist Church and the remains taken to Waite Hill for interment.

Reynolds

Miss Rose Hopkins, of Fullertown, is visiting at her uncle's, Wm. Durban.

J. P. Glazier is a happy parent—don't know whether it is a boy or a girl.

Mr. Adrian Gurney, son of Jas. Gurney, formerly of West Mentor but now of Earlville, Iowa, is visiting friends and relatives in this section.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Miller, Erie Co., Pa., has been visiting his cousin, O. Perry, the past week.

Robert Abbott, of Perry, has moved into Geo. Newton's house, intending to work the farm of the latter the coming spring.

Mrs. McEwen, mother of Mrs. Albert Hanson, is quite sick, but hopes are entertained that under the treatment of Dr. Davis she will soon recover.

New officers of the Farmers' club:

Pres. M. E. Gray; Vice Pres, Oliver Andrews; Sec. S.W. Brown

Mentor

Mr. T. G. Hart is moving into his beautiful new residence on Main St.

Mr. Adam Clark, agent for the Nickel Plate Depot at this place, will occupy the house owned by H. P. Green.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Nettie Daniels and Mr. Leslie Root, Wednesday evening, May 13th. Joy go with the happy couple to their new home in the south.

Wickliffe

Mrs. Hunt, of your village, was here last week on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Edwin Jones.

The aged Mrs. Stephen White, formerly of Euclid, has come to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Chauncey Fuller.

Mormonism

The sum of \$3,000 has been raised in Plano, Illinois, for putting the old Mormon Temple, of Kirtland, in order again. In its earlier days the interior of the structure was divided into what was termed curtain rooms; by means of immense strips of canvas hanging from huge rollers attached to the ceiling. These have been again replaced and other weather marks of time smoothed over. Sixty-five thousand shingles have been bought to restore the giant roof. Plano has announced the annual conference and reunion of their branch of the church will

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be held in the old Temple, April 6, 1883, and that over a thousand Mormons from the west will greet the struggling few who remained behind steadfast to the faith, when their brethren moved on to Illinois and Utah. The event will inaugurate the permanent reestablishment of the Mormon Church, Kirtland. All are confident that a flourishing Mormon Church minus the polygamists and heretic doctrines of the Utah church will soon be organized.

p. 3 Will Phelps is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Norman left for Akron last week to visit a sick sister.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Sam B. Taylor is much improved in health and able to leave his room.

James Farley, the old gentlemen who attempted self destruction last week at Wm. Hall's, died in a day or two afterwards.

Mrs. D. E. Merrill, of Jamestown, New York, arrived last evening and will spend a couple of weeks with her parents on Union St.

Mrs. Klein, of Youngstown, is preparing to celebrate her 101st birthday which will occur on the 15th instant.

Twelve hundred bushels of onions were raised the past season by L. L. Morris, of Perry, for which he realized 51 cents per bushel.

A pleasant family gathering was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hopkins last Saturday, being the 49th anniversary of Mr. H's birthday.

The family of our neighbor, Clark (the County Prosecutor) has this week been enlarged by the arrival of a little girl—who weighed 12 lbs.

Ornie Waite has been promoted from telegraph operator at the Nickel Plate at our depot to the Train Dispatcher's office at Conneaut.

Edward R. York died at Painesville, Sunday last, aged 27 years. He had been a sufferer from epileptic fits ever since he was 8 years old.

Frank H. Merrill arrived home Saturday night after three months' absence. He says the mercury registered 16 degrees below zero Wednesday night of last week in northern Missouri.

The *Madison Index* says that James McLalin, who recently died, was probably the oldest man in the township—91 years and 3 months. He had been a resident of the town 49 years and had been married 67 years.

Mrs. E. G. Bunnell is home again from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kingsboro, in Cleveland, who has been under the care of a physician for several weeks, having cancer in her left side, which is feared will end fatally.

At a recent state election in Nebraska, Mr. M. J. Thompson, brother of L. C. Thompson, of this place, was elected member of the state legislature from Boone Co. on the Republican ticket. Mr. T. has been a resident of Nebraska for 12 years.

A postal card from J. W. Simmons, of Unity, Wisconsin, says that on the 7th the mercury marked 16 degrees below zero and in some localities reported 20 below.

The Chester X Roads correspondent of the *Chagrin Falls Exponent*, says that the Seminary at that place has 100 students; that B. F. Tiffany has sold his farm to Seth Mapes for \$70 an acre; and that Thos. Law has disposed of his place to H. A. Herrick for the sum of \$3,000,

West Euclid St. is rapidly filling up with Cleveland people. Rev. Mr. McCarty occupies the place formerly owned by Miss Caroline Barnes; Mr. Lamson at the Geo. A. Baker place; and the last accession is Mr. L. C. Grant at the Worrallo place, recently occupied by Mr. Chas. Pelton.

New officers elected for the Willoughby Lodge, No. 302, of F. & A. M.

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J. S. Ellen, W.M.; D. B. Goodrich, S.W.; Chas. Norton, J.W.; Will Collister, Treas.; W. J. Hutchinson, Sec.; J. C. Ward, S.D.; Thos. Brichford, J. D.; A. P. Squires, Tyler.

A former resident of Mentor has lately become a citizen of our village, Mr. Michael McMahon, who holds the position of section foreman on the New York, Chicago, and St. Louis Railroad.

Death of Mrs. Hutchinson

Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of W. J. Hutchinson, died suddenly in Baltimore. A telegram was received by him to that effect. She had left here Wednesday of the week previous, in usual health, with her husband for a visit of a few weeks to relatives she had not seen for many years. When Mr. Hutchinson left from home the following Tuesday, she was not feeling well but this was attributed to the sudden change in air, water, &c. Mr. Hutchinson on receipt of bad news left for Baltimore accompanied by his eldest daughter. Besides the husband, the deceased leaves four girls—the youngest was with her at the time of her death.

From the Hub – Painesville

Painesville will soon have a telephone.

A little daughter of Wm. and Cynthia Doran died recently in Dallas, Texas. The parents were formerly of this town.

The wife of Mr. T. S. Baldwin died suddenly Monday morning. She was at church on Sunday, but had a chill in the evening. The deceased had been a resident of Painesville for many years, and was highly esteemed.

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p. 2 Kirtland

Miss Carrie Morrison started for Florida last Friday.

George Brown and wife are visiting Marcellus Brown's people.

Last Friday Josiah Rogers was summoned to Lenox to attend the funeral of his mother, who had lived to be 99 years old.

Mrs. Ira Bond quietly passed away last Sabbath evening. Mrs. Bond has been a great sufferer having been deprived of her eyesight for a number of years. She has raised 6 children—4 sons and 2 daughters who are still all living.

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Mrs. Porter Rice returned home last Friday after a pleasant visit of over two weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. Goodrich, who lives in Pine Run, Michigan.

Geo. D. Smith had six sheep buried when a straw stack fell last week. They were all taken out alive, but one has since died.

Mrs. S. A. Kitts and daughter returned home from the holidays from Oberlin on the 16th, where the latter has been in attendance at the Conservatory of Music.

John Rice had the misfortune last week to cut off a piece of the side of his forefinger on the left hand, including about 2/3 of the fingernail. It is doing well now.

Grandpa Brown feels very proud of his little 15 lb. grandson, Marcellus J., aged 10 weeks, now making him a few weeks' visit in company with his parents—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, of Seville, Ohio.

North Mentor

Mrs. Enoch Slitor, of the Headlands, met with a very serious accident on the 9th instant. Upon going out on the porch she slipped and fell across the threshold, fracturing her hipbone and two ribs, besides injuring herself internally. She was in very critical condition all last week, with but little hope of recovery.

Capt. Wm. Averill expects to change his vocation with another season—with that of sailing to fishing, on a large scale—and to this end in company with his brother, John, under

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the firm name Averill Bros., is making extensive preparations at the Richmond Dock, are now building a small tug, and expect soon to build a large fish warehouse, dimensions 24 x 40.

Mentor

Mr. and Mrs. B. Young have returned from Dakota.

Miss Emma Cleveland is teaching in Blackbrook. Mrs. Hattie Titus, of Michigan, is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. P. Curtiss.

Mrs. Will Aldrich (Jennie Bradley) died Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock. To her sorrowing husband, it is a sad bereavement.

Reynolds

J. P. Glazier's new arrival is a boy.

The young folks, of Reynolds, met at the hospitable home of Mr. Almon Gilbert on Saturday evening last to pay a farewell visit to Mr. Adrian Gurney who was to leave for his home in Iowa on that day.

In Memoriam

Jefferson Pike died Dec. 2, 1882, at his late residence near Waite Hill, of the affection of the heart, age 78 years, 2 months, 3 weeks. He was born in Hopkinton, Wooster Co., Mass., Sept 16, 1804, and was the last surviving member of a family of 11 children. On Feb. 26, 1818, he was married to Miss Henrietta Miller. They had raised a family of 9 children, of whom all but 2, a son and daughter Alva and Lydia—are living and married. They are Washington, of Kalamazoo Co., Michigan; Danford, of Steuben Co., Indiana; Dewight, of Willoughby; Mrs. Geo. Conrad and Mrs. Nelson Parker, of Michigan; Mrs. Dan Lilley, of Maple Grove, and Mrs. Dr. Robert Sales. For a period of 6 or 7 years previous to 1834, he owned and ran a ferry at Gill, Franklin Co., Mass., on the Connecticut River. In 1834, being then a young man of 30, he removed to this state, finally settling in Mayfield; purchasing a farm of 160 acres, and owning for several years the mill property known as the Leo Palmer sawmill. He was

proficient in wielding the axe and in use of the rifle. In height he was 6', well proportioned and few men cared to test his strength. His sons are likewise all large powerful men. He was a stonemason by trade and among other pieces of his work still remains the foundation walls of Gates Mills. He had been an ardent and zealous church member, first of the Methodist Church, but for a number of years the United Brethren Church. His first wife died in 1865. On June 9, 1866, he married Mrs. Rachael Hitt, who survives him. For 16 years they have lived happily together on the spot where he died. It was the request of the deceased, over a year ago, that Rev. Burdick, of Cleveland, should officiate at his funeral. At the funeral, there were present 23 members of the family. There are 26 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. David Buffington in his 86 years visited Mr. Pike about 10 a.m. on the day he died and reported him as lively and cheerful.

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p. 3 Miss Essie Lyon has been dangerously ill for several days.

Skiff Sheldon is here from the Michigan Military Academy and will remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. Dalrymple and Mrs. Maxwell, of Cleveland, were on a visit to their mother (Mrs. Dr. Davis) last week.

Mr. A. Elwell felt so much better on Monday as to visit his office in Cleveland after a confinement to the home of 3 weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Weber, of Cleveland, visited their farm near the village the first of the week, driving their span of beautiful grays.

A line from T. C. Brown, on his way to California, was received by his father recently. It was dated New Mexico, and the writer was feeling better than when he left home.

Mr. J. N. Warne, after disposing of his harness business here was not satisfied with the location selected for him at Evart, Michigan, and with Mrs. W. is now visiting relatives at Bronson in the same state.

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Raymond Penfield arrived from Middleton University on Sunday night and will spend the holiday vacation with his Willoughby friends. Geo. Clement, also, of the same institution, is "doing" Washington.

Mrs. L. B. Johns, of Fort Wayne, arrives today and will spend several weeks with her parents—Mr. and Mrs. Fowles.

Obituary

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hutchinson died in Baltimore, Maryland, Dec. 9, 1882. She was the wife of Wm. J. Hutchinson, who with 4 daughters survive her. She was married nearly 18 years and at her death was nearly 39 years old. She was born near Baltimore where her father, brother, and three sisters now live. On Nov. 30, Thanksgiving morning, accompanied by her husband and youngest daughter, 6 years old, she arrived at her sister's in Baltimore and enjoyed the family reunion and festivities, but was taken sick the following Saturday. Supposing her convalescent, Mr. Hutchinson returned to his children and business on Wednesday night. Saturday, one week after the first feeling of indisposition, the end came. The cause of death was convulsions of the heart.

Mr. Samuel Brinkerhoff, of Fremont (formerly of this place) was married last week to Miss Mary Brush, of the former place, at the residence of the bride's mother on Birchard Ave.

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Painesville

J. H. Britton has gone south.

Charles E. Russell and Fanny Avery were married on the 7th instant by Rev. Geo. R. Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Steele are home from Leadville, Colorado.

A. H. Garfield has returned to Denver accompanied by his wife and daughter.

James Jones and Clarence Hine have returned from the hunting expedition in Wisconsin.

Wm. Barnes, a former business man of this place, died last Sunday, age 81.

The mother of Mr. Augustus Hine died at his residence on Mentor Ave. Monday afternoon. The deceased was a daughter of the late Abraham Skinner, and came to Painesville in 1805. She was 94 years old.

Perry

Mr. C. Huson, an old and respected citizen, recently died very suddenly.

p. 4 Legends say Charlemagne and Frederick Barbarosa were buried in an erect or sitting posture.

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p. 2 B. S. Upham writes a letter to the paper telling of his travels in New York.

Willoughby Plains

Frank Johnson and wife, of Warren, are visiting relatives on the Plains.

E. W. Palmer is on a visit to his son, M. V., and daughter, Mrs. Scribner, in Ohio.

Painesville

The death of Mrs. Dr. Brown, occurred at 11:00 Sunday morning.

Mr. J. H. Britton has **not** gone south as reported; his son, however, is in Georgia.

A brand new baby arrived Christmas morning at Mr. Frank Moody's.

Mr. Sam'l E. Carter, widely known in past years as an extensive dairyman, is home from Dakota.

West Kirtland

Miss Ella J. Smith has so much improved in health as to be able to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. T. W. Boyce, of our village.

Clarence Gildersleeve and daughter, Lola, Jackson, Michigan, son and granddaughter of Mrs. J. Whitworth, are this week at the home of the latter.

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Miss Myra DeLong has been attending school in Canfield and has returned home for the holidays.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson received a Christmas present from some of her friends in the Disciple

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Church of an elegant silver cake basket, gold lined.

New officers of the Mentor Try Club:

F. H. Jones, Pres.; Mary Aldrich, V. P. ; Ada Delong, S.; Hal Lake, T.; Clark Hendryx, S.; Nellie Green, A. S.; Fred Hart, G. R. The club is a pleasant organization of about 21 of Mentor's nicest boys and girls.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Will Aldrich (Jennie Bradley) were conducted by Elder Hendryx, assisted by Rev. Burrington, formerly of Troy, New York, and former pastor of the family.

N. P. Glazier, Mentor, Lake Co., published a notice that he will pay a reward of \$60 to any person who will provide information that leads to the arrest and conviction of any person in Lake Co. who furnishes, gives, or sells intoxicating liquor to C. H. Glazier. Re: Sec 6943, Rev. Statues of Ohio Dec. 25, 1882

Mr. F. C. Carroll and wife are visiting a week with relatives in Buffalo, New York.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Ida Hadden and Dr. Bixby, Thursday.

Miss Julia Clement is spending the Lake Erie Seminary vacation at home with parents.

Mr. Frank Lille, of Youngstown, is spending a couple of days with his parents on Center St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Elias and daughter, of Painesville, spent Christmas day at the Powell House.

Miss Glen Penfield was a member of the Cathedral Choir at Cleveland at the recent Christmas services.

Mrs. Hattie Furber of Detroit, Michigan, arrived last Saturday on a visit of a few weeks to her mother, Mrs. Payn.

Mr. G. B. Durban and wife joined the family of Mr. Wm. Durban in Mentor at the dinner table last Monday.

Mr. Chas. Powell received his present last Saturday night in the shape of a son and heir.

Mr. Thos. Boyce who was severely burned several weeks ago is able to walk and does, but is still unfit for any kind of labor.

Mr. John Nichols and Mrs. Areta Clark, both of Painesville, were married Dec. 26, by Eld. W. A. Lillie, at his residence in Willoughby.

The faculty of Adelbert College, at Cleveland, has reinstalled the expelled junior class with three exceptions, whose names are not divulged.

Mr. D. E. Merrill, of Jamestown, New York, together with Mrs. O. E. Merrill and son, George, of Erie Pa., arrived here last Saturday on a visit to relatives.

Among the college boys who are spending the holiday vacation here are Harry Taylor, J. W. Flickenger, Omar Reeve, Rollin Werner, and Solon Lourer.

Mr. J. M. Granger was badly hurt a few days ago by a falling scaffold. He is confined to the house.

Ornie Waite came up from Conneaut Saturday to see his parents and returned Monday. He is well pleased with his new position in the office of the train dispatcher.

Mr. Geo. Baker has entered upon the farm in East Kirtland purchased by him last spring and formerly known as the Miller place. Mr. B was lately of Streetsboro, Portage, Co.

Messrs. Geo. Gibbons, of Painesville; Chas. Clark, and C. E. Malkin, of Cleveland; and C. Rockafellow, of Chester; ate roast beef and plum pudding on Monday with their parents in the village.

Mr. S. P. Merrill is spending the present week with the family of his brother-in-law, Dr. A. S. Hayden, of Columbiana, but will return in time for the teachers' examination at Painesville, Saturday, the 30th.

Little four year old Lloyd Downing, of the Plains, awoke in the middle of the night before Christmas and swung the crane out for fear Santa Claus could not get down the chimney.

The marriage of Mr. Frank H. Johnson, formerly of Willoughby, and Miss Katie Ready, of

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Warren, took place at the Park Hotel in the latter city at 11:00, Dec. 20. Afterwards, the couple took the train to Willoughby to spend the holidays with the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, of the Plains, who gave them a reception on Christmas Day by inviting a few relatives and friends. They return to Warren in a few days where they expect to remain for a time at least.

Extracts from a letter from Mr. C. C. Ackley from Taylor, Texas, are printed.

Lake Co. News

Painesville

A telephone exchange will be at once established.

The firm of Baker & Lee is dissolved, Lee retiring.

Prof. John Clague has just suffered the loss of his mother.

Frank Carter, of Casselton, Dakota, is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Carter, of the County Infirmary.

Perry

D. R. Holcomb in boring for gas and has struck oil which is said to be of good quality.

Madison

Calvin Pierce had a stroke of paralysis last week. Three children of Alfred Monroe have died of diphtheria within a little over a week.