

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

WED. W. BARRERE, City Editor.

Next Sunday is Easter.

Stock sale day next Saturday.

Major M. Buck is still seriously ill.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glenn, on March 29th, a girl.

Mrs. W. H. Gregg spent Saturday and Sunday in Cincinnati.

For best boots and shoes at lowest prices go to T. A. Walker & Co.

The Chautauque meets at the residence of Dr. J. R. Callahan Thursday night.

Will McSorley, who is attending school at Wooster, arrived home Saturday night.

Sam Keo, our celestial laundryman, has returned from his visit to his home in China.

Now is the time to change for spring overcoats. Feibel has them in large varieties.

For correct styles, in clothing, in best fabrics, at lowest prices, go to T. A. Walker & Co.

Misses Irvin and Coffman, of Washington O. H., are the guests of Mr. Charles Hayes.

The Music Hall rink closed on last Saturday evening, after a successful run of two months.

Young gentlemen will save money by buying their hats and furnishings from T. A. Walker & Co.

Col. Fred Picard, of Columbus, has been appointed Receiver of the Columbus & Eastern R. R.

Next Sunday is Easter. According to the old proverb "An early Easter makes an early spring."

Messrs. John Little and Harry Richards left yesterday morning (Tuesday) for Gibson, Nebraska.

Ladies don't fail to call and see the most beautiful children's suits ever brought to town at Feibel's.

Charles Ketchum, a student of Delaware University, is spending his vacation with his parents here.

Mr. John Glascock and Miss Mollie Leib spent Sunday in New Lexington, the guests of Mrs. H. L. Terrell.

Next Friday is Good Friday, and appropriate services will be held at the M. E. Church on that evening.

Mr. John Outley and Miss Mary Turner, both of this city, were married at the Brown House last Thursday night.

Misses Fannie McKeehan and Marie Amsen were visiting relatives in Sinking Springs the latter part of last week.

The benignant countenance of Sol. Frankel beams on his friends from behind the counter of T. A. Walker & Co.

It is surprising the large amount of latest style hats our enterprising clothier, I. A. Feibel, has brought on this spring.

The summer term of the public schools commenced last Monday. Quite a number of non-resident pupils are in attendance.

Mr. J. F. Reames was granted a certificate for two years March 7th, instead of for one, as was published in our issue of March 18th.

The Ohio Farmers' Ins. Co. is now issuing cyclone or windstorm policies at very low rates. H. D. Waddell, Agent, Hillsboro, O.

Mr. J. R. Marshall, of the Springfield Sunday News, and Mr. J. C. VanMarlingen, of the Springfield Gazette, were in this city last week.

Miss Ida D. Ayres has resigned her position at the Children's Home, Xenia, on account of ill health, and returned to her home last Saturday.

As Cleveland beat Elaine so T. A. Walker & Co. beat all competitors. As the administrative dispensance office so T. A. Walker & Co. dispense bargains.

Mrs. B. T. Hough, John Matthews, and Walter Smith, returned from the New Orleans Exposition last week, all well pleased with their trip.

Whether the "sun do more" or not, there is no question as to the movement of T. A. Walker & Co.'s new goods, low prices and fair dealing do tell.

For Sale—Fire, Lightning and Windstorm, Life and Accident policies by H. D. Waddell, General Insurance Agent, Hillsboro, O. None but first-class companies represented.

Mr. J. A. Andrews will be in this city, with headquarters at the Kramer House, next Friday and Saturday, and desires to purchase a large number of good sound horses and mares for the Eastern market.

Mr. H. D. Waddell has been appointed the special agent of the Ohio Farmers' and the Cooper Insurance Companies for this county. A policy in either of these companies is as good as a government bond in case of fire or lightning.

82,000 lbs. of the Old Reliable Buckeye Super-Phosphate now on hand, for sale and corn this spring. Call to see the undersigned before you buy. N. W. corner Main and West streets, Hillsboro, Ohio. March 24th, 1885. W. J. McSorley, President.

The Anniversary of the Highland County Bible Society will be held in the M. E. Church in Hillsboro on the evening of the last Sabbath in April. Churches throughout the county will please take their collections promptly and forward them to Harbin Roads, Treasurer. W. J. McSorley, President.

The Noblest Roman. The man who writes, and writes in verse, is seldom worth a tinker's curse. The man who plays the violin, is always better than sin. The man who thinks he knows it all, Displays a mighty slight of gall. The man who thinks himself the best, Is he whom we should all detest. Not he who pays the printer's fee, The noblest Roman in the "ole"—E. C.

Mr. J. B. King, of Tennessee, is in the city.

See what Feibel has to say about his stock and prices through this paper.

March fulfilled the old proverb "coming in like a lion and going out like a lamb."

Trunks and valises at Walker's for the whole population. Lower than the lowest.

Miss Jennie K. Harris returned to Cincinnati last Saturday, after an extended visit here.

The Waste Not Society will meet at the M. E. Church next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Oscar Lemon and children have been visiting relatives at Winchester during the past week.

The Great Western Band, of Cincinnati, will be in attendance and furnish music for Decoration Day.

Dr. D. M. Barrere, of New Carlisle, and Dr. N. B. VanWinkle, of Blanchester, are visiting relatives in New Market.

Mr. Robert Hawthorne, of Detroit, Mich., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodrow last Saturday and Sunday.

The Hillsboro Drum Corps, assisted by the Arion Quartette, will give an entertainment at the Music Hall next Tuesday night, April 7th.

Insure your property against fire and lightning in the old reliable Ohio Farmers' Insurance Company. H. D. Waddell, Agent, Hillsboro, O.

If you want to see the prettiest variety of men's, women's and children's shoes ever brought here, and at prices to suit the times, call at Feibel's.

Our regular Greenfield correspondent is visiting the New Orleans Exposition, which accounts for the non-appearance of any letter from him this week.

The young ladies of the Hillsboro Female College gave a musical entertainment at that building last Thursday night, to which quite a number of their friends were invited.

Mr. W. A. Scott, of Zanesville, who has been visiting relatives in Hillsboro and vicinity for the past two weeks, was called home last Thursday by the serious illness of his sister.

The next meeting of the H. C. T. A. will meet at New Petersburg, April 25th. On the evening of that day Mr. E. G. Smith, of this place, will lecture at the M. E. Church in said village.

Col. Picard, of Columbus, who was expected here last week on important business connected with the completion of the O. & M. R. V. was unavoidably detained, but has written that he will be here next Friday.

Col. Ike Tucker, an old Hillsboro boy, but a resident of Columbus for many years past, has accepted the position of clerk at the Kramer House, and went on duty last week. He will be cordially welcomed back by his many old friends.

At a Bargain—If application be made at once, a 90 acre farm, near Russell, Highland county, O. in good condition. Title perfect. Address through Russell's P. O., or call on the subscriber on the premises. W. N. Maxey.

Now is the time to close up the Republican ranks in old Highland. Let every Republican turn out and vote at the spring elections. A full Republican vote this spring will be a preliminary movement which will result in a sweeping victory in the fall.

A fair sized crowd assembled at the Music Hall rink on last Thursday evening to witness the big hat and apron party. Quite a number of big aprons appeared on the floor, little Blanche McCaffery being the winner of the prize. Master "Smock" Shepherd received the prize for wearing the largest hat.

The Cincinnati & Columbus Midland R. R., recently opened, is in fine condition and doing an excellent business. By taking this route our citizens can leave Hillsboro in the morning, spend several hours at the State Capital, and return home the same night. The cars and equipments are first-class in every respect, the officers attentive, and the road wide fair to become one of the most popular and successful in the State.

Notice to Assessors. Assessors of personal property, in Highland county, for 1885, will meet at the County Auditor's office in Hillsboro, on Monday, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., for consultation, and to receive supplies. Geo. W. LERREY, Auditor Highland county, O. April 1st, 1885. 21

G. A. B. Along with the rest of business transacted by the Post a committee of five, being sons of old soldiers, were appointed to organize a Post of "Sons of Veterans." Committee consisting of Will Cooper, Will Kibler, Jud Ervin, D. Q. Morrow and Chas. Mullenix.

For the purpose of paying the expenses of Memorial Day, a committee of ten was appointed to sell tickets for the concert to be held on the evening of the 30th day of May next at Music Hall. Comrades Kibler, Walker, Thornburg, O'Connell, Philbin, J. G. Cooper, Hiestand, Jas. Morrow, Redkey and H. H. Maddox, committee. The concert to be given will be the best treat of the season, and it is confidently expected that the citizens will contribute to its success by the liberal purchase of tickets, thus aiding and supporting the charitable order, while at the same time receiving the pleasure of a grand musical treat.

Scott Dragons and Drum Corps of Hillsboro were invited to attend and take part in the memorial ceremonies of the day.

LETTER FROM COLUMBUS.

Cincinnati & Columbus Midland R. R.

Special Correspondence to the News.

Columbus, O., Mar. 28, 1885.

Extra News.—Thinking you would feel some interest in hearing from the Columbus & Midland Railway, I drop you a line. This road being the through line outlet from Columbus, west of the Baltimore & Ohio, is emphatically a Columbus road, and is opening up a first-class trade from Fayette, Pickaway and Madison counties. Especially Fayette, for her corn, oats, hay and straw, our prices being fully as high as in Cincinnati, of which they are availing themselves. Quite a trade has sprung up already and will improve from year to year. I am profoundly sorry the Columbus & Mayville road fell through. I must think it would have been of vast importance to Hillsboro. Not that Columbus would offer you at present the advantages offered by Cincinnati, but one here you have the advantage of four leading lines competing for the trade of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston, and when you remember the weekly trade of the city of New York is always three times as great and often four times as great as the next twenty-two largest cities of the United States, access to her would force the conclusion that any section of the country out of line with the cold hillsboro, with her beautiful location, healthy and salubrious climate, excellent schools, if more accessible, would be a grand place to spend the heated term, and would be generally, throughout the State, as she is at home, known as the Model City. Truly yours, JOHN DILLI.

In Memoriam.

MR. THOMAS MORROW.

The subject of this sketch was born in New Market January 13, 1810, and died at his late residence near Danville, March 19th, 1885, aged 75 years and 2 months. He was of Scotch-Irish descent, his ancestors having emigrated from near Belfast, Ireland. His father was one of the first settlers of this county, was prominent in its early organization and history, and reared a large family of children, of which only two members now remain, Mr. James B. Morrow and Mrs. Eliza Barrere, of New Market.

About the year 1830 he was married to Eliza Parry, who still survives him, and to them five children were born, Mrs. Jennie Carter, Leas Summit, Mo.; Robert Morrow, Mattison, Ill.; James Morrow, Chillicothe, O.; Mrs. E. S. Jones, Cynthia, O., and Lewis Morrow, all of whom are living except the last, who died in Hillsboro September, 1884.

About the time of his marriage he settled on a farm near New Market, where he remained until he became the proprietor of the Morrow House in Bainbridge, Ohio, in which capacity he remained for several years, then returned to his farm, and a few years since moved to his residence at the time of death.

As a landlord he will doubtless be remembered by many who had occasion to be his guests, and who always found that ready welcome that characterized his reception of friends at all times and under all circumstances.

While in New Market township, he for many years served as township trustee and in other positions, all of which were filled by him creditably and to the satisfaction of his constituents.

During the existence of the Whig party he advocated its principles, and when that party ceased to exist, he became a Republican. He strictly adhered to his political views and at the same time with proper courtesy gave due consideration to the claims of those that opposed him.

He was a successful business man and accumulated considerable property, a great portion of which was lost, by no fault of his, but on account of his ever readiness to help others, even when the sacrifice was great to himself and when no obligation demanded it, except the promptings of an open heart when others were in need of aid.

Several years ago he united with the Presbyterian Church, and remained a consistent member the remainder of his life. His religion was that of works, and although not formal was always sincere, believing that true religion consisted in the proper treatment of man by man.

There was nothing in the course of the deceased that indicated he had lived an extraordinary or eventful life, but his many noble and many qualities of mind and heart, his sterling integrity of character and his liberal business spirit commended him to all with whom through life he dealt. He was the very soul of honor, and always operated like a bond. Always cheerful, jovial, energetic and business like in his habits he made friends everywhere. His memory was remarkably retentive and he could instantly recognize persons that he had not met for many years. He was intelligent in his conversation and delighted in keeping himself well informed in the different topics of the day.

His generous disposition was very marked and his liberal hand frequently gave to the deserving, and none such ever appeared to him in vain. He sleeps the sleep of the just in the silent tomb where enduring love weeps over him, "while the soft radiance of his rare virtues yet linger like twilight hues when the bright sun is set," and the friends and places that were so dear to him will know him no more forever.

Unhindered through life, lamented in thy end.

Dodson Township Republicans.

Notwithstanding the large Democratic majority in the township the tried and faithful Republicans of Dodson are true blue, as was shown by the manner in which they turned out at their primary election last Saturday. It has not been customary heretofore to draw the party lines in township elections, but it was soon made manifest that the large majority of the convention were opposed to any fusion with the Democrats and in favor of nominating a straight Republican ticket and giving it every Republican vote. The nominations made are first-class in every respect, and their superiority to their Democratic opponents is generally admitted. There is considerable dissatisfaction among the members of that party in Lynchburg and vicinity, and it would not be surprising if some of the Republican candidates pull through, in spite of the odds against them.

Republican Township Convention.

The Republican Township Convention held last Saturday afternoon at the Court House, was more largely attended than usual, and a general determination was expressed by all present to rally on the party line at the spring election, close up the ranks and get ready for a sweeping Republican victory next fall.

A strong ticket was nominated, composed of men well qualified for their respective offices, and now let every Republican in the township come to the polls next Monday, "work for the ticket, the whole ticket, and nothing but the ticket," and put it through without a scratch, and the result will be an old fashioned Republican majority that will make the Democrats open their eyes.

The nominations were made by the primary system, the polls being kept open from 2 1/2 to 4 o'clock, and a majority of all the votes cast being required.

The present popular Clerk and Treasurer were renominated by acclamation.

The whole ticket is as follows: Trustees—Lewis Ambrose, H. S. Foraker, Richard Croson.

Clerk—N. H. Ayres.

Treasurer—J. M. Hiestand.

Justice of the Peace—Wm. M. Meek.

Constables—Ezra Stevenson, D. Leadbetter.

Assessors—Jas. W. Newell, N. P. W. A. Morrow, S. P.

Republican Corporation and School Board Convention.

The Republicans of Hillsboro Corporation and School District turned out well at the primary election Monday night and nominated a first-class ticket as follows: Council—J. H. Mullenix, E. Carson, C. A. Thornburg.

School Board—T. A. Walker, D. P. Scott.

The importance of electing good and judicious men to Council this spring, will be recognized by every citizen and tax payer, as the city contract with the Gas Company will expire next fall, and Council will have to decide the question of making a new contract or purchasing the gas works of which they have the option under the existing contract.

Mr. Cotton Mather, who has been a very efficient member of the present Council, would no doubt have been renominated had he not positively declined, but Mr. C. A. Thornburg, who was nominated in his place, will also make an excellent Councilman.

For School Board no better men could have been selected than the nominees.

Let the Republicans see to it that the whole ticket is elected by a rousing majority.

Fairfield Township Convention.

The Republicans of Fairfield township assembled in convention on Saturday last. The ticket placed before the people is as follows: Trustees—Elias Adams, T. E. Ladd, Moses Cox.

Treasurer—Elias Johnson.

Clerk—John K. Ladd.

Assessor—Calvin Andrews.

Constable—Joseph Hoskins.

The ticket needs no comment. It is exceptional. It is gratifying to the good Republicans that our township is awakening to a sense of its situation. Hereafter no Democrat will be voted into our county offices by the Republicans of Fairfield. The attendance at the convention by far exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine. One hundred and forty voters were present. In harmony the convention was at its best.

The convention again selected John B. Horst for Member of County Central Committee for the ensuing year. LeRoy Kelly presided over the meeting, while W. McKinney recorded its doings.

REPUBLICAN.

Concord Township Republican Ticket.

Trustees—G. N. Alexander, John Hetherington, Milo Lewis, Sen.

Clerk—Frank Tenor.

Treasurer—E. O. Hetherington.

Assessor—Ella Lewis.

Constables—Charlie Delaplane, Nelson Walker.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincerest thanks to all who so kindly aided us in our recent affliction and watched with tender care beside our loved ones. We are grateful to all who called to see and cheer him whom death has taken away, and trust Heaven will reward their kindness.

ZACHARIAH CHANEY AND FAMILY.

Try Langdon's City Butter Crackers.

CORRESPONDENCE.

BELFAST.

March 28th, 1885.

E. W. Tannhill has a new organ. The cold weather is keeping the farmers back very late with their spring work.

The M. E. P. are very busy in their efforts to build the race to a Defeat.

Miss Jennie Gall is sinking slowly, and her father, John Gall, is quite poorly.

Ask Joe Kelly the cause of the cold snap last week. He will say it was because he is Pa. It is a boy.

Jeremiah Trout died at his residence near Fairfield, with paralysis, on the 20th and was buried at the Fairfield Cemetery.

We made mention some time ago of C. A. Buckett leaving the school here. We were wrongly informed. W. H. Mullenix has it.

Rev. E. L. Knox held his last protracted meeting on this circuit a short time ago, taking in all over one hundred and sixty members.

The Presbyterians organized their Sunday School last Sunday. D. B. Thompson was elected Sup't; J. H. Berryman, Sec.; and W. B. Cashray, Treas.

Rev. E. L. Knox is now a resident of our town, and was called to officiate at the funeral of Miss July Murphy.

Uncle Robert Campbell quietly passed away March 27th, 1885. He was over 80 years of age. He has been afflicted for years, and during this winter has been confined to the house. He was born Sept. 2, 1804, and has been a consistent member of the M. E. Church. His funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. L. Knox. He leaves three children and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss. He was interred in the Pleasant Cemetery Tuesday.

SINKING SPRINGS.

March 30th, 1885.

Winter still holds the fort.

Wheat, corn and provender wanting and scarce.

Harry Williams has sold interest in store to

remaining partners, O. C. W. and Rhod Estlin.

What to do on our soil, as nearly to be visible.

Jim Hester and family have removed from Rev. J. Oster's farm to southern Kansas.

The social and supper provided over by Mrs. F. M. (27th inst) was a quiet pleasant affair.

We side with "Hestia," and believe that home fertilizers should be used in place of the expensive foreign phosphates.

Protracted meeting commenced here about the 15th inst. and will continue for some time, but without special manifestations.

The close of our school was signalled by an entertainment, and so far as heard, the teachers, Misses F. and H. have given general satisfaction.

A home for the crippled pensioner, John McSorley, has been purchased of J. W. Crum, who has been the like East property just west of our village.

J. T. Yankie and bride have returned from their extended visit to the New Orleans Exposition and Florida and will now (as we suppose) settle down to home realities.

Visitors—Two misses from your "Model," who seemed sweetly to enjoy S. S. Society. J. F. Morrow and wife, from near Dublin, who visited Mrs. Elvira, Elizabeth and Nan E.

NEW MARKET.

March 26th, 1885.

Meeting at the O. U. Church Sabbath night last.

The school at this place closed last Wednesday.

Farmers have been busy at their spring work the week and otherwise breaking the wagon.

J. M. McKinney will close his school on Wednesday of this week.

The Democratic Convention passed off Saturday, with a jar as usual.

Deaths—Mr. and Mrs. James Swissham, twins, one of each, died Saturday.

The larger portions of potatoes were frozen in this neighborhood the past winter.

Old pensioners inform us that they have no recollection of as severe winter as this month has been.

No preaching at the Baptist Church last Sunday, as Rev. J. H. Hollingsworth is absent, seeking a location elsewhere.

SICILY.

March 27th, 1885.

Farmers are improving the time this beautiful weather.

Meeting at Toll's school house the fourth Sunday in April.

Mrs. Susie and Mary J. Matthews were visiting John Miller's Friday.

C. A. Teddlord has gone to Valparaiso, Ind., to attend school this summer.

Mr. Thompson, of Sardinia, was summoned to Milton Higgins' on Friday.

Miss Maggie Heaman, of Hollowtown, is visiting her brother, A. B. Heama.

J. C. Cumberland and mother paid a flying visit to Hillsboro on Saturday.

Mrs. Hannah Irvin, of Crossown, O., is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

J. C. Cumberland has built a blacksmith shop on the farm and will soon be ready for business.

J. F. Cumberland was seen in our midst this week. He contemplates going to California this summer.

W. D. Higgins has been ill the past winter, but has so far recovered as to be able to walk around the premises.

Doc Tracy attended the debate at Strasburg Saturday night. Whether what the attraction is that takes Doc so far from home.

The Sicily Sabbath School will be reorganized the first Sunday in April. All who are interested in the good work come out at the usual hour.

HARWOOD.

March 28th, 1885.

Fence building is the order of the day.

Mr. Sanlers will erect a new barn shortly.

We have two saw mills in our neighborhood.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhoads, a son.

Rev. A. D. Maddox preached here Saturday night.

The farmers report their potatoes badly frozen.

During the nice weather last week, some of the farmers went to the Hopkins farm.

Mr. Martin Burger moved his mill on the farm of C. P. Sanders sometime past.

Mrs. Ellen Cochran, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. P. O. Polue has bought out the rest of the tract of the Willoughby farm.

Mr. Eli Shadrif, of Clermont county, called on some of his old neighbors the past week.

Mr. John Chaney, of this neighborhood, was visiting relatives at Martinsville the past week.

Mr. J. H. Duval has completed his new dwelling, and placed a new wire fence around it.

Rev. G. O. Hill and lady were here over Sunday. Rev. Hill preached two