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SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS

Social Circle

Wednesday afternoon the Social Circle will meet with Mrs. Henry Kessler.

Saturday Club

Miss Lou Bowen will receive the Saturday Club, next Saturday afternoon.

Twice Five

The Twice Five Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. John White, Monday night next.

Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blasius have issued appropriate cards for their tenth wedding anniversary next Monday night.

Sewing Circle

Mrs. Hal Murphy will entertain the Sewing Circle, Friday evening with a six o'clock dinner at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Steinman.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. held their regular meeting Friday afternoon, April 16th, with Miss Sarah Emery, a very interesting meeting was held. Next meeting with Mrs. Hone, April 30.

Jolly Dozen

Mrs. Lash Miller was hostess for the Jolly Dozen Club, Monday night. Mrs. Will Deishley was the winner of the Club prize, a china plate and Miss Freda Armstrong secured the visitors favor, a china olive dish. Mrs. Miller served an elegant three course supper. Miss Freda Armstrong was a guest.

Davis-Steele

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Steele, near South Bloomingville, in the presence of the immediate families and a few friends. The contracting parties were Mr. Charles Davis and Miss Etta Steele. At the noon hour they were escorted into the presence of Rev. Graham and the assemblage, and words were said that made them companions for life. The bride and groom after congratulations were then escorted to the dining room where, surrounded by their friends, they were seated to a most sumptuous banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Steele will make their future home near Cedar Falls. Those who attended the wedding from Logan were Messrs. Mack, Joe and Lloyd Mount, cousins of the bride.

Euterpean Club

The Euterpean Club held a very interesting and enjoyable meeting Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bowen on Market street. The following program was rendered and listened to with much pleasure by the club and guests who were: The Misses Mary Blasius, Precious Corroll, Mary McCray, Mable Nader, Minnie Moore, Cassie Hone, Eva Wright, Sarah Moore, Margaret Saumenig, Margaret Stiers, Florence Chadwick, Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. A. W. Mauk, Mrs. Vail, Mr. Irving Hess, Mr. Karl Hartman and Mr. Christofferson.

Invitation to Waltz..... Von Weber
Miss Nellie McManigal Miss Cornelia Vail
Miss Florence Bright Mrs. C. E. Bowen
My Dearest Dear..... Carrie Jacobs Bond
Miss Ruth Houcke
Gipsy Chorus..... Schumann

Astoria..... Trotter
Write to Me Often Dear..... Carrie Jacobs Bond
Mrs. Lawrence Yerges..... Liszt
Sketch..... Mrs. W. N. Payne
Consolation No. 5..... Liszt
(Miss Nellie Allen)
Thou'rt Like a Gentle Flow'ring..... Liszt
Mrs. W. N. Payne
Nocturne in F sharp..... Chopin
Miss Nellie McManigal
The Shallows..... Cowen
Miss Clara Guttm
Sketch..... Wagner
Miss Plezka Mauk
Pilgrim's Chorus (from Tannhauser)
Miss Nellie McManigal
Miss Cornelia Vail
Eisa's Dream (from Lohengrin)..... Wagner
Miss Emma Hartmann
March from Tannhauser..... Wagner
Miss Florence Bright Mrs. C. S. Ackers
Polonaise..... Tchaikowsky
Quartet.

Light refreshments were served.

W. H. M. S.

The W. H. M. S. will hold their regular meeting with Mrs. Pearl Smith, Tuesday, April 27 at 2 p. m. This will be the annual mite box opening. Bring your mite box. The District Convention will be held in Logan, May 20.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Whist Club

The Ladies and Gents Whist Club met Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Strentz at their cozy new home on Glenview Heights. The usual spirited contest engaged in by this club was on, and after the smoke of battle was cleared away it was found that Dr. A. K. Smith had won the gent's prize, a pair of silk hose and the ladies prize went to his wife, a piece of fancy work. A fine two course lunch was served. Miss Bird White was a guest.

"The Merry Widow" Train.

The following persons went to Columbus Wednesday, presumably to see the play at the Great Southern, "Merry Widow." Morning train—Messrs. Lucius Wright, John Huston, W. A. Henderson, Tide Huston, Scott Braddock, Charles Breen, Mrs. Phil Rochester, Mrs. George Gladman, Mrs. E. E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rorer, and Chase Wonn. On the 1 p. m. train from Logan were the following: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strentz, Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Smith, Mr. A. E. Huls and boys, Mr. Robt Gompf, Mr. John Collins, Mr. Karl Mickle, Mr. Jake Cupp, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White and Miss Bertha Gano, Mrs. Cora Brown, Miss Mary Stedem, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Allen, Mr. Fred Ambrose and Miss Lillian Wright, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ambrose, Mr. John Ucker, Miss Elizabeth Rempel, Mr. and Mrs. John McBroom, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rose, Mrs. Frank Rose, Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop, Messrs. Will Ryan, Harry Lutz and W. F. Correll, Harley Huggins, Ed Myers, Lon Nail, Fred Koppe, Nick Eberst, Mr. and Mrs. John Lohr, Mrs. O. W. H. Wright and daughter Mary Josephine, Charles Krieg, Karl Judy, Jerry Hammond, Dr. J. S. Cherrington, Dr. E. E. Campbell, Carl Brandt, Evening train, Charles Beck and Miss Emma Lecrone, Misses Jessie McManigal, Bird White, Lucile Allen, Mr. George Shorr, Misses Sophia Smith, Mary Smith, Messrs. Chas. Kennard, Charles Stedem, Mr. Chas. Lappen and Miss Freda Armstrong, Mr. Frank Primmer, Mr. and Mrs. John F. White, Mrs. Lash Miller, Mr. John Palmer, Mr. John Acker, Mrs. R. D. McManigal, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price and Mr. Edwin Price, Messrs. Fred Warner, Earl Goodwin and George Schwenke, Mr. and Mrs. John McBride and Miss Kate McBride, Mr. Lewis Delp, Mrs. Arthur Hall.

A Helping Hand.

In building a new house, everybody likes to have things look new. Why not have a roof that looks new at all times and that will last forever, put on your house. A No. 1 Genuine Black Bangor Slate are the best and always look new. There is no fade to them. They are black and they stay black year in and year out. Get our prices on these slate. We have the best line of Tin Spouting and Galvanized Iron Roofing, Gutters and Spouting.

We are the sole agents for the Honkle Automatic Water Shifter. This filters the water before going into the cistern.

Painting and repairing old roofs we make a specialty of.

Steel Ceilings—we have a number of good designs.

Our Warm Air Furnaces have no superior. They have the modern and correct ideas of heating homes. They are great fuel savers and are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.

Call and get our prices for heating and roofing your house. All work guaranteed by LOGAN ROOFING WORKS.

COMMON PLEAS COURT

John Cavinee was brought into court Thursday morning of last week, being indicted for burglary, alleged to have robbed the East store in South Perry in this county. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty and his bond was fixed at \$500 which he has failed to give.

In the case of Charles Barthlow vs The Logan Clay Product Co. that was being tried as we went to press on Thursday of last week, resulted in the jury finding a verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$545.23 and interest.

The following are the jurors that are trying the cases in this term of court: Carl Karshner, Solomon Kline, Chas. Wright, Benj. Bess, David Karshner, Jerome Sanford, T. B. Pritchard, Austin Donaldson, Noah Spencer, Peter Kraft, David Martin, George W. Tucker, Herbert Trimmer, Charles Fickel, Chas. E. Hamblin, Isaac High, Henry Todd and George Stevens.

In the case of Dowler vs Hamilton for wages, the jury on Saturday brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant. The plaintiff did not recover the wages that he alleged were due him.

On Saturday John McLaughlin, who has been indicted for selling liquor in local option territory, withdrew his plea not guilty and entered a plea of guilty and the court imposed a fine on him of \$150.00 and the costs of prosecution. The fine and costs were paid.

On Saturday, Mr. H. W. West was arraigned for writing checks on banks and the money not being on deposit to cover the amount. He entered a plea of not guilty, gave bond and the trial was set down for the 20th of May.

Also, on Saturday the arraignment of Frank Wyeuff for carrying concealed weapons, was had and the defendant entered a plea of guilty, and the court sentenced him to pay a fine of \$10 and to remain 10 days in jail, and until the fine and costs are paid. Judge Martin is trying to break up this business of every boy carrying a "gun" every time he goes to spelling school or a church. A few jail sentences will help a little. A work house sentence would do more good.

The cases of the Farmer's Co-Operative Hardware Co. vs Rudolph Rempel were set down for court on Saturday night, and so reported to the court on Monday morning and he dismissed the cases off the docket, the plaintiff assuring that the costs would be paid.

Receiver Dannison of the business of Davey & Burden, horse dealers, made his report Monday, and debts were ordered paid and distribution ordered and receiver discharged.

The case of Chris Holl vs The Logan Brick Mfg. Co. was heard this week, resulting in a verdict for Holl in the sum of \$707.09.

The case of Dr. Campbell vs Collison was set down for hearing on Tuesday, but owing to the Holl case taking longer than was expected, the Campbell-Collison case was postponed to Friday of this week.

On Tuesday afternoon the Sheriff brought into court Guy Collins, who has three indictments against him from the last Grand Jury for selling liquor in local option territory. The affidavits recited that he had sold to Noah Cook, Scott Geslin, Walter Sater and James Gallagher at different times, and there are several counts against him under each indictment. The indictments were read to the defendant and he entered a plea of not guilty in each case, and the court placed him under bond of \$250.00 in each case. The bond was not given and Collins was taken back to jail to await trial for the selling to Noah Cook.

The trial is set for May 7.
White vs Clark, for false warrant on honor, was tried Wednesday, the jury reporting this morning too late for this issue of our paper.

RE-ASSIGNMENTS.

A. R. McBroom vs James Hansen, May 6.
W. T. Stevens vs N. Plank, April 29.

Edward Hockman vs Charles Aucock, April 30.

Flora Farrell vs Earl Shackart, April 29.

George Hempy vs Elmer Murphy, April 22.

Isaac Eberly Co. vs George Brooker, April 26.

Chas Boyer vs Simm Boldozer, April 27.

J. C. Huls vs G. W. Shuck, May 6.

J. W. Schall vs Board of Education of Washington Tp., May 5.

State of Ohio vs Stanley Poling, burglary, May 3.

State vs Charles Chamberlain, assault, April 26.

State vs Shriner: Ricketts and Wright appointed to defend, Judge Wright to assist state, case set for May 17.

State vs Lizzie Hart, petit larceny, April 28.

State vs Ed Leonard, for today.

State vs Bank Bay, assault, fine \$10.00 and costs.

State vs John Cavinee, for burglary, May 12.

State vs C. F. Justice, larceny, May 12.

Marathon.

The one big event of the entire year will take place in Logan on Saturday, May 1st., the much talked of, the much advertised Marathon event. Chas. Rose's Sons & Co., the leading and enterprising clothiers, have decided to put on a Marathon on the above day and date, and to the prize winners some beautiful gifts will be given.

1st. prize \$15.00 Suit of Clothes.
2nd. prize \$5.00 Suit Case.
3rd. prize \$3.00 Umbrella.
4th. prize \$2.00 Suit of Underclothes.
5th. prize \$2.00 Hat.

The contesting parties will meet at Rose's Clothing Store at 3:30 P. M. and from there they will be taken in an automobile to Haydenville where the starters will send them on their way and to the winners the prizes will be awarded. No one barred and no entrance fee charged.

The official Starters will be J. B. Dollison and F. M. McKay; Timekeeper, John F. White; Referee, Nick Shorr; Judges, O. W. H. Wright and Lon Nail. Distance to travel six and one-half miles. Remember the day and date. It will pay you to come miles to see the one big event of the year. Many wagers are being made as to the time it will take the runners.

CHAS. ROSE'S SONS & CO.

Real Estate for Sale
25 farms and 25 town properties; 160 acres with good buildings, 5 1/2 miles out of Logan, for \$4,000.

120 acres near Logan, good buildings, good soil farm so cheap; come and see.

75 acres that is a dandy worth seeing.
245 acres I know you will want.
326, 92, 103, 61, 60, 46, 20, 30, 70, 40, 96, 80, 130, 160 acres.

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OIL AND GAS TALK

It is indeed pleasing to note that the drilling of oil wells is coming closer to Logan every week, and now there is a well located almost in town. There is coming a time when the town lots on the plat of Logan will be under lease, and wells going down all over town, and the smell of gas and oil so rank the people will move out to the hill tops to get a good breath of air. Remember what we say, for we are peering into the future, and believe every word we are saying. The state geologist says the oil field extends from Logan to Mt. Vernon; true is his statement, but the development of gas and oil in Vinton county south of us, is proof the belt of the rich grease does not stop with Logan, but extends on southward. The lands lying south of Logan will be those of value when the field is developed as well as those lying north and the center of the oil field will be this very town, Logan.

The prices of stocks are not jumping and skipping about so much now as they were in the past month, but have settled down to the condition that is most wholesome and the best for all concerned. The local companies have good holdings and are proud of their rating among the most expectant. There are going to be some successful developments in this vicinity during this summer, and the result is being foreseen by many who have investigated the geology of all of this territory, and you do not see them letting go of much of their stocks.

The books of the Hocking Gas and Oil company closed Saturday, April 17th at 7 p. m. as advertised in the DEMOCRAT-SENTINEL. We are informed that this issue of stock for the three additional wells was mainly taken in blocks of \$300 worth—about 30 blocks of this amount being subscribed—mostly by home people.

The tools for drilling of the joint well of the Crockett's Run, Hocking and Acres companies were being hauled out yesterday. This "joint" well is directly south of the "Geneva Producer" and west of the Carter.

Stock of the Hocking Gas and Oil company is now quoted at \$27.50 and \$30.

Contract will be let at once for the drilling of well No. 2 of the Hocking Gas and Oil company, located on Phillip's farm in section 25 of Green township.

The Athens Oil, Gas & Development company struck the sand in its first well on the old Walsh farm, southwest of Athens, Wednesday night. A fine showing of oil was secured.

Although the drill penetrated but a short distance in the sand, two barrels of oil were removed Wednesday night and there are several hundred feet of oil in the hole.

The Keystone Oil & Gas company of Corning was incorporated Monday with a capital stock of \$200,000 by Harry Lamb, M. J. Kennedy, William Chadwick, Edward Kennedy and Ada Laird.

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main running to Columbus and today the gas from the well, which is the largest ever drilled in by the local company, will be turned into the main. A test of the well showed that it is in excess of 8,000,000 cubic feet daily capacity. The company also will drill some wells at once in the Utica field developed by the big well in addition to the wells which will be drilled at once in the Basil-Baltimore district.

The oil companies are now rushing to the new field near Radcliffe Station. The Wellston Oil & Gas company, with a capital stock of \$100,000, has just been organized to develop the territory. The officers of the company are Jerry Morrow, president; L. C. Voigt, vice president; John E. Sylvester, A. A. Dowd, of Wellston, and F. M. Acton, of McArthur, are also directors of the new company.

The old Bremen company drilled in a 75 barrel well on the Griggs farm Wednesday.

Senator M. E. Rathburn, of Rutland, W. W. Brown and E. A. Doty, of Columbus, attended a meeting of the Overland directors in this city Wednesday.

The Kochensperger Co.'s well on the Patton farm near New Lexington is expected in Saturday.

The Athens Oil, Gas and Development company struck oil on the Welch farm Wednesday night at a depth of 1165 feet. The well will be shot Monday and it is believed it will make ten barrels. The stock of the various companies owning leases in this county are selling rapidly as a result of this well.

Our Gibsonville Correspondent says: The drillers of the Columbus Co. are making good progress with the well on the Ogle farm. "The drillers of the Logan Co. were forced to lay off," for a few days last week because of a "fishy job." When the Hillsboro sand was struck on the W. B. Zigler well No. 2, the gas threw oil and water forty feet over the top of the derrick. Barrels of oil was thrown out but as these wells are being drilled by gas companies, no attention is paid to oil. In each of the three wells above mentioned they are drilling at a depth of about 2000 feet.

The Gore Oil and Gas Co. have located a well on the William Lehman place near the R. R. "Y" and the tools and rigging are on the ground and drilling will begin in a few days.

Companies continue to spring up daily to operate in the newly developed gas and oil belt in Fairfield, Perry and adjoining counties and as all these incorporate the state is realizing a nice profit from the business. Each company must pay a fee of one-tenth of one percent of the capital stock for a charter and as a large number incorporate for not less than \$50,000 it can be seen that the state is deriving a snug income from this source. There are several hundred thousand dollars of Columbus capital invested in these companies and some of the local persons interested have made lucky strikes in the field.

Nearly every Saturday afternoon when the office of the secretary of state is supposed to be closed representatives of a new company will come in and plead for a charter.

Federation of Women's Clubs
Mrs. D. J. Evans of Athens, vice president and Mrs. W. M. Sharp of Columbus, secretary of the south-eastern district of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, are sending out post cards announcing the meeting of federated clubs of this district May 21, at Logan. Every member of a federated club will be recognized as a delegate. Miss Annie Laws of Cincinnati, state president will be present.

Trinity Lutheran.
There will be services at the Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday evening, commencing at 7 o'clock, standard time. The undersigned will preach his inaugural sermon.

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE
Your money has been earning from 6% to 4%. Why not invest in it City real estate, the safest of all investment, where you are guaranteed 8% and a share in the profits. For the particulars see, JAS. F. WALKER, Logan, O. Office in the James Bldg.

INBODEN LANDS CONTRACT

Saturday of last week, as announced in another column of this paper, the commissioners of Hocking county opened the bids for the building of the Falls Mill bridge, the bids being on steel bridge and also concrete arch. There were 20 bids in and read and their figures and the names of the bidders are in another column of this paper.

On Wednesday of this week the board of commissioners and the consulting engineer got together and found the bid of our own John C. Inboden was the lowest and the best bid, figuring up to \$9065 00 concrete arch complete and the commissioners awarded him the contract and he is now looking for bond and will begin the work as soon as the arrangements can be made. We have but the kindest of feeling for the other contractors that bid on the bridge proposed, but we are always loyal to our own county product and J. C. Inboden is one of our sturdy sons from the hills of old Goodhope township in this county. The contractor is of us and the money will stay at home and be spent on home labor. We congratulate John on the successful competition and the commissioners on securing so competent a man for the work right here in our own county. Now let the work on the bridge begin and lets have the long needed improvement as soon as possible.

Sidney A. Hibbard, Dead.
We are sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Sidney A. Hubbard, grand mother of Mrs. Mabel McCray, at Columbus, Monday. The interment was had in Hibbardville on Wednesday. Mrs. Hibbard lived many years in Logan, and was beloved by all who knew her. For a number of years she was sales lady in the Stiers Co. store here and was one of the best and most popular clerks in our town. She kept up her home and raised her grand daughter Miss Mable Hoyt, who was a grand musician and a general favorite in Logan. Miss Mabel later married one of our excellent young men, Mr. Clarence McCray, and they have lived in Columbus for some years. It came to pass that in a measure the grand child could return the kindnesses of the grand parent, for Mrs. Hibbard has been sick a long time and died at the home of her grand daughter Mrs. McCray. Mrs. Hibbard was indeed a good woman and many are the regrets that are expressed in Logan that the ravages of disease should have taken her away, and our people send to Mrs. McCray the deep sympathy of this community.

Union School Closing.
On Friday of last week the Union School closed amid some very pleasing exercises that were joy to all and deserving of much credit to the successful and highly esteemed teacher, Charles Blacksten. Besides the fellowship and good cheer and pleasing program, there was served at noon one of the most sumptuous dinners that was ever spread before an assemblage. In the afternoon the crowd present made up two base ball teams and the contest that followed was a joy to all present. Mr. Lloyd Mounts and Mr. Clyde Chidester and Mr. Sherman Whaler, all of Logan, were in attendance, and Mr. Mounts had his camera with him and took pictures of the crowd in several positions. The day was spent in joy and happiness, and all wished the teacher to return and congratulated him on the excellent school he taught.