

SHUKI LOCALS

Miss Sarah Krumm returned this morning from Mt. Vernon, where she has been the guest of friends for a few days.—Mansfield News.

Friends here have received word that Mr. Claude W. Hubbell of Columbus who was so badly injured is improving and his recovery is looked for unless complications develop.

Miss Grace Donnelly, a nurse at the Mt. Vernon hospital, went to Mt. Liberty Tuesday afternoon on professional business.

Mrs. Clell N. Brentlinger returned this afternoon to her home in Toledo after a visit with relatives in the city. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Burgess L. McElroy.

Miss Helen Wright returned to Gambier, O., this morning where she is attending Harcourt, after visiting her mother, Mrs. F. S. Wright, who has been quite ill, but who is now improving rapidly at her home in Hoover street.—Newark American Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gotshall and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Mt. Vernon, motored to this city Sunday and had dinner at the Sherwood hotel.—Newark American Tribune.

Dr. Isabel Nixon returned this afternoon from a visit with friends in Cleveland.

Mr. L. D. Smith of McDermott, O., spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Dr. E. V. Ackerman of Fredericktown was a visitor in Mt. Vernon today, being enroute to Columbus.

Mr. Lewis Hyman of Columbus formerly of Mt. Vernon, was in the city today on business.

HELPS A JUDGE IN BAD FIX

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25 cents at G. R. Baker & Co., Mt. Vernon.

MT. LIBERTY

Mrs. Harry Bricker is still very sick. She has not improved any. Orlando Bird is suffering from jaundice.

Mrs. Clarence McKown of Cleveland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conkling.

Ray Cramer and family and Mrs. Earl Cramer of Orville visited with Robert Cramer and family, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and son, Forest, of Mt. Vernon, are visiting with W. O. Coe and family.

Hazel Coe visited in Mt. Vernon recently.

Ed Smothers and family were called to Ashley to attend the funeral of his uncle, Wayne Smothers, who was taken to Michigan for burial.

Ed Buckmaster and family of Fredericktown visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Buckmaster, recently.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey, of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

PROMOTION

For A Former Mt. Vernon Boy At New Castle, Pa.

Mr. Charles A. Hilliar, a former Mt. Vernon boy, who has been in New Castle, Pa., for several years, has recently been promoted to a fine position. The following from the New Castle, Pa., News says:

Charles A. Hilliar of East Wallace avenue, who has been clerk in the office of the Shesango mills of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Co., in this city for several years, has received a deserved promotion to the position of pay master for the company's mills at Elwood, Indiana. Mr. Hilliar left Sunday evening for that point and will take up his new duties at once.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

ALLOWANCE

Of \$16 Per 1000 Population To Common Pleas Judges

Based On Judge's Home Co., Not On Sub-Division

Columbus, O., April 30.—In a decision handed down today by the supreme court, the taxpayers of Ohio are saved \$80,000 per year in the allowance to common pleas judges.

The law provides in addition to the stated salary, an allowance of \$16 per thousand population, and it had been construed as applying to the entire population of the subdivision in which the judge was elected. The other contention was that it was based alone on the population of the county in which the judge resides.

The case in which the decision was rendered today originated in Morrow county, the action being in the nature of a writ to recover from Judge Edwin Mansfield.

The lower courts found in favor of Judge Mansfield. The supreme court reversed the circuit court, and this means that common pleas judges will be allowed an amount per year of \$16 per thousand population of their home county in addition to their salaries.

The state bureau of accounting some time ago made findings against some of the common pleas judges who had been receiving the allowance on the aggregate population of their subdivision, and they will now have to pay back the excess.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

DEATHS

Margaret J. Chappellear

Mrs. Margaret J. Chappellear, wife of William A. Chappellear, died at the home of her son, H. J. Chappellear at 527 East Gambler street Tuesday morning at 2:30 o'clock after an illness of about two months' duration caused by stomach trouble. Until about the middle of last week her condition was not considered serious, but since that time she was critically ill up until her death.

Mrs. Chappellear was born at Brownsville, Licking county, in 1846, her maiden name being Margaret J. McMullen. She married William A. Chappellear May 19th, 1864, and moved to Mt. Vernon nine years ago. She had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for a period of 60 years. Besides her husband, Mrs. Chappellear is survived by one son, H. J. Chappellear of Mt. Vernon, one brother, Lewis McMullen of Brownsville and one sister, who resides in Missouri.

Short funeral services will be held at the late home on East Gambler street Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. T. Black. At 11:30 o'clock Thursday the remains will be taken to Gratiot, Ohio, where funeral services will be held in her old church on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. S. T. Allen officiating. Interment in Poplar Forks cemetery.

Matthew S. Baker

Matthew S. Baker, of the Columbus road, South Vernon, died at the Mt. Vernon hospital Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock after an illness of 6 weeks' duration caused by a complication of diseases. He was 61 years of age at the time of his death and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Della Baker.

Infant's Death

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeLong died at the home of his parents just east of North Liberty Monday evening. The funeral and interment at Mt. Zion cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. William Mitchell

Mrs. William Mitchell died Friday at her home in Mt. Gilead after a several weeks' illness. She was 69 years of age at the time of her death and is survived by her husband and one daughter. Her cousin, Mrs. Priscilla Haver, of Morgan township, this county, was present at the funeral held at Mt. Gilead Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mitchell had many relatives in Knox county and was a frequent visitor here.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each application. For sale by all dealers.

BANNER WANT ADS. PAY

VALUABLE

Information On Subject Of Good Roads

What Was Done In Past And Prospect For Future

One of the most important factors which has to do with the happiness and prosperity of a people is that of easy means of communication. Without easy means of communication business cannot flourish nor modern civilization exist. The Erie canal can be traced from its source to its terminus by means of the large centers of population and thickly settled communities along its route. The people were attracted to its banks because of the means of communication it affords.

The large centers of population and the great business industries of our country are always to be found along the railroads and water communications of the country. This is not due to the fact that the railroads and canals sought out the centers of population and business districts, but because the people sought out the railroads and canals and built large cities and established great industries.

The railroads and canals of our country have been the forerunners of business. They have paved the way and made it possible for all kinds of business enterprises to follow. Just exactly what is true of the railroads and canals of our country is also true of the wagon roads of our state and county. Just as the railroads and canals are the forerunners of the great business enterprise of our country, so must a system of good wagon roads connecting our cities and villages with the farms of our state be the forerunner of the highest comfort, peace, happiness and prosperity of the people of our state.

One of the most important questions which came before the Constitutional convention for consideration was the one to make such provisions as will enable the legislature to establish a system of good roads should it desire to do so. This question received most careful consideration and most thorough discussion in the convention. After which consideration and discussion, the proposal was adopted by the convention by a large majority and will be put to the people of the state to approve or reject, at the same time the other propositions are submitted. This proposition will be separately submitted to the people so they can accept or reject it upon its own merits. Just what form of ballot will have has not been definitely decided, but it will practically be in the following form:

For the issuing of bonds to build good roads. Against the issuing of bonds to build good roads. What then is the above proposition, in favor of which, or against which, the people of the state will be called upon to vote within a few months? Briefly it is this: If you vote for the issuing of bonds, you vote to give the legislature the authority to issue bonds to the amount of \$50,000,000, or in other words to borrow that amount of money, to be used in the constructing, repairing and maintaining an inter-county system of wagon roads throughout the state. Further the system must be constructed by the state alone out of the \$50,000,000, no county, township or farm through which said roads pass to be assessed to help in said construction. Further, the legislature is limited strictly to \$50,000,000, not being permitted to borrow any money beyond said amount.

In order to understand this proposition, it will be necessary to remember that the legislature cannot borrow money except as it gets the authority from the constitution. Our present constitution limits the power of the legislature to borrow to the amount of \$750,000. The above proposition, if adopted by the people, will give the legislature the power to borrow \$50,000,000 but it must be used to construct, repair and maintain an inter-county system of wagon roads.

It will be noted that it is to be an inter-county system of wagon roads throughout the state. That is the system must extend through all the counties in the state, connecting the county seats of the county together. Further it is to be a system of wagon roads, thus preventing any part of said road being used to build railroads or canals, which are often called roads. It must also be noted that even though the people should approve the proposition it will not become effective immediately, but if the people approve the proposition, then the legislature would have the power to borrow the money and establish the system, if it should see fit to do so. All the details would have to be worked out by the legislature. It would have to decide as to the kind of a road, as to how much of the \$50,000,000 would be borrowed each year, how the roads would be repaired and maintained, etc.

So much for the proposition. I do not suppose there is hardly a man or woman who would not like to see our roads improved. The only question is as to the best method to adopt in improving the same. What are some arguments in favor of above proposition?

First: It would make our road building systematic and uniform. The state could secure experts and construct the most lasting roads known to science and adopt the most scientific method of maintaining them after they are constructed. Second: The great centers of population and business enterprise would be connected with a great network of good roads. After which the roads leading into this system would gradually be improved. Third: It would compel the cities to bear their just share of the burden to construct the roads and maintain them. This is only fair because they reap much of the benefits to be derived from good roads, as much possibly, as the farmers, themselves. The wealthy cities of Cleveland, Cincinnati and Columbus, with the other cities, would bear their proportionate share of the expense. They do not do this when the farmers and townships are assessed for the building of roads. Fourth: With such a system of roads the people of our cities would drift into the country rather than the people of the country drift to the cities. The greatest evil of our times is the country people deserting their farms, their churches, their schools, their out door life, their independent existence, (and flocking to our cities where every vocation and calling is full of overfilling. With a system of good roads, together with the telephone, free delivery of mails and almost all the modern conveniences at the door of the farmer, the drift of population would soon be from the city to the farm. Fifth: It would save thousands of dollars every year to the people of our country. During the last holiday season the merchants of our country lost thousands of dollars because the farmers could not come to the towns owing to bad roads. Farmers lose thousands of dollars every year because they are not able to market their produce at all seasons of the year. Sixth: It would greatly enhance the value of all the farms of the state. We would find no deserted farms for the reason that the farmer would find easy access to the city and could dispose of everything he could raise instead of being compelled to see much of it go to waste as he does now. Seventh: By so doing the cost of building the roads will be distributed over a long period of time and future generations who will get a part of the benefits of the roads, will help to pay for same. Now what are the arguments which ought to induce a man to vote against the above?

The main argument used is the state ought to raise the money to build said system by taxation rather than borrow the money, and thus avoid the paying of interest for the money borrowed. Second: If the state has not such a large sum of money at its disposal the same might not be used to the best advantage but might be recklessly and carelessly used. Third: That \$50,000,000 is an enormous sum to owe. However, when we remember that the taxable value of the property of the state is \$6,000,000, 900 the sum is not so large after all. The above are some of the arguments used for and against said proposition.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Deeds Filed—Emeline Forry to Paul Robertson, 142 acres in Liberty and Milford, \$667.50. C. O. Vannatta to Paul Robertson, same, \$667.50. Blanch Grove to Paul Robertson, same, \$222.50. Charles O. Hawkins to Paul Robertson, same, \$2,000. Samuel T Vannatta to Paul Robertson, same \$222.50. Mary Robertson to Paul Robertson, 90 acres in Liberty and Milford, \$1. Paul Robertson to Nellie Robertson, 90 acres in Liberty and Milford, \$1,250. Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets. Sold by all dealers.

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The trial of the case is fast if not furious, and the passages at arms between counsel and the witticisms of lawyers and witnesses occasionally evokes some merriment. Prosecutor Smythe is otherwise engaged, and the prosecution is in the hands of Harry D. Baker.

Since the last marriage a baby has been born, and it with the mother and her mother were in the court. The defense of Mr. Bell is that the wife's mother persuaded her to leave the defendant and that in reality he wants her to return to him and be supported by him. The complication which makes the case the more peculiar is that the parties have been married to each other two different times. Bell and the wife were married some time ago, and after a difference separated before any children were born. Later they patched up their differences and eloped to Kentucky and were married. It was offered in evidence that the mother of the young wife rather winked at the proposition to elope.

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TWICE MATED

Only To Separate And Arrest Follows

Newark Man Represented By Mt. Vernon Attorney

This novel case of Ohio versus Geo. Bell was heard by a jury in probate court Monday says the Newark Tribune. Parties reside in Washington township, this county, and the case attracted attention enough to draw an immense crowd from that section. Bell, the defendant, when he was arrested on the affidavit of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Wince, demanded a jury, which is seldom done in cases of this kind. He also retained some able legal talent from two counties, Link Russell of this city and Hon. Wm. M. Koons of Mt. Vernon.

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Mrs. Vaughan Kester and Miss Edith Curtis were visitors in Columbus on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilduff of Akron attended the funeral of the late Martin Nolen in this city Tuesday morning.

Mr. William H. Clark left this afternoon for Cincinnati where he will remain several days on business.

Mr. John Kingfield returned to Akron Tuesday morning after a visit with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. William Schanfarber of Columbus was a visitor in the city Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Leo Perrine has returned to his home in the city after a several

days' visit in Big Rapids, Michigan. Miss Helen Wright of Gambier was a visitor in Mt. Vernon this afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Shafer and children returned to Columbus today after a visit with relatives in the city.

Mrs. Homer Dood has returned to her home in Martinsburg after a brief visit with Mrs. G. F. Smalles of S. Sixth street.—Newark American Tribune.

Charles Orwig has returned from Mt. Vernon, where he has been a patient at the state sanatorium. Mr. Orwig is feeling much better than when he left Mansfield.—Mansfield News.

WOMEN

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