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VILLAGE COUNCIL.

A Business Grind of Much Importance.

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED.

Matters of Extended Corporation Line On.

Some interesting business matters came before the City Council at their regular session, Tuesday evening. The reports of the Mayor, Clerk, and Treasurer, for the month of April, were submitted and accepted. The Mayor's report showed $22 collected during the month from city scales, fines, peddler's license, etc. The books of Treasurer Pullen give a total balance, April 30, of $7973.96.

Solicitor Pettit presented two ordinances, which were introduced by Mr. Thurness. The first provided for the annexation of certain outlying territory to the present limits of the corporation, as described in these columns two weeks ago. The other ordinance fixes the number of officers, salaries, and bonds, of members of the Fire Department. It provides for a Chief, at a salary of $50 per annum, bond of $500; Assistant Chief, no salary or bond; Steward, $10 per annum, bond $100; and not more than fifty volunteer members of the department, to serve without salary. The Chief is made ex-officer President of the department, which will organize on Jan. 1, of each year by election of officers, subject to approval by the Council. Both ordinances, after their first reading were laid over. (Secretary of Fire Department at $18.00 per year.)

Mr. Angle presented a resolution providing for the employment of Ed. Radebaugh to sprinkle and sweep the paved streets for the next six months, at the rate of $130.83⅓ per month, including water. The resolution was adopted. Another resolution, introduced by Mr. Thurness was in compliance with a request from the Board of Health that a certificate of indebtedness for $250 be issued to enable the board to pay off certain outstanding debts. On motion of Col. Weldy the resolution was passed.

Mr. Angle, of the Ways and Means Committee, reported favorably on a number of bills which were allowed. The bill of ex-Sanitary Officer William Fields, referred to the Committee at the last meeting, was also reported. It was originally for $251.17, including fees for the burial of dead cats and dogs. The Board of Health had previously made some reductions in the amount, and the Committee kept up the good work. The bill as reported is for $160, all the above mentioned fees, as well as sums heretofore paid as salary to Mr. Fields, having been cut off. A bill of the Columbus Work House was returned for a more definite statement, and one from the same, to Logan County, sent here by mistake, was also returned. After some debate, the bill of the Citizens' Electric Light Company, for moving a light on East Hunter Street, was finally allowed.

The matter of serving notices to pave upon all delinguents in this respect came up, and was discussed at length. It was decided to present a full list of these delinquents at the next meeting, and after serving due notice, to have the paving done for them if they will not do it themselves.

Mr. Angle reported that the mud-hole in front of George Deishley's residence, Zanesville Road, had been properly repaired by the Logan Brick Mfg. Co., free of charge.

Mr. Weldy reported that the doors for the fire department have come. He also stated that the Fire Committee was negotiating for the sale of the fire-engine, which has not been in use in Logan for some years. At his request full power to act in the matter was granted.

The subject of a local workhouse was discussed, and special authority was given to the Committee on Public Property to proceed as soon as possible in the erection of such an institution. The present fund has $1469, which may be devoted to that use. Clerk Grove reported the purchase of a copy of the new Ellis Code for the use of the Council.

On motion of Col. Weldy, Mr. Angle was elected by acclamation as president pro tem of the Council for another year.

In answer to a resolution from the Board of Health, requesting Council to have the alleys of the town cleaned, Mr. Thurness stated that he is not disposed to call out any help for such purpose, until the delinquents in the poll-tax for last year are made to pay. It was suggested that the Mayor issue notice to all such for ten days, and follow that by levy upon any property whatever they may possess. The appointment of members of the Board of Health was postponed.

Mr. Lanning informed the council that more complaints are being received about the killing of trees by escaping gas. The Side-Walk Committee was instructed to notify the gas companies to repair the leaks.

In reply to a query from Mr. Lanning as to when suit will be brought against the parties who have drawn illegal salaries as officers of the Water Works Board, Mr. Pettit stated that suits would be entered as soon as the amounts to be recovered were ascertained. Council then adjourned.

The Lost Is Found.

Joe Knistrick's "lost" property, consisting of a draft for $1600, was discovered last Saturday in the room that gentleman formerly occupied, at the Star Restaurant. The draft was in an old pocket-book, behind a dresser. It was this draft, and $50 in money, that Miss Eva Smith was alleged by Knistrick to have stolen, as will be remembered. The girl was bound over to the last regular grand jury, who refused to return any indictment in the case. The draft was placed in the hands of Marshal Allen, and left by him, for the owner, at the National Bank. No money was in the pocket-book.

Donahue for Judge.

New Lexington, Ohio, April 28.—In the person of the Hon. Maurice H. Donahue of this city, the people of this circuit judicial district have undoubtedly one of the best jurists in Ohio. During the first term on the circuit bench Judge Donahue has made an enviable record and will be honored by his party with a renomination without opposition. Six years ago he carried the district by a majority of 5,000 and it is believed that he will again claim victory by as large if not larger majority than that received before.

Judge Donahue is well qualified in every respect for this important judicial position and during his term of office has passed upon some very important cases. He has a strong personal following throughout the district and it is increasing in number each day. He is very popular among the members of the bar and and last fall the Coshocton county bar mentioned him for gubernatorial honors.

The Democrats have not as yet set a time and place for holding the convention but it will likely take place during the early summer.

The Republicans held their convention at Newark on Tuesday and nominated Judge E. E. Sauers, of New Philadelphia.

LOGAN IS SUCCESSFUL.

Most Glorious Victory in a Literary Contest.

MISS HENDERSON

Bears Home to Logan the Loving Cup.

The annual debating contest of the South-Central Ohio Oratorical Association was held in Memorial Hall at Circleville, last Friday evening. While Logan did not have the biggest representation there, the quality seemed to be well up to the standard. The honors of the contest were carried by Miss Josephine Henderson the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Henderson, of this city. Miss Henderson's subject was "Children of the shadow," a vivid and graphic portrayal of the great and ominious evil of child labor and child slavery. The Logan delegation brought home with them the trophy of triumph, a handsome silver loving-cup presented to the association by the Everts High School, of Circleville, and which becomes the permanent property of the school that wins it twice.

MISS JOSEPHINE HENDERSON,

THE LOVING CUP.

SUPT H. T. SILVERTHORN.

An enthusiastic competition occurred in the auditorium during the progres of the contest, between the Logan and Circleville high school pupils. Logan's colors were elevated on a tall fishing-pole, and the friendly rivals attacked it from the gallery with another pole. Finally Johnny Krieg went out and bribed the janitor of the building to let him lower the colors through the ceiling of the room, and there they remained.

The other speakers and their subjects were as follows: T. M. Hill, of Chillicothe, "The Awakenning of the Civic Conscience"; Don L. Tobin, of Lancaster, "A Study in Growth"; L. A. Spencer, of New Lexington, "A Dream"; Ann Ballard, of Washington C. H., "International Arbitration."

About fifteen hundred persons were present at the contest. The address of welcome was delivered by Dill W. Mowery, president of the senior class of the Circleville High School. The judges who made the award were; Professor F. S. Fox and Rev. W. L. Speelman, of Columbus, and Senator U. S. Brandt, of Canal Winchester.

Logan was represented by about eighty visitors. They included, besides the pupils, Superintendent and Mrs. Silverthorn, Misses Katharine Bowlby, Evaline Harrington, and Martha Dollison, Logan High School teachers; Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Allen, Misses Ruth Henderson and Josephine England, and Messrs Will Brooke, H. R. Harrington, Orla Wright, and James Dougherty. A Special train made the return trip from Lancaster, arriving here about three oclock Saturday morning. The inter-urban was used between Lancaster and Circleville.

Some interesting field day exercises also took place in the afternoon of Friday, between contestants from the various cities mentioned. Chillcothe took most of the honors in these, A Ball game was played between the Circleville High School team and the Logan Athletics, in which the latter were victorious, the score standing five to four. Both teachers and pupils of the Logan school are to be congratulated upon the progressive spirit shown in this event. Miss Henderson received as a present prize a valuable dictionary an appropriate recognition of the effort it rewarded. Such contest as this should not fail to awaken and stimulate to an infinite degree the emulation and local pride of the young people. We hope, with them, that the cup may not depart from Logan. Perhaps never before have our people been so proud of our schools or enthusiastic in applause at the result of a literary contest. The town belongs to Miss Josephine and her school associates, and all praises to Superintendent Silverthorn and his corps of efficient instructors.

Miss Joeanna Chaney, of Murray City, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Harbough, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Blanche Stroup visited Miss Marie Shannon, at Mount Carmel Hospital, Columbus, on Sunday.

STRAITSVILLE SLUGGERS

Walluped Logan's Busters to a Frazzle.

TOO STOUT, IS ALL

That Was the Matter With the Visiting Team.

The local team's percentage went down several, in the gloomy game of last Sunday. There were a number of reasons, as there always are, for this. The principal cause was the overwhelming superiority of the New Straitsville boys as sluggers; then they had a twirler, a young fellow named Riley, who is mighty promising. The visiting team was somewhat split up, and several of their men were playing out of position. They won, though, because they hit the ball oftener and harder, and made fewer errors, than Logan.

Spencer, the first man up, cracked the leather with a long two-bagger, and an error, a base on balls, a single and some loose play following, gave them two runs for a starter. The batting was merrily kept up all through the game. Several pop flies and others that should have been garnered by Logan's field scored as hits, and more of them that should have been easily fielded went through the opposition like a bullet through a wall of schmearkase. Sad, sad the bitter tale! There were whole innings, however, when Logan did not make any errors. The tabulated score below speaks eloquently of what might have been and wasn't.

N. Straitsville	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spencer, cf.	6	2	3	0	0	0
Stobbs, 3b.	6	4	1	1	2	1
Grandy, ss.	6	1	1	0	1	1
McDermott, 1b	5	0	1	16	0	2
Williams, 2b.	6	0	2	3	3	1
Daugherty, lf.	5	0	0	0	0	0
Goodman, c.	5	2	3	6	5	0
Campbell, rf.	5	2	2	1	1	0
Riley, p.	5	2	3	0	3	0
Total	49	13	16	27	15	5

LOGAN	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Camp, 2b.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Allen, rf.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Myer, cf.	4	0	0	2	1	1
Buntz, ss.	4	0	0	1	5	3
Beck, 1b.	3	2	1	5	0	1
Lytle, lf.	3	2	1	4	1	2
Kleins'th, 3b.	4	0	0	6	2	0
Canty, c.	3	1	1	4	2	0
Livingston, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Total	32	5	4	*26	15	8

*Stobbs out on bunt strikes.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Straitsville	2	2	1	0	0	3	2	0	3	—13
Logan	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	— 5

Stolen bases: Campbell, Riley, Beck, Canty. Two-base hits: Goodman (2), Spencer, Stobbs. Sacrifice hits: Kleinschmidt, Livingston. Double plays: Campbell to McDermott; Camp to Beck. Struck out: By Riley, ten; by Livingston, three. Base on balls: Off Riley, one; off Livingston, one. Wild pitch: Riley, one. Hit by pitched ball: By Riley, one; by Livingston, one. Passed balls: Goodman, three. Umpire: Joe Shorr. Time: 2 hrs. 10 min.

NOTES.

Jakey Kleinschmidt, who held third for Logan in the game, is a promising young player. He has a good head, and covers ground well. In Sunday's game he had eight chances, and no errors. Strange to say, he did not have an assist to first during the entire game. His near sacrifice, in the second, gave Logan their first run. Livingston's sacrifice, just afterwards, scored another. That was the best playing on Logan's side in the game.

Stultz's pinch hits were missed sorely at various times. The home team couldn't seem to get next to Riley at all. Riley pitched a uniformly nice game, and certainly seems to have the making of a star in him. His delivery is graceful and easy, and though the out drop was his main dependence, he apparently had his batters guessing most of the time.

Camp was in good fielding form, as his record shows. Like the other boys he failed to get his batting eye in working order until late in the game, when he picked out a good one. He was caught off first in a double on Allens fly to right. Allen was in hard luck all through; he hit the ball every time he was up, but never made first.

New Brick Plant.

Nelsonville, April 27.—A new brick and terra cotta factory is to be erected in Nelsonville this summer. Sanford T. Heafield, Samuel L. Douglas and Franklin Rubrecht of Columbus, and Charles L. and John C. Baird, of this city met Saturday, April 21, and incorporated the Hocking Valley Brick and Terra Cotta Company of Columbus, capitalized at $300,000. The corporation owns 260 acres of land near this city close to the Hocking Valley Railroad. They will begin the work of building the brick plant soon and expect to be in operation by the latter part of July. This plant will employ 400 men. After this begins operation they expect to erect a terra cotta plant to cost about $150,000, which will give employment to 150 additional men. The land owned by the company is underlaid with a six foot vein of coal and four veins of fire clay averaging about eight feet in thickness and first-class quality.

This sounds like business for Nelsonville. Employment for 450 men in addition to the present number and a new traction line promises a brilliant future for this city.

Sunday School Convention

The Falls Township Sunday School Convention, held in the M. E. Church of Logan, last Sunday, was well attended, both afternoon and evening. A number of interesting papers and addresses were given, plentiful interpersed with congregational and special singing. The program was rendered as follows:

First Session 2:00 P. M.

Song Service ..... Congregation
Prayer ..... Rev. J. F. Williams
Introductory ..... President
Appointment of Committees
Paper—Some great needs of the Bible School ..... J. V. Stiverson
Paper—Young men in the Bible School ..... W. I. Krieg
Song ..... Congregation
Offering
Paper—What the teachers gain by teaching ..... H. T. Stiverthorne
Paper—The Bible School as a Soul winner ..... Orla Price
Paper—The Superintendent, some things he should and some things he should not do ..... F. P. Martin
Round Table ..... H. G. Hansel
Election

Evening Session 7:00 P. M.

Song Service ..... 15 minutes
Prayer ..... Rev. T. B. White
Offering
Address—The aims of the Bible School ..... Rev. R. A. Powell
Address—The Bible School as a character builder ..... Rev. C. R. Wilson
Round Table ..... H. R. Harrington
Adjournment

The officers, nominated by the committee appointed for that purpose were; President, E. P. Price; Vice President, Ora Price; Secretary, J. V. Stiverson; Treasurer, James Hall; Primary Superintendent, Mrs. John Smith; Teachers, Training Department, J. F. Harden. The officers were elected by acclamation. Mr. E. P. Price President at both sessions.

At the close of the convention a request was received from Enterprise, through J. V. Stiverson, for another convention, to be held in three months; and the following committee was appointed to make the neccessary arangements; H. R. Harrington, H. G. Hensel, J. F. Harden, James Hall, and J. V. Stiverson.

Fred Sherrard returned to Logan Thursday evening, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sherrard, of Fultonham.

SMALL TICKET.

But Three State Officers on Ballot This Fall.

DECEMBER 31, 1907.

All Local Offices Will Be Vacated.

The election changes will make the state ticket this fall the smallest in the history of Ohio. There will be no supreme judge elected, but two will be elected next year and two every year thereafter. The officers to be elected this year are secretary of state, diary and food commissioner and member of board of public works.

The terms of practically all township and municipal officials now in office have been arranged so as to terminate on December 31, 1907. The terms of all county officials, whose successors would not be elected this year, have been arranged so that their successors will be elected in the fall of 1908. Hereafter all county officials, except probate judges, will be elected for two years, and the probate judges will be elected for four year terms.

The rotary plan of electing city councilmen and county commissioners has been abolished. In 1907 an entirely new city council will be elected in each municipality, and the terms of all councilmen will thereafter expire simultaneously. One county commissioner will be elected in each county in the fall of 1908. Every two years thereafter, beginning in the fall of 1910, three county commissioners will be elected and their terms will be for two years and expire simultaneously. Their terms are now three years each. The same is true of county auditors.

Under the constitutional amendment bills the terms of all state officials, except Supreme Judges and members of the Board of Public Works will hereafter be two years. The terms of Supreme Judges will remain at six years, two to be elected each even numbered year and the terms of members of the Board of Public Works will be four years. The State auditor's term, which is now four years, has been changed to two years.

The terms of justices of the peace will be four years, and the same for police judges in municipalities. The terms of all state officials, except Supreme Judges, members of the Board of Public Works, and those whose successors are to be elected this year, have been extended to January 1, 1909.

Reward Offered.

Lost pocket-book between Paul Fox's and depot on April 28. Contained between fifty and seventy dollars, one-half dollar, (World's Fair coin) and pocket-book contained two receipts with my name on. Will give good reward, Enoch Strawn. Address DEMOCRAT-SENTINEL, Logan, Ohio.

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LEWIS GREEN.

Mrs, Minnie Arnold-Smock spent Monday at Columbus.