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Painesville, Ohio

Merrill & Scofield, Editor and Proprietors

Office in Marshall's Block, Main St.

Jan. 6, 1876 Thursday

p. 2 Patent awarded to a local citizen:

Perforating attachments for printing presses - J.
C. Foremb, Cleveland

Lake Co. Delinquent Tax List for 1875

Madison

Branch, E. W.
Cone, Isaac
Day, David B.
Eaton, Elizabeth C.
Francher, Lydia
Lamb, Mary Ann
Miller, Calista J.
Mensor, Samuel
Morse, Collins
Peck, Lois
Potter, Betsey
Paine, Chas. C.
Pierce, Chloe E.
Skinner, Daniel
Vreeland, Henry
Wade, Andrew D.
Davis, Chas. G.
Steiner, Nicholas J.

LeRoy

Bell, Jackson &
Patton I. W.
Hill, Edson
Mentor, Hiram L.
Palmer, Elihu C.
Quiggle, Thomas J.

Perry

Owen, Hiram
Powers, George

Concord

Balch, Anna
Dayton, Sherman
Fitch, Chloe
Merritt, William
Tuttle, John

Painesville

Fertig, John
Merritt, Wm.
Payne, Henry W.
Brick, Patrick
Brenick, Thos.
Barker, Eliza, J.
Cram, Harvey
Church, Harriet N.
Gary, C. L.
Hodges, O. S.
Lynch Jr., John
Morley, Margaret
Pomeroy, D. F.
Rogers, Lottie S.
Wilcox Aaron, Trustee
Wright, Henrietta

Kirtland

Bartlett, Lucius &
McKee, Wm.
Bigalow, L. C.
DeForest, Elizabeth
Pollak, Joseph &
Pollak, A.
Richmond, Allen
Tinker, Chauncy

Mentor

McMahon, Nicholas
O'Brien, John & Michael
Savage, James
Tuttle, Isaac
Tuttle, Isaac H.

Willoughby

Brickford, Samuel
Baldwin, W. H.
Code, Mathew
Denn, Julius S.
Hill, John
Johnson, J.C.
Lloyd, Wm.
Post, C. H.
Post, Obadiah
Rush, David
Chadderton, Mary
Hill, John
Lilley, Aurelia A.
St. John, Louisa M., heirs
Wright, Chas. W.

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Town Lots

Morrell, Moses
Tibbals, George W.
McCormick, Robert
Noonan, Daniel Jr.
Spencer, Raiza
Webster, Josephine H.
Bissell, Benjamin
Chambers, Ann
Gardner, Sarah H. C.
Huntington, Ed
Nagle Michael
Paine, Lyman
Pierson, Grace R.

p. 3 Geo. Colby has recently invented a very compact and ingenious machine for the manufacture of picture frames. It can be seen at Colby's book store.

Weather: Harvey Cram tells us that fifty-two years ago in this section there was no real winter, the weather during all the winter months being so mild that fires were scarcely needed a large part of the time. Peach and other fruit trees blossomed in March and produced fair crops.

New officers elected at the Y.M.C.A:

President – S. L. Titus
First Vice Pres. – W. C. Tisdell
Second Vice Pres. – W. S. Young
Clerk – J. W. Tyler
Corres. Sec. – E. P. Branch
Treas. – S. R. House
Trustee: N. O. Lee, James Palmer, F. Cone, S. K. Gray, H. R. Moore, C. O. Higgins, Warren Duncan

George Washington Allen, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was a former resident of Painesville for 37 years.

Weather: The last week of 1875 was so much like May and June, that doors and windows were kept open and fires allowed to go entirely out. Saturday, New Year's Day, was almost like mid-summer.

Sudden Death

Col. Hiram Johnson died suddenly at his residence on State St., last Sunday, late in the afternoon. He had been ill with typhus fever some four weeks, but was thought to be convalescing. Mr. Johnson was formerly a resident of Western New York, moving to Painesville in 1865, where he has since resided. He was 75 yrs. old. He was buried with masonic honors.

An attempt was made to steal the body of John Ryan, recently interred at the Catholic cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Augustus Skinner to George C. Steele, lot 36, Fairport

J. W. Simpson to C. A. Kellogg, lot on St. Clair St.

Kirtland

Albert G. Barton to James A. Booth, 61 acres

Alden E. Sanborn Jr. to Auguste Mittlestadt, 54 acres

Hercules Carroll to Henry O. Wells, 24 acres

Willoughby

Eben Moore to Milton White, 50 acres

E. G. Clark to Sarah S. Drake, 3 acres

Madison

H. F. Doty to Joseph Sparks, 63 acres

Perry

Milton P. Barkalow to Julia Ann Coolidge, part of an acre

Painesville Grange officers:

Master, H. H. Hine
Overseer, D. O. Carter
Lecturer, M. B. Bateham
Sec., Horace Allen
Treas., Frank Breed
Steward, A. W. Post
Asst. Steward, W. G. Storrs
Chaplain, R. Marshall
Ceres, Mrs. Mary Bacon
Pomona, Mr. W. G. Storrs
Flora, Mrs. J. J. Harrison
Stewardess, Mrs. S. E. Carter
Gate Keeper, C. R. Marshall

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Leroy Grange

Master, A. Searl
Overseer, J. E. Wright
Lecturer, E. W. Taylor
Steward, Calvin Tenney
Asst. Steward, Fred Mason
Chaplain, Mrs. L. L. Kewish
Treas., E. W. Wedge
Sec., S. J. Potts
Gate Keeper, C. W. Tear
Ceres, Miss Hattie Harrison
Pomona, Mrs. A. Tanswell
Flora, Miss Frank Mason
L.A.S., Mrs. E. W. Taylor

Mentor Grange officers:

Master, E. T. C. Aldrich
Oversee, Capt. E. Burrridge
Lecturer, I. A. Baxter
Steward, George Blish
Asst. Steward, W. T. Read
Chaplain, Rev. T. B. Goodrich
Teas., W. C. Sawyer
Sec., W. D. Mather
Gate Keeper, W. J. Spaulding
Ceres, Mrs. Mary M. Sawyer
Pomona, Mrs. L. B. Wells
Flora, Mrs. E. Houghton
Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. M. Justus

Married

At the residence of the bride's father. Dec. 29, Mr. Eldon W. Hungerford, of Loda, Ill., and Miss Ida A. Valentine, of LeRoy.

In Painesville, Jan. 2nd, at his residence Mr. Ransom Shove and Miss Huldah M. Barber, both of Painesville.

In Painesville, Jan. 1, Levi S. Burrridge and Elva Armstrong, both of Mentor.

In Montville, Dec. 28, Mr. Albert H. Perry to Maggie, eldest daughter of G. W. Garritt.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 29, at the residence of the bride's father, N. D. Higgins, at Castile, N.Y., John W. Tyler, of Painesville, Ohio and Mary E. Higgins, of Castile, N.Y.

Died

In Concord, Dec. 28, after an illness of two weeks, Anna C., wife of the late Russel S. Manley, deceased, age 60 yrs.

In LeRoy, Dec. 26, at the residence of his son, Isaiah, Nathaniel Phelps, age 83 yrs. The deceased first settled in Thompson about 50 yrs. ago.

In Cleveland, Jan. 3, of consumption, Martin Shelby, age 28 yrs. The deceased was a former resident of Painesville and the remains were brought here on Tuesday and followed to Evergreen Cemetery by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 6:

Ladies

Buck, Mrs. A. M.
Cain, Miss Mary
Clard, Mrs. L. L.
Elmer, Lucy
Griswold, Miss A.
Harrington, Mrs. M.
Turner, Mrs. Robt.

Gentlemen

Bennett, Edward
Creedon, James
Dickinson
Farrell, Wm.
German, Calvin D.
Harris, Charles
Miner, W. H.
Costello, Mike
Davidson, Thos.
Dayton, J.
Graham, Ezra
Harvey, Nate
Harvey, Thomas K.
Williams, Clark H.

Held for postage:

G. W. Crowell, Cleveland, O.
Allie Willard, Corry, Pa.

Legal Notice

Harvey H. Hall, adm. with the will annexed, of the estate of Aaron G. Woodin, deceased vs Mary Woodin, Margaret Quiggle, Silas Quiggle, Caroline Temouth, Catharine Allen, William

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Allen, Ann E. Mathews, Andrew Mathews, Permelia Hagaboom, Sullivan Hagaboom, Jane Lockrow, James Lockrow, Florence Hall, David Hall, George Woodin, Seymour Woodin, William Woodin. Re: Sale of land in Willoughby

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p. 3 An article in the Red Oak (Iowa) Record, that two of our former citizens, Mrs. A. A. Clapp and Miss Mary Bissel, sustained prominent vocal parts in the operatic cantata of the "The Hay Makers," given at the former place the last week in December.

F. L. Griswold, formerly of Painesville, but for some time past engaged in architectural drawing and drafting in Buffalo, has been spending the holiday with his friends here.

Grand Jurors

1. Calvin Richardson, Willoughby
2. L. B. Trumbull, Painesville
3. Geo. B. Clark, Concord
4. Silas Rand, Madison
5. Robert Brewster, Madison
6. John S. Lockwood, Painesville
7. M. B. Bateham, Painesville
8. John Warren, Mentor
9. Charles Edwin, Perry
10. Henry White, Willoughby
11. George H. Hulett, Madison
12. L. A. Axtell, Painesville
13. G. Burr. Turner, Perry
14. B. E. Jenks, Kirtland
15. Nelson Haywood, Madison

Petit Jurors

1. Alexander King, Painesville
2. Norman Loomis, Painesville
3. Henry H. Shepard, Painesville
4. E. D. Slitor, Mentor
5. Lucius Judson, Painesville
6. P. A. Metcalf, Kirtland
7. Wilford Webb, Perry
8. James H. Cook, Perry
9. E. A. Brown, Willoughby
10. W. D. Slocum, Painesville

11. Charles Smart, Painesville
12. Jehial Parmly, Perry
13. Harmon Carroll, Painesville
14. H. Woodworth, Painesville
15. O. E. Root, Mentor
16. W. H. Ludlam, Painesville
17. William Abbey, Madison
18. B. O. Wilcox, Painesville

Alden Stockwell Burridge, youngest son of Mr. David Burridge, died of consumption on the evening of Jan. 5, age six yrs., 4 mos., 14 days. He lost his mother several years previous.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Benj. Wright, Guardian, to Norris A. Wright, lot on Grant St.

Madison

Weltha H. Cleveland to J. William Ball, 5 acres
Daniel Cleveland, heirs to J. William Ball, 1 acre
Grata L. Merriman to Francis L. Wheeler and Adelia Warner, 53 acres
H. J. Saxton and H. P. Walding to Henry Bliss, part of lot 74

Andrew J. Custin to John Hogaboam, 3 acres
John Hogaboam to H. H. Smead, some 3 acres
Charles Thompson to Mary J. Coffin, 100 acres

Perry

Amherst W. Call to Alonzo Bartlett, 76 acres
Amherst W. Call to John S. Young, 22 rods

Willoughby

Edwin Fuller to Clinton S. Fauver, 13 acres

Concord

John H. Armstrong to Chas. A. Booth, 2 acres

Kirtland

Alanson B. Childs to John Walters, 15 acres

LeRoy

Ezra Decker to Marcus Decker, 50 acres

Perry

Mrs. John Code died very suddenly Monday of last week; her remains were taken to Painesville for interment.

Willoughby

Miss Ella M. Kingsley was married to Lewis Brown, of Kirtland, Jan. 9.

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Madison

Mrs. Stella Coats, of this place, daughter of J. M. Tilden, died on Monday.

New Madison Grange officers:

Master, E. F. Ensign

Sec., J. S. Wilcox

Overseer, Stephen Raplee

Treas., George Balch

Chaplain, M. B. Isham

Lecturer, Willard Colby

Steward, O. H. Cady

Asst. Steward, John Brown

Gate Keeper, Elmer Rand

Ceres, Mrs. Raplee

Pomona, Mrs. Geo. Balch

Flora, Mrs. Merritt

Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. John Brown

Died

In Kirtland, Jan. 6, Mrs. Eunice Maria Tryon, age 79 yrs. The subject of this sketch was born March 21, was married to Jesse Tryon, of Vernon Center, Oneida Co., N.Y., March 4, 1819, where she resided with her husband until the spring of 1852, when they removed to Ohio, having purchased the farm of Samuel Tomlinson, on Waite Hill, in Kirtland Township. They celebrated their golden wedding on March 4, 1869. In Nov., 1871, less than two years later, she was called upon to mourn the death of her husband. She was the mother of five children, only two of whom survive her, J. H. and H. G. Tryon, of Kirtland township. Since the death of her husband, she has resided with the former.

My wife, Eliza Harrison, Dec. 27, left my house without just cause or provocation and I hereby forbid all persons trusting her on my account.
Wm. G. Harrison, LeRoy

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 12:

Ladies

Lucy Burns

Mrs. Eddy

Maria Bruner

Miss Arvilla Fox

Mrs. E. Wambold

Gentlemen

Bacon, Cheese Dealer

Robt. N. Blackburn

Henry Cregg

Chas. L. Knowles

Wm. Murdock

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p. 3 The funeral services of Mrs. Terry whose remains were brought from Hudson took place on Tuesday from the residence of S. L. Malin. She was the widow of Rev. Parshall Terry,

John Cavendish was taken before Judge Tuttle for examination of mental derangement and judged insane and conveyed to the Northern Ohio Asylum for treatment.

Real Estate Transfer

Painesville

Cyrus A. Kellogg to Shepherd L. Malin, lot on St. Clair St.

A. G. Smith and J. H. Britton to Deforest E. Brooks and Roswell Hayes, 9 acres

Willoughby

Douglass P. Cassell to J. S. Ellen and S. B. Burrows, 2 acres

Sarah A. Buffington to Helen J. Waite, 19 acres

Henry G. Buffington, by adm. to Helen J. Waite, 2 acres

Madison

Eliza Beede to Benjamin Wright, village lot, part of lot 51

Kirtland

Bessie E. Reynolds to Mary Chadderton, 35 acres

Lake Co. Agricultural Society Officers:

Pres., Thomas Thompson

Vice Pres., Harmon Carroll

Directors, J. W. Crocker, Madison

O. A. Streator, Painesville

Geo. Waite, Willoughby

G. W. Smith, Kirtland

Don E. Williams, LeRoy

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Death of an Old Citizen

Arnold Mason died at his residence on Mentor Ave., Jan. 13, age 71 yrs. His death was quite sudden and unexpected. He had a serious fall from the scaffolding in the barn. He seemed over the effects of the fall and took a violent cold. Mr. Mason settled on the farm where he died, 41 yrs. since. He leaves no family but a wife.

From the *Ashtabula News*

The wife of Mr. H. B. Tower, of this place, having become insane from typhoid fever, was taken last week to the asylum at Newburgh.

Married

In Painesville, the 12th instant, Mr. W. L. Gordon, of Concord, and Miss Emma H. Church, of Painesville.

Died

In Ashtabula, Dec. 22, after a long and distressing illness, Hattie, O., wife of Alexander Yale, and daughter of the late Morgan L. Crosby, of Perry, age 32 yrs.

Probate Court

1. Samuel Moger, guardian of Annie F. Kingsland, and Oscar R. Kingsland; second account
2. Jackson Huntoon, guardian of Fred B. Austin; third account
3. Joseph A. Ward and Lucy A. Ward, executors of E. Allen Ward; fourth account
4. Edward Hulbert, guardian of Carrie Balch, first account
5. A. P. Axtell, adm. of N. M. Fisher, deceased; final account
7. Benjamin Wright, guardian of Ella M. Wright and Knowles Wright; first account
8. William B. Tuttle, guardian of Daniel H. Tuttle and Carrie C. Tuttle, final account
9. Augusta C. Park, B. A. Park and S. N. Ford, executors of B. B. Park deceased; first account
10. William B. Quirk, executor of John Quirk, deceased; first account
11. M. M. Seymour, guardian of Maria A. Seymour; final account

12. S. C. Carpenter, executor of and trustee of George Roddick, deceased, first account

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 19:

Ladies

Mrs. Ella Barber
Mrs. Emeline Greene
Miss Mary Jones
Miss Nellie Duncan
Mrs. William Gage
Miss Sarah Morrison
Miss Jennie Searles

Gentlemen

William Anderson
Hiram Benham
Toney Carnly
J. C. Evans
Curtis Gould
Henry Leland
William Suggitt
Geo. H. Barnes
A. B. Bates
Collins Dodge
J. M. Gaines
E. King
Joseph Metcalf
L. C. Wood

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P. 2 Patents issued to local citizens from Washington, D.C.

Wash boards, Lewis M. Crosby, Ashtabula
Railway transfer tables, C. Hathaway, Cleveland
Steam boilers, Collin W. Read, Chagrin Falls

p. 3 George R. Wells, son of L. K. Wells, formerly of this place, died in Atchison, Kansas, on the 7th instant, age 21 yrs.

C. Ray, of LeRoy, was arrested last week for making a brutal assault on Frank Crofoot.

J. W. Tyler and wife returned from their wedding tour on Wed. They have taken up their abode at the residence of Dr. David Mathews on Washington St.

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Eddie C. Sterling, a former resident, is now located at a point in Arkansas called Graddy's Landing. He makes canes for fish poles and will ship north at least 15,000 this season.

From the Trial List Common Pleas Court

- 5. A. R. Hurd, guardian of Hannah Brown, insane vs. Eldridge Hayden
- 20. S. S. Osborn, executor of D. D. Aikin, deceased vs. Cassandra Wass
- 21. S. P. Hathaway vs Frank Brainard, adm. of A. Brainard deceased
- 22. G. F. Crobaugh vs. Samuel Crobaugh, adm. of John Crobaugh
- 23. Lodoskia Dixon vs. C. S. Bartlett, guardian of Gertrude Dixon
- 25. I. N. Hathaway, adm. of Elbridge Hayden vs. James Allen
- 33. Laura C. Mitchell, adm. of R. C. Mitchell, deceased vs. L. S. & M. S. R'y Co.
- 58. J. W. Tyler as executor of Mary W. Johnson vs Wesley Thompson et al
- 68. Elizabeth Rice, adm. of H. O. Rice, deceased, vs. L.S. & M. S. R'y Co.
- 76. Raymond Freeman, adm. of Cynthia M. Stuart vs. H. L. Stuart
- 94. R. G. Wheeler, executor of N. S. Wheeler, deceased vs. Lake Co. Woolen Mills
- 101. Laura King vs. Sarah J. Sperry, executrix of Wheeler Sperry, deceased
- 121. Wm. E. Hulett, adm. of E. Hulett vs. W. H. Pasko
- 127. Orando Sawyer, guardian of Clara King, a minor, vs. Terry Dolan
- 133. Daniel Warner Jr. vs. Hezekiah Cole, guardian of R. M. Johnson
- 136. Sally Smith, executrix of Earl Smith, vs. J. H. Tracey et al
- 144. J. W. Tyler, adm. of S. Winch, deceased vs. Mary A. Winch
- 146. Mary C. Mitchell, executrix of J. J. Mitchell, deceased vs. Peter B. Mitchell et al
- 158. David Brooks, adm. of J. S. Brooks, deceased, vs. the L.S. & M. S. R'y Co.

- 183. David Russell vs. Aaron Wilcox, executor of L. C. Williams

Death of Mrs. Field

Died in Painesville, Jan. 18, Mary A., wife of C. C. Field, age 57 yrs. She was a native of Geauga Co., where nearly all her life was passed. About nine years ago, she moved with her husband and family to Painesville. She was buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Eli S. Young to Lyman M. Severance, 5 acres
Laura M. Gregory to Lyman M. Severance, 1 acre
Neil Gallaher to John Blee, village lot, part of an acre

Mentor

Harry Holmes, by adm. to Rhoda Holmes, 1 acre
Nancy Lapham to Samuel Lapham 55 acres
Samuel Lapham to Margaret Gallagher, 20 acres
Nicholas McMahon to Robert Murray, 2nd, 2 acres

Willoughby

E. G. Clark to Lucius D. Armstrong, 2 acres
Andrew M. Higgins to George E. Higgins, part of a village lot

Concord

Marcus E. Gregory to Lyman M. Severance, 15 acres
Chas A. Booth to G. N. Tuttle, 2 acres
Betsey E. Thayer to Ovid Manley, 103 acres
Anna Balch by adm. to Addie M. Weigel, 6 acres

Madison

Mr. William Haywood, of North Madison died last Thursday.

Married

In Erie, Pa., Mr. A. M Pinney, of Erie, Pa., and Miss Emma Carpenter, of Mentor, Lake Co., O., youngest daughter of the late Capt. J. M. Carpenter.

Died

In Seattle, Washington Territory, Dec. 28, of paralysis, Capt. H. H. Hyde, formerly a resident to Painesville. The deceased was widely and

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favorably known upon the Sound, where he had been a resident for many years.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Jan. 26:

Ladies

Mrs. A. Cain
Ellen Carroll
Miss Mary Citterly
Mrs. Mary Harvy
Mrs. Robert Turner
Miss Catharine Cain
Mrs. Ann Chambers
Eliza Harrison
Mrs. E. F. Mason
Mrs. Mary Torry
Mrs. Harriet N. Wood

Gentlemen

C. D. Buchner
Phineas Downing
Wm. Houghtaling
Edward Ingraham
John Melie
G. W. Porter
Mike Sullivan
Mrs. Doyle
Capt. J. Green
H. H. Holland
Cyrus Larxin
Lyman Munger
Capt. Shephard
John Frank'n Walker

Held for postage:

A. W. Cowles, Columbus, O
E. F. Huntington, Glencor, Minn.
E. M. Green, Huron O.
Mrs. T. J. McLain, Warren, O.
Christopher Ellis, Springfield, Vt.

Alex. Williams is adm. of James Brain, deceased, late of Kirtland, Lake Co., Ohio.

Feb. 3, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Feb. 1, Mrs. Rebecca Huston, an old and esteemed citizen of this place died at her residence on State St., age 76 yrs. She had a

paralytic stroke a few days ago, from which she gradually failed. The funeral is being held awaiting the arrival of a son from the west.

The following received teaching certificates for Lake County:

Florence S. Hodges
Agnes White
Lillie A. White
Gracie A. Wood
Freelove N. Greene
Alma Crellin
Myrta M. Abbey
Myra E. Gardner
Jennie M. Barnes
Alta B. Coons
Rosa C. Harris
Alice J. Garrett
Ella C. Markell

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Roswell Hayes to Geo. W. Steele, 5 acres in Newport
Isaac Bates by Sheriff to J. B. Burrows, house and lot on State St.

Mentor

E. R. Whiting to Lewis Buffett, 33 acres

Willoughby

Sarah A. Buffington to J. D. Pike, 6 acres

Perry

William Miller to Malcom Crofoot 33 acres

Madison

Betsey E. Warner and others to Frank A. and Anna E. Warner, 82 acres

Perry

John Stevenson, formerly of this place, has gone into business in Ashtabula with Mr. Hall, his former employee.

Willoughby

Deacon Strong, an old resident of Wickliffe, died Sunday morning.

Carleton C. Clark, son of N. Clark of this place was married to Miss Addie Robinson of Muir, Michigan on the 19th.

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Thomas St. John has left for a trip to South America where he intends remaining some time.

Mrs. Mapes, of Cleveland, nee Luella Morton, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Brainard, of Waite Hill, died on Saturday, the 29th.

Mr. Ellen, the Mayor, has a new baby girl.

Madison

Our livery stable is now owned by Messrs. Fred Allen and Spencer Fuller. Mr. Frank Viets has returned to his business in Dakota Territory, leaving his family in this place for the time being.

Mentor

Spencer Munson, who has been doing business in Knoxville, Tenn., for several years has severed his connection there and has returned with his family to the home of his boyhood. He has already made business arrangements in Cleveland.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Feb. 2:

Ladies

Mrs. Eary Cain

Mrs. Margaret Coleman

Gentlemen

Henry M. Brooks

William Connelly

S. H. Holcomb

T. D. Pratt

John Connors

P. Eagen

Henry Loveland

John Whelan

Norman Young

George Skiff is the assignee for Samuel Fowles. Creditors should submit claims to him.

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p. 3 The death of Mrs. E. Stratton took place at her residence in Perry, on the evening of the 7th instant, after severe suffering.

Mrs. S. Wilson, formerly Miss R. Mackin of this place, sent a note from St. Louis, Michigan, saying the winter in that part of the State has been remarkably mild and pleasant.

Dr. A. H. Davis, who has been residing in Florida several months past for his health, has sent us a monster lemon which has a circumference of 12 and 13 inches. It was grown on the Gulf coast of Florida about 40 miles south of Zamp Bay.

Mrs. E. B. Adams, formerly of Painesville, lives in South Bend, Indiana. Her son, C. F. Adams, lives in Detroit.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Frank Remington to Fidelia P. Florence, lot on Bank St.

Edgar D. Chilson to Homer H. Hine, part of an acre

Mentor

Warren C. Gilbert to Almon Gilbert, 1 acre, undivided half of saw mill and lot

Caleb E. McVay to James C. Campbell, 16 acres

Willoughby

Ransom Kennedy to W. H. Harrison, 10 acres

Madison

Geo. H. Hulett to Lucy Ann Shaw, 3 acres

Another Sudden Death

Mrs. Harriet Beard died at her residence on St. Clair St. Feb. 8. She died in her sleep. She was 87 years old. Her sons are coming from New York for the funeral. She had been a citizen of Painesville for about 60 years.

In Memoriam

Mrs. Caroline Kingsbury died at her residence on Washington St., Feb. 2, age 79 yrs. She has a son, Mr. H. D. Kingsbury, living in Grand Rapids who arrived Friday in time of the funeral. She had been an old resident of Painesville and counted among the early settlers.

Conneaut

The house of Mr. John McLallen, near the line of Conneaut and Kingsville, was burned to the ground last Friday. There was insurance on the house.

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Old Residents of Mentor

Through the kindness of E. S. Munson and I. C. Hodges, I have in my hands a list of names of citizens of Mentor, Lake Co., who were residents here 50 years ago. H. Martindale

Benjamin Carpenter

John Daniels

Mrs. Julia Alvord

Mrs. James Dickey

Mrs. Harry Holmes

Thos. Morley Sr.

Mrs. Thos. Morley

John Russell

Nathan Corning

Mrs. N. Corning

Captain Jas. Smith

Miss Sally Wilson

Green Parker

Franklin Parker

Miss Lydia Root

James Prouty

Elijah Rexford

William Rexford

George Viall

Henry Clapp

Martin Sawyer

Mrs. Daniel Hopkins

Mrs. Schuyler Baker

E. S. Munson

E. M. Ingersoll

Calvin Ingersoll

William Durand

Dudley Nowlen

Clinton Nowlen

Erastus Root

Mrs. Han. Warren

Capt. Isaac Baxter

Daniel Sawyer

Isaac Sawyer

Perry

Owing to an error last week It appeared in my letter that Mr. John Stevenson, had gone into business with Mr. Hall, his former employee. Mr. Hall was his former employer; the firm now bears the name, Hall, Stevenson and Nettleton.

Married

In Willoughby, Feb. 2, Mr. James Langshaw and Miss Florence E. Carpenter, both of Willoughby.

At the M. E. Church, in Boise City, Idaho, Jan. 29th, Mr. E. R. Leonard, of Boise City, and Miss Carrie Huston, daughter of Joe W. Huston, U. S. District Attorney for Idaho, and formerly of Willoughby, Ohio.

Wellington Mason and Robert E. Mason are executors of Arnold Mason, deceased, late of Painesville.

Sheriff's sale in the case of Lettie Ames vs. Jacob Kensing, land in Painesville will be sold.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Feb. 7:

Ladies

Miss Arb'a Hungerford

Mrs. Miranda Mentor

Mrs. Ella Wilson

Mrs. Laura King

Mrs. H. Shepherd

Miss Ju'a C. Wood

Gentlemen

Geo. J. Bell

Wm. Dean

E. W. Hammond

Cyrus Larkin

Jerry Mason

Geo. W. Coon

Neil Gallagher

G. W. Gum

James Mead

Levi L. Tours

p. 4 Centennial Tree Planting

Recommended, to be done this Centennial year, is to plant trees this Spring, by farmers and others, adjacent to their buildings, one or two for each member of the household to be called Centennial Trees. There should be some pleasing ceremony connected with the planting that would make a lasting impression on the minds of the children.

Feb. 10, 1876

A suggested program: Family relatives and neighbors being invited, the party assembles on the ground where the trees are to be planted.

1. The father digs the hole and prepares the ground, or superintends the work. Each tree should have attached to the top a small United States' Flag.
2. The party arrange themselves in a circle and sing "Hail, Columbia."
3. Reading selections from the Declaration of Independence and Washington's Farewell Address.
4. Planting the trees.
5. Party join hands around the tree and sing "The Star Spangled Banner."
6. Short address on planting memorial trees, also, on Revolutionary topics, the part taken by ancestors of the family in the Revolutionary struggle or on national topics generally.
7. Sing the Doxology: "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow."
8. Refreshments served on the lawn: Revolutionary refreshments such as, doughnuts and cider, pumpkin pie, etc., or modern refreshments. Then the young folks can have a game of croquet.

Feb. 17 1876 Thursday

p. 2 from the Warren *Chronicle*

Mrs. Daniel Hurd, of Southington, lost her life in an accident last Monday. She was riding in a two-horse farm wagon; the pin of the wagon yoke broke throwing the wagon on the horses, who became frightened and capsized the vehicle, throwing Mrs. Hurd out. She struck her head and died two hours later. She was a widow lady, age 55 yrs., the mother of a large family.

p. 3 The Mayor of Warren recently prohibited the enacting of the Can-Can dance by the Female Minstrels performing in that city.

Weather: Another week of warm, unwinter-like weather, like so many that have preceded it, was suddenly terminated Tuesday by a cold wave of wind and snow.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Daniel Warner Jr. to Chauncey W. Morrell, lot on Richmond St.

Hiram Brigham to Lewis D. Brigham, 1 acres on Jackson St.

Maria N. Dickey to George W. Doty, house and lot Steele's addition

Willoughby

Hiram D. Hall to Cullen D. Rudd, 17 acres

Thomas Lamoreaux to Reese Y. Carroll, 1 acre

Perry

Jesse J. Thomson to Wm. J. Shattuck, 6 acres

Divorce case of Emily M. Page vs. Wm. J. Page, dismissed

Perry - Mr. Blair, who has been a resident of Kansas for five years past, has returned to our town and entered into a co-partnership for life with Miss Myra Vesey.

Willoughby Plains

The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hayes was held at their residence last Wednesday.

Henry Palmer left for Minn. last week thinking to make that state his future home.

Willoughby

Our post office department is disabled at the present. Deacon Bates and his clerk, Mr. Colson, were both taken sick last week. Their places have been efficiently filled, however, by the Deacon's son, Mr. R. C. Bates, and his granddaughter, Miss Addie Sargent.

Mr. Hiram Hall, residing a little west of town, died on the 12th of consumption.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Burr, left town for Concord last week, to visit Mr. B's father, who is in very poor health.

Madison

Howard Wood, a young man residing in the west part of this township, had one of his feet severely cut on an upright saw in his father's sawmill yesterday.

Feb. 17 1876

Married

In Perry, O., at the bride's parents, David Vesey's, Feb. 9, Mr. Frederick W. Blair and Miss Mira E. Vesey. All of the above place.

Died

In Brooklyn, O., Feb. 6, of consumption, Carrie A., daughter of Joseph and Sarah E. Curtiss, age 5 yrs.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Feb. 14:

Ladies

Allie Bois
Miss Lucy Elmer
Mrs. E. A. King
Miss Angie Patterson
Mrs. S. S. Reniek
Mrs. Betsie Curtiss
Miss Margaret Garrett
Mrs. Eva McLellan
Miss Mirt Quiggle
Miss Ida E. Waters
Mrs. Katharine Wrightsman

Gentlemen

Mr. Gardner
Clark Mason
Elmer Murphy
I. M. Thompson
Thos. J. Gray
James Mead
Horace Rice
A. N. Wasson

Feb. 24, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 The funeral of Geo. W. Doty took place from his late residence on Tuesday.

H. H. Hall is adm. of Hiram D. Hall, late of Willoughby.

R. M. French and family left town yesterday moving to Newport, Michigan.

W. Coolidge, of Hart, Michigan, in renewing his *Telegraph* subscription,, writes there has not been one day of sleighing this winter.

Hon. S. S. Osborn, of Chicago, and Maj. E. A. Osborn, of Coffyville, Kansas, have been visiting friends in Ashtabula Co.

Hugh H. Sanford, of this town went to Cleveland on Monday to take a position in the hardware establishment of W. Bingham & Co. of that city.

Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Downer celebrated Friday at their residence on Mentor Ave., the 25th anniversary of their marriage. They were married in Auburn, N.Y., their former place of residence and moved from there to Painesville 18 yrs. ago. Mrs. Downer on this occasion wore the dress she was married in—a very handsome changeable silk, pointed in front and behind, the fashion of that period. She, also, had her wedding handkerchief of fine material, but in size at least six times larger than the style of the present day. Mrs. Downer's brother, T. J. Kennedy, who lives in Auburn, N.Y., sent a check for \$500.

The Late Mrs. Beard

From the Chicago *Tribune* – Death of the first white woman who visited Chicago

Mrs. Beard, mother of the distinguished artists William H. and James H. Beard, died the 10th instant. Daniel Webster, Henry Clay, Tom Corwin and other celebrated men of their day, seldom passed through Ohio without making a call on Mrs. Beard's. In the year, 1810, her husband owned a brig on the lakes. The vessel was chartered by the Government to transport stores and munition of war to different fortifications of the lakes. Mrs. Beard accompanied her husband on the voyage and landed in Chicago in the summer of that year. There were but 78 persons in the fort at that time, and the sight of a white woman was quite cheering to them. She was 89 years old and will be buried in Painesville where she has lived for over half a century. She was a great reader and possessed a wonderful memory of political disputes that took place.

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List of persons who have been residents of Madison for fifty years:

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Emerson
Chester Stocking
Mr. & Mrs. Homer Griswold
Mr. J. Gill
Luman Wheeler
Peleg Randall
Mrs. David Bailey
Mrs. Oliver Smead
Mrs. P. Adams
Sylvester Strong
Byron Cady
Noah Hobart
James Bliss
William Skinner
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Bissell
Mr. & Mrs. Jasper Brewster
Mrs. J. Cady
Mrs. Dr. Merriman
Mr. & Mrs. Lonson Brooks
Almeron Follett
Horace Ensign
Abel Kimball
Mr. & Mrs. Addison Kimball
Horace Newcomb
Mrs. Salisbury
Mr. & Mrs. Martin Rand
Mrs. E. Wood
Lewis Parker
Albert King
John Kellogg
Mrs. J. Kellogg
Samuel Stratton
John Hinckley
Mrs. A. Smead
Mr. & Mrs. Asa Turney
Silas Hill
George Fisher
Phineas Mixer
Erastus Crocker
Mr. and Mrs. George Lee
Mrs. C. Cunningham
Mr. & Mrs. Alonzo Lee
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilcox
William Balch

Mrs. W. Potter
Daniel Crandall
Leonard Isham
Mrs. Jesse Green
Mrs. Harriman
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Fuller
Mrs. E. Crocker

Residents of Madison between the ages of 80 and 90 Years:

Mrs. Nathan Wood
Edward Bissell
Nathaniel Blakesley
Elder Hunting
Noah Hobart
Luman Wheeler
Joseph Emerson
Chester Stocking
Sylvester Strong
Mr. Bates
Mr. and Mrs. Lonson Brooks
Horace Ensign
C. W. Ensign
Deacon Cook
Harlow Bailey
Phineas Mixer
Mrs. L. Lee
Deacon M. Hubbard
Jonadab Winchester
William Balch
Mrs. John Hubbard
Mrs. Salisbury
Mr. Sawyer

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Call were given a surprise party for their 15th wedding anniversary last Monday.

There is a new organization in Mentor for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Officers elected:

Pres. Wm. Kerr
Vic Pres. — F. J. Rexford, J. P. Barber
Sec. Wm. De Long
Treas. Wm. D. Mather
Directors J. C. Tyler, J. Houghton, Gen. Northrop, B. A. Smith, E. Burridge, and O. Sawyer

Feb. 24, 1876

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Mary J. French to Samuel K. Gray, lot cor. Jackson and Richmond Streets

Lyman Paine to Miranda Todd, lot on Pear St.

Hiram Brigham to James Brown, 7 acres, Jackson St.

Madison

Luelen Nutting to Martha J. Hill, 4 acres

L. C. Woodworth to Mark H. Woodworth, 20 acres

John E. Adams to James Usher, 20 acres

Willoughby

David T. Boynton to E. F. Stockwell, 5 acres

Concord

Eunice M. Brown to Robert Sedwell, 3 acres

LeRoy

Chas A. Brockway to Royal F. Sumner, 30 acres

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Feb. 23:

Ladies

Mrs. John Child

Nellie Moore

Miss Hattie White

Mrs. D. E. Chandler

Mary Weeks

Miss Gussie Wolcott

Gentlemen

A. J. Brown

J. R. Church

Richard Emerson

W. H. Ferguson

John Lappin

John M. Page

Richard Williams

F. W. Burns

Edward Curtis

A. Farwell

William Greehan

John O'Conner

J. G. Tyler

Edward Winegar

Held for postage:

Mrs. C. A. McWilliams, Marion, Ohio

Fanny S. Haun, Ashtabula, Ohio

A. Cottrell, Willoughby, Ohio

Mr. Perkins, Mfg'r of Cigars, Painesville

Albert Searl, Hampden, O.

Mar. 2, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Dr. West opens an office at Hamden Center this week.

D. A. Roe has bought out the blacksmith business of Roe & Hennessey and is now sole owner.

B. Ehrlich moves to Terre Haute, Ind., March 15.

R. H. Beebe, a former resident of this place, died Feb. 18 at the residence of his son-in-law, D. J. Jameson, at North East, Pa., age 73 yrs.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

John Cody to Daniel Sullivan, lot 2, Sanford's survey

Perry

Jesse J. Thompson to Chauncy B. Talcott, 25 acres

Heirs of Orrin Harper to Chas. M. Thomson, 3 acres

Same to Wallace W. Harper, 1 acre

Same to Emma H. Gaylord, 1 acres

Jesse M. Perry to Christiana B. Fowler, w acres

LeRoy

David H. Ray to Edgar Ray, 5 acres

Edgar Ray to David H. Ray, 5 acres

Edson Hill to David H. Ray, 10 acres

Mentor

Gleason F. Lewis to William H. Hayward, 30 acres

Robert Day to Almond Gilbert, 50 acres

Madison

Mary J. Coffin to Daniel Kelley, 100 acres

Willoughby

James H. Tracy to Reese Y. Carroll, 1 acre

Kirtland

Alanson B. Childs to Henry Hooper, 190 acres

A ball was held on Washington's birthday in Concord in 1828 at James Olds' (now known as the Gen. Dille place). The managers were Martin Sawyer, Washington Parker, and Edmund Jones.

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Miss Clara Morse, a sister of Col. Morse, who although both deaf and dumb would keep step to the music. Of those who attended the ball that evening the following persons are probably living: Dea. N. Corning, Mrs. N. Corning, Daniel D. Tompkins, Wilson, Julian Freez, Martin Sawyer, E. S. Munson, Mrs. E. S. Munson, Erastus Root, Mrs. Charles Tuttle, Mrs. S. H. Rexford, C. W. Heard and Gillett Goldsmith. The first ball held at Olds' was on July 4, 1821. The managers were Warren Corning Jr., Erastus Ingersoll, John Nash, Kingsby Olds. Mrs. H. Holmes, formerly Mrs. Warren Corning Jr., and Mrs. Thomas Morley are the only persons now living in Lake Co. who attended.

Perry

Mr. A. B. Call went to Crestline last Monday to meet his brother, S. W. Call, and receive orders.

Golden Wedding

Capt. and Mrs. W. S. Aldrich celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. From the record, we find that W. S. Aldrich and Maria C. Cantine were married in Caroline. Thompkins Co., N.Y., Feb. 26, 1828. They moved to Chautauqua Co., N.Y., in 1835; from there they moved to Mentor, O., April 1866.

Madison

Mr. M. Andrews, who moved to Cleveland last fall, has returned to Madison and will make his home here.

John Cody a member of the Emerald Beneficial Association, Branch No. 5, of Painesville, died and resolutions were passed to honor him. He left a mother, brother, and sister.

Died

At her residence on Courtland St., Feb. 19th, Mrs. Julia Lynch, age 60 yrs.

At his residence in Painesville, Feb. 18, George W. Doty, age 65 yrs.

In Concord, Feb. 17, of membranous croup, Frank C., son of Carlos F. and Lalia J. Baker, age 6 mos.

Attachment: L. C. Williams vs. A. Carver

Daniel Warner Jr. and H. S. Mastick have dissolved the firm of Warner & Mastick by mutual consent.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of March 4:

Ladies

Mrs. Hiram Baker
Mrs. James Chambers
Mrs. Margaret Johnson
Mrs. Mary D. Ryan
Mrs. Eizzie Church
Mary Doolan
Miss Fellie Luce
Mrs. E. Witzman

Gentlemen

Edwin Baker
W. Bissett
Henry Hopkins
Geo. Lay
P. J. Murphy
R. H. Baldwin
Mr. E. Curtiss
W. Kline
Geo. Miller
Alexander Nichols
Peter Sharp

Held for postage:

Miss Alice Barnes, City

Mar. 9, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Our old friend, Isaac Moore, formerly of Mentor, but for several years past a resident of Clinton, Illinois, has returned to Lake Co., and is a citizen of Willoughby. He is 83 yrs. old.

The trial of Wm. Adin for the murder of Hattie McKay, in Cleveland was closed with a verdict of guilty. He will be hung on June 22.

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A monument, a handsome slab, has just been erected in Evergreen Cemetery to the memory of the late Capt. J. N. Dyer, on the family lot. The work was done by Messrs. Kleeberger & Morley under the direction of Dr. Seymour.

A fire was discovered Sunday in the building on State St., known as the Phelps' property now owned by Rufus Briggs, and occupied by S. C. Durban as a boarding house. The damage was slight.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

John W. Hays to Wallace L. B. Baker, lot on Nebraska St.

Lewis D. Brigham to John B. Hulbert, lot on Jackson St.

Willoughby

Ransom W. Perkins, by sheriff, to John McClellan, village lot on Prospect St.

Eliza and Daniel Carpenter to Joseph Baster, 6 acres

Perry

Chas. M. Thompson to Andrew J. Whiting, 1 acre

Madison

Henry Chapman to David Pike, 76 acres

Concord

Anna Balch, by adm. to Eunice M. Brown, 8 acres

Died at his residence in Painesville, on Friday, Hon. Charles C. Jennings, of heart disease, age 66 yrs. During the day, he had driven to town and took some friends for a sleigh ride. He had returned home and dined. At 2 p.m., he called for a horse as he was going to drive again. He passed through the hall carrying a newspaper and was found about 4 p.m. on the floor of the sitting room, dead. Gen. and Mrs. Casement, had gone to Cleveland the day previous but were to return in the afternoon, expecting to entertain friends from abroad that evening. In the rear of the house preparations were being made for the expected guests. A dispatch was sent to Gen. Casement at Cleveland, and to Mrs. I. M. Clark, a daughter of Mr. Jennings, residing at Cold Water,

Michigan. Gen. Casement did not receive the telegram, and Mrs. Casement heard of the death of her father upon leaving the train at Painesville depot.

From Ashtabula Telegraph

Mrs. Edward Harper, of Plymouth, died very suddenly last Saturday. She dropped down with heart disease.

Perry

Mr. A. R. Woolsey, and Miss Josie Fitts married on Wednesday evening. Mr. A. G. Bartlett and Miss Ettie Rous married on Thursday evening. Dr. H. R. Van Ness and Mrs. Susan Chesbro were married.

Madison

Prof. Geo. L. Mills, a former resident of this place, died at North Liberty, Ohio, last Thursday of congestion of the lungs. He left Madison about a year ago to take charge of a school at Washington, Franklin Co.

Our popular M.D., Dr. R. M. Powers, left town one-day last week and returned with a wife, Miss Kate Newell, of Orwell. The doctor owns a house and a lot.

Mrs. Lamb, mother of Mrs. John Williams, of this place, died in the West recently. The remains were taken to Geneva for burial.

Middle Ridge, Feb. 29

Mrs. O. N. Fletcher, wife of the Baptist pastor, arrived today from Cassopolis, Michigan.

Married

In Painesville, March 2, Franklin R. Dowen and Ella M. Palmer, both of Concord.

In Perry, March 1, Arthur R. Woolsey and Josie M. Fitts, both of Perry.

In Perry, March 1, Addison G. Bartlett and Ella A. Rous, both of Perry.

In Painesville, March 1., Mr. Geo. E. Treadwell, of Newcastle, Pa., and Miss Sarah Greer, of Painesville.

Mar. 9, 1876

Died

In Cincinnati, O., of consumption, Mrs. Edna E. Lindsley, age 47 yrs. She was formerly of Painesville, O.

In North East Pa., Feb. 18, R. H. Beebe, age 72 yrs., 2 mos., 22 days.

Everybody says they get the best teas for the least money at L. C. Stebbins & Son.

H. H. Hall is the adm. of Hiram D. Hall, deceased, late of Lake Co. Willoughby

S. C. Durban and family print a card to thank citizens of Painesville for their efforts to save their household goods from destruction by fire and water when the building was burning last Saturday.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of March 11:

Ladies

Miss Serene Allen
Mrs. Catherine Corlett
Miss Nettie Hudson
Miss M. Wilkinson
Mrs. Ann Barrett
Miss Ina Hunt
Emma J. Pease
Mrs. S. M. Wilkinson

Gentlemen

F. W. Blaire
Michael O'Connel

Held for postage;

Daniel Cudney, Welland, Ont.
Bell S. Roger, Milford, Mass.

Mar. 16, 1876 Thursday

p. 1 From the Grant County (Wis.) *Witness*

Mrs. Eliza Stratton, late of Perry, Lake Co., Ohio, died.

p. 2 At a meeting of the Painesville Grange, a committee was appointed to draft resolutions of respect on the death of their member, Charles C. Jennings.

p. 3 Last Saturday at a boarding house at Ashtabula Harbor, two Finlanders, John Rombare and Andrew Wallek, got into a quarrel when the former struck the latter on the head with a pickaxe handle, fracturing the skull and causing instant death.

The Late Mr. Jennings

Mr. Jennings was born in Lycoming Co., Pa., Nov. 10, 1809. His parents moved to Ohio and became residents of this township in 1820. In 1840, Mr. Jennings bought the large farm, then covered with woods, and reared the palatial mansion he occupied with his children at the time of his death. At the age of 16 he became a teacher in the public schools. He was a representative in the State Legislature. The Painesville Grange was organized at his house in March, 1874, and he was elected Master. His funeral was said to be the largest ever attended in Lake Co.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Mary H. Reynolds to Horace Alvord and E. P. Branch, 7 acres
Peter Kleeberger to William Johnson, village lot
Thomas Courtright to Eliza Courtright, lot on Jackson St.
John Blee to George W. Steele, lot on St. Clair St.
Wallace L. Baker to Geo. A. Brahman, lot on Nebraska St.
Orison Gibson, by adm. to Emily Gibson, lots 52 and 53 Grandon
H. P. Sanford, to R. L. Blair to Patrick O'Rourke, part of acre on Fobes St.
Field D. Warner to Noah Brainard, 183 acres
Amanda Mason to Caleb and Russell Mason, 139 acres, in Painesville and Concord

Madison

W. J. Cornelius to Julia A. Winans, village lot
Elihu Dodge to Z. L. Judd, part of an acre
Z. L. Judd to Elihu Dodge, part of an acre

Perry

Willard Hardy to Nelson Hoose, 5 rods
John E. Hewitt to Hart Ward and Geo. W. Morse
Enoch Stockham to Newton I. Watts, 18 acres

Concord

Isaac Palmer to Isaac Newton Palmer, 1 acre

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Anna Balch, by adm. to Cullen E. Palmer, 48 acres

Willoughby

Maggie Roberts to Laura J. Garnett, 6 acres

Mentor

George W. Steele to Neil Gallagher, 14 acres

Concord – The following persons resided in Concord in 1826 and reside there still:

Mrs. Jon. Goldsmith

Mrs. Ahira Clark

Mrs. H. C. Camp

Mrs. Truman Rust

Mrs. Stephen Carroll

Mrs. Thos. Noble

Rufus Griswold

Mrs. W. B. Jenkins

Mrs. George Baker

Mr. & Mrs. Francis Jewell

Jason Jewell

Miner Hill

Rolla Eddy

Dan Burchard

Willis Woodruff

Mrs. Jacob Prouty

Mrs. J. L. Frisbie

Joseph Tuttle

W. B. Tuttle

Miss Hannah Tuttle

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nye

Elijah Brown

Mrs. G. Searls

D. Beckwith

James Lamb

Mrs. Cady

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Nye

Miss Lucia Goldsmith

Ruel Loomis

John Tucker

Isaac Palmer

Erastus Palmer

A. Anderson

Seth Anderson

George Anderson

Martin Adams

Mrs. M. Adams

Mr. & Mrs. Abner Morse

Jacob Morse

Mr. & Mrs. George Mitchell

Mr. & Mrs. Orson Wilson

Miss Jenette Winchell

Mrs. Lyman Mitchell

Capt. & Mrs. Harvey Huntoon

Richmond Clapp

George Clapp

Heman Williams

Mrs. H. Williams

Mr. & Mrs. J. Stickney

D. Woodruff

Correl Merrill

Mrs. L. Manley

Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Winchell

Alvah Brown

Willoughby

Mr. Spencer Allen, an old resident of our village died, on the 10th.

Mr. C. C. Ackley and wife have returned to Willoughby with the intention of remaining.

Willoughby, March 14

Dr. & Mrs. R. E. Hurlburt will entertain their friends at their home celebrating their silver wedding. The Doctor has commenced the practice of medicine at Youngstown and will move his family in a few weeks.

Madison

Mr. Asa S. Stratton has been appointed Mayor, in place of G. W. Lyman, who is prevented from attending to the duties of that office from sickness.

Married

March 4, at the house of Charles Turner, in Claridon, Mr. George Rivers and Miss Ada Perry, of Painesville.

In Painesville, March 8, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Newton Hubbard and Miss Elizabeth Clayton.

In Painesville, March 14, Mr. Charles A. Koss and Miss Lizzie Werbach.

Died

In LeRoy, March 10, Azuba Valentine, widow of Anson Valentine, age 86 years.

Mar. 16, 1876

Died in Painesville, March 6, of consumption, Margaret, wife of John Westropp, age 45 years. The deceased has been a resident of Painesville for 25 years. The remains were buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of March 15:

Ladies

Miss Lucy Elmer
Sarah Quant
Mrs. Henry King
Mrs. Mary Woodcock

Gentlemen

A. Farnell
John Haley
O. G. Nelson
A. C. Snell
Jacob Teachout
John H. Valentine
William Geehan
McDonald
R. W. Russell
H P. Stentz (Cashier)
Philo F. Turner
M. L. White
Chas. L. Webb

Held for postage:

Beanley Pelton, Chardon, Ohio
J. S. Perley, Cleveland, Ohio

Mar. 23, 1876 Thursday

p. 2 Perry

Last Wednesday, Miss Kittie Mason and Mr. A. Alvord were married at the residence of the bride's father.

Miss Stella Sawdey and Mr. Leslie Hart were married on Wednesday evening. About 40 guests were asked to present themselves at the Sawdey mansion.

Last Tuesday, March 7, Miss Lona Davis gave a masquerade party at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis. The gentlemen arrived in various costumes but the ladies all wore white dresses and masks. After a couple of hours of socializing, the host asked the

guests to form in lines and unmask. The gentlemen selected ladies to escort into dinner.

Mrs. Noyes, President of the Women's Centennial Committee of Ohio, writes to a lady of this city that the Women's Pavilion at Philadelphia will be filled, though Ohio, makes few contributions. Consolation is derived however, from the fact that Ohio, who liberally helped to erect the building, can afford to let others fill it. *Columbus Journal*

Married

March 15, at the North M. E. Church, in Perry, Mr. Leslie G. Hart, of Kalamazoo, Mich., and Miss Stella Sawdey, of the former place.

March 15, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. C. H. Alvord, of Marathon, N.Y., and Miss Kittie A. Mason, daughter of Ezra B. Mason, of Perry, Ohio.

Died

March 1, Painesville, of spasmodic croup, Harry Tuttle, son of Fletcher and Eliza J. Tuttle, age 5 mos., 10 days.

In Painesville, March. 8, of consumption, Katie P. Spranger, daughter of the late Thomas and Lydia Spranger, age 7 mos., 4 days.

From the Minnesota Radical - Mrs. Sarah Long, wife of Sheriff Long of this city, died March 8, in Minnesota, of congestion of the lungs, after a few days' illness. The remains were buried in the family lot at Wilton. She was 51 yrs. old last June. She came to Oakman with her husband in 1854. She leaves a large family to mourn her death. At the time of her sickness and death, she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Dodge, of Janesville. (The deceased was a sister of John Broughton, of Painesville, Ohio.)

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of March 22:

Ladies

Maria Bruner
Miss Henriette Clark
Mrs. Sarah Doline
Mrs. John Hopkins
Ann Kordmeir

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Miss Caroline Burdick
Mrs. Mary A. Corlet
Miss Mary Donnelly
Miss Catharine Kenney
Mrs. M. Stuart

Gentlemen

S. W. Andrews
Wm. Billington
Addison B. Colwell
M. J. O'Connell
S. M. Sheldon
Henry Benedier
A. Cole
Thomas Murphy
P. J. Ryan
Capt. James Smith
Geo. H. Steeves

p. 3 O. S. Hodges has taken possession of his new house on Erie St.

A. A. Clapp, formerly of Mentor, has been elected a member of the town council in Red Oak, Iowa.

We find in the South Bend (Ind.) *Tribune* the marriage notice of Mr. W. B. Stover and Miss Eva Adams, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Adams, formerly of this town, who married on the 14th instant.

Dr. Young has moved his office to his residence, corner of St. Clair and Jackson Streets. The room thus vacated (in the post office building) will be fitted up by Dr. Carlisle, who will occupy it. We believe Dr. Sawyer will, also, transact business in the same room.

Mr. B. Ehrlich, who for many years has been a dry goods merchant in Painesville is packing up and will remove his stock the present week to Terre Haute, Ind.

S. B. Lockwood has moved from this town, to Lancaster to accept a position at the State

Reform School with Mr. Howe. He has always been a resident of Painesville.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Sally Ann and T. P. White to Samuel F. Pierson, house and lot on South St.

Caleb and Russell Mason to Amanda Mason, 17 acres

Madison

H. F. Doty to Hiram Prentice, 11 acres

Wilfred P. Brewer and others to John S. and Adaline R. Fowler, 37 acres

Frederick Witzman to Herman Witzman, 21 acres

Concord

Anna Balch by adm. to Lois A. Woodworth, 4 acres

George W. Baron and Owen E. Nolan, part of an acre

Willoughby

Samuel Brichford to Julius W. Dee, 12 acres

Mentor

Benjamin Bissel to William Heisley, Mentor and Concord 117 acres, Dille farm

Kirtland

W. R. Metcalf to Trustees of Kirtland Township, part of acre, Town Hall lot

LeRoy

Heirs of Ogden French to Francis E. Kellogg, 17 acres

In Memoriam

Died in Painesville, March 17, after an illness of six weeks, from congestion of the lungs, Sarah Adams, wife of Hon. George W. Steele, and only surviving child of Mrs. Dr. Palmer, age 49 yrs.

Madison

We are enjoying an 8-inch snow, something unusual for the 20th of March.

Hattie, a little daughter of Alanson Wellman, of the Dock Road, died Saturday, age 8 yrs.

Mr. G. H. Preston, who has been studying medicine with his brother at Warren, Pa., is home for a short visit.

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The Headlands

Mr. Henry Lapham and Miss Mary Fountain, both of the Headlands, were married at the residence of Capt. R. H. Fountain on Saturday evening. The bridesmaids were Miss Ann Owens, and Miss Hattie Falor; groomsmen, Mr. John Burns, and Mr. John Brooks.

Silver Wedding

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Hurlburt celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their residence on Cleveland St. They were presented with a beautiful silver service from their friends. Mrs. Hurlburt was arrayed in the dress worn 25 years ago. In attendance was the first couple Dr. Hurlburt had married. The Dr. and family will move April 1 to Youngstown where he will continue his profession, the practice of medicine.

Catharine Doty is the executrix of George W. Doty, deceased late of Lake Co.

E. Holcomb and E. E. Gould has dissolved their partnership by mutual consent. E. E. Gould will continue the business at the old stand (stoves, tin ware, house furnishings, gas fixtures, &c.).

Divorce Notice: James Lamb vs. Maria Lamb, place of residence unknown. The defendant has been willfully absent for three years last past.

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p. 3 Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Eunice Wood to Mary Josephine King, house and lot on South St.

Stuart Kingsbury to Malvina A. Kingsbury, lot on Washington St.,

Willoughby

Lasell Birge to Olive A. Inman, 12 acres

Henry Garnett to Ransom R. Roberts, part of an acre

Madison

Sally Ann and Seth Minor to Miner Andrews, 100 acres

Concord

Wayne B. Murray to John E. Murray, 91 acres

The following teachers received certificates from the Lake Co. Board of Examiners last Saturday:

Jennie Bidwell
Amelia Day
Addie M. Bailey
Maggie M. Black
Jennie Flower
Coralyn D. Potter
Ida F. Bacon
Vina O. Wilson
Belel Mellin
Lina Dudley
Nellie E. Whitney
Lillie M. Morrell
Lida E. Manley
Nellie M. Tyler
George T. Bailey
Anna A. Hutton
Alice Griswold
Alice A. Johnson
Nettie McBride
Sarah A. Waterbury
Ella L. Hayes
Carla J. Lillie
Mary E. Craine
Emma M. Mosely
Emma J. Corlett
Stella E. Plympton
Alice A. Greene
Selina C. Huntington

Thos. J. Rafter and C. E. Slitor have formed a new partnership dealing in groceries and general family supplies.

John W. Tyler, for the past eight years a resident of Painesville, moves the present week to Cleveland where he has formed a law partnership, Tyler & Dennison, their office No. 5, Lyman Block.

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Concord

In the list of old settlers of Concord, you omitted the names of Jared Murray and Mrs. Correl Merrill. Instead of Rufus Griswold, it should have been Mrs. Rufus Griswold, nee Caroline Carrel.

Madison

Mr. John Walding, of Fostoria, O., has been visiting his parents and brothers in this place.

William Sharpe, a notorious character and a former resident of this place, is under a sentence of death at St. Louis, Mo., for some murder he committed.

Mrs. Elder Stearns, a daughter of Mrs. Munn of this place, died at Kingsville, Ashtabula Co., on Saturday. The remains were brought to Madison.

Dea. E. W. Brewster, one of the old settlers of this township, died suddenly of apoplexy last Wednesday, age 72 yrs.

Old Residents of Madison – Full list of those living here who were here 50 yrs. ago

Adams, Mrs. Polly
Allen, Mr. Wheaton
Burr, Mrs. Charles
Bailey, Mr. & Mrs. Harlow
Brooks, Mr. & Mrs. L.
Baker, Mr. Edward
Brewster, Mr. J.
Brewster, Mr. E. W.
Bailey, Mrs. Maria
Bissell, Mr. & Mrs. Edward
Bliss, James
Bartram, Miss Laura
Balch, William
Burns, Robert
Blair, Mr. & Mrs. J. F.
Mrs. A. Branch
Mrs. Julia Benton
Bennett, Mr. & Mrs. Lionel
Burns, John
Branch, Mrs. W. W.
Burns, Gilbert
Cummings, C.
Cady, Mrs. J.

Cunningham, Mrs. C.
Cram, Lowell
Cook, Geo. T.
Crandall, Miss Sarah
Crandall, Daniel
Cady, B. W.
Dayton, Mrs. James
Dyer, Mrs. Bela
Ensign, Horace
Emerson, Mr. & Mrs. Jos.
Fisher, George
Frisbie, Almon
Ford, James
Fuller, Joseph
Follet, Almeron
Flower, Mrs. A.
Foster, Mrs. S.
Flower, Mrs. A.
Foster, Mrs. S.
Gifford, William
Green, Mrs. Jessie
Galpin, Mrs. M.
Herriman, Mrs. Ira
Hobart, Noah
Hill, Silas
Hinkley, John
Hotchkiss, L
Hickok, Mrs. R. S.
Hubbard, Mrs. John
Holbrook, S. K.
Holbrook, N. B.
Hickok, Mrs. Eliza
Hubbard, Mrs. John.
Isham, M. B.
Kellogg, Mr. & Mrs. John
King, Albert
Kimball, A.
Kimball, Abel
Kimball, Miss E.
King, Andrew J.
King, Mrs. A. J.
Kellogg, Silas
Lewis, Mrs. James
Lee, Mrs. L.
Lee, Alonzo
Latham, Mrs. R. R.
Lee, Mr. & Mrs. George D.
Mixer, A. K.

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Mixer, Phineas
McDonald, Mrs. L
Merriman, Mrs. Dr.
McMackin, C.
Mixer, Mrs. Belinda
Miller, Mrs. R.
Newcomb, H. F.
Olds, Mrs. Eli
Potter, Mrs. Betsey
Parker, Lewis
Palmer, Mrs. Cullen
Plimpton, Mrs. E.
Potter, Mrs. William
Randall, Peleg
Rand, Mr. & Mrs. Martin
Raplee, Mrs. Stephen
Stocking, Wells
Stocking, C.
Stocking, W. H.
Salisbury, Mrs. John
Skinner, W.
Smead, Mrs. Abner
Sherwood, N.
Searls, James
Stratton Mrs. S.
Stearns, Ziba
Salisbury, Lucy
Turney, Mr. & Mrs. A. S.
Taylor, Mrs. J. S.
Turney, E. W.
Thompson, N.
Teachout, Mrs. A.
Warner, Mr. & Mrs. O. W.
Wheeler, Mr. & Mrs. L.
Warner, E. O.
Warner, Mr. and Mrs. S. C.
Whipple, H.
Whipple, Mr. C.
Wyman, Mrs. Frank
Wood, Mrs. Elisha
Wooden, Hiram
Weeks, Luther
Woodworth, Mrs. L
Winchell, Mr. & Mrs. L.
Wadsworth, Mrs. S.
Waterman, L,

Waterman, Mrs. N.
Warner, Mrs. A. G.
Worden, Mrs. Hiram
Waterman, John

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of
March 19:

Ladies

Mrs. DeEtte Brown
Mrs. H. Fillemenus
Mrs. Electa C. Smith
Miss Anna Brown
Mrs. Mary Hanington
Miss Ella Lockwood
Mrs. Rebecca Thomas
Miss Lydia Wright

Gentlemen

M. L. Barns
Wm. Harvey
Daniel Ryan
A. Farwell
Wm. Ramsey
W. H. Smith
Alonzo Stockham

Held for postage:

James Vick, Rochester, N.Y.
Mrs. O. C. England, Chicago, Ill.
Miss Helen Morse, Leroy, N.Y.

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p. 1 Old Residents of Madison over 80 years of age. Mrs. Amanda Wellman is the oldest on the list, she is 91 years old.

Harlow Bailey
Edward Bissell
Nathaniel Blakeley
Milo Brewer
Mr. Bates
Mr. & Mrs. Lonson Brooks
Mr. & Mrs. Lionel Bennett
William Balch
Deacon Cook
Horace Ensign
C. W. Ensign
Joseph Emerson
Elder Hunting
John Hinkley

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Noah Hobart
Deacon M. Hubbard
Mrs. John Hubbard
Phineas Mixer
Mrs. Linus Lee
Mrs. John Salisbury
Chester Stocking
Mrs. Sawyer
Mrs. Turney
Mrs. Nathan Wood
Jonadab Winchester
Luman Wheeler
Mr. & Mrs. James McClellan
Mrs. Amanda Wellman

Old Residents of Painesville – The following residents have resided in Painesville Township for the last 50 yrs. and over:

Robert Moody
E. D. Howe
Mrs. B. D. Chesney
Miss Eliza Paine
Mr. & Mrs. Milo Harris
Mr. & Mrs. F. J. Huntington
Colbert Huntington
J. C. Huntington
Samuel Butler
Mr. & Mrs. F. Paine
Mrs. D. Russell
Mrs. Julia Gillett
Mrs. Asa Childs
Mrs. Dr. Rosa
Miss M. Sessions
Mrs. Wm. J. Ford
Mrs. L. King
Mrs. Arnold Mason
Mrs. C. D. Adams
Mrs. S. Marshall
Stephen Mathews
Mrs. S. Mathews
Mrs. J. Sedgebeer
Miss Seeley
John Blee
Henry Babcock
Edward Babcock
Ruxton Streater

Mrs. L. Durand
Mrs. H. F. Shepard
Mrs. A. Roy
Zerah Rider
Miss H. Beard
Mrs. W. C. Chambers
Mrs. Cumings
Mrs. R. Offer
David Mathews
George W. King
Samuel Moody
Samuel Mathews
Uri Seeley
Benjamin Pepoon
Augustus Skinner
L. L. Lathrop
Mr. & Mrs. K. A. E. Bell
L. E. Miller
Miss M. Miller
Mrs. C. A. Avery
Mrs. J. F. Scofield
Mrs. Thomas Greer
Miss S. Blair

p. 3 Mrs. Tear, mother of Miss Joan Tear, residing on the east side of the river, met with a very serious accident on Sunday, by falling and breaking one of her hips. She is 85 yrs. old.

Com. A. A. and Mrs. Belknap, for the past two years citizens of this place, have moved to Rochester, N.Y.

S. W. Weigel, for 20 yrs. an employee in Fay's Mills, has moved to Walnut Creek, in the vicinity of Fairview, Pa, and in company with a brother has rented the Walnut Creek Mills for a term of years.

Jacob Winebrenner was killed by the train Saturday noon. He was lying on the track; it is supposed he had been drinking.

Real Estate Transfers Painesville

Sarah M. Ames to Mary L. Snell, lot on Wood St.
Cynthia A. and Thos. W. Loomis to Noah Brainard, house and lot, Washington St.

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Noah Brainard to Celestia M. Warner, same premises

Madison

Orin Copp by Sheriff, to Elihu Dodge, 31 rods

Elihu Dodge to Kirk Vanderlip, 4 acres

Kirtland

Emergene and C. T. T. Morley to Alden E. Sanborn, 1 acres

Mary Richmond to Malon E. Sweet, 3 acres

Henry Martin to Malon E. Sweet, 11 rods

Perry

Annie E. and Frank Warner to Lyman C. Manchester and wife, 50 acres

Mentor

Stephen H. Hart to Maria E. Rider, 1 acre

Another Old Citizen Gone

Robert Moodey died at his residence on State St., on Tuesday morning, April 4, age 87 yrs., 6 months. The deceased was among the early settlers of Painesville and was one of the few who lived to see the opening of the Centennial year. He was a native of Washington Co., Pa., from where he removed in 1812, while yet a young man to this place, and for several years was engaged in a small general mercantile trade. In 1815, he married Miss Kerr, of Mentor, sister of the Kerr Brothers so well known in the early history of Geauga Co. Their golden wedding was celebrated April 5, 1865, eleven years ago. From 1837 to 1850, he was engaged with his son, Mr. S. Moodey, in the drug business, since then, although not in active or permanent trade, he yet led an active and useful life.

Mentor

The Corporation ticket elected on Monday:

Nathan Corning, Mayor

John C. Tyler, Clerk

Treas., O. S. Haskell

Marshal, E. W. Curtis

Street Commissioner, James B. Barns

Council: Nelson D. Corning, Warren C. Dickey, Geo. Wheeler

Board of Ed: Truman P. Barber, E. T. C. Aldrich, T. G. Hart

Kirtland

The following were elected:

Trustees: Sam Metcalf, S. M. Whiting, E. D. Billings

Treas. Austin Damon

Clerk, J. F. Wells

Assessor, M. V. Hopkins

Constables: B. M. Curtis, J. R. Millard

Justice of Peace, S. C. Carpenter

Concord Trustees – Hor. S. Fay, J. H. Murray, E. V. Prouty

Clerk. T. H. Murray

Treas., A. Wilson

Assessor, C. B. Winchell

Constables – Jas. Oliver, Geo. Blish

Justices of Peace – Alpheus Wilson and L. E. Nye

LeRoy

Trustees – B. F. Wright, John T. Boyd, E. C. Valentine

Clerk, S. J. Potts

Treas., Ira Bates

Assessor, Joel Crofoot

Constables – Wm. Northard, A. Bates

Justice Peace, S. B. Baker.

Willoughby

Township officers elected:

Trustees: G. B. Durban, O. H. Sharpe, Z. Warner

Treas. J. S. Ellen

Clerk, C. C. Jenkins

Assessor, G. S. Eddy

Constables, H. Stevens, A. L. Brown

Sanford Downing, John Lilley

Tax to pave Main St. – Yes

Corporation officers:

Mayor, J. S. Ellen

Treas. R. C. Bates

Members of Council: R. Kennedy, C. R. Brown, G. W. Storm

Marshal, G. S. Eddy

Trustees Cemetery: T. H. Burr, G. W. Clement

Member Board of Ed: G. W. Clement

Perry

Trustees: R. E. Allison, J. E. Perry, J. H. Cook

Treas., C. M. Thompson

Clerk, E. S. Belknap

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Assessor, H. Armstrong

Constables – H. N. Brewer, C. W. Stanhope

Perry -

Horace Lampson's funeral is at the Baptist Church today. He lost his wife a little over a year ago. March 4, 1876

Mrs. Gordon's funeral took place last Thursday. She was a connection of Mr. and Mrs. Jerod Tyler (a grandmother we believe).

Lewis Chapin Herrick, formerly of our town, married Miss Rosa Woodbury, of Twinsburg.

Madison Township election Election results"

Trustees: J. P. Smead, Stephen Raplee, E. B. Griswold

Clerk - William H. Philes

Treas. - O. A. Hoskin

Assessor -, John W. Crocker

Constables – H. P. Allen, G. A. Miller

Justice of the Peace – J. B. Hayden

Madison Village Election

Mayor – L. H. Kimball

Clerk - A. C. Childs

Treas. - William H. Philes

Marshal – R. Freeman

Street Commissioner, Charles Gilbreath

Members of Council – William H. Pancost, E. F.

Ensign, S. A. Rand

Cemetery Trustee, William Hendry

Members of School Board – L. H. Kimball, H. C.

Ensign

A letter from Mary Evans, of Lake Erie Seminary explaining the necessity of building on to the Seminary at this time.

Died

In Antwerp, Van Buren Co., Michigan, Jan 15, of pneumonia, Orlin Newell, age 62 years. He was born in Bark Hemsted, Conn., Dec. 3, 1813. At the age of six years, his parents moved to Mentor, Ohio where they resided until the year 1849. While living in Mentor, he formed the acquaintance of Miss Lucy Ann Baxter, eldest

daughter of Capt. Baxter, of Mentor; and was married April 13, 1840, at Painesville. From Mentor, he moved to Madison where he resided until 1865, when he moved to Michigan, setting in the town and county above mentioned. He has been farmer his entire life. He lived in Michigan 10 yrs. and made many friends. He leaves a wife, three daughters, and a son.

Margaret Brick vs Patrick Brick – The defendant has abandoned her and she is asking for alimony.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 5:

Ladies

Mrs. Elizabeth Ball

Cornie N. Lyon

Mrs. Abby M. Barnes

Mrs. Frank Niets

Gentlemen

Wm. Chausbrow

Edward Ryan

Joseph A. Sweeney

Held of postage:

Miss A. L. Chapin, Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Cynthia Pittibone, Algona, Iowa

Mrs. Margaret Messenger, Ridgeway Pa.

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Painesville

Harvey Woodworth to Ellen Kershaw, 1 acres

Wm. Mitchell to Geo. W. Steele, trustee, 5 acres

Geo. W. Steele to Painesville Real Estate Assoc., same 6 acres, and also the farm known as the Thos. Tear farm in Richmond

Madison

Job S. Taylor to Exchange Bank of Madison, 10 rods

Henry Roberts by sheriff, to J. B. Hayden, 108 rods

Nathaniel A. Pierce to James E. Briggs, 4 acres Willoughby

Betsey Allen to Emery Crawford, part of lot 44

John H. Strong to Alfred Hennessey, 30 acres

Kirtland

Marvin Heath of Seth Heath, 51 acres

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Mentor Township Officers

Trustees – E. Burridge, I. A. Baxter, E. T. C. Aldrich
Treas., F. J. Rexford
Clerk, Wm. D. Mather
Assessor, T. E. Alvord
Constables – Sylvester Brooks, Hiram C. Whitney

Madison, April 11

Our community was startled last week by the news of the sudden and tragic death of Mr. Zenas Norton, by hanging, which occurred on Tuesday. He was about 72 yrs. old; he had a diseased system that may have had something to do with it.

Ida M., a daughter of John Ferguson, of South Madison died last Saturday from erysipelas.

Concord

Concord has a citizen, Mr. Willis Woodruff, now 75 years old, who came from Colebrook, Conn., in 1822 with an ox team, sleeping in his wagon every night but two. He felled the first tree in this part of Concord known as the Woodruff Settlement; had chopped and cleared ninety acres of heavy timber and never turned out for rain, hail or snow. He chopped 18 acres one winter; has worked sixty-five consecutive seasons through haying and harvesting without losing an hour. In 1825, he worked forty-two hours without stopping only to get his meals, during the time he pitched one way twenty acres of grass that would average one and a half tons to the acre, Harvey Winchell drove the team. At one time in the month of Nov., he traveled ninety miles, twenty by stage and seventy on foot, without stopping for the night. He chops every winter 100 cords of stove wood. When the roads are bad, he frequently walks to Painesville and back, sometimes in an hour and a quarter. He never weighed over 160 lbs., and is now straight as an arrow.

Willoughby Farmers' Club

Question for discussion: Is it profitable to grow fruit? Names mentioned: O. Andrews, S. W. Brown, O. H. Brown, A. Hanson, T. Richardson, C. Hopkins, Curtiss Brown, George Palmer, M. E. Gray.

Willoughby

W. S. Smith, for several years past a resident of the village has moved back to his farm on Waite Hill.

G. C. St. John has returned home from Ann Arbor, Michigan, graduating with honors from the Law School at that place.

Died

At Painesville, O, April 10, Bessie Baldwin, infant daughter of M. L. and Phebe R. Saunders

At Columbus, April 3, Clara, daughter of E. J. and Anna M. Blinn, age 4 years, 12 days.

In Perry, Lake Co., March 28, Mary, widow of Hugh Gordon, age 83 yrs., 20 mos., 19 days. The deceased, whose maiden name was Martin, was a native of Otsego Co., N.Y., where in 1810 she was married to Mr. Gordon, with whom she lived more than 50 yrs.; he having preceded her in death about 10 years. Forty-three years ago, they moved to Willoughby and twenty-four years ago, they moved to Perry, to the farm now owned by C. M. Thompson. She was the mother of seven children, five of whom survive her.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 11:

Ladies

Mrs. Ann Bennett
Mrs. Margaret A. Christy
Mrs. Annette R. Clark
Mrs. Mary Duffy
Miss Carrie Gray
Mrs. Arthur Hart
Miss J. Lamberton
Mrs. Mary Milles
Mrs. D. J. Pierson
Mrs. Ed. Thompson

Gentlemen

James Boyd
Michael Cahoe
A. W. Clark

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C. E. Cornell
John Linch
John O'Conner
W. H. Paine
W. G. Ritter
W. B. Stendryx
Orange Sweezey
Thompson
John Turk
Chas. H. Wilcox

Held for postage:

Miss Julia Barns, Akron
Miss Jennie Offutt, Plain Grove, Penn.

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p. 3 Dr. E. L. Plympton, formerly of Madison, in this county, but for several years past a resident of Hudson, Michigan, died on the 13th instant, age 73 yrs.

Many of our citizens will remember John J. Pike. He was in the army service of the rebellion and both before and afterwards spent some time in Painesville. He died of quick consumption at the residence of his brother-in-law, J. C. Chamberlain, at Belton Texas, on the 5th instant.

Another Citizen Gone

John Craine, an old and esteemed citizen of this place, died at his residence on Tuesday, April 18, after an illness of ten weeks; he was 64 yrs. old. He was for many years a prominent leading architect and builder.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Marcus and Mary W. Smith to John F. Morse, lot on Mentor Ave.
Harvey Cram to Charles S. Cram, 8 acres
Mary Reardon to Martha Hamilton, village lot
E. C. Lockwood to Adelaide Tuttle, lot on Mentor Ave.

Kirtland

James Brain Sr., by adm. to Ettie M. Hobart, 4 acres

Madison

Sextus E. Wood to Wm. H. Genung, 2 acres

Madison

Mrs. Edna Custin Perry, a former lady of this township, died recently near Lindenwood, Illinois.

Married

In Concord, April 12 at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. Edward P. Kellogg and Miss Caroline Carroll

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of April 19

Ladies

Mrs. Louisa Baker
Miss Lide Barquin
Mary D. Davis
Miss Kate Kenny
Miss Josephine Malott
Mary B. Mosely
Miss Allie Ball
Miss Brick
Mrs. Frank Fox
Miss Ella Lockwood
Mrs. R. C. Moffitt
Miss Mary O'Gorman
Mrs. Nancy Sherry

Gentlemen

Thomas Brunick
F. B. Burroughs
Chilon Clark
Frederick Fuchs
Fred C. Mathews
Max Meinhold
Enoch Morr
David M. Smith
Samuel Thompson
C. A. Wilcox

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p. 2 J. S. Casement is the adm. of Chas. C. Jennings, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

p. 3 A little three-year-old son of Mr. H. Carter, of Ashtabula, while playing about the yard one

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day last week, fell into an old well, through a board covering, and was drowned.

Real Estate Transfers

Madison

William Ross to Robert Ross, 26 acres

Elihu Stevens to Henry Teachout, 5 acres

John Ryan to Abraham Brotzman, 5 acres

Willoughby

N. C. Stockwell to A. R. Hurd, 21 rods, part of lot 77

Alfred C. Judd to Mark W. Judd, 12 acres

Kirtland

Joseph G. Taylor to A. R. Hurd, 50 acres

Perry

George W. Stevens to Frank Stevens, part of an acre

Madison

The tolling of the bell on Sunday morning announced to our people the news of the death of Mrs. Deacon L. Brooks, at age 82 yrs. She was one of the pioneers of the township.

The daughter of Mr. Ara Woodworth, age 33 yrs. died last Friday of consumption.

Willoughby

A very sad fatal accident occurred Sunday in the family of John Roper. A twin daughter, three years of age, being left alone for a few minutes while the mother was absent at a near neighbor's, proceeded to build a fire using kerosene oil. While pouring it on the coals, the contents took fire and exploded covering her with the fluid that took fire. Before her cries brought any assistance, she was burned almost to a crisp. She lingered in agony until Monday morning when death came to her relief.

Married

In Painesville, the 24th, J. F. Brown, of Perry, and Miss Annie O'Brien, of Painesville.

In Fostoria, April 20, at the residence of the bride's mother. Arthur D. Higgins, of Painesville, and Miss Allie M. Eckels.

Died

In this village, last Sunday, Mr. Henry Sutherland, age 60 yrs.

At Fowl, Mich., April 20, of pneumonia, Emeline Benton, wife of Amos H. Wilmot, age 51, formerly of Painesville.

At Hudson, Mich., on the 13th instant, Dr. Edward S. Plympton, late of Madison, Lake Co., Ohio; age 73 yrs. Edward S. Plympton was born in Sturbridge, Mass., in 1803, came to Madison in 1827, and began to study medicine with Dr. Andrews Merriman. He was elected to the General Assembly of the State in 1851 and was instrumental in bringing the new School system into favor and successful operation. A few years ago, he retired to Hudson, Michigan. There he lost first his wife to death and then his two remaining sons. Twenty years ago he, also, lost a son. A daughter only remains, Mrs. Birdsell, of Hudson. He had fought the good fight, finished his course.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville, P.O. as of April 26:

Ladies

Miss Angeline Clark

Miss Mary Fulton

Miss Sarah Kearney

Mrs. Eliza Miller

Miss Mary Sweeney

Miss Julia Conklin

Mrs. Charles Kneale

Miss Louisa R. Lewis

Emma L. Smith

Mrs. Ella K. Tuttle

Gentlemen

James Baker

Charlie Chamberlain

George Gokey

John McCarthy

Heinrich Panhorst

Dunnmore Warren

Dennis Brick

Geo. W. Downer

Thomas Hulburt

John MCGlynn

E. Sageby

Willard Ward

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Held for postage:

Miss Mary Hiland, Chardon, Ohio

Sheriff's sale: Case of Weideman, Kent & Co. vs. Arthur L. Brown, Laura A. Brown, Samuel W. Brown, O. H. Brown, S. F. Whitney, and Orin H. Sharp, as executors of the estate of Dorothy Goodwill, deceased. Land in Willoughby will be sold.

Sheriff's sale: Case of Weideman, Kent & Co., vs. Arthur L. Brown, Laura A. Brown, E. R. Kingsley, O. H. Brown, S. F. Whitney and W. E. Taylor and W. S. Ferguson, administrators of the estate of Marcena Worrallo, deceased. Part of lot 51 on the public square in Willoughby will be sold.

Sheriff's sale: Case of Alonzo P. Barber vs. Douglas P. Cassell. Land in Willoughby part of lot 97 will be sold.

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p. 3 Weather: There was a flurry of snow in the air on Sunday.

A. C. Williams, formerly of Willoughby, but now a resident of Columbus, is on a visit to his friends in this section.

Wm. Lewis, age 32 yrs., died at the Infirmary Tuesday, of asthma and dropsy. He had been an inmate nearly two years.

The County Commissioners announce their intention to build a bridge below Dodd's Mills in Willoughby Township.

Allen J. Way, who has spent the past year in southwestern Texas, arrived here yesterday. When he left Texas, 45 days ago, the thermometer stood at 83 degrees. He expects to return in the fall.

The following received certificates at the Teacher's Examination:

Sarah E. Burrige

Susie A. Day
Marlon Dunbar
Emma M. Phelps
Jennie Nolan
Ettie Lovett
Ella Smith
Florence Moore
Phoebe Lapham
Diantha E. Weeks
Ruble Harmon
Angie E. Moseley
Angie G. Egbert
Eber F. Benjamin
Emma Traver
Benj. B. Wait

Mrs. R. A. Moodey, daughter of Collins Morse, surprised him with a 73rd birthday party last Saturday. In looks and activity, he does not seem more than 50 yrs. old.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Samuel K. Gray to William H. Seely, house and lot, corner of Jackson and Richmond Streets
Lydia Spranger to Margaret Clough, house and lot, corner of Prospect and Oswego Streets
Marcus Smith to Wallace Smith, part of lot 197, Grandon, 22 feet on Water St.
Same to same, lot 69, Richmond

Madison

Henry Bliss to O. A. Hoskin, part of an acre
O. A. Hoskin to Lizzie Bliss, same premises

Willoughby

H. H. Hall to Simeon Hall, 12 acres
Clinton S. Fauver to Paul Jenkins, 13 acres

Mentor

John W. Simmons to John H. Citerly, 7 acres
Sarah Overy to Albert W. Griswold, 26 acres

Kirtland

William Warr to Triphena Cooly, 10 acres

In Memoriam

Mrs. Sarah W. Harvey, wife of the late Hon. Moses S. Harvey, died at the residence of her son, M. C. Harvey, in Concord, on May 1st, age 80 yrs. She was born in Sutton, N.H., on April 15,

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1796, removing to Ohio with her husband and family, and settling in Concord in 1833. IN 1863, the election of Mr. Harvey as Probate Judge, caused their removal to Painesville, and upon his death, March, 1870, she returned to the old homestead farm in Concord, where she passed the remainder of her life. The remains were brought to Evergreen Cemetery for interment.

Perry

John Harper is about to start in the livery business at the Center.

Mentor

Rev. and Mrs. I. B. Goodrich celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last Wednesday.

The vacancy in our township board of Trustees, caused by the resignation of E. T. C. Aldrich, has been filled by E. D. Slitor, appointed by the Justices of the Peace.

Willoughby Plains

John Citterly will be moving away. He goes to Buffalo into the grocery business.

We killed, while at work, nine big black snakes, eight of them over five feet in length, the other one about three feet. We estimated them at sixty pounds.

Madison

Mr. James Bliss, of South Madison, died Saturday night.

Mr. A. J. Covell, an old resident of the village and for many years connected with the hotel, died on Monday evening of consumption. His funeral will be conducted by the Masonic fraternity.

Mrs. David Sanford, of South Madison, died on Friday. She had been an invalid for some months, but the immediate cause of her death was bleeding of the lungs, brought on by a fit of coughing.

Mr. George D. Lee, of Unionville, also died the latter part of the week.

Dea. E. Harrington starts today to travel in the interests of a Chicago hardware firm. His grocery store will be carried on by his daughters.

Middle Ridge, May 1

Mr. Robert Burns has purchased the farm of the late E. L. Ware, and Mrs. Ware and family have moved to Chicago.

Died

In Painesville, April 17, Rosina Muchelsky, age 78 yrs. She was a native of Prussia and has resided in Painesville a little more than six years.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of May 3:

Ladies

Mrs. Estella Bartlett
Mrs. Henry Howe
Mrs. Darius Marsh
Mrs. Belle Gray
Mrs. Margaret Knell
Mrs. F. J. Smith
Mrs. Rebecca R. Wilson

Gentlemen

T. H. Colvin
Solomon Ingram
A. F. Ober
Geo. Sifleer
Daniel J. Talcott
Richard Williams
C. Harvey
M. J. O'Connell
G. W. Simpson
Lewis Schnider
C. A. Wilcox
Rev. P. T. Wilson
Ed. Witchmout

Held for postage:

Miss Eliza Calmeyn, Chatham, Ont.
Miss Clara Brewer, Smithton, Mo.
Mrs. L. A. Titus, Buffalo Grove, Iowa

Sheriff's sale in the case of Samuel Wire Jr. vs Charles Caler and others. Land in Perry will be sold.

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Sheriff's sale in the case of Edward Fitzgerald vs Michael Fitzgerald. Land in Painesville will be sold.

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p. 3 Thos. Gill left for Adrian, Michigan, on Monday to take a position in Newby's barber shop.

The Gas Co. is preparing to lay iron pipes along Jackson Street in place of the present wooden ones.

A dispatch from Ashtabula to the Cleveland *Herald* of yesterday says that a daughter of Edward Brown, of that place, age 3 yrs., accidentally fell into a pail of hot water with which her mother was mopping the floor Monday evening, and was so terribly scalded that she died the night following.

Weather: Sunday was the first really warm genial spring day of the season. The grass seemed to spring from the turf and the leaves from the trees as if by magic.

An Orwell (Ashtabula) correspondent of the Cleveland *Leader* sketching the early settlement of the townships says:

John Babcock and Miss Wolcott were married Nov. 12, 1822. There were the first couple married in the township. They moved to their home next day, traveling on foot. All the household goods of the pair were carried in a handkerchief. They reached their cabin in the midst of an unbroken wilderness, and with light hearts entered upon the duties of their new relation.

Death of Mrs. Card

Mrs. Emily Card, widow of the late Dr. G. W. Card, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Pease, on South St., on May. 4, age 78 yrs. the deceased was an old and greatly esteemed resident of Painesville.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

A. H. Garfield and D. Warner Jr. to Simon Bigler, lot on flats

H. D. and R. L. Ganter to Samuel Moodey, brick store and lot on State St.

Simon Bigler to A. H. Garfield and D. Warner, point east of brewery, part of an acre

Mentor

William Delong to Sarah Overy, 1 acre

Isaac A. Baxter to Horatio N. Munson, 16 acres

LeRoy

Albert Trask to Geo. W. Brockway, 52 acres

Madison

Owen Bliss to John D. Bates, 1 acre

From the Warren *Chronicle* of the 3rd

In the article entitled Pioneer Times in Vienna Township, published on the first page of the *Chronicle*, mention was made of Lavina Flower, the first child born in Vienna Township. This lady, now the widow of the late Horace Steele, formerly of Buffalo, but in later years a resident of Painesville, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. E. D. Kennedy, of this city last week. Mrs. Steele read with special interest the wolf killing incident related in our last issue, as she was a party to the affair, in which her mother, Mrs. Bathsheba Flower, was the heroine. Mrs. Steele, now in her 76th year, has a vivid recollection of the incidents connected with the history of Vienna Township extending back over more than half a century.

Patents issued to local citizens by Washington, D.C. U.S. Patent Office:

Machines for swaging screw threads on bolts, Henry E. Coy, Cleveland

Fluid meters, J. B. Button, Cleveland

Automatic horse-reels and water-cocks, W. Neracher, Cleveland

Measuring packaged fabrics, S. Talcott, Ashtabula

Col. D. H. Darling, of Lockport, Ill., sends us the following from the Chicago *Times*, of May 4:

On last Monday, a man came to the Planters' House in Cairo, Ill., and registered as Chas. Williams. Being sick, Williams was shown to a

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room and a physician sent for. Dr. C. W. Dunning, came to see Williams, he had pneumonia and could not recover. Yesterday, Williams, called Mr. Rexford proprietor of the house to his bedside and commenced to make a confession to him. He said his true name was Farley, and that he was a native of Painesville, Ohio, where his mother still resides. He served three years in the late war and afterwards enlisted in the regular army. After he has served sometime in the regular service, he had a difficulty with one of his officers, and in the melee shot and killed him. He made his escape and changing his name, has since worked on farms, avoiding towns and cities as much as possible. Before Farley could conclude his story, he became so exhausted that he could not talk, and soon after expired. What regiment he belonged to or the name of the officer killed was not learned.

Court of Common Pleas Jurors

Grand Jurors

1. John D. Bates, Madison
2. Thos. Harbach, Mentor
3. Zopher Warner, Willoughby
4. D. Warner, Jr., Painesville
5. L. G. Johnson, Madison
6. J. A. Babcock, Painesville
7. O. Sawyer, Mentor
8. G. C. Newton, Willoughby
9. Sidney Smith, Willoughby
10. George Abbey Jr., LeRoy
11. P. A. Metcalf, Kirtland
12. A. W. Smead, Madison
13. G. H. Higgins, Painesville
14. Frank Woodruff, Concord
15. Roswell Hayes, Painesville

Petit Jurors

1. Norman Mosher, LeRoy
2. Walter Green, Madison
3. John F. Brooks, Painesville
4. A. D. Ferguson, Willoughby
5. E. B. Griswold, Madison
6. Joel Crofoot, LeRoy
7. J. W. Lee, Painesville

8. Lowell Cram, Madison
9. Robert Ross, Madison
10. D. O. Carter, Painesville
11. James Van Ness, Perry
12. B. F. Merriman
13. O. E. Root, Mentor
14. Carlos Coolidge, Perry
15. I. N. Woodward, Willoughby
16. Frank Mather, Painesville
17. Sidney Platts, Madison
18. Vernon C. Sawyer, Mentor

Madison

Frank Webster, of Unionville, while attempting to catch on to a freight train at Geneva, last Thursday night, missed his hold and was thrown under the train and had both legs crushed in a terrible manner. He was carried to his father's house, where his limbs were amputated. The shock to his system, however, proved too severe and he died Friday evening.

Married

In Mentor, May 3, at the residence of the bride's parents, Charles H. Tylee, of Cleveland, and Mary H. Reed, of Mentor.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of May 10

Ladies

Mrs. Edwin H. Baker
Mrs. Mary Mason
Mrs. Mary Morse
Miss M. E. Leggett
Mrs. Ellen McFarland
Mrs. Geo. Ruddle

Gentlemen

Allen & Baker
H. G. Hall
David Pike
Geo. Dare
M. J. O'Connell
W. H. Printz
Geo. W. Simpson

Datus E. Abel is the adm. of James Bliss, deceased, late of Madison Twmsp., Lake Co., O.

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p. 3 Wm. G. Broughton, of St. Louis, is making his parents and Painesville friends a visit.

Real Estate Transfers Painesville

Helen and Horace Huntoon, to H. H. Hine, lot no. 3, H. Steele's addition

Kirtland

H. P. Harmon to Laura S. and Chas. Mitchell, 53 acres

Death of Mr. Benedict

George A. Benedict, died at his residence in Cleveland, May 12, age 63 yrs. For nearly a quarter of a century, he was the well-known and popular editor of the Cleveland *Herald*. He was a native of Watertown New York, where he studied the profession of law, and soon after his admission to the bar, moved in 1835 to Cleveland.

Obituary

Frank Webster, age 32, Unionville, Lake Co., who was run over by the cars at Geneva, last Thursday, died May 5. He leaves a father, mother, brother, and sister. He was three years a soldier in our late war, in the 105th O.V.I. Frank was beloved by all his acquaintances.

Recent patent issued to local citizen:
Culinary steamers, W. Fokst, Cleveland

In Memoriam

Mrs. Emily Card, nee Austin, nearly 40 years an esteemed citizen of this place, died May 4, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Pease, of South St., was born in Suffield, Hartford Co., Conn. In 1799. In 1827, she came to Willoughby, and soon after was married to Dr. George W. Card, a physician and surgeon of very respectable attainments and skill. In 1842, he moved from Willoughby to Painesville. He died in 1858, leaving two daughters. One died in Jan., 1875. The other daughter and family took up abode with Mrs. Card. In Sept., 1875, Mr. Pease died.

Mrs. J. N. Downer, left for Auburn, N.Y., on the 11th to visit her old home.

Perry

Miss Grace Cowdery and O. C. Pinney, of Geneva were married here on Saturday, at the residence of her father, leaving for their home in Geneva soon after.

Mentor

At the last examination at the Union School, the following pupils stood 90 per cent or more:

Primary Dept.

Charlie Bancroft
Mahlon Long
Fred Dwain
Emily Bradley
Myra Delong
Maggie Daniels
Sadie Hill
Addie Jordan
Lizzie Lockhart

Lillis Morley

Hattie Ritter

High School

Eddie Barber
Eugene Case
Charlie Hart
Frank Hill
Waldo Parmele
Fred Warren
Mary Aldrich
Mary Babcock
Mary Bradley
Inez Delong
Minnie French
Frances French
Lois Ingersoll
Jennie King
Lizzie Loomis
Blanche Pardee
Nellie Viall

Willoughby

The barn of Mr. T. Ballentine, in the south part of Kirtland, burned down on the 6th instant. Strong suspicion is held against Douglas Cassell as setting the fire and he was arrested.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Durban celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Wednesday evening. They received a silver tea set among other gifts.

Married

At the residence of the bride's father, May 10, George W. Crane to Maria A., daughter of Dr. M. M. Seymour.

Died

In Painesville of consumption, May 14, Roxana R. Moseley, wife of Edgar Moseley and daughter of Dudley and Roxanna Crofoot, age 32 yrs.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of May 17:

Ladies

Miss Mary Ackley
Mrs. Maria Brunner
Ella Snell
Priscilla Anderson
Miss Bell Killgone
Miss Maria Weeks

Gentlemen

A. W. French
Chas. Parker
Thomas Wiggom
William Manning
G. W. Whitdey
Henry Woodin

Held for postage:

C. A. Slocum, Charles City, Iowa
B. F. Pitchard, Indianapolis, Ind.

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p. 1 Eugene C. Crosby, writes a letter from Sicily, March 28, 1879, to his uncle, H. R. Van Ness, of Perry.

p. 3 R. M. French, now located in Newport, Mich., has been in town several days.

I. T. Wade, formerly a citizen of this place, died quite suddenly in Cleveland one day last week, supposed cause, heart disease.

From the Assessor, we learn that 125 births and 81 deaths took place in Painesville Township during the past year.

E. O. Huntington, of Saginaw, formerly of Painesville, is engaged in manufacturing street cars.

Weather: Last Saturday and Sunday the mercury went to 86 and 90 in the shade. Monday, it went down to 40.

The Painesville Gas Co. is about to substitute iron for wooden gas pipes on Washington St. as well as on Jackson and Liberty.

L. M. Ford had his left hand struck by the molding machine in his sash and blind factory. His third finger had to be removed by Dr. Beardslee assisted by Dr. Carlisle.

Dan Warner Jr. has purchased a nice little steamer capable of holding about 200 persons, called *The Gem*. He is bringing it to Fairport to be used the coming season for excursion parties either on the river or lake.

From Lake Common Pleas Trial List

Salmon S. Osborn, executor of D. D. Aiken, deceased, vs. Cassandra Wass
Samuel P. Hathaway vs. Frank Brainard, adm. of A. Brainard, deceased
Isaac N. Hathaway, adm. of Elbridge Hayden vs. James Allen
John W. Tyler as executor of Mary W. Johnson vs. Wesley Thompson
Elizabeth Rice, adm. of H. O. Rice, deceased, vs. L.S. & M. S. Railway Co.
Roswell G. Wheeler, executor of N. S. Wheeler, deceased, vs. Lake Co. Woolen Mills
Laura King vs. Sarah J. Sperry, executrix of Wheeler Sperry, deceased
Wm. E. Hulett, adm. of E. Hulett vs. W. H. Pasko
Orando Sawyer, guardian of Clara King, a minor vs. Terry Dolan
Daniel Warner Jr. vs. Hezekiah Cole, guardian of R. M. Johnson

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Sally Smith, executrix of Earl Smith vs. James H. Tracey
John W. Tyler adm. of S. Winch, deceased vs. Mary A. Winch
Mary C. Mitchell, executrix of J. J. Mitchell, deceased vs. Peter B. Mitchell et al
David Brooks et al, adm. of J. L Brooks, deceased vs. the L. S. and M. S. Railway Co.
Laura S. Mitchell, adm. of R. C. Mitchell, deceased, vs. The L. S. & M. S. Railway Co.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Roswell Hayes to Martha Brooks, 1 acre
J. Lacy Pierson, et al by Sheriff to Chas. T. Morley, house and lot on South St.

Kirtland

George A. Morrison to Candice Morrison, part of an acre

Madison

Harriet Gager to Herbert Booth, 105 rods, part of lot 51

Mr. George Burns, of Madison, leaves for Colorado today to whittle out fame and fortune. May 23rd

Died

Died at the Ohio Reform Farm, May 3, after a few days' illness, Robert Gibbs Sr., age 67 yrs. He was an honest and efficient officer.

Died at her home in Concord, May 13, of consumption, Anna J. Brakeman, age 21 years. She leaves a widowed mother, two brothers, and a sister.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of May 24:

Ladies

Mrs. Lorinda Clapp
Miss Amanda Norwood
Miss M. B. Thompson
Mrs. M. J. Daniels
Miss Mary Pryor
Mrs. Adelia Wright

Gentlemen

M. B. Brown
Simon Johnson
Charley Reynolds
E. H. Riddle
William Chatterton
Dannie E. Osborn
C. E. Ray
Wm. Thomas
David Vorce
Held for postage:
C. Haines, Bedford, Ohio

June 1, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 The wife of Sheriff Young, of Ashtabula County, we learn by the *Sentinel*, died at Jefferson last week.

Thos. Gill has returned from Adrian, and is again installed in the barber shop under Stage's Hardware store.

Albert T. Page and wife returned home to Akron, Tuesday after a visit to their Painesville relatives.

A young man named Stewart Simmons was drowned last Tuesday at Independence, Cuyahoga Co., while washing sheep.

Mrs. Beach, who has been visiting her parents (Mrs. and Mrs. H. Woodworth) for some time, returns home this week—Mercer, Pennsylvania.

Four-leafed clover is the object of the careful search of the young misses now. The romance is that the girl finding the quartette of clover leaves, and putting it in the shoe of her right foot, will become the bride of the first young man she walks with.

Mr. Bateham did not accept the position of Superintendent of the Fruit Department at the Centennial, because the compensation was not sufficient in view of the expenses of living there and of travel, and being absent from home for the entire season.

June 1, 1876

Harvey Latimer, formerly of Painesville, and father-in-law of Rev. R. H. Hurlbut, died of apoplexy at his residence, 101 Ohio St., Cleveland, May 20th, age 71 yrs. The deceased was originally from Connecticut, but spent his early and middle life in Morgan, Ashtabula Co. While residing in Painesville, death repeatedly visited his family, taking a wife, daughter and a son. Mr. Latimer's remains were brought to Painesville.

Death of E. E. Patch

A dispatch from Warren, date May 30, says: E. E. Patch, a brakeman on the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad, while stooping down to see if the caboose wheels were sliding, was struck by a fence at Baldwin's crossing, east of Niles, this morning. He was thrown on the track, run over, and killed. The deceased was some time ago an employee in the hardware house of C. O. Child, of this place. His former home was Madison, where his remains will be taken for interment.

A poem titled "At Parting" by Minnie D. Bateham.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

John Bowhall to John Malin, 1-acre north of Jackson St.

LeRoy

E. D. Tillotson to Lasell and Cornelius W. Birge, 38 acres

Perry

A. B. Turnery to G. Burr Turney, 14 acres

A Pleasant Gathering – Hon. Uri Seeley attained his 85th birthday May 25. Mr. Seeley has been a resident of this place for more than sixty years.

Murray Higgins, Willoughby, was arrested Monday on a charge of beating his wife.

Madison – Mr. Nelson Haywood, residing in the west part of this township, lost a four-year old

daughter on Saturday from congestion of the brain. We believe she was an only child.

Middle Ridge, May 22

Mr. Charles Goodrich started today for Colorado where he goes to take charge of a cheese factory. He is one of our best young men.

Adah, daughter of Nelson and Alida Haywood, died yesterday, age about 6 yrs.

Died

In Traverse City, Mich., March 23, at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Simon H. Hyde, Calvin Snell, only son of the late Capt. Snell, of Fairport, Ohio, age 24 yrs.

In Concord, May 6, of congestive chills, Isabella, wife of Willis Woodruff, age 68 yrs.

In Concord, May 19, of consumption, Jennie D., eldest daughter of the late George S. and Alvira Murray, age 21 yrs. She leaves a widowed mother, a young brother, and two sisters. In Oct., 1874, she left home to visit her mother's relations in Missouri, hoping to regain health in a warmer climate. She spent one year in Kansas City and seemed to improve and returned home, but was again prostrated by disease.

Attachment: James McVitty vs. C. B. Clark

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of May 31:

Ladies

Miss Annie Caveny

Mrs. May Cushman

Miss End'a Hoageny

Miss Ella Kellogg

Boda A. Stowell

Mrs. Velonia Tray

Mrs. Chambers

Mrs. Margaret Higley

Miss Alta M. Kirk

Mrs. Laura King

Mrs. D. Thompson

Miss Sarah Whitehouse

Gentlemen

Thomas Craine

J. P. Driggs

W. Harvey

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J. H. Lovejoy
Jas. Norman
Andrew Cromwell
Rev. W. B. Hendryx
J. E. Johnson
Nelson McDonald
Geo. Thompson
Held for postage:
A. R. Wildman, Oberlin, O.

p. 4 Centennial Items

Our friend, C. Harris, of Hudson, O., is occupied at the Centennial as Superintendent of the Collection of Agricultural Implements and Machinery of P. Mast & Co., of Springfield.

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p. 2 Married

In Fredonia, N.Y. May 30, at the residence of the bride's mother, Herbert H. Hines, of Painesville, O., and Miss Eliza Ellis of Fredonia.

In Painesville, O., June 4, George L. Eaton and A. Eliza Kleeberger, both of Painesville.

Died

In Hartsgrrove, Ashtabula Co., O., June 2nd, of consumption, Mrs. Maria Rice, age 54, yrs., 4 mos., 8 days.

In Concord, May 18, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Stephen Carroll, Dan Burchard, formerly of Madison, age 88 yrs.

p. 3 Mrs. E. Brink starts for California this afternoon, to join her husband at his ranch at San Bernardino. Mr. Brink has been in California over a year on account of his health, and has made a permanent location at the above place.

Isaac Moore, still hale and hearty at 83 yrs. of age, was in town Saturday. He came into this section in the year 1811. He is now a resident of Willoughby.

Real Estate Transfer Painesville

Terry Dolan to Orando Sawyer, 18 acres

LeRoy

Eliza Ann Baker to Edward A. Baker, 23 acres
Aran Baker to Edward A. Baker, 44 acres
Edward A. Baker to Eliza Ann Baker, same 44 acres

Willoughby

William E. Harris to George W. Mosher, 53 acres

Mentor

Sarah E. and H. F. Green to T. G. and Stephen H. Hart, 2 acres

Perry

Heirs of Morgan L. Crosby to Harrison F. Haskell, 22 acres

Kirtland

Walter D. Stannard to Eber W. Bond, 1 acres

Mentor

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Duran celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary on May 16; on the Monday following, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. C. Aldrich celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. & Mrs. Aldrich left their New York home ten years ago to come to Ohio. Mr. Aldrich mentioned some remarkable facts: There never has been a death in the family; the golden wedding of the father and mother, and this their silver wedding occurred in the same year under the same roof.

Geauga County

A fatal accident occurred at Chardon last Saturday evening. The son and daughter of Mr. Mahoney, age respectively 12 and eight years, having gone upstairs to retire for the night, got hold of a revolver, one barrel of which was loaded, and while playing with it, each taking turns pointing it at each other, it was discharged, the ball penetrating the forehead of the girl. She died from the effects in about 5 minutes.

Cleveland

Small pox has broken out quite seriously in the 12th ward.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of June 7:

Ladies

Mrs. J. J. Armstrong

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Mrs. E. M. Cowell
Mrs. P. A. Marsh
Miss Ada Osborn
Emma Skinner
Nellie Thompson
Mrs. M. J. Conroy
Miss Libbie Gibson
Mrs. C. McCleary
Miss G. L. Pride
Mrs. Ellen Tarr
Mrs. Mary White

Gentlemen

A. H. Cole
Wm. Hotelling
D. F. Jutton
John Coolny
Michael J. O'Connell
Bert Webster

Held for postage

Mrs. J. P. Stearns, Champion, O.

G. P. Valentine is the adm. of Anson Valentine

June 15, 1876 Thursday

p.3 Mrs. S. R. King, of South Bend, Ind. is in town and will remain some weeks.

The remains of Wm. McDowell, of New York, grandson of the late Wm. S. Tracy, of this place, were brought to Painesville and interred in Evergreen Cemetery Wednesday morning.

Death of a Former Citizen

Died in Cleveland, June 10, Mr. B. P. Jameson, now of Warren, Ohio, age 59 yrs. He had been ill about 6 months. He was formerly a business partner of our townsman, D. B. Clayton and a resident of Painesville from 1840 to 1844., when he moved with his family to Warren.

From Common Pleas Court

Mary J. Jones vs. W. H. Jones, divorce granted and custody of child given to plaintiff.

Patents issued to local citizens by the Patent Office, Washington, D. C.:

Separating paraffin from hydrocarbon oils, J. Meriam, Cleveland

Fire place grates, T. Brown, Cleveland

Pencil sharpeners, G. Schneider, Cleveland

Cultivators, D. Tanner, Kirtland

Light-spring wagons, J. Black, Cleveland

Apparatus for implanting Timber with anti-septics, W. Thillman, Cleveland

Mentor

The following pupils at the Union School had an average standing of 90 per cent or more when examined.

Primary Department

Charlie Bancroft
Dick Hart
Howard Long
Mahlon Long
Jerry Linehan
Fred Swain
Frankie Babcock
Emily Bradley
Nettie Coates
Myra DeLong
Nellie Green
Addie Jordan
Mary Linehan
Hattie Ritter

High School

Eddie Barber
Jay Goodrich
Harry King
Clara Nowlen
Hattie Bancroft
Emily Corning
Minnie French
Jennie King
Nellie Viall

Two pupils, Miss Minnie French and Miss Emily Corning, are on the roll of honor for his month.

Madison

A barn belonging to S. E. Wood burned yesterday with the contents, 4 tons of hay, & c.

Some little excitement has been created by the finding of a skeleton on the farm of Walter Green, on North Ridge, by a little son of Mr. G. C.

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Kirtland, who on coming home from school across the fields stubbed his toe against the skull. The bones appear to be very old and crumble at the touch.

Miss Helen Talman was married at the residence of her parents in North Madison, last Wed., to a gentleman named Hammond.

Died

In Concord, on April 17, Johnnie W., infant son of William D. and Almena A. Harrison, age 5 weeks, 2 days.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of June 14:

Ladies

Mrs. F. C. Balk
Mrs. Harriet Curtiss
Miss M. L. Hawkins
Miss Jennie McCabe
Mrs. Margaret Crothers
Miss Bell Duncan
Miss Sarah Mathews
Miss Lizzie F. Ritter

Gentleman

James Andrews
Samuel Clarke
E. F. Furguson
Mr. Miller
E. D. Root
William Tyler
Obed Call
Collins Dodge
C. Hadly
Michael O'Connell
J. R. Rexford
Theodor Togt
Fred Wells

Held for postage:

E. F. Gilbert, N.Y. City.
W. W. Webster, Spenig, Pa.

June 22, 1876 Thursday

p.3 G. A. Brakeman has obtained the contract for building the addition to the Seminary. J. S.

Bartholomew and Jas. Shelby are the sub-contractors for the mason work.

The steam grist mill at Chardon, owned by Messrs., Skinner and Pomeroy was burned last Friday night, supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Monday night a South Side Cleveland street car jumped the track at the Seneca St. bridge and plunged into the canal. There were but three passengers, one of whom was Mrs. Delreid, who drowned; the other two considerably injured. The car brake had given way when descending the hill towards the bridge.

Graduating Class of Painesville High School, class of 1876

Kittie A. Baker
Frank S. Bigler
George M. Fisher
Colbert H. Greer
Lue E. Harvey
Agnes Hine
Laura T. Huntington
Charles Loughridge
Robert C. Moodey
Celia M. Kurtz

Miss Ellen E. Smith, daughter of L. Smith, who has been teaching at Muncie, Ind., for some time, has recently accepted a place in the Oxford (Ohio) Seminary, and after a short home visit will enter upon the duties of her new position.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Dessalinus Stevens to Hezekiah Cole, lot on State St.

Thomas Irwin, to Ann M. Green, lot 6, Barnes survey, Prospect St.

Henry P. Sanford to Joseph C. Babcock, lot 109 Fairport

Augustus Skinner to Daniel Noonan, 9 acres

Madison

W. H. Judd to Martha J. Hill, part of an acre

H. F. Stevens to O. F. Allis and E. B. West, part of 5 acres

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David Pike to Board of Education Madison Township, 45 rods

Mentor

David Boynton to Betsey Robins, 304 acres
Preserved H. Curtis to D. T. Devereaux 1 acre, lot 89, Smith & Harts survey

John A. Daniels to Harvey H. Hall 14 acres

LeRoy

Wm. B. Jenkins to W. F. Loomis 5 acres
Walter F. Loomis to James R. Brady, 107 acres
Samuel Rogers to Thomas Hoffman, 3 acres

Died

In Painesville, June 20, Mary, Infant daughter of J. B. and Louise A. Collacott

At Spring Valley, Minn., June 12, of apoplexy, Mrs. Lucina W. Gage, age 72 years. She was a former resident of this county and for some years resided in Painesville.

At her home in New York, June 15, after a short illness, Mattie, beloved wife of E. S. Harrington and youngest daughter of Mrs. T. B. Warren, formerly of this place, age 26 yrs., 3 mos., 21 days. She was married two short years ago.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of June 21:

Ladies

Mrs. J. M. Bartlett
Kathleen Bryor
Mrs. John Stuart
Miss J. G. Lamberton
Mrs. K. Shaughnessy
Mrs. Thomas J. Wells
Miss Desdemonia Wilkenson

Gentlemen

Geo. A. Bates
F. M. Carpenter
Capt. G. R. Dorchester
John Hines
A. W. Irish
Fred Franklin Loomis
Tyler Walker
Theodore B. Binet
M. W. Cobb
Robert Fitcher

Frank J. Irish
Capt. John Lamoot
Jesse Rughar
Thomas Welles

Held for postage:

Frank Dunbar, Boston, Mass
Charlie Pitcher, Kirtland, O.
L. C. Thomas, Frewsburg, N.Y.
Miss Lena M. Kelby, Otto, N.Y.

Louisa A. Austin is the executrix of Emily Card, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., O.

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p. 2 Perry

Messrs. Chas. and William Edwin have gone west. They are now in the central part of Nebraska.

p. 3 Miss Julia Chase, a former resident of this place, now of Minnesota, is visiting relatives and friends in Lake and Geauga Counties.

Thos. Irwin Sr., an old resident of this place, died of hemorrhage last Friday, age 74 yrs.

Tuesday morning a little boy of Barney Gallaher, living on the nursery grounds of Messrs. Storrs, Harrison & Co., fell into a barrel which was sunk in a spring and was drowned. He had gone to the spring to get water, and in reaching, it is supposed, he lost his balance and fell in.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

John Stone to Caroline Heffron, part of an acre

Kirtland

Nancy Sperry to Alden E. Sanborn, 127 acres
John Lapham to Mathers Graf, 50 acres
Conrad Schwarm to Henrich and Christina Detzen, 70 acres

Willoughby

Douglas P. Cassell, by sheriff to John S. Ellen, 2 acres
Arthur L. Brown by Sheriff to Albert H. Garlick, part of lot 27

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From Court Proceedings

Laura King vs. Sarah J. Sperry, executor of Wheeler Sperry, deceased

Sarah M. Sorter vs. Zebulan P. Sorter, divorce granted and plaintiff restored to her maiden name

Graduates of the Lake Erie Seminary Centennial Class:

Kate A. Blair, Perry
Elizabeth A. Burton, Collamer
Anna T. Jones, Kingston
Sarah M. Kendrick, Cleveland
Mary T. Lawrence, Florence
Ellen B. Scobie, Peninsula
Harriet E. F. Smith, North Bloomfield
Lucy A. Wheeler, Towanda, Kansas
Ella F. White, Washington, D. C.

High School Graduates

Miss Kittie A. Baker
Frank S. Bigler, Valedictorian
Miss Agnes Hine
George W. Fisher
Charles Loughridge
Robert C. Moodey
Miss Celia W. Kurtz
Miss Laura T. Huntington
Colbert H. Greer
Miss Lue E. Harvey

Married

At the residence of Mr. B. Lane, Goose Lake Valley, Lake Co., Oregon, May 18, Mr. James M. Harrington, of Goose Lake, to Miss Erville A. Hopkins, of Perry, Lake Co., Ohio.

In Washington, D. C., June 20, at the Wesley Chapel, Mr. Henry C. Tisdell, of Painesville, to Miss Mattie A. Purdy, of Washington.

G. P. Valentine is the adm. of Anson Valentine, deceased, late of LeRoy Township, Lake Co, Ohio.

Frank H. Todd, Physician and Surgeon, office over Rexford's Store, Mentor, Ohio.

William M. Irwin, adm. with the will annexed of Thomas Irwin, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of June 28:

Ladies

Mrs. M. T. Conroy
Miss Jennie Ingersoll
Miss M. E. Fitzgerald
Miss Mary McCaffrey
Miss Ellen F. Morrissey

Gentlemen

H. N. Hancroft
Dennis Callaghan
George Fuller
John Hines
Alfred Lewis
Wm. E. Boyd
Samuel B. Clark
S. W. Green
Sam Inman
Thomas Southland

Held for postage:

T. Whittaker, New York City
Miss Mamie Fertig, Titusville, Pa.
Mrs. R. Simmons, Madoc, Ont.

Unionville, Lake Co., Ohio, June, 1876

The undersigned residents of Geneva, Ohio, and in the vicinity of the LeFever or Aqua Vitae Mineral Springs, certify that we have used this medicinal water and cheerfully recommend the same for Dyspepsia, scrofula, liver or kidney diseases and other troubles arising from impurities of the blood.

L. Gale
W. Tuttle
R. Spring
Geo. Payne
L. E. Morgan
J. Warden
H. B. Stephens
E. S. Watrous
C. M. Wright
L. S. Phillips
D. Van Epps

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R. O. Rote
N. S. Caswell
A. Trunkey
E. R. Cowles
J. H. Callen
G. W. Scovill
Geo. T. Ladd
E. S. Pratt
H. J. Saxton
N. Stratton Jr.
I. P. Saxton
George W. Lawton
T. Miles
Chas. McClintic
H. Gould
J. H. Morgan
Harrison Wood
S. L. Fobes
Fred. W. Dorman
W. G. Rexford
S. A. Holbrook
A. C. Lockwood
T. B. Tuller
Thereon Wrechoom
P. J. Edwards
J. W. Foster
R. T. Graham

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p. 3 T. A. Harvey, from East Saginaw, en route for the Centennial made a short home visit last week.

C. F. Loomis, in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph line, has recently been transferred from Des Moines, Iowa, to Cleveland.

J. McClelland, formerly of Mentor but now of Greenwich, New York, and H. Wilson, of Genesee, Illinois, are both visiting friends in the area.

On Wednesday, a Mrs. Fifield, of Fairport, came to her death from a successful attempt to procure an abortion; she was assisted by Mrs. Roper. There is much excitement in the

neighborhood and rumors of further investigations.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Lewis D. Brigham to Stephen C. Warner, part of an acre on Jackson St.

George Flint to R. S. and Mary Ensign, 17 acres

R. S. Ensign to George Flint lot 14, Harvey's survey

Concord

Clinton Woodruff to Frank Woodruff, 24 acres

John H. Murray to John McGorian, 1 acre

Mentor

D. E. Devereaux to Lenora E. Curtis, lot 39, Smith & Hart's survey, 1 acres

Robert Murray 2nd, to Nelson D. Corning, part of an acre

Perry

Charles F. Caler et al, by sheriff to Samuel Wire, 12 acres

Heirs of Morgan L. Crosby to Eugene J. Norton, 2 acres

Willoughby

Curtis Brown to Samuel W. Brown, 40 acres

Mentor

The students who had an average of 90 per cent or more in the closing examinations:

Primary Dept.

Lillis Morley
Myra Delong
Nellie Green
Ada Delong
Emily Bradley
Maggie Daniels
Minnie Barns
Hattie Ritter
Sarah Riley
Maggie Lynch
Nellie Irwin
Howard Long
Mahlon Long
Wirt Prouty
Fred Swain
Frank Sweeney
Dan Sweeney

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Tinnie Lynch
Dick Hart
Fred Hart
Frank Barns
Kerry Linehan
Charlie Bancroft

High School Department

Charlie Hart
Harry King
Waldo Parmele
Fred Warren
Nellie Viall

Jennie King
Blanche Pardee
Emily Corning

Mary Aldrich
Hattie Bancroft

Roll of Honor: Mary Aldrich, Hattie Bancroft,
Emily Corning, Blanche Pardee, and Waldo
Parmele.

Willoughby

On Tuesday morning, Mrs. McSparrin, of this town, took a teaspoonful of Paris Green thinking it would produce instant death. Dr. Clark was at once summoned and administered a powerful emetic. She has been in a very critical condition but is now considered out of danger. She attributed the cause of her rash act to "trouble." Seventeen years ago in the same house and room, her mother poisoned herself.

On Monday, Miss Annette Lillie, who for several years had been an invalid, took an over dose of laudanum, with the intent of ending her existence. She was staying at the time in the house of Mr. H. C. Randall and left a note on the table that she had taken the medicine and was going to the river bank to throw herself off. They did find her there about two hours after she left the house and uninjured. It was believed by those who know her best, that she poured out the contents of the vial and by some strategy succeeded in carefully reaching the bottom of the bank, by these actions to gain sympathies of her friends.

Miss Glenn Penfield arrived home from Boston on Friday morning of last week. Thrice welcome Willoughby's favorite singer.

Madison

While working on a building belonging to Henry Gill on River St., three men were thrown to the ground when the scaffolding gave way. They fell some 18 or 20'; Oscar Carnahan, Lewis Pancost and Walter Cavanaugh. Mr. Carnahan had his ankle put out of place and received some severe bruises on his face and head; the other two men were uninjured.

Mr. John F. Butler, of Harpersfield, and a Mrs. Hogaboam of this place, died last Tuesday night.

Pioneer Matters

The first settler of Thompson was Dr. Isaac Palmer, born in Plainfield, Windham Co., Conn., in 1770. He studied and commenced the practice of medicine before he was 25 yrs. old. He married Lois Maltby, at Goshen, Conn., some two years his junior. A daughter, Anna, was born to them in 1796 and died at Concord in 1875, a widow with several children. In 1790, they were at Buffalo, N.Y., and lost a child of nine days. Early in 1800, we find them in Thompson, Ohio, on lot 11, of said township, decoyed there by the pledge of a man named King, of Conn., a landholder, stating that he should have the agency of the lands in this region in his name. He chopped and cleared some 16 acres, but being dissatisfied at his treatment by King, pulled up stakes and moved to Concord, Ohio, to what was then known as Perkin's Camp, near the south line of the township, where he remained a year or so, and then moved near the north line of the township some two miles south from Painesville, where he lived till 1840 and died. While in Thompson, a son was born to them in 1802, the first birth in the township. He was named Isaac, and in 1876, is living in the northwest corner of Concord with a family—two boys and four girls, living in the vicinity. The Dr. sailed his own boat from Buffalo to Fairport, and up Grand River opposite Thompson, having for company his wife, child and a man, Sackett, by name. In those

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days Grand River was full banks, and when near the Gen. Paine farm in Painesville, he stopped and planted some fruit trees which I am told are still growing. In 1802, Dr. Palmer returned to Conn. and settled up Sackett's affairs and brought on his family. (Sackett afterwards went to Windsor, Ashtabula Co., O.). The Dr., also, purchased several hundred dollars' worth of provisions and merchandise at Buffalo on this trip. Starting with a boat, he went ashore when a storm came up—unloading the boat and taking the things back on the beach except a sow and pigs which were left aboard and the boat made fast to a tree and they camping in the woods; but on arising in the morning found their cargo washed away and the boats and pigs lost. He made home at last only to be prostrated by lung fever. All these things reduced his revenue so that in 1803, when he resolved to leave Thompson he had little left. He lived at least ten miles from a neighbor, with Indians calling at his cabin door, and rattlesnakes crawling between logs inside his house. The doctor was successful during his forty years in Ohio, accumulating some 400 acres of land, and counting his personal property at near three thousand dollars and no debts. In June, 1840, while cultivating corn, he was struck in the abdomen with the plough handle which more immediately caused his death in 48 hours. In 1801, Elisha Miller Jr., came from Farmington, Conn., in company with Dr. O. K. Hawley and brother to Austinburg on horseback with the intention of coming to Thompson, as his father owned 1,000 acres of land, equally on lots 2 and 27, and 200 acres on lot 37. Accordingly, he went to lot 2 to begin as it was near Dr. Palmer, the only family then in the township. Miller chopped and girdled some lumber. Dr. Miller did not remain many months but went back to Austinburg and started for Conn. on foot and never returned. A brother of his several years after came, improved and sold these lands and was the second Justice of the Peace elected in 1818. No more settled till 1808.

Married

In Chicago, Ill., June 27, Mr. C. M. Parker, of Lincoln, Nebraska, to Miss Emma A. Powell, of Willoughby, Ohio.

Died

In LeRoy, June 19, of inflammation of the bowels, Myrtle M., daughter of C. D. and Juliaette R. Ferguson, age 13 yrs., 8 mos.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of July 5:

Ladies

Miss Celia Johnson
Mrs. J. Osborn
Mrs. Susan Sylvester
Miss Mary Haligan
Mrs. Sarah Short
Miss May Wright

Gentlemen

John Cooney
Harry Alexander Mather
Frank Pook
E. J. Eddy
Geo. Parsons
M. A. Ritter
David Vorce

Held for postage:

Miss May Miler, Ottawa, Ill.
Ellie Paterson, Rose Mount, Ont.

July 13, 1876 Thursday

p. 1 July 20th, John O'Brien's 6 great shows; menagerie, museum, circus and hippodrome; in the morning, Grand Dress Parade and Review with 9 Bands; admission 25 cents

p. 3 Jas. M. Wells, now of Creston, Iowa, arrived in town on Monday.

Capt. Mason Jackson, of the 11th Infantry (now stationed at Fort Richardson, Texas) with his wife, formerly Miss Smalley, arrived in town Tuesday, the guests of Mr. E. D. Howe. Capt. J is on furlough for six months and is visiting his parents, the Centennial Exposition, and his many friends in other sections of the country.

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Real Estate Transfers

Kirtland

W. F. Gildersleeve, et al by sheriff to Samuel D. Gildersleeve, 55 acres

Samuel D. Gildersleeve to Juliza A. Gildersleeve, same 55 acres

Mary and Joseph Chadderton to Mary M. Williams, 35 acres

Mentor

Elijah W. Curtis to Riley Tinker, undivided half of saw mill lot

Thadford W. Byrns to Lucy Ann Byrns, 61 acres

From Court of Common Pleas

John W. Truxell vs. Julia A. Truxell, divorce

David W. Brooks, executor of J. L. Brooks, deceased vs. the Lake Shore & Mich. Southern R. R. Co. Settled and dismissed.

Madison

Mr. John Custin, of Unionville, had his leg broken in two places by being thrown from his buggy while going from his home to Jefferson, on the Fourth.

The body of Charles Gates, formerly of North Madison, who died at Denver, Col. a few weeks ago, arrived here last Friday.

Samuel White, from Ashtabula, was found drowned on Wednesday evening in Cleveland. It is supposed that he was robbed of about \$300 and then knocked into the river. He was last seen in company with John Kain, who was arrested on suspicion.

Sheriff's sale: Case of J. W. Nash vs. John Pike; land in Willoughby will be sold.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of July 12:

Ladies

Mrs. M. F. Cayton

Mrs. Ella Downing

Miss Anna Lewis

Mrs. Minnie Perkins

Miss Kate Cain

Mrs. Caroline Hefforn

Mrs. C. W. Lieurance

Mrs. Almyra Porter

Gentlemen

Geo. Endon

Henry A. Hopkins

Richard Peiquis

Michael Griffin

John Mirl

Edgar F. Price

E. W. Wilcox

Held for postage:

Joseph Callendar, Otsego, Mich.

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Thursday

p. 3 Mrs. Brewster, of Austinburg, daughter of Hon. Uri Seeley, died on the 10th instant after a protracted sickness; age 58 yrs.

The races at Unionville last Saturday drew a crowd of about 800 people. The first race for a prize of a Silver Pitcher was won by the horse owned by Mr. Hall, of Madison. The second race for a Silver Goblet, was won by a horse owned by Mr. Fields, of Ashtabula. The last race for a Silver Mug was won by the horse owned by our townsman, J. Sanborn.

H. D. Ford, a member of the Cleveland Council and a prominent citizen died suddenly last Friday, age 51 yrs. He was a native of Cummington, Mass., and came to Ohio with his father at the age of 13, and first settled in Madison, Lake Co. His father subsequently formed a partnership with a man named Whitemarsh, for the purpose of engaging in the culture of silk. With this view in mind, they purchased a large tract of land in East Cleveland which has for so long been the homestead and inheritance of the Ford family. Of six sons, five are still living, all honored and prominent men of this community.

Old Times

Many of our oldest inhabitants will no doubt remember Mr. William Wright, of LeRoy, father of Mr. James Wright who settled in this county in 1810. On moving there with his family (we

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believe from Pennsylvania), on account of the heavy timber, the wagon had to be left, and a new mode of progress adopted. Mr. Wright who had several small children took a strong bed tick and placing a child in each end, cut a hole through for the head, slung it across one of his horses, like saddle bags, and then placing Mrs. Wright on the horse with another child in her arms, pursued the journey, other members of the family riding the other horse and walking by turns. In passing through one township, they were mistaken for Indians, and quite an alarm was spread through the sparsely settled neighborhood. Mr. James Wright, who is now perhaps 75 yrs. old, was then about 8 yrs. old, and brought up the rear of the family moving procession on foot.

From Lodi, California, July 7, 1876

Col. Daniel Bliss, who was a resident of Painesville and Fairport, Ohio, 25 years ago, died suddenly at this place on the third of this month, and not knowing the address of any of his relatives, I send you this note for publication. Byron D. Beckwith.

Madison

In the races at Unionville, there were three entries for the first race: Tom Wonder, owned by Volney French, of Williamsfield; Rattler, by A. A. Hall, of Madison, Loafer by Albert Fields, of Ashtabula. Rattler won the Silver Pitcher. There were three entries for the second race: Roan Lizzie, by Johnny Warner, Painesville; Lady Grace, by A. A. Hall, Madison; Garry B., by Albert Fields, Ashtabula. The race was easily won by Garry B. for the Silver Goblet. The third race had six entries: Nett, by W. P. Church, of Unionville; Flora by N. Stratton Jr., of Madison; Painesville Boy by John Sanborn, of Painesville; Little Henry by George Martin, Unionville; Laura Bell by Johnny Warner, Painesville; Dolly Varden, by Jehial Hurlburt, of Perry. This race has not been fully decided yet. It probably lies between Painesville Boy and Flora. The race was to have been for horses that had never trotted for purses

or prizes. It is claimed by some that Painesville Boy had, which, if true, would give the price to Flora, the next best. (John Sanborn, Painesville Boy was declared the winner.)

Mrs. Nelson Black, of Middle Ridge, died quite suddenly last Thursday from some brain difficulty. Her husband, who has been away from home for three or four months, did not arrive in time to see her alive.

Middle Ridge, July 17

Mrs. Margaret Black, wife of Nelson Black, departed this life on Thursday last, age 58 yrs. The cause of her death is supposed to be sunstroke, received some ten days previous. Mr. B. was in Michigan at the time, but arrived home on Friday.

Pioneer History

I have heard the Girdled Road called Wayne's Trace when speaking of it before. Why it is so called I have yet to ascertain. Gen. Wayne defeated the Indians at the battle of Fallen Timber, Aug. 10, 1794. Wayne's army marched north from Cincinnati and returned the same route. Wayne had commanded after this the U. S. Garrison at Erie, Pa., where he died in 1805 (I think) and was buried at the foot of the flag staff. His remains were removed a few years since, to his native county, Chester, Pa. I am not able to find any disturbance to call out troops under Gen. Wayne that would need a military road through Northern Ohio.

I was interested in the sketch of Palmer, the first settler of Thompson; his companion in his journey, Mr. Sackett, I had some acquaintance with. Skene Douglass Sackett was born in Milford, New Haven Co., Conn., was a soldier of the Revolution in the Conn. Line. He married Hannah Saxton a native of that portion of the ancient town of Waterbury, now called Middlebury, in the same county. They moved from Conn. to the Whitestown country, as it was called in 1798 or 1799, where he rented a farm on the reservation of the Brothtown Indians, in Oneida Co., N.Y. In 1803, Mrs. Sackett's family came to Painesville, where they lived for two or

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three years. They lived in Windsor for many years, but they have passed away. Mrs. Sackett was one of twenty children, whose remains are resting in Conn., in N.Y., and Ohio. Mr. Sackett was a pensioner, and lived to an advanced age. Mr. and Mrs. Sackett had four children: Polly, who married A. Crandall, her second husband Luman Frisbie; Garry, Chauncey, and Horace. I have been recently informed that Chauncey Sackett is dead.

C. C. Bronson, July 8, 1876

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of July 19:

Ladies

Mrs. Lillian Carter
Miss Allie Kromer
Miss Lizzie H. Dunn
Mrs. Kittie Shepard
Miss Maria Wir

Gentlemen

Orvil Adams
T. Belden
Rev. D. F. Barnett
Wm. Corkens
Willie L. Pierce

Held for postage:

Peter J. Gill, Eastern, Pa.
Joseph Moulton, Rochester, N.Y.
Miss Mary Maross, East Saginaw, Mich.

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p. 2 Ashtabula Snake Story

Mr. Thomas Manning, who is employed as engineer at the L.S. & M. S. water works, stumbled across what he thought was a stove pipe in the high grass. In attempted to pick it up, the object moved and he discovered it to be a snake not less than 20' long. He made tracks in the opposite direction and reported what he saw at the depot. Men armed with guns went out but did not succeed in finding it.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of July 26:

Ladies

Mrs. Isabell Flink
Mrs. Susie Myers
Mrs. Morley
Miss Ada T. Stewart
Miss Mattie Gerity
Miss Mattie Pike
Mrs. Louisa Wedge
Miss Lida Williams
Mrs. Brewster Williams

Gentlemen

Horace Abby
John Child
Jonathan Burr
J. W. Taylor
Frank Vanhise

Held for postage:

Miss S. Shepherd, Komoka, Ont.

p. 3 Mrs. S. H. White is on a home visit of some weeks.

Miss Kate Gray, of Piqua, daughter of H. C. Gray, is visiting her friends in town.

Mrs. Kate Hover and children, of Milwaukee are in town.

L G. Tuttle, recently removed from Chagrin Falls to Painesville, has opened a law office in the room occupied by Judge Sterling.

N. Matson, of Chicago, a former businessman of this place, has been at the Cowles House for a few days on his way east.

Dr. Young was called upon a few days ago to render assistance to General (now farmer) Casement, who had the thumb of his right hand cut off while endeavoring to free the knives of a reaper which had become clogged with grain.

A. T. Brown is the owner of a mineral spring, located on his farm in Concord. He makes it free to all to use as it is said to possess medicinal qualities.

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Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Sarah J. Raymond to Daniel Noonan Jr., lot on Prospect St.

Harvey Cram to Marcus Taylor, 16 rods of land

George W. Steele to Gertrude I. Cay, lot on St. Clair St.

Kirtland

Eber W. Bond to Phebe Stannard, 1 acre

From Common Pleas Court

Isaac N. Hathaway, adm. of Elbridge Hayden vs. James Allen

George W. Steele vs Merrick F. Wilson et al. Due to the death of one of the defendants, Hiram Johnson, plaintiff has leave to amend the petitions against the administrator.

Frederick Nichols vs H. Beecher and another. Due to the death of one of the defendants, J. F. Butler, H. Beecher may make Butler's administrator a party to answer and cause continued.

Wm. E. Hulett, adm. of E. Hulett, deceased, vs W. H. Paseo.

Daniel Warner Jr. vs H. Cole, adm. of Rees M. Johnson.

Geo. W. Steele vs Samuel R. House, adm. of Robt. McCormick, deceased.

Samuel Metcalf vs Wm. McKee et al. L. Durfee is appointed guardian of minor heirs of Bartlett, with leave to answer for them.

Henry Rogers vs Margaret Rogers, divorce; continued

Mary A. Mallory vs Silas Mallory, divorce; continued

Pioneer History – Concord

Like other towns back from the lake shore, Concord was only five miles square. It appears that Moses Cleaveland, Joseph Perkins, and Daniel L. Coit were the proprietors of the township, and they employed Gen. Simon Perkins, of Warren, their agent, to survey the town and offer the land for sale. To do this he sent out his surveyor and assistants. They selected a spot for encampment, and it is known

to this day as Perkins' Camp, from the circumstances of it being the camp of the surveyors. Richard Gifford was at Perkins' camp with his family at an early day along with others who settled there at an early day. The old pioneers should be interviewed to get information on the early settlement. C. C. Bronson

Willoughby Plains

Mr. Nelson Dunbar buried one of his children on Tuesday of the past week; death caused by diphtheria.

Died

In Kirtland, Lake Co., June 20, Mrs. Anna Curtiss, age 88 yrs., 2 mos.

F. Paine Jr. is the adm. of Sarah M. Ames, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co.

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p. 3 Maj. W. McFarland arrived home last week and on Monday moved his family to Oswego, N.Y., where he is now stationed. Their residence for some years in Painesville has secured them a large circle of friends.

Wm. S. Gardner died at his residence on Pearl St., last Friday, age 80 yrs. The deceased formerly kept the Gardner House, on Little Mountain, but for some years past has been a resident of this place.

Miss Betsy Cowles, of Austinburg, died Wednesday after an illness of one week.

Died in Madison, July 31, Mrs. Sarah B. Hayden, age 67 yrs., 6 mos., 24 days. The deceased was the widow of the late Wm. B. Hayden, and sister of our townsmen, Messrs. David B. and Wm. Clayton, and resided here with her husband and family the six years preceding 1849, when they moved to Madison. The lady was highly esteemed.

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A Miraculous Escape – The 18-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Matthews, residing on Jackson St., fell from a second story window to the doorsteps beneath, a distance of 12', striking partly on the top and side of the head and then rolling off the steps into the walk. When taken up and for some minutes afterwards, the little one was unconscious and apparently lifeless. Life came slowly back and Dr. Gardner being called administered restoratives; the little one was soon as lively as before the accident.

Miss Betsy M. Cowles, of Ashtabula Co., died on the 25th instant, at her residence in Austinburgh, age 67 yrs., after an illness of one week. Some years ago, she was temporally a resident of Painesville in charge of our schools. Her father was the late Giles H. Cowles, of Bristol, Conn., who in 1811 received and accepted a call to the pastorate charge of the church in Austinburgh, where it is said he erected the first church ornamented with a steeple on the Western Reserve, and perhaps in Ohio. The deceased was a sister of the late Dr. E. W. Cowles, of this city, and an aunt of Mr. Alfred Cowles, of the *Chicago Tribune*, of Judge Samuel Cowles, of San Francisco, and of Mr. Edwin Cowles, of the *Cleveland Leader*.

Death of an Esteemed Citizen

Mr. William Harrison died at his residence on Mentor Ave. July 31, age 73 yrs., 6 mos. The deceased was an old resident here having come to this country from Margat, England, 41 years ago, and settled in the neighborhood where he has ever since held a residence. The sad affliction to relatives and friends is largely increased by the illness of Mrs. Harrison, wife of the deceased, who being in feeble health at the time of her husband's sudden attack, is so prostrated by care and anxiety that there is anxiety among her friends for her recovery.

A. Harper, of Harpersfield, has be issued a patent for a Mail Bag Discharger.

From Court of Common Pleas

William Rawlinson vs. Mary Rawlinson, divorce granted plaintiff, and he is to pay alimony to the defendant.

Eliza Harrison vs. William G. Harrison, divorce granted plaintiff with custody of four minor children.

Madison

I omitted to mention in my last, the death of an esteemed resident of this place, Mrs. L. B. McDonald, who died on the 20th ultimo, age 49 yrs.

Willoughby

Our town was thrown into furor of excitement by the shooting of the proprietor of the Willoughby House, Mr. Hammond, on Sunday, at the hand of one Reuben Lloyd from Wickliffe.

The facts from Mrs. Hammond: Lloyd entered the hotel and called for liquor; but upon being refused, he became impudent and quarrelsome, giving Hammond a severe blow with his fist. Mrs. H. came in and Lloyd drew a revolver and fired at her, the ball missing the mark and passing between her and her husband. The second shot was aimed at Hammond, the ball entering the right breast causing a severe, if not fatal wound. By this time the parties had reached the street and were intercepted by Constable Brown who with the assistance of two men got him handcuffed and marched to the lockup. Drs. Sabin and Beardslee were called but at this writing we are not informed as to the result of the examination. Later – fears are entertained that Mr. Hammond will not recover; the ball has not been extracted.

Married

In Youngstown, July 26, Prof. W. W. Gist, President Willoughby College to Miss Lillian J. Hurlburt, daughter of Dr. R. H. Hurlburt.

Died

In Concord, July 22, Harvey Kellogg, age 75 yrs.

In Painesville, July 29, William, son of John and Emily Brown, age 8 months.

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In Madison, July 20, Mrs. Jane L., wife of L. B. McDonald, age 49 yrs.

In LeRoy, July 15, John Callow, age 73 yrs. The deceased was a native of the Isle of Man, and immigrated to this county in 1832, where he has resided ever since.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Wilbur F. Smith to Samuel Hathaway store and lot on State St.

James S. Naylor to Samuel Hathaway, lot on State St

Willoughby

Mary A. McSparren to Henry Thackwell, 29 acres

Lyman E. Wightman to Levi Waite, part of an acre

Charles W. Wright to Helen I. Wright, lots nos. 2-11, Wright's survey

Kirtland

C. G. Crary to Harriet A. Hopper

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 2:

Ladies

Mary Cole

Miss A. Hungerford

Miss Amelia Odell

Miss Mary Costello

Mrs. Sara Lett

Mrs. Laura Talcott

Gentlemen

Charles Brown

James Ervin

A. T. Crennell

T. E. Wright

Held for postage

Miss N. L. Osborn, Binghampton, N.Y.

Flora D. Taylor, Claridon, O.

Wm. Goldsmith & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Seymour Strong, Allegan, Mich.

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p. 3 Josiah Thompson, of South Bend is spending a few days in town.

A. T. Paige and wife, of Akron, are in town on a visit to their parents and friends.

C. N. Bacon and family, of South Mound, Kansas, will soon visit their friends in Painesville.

M. E. Sweet, wife and niece of Kirtland took the morning train Tuesday for the Centennial exhibit. H. C. Camp, H. M. Camp, and C. H. Nye, of Concord, took cars destined for the same place.

J. C. Everett, a representative of the art-preserved and former employee of this office, left for Garret, Indiana, where he has accepted a position as ticket agent for the Chicago Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co.

Jonathan Coolidge, an old and well known citizen of Perry, died at his residence in that township Aug. 7, age 85 yrs. He had a severe stroke of apoplexy the previous Friday night, from which he remained insensible until death. He had lived in Perry 45 years.

From 1816 to 1826, Oliver Phelps carried the U.S. mail, sometimes on horseback, from Newburgh on the Hudson to Geneva, on Seneca Lake, N.Y., via Binghamton, Owego, Ithaca, Ludlowville, Auburn and Cuyaga Bridges.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Collins Morse to O. S. Hodges, lot on Erie St.

Horace Alvord to Edward P. Branch, part of lot 2, Casement Ave.

Mary I. and Elmer Gage to Lavinia L. Parmly, 7 acres

Mentor

Amos H. Allen to Hiram P. Harmon, 37 acres, Mentor and Willoughby

Helen L. and A. T. Ingraham to James Lapham Sr. 12 acres

Perry

Jacob Taverner to John C. Perry 2 acres

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Perry

Mr. Jonathan Coolidge, long an active participant in public affairs in this township, passed away yesterday from an apoplectic fit. He went out to pick berries last Friday in his usual good health; was out twice during the day which was very warm. The second time he complained of feeling unwell, but ate a hearty supper and soon after went into a stupor from which he never rallied. He had been a resident here about 45 years and was never sick to require a physician until about two years ago; he was about 82 yrs. old at his death.

A Short Visit to some Michigan Towns

Visited the Moseley boys, three in number, sons of our townsman H. E. Moseley, who are located on Monroe St., Grand Rapids, Michigan, engaged as commission merchants. At Newaygo, forty miles north, we met with a number of former residents of this section—among them P. H. Robinson and wife. Leaving Lake Co. 13 years ago, as soon as they were wed, they went forth to this place. The family now numbers six souls. Croton is located eight miles north east of Newaygo, at this place we met with Mr. Charles Teachout, his wife and family. At the time of our visit, Marshall Teachout and wife (daughter of W. F. Potts, of LeRoy) and Prof T. H. Corkill, of Nashville Tennessee were, also, visiting. Mr. T has a fine farm of 300-400 acres, a portion of it bounded by the Muskegon. At Three Rivers, we met Henry Hall (son of J. R. Hall, of this place). He moved here 14 years ago and is now proprietor of a flourishing drug store. I was informed that Mr. Hall was serving his second term as Mayor the city, a man universally respected. Berrien Springs is situated ten miles from Niles and is the country seat of Berrien County. A former resident of Willoughby is located here—George Reynolds—with whom we had a pleasant chat on days of “Auld Lang Syne.” Mr. R. came to this place 21 years ago, and is now regarded as an old settler, respected and esteemed. The prevailing subject of

conversation was politics. Five candidates being mentioned for Representative, among them J. C. Burrows, brother of J. B.

In the case of Hammond vs. Lloyd. Lloyd has been put in jail until the next session of the Common Pleas court in November. Hammond is slowing improving and will recover from his gunshot.

Willoughby - Mrs. J. W. Penfield has left town on a visit to her friends in Houghton, Michigan.

Madison

Dr. Winans was thrown from his sulky last Wed. and had a leg badly broken by the fall. It is feared he will have to have the injured limb amputated.

Bryon Sunderland, a lad about 12, while out berrying with another young fellow named Preston, last Thursday, had the misfortune to have three fingers of his left hand shot off while playing with a gun which they had with them. Two shots entered his breast, but striking some of the bones, glanced and followed along under the skin. He had a narrow escape.

Mrs. Smith, of North Madison, mother of G. W. and the late Chester Smith, died last week, at the age of 86 yrs.

A detachment of the United States Coast Survey is camped on the farm of C. C. Cummings, North Madison, and expect to be located there about 4 weeks.

Middle Ridge, Aug. 7

Mr. Wm. B. Brooks, of North Madison has committed matrimony and taken a Miss Bridges for a wife.

Mrs. Susan Smith, an old lady of North Madison died on Wed. last at the house of her son, Mr. G. W. Smith.

Married

At the residence of Theodore W. Pepoon, in Table Rock Precinct, Pawnee Co., Nebraska, July 4, Mr. John R. Allen and Miss Kate Pepoon, formerly of Painesville.

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Died

In LeRoy on July 23, of dropsy, Reuben Wedge, age 71 yrs. The deceased emigrated from Canada, and has lived in LeRoy over 40 yrs.

In Fairport, Aug. 6, Helen M., wife of George D. Calwell and daughter of Cornelia and Edward Winegar, age 25 yrs.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Aug 9:

Ladies

Miss Jennie Baker

Miss Eva Elverson

Gentlemen

B. S. Loomis & Co.

Mr. Brewer Williams

Held for postage:

Miss Eva Russell, Russellburg, Pa.

Mr. Warren, Brown, Oak Grove, Neb.

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p. 3 W. F. Stevens, of Norfolk, Virginia, is making his friends here a few days visit.

L. B. Gibbs and wife, Mrs. J. F. Brooks and son, and M. S. Colgrove and wife have gone to the Exposition.

The last number of the *Geauga Republican* publishes the death of Mr. Moses Hayden, one of the oldest citizens of the county.

H. E. Moseley left town on Friday for Grand Rapids, with the intention, we believe, of going into business with his sons at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nellis returned home Saturday from their Centennial trip.

S. W. E. Beckner, editor of the *Corner Stone*, New York city, is in town visiting his brother-in-law, Dr. B. P. Lathrop.

L. B. Riker has sold out his stock and fixtures to Lockwood & Perry, who will continue the

business. Mr. Riker has not yet determined upon his future business.

Dr. L. C. Brown and wife are enjoying a very pleasant family reunion. Mr. and Mrs. Sears and family, of New York, Mrs. Seymour and children, and F. D. Brown of Omaha, are all home on a visit.

Ornan Butler died at the County Infirmary Tuesday, age 80 yrs. He was an old resident of the county, formerly owning a farm in Perry, but has been an inmate of the Infirmary several years.

Real Estate Transfers

Willoughby

Heirs of Hezekiah Ferguson to Horatio H. Wells, 3 acres

Julia R. Kruger to Joseph Klika, 12 acres

Madison

Pamelia Dolaver to James Barnhart, 5 acres

Edwin L. Ware by adm. to Robert Burns, 39 acres

Laura H. Ware to Robert Burns, same premises

LeRoy

Thomas Bell et al by Sheriff, to John Drum Estate, 50 acres

Some Facts on the first Settlement of LeRoy

In 1809, the township was an unbroken wilderness, and then contained only four families, namely Benjamin Bates, Spencer Phelps, Paul Clapp, and Charles Kenneippe. The oldest person now living in the township, who was born in Leroy, is Amasa Clapp, he being 66 yrs. of age. From that time up to 1820, emigration was slowly settling in. Luther M. Parsons was the first Justice of the Peace elected in Leroy in 1820; he officiated at the marriage of Mr. James Wright and Miss Fanny Holcomb, 55 yrs. ago. Mr. Parsons, is still living and is in Wisconsin; the Wrights are still living.

Some of the traditions in vogue by the first settlers of the country have not been handed down to their posterity. For example, a remedy for teeth ache was to catch a rattlesnake, cut off its head, then for the patient to bite the snake's body from head to tail. S. B. Baker

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Perry

Mrs. Tyler, wife of H. Tyler, who resides on the Middle Ridge, died Sunday; she had been ill for a long time. She was a lady universally loved and respected.

Madison, Aug. 15

Mr. B. F. Wyman, an old resident of Madison, died last Wednesday, age 53 yrs.

Messrs. Reuben and Zenas Bliss and Chas. Morse started for Vermont on Monday to visit relatives and to return by the way of the Great World's Exposition at Philadelphia.

The timbers for the signal tower on Thompson Ledge, a government work, have arrived at this place and are now being hauled over.

Willoughby

The ground for a Driving Park has been located on the road leading to the lake, and upon land owned by Mr. Reese Carroll, near Mr. Fred Yaxley's residence. President of the Willoughby Driving Park Association is J. O. Humphrey; Vice Pres., T. F. Shipherd; Sec., J. S. Ellen, Treas., George Pelton.

The death of Mrs. Josie Mather, of Michigan, occurred at the residence of her father, Mr. J. Conley, in this town, on Tues. night of last week. The deceased had come home early last spring in ill health and has been a sufferer since then.

Sheriff's sale: John Brick vs. Patrick Brick; land in Painesville will be sold.

Sheriff's Sale: Weideman, Kent & Co. vs. Arthur L. Brown, Laura A. Brown, E. R. Kingsley, O. H. Brown, S. F. Whitney, and Wm. E. Taylor and Wm. S. Ferguson as adm. of Marcena Worrallo, deceased. Land in Willoughby, part of lot 51 of Willoughby Village will be sold.

Sheriff's sale: William Scanlan vs. John Hill and Alice Hill. Land in Willoughby, part of lot 85 will be sold.

Died

In Eastern Virginia, Aug. 4, Asenath, wife of Capt. R. B. More, age 50 yrs., 10 mos.

Married

In Youngstown, Ohio, July 26, Prof. W. W. Gist, President of Willoughby College and Miss Lillian J. Hurlburt, daughter of Dr. R. H. Hurlburt.

In North Perry, at the parsonage, Mr. Vernon P. Mace of St. Joe, Butler, Co., Pa., and Miss Sophia D. Lapham, of Perry.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 16:

Ladies

Miss Kitty Ames
Miss Lottie Denton
Miss Ella Foote
Miss Julia Kirby
Miss Carrie Barrett
Miss Durand
Miss Mary F. Hogan
Miss Lucy Smith

Gentlemen

Wm. H. Alvord
Collins Dodge
Geo. E. Lapham
S. J. Parmlee
John Child
Delseour French
J. A. Murrie
Fred Wells
Cyrus Whitlock

Held for postage:

Maggie E. Colgan, Lake View House
L. Sayres, Chardon, O.
John Sagers, Fairfield, Iowa

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p. 2 Probate Court

1. Lois Eddy, executrix of the last will and testament of Hazel P. Eddy, deceased; final account
2. Aaron Wilcox and Cynthia Williams, executrix of Charles L. Williams, deceased; first account
3. Samuel R. House, executor of Eunice B. Ladd, deceased; sixth account
4. M. B. Cook executor of Polly Lyman, deceased; final account

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5. Roswell G. Wheeler, executor of Nathaniel S. Wheeler, deceased; final account
6. Sarah J. Sperry, executrix of Wheeler Sperry, deceased; first account
7. John H. Murray, guardian of Wilson Murray; third account
8. Mary T. Gage, executrix of Munson T. Gage; final account
9. Sally Smith, executrix of Earl Smith, deceased; final account
10. Mary E. Garner and Larue M. Garner, executors of Joseph Garner, deceased; final account

p. 3 F. H. Carter, of San Francisco, is visiting his parents and friends.

F. Paine Sr. has lately published a work on Astronomy. It can be procured at the post office book store.

Miss Maggie Shelby, of Cleveland, and her nephew, John Shelby, of Painesville, have just returned from a four-week's visit to Omaha.

Mrs. F. F. Bernard, who sailed for England Aug. 12 on the steamer *Germanic*, of the White Star Line, arrived at Queenstown, on the 20th.

Judge J. C. McDuffy, son-in-law of C. Quinn, with family, of Hanesville, Alabama, are spending a few days in town. They will visit the Centennial on their way home.

J. A. Harris, an old resident of Cuyahoga Co., and formerly editor of the Cleveland *Herald*, died on Monday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Byerly, on the West Side, Cleveland; he was 68 yrs. old.

Ashtabula – August 30, while disturbing the waters preparatory to dredging, the body of a man arose to the surface, which proved to be the body of Mr. A. Rockwell, of Kingsville, missing since Thursday afternoon. A coroner's inquest rendered the verdict that he came to his death

by falling into the water while in a state of intoxication. His remains were taken to Kingsville; he was about 30 yrs. old and was married.

Some 500 or 600 excursionists from Canada arrived in Fairport last Thursday on the steamer *Saginaw*, and from there on the P. & Y. on to the park, where they were welcomed in a speech by Mayor Wilcox, after which the party scattered to enjoy themselves as seemed best. They left our harbor at 6 o'clock.

Another Old Pioneer Gone

Harvey Guthrie, father-in-law of our townsman, Mr. H. Bowhall, died almost instantly of apoplexy, at his home in Conneaut, on the 17th instant. Mr. Guthrie was one of the early settlers of the county having resided in Conneaut 52 years. His death occurred on the anniversary of the battle of Fort Erie, in which he gallantly participated. His funeral took place under the auspices of the Masonic Fraternity.

Mr. Geo. Clark, of New Lyme was killed in Cleveland on the 17th, by being thrown from a buggy. Clark leaves a wife and one child.

Real Estate Transfers

Willoughby

Wilhelm Schwandt to A. W. Poe, 28 acres

Painesville

Hannah A. Alderman to Horace W. Tibbals, part of an acre

Mentor

O. S. Hodges to L. H. Carpenter, 3 acres

Concord

Jared Murray to Chas. T. Murray, 110 acres

Perry

Alonzo Bartlett to Adrian J. Bartlett, 76 acres

Willoughby

The College and Union Schools have been merged into one, under the management of the village Board of Education for the term of five years. The High School will be removed to the former building and will have the benefit of a

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three years course—instead of 10 years as formerly. After which, students may continue in a collegiate course—thus giving equal advantages with Berea or other similar schools.

College and High School

Prof. W. W. Gist – Principal

Miss Work – Preceptress

Miss Tryon – Modern Languages

Miss M. L. Chapin – Drawing and Painting

Prof. E. Grimme – Musical

Union School

Miss Libbie Ormsby – Grammar Dept.

Miss Julia E. Smith – Intermediate

Miss Florence Moore – A. Primary

Miss Angeline Egbert – B. Primary

Madison, Aug. 22

Quite a serious row and shooting affray occurred here last Wednesday evening and Thursday morning. Wed. evening, Frank Wood and Chauncey Norton engaged in a good-natured wrestle in the whiskey and beer saloon of Zeri Judd. Norton succeeded in flooring his opponent and a dispute arose as to the manner in which it was done. This led to a few hot words, but friends quieted them down. Then George Wood, a brother of Frank, without warning stepped up and dealt Norton a blow knocking him to the floor, planted both his heels in Norton's face, and struck him a succession of blows. Several policemen were promptly on the spot, but in the confusion, Wood made his exit. Police later saw him in the vicinity and ordered him to stop, he did not and they fired shots, one of which struck Wood in the fleshy part of the arm. It is alleged he made threats against Bowhall, the one who attempted his arrest and the next morning he went to the camp grounds. Wood advanced on Bowhall and put his hand to hip as though for a revolver; Bowhall fired and the bullet hit Wood in the check. Bowhall immediately gave himself up to the authorities.

Samuel C. Galpin, age 17 yrs., died last Sunday of hemorrhage of the bowels. Mary Matteson, a daughter of T. Matteson, of North Madison, died

last week after an illness of some weeks' duration.

Middle Ridge, Aug. 14

There were three funerals in Madison last Thursday: Mr. Frank Wyman, in the village; Mr. Joseph Sinclear, of North Madison; and Miss Mary Clark, stepdaughter of Mr. Levi Johnson, of N. Madison.

Willoughby

Mr. A. L. Brown leaves town tomorrow in company with Mr. C. Wait, for Wisconsin, where they will be engaged in purchasing sheep for Mr. Hodge, of Mentor.

Miss Glen Penfield has for two Sundays presided at the organ in the M.E. Church by request of Miss Chapin, who required a short rest. Miss Penfield is young in the profession, but displays excellent taste in all her performances upon the instrument.

Willoughby Plains

Mrs. McLaughlin, age 72 died after a long and tedious illness of consumption. She was long a resident of this place and mother of a large family—four boys, two of whom with her husband passed on before, and three daughters—two of whom are still living; leaving of the family but four of the nine that came among us some 25 years ago. One son, Geo. W., is now in New York, Sullivan Co., practicing law, the sister in Missouri but two were here to watch and care for mother's last days.

E. P. Kellogg is the adm. of Harvey Kellogg, deceased, late of Concord, Lake Co., O.

J. J. Harrison is the executor of William Harrison, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

C. Coolidge is the adm. of Jonathan Coolidge, deceased, late of Perry, Lake Co., Ohio.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Aug. 23:

Ladies

Mrs. Ella Bailey

Miss Annie Burke

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Miss Emma Cook
Miss Luella Davis
Miss Sarah Mathews
Miss Edna Post
Miss Annie Bridgeman
Miss Ellen Carroll
Mrs. James A. Ditson
Miss Mary Larsey
Miss Addie L. Orcutt
Mrs. Sarah Scott
Mrs. J. J. Winsor

Gentlemen

F. M. Bailey
Albert Jones
H. Dunham
Lewis M. Jull
Jason Manley

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p. 3 Mr. and Mrs. H. Steele left for the Centennial via New York, yesterday afternoon.

C. N. Bacon and family of South Mound, Neosha Co., Kansas, are on a visit of several weeks' duration to their friends in this place.

Mr. J. L. Pierson and family leave town this week on a visit of several months to Newark, N.J., the former residence of Mrs. P.

Mr. Jewell, age about 73 yrs., died at the County Infirmary Tuesday. He had been an inmate of the institutions five or six years.

Dominick Devaney, a young man formerly residing in this place, was recently so injured by a threshing machine in San Francisco, Cal., as to cause his death in a few hours.

The contract for building the Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad from Martin's Ferry to Sandusky has been let to Edward Darragh, of Painesville, and Hugh McKee, of Pennsylvania. The whole line is to be completed July 1, 1878.

Sad and Sudden Death

Mrs. Minnie L. Clayton, wife of Desky B. Clayton, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Weed, died at her residence on Watson St., Aug. 25, at age 39 yrs. and some months. Seven days previous she attended a Sabbath School picnic where she took a severe cold, which terminated in congestion of the lungs, causing her death. She leaves a husband and three small children. She was a lady of superior attainment of mind and heart, and was greatly loved.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Harvey Cram to Charles S. Cram, part of an acre
Charles S. Cram to Harvey Cram, 8 acres

Mentor

Eliza A. Van Etten et al to George and Edward Rose, 49 acres

Madison

John Kellogg to Mary Fleming, 1 acre

A barn on the farm occupied by Richard Welsh and Mr. Chambers about one mile east of the Painesville Nurseries burned down Sunday night.

Reunion

On the 24th instant, a family reunion took place at the residence of Harvey Morse, South Kirtland, in honor of the 90th birthday of Mrs. Mary Holbrook. There were 80 people present—family and friends.

Madison

James Black, of Middle Ridge, a son of Nathan Black, received severe injuries on his left hand Friday by the bursting of a gun, which he fired at an owl.

Prof. T. G. McCalmont and wife, and Mr. Daniel Roe and wife, have returned from the Centennial.

Mr. John Williams, the oldest commission merchant in Madison, died Wednesday night, at the age of 70 yrs. He was one of the early settlers of the township, and had probably handled more potatoes than any other man in this section.

Willoughby

Serious Accident — Porter Rice, today, a resident of Kirtland, was driving his team with a

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load of stone over the bridge at Pleasant Valley, when the stringers suddenly gave way and all were thrown with a crash into the river, a distance of 16'. The horses fell back upon the load and were both killed. Mr. Rice went down amid the falling debris and striking the water was held completely under the surface by the heavy plank and timbers, and but for the prompt assistance of Mr. Dodd, who happened at the bridge just at that moment, must have drowned. Mr. Rice was taken to the house of Mr. Dodd, and is seriously, though it is hoped, not fatally injured.

Married

In Painesville, Aug. 27, Eugene S. Bail and Sarah A. Hopkins.

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p. 2 The 90th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Mary Holbrook was celebrated with a reunion of her relatives at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Harvey H. Morse, in South Kirtland, on the 24th ultimo. There were present her four daughters with grandchildren, great grandchildren and many other relatives. Mrs. Holbrook with her husband, David Holbrook, moved from Connecticut to Ohio in a wagon drawn by three yoke of oxen, in 1817, and settled for a short time in Burton, Geauga Co. In 1818, they moved to Kirtland. In that year, the first church in the township was formed and David Holbrook was made its first deacon. Mrs. Holbrook is the only one of the first seven members now living. In 1810, Christopher Crary, with his son, Erastus, and their families, located their homes in South Kirtland, and for four years lived miles away from any other settlers. After the war of 1812, in the fall of 1815, Capt. John Morse, arrived in Kirtland and built his log cabin not far from the Little Mountain. There were many wolves and rattlesnakes.

Death of C. W. Heard

From the *Cleveland Leader*, 29th ult.

On the 18th, Mr. C. W. Heard Sr. died at his residence on Ansel Ave. Mr. Heard was an old and esteemed citizen of this city. He was born Oct. 2, 1806 at Onondaga, Onondaga Co., N.Y. In 1809 his parents moved to Painesville. Early in life he learned the trade of carpenter, and in 1833 came to Cleveland, taking up his residence at No. 32 Euclid Ave., where he remained until last year, when he moved to his late residence on Ansel Ave., called "Millwood." Upon coming to Cleveland, he took up the calling of architect and continued in that occupation until his retirement due to ill health about a year and a half ago. His first work as an architect here was planning and erecting the residence of Hon. Sherlock J. Andrews. Since that time, he has been closely identified with many of the public buildings of the city, prominent among which is the new City Hall building one of the finest structures in the west. He represented the First Ward in the Board of Aldermen in 1844 and for several terms. Years later, he was, also, a member of the Board of Education. April 1, 1830, he married to Miss Caroline Goldsmith. Of ten children—six daughters and four sons, eight are living, the two others having died in infancy, and all but three reside in this city. He has been a Mason for many years past.

p. 3 The Painesville *Telegraph* has purchased the *Madison Gazette*. Mr. Ferdinand Lee will act as our agent in Madison—fully authorized to receive advertisements, subscriptions, etc.

B. Ehrlich, of Terre Haute, formerly of Painesville, is in town.

Stephen Sherman died at Lima, Ohio, July 16, at age 76 yrs. He was formerly and for many years a business citizen of Painesville, and well known.

One of the most sensible items in the new postal law is that which allows a person to write his or her name on the wrapper and also the word "from," to let the party receiving it know who it is from, without violating the law.

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Real Estate Transfers

Madison

Richard Walding to Abby Jane Bowhall, part of an acre on Safford St.

Sarah D. and Charles Kimball to G. W. Shaw, 20 acres

John Williams to Alpha Kelley, 45 acres

Alpha Kelley to Eunice L. Williams, same premises

Willoughby

Harry E. and Edwin L. White to Alva Hanscome, 18 acres

Celia A. and R. H. Hurlburt to E. L. White, 1 acre

Olive A. and B. S. Inman to Harvey E. White, 12 acres

Samuel Butler, of Fairport, attained his 82nd birthday last Monday, on which day he was in Painesville and received the congratulations of a large number of old friends. He has been a resident of Fairport 60 yrs.

Killed – Last Thursday evening, a man name Silas D. Coates, of Newbury, Geauga Co., was killed on the P & Y Railroad, at Wilson's Corners. He was riding on top of a car on the excursion train with a companion named Heard. As the train passed under a bridge, he was struck by the bridge, knocked from the car, and instantly killed. His companion was, also, struck and considerably injured. The remains of Coates were brought to Painesville. Both were under the influence of liquor. On the return trip of the excursion train, the remains were recognized by relatives who had supposed him to have been accidentally left behind at some station.

Cleveland Grays - At a meeting of citizens last week, a committee was appointed to invite the Cleveland Grays to hold their annual target-shoot at Painesville. The committee consisted of: Capt. J. B. Kilbourne, Gen. J. S. Casement, Capt. J. B. Burrows, Capt. G. L. Ricker, Capt. Geo. E. Paine, Lieut. E. T. Donaldson, D. T. Casement, Geo. Mathews, and R. K. Paige. The invitation has been accepted and the Grays will be here

next Friday. The Grays will go to the grounds of H. Steele, on the flats, for target Practice after a speech of welcome. There will be a dinner and a Drill and Parade on the park.

Kirtland

A very pleasant birthday party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sanborn, on Aug. 28.

Conneaut

Some of your readers will perhaps remember that a Mr. Read, living near Jefferson, was shot by his brother a year ago last spring. Three balls were lodged in his head, two striking him in the face, and one in the back of his head and remained there; still the man lived and for nearly a year past has worked hard on his farm. But during the hot weather, his head became inflamed and a week ago, Aug. 27, he died. The murderer was arrested at the time and lodged in jail in Jefferson, but afterward broke jail and has not been heard of since.

Madison, Sept. 5

Misses Edna Stratton and Maria Rosa, Mr. and Mrs. Loveridge, and Mrs. H. E. Kellogg have gone to the Centennial.

A daughter of Mr. A. Wheeler, of North Ridge, died on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Viets, of Dakota Territory, made his appearance here last week—the Philadelphia Exposition and the low railroad fares are what brought him here.

Frank King, now a resident of Atchison, Kansas, who has been visiting here among friends, returned to the west last Friday.

The old-established grocery store of H. P. Walding was purchased yesterday by the enterprising young businessmen, O. A. Haskins and Julius Griswold.

Ephron Warner, a son of Harmon Warner, of North Ridge, died yesterday of scarlet fever, age 10 yrs.

Rev. Jno. Safford, of Crawfordsville, Ind., has been stopping with his brother, P. T. Safford, for a few days in Madison.

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Willoughby

The grading and paving of a portion of Erie St. is progressing rapidly.

Mentor

We the undersigned agree to form ourselves into a Hayes and Wheeler Club, known as the Mentor Hayes and Wheeler Club of 1876.

J. C. Tyler
F. J. Rexford
S. C. Beardslee
C. E. Justus
R. Radcliff
W. S. Bandell
L. W. Jacks
S. Cleveland
M. D. Beall
C. W. Lamb
W. H. Shumaker
C. A. Baxter
A. D. Barrett
F. J. Parmele
A. J. Haskell
Frank M. Call
H. Martindale
David Conklin
Jno. M. Blodget
C. M. Craine
J. H. Smith
S. L. Holcomb
F. Baker
Sidney Smith
Edward Hayes
E. A. Smith
H. W. Holmes
E. J. Marshall
Eleazar Parker
C. H. Goodrich
A. S. Hovey
M. L. Parker
A. Case
W. H. Radcliff
A. M. Baxter
Wm. Smith
G. E. Parsons
H. W. Munson

A. B. Holmes
John S. Warren
Levi Burrige
A. M. Warren
Hiram Burr
M. Blodget

Died

In Painesville, Sept. 2, Adie Maria, daughter of Edwin and Rhoda Huntington, age 6 weeks, 3 days.

In LeRoy, Aug. 20, Mrs. Hannah D., wife of the late Oliver Tenney, age 77 yrs. The deceased had been a resident of this place for many years; was married in 1826, having lived for 50 yrs. on the farm where she died.

In Mentor, Aug. 18, at the residence of her grandfather, Nathan Corning, Carrie, oldest daughter of Mills and Emily Corning Bradley, age 19 yrs., 7 mos. She was born in Troy, N.Y., where she lived until the last year of her life, when she came with her widowed mother to make Mentor her home. She left a mother and sisters here to join a father gone before.

Divorce Notice

William C. Dunnage vs. Abbey M. Dunnage. He charges her with willful absence of more than 3 years.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Sept. 6:

Ladies

Mrs. Rebecca Blast
Mrs. Eliza Denn
Mrs. S. L. Knight
Mrs. Lorinda Clapp
Mrs. Jennie Dodge
Miss Allie Kromer
Mrs. Oliver Sprague

Gentlemen

John Ames
Henry Cummington
C. Buff
David H. Marsh
Jas. H. Paige

Held for postage:

Edward W. Sparrow, Lansing, Mich.
Austin, L. H. Lockwood, Mich.

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p. 2 Eunice L. Williams and Asa Lamb are the executors of the estate of John Williams, deceased, late of Madison, Lake Co., Ohio.

William Curphey, executor of Edward Duke, deceased, will be selling lot no. 283 on State St., Painesville.

Divorce Notice – Ellen A. Wilson vs. Merrick F. Wilson. She charges him with gross neglect of duty and habitual drunkenness for more than three years past. She asks for custody of their child, Lida J. Wilson.

Sheriff's Sale: Alonzo B. Holcomb vs. James M. Barnes, et al. Land in Mentor will be sold.

p. 3 F. C. Moodey, who has been spending the summer with relatives in this place, left for Brooklyn, his home on Tuesday.

Maria E., adopted daughter of Isiah Rider, died on Monday, age 38 yrs.

Mrs. Anna, wife of the Rev. R. F. Randolph, died at her residence on Erie St., after a long illness.

Going to the Centennial. Exposition: F. G. Warner, H. E. Fuller, C. R. Tinan, Ford Tinker, Geo. Cranston, Ranney Warner, S. L. Thompson, N. O. Lee wife, and two children; W. W. Dingley and wife, W. Babbitt, Miss Spindler (dau. of the Disciple minister, Miss Ida Bacon. Geo. C. Curtiss and wife and G. H. Huntington returned the latter part of last week. Robert George of the Painesville Nurseries returned Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harrison and W. G. Storrs, of the Painesville Nurseries, and Mrs. D. Sumner, are also at the great Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Marshall are in New England and will go there before returning home. R. Beckwith returned home today.

Real Estate Transfers

LeRoy

John Drumm, by adm. to Sarah M. Potts, 100 acres

Deborah A. and Robert Lace to Alexander Nichols, 10 acres

Willoughby

John C. Downen to Amelia Kingsley, part of an acre

Perry

Ambrose F. and Anna A. Wood to John S. Young, 55 acres

Madison

Ora Patch has a new little boy.

A Hayes and Wheeler Club was formed on Saturday. W. T. Fitch was elected President; S. A. Rand, Vice Pres.; F. Lee, Sec.; A. S. Stratton, Treas.; Executive Committee: S. N. Allen, R. Freeman, W. H. Pancost, H. J. Saxton, Albert King.

Mr. John Brown, of North Madison, has returned from the Centennial after a brief visit.

A 7 mos. old child of Rev. Mr. Stearns, of West Madison, died last week, after an illness of only 24 hours.

Miss Eva Dow and brother, Henry, start today for Michigan, where they will remain through the winter.

H. P. Walding since his retirement from business, contemplates visiting England, his birthplace.

Wednesday morning – Thomas Burns, an Irishman, was found dead near the track in the night. He was killed by the cars.

Willoughby

The marriage ceremonies of Rev. A. W. Gruber, of Steubenville, to Miss Julia French, of this village were solemnized by Rev. J. H. Dewart, at the M. E. Parsonage. The happy couple left town on the noon train for the west.

The funeral services of Mrs. Eliza Spencer took place from the residence of her brother, Mr. D. Arnold, last Saturday.

Mr. E. White has purchased the house and lot of Rev. R. H. Hurlburt. Mr. Harvey White has purchased the house and twelve acres of Mr. Ben Inman.

Mr. A. Y. Austin and daughter left town this a.m. for a visit to the Centennial Exposition and the sea shore.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smith, Charley and Lily Tryon, and J. C. Ward returned from the Centennial a few days ago.

Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Columbus, is visiting her mother in this place.

Arthur Tryon leaves for Columbus next Monday to enter the Agricultural College there.

A Hayes/Wheeler Club has been organized in Willoughby. Pres. – Geo. W. Clement; Vice Pres. – A. P. Barber; Sec. – H. F. Kennedy – Treas. – Thos. Collister; Executive Comm: E. G. Clark, D. C. Miller, G. S. Eddy. It was voted to send a copy of the records to the Painesville *Telegraph* and the Willoughby *Gazette*.

Married

At the residence of the bride, in Perry, on the 3rd instant, Col. Eliphalet Stratton and Mrs. Maria Tyler, both of Perry.

At the bride's home, in Painesville, Sept. 10, Mr. Charles H. Harvey and Miss Edith Underwood.

Wednesday, Sept. 13, Samuel W. Curtiss and Marion Fillmore, daughter of the late Capt. M. F. Dixon.

Died

In Salina, Kansas, Aug. 20, of typhoid pneumonia, Orrin J. Ford, age 42 yrs.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Sept. 13:

Ladies

Mrs. D. W. Burgess
Mrs. Mary E. Jackson
Miss Ella Randell
Miss Lottie Denton
Mrs. John G. Robinson
Miss F. E. Sherman
Miss Ada Stewart

Gentlemen

John L. Baldwin
Dr. Charles A. Camp
O. P. Kellogg
Franklin Call
G. W. Graves
David H. Marsh

Orrin Wilson

Held for postage:

Mrs. Mary Freeman, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
Lewis Culberton, South Mound, Kansas

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p. 1 Reminiscences of Early Western Reserve Life – In 1817, Isaac Morley moved with his family to Kirtland and settled on a place about $\frac{3}{4}$ mile from the flats, the farm still owned and occupied by his son, Alfred, who was fourteen years at the time he came to this State. The place settled upon by the Morleys was just across the road from a clearing made by Isaac Morley Jr., a brother of Alfred, who had moved into the country a few years previous, and had gotten comfortably settled. The place had been previously owned by a man named Shaw, who had married a daughter of Eli Griffith. Shaw died a year or two before Morley moved in and before he had finished a log house he was building upon his clearing, and his widow went to work to finish the house, and with her own hands split and hewed the puncheons or planks of oak for the floor. In the same year, 1817, Peter Markell moved with his family, consisting of eleven children, himself and wife, into Willoughby, where they passed the winter, and in the spring of 1818 moved to Kirtland. They came from Palatine, Montgomery Co., N.Y., near the Mohawk. They came with ox teams and were 22 days on the road. Upon their arrival in Kirtland, they settled upon a farm in the southern part of the town. There was a clearing of about two acres and a small log hut on it. They soon cleared a lot of 23 acres which they sowed to wheat. The general rule of the settlers was, wheat the first year, corn the second. The rich heavy soil, too strong for corn, when covered with the ashes of the logs left by clearing, proved good for wheat, and heavy crops were raised. A bushel of wheat just paid for one yard of cotton sheeting of the quality now known as "cheese rapping." Dry goods could be bought in barter for wheat, corn, barley, wood, and furs; but groceries required cash for every article. Cash was obtained in small quantities in various ways but mostly by making

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what were known as "black salts." The ashes obtained from burning great heaps of logs left from clearing were leached, the lye boiled down, the precipitate constituting the "salts." These were barreled and hauled to Madison, where they were sold for \$3 per 100 lbs. Then they were "pearled" and shipped to the east. All freight was then transferred east and west by the lake. While Isaac Morley and his family were on their way here they were obliged to pass one place on the road where it led over the beach of the lake and at one spot through two feet of water. The lake being calm, they passed the place in safety; but a few weeks later a party of five persons moving from New York, attempted to cross the spot in rough weather and were caught in a large wave, and the horses and wagon swept out into the lake. Four persons were drowned and the fifth only saving himself by severe exertions. Mr. Alfred Morley is the only surviving male member of the Morley family in Kirtland. On the advent of Mormonism, Isaac Morley Jr., became quite a prominent Mormon, and at the time of their exodus left with them and died in the west. Deacon Morley being quite young at the time of coming into the country has a good recollection of events at that time and to him we are indebted for much of the information used here. The only mill available at that time was situated on the river at Willoughby, and a narrow bridle path led through the woods. There was, also, a saw mill at Willoughby. One day William Griffith, a boy about Morley's age, went to the mill on horseback and while there the men in the saw mill offered to give him a board if he would carry it home. Having never before seen a sawed plank, he regarded it as a great curiosity and readily agreed to take it. They placed it on the horse before him and he started for home. When he got to the woods and the bridle path, the board got caught on the trees and knocked him from his horse. After several attempts of trying to carry it on horseback, he had to leave it and come back for it to carry home on foot. It was the first lumber brought into Kirtland. Wolves were plenty at

that time and the first night of Morley's sojourn in Kirtland, he and his brother were followed nearly a mile by a pack. While coming through New York, he heard the following story: In the fall of 1816, two young men and two ladies started for a walk of four miles, through the woods to visit an acquaintance. They made their call and started to return about eight in the evening. It was a bright moonlight night. When about half way home, the howling of a large pack of wolves was heard. As they got nearer, a large tree was selected and the four went up it. They were treed for about an hour, when the limb holding one of the young ladies broke and she fell among the wolves. In ten minutes, nothing was left of her but the palm of the hand and a few shreds of clothing. At daylight, the wolves left them and they continued on home. One young man had been engaged to the unfortunate lady, and he lost his reason that night and never recovered.

p. 3 Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Sept. 20:

Ladies

Miss Anna Bridge
Miss Clark
Mrs. Flora Goodman
Mrs. Melissa McBride
Miss A. G. Thompson
Miss Lydia Butler
Miss J. A. Field
Louie Lee
Miss Lettie Starks
Miss Bridget Waldron
Mrs. A. R. Wright

Gentlemen

Mr. Bingmen
Geo. E. Brewer
Daniel W. Carpenter
L. M. Jull
Williams Rice
Lon. P. Barnes
John Bran
P. Feist
Wm. H. Pine
O. E. Temple
Geo. Turney

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Held for postage:

Chas. Hoopingarner, Winfield, O.

B. F. Thompson, Andover, O.

Miss Lottie Owen, Goshen, N.Y.

Capt. M. Bearse, N. Y. City

Miss Kittie Marvin leaves Thursday to take up her residence in Toledo.

Mrs. E. S. Seymour, of Omaha, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. L.C. Brown, and Painesville friends, with her children, left for home on Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Hitchcock, who has been visiting her parents (Rev. S. B. and Mrs. Webster) for the past two months, left for her home, Northfield, Minn. on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Spindler and daughter, Miss Minnie and Ida Bacon, and Miss Nettie Morse, of Geneva, in company, started for the Exposition on Monday.

A. H. Garfield and family left for the Centennial this morning via Niagara, where they join a party of friends for the same destination.

Porter Woodworth, a well-known former citizen, but in later years a resident of Warren, Ill., is in to on a visit to his brother, H. Woodworth.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

H. C. Nellis, to Geo. W. Steele, 2 acres, Hoyt's survey

David P. Perry to Leo S. Parmly, store and lots, Bissel and King Block

Leo. S. Parmly to David P. Perry, part of an acre on Pearl St.

William Manning to Jehial Hurlburt, part of an acre on State St.

Concord

Thos. W. and Joseph Harvey to Moses C. Harvey, 47 acres

Mentor

Margaret Botten, by adm. to Harriet M. Dickey, 1 acre

Willoughby

Mark Hammond to John Pike, 2 acres, Hotel premises

Madison

Wm. S. Thomas .to E. D. Knapp, 14 acres

Master W. W. Irwin, attached to the U. S. Steamer *Gettysburg*, was in town on a brief visit preparatory to a two years' cruise coasting the shores of Spain, France, Italy, Turkey, Greece, up the Bosphorus into the Black Sea, following the southern coasts, Egypt, Tunis, Tripoli, Algiers, and returning by way of the Canary and Cape Verde Island and the West Indies.

Madison, Sept. 20

Mrs. William Norton, of North Madison, has just opened a dress making establishment in the building owned by Mrs. Covell and formerly occupied by Misses Snedekar and Barrett, as a millinery shop.

A little child of Sultan St. John, of North Madison, swallowed a nursery pin one-day last week. The physician got the pin ejected.

Mrs. Sarah Wood, the oldest resident in Madison, died last Wednesdays, age 92 yrs. She has been gradually failing and probably died of old age. The remains will be buried in Madison Cemetery.

Horace P. Allen is lying quite ill at his residence on Lake St.

Miss Ida Plympton, of North Madison, graduated at Mt. Union College on July 27.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee, of Burford, Ontario, are in town visiting relatives.

LeRoy

Miss Edna Baker has returned from the Centennial, and Mr. Valentine and Enos Tew are now there.

Perry

Mrs. Baldwin, mother of Mrs. Nelson Norton, died Monday, age about 89 years.

Mr. Greenleaf Sinclair, an old resident here, died Sept. 19.

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Mr. J. C. Haskell, of McMinnville, Tenn., is in town on a visit after an absence of several years.

Messrs. W. A. Wheeler, A. A. Wheeler, and Geo. Barber have returned from the Centennial.

Willoughby

Mr. Samuel Murch, formerly a resident of this township, is spending a few days with his friends here. Four years ago, he moved to California and settled about twenty miles from San Francisco, where he has since resided. Last July, he visited his father in Bangor, Maine, taking in the Centennial on his way East.

The Misses Hills, together with their brother Frank, and Mr. Beal, returned from Philadelphia Saturday.

Matrimonial

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Owens, of the Headlands assembled guests on the 12th instant, to witness the marriage of Joseph Sawyer, of Mentor, to their only daughter, Ann. Joseph is an only son.

Mr. James Edna, of Bloomfield, Trumbull Co., lost his house to fire one-night last week.

Mr. George Margerum has resigned his position as cashier of the Second National Bank of Youngstown.

From the Geauga Republican

Mr. Wm. Crafts, of Auburn, one of the earliest pioneers of this county, age 87 yrs., died. Some years ago, Mr. Crafts wrote a sketch of the early history of that township, which was published in this paper.

At the late gathering of the Portage, Summit, and Medina County Pioneers, held at Kent, it is said that between 3,000 and 5,000 people were present. Gen. Duthan Northrop, of Mentor, Lake Co., was introduced to the audience. Gen. Northrop, now 82 yrs. old, settled in Medina Co. 60 years ago. In 1834, he moved to Akron and built a three-story brick hotel, known as the Ohio

Exchange, destroyed by fire in April, 1855, on the site now occupied by Woods' Block, formerly of Main and Market Streets. When he sold the property in 1836, 40 yrs. ago, he moved to Michigan, and 16 years ago, moved to Mentor. He related several incidents of pioneer life, there being among his neighbors upon the Smith Road, three Turners named John, who were respectively designated "John Turner," "Cousin John," and "Lucy's John."

A. C. Williams, of Willoughby for some years in the Secretary of State's office at Columbus, has recently been appointed executive clerk in Governor Hayes' office.

Died

In Branch Co., Mich., Sept. 5, after a brief illness, James P. Tisdell, age 69 years. He formerly resided in Madison, in this county.

Frederick Wilkes is adm. with the will annexed of Hiram Johnson, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

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p. 3 Mrs. David Sharp, of Fairbury, Livingstone Co., Illinois, is visiting friends in Painesville.

Chas. Turner, formerly of this place, but for a number of years past a resident of Claridon, has once more become a citizen of Painesville.

Mrs. Beardsell, daughter of the late Dr. Plympton, has been visiting her old home, Madison, and eastern cities. She returns home to Hudson, Mich., this week.

Mr. Bateham returned Saturday after two weeks at the Centennial. On Monday, more left for the Centennial: Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Wilson, Mrs. Gilbert Curtiss, Mrs. Josie Young, Mrs. J. F. Scofield, Chas. F. Scofield, Mrs. Packard, Miss S. A. Palmer, and Mrs. Van Etten. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford, of Madison, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foote, of Thompson, went at the same time.

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Geo. H. Wilson, son of D. C. Wilson, Dentist, leaves town for Ann Arbor, Mich. University, today to enter upon a study course of six months in the medical department. Frank J. Jerome, son of Lieut. J. Jerome, leaves at the same time for the same institution for a course in the law department.

Real Estate Transfers

LeRoy

William Harrison to Malvina Huston, 5 acres

Kirtland

Henrich and Christine Detzen to Joseph Sebek, 70 acres

Madison

H. Hemenway to James Warren, 5 acres

The Boys in Blue

A large company of Boys in Blue all true for Hayes and Wheeler, were organized last Thursday.

Captain - George L. Riker

First Lieut. - E. T. Donaldson

Second Lieut. - M. B. Huntington

1st Serg. - Thos. F. Palmer

2nd Serg. - Oscar Wakelee

3rd Serg. - Fred Crosswell

Quartermaster - Geo. Mathews

Prize Flag

The Republican Prize Flag of Lake Co. was won by Madison three years ago, and will be competed for again this fall.

Pioneers' Picnic

The pioneers of this vicinity had a pleasant picnic at the grove of Alfred Morley, a short distance east of Kirtland, on Sept. 20th. A list of those present who were over 60 years of age:

David Gray, 96

E. J. Ferris, 75

H. H. Morse, 71

Isaac More, 83

Jonathan Whipple, 83

Samuel Bandle, 76

Reuben Tuller, 71

John Wells, 78

Roger Plaisted, 83

D. D Northrop, 81

Nathan Corning, 71

John Parks, 76

P. Armstrong, 72

E. Root, 73

J. L. Humiston, 66

C. Humiston, 65

Calvin Ingersoll, 64

Julius E. Pierson, 62

J. Hobart, 67

Lucy Hobart, 62

Alva Brown, 80

Laura Sanborn, 60

Thomas Page 70

Julia Ann Page, 67

Ann Morse, 64

Geo. Tiffany, 61

Moses Thompson, 76

N. Markell, 65

M. M. Fish, 65

Martin Gray, 64

Mary A. Pitcher, 65

G. S. Pitcher, 69

Jared Randall, 76

Matilda Randall, 72

Dexter Damon, 63

E. J. Bunnell, 69

Mrs. Bunnell, 62

Walter Stannard, 75

John Randall, 68

A. P. Randall, 69

Thomas Morley, 82

Alfred Morley, 71

Asenath Gilmore, 71

Ara Ferris, 66

C. G. Crary, 70

Isaac Sawyer, 71

Alice Axtell, 64

Ara Sprague, 83

D. E. Sprague, 67

Mary Billings, 77

Madison

Left for the Centennial in Philadelphia on Monday: Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Mack, Miss Maria

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Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Mathews, and Mrs. Salmon Swetland.

Mr. Benjamin Edgerton, of Thompson died on Monday at his residence, of consumption. He had long been a resident of Thompson and is widely known through being the owner of extensive stone quarries.

Willoughby

Mrs. J. H. Boyce left town today for the great Exposition in Philadelphia.

Mr. Curtiss McNutt, of Ashtabula, has exchanged his property there with Mr. D. M. Bridges, of Leroy, for property at the latter place and will soon move to Painesville.

Geneva *Times* - The sixth reunion of the Richmond Family convened in Sheffield, Ashtabula Co., Sept. 12 and 13, at the house of D. Y. Richmond. Nearly one hundred relatives were present, eighty of whom were the direct descendants of Eld. Edmund Richmond, deceased.

Married

In Greenwich, N.Y., Sept. 7, Mr. John McClelland and Mrs. Dr. Cole, both of Greenwich.

In Painesville, Sept. 25, Mr. Benjamin F. Bryant Mr. and Miss Eva M. Freeman.

Died

In Madison, O., Sept. 13, of quinsy, Mrs. Sarah Wood, mother of J. L. Wood, age 92 years.

In North Madison, Sept. 4, Ephron D., son of N. H. and E. A. Warner, age 10 yrs.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Sept. 17:

Ladies

Mrs. Mary A. Benedict
Mary Hills
Katie McCory
Miss Sarah L. Green
Mrs. Chas. Kneal
Mrs. James O'Horn

Gentlemen

W. B. Bernard
John Bradfield & Sons
Samuel Dean
Dr. J. B. McConnell
Thomas O'Brien
Wm. Thompson
A. S. Bostwick
James Davis
Dudley Howe
Robert E. Mason
Anthony Pike
T. S. Thompson

Dissolution of the co-partnership between H. R. Dickinson and James A. Allen, firm name of Dickinson & Allen, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will continue under H. R. Dickinson.

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p. 3 On Monday, R. P. Harmon and wife, of Kirtland, took the cars at this station for a trip East and the Exposition.

Chas. Willard, formerly of this place but now of Muncie, Ind., made a quick visit to family on his way home from Philadelphia.

Mr. J. G. Gillett and Miss Lizzie Cummings, of San Francisco, arrived at the Centennial yesterday and will visit their friends in Painesville before returning home.

Capt. Mason Jackson, of the U.S. Infantry, who has been in town several days, is to leave Thursday for Yankton, Dakota, where he is to be located for some time. His wife will remain here for some months.

Mrs. Lucetta E. Fehrenbatch, wife of Hon. John Fehrenbatch, died suddenly from an overdose of morphine last Monday at the residence of her sister on Kinsman St.

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H. W. Tibbals and Dr. Dow, and A. S. Arter have gone to the Exposition. Horace Alvord returned on Tuesday.

Real Estate Transfers

Kirtland

Elizabeth and R. A. DeForest to A. B. Dille, Greenhalgh lots

A. B. Dille to W. E. Pedrick, same premises

Rebecca Dayton to Augusta H. Curtis, 25 rods

Madison

Henry L. Fairchild to Francis A. Ainsworth, 4 acres

Sophia Bliss to Owen Bliss, Madison and Perry, 74 acres

Perry

Joshua Park to Samuel W. Parmly, 5 acres

Married

In Unionville, Sept. 27, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Henry Fread, of Serena, Ill., to Miss Fanny M. Pooler, of Unionville.

Died

In Geneva, Sept. 20, Levi Gaylord, one of the pioneers of that township, age nearly 83 yrs.

Milo Harris is the adm. of Percilla Jackson, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Oct. 4:

Ladies

Miss B. N. Boynton

Mrs. M. L. Crain

Miss Maggie Genty

Mrs. Margaret Johnson

Miss Nettie Scott

Mrs. C. Chamberlain

Miss Minnie B. Deeg

Miss Mary Holly

Miss Laura Loomis

Miss A. B. Thompson

Mrs. Mary A. Winch

Gentlemen

E. R. Baird

Charles C. Collins

Frans L. Eddy

A. McNulty

Milton Barkalow

E. B. Ellis

Mr. Wm. Gregory

Geo. H. Merrill

M. J. Smith

J. B. Hayden is the adm. of Thomas B. Burns.

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p. 3 Sylvester Strong died at the County Infirmary on Saturday, age 88 yrs. He was from Madison Township.

J. C. Haskell, of McMinnville, Tenn., who has been visiting his friends and relatives in Perry for several weeks, returned on Monday.

S. C. Carter and wife (old citizens of Painesville) now of Keokuk, Iowa, are visiting their friends here on their way home from an eastern trip.

A man named McMannis, whose home was in this place, was washed overboard from the schooner *James Couch*, Capt. Geo. A. Baker, in the storm on Lake Huron last week.

Mrs. J. Gillet Goldsmith and Miss Lizzie S. Collins, who are at present at the Centennial, will be visiting friends in Painesville before returning to California.

Real Estate Transfers

Mentor

William L. Averill to Justin Titus, 7 acres

Justin Titus to Sarah Averill, same premises

Kirtland

L. W. Marble and wife to Ettie M. Hobert, 1 acres

Willoughby

John Pike to George Hollister, 3 acres, Hotel premises

Concord

John H. Murray to John Doran, 31 acres

Now that the election is over, departures for the Centennial are more numerous. On Tuesday E. D. Howe, Mrs. F. Rogers, and L. T. Hulbert and

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wife, left, and later T. S. Baldwin and wife took their departure. J. H. Merrill and H. H. Coe expect to go in company on Friday.

Mr. Edwin King has come all the way from Findley, this State, to cast his vote for Hayes and Wheeler.

Dr. Lovet, of Erie, Pa., who has been spending a short time with his friends in North Madison, returned home yesterday.

Mr. O. Bell, residing in the edge of Perry Township, is lying very ill of typhoid fever.

W. H. Halstead's harness shop is now located in rooms over Messrs. Huntoon and Potter's meat market.

Mr. W. H. Philes and bride have returned home after a very pleasant trip to the Centennial.

Married

In Painesville, Oct. 5, Mr. Christopher Corlett and Miss Alice J. Garrett

In Painesville, Oct. 4, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. William H. Williams and Miss Anna Alexander

In Painesville, Oct. 4, at the First Congregational Church, Charles N. Thorpe, of Philadelphia to Mary Warren, of this place.

In Painesville, Oct. 3, Edgar B. Thompson, of Perry, and Miss Emma A. Bennett, of this place.

In Perry, Oct. 4, Datus A. Colwell and Miss Olive A. Ball, both of Perry.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Oct. 11:

Ladies

Miss Nellie Anderson

Ella Brown

Miss Mary Canfield

Miss Maud Oatman

Mary Jane Bishop

Catharine Cane

Mrs. L. L. Joiner

Ann Ryan

Mrs. S. P. Sperry

Gentlemen

Thos. Henry Brooks

George Bush

Charles Camp

Frank Goodenough

Wm. Pennell

Thos. Valleau

Bruton Bros.

Joseph Callender

Wm. B. Fuller

W. A. Gray

Chas. Thompson

William Weeks

W. G. Williams

Held for postage:

E. H. Parker, Parker City, Pa.

Mrs. L. M. Packard, Philadelphia, Pa.

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p. 3 Miss Lizzie Lee, of Missouri, is on a visit to friends in LeRoy and Painesville.

Mr. A. D. Higgins has moved to Fostoria in this State, where he expects to go into business.

The Rev. J. A. Brayton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Crane and Miss Clara Ladd have gone to see the great show. The Centennial will close on the 10th.

Mr. Chas A. Moodey, who has been for the past two years on a stock ranch five miles from Car Station, Colorado, arrived in town on Sunday. He expects to start for the Exposition next Monday.

Weather: We had our first heavy white frost of the season last Wednesday night, followed by several others since.

We are very sorry to learn that Mr. I. C. Hodges, of Concord, has been quite ill for several weeks, and fears are entertained for restoration. His illness is both physical and mental, caused by anxiety and overdoing during the late severe illness of his son.

Mrs. Chas. Cole and Mrs. Maria Rogers, of Warren, Ill., daughters of Wm. Abbey, a former

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citizen of this county and Superintendent of the County Infirmary, have been on a visit to their friends in this county and in the East.

A Madison lady writes to the *Telegraph* that while in Warren a short time ago she visited Mrs. Cowdry, the mother of active and healthy triplets, two boys and a girl, weighing altogether about 25 lbs. Mrs. and Mrs. Cowdry came to this country from Ireland fourteen or fifteen years ago, and have been the parents of 12 children, the youngest of whom, the triplets, are now about 9 weeks old.

Mr. Erastus Hodges, formerly of this county, but now of South Newbury, Geauga Co., made us a call last Monday and showed us the first issue of the *Telegraph* dated July 16, 1822. Mr. Hodges is now 68 yrs. old.

Last Saturday, two young men, M. J. Hedderman and Tom Cahill, went duck hunting and while crossing the river their boat capsized throwing them into the water. They were in water so deep they had to swim, Hedderman holding both guns above his head and swimming with one hand made it to shore. Cahill had a wounded hand and it was all he could do to take care of himself.

List of Jurors

Petit Jurors

1. L. L. Morris, Perry
2. D. Lee, Madison
3. John Curtiss, Kirtland
4. John F. Brooks, Painesville
5. P. F. Hardy, Madison
6. John Thompson, Kirtland
7. Wesley Trowbridge, Concord
8. A. W. Gunn, Willoughby
9. Robert Ross, Madison
10. G. W. Craine, Painesville
11. H. E. Kellogg, Madison
12. Joseph Jerome, Painesville
13. C. H. King, Painesville
14. E. D. Rich, Kirtland
15. D. Lansing, Painesville

16. Eber D. Norton, Mentor
17. Mark Woodworth, Madison
28. W. C. Barnes, Madison
19. C. O. Child, Painesville
20. W. H. Ford, Madison

Grand Jury

1. Irwin C. Hodges, Concord
2. Hiram Mason, LeRoy
3. H. N. Munson, Mentor
4. Abel R. Baker, Painesville
5. Harvey Tanner, Kirtland
6. C. C. Paige, Painesville
7. C. Huntington, Painesville
8. L. E. Wightman, Willoughby
9. D. N. Bacon, Painesville
10. Samuel Moodey, Painesville
11. R. M. Murray 2nd, Mentor
12. I. N. Woodard, Willoughby
13. Carlos Mason, Painesville
14. George Garnett, Willoughby
15. John T. Martin, Painesville

Colbert Huntington celebrated his 80th birthday on Tuesday with a dinner party.

Lake Republican Prize Flag

The Lake County Republican Prize Flag which was won by Madison in 1875, was taken by Mentor by count of procession at the Lake County Republican Mass meeting, Oct. 10. The Flag is now again offered for the November election and will be awarded to the Township which makes the largest gain over its Republican majority of Oct. 10, 1876, in proportion to the whole number of votes cast in the township at the next election, Nov. 7th.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

G. W. Barton to John W. Wood, part of an acre
Geo. W. Harland to C. A. and F. E. Kellogg, lot 4, Barnes survey, Courtland Street
Hiloman W. Payne to Otis J. Robinson, house and lot on Erie St.

LeRoy

Stephen Nighman to Alfred H. Weatherbee Jr., 104 acres
Ezra Decker to Samuel L. Titus, 50 acres

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Kirtland

Lester H. Luse to Ella C. Conley part of an acre.

Willoughby

Amos Allen to Henry D. Post, part of an acre

Madison

Joseph L. Wood to Libbie T. Wood, 50 acres

Middle Ridge, Oct. 16

Mr. C. H. Goodrich, a Madison boy, who went out to Colorado last spring, to take charge of a cheese factory, has recently received the first premium on his cheese at the State Fair in that state.

Willoughby Plains

Mr. C. Hopkins and wife were at the Centennial the past week, and Mrs. Brown goes this week.

Married

At the bride's home, Painesville, Ohio, Oct. 11, Mr. Willis C. Anderson and Miss Ella M. Bacon, all of Painesville.

In Painesville, Oct. 11, J. Willey Smith, of Cleveland, and Caroline Kingsland, daughter of H. K. Reynolds, of Painesville.

In Painesville, O., Oct. 11, Marcus C. Taylor and Lizzie Pangburn, both of Painesville.

Legal Notice: J. P. Monnin and Louisa Monnin, his wife, of Pennsylvania, gave a mortgage to Augustus Harrington for a parcel of land known as the Tavern Stand at the Center of Mentor, Lake Co.

List of Letters at the Painesville P.O. Oct. 18:

Ladies

Mrs. Ellen Berns

Miss Maggie Connell

Mrs. Mary Root

Mrs. Lorinda Clapp

Miss Cora Price

Miss N. Thompson

Gentlemen

Carl Brown

Edgar Fox

William Joslyn

Frederick Fowler

Jack Hammond

Chas. Montonda

Barney Ruggles

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p. 3 A large number of Centennials go from Perry this week; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson leave Sunday.

W. R. Hall, of Manistee, Mich., on his way home from the Centennial, has been several days visiting friends in town.

D. Donaldson returned from the Centennial Sunday night, and like all others, pronounces it a big thing.

Mr. E. T. Stockwell, of Willoughby, was arrested at the Centennial last week, charged with the larceny of a bead necklace worth seventy-five cents, from the Moorish Bazaar. Mayor Ellen, of Willoughby, appeared for his defense with affidavits of integrity and good character and he was acquitted. Mr. Merrill of the *Telegraph*, being at the Centennial at the time writes: "There is no doubt but Mr. Stockwell is entirely innocent of the charge, and all the circumstances confirm his statement that he bought and paid for the article, but paid the money to the wrong person."

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

C.A. and F. E. Kellogg to Charles Turner, lot 4, Barnes Survey, Courtland St.

Cynthia W. Williams, to B. O. and Chas. A. Wilcox, water lot at Fairport.

LeRoy

Harvey Armstrong to S. A. Densmore, 44 acres

Kirtland

Auguste Wittelstadt to William Mainhardt, 54 acres

Willoughby

Robert H. Strowbridge to Almira Osborne, part of an acre.

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Concord

Joseph and Moses C. Harvey to Thos. W. Harvey, 40 acres

Exposition Visitors – Those of our citizens, who are now absent and whom we have not hitherto mentioned, are: Aaron Wilcox and wife, and Miss Mary Wilcox, G. H. Higgins, Wm. Clayton and wife, J. B. Kilbourne, wife and daughter; Addison Moodey, wife and daughter; Samuel Moodey, C. A. Moodey, Miss Kittie Carson, Frank H. Merrill, Miss Annie Merrill, A. Hine, wife and daughter, Mrs. C. O. Chile, Miss Lemmie Rosa, Mrs. H. B. Steele, Harrison Morse, O. J. Robinson and wife, H. C. Gray and wife, Dr. Sumner, Mrs. T. Rockwell, and Dr. C. F. House.

Madison

Mr. Edward Swain and Mrs. Henry Loveland have opened a new butcher shop north of the square.

Mr. Asa Stratton, Mrs. Martin Cook, Miss Galpin and several others have gone to the Centennial this week.

Middle Ridge, Oct. 23

There has been quite an exodus of Ridgers during the week, Centennial-ward: Mr. W. H. Genung, Mr. Charles Genung, Mr. Herbert Raplee and Mrs. Charles Onderdonk, Miss Mary Galpin, and Miss Jennie Bidwell. Mr. W. L. Colby returned on Saturday from a three weeks' trip to the Centennial.

Mrs. Mary Ann Benedict, daughter of Mrs. Loa Herriman, is visiting the home of her childhood; she returns to Illinois this week.

Perry

Messrs. N. C. Van Ness and J. H. Shepherd have returned from the Centennial.

Willoughby Plains

The relations of David Gray, met on Oct. 20, at the residence of Martin Gary, in Mentor, to celebrate his 96th birthday. He came from the East and settled in Chardon in 1818, where he

lived for 50 years, on the farm he has handed down to his son Martin, who sold out and moved to Mentor eight years ago, where he has remained ever since. David Gray had three sons present who were all grey headed men—one was 68 years of age.

Mr. Frank Stockwold had an old-fashioned barn raising last Thursday. About 50 men were present and stayed for dinner.

Died

At the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. T. F. Stafford, in Niles, O., on Oct. 17th, Mr. Lucius Redfield, age 76 yrs. Mr. Redfield was born in Springfield, Vt., Nov. 25, 1800, formerly lived at Auburn, Geauga Co., where his remains were taken for interment on the 19th inst. He leaves 5 daughters and two sons to mourn his loss. The deceased was father of Mrs. Geo. B. Converse of this city.

Attachment Notice: J. B. Hayden vs. M. Mulcha

Attachment Notice: William Chapman, vs. Russell F. Baird and Frederick Evans

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Oct. 25:

Ladies

Ina Durand
Miss A. Griswold
Miss Mary L. Parker
Mrs. Hattie N. Gardner
Miss E. Hungerford
Mrs. Hannah Tanswell

Gentlemen

Chas. Dillon
G. A. Murray
Eugene McLellan
A.R. Sturtevant

Held for postage:

Dr. J. Morris, North Kingsville, O.
Miss Mattie Forbes, St. Thomas, Ont.

Nov. 2, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Minor Hill, one of Concord's prominent citizens, died last Monday, of typhoid fever. He was 51 years. old.

Hon. J. R. French was last week again summoned to Painesville by the sad intelligence of the death of his mother. His sons, E. R. and Howard French came with him. They returned to Washington Tuesday.

L. M. Miller and family are about to leave Painesville to take up their residence in Boston.

D. B. Clayton Jr. goes to Fargo, Dakota, having accepted a position in connection with his brother-in-law, N. K. Hubbard.

W. S. Branch recently left Painesville for Rochester, Minn., with the intention of locating in that city.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Chas. H. and Wm. F. Mayo to Eva M. Cram, 3 acres

Willoughby

Fanny Brainard to Sarah J. Wilson 11 rods of land

Dan Conklin, a lad of about 14 yrs., who lives with Capt. E. Burridge, of Mentor, got his foot caught and drawn into the crusher of a cider mill last Sunday, by which the ankle joint and bones just above were completely crushed so as to require amputation.

Among the visitors from this place to Philadelphia during the past week are F. Clapsadel and wife, J. S. Bartholomew and wife, Mr. J.H. Britton and son, Wm. C. Chambers and wife, Mrs. D. C. Wilson, J. J. Thomson and wife, I. W. Crofoot and family, Mrs. Scofield, A. Crofoot and wife, F. Wilkes and family, E. T. Donaldson, P. Bosworth and family, Geo. Mathew and wife, Mrs. Collacott, Alb. Malin and wife, and Minnie Babcock.

Obituary

Died in Painesville, Oct. 25, Mrs. Mary French, age 89 yrs., relict of the late Dea. Joseph French, and mother of our former townsmen, Messrs. Charles S. and John R. French. The latter came to Painesville as one of the proprietors of the *Telegraph* in Oct. 1854, and in a few months thereafter the parents removed here from Concord, N. H. Five of her children survive here. Her body was interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

Gen. Garfield with family left Washington and started for Ohio on the 25th on a very sad errand, bearing the dead body of his two-year-old boy, Eddie, who had been ill for some days and died this morning. The General was away campaigning in Pennsylvania when Mrs. Garfield telegraphed him the child was worse, and he arrived home just in time to see him die. He will be buried in Hiram.

Death of Capt. Aldrich

Capt. William S. Aldrich died at his residence in Mentor, Oct. 30, age 73 yrs. The deceased was a native of Providence, Rhode Island, where he was born in 1803. About 42 years ago, he emigrated to Western New York and settled on Chautauqua Lake, some six miles below the county seat. Here he resided with his family until 1866, when he moved to Mentor, Ohio, where he spent the rest of his useful life.

Middle Ridge, Oct. 30

More recruits for the Centennial. During the past week, Mr. A. Chaffee and family from the Ridge, and Mr. W. Fuller, Miss Mary Fuller and Mr. Vernon A. Graves, of North Madison have all departed for there. Mr. J. D. Bates returned from his pilgrimage on Saturday.

Married

At St. Mary's Church, Oct. 30, Mr. John Manning to Miss Maggie O'Brien, both of Painesville.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Nov. 1, 18876:

Ladies

Mrs. L. D. Baker

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Mrs. C. R. Carpenter
Miss Lena Huntoon
Mrs. E. A. Nevison
Mrs. Franky Sorals
Miss Ella Tucker
Miss Ida A. Baker
Mrs. Helen Emerson
Miss Etta Munger
Mrs. Sarah J. Porter
Miss Alice Thompson
Miss A. D. White

Gentlemen

James E. Hathaway
Geo. Merrill
Harry Shephard
Jerome Tuttle
Jos. Ingraham
James Prouty
James Solers
S. G. Webster

Held for postage:

Mrs. Susan Owen, Perry, Ohio
Mr. R.F. Watterson, Cleveland, O.
J. H. Blakely, Cooperstown, Pa.
Lettie Starks, Little Valley, N.Y.

Nov. 9, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Mr. A. Turner, of Geneva, died suddenly last week. He was an old and esteemed resident and had been Postmaster since 1860.

The Jefferson *Gazette* (Ashtabula Co.) by D. Lee & Son, formerly of this county, made its first appearance last week.

P. J. Brennan, of the Cowles House and the Misses Brennan, returned home from a Centennial trip last Thursday, and Mr. John Brennan left for the great show a few days later.

The barn of Geo. Bartram, of Sheffield, Ashtabula Co., was struck by lightning on Oct. 28 and consumed by fire along with all the hay and farming implements. Insurance light.

The *Ravenna Republican-Democrat* publishes the sudden death of Edmund Mathews, a colored man, who for 22 years had been an employee in the press room of that office. He stood 6'4" in his stockings.

May E. Sibley vs. the Village of Chardon. She sued after receiving injuries by falling upon a dilapidated board sidewalk, for the bad condition which the city was responsible. She was rendered a verdict of \$2,560.

Mr. Emily L. Griffin, Youngstown, got badly burned last week while lighting a kerosene glass lamp. One of her hands was literally roasted, and she was otherwise badly burned.

A man by the name of Thomas Morrissey was run over and killed by the cars near Brier Hill, (Trumbull Co.), one-night last week. He was buried in the Catholic Cemetery. He leaves a wife and several children.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

O. J. Robinson to Hiloman W. Payne, house and lot on St. Clair St.

Ruth and Hiram Deming to Samuel P. Hathaway part of an acre, liberty St.

James M. Wells to Rufus Briggs, part of an acre, Nebraska St.

Willoughby

Nancy A. and W. F. Andrews to Nancy J. Maxwell, 4 acres

Mentor

Heirs of Wm. S. Aldrich to E. T. C. Aldrich, 150 acres

Perry

Carlos Coolidge has returned from the Centennial.

Concord

Mr. Ezra B. Starkweather, a native of Twinsburg, Summit Co., but for many years a resident of St. Louis, Mo., felt the need of rest and recreation. He planned very extensive travel, including a circuit of the earth. Starting from St. Louis in

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Aug. 1875, he sailed from San Francisco the same month. He was sailing 23 ½ days until reaching Yokohama. After more than 14 months of sojourn and travel on the continent, he has returned, landing in New York, taking in the Centennial on his way. Last Friday, he spent the day in Concord with his mother-in-law, Mrs. A. Clark. Twenty of his relatives spent a few hours with him there. It is said he will place the results of his travel in book form.

Married

At the residence of E. W. Cartwright, Oct. 24, Mr. Orson W. Scott, of Tallmadge, O., to Miss Addie Singletary, of Columbus, Ohio.

On Thursday, Nov. 2, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Thos. B. Wells, Francis E. Stebbins to Jennie D., youngest daughter of O. S. Hodges, Esq. All of Painesville.

Died

At his residence in Mentor, Dudley Nowlen, age 84 yrs.

Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P.O. as of Nov. 8:

Ladies

Julia Ames
Miss Ella Callehan
Mrs. Mary A. March
Miss Kate F. Rose
Mrs. Ame'a A. Barnes
Mrs. Crawford
Mrs. Etta Philes
Miss Anna Sidley
Miss Ella O. Sullivan

Gentleman

William Barrett
John Lane
G. A. Smith

Held for postage:

Miss L. J. Bates, Kirtland
James Davis, Cleveland, Ohio

Nov. 16, 1876 Thursday

p. 3 Lieut. S. B. Lockwood, of Lancaster, is spending a few days with friends in Painesville.

The house of John McLaughlin, of Geneva, burned down last Saturday night with all its contents.

Messrs. D. F. and A. P. Boyd, who purchased the meat market of S. Elias, opened it Monday after a thorough refitting.

On the 7th, Messrs. H. Cole and Thomas Wilder Sr. cast their 19th presidential votes. They are old and esteemed citizens.

Capt. J. H. and Mrs. Andrews left for the Centennial Friday. Rather late, but they will make the most of it.

Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Mrs. Moore, and Miss Elma Brockway, also, Mr. V. A. Graves, of Madison, have returned from the Centennial. Mrs. L. D. Brockway has gone this week to the Centennial.

Capt. R. B. Moore, formerly of the firm of Benjamin & Moore, of this place, but of late years a resident of Capeville, Va., is in town for a few days.

Enlisted – Frank H. Knowles and James R. Ford, young men of this place have recently enlisted in the cavalry of the U. S. Regular Army. They report to Cleveland, and go then to St. Louis, where they will be assigned to duty, probably in the West.

J. H. Britton returned from the Centennial yesterday, where he had been superintending the running of the Sedgebeer Mills. Mr. Britton has occupied one of the busiest as well as important and attractive positions in the Exhibition, and the mills have won for themselves a worldwide success.

Mrs. Ingersoll moved to Decatur, Ala. Mrs. A. G. Black, C. M. Hanson, and J. A. Bartholomew have purchased the stock of millinery and will carry on the business lately owned by Mrs. Ingersoll.

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W. C. Tisdell recently received from a western friend the skin and an immense pair of antlers from a Kansas buck. From tip to tip the antlers measured 8 ½ feet, with a space between the points of 3 feet and four inches. Each antler has five prongs or branches. Mr. T is having the trophies converted into a rustic chair.

Last Friday night, the house of Henry Canfield, a mile and a half east of the town on the North Ridge, took fire and burned with all its contents, with the exception of a sewing machine.

Fatal Accident - Chester Center

Three men, Velorus Wheeler, Frank Parr and Willie McKee went into the wood on a hunting expedition, and Wheeler having occasion to borrow McKee's gun threw it toward him by the barrel until the hammer which was raised came into contact with the hand of the latter and was brought down upon the cap, causing the gun to discharge. Wheeler was instantly killed and McKee was so excited and pained by the death of his friend that he attempted to take his own life, and was only prevented by the third man in the party. Mr. Wheeler was about 50 yrs. old, widely known and universally liked.

Perry

H. N. Carter is still absent at the Centennial.

Our Centennial dollar Japan tea is the best thing out. It has a rich tasty flavor and is away up in the draw. L. C. Stebbins & Son

M. J. Warner Jr. is intending to go West in a few weeks and is selling his wagons and horses.

D. Mathews and Orlando E. Wilson are the executors of Amanda Norwood, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Nov.8 :

Ladies

Cora Baker
Miss Nellie Gray
Mrs. L. Holcomb
Mrs. M. Menden
Miss M. Story
Mrs. Prudelia Call
Miss Anna Heekman
Miss Melissa McBride
Miss Lizzie Reynolds
Miss Annie Williams

Gentlemen

John Creaton
H. H. Eddy
Charlie Halsted
Lorenzo Hutchings
Henry Merritt
Mr. St. Clair
Geo. Thompson
John E. Eakins
Barney Feeny
C. N. Hamilton
C. D. Knox
D. B. Ringor
W. C. Smith
Henry White

Held for postage

Miss May Wright, St. James, Mich.

J. V. Viall is adm. of Julius Dee., deceased, late of Willoughby, Lake Co., Ohio.

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p. 2 Sheriff's Sale: Thomas L. Lindop vs. Stephen H. Lovejoy, Minerva M. Lovejoy. Land in Painesville, will be sold.

Sheriff's Sale: Eben Moore vs. E. F. Stockwell, Elvira Stockwell, Milton White and Aaron Clark. Land in Willoughby will be sold.

Sheriff's Sale: George T. Perkins vs. John C. Read, James M. Read, his wife, William E. Pedrick, C. F. Pedrick, his wife, and Sarah B. Cozad, Trustee. Land in Willoughby will be sold.

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p. 3 J. Q. Farmer, of Spring Valley, Minn., formerly of this county, was in town this morning.

Mrs. F. H. Fleming and family, old residents of Painesville, have moved to Akron.

H. C. Nellis has disposed of his interest in the Lake Co. Woolen Mills to E. G. Wetherbee, of Boston, Mass. The mills will be run to their full capacity, day and night.

S. W. Potts, of LeRoy, who has had a long and severe illness, has recovered so far as to be able to be out.

Dr. Hyde Birchard, of Panama, a resident of this place twenty odd years ago, and well known to many of our citizen from his recent visits, arrived in town Tuesday.

W. F. Benedict received on Tuesday several barrels of oranges, lemons and other fruits from the Florida plantation of Frank Walden, formerly of this place. Some of the lemons weigh from 2 – 3 ½ lbs. each, measuring 20" in circumference.

The call extended to Rev. John Safford, brother of P. T. Safford, of Madison, in this county to become Pastor of the Congregational Church of Ashtabula has been accepted.

Jefferson, Ashtabula Co. *Gazette* – A barn belonging to the widow Griggs, about a half mile south of Griggs Corner, was burned. A coal oil lantern exploded left hanging in the barn while Mr. Oscar Griggs led his horses out to drink. All the cattle and horses were rescued.

A Pleasant Surprise – Mr. and Mrs. Milo Harris were given a surprise party last Saturday in honor of their 57th wedding anniversary. A banquet was given for them at the residence of Judge Palmer with the following guests invited:

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Huntington
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morley

Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Huntington
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mathews
Mrs. Lyman Root
Mrs. Isaac Gillett
Mrs. Dr. Rosa
Mrs. Cook
Drs. Dr. Palmer
Mrs. L. F. Steele

All but three of the above were present.
Judge Harris is 80 and Mrs. H. is 79 yrs.

Death of an Old Citizen

Sanford J. Elias died at his residence on State Street Tuesday morning, age 49 yrs. He was a most kind and indulgent husband and father.

From Common Pleas

John W. Tyler, executor of Mary W. Johnson, deceased vs. Wesley Thompson; trial had and judgment for plaintiff for \$252.75 and costs.

Married

Nov. 15th, at Geo. W. Newton's, Willoughby Plains, Mr. Charles E. Wright, of Unionville and Miss Carrie M. Shales, of the former place.

Died

In Mentor, Nov. 19, of inflammation of stomach and bowels, Charles B. Hurt, age 29 yrs.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Nov. 22:

Ladies

Miss Anna Corlett
Mrs. T. C. Morgan
Miss Luella Johnson
Miss Bell Quinn
Miss Mary Jane Shona

Gentlemen

Thos. Cavanagh
Wesley Lyle
N. G. Mosher
Patrick Gaffney
Danl. B. McLinville
E. S. Wilson

Held for postage:

Mrs. Sarah Ellis, Painesville, O.
Mrs. Christian Corlett, Concord, O

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S. Wire is adm. of Joseph W. Sinclair, deceased, late of Madison, Lake Co., Ohio.

p. 4 Fresh Beef to England - The exporting of fresh beef, in the carcass, from this country to England, by the steamships with refrigerator compartments is going on quite successfully, at the rate of 300 to 600 tons per week.

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p. 2 Married

On the 26th instant, in Sherman Township, Mr. A. E. Young and Miss Lizzie A. Ware

From the Grand Rapids, Mich. *Eagle* we copy the following marriage notice. The parties are known to many of our citizens.

Married in Grand Rapids, Nov. 14, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Arthur K. Allen, and Carrie E., only daughter of H. D. Kingsbury, all of Grand Rapids.

Died

In South Madison, at the residence of his son, Wm. H. Stocking, Nov. 22, of cancer on and in the mouth, Chester Stocking, age 84 yrs., 9 mos. His suffering was very severe the past year. He came to Madison from Connecticut in 1816, and passed through many trials and hardships as an early settler.

p. 3 Geo. P. Campbell, of Kingsville, is spending some time with his friends in Painesville.

Miss Mary Bissel, of Red Oak, Iowa, is on a visit to relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Rev. H. W. Palmer, a resident clergyman of West Andover, Ashtabula Co., whose death was announced some ten days since, was supposed to be the tallest man in this section of the country, standing 6' 6" in his stocking feet.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moodey will be glad to learn that the situation of their daughter, Mamie, who for a week or more has been most

dangerously ill—is greatly improved and the symptoms are now favorable to a complete restoration. Dr. L. C. Brown is the attending physician.

Old times and new are very different times. Young men and women now a days want to commence life where their parents left off. They want to start off life in a coach and four; or otherwise to reverse the old proverb and get on horseback before they learn to go afoot.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Elizabeth Norwood to Orlando E. Wilson, 59 acres

Caleb Mason et al to Benj. B. Woodbury, 100 acres

Brutus Stockwell to R. A. & C. A. Moodey, livery stable property, Main St.

Madison

N. J. Seiner, by sheriff to Rowland Mosley, part of an acre

Rowland Mosely to Delestia M. Fish, same premises

Delestia M. and Chester C. Wright to Ida M. and Sarah J. Fish, same premises

M. J. Seiner to Ida M. and Sarah Fish part of an acre

Delos Thomas to Reuben Bliss 1 acre

Perry

Leo P. Barkalow to Jehial Hurlbert, 10 acres

Orange Bull et al to Philander Gee, 40 acres, Perry and Madison

From Common Pleas

William C. Dunage vs. Abby M. Dunage; divorce granted plaintiff on account of willful absence of defendant for more than three years.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Nov. 29:

Ladies

Mrs. E. P. Brown

Mrs. Thomas Burns

Mrs. Margaret Dodge

Edith N. McGird

Miss Libbie Taylor

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Miss Alice Brown
Mrs. J. Clague
Celia Johnson
Miss Molly Malone
Maryette Wilkerson

Gentlemen

J. P. Craven
H. B. Higgins
Morton H. Place
F. Sherman
A. R. Wright
Rev. Chas. Coquerell
Herbert Patterson
Ransom Root
Prof. P. R. Spencer
Henry Woodin

Held for postage:

James Smith, Port Ryerse, Ontario
Henry G. Abbott, Boston, Mass.
F. A. Tillotson, Cleveland, O,

Aaron Wilcox is the adm. of Dominick Devaney, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co.

James M. Baker is the adm. of Minor Hill, deceased, late of Concord, Lake Co.

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p. 3 F. H. Knowles, of this town, on and after January next, is to become a partner in the *Willoughby Gazette*.

Miss Edna Baker left home last week for Owatonna, Minn., having accepted a situation in the High School at that place.

We learn from Nebraska that a former resident of Painesville, Mr. Theodore W. Pepoon, was chosen at the late election there as State Senator, to represent Pawnee and Johnson Counties. He is a son of the late Silas Pepoon.

Abner Wilson died at his residence in LeRoy last Friday night, Dec. 1, age 71 yrs. The deceased was a former resident of Trumbull, Ashtabula Co., but for the last twenty-nine years had been

an esteemed citizen of the above town. He had been out of health for nearly a year and confined to his room since last June.

Mr. H. Cole's house burned down, situated on the lake shore in Perry, last Friday morning. Mr. Calvin Rouse and family were living there and awoke barely in time to escape.

Another Death

Mark J. Rich died at his residence on Latimore St. Tuesday afternoon, age 68 yrs. The deceased had been a resident of Painesville for many years. He had been something of an invalid for more than a year.

The following High School students attained an average of over 90 in attendance, punctuality, deportment, and examination for the month ending Nov. 24:

Nellie Adams, 98 percent
Sadie Bateham, 98
Laura Clemens, 99
Rosa Gilchrist, 99.2
Lizzie Green, 99.5
Mary Mathews, 98.7
Eliza Welch, 98.5
James Beardslee, 98
Harry Brooks, 98.5
George Marshall, 98
Willie Child, 98

From the *Ashtabula Telegraph*

Mrs. Chester Loomis, the oldest voter in Austinburgh, age 96 yrs., 6 mos., being too infirm to get upstairs to the polls, was carried up by Mr. B. Seeley, and cast a vote for Hayes and Wheeler. Born during the struggle for independence, this venerable citizen was contemporary with the Washington administration and has voted for nearly every president since.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

James Current to Warren L. Current, part of an acre, lot south of depot
Patrick Brick et al by Sheriff, to Geo. E. Paine, part of an acre

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Elizabeth Norwood to Marcus C. Taylor, 7 acres
Daniel Hayes to Painesville Real Estate Assoc., 9 acres

Roswell and Daniel Hayes to same, 5 acres

Perry

Henry C. Parmly to Carlos Coolidge, 21 acres

William G. Knight to Thomas Knight 65 acres

LeRoy

H. G. Colley to Jacob Ruger, ½ acre

Jacob Ruger to A. M. Goodrich, same premises

Madison

Reuben Bliss to William H. and Mary E. Bliss, 110 acres

Willoughby

Joseph L. Williams to John J. Harmon, 12 acres, undivided one half

Death of an Old Resident

Miss Marina Sessions, died suddenly at Defiance, Ohio. She left home some weeks since in usual good health, and after making a visit with friends in Milwaukee proceeded to Defiance, where she was to spend the winter with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Squires. Some ten days previous to her death, she was attacked with lung fever, but her situation was not considered dangerous, and even but two days previous to her death, friends in Painesville received assurances of her convalescence. On Wed., however, there was an unfavorable change which terminated in her death Thursday, Thanksgiving morning, Nov. 30. She was 70 yrs. old. The remains accompanied by Mr. Squires, of Defiance, and Mr. N. Sessions, of Albion, nephews of the deceased, reached Painesville Friday, and were taken to the residence of Mrs. Asa Childs, on St. Clair St., where the funeral services took place Saturday. The deceased was a native and a lifelong resident of Painesville, and the daughter of Anson Sessions, one of the first and most prominent pioneers of the town. She was one of the first born white persons of the place. She had a long life full of usefulness and good deeds.

Perry

Rev. Mr. Smith, of the M. E. Church, is absent on account of the death of his mother, in West Va.

Old Mr. Orcott, father of A. D. Orcott, died yesterday morning, over 90 years of age.

Middle Ridge, Nov. 27

Mrs. Paddock, of North Madison, an old lady 80 years of age, and mother of Mrs. Henry Emington, was found dead in her bed this morning.

Dec. 4 – Mr. Ambrose Branch, of Madison Village, died last Thursday morning. Disease said to be typhoid pneumonia.

Mr. Henry C. Ensign, a well-known and respected citizen of the village, died yesterday of congestion of the brain. He leaves a wife and seven children.

Mr. Albert Fuller, of the Ridge, is lying very sick with the same disease, but hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Married

In Painesville, at the residence of Mr. W. C. Hathaway, Nov. 29, Mr. Alfred B. Wolverton and Miss Sarah Bell, all of Painesville.

In Concord, Nov. 30, at the residence of Mrs. Nancy Carroll, Mr. Arthur Merrill and Miss Mary A. Carroll, both of Concord.

In Thompson, Nov. 30, Mr. C. D. Wilber to Miss M. A. Hulbert, both of Thompson.

Died

In Mentor, Nov. 18, James Butler, age 86 yrs.

Notice: All persons indebted to the estate of Sanford J. Elias are urgently requested to call at my residence and settle their bills immediately. Mrs. Lorett R. Elias, Administratrix

New firm: Hathaway & King.
W. C. Hathaway and Osman S. King

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Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of Dec. 6:

Ladies

Mrs. James B. Bell
Miss F. M. Herrick
Miss Alice Jackson
Mrs. J. B. McDowell
Mrs. J. F. Shaler
Mrs. Sarah C. Cook
Gertie F. Howell
Mrs. Emma King
Mrs. Lorinda Palmer
Mrs. Ella Whiting
Mrs. O. A. Williams

Gentlemen

P. S. Andrews
Russell Baird
William McNeal
Chas. H. Reynolds
Harry C. Barnes
Col. W. E. Kidder
L. G. Ostrander
C. B. Talcott
D. J. Talcott

H. G. Tryon is the adm. of Hannah Tomlinson, deceased, late of Kirtland, Lake Co., Ohio.

Dec. 14, 1876 Thursday

p. 2 Letters uncalled for in the Painesville P. O. as of Dec. 13:

Ladies

Miss Sarah J. Ames
Miss Rose Babcock
Miss Mary Brown
Miss L. Cunningham
Mrs. F. Foster
Mrs. M. A. Johnson
Mrs. L. Mohr
Mrs. E. A. Bartlett
Mrs. S. M. Baker
Miss Prudelia Call
Miss Anna Ely
Mrs. M. S. French
Mrs. Martha Megley
Miss Frank Taylor

Gentlemen

Jno. Baker
A. J. Ellis
H. A. Hopkins
Mark L. Mahar
Samuel Rawdon
P. Schenck
Peter Clansen
Mr. Ned Field
Andy Medand
Horatio Rhyder
Francis Simonet
G. M. Stocklerger
E. S. Wilson

Held for postage:

Miss Lizzie Chadderton, Cleveland, O
Miss Ellen Stephens, Eagletown, Ind.
E. C. Rouse, Cleveland, O.
E. B. Ensworth, Toledo., Ohio

p. 3 The furniture establishment of J. H. Merriman, of Conneaut, was entirely consumed by fire last Thursday. No insurance.

The notice of the death of J. Hobday, formerly of this place, but lately of Melbourne, Australia, was received too late for insertion this week. It will appear in our next.

Hon. Wm. Parsons made a valuable gift to the Seminary of a Photoscope which he purchased in England especially for the school. It was presented on behalf of Mr. Parsons by Mr. R. M. Murray.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Edward H. Merrill to Alexander Fraser, 14 acres

Madison

William H. Burdick to Jewitt Burdick Jr., 9 acres

Leonard Isham to Andrews L. Isham, 17 acres

Leonard Isham to George M. Isham, 46 acres

Perry

Board of Education Perry Township to Marcus Holcomb, ½ acre

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Painesville Masonic Lodge No. 412 officers elected for the new year:

W. L. Current, W. M.

H. F. Bates, S. W.

O. W. Kile, J. W.

R. K. Paige, Treas.

L. Freitag, Sec.

T. F. Palmer, S. D.

O. Richmond, J. D.

E. C. Smart, Tyler

Painesville Council, No. 23 Royal and Select Masters, officers elected:

Peter Kleeberger, T.I. G. M

J. M. Benjamin, D G. M

J. Dickinson, P. C. of W.

Wm. Hadelar, Treasurer

W. Lamphier, C. of G.

L. Freitag, Recorder

T. C. Radcliffe, C. of Council

M. W. Tuttle, Steward

H. N. Buys, Sentinel

Death of an Old Citizen of Perry

Capt. Wilder Butterfield, after a year of feeble health, died at his residence in Perry, Dec. 6, age 87 years. The deceased was a native of Westmoreland, N.H., where he was born July 18, 1789, and was married to Patty Huestis in 1810, who still survives at the age of 85. They had been married 66 years. The deceased moved to Perry with his family 42 years ago, where he has ever since been an esteemed, active, and valued citizen. Besides his aged wife, four daughters and one son are living: Mrs. L. B. Parker, of Kingsville, Ohio; Mrs. John Dow, of Madison, Ohio; J. W. Butterfield, Mrs. J. J. Thomson, Mrs. C. M. Coolidge, of Perry. He had been a Mason for nearly half a century and was one of the oldest members of Temple Lodge, of Painesville.

Norman Sessions, of Albion, Noble Co., Ind., prints a card of thanks from the relatives of Miss Marina Sessions to the citizens of Painesville for the kindness and respect shown in receiving her back to Painesville, her old home and bearing her remains to their last resting place.

H. C. Ensign, Madison, Lake Co., died Dec. 3. The Grange prints a notice in memoriam of him.

Susannah Rich is the executrix of Mark J. Rich, deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

H. G. Tryon is the executor of Eunice Maria Tryon, deceased, late of Kirtland, Lake Co., Ohio.

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p. 3 C. H. Alvord, lately a resident of Marathon N.Y., has returned to Painesville to spend the winter.

Early last week Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Higgins were called away from town by the sad news of the death of Mr. Higgins' mother at Perry, N.Y.

J. A. Stewart died at his home in Lenox, Ashtabula Co., last week. He was formerly a citizen of Madison, and brother of Senator Stewart, of Nevada.

Last week, N. Brink, Mrs. Lewis, and Miss Cynthia Cook, left for California. The former goes on a visit to his son at San Bernardino, and the latter to her sister, Mrs. Needham, of Compton, Los Angeles Co.

James A. Jerome, son of Lieut. J. Jerome, died of epilepsy Dec. 17, age 24 years. He had been an invalid and sufferer from the age of four years. The funeral took place yesterday from the family residence on Main St.

Weather: Another heavy storm of wind and snow swept over this section, commencing Saturday and continuing up to the present time, by which the southern roads are again blocked. Five to fifteen miles south the drifts were immense; at East Claridon and vicinity said to be worse than remembered by the oldest inhabitants. In one place the drift covered the top of a hay stack over twenty feet high.

Dec. 21, 1876

Obituary

Mr. John Hobday died suddenly of heart disease, at Melbourne, Australia, on Oct. 9, 1876, where of late years he has resided, leaving an affectionate wife. The deceased was formerly a citizen of Lake Co. He was born at Borham, Kent, England, Feb. 26, 1822, and leaves eight children and fourteen grandchildren in America.

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Caleb Mason and others to Amanda Mason, 40 acres

Augustus Skinner to Minerva Hayes, part of an acre

Elizabeth and O. E. Wilson to Edward B. and Felix Doran, lot 32, H. Steele's addition

Orlando E. Wilson to Edward B. Doran, 5 acres

Edward B. Doran to Elizabeth Wilson, same premises

Henry P. Sanford to Patrick Skelley, lot 4, Sanford's survey

Madison

Thomas I. and Mary Jane Lamb to George E. Hatch, 29 acres

E. D. Knapp to Joseph C. Haskell, 14 acres

Ellen B. and Irwin S. Childs to Levi L. Benjamin, 14 acres

Luman Wheeler to Maria N. Griswold, 17 acres

Perry

Orrin Harper's heirs to Susan H. Owen, 2 acres

Joshua and Elizabeth Park to Jacob Tavener, 16 acres

Willoughby

Lemuel Moger to Anson Hunt, 22 acres

Mentor

Z. Blish Sawyer to Lorain B. Well, 5 acres

Middle Ridge, Madison, Dec. 11, 1876

Mrs. C. Walding, wife of Richard Walding, died this morning of paralysis.

Mr. Charles Foster, of North Madison, died last Saturday, of typhoid pneumonia, after an illness of less than a week.

For Substantials in Holiday Goods call on L. C. Stebbins & Son.

Our assortment of Toilet Articles is complete. Call and examine them. L. C. Stebbins & Son

Call and get a chest protector for your wife, they are just the thing for this cold weather.

L. C. Stebbins & Son

Christmas Candies at L. C. Stebbins & Son

Lamps, lamps, lamps at L. C. Stebbins & Son

You will always find Caramels, Butter Scotch, Opera Cream and Cocoa Fruit. Lump Candies, fresh every day at Rogers', Cowles House Block

The best place to buy confectionery—Rogers' Manufactory, Cowles House Block.

Married

In Painesville, O., at the bride's home, Dec. 19, George F. Callender and Mary E. Elias. Both of Painesville.

Died

At Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 3, Walbridge E. Kingsbury, youngest son of the late Carolina Kingsbury, age 46 years.

C. E. Slitor has opened a grocery store on State St.

Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P. O. as of Dec. 20:

Ladies

Mrs. John Brown

Miss May Citerly

Mrs. R. Holcomb

Mrs. Annie Sittler

Miss Alice Brown

Miss G. Hitchcock

Miss Mary E. Kirk

Miss E. G. Suther

Mrs. Alidia Taylor

Gentlemen

Hugh Atkinson

Bernard Clancy

G. W. Cowles Jr.

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James Lamb
John Castle
Addison Collwell
James Geddes
Jacob H. Parsons
Gurdon Thompson

Divorce Notice

Phoebe C. Thomas vs. Wm. B. Thomas
Wm. B. Thomas, of Berlin, Ottawa Co., Michigan is notified that Phoebe C. Thomas filed a petition asking for a divorce in the Common Pleas Court, Lake Co., Ohio, charging him with willful absence for three years past and asking to be divorced from him.

Guardian's Sale: Edward B. Griswold as guardian of James E. Hill and Carrie I. Hill will sell land in Perry and Madison. We the undersigned heirs at law, will sell at public auction the remaining three fourths of said premises on the same day and time, thus giving the purchaser a clear title to said premises. Owen Bliss, Henry Bliss, Horace Bliss.

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p. 2 From Common Pleas

Frances Fox vs. John Fox; divorce; defendant filed cross petition and case continued

Emily M. Page vs. William J. Page, divorce granted petitioner with custody of minor children

Isaac N. Hathaway, adm. of Eldridge Hayden vs. James Allen, continued

Geo. W. Steele vs. Merrick F. Wilson. Frederick Wilkes, adm. of Hiram Johnson, made party defendant with leave to answer

Orando Sawyer, guardian of Clara King vs. Terry Dolan, continued

Daniel Warner Jr. vs. Hezekiah Cole, guardian of R. M. Johnson, continued

p. 3 Geo. E. Kile has a new baby at his house.

S. C. Carter and wife, of Keokuk, Iowa, arrived last Saturday to attend the celebration of the

golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Woodworth and to spend the holidays among their friends.

Home for the holidays we notice: Mr. and Mrs. S. H. White, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tillotson, of Cleveland; and Geo. C. Steele, of Youngstown. Messer. A. T. and O. G. Tuttle were also at home.

H. M. Mosher retires after two terms as Sheriff. C. T. Morley is his successor.

Dr. E. B. Root, who was recently called to visit his father, James Root, in Michigan has returned home, his father accompanying him, who will hereafter make Painesville his permanent residence. He resided here many years ago. He is now 86 yrs. old.

The murder of Lizzie Grombacher by Charles Sterling, at Youngstown, who was recently tried and found guilty of murder in the first degree, was sentenced last week by Judge Conant to be hanged Wed., March 18, 1877.

Mr. J. S. Parmly, with a view to making his future home in Chicago, is offering for sale the beautiful homestead on Erie St. built and occupied by his brother S. P. Parmly and family as a summer home.

New officers elected at the Cornucopia Lodge No. 212, I.O.O. F.:

N. G., A. S. Drake
V. G., Geo. E. Kile
S., E. Sherwood
P.S., S. S. Wheeler
Treas. W. W. Dingley

I.O.O. F. Election – Union Encampment, No. 46 elected the following officers:

C. P., B. H. Woodman
S. W., C. G. Ritter
J. W., John Bartholomew
H. P., C. D. Adams
Scribe, C. O. Child
Treas., W. W. Dingley

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Chapter Election, Painesville Chapter R.A.M.
officers elected:

H. H. Coe, M.E.H.P.
W. Lanphier, King
J. T. Martin, Scribe
J. H. Thomas, C. H.
T. C. Radcliffe, P. S.
W. L. Current, R. A. C.
T. F. Palmer, M.3V
O. N. Brainard, M 2 V
W. C. Hathaway, M.I.V.
D. Warner, Jr., Treas.
M. W. Tuttle, Sec.
H. N. Buys, Guard

Kirtland Grange No. 1245, P. of H., officers
elected:

E. D. Rich, Master
M. E. Sweet, Overseer
A. K. Smith, Lecturer
W. S. Williams, Steward
M. V. Hopkins, Asst. Steward
P. H. Booth, Chaplain
W. H. Yaxley, Teas.
E. H. Cleveland, Sec.
J. A. Booth, Gate Keeper
Mrs. F. Whiting, Ceres
Mrs. E. Sweet, Pomona
Miss Essie Cleveland, Flora
Mrs. Louisa Smith, L. A. Steward

Tin Wedding

The 19th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. M.
S. Colgrove was celebrated at their residence on
Dec. 21.

Perry

Mr. Solomon Simonds, formerly of Perry, late of
Branch Co., Michigan, was buried here on
Sunday last. His wife died while he lived here,
some 12 years ago. He was 84 yrs. old. His
remains were accompanied here from Michigan
by his son, M. W. Simonds, and his daughter,
Mrs. Judd, with whom he lived at the time of his
death.

Mr. Ozro A. Hoskin and Miss Ruby Flower were
married this afternoon. Middle Ridge, Dec. 25

Real Estate Transfers

Painesville

Mary Ann Corlett to Patrick Brick 5 acres, part of
Hale Farm
Roswell Hayes to Painesville Real Estate Assoc., 2
water lost at Fairport
Same to same 21 acres
Augustus Skinner to Painesville Real Estate
Assoc., lot no 16, Fairport.

Madison

William J. Page to Emily Page 1 acre
Emily Page to William J. Page, part of an are

Perry

Heirs of Orrin Harper to John A. Harper, 1 acre
Chas. M. Thompson to same, part of an acre

Willoughby

Peter Taylor to John Stevenson, part of an acre
Margaret Shales by adm. to Clarence S. Dunbar,
1 acre

Anson Hunt to M. J. Bernick, 153 acres

Mentor

Orando Sawyer to Solomon Youmans 9 acres

Married

In Painesville, at the residence of O. S. King, Dec.
24, George B. Stone and Lucie E. Whitmore, both
of Painesville

Died

Died Dec. 1, at Port Ryerse, Canada, of
diphtheria, Johnny, oldest son of Dennis and
Kate Kief.

Died Dec. 19, at Port Ryerse, Canada, of
diphtheria, Myron, only remaining son of Dennis
and Kate Kief.

We have just received one of those choice
Oolong Teas, rich and toasty, and is a rouser for
\$1. L. C. Stebbins & Son

Our Centennial Japan draws a full rich flavor,
heavy body, and is the boss tea for \$1.

L. C. Stebbins & Son

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Letters uncalled for at the Painesville P.O. as of
Dec. 27:

Ladies

Mrs. Carrie Brown
Mrs. Amelia Colgrove
Miss Ang. Hickok
Miss Ida Maltby
Miss Ida Parmly
Mrs. Mary Steward
Mrs. Josephine Cox
Mrs. Ann Durfy
Miss Mary Loomis
Mrs. Flora A. Perry
Miss Martha Picket
Mrs. Jerusha Stewart

Gentlemen

John Callaghan
Capt. W. H. Hamilton
R. McLane
Walter Pincus
John Coonly
Wm. H. Mehner
John Morley
Captain Smith
John Taylor

Held for postage

Miss M. E. Alford, Pleasant Valley, Conn.
Olney Crozier, Nottingham, O.
Martin Creedon, San Jose, Costa Rica

Jane Wilson is the executrix of Abner Wilson,
deceased, late of LeRoy, Lake Co., Ohio.

Maria E. Ensign and E. F. Ensign are the adms. of
Henry C. Ensign, deceased, late of Madison, Lake
Co., Ohio.

R. A. Moodey is the adm. of Robert Moodey,
deceased, late of Painesville, Lake Co., Ohio.

End of 1876