

PASSENGERS ON THE TITANIC E ONLY FROM NORTHERN OHIO

This list was compiled by Janet A. White and Mary Ann Whitley, members of the Titanic Internation Society and published in promotional material for the Titanic Exhibit at the Great Lakes Science Center in March 2002.

Bailey, Percy A.	Akron	18	Second Class	Lost
Bonnell, Miss Elizabeth	Youngstown	62	First Class	Saved
Bonnell, Miss Caroline	Youngstown	30	First Class	Saved
Bowerman, Miss Elsie	Cleveland	22	First Class	Saved
Chibnall, Mrs. Edith	Cleveland	48	First Class	Saved
Collander, Erik	Ashtabula	28	Second Class	Lost
Corey, Mrs. Percy (Mary)	Cleveland	34	Second Class	Lost
Cotterill, Henry	Akron	21	Second Class	Lost
Crease, Ernest J.	Cleveland	19	Third Class	Lost
Daher, Tannous	Youngstown	?	Third Class	Lost
Davison, Thomas Henry	Bedford	33	Third Class	Lost
Davidson, Mrs. Thomas Henry	Bedford	34	Third Class	Saved
George, Mrs. Shaneene W.	Youngstown	44	Third Class	Saved
Harbeck, William	Toledo	44	Second Class	Lost
Hocking, Mrs. William (Elizabeth)	Akron	53	Second Class	Saved
Hocking, Miss Ellen N.	Akron	21	Second Class	Saved
Hocking, Richard George	Akron	23	Second Class	Lost
Karajic, Milan	Youngstown	30	Third Class	Lost
Karnes, Mrs. Frank J.	Cleveland	22	Second Class	Lost
(Claire Bennett)	The second s			
Mitchell, Henry	Toledo	70	Second Class	Lost
Nasser, Mrs. Nicholas	Cleveland	?	Third Class	Saved
(Adele Hakim)				
Otter, Richard	Middleburg Twp.	39	Second Class	Lost
Richards, George S.	Akron	10 mo.	Second Class	Saved
Richards, Mrs. Sidney	Akron	25	Second Class	Saved
(Emily Hocking)				
Richards, William R.	Akron	3	Second Class	Saved
Rouse, Richard	Cleveland	50	Third Class	Lost
Stanley, Edward R.	Cleveland	21	Third Class	Lost
Sunderland, Victor	Cleveland	16	Third Class	Saved
Stjepan, Turcin	Youngstown	36	Third Class	Lost
Turja, Miss Anna Sofia	Ashtabula	18	Third Class	Saved
Wells, Mrs. Arthur (Addie T.)	Akron	29	Second Class	Saved
Wells, Miss Joan	Akron	4	Second Class	Saved
Wells, Ralph Wells	Akron	4	Second Class	Saved
Wick, George	Youngstown	57	First Class	Lost
Wick, Mrs. George (Mary H.)	Youngstown	46	First Class	Saved
Wick, Miss Mary Natalie	Youngstown	32	First Class	Saved
Wilkes, Mrs. James (Ellen)	Akron	45	Third Class	Saved
Youssef, Gerios	Youngstown	45	Third Class	Lost

Speaking of the exhibit at the Science Center, you've got until Labor Day to see it. It really is an enjoyable visit for people who maintain a fascination with the disaster, as well as for those who know very little about it. "Titanica," an accompanying film on OMNIMAX is closing soon. Take a nice hot summer afternoon and spend it inside. An indoor garage adjoins the Science Center. Fees are a little pricey, so don't forget to get every discount you can.



ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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<u>May 27, 1875 (con't)</u>

-Ten Nights in a Bar Room will be played by the Literary Society on Thursday evening May 27th.

-The farmers are making good time in getting their crops in this fine weather, the prospect for fruit is very poor indeed, wheat is pretty thin. Some pieces have been plowed under and corn will be planted instead.

-We understand the German Methodists have started a Sabbath School here where the children are taught in their own language.

<u>May 27, 1875</u>

DOVER

June 3, 1875

OLMSTED

-Mr. Samuel Burgess died of inflamatory rheumatism at the house of N. Nelson in Olmsted, May 19th 1875, aged 24 years and 6 months. Mr. Burgess was a native of England, where he was born in December, 1850. When about 19 years of age, in company with about twenty other young men, he came to Canada, where he remained about three months. A part of his young friends were sober and religiously disposed, and the others rough and of loose habits; and finding that the latter were exerting too much influence over their fellows, and determining to be somebody and do something worthy of himself, and feeling under obligations to God and his fellow men, he left and came to Olmsted Falls, O., where he found employment for a short time. But disliking his associations, he quit and went to work for Mr. Charles Fitch, where he remained about two years.

In Sept. 1870 he united with the 2d Congregational Church of Olmsted, on Butternut Ridge, of which he was a very active and worthy member until his death. In the spring of 1874 he went to work for **Herbert Nelson**, where he remained about a year, after which he went to **Newell Nelson's** (father of Herbert), where he died.

During his painful illness of two weeks, which he bore with manly and Christian fortitude, he had the best of care and kindest treatment, not only from the family but from numerous friends who came in to see him and to minister to his wants.

Here let me say that Mr. Nelson and family are deserving of the thanks of this community for their kind treatment of the sick, not only in this case, but several others which they have had in their house.

The character of Mr. Burgess is well worthy the study and imitation of all young men. Friendly, cheerful, peaceable, industrious, ready to help at anything that was laudible and right, sober and regular in his habits, and avoiding bad influence and evil associations, he sought always to put himself within the influence of and to associate with the good, the intelligent and the worthy. He was particularly careful of his reputation and of his money, though never afraid to do what he believed to be right, or to buy what he needed ot give to a good cause. Practicing on these principles he made a larger place for himself in the hearts of his acquaintances than many men make in a lifetime, and though he had not a known relative this side the ocean, he was by no means without mourners at his funeral, which was largely attended and where there were more wet eyes than are usual on such occasions. Eb.

OLMSTED

-The Literary Society gave their entertainment spoken of in last weeks "Tiser", viz "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" on Thursday evening, and repeated it on Saturday evening. It was every way a success. The first evening the house was crowded, and on Saturday evening there was a fair sized audience. Everything passed off right, and the actors seemed well fitted for the parts assigned them. The following named persons represented the different characters:

Landlord, C. M. Rathburn; Landlady, Mrs. G. N. Miner; - G. L. Wilson; Joe Morgan, A. Vaughn; Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. W. W. Mead; Little Mary Morgan, Allie Pillars; Landlord's son Frank, Walter Mead; Switchel, Charlie Rathbun; Harvey Green, J. A. Pillars; Will Hammond, Sam'l Lay.

The play each evening was followed by a burnt cork performance consisting of songs, jokes and conundrums and afforded considerable amusement especially to the younger portion of the audience winding up with a farce the first evening, entitled "Rip Van Winkle," the second evening, "the Wig Maker."

Several good pieces were sung by Mr. G. N. Miner; Miss Bell Mead and Miss Hattie Kendall. The music was furnished by Rice's Band with an organ accompaniement by Miss Bell Mead.

-The property known as Barnum's Mill and Quarry has been purchased by **Mr. Caldwell** of Cleveland. The use he intends to make of it we have not learned.

-Business is still dull.

-The Railroad Company are fencing the Depot ground. -The Scarlet Fever has made its appearance here, but it

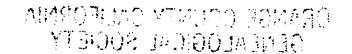
is to be hoped that it will not prove as fatal as it did in the Spring, on Butternut Ridge in the north part of the town.

<u>June 10, 1875</u>

ROCKPORT

-Died May 28, Fanny Nichols aged 84 years.

-Died June 3rd, Mary Empress Pease, oldest daughter of Gideon T. and Mary J. Pease, aged 13 years 6 months and 10 days.



BEREA, Ohio

-Amos Spencer is suffering from the effects of an accident received at Avon on Wednesday, June 2d.

Dr. H. H. Herrick of Cleveland, has been employed and pronounces his injuries very serious. He is slowly recovering.

-The plentiful rains and fine growing weather have sent vegetation forward very rapidly; and appearances indicate a bountiful harvest. The fruit crops; except some of the small kinds, will be light though plenty for home use. We have much to be thankful for. J.A.P.

DIED

[By request from the Norwalk Reflector.]

Emma E. Lemon was born at Olmsted Falls, O., February 22d, 1850. She was married to the late John T. Gilbert, October 25, 1873, and died in Norwalk May 24, 1875, five months after the decease of her husband, leaving an infant daughter nine months old. Her Christian spirit was manifested in all her relations as a daughter, sister, wife and mother. Her gentleness and patience through her protracted illness won the sympathy of all. She died triumphant in Christian faith. A large concourse of friends attended her obsequies at the M. E. Church, of which she was a member.

[a lengthy poem follows, not copied here.]

July 10, 1875

ROCKPORT

-C. S. Giddings and others are taking active steps to procure means to rebuild the M. E. Church, and also to build sheds for horses. They are having good success.

-The Board of Education met on Monday the 7th, and after hearing the report of the committee on buildings, etc., decided to establish two graded schools in the township, one at the Town Hall, which is to be fitted up for that purpose the present season, and the other to be located near the M. E. Church, a site for the same to be procured at once, and a building erected next year.

-Charles Wise has bought ten acres of land, a portion of the Mathew Jordan farm, consideration #2,000. Mr. Wise is putting up a dwelling thereon.

-It is rumored that Mr. John M. West has sold to the L. S. & M. S. Railway Co., one hundred acres of land to be used as stockyards. Hope 'tis true.

-The people of east Rockport are taking active measures to secure a terminus for the Rocky River Railroad at the Viaduct, and also to secure cheap fare, in both of which they will doubtless succeed. There is no good reason why the land between Cleveland and Rocky River, with its beautiful scenery and excellent fruit and water, should not be used ashomes for the People. Cheap and easy transit to the city will help to bring purchasers. -Rather cool for corn, but death to potato bugs. We can spare them. J.A. P.

June 10, 1875

DOVER

-The frequent showers we have had of late have set vegetation to growing at a remarkable rate. Grass and grain are doing finely. Potatoes have been planted more largely than for several years past.

Corn.-Some have hoed while others are still planting. Quite a breadth has been planted, and that which is up looks well, though there has been some complaints of cut worms.

Fruit promises to be uncommonly scarce. As far as I have observed there are almost no apples at all. I have seen a few scattering peaches on common seedling trees. Sour or common red cherries blowed out full and it was thought there would be an abundance of that kind, but the blows dropped off with very few cherries set.

-On Thursday evening, June 10th, the Olmsted Literary Society gave an entertainment in the Town Hall, Dover Center, which was well attended, notwithstanding the very busy season and the shortness of the evenings, which latter facts our Olmsted friends will please take into consideration. The Play, Ten Nights in a Bar Room, was played with general good satisfaction, after which a laughable farce entitled, The Haunted House, was presented, affording a good deal of laughter, which was perhaps its best compliment.

Good music by Rice's Band filled up the intevals between the acts. "Silver Threads among the Gold" was sung in a manner pleasing to all.

The scenes in which little Mary Morgan, the drunkards daughter took part, were among the best of the play. Mrs. Mead as Mrs. Morgan was just the right person for the place and Mr. Vaughn as Joe Morgan acted his part well. He is a good speaker, but I don't think he ever had the real delirium tremens. Cliff Rathbun, as Slade the landlord, sustained his part well, as did "Switchel" and George Wilson, in the character of the traveler. George wants a little more practice in speaking and he would be tiptop.

Call over again after harvest.

ED

<u>July 1, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-One week ago last Sunday, a crowd of youngsters were having a game of ball, near the churches, and were making considerable noise. **Mayor Barnum**, ordered **Marshal Vaughn**, to go and quiet them. The Marshal went out to where they were and ordered them to be quiet, but some of them notified him that he had better go about his business or they would damage his head somewhat. On Monday, several of the lads were arrested and tried before Mayor Barnum and the worst were fined three dollars and costs. (to be continued)

1849 Marriages & Deaths from CLEVELAND DAILY PLAIN DEALER

Contributed by Jeanne Workman

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Part 34

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Sat., Jan. 13, 1849; p2 c4</u>

DIED: Very suddenly, in Newburgh, on the 9th inst., of a violent hemorrhage at the lungs, Mr. Andrew Hale, aged 25 years.

MARRIED: At East Cleveland, on the 27th of Dec. by the *Rev. A. S. Hayden*, Mr. **Stephen C. Meeker**, to Miss **Adra Hendershot**, all of the above place. The Democrat and Herald please copy.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Tues., Jan. 16, 1949; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In Westfield, Medina Co., Jan. 1st, by the *Rev. Thomas Inman*, Mr. L. D. Ellis and Hannah R. Ellis, both of Westfield.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Thurs., Jan. 18, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In Christ's Church, Hudson, on the 15th inst., by the *Rev. T. B. Fairchild*, Mr. Julius B. Kilborne, and Miss Laura Baldwin, both of Hudson.

In this city, on the 3d inst., by *Dr. Aiken*,Mr.-Lorenzo Thompson of Hudson, and Miss Jan E. Wallace of Solon.

By the same in this city on 11th inst., **John Britten** and Miss **Fiorilla Phillips**.

By the same, on the 18th inst., Albert Townsend and Miss Chloa Rust, both of this city.

Issue date Mon., Jan. 22, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In Solon, on the 18th inst., by the *Rev.* A. B. Green, of Norton, Medina county, Mr. A. V. Jewet, of Aurora, and Miss Mary A. Sill, of the former place. ⁴³ Oh, ye gods and little fishes! Such a piece of wedding cake-such a beautiful, embroidered, lettered loaf of "love's last offering," as accompanied the above notice never before found its way into our sanctum. Luck to those who in their wedded joys do not forget the PRINTER.

Issue date Fri., Jan. 25, 1849; p2 c3

DIED: In Boston, Summit Co., Ohio on the 19th inst., of lung fever, Luna, wife of William Barnhart, and daughter of Esq. Chafy, Peninsula, in the 30th year of her age.

On the 18^{th} inst., in Newburgh, at the residence of her husband, M. M. Gould, Mrs. Emily S. Gould, aged 48 yrs 2 mo and 3 da.

Issue Date <u>Tues., Jan. 30, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: On Tuesday the 16th inst., by the *Rev. H.* Calhoun, Mr. Arthur Field and Mrs. Mary L. White. 2

In Lagrange, Jan. 25th, by *Rev. Mr. Smith* of Pittsfield, Mr. Charles A. Wilcox and Miss Cynthia A. Johnson, daughter of Hon. N. P. Johnson, all of Lagrange.

In this city on the 30th inst., by Rev. S. B. Canfield, Mr. Hesekiah Rogers and Miss Martha Baldwin, both of Cleveland.

DIED: In Middlebury, Summit county, Ohio, on the 7th of Jan. 1849, **Thomas Granger**, a soldier of the Revolution, aged 87 years.

Mr. Granger was in the battle of Bunker Hill, though but a boy. He shortly after enlisted for the War as a Fifer in Capt. Stone's company of Infantry in the 12th Massachusetts Regiment. He was soon after appointed Fife Major, in which capacity he served during the war. He was present and participated in the Battles of Long Island, Trenton, Princeton, Saratoga, Brandywine, and York Town-he was present at the execution of Major Andre, and was, perhaps the last surviving witness of that mournful event.

Thus surely and silently pass away from earth those spirits that dared to stay the tyrant's power, and battle for human liberty, uncared for and not thought of by those who enjoy the blessings purchased by their valor and toil; the fair fabric reared by their hands and consecrated by their blood, affords but poor shelter and nourishment to the worn out soldier. His wants are hardly supplied by the mean pittance afforded by government when enjoying good health-while in sickness it is wholly inadequate. This has been the case with Mr. Granger. For the last six years he was not able to leave his room-his nurse and attendant has been the last of his family-a son, who is decrepid, and has been for several years, from a paralytic attack. The additional pay belonging to him, by virtue of a law passed some time since, he has never received, in consequence of some informality in the records and the loss of his discharge. I would submit to the consideration of my countrymen whether it would not be just and proper to petition Government that the back pay due him be paid to the son for his support and benefit. W. D. DODDS

In this City, on Saturday, January 27th, at 7 o'clock, P. M., George, eldest son of W. J. and Charlotte G. Gordon, of Scarlet Fever, in the 5th year of his age, after an illness of less than 3 days. In Kendall, Stark Co., Ohio, January 20th, William Tinkler, in the 39th year of his age.

Issue date Fri., Feb. 2, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Massilon, on the 21st inst., by *Mr.* Allen, Esq., Mr. **R. Smith** of Massilon, and Miss Mary L. Tift of Elyria.

In Lagrange, on the 25th inst., on Thursday the 5th inst., by the *Rev. Ira Smith*, Mr. Charles A. Willcox to Miss Cynthia A. Johnson, both of Lagrange.

On the 23 inst., by the Rev. W. B. Disbro, Mr. Hiram Croat, of Kenton, to Miss Lucy Pangborn, of Carlisle.

In Middlebury, on the 25th inst., by *E. Bloom, Esq.*, Mr. Jacob Moatz, of Uniontown, Stark co., to Miss Elizabeth Angle of the former place.

In Ravenna, on the 18th inst., by Rev. E. E. Atwater, Mr. Joseph Loomis and Miss Elizabeth Ann Coffin, all of Ravenna.

DIED: At Lagrange, on the 26th Dec., Major H. Jones, in the 23d year of his age.

In Mentor, Lake county, Ohio, the 15th ult., Mr. Joe Eno, in the 54th year of his age.

In Perry, on the 16th January, Lucien Haskell, son of **F. Haskell**, aged about 16.

Issue date Tues., Feb. 6, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In this city on the 1st inst., Mr. T. W. Steele, of Erie, to Miss Susan Kent, of Cleveland.

Issue date Wed., Feb. 7, 1849, p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city, on Tues. evening, Feb. 6th, by *Rev. J. H. Campbell*, Mr. George H. Smith, of Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Mary Jan Sanborn, of Cleveland.

Issue date Thurs., Feb. 8, 1849; p2 c3

DIED: Tuesday, after a tedious and painful illness of twenty-five days, James, third son of David and Jane Pollock, in the fifth year of his age.

Funeral tomorrow, Feb. 9th, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the residence of Mr. Pollock, Lorain at Ohio City, Feb. 8th, 1849.

MARRIED: At East Cleveland on the 7th inst. by the *Rev. Mr. Aiken D. D.*, Mr. Everett Clapp, of the firm of Rice & Clapp (commission merchants in the city of New York) and Miss Romelia Banks, of East Cleveland.

Issue date Mon., Feb. 12, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: In Madison, on the 31st ult., Angeline, wife of Horace Winchester, in the 29th year of her age.

MARRIED: In Ravenna, on the 1st inst., by Rev. E. E. Atwater, Mr. R. L. Steen, of Beaver, Pa., to Miss Mary J. Bunting, of Ravenna.

On the 25th ult., by *Rev. C. Brown*, Mr. Solon F. Day, to Miss Sarah E. Betts, both of Deerfield, Portage Co., Ohio.

In Painesville, on the 2d inst., by the Rev. J. M. Gillett, Mr. John Dyer and Miss Maria Stickney, daughter of J. Stickney, Esq., both of Concord.

In Unionville, on the 1st inst., by the *Rev. Martin* Wilcox, Mr. John L. Paine and Miss Maria Carr, all of Unionville.

Issue date Tues., Feb. 13, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: In Vermillion, Sun. morning, Feb.__(no date), Mr. Enos Brainard, in the 69th year of his age.

Connecticut papers please copy.

Issue date Wed., Feb. 14, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Ohio City, on the 23th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Jemison, Mr. Richard Wallen to Miss Eliza A. Selden, all of Ohio City.

DIED: In Strongsville, on the 5th inst., Sarah Jane, only child of **Rev. D. C.** and **Delia Blood**, aged 5 years. [poem given not included here]

Issue date Thur., Feb. 15, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: In this city on the 13th inst., Caroline, daughter of Bennet and Caroline Smith, aged 4 years and 8 months.

Issue date Fri., Feb. 16, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: At the Temperance House in Chardon, on the 5th inst. by the *Rev. Mr. Stearns*, Mr. **Thomas W. Harvey**, and Miss **Louisa O. Beebe**, of Chardon.

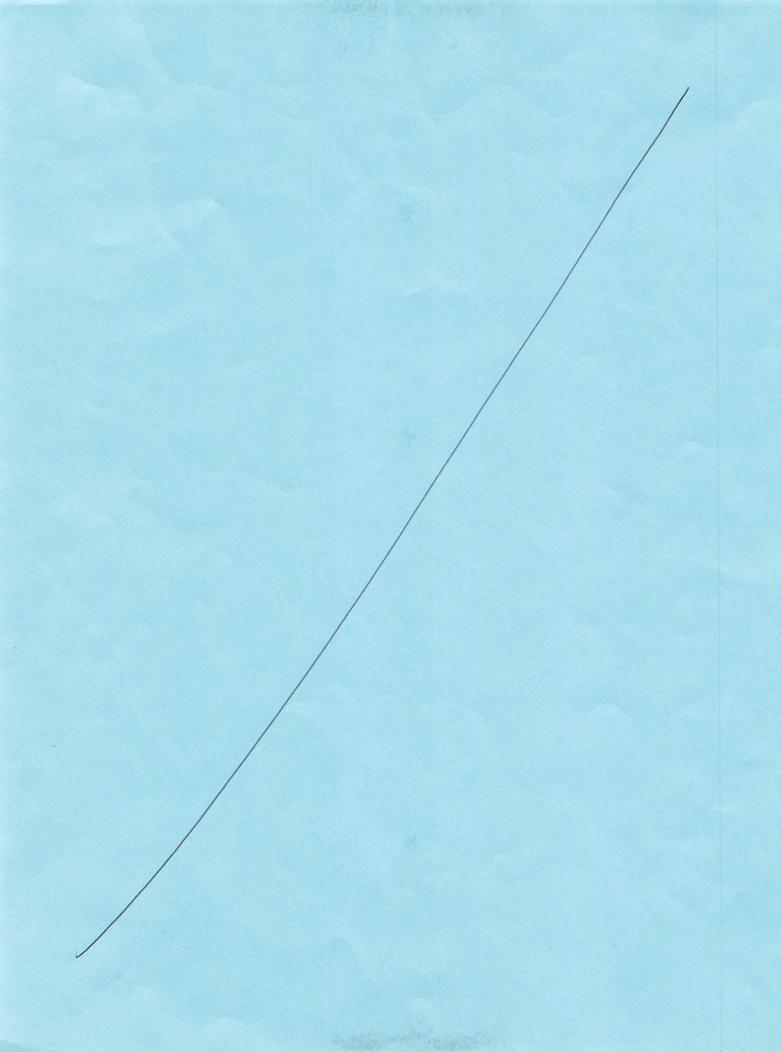
At the same time and place by the same, Mr. Cicero Vaughn and Miss Casandana Benton, both of Charon.

At Randolph, on the 7th inst., by *Esq. Wheeler*, Mr. Jordon B. Purdy of Springfield, to Miss Phebe F. Hubbard of the former place.

COLDS-Young ladies should take care not to sit near the piano; for it is a well known fact that the instrument has caused more dreadful Colds than all the thin shoes and draughts in the world. The most beautiful creatures, who were perfectly well and laughing the minute before, have no sooner approached Grand Broadwood than they have been suddenly seized with a sore throat, and have lost in a minute the use of their voice. This complaint is less taking as the young lady grows older, and rarely has any effect in a family where there are several sisters.

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ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY



Burnside has played out and we are under the immediate command of our corps commanders. The right and left are leaving and the old center grand division, the 3rd and 5th army corps are to remain and guard the fordings and protect the Capitol (and the thousands of cowards in it).

There is now a detail out of our regiment of 200 men, 3 captains, 12 sergeants, 24 corporals, making roads. They say that 'tis the intention of the authorities to fortify part of Virginia. I can see in the future many nights of picketing, reconnaisances, marches, etc. I suppose we will have to bear it and do the best we can. As you say, we can't better it by our personal exertions. Write soon. Give my love to all the folks and believe me ever your loving and affectionate

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Camp 62nd Regt. P.V. Feb. 13, 1863

Dear Hattie

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I see you are as tired of the war as I am. Now I am not sick of war, perhaps 'tis only the way the thing is carried on. I don't think I should have been contented if I had remained at home, but I am, like you, in hopes that the thing is now about drawing to a close. The picture you ask for I will send as soon as I can get it. There are two artists now in Falmouth and my friend J.C. Meanor and myself are going down tomorrow to try our luck. The correspondence I will send but 't will not be anything very interesting. I will wait until my return from Falmouth. Valentines are all the go and several have been favored on Stewarts Run, some nice, and some over-nice (The Howaths were favored, Brunt Lymas, Joe Green, and old Tom Howath. Say nothing about it and keep an ear open and if old Tom ain't mad, then I am fooled.) I had a notion to send Alf one, but concluded he might be offended and I don't wish to offend him. The others may become offended if they choose.

I will write oftener now. We have been paid and I sent to Washington and got some stamps. Now you will be a little richer for not having to send any more stamps. I will pay them back as soon as I can get a full supply.

Camp of 62nd Regt. P.V. Feb. 18, 1863

My dear Hattie

You asked me to write you a piece for your paper. I have done so. 'Tis none of the best and I fear will not raise the fame of ----(whatever you call the paper), but if you choose to insert it, you can do so, but withhold my name. Don't give the author (only Gustavus). There was such a crowd there that a general could hardly have got a picture taken. I think there will be a chance nearer home soon as 'tis said a car is coming to our camp to remain some time. 'Tis a splendid business here. They charge \$1.25 for a picture just on a mat.

But I must close and go for wood about one-half mile. The snow is about 4 inches deep. My love to the family and oceans for yourself. I am as ever yours in affection.

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March 18, 1875

OLMSTED

-The Literary Society in this village gave one of their dime entertainments on Thursday evening last, which was well attended considering the unpleasant weather. The exercises consisted in reading the "Olmsted Falls Chronicles," a paper edited by the society, essays, speeches, tableaux, music, etc. Mrs. L. B. Adams read an essay entitled "Life's Misson," and Miss Hawley one on "Love of Knowledge." Both were excellent, exhibiting deep thought, with aspirations to the higher walks of life. The crowning effort of the evening was, in our opinion, a Temperance sketch called "Women's War or the Last Day of the Crusade." The acting was well done, the singing excellent, and we imagined many of the audience were wishing that the young men who boldly advocated the principles of temperance might in reality adhere to them in the future. Messrs. Rathburn furnished the amusements in the comic line. They evidently believe in the old adage that "A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men." We were glad to see that the society, in arranging their programme for these entertainments, seem to have had the improvement of the audience in view as well as their amusement. Thanks are due the society, Mr. Owen and the pupils especially, for furnishing these pleasant entertainments during the winter. It is expected that they will be continued during the coming term of the High School, which it is expected will commence on the 22d inst.

The High School closed nearly two weeks ago with a public examination of three days, which passed off with great credit to teacher and scholars. Mr. Owen has gained the reputation of an excellent teacher, and it is hoped that his school for the coming term will be well patronized.

-The annual meeting of the Olmsted Falls Bible Society, was held in the M. E. Church on Sabbath evening, Mar. 7^{th} , 1875. The officers elected for the coming year are as follows.

Pres., N. P. Loomis; Vice Pres., Wm. Butlin; Sec. D. B. Wright; Treas. O. Osborn.

-A discourse suitable to the occasion, was delivered by **Rev. D. H. Woodward**, of Oberlin. The agent **Mr. Woodward**, presented some startling facts and statistics, showing what the Society is doing for the world and what conquests the Bible is making in all lands. A collection was taken up. The friends subscribed very liberally. Amount raised for the Bible cause, \$25.50.

<u>March 25, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-The Ladies of the Union Sociable gave a sugar party on Wednesday evening last, at the residence of **Mr. Joseph** Lay. All who were brave enough to face the storm, enjoyed a pleasant evening. -MARRIED--On the 21st, at the residence of the bride's mother, by W. S. Carpenter, Esq., Mr. Alta Fitch and Miss Hattie Porter,, all of Olmsted Falls.

-The commencement of the term of the High School is postponed until the 29th.

<u>April 1, 1875</u>

DOVER

-Sickness and mortality still goes on in this vicinity. Albert, infant son of Joseph and Lucy Ames, died in Dover, March 22d, 1875. On the same day Mary Gaylord, a young married woman died on Center Ridge at the house of her father, Mr. Snell. The family are strangers to me, and the names of the young woman and her father are learned from the neighbors.

The funerals were held on Wednesday, March 24th, the first at the house of Mr. Ames, and that of Mrs. Gaylord, at the Methodist Church, Dover Center.

Mr. Jeremiah Witham, an old man, 68 years of age, residing on the plank road in the southeast part of town died on Friday, March 26th. Funeral on Sunday.

On Wednesday, March 24th, a young child from the east part of Olmsted, (name not learned) was buried in the Ridge Cemetery.

A son of Asher and Emma Stearns, residing a little south of Butternut Ridge, died on Wednesday, March 24th; aged about six months. Funeral on Thursday.

Several old persons are lying very sick and are not expected to recover.

Scarlet fever still continues, but most of the cases are getting better. Ed.

April 1, 1875

OLMSTED

-The Ladies Benevolent Society will give a sugar party at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, April 7th. All are cordially invited to attend.

-Daniel Harding and wife have returned from a visit to England. They were gone nearly three months, and judging from their appearance, they were well used while they were away.

-Election matters are very quiet but perhaps people are waiting to have a big blow out on election day.

-We have plenty of mud but we can clean our feet with better grace then we can freeze to death.

-Now is the time to get your Photographs. Persons wishing Photographs or any style of pictures taken, should call early and will open my rooms at Olmsted Falls opposite R. Pollard's store on the 5th, of April 1875, and remain 8 or 10 weeks. **A. Sheldon**.

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<u>April 8, 1875</u>

WEST VIEW

-Spring is upon us again in good earnest. Almost the first indication we had of its approach was not the organ grinder, but a woman razor and scissors grinder on our streets. What next?

-The Rocky River Stone Company commenced work the first of the month, making several repairs and pumping out their quarry. They intend to sink a shaft to see what quality of stone lies below.

-Mr. J. M. Mattock has leased the grist mill formerly owned by Mr. G. Strope, and is doing custom work, and farmers have no longer to go to a distance to get their mill done. Success.

-Mr. Calvin Geer, is making some alterations in his dwelling house, putting on an addition and rearranging some of the inside rooms.

-The wind seems to have been on the rampage on Saturday evening by the appearance of the street on Sabbath morning in the vicinity of Mr. E. Riglow's store. Barrels and boxes that were standing inside of his yard were taken up and carried by its force to a little ravine close by and then partly filled with small stones. There was no loss of life or houses unrooted so far as we have been able to learn. The boys had nothing to do with it at all, for they were all at home snug in their little beds. J.

DIED

GESSNER-In East Dover, on Thursday, April 1st, 1875, Sabrey Gessner, wife of Jacob Gessner and daughter of Harlow Landphair, aged 30 years.

<u>April 8, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-Election day passed very quietly, the weather was fine and every one felt like being civil at least. The township polled a fair vote, but the vote in the village was only about two thirds as large as usual. The following named persons were elected to fill the township offices.

Treassurer, G. B. Dryden; Clerk, H. B. Northrop; Constables, A. W. Sabin; H. Barnum; Trustees, L. C. Taney; Wm. Busky; Geo. W. Kennedy; Assessor, Lawrence Bramley; Justice of the Peace, W. S. Carpenter.

Village Ticket. Marshal, G. E. Vaughn; Street Commissioner, Elisha Fitch; Member of Board of Ed., O. W. Kendall; Councilmenn, H. B. Northrop; D. B. Wright; A. R. Locke.

The township officers were mostly Republicans, but many of the tickets were scratched more or less.

-One day last week, a team owned by John Reublin, ran away in Cleveland, and on their way ran against a buggy, upsetting it. The driver was injured by being thrown from the buggy and cutting his head on the pavement. The team was brought to a stand by one of them falling and injuring its should very badly.

-Last Sunday morning a party of tramps managed to enter the house of **Dr. A. P. Knowlton**, and cleaned the pantry of everything that was good for the inner man. An attempt was made to arrest them, but was not successful.

The Doctor had better prepare some bread and butter for them. The Doctor was also visited on Sunday afternoon by some young sprigs from Berea, who made a little too much disturbance to suit him, and he had them arrested, but they begged so pitifully to be let alone, that after promising better notions, they were discharged out of regard for the feelings of the parents of some of them. We withhold the names for this time, but should the game be repeated, they will not get off as easily.

-Mr. G. Palmer, two miles north of this place, dug a parsnip from his garden last week measuring two feet and two inches in length. B.

<u>April 8, 1875</u>

ROCKPORT

-The election yesterday for township officers resulted in the choice of Wm. Sixt, for Treasurer, Wm. Broa, Assessor, Anthony Cline, John W. West and Fred Baker, Trustees, and Fred Smith, and J. J. Atwater, Constables.

L. Wangelin was elected Justice of the Peace in place of A. Kyle, (resigned) and O. P. Stafford was also elected Township Clerk. It was not considered either Republican or Democratic victory as our people do not divide in politics in township matters.

-F. W. Mastick has sold 20 ½ acres of land to James Curran, consideration \$4,000. Mr. M. intends to build a new house.

-A general time of health, though there are some exceptions, and a busy time among our farmers in preparing for the spring campaign. J. A. P.

April 15, 1875

ROCKPORT

MARRIED.-On Thursday, April 8th, 1875 at the residence of the bride, by the **Rev. Mr. Votaw**, of Brooklyn village, Mr. William Andrews, of Lena, Stephenson County, Illinois, and Mrs. Lucy M. Hawkins, of Rockport.

-Messrs. Smith and Hall, have purchased a new saw mill with a circular saw, at a cost of \$2500. They have nearly completed the building in which it is to be placed and expect to commence work in a short time.

-Wilbur Bently has sold 12 acres of land from the west side of the Dow farm to Alfred Reublin at \$180 per acre.

-Our former neighbor, H. C. Dow, living at Cuyahoga Falls, with health so much improved as to be able to attend regularly to business. He is in the employ of a hardware firm at the above named place. J. A. P.

has been very liberal in appropriations for school purposes and substantial brick school houses have been built in nearly all the Sub-Districts.

-Peter Jordon is suffering from a dislocated shoulder which was caused by being thrown from a load of hay.

--H. A. Mastick is also suffering from a severe injury to one of his knees, caused by slipping and striking the injured part on the band of a buggy hub.

April 29, 1875 OLMSTED

-The Literary Society gave another of their entertainments on Thursday evening of last week, the house was crowded and each one seemed to feel as though they had got the worth of their money at least. The entertainments are given once in three weeks, giving all a chance to spend a very pleasant evening for the small sum of ten cents.

--Damp and Difford have rented the Grist Mill for another year. Mr. O. W. Kendall has commenced depredations on his house again, what he intends to do with it, deponent sayeth not.

-DIED- On Friday morning April 22d, Mrs. Lavina Stearns, aged eighty-four years and ten months. B.

<u>April 29, 1875</u>

ROCKPORT

-The Spencer brothers have built a permanent kiln in which to burn tile. They have also bought a new brick machine, and are preparing to carry on an extensive business in the manufacture of brick and tile. They should have a card in the Advertiser, as they would find many patrons among its readers.

-Mr. Palmer has nearly completed his new house which is handsome and substantial. He has moved the old buildings and is now grading and making other improvements, all of which will make his place an ornament to our street.

-Mr. H. Jordan and family have returned to their farm on the Ridge where they will reside the coming summer.

-Mr. Wm. Steele has moved to Huron County, where he has purchased a small farm. Wm. Amos and family have a place near him on which they now reside.

MARRIED

PAYNE-PATTERSON - On Wednesday evening, April 28th, 1875, at the residence of the bride's father in Berea, O., by **Rev. U. Richards**, Mr. James Payne to Miss Nettie Patterson. Both of Berea.

HOLMES – WRIGHT - On Wednesday evening, April 28th, 1875 at the residence of the bride's mother, in Berea, O., by **Rev. U. Richards**, Mr. **Henry M. Holmes** to Miss **Chloe S. Wright**, all of Berea.

SHANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA

May 6, 1875

DOVER

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-Editor G. C. A.-- I am informed that the Dist. School at the Dover Center will commence on Tuesday, May 4th. Miss **Minnie Chubb**, who taught the school in the winter, as teacher. Miss Chubb is well spoken of as a teacher, well qualified and faithful.

-Mr. Patten, who taught the High School in the winter, is teaching a spring term on his own account. Dover Center seems to be well supplied at present with the means of education.

-The late cold snap, besides greatly injuring the wheat, and the fruit in many places, has killed a great many robins and other summer birds that had made their appearance before the storm. They are found dead about the fields and orchards quite frequently.

-Sunday morning May 2d, had quite a wintry appearance, the ground white with snow, and a sharp raking wind booming up out of the north-west. But unreasonabloe as this may appear to many it is no more than what has happened many times before. Eleven years ago (1864) on the 21 of May the ground was covered with snow, and snow falling quite briskly.

-Mrs. Rebecca Taylor, a widow about 70 years of age, residing with her daughter on the Plank Road, died on Thursday, April 29th, 1875. Funeral at the Methodist Church, Dover Center on Saturday, May 1st.

Mrs. Taylor was one of the oldest settlers of Dover and deserves a more extended notice

-Pease Brothers & Co. have begun business in their new enterprise as Undertakers at Dover Center. This is in addition to their store, which will be continued as before, by J. and C. Pease, the business of which they expect to increase by dealing liberally and fairly by all, and making it to the interest of their patrons to deal with them.

Ed.

DIED	

TAYLOR - In Dover, April 29th, 1875, Mrs. Rebecca Taylor, aged 71 years and 1 month.

The deceased was a daughter of Jonathan Smith, who we are informed, settled in Dover in 1811 and was the second settler in the town. She had therefore been a resident of Dover 64 years, a longer period than any person residing in the township at the time of her death.

During the last seven years Mrs. Taylor was blind, but her habits of industry were too firmly fixed to be overcome by this affliction and during one year, about two years since, she is said to have knit one hundred and twenty-five pair of socks. Camp two miles from U.S. Ford May 3, 1863

Miss H.T. Rohrer

Dear Hattie

I wrote a hasty line yesterday morning to ease if possible your apprehensions of evil and though I do not feel much like the task I am going to write some more today in compliance with your request to write often.

We left Hartwood Church about noon as the troops of the 11th and 12th Army Corps marched along very slowly, and then there were about two miles of very bad road that men walked over two and two, so that a great deal of time was taken up before we got started fairly, but when we did start you better think we did not let any grass grow under our feet. We marched over 12 miles and camped within two miles of the river. Next morning about eight o'clock we started again and crossed the river a little before noon. Time seemed to be very precious, but so many were crossing that our division did not get over as soon as we wished to.

We had eaten a luncheon while waiting and when over we set off at a "double quick" notwithstanding we had eight days rations in our knapsacks, which with our blankets and a change of clothing weighed 29 lbs.; then our gun and 60 rounds of cartridge completed our load. But scarcely any grumbling was heard for they all seemed to want to do all that was asked and cheerfully too if it would cause the war to end any quicker.

We forded a small stream but very rapid and about two feet deep. We got over and off again hardly stopping to take breath. On and on we went, mile after mile, and only stopping for a minute now and then. About six in the evening we came up along side of the 3rd Brigade and stopped to rest while the cavalry went to reconnoitre the ground on the other side of the Rapidon. They discovered the enemy's pickets and captured them. Then the 44th which was in advance was sent over to aid them. Soon we all advanced to the river, fixed up and forded the river though very rapid and three feet deep.

The next morning we advanced and drove in their pickets, capturing some near a brick house at a cross roads, one of the old Virginia mansions. We went some 3½ miles that evening on a reconnaissance toward Fredericksburg, came back and camped just below the brick house.

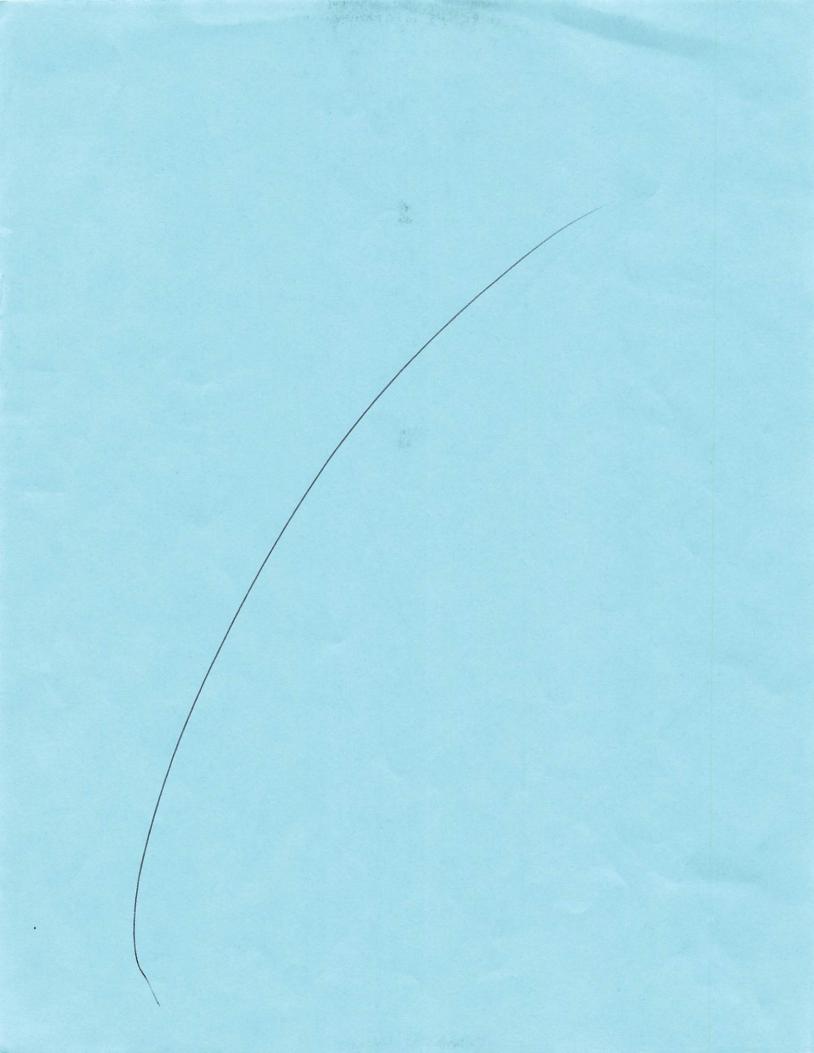
Yesterday we (our division) went 7½ miles down the river toward Fredericksburg and came back near camp. The Rebs came in on us and separated the 1st and 2nd brigades from the 3rd which was in the lead. The 1st Brigade fought them for dear life, or skirmished and then charged, driving them back. They (1st Brigade) went on to camp and we fell back to defend the flank and picketed all night, getting into our present position at daylight. We immediately set to work and felled the timber in our front and formed a strong abbattis of brush and logs and the boys are now putting dirt to it. I must hurry and help again as they are calling on Monks. The line is a good one and woe to the Rebels that venture in reach of it. While I have been writing the 2nd division of this corps has been fighting them. Quite a

While I have been writing the 2rd division of this corps has been fighting them. Quite a battle has been fought since 4 o'clock and is still going on in and near the brick house where we first were placed. "Tis about a mile and a half from here. The cheers of both sides can be heard and the musketry is awful, but the cannonading is fully equal to Fredericksburg. There is no danger of our going up there to help them as they have the 3rd, 11th and 12th Army Corps up there and our corps alone holds the left flank. I will write more soon. My love to all the folks and yourself included, of course. I remain as ever yours in love

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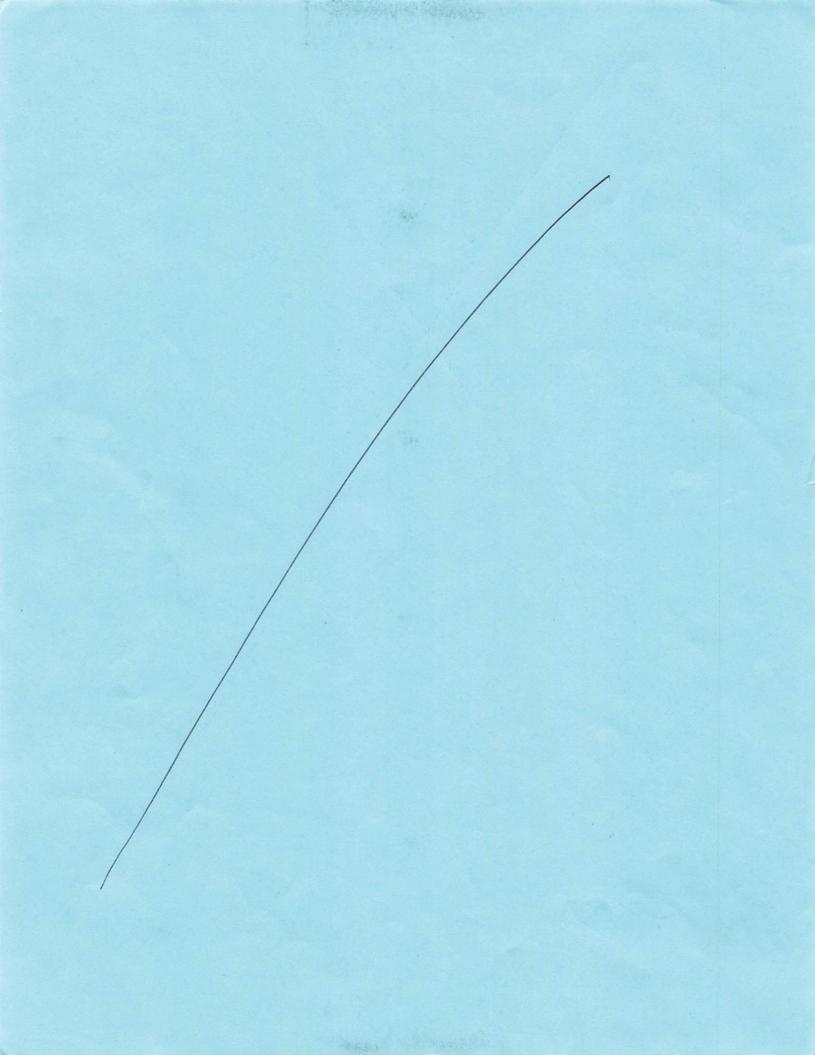
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Church of the Nativity, 1848-1852 Superior Street east of Erie (Superior Ave. east of East Ninth Street) Pastor: Rev. Peter McLaughlin

Cleveland had only one Catholic church when the first bishop of the newly formed Diocese of Cleveland arrived in the city in 1847. Known as St. Mary's on-the-Flats, the frame church stood at the corner of Columbus and Girard Streets. The Most Reverend Bishop, Amadeus Rappe, determined to build a cathedral worthy of the diocese. In October 1848, he bought five lots to the east adjoining some land already bought for a church at the corner of Superior and Erie (East 9th) Streets by the Rev. Peter McLaughlin. On one of the east lots he immediately had built a temporary frame structure and on Christmas Day, 1848, the first services were conducted in the church and, for that reason, it was called the Church of the Nativity. The temporary church was known as a "chapel of ease," for it served as a relief chapel for the members of St. Mary's congregation. Such scattered chapels were needed at a time when distances were great and many parishioners could not easily attend the central church.

The modest chapel also served as Cleveland's first parochial school. From the beginning the sanctuary of the chapel was closed from view by folding doors on week days and the school was held in the nave.

The Church of the Nativity existed until November 1852, when St. John's Cathedral was completed on the adjoining land. At that time the English members came to St. John's while the Germans, who had had a German priest for alternative services at St. Mary's, were assigned to St. Mary's on-the-Flats.

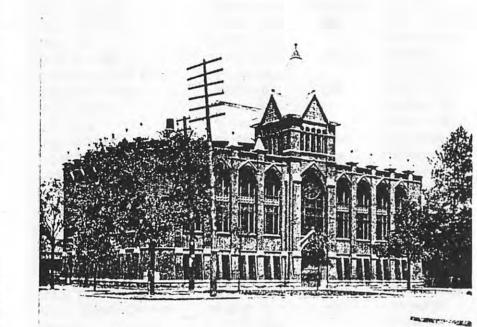
St. John Cathedral, 1852 Superior Avenue and East 9th St., Cleveland, Ohio Pastor: The Right Rev. Msgr. Joseph F. Smith

The Most Rev. Amadeus Rappe, first Bishop of Cleveland, took possession of his diocese on October 10, 1847. At that time there was but one church in the city, the historic St. Mary's on-the-Flats. Though numerous, the immigrant Catholics were poverty-stricken and, after the foundation of St. John's Cathedral was built in the fall of

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north Presbyterian Church.

T the suggestion of Dr. Aiken, pastor of the First Church, a Sunday-school was started in 1859 on the north side of St. Clair street near Lyman street. Charles W. Noble, Esq., was its first superintendent. At that time the community was called Wasonville, a name taken from the car shops owned by Charles Wason.

In 1860 the school moved to the south side of St. Clair street, to a place now owned by the Lake Shore Welsh Church Society. Here the school continued until it entered a church, erected on Aaron street in the spring of 1867. This was its abiding place for a period of twenty years, until it entered the present building on the corner of Case avenue and Superior street.

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During this time the school had six superintendents, as follows: Charles W. Noble, Esq., from 1859 to 1864; Hon. T. D. Crocker, 1864 to 1872; Henry Nash, 1872 to 1873; T. D. Crocker



again, 1873 to 1874; H. S. Davis, 1874 to 1875; W. B. Porter, 1875 to 1876; L. J. Talbot, 1876 to 1879.

In 1879, Mr. S. P. Fenn was elected superintendent, and for almost seventeen years he has been the greatly beloved and remarkably successful superintendent of this school, which for many years has been one of the largest in Cleveland. The number now on the roll is somewhat over 1200.

Rev. William Gaston, D.D.

preaching services began at the mission, with Rev. Aaron Peck as supply for one year. Rev. B. P. Johnson supplied from 1867 to 1868; Rev. D. W. Sharts, from 1868 to 1870.

Rev. Dr. Goodrich, and Elders R. F. Smith and George H. Ely, by order of Presbytery, organized the church September 19, 1870. The church started with fifty-one members, all of whom

brought their letters from the First Church. James Geekie was made its first ruling elder. Dr. Goodrich named the organization the North Church, after the old North Church in Boston. Rev. Anson Smyth, D. D., was called as the first pastor of the church. He remained two years, but was never installed. He was an excellent preacher, a tenderhearted and kind man, and a successful worker. Dr. Smyth was succeeded by Rev. H. R. Hoisington, who was installed, as pastor, June 2, 1872. Mr. Hoisington was a man of fine Christian



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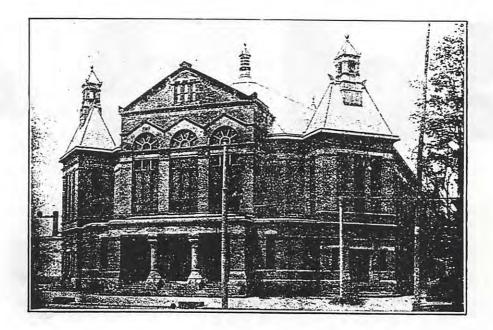
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Name of Deceased	Date	Age	Location	Date Pub	P/C	Cause
WILLIS, Charles H.	26 Oct 1877		Cleveland	27 Oct 1877	4/2	
WILLIS, George H.	28 Nov 1877	39y	Cleveland	28 Nov 1877	1/6	
WILLIS, George H.	28 Nov 1877	39y	Cleveland	28 Nov 1877	4/3	Bright's Disease
WILLLMER, Judge F.	17 Jul 1877		Fremont, OH	18 Jul 1877	1/4	
WILSON, Harry	1 Nov 1877		Fostoria, OH	2 Nov 1877	1/3	Accident
WISEMAN, Maria	28 Oct 1877	~64y	Cleveland	29 Oct 1877	1/5	Paralysis
WISEMAN, Maria	28 Oct 1877	~64y	Cleveland	30 Oct 1877	1/5	Paralysis
WISEMAN, Maria	28 Oct 1877	~64y	Cleveland	31 Oct 1877	1/6	Paralysis
WORDEN, John	22 Nov 1877		Defience, OH	24 Nov 1877	1/5	Heart Disease
ZALSKY, Charles	13 May 1877	45y	Sandusky, OH	14 May 1877	4/5	Suicide
ZIMMERMAN, Chris	>10 Jun 1877		Cleveland	11 Jun 1877	4/5	Suicide



Woodland Avenue Presbyterian Church.

IN 1855 the Mayflower Sunday-school, which had been organized two years before, was adopted as a Mission of the Second Presbyterian Church, and a building was erected on a lot, given by Mr. Joseph Perkins of the Euclid Avenue Presbyterian Church. Messrs. T. P. Handy, T. Dwight, Dan P. Eells, and C. J. Dockstader, were successively Superintendents. Reverends Little and Day preached, and otherwise fostered this work, which issued at last in the formation of the Woodland Avenue Presbyterian Church. The first effectual step toward the organization of this church was taken at a small meeting held in the autumn of 1870, at the Willson School-house. A committee was appointed to act with the Presbyterian Union in raising money. If this committee should be successful it was authorized to procure a site, and to proceed to the erection of a chapel. Generous friends responded promptly and liberally to the call, and the lot was pur-

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chased, and the work on the building commenced the next summer. The lower room was ready for occupancy early in April,

> 1872, and the chapel was completed in May, the total cost being over \$27,000. The first available funds that came into the hands of this committee

> consisted of a legacy of \$1,000, left for this purpose by Mrs. Sarah C. Adams, for twenty years a missionary among the Zulus at Port Natal, South Africa. The society was organized at the Cleveland Protestant Orphan Asylum, at the corner of Woodland and Willson avenues, on the 18th of January, 1872. Early in

> April a Sabbath-school was

Rev. E. P. Gardner.



Rev. Robert G. Hutchins, D.D.

formed, and the Mayflower Mission School was turned over to its care. The church was organized April 18, 1872, with fifty-four members. Of these twenty-eight were from Presbyterian churches, chiefly from the Second Church, and twenty-three were from

Congregational churches, chiefly from Plymouth Church. Three persons united upon confession of faith.

The first pastor, Rev. E. P. Gardner, was installed June 30th, 1872. He was well fitted for the work of laying the foundation of the church. His deep piety and fervent zeal for the Master soon permeated the whole church, and during the four years pastorate there were added to the church, from congregation and from Sunday-school, 246 members. In the spring of 1876 Mr. Gardner's health

failed, and he did not resume the ministry for several years. He is, at present, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Chatham, New Jersey.







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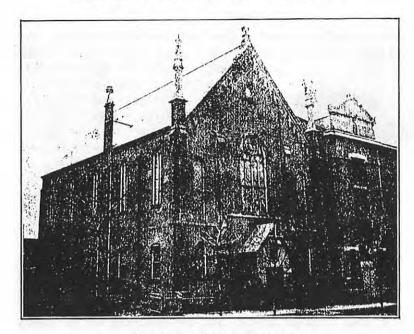
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First Church Building, or Chapel.

The second pastor, Rev. S. Leroy Blake, D.D., was called from Concord, N H., and installed December 12, 1877. Mr. Blake remained pastor until March, 1880. His genial manner, earnest appeals and activity in the work soon won the favor of



Rev. S. Leroy Blake, D.D.

the congregation, and during his pastorate, under the blessing of the Spirit, 252 were added to the church on confession of faith, and 104 by letter. At present Dr. Blake is pastor of a Congregational church at New London, Conn.

The third pastor, Rev. George L. Spining, D.D., was called from Kalamazoo, Mich., and was installed June 16, 1881. His earnest and eloquent presentation of the gospel was blessed by the addition of 316 mem-







Emma A. Johnson.





Frederick M. Sanderson.

James McIntyre.

Louis A. Reed.



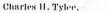
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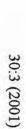
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bers to the church. He resigned October 2, 1885, and is now pastor of the Presbyterian Church at South Orange, N. J.



The fourth pastor, Rev. Paul F. Sutphen, D.D., was called in January, 1886, from the Third Presbyterian Church of Elizabeth, N. J. This pastorate of seven years was richly blessed, there being added to the church nearly 1,000 souls. Rev. Mr. Sutphen preached his last sermon December 11, 1892, having accepted a call to the Second Church of Newark, N. J., and after short pastorates in Newark and Philadelphia, Mr. Sutphen has returned to Cleveland as pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, the mother of the

Rev. George L. Spining, D.D.

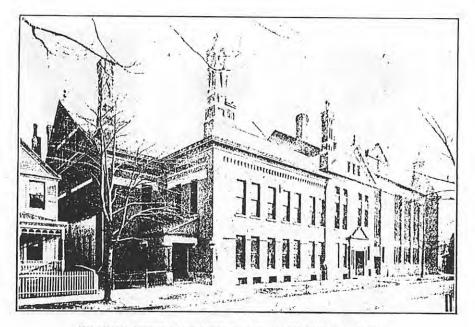
Woodland Avenue Church.

Mr. Sutphen was succeeded in the Woodland Avenue Church by Rev. Charles Townsend, who had been pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Lansingburgh, N. Y. He assumed charge of the pastorate the first Sunday of May, 1893, and was installed the following Tuesday evening. After a very successful pastorate of two years, with an addition of nearly 200 to the roll, Mr. Townsend accepted a call to the First Presbyterian Church of Orange, N. J. The church then called the

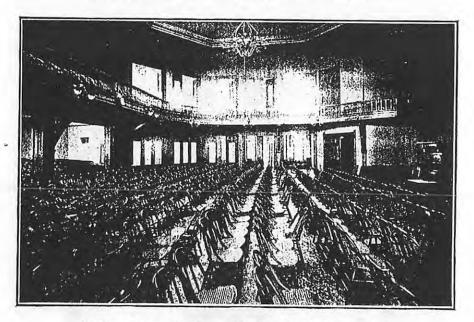
Rev. Robert G. Hutchins, D.D., formerly pastor of a church in Los Angeles, he having just returned from a visit to the Hawaiian Islands. He was installed October 22d, 1895.

The Sunday-school of this church has long been the largest in Cleveland, reaching one year a membership of 1623, and adding to the church in all 911. The membership of the church in twenty years increased from fifty-four to 1141.

From the beginning 1135 have been received on confession of faith, and 770 by certificate, a total of 1905. It is not surprising that, with a growth so phenomenal,



Woodland Avenue Presbyterian Sunday-school Building Exterior.



Woodland Avenue Presbyterian Sunday-school Building Interior.

the original chapel should have been soon outgrown. The present church edifice was dedicated November 17, 1878, at a



cost of \$26,369. The old Sunday-school building, or the original chapel, was replaced by a new one, large and commodious, at a cost of \$32,447. The corner-stone was laid May 27, 1890, and the building was dedicated December 28, 1890. The records of this church are so perfectly kept that the growth, year by year, and a statement of all moneys contributed, are instantly available, and the grand total is : For church property, \$86,025; expenses of the church, \$141,285; benevolent account. \$19,748;

Rev. Charles Townsend.

for Sunday-school, \$8,105; by Sunday-school, \$9,071; by auxiliary societies within the church, \$28,809—a total of \$296,559, of which about \$16,672 was received from without. Such a record is unparalleled. Although the Woodland Avenue Church has suffered somewhat by the eastward trend of population, there is a large field of usefulness remaining, and under wise leadership this very successful church will accomplish still greater things for the Master.

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General Church Prayer-meeting.—Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock. Junior C. E. S. Prayer-meeting.—Thursday at 4:00 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society.—Third Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Ladies' Benevolent Society.—Second and Fourth Fridays at 2:30 p. m. King's Daughters and Sons.—Third Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Lend-A-Hand Band.—Second and Fourth Tuesdays at 7:00 p. m. Sarah Adams Mission Band.—Third Monday at 4:00 p. m. Woodland Avenue Sewing School.—Saturday at 1:00 p. m. Bushnell Guards.—Saturday at 7:15 p. m. Bach Society.—Saturday at 7:15 p. m. MEMBERS.

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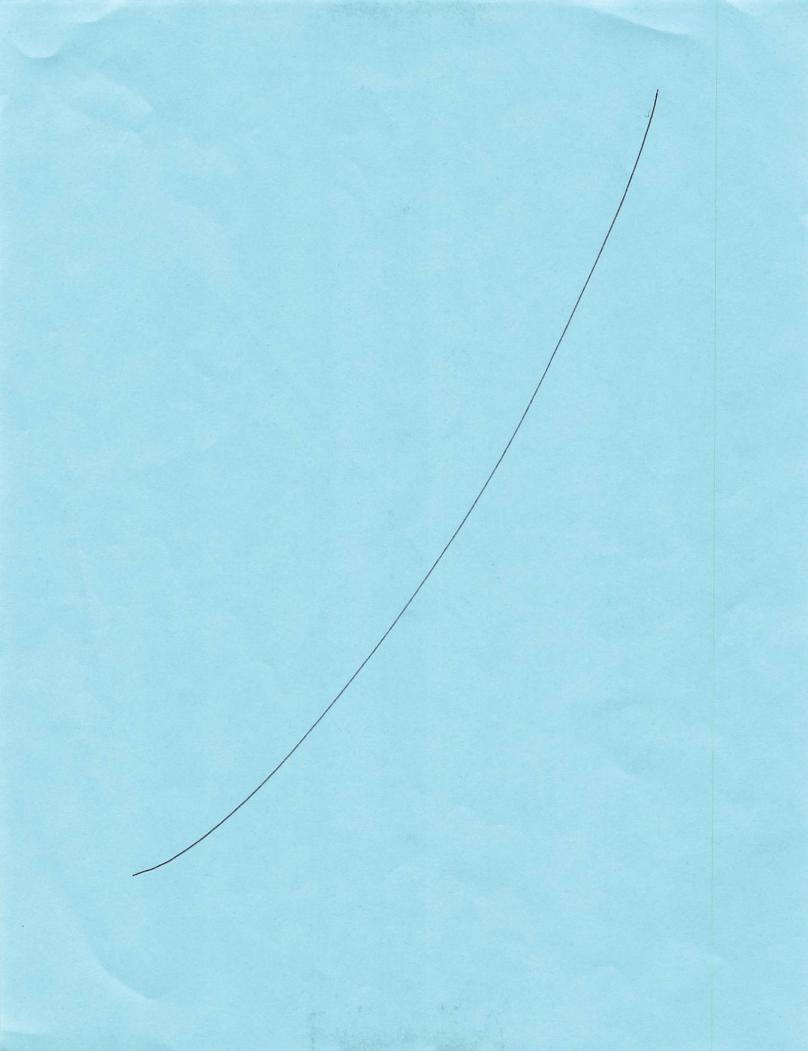
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Part 33

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Tues., Dec. 26, 1848; p2 c4</u> (con't)

DIED: On Tuesday morning, Dec. 19th, Mr. **Dudley Humphrey**, of Parma, Cuyahoga County, O., aged 78 years and 2 months.

Mr. Humphrey was born in Goshen, Litchfield county, Conn., Oct. 20, 1770. In 1835 he removed to Parma, where he resided till his death. This was occasioned by injuries received by falling into a water course during the prevalence of a flood which threatened the destruction of a dam on the premises of his sons, Messrs. W. & D. S. Humphrey.

He was engaged in removing some obstructions to the passage of the water, and the object was nearly completed, when the earth on which he was standing, undermined by the water, gave way beneath him and he was precipitated into the boiling flood. With the greatest difficulty he was rescued from a watery grave, but only to endure a painful existence a few days longer-such injuries having been received as rendered amputation of the right limbs necessary. This was skillfully performed by Dr. Ackley-but it is believed that internal injury of the abdominal region received at the time of his fall, was the moving cause of his death. He lingered for a week after the operation, and then expired with resignation and Christian confidence in his Redeemer. A kind and indulgent parent, he is sincerely lamented by his attached descendants. (poem not included) Connecticut papers please copy.

Issue date Wed., Dec. 27, 1848; p2 c2

The Case of Young Hayes

Our citizens will remember that in August last, Mr. Edmond Hayes, a young man from Portland, Me. was accidently drowned at our wharf:-and that the young men of the city, hearing of the sad event, interested themselves in the matter and gave to the stranger a decent and respectable burial.

After news of his death had reached his friends a very large meeting was held, and a funeral sermon was pronounced on the occasion. At the close of the services, the following resolutions were presented and adopted unanimously. They are communicated to the young of the City through **Rev. S. B. Canfield**, who at that time was especially interested in the case of the young man:

Resolved, That language is inadequate to express the grateful emotions of our hearts in view of the distinguished attention and generosity of the citizens of Cleveland, especially the young men, who, strangers to us, took the place of friends in an hour of sudden advesity, sheding for us the tears of sympathy, and making an honorable grave for our early beloved son, brother, and friend.

Resolved, That such an interest manifested for one entirely unknown to them to the moment of his death, is as magnanimous as it is unusual, and demands universal admiration.

Resolved, That we shall ever feel a sacred regard for the city of Cleveland, not only because the dust of one dear to us, reposes there, but also because we believe the spirit of human kindness and Christian sympathy eminently prevails there.

Resolved, that while it would afford us much satisfaction to have his remains placed in our own family burying ground, with those of his lamented mother; still, owing to the peculiar interest shown by the young men of Cleveland, we willingly entrust them to their keeping, and choose that they shall superintend the erection of such a memorial over the grave, as after consultation, shall be decided upon.

Resolved, That **Rev. S. H. Hayes**, father of the deceased, be requested to forward a copy of these resolutions to the Rev. S. B. Canfield, to be communicated by him as he may judge proper. S. H. HAYES

Issue date Thurs., Dec. 28, 1848; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city on Christmas night, by *Rev. J. H. Campbell*, Mr. **Samuel B. Osterholt** and **Mrs. Mary Ann Smith**.

DIED: In this city, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 26th, of a disease of the lungs, **Joseph Handford Morris**, in the 45th year of his age.

The friends of the deceased are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his residence at Mrs. Brown's Boarding house on Champlain St., on Friday next at 2 P.M.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Fri., Dec. 29, 1848; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In East Cleveland, Dec. 28th, by the *Rev. Mr. Adams*, Mr. James M. Watson, of Strongsville, and Miss Mary Burton, of the former place.

In Concord, Lake county, on the 24th inst., by I. C. Hodges, Esq., Mr. Absalom Anderson and Miss Eliza L. Collister, all of the former place.

In Kirtland on the same day, and by the same, Mr. Chas. Hine and Miss Huldah Manley.

In this city, on the 27th inst., by *Rev. S. B. Canfield*, Mr. **David W. Bailey**, of Bainbridge, and **Mrs. Hannah Hall**, of Bedford. At East Cleveland, on the 28th inst., by the *Rev. Dr. Aiken*, Mr. Silas Merchant, to Miss Julia A. Riddle; all of this city. Scale received.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Fri., Dec. 29, 1848; p3 c2</u>

FOUND DEAD-Mr. John Everett, of Huron township was found dead in the road about three miles from Huron village on the road leading to Miana(?), last evening. It was supposed he died in a State of intoxication. He leaves a large family.-Sandusky Mirror.

Issue date Thurs., Jan. 4, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city, on New Year's morning, by *Rev. J. H. Campbell*, Mr. Charles M. Scott and Miss Rebecca Ann Marshall.

Also, at the same time, and by the same, Mr. Elias Ede and Miss Julianna Marshall.

In Warrensville on the 19th ult., by Moses Warren, Jr., Esq., Mr. **Thomas Cooper**, of Orange, to Miss **Lucinda Sweet** of the former place.

Issue datee Fri., Jan. 5, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: On Sunday evening, 31st ult., at Middleburgh, by Morris Hepburn, Esq., Mr. Charles Armstrong of Ohio City, and Miss Sarah Fuller, eldest daughter of Jeremiah Fuller, Esq. of the former place. •True Democrat & Herald please copy.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Sat., Jan. 6, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In this city January 6th, by *Rev. J. H. Campbell*, Mr. John H. Barney, and Miss Elizabeth Hart. "May he ever be happy with such a H(e)art."

DIED: In this city, on the evening of the 5^{th} inst., at 6 ½ o'clock, **Charles A.**, only son of **Charles E. Tracy**, aged 5 years and six months.

The funeral will be attended at the residence of the family, No. 25 Huron St. tomorrow (Sunday) at 1 o'clock, P.M. The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

Issue date Mon., Jan. 8, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Westfield, Medina County, Jan. 1st, by the *Rev. F. E. Inman*, Mr. L. D. Ellis, to Miss Hannah R. Bagley, both of Westfield.

Also on the same, and by the same, Mr. H. B. Wright to Miss Lucy A. Austin, both of Westfield. DIED: This morning, in this city, **George C.** Watson, in the fifty-sixth year of his age.

Funeral tomorrow at 10 o'clock A.M. at the residence of **W. K. Adams**, 123 Bank Street. Albany papers please copy.

Issue date Wed., Jan. 10, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Elyria, January 1st, 1849, by John G. Irvine, Esq., Mr. Harvey Robinson to Miss Juliaetta Carpenter.

On the 1st inst., in Russia, Lorain co., by *Rev. Wm. B. Disbro*, Mr. **Hurlburt Hart** to **Mrs. Eleanor Wing.** [see also item 2, Jan. 11, below]

On the evening of the 4th inst., by David Bennett, Esq., Mr. E. Rollin Gibbs, to Miss Olive M. Slaughter, all of Carlisle, Lorain co.

By the *Rev. Mr. Eldridge*, on the evening of the 3d inst., Mr. Peter A. Bishop and Sarah P. Elder, both of Elyria.

Issue date Thurs., Jan. 11, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city, January 2d, Mr. H. Mallory, and Miss Ann Jennett Burns.

On the 1st inst., by the *Rev. W. B. Disbro*, Mr. **H. M. Hart**, of Carlisle, and Miss **Eleanor T. Wing**, of Russia, Lorain county.

On the same day and by the same, Mr. Uriah Fritz and Miss Elizabeth H. Warner, of Elyria.

At Eaton, Dec. 28th, by *Rev. C. C. Judson*, Mr. Ira K. Brooks, of La Porte, and Miss Adeline T. Cooley, of the former place.

In Elyria, Dec. 25th, by *Rev. D. A. Grosvenor*, Wm. F. Lockwood, Esq., and Miss Mary A. Nichols, both of Elyria.

In Perry, Lake county, on the 3d inst., by the Rev. J. E. Aikins, Mr. Alonzo D. Orcutt, of Leroy, and Miss Sophia J. Armstrong, of the former place.

DIED: In Madison, Lake county on the 26th ult., Mr. Levi Benjamin, one of the early settlers of this country, in the 56th year of his age.

He had for many years been laboring under a disease of the heart, and at the time of his death was seated in his sleigh, with reins in hand for the purpose of riding out; but ere he had time to bid his horse start, he expired without a moment's premonition.

In the death of Mr. Benjamin, society has lost a valuable member, his children a discreet father, and his wife a faithful and beloved husband.

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catch him and bind him out to some trade, and for seven years he would get only his board and clothes. When I was only quite a chunk of youngster I was apprenticed to a cooper at Bridgeport, Conn., and for five vears I hammered away with adz and driver and hauled a draw-knife for just what I put in me and on me, but my older brother Sheldon, who had been away out west, near Buffalo, N.Y. came home to Connecticut on a visit. We used to think that western New York or western Pennsylvania was "out west." Ohio? That was away and gone. Well, my brother prevailed upon me to leave Bridgeport and go west, and after that another brother took up the same line of march, and another. You know one brother will lead another. That is the way the 'western country' was settled.

"Well, in 1809 I put a 32pound bundle on my back and started on foot to meet my brother Sheldon who was a joiner at Buffalo, and made the journey to Auburn, N. Y., 320 miles, in 16 days. That undertaking was nothing remarkable, for I had \$3 in money and a bundle of food. Many a young fellow started on a longer journey with nothing but an ax. I came by way of Albany, Schenectady, Utica and Onondago Hollow. When I got to Auburn I liked the country and stayed at Scipio three years and in 1812 reached Buffalo, then a thriving town about the size of Vermillion. My brothers, Sheldon, born in 1782, and William, born in 1786, were in the western country.

"In 1812, there were, I believe, but three vessels on the lakes, Cleveland, Sandusky and Erie were ports of entry, and there were only two lighthouses on the lakes, one at Buffalo, the first one built, and the other at Erie. Pittsburgh at that time was an important commercial town. She carried on quite a trade with the west by way of Erie. The merchandise was carted overland to Erie and then shipped to Buffalo, Detroit and Sandusky. The former

place was called Fort Erie and was a straggling little place until the War of 1812-14 gave it a start. My first trip as a sailor was made in the latter part of 1812 from Buffalo to Erie, then considered quite a trip; from Buffalo to Detroit was considerable of a voyage, and a vessel of 32 tons burden was about the largest sailing on the lakes. In 1813 I was one of a crew of four, Captain Dick O'Neil in command, that left Buffalo in the sloop Commencement, 32 tons, with a cargo of whisky for Erie, and while beating along the shore the English frigate Charlotte bore down upon us and captured us. Two boat loads of red coats boarded the Commencement and took us prisoners. We were immediately paroled and a small boat was placed at our disposal to reach shore, but we disliked to leave the sloop and whisky at their mercy. We asked to be allowed to remain around in the vicinity of the vessel, and were told by the English captain that if that was any consolation to us we were welcome to do so. We thereupon concocted a scheme to get the guard drunk and run the vessel ashore or out of the reach of the guns of the Charlotte. Well, it was mighty aggravating, for no sooner would we get the guard nicely drunk than they were relieved by a fresh squad and we had to commence anew. This thing kept on that way for several days, when we were packed in a boat and rowed ashore with orders not to return. The shore was lined with a dense forest, and we started for Erie, but we preferred the water to the woods, and dug up an old canoe which we found in the sand and made our way to Erie. After Perry's victory the owners of the Commencement were indemnified. I saw Perry often at Erie. He had his guns and munitions of war hauled from Pittsburgh. He used to laugh at our recounting our whiskey experience with the British guards.

"Prior to this time my father died and in 1813 my mother came west, and we settled in Cleveland, then a poverty-stricken little

huddle of not more than a dozen or fifteen houses, mostly down near the mouth of the river. On the hill above the village was a thick woods. Mother and I lived in a log house belonging to David Carter, on the east side of the river on Main St., near the top of the hill. It was the house that the Indian, Omick, was confined in the year previous. He was hanged in Cleveland in 1812. Carter was the justice who examined him on the charge of murder. The ring bolt to which he was chained remained in one of the logs of the house when we lived there. We lived in Cleveland until 1815.



"The first vessel I sailed as captain was the Perseverance of 31 tons, in 1816. The first trip I made in her was from Maumee to Mackinaw with

a load of beer for Vance & Meeker. Vance was afterward Governor of Ohio. The first time I ever saw Vermillion was that year, and although it was called Vermillion at that time it consisted of but one house, a sort of storehouse. It stood at the mouth of the river. Along about 1814 and 1815, Gen. Harrison had a regiment of soldiers quartered on the bank of the lake about five miles west of here, where Huron now stands, and the soldiers would go down to Vermillion in boats for victuals, tobacco and whisky-mostly whisky. Those expeditions gave Vermillion its first start. Shipbuilding commenced early in Vermillion. The Fairplay, a little schooner of 100 tons, was built here in 1819, I believe, by Marion, Merwin & Giddings. I sailed her for six years. She was then considered a large vessel. I came to Vermilion to live in 1821, and was married in 1822. I have lived in and about Vermillion ever since.

"Oh, yes, my brothers and sisters are all dead. They died young. Sheldon was only about 75 when he died, and of the girls one was only 82, and I think another 84 when she died. Yes, I am getting along in years."

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July 1, 1875 (continued) OLMSTED

On Monday, several of the lads were arrested and tried before Mayor Barnum and the worst were fined three dollars and costs. The boys have been getting pretty fast for some time, perhaps a check may do them good.

-A. Osborn has his soda fountain in running order.

-The M. E. Mite Society had a Strawberry Festival on Friday evening of last week. There was a fair attendance though it was raining.

-A Petition for the building of a lockup is being circulated here. B.

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July 8, 1875

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-Editor G. C. A.-The 4th of July coming on Sunday this year, split the celebration into so many pieces that it is hard to tell exactly when it was. Some celebrated on Friday evening, some on Saturday evening, and some on Sunday, and others on Monday, and some will doubtless continue their enjoyment through the night. A good many, or perhaps a bad many will get enough to last them a week, and in some cases more. The fellow who got his finger bit off at Dover Center on Friday evening, will have fun enough for a week at least.

I am informed that a match game of Base Ball was played at Coe Ridge on Friday, between the Dover boys and a company from Berea, the Dover boys coming out a head. After the game was over, they went to the Center for supper. After supper they book beer, some of them at least, and in the course of the night, took to disturbing a dance at the Town Hall, and finally a couple of young gents took to the knocks to settle it, in which one of them got his finger badly bitten, they say the end of it bit off.

Crops are looking finely, the hay and wheat crops are much better about here than was expected early in the season. Oats are doing well, and if the weather continues favorable, there will be plenty of oat straw at least. I have been into Summit county, and as far as I have seen, there are no apples, cherries, or peaches to speak of. ED.

July 29, 1875

ROCKPORT

-Died, at Rockport, July 20th, of diptheria, George, only child of Mortimer and Minnie Eaton, aged one year and three months.

-A horse, buggy and harness were stolen from C. C. Southern, a short time ago, which he has not recovered, but perhaps may, as he has some track of both property

-East Rockport is to have a new road from Rocky River to the east line of the township, about midway between Detroit Road and the Lake.

-Messrs. John Hall and Lewis Nicholson are each building a fine dwelling, which are rapidly approaching completion.

-The Rocky River Railroad is full of business in the transportation of picnic parties and fruit pickers.

-There is a good show of apples near the Lake in East Rockport; also of grapes; a light crop of raspberries; very few blackberries or peaches.

-A general time of health, except a few cases of diptheria and measles. J. A. P.

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OLMSTED

-A few days ago James Hickey, Jr., was raking hay, and his horse ran away, throwing him to the ground, breaking his collar bone and cutting his head.

-Farmers have improved their time this fine weather, getting up their hay and grain. The hay crop is very good, the wheat grop light, oats and potatoes bid fair to be a heavy crop. A good shower would be very welcome.

-There has been some improvements here this summer, though no building of any account. Some have built new fences in front of their places, and **Mr. Derooi** is repainting his house and fence and others would do well to follow his example and thereby improve their places in looks as well as durability.

-Business is pretty much at a stand-still here this summer, there is nothing doing in the stone business and no building to give the mechanics employment but all are hoping to see better times soon. B.

July 29, 1875

DOVER

Editor G. C. A.:-The last three weeks have been very busy ones to the farmers. Within that time a great deal of hay and wheat has been handled, perhaps more than for several years past in the same time. Haying is nearly finished and a good share of the wheat cut. The hay crop is unusually good, and the wheat is better than was expected early in the season.

-It is becoming very dry, and rain is very much needed. If we don't get rain soon, potatoes, which have been looking well, will be very much injured.

-I hear that the measles are prevailing in this vicinity, hope they will soon play out.

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY -Mr. R. T. Elliott, the popular and successful teacher, is expected to teach another term of Butternut Ridge High School this fall. A good chance for young teachers, who expect to teach the coming winter to finish up a little, preparatory to the winter campaign.

-Bills out for a Grand Harvest Picnic on Fort Hill, Olmsted, Aug. 6th. A grand good time is expected, "Come one, come all." ED.

August 5, 1875

OLMSTED

-A Lawn Fete is to be given by the Union Sociable on Thursday evening, Aug. 12. Ice cream, lemonade etc., together with exercises by members of the Literary Society, of a pleasing and interesting character, will add variety to the occasion. All are invited to come and enjoy the evening, and assist in repairing the Congregational Church at Olmsted Falls.

Should the evening prove unfavorable for a "Fete Cham petre," it will be held at the Town Hall.

August 12, 1875

DOVER

-Whatever his political friend may have said of him, in regard to his official proceedings, John Cooley is certainly doing the fair thing on his place at Dover Center. His farm was naturally wet, stony, and of rather poor soil, but a thorough course of under-draining, a judicious working of the soil and clearing up of the bowlders has very much improved its appearance and productiveness, and if this course is continued, it will soon makr it one of the best.

A few years since he gave the old family dwelling a thorough overhauling and renovating, and has now one of the best residences in the place. This summer he has taken hold of his old barn, which was looking rather shabby in comparison with other things, has built a good stone basement, made of bowlders from his fields, placed the barn upon it, given it a new covering of pine, and painted it in good style, much improving the appearance of the premises and the place.

Go on, Mr. Cooley, you are on the right road. This kind of work is both a present and permanent benefit to the place and to the State.

-Quite a numerous company of pic-nickers from Coe Ridge and Olmsted, went to the lake shore on Thursday last, and had a jolly good time. O. W. Kendall, Esq, of Olmsted Falls, with lady, was among them, full of intelligent observations on crop raising, the march of improvements, etc.

-Mr. N. Nelson of North Olmsted has been quite unwell for some time past. His difficulty is a very bad cough, and is thought to be caused by rheumatic pneumonia. -Rain nearly all day yesterday, August 1st, and still cloudy, wet enough for the present. ED.

August 12, 1875

OLMSTED

-One week ago last Sunday night, a new double harness was stolen from the barn of **F. H. Bradner**, a little north of this village.

-Plenty of rain the past week, and on Friday morning of last week, there was a very heavy shower. The oats that are not cut are badly lodged and blown down, a greater part have been cut, but are still in the shock.

-The Railroad Company have commenced grading the new depot ground.

-The hill on the new street leading to the depot ground has been graded, and the dirt used to raise the street from Plum Creek to the top of the hill on Main street.

-A new store is soon to be opened here by L. S. Calehuell.

-Rev. Gorrell, of Berea, held services at the School House on Sunday last. B.

<u>August 19, 1875</u>

ROCKPORT

-At about four P.M. of Saturday last, the dwelling of Mr. Silks, on North Ridge, was struck by lightning, and Mr. S. instantly killed. His wife was also stunned, but not seriously injured. The fluid entered the house by the chimney, dividing as it passed down, one portion, tearing off plastering and siding in the front part of the house, while the other passed to the rear, where mr. S. was standing near an outside door, striking on one side of his head passing down his body and limbs, and tearing to pieces one of his boots, his foot presenting the appearance of having been shot from the inside, with a large sized bullet. There was no damage done by fire.

-The sheds at the M. E. Church are nearly completed, and will prove a great convenience. The improvements to be made on the church building have not been commenced, but perhaps will be soon.

-Mr. Gideon Pease has commenced building a nice dwelling, another is to be built for Widow Giddings.

-Much needed improvements are being made on the west side hill, near Stranahan's, by which the cut is to be widened and one track planked.

-Improvements by dredging, are going on at Rocky River, quite an addition to the Piers having already been made.

-Our farmers have improved the opportunity the fine weather has given in securing their oat crop, which is generally good. The late rains have been just the medicine for the growing crops.

1849 Marriages & Deaths from CLEVELAND DAILY PLAIN DEALER

Contributed by Jeanne Workman

This abstraction from the Cleveland Daily Plain Dealer includes every Marriage and Death notice found in this edition, which began on April 7, 1845. This *TRACER* series began in March, 1994 and continues with each issue. – Editor

Part 35

Issue date Fri., Feb. 16, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: By the *Rev. John E. Bassett*, on the 25th ult., at the hotel of Mr. John Reynolds, on the Little Mountain, Mr. George G. Warren, to Miss Ann Sophia Grant, both of Chardon.

DIED: In Claridon, Jan. 22, of Pulmonary Consumption Mrs. Rhoda Lusk aged 61 years.

Issue date Sat., Feb. 17, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Rockport, on the 13th inst. by the *Rev. Mr. Runnels* of Brooklyn, Mr. **Dewit Potter**, son of **Doct. Potter** of Columbia, and Miss Susan Jordan, daughter of **Doct. Jordan**, of Rockport.

In Brooklyn on the 10th inst., by the same, Mr. Thomas Davis of Parma, and Miss Ann James of the former place.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Tues., Feb. 20, 1849; p2 c3</u>

DIED: In this city, Feb. 17th, of Apoplexy, Mrs. Eliza Hill, formerly of New York City, aged 30 years. New York and Brooklyn papers please copy.

In Geneva, N. Y., on the 15^{th} inst., Charles Whedon, in the 21^{st} year of his age.

In Mogadore, 9th inst., Harriet, wife of Dr. B. H. Hutchinson, aged 30 years.

In Leroy, 1st inst., Henry J. Tew, in the 18th year of his age-son of John Tew, formerly of Connecticut.

In Ohio City, at her residence, Feb. 20, Mrs. Catharine Colahan in the 67^{th} year of her age. Her funeral will take place at the Catholic church, tomorrow at 2 o'clock. Her friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

Issue date Wed., Feb. 21, 1849; c2 p4

DIED: On the 16th of last month, of Influenza, Salome Jane, aged two months-and on the 17th inst., Maria Adelia, of Scarlet Fever, aged 2 years 3 months and 10 days, daughters of **Elijah** and **Emily Smith**, of this city.

Thus, in the short space of thirty two days have they been left to mourn the loss of all they held most dear, and have none left to comfort them. May their loss be the children's gain.

MARRIED: On the evening of the 19th inst., by the *Rev. G. P. Perry*, **George M. Russell, Esq.** and Miss **Octavia Hopkins**, all of this city.

Issue date Mon., Feb. 26, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city, on the 55th <u>sic</u> inst. by Charles L. Fish, Esq., Mr. John O. Jackson and Miss Matilda Hawkins.

DIED: In this city, on the 25th, Ida, only child of N. B. and Laura E. Youngs, aged 6 months and 21 days. The funeral will take place on tomorrow at 3 o'clock at the residence of Wm. Wells, St. Clair St. Friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

In Ohio City on the morning of the 24th, Harry Cline, infant son of William B. and Jane Waring, aged 10 months and 24 days.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Tues., Feb. 27, 1849; p2 c3</u>

MARRIED: In Drakesburg on the 15th inst., by O. L. Drake, Esq., Mr. Simeon Conklin and Miss Laury M. Belding, both of Rootstown.

In East Cleveland on the 22nd inst., by **E. H. Lacy** Esq.,, Mr. Fredrick Sherman, to Miss Sabrina White, both of East Cleveland.

DIED: In this city, on Monday evening, the 26th inst., Edward Augustus, son of S. J. Andrews-aged two years and eight months. The funeral will take place at the residence of the family on Euclid St., Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

In Oakley, La., Ambrose Graves Grow, M. D., aged 28 years, formerly of Michigan.

Detroit and Chicago papers please copy.

In Charlestown, on the 17th inst., Mrs. Louisa Miles, wife of Melvin Miles, aged 25 years.

In Brimfield, on the 13th inst., George P., son of A. C. H. and Anna M. Boorn, aged 3 years and 6 months.

In Mantua, on the 6th inst., of congestive fever, Zylpha Lucretia, daughter of Nelson and Eliza Patterson, aged 14 months and 17 days.

In Nelson, on the 10th inst., after a short and severe illness, **Theodore H. Brown**, aged 23 years.

Issue date Wed., Feb. 28, 1849; p2 c3

DIED: In Westfield, Medina co. on Thursday, Feb. 22d, Warren Brainard, aged 58 years.

In this city, on the evening of the 27th inst., Mrs. Margaret McHarg, in her 52nd years.

The funeral will be attended from the residence of the family on Public Square, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Issue date <u>Thur., Mar. 1, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: On Feb. 2d, 1849, by *Rev. Mr. Variand*, Mr. Enos Mowder of Newmarket, C. W., to Miss Emeline Charlotte White, of this city. 🖙 Cake received.

DIED: On the 28th ult. Mrs. Ann Powell, aged 66 years. The funeral will be attended from the residence of the family on Seneca St., near the Baptist church tomorrow at 10 A. M.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Sat., Mar. 3, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In Chardon, on the 22d ult., by Orrin Spencer, Esq., Mr. Wm. V. Bradley, of Auburn, and Miss Lovina Cunningham of Newbury.

In Chester, Geauga Co., 19th inst., by the *Rev.* Jonathan Dibell, Mr. Wm. W. Bryant and Harriet C. Parks, all of Kirtland.

DIED: At the residence of his father, in Kirtland, on the 20th ult., Harry D. Call Esq., of Chardon, aged 32 years.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Mon., Mar. 5, 1849; p2 c4</u>

DIED: At his residence in Grafton, Lorain Co. on the 21st of Feb. after a severe illness of 9 days of Typhoid Pneumonia, **Wm. Kinney**, aged 49 years.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Tues., Mar. 6, 1849; p2 c4</u>

DIED: In Cleveland on the 5th inst., **George D.** Worley, aged 19 years. The funeral will be attended from the residence of his mother, No. 29 Ontario Street, Wed. 2 P. M.

Issue date Wed., Mar. 14, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In this city on the 13th inst., by Chas. L. Fish, Esq., Mr. Ferdinand A. Sanders and Mrs. Anna Maria Nebb.

DIED: Died this morning, of brain fever, Helene Euphrasie, youngest daughter of P. A. and J. B. E. Gollier, aged 23 months. The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral tomorrow at 2 P. M., from Grace Church.

Issue date Sat., Mar. 17, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: On the 15th inst., by J. D. Cleveland, Esq., Mr. James Wilkins and Miss Catharine A. Butler. On the 14th inst., by the same, Mr. John Q. Robinson and Miss Margaret Arnold.

Issue date Mon., Mar. 19, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: By the Rev. Boyd Windsor, on Sat. the 17th inst., Major S. S. Tucker, U.S.A., and Miss Clementine Manny, of this city.

Issue date Wed., Mar. 21, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: On the 20th inst., by *Rev. S. C. Aiken, D. D.*, the **Rev. A. MacReynolds** and Miss **Martha A. Doan**, both of Cleveland.

Issue date Thurs., Mar. 22, 1849; p2 c3

DIED: In this city, on Sunday the 18th inst., **Charles H.**, only son of **Joel Serastes**, **Esq.**, age 10 years.

Issue date Wed., Mar. 28, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: This morning Mar. 27 by the Rev. S. B. Canfield, Samuel Cowles, Esq., to Miss Anna L. Wooster, all of this city.

Issue date Thurs., Mar. 29, 1849; p2 c3

DIED: At Toledo, on the 26th, Mrs. Catharine Breed, aged 2? years. Funeral tomorrow at 4 o'clock P. M., from the residence of Mrs. M. Miller, 67 Centre St.

Issue date Fri., Mar. 30, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: On Wed. evening Mar. 28th inst., by the Rev. S. B. Canfield, Mr. Arthur J. Wenham and Miss **Phebe A. Allison**, both of this city.

Issue date Sat., Mar. 31, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Edingburgh, on the 20th inst. by Thomas Atwater, Esq., Mr. John Summerville to Miss Martha Huffman, both of Edingburgh.

DIED: In Cleveland township, Elam Wilbur, aged 73 years. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. at the residence of J. B. Wilbur on Prospect St. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

In Freedom on the 29th of February last, Mrs. Nancy Mitchell, relict of the late John Mitchell, aged 64 years.

Issue date Wed., Apr. 4, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: On Wednesday evening, March 28th by the *Rev. A. F. Hayden*, Mr. **Ransom O'Conner** to Miss **Elizabeth Freeman**, both of East Cleveland. SA lucious loaf of Bride's Cake accompanied the above notice. Joy to the happy couple.

Issue Date Fri., Apr. 6, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In Newbury, March 25th, by *Rev. G. B. Hawkins*, Mr. **Wm. Palmer** and Miss **Caroline Evans**.

On the 25th inst., by *Rev. J. T. Holloway*, Mr. Edward Wetmore and Miss Fanny M. Wilcox, both of Stow.

In Akron, on the 22d ult., by Geo. Babcock, Esq., Mr. Daniel Darrow of Stow, and Miss Elizabeth Norton of Northampton



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May 6, 1875

ROCKPORT

-The high wind of Thursday, April 29th made a scattering among the rail fences and hotbed sash, breaking a large number of glass. It also made it lively for the Pound fishermen, who were out on the lake at work when the gale came up, but landed safely without loss.

-Pound fishing has commenced. The catch of fish thus far has been very small.

Johnnie Mastick, son of F. W. Mastick is very sick with typhoid pneumonia and Lucius Dean is also dangerously sick with lung fever.

-The money appropriated by Congress for the improvement of Rocky River is now being expended in dredging, quite an amount of such work being already done.

-The shooting tournament at the River on Friday last was fine sport for the marksmen, but death to the poor pigeons, which if any escaped those within the ring were sure to be killed by those outside.

-Farm work is badly behind hand, owing to the cold storm. There is probably the smallest breadth of oats sown ever known at this time of the year. J. A. P.

May 13, 1875

OLMSTED

-On Tuesday evening, Mr. C. M. Rathbun gave an entertainment of "Fun, Fact and Fancy," on a Blackboard with chalk, and those who were not there missed seeing a good thing. Mr. Rathbun used the chalk very rapidly and accurately and with practice will soon equal the best of them in that line. Music by Rice's Band.

-Ten Nights in a Bar Room, will be played by the Literary Society on Thursday evening, May 20th.

-The farmers in this vicinity are looking down their noses on account of the backward spring. Even making garden has hardly been thought of yet. We are promised a seed time and harvest, but it will take some crowding to fulfill this promise this year. B.

May 13, 1875

ROCKPORT

-Died, May 4th, at the residence of his son Wm. F. Giddings of Richmond, Va., Calvin Giddings, aged 77 years and 7 months. Mr. Giddings was a pioneer and for many years a prominent citizen of Rockport, to which place his remains were brought for burial.

The funeral services were held May 9th, at the M. E. Church by the **Rev. Mr. Broadwell**, after which the remains were deposited in the cemetery near the residence of **F. G. Lewis**.

-Died, May 4th, Emma Bonney, daughter of Leveritt and Lucretia Bonney, aged 7 years.

-C. S. Giddings is building extensive additions to his dwelling. Julius Farr, a small house for tenant. E. M. Anthony, a nice workshop; besides, there are many others building nice fences, putting in tile, etc. The hard times have played out. J. A. P.

MARRIED

HERRINGTON-HARDING-At the residence of the bride's father, in Olmsted Falls, O., May 12th, 1875, by **Rev. U. Richards**, Mr. Christopher Herrington, of Cleveland, O., to Miss Kate Harding.

ISHAM-BASSETT-At the residence of the bride's parents in Brunswick, May 12th, by the **Rev. Pomery** of Cleveland, Mr. J. Frank Isham, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Miss Alice Bennett of Brunswick.

The bride was the recipient of many costly and beautiful presents, among which was a check for twelve hundred dollars from her father, a magnificent diamond ring from her husband, and various pieces of silver ware and other presents, from her numerous friends to the amount of not less than a thousand dollars more.

The company was as large and refined as one often meets upon such occasions, and was particularly noticable on account of the musical talent present. The dinner was unexceptionable, and the whole affair one of the pleasantest your correspondent ever had the pleasure to participate in.

The happy couple took the evening train for a trip to Niagara Falls and some of the Eastern cities. They expect to make Indianapolis their home for the present.

WALKER-SALISBURY-Also at the same time and place by **Rev. C. N. Pond** of Berea, Mr. William W. Walker, and Mrs. Nellie Salisbury. Both of Cleveland.

May 20, 1875

DOVER

-Although the season is backward and the times are said to be hard, new enterprises and new improvements are springing up all around us. The bellfry of the new Center School house was put up last week, and the bell hung in its place ready for use. The house is now finished; and is altogether a building not to be ashamed of.

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ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

-A Whipporwill was heard last Tuesday evening, in a wood near here, the first of the season hereabout. "Therefore, when the voice of the whippoorwill is heard in the grove, and the Apple tree and Elm begin to put forth, know ye that summer is nigh, even at the door." But apple blossoms are few and far between. A substantial line of sheds has been erected across the back end of the Town Hall lot, for the accommodation of the town's people and those attending meeting at the Methodist Church, which is just across the street from the Hall.

-Pease Brothers & Co., have built a good and substantial building for their Undertaking establishment, and are going to put up a hearse and carriage house to complete their accommodations.

-On Butternut Ridge, Mr. John Biddulph, has built a large and well finished horse barn, to be painted white, the first coat already on.

-Harvey Richardson and Alanson Tyler have each the frame up for a fine dwelling, and Richard Carpenter is getting the foundation ready for another, near the Cheese Factory. Each of these men had very good houses before, and the times are hard, "they say."

But this shows the spirit of enterprise and improvement that is rife among the people. Ed.

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May 27, 1875

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In Memoriam-A Pioneer of OLMSTED FALLS

DIED, at Olmsted Falls, at the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. John Lay, April 22d, 1875, Mrs. Lavina Stearns, aged eighty-four years and ten months. This estimable lady was born at Ballston, New York, June 21st, 1790. Her maiden name was Lavina Hovey. She was married to her first husband, Peter Romp, at the early age of fourteen years. The home of her childhood was left behind, and in the wilderness one hundred miles away, a new life was begun with her husband. He was often absent from home all day at his work and the young wife thus left alone would talk aloud to herself, for the sake of hearing the sound of a human voice. Their home was a small log house with one room, and here this devoted mother lived for many years, rearing her children, and suffering all a loving mother's sorrow at their loss; but she ever took up her burden and bore it bravely for the sake of those left behind.

The exact date of her emigration with her family to Ohio is not known, but it is certain that she was one of the first settlers of Olmsted. The house in which her daughter, **Mrs. Harry Barnum**, resided up to the year 1855 was the first frame house built in Olmsted, and that of Mr. **Peter Romp** was the second. For some years after his settlement in Ohio, Mr. Romp suffered from poor health, and the care of the family devolved mostly upon his wife, who was twelve years younger than himself. They had eleven children. Of the descendants now living there are four children, thirty-four grandchildren, fortyone great-grandchildren and three great-greatgrandchildren.

Mr. Peter Romp died in Olmsted, June 4, 1841, aged sixty-three years. Five years after, his widow married Alvah Stearns, a widower with several children. For these she lived and labored twenty-four years longer, until at last she saw her own and her step-children safely settled in homes of their own. Her second husband died with a cancer in the year 1870, and at that time being nearly eighty years of age, and her home broken up, she went to reside for the remainder of her life with her children.

Few women are now living who have labored so long and endured so much as "Grandma Stearns." In early times when the country was new she was in great demand as a female doctor, and riding on horseback over hill and dale, often going by marked trees, and, to use her own words, "fording rivers, on horseback, at dead of night, (her babe, too young to leave at home in her arms) whose swollen streams she was afraid to cross by the morning light." She went everywhere, she denied no one, and now when her good works are ended, "many rise up to call her blessed."

In addition to other things, she was a tailoress, and besides the care of her family she went out sewing by the day, among the farmers in the new country. The last few years of her life were spent among her friends and in the manufacture of patchwork quilts, in which she could not be excelled, even at the advanced age of eighty-four. She was a beautiful sewer and was never idle. Grandma would always make the button holes and "loved to do it." How many of us can say that? It is said that every one of _____ her descendants, down to the great-great grandchildren, possessed some specimen of her handiwork as a memento presented by her own kind hands. She was continually laboring for the good of others. Her last illness was very short, she being on a visit to the grand daughter at whose house she died. The last day she was able to sit up, she spent in knitting all day. How much more precious than the laurels of fame is the memory of this excellent woman, who did not outlive her usefulness.

<u>May 27, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-During the storm on Monday afternoon, **W. D. Bennett's** house was struck by lightning, badly damaging the chimney, roof, and other parts of the house. The bolt seemed to divide at the intersection of the roof and chimney, one part going down the west side of the roof throwing the shingles off and tearing one rafter into splinters, the other part followed down the chimney and stove pipe and threw the stove doors open and passed out through the zinc and floor underneath the stove making a hole about the same of a bullet would have made.

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Mrs. Bennett and her little girl seven years old were sitting within two feet of where the ligtning went through the floor, but fortunately neither of them were injured at all, but the old cat under the stove thought it was about time he was attending to his business and lit out unharmed. The lower part of the southeast corner of the house was considerable damaged, the siding being torn off and the corner post split. (to be continued)

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WEST VIEW

-Matters seem to be moving about as usual. No particular excitement of late. The Rocky River Stone Company being the most stirring element, and doing a good business, if the noise of the machinery and lively movements of the workmen are any proof.

-Last week Mrs. George Walrath rented her house and went to Tallmage to live with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Loomis, who was removing from Cleveland to that place. Mrs. W. is in a feeble state of health, and will doubtless regret to learn that two days after her departure her aged father came from Elyria to make the visit that had been delayed on account of sickness. In his anxiety to see his daughter, he had walked from Olmsted Falls, a distance of more than a mile, being tired, weak and sick, and it was sad to witness the disappointment expressed with quivering lips and trembling voice, when he found he must return without seeing his only daughter.

-Mrs. Caleb Cook is lying very ill with erysipelas at her home in this place.

<u>August 19, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-The Union Sociable gave an Ice Cream Festival at the Town Hall Thursday evening last, which was a very pleasant affair. The evening was pleasant and the attendance good. We almost imagined as we enered the hall and gazed at the strange attires around us, that we had made a mistake as to our whereabouts, but a glance at the pleasant, familiar faces reassured us, and we came to the conclusion that we were not far from home.

Miss Mary Mead attired in Chinese costume, presided at the confectionery stand, and sold packages of tea and Chinese fans. Miss Lillie Perkins, dressed as a flower girl, and Miss Maggie Maddock, as a Swiss Peasant, attended to the floral department and provided the gentlemen with button-hole boquets. Mr. C. M. Rathburn and Miss Belle Mead, were attired in Indian costumes. We are not prepared to say whether their habilments were strictly accurate or not, but they succeeded in terrifying the small children and amusing the larger ones. The Old-fashioned table formed quite a feature of the evening. It was presided over by Mrs. Lorenzo Adams, as Queen Elizabeth, Mrs. Joseph Lay, as Martha Washington, and Mrs. Wm. Mead, as Mrs. Roger Williams. It was provided with all the delicacies of the olden time, such as pork and beans, brown bread, doughnuts and pumpkin pie, which were served upon dishes of quite ancient patterns. We were shown one which was over three hundred years old. Mr. Bosworth, the Pastor of the Congregational Church, and lady were present, and expressed themselves amply repaid for their ride from Oberlin.

The Ridgeville band was in attendance, and all were as merry as Olmsted Falls people know how to be. The profits of the evening were something over thirty dollars. S.

August 26, 1875

ROCKPORT

BEREA, Ohio

-DIED, Aug. 20th, at his late residence on the Lake Shore, after an illness of more than a year duration caused by a tumor in his troat, Joseph Brown, at the advanced age of 90 years. Mr. Brown was one of the pioneers of Dover having emigrated to that township from Glocester, R. I. in the autumn of 1829. He leaves a large family to mourn his loss.

-On the night of Aug. 18th, a horse wagon and harness, were stolen from the Bassett farm, now occupied by John Herriott, to whom the stolen property belonged, which is valued at nearly \$250. No clue to property or thief.

-The injury to Mrs. Silks, received at the time her husband was killed by lightning, was much more severe than at first supposed, it now being feared that it may prove fatal.

-The Lawn Fete held at the home of Mrs. Jordan on Thursday evening last was well attended and passed off very pleasantly, the net receipts being nearly forty dollars which is to be used in making additions to the S. S. Library. The Sunday School is in a very flourishing condition and now numbers more than 90 scholars.

-East Rockport has been made a separate voting precinct, which will make it more convenient for the large portion of inhabitants doing business in Cleveland. The place of voting will probably be at the Murch House for the present. Those outside of East Rockport will continue to vote at the Town Hall.

-Alfred Barter is building a new dwelling hear the R. R. Station Rockport. Many others are building new fences etc. taking advantage of cheap times to make much needed improvements. J. A. P.

<u>August 26, 1875</u>

DOVER

-Editor G. C. A.-Oat harvest is just about finished, the last of them are being hauled in today. There is a large growth of straw, and where people have thrashed, the grain is turning out well. They have been down badly, and it has been a good deal of work to get them.

I hear some complaints that potatoes are rotting, but don't think the rot can be very general as the weather is just right for potatoes to do well. Mr. Herbert Patten, commences a term of Dover High School the 14th of September.



There has been considerable talk hereabouts concerning the manuverings of a certain young couple, who "departed this life" two weeks ago last night (Aug. 8th) and it is supposed by some, are now in a state of blessedness. the young man Newton, (not Sir Isaac,) started it is said, in the night, but was not broken of his rest, for the report is that he took a pleasant "Knapp" on the way. Hope they may be more happy and successful than is anticipated by their friends.

The new school house in the west District No. 4, is in process of erection. It is on a very fine lot and is expected to be a No. 1 building. Whether or not it will be ready for the winter school, it is too early to say, but it is hoped it will. E. D.

<u>August 26, 1875</u>

OLMSTED

-In our account of the Festival held at Olmsted Falls we made a statement which we supposed reliable, but have since found incorrect owing to a mistake on the part of our informant, viz: that Mrs. Lorenzo Adams personated Queen Elizabeth, whereas she was merely dressed in a costume which was prevalent in the Queens time. S.

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September 2, 1875

OLMSTED

B.

-Leavitt's Bell Ringers were here on Monday evening of last week, but did not give as good satisfaction as when they were here a year ago. A different lot of performers perhaps was the reason.

-The grading of the R. R. grounds for the new depot is progressing, also the street surrounding it.

-Mr. Caldwell has his store in running order.

-Andy Peters has resurrected his barber shop and is doing business on the top of the earth once more.

-Tramps still continue to put in an appearance every day, some are willing to eat bread and butter when they can get and some are not. One that tried to get better fare, bot "booted" out of town instead. He will probably be glad to get bread and butter and eat it standing for a few days.

MARRIED

HARDY-HERRINGTON-On Wednesday, September 3d, 1875, at the Lorain Street House in Rockport, by Rev. Mr. Votaw, Miss Clara J., only daughter of Harriet L. and Lewis B. Herrington, of Rockport, and Mr. George E. Hardy, of PaPorte, Lorain County, Ohio.

DIED

CURTIS-After a brief illness, at the home of her parents in Lee county, Ill., Sarah Jane, only daughter of Elizabeth and Andrew Curtis, aged eighteen years.

September 9, 1875

ROCKPORT

-Saturday, Sept. 4th, being the 98th anniversary of the birthday of Mrs. Hannah Sperry, a reunion of her relatives and friends, about eighty in all, was held at the home of J. L. Spencer, with whom that aged lady now resides. At about 2 o'clock, P. M., all present sat down to a table well-filled with a variety of good things which our ladies know so well how to prepare. After doing ample justice in that direction the cloth was removed, and some birthday presents were made to Grandmother Sperry; little tokens of love with which she was well pleased.

The announcing of sentiments being next in order, the first, given by Mrs. Nellie Spencer, was as follows: "Our aged relative and friend, may she live many years to bless us with her presence."

Response by Philo Beach by the reading of some original poetry, well suited to the occasion. The next by A. B. Spencer, "The Early Settlers," met with several responses. The first, by Artemas Beebe, of Elyria, who spoke of his early life when driving stage between Cleveland and Detroit, at which time the Sperry tavern was one of the stopping places, a good place to stop, and an excellent landlady was our good Mother Sperry, as he was pleased to call her. He also spoke of the many changes wrought by time, of the pleasure given him by the meeting of old friends on this occasion, and hoped that all would be spared to enjoy many more.

M. C. Baker spoke of his imigration to Columbia, many years ago, and gave some of his experience in obtaining a wife. Said he believed something in the romance of love.

Charles Hall spoke of the many changes which had taken place since he first came to Ohio. He said he had known Mother Sperry for many years, also knew her husband well. Spoke in high praise of them both, and concluded by telling some good stories of the olden time, when they went to meeting in ox carts and used buckskin whip-lashes for currency.

Frederick Wright said it gave him great pleasure to meet so many of his friends, and perhaps he felt it more as he was about to remove with his family to Mississippi, which he did for their health. Nothing else would induce him to leave his old friends and neighbors. He was not a very old man, but had been to school barefoot and summer and winter, since living in Rockport, as had also others who were not worth a hundred thousand dollars. He told some other things to show the difference between the past and the present, and closed by repeating that the present occasion afforded him the greatest pleasure.

Willis Terrell said he was having a good time, that he remembered when there were no wagon roads, that all went on horseback, that he once rode 30 miles to a quilting in that way to which he had but one objection -rather too far to ride with a lady's arm around him.

Laurel Beebe was enjoying himself; had evidence that he was a weightier man, as his chair settled three inches in the ground while eating supper. He related some pleasing incidents of early days, spoke of the great worth of our aged friend....to be continued.

1848-49 Marriages & Deaths from CLEVELAND DAILY PLAIN DEALER

Contributed by Jeanne Workman

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Part 36

Issue date Sat., Apr. 7, 1849; p2 c4

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MARRIED: In this city, at the Dundam House, on the evening of the 4^{th} inst., by the *Rev. S. B. Canfield*, Mr. Wm. C. Waldron and Miss Fanny Goodwin, both of Chagrin Falls.

DIED: In Mentor, Lake Co., on the 6th ult., Mary Webster, aged 71 years.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Thur., Apr. 12, 1849; p2 c4</u>

DIED: On Wednesday evening, 11th inst., at 7 o'clock, Elizabeth Neil, wife of David Morgan, Jr., aged 27 years. Her funeral will be attended tomorrow (Friday) at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her husband No. 52 Water street. The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend.

Pittsburgh papers please copy.

Issue date Fri., Apr. 13, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Perry, on the 8th inst., by *Rev. J. C.* Stoughton, O. C. Gibbs, M. D., of Windsor, Ashtabula Co. and Miss Deborah P. Axtell, of the former place.

DIED: In Mentor on Tuesday, the 3d inst. of consumption, Ann Maria, daughter of John and Martha Byrns, aged 26 years, 2 months and 14 days.

Issue date Sat., Apr. 14, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Concord, March 26th, by Rev. J. M. Gillett, Mr. Heman C. Camp, of Northampton, O., and Miss Samantha E., eldest daughter of Ahira Clark, Esq., of Concord.

DIED: In Mentor, on Thursday, 22d ult., Mrs. Anna Daniels, aged 68 years.

In Painesville, on Sunday morning last, Silas Axtell, aged 64 years.

Issue date Wed., Apr. 18, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city on the 17th inst., by Chas. L. Fish, Esq., Mr. Michael Christian and Miss Ann Seely.

In this city, this morning, April 18th, by Rev. J. H. Campbell, Mashell Key, Esq. of Perrysburgh and Miss Hannah U. Camp, daughter of Mr. David Camp of Cleveland.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Fri., Apr. 20, 1849; p2 c3</u>

MARRIED: In Chardon, on the 16th inst. by Wm. Dickinson, Esq., Mr. Edwin Robinson, of Newbury, and Miss Catharine Heath, of Russell.

In Chardon, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. Noah Barrell, Mr. David Barnes, of Munson, and Miss Mary Ann Cook, of Chardon.

In Wellington, on the 2d inst., by the Rev. Ansel Clark, Mr. Jno. Magraugh and Miss Sarah Elliott, all of Wellington.

In Elyria, 11th inst., by *Rev. D. A. Grosvenor*, Mr. Calvin Giddings and Miss Charlotte Story, both of Rockport, Cuyahoga County.

On the 11th inst., by *Rev. J. M. Morrows*, Mr. Harris Horton, of Pittsfield, and Miss Lorinda G. Tinker, of Rochester.

In Brownhelm, April 7th, by the Rev. L. M. Oviatt. Mr. Thomas L. Harris and Miss Sarah J. Byington.

DIED: In Elyria, on the 16th? inst., Mr. Ansel Keith. He was born in Chesterfield, Mass., June 24th, 1786.

Issue date Mon., Apr. 23, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In Elyria, on the 16th inst., by Rev. W. B. Disbro, Mr. Reuben O. Daniels, of Freedom, and Miss Levina Niles of Brighton.

DIED: April 22d, M. A. Smith, aged 7 years 8 months.

Issue date Wed., Apr. 25, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: On Wednesday, the 25th inst. by the *Rev.* S. C. Aiken, D. D., William F. Miller, Esq. of Buffalo and Miss Julia A. Stedman, daughter of B. Stedman of this city.

At the Fountain House, Bedford, on Wednesday 25th, inst. by the *Rev. Mr. Burnard*, Mr. Matthew Chapman of Hudson and Miss Sarah J. Waite of Boston.

<u>Issue date</u> <u>Thur., Apr. 26, 1849; p2 c4</u>

MARRIED: In this city, on the 24th inst., by *Rev. B. K. Maltby*, Mr. John A. McDonald, of Northfield, Summit county, and Mrs. Fancy French, of Cleveland.

In Edinburgh, on the 12th inst., by the *Rev. L. Chandler*, Dr. James G. Carr and Miss Caroline Bond, all of Edinburgh.

On the 19th inst., by *Rev. C. Brown*, Mr. John M. Day and Miss Sarah A. Smith, both of Deerfield.

In Mentor, on the 19th inst., by Darcy Abel, Esq., Mr. Seymour Wheeler and Miss Emeline Andrews, both of Mentor.

In Chardon, by Rev. Noah Bassett, on the 19th instant, Jabin S. Stocking and Miss Susan Randall, both of Madison, Lake County.

DIED: In Edinburgh, on the 9th inst., Mrs. Nancy Canfield, wife of Mr. Amasa Canfield in the 65th year of her age.

In Shalersville, on the 17th inst., Mr. Oren Campbell, aged 57 years.

Issue date Sat., Apr. 28, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: On 27th inst. at the residence of E. Wade Esq. of this city, Dr. Manley Bostwick, aged 39 years.

Dr. B was among the first physicians that settled at Toledo, where for the last 12 years he has been constantly engaged in the practice of his profession. His death was caused by a fall from his horse some six weeks since. His death will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends and patients. His remains are to be taken to Toledo for interment.

Issue date Mon., Apr 30, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Ohio City, April 29 by Homer Strong, Esq. Seth Turner and Betsey Hubbard, both of Ohio City.

In this city, on the 28th inst., by the *Rev. Wm. Day*, Charles L. West, Esq. and Miss Melinda Doud, both of Chester. Ohio.

Issue daate Tues., May 1, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In this city on the 30th ult., by *Rev. B. K. Maltby*, **Daniel Parish**, **Esq.**, of Cleveland and Miss **Mary Ricaby**, of Bellville, Jefferson Co., N. Y.

Issue date Wed., May 2, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Saratoga, N. Y. on the 24th ult., by Rev. Walter Poe, Mr. W. E. Beckwith, of this city and Miss Sarah W. Doe, of the former place.

Issue date Fri., May 4, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city on 2d inst., by Rev. B. K. Maltby, Mr. Major Solloway and Mrs. Sally Barnum, both of East Cleveland.

DIED: On May 3d, at the residence of her father, Mr. James Butler of Hudson, Summit Co., Ohio, Mrs. Mary S. Jones, wife of Mr. J. H. Jones of this city, aged 24 years.

Issue date Sat., May 5, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: In this city on the morning of the 5th inst., Mrs. Martha Westover, aged 77.

Issue date

Mon., May 7, 1849; p2 c4

DIED: On the 6th inst., at the house of G. W. Bury, corner of Clinton and Lake streets, Mr. Jonathan Akers, aged 29 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow (Tuesday) 11 A. M. His friends are respectfully invited.

Issue date Wed., May 9, 1849; p2 c3

MARRIED: In this city, on the 9^{th} inst., by John Barr Esq. John Patterson and Miss Lucinda Hill.

Issue date Fri., May 11, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Concord, on the 2d inst., by I. C. Hodges, Esq., Mr. Henry R. Sprague, of Thompson, and Miss Maria D. Root of the former place.

DIED: In Newburgh, on the 3d inst., Mr. Samuel Hale, aged 72.

In Chardon, on the 30^{th} ult. after a short illness, Jane Caroline: wife of E. Bruce, one of Editors of the Geauga Republican, and only daughter of the late Eleazer Paine-aged 19 years, 6 months and 16 days.

In Painesville, on the 5^{th} inst. Joseph Waldo, in the 39^{th} year of his age.

In Concord, on the 4th inst., Almira, wife of V. Powell, and youngest daughter of Job Clark-aged 21 years.

Issue date Sat., May 12, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In Geneva, N. York, on the 25th ult., **Rev.** Mason Grosvenor, of Springfield, Mass., and Miss L. P. Tappan of Geneva.

In Charleston, Virginia, on the 1st inst., by the *Rev. Mr. Nash*, David L. King and Miss Beattie W. Steele, of the former place.

On the 7th inst., by *Rev. Mr. Stewart*, Mr. V. W. Granger, and Miss Emeline Dodge, both of Akron.

In Franklin, on the 25th ult., by *Rev. Mr. Tait*, Mr. Oliver W. Gillett, and Miss Sarah Haymaker, both of Franklin.

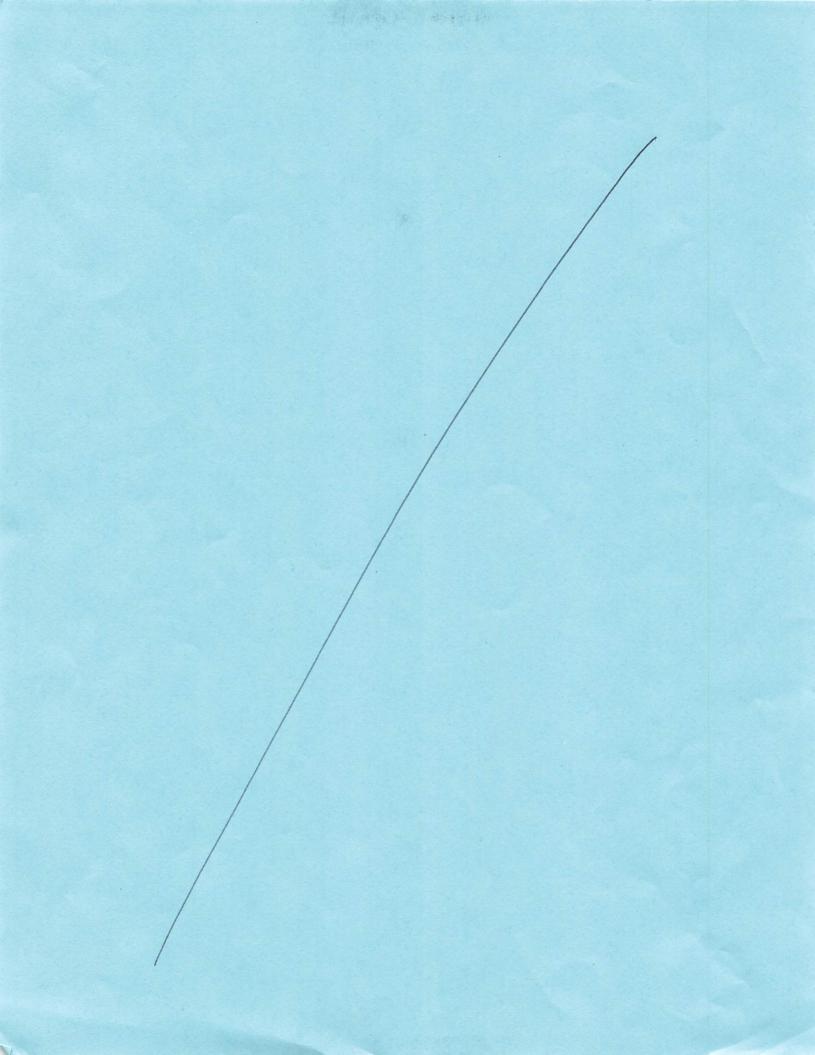
On the 30th ult., by N. M. Green, Esq.,, Mr. Henry Bennett and Miss Elizabeth Cunningham, both of Cuyahoga Falls.

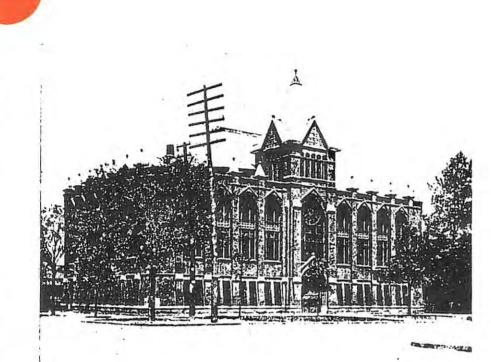
DIED: In Kirtland, Lake county, Ohio, April 30th, of Apoplexy, Mr. Samuel Metcalf, in his 62d year.

On the 11th inst. Newson H., wife of Thomas Warner. Funeral will be attended tomorrow at 4 P. M, at Grace church.

Issue date Mon., May 14, 1849; p2 c4

MARRIED: In this city, this morning, by the *Rev. Dr. Aiken*, Mr. Stoughton Bliss and Miss Mary Ann Sweet. [poems and misc. sentiments not included here.]





north Presbyterian Church.

A^T the suggestion of Dr. Aiken, pastor of the First Church, a Sunday-school was started in 1859 on the north side of St. Clair street near Lyman street. Charles W. Noble, Esq., was its first superintendent. At that time the community was called Wasonville, a name taken from the car shops owned by Charles Wason.

In 1860 the school moved to the south side of St. Clair street, to a place now owned by the Lake Shore Welsh Church Society. Here the school continued until it entered a church, erected on Aaron street in the spring of 1867. This was its abiding place for a period of twenty years, until it entered the present building on the corner of Case avenue and Superior street.

HISTORY OF CLEVELAND PRESBYTERIANISM.

During this time the school had six superintendents, as follows: Charles W. Noble, Esq., from 1859 to 1864; Hon. T. D. Crocker, 1864 to 1872; Henry Nash, 1872 to 1873; T. D. Crocker



again, 1873 to 1874; H. S. Davis, 1874 to 1875; W. B. Porter, 1875 to 1876; L. J. Talbot, 1876 to 1879.

In 1879, Mr. S. P. Fenn was elected superintendent, and for almost seventeen years he has been the greatly beloved and remarkably successful superintendent of this school, which for many years has been one of the largest in Cleveland. The number now on the roll is somewhat over 1200.

As early as 1866, regular

Rev. William Gaston, D.D.

preaching services began at the mission, with Rev. Aaron Peck as supply for one year. Rev. B. P. Johnson supplied from 1867 to 1868; Rev. D. W. Sharts, from 1868 to 1870.

Rev. Dr. Goodrich, and Elders R. F. Smith and George H. Ely, by order of Presbytery, organized the church September 19, 1870. The church started with fifty-one members, all of whom

brought their letters from the First Church. James Geekie was made its first ruling elder. Dr. Goodrich named the organization the North Church, after the old North Church in Boston. Rev. Anson Smyth, D. D., was called as the first pastor of the church. He remained two years, but was never installed. He was an excellent preacher, a tenderhearted and kind man, and a successful worker. Dr. Smyth was succeeded by Rev. H. R. Hoisington, who was installed, as pastor, June 2, 1872. Mr. Hoisington was a man of fine Christian



Rev. Anson Smyth, D.D.

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Samuel Campbell.

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Andrew W. Frank.



Arthur L. Gassett.

Joseph Leonard.

- - Charles F. Holler.



Thomas Lewis.

HISTORY OF CLEVELAND PRESBYTERIANISM.

character, who had the affection of the congregation, laboring diligently and faithfully until July 11, 1880.

Dr. William Gaston, the present pastor, began his work in this field November 1, 1880, and under his wise executive, and indefatigable pastoral ability, the North Church has greatly prospered. Almost eighteen hundred persons have been received into membership in this church, of which number one-half have been added since the present church building was crected, eight years ago. In addition to the help of the ordinary membership in the past six years, the pastor has had valuable assistants,



namely, Miss M. J. Weaver for nearly three years, Rev. Charles L. Chalfant for a few months, and Miss Anna C. Stevens for nearly two years. One of the most powerful agencies for growth in this church has been the Christian Endeavor Society, or Societies, for there are three of these organizations, which have called out a wealth of talent among the young people who are coming into the church. Two Sunday-schools have been

started by the North Church, and have

Rev. H. R. Hoisington.

grown into promising churches. The Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church is the result of a mission started on Becker avenue, and the second mission was organized in an unoccupied school house in Glenville July 3, 1893. This has grown into the Glenville Presbyterian Church.

The lot, corner of Case avenue and Superior street, which the present North Church occupies, was purchased by the congregation at a cost of \$10,000. The congregation purchased the organ, also, at an expense of \$2,700, but the building, which cost about \$27,000, was erected by the First Church with a little help from other churches. This building, admirably adapted for Sunday-school work, was dedicated October 23, 1887. During the past year, the church has been renovated at an expense of \$1,300. The congregations are large, especially at the evening service, and a large annual ingathering of souls is not an exceptional experience, but the rule.



William Lawson.





David T. Owen.

Adam Stein.

William Rapprich.

Henry Richards,



Charles Taylor.



E. Taft Sherman.

Robert II. Westwood.

HISTORY OF CLEVELAND PRESBYTERIANISM.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

OFFICERS.

Pastor .- Rev. William Gaston, D.D. Residence, 1622 Superior street.

Elders.-William W. Worswick, Charles Holler, Joseph Leonard, Samuel Campbell, Alexander A. Reid, Louis R. McLain, Andrew W. Frank, Clerk; Henry Richards, Adam Stein, James Robertson.

Deacons.-Robert H. Westwood, E. Taft Sherman, David T. Owen, Adolph C. Eckert, Thomas Lewis, John W. Garrett.

Church Society.-President, H. T. Richards; Vice-President, Otto Grabien; Secretary, Paul McDonald; Church Treasurer, Charles Holler.

Trustees.-Jabez Nall, Louis R. McLain, Charles Taylor, William Rapprich, Charles Holler, Joseph Leonard, Samuel Campbell, Thomas Fletcher, Andrew W. Frank.

Ladies' Auxiliary.-Mrs. E. I. Leighton, Mrs. L. R. McLain, Mrs. J. W. Garrett, Mrs. Otto Grabien, Mrs. A. W. Frank.

Choir.-Miss Kate Ozier, Organist; Mrs. F. I. Leighton, Soprano; Miss Mary Sindelar, Alto; James Jones, Tenor; Edward I. Leighton, Bass and Choir Master.

Sunday-school.—Superintendent, S. P. Fenn; Assistant Superintendents, A. W. Frank, Charles Holler, Adam Stein, L. R. McLain; Secretary, Charles Taylor; Assistant Secretaries, W. F. Bentzen, Richard Suhr; Treasurer, C. C. McConkey; Chorister, Noah Allport; Historical Secretary, John P. Repp.

Junior Department.—Superintendent, Herbert J. Repp; Assistant Superintendent, Ella Goulding; Pianist, Jemima Reid: Secretary, Crawford Bailey.

Intermediate Department.-Superintendent, Julia Stahl; Pianist, Jean Kistner; Secretary, Georgia Gallon.

Primary Department.—Superintendent, Anna C. Stevens; Assistant Superintendent, Nancy B. Willson; Secretary, Thomas Anthony; Pianist, Ella Krauss.

Ladics' Aid Society.-President, Mrs. J. W. Garrett; Vice-President, Mrs. Milton Morton; Secretary, Mrs. A. W. Frank; Treasurer, Mrs. D. Larimer.

Woman's Missionary Society.-President, Mrs. F. W. Disbro; Vice-President, Mrs. Frank Hitchens; Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Garrett; Treasurer, Mrs. John Kelley; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. D. Larimer.

Senior V. P. S. C. E.-President, Herbert J. Repp; Vice-President, Lena Manzelman; Corresponding Secretary, Sarah Lewis; Recording Secretary, Rachel Davies; Treasurer, Julia T. Stahl. Intermediate V. P. S. C. E.-Superintendent, Lona Manzehman; President, Ethel Allport; Vice-President, Kittie Barker; Secretary, Leah Pierce; Treasurer, Ida Stahl.

Junior Y. P. S. C. E.-Superintendent, Mayme W. Wulf: Assistant, Josie Manzelman.

Youthful Helpers.—President, Mary Akers; Secretary, Josie Manzelman; Treasurer, Mrs. George Hardesty.

Sector.--John E. Thompson, 1473 Superior Street.

REGULAR MEETINGS.

Sunday Services.—Young People's Prayer-meeting, 10:00; Public Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; Intermediate C. E. S., 6:15; Public Worship, 7:30 p. m.

General Church Prayer-meeting and Teachers' Meeting .---Friday, 7:30 p. m.

Y. P. S. C. E. Meeting, ... Tuesday, 7:45 p. m. Junior C. E. S., Tuesday, 4:15 p. m.

Ladies' Missionary Society. - Third Wednesday of each month, 300 p.m.

Ladics' Aid Society.-Third Wednesday. Youthful Helpers, Saturday, 200 p. m.

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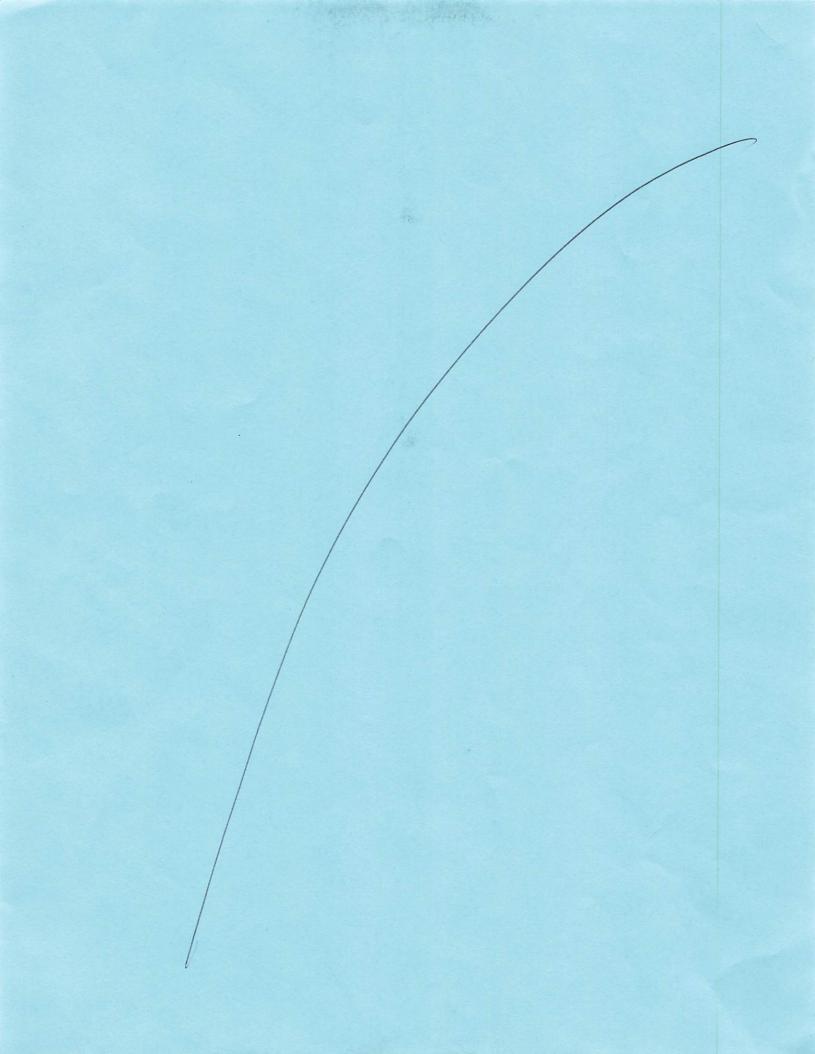
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Case Avenue Presbyterian Church.

THE project of a new Presbyterian church, in the vicinity of Case avenue, had its rise among the members of the Euclid Avenue Presbyterian Church, under the pastorate of Dr. Lyman.



It was deemed advisable to occupy the field in advance by the establishment of a Sundayschool. Mr. and Mrs. Donley Hobart having obtained pledges enough to secure the regular attendance of a sufficient number of children to warrant the undertaking, two other members of the Euclid Avenue Church, Elders

Mrs. D. Hobart. Truman Hastings and Dr. F. S. Slosson, were appointed a committee to organize the school, and to superintend its progress. On the first Sabbath of November, 1867, in a small

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brick grocery, the school was organized. The weather being inclement, there was a small gathering of eight teachers and fourteen scholars. With Mr. Hastings, as superintendent, were the following teachers: J. D. Crehore, Donley Hobart, Mrs. Donley Hobart, Mrs. T. Hastings, Fred Whittlesey, Mrs. Fred Whittlesey and Mrs. Louisa J. Patterson. The original roll of scholars was Newton B. Hobart, Clara Hobart, Ella Hobart, John B. Hobart, Herbert Loomis, Howard Loomis, Helen Patterson, Adelaide Patterson, Wallace W. Ludlow, Arthur C. Ludlow, Nelly Taber, Charles Diepold, Charles R. Chandler and Louise Chandler. Of this number of scholars, John B. Hobart and



Arthur C. Ludlow are Presbyterian clergymen; Miss Clara Hobart is the wife of Rev. H. A. Schauffler, D. D., and Miss Ella Hobart is a city missionary, engaged in the Congregational work among the Poles of Cleveland. The second Sunday over forty scholars were present. Truman Hastings, William G. Williams and I. B. Meriam were the superintendents of the school, while it was a mission of the Euclid Avenue Church. With an increase of scholars, the school

Rev. Finley F. Kennedy.

removed from Ford's grocery, at the southeastern corner of Case and Cedar avenues, to an unfinished dwelling on Case avenue. Early in 1868, a subscription was opened among the members of the Euclid Avenue Church, payable to Truman Hastings, H. R. Hatch, and George L. Ingersoll, in trust for the purchase or lease of a suitable lot, and for the erection of a chapel thereon, with a condition that the property should ultimately be conveyed to a new Presbyterian church, which it was supposed would be organized in that neighborhood. The amount subscribed was about \$2,000. With this a lot was purchased on Sibley street near Case avenue, and on this lot a wooden chapel was erected. Simultaneously with the starting of this Sunday-school, a weekly prayer-meeting was established, which was merged in time into the prayer-meeting of the church that grew out of the school.



At a meeting of the Presbyterian Union held January 10, 1870, this enterprise received hearty endorsement, and with the moral support of the Union, Rev. James A. Skinner, the third Sabbath of January, 1870, commenced holding Sabbath evening services in the chapel, and the first Sabbath of April, 1870, Mr. Skinner began to hold morning and evening services. The first Sabbath of September, 1870, at the close of the morning service, a committee con-

Rev. James A. Skinner.

sisting of Messrs. Hastings, Taber, Preston, Van Tine, Hopkins, Hobart, Pierce, Walter, and Betts, was appointed to request the Presbytery to appoint a commission to make the necessary investigations, as the way seemed clear to organize a Presbyterian church. On the second day of October, 1870, the commission of Presbytery met in the chapel, and in the presence of a large congregation proceeded to organized the Memorial Presbyterian Church, with thirty-four charter members. The first Elders were Truman Hastings, Thomas Taber, and Dr. John C. Preston. Mr. Donley Hobart was elected Deacon, and the services were

concluded by the administration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday, November 6, 1870, the Case Avenue Mission Sundayschool was formally surrendered to the care of the session of the Memorial Presbyterian Church. From the beginning, this enterprise received the sympathy and most liberal support of the members of the mother church. The wooden chapel was soon outgrown, and the lot on the corner of Case and Cedar avenues was purchased, and in 1872 the brick chapel was built and occupied. Mr. Skinner



Rev. Francis A. Horton, D.D.

continued to labor in connection with this church, as stated supply, until some time in December, 1873. During his ministry

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the church increased in strength and numbers. December 22, 1872, the church issued its first pastoral call, sending the



same to Rev. Francis A. Horton, then pastor of the Reformed Church, of Catskill, N. Y. Mr. Horton accepted the call, and began his labors on the second Sabbath of February, 1874, and was installed March 22, following. Mr. Horton's pastorate continued to March 25, 1883. During the years 1880-81, the present church edifice was built, and was dedicated July 3, 1881. Mr. Horton went from the Case Avenue Church (for the name was changed from Memorial to Case Avenue Presbyterian Church in

Rev. Rollo Ogden.

1878), to Oakland, California. The greater part of Mr. Horton's pastorate was in the brick chapel, but he labored to see what might have come earlier, had it not been for the panic in the early seventies, a new church building, and a prosperous congregation. Rev. Rollo Ogden, who had been an associate pastor of the First Church, but who had more recently labored in Mexico, had returned to Cleveland, on account of the critical illness of his wife, a daughter of Dr. Arthur Mitchell, about the time Mr. Horton departed. He was called to the Case Avenue Church, and

was installed April 29, 1883. He was a man of high talent, but left the ministry of the Presbyterian Church, April 1, 1887. He has since been engaged in literary work, and at present is connected with a New York paper. The church then called Rev. P. E. Kipp, who was installed July 5, 1887. Mr. Kipp, like Dr. Horton, came from the Dutch Reformed Church of New York State. Mr. Kipp labored in this church until November 15, 1894, when, on account of the ill-health of Mrs. Kipp, he was compelled to seek a



Rev. P. E. Kipp.

milder climate. He accepted a call to the Presbyterian Church at San Diego, California, where he is at present laboring suc-

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Walter R. Austin.



John Barelay.



Albert B. McNary.





William II. Park.



Robert Cleave.



John Grant.

C. W. Herbert Hill.





Nathan S. Possons.

James A. Robinson.

cessfully. The present pastor, Rev. Finley F. Kennedy, was called from Baltimore, Md., and was installed May 7, 1895. He is thus in the beginning of his labors in this field, which has been weakened somewhat in recent years by the tide of population eastward, and the establishment of many churches in the vicinity, but the field is one which may yet, with vigorous, consecrated work, yield rich fruitage.

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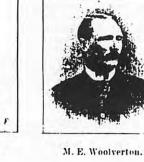


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Jonathan E. Ingersoll.

Bernard McGrath.





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REGULAR MEETINGS.

Sunday Services.—Public Worship, 10:15; Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer-meeting, 6:15; Public Worship, 7:15 p. m.

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The "Old Timers" were men who had been members of the Y for 25 years or more. They would gather in the Johnson Room of the Central Y on Prospect Avenue once a year for a dinner and entertainment. The group no longer exists, but I don't know when it dissolved. The first list is from the reunion on April 17, 1956. The number after each name is the number of years of membership. Charles Baxter was my father.

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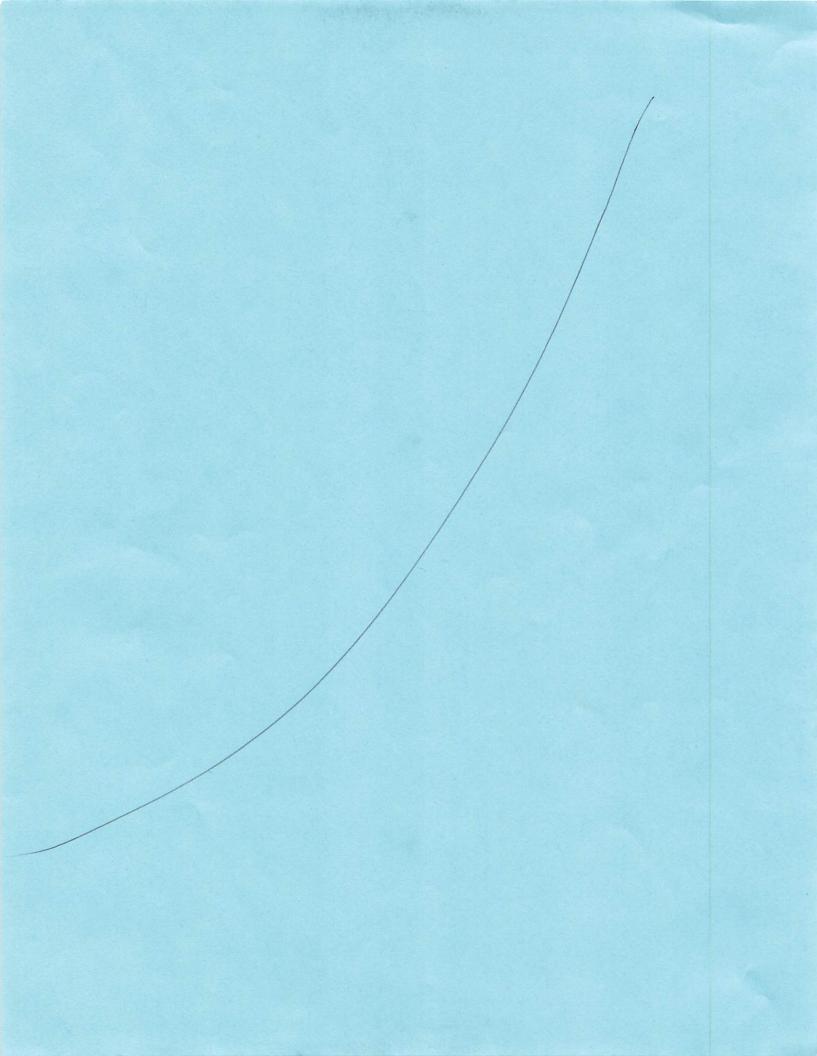
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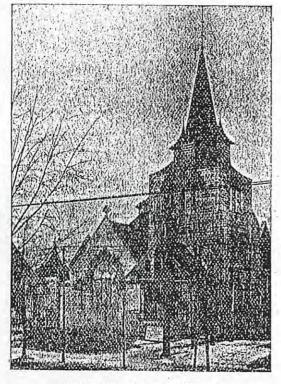
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N account of rights and privileges that had been invaded, over one hundred people, members of the Bolton Avenue Branch of the First Presbyterian Church of Cleveland, met at the home of Mr. J. G. James, 317 Bolton avenue, 'Monday evening, March 21, 1894.



TRINITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,

and proceeded to organize themselves into a Congregational Church. The name being left to the ladies, it was finally determined that the new organization should be known as "The Trinity Congregational Church."

Being disappointed in their arrangements for a place of worship, the erection of a building was commenced Friday noon, and by Saturday night



REV. R. A. GEORGE.

ship. The evening of the same day, Rev. Mr. George was installed pastor of the congregation.

It was soon seen on account of the rapid growth of the congregation that a church edifice would be needed. A lot was purchased and a building committee was appointed, consisting of Mr. J. C. McWatters, Mr. G. H. Barney, Mr. Z. B. Allee, Mr. J. G. James and Mr. E. E. Bauman.

The corner-stone of the new structure was laid May 5, 1895. On the first Sabbath of the following October the congregation worshipped for the first time in the Sunday-school of the new building. was completed, furnished with gas, steam heat, beauftiully decorated and ready for worship.

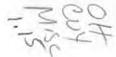
At the first meeting, a call was extended to Rev. R. A. George, who was present and preached for the people on the following Sabbath, Easter, March 25, 1894.

The organization was further completed, and on April 22, one hundred and sixty-three people entered into covenant together as the charter members of Trinity church. Rev. R. A. George the same day announced his acceptance of the call to be the pastor of the new organization.

Monday, April 23 a Council of Congregational churches formally recognized and received Trinity Church into their fellow-



MRS. R. A. GEORGE.







During the first epoch in the history of Trinity Congregational Church, the membership grew from one hundred and sixtythree to two hundred and fifty, with all the departments strong and well organized.

The Lord has done great things for us, whereof we are glad, and with hopeful hearts we face the future, not afraid to ask great things from Him who delights to surprise his people with blessings beyond their fondest hopes.

OFFICERS.

PASTOR-Rev. R. A. George. PASTORAL COMMITTEE-Andrew Williamson, Joshua Enoch, E. B. Stranahan, F. M. Lewis, A. G. Clemmer, E. Osborn, E. G. Phillips, F. D. Rogers, E. J. Luff, C. J. Shaw.

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G. Clemmer, E. L. Osborn, F. D. Rogers, E. G. Phillips, term expires December, 1897; Harry J. Luff, Samuel Clark, term expires December, 1898.

, TRUSTEES-J. G. James, E. E. Bauman, term expires April, 1896; J.C. McWatters, G. H. Barney, term e cpires April, 1897; Andrew Williamson, term expires April, 1898.

TREASURER-W. W. Lang ; John Enoch, assistant treasurer:

CLERKS-C. J. Shaw, clerk of church; F. S. Trafton, clerk of society; Mabel McIlvaine, assistant clerk.

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SUPERINTENDENT-E. J. Luff; assistant superintendents, Samuel Clarke and Mrs. A. Herbruck.

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ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

President-George Barnes; secretary, Queehie Pitts; treasurer, Laura McWatters.

TRINITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

STATED APPOINTMENTS.

Sunday-10:00 a. m., morning worship; 11:45 a. m., Bible school; 6:00 p. m., young people's meeting (Y. P. S. C. E.); 7:00 p. m., evening worship.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper is held on the first Sabbath of January, March, May, July, September and November.

Monday-1:30 p. m., Ladies' Aid Society: 7:30 p. m., Men's League, first and third Monday in each month; 7:30 p.m., Pastoral Committee, second Monday in each month.

Tuesday-7:30 p. m., the Gounod Choral Society.

Wednesday-3:30 p.m., Junior Y. P. S. C. E.; 3:30 p.m., Intermediate Y. P. S. C. E.

Friday-3:30 p. m., King's Daughters ; 7:30 p. m., Church Praver meeting.

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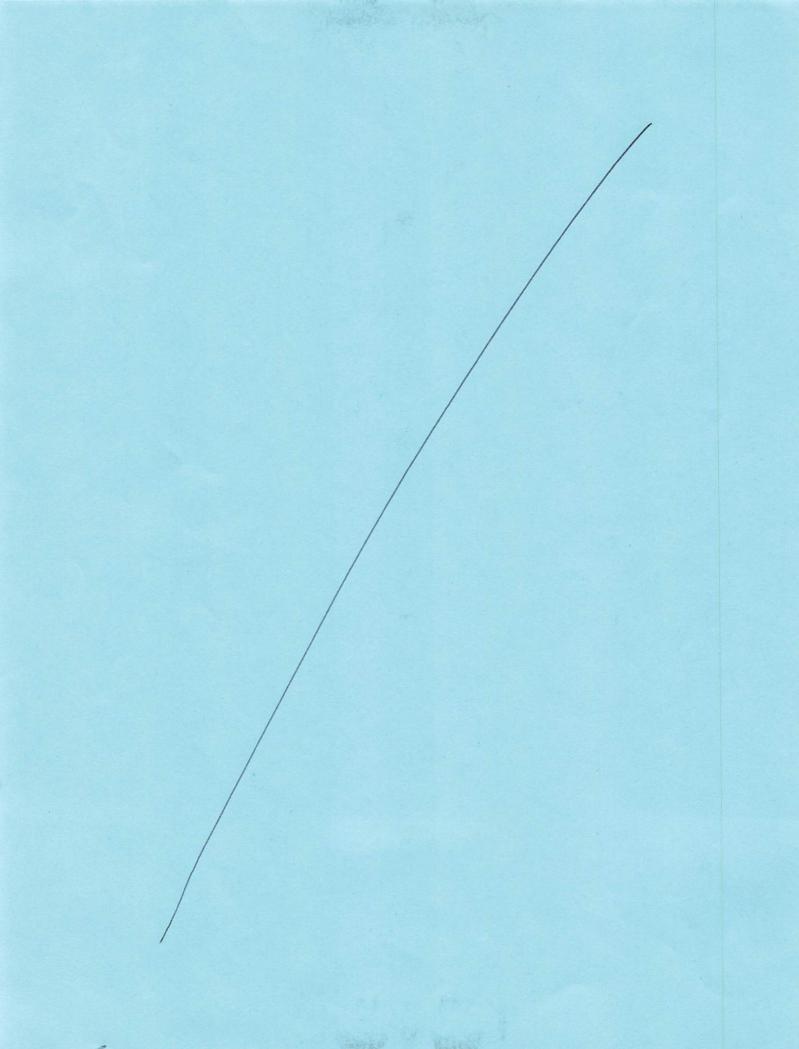
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CUYAHOGA COUNTY PIONEERS.

The Old Settler's Association Organized Last Evening.

A meeting of the Old-time residents of Cuyahoga county, who are interested in the organization of "the Old Settlers' Association" was held Wednesday evening in the Probate Court room. Hon. John W. Allen presided and Mr. H. M. Addison acted as Secretary of the meeting.

After considerable discussion a constitution was adopted. The first article requires that no one shall become a member of the Association unless he has resided in Cuyahoga county for at least forty years and fixes the membership fee at \$1. The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, two Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer.

The object of the association shall be to meet annually, with the view of bringing its members into more intimate social relations and collecting all such interesting facts, incidents, relics and personal reminiscenses relative to the early history and settlement of the city as may be regarded of permanent value, and transferring the same to the Western Reserve Historical Society for preservation, and for the benefit of the present and future generations.

The annual meeting of the association for the election of officers will be held on the second Monday of January of each year.

The following is a list of the old settlers who became members of the Association last evening, together with the date of the year in which they became residents of the County:

W. A. Ingham, 1832; E. Hessenmueller, 1836; E. P. Morgan, 1840; S. S. Coe, 1837; N. C. Hills, 1831; O. F. Welch, 1817; Jacob Lowman, 1832; Thomas Quayle, 1827; William Sabin, 1839; Robert Bailey, 1834; William B. Skeed, 1833; R. S. Wheller, 1836; Thomas Jones, Jr., 1831; D. A. Shepard, 1833; A. A. Jewett, 1821; Jane Wheller, 1831; Alfred Kellogg, 1820; W. J. Warner, 1831; W. K. Corlett. 1837; D. L. Wightman, 1817; R. T. Lyon, 1824; C. C. Nott, 1835; H. M. Addison, 1818; George C. Dodge, 1813.

The following members were chosen officers to serve until the second Monday of January, 1880.

President, Harvy Rice; Vice Presidents, Sherlock J. Andrews and John W. Allen; Secretary and Treasurer; George C. Dodge; Executive Committee, R. T. Lyon, Thomas Jones, S. S. Coe, W. J. Warner and David L. Wightman.

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Old People in Olmsted Township, this County.

Correspondence Berea Advertiser.

Those who are 80 years old and upward are: Chauncey Mead 89, Rudolph Ohonaker 88, Mrs. Bell 88, Johnson Stearns 86, Mrs. Fer Hollen 85, Chauncey Fitch 84, Eliza Cook 84, Mrs. Webster 84, Mrs. Kendall 83, Bethuel Lilly 82, Hiram Kellogg 81, Mrs. Bush 81, John Adams 80, Mrs. Ames 80. Whole number 80 and upward 14.

Those who are 70 years old and Upward. Mrs. John Adams 79, Mrs. Ohonaker 79, Mrs. Hecox 79, Mrs. Spence, 79, M. McMahon 79, Albert Bronson, 79, Mrs. Chauncey Fitch 79, Mrs. Hendrickson 78, A. Kellogg 77, Mrs. Miner 77, Mrs. Ransom Adams 77, Ransom Adams, 76, Mrs. Sprague 76, Mrs. Sabra Fitch 76, Mrs. Tanney, 75, Peter Kidney, 75, Ira Knapp, 75, Mrs. Samuel Donald 74, Samuel Lay 74, Wm. Hurd 74, R. Bronson 74, Lecta Adams 73, Sam'l Danald 73, Mrs. Johnson Stearns 73, Elijah Stearns 73, S. Youngs 72, Wm. Rennison 73, Elisha Fitch 72, Mrs. Peter Kidney 72, Daniel Thompson 71, Calvin Geer 71, J. B. Foster 71, Mrs. Calvin Spafford 70, Calvin Spafford 70, Stevens Gage 70, Pat. McCarty 70, Lyman Sabin 70, Lester Bradford 70. Cotton Fletcher's name appeared in he other listage 74, but his name was today (Monday) added to the list of those who had passed away but we still have 51 who are 70 years old and upward and perhaps we have not found them all yet and we still challenge any township in the county to beat us the same as before; and will give Myrtle a chance if wanted. We have one man in the township whose age is not known for certain; he thinks he is over 90, but it can be proven that he has been called "Old Sims" for the last 55 years.

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