

## HOME OF THE FRIENDLESS REPORT

The annual meeting of the Home for the friendless Association was held Friday. The meeting opened by the audience joining in a hymn. Rev. S. R. Lyons read the 12th chapter of Romans and led in prayer.

Mrs. Ray Longnecker sang a beautiful solo, "Face to Face." Geo. H. Knollenberg, treasurer of board of trustees read his report. See report. W. J. Hiatt and Henry Siekman were appointed auditors. The report was accepted. The secretary of board of managers read her report. See report. Mrs. Chas. Bell, treasurer of board of managers head her report. See report. Dr. Stephen C. Markley, physician to the home read his report. See report. Clara Myrick, sang a beautiful solo. This was followed by election of three trustees, Geo. H. Knollenberg, Allen Jay, Reuben Myrick were elected for the three year term. Remarks were made by Geo. H. Knollenberg, Elizabeth Hill, Allen Jay, Rev. Lyons, Rev. Harber. The meeting closed by singing the doxology, and benediction by Rev. W. M. Nelson, after which the time was spent in a social manner and in inspecting the home.

MRS. A. M. TAYLOR, Sec.  
Report of Board of Trustees Treasurer:

RECEIPTS.  
Balance on hand Jan. 1905. \$ 76 26  
Interest received on deposit. 2 29  
Interest received on \$5000 loan ..... 250 00  
Total ..... \$328 55

DISBURSEMENTS  
Recording Trustees ..... 50  
Harry U. Wade for electric wiring and fitting ..... 90 00  
Shultz & Lanning for tin work ..... 2 90  
Dietrick & Hasecoester, for material and labor ..... 10 90  
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Henry Hieger, for plumbing. 1 00  
Total ..... \$114 45  
Balance ..... \$214 10  
Respectfully submitted,  
Geo. H. Knollenberg Treas.

Report of Secretary of Board of Managers for the Home for the Friendless:

We have met today for our thirty-eighth annual meeting. It has been a prosperous year for the home. Some improvements have been made as you will note from the trustees report. The supplying the home with electric lights has added greatly to its convenience and reduced the danger of fire. The Home proper is in most excellent condition, but the jail is in the same state it was one year ago. We are in hope the coming year will see the solution of this problem without unnecessary delay. Our Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays passed very happily. We are under great obligations to Mrs. Agnes Gaar, Elizabeth Williamson, the Richmond Candy Co., and many others who helped us so liberally during these holidays. Our annual donation day fell on a cold, raw, drizzling day, but our friends from the country were out in force, some driving many miles to be with us that day. Too much credit can not be given these loyal friends who go about collecting and then bring their supplies to us. They are a great help to us. We began 1905 with 1 insane woman, 1 sufferer from rheumatism, 1 girl boarder, 2 old ladies, 2 juvenile delinquents, 2 unfortunate girls, 2 babies. We have had 3 births, 2 deaths, 8 additional insane, 16 juveniles, either for care or through sentence, 4 transients, till they could procure work or get a pass out of town. Most of these are women, stranded in our city, not belonging to this county. We can not draw pay for them. Most of them are accompanied by children who are included in the list of juveniles for care. We have received prisoners under 16 years of age, 3; over that age, 18; total prisoners, 21. Seven of these were colored, and 4 white. Eight unfortunate girls, 3 under 16 years of age; 6 of these were white and 2 colored. We now have 3 insane, 2 old ladies. The sufferer from rheumatism, the girl boarder, 1 unfortunate girl, 1 transient, with 4 children. Probably in no other institution in the country will you find so many different classes under one management. Our city has kindly remembered us this year with a donation of fuel and free electric lights. We have had 2 conversions. We try, while ministering to the material wants of the inmates, to remind them of their great spiritual needs. Some

go out to lead better lives, while others fall away again, but we know that is true in all our churches, even when their environments are of the best, and we must not expect more of our inmates, many of whom have had no good home training, but we must go on patiently sowing the seed and leave the result with Him who watches over the harvest. Respectfully submitted.

MRS. A. M. TAYLOR, Sec.

Treasurer's annual report for the year 1905:

## RECEIPTS CLASSIFIED.

County Commissioners for Boarding prisoners ..... \$ 465 80  
County Commissioners for boarding children ..... 42 00  
Township trustee, boarding inmates ..... 100 25  
Donations from churches and individuals ..... 420 94  
Boarding by inmates or friends ..... 545 35  
Association dues ..... 25 00  
Fuel for jail ..... 17 00  
Total ..... \$1,616 34

## DISBURSEMENTS CLASSIFIED.

Salary for matron ..... \$ 300 00  
Salary for assistant ..... 144 00  
Salary for Home physician ..... 120 00  
Groceries ..... 171 52  
Meat ..... 60 65  
Bread ..... 60 00  
Milk ..... 55 00  
Butter ..... 73 64  
Home Expenses ..... 66 00  
Flour ..... 18 80  
Natural gas for fuel ..... 68 36  
Light, Heat & Power Co. .... 29 58  
Water and meter rent ..... 12 50  
Richmond Ice Co ..... 15 20  
Telephone rent and toll ..... 15 30  
Coal ..... 90 52  
Plumbing ..... 15 65  
Nursing ..... 17 00  
Sundries ..... 21 37  
Christmas for inmates ..... 13 92  
Printing circulars ..... 1 50  
Total ..... \$1,370 51  
Balance Jan. 1, 1905 ..... \$ 132 94  
Receipts for year ..... 1,616 34  
Total ..... \$1,749 28  
Disbursements ..... 1,370 51  
Balance Jan. 1, 1906 ..... \$ 378 77  
Respectfully submitted,  
ELIZABETH P. BELL, Treas.

Report of physician of Home:  
The general health of the inmates during the entire year has been good. Among the deaths there have been no serious illnesses. There have been the usual quota of minor troubles, such as colds, indigestion, coughs, tonsillitis, etc. There have been 8 births; every case did well and had an uncomplicated recovery. There have been two deaths, both from infantile convulsions. They were under the average size and did not have a great deal of vitality to begin with. The only accident of consequence happened to the matron. This was a severely sprained ankle, which caused disability for several weeks. From a medical and sanitary standpoint the conditions about the Home are good. I have no recommendations to offer in this regard. All calls to the Home have been promptly answered, and frequent visits made voluntarily to inquire about the general health of the Home. Respectfully submitted,  
STEPHEN C. MARKLEY, M. D.

## The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At A. G. Luken & Co.'s drug store; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

## WINTER ON THE FARM

Down on the farm in winter.  
When all the ground is hid  
With ice and snow a foot or so  
And plowing can't be did.  
Life must be worth the living.  
The time when nature snores  
The hours away deep in the hay.  
With nothing to do but the chores.

Nothing to do but the chores, boys,  
Nothing to do but the chores!  
It's watering stock and feeding the flock  
And hauling the crop to the stores;  
Building a roost for the chickens,  
Fixing the corncrib floors,  
Throwing down hay three times a day—  
Nothing to do but the chores!

In summer there is plowing  
And pitching heavy hay.  
But in the prime old winter time  
We rest up, so they say;  
Just loaf and be real lazy  
And sit around indoors,  
Rest as the soil from summer's toil,  
With nothing to do but the chores.

Nothing to do but the chores, boys,  
Nothing to do but the chores!  
It's slopping the swine and milking the kine  
And banking the cellar doors,  
Putting up ice for the summer,  
Chopping down trees in scores,  
Butchering shoats and fanning the oats—  
Nothing to do but the chores!



## Larger Find.

His father discovered three new stars.  
"Hah, the other night I discovered three new moons."

Not After They Heard Him.  
"Do they pay her just for singing?"  
"Yes, \$100 a night."  
"Pshaw! I'd sing for half that money."  
"Not more than one night."

Not the Main Attraction.  
"I hear they are to be married."  
"Yes, he will soon be paying her bills."  
"Don't wake him up by calling his attention to it."

The Skillful Driver.  
When the moon is shining brightly  
And the breezes softly blow  
And the sleigh is slipping lightly  
Over the white and crystal snow,  
Then you feel you're from Missouri,  
Like a man who's being shown,  
When the sleighbells softly jingle  
And you sit and hold your own.

Strong Medicine.  
"Can the Filipinos assimilate civilization?"  
"Yes, but they will have to have constitutional treatment first."

Another Way of Putting It.  
"He expects to make his mark in the world."  
"That is, to be an easy mark for fame."

Knew He Meant to Propose.



"I hear that diamonds have increased greatly in price."  
"That is probably why Jack has been so downhearted the last few times he has called."

## PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A working minority usually presupposes a workable majority.

Misfortune may be tolerated when it abides with the other fellow.

A deaf mute is the only person whose voice we care to hear the morning after.

Truth is generally a bitter tonic, but the tactful person plays it is sweet.

You may read hair raising stories on the label of the bottle that is warranted to cure baldness.

When a single man bumps up against a widow he discovers that her nite is night.

It used to be that the latch string was always out, but in modern homes it is the lady of the house who answers that description.

It is hard to love a man for the enemies he has made if you are one of them.

Just from reading the reports it is evident that there are men who do not have to die to beat the life insurance game.

A friend in need is a friend who expects something from us later on.

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## WITH A LAME BACK?

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## RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

## Pennsylvania Lines Time Table

(In Effect Nov. 26th, 1905.)

## CINCINNATI AND CHICAGO DIVISION.

Arrive Westward Depart  
11 10 am.....Rich and Logan Ac. Ex..... 6 45 am  
12 30 pm.....Cin Mack Express .....  
4 35 pm.....Cin and Logan Ex ..... 4 53 pm  
7 10 pm.....Cin and Rich Ac Ex.....  
11 00.....Cin and Chi Mail and Ex.....11 15 pm

Eastward  
4 05 am.....Southwestern Ex|| ..... 4 15 am  
.....Rich and Cin Ac Ex|| ..... 7 00 am  
9 48 am.....Logan and Cin. Ex ..... 10 10 am  
3 50 pm.....Chi and Cin Special|| ..... 3 55 pm  
Rich and Cin Acc\* ..... 5 20 pm  
5 15 pm.....Logan and Rich Acc.....  
COLUMBUS AND INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION.

Westward  
.....St. Louis Limited|| ..... 5 00 am  
5 00 am.....Capital Ex ..... 5 10 am  
.....St. Louis Express|| ..... 10 15 am  
10 00 am.....Cols and Ind Ac Ex|| ..... 10 20 am  
1 15 pm.....St. Louis Ex|| ..... 1 20 pm  
9 00 am.....Col, Rich & Indpls Ac Ex|| ..... 9 10 pm  
St. Louis Special|| ..... 12 10 am

Eastward  
1 10 am.....Pittsburg Special|| .....  
5 10 am.....Eastern Mail || ..... 5 15 am  
9 45 am Ind and Col Ac Mail and Ex ..... 10 15 am  
9 50 am.....New York Ex|| .....  
4 50 pm.....Keystone Ex|| .....  
7:15 pm.....Atlantic Ex|| ..... 7 30 pm  
9 00 pm.....New York Limited|| .....  
9 10 pm.....Ohio and Va Ex|| ..... 9 15 pm  
DAYTON AND XENIA DIVISION.

Westward  
12 05 am.....St. Louis Special|| .....  
4 50 am.....St. Louis Limited|| .....  
11 00 am.....Xenia and Rich Ac|| .....  
10 55 pm.....Sprg & Rich Mail and Ex|| .....  
10 10 am Pitts., Sprgfd and Rich Mail and Ex||

Eastward  
.....Pittsburg Special|| ..... 1 15 am  
Rich, Xenia & Spfg. Acc || ..... 5 20 am  
.....Rich, Xen acc|| ..... 3 52 pm  
.....New York Ex|| ..... 9 55 am  
.....Keystone Ex|| ..... 4 55 pm  
.....New York Limited|| ..... 9 05 pm  
GRAND RAPIDS AND INDIANA RY.

Southward  
3 15 am Maek and Cincinnati and Ex||...  
9 42 am Ft. W and Rich Mail and Ex\*\*  
3 40 pm Maek and Cin Mail and Ex\*\* ..  
10 15 pm.....Sunday Ac\* .....

Northward  
.....Rich and G R Mail and Ex|| ..... 5 40 am  
Michigan Ex ..... 12 50 pm  
.....Cin. & Mac Mail & Exp. .... 11 10 pm  
||Daily. \*Sunday only. \*\*Daily except Sunday. All trains, unless otherwise indicated, depart and arrive daily, except Sunday  
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## C. C. &amp; L. Time Table

(Effective Sept. 24th.)

## EAST AND SOUTH.

No. 3 Daily.

Leaves Richmond 9:05 a. m.

Arrive Cottage Grove 9:50 a. m.

Arrive Cincinnati 11:30 a. m.

No. 1 Daily except Sunday.

Leaves Richmond 4:00 p. m.

Arrives Cottage Grove 4:40 p. m.

Via C. O. H. & D.

Leave Cottage Grove 4:59 p. m.

Leave Oxford ..... 5:14 p. m.

Leave Hamilton ..... 5:35 p. m.

Arr. Cincinnati ..... 6:20 p. m.

No. 63 Sunday only—

Leaves Richmond ..... 7:45 p. m.

Arrive Cottage Grove 8:35 p. m.

Via C. O. H. & D.

Leave Cottage Grove 8:43 p. m.

Leave Oxford ..... 9:01 p. m.

Leave Hamilton ..... 9:30 p. m.

Arrive Cincinnati 10:30 p. m.

No. 2 Daily.

Via C. O. H. & D.

Leaves Cincinnati ..... 8:30 a. m.

Leaves Hamilton ..... 9:10 a. m.

Leaves Oxford ..... 9:32 a. m.

Arr. Cottage Grove ..... 9:48 a. m.

Via C. C. & L.

Leav. Cottage Grove 10:10 a. m.

Arrives Richmond .. 10:50 a. m.

No. 4 Daily—

Via C. C. & L.

Leaves Cincinnati ..... 5:20 p. m.

Leave Cottage Grove 7:03 p. m.

Arrive Richmond .. 7:45 p. m.

## NORTH AND WEST.

No. 2 Daily to Peru—

Leaves Richmond ..... 10:50 a. m.

Leaves Muncie ..... 12:10 p. m.

Leaves Marion ..... 1:25 p. m.

Leaves Peru ..... 2:25 p. m.

Arr. North Judson .. 4:20 p. m.

Daily except Sunday to North Judson—

No. 4 Daily—

Leave Richmond ..... 7:45 p. m.

Leave Muncie ..... 9:03 p. m.

Leave Marion ..... 10:03 p. m.

Arrive Peru ..... 11:05 p. m.

No. 1 Daily except Sunday.

Leaves North Judson 10:20 a. m.

Leaves Peru ..... 12:25 p. m.

Leaves Marion ..... 1:25 p. m.

Leaves Muncie ..... 2:32 p. m.

Arrives Richmond .. 4:00 p. m.

No. 3 Daily.

Leaves Peru ..... 5:40 a. m.

Leaves Marion ..... 6:40 a. m.

Leaves Muncie ..... 7:40 a. m.

Arrives Richmond ..... 9:05 a. m.

No. 63 Sunday Only.

Leave Peru ..... 4:30 p. m.

Leave Marion ..... 5:30 p. m.

Leave Muncie ..... 6:30 p. m.

Arrive Richmond ..... 7:45 p. m.

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