

FINDS TROPICAL LIZARD IN FRUIT

Earlham Students to Find Name for Queer Creature Caught in New Paris.

NEW PARIS, Ohio, March 31.—Elwood Coblenz, the grocer, discovered a queer little animal Saturday evening in a bunch of bananas. The creature is about three inches long, green and fawn colored, and resembles a lizard, and is very much alive. It was placed in a small glass can and was on exhibition Saturday evening. On Monday, A. H. Wilson, a student at Earlham, took the animal to the college at Richmond to have it named.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Coblenz entertained in honor of Mr. John Coblenz, Sr., whose eighty-ninth birthday anniversary occurred on the 28th. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mikesell and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood M. Kessler and family.

Mrs. J. G. McKee and Louis Via, of Bristol, Ind., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Via.

Mrs. B. S. Davis was called to Greenville Tuesday by the death of her uncle, Rev. William Albright, a noted U. B. minister. At Arcanum, Ohio, in the forenoon, occurs the funeral of J. K. Albright, a brother of Rev. Albright, they both having died the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Kuth spent Saturday and Sunday with Dayton relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fortney entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmed E. McKee and daughters, Eva and Ruby.

Rev. L. W. Bridge, of Butler college, Indianapolis, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Los Morrison.

Miss Lora Boomershine, of Dayton, who came last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Carl Brown, is seriously ill with typhoid, at her sister's home.

Mrs. William T. Miller returned home Sunday from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Rettymann, at Cincinnati.

On account of the inclement weather the dance which was to have been given Thursday evening by M. R. Miller and E. J. Murray was postponed and will probably not be given until after Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Via and their guests, Mrs. J. G. McKee and Louis Via, of Bristol, Ind., spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. U. T. Via, near Brinley station, the latter being in failing health.

Miss Helen Shou returned to her home in Dayton Saturday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fortney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. W. R. Clark attended the concert at Richmond Friday evening, in which Miss Dorothy Kirkpatrick, violinist, had a part, together with Mrs. Young, pianist, and Edwin Price, tenor.

Miss Rose Morrison, an instructor in the Cleveland, Ohio, schools, is spending her spring vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Nancy King and cousin, Mrs. Alice F. Dowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Emrick and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Richards of Eldorado, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Day.

Teachers Convene.

The following teachers were among those from a distance who attended the convention here Saturday: Leonard Markey, Eaton; Misses Sylvia Trone and Trump and Superintendent D. A. Petry, of West Manchester; Emma Thompson, Verna Lawrence, John Schlotterback and Esther Trick, of Eldorado; Miss Ruby Guenther, of New Madison; Harry McCoy, Eldorado; Clara Thompson, Campbellsburg; Superintendent C. R. Coblenz, W. H. White, of Campbellsburg; Miss Eva McNeil, Eaton; Miss Sarah McGraw, Gratz.

The Jefferson township Sunday school convention held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church, while not largely attended, was a success. The address of the forenoon given by Rev. R. C. Leonard, on "The Value of the Bible School," was well received.

He pointed out that the salvation of the church lay in the Bible school and that through the means of having the children interested, many a parent not have, otherwise.

Miss Grace Murray, of Hagerstown, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Mills, of Xenia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Sarah Mills and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mills.

The Jefferson township school meeting which was held here Saturday afternoon and evening was a success in every way. Superintendent Cookson, of the Troy, Ohio, schools, made a splendid talk at the afternoon session on the new school laws and at the evening session on "The Boy and His Mother." The church was filled to overflowing, chairs being placed in the aisles and some of the audience stood during the entire time. The program was interspersed with recitations and songs by the school children, the high school chorus, under the direction of Mrs. M. O. Penland, being one of the features. The teachers who conducted the convention are receiving congratulations from all on the success of the affair.

Miss Sarah MacGraw, of Gratz, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Caroline McGraw.

Visits Parents.

Ernest Kessler of Dayton, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Kessler, enroute from Dayton to Richmond, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Burkhart, of Burlington, Iowa, spent Sunday at Richmond, with Mr. and Mrs. James Davis.

Henry Miller, who has been quite ill with bilious fever the past week, is slowly improving, but is not yet able to attend school.

Kill the Winter Fly Today



By swatting the winter fly you can prevent the birth of 5,598,720,000,000 others. This stupendous figure is the normal number of flies a single winter fly and her offspring will produce from April 15 to Sept. 10, according to the statement of Dr. L. O. Howard, United States government expert.

Mexican Missionaries Can't Get Provisions

Secretary of Friends Foreign Mission Board Here Says that Mission Workers Are Suffering from Lack of Food, Being Unable to Cash Checks.

the chorus are Misses Golda Hill, Mildred Clark, Janice Hahn, Edna and Irene Clingenpeel, Helen Reid, Besse Fitzerwater, Katherine Davis, Besse Fisher, Evelyn Aker, Marvel Mitchell, Maude Watts and Marie Daugherty.

Dr. E. Bevington and G. W. Miller made a business trip to Eaton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Canny spent Sunday with Dayton relatives.

Scott Patterson of New Madison, has taken a position with J. L. Westfall in the restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bailey and daughter, of Richmond, were the Saturday guests of Mrs. Caroline McGraw.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tritschus, of Dayton, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Lehman, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lehman and their guests spent the day with Richmond relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. A. Daugherty had as their house guests over Saturday night and Sunday, Miss Mary Krell and Attorney Allen of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Esther Reid, Misses Grace McWhinney, Mary Wolf and Bernice Horner and Messrs. G. O. Wolf and Harry Baumgardner.

Mrs. Covert and Arthur Brinley of Dayton, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Day.

The special evangelistic meetings which have been in progress at the Presbyterian church the past week, will be continued throughout the coming week. Much interest is being manifested in the services. Rev. R. W. Wilson of Findlay, has charge of the effort. Special music by the choir aided by the orchestra of six members is a feature.

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FEEL MISERABLE?

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed Liver and Kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from virulent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave him up, he took Electric Bitters and is now a well man. Get a bottle today; it will do the same for you. Keep in the house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by A. G. Lukens & Co.

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NOSE CLOGGED UP FROM COLD OR CATARRH OPENED AT ONCE

Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely; Dull Headache Goes; Nasty Catarrhal Discharge Stops.

Get "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely and headache will disappear. By morning the harsh cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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RICHMOND RED MEN TO ATTEND MEETING

Big District Session Will Be Held Tomorrow At Anderson.

A large delegation representing the local lodges of the Improved Order of Red Men will attend the district convention, to be held at Anderson, tomorrow. All the lodges in Wayne, Madison, Fayette, Henry, Boone, Hamilton and other counties, fifty-four in all, with a membership totaling several thousand, will be represented at the meeting.

The Day's Program.

The morning will be taken up with registration and reception of the delegates, and the first real session will be held at 1:30 in the afternoon. This meeting is for all chief degree members and will probably be held in the armory. A business session and round table discussion will be held. At 3:30 the great council officers will kindle the great council fire in the temple on Meridian and Eleventh streets. They will confer the great chief degree on all past sachems. There will be nearly one hundred past sachems of the district to take the degree. The state officers who will attend and oversee the exemplification of the great chief degree are G. W. Swigart, of Harrison City, great sachem; James Lampkin, city attorney of Indianapolis, great senior sachem; Frank McConahay, of Franklin, great junior sachem; Otto Wolf, of Indianapolis, great chief of records; Cash L. Bruce, of Elwood, great keeper of Wampum, and Roy W. Ennis, of Columbus, Ind., great prophet.

Evening Session.

The large meeting of the day will be called to order at 7:30 in the armory. There will be three degrees exemplified and a class of more than two hundred will take the work. Sixty-eight of the candidates are from the two local tribes. The adoption degree will be given by the Samoset tribe, No. 98, of Tipton; the second, or warrior degree, by the Hoquendane tribe, No. 196, of Richmond, and the third or chief degree by the Cherokee tribe, No. 96, Noblesville. This meeting will be in charge of Sachem John Blough and Senior Sachem Frank Bier, of No. 50, and Prophet P. F. McLaughlin and Junior Sachem George Wright, of No. 157, and will be open to all members of the chief degree.

The committee in charge has arranged to have headquarters at the Grand hotel for the district meeting Wednesday. The meeting was held in Muncie last year with a large attendance, and between 800 and 1,200 visitors are expected Wednesday. The Pocahontas district meeting will be held in Anderson on May 22.

WEATHER RECORD FOR LAST WEEK

Last Thursday was the warmest day of the week, according to the record of co-operative meteorological observer at the pumping plant. On this day the mercury showed 67 degrees above. Tuesday's record was 64 degrees. Sunday with 35 degrees was the coldest.

The highest and lowest records for the week follow: Sunday, 35 and 29; Monday, 41 and 27; Tuesday, 64 and 36; Wednesday, 57 and 42; Thursday, 67 and 41; Friday, 57 and 42; Saturday, 57 and 41.

YOUR'E BILIOUS AND COSTIVE--CASCARETS

Sick headache or sour stomach means sluggish liver and bowels.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep, a 16-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then to keep their stomach, liver and bowels regulated, and never know a miserable moment. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.—Adv.

At this time the stations at Victoria and Metawalla are in no particular danger as far as the slaughter of missionary workers is concerned, but the matter of getting food supplies is the important thing. The third state at Metamora, which is near the United States boundary line, is able to procure food from the United States, but the interior towns are experiencing much difficulty.

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