

COUNTY FUNDS IN GOOD CONDITION SAYS BOWMAN

Auditor Bowman reported to the county council this morning that the finances of the county for this year are in good condition. On June 30 there was \$52,910 in the general fund to last the remainder of the year. The only large account which must be met is about \$8,000 for election and registration expenses. Although there is \$86,296.71 in the South Side bridge fund, only \$54,296.71 of this is in the bank. The remainder has been loaned to other county funds. By the time this money is needed, however, it will all have been paid back.

Poor Farm Prospects.

Reported that the poor farm was in especially good condition. The poor farm, under Mr. Petro's supervision, is becoming a better paying proposition every year. In 1913, before Petro took charge, the farm brought about \$1,500 into the county treasury. When the superintendent, Petro, took charge in 1914, products from it brought \$3,548 into the treasury. In 1915 it netted the county \$5,058.22, and from all indications it will bring in this amount this year. Up to date Mr. Petro has paid in \$3,500.

It was pointed out that the delinquent tax collections are increasing each year since a new system of book-keeping has been instituted and since these taxes are no longer put in the

profit and loss columns. In 1912 only \$17,000 delinquent taxes were collected.

Collections Increased.

This amount of collections has increased yearly from indications it will be about \$30,000 this year. Although Mr. Chamness county treasurer, gets six per cent. for collecting the delinquent taxes, ten per cent. is added to the amount to be collected and the county is four per cent. gainer. Each year proportional per centage is added to the delinquent taxes until paid.

EXECUTIVE SESSION TAKES UP HOSPITAL

Just before the board of county commissioners this afternoon prepared to adjourn after drafting estimates for the 1917 budget, to be submitted to the county council, W. H. Romey, representing the public health committee of the Richmond Commercial club, asked the board to go into executive session with him for the purpose of considering the incorporation of an appropriation for a tuberculosis hospital in the budget. The request was granted. The board had previously decided not to recommend such an appropriation. Mr. Romey said that an appropriation of any amount would be satisfactory.

RECORD LAND TRANSFER.

The largest real estate transaction in Richmond for this month was recorded today. The sale involved \$7,000 which was paid by Ruth Churchill to Margaret Lawrence for lot 54, E. Mendenhall and Confin's addition.

SMITH TO ARRANGE CLINIC FOR DOCTORS

For the benefit of the Wayne County Medical society, Dr. S. E. Smith of the Eastern Indiana hospital for the Insane will give a clinic some time during the month. Notices have been sent out by Dr. A. J. Whallon, secretary, to members of the society that the clinic will take the place of the regular September meeting. Further announcement as to the time for the clinic will be made later.

JAP IRIGATION SYSTEM FINEST IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA, Sept. 5.—Filipino stone masons from Manila have just started work on the main dam across the Talamo river for the Ohto Development company's extensive irrigation system. This is a Japanese concern and has what is undoubtedly the finest private irrigation system in the Philippines.

ONE BID RECEIVED FOR WEATHER SYSTEM

Because the mail was not delivered at the court house today, only one bid was received by the county commissioners for the installing of the new water heating system at the poor farm, and one for furnishing a large quantity of floor lumber to be used in repairing Wayne county bridges. The commissioners rejected both of these bids and ordered that new bids be advertised for.

REFUSE TO INDICATE STAND ON HOSPITAL

Wayne county commissioners said today that they have been informed that the three candidates for the place on the board left vacant by the expired term of Mr. Doddridge will refuse to make known their attitude on the County Tuberculosis hospital.

ERROR CAUSES DELAY

OXFORD, O., Sept. 5.—The paving of High street, contracts for which were awarded last week, will be delayed at least thirty days on account of an error in the proceedings of council, authorizing the issuance of \$15,000 in bonds. The error was dis-

JUDGE 50 BABIES ON FIRST DAY OF RICHMOND CONTEST

Judging on the Richmond better baby contest opened today in the offices of the Central Charities bureau. Babies of all complexions and dispositions, but every one of them fine specimens, according to the medical men who are inspecting them, were brought before the examiners by proud, smiling mothers.

The receiving room decorations of flowers and flags had been placed, and a display case had been put up by local merchants, advertising for furnishings for babies. There is still room for other display cases, and these probably will be installed.

At 2 o'clock twenty-two babies had been examined. Eight physicians are acting as examiners during the course of the day. By 5 o'clock tonight fifty babies will have been examined.

Judging will continue until Saturday night. A total of 173 babies has been entered.

ROBBINS PROTESTS BRIDGE CONDITION

Mayor Robbins appeared before the board of public works today and protested over the condition of the temporary bridge, put up a year ago to replace the condemned Main street bridge. He said the floor of the temporary bridge was in an unsafe condition. The board will provide a new flooring and two and a half inch planks.

"The bridge was swung so low that the floor is constantly being rotted by water which flows down the streets leading to it," Street Commissioner Krollenberg explained.

DYSENTERY IN ALABAMA.

"My little four year old boy had a severe attack of dysentery. We gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe it saved his life," says Wm. H. Stirling, Carbon Hill, Ala. Obtainable everywhere.

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Over Union National bank, 8th and Main streets. Elevator entrance on South 8th street. Stair entrance on Main street. Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings 7 to 8; Sundays from 9 to 12.

SUIT MAY DELAY SOUTH SIDE SPAN

When the appropriation of \$185,000 for the proposed South G street bridge came before the county commissioners this afternoon, Gus Hoelscher, county attorney, argued that the appropriation of that amount would be illegal, inasmuch as there is an appeal from the board of public works now pending in the circuit court concerning the building of the bridge.

Such an appropriation would have to be conditional, and conditional appropriations are illegal. Attorney Hoelscher contends. In case the appropriations for the South G street bridge and the Main street bridge are made, they will not be paid until January 1, 1917.

Melissa Weeks, of Chester, Mass., age seventy, only recently became the owner of the first "store hat" she ever wore. The "creation" was given her by the selectmen of the town.

PLANS FOR EXHIBIT

Weights and Measures Inspector Mc Kinley informed Secretary Haas of the Commercial club today that he would arrange an exhibit of condemned weights and measures for the fall festival. He said he wanted to show the public the work of his department and the importance of constant testing of weights and measures to protect the public from fraud.

CLEVELAND PAPERS RAISE PRICE TO TWO CENTS

CLEVELAND, Sept. 5.—Effective Monday, Cleveland's two English morning dailies, the Leader and Plain Dealer, were sold for 2 cents instead of 1 cent everywhere outside of Cleveland and Cuyahoga county.

The price of the two afternoon dailies, the News and the Press, has been raised to two cents everywhere except in the city and adjacent counties. Increased paper cost is given as the reason for the advances.

LIBERATE SMALL FISH.

Wayne County Fish and Game association liberated about 20,000 small bass ranging in size from two to four inches in Wayne county streams yesterday from the spawning pools. The small fish were taken in large cans by means of automobiles to White-water river, Greensfork and Nolanfork.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS PAY.

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Newest Narrow Border effects, new Marquisette Scrims, with Coupon, 88c.

COUPON

19c SCHOOL HOSE.

Child's Rompers of fine Chambray, well made, all sizes, with Coupon, 19c.

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Girls' Gingham, Plaid Dresses, beautiful style, Wednesday with Coupon 42c.

COUPON

\$3.50 Felt HATS.

Women's newest Felt Hats in all colors, already trimmed to wear, with coupon, \$1.78.

COUPON

1.50 Break-fast Sets.

Consisting of Dressing Sacque, Petticoat and Cap, beautifully scalloped; Coupon, 93c.

COUPON

50c BOYS' OVERALLS.

New shipment just arrived, well made and nicely trimmed, with coupon, 29c.

COUPON

Boys' \$1.00 PANTS.

19c SCHOOL HOSE.

Boys' Wool Novelty Mixture Pants, well made and cut full, with coupon, only 55c.

COUPON

MEN'S 50c SCHOOL DRESSES.

In blue only, of fine Champingay, well made, and cut full, with coupon, 33c.

COUPON

\$1.50 Child's 88c DRESSES.

New Fall Children's Dresses, dozens of different styles, sizes to 14, coupon, 88c.

COUPON

75c MEN'S 44c NIGHT SHIRTS.

Come in plain white and trimmed, well made and cut full, with coupon, 44c.

COUPON

75c KIMONO 44c APRONS.

Fast color percales, in light and dark patterns, beautifully made, special with coupon 44c.

COUPON

\$1.50 Bed Spreads.

Of good, heavy quality pretty patterns and full size, special with coupon, 94c.

COUPON

19c SCHOOL HOSE.

For Boys' and Girls' heavy or fine rib, in all sizes, with coupon, 11c.

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MEN'S 50c SCHOOL DRESSES.

New Fall Children's Dresses, dozens of different styles, sizes to 14, coupon, 88c.

COUPON

75c SCHOOL DRESSES.

Women's newest Felt Petticoats, Wednesday with coupon, 44c.

COUPON

35c MUSLIN DRAWERS.

Women's Muslin Drawers, beautifully embroidered in all sizes, with coupon, 21c.

COUPON

\$1.50 CHILD'S 33c GOWNS.

Children's muslin gowns, well made and beautifully embroidered, special with coupon, 33c.

COUPON

25c SILK HOSE.

Women's Silk Boot Hose in black only, with Coupon, 14c.

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