

## MONROE TOWNSHIP CLOSING DAY WILL BE ON APRIL 29

EATON, O., April 24.—With class day exercises, baseball games, drills and a basket dinner, the closing day of the Monroe township centralized schools for the summer vacation will be celebrated April 29. The festivities will open at 10:30 in the morning with a baseball game between the eighth grade teams of Monroe and Jackson townships.

A basket dinner will be served at 11:30. At 1:00 o'clock pupils of the fifth and sixth grades will present a drill, followed by calisthenic exercises by pupils of all the grades of the school. The class day exercises will take place at 1:30 in the afternoon, for which the high school orchestra will furnish music. Monroe and Jackson township high schools will clash at basketball at 2:30 o'clock.

Commencement exercises of the schools will take place the evening of May 4. President David M. Edwards, Earlham college, Richmond, Ind., will address the class. The baccalaureate sermon to the class will be delivered by Rev. Joseph Bennett, Sunday afternoon, May 1. The class play, "Miss Cornbody Else," will be presented the evening of May 7.

**Wants Fund Transfer**  
Representing that more money is needed in the contingent fund and that there is a surplus in the tuition fund, the board of education of Jackson township has applied to common pleas court for authority to transfer the sum of \$3,000 from the tuition fund to the contingent fund.

**To Address Young People.**  
Edwin R. Errol, of Cincinnati, will address a conference of the young people's division of the Jefferson Township Sunday School association, to be held Sunday afternoon in New Paris, in the high school auditorium.

"Moses is Dead" will be the subject of his discourse. Other addresses will be presented by the people. Prof. C. R. Condit will deliver an address of welcome. A program of music will feature the meeting.

**Overalls in Hs.**  
Practically all the young men of the high school have adopted the overall fad. Many of the girl students have donned gingham dresses. Thus far no movement has been started here to organize an overall club. Regardless of any organized movement, local men in all walks of life are for the most part clinging to their old clothes. One local tailor states his business has fallen off more than 50 percent.

**No Criminal Cases.**  
An unusual condition exists in the criminal division of common pleas court, in that there is not a single case entered in the criminal docket at this time for investigation by the May grand jury, which is scheduled to convene May 2.

**Suit is Filed.**  
Suit has been filed in common pleas court by the American Surety company of Cincinnati, Ind., against Lewis and Cassie Gade to recover on a note for \$175.

**Will is Probated.**  
Estate of the late Lydia A. Leas will be administered in probate court by John E. Leas, under \$11,000 bond. Under \$12,000 bond, Harry L. Risner will administer the estate of the late Eliza Dryden Jones.

Julia Lockwood will administer the estate of the late J. N. Lake, under \$4,000 bond. Henrietta Eberly will execute the terms of the late Eli Eberly's last will.

Calvin Middaugh will administer the estate of the late Eliza J. Miller, under \$2,000 bond. Furnishing \$2,000 bond, Theresa Pelosi was appointed guardian of Santena Pelosi.

Henry Wombold was adjudged a proper subject for treatment in the state hospital for feeble-minded and was committed to the institution at Columbus.

Application has been filed to admit to record an authenticated copy of the will of the late James Reeder.

Application filed to probate and record the last will of the late Millie J. Maddock.

Final accounts filed in the following estates: Malinda Decm. Allen Shewalter, Addie Unger, Hiram Jaque, Jennie Morlitt, Henry S. Lantis, Levi C. Campbell, Mary Foley.

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## The Farm and The Farmer

By William R. Sanborn

James Ardery, of Billingsville, Union county, says that there is a revival of interest in tobacco down there. Many farmers are going to put in burley tobacco. He says there is good tobacco land in that section.

The statement of a Liberty veterinarian that Union county will have but half of an average pig crop

to feed this year probably is about correct. Some men were very unlucky during cold weather.

H. H. Smith, of near Liberty, says that he has 50 acres of very promising wheat and will plant 80 acres to corn, if it stops raining long enough to get his big tractor and gang into the fields to prepare the seed bed. Says that he isn't going strong on hogs this year. Mr. Smith is farming 240 acres and had a fine crop of corn last year.

**Bees, Poultry and Jerseys**  
Horace LaMarr, Union county, active in federation work, lover of Jersey cattle and has a registered herd, has an acre of White Leghorn chickens and a spring start of 40 odd stands of bees, among which he was at work when the writer dropped in.

Mr. LaMarr remarked that one of the first things done when he located on this farm was to build a modern home for his chickens, and that these well repaid good housing and care.

"As to hogs," said he, "am not going to make a ripple in the hog market this year, but shall do a little business in good milk cows. Have 40 acres of wheat in, but a lot of it will not be worth cutting; shall plant 35 acres to corn."

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**Is Farming 400 Acres.**  
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Mr. Lafuse has some choice fruit in prospect. His apricots were a mass of bloom on Thursday, these being the blossom of all our orchard varieties, and will ripen in June, when the season is normal, he stated.

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## Farmers May Pool Wool Clip; Discussed at Meeting Of County Agents in Henry

"Several counties were represented at the meeting of county agents at Newcastle on Friday," said E. F. Murphy, who attended. The meeting was called to discuss the benefits to be derived by wool growers from the formation of a pool.

The idea is to pool the wool of these counties in a district pool, each county to have a central delivery point, where the wool can be inspected and sold, or shipped.

It is expected that many buyers would be present to compete at such sales, as announced. The wool would be sold in a series of sales, and the aggregate offering would be large enough to command attention of big buyers, on different dates.

County Agent Murphy says there are 6,000 sheep in Wayne and that about 42,000 pounds of wool will be shorn. At an average saving of 10 cents per pound to the grower there would be a net of \$4,200 gained over the money obtained from separate sales. It is claimed that the farmers who went into the pool last year made an extra 70 cents on the fleece.

## Duroc Hog Breeders Have Second Meeting of Year

The Wayne County Duroc Hog Breeders' association held a meeting in the directors' room at the Second National bank on Saturday afternoon. This is the first regular quarterly meeting since the organization was effected, and an interesting round table was held.

Officers are: Wilson Campbell, of Cambridge City, president; Clem Gaar, vice president; L. C. Palmer, secretary, and William Wilcoxen, treasurer. The last named three are all from Richmond.

## Joseph Konecny to Play Here on May 12, Under Auspices of Ray Post

In order to present Richmond music lovers with one more attraction of high order before the concert season closes, the Harry Ray Post of the American Legion has obtained Josef Konecny, Bohemian violin virtuoso, his accompanist, Mary Trist, pianist, and Lola Murel Alley, soprano, for a concert in the Coliseum on May 12.

Following the concert the post will be host for a dance on the Coliseum floor. Tickets for both concert and dance are \$1.10 including war tax, and are now on sale at the Weisbrod Music Company, Harrison Drug store, and the retail store of the Starr Piano company.

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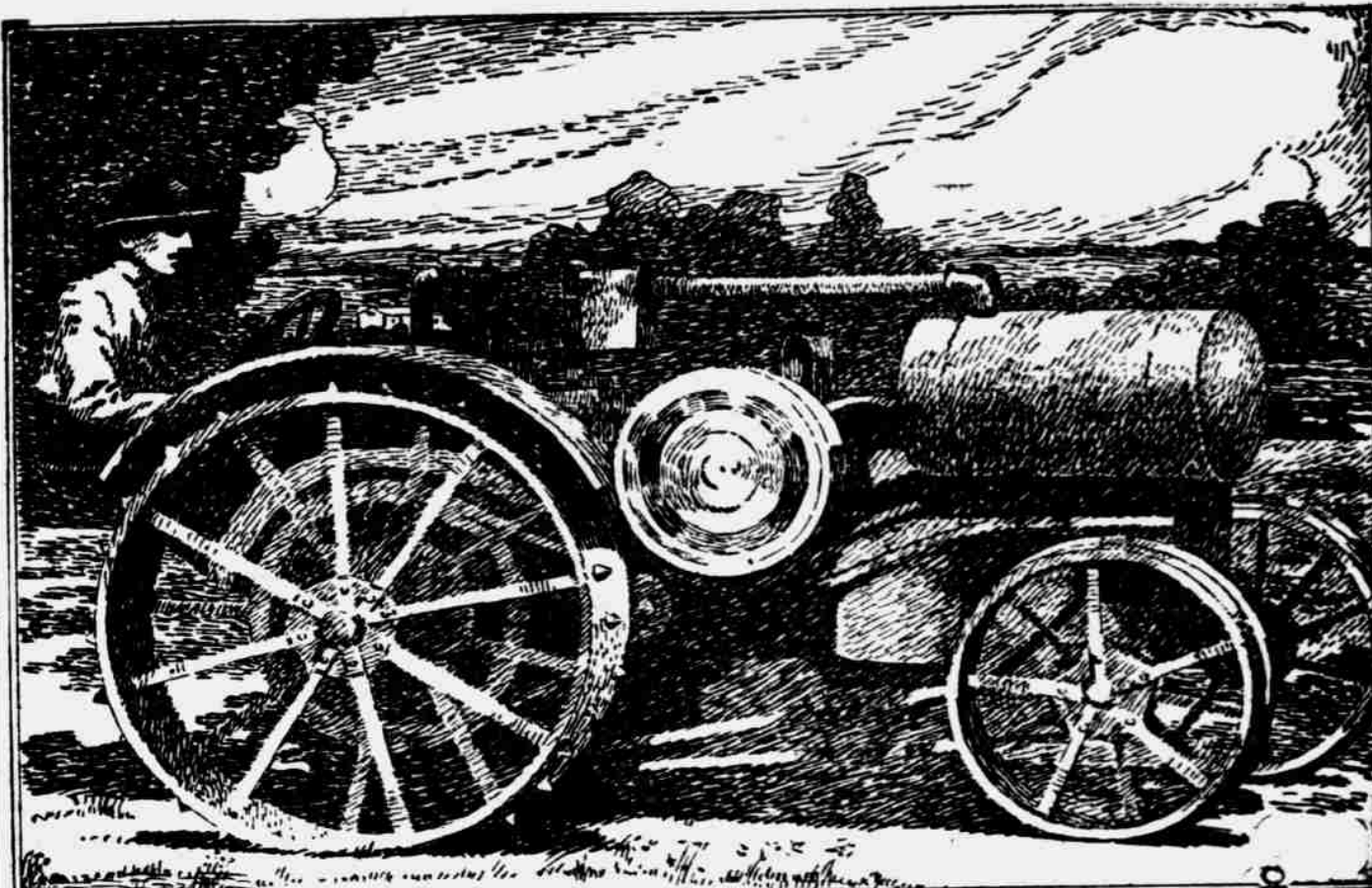
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