

PLACE PREBLE FAIR GROUNDS IN SHAPE FOR OPENING MONDAY

EATON, Ohio, Sept. 20.—Repairing of roofs, oiling of the roads and laying out space for concession booths is in active progress at the Preble county fair grounds in preparation for the annual fair which will open Monday, Sept. 25, and continue until Friday, Sept. 29. A meeting of the fair board will be held on the fair grounds on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 21, to inspect the grounds and buildings and make last minute arrangements.

Purses totaling \$3,000 are being offered for the speed events which will start on Tuesday afternoon. Three year olds, a county roadster race and a mile saddle race will be the first day's event with three pacing and trotting races for purses of \$500 each, on every day after that.

Premium List
A varied premium list is offered in the livestock departments, with classes for all breeds. In the horse department 14 classes are open and in the cattle six classes, including Hereford, Aberdeen Angus, Shorthorn, Red Polled, Holstein and Jerseys, while in sheep, 11 breeds may be shown.

In the swine show, besides the regular classes open to six swine breeds, the Poland China and Duroc Jersey associations have organized breed promotion shows with attractive premiums which will add to the rewards of exhibitors.

Displays of tobacco, wool samples, and honey bees will be included in the agricultural exhibits and add to their interest.

Community Exhibits

It is probable that the widest and most active interests will center in the community exhibits, the Grange and school displays. These have always proven most popular with the largest number of people, visitors crowding the aisles before the displays nearly all day. Premiums of \$50 are offered for each Grange which will prepare a display, and an extra \$25 for the one with the best display. The Grange hall with its decorated and well filled tables, is crowded by many with having the most attractive show on the grounds last year.

Large School Exhibit

Special inducements also have been made to assure a large school exhibit. Displays of farm products which the children have helped raise, domestic science products, such as needlework, baking and fruit canning, and examples of other school work, such as collections of weed seeds, insects and Preble county woods, are included. These exhibits are all to be included in the school district exhibits, and in addition there is a list of classes open to the whole county, for best ear of corn, best watermelon and pumpkin, the best bird house made by a school boy, and the best dressed doll shown by a school girl.

A livestock judging contest for the children also will be conducted under the supervision of the county agent and the county school superintendent, on Wednesday forenoon. Premiums of three, two and one dollar are offered for judging of horses, cattle and hogs; while the student with the best score in all three classes will be given a one week's trip to the state university.

Called by Death

I. O. BAKER

EATON, Ohio, Sept. 20.—Funeral services for I. O. Baker, 62 years old, groceryman and farmer, in commercial affairs in Eaton, who died Tuesday will be conducted Friday afternoon in the Christian church, followed by burial in Mound Hill cemetery.

Surviving him are his widow, Sadie, and three sons, Harry, Stanley and Charles Baker, the latter being Democratic candidate for county sheriff.

OTIS COAT

WINCHESTER, Ind., Sept. 20.—Otis Coats, 80 years old, is dead at his home in Harrisonville, following a lingering illness. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Holdeeman, Mrs. Frank Mader and Mrs. John Burkett and three sons, Edgar, Ralph and Walter Coats.

MISS JUNE FESLER

WINCHESTER, Ind., Sept. 20.—Relatives here received word Tuesday evening that Miss June Fesler, 15 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fesler, of Hammond, dropped dead on the street there Tuesday evening. She was a student of the high school. The mother was formerly Miss Bertha Alexander, of this city.

Rush County Republican Headquarters Opened

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Sept. 20.—Republican headquarters for the county were opened over the bank rooms. Miss Lena Buell, county chairwoman, will be in charge of women's headquarters. Glen Miller, county chairman, will name a man for the men's headquarters later. The second political meeting was held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon when Ex-Gov. Harding of Iowa spoke in the courthouse as assembly room.

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BILL OF EXCEPTIONS FILED IN EATON COURT

EATON, Ohio, Sept. 20.—Preparatory to entering the case in the court of appeals, bill of exceptions has been filed by Allen Andrews, lawyer, of Hamilton, in a common pleas court action that he brought against Ada and Samuel Keller and Rexxa Furrey for foreclosure of a mortgage securing a note for \$784.

The mortgage in question was ordered foreclosed by Judge Risinger in common pleas court. The realty involved was sold for \$534 at sheriff's public sale, as compared with an appraised value of \$800. Judge Risinger confirmed the sale. Andrews sought to have the sale set aside because there was a misunderstanding upon his part as to the sale date and neither he nor a representative was present to protect his interest.

Judge Risinger refused to set aside the sale. Andrews and Rexxa Furrey then filed motions for new trial. Both motions have just been overruled and funds accruing from the sale have been ordered distributed.

Judge Risinger granted two divorce decrees Tuesday in common pleas court, one to Alma Tamplin, of Lewisburg, from Earl Tamplin, and Cleo Wolfe, of near Verona, from Walter J. Wolfe. Both decrees were granted upon grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect. Custody of children was awarded the mother in each case.

Mrs. Tamplin was given a decree after her husband withdrew an answer and cross-petition, in which he charged neglect and unfaithfulness. She was awarded custody of their two children, Robert and Ruth, and Tamplin is to contribute \$5 a week toward support of the children and is privileged to visit them at stated intervals. The couple were married in April, 1908, in Ithaca, Darke county.

Wolfe did not contest his wife's suit. She was awarded custody of their two children, Harold and Russell. The couple were married in September, 1915, in Greenville.

More than 85,000 murders were committed in this country in the last ten years and the number of burglaries has increased 1200 percent in that time.

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HEADS AMERICAN FORCES ASSISTING SMYRNA REFUGEES



Capt. Arthur J. Hepburn, chief of staff to Rear Admiral Clark Bristol, American high commissioner to Constantinople, is commanding the U. S. destroyer fleet which has been helping to remove terror-stricken refugees from the flame-ravaged city of Smyrna.

Night Poultry Culling Demonstration Friday

A night poultry culling demonstration, the first in the county, will be conducted on the Forest Brook farm, two miles of the E. G. Hill greenhouses at 7 o'clock Friday night, Sept. 22. The demonstration will be held beneath the arc light and Ed Toschlog, manager of the farm, has assured prospective guests that ample seating accommodations will be provided. A special invitation is being issued to all poultry men and women of Richmond or vicinity, and cards announcing the demonstration have been sent to all center township federation members.

Births

ECONOMY, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Proctor, of Macon, Ga., are the parents of a daughter, Betty Celeste. Mrs. Proctor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Manning.

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WILL TAKE UP PLAN TO FEED CAR LINES WITH MOTOR BUSES

Proposals for extending the service of the T. H. I. & E. Traction company, in the city of Richmond, were taken up at a joint meeting of the representatives of the company and members of the city administration, Tuesday evening. The meeting was held in the council chamber of the city hall.

The T. H. I. & E. was represented by G. K. Jeffries, of Indianapolis, general manager of the lines, and D. G. Watson, attorney for the concern. Alexander Gordon, local manager of the line, was not present.

Members of the city council, Mayor Lawrence Handley and City Attorney Kelly represented the city.

Will Take Up Plan.
Although the street car men claimed that revenues in this city would not warrant extension of their lines, they expressed a willingness to investigate the proposal to feed the lines with motor buses. Three localities would be extended this service, according to the discussion at the meeting. The first of these would be served by a line running out North Tenth street past the hospital and Spring Grove.

The second would be served by a line running down Liberty avenue and South Fifth street. The third line would be established in the southeastern part of the city, possibly starting on South Thirteenth street, running up to Main by way of South E and Sixteenth streets.

Complaint Made.
Complaints regarding the service given the city during the Wayne county fair were made by representatives of the city. Suggestions in regard to bettering the service in West Richmond in view of the building up of Northwest Fifth street and the establishing of David Worth Dennis high school there, also were made. That the bus franchise may not be taken up at the next meeting of council was a development of the meeting. The ordinance providing

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the franchise would normally come up for third reading at the next meeting of council, but a number of members wish to investigate conditions at Saginaw, where a bus line is now in use.

In order to carry out this investigation, it will be necessary for the council to postpone final action on the franchise until after the meeting

of the Municipal league, at South Bend, Oct. 4, 5, and 6. Councilmen expect to make the trip to Saginaw from there. The next council meeting falls on Sept. 25.

Apartment house life was enjoyed by the primitive Indian of New Mexico, one ruin in Chaco Canyon having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people.

Farm Bureau Meeting Here Saturday Night

Township chairmen and other members of the Wayne county farm bureau, will meet in the courthouse Saturday evening, Sept. 23, at 7 o'clock to transact regular business, and discuss future activities.

Motor Trucks Extend Food Supply Radius 50 Miles

HERBERT HOOVER says: "The motor truck has given every town an extended radius of food supply by some 50 miles, and thereby protects such vital matters as milk and perishables."

Formerly 10 miles was as far as the farmer could profitably haul his produce. The increasing number of motor trucks on the farm is making the farmer more and more independent of other forms of transportation. It is extending a primary market five times, giving the farmer greater security and doing much to insure him the full profit from his crops and produce.

E. E. La Schum, Superintendent of Equipment of the American Railway Express Company, says that while the average mileage of trucks is about 40 miles per day, they are capable of making 100 miles without undue strain.

This means that in every truck there are 60 unused daily transportation miles, which can be used when emergency calls.

The farmers of the 10 states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) own 46,582 trucks. These represent unused, potential transportation of 2,794,920 miles per day—quite enough to make the farmer feel reasonably independent and to make the city dweller secure.

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Red Kidney Beans, 2 lbs.	25c	Popcorn that will pop, 3 for	25c
Lima Beans, 2 lbs.	25c	Black Walnuts, 5 lbs.	29c
Pinto Beans, 2 lbs.	25c	Comb Honey, per comb	29c
Monarch Baked Beans, 3 cans	28c	Vacation Corn, 2 cans	25c
Beechnut Baked Beans, 3 cans	35c	Farm House Peas, per can	15c
Lippincott's Baked Beans, 3 cans	35c	Sauer Kraut, 2 lb. cans	20c

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Italian Plums, 2 lbs.	25c	Grimes Golden Apples 4 lbs.	25c	Cabbage, lb.	2c
Malga Grapes, lb.	15c	Maiden Blush Apples, 4 lbs. 25	25c	Carrots, bunch	5c
Oranges, No. 28's, doz.	39c	Sweet Cider, gal.	50c	Cauliflower, head	25c
Lemons, doz.	30c	Grape Fruit, 2 for	25c	Head Lettuce, lb.	20c
Alberta Peaches, 3 lbs.	25c	English Walnuts, lb.	43c	Leaf Lettuce, lb.	20c
Bananas, lb.	9c	Yellow Sweet Potatoes, lb.	5c	Celery, 8c bunch, 2 for	15c
N. Y. Bartlett Pears, 3 lbs. 25c	25c	Tomatoes, 4 lbs.	10c	Squash, each	15c
Watermelons, each	15c			Pumpkins, each	15c
				Mangoes, 3 for	5c

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Country Butter, see us first, lb.	38c	Mixed Cakes, 30c mix, lb.	23c
Spring Chickens, on foot, lb.	25c	Fig Bars, 15c lb., 3 lbs.	39c
Holland Herring, keg	\$1.00	Mixed Cream Candy, lb.	23c
Russian Sardines, bucket	\$1.00	Fresh Chocolate Drops, lb.	18c
Soap Chips, 2 lbs.	25c	Ohio Chief Maple Syrup, pint	40c
Kirk's Standard Soap, 25 bars	\$1.00	Farm House Coffee, 35c value, lb.	32c
P. and G. White Naptha Soap, 10 bars	48c	Santos Peaberry Coffee, 40c value, lb.	32c
Quart Tin Cans, dozen	50c	Imperial Tea, lb.	42c
Ice Cream Powder, 3 boxes	25c	Black Pepper, lb.	25c
Home Grown Potatoes, 8 lbs.	25c	Bulk Macaroni, 3 lbs.	25c
Crepe Toilet Paper, 8 rolls	25c	Miller and Hart Bacon, lb.	35c
Fairy Toilet Paper, 3 rolls	29c	Bulk Cocoa, lb.	22c

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