ATLAS
AND
DIRECTORY
OF
MEDINA COUNTY, OHIO,
INCLUDING A DIRECTORY OF FREE HOLDERS AND OFFICIAL
REGISTER OF THE COUNTY
WITH ILLUSTRATIONS.

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- Ward Boundary
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SURVEY OF PUBLIC LANDS.

The public lands consist of those vast tracts of territory that belonged to the U. S. After the 18th century, many of these tracts were afterward owned by individual states soon after the formation of the Union, with the additions that have since been made by treaty with Indian tribes. In 1856, Manfield, then surveyor of the Northwestern territories for the U. S. government, was sent to investigate and record the portions as were offered for sale, and also to ascertain the rate of interest on the quarter sections that have been sold or purchased, which has continued in use to the present time.

The general features of the plain are described as follows: the entire public domain is divided in two parts called land districts, each of which is part of a surveyor's general township. The land districts are distinguished by their federal and state boundaries.

The largest and most important of these districts is the State of Pennsylvania, which contains more than one million acres.

The townships are divided into sections, each section being three miles square.

The surveyors of Pennsylvania districts make a map of the townships, showing the boundaries of the sections, the roads, and the location of the public lands.

The surveyor of the State of Pennsylvania, in making his survey, followed the course of the Susquehanna River and the Juniata River, and the boundary lines of the sections were determined by the course of these rivers.

The townships are divided into quarters, each quarter being one mile square.

The survey of the public domain in Pennsylvania is based on the survey of the State of Pennsylvania, which was made by the U. S. government.

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PUBLIC LANDS OF OHIO.

LAND GRANTS.

The following are the names by which the different kinds of land grants of the federal and state governments are commonly known:

2. United States Military.
3. Western Reserve.
4. Ohio Company's purchase.
5. Indians purchase.
6. Orange Purchase.
7. Surveyor's Purchase.
8. Purchase Grant.
9. Meriden Grant.
10. Land Survey Grant.
11. Land Survey Grant.
12. Land Survey Grant.
13. township Lands.
14. Macon Road Lands.
15. School Lands.
17. Military Lands.
18. Special Land Grant.
20. Salt Sections.

CONGRESS LANDS.

Congress Lands are so called because they were sold to purchasers by the immediate agents of the government, and not by land companies as was often the case with Ohio Company's land. They are all regularly surveyed into townships of six miles square each, under the authority and at the expense of the national government. In the eastern half of the State, that is, north of the Scioto river, and on a line two miles south of the Scioto river, in the western half of the State,, and three miles south of the Scioto river, in the western half of the State, the number of the townships from south to north, and the numbers of the townships from east to west, are counted consecutively, until they reach the Ohio river, which is considered the headwaters of all waters in Ohio, and are measured land. In the western half of the State, the names of the townships and the numbers of the townships from south to north and from east to west, are counted consecutively, until they reach the Ohio river, which is considered the headwaters of all waters in Ohio, and are measured land. The townships in the western half of the State are named after the Indian tribes which inhabited the territory at the time of the purchase, and are numbered from south to north and from east to west, by the names of the townships in the eastern half of the State.

UNITED STATES MILITARY LANDS.

These lands are sold at the discretion of the Secretary of War, and are sold to purchasers by the immediate agents of the government, and not by land companies as was often the case with Ohio Company's land. They are all regularly surveyed into townships of six miles square each, under the authority and at the expense of the national government. In the eastern half of the State, that is, north of the Scioto river, and on a line two miles south of the Scioto river, in the western half of the State, the number of the townships from south to north, and the numbers of the townships from east to west, are counted consecutively, until they reach the Ohio river, which is considered the headwaters of all waters in Ohio, and are measured land. In the western half of the State, the names of the townships and the numbers of the townships from south to north and from east to west, are counted consecutively, until they reach the Ohio river, which is considered the headwaters of all waters in Ohio, and are measured land. The townships in the western half of the State are named after the Indian tribes which inhabited the territory at the time of the purchase, and are numbered from south to north and from east to west, by the names of the townships in the eastern half of the State.

WESTERN RESERVE.

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ABBUFT, C. B. Among the well known farmers and stock raisers of Medina county, the subject of this sketch is a prominent one. His residence is on Vienna town line, and farming is his staple occupation. He owns a fine farm in Vienna township, where he has been engaged in farming for many years. He is thrifty, systematic, and a good farmer. He also owns a large grocery store in that town, of which he is the proprietor. His success in this line of business is due to his careful management and attention to detail.

AUBLE, E. L. was born in Vinton township, October 27, 1859. Levi Auble was a son of Stephen and Nancy (Hurd) Auble, who came to Medina county in 1822, and were among the earliest settlers in the township. He was married to Miss Sarah Bell, who was born in 1858, and they were the parents of two children, John and Mary. Mr. Auble was a prominent citizen of Vinton township, where he was born and reared, and where he resided until his death, January 22, 1902.

AUBLE, E. L. was a well known farmer in Vinton township, where he was born November 10, 1823, and came to Vinton township, Medina county, with his parents, in 1827. He was married to Miss Sarah Bell, who was born in 1828, and they were the parents of two children, John and Mary. Mr. Auble was a prominent citizen of Vinton township, where he was born and reared, and where he resided until his death, January 22, 1902.

AUSDORP, A. W. The Aust Furniture & Upholstering establishment is one of the oldest concerns in Medina, having been established in 1839. Wm. Aust, the founder, was born in Groveland, Wisconsin county, Penn., in 1824. The original stock was supplied by John Aust, eldest daughter of Eleanor Prentice, of St. Albans, Conn., and the name of the company was derived from this stock. Mr. Aust is a member of the firm, and is an active and efficient manager.

BAKER, W. H., lives in Guildford township, near Acme P.O., and is by trade a mason. He was born on the 13th of February, 1869, in Medina township, Wayne county, Ohio. His parents, George Baker and Sarah Gardner, were both natives of Pennsylvania. W. H. Baker was educated in the common schools of his native county, and was apprenticed to a bricklayer, with whom he worked for several years, learning the trade. He was married to Miss A. S. S. Koppes, of Acme P.O., on the 24th of February, 1889, and the family now consists of three children, two boys and one girl.

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BARNAKOFF, H. J., is a farmer of the best class, and is located on the corner of Washington and Court streets, where he established his residence in 1878. He has been a resident of Medina county since 1867, and has been engaged in farming ever since. He is thrifty, systematic, and a good farmer. He also owns a large grocery store in that town, of which he is the proprietor. His success in this line of business is due to his careful management and attention to detail.
Representative Citizens of Medina Village.
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have one boy, Harold L., who was born April 3, 1884. Mr. Britz is a member of the Christian Church and is one of the deacons for a number of years. In politics he is a Democrat.

BRIGGS, T. G., is one of the leading farmers and stock raisers of Sharon township, where he has lived for the past thirty years. He was born December 21, 1857, the son of Daniel C. and Rachel H. (Beach) Briggs, who came from Pennsylvania. The father died in the latter June 27, 1837, in New York, came to Ohio and located in Sharon, where they resided. They are the parents of our subject. He attended the district school and worked on the farm of his father and has continued to follow it all his life. He pays special attention to the raising of thoroughbred stock and Sheep sheep. Of these none are so fine as the county. Mr. Briggs is a member of the township board of education and also a justice of the township. He married Miss Mary Cranmer, daughter of Reuben Cranmer, July 23, 1884, in Sharon township. To them three boys, two sons and one daughter, are the issue of this marriage.

BRADLEY, ARTHUR, is one of the reliable and enterprising citizens of Sharon township. He is a native of the "Green Mountain" state, having been born in Chetek, Wisconsin, February 22, 1863, and immigrating in Ohio in 1864. His education was acquired in the schools of his native state, and he farms and devotes most of his time to his agriculture. He is a member of the Union Baptist Church and has served as deacon of the church. He is married to Miss Clara Dean, October 11, 1895, and has one daughter, Margaret. Mr. Bradley is a justice of the peace of the township and is also a member of the school board.

BRADLEY, H. J., is one of the leading and prosperous farmers of Spencer township. He keeps abreast of the times and is up to date in all the doings. Besides his general farming he also buys and ships much live stock to offer market. He is a good judge of stock and thus his friends have the benefit of his good judgment. He is careful in his sales as well as in his purchases and thus has been very successful in the business and is still active in the common schools. He was born in Pontiac, Illinois, Township, Lorrain county, November 14, 1859. In 1877 he came to Ohio and settled in Spencer township. On March 28, 1884, he married Miss Elizabeth A. Neely, and have three children.

BRODT, WM. G., is a prosperous and well-to-do farmer of Litchfield township, where he carries on the business of general farming. He began his life in Liverpool township March 24, 1841. He has been progressive and wide awake and has held his position as one of the leading farmers of his locality. He acquired his education at the common schools of his township. He is one of the present trustees and is filling the office with credit and ability. His wife was Miss Luella Stock, born in Liverpool township. They were married in the spring of 1867. He has one son and two daughters.

BRUMBAUGH, WM. G., is one of the progressive, wide-awake young business men of Seville. He was born June 18, 1866, on the farm in which he now lives. He is a member of the Union Church. He has been active in the township affairs. He was born December 29, 1864, was married on April 23, 1867, to Miss Sarah Pomeroy, and have four children. Mr. Britz graduated from the Seville public schools and is now a teacher of the first class of which he is a member.

CANNON, PERRY & SON, the popular and genial proprietors of the Brewer House, Millersburg, are well known to the commercial public as first-class in their line. They have been in business in the Union Hotel in October, 1866, and remained till they gerrified in January, 1870. In 1871 they were having a good trade which is steadily increasing and the people who patronize them speak highly of their services. Perry C., the eldest of the firm, was born on October 13, 1847, in the Union Hotel, near the town of Skene and Margaret L. was born on January 13, 1851, on the same farm. Miss Perry died in 1869, a daughter of the firm. The eldest daughter of Perry C. and Margaret L., who died the 30th of the same month. September, 1870, became a partner in the firm, which firm was dissolved August, 1870, of which time being the 20th of that month. Perry C. was married September 14, 1872, to Miss Martha A. J. Thomas, daughter of Daniel S. and Emma A. Thomas, and have two children. They are the parents of four children.

CARDY, Jas. H., M. D., of Sharon township, is a son of W. P. and Caroline Kohler Cardy, who were born in Susquehannock, Pennsylvania, Wm. P. Cardy was born at Clinton, Wayway, county, Ohio, and married Miss Rachel Kohler, December 1, 1866, and came to Medina county, Ohio, in July, 1868. He received his education at Adrian College, Michigan, and began his medical studies there under Dr. Bingham, and finished at Cleveland, Ohio. He enrolled in 1870, in the Toledo O. V. I., and served under General Mansfield as a volunteer surgeon in the Tennessee campaign and General Sherman in the Atlanta campaign. He was a surgeon at the battle of New Town Creek, N. C., on February 20, 1865. In 1870 he was married to Miss Mary Ann Cardy, a native of Sharon township. To this union were born two children, including Dr. W. C. Cardy, who is one of the leading physicians of the county and has a large and lucrative practice.

CAMPFIELD, CHAS., of Litchfield, is a native of that township, having been born in the town where his ancestors have maintained residence for three generations. He is a graduate of the Ohio, New York and Indiana colleges and has spent several years in Europe studying the law and preparing himself for the practice of law. He is married to Miss Emma L. Stark, who was born in Harpersfield, New York, July 24, 1847, and is the mother of three children.

CASSIDDY, JAS. H., is a member of the Board of Education for the Lower Township, where he has been a resident for the past twenty years. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and has been a teacher in the schools of that state for several years. He is married to Miss Mary Ann Cardy, a native of Sharon township. To this union were born two children, including Dr. W. C. Cardy, who is one of the leading physicians of the county and has a large and lucrative practice.

CAMPFIELD, J. G., is a resident of Litchfield township. He is one of the leading lawyers in the county and has been a member of the bar for a number of years. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and has been a teacher in the schools of that state for several years. He is married to Miss Emma L. Stark, who was born in Harpersfield, New York, July 24, 1847, and is the mother of three children.

CHARLTON, T. E., among the sons of Abiram who have remained as tillers of the soil, the subject of this sketch is a prominent representative. He is the eldest son of Eli J. and Mary J. Charlton. The father was born in Streator, Iroquois county, Illinois, October 4, 1834, and the mother was born July 16, 1836, near Wilbouigha, Brookes Co., West Va. Mr. Charlton enrolled May 20, 1863, in the 1st N. Y. V., and died May 5, 1866. The subject of this sketch was born in Lafayette township May 22, 1855, and acquired a good common school education. Miss Mary Chipmon was born in the same township as our subject, July 11, 1854, and on May 15, 1884, she became the wife of Mr. Charlton. They are well known and highly esteemed by a large circle of friends.

CAMERON, PERRY & SON, the popular and genial proprietors of the Brewer House, Millersburg, are well known to the commercial public as first-class in their line. They have been in business in the Union Hotel in October, 1866, and remained till they gerrified in January, 1870. In 1871 they were having a good trade which is steadily increasing and the people who patronize them speak highly of their services. Perry C., the eldest of the firm, was born on October 13, 1847, in the union hotel, near the town of Skene and Margaret L. was born on January 13, 1851, on the same farm. Miss Perry died in 1869, a daughter of the firm. The eldest daughter of Perry C. and Margaret L., who died the 30th of the same month, September, 1870, became a partner in the firm, which firm was dissolved August, 1870, of which time being the 20th of that month. Perry C. was married September 14, 1872, to Miss Martha A. J. Thomas, daughter of Daniel S. and Emma A. Thomas, and have two children. They are the parents of four children.

CANNON, JEREMIAH C., of the firm of Perry & Cannon, is a native of Union County, Ohio, born February 3, 1839, and is the son of Dr. Jeremiah Cannon and Miss Harriet Neely. He was educated at Union College and is a member of the Bar Association of Union County. He holds a leading position in his profession and is a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows' Lodges.
has now living four sons and two daughter, all of whom are residents of the city. He is still a local resident, working also at his trade, and is a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, of the Knights of St. John, and the Benevolent Association of the old-time Irishmen. He is also a member of the Irish Republican Club.

CHAPMAN, W. H., Jr., the present efficient clerk of Lafayette township, began life in that community, was born in 1866, and has been a resident there ever since. He was graduated from Indiana University in 1888, and is a member of the Kappa Delta Phi fraternity, a prominent social and literary society. He is a successful and respected member of the community.

CHICHESTER, J. H., of Clinton township, is one of the leading men of the township. He was born in Clinton in 1848, and is a member of the Democratic party. He has been a prominent citizen and stock raiser of the township, being one of the leading men of the community.

CLARK, G. A., a prominent farmer and stock raiser of Brunswick township, was born on December 24, 1845, in Camden county, N. J. He is a member of the Republican party. He has been a successful and respected member of the community.

CLARK, Dyer A., farmer and stock raiser of Chatham township, is one of the leading men of the community. He has been a stock raiser and farmer for many years, and is a member of the Republican party. He has been a successful and respected member of the community.

CLAYTON, E. B., a prominent farmer and stock raiser of Martinsville township, is one of the leading men of the community. He has been a stock raiser and farmer for many years, and is a member of the Republican party. He has been a successful and respected member of the community.

CLARK, W. P., one of the pioneers of the community, was born in 1820 in Indiana. He came to the state in 1832, and has been a resident ever since. He is a member of the Republican party.

Clements, R. C., the son of John and Sarah Clements, was born in 1848 and is a member of the Democratic party. He has been a successful and respected member of the community.

COLE, W. E., is a prominent lawyer and politician, and is a member of the Democratic party. He has been a successful and respected member of the community.

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The Old Phoenix National Bank of Medina, Ohio.

1873–1893
1893–1913

OFFICERS.
R. H. McDowell, President.
E. Hendrickson, Cashier.
Blake McDowell, Art Cashier.

DIRECTORS.
Jos. Andrew,
S. G. Barnard,
O. H. McDowell,
W. H. Albio,
R. H. Wood,
R. H. Albio,
J. H. Albio,
A. Griesinger,
B. Hendrickson.

CAPITAL STOCK,
$75,000.00.

The histories of the great financial institutions of the world, form, if written separately, a large part of the earthly record. And so of a nation, a city or a village. Without sound financial institutions we should be like a ship without a rudder or a compass, wandering aimlessly about upon the great sea of business, the victim of the winds of bankruptcy and the waves of financial ruin.

The Phoenix National Bank had its origin in the midst of some of the best and ablest business men in this section of the state. Men whom a wide range of business relations had fitted to manage successfully the institution they sought to establish. With such men as these to manage the affairs, its success was assured from the start. The charter which was issued by the United States on February 10, 1873, authorized a capital stock of $150,000.00 which was increased to $75,000.00 a few years later. The officers chosen were J. H. Allen, president, H. G. Blake, cashier. The board of directors were J. H. Albio, H. G. Blake, John Round, S. G. Barnard, S. H. Wood, N. T. Bushman, R. H. McDowell, A. H. Hawley and C. J. Warner. This charter, which on the U.S. Treasury Department records was No. 2691, expired in 1893. Not wishing a new charter for the old organization, a change was made in the name and a new charter which is recorded as No. 4985 was issued to The Old Phoenix National Bank. This charter, issued in 1893, will expire in 1913. In the new organization nearly the same men are at the helm as in the old. They are all men of sterling integrity and good financial ability, and under this management the bank continues to flourish the same as under the former management. Under the present charter the officers and directors are as shown above. The capital stock is $75,000.00 and there is a surplus fund of $6,000.00, undivided profits of over $5,000.00, and deposits of over $15,000,000.00. This last named item shows the confidence the public has in the soundness and stability of this institution. Four per cent interest is paid on all deposits in the savings department. The public is always sure of considerate and courteous treatment when doing business with this, the oldest, the strongest and soundest financial institution in Medina county.

NAMES OF PORTRAITS.
1.—R. H. Wood.
2.—R. H. McDowell.
3.—E. Hendrickson.
4.—O. H. McDowell.
5.—S. G. Barnard.
6.—J. H. Albio.
7.—H. G. Blake (Oct).
8.—W. H. Albio.
9.—Jos. Andrew.
10.—Blake McDowell.
11.—A. Griesinger.

DEPOSITS,
$313,666.00.
A GROUP OF MEDINA HOMES.
PLINY, Colyer, went from there to the William Colby, and later became governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. He was born on Shippen, his early life upon his father's farm in Granger township, in 1687.

Sarah N. Newton, the daughter of Jonathan and Sarah N. Newton, was born in Granger township, on December 20, 1824.

For several years Mr. C. followed farming in Granger township, and later bought a large city lot where he remained eight years. He then sold his farm and bought the United States Bank of Granger, where he continued to the winter of 1828, when he was appointed postmaster, which he held for ten years, sold his store and went into the mercantile trade.

On June 30, 1822, his wife passed from earth. He was united in marriage a second time. This time to Mrs. Elmer Cowan, who was then a widow, of Ripponite. This marriage occurred December 24, 1828. His maiden name was Johnson, the daughter of Jared Johnson.

He was born in Granger October 10, 1854. By his first marriage Mr. C. had the following children: Nancy M., Sarah E., and John L. On the death of his first wife he married Frances D. By this marriage he was the father of six children: John L., Charles E., Sarah E., Elmer E., and Margaret E.

Mr. C. has always been known as an honest, capable, public-spirited man, and his name now resides with his wife on her farm in Rensselaer township.

CROFT, W. A. D. Although the "Cross" family are one of the oldest and prominent business men, we do not think there is any time in the history of the United States when this business was so closely and respected as the subject of this sketch.

W. A. D. was born April 25, 1850, in the town of Ludington, county of Genesee, state of New York, in 1875, he moved to Kansas City, in 1881, to Des Moines, in 1890, to Chicago, and, in 1894, to Kansas City, Missouri. He has been a member of the bar in Kansas City, Missouri, for the past ten years.

He is a man of business, and has been a prominent business man in the town of Ludington, county of Genesee, state of New York.

He was married to Miss Mary A., who was born in the town of Ludington, county of Genesee, state of New York, on January 1, 1878. They have two children: John T. and Charles W.

DEAN, A. B. of Laketown township, is one of the most prominent men of his age and one of the leading citizens of his county, where he has lived most of his life and where he has given much valuable service to the advancement of his community. His ancestors were among the early settlers of this community.

Dean was born in 1820, in the town of Laketown, county of Genesee, state of New York. His father, James Dean, was a prominent citizen of the town of Laketown. He was a farmer and a man of good character. He was one of the best farmers in the county. He was a good business man and a man of honor.

Dean married Miss Jane Smith, who was born in the town of Laketown, county of Genesee, state of New York, on February 1, 1825. They had five children: John, James, William, Mary, and Jane. All of them died young.

Dean was a member of the local board of education, and was a master of the local school. He was a man of culture and refinement, and was respected by all who knew him.

DECKMAN, J. P., of Yoric township, is one of the best known and most popular farmers of his township. He is a man of strong character, and has been a useful citizen in all the affairs of his community. He is a farmer, a stock raiser, and a respected citizen.

He was born in Yoric township, county of Genesee, state of New York, on April 15, 1840. He was educated at the local school, and was a good student. He was a member of the local board of education, and was a member of the local school committee.

He was married to Miss Sarah Smith, who was born in Yoric township, county of Genesee, state of New York, on November 15, 1842. They had six children: James, John, William, Mary, Sarah, and Jane. All of them died young.

DELLIE, E. F., of Rensselaer township, is one of the most successful farmers in his community. He is a man of strong character, and has been a useful citizen in all the affairs of his community. He is a farmer, a stock raiser, and a respected citizen.

He was born in Rensselaer township, county of Genesee, state of New York, on April 15, 1840. He was educated at the local school, and was a good student. He was a member of the local board of education, and was a member of the local school committee.

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DELLIE, J. E., the popular clerk of Spen- ter township, is well known as one of the most able and successful business men of the community. He is a man of strong character, and has been a useful citizen in all the affairs of his community. He is a farmer, a stock raiser, and a respected citizen.

He was born in Spen ter township, county of Genesee, state of New York, on April 15, 1840. He was educated at the local school, and was a good student. He was a member of the local board of education, and was a member of the local school committee.

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DEUTERECO, J. R., FRANKLIN, M. P., of Rensselaer township, is one of the most prominent men of his age and one of the leading citizens of his county, where he has lived most of his life and where he has given much valuable service to the advancement of his community.

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DURG, JAMES K., was born in Upper M. Bethel, Northampton county, Penna., on March 23, 1822. His parents were George Durg, a farmer, and Anna Kroon Durg, both natives of the county of Berks, PA.

He was educated in the public schools of the county of Berks, PA., and the latter February 9, 1897. They came to the county of Berks, PA., on January 26, 1844. Our subject, J. R., was educated in the district schools of the county of Berks, PA., and was married to Miss Sarah Smith, who was born in Rensselaer township, county of Genesee, state of New York, on November 15, 1842. They had six children: James, John, William, Mary, Sarah, and Jane. All of them died young.
January 6, 1850, he was married to Miss Sophia Grundy in a public ceremony on January 8, 1850. To them have been born three children: Virginia, Mrs. G. W. H. Bridgman, of New York, New York; James, a business man, a member of the L. O. O. F. and Masons, and a merchant; and Jane, who is married to Mr. W. C. Bird, a business man and one who takes an interest in the affairs of the town.

The latter was born February 8, 1850, and the mother June 15, 1850. They have four children: Mrs. A. W. Bird, a teacher; Mrs. C. M. Bird, a teacher; Mrs. J. W. Bird, a teacher; and Mrs. J. W. Bird, a teacher.

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EVANS, Albert, a farmer of Rison township, is a native of the "Empire State," born March 3, 1851. He is the son of Richard and Mary Evans, the former born in 1827 and the latter in 1829. He was educated in the public schools of his native town and came to Rison township in 1871. He has been married twice, the first marriage took place in 1877, and the second marriage in 1887. He is a member of the Republican party. As a business man he is competent and honest. As a citizen, public-spirited and patriotic, he is held in high esteem by his fellow citizens.

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OFFICERS AND BUILDING OF

The Savings Deposit Bank Company,

MEDINA, ... OHIO.

The Savings Deposit Bank, Medina, O.

This Bank was incorporated and organized in November, 1852.

It was the first Savings Bank in Medina county, and prior to its organization no bank in the county paid interest regularly on deposits. The necessity of such a bank in the vicinity at once manifested itself to the people, and it has been liberally patronized, few banks having built up so large and successful a business in so short a time, its individual deposits having reached $150,000.00.

Its officers being men of known business integrity and ability, numbering among its stockholders men of the highest financial standing in the community, and being subject to examination under the laws of Ohio, it at once furnishes a place of investment as well as a place of safety for money.

The bank building, a cut of which appears herewith, is located on the north side of the public square, was built specially for banking purposes, being large, commodious, and having private rooms for the use of its patrons, making it especially convenient for ladies desiring to do a banking business.

Views of Medina
Churches and School Buildings.
REPRESENTATIVE CITIZENS

Of the Townships of Litchfield, Chatham and Spencer.
been born at Clinton, Greene, June 29, 1834, and Mrs. Fuller at Burlington Conn., Mar. 4, 1848. A. R., the subject of this notice, was born Sept. 21, 1860, and located in Wayne county in 1865. His education was received at Clinton academy. He is one of the eldest and best known of the commercial and mechanical people of this town, being well known for his attention to farming and stock raising. Giving special attention to the culture of vegetables and fruit, he has long been a prominent and influential member of the agricultural society. He is a man of fine appearance, friendly disposition, and good character, and is held in high esteem by all those who know him. He is a member of the Republican party, and works for the best interests of his party.

GAYNARD, L. H., the present efficient superintendnet of the Joseph C. A. school, was born in Java, Zhejiang, China, May 30, 1885. He was born in Lawrence County, Illinois, in February 1898, where he resided until coming to Joseph C. A. in 1900. He was educated at the Ohio Normal University at Athens, Ohio, and served as civil engineer on the seven years, May 1905, after- ward receiving a scientific course in the same institute.

GAYNARD, J. F., a son of the oldest families of Medina county, his father having lived more than 60 years in the township, received a common school education and, after his father died, entered the college at the age of 17. He was graduated in 1880, and is now a successful business man in Medina.

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HAWKINS, E. J., born August 30, 1820, and the later born Cornelia, 1835, the oldest daughter of Robert H. and Sarah Hawkins, was educated in the public schools and has been interested in the schools of her native county for many years. She has been a member of the board of education, school committee and has been often re-elected for the position of superintendent of schools. She has always been interested in the welfare of the young and has been a leader in the educational work of the county.

HAWKINS, F. L., the leading photographer of Medina county, is located on the west side of the square public, Medina, Ohio. He does all kinds of portraits and work view the same and most of the photographically, as organized by w. J. S. Walker, etc. His work is of great strength and variety, being both in art and style, and is in demand by every class. He is one of the most successful and admired photographers in the county, and is highly esteemed by all who know him. He is a member of the board of trade of Medina and is in close touch with the various affairs of the town.

HAWKINS, J., in the legal profession is the well known member of the bar of the Medina county, Ohio. He has been a member of the bar for more than twenty years and is well known for his ability and skill in the practice of law. He is a member of the Medina County Bar Association and has been a delegate to the convention of Medina county, Ohio, in 1897, and is one of the most prominent lawyers in the county.

HAWKINS, B. F., one of the best known men of Medina county, is a member of the Medina County Bar Association and has been a delegate to the convention of Medina county, Ohio, in 1897, and is one of the most prominent lawyers in the county.

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Office Building of The Ohio Farmers Insurance Co., at Le Roy, Ohio.

Residence of E. G. Bailey, Lafayette Township.

Residence of A. A. Joline, Lodl, Ohio.
Representative Citizens

Of the Townships of Hinckley, Brunswick, Liverpool, York and Medina.
HAYTT, JOHN, is the owner of one of the best farms in Westfield township, consisting of 120 acres, on which he raises museum, and on which he has been engaged for many years. His farm is well watered, and he has made a very good living there. He is a member of the United Order of Sons of America, and is one of the most active members of the township. His farm is located on the south side of the lake, and he has many friends among the farmers of the neighboring townships. He is a man of good character, and is highly respected by all who know him.

JONES, J. S., a prominent farmer of La- fayette township, has been engaged in farming for many years. He is a member of the United Order of Sons of America, and is one of the most active members of the township. His farm is located on the south side of the lake, and he has many friends among the farmers of the neighboring townships. He is a man of good character, and is highly respected by all who know him.

KREMER, E. R., was born May 20, 1850, in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin. He is a farmer of Montville township, and is one of the best farmers of Westfield township. He has a large farm, and is engaged in raising a variety of crops. He is a member of the United Order of Sons of America, and is one of the most active members of the township. His farm is located on the south side of the lake, and he has many friends among the farmers of the neighboring townships. He is a man of good character, and is highly respected by all who know him.

KUPELEV, EVA, is one of the most beautiful and talented girls of Montville township. She is engaged in the teaching profession, and is a member of the United Order of Sons of America, and is one of the most active members of the township. Her farm is located on the south side of the lake, and she has many friends among the farmers of the neighboring townships. She is a beautiful blonde, and is highly respected by all who know her.

LAMMIS, M., is one of the most successful farmers of Westfield township. He is a member of the United Order of Sons of America, and is one of the most active members of the township. His farm is located on the south side of the lake, and he has many friends among the farmers of the neighboring townships. He is a man of good character, and is highly respected by all who know him.
Views of Wadsworth and Seville Villages.
REPRESENTATIVE CITIZENS

Of Seville Village and the Townships of Guilford and Westfield.
MOODY, MILO M., D. M., of Chatham, Ohio, died on his estate, October 23, 1868. He is the son of the late Capt. Milo Moody, one of the leading practicing physicians of the county. He enjoyed liberal patronage and the esteem and confidence of his fellow citizens.

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NEILL, CHARLES D., for many years the publisher and editor of the "Gazette," a weekly newspaper, was born in New York City, May 22, 1834. He received a fine education at home and abroad, and was well versed in all the modern languages. For several years he was a state school inspector, and in 1860 he was elected editor of the "Gazette," a position which he held until January 1, 1890, when he retired. He is a member of the Republican party.

NEWTON, ERNEST J., eldest son of James and Rosina Newton, was born in Athens, Ohio, April 5, 1868, and was educated in the schools of his native town and the University of Chicago. He is a member of the Republican party.

Nichols, A. P., D. D., S. is one of the leading citizens and business men of Medina county. He was born in Somers county, N.Y., December 19, 1836, and was educated in the common schools of his native town and furnished with all the modern acquirements. He came to Medina county in 1851, and has since resided in the town of York. He is a member of the United States Navy, and is a prominent citizen and one of the leading business men of Medina county.

Nichols & Ferriman is a recognized as the leading clothing house in town, and has been in business for over 30 years. It has been in business for over 30 years, and has been in business for over 30 years. It has been in business for over 30 years, and has been in business for over 30 years. It has been in business for over 30 years, and has been in business for over 30 years. It has been in business for over 30 years, and has been in business for over 30 years.

MUNSON, C. H., this gentleman has the advancement in this world of being able to trace his lineage back through many generations of well-bred, well-bred, and well-bred. He is a member of the Republican party and a prominent citizen of this township.

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STEEVY, S. S., is well known as one of the leading business men of Mount Carmel, Ohio, and during his brief residence here in this city, he has done much to make his residence a more pleasant place for his fellow citizens. His residence is in the north part of the city and near the business section. He is a native of Mount Carmel, Ohio, and has been a resident of this city for many years. He is a member of the First Presbyterian Church and is affiliated with the business men of the city. He is a fine gentleman, respected by all who know him.

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Public Buildings

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Street Scenes

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the culture of small fruits, and raising plants for sale, in both of which he has been very suc-
cessful. His garden is well supplied with its
edible berries, eggs-eleven of raspberries, three of blackberries, and six of black currants, also six of goose-
berries, all of which are much prized by the neighborhood.
He has been honored by his townsmen by several offices of trust, such as assessor, treas-
urer, collector, school committee, and justice of the peace, on account of his upright and
sound head.

WARRN, JOHN S. Manuf'cturing ever increasing the natural condition of things affords the subject of our sketch an opportunity to improve himself, and with the aid of Medora people with satisfaction to them and profit to his family. He has been a wealthy and successful farmer, and so he furnishes them coal. All grades of coal, both hard and soft, is sold with the C. G. Storrs & Barber, and the A. B. Close coal is also sold.

When it is warm they cool it faster, so he supplies them with the A. B. Close coal, and he sells it to the customers in the west end of town, and at the depot of the V. L. & W. Ry. depot. And to those in the east part of town he sells at the depot, and at the depot.
Mr. Warrn was born in Framingham, Phila. Perhaps he is best known as a coal dealer in Medora.
He was born in Medora in 1850, and came to Medora in 1862. For the first three years he was with the C. G. Storrs & Barber, in the milling business, entered the Medora Coal Co. in 1863, and in 1867 he founded the Medora Coal Co., and since that time has been one of the chief coal dealers of Medora, and he has disposed of this business and entered the employ of the Medora Coal Co., which is a manufacturing department of that institution, and which has been one of the most active mining and dealing firms in the county.
Mr. Warrn is a man of wealth and well known in Medora, and has been one of the most active business men of the town.

WEINEB, J. W., is one of the many first citizens of this county who are of German descent. His father and mother, Charles and Caroline Weinle, were both born in Germany, in 1820 and 1823.
They came to the United States and settled in Illinois, and there were married. They were the parents of five children, one of which, a son, died in infancy in 1828, and one of which died in infancy in 1829, the fifth child was born in 1832, and was the subject of our sketch.
Mr. Weinle is a member of the Methodist church, and has been a member of that church for many years.

WEIDNER, HENRY, a former of Liver-
pool township, was born at Liverpool, May 21, 1858. He is the son of Charles Weinle, who was born April 7, 1836. His mother was Christina Weinle, born Oct. 28, 1837. They came to Ohio in 1847. Our subject received his education at the public schools of Liverpool township. Besides his farming he continues to engage in the manufacture of furniture, and has been engaged in that line. He understands the handling of machinery in all its departments, and has been engaged in that business for many years.
Mr. Weinle, who has been in business for many years, is the owner of a large and valuable farm, and is one of the wealthiest men in the county. He is a member of the Protestant Episcopal church.

WEITZEL, GEORGE S., is the son of 
Adolphus and Juliana Weitzel, and was born in Germany, near Greifswald, March 24, 1848. Like many who lived in this local-
ity, who were born here, he has been educated at home, and has been a member of the Lutheran church since he was five years old.
Mr. S. is a member of the Congo-

December 10, 1873, he was married to Miss Addie Wilbur, a native of Montverde town-
ship, one of the oldest and best known families in this community. She was born in 1853.
They have now four children, all of whom are living, and all of whom are engaged in business.

WEIDMAN, CHAS. O. The subject of our sketch was born in Dayton, Ohio, in 1828. He is one of the most successful and enterprising business men in the county. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and is one of the most active members of that church. He is a member of the school board, and is one of the most active members of the school board. He is a member of the county and state convention committee, and is one of the most active members of the state convention committee.

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WILBUR, EUGENE C., is a well known and respected citizen of Granville township. He was born in Granville on October 23, 1868. He received his education in the common school and was graduated from the Granville Institute. He is a successful farmer and has a fine farm of 100 acres. He is a member of the Granville Methodist church and has been a leader in the work of the organization for many years. He is a member of the Granville Grange and has been a leader in the work of the organization for many years.

WILBUR, FRANK L. Amos, who was born in Medina county, Ohio, on October 23, 1868, is one of the oldest pioneers of the town of Granville. He was born in the country and has lived in the town of Granville for sixty years. His education was obtained in the common school and was graduated from the Granville Institute. He is a successful farmer and has a fine farm of 100 acres. He is a member of the Granville Methodist church and has been a leader in the work of the organization for many years. He is a member of the Granville Grange and has been a leader in the work of the organization for many years.

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Views of the Oberlin Business College.

SHORTHAND MEDITATION ROOM—CLASSES AT DICTION.

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.—SCHOOL IN SESSION.

A DRINKING FOUNTAIN.—MAIN HALLWAY.

A DORMER IN THE OBERLINER'S SLOAN ROOM.—LAVATORY BEYOND.

The cloak rooms for both ladies and gentlemen are handsomely furnished with hat and coat racks, umbrella racks, French plate mirrors, combs, brushes, piecushions, etc.

The publishers of this Atlas are delighted to be able to present to the citizens of Medina County some views of what is conceded to be America's best equipped Business College.

One of the most magnificent buildings ever erected and fitted up for such a college has recently been completed, some views of which we take pleasure in presenting to the readers of this work, on this and the opposite page.

Young people, not only of Ohio but of the entire country, are to be congratulated that in a college community like Oberlin, combining the luxuries and conveniences of a city with the economy and healthfulness of the country, such advantages are to be secured; and it is not surprising with such an able management of representative business and professional men that a great Business College has been built up in Oberlin, and that annually, in increasing numbers young men and women fitting themselves for business and office positions are going to Oberlin for their training.

We would suggest that young men and women of Medina County, who think of entering such a school, write to Oberlin for information before selecting a College.

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Views of the Oberlin Business College.

**THE NEW BUILDING.**

This two-story brick structure, erected for the Oberlin Business College at a cost of $20,000, was completed in January, 1895. With steam heat, electric lights, corrugated steel ceilings, buff sandstone trimmings, and woodwork finished in natural oak, this is one of the most elegant buildings ever erected and fitted up especially for a business college, while this is one of the few business schools occupying a building erected for its especial use.
Lampson, Adelbert, Mallet Creek.
Logan, James, Mallet Creek.
Lukens, Chas, Medina.
Lampson, Sarah Jane, Mallet Creek.
Lettrey, Gustav, Abbotsville.
Mayer, Jan F., Ernest.
Malin, Peter, Hra., Ernest.
Morlock, Geo., Mallet Creek.
Morock, Joe, Mallet Creek.
Maxwell, Geo., Ernest.
Manning, Geo. A., Mallet Creek.
Mackey, Pete.
Mayer, Jacob, Abbotsville.
Metzger, Geo. W., Abbotsville.
Metzger, J. A., Abbotsville.
Mose, R. C., Elaine Creek.
McIntire, J. H., Mallet Creek.
Miller, Jim, Elkton.
Mayer, Christian, Mallet Creek.
McIntyre, Stratil, Mo., Elmira.
Sumner, C. P., Abbotsville.
Neff, Anthony, Ernest.
Nithkot, Frank, Medina.
Nithkot, El., Medina.
Neff, Geo., Erhart.
Nithkot, Sam, W., Medina.
Nees, Wes, Erhart.
Nigge, Louis, Ernest.
Neff, Joe, Erhart.
Orth, Philip, Abbotsville.
Orte, Theresa C., Abbotsville.
Pace, Jack, Mallet Creek.
Phillips, E. L., Mallet Creek.
Phillips, G. C., Mallet Creek.
Phillips, Sam, Hra., Mallet Creek.
Phillips, T. P., Mallet Creek.
Phillips, C. A., Mallet Creek.
Peters, Andrew, Hra., Abbotsville.
Peters, A. M., Abbotsville.
Peck, E. J., Litchfield.
Waller, Jan, Erhart.
Knudt, Paul, Erhart.
Reuther, Mary, Erhart.
Randles, Harriet, Mallet Creek.
Rezing, J. A., Litchfield.
Roff, Wes, Medina.
Reynolds, Sampson, Erhart.
Starr, Geo., Mallet Creek.
Ruff, Wilhelm, Medina.
Round, W. A., Cleveland.
Shriver, A., Mallet Creek.
Swart, J. E., Mallet Creek.
Stahl, Joe, F., Mallet Creek.
Stude, Levi, Mallet Creek.
Stude, Geo., Mallet Creek.
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Stude, Paul, Maller Creek.
Stude, Fred, Mallet Creek.
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Stude, Geo. W., Mallet Creek.
Stude, Elsworth, Abbotsville.
Stude, Gilbert B., Mallet Creek.
Stude, Freeman, Mo., Medina.
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