

ARTHUR J. HAYCOX.

Among the leading and representative business men of Mansfield is Arthur J. Haycox, the superintendent of the Citizens' Electric Railway, Light & Power Company. He was born in Wales in 1858, and was there reared and

educated in the common schools. His father was a farmer by occupation. In 1874 the family, consisting of parents and seven sons, emigrated to the United States, where the sons are now doing well in business, all being energetic, progressive and capable business men. William E. was the superintendent of the East Cleveland Railway for eleven years, and in 1899 built a line from Galion out to a distance of twelve miles, and now successfully operates the same.

Our subject was with the East Cleveland Railway Company for a time, and before coming to Mansfield was in the employ of the Denver Tramway Company. He also did the largest dairy business in Denver for some years, but sold out in 1894. He attended the World's Fair in Chicago and traveled about four years. For the past six years he has been the superintendent of the Citizens' Electric Railway, Light & Power Company, during which time the system has been extended to the park. The Casino has been built and is about the only place of amusement in the city during the summer months. A street-car line of twelve miles, running from Mansfield to Shelby, has also been built, and is under the supervision of Mr. Haycox. His practical knowledge of all the details of the business, as well as his acquaintance with men, renders him a most valuable superintendent, as is evinced by his continuance in so important a position.

Mr. Haycox married Miss Emma Salter, of Cleveland, Ohio, whose parents came to this country from England. By this union were born two sons,—Arthur J. and Ralph. In politics he is a supporter of the Republican party and its principles. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and the Methodist church, while his wife holds membership in the Christian church.