

1/7/1894 DR. R. H. REED

Leaves Mansfield Tomorrow and Becomes a Resident of Columbus.

Dr. R. H. Reed goes to Columbus tomorrow to become a resident of the latter city. For three years past the doctor has been the Professor of Theory and Practice of Surgery and Clinical Surgery in the Ohio Medical University and since last fall has been chief of the surgical staff of the Protestant Hospital of that city. His duties in these capacities consume so much of the doctor's time that it has become necessary for him to change his place of abode to Columbus, and it is gratifying to his friends to know that he receives a very comfortable salary in connection with his Columbus engagements. His place of residence will be at 150 East Broad street, in the most desirable residence portion of the city.

In his departure from Mansfield Dr. Reed leaves behind him many warm friends who are sorry to have him leave. The doctor has been one of the most successful physicians our city has ever had and he has left his impress on this community. In all matters pertaining to the public health and the general welfare of our city Dr. Reed has always been in the fore front and the improved sanitary condition of this city is due very largely to his unceasing labor in that direction.

The doctor's family will remain in Mansfield until next spring, and in the meantime the doctor will still be with us frequently.

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RICHLAND RECOGNIZED.

J. L. Garber Elected President of the State Association of County Commissioners.

At the meeting of the State Association of County Commissioners, which is in session at Columbus, Richland county has been recognized by the unanimous election of J. L. Garber, our popular county commissioner from the south part of the county, as president of the organization. Immediately after his election Mr. Garber took the chair and delivered an interesting address on the importance of the office of county commissioner.

Mr. Garber's elevation to the presidency of the State Association is not only an honor to himself but reflects credit on the judgment of the voters of Richland county in their selection of county officers.

The SHIELD joins Mr. Garber's many friends in congratulating him upon his preferment.

May Have Been Slugged.

Marshal David Bishop, of Shelby, was in the city today. He says that in his opinion Frank Knapp, who was so mysteriously injured at the junction on Saturday night, did not fall from the train, but was sandbagged or struck on the back of the head with some hard instrument. There is a bad cut on his head, but the skin on his body is not torn as it would have been had he fallen from a train. Knapp is still unconscious and the chances for his recovery are very slight.

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A Pleasant Reception.

Immediately after the concert last evening the Oberlin-Glee Club repaired to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Harroun, No. 228 Park Avenue West, where a reception was held in honor of Charles Harroun and Miss Bess Newell Black. There were over 100 guests present to meet the glee club, of which Herbert Harroun is director. The guests were served with an elegant luncheon during the evening.

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Peter's Rat-tled.

Peter Kaufman, the Mulberry street butcher, mourns the untimely death of his ferret. Mr. Kaufman is bothered by an army of rats that swarm about the building and he was bound to get rid of them. Yesterday he got a ferret and placed the animal in a large rat hole and waited at the hole, with a club, for the rats to run out. After a few minutes he heard something coming out and when a head appeared he struck the supposed rat on the head. When he examined the dead animal he discovered it was the ferret. Now Peter wishes he wasn't such a sure shot with a club.

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A SERIOUS RUNAWAY.

Peter Huffman, a Well-Known Farmer, Sustains a Sprained Arm.

A serious runaway occurred at 9:30 this morning on the South Main street hill. As Peter Huffman, a farmer living west on the Lexington road, was driving down the hill his horse became frightened at the street cars. The animal started to back up and pushed the wagon on the car track. The motor-man stopped the car and thus avoided an accident.

Mr. Huffman turned the horse around and would have gotten along all right if a bundle of laths, which was in the wagon, had not fallen out and struck the horse on the legs. The animal gave a plunge and started down the hill on the run. Mr. Huffman saw he could not stop the horse and tried to get out of the wagon. He fell in doing so and was struck by a wheel. His right arm was sprained and he was severely bruised in the fall. He was taken to the home of his sister on South Diamond street in a buggy and Dr. Foster summoned.

The animal was caught on the south side of Central Park, where it became entangled in the iron railing. Several sacks of wheat, which were in the wagon, were scattered all along the street. The vehicle was badly damaged by being caught on a telephone pole.

A SERIOUS INJURY.

1/15/1894

Frank Knapp, of Shelby, Badly Hurt by a Train.

Frank Knapp, aged 21, a well-known young man of Shelby, was found in a semi-conscious condition near the junction of the B. & O. and the Big Four tracks early Sunday morning. The supposition is that in an attempt to alight from a train he was struck by a bridge. He sustained a large scalp wound on the the back of his head and his clothing was torn to shreds. He is still unconscious and fears are entertained that he will not recover.

The injured man is a bar-keeper and has received some notoriety as an expert pool and billiard player.

NEW YEAR'S HOPS.

1/2/1894

The "Light Fantastic" Tripped by Several Dancing Clubs.

The dance given by the young men of the city in the Elk Parlors last night was one of the events of the season. There were 24 couples present, who enjoyed their favorite amusement to music furnished by a harp orchestra. From out of the city were present Miss Lovette Bertolette, of Leetonia; Miss Winters, of Granville, and Miss Roberta Shumway, of Columbus.

There was a large attendance at the annual dance of the Our Club last night in their rooms in the Masonic Temple. A fine luncheon was served during the evening. Guests from abroad were Mrs. Shumway and daughter, Miss Katherine, of Columbus; Miss Josephine Grigsby and Miss Elsie Phaler, of Columbus; Miss Caroline Butterfield, of Cincinnati; Earl Babst and Miss Jessie Babst, of Crestline; Robert Harter, of Fostoria; Harry Fisher, of Marion; James Thompson, of Springfield; Charles Englehart, of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Gordon, of Columbus.

A Rude Awakening. 3/28/1894

Councilman George Keller experienced a rough awakening while at Toledo several days ago. George and a number of friends had made arrangements to go duck hunting and were to start early in the morning. His friends called at the hotel for him and found that he was still in bed. They went up to his room, followed by a large bird dog, which was thrown on the bed. The animal fell on George's head and the dog's sharp claws cut a deep gash from his mouth to the back of his head. George jumped in the center of the room with a yell that would have done credit to a Comanche Indian. A doctor had to be called to dress the wound, which was very painful.

A NEW TURN 3/14/1894

Taken in the Case of Little Dora Bessie Potter.

E. J. Potter today received word from Cleveland that his attorneys have succeeded in preventing the case of his grandchild from going into the Supreme Court, notwithstanding the reports sent out from Cleveland to the contrary, and that Judge Hamilton would today fix a time to bring the child into court and announce his opinion. Mr. Potter is confident of securing his little granddaughter before many days.

Tobias Swasick Injured.

1/1/1894

J. C. Swasick this morning received word from Galion stating that his brother, Tobias Swasick, of this city, who is employed on the Erie railroad, was seriously injured last evening by being struck by a train. The extent of Mr. Swasick's injuries cannot be learned at present.