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ANDREW CARNEGIE

Donates \$10,000 to Wilmington for a
Public Library Building—His Terms
Will Be Complied With.

HIS LETTER.
NEW YORK CITY, Feb. 4.

Mrs. C. W. Swaim, Wilmington, Ohio:
"MADAM: Responding to your com-
munications: If the city of Wilming-
ton will pledge itself by resolution of
Council to support a free public library
at a cost of not less than one thousand
dollars a year and provide a suitable
site, Mr. Carnegie will be glad to fur-
nish ten thousand dollars to erect a
Free Public Library Building.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES BERTRAM,
Private Secretary.

On January 9 Mrs. C. W. Swaim, who
is a member of the Wilmington Li-
brary Association, an organization of
ladies who compose George Clinton
Chapter, Daughters of the American
Revolution, wrote to Mr. Carnegie
mentioning the fact of his donation of
\$12,000. to Washington C. H. and
\$20,000 to Xenia for library buildings
and suggesting, as well as requesting,
that he make a donation to Wilming-
ton for the same purpose, telling him
of the library already established here.

In a few days she received a reply
inclosing a blank form of certain ques-
tions and a request that they be an-
swered. These questions were in re-
gard to the establishment and conduct
of the library, how it was housed, how
supported, &c. Mrs. Swaim at once
filled up the blank, forwarded it to Mr.
Carnegie and her reply was the letter
quoted above, which came last Friday
morning.

That Wilmington is delighted with
this proposition of Mr. Carnegie goes
without saying. To state that it is al-
so grateful to Mrs. Swaim for having
taken the matter up with him is but
expressing a fact mildly and to assert
that it will fully comply with his terms
is but to assert a sure thing.

The evening of the day the letter
was received the ladies of the Associa-
tion went before Council and Mr.
Swaim presented the letter his wife
had received. The Councilmen were
much pleased with the information
and at once expressed their intention
of doing all they could to carry out
the requirements. But just how to
get at the site matter was a question,
so Mayor Stewart, on motion, appoint-

F. S. BROOK

Wilmington, began Tuesday, February 4, the Great

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

PERFECT IN FIT, STYLE

No sweat-shop work. There has never been so good
gains in Undermuslins as NOW.

10c	49c	7c
This lot contains plain and trimmed Corset Covers, also Children's Drawers, all of par- ticularly good value, for 10c.	Square Necked Gown, with tucked yoke. Front trimmed with Hamburg insertion, set off by ribbon bow.	Square Neck very wide Hem trimmed with d ly hemstitched
Ladies' Muslin Drawers, full size, three tucks. Only one to a customer.	French Corset Cover, trim- med with Hamburg insertion and ruffle of lawn and valenci- ennes lace. Made with straight front effect.	Muslin Gow with four rows insertion betw tucks.
25c	Short Corset Cover, with pointed waist effect, trimmed with French valenciennes in- sertion and lace.	Empire Cam trimmed with t and ribbed bea veres trimmed and edged with
Muslin Skirt. Cambric ruffle with hemstitched tucks and wide hem, 25c. One to a customer.	Cambric Umbrella Drawers, with fine tucks. Ruffle tucked lawn, trimmed with showy lace.	Muslin Gow bard Yoke tri rows Hambur beading, edge ered sleeves to
French Corset Cover, with full ruffle of hemstitched lawn at neck and armholes.	Drawers, trimmed with two clusters of tucks and ruffle of neat Hamburg edge.	Cambric Ski la flounce with and wide hem.
Muslin Gown. Tucked yoke, cambric ruffle round neck and sleeves.	Neat Skirt. Trimmed with tucks and a hemstitched lawn flounce.	Cambric Dra trimmed with Hamburg edge
Cambric Umbrella Drawers, trimmed with wide Hamburg edge.	Cambric Gown, square neck, trim- med across front with wide ribbon beading. Hemstitched, tucked yoke trimmed with four rows of lace in- sertion. Gown ruffled around yoke. Neck and sleeves edged with lace.	Cambric V-neel trimmed with three insertion, between tucks. Fine Hat around neck and also trimmed with

\$1.48

In addition to the above bargains our line includes higher-priced garments, equally desirable

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13. REAL ESTATE

expressing a fact mildly and to assert that it will fully comply with his terms is but to assert a sure thing.

The evening of the day the letter was received the ladies of the Association went before Council and Mr. Swain presented the letter his wife had received. The Councilmen were much pleased with the information and at once expressed their intention of doing all they could to carry out the requirements. But just how to get at the site matter was a question, so Mayor Stewart, on motion, appointed Dr. G. W. Wire, W. R. Shrieves, H. R. Walker and S. S. Linton a committee to meet with a committee of ladies from the Library Association to discuss the subject, arrive at a conclusion if possible and devise ways and means. These committees arranged to meet Monday evening and the Journal goes to press too soon to state what action was taken.

Wilmington now pays \$872 a year for the support of the library, so that this annual allowance will only need to be increased \$128 to raise the amount Mr. Carnegie requires. The levy at present for library purposes is one-half a mill and by increasing it one-sixth of a mill and making the levy hereafter six-tenths of a mill a year the \$1,000 will be provided for.

The matter of buying a site is not so easily settled. In Washington the Council asked authority of the Legislature to issue bonds to the amount of \$8,000 to buy a lot right in the business center of town and the Legislature has passed the bill granting it. To us it seems unwise to erect a library building in the business center amidst the noise and confusion and hustle and bustle of a business street. We would rather see it located a block or two away in a residence district, and such a lot could be bought for not more than \$4,000 and probably less. But all this is a matter of discussion and one for the ladies of the Association and the Council to decide. The town does not care so much about the details as for the main fact that we are to have a handsome library building and that is settled.

Mr. Carnegie will always have the thanks of this community for his generosity.

ONE of the wonderful stage effects in "Old Arkansaw" is an electrical fountain modeled after the one in Lincoln Park, Chicago. It throws sixteen separate streams of water, giving different colors by hidden mechanical effects. It hardly seems possible for a traveling company to put on such a startling stage effect in one night stands, but the management of "Old Arkansaw" spares no expense in adding to every

edge.

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Cambric Gown, square neck, trimmed across front with wide ribbon beading. Hemstitched, tucked yoke trimmed with four rows of lace insertion. Gown ruffled around yoke. Neck and sleeves edged with lace.

Hamburg edge

Cambric V-neck trimmed with thin insertion, betwe tucks. Fine H around neck also trimmed w.

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OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, Feb'ary 13.

FRED. RAYMOND'S

OLD ARKANSAW,

with the original cast. A play of the Southland, with great heart interest—still sparkling with rich comedy.

MORE Great Scenic Effects, Startling Climaxes, Thrilling Situations, Sensational Features, Laughs and Tears, Than any other play now being presented.

SPECIAL SCENERY.

See the great Electrical Fountain, a brilliantly bewildering display that delights and amazes beholders.

Seats on sale at Hildebrand's. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

WALKER & WALKER, Managers of Opera-house.

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Zenas T. Garland, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed and qualified as administrators of the estate of Zenas T. Garland, late of Clinton County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 6th day of February, 1902.

FLORENCE EFFIE GARLAND, JOHN A. KELLEY. m5

Wanted

A young man; one with some experience. The right one with honest and good morals, that wants a position in a Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes and Clothing Store; state age and experience. Address 237, care Journal office. f19

Poultry Notice.

Commencing Saturday morning, February 15, and continuing until Monday noon, February 24, will pay for Hens 8c, young Roosters 7c, good Ducks 7c, good Geese 5 1/2c. W. R. SHRIEVES.

You have one more opportunity at our Ladies' Waists. They are yours at greatly reduced prices. F. S. BROOMHALL.

Don't miss the experiments with liquid air at the Opera-house, next Monday evening. Try "Ko-Mo Wa-Hoo," the Great

Sheriff's Sale

REAL ESTATE.

State of Ohio, Clinton County, ss. Court of Common Pleas.

Addle B. Turner, Plaintiff, vs. Etta B. Turner et al., Order of Sale.

In pursuance of an order of sale issued out of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Clinton and State of Ohio, in the above stated case, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the door of the Court-house, in Wilmington Ohio, on

MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1902.

Between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the county of Clinton and State of Ohio, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Situate in Clark Township, the first tract lying about one-half mile south of New Vienna pike, one mile east of Martinsville. The second tract lying about a mile and a half south of Martinsville, on the Glady pike.

FIRST TRACT.

Situate in the county of Clinton, in the State of Ohio, being part of Survey No. 2391, and bounded and further described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stake in the Martinsville pike, corner to J. Simmons; thence with his lines north 4 deg. east, 42 poles, and north 83 deg. 20 minutes west, 15 50-100 poles to the line of H. Neffner; thence with his line north 4 deg. east, 31 4-100 poles to a stake 35 feet from the center of the B. & O. S. W. R. R. track; thence with the line of said railroad company south 89 1/2 degrees east, 56 1/4 poles to the center of the Wilmington pike; thence with the center thereof south 5 1/2 degrees west, 61 80-100 poles to the corner of A. Garnor; thence with his lines north 89 1/2 degrees east, 26 60-100 poles, south 5 1/2 degrees west, 24 88-100 poles, and north 85 1/2 degrees west, 23 60-100 poles to the center of said pike; thence with the center thereof north 5 1/2 degrees east, 5 poles to the center of said Martinsville pike; thence with the center thereof north 83 degrees 50 minutes west, passing a stone at 30 poles 37 80-100 poles to the beginning containing 25 87-100 acres of land.

SECOND TRACT.

Situate in the county and State aforesaid, parts of Surveys Nos. 2391 and 2396. Beginning at a stake in the center of the Glady pike corner to W. E. Turner; thence with his line south 86 degrees 10 minutes east, 65 8-100 poles to a stone in M. Turner's line; thence with his line south 3 degrees 50 minutes west, passing the line of Nos. 2391 and 2396 at 50 5-100 poles 56 80-100 poles to a stake corner to Lot No. 2; thence with the line of No. 2 north 88 degrees 10 minutes west, 65 46 100 poles to the center of said pike; thence with the center thereof north 7 1/2 degrees east, 6 30-100 poles to a stone and north 3 degrees 50 minutes east, 16 poles to the corner of a 3-acre lot; thence with the lines thereof south 86 degrees 10 minutes east, 15 poles, north 3 degrees 50 minutes west, 15 poles to the center of the pike; thence with the center thereof north 3 degrees 50 minutes east, 28 20-100 poles to the beginning, containing 23 70-100 acres of land, of which 2 57-100 acres are in No. 2396.

First tract appraised at \$70 per acre; total amount, \$1,610 00.

Second tract appraised at \$50 per acre; total amount, \$1,135.

Appraisement made by O. J. Townsend, Geo. E. Carroll and D. B. Hunt.

Terms of Sale.—One-third cash in hand, one-third in one year and one-third in two years from day of sale, the deferred payments to be secured by mortgage of the premises sold and bear 6 per cent. interest from the day of sale.

C. F. VANDERVORT, Sheriff of Clinton County, Ohio.

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