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—Vincennes News: We hope the corn will not turn out this year like the second district Democracy—all cob.

Judge H.C. Newcomb, a member of the supreme court of Indiana, died at Indianapolis recently. Jas. A. Black, former reporter of the supreme court, was appointed to fill the vacant chair.

T. H. Courier: Senator Voorhees is at Spencer, defending a man for murder. The law forbids him receiving pay as a Senator while so employed. Will he exact his pay from the government, while so engaged?

The Supreme Court of Ohio has declared the Pond liquor-tax law unconstitutional. The law is the one levying a special tax on saloons. The Constitution of Ohio forbids the licensing of the liquor traffic at all, and the Pond law is held to be a license law and, therefore, unconstitutional. The conditions do not apply to other States. The decision does not affect the Sunday closing law, known as the Smith law.

Dakota is filling up rapidly with immigrants, largely German. The advantages of locating there are summed up in fertility of soil, which makes a satisfactory pecuniary return almost a certainty. The total cost of going there, buying a 160-acre section of Government land, breaking it up, cultivating it, and reaping the first crop is estimated at about \$650. The value of the first crop is fixed at \$900, and after that the expense will be much smaller and grow smaller every year, while the return will constantly increase. The disadvantages are deficient wood supply, the bitter winds that blow over the exposed prairie, the severe winters, and the complete isolation during that season. Nevertheless, emigrants continue going there.

—Terre Haute Express: The Express has authentic information from a gentleman on the inside circle, to the effect that the prospects are very flattering for the early completion of R. G. Hervey's Indianapolis & Evansville Straight Line. Hervey has had three propositions from as many corporations to hold off and carry it to completion. The one most favorable to him is the Seney syndicate, which controls the Nickel-plated route, the Lake Erie & Western, and a system of Southern roads almost as vast as that of the Louisville & Nashville. The plan is that the syndicate in to extend the Lake Erie & Western from Muncie to Indianapolis, then to connect with the Straight Line to Evansville. The system will be extended from the latter point to connect with the East Tennessee & Georgia.

—Mr. Cam. Treat and Miss Ida Purdie were married at the residence of the bride's parents on Sunday night.

GEORGE Bunkert's is the place to buy your fresh bread, rolls, pies and cakes. Only the best and purest materials used in baking.

Sale of Personal Property.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I, W. A. Adams, Executor of the personal property belonging to the estate of said deceased, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

THURSDAY, July 6th, 1882,

at the late residence of said Allen Sparks, in Indian Creek township, Monroe county, Indiana, the personal property belonging to the estate of said deceased, consisting of horses, cows, 30 head of fowls, old and new masts, cattle, wagons, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture and various other articles.

Sale to begin at 9 o'clock a.m. sharp.

Terms of Sale: For all amounts not exceeding \$1000, cash in hand.

For amounts of five dollars and upwards, a credit of six months will be given.

Notes bearing six per cent. interest after maturity, with approved security, and waiving valuation or appraisal laws, will be required.

BEN. F. ADAMS, Executor.

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Decoration Day.

Their sabres rust,
Their swords are dust,
Their souls are with the Saints we trust."

Decoration Day was observed in Bloomington with beautiful and appropriate ceremonies, the program being carried out to the letter. It is a matter for local congratulation that Bloomington was one of the first towns to observe this custom, and that the interest is on the increase. In spite of many prophecies that the ceremony would be short lived; in spite of the adverse criticisms of the too numerous class who flatter themselves that they are intensely common-sense and practical, the day devoted to this beautiful custom is, we trust, growing to be a National Holiday. Its influence is at once soothing and strengthening. It recalls the memories of the war without its bitterness. In the office, at the workshop, in the field, it finds the civilian of to-day, who was the veteran of '65, paying a silent tribute to the sleeping comrades who fought with him at Bull Run, or marched side by side with him from Atlanta to the sea. It awakens tender memories of the lonely sentinel duty, of the bivouac under the stars, of cheerful camp-fire scenes. It enables him to live over again the experiences of a soldier's life without any of its pain.

It stimulates the growth of patriotism. Our soldiers were not a distinct class, educated for the service of war, but sprang from the great body of the people; the spontaneous outgrowth of the feeling which followed the bombardment of Sumter. It is a truth which no serious minded man can deny that there is a tendency to caste feeling developing in our National social life. To a very great extent the wealth and political honors are being confined to more limited channels. That there are many notable exceptions, it is true, but a very superficial glance at our past history must, we think, lead to the conclusion, that the social barriers, which inevitably grow with the growth of a government are surely being developed. Any celebration therefore which tends to revive the memories of a time when all participated in the anxiety for the safety of a common country should not be discontinued.

To the widows and orphans of the unnamed dead it will be a consolation to think that whether the missing soldier sleeps beneath the laurel or the willow, his resting place will be cared for by other hands.

To those who scattered flowers above the graves, marked only by a numbered slab, it will be their reward to realize that they have paid the homage which fate has denied others the poor privilege of offering.

To the army of veterans which grows smaller year by year, it will be comforting to believe that the Nation will not in future years forget the occupants of "That low green tent whose curtain never outward swings."

—What is the use to worry over the prohibition question? A "prominent physician" says persons can "become intoxicated on deep and rapid inhalations of pure air." Now we can't prohibit air, and we can't prevent people taking "rapid inhalations," or to speak plain English "driving their breath quick" so we might as well stop all the "resolution" about prohibition and relieve a great many statesmen of the trouble of getting down off the fence.

—A pretty idea was carried out at a fashionable wedding in London the other day. The bride's dress was of white brocade, and the bridesmaids appeared each in a different color, or rather tint, so pale of hue were their pretty dresses. One was in pale blue, another in pale pink, a third in pale yellow, and the fourth in pale green, while all four wore large picturesque white hats, trimmed with feathers and flowers to match their respective dresses, and each carried a bunch of flowers which also harmonized in color with her gown.

—Chicago has had a box-nailing contest. The feet was to make thirty boxes, each two feet long, a foot wide, and a foot high, and fastened by twenty-seven nails, the boards being previously sawed. The winner's time was exactly half an hour.

—The author of "See That My Grave is Kept Green" is in jail at Indianapolis. Show this item to the poets and song writers in your neighborhood, and tell them that the police are after the author of "Grandfather's Clock," "Silver Threads Among the Gold" and other little ditties. This is an age of reform, and there is plenty of room in the jails.

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