

The Review.

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School Fund.

The June apportionment of the school funds has just been completed by the state department. The last per capita allowance was \$1.41; this one is \$1.45. The enumeration of children of school age in this county is 8,423. The tax collected from this county is \$13,639.75; the amount received will be \$12,213.35, a sum \$1,426.40 less than is paid out by the taxpayers. This goes to help out the poorer counties, but it is much less for Montgomery than several others. Marion for example, loses nearly \$40,000. Tippecanoe almost \$6000. The despised Posey loses almost \$1,000 showing that in reality she is far ahead of many other counties in the state. The total amount collected from the counties is \$1,107,064.12 and this added to the amount from the state treasury makes \$1,129,197.52. \$33,432.42 of this is not apportioned. Compared with last year the total apportioned is \$31,289.65 greater. This indicates a prosperous condition. The county auditors will receive the respective apportionments shortly, and the amounts will be divided among the townships and school corporations of each county.

Exploded.

Gasoline is a very high explosive, but it is in such common use that people are apt to overlook its dangerous properties. Miss Theda Eldridge was forcibly reminded of the fact, however, when on Tuesday morning she attempted to fill the tank of a gasoline stove. The fluid suddenly burst into a mass of flames that flashed into her face and enveloped her hands. She and her little brother were both burned considerably. She rushed in fright to the door to throw out the burning can just as her mother, Mrs. Sim Eldridge, was entering the house. The latter was struck by the can and her clothing was ignited. The flames however were quickly extinguished, and her burns were more painful than serious. A physician was called and the burns treated. While not dangerous the wounds are quite painful, and as a reminder that gasoline must be handled with care are an eminent success.

William Enoch Dead.

William Enoch, an old and highly respected citizen of Crawfordsville, died, Thursday morning, from the effects of heart disease, at the age of 84 years. Death came to him while at the breakfast table. He suddenly fell asleep and in a few minutes he was dead.

Mr. Enoch was a native of Butler county, Ohio, Dec. 22, 1815, and during his younger days worked in the mills of Middletown and Dayton. He came to Indiana while still a young man. He was married in 1841 to Permelia White. One son was born to them, who died in 1837. His wife died in 1888. Since then he has been alone in the world. In religion he was a Universalist and in politics an ardent Republican. He was honest in his convictions, a straightforward man and model citizen. The funeral will occur Sunday at 2 o'clock from the first Presbyterian church under the auspices of the Odd Fellows.

The home and office of Louis McMains were visited by burglars Monday night. They got nothing.

A brakeman named West, on the Big 4, had his hand badly mangled while coupling cars at the Hillsboro coal chute, last Wednesday.

Alfred Wells was taken to the Insane Hospital at Indianapolis, on last Wednesday by Sheriff Canine and deputy Barton. He was very quiet on the way over and at the asylum.

The Board of Review has raised the assessment of the Indiana Natural & Illuminating Gas Co., considerably from the amount returned by the Co., to the assessors. The raised figures are as follows: Crawfordsville, \$2,060; Union township, \$940; Franklin township, \$1,150. Total, \$4,150. The reduction of Darlington \$65, on account of an error in footings leaves a total valuation of \$4,085.

Sheriff Canine took Miss Dora Shrader, of Scott township, to the Central Insane Hospital Monday. The family had kept her at home for a long time, hoping that she would grow better, but she became violent last Saturday and injured herself by leaping from a widow. It was thought best to remove her to where she could be cared for properly.

LITTLE LOCALS.

ABOUT THE MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE--SHORT AND CRISP.

What The Public is Doing, at Home and Other Places Near by.

One of the attractions at Waynetown on July 4th, will be the P. O. S. of A. drill corps of this city.

Special prices on carriages and harness for the next 30 days, George Abraham, 132 West Main street, 4t.

The Epworth League tendered Rev. F. W. Nadal a reception in the M. E. church parlors Tuesday evening.

The work of laying concrete foundations and brick was commenced on the new Crawford building last Wednesday.

Mrs. Nancy Grimes, of Russellville, died of cancer Tuesday last. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. George S. Durham of this city.

The Supreme court has overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of Henry Busenbark vs Henry Clements, sent from this county.

After June 30 the man who is so inclined can dig his worms and go fishing without fear from the Fish Commissioner. There will be no charm in it now as the law does not object.

Berrie A. aged 11 years, daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Thomas died Tuesday night, at the home of the mother on Plum street. The funeral was held at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The brick work on the foundation of the Crawford building has been begun and the work is being pushed rapidly. The work was begun at one end before the excavation was completed at the other.

The "terrible wreck" on the Big Four at Danville, Ill., in which so many were said to be killed and injured, shows up in the line of casualties a boy with a broken leg and a few demoralized cars.

Miss Bess Nicholson is now regularly in the choir of Dr. McIntyre's church at Chicago. It is a splendid position, and Miss Nicholson's friends rejoice that she has made such a success in the Windy City.

Mrs. Eliza Sinclair has brought action for divorce from John T. She asks for the custody of their five children and \$600 alimony. She declares that John has abandoned them and has contributed no support for two years. They live in Coal Creek township.

The front of the old Fisher drug store on Green street is being torn out and will be replaced by a modern one. It is understood that the drug stock of R. C. Smith has been purchased by an Indianapolis party who will open it up when the work is completed on the building.

Terre Haute is arranging to care for 50,000 people during the two days pow-wow of the Red Men which will be held there. The Red Men will come in all the paint and panoply of war. They have decided to have a sure massacre, as one of the great attractions of the meet.

Miss Mary H. Krout will spend part of this week in this city with Miss Mary Dean, and will leave July 1 for San Francisco, from which port she will sail for China, to be gone indefinitely. Miss Krout will act as special correspondent for a number of papers--Indianapolis Journal.

At her home on west Main street on Monday afternoon, Miss Mae Cunningham gave a handkerchief shower in honor of Miss May Stilwell, whose wedding occurred on Wednesday evening. The occasion was most pleasant and numerous and elegant gifts were given the prospective bride.

The will of T. J. Lehr has been probated. The estate valued at \$8,500 is left to his wife during her lifetime, and at her death is to be divided among his sister, Mrs. Bloemka, his adopted daughter, Mrs. Hattie Hill and her daughter Ida Hill, and his two nieces, Eliza Lehr and Frankie Lehr. John M. Schultz is named as executor.

Nursing Mothers

dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby. All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant.

50c. and \$1. All druggists.

PIG PARADISE.

Why don't some one correspond from Crazy Creek?

Art Duncan spent Saturday night and Sunday at Ab Lewis's.

Mrs. John Grater called on Miss Florence Demoret Monday.

"Sandy" and Charley White put up bay for Mrs. R. B. Snyder, this week.

One White and cousin, William Hall, met, the other day, for the first time since infancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swank spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis.

Aunt Betsy Williams, of Somerset, Ken., is visiting in this neighborhood. She is 73 years of age, but is as spry as a girl of 16.

While pitching hay, one day last week, Harry Endean accidentally stuck a pitchfork in his brother Tom's leg, causing a painful wound.

I was in error, last week, in regard to the item about Master Floid Hammer. He is eight years old, and picked 7½ gallons of cherries in four hours.

I hear that Dan King and "Sandy" have compromised. It is said that King is returning good for evil by allowing "Sandy's" old Dick to run at large.

For a basket of elegant eatables I am under obligations to Mrs. Dora Lewis and Mrs. William Viers. May Heaven's richest blessings be showered upon you, ladies.

I spent Sunday among the classic scenes of Pine Ridge and Crazy Creek, and was well entertained by William Viers and his good wife. Long may they wave.

John Quinlin, aged 96, a native of the Emerald Isle, called on Charley Lewis Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Quinlin is in his second childhood and tells some interesting tales of the old country.

An ice cream supper was given by Miss Lou Morris, the refined daughter of D. S. Morris, on Wednesday evening, at the home of her father. A merry crowd of young folks was on hand and a good time was had by all.

Alice Biggs no longer wears the belt as the best berry picker of Woodland farm. Daisy Endean is now the champion. Mr. Breaks says there has been over 1,200 gallons of strawberries picked this season, which netted him a profit of \$180 over and above expenses. "Sallie Barlow" picked the first picking of raspberries. Sallie is a Pearl of the first water.

Boss Viers and I had the pleasure of eating supper with Charley and Dora Lewis on Tuesday, after which we all took the Crazy Creek hack for Pine Ridge to be present at the celebration. The ride was the wildest and most thrilling one I ever experienced. The driver was a reckless dare-devil, and the rapidity with which he swished around short curves was appalling. I thought I'd shake to pieces as along the road we flew. I sat between Boss and Charley, and my ribs have been sore ever since. They like to squeeze me to death. Dora had better keep a watchful eye on Charley. He flirts with me whenever her back is turned. And Boss is just as bad as Charley. Ethel had better look after him. He's too loving with me.

Ed and "Boss" went on the Chicago excursion, last Sunday. On the return trip, the train arrived at the Monon station about 6 o'clock Monday morning. Ed and "Boss" were seen to get off the train and start toward home, but as the morning hours glided by they failed to show up at the farm. The dinner bell rang and still they came not. Fears were entertained that murder or matrimony had been committed. Some thought they had been kidnapped by Gypsies along the road. A party was organized and started out to look for the lost lads. A diligent search was made. No trace of them could be found. The men were on the point of giving up the search when they heard a peculiar noise that seemed to proceed from the hill north of the valley school house. It sounded like some one calling hogs through a water spout. The men rushed on the top of the hill, and behold! The lost was found. The boys were lying under an oak tree sound asleep and snoring in stentorian tones. Like "The babes in the woods" the birds were covering them with leaves. They were awakened and could not be convinced that they were not in Lincoln Park until they got out on the road.

Tuesday evening witnessed the most superb and social soiree of the summer season. It was given by William Viers, the genial berry merchant and fruit grower, in honor of his birthday anniversary. Some seventy-five invited guests congregated at his hospitable and happy home on the afore-said evening. About twelve gallons of ice cream were devoured on this festive occasion. The long snowy table was handsomely adorned with fragrant and fascinating flowers. A dozen choice cakes beamed upon the bountiful board. Prominent among these pearls of the pan was an elegant rose-banana and a juicy jello cake, both of which were stirred up and baked by Miss Verna Viers, the excellent daughter of our host. She also compounded the ice cream, which was delightfully pleasing to the palate, each freezer being of a different flavor. Both cake and cream were highly relished by all. Mr. Viers received several nice presents. Among the number was a handsome rocking chair, which was presented to him by Miss Verna. Miss Florence Demoret graced the assemblage and assisted in making the occasion a success. Feasting, mirth, and social conversation continued until time flew from us like an idle dream, and it was quite late when the well-pleased throng started homeward through the gloom, being guided by the friendly aid of lightning bugs that glowed fitfully in the air of June. The ghostly hour of 12 was striking as the cry of "All aboard for the Paradise!" rang out over Pine Ridge farm, and the hack rolled down the woody lane with its load of gleeful gormandizers. May Mr. Viers live to see many more such happy anniversaries, while the years run on, undisturbed by storm or strife, and as he approaches the snowy hills of life's winter, go smiling behind the misty veil as "one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

Choice of about 75 ladies light colored wrappers per worth from 75c to \$1.50 at 50

Ladies all wool shirt waists worth up to \$2.50 75

25 ladies silk waists worth \$4.50 at 25

All lawn, gingham and percale shirt waists at reduced prices.

BEGINNING OF THE END!

The new store is nearing completion and we will occupy it soon with the handsomest stock in the state. This will necessarily bring the great sale we have been conducting in our temporary quarters to a close in the near future. Until we move we will offer every article in our entire stock at a special price rather than move it. We own all our goods at the lowest price they ever reached and they have lately advanced from ten to twenty per cent, and we cannot replace them at prices we will name. It is likely there will not be another price opportunity such as this for years. We schedule a items only, but you have only to think of what you want to know that you can buy it at bargain prices in this

Great Moving Sale

Big Dress Goods Sale.

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| 25 pc novelty goods, plain and plaids, worth 10c and 12½c, no | 7c yd |
| 20 pc novelty and plain goods, worth 15c and 20c, now | 11c yd |
| 25 pc novelties, worth 25c, now | 15c yd |
| 12 pc plaids, jacquards, mohairs, silk and wool mixtures, worth 40c, 50c and 60c | 30c yd |
| 50 pc high novelties, silk mixtures, plaids, jacquards, bengalines, prunelleas, cords, etc., worth 70c, 75c and 85c at | 40c yd |
| 10 pc black goods. Priestly and Gold Medal brands, worth 75c to \$1, choice | 60c yd |
| 12 pc Priestly and Gold Medal blacks, newest designs, worth \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.35 | 75c yd |
| Special low prices on fine Guadine pattern lengths: 12 worth \$12.00 at \$6.00 | 2 worth \$25.00 at \$13.75 |
| 1 " 16.00 " 8.75 | 1 " 30.00 " 14.50 |
| 2 " 20.00 " 11.00 | 1 " 35.00 " 19.75 |
| 3 " 22.50 " 12.75 | 1 " 25.00 " 15.00 |

Silks.

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| 200 pc novelty silks, short lengths, worth 25c, 35c and 50c, choice | 19c yd |
| Fancy silks suitable for shirt waists, worth 75c and \$1 | 39c yd |
| Short lengths in fancy silks, worth \$4.25, \$1.50 and \$2, at | 55c yd |
| Colored taffetas worth 75c | 50c yd |
| Black brocades worth 75c and \$1 at | 50c yd |
| Colored bengalines worth \$1, at | 55c yd |
| Beautiful silks suitable for waists, dress trimmings, etc., worth \$1 to \$1.50 | 60c yd |

Linings.

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| 200 pc hair cloth worth 20c yd at | 10c yd |
| 200 pc fancy stripe skirt linings worth 12½ and 15c | 6c yd |

Prints and Domestics.

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| Shirting prints | 3c yd |
| Regular 5c dress prints | 3½ yd |
| Regular 6c dress prints | 4½ yd |
| Yard wide brown muslin worth 5c | 3¾ yd |
| Bleach muslin, soft gauze, worth 7c | 4½ yd |
| Several branded bleached muslins worth 8½c | |