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DO MORE THAN MERE ROUTINE

Teachers should enter upon their work with a firm resolve to do more than mere routine work—to simply go through the motion of imparting instruction to their pupils. The first thing to do is to study the nature and disposition of pupils and to start out with an honest purpose to win their respect, confidence and esteem. Without this little can be accomplished with the average pupil. Next in importance is the cultivation of tact. A tactless teacher is certain to be a failure, no matter how well he or she may be educated. Tact is all-important. It overcomes many difficulties and surmounts many obstacles. Politeness and courtesy should be strongly impressed upon the youthful mind as being cardinal virtues, and uncoyness and ruffianism should be adjudged vices. Principals of schools should be in constant touch with the teachers under their supervision and impress them with the importance of conforming to the ideas governing that particular school. The principal is the guiding star and should be so regarded by the teachers.—South Bend Times.

The state platform recently adopted by the Maryland Democrats, contains



question

HOW long are you going to fuss along with that old dilapidated Buggy, paying out a big part of what a new buggy would cost, for repairs? Have a vehicle in which you can take pride as well as comfort. Altho the season for selling is nearing its close, the season for riding will run on indefinitely. Our repository offers a wide choice in surreys, buggies, phaetons, runabouts and stanhopes for this time of year; and we are not asking so much for them as formerly. It's a good time to make a change. Let us show you.—If you use Harness in any way, shape or form, you will be pleased to find such a complete stock of HAND-MADE work and buggy harness and sundries kept in Decatur. This is the time of year your horse needs fly nets, and we have them at any price. Bring on your repair work.

EMANUAL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Next Sunday the Emanuel Lutheran church in Union township will celebrate mission feast. Rev. Thiele, of South Bend, will deliver the morning sermon, and Rev. Kossman, of Conroy, Ohio, will preach in the afternoon. The public is invited to these services. G. Bauer, Pastor.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics, for they are not only safe but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taking at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Lagrippe, etc. Hence the name Preventics. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25 cents. Tins boxes 5 cents. Sold by W. H. N. Schaefer Hardw. Company

AT THE TOP AGAIN

Locals Take First Game from Kokomo

BY SCORE OF TWELVE TO THREE

Bluffton Defeats Richmond and Portland Beats Van Wert—Double Header Here Today.

GAMES TODAY.
Kokomo at Decatur—2 games.
Richmond at Bluffton—2 games.
Portland at Van Wert.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Decatur 12; Kokomo 3.
Portland 5; Van Wert 2.
Bluffton 7; Richmond 4.

STANDING.
Won. Lost. Pct.
Decatur 23 17 .575
Richmond 23 17 .575
Portland 20 18 .527
Kokomo 20 20 .500
Bluffton 17 23 .425
Van Wert 15 23 .397

On a field that was a sea of mud and in a misty rain, Decatur proved to be the best mud horses and defeated Kokomo in the first game of the series by a score of twelve to three. The antics of the players at times was most amusing, as at no time was fast fielding thought of, and it was up to the team that did the heaviest batting to win, and that team proved to be Decatur. Lacey, our old hoodoo, was on the slab for the visitors, and what the locals did to him was a plenty, and at the end of the second inning he gave up the ghost and hiked for the bench, which he warmed for the remainder of the game. While Lacey lasted, singles and doubles came fast and furious, and it was a wonder that the heavy hitting did not bring down a thunderstorm instead of a mist. Heretofore Lacey has always proven effective against the locals, and as the manager of the visitors was contemplating taking three games, he sent our old foe in against us and the way in which we evened up old scores was a shame. Cy Stout, a big six footer, essayed to take up the work where Lacey stopped, and did exceptionally well until the fifth inning, when a little batting rally let in three runs and Stout looked as if he was willing to give up the job, but no other available pitcher being on hand he was forced to stay. Lefty Behringer was selected to work for Decatur, and Captain Behringer certainly showed excellent judgment in using him, as he had everything, and showed that he was the candy kid when it came to handling a wet and slippery ball. Six hits was all the visitors could register in nine innings and he forced nine men to fan, not a bad record for a bad day. The hitting of the locals was all that could be asked for, and after getting on bases the boys ran wild, securing eight stolen bases off of Catcher Orr. The victory put us a tie with Richmond, as Bluffton proved herself to be the right team in the right place and now that we are on top, we are going to be hard to dislodge. The score tells the tale.

Decatur.

Name.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Cullen, 3b	5	2	4	1	2	0
Pierce, rf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Witham, 1b	5	1	3	10	0	1
Burns, If	5	3	2	0	0	0
Johnson, cf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Wallace, ss	5	0	1	0	2	0
Behringer, 2b	4	1	1	4	1	0
Quinn, c	4	1	0	8	3	0
Richardson, p.	4	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	42	12	17	27	9	1

Kokomo.

Name.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Shinn, If	5	0	0	0	0	0
Zelaris, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2
Gillis, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Stout, rf-p	3	0	1	3	3	0
Hall, ss	4	0	0	0	1	1
Wise, 1b-3b	4	0	0	3	0	0
Grimes, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Spicer, 1b-c	3	1	1	7	1	0
Orr, c	2	1	1	8	2	0
Lacey, p.	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blitz, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	7	24	9	5
Kokomo	0	0	2	1	0	0
Decatur	4	4	0	3	0	1
x-12						

Summary:
Two base hits—Cullen, Wallace, Orr, Stout. Struck out—By Richardson 9; by Lacey 3; by Stout 8. Left on bases—Decatur 6; Kokomo 6. Passed balls—Orr, Spicer. Hit by pitcher—Spicer, Stout, Orr. Stolen bases—Cullen, Pierce, Witham, Burns, Wallace, Behringer 2, Richardson, Shinn. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—McCorckle.

NOTES.

Price, in running to first, after making a pretty bunt, had the mis-

fortune to be hit on the hump by the ball, Lacey throwing it. Jim escaped uninjured.

Again we are tied for first place.

Lacey, our old hoodoo, did not have the goods and was Laceyed all over the lot.

Cullen had his batting clothes on, securing four safe drives in five times up. The fifth time he fanned.

Orr was an easy mark for the locals when it came to stealing bases, and the boys only pilfered eight. Orr's work in throwing to bases was decidedly off color.

Only one error in the mud is quite a remarkable feat for any team; this lone black mark being to Witham, who could not take in a nasty throw.

Richardson had the goods, and his delivery was unsolvable to the visitors, and he was only touched up for six bingles. He struck out nine men, but unfortunately hit three of the opposing batsmen.

A double header is the bill for today, and the boys are going to work hard for two victories. If we can capture two games, our chances for the pennant look decidedly bright, but otherwise the complexion would be something awful. Let's all pull any way.

The antics of both teams trying to field in the mud was very amusing, and evoked much laughter from the audience.

NOTICE OF SALE OF MACADAM ROAD BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that I, J. F. Lachot, treasurer of Adams County, State of Indiana, will on

Tuesday, September 17, 1907,

at the room of the board of commissioners in the auditor's office in the city of Decatur, Indiana, receive sealed bids for the purchase and sale of certain macadamized road bonds hereinafter described ordered issued by the board of commissioners of said county for the construction of the roads hereinafter named as follows, to-wit:

For the construction of the C. E. Bollinger Macadam road extension 4, in Monroe township, Adams County, Indiana, the entire issue of bonds for said road being in the sum of \$3,420.00, being in twenty semi-annual payments bearing date of Sept. 15, 1907, and each bond being in the sum of \$171.00, with 4½ per cent interest, payable semi-annually with coupons attached.

Sealed bids will be received until 10 o'clock a.m. of said day. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check in amount equal to three per cent of the amount of the bid, which check must be drawn against monies deposited in any reliable bank in said county; said check must be made payable or endorsed to the board of commissioners and shall be held as guarantee for the performance of such bid, and should such bid be accepted the said check shall be forfeited to the county, should the bidder fail to comply with the conditions of his said bid. Each of said bonds will bear date of Sept. 15, 1907, and should the bonds be not ready for delivery on the day the said bids are received and accepted, the interest will be refunded by the purchased at the rate of four and one-half per cent from date of Sept. 15, 1907, until the date when the purchase price of said bonds are paid to the county treasurer and the bonds delivered.

The above described bonds will become due on the 15th day of May, and the 15th day of November of each year, commencing with May 15, 1908, and are made payable, including interest, at the Old Adams County Bank, Decatur, Indiana. Said bonds are issued exclusively for the expense of the construction of the above described roads pursuant to the laws of 1897, 1899 and 1903. The amounts of bonds to be sold including bonds already sold in said townships for free gravel and macadam roads is less than four per cent of the total valuation of said township for taxation.

Further particulars will be furnished on application.

Bids must be on each set of bonds separately. J. F. LACHOT, d-t, County Treasurer.

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