

Just handing a few bargains the remainder of this week.

Boys' felt hats now at \$1.35 a pair, 40 cases of men's felt hats running in sizes 9 to 12 \$1.60 a pair.

We have a slippers left which we are giving out at a bargain

## Tague Soe Store

### WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; slowly rising temperature.

Billy Brazer is visiting at Tol Ohio.

C. J. Alwein is visiting at Wayne today.

Noah Loch went to Geneva last evening on business.

V. E. Hauke, of Portland, passed through the city to Ohio.

A. A. Zimmerman was a business caller yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Schindler has gone to Monroe to be the guest of Mrs. A. Leitch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. DeWitt are visiting their son, DeWitt.

Fred Houpe, of St. John, is a guest of Fred Furin were Decatur today.

A. Bricker, of Briant, has been to his home after looking after business in the city.

George Glendinning, mother, his home at Geneva, and twelve business trip to mourn their loss.

Mrs. G. A. of the Pleasant arrived in the city.

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Fred Furin, of Fort Wayne, is visiting Fred Houpe, of St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Everett are visiting relatives at Pleasant Mills.

J. L. Kemp from Itasca, Iowa, is the guest of his nephew, Mr. T. R. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones and children, of Pennville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

Misses Lilah Lachot and Bess Baumgartner went to Bluffton yesterday to make a visit with friends.

Miss Peare Davis passed through here today enroute from Huntington to her home at Lynn, Indiana.

Mrs. E. L. Carroll and daughter Mrs. Dag Vail, are doing their shopping at Fort Wayne today.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Peters have gone to Bluffton for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Erman Mentzer.

Mrs. William Doehrmann and babe came to the city yesterday to remain for the New Years with relatives.

Mr. C. V. Owens, of Massillon, Ohio, arrived today to spend the New Year day with E. Woods and family.

B. S. Brown, of Monroe, transacted business in our city yesterday and returned to his home last evening.

Mrs. T. Lutz, of Geneva, was the guest of friends in our city yesterday and returned to her home last evening.

Mrs. Wasson, of Bluffton, has returned to her home from a visit in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Railing.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Mahoney, of Bluffton, have arrived for a several days' visit with friends and relatives.

We have just received a few cars of Chestnut coal. Call early if you need it. Decatur Lumber Co. 315-4th.

Dr. Earl G. Coverdale returned to Chicago this morning, being called there in response to a telegram to attend to some hospital work.

Mrs. Ed Gilliland, of Bluffton, attempted to commit suicide by inhaling chloroform, but was discovered and prevented before she had gotten under the influence of the drug.

A number of Decatur and Adams county Democrats will leave this evening for Portland to attend the district convention. Those who attend will all be enthusiastic Ellingham men.

The council will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening for the first time during the new year, and will dispose of whatever business may come before them. The opening session promises to be an interesting one.

James Dailey and T. Sawyer arrived this morning from Bluffton and will assist in the orchestra this evening at the Elks minstrels. A full orchestra will be used on this occasion and this will materially assist in the choruses and songs.

Special services were conducted this morning at the St. Marys Catholic church, it being known as a holiday, the services being the same as those had on Sunday. Father Wilken officiated being ably assisted by Father George, and the services were attended by large crowds.

The man with one eye and the same number of legs who was placed in jail some time ago for begging, and being drunk, was released this morning. Sheriff Meyer wishes for us to request the people of Decatur not to sympathize with this man and help him, as he is not deserving of any assistance whatever.

Marshal Bohnke arrested an umbrella mender yesterday and lodged him in jail to await a hearing before Mayor D. D. Coffey. The man was in a drunken condition and caused much excitement on Main street. In taking him to jail Bohnke experienced a little difficulty but after he placed the chain on his arm he was easily managed.

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## NEW YEAR SOCIETY

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an informal watch party. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Another family New Year's dinner which was given this noon was the one held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hale at twelve o'clock. The members of the family who were there were: Mr. and Mrs. John S. Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith and family.

A prettily appointed New Year's dinner was the one given for the family by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell, at five o'clock this evening. Candles and bells with the remaining decorations of the season made the home look very inviting to their friends who were: Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bell and daughter Patsy, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Merryman and daughter Frances and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Quinn and daughter, Mrs. Dick Townsend, of Peoria, Ill.

Many of the ladies of the U. B. church are in attendance at the Ladies' Aid society which convened at the beautiful country home of Mrs. Burt Wolfe today.

The Women's Missionary society will convene in its regular monthly session in the U. B. church tomorrow evening. All the ladies and friends of the society are invited.

T. M. Reid was host at a pinocle party last evening, given at the Commercial club room to company of his friends, who were: Dr. Earl Coverdale, F. E. France, Dr. Roy Archbold, Judge R. K. Erwin, Judge Merryman, Harry Moltz, L. G. Ellingham, Will Schrock.

Mrs. Christ Strehle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hoyer at a New Year dinner at twelve o'clock this noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFeely and children, of Fort Wayne, Ind., arrived last evening to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bain today at luncheon and dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burdick delightfully entertained a few of their neighbors at a watch party New Year's eve, at their home. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

The young girls of the A. H. C. club were royally entertained at Brookside farm, situated south of the city, by Miss Jean Lutz, at a clumber party last evening. The girls were taken out in a large spring wagon. Refreshments were served at the New Year hour and this morning a delicious breakfast was served the girls who were: Misses Frances Dugan, Lucile Cusack, Ada Murray, Helen Niblick, Harriet Morrison, Marie Boknecht, Inez Snellen, Leota Bailey, Bessie Boyers, Mildred Lynch, of Fort Wayne, Ind.

A delightful New Year's party given last evening to watch the old year out and the new year in, was the one given by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Frances, to a company of relatives. The evening passed like a flash, while playing pinch and various games, also John Wemhoff favored them with several instrumental piano solos. At twelve o'clock an elegant luncheon was served the guests who were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alwein, Misses Inez Everett, Margaret Bremerkamp, Elizabeth Peterson, Messrs. Cal Peterson, Tom Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lower.

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complimentary guests at a watch party last evening given by their hostess, Miss Irea Erwin. One of the main features of the evening was the marshmallow contest. The prize awarded to Miss Edith Butler, after which a two course luncheon was served to the following guests: Ruth and Frances Miller, Edith Butler, Vera Hower, Edith Green, Lulu Atz, Dora and Rose Schlickman, Alice Knappe, Tena McKean, Mary Brancay.

Miss Cecil Eady charmingly entertained Miss Edna Segur, of Angola, Ind.; Misses Ruth Buhler and Agnes Eady at a six o'clock dinner last evening. After the dinner, Miss Buhler favored the guests with several selections on the piano.

A small impromptu affair last evening was the New Year's watch party given by Mrs. C. V. Connell. At a late hour an elegant two course luncheon was served. The out of town guests were: Misses Bessie Vonehy, Bessie Witte, Rose Martin, Mr. N. Laughlin, of Fort Wayne.

Geo. Ulmer, of Bluffton, was a business caller to our city today.

Leo Miller, of Huntington, spent the day in our city with friends.

Miss Fox passed through here today enroute to her home at Bluffton.

Attorney Samuel Butcher, of Geneva arrived in the city today to look after business affairs.

C. Goasch and family have gone to Hoagland for a visit with relatives for a short time.

Rufus Suckey, of Berne, came to the city this morning to be the guest of friends for the day.

The postoffice, banks and numerous other business places were closed a part or the whole day to observe the New Year. This is getting a start in the right direction and the clerks should appreciate this part of the program more than any one else.

Benjamin A. Woods, a former Osasian man well known in the northern part of the county, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal court at Fort Wayne Monday through his attorney, W. H. Shambaugh. In his schedule he places his liabilities at \$5,312, and his assets at only \$800.

This morning Judge Cook issued the order for the vacation of the old court house. The order stated that where as the new court house had been adjudged ready for occupancy and whereas the county commissioners had ordered it occupied by the court, it was made the order that the place of holding court be transferred from the Clayton hall to the new court house. The order further specified that all writs, summonses, recognizances, publications, rules, orders and processes that had been issued should hold as regards the new court house. —Huntington News-Democrat.

CHOLERA PROOF HOGS.

By feeding the sow Ridgway's vaccine, 10c a litter, the pigs are vaccinated before birth, hence are born cholera proof. One million successful tests, 10,000 strong testimonials. In further proof I will ship my own suckling pigs and expose them for weeks in any sick cholera herd at my own expense and risk. No other man, doctor or veterinarian ever did or as yet dares to take any such risk. Why? Simply because he would lose both his hogs and business. During the past eight years I have shipped and exposed in sick cholera herds, scattered from Virginia to Dakota and from Michigan to Florida, over 1,300 of my own suckling pigs without loss from cholera. I give a written guarantee and back it with a \$10,000.00 security. I can deliver the goods. Book free. Robert Ridgway, Box 30, Ambler, Ind.

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## Our January Sale

Will be a money saver for you. We will have extra good bargains for you in Dress goods, Underwear, Knit Goods, ready-made wrappers, Dressing sacques Embroidery, Laces, etc.

We will offer you laces and embroideries that if you can use them you can't help but buy them.

Remember the big cost sale on China and Cut Glass—They must be sold.

## True & Runyon

Mrs. Lola Baxter and children, Mrs. C. W. Kline and children, arrived in the city last evening from Port Wayne to be the guests of Wm. Kline.

Tonight is the opening night of the Elks minstrel and every indication points to a more than well filled house for the opening night, and it is now up to the Elks to put on a show that will please. That they will entertain you is without question, as they have that reputation and expect to fill the same. Remember the same performance will be given on Thursday evening.

Ed Wingfield, one of Bluffton's heavy weights who has often struck terror to the hearts of adversaries simply by his might met his Waterloo Monday night in a most decided manner and the victor in the short but fierce battle in which Ed was put down and out was John Geiser, a small German, hailing from the vicinity of Vera Cruz, described as being hardly up to medium size. He gave a demonstration, however, with Wingfield as the victim which went to show that the superior article is sometimes done up in small packages. —Bluffton News.

Judge Levi Mock is in a happy frame of mind, for, according to his past experience, he is due to remain on this terrestrial sphere for another year at least. The judge says that he knows each year that, should he be fortunate enough to continue existing until after Christmas, he will be able to hold out another year. When the fact was mentioned to him that if this belief were true he would live forever and in reply he asserted that such was his resolve. If the wishes of his friends have any part in the matter the judge is slated to make Mathesula appear like a child who died in his infancy. —Bluffton Banner.