

## THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

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It is openly charged by politicians who know that the unfair and silly effort of the Indianapolis News to make the democratic state chairmanship outcome a brewer's victory regardless of who won was inspired by republican designs with party dictatorship in them. The News is for Hugh Miller for the republican nomination for governor and against Jim Watson and Charley Miller. It tried to make the people believe the democrats were being manipulated by the brewers, accusing every candidate for state chairman of being a saloon ally, and it was done to create such a feeling against democrats that the temperance forces would demand a temperance man at the head of the republican state ticket and the News would fight Watson and Charley Miller as brewery allies and dictate Hugh Miller's nomination and control him if elected. But its work is so coarse it looks like the proverbial ostrich hiding from discovery by sticking its head under the sand.—Rochester Sentinel.

Senator La Follette is very happy because he is without important committee assignments, and the explanation is being delicately conveyed to him that since he went up and down the country exalting himself at the expense of other senators he has become so obnoxious that he is not wanted on any of the committees in whose particular subjects he affects special interest. Somehow the man who gives it out that no one but himself is to be trusted is never as popular as he would like.—Muncie Star.

## BIG MUSICAL COMEDY COMING

Ben Cramer's Concoction "The Merry Widow McCarty."

Ben Cramer's gorgeous musical concoction "The Merry Widow McCarty" is the offering at the opera house Tuesday January 14. "The Merry Widow McCarty" has been termed a musical "gin fizz" which seems a befitting description. The entertainment is bright, snappy, lively and kaleidoscopic, and is calculated to dispel the blues.

The story of "The Merry Widow McCarty" concerns herself who cannot touch two millions left her by her deceased husband should she marry before her four daughters have found husbands. As the gay widow cruises along the sands of Coney Island for a husband she meets Barney Muldoon, whom she considers her affinity. Immediately they begin laying plans to marry off the four McCarty girls. This situation leads up to a number of other amusing situations and exasperating funny complications.

Ben Cramer is responsible for the book, and the lyrics and music have been interpolated. There are more than twenty song successes, the most prominent being "Why Can't a Girl be a Soldier," "Won't You be My Honey," "School Days," "Morning Cy," "Honey-suckle Time," "Honey Moon," "Yankee Doodle Girl," "You'll Have to Get Off and Walk," "Molly Malone," "Manhattan Isle," "Big Chief Battle Ax," "Pinkie Pankee Poo," "Barney Carney," "Man in the Moon," "The Irish Wake" and "Bessie and Her Little Brown Bear."

The production is handsomely staged, well mounted and magnificent ly gowned, the scenic and electrical and costuming embellishments being fresh and new, and an excellent performance is assured.

### How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough and expels the cold from the system as it is mildly laxative. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.

### THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

### AN INSIDIOUS DANGER

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes.

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### DEMOCRAT WANT ADS.

## PLAY FOUR GAMES

The Big Billiard Tournament Will Close in a Very Few Days.

### SECOND PLACE SCRAP

Three Are Even for Second and Two for Third—Bones Still Leads.

STANDING.				
Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	
O. France 100	7	6	1	.857
Allison 90	6	4	2	.666
F. E. France 100	6	4	2	.666
Peterson 70	9	6	3	.666
Studabaker 70	8	5	3	.625
B. France 70	8	5	3	.625
Mangold 70	8	3	5	.375
Bobo 90	9	2	7	.222
DeVoss 90	9	2	7	.222
Elzey 90	9	2	7	.222

Four games were played Monday in the DeWitt smoke house tournament. F. E. France indulging in three of the games and coming out a victor in two of them. His first game was with Dr. Mangold, whom he took into camp by a score of 100 to 53. Ned Bobo came next and he was defeated by a score of 100 to 76. Frank Peterson next tackled the coming champion and after a long drawn out contest Peterson won his game by a score of 70 to 87. Peterson in this contest displayed excellent judgment and demonstrated that he is well acquainted with the game, and succeeded in leaving his opponent in difficult positions, thus making the game a hard one for France to play. Studabaker and DeVoss then fell into line and after a long drawn out game in which Studabaker showed the best form, DeVoss went down in defeat by a score of 80 to 78. Four of the contestants have completed their schedule and three more of the entries have but one game to play and the end of this week should see a champion selected. The sport is now reaching its interesting point and the games are being witnessed by large and enthusiastic audiences.

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### DEMOCRAT WANT ADS. PAY.

## FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

Of the Decatur Cement Roof and Block Company, Decatur, Ind., January 9, 1908.

Capital stock authorized....\$10,000.00  
Amount Capital  
Stock Subscribed..\$5,700.00  
Amount Capital  
Stock Paid in..... 5,700.00  
Amount Capital  
Stock Unsubscribed 4,300.00 10,000.00

Assets.  
Building, Mch. and  
Attachments .....4,300.00  
Stock on hand..... 2,093.50  
Bills collectible..... 2,500.44  
Cash on hands ... 190.04 \$ 9,083.98

Liabilities.  
Bills payable ....\$2,472.34  
Capital stock paid in 5,700.00  
Undivided surplus . 911.64 \$ 9,083.98  
Attest:—John Everett, Pres.; M. Kirsch, Secy.; H. Hite, Director; Hugh D. Hite, director; M. Kirsch, director.  
Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 9th day of January, 1908.

State of Indiana, County of Adams, ss:  
We, the undersigned, upon our oath swear that the above and foregoing statement of the condition of the Decatur Cement Roof and Block company, of Decatur, Indiana, on the 9th day of January, 1908, showing the amount of capital stock, the amount of assessments made and actually paid in and the amount of existing debts which said statement or report is hereby signed and verified by the president and a majority of said directors, and the secretary of said company.

JOHN EVERETT, Pres.  
M. KIRSCH, Secy.  
H. HITE, Director.  
HUGH H. HITE, Director.  
M. KIRSCH, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1908.  
PAUL G. HOOPER, Notary Public.  
My commission expires on the 23rd day of February, 1910.

### SOMETHING NEW.

A complete line of Ash Trays, Card Trays, Cigar Pans, Smoker Sets and Tobacco Boxes, which are all decorated with fancy cigar bands.

Also a supply of plain dishes and cigar bands for decorating purposes.

Call and look the line over.  
T. C. CORBETT.

## THE HEALTH BOARD

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fering from tuberculosis. The penalty for violation of any of these rules adopted by the board is a fine of from \$5 to \$50.

Dr. Hurty reported to the board that there were more infectious diseases in Indiana during the last quarter of 1906 than there were during the corresponding quarter of 1905.

This increase was due largely, he said, to the great number of cases of measles. This disease was reported from every county in the state. Diphtheria also was prevalent in the state during the last quarter of pneumonia also during the last quarter of 1906 than during the corresponding quarter of 1905.

The state board agreed to a plan suggested by Dr. Hurty for collecting accurate vital statistics. This plan will be worked out through correspondence with mothers. An endeavor will be made to have the surnames of all children reported correctly and if this is not done the question will be taken up directly with the mother.

Earl Peters is on the sick list suffering from an attack of the grippe.

H. B. France is at present busily engaged in moving his household goods and effects into the Burd property on Mercer avenue, where he will make his future home.

Tom Peterson, who has been suffering with the grip for the past few days, is again able to be up and around and today assumed his duties at the Klondyke bowling alleys.

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract, that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. W. H. Nachttrieb.

### OBITUARY.

Mary Jane Parrish, wife of Jeremiah Russell, was born in Tuscarawas county, Ohio, December 16, 1838, and died January 9, 1908, aged 69 years and 23 days.

## A High Class Farm

### FOR SALE

100 ACRES OF GOOD WALNUT LAND 100

Black sandy soil, with new farm buildings modern in every way, well fenced, in good locality of Adams county. This is a model stock farm and a bargain for any one who wants a farm of this kind. Enquire at this office.

### WE SELL

## Nyal's White Pine and Tar Cough Remedy

on a positive guarantee. It contains no alcohol, chloroform or opiates

Try it. If not satisfied your money will be refunded.

### MAKE US PROVE IT

## THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

She moved to Adams county, Ind., in 1849. On March 1, 1860 she was united in marriage to Jeremiah Russell. To this union were born seven children: Deborah J., Clara Eveline, Ulysses G., Carrie Emeline, Esther Estella, Elsie Irena, Ollie Mabelle. Of these four preceded her in death, Her husband, three children and eleven grandchildren, two sisters and three brothers and many friends mourn today the loss of a faithful wife, mother and friend.  
She was converted in early life and united with the M. E. church in 1857, thus having been a member for more than fifty years. Throughout her long life she remained a faithful and consistent Christian.

20  
Per cent  
Discount

TOO MANY SUITS  
TOO MANY OVERCOATS  
TOO MUCH UNDERWEAR  
NOT ENOUGH MONEY

20  
Per cent  
Discount

That is our excuse, and excuse enough it is for this Twenty Percent Reduction Sale. It is not our fault that we are over stocked; neither will it be our fault if we remain overstocked if the prices we are now offering mean anything to you. The suits, overcoats and other articles included in this reduction sale are just as good and as up to date as they were three months ago, but the fact is they have not moved, and we are determined by this means to convert them into Cash. REMEMBER THIS We will re-mark no goods. The reduction is an actual Bona Fide 20 percent discount on the original selling price. ALL GOODS GUARANTEED.

## THE ARTICLES INCLUDED IN THIS SALE

200 Men's Suits.  
150 Men's Overcoats.  
200 Boy's Suits.  
75 Boy's Overcoats.  
Men's Fur Overcoats.

Men's and Boy's Hats.  
Corduroy Suits for Men.  
Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, all grades.  
Jersey Ribbed Underwear.  
Wool Underwear, all grades.

400 Pairs Men's Odd Trousers.  
Men's Fur Mittens.  
Men's Knit Mittens.  
Boy's Knee Pants.  
Men's and Boy's Sweaters.

Fancy Vests and Fancy Suspenders.  
Cloth and Fur Caps.  
Fancy Dress Shirts.  
Duck Coats.  
Sheepskin Lined Coats.

This is not a money making sale for us but a money saving to you, and if you are in need of any of the above named articles you can not afford to miss this great opportunity.

THIS SALE WILL LAST TWO WEEKS

ELZEY and VANCE,

Corner East of Court House.

Decatur, Indiana.