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The finance bill prepared and agreed upon by a committee of bankers, chosen for this purpose, is said to be a far more satisfactory measure than either the Aldrich or Foraker bill. For several years the American Bankers' association has been considering and debating what sort of a banking law ought to be devised and recommended to congress for enactment. Differences of opinion were so great that agreement was at times despaired of. Finally the leading spirits appear to have gotten nearer together, and after a several days' session in Chicago the commission entrusted with this difficult task was able to agree upon a bill that is believed to meet the country's requirement. Whether the two houses of congress will accept this handiwork in part or in whole we shall know in the course of a few months.—South Bend Times.

In a talk to the Republican editors at Indianapolis last week, James P. Goodrich, who had just been re-elected state chairman, said that he did not "look forward to the next campaign with quite the same confidence" he had felt in the past. He declared that he expected "a hard fight," and the Republican organization "instead of using its best efforts to the control of the convention and the naming of candidates" would have about all it could do to manage the campaign.

The reception to State Chairman Jackson last evening was a worthy tribute to a worthy man. He pledged anew his allegiance to the Democratic party and every Democrat in the party and that he was chairman for all the party and not for any particular part thereof. The fulfillment of this pledge means a peaceful and happy Democratic household in Indiana.

Judge Artman, who is himself a Republican, declares that the Columbia club at Indianapolis—a swell Republican organization—is "the most notorious blind tiger in Indiana." Yet you read but little in the Indianapolis press about this disreputable violator of law, and much about the notorious gambling at French Lick. The reason is obvious.

Decatur is a live one. If any further evidence is needed to verify this statement, we have but to say that the boosters of the Commercial club and those outside the club are putting their heads together and are figuring out ways and means for the location of another factory.

Hon. Harry C. Pettit, United States marshal for the district of Indiana, was here yesterday serving a few indictments against the James Eli Watson gubernatorial boom, and at the same time doing the missionary act in behalf of Charley Miller.

Judge Joseph W. Adair, of Columbia City, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for congress in the twelfth district. Judge Adair is a great man and will add dignity to any place he may be called upon to fill.

ELKS WON THREE

Took Klondykes into Camp and Retained a Perfect Per Cent

HIGH SCORES MADE

Dorwin Averaged Over Two Hundred—Elks Lead—One Big Score

STANDING.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Elks.....	3	3	0	1.000
Klondykes.....	9	5	4	.555
Post Office.....	3	1	2	.333
K. of C.....	2	0	3	.000

The Elks played their first games last evening in the city bowling league tournament that is now in progress at the Klondyke Meys and fortunately won all three games and as a result are leading the procession. In the first game the Elks rolled the high team score 961, which is an excellent score and the boys are deserving of much praise and credit for the same. For the Elks Dorwin had the high average, he reaching the high mark 201 for three games, while Tom Peterson led for the Klondykes with an average of 190. The teams are evenly matched and the contest was interesting throughout. The following scores were made:

Elks.	Friskiger.....	190	169	167—182
	Vaughn.....	186	153	162—167
	Mangold.....	171	179	189—176
	Lankenau.....	176	165	219—186
	Dorwin.....	238	204	162—201
		961	890	890
Klondykes.	Russell.....	127	110	167—124
	Crabill.....	197	119	122—146
	Garard.....	164	163	153—160
	Shelfon.....	133	167	136—143
	T. Peterson.....	189	179	202—190
		809	738	774

Wanted Young Men and Women To Learn Telegraphy.

The only school in Indiana giving its students Actual Main Line Practice on a railroad train wire while in school.

Graduates are employed on the Chicago & Erie, Pennsylvania Lines, Lake Erie & Western and by the Western Union Telegraph Company. Send for College Journal.

C. A. CARPENTER, Principal, Ossian, Ind.

TRY DEMOCRAT WANT ADS.

CLOSES THIS WEEK

Billiard Tournament Will Soon Be Over and Champion Announced

FRANCE STILL LEADS

Elzey Defeats Allison and the Latter Drops into Fourth Place

STANDING.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
O. France 100.....	7	6	1	.857
Peterson 70.....	9	6	3	.666
B. France 70.....	9	6	3	.666
Sundabaker 70.....	8	5	3	.625
F. E. France 100.....	7	4	3	.571
Allison 90.....	7	4	3	.571
Mangold 70.....	8	3	5	.375
Elzey 90.....	9	3	6	.333
Bobo 50.....	9	2	7	.222
DeVoss 90.....	9	2	7	.222

Another game was played last evening in the DeWitt smoke house billiard tournament last evening, the contest being between Allison and Elzey, the latter winning by a score of 109 to 96. As a result of this contest Allison dropped in the percentage column from second place to fourth and may now experience some trouble getting inside the money. The contest between these two experts was close and exciting, and the many brilliant plays made by each were roundly applauded. Elzey, however, showed the best form and with a nice run of five closed the game and brought victory to himself. An effort is being made to have the remaining six games played this week and as a result Saturday a champion should be announced.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by W. H. Nachtrieb.

IT DOES THE BUSINESS.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at Blackburn drug store.

A HIGHER HEALTH LEVEL.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If there pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at Blackburn drug store. 25c.

NOTICE—A stray collie dog at home of Wm. E. Fuorot, one mile and a half north of Monroe on the Holt-house farm. Owner can have same by calling at the home and paying for this ad.

A CARD.

THIS is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

FOR SALE—A good Garland hard coal burner; inquire of D. E. Studabaker. D. E. Studabaker, who has been ill for several days, with la grippe, is reported as being much improved.

THIRTY-TWO DAYS IN JAIL

Was Done Given to Charles Thompson of Geneva.

The Geneva marshal came down this morning, having in charge Charles Thompson, an old rouser, who was up before Squire Armantrout of Geneva, recently, and was assessed a fine of twenty dollars and costs. Not having the funds he was sent to jail for thirty-two days. Looks like the Squire was determined to break up the "plain drunk" business in Geneva.

FILES FENCE CASE

E. W. Dailey Sues Chicago & Erie to Recover the Cost of His Fence

FIRST OF ITS KIND

In this County—Company Failed to Build Fence So Mr. Dailey Built It

Attorneys Peterson & Moran filed a new case this morning which will be of interest to many as it is the first of the kind ever filed here. The case is entitled Eneas W. Dailey vs. the Chicago & Erie railroad company, demand \$350. The suit is filed under a section of Burns 1901 statute, No. 5323 which provides that where a railroad company allows the fences along their right of way to get out of repair the farmer whose land adjoins may, after serving proper notice of thirty days upon the company, may build said fence and collect for same from the company together with attorney fees. On May 27th last Mr. Dailey served such a notice on the C. & E. agents at Decatur and Wren and proceeded to build the fence along his farm, which was completed August 21st last at a cost of \$240.97. This with \$15.00 interest and \$75.00 attorney fees and other costs, makes the amount he demands \$350. Peterson & Moran have a half dozen or more similar cases to file soon. A case in point was decided in 1905 by the Indiana Appellate court in favor of the plaintiff.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cough Tablets called Preventives. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventives, for they are not only safe, but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventives contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventives will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, etc. Hence the name. Preventives, 25 cents. Trial Boxes 5 cts. Sold by W. H. Nachtrieb.

The New Pure Food and Drug Law. We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the national pure food and drug law, as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults.

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DEMOCRAT WANT ADS. PAY.

HISTORICAL CLUB

Held Regular Meeting Last Evening—Young Masters' Met

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

Held Last Evening at Harvey Lee Home—Entertainment at Library

The Historical club was entertained last evening in a very delightful manner by Miss Kittle Christen, at her home. The leading paper was in charge of Mrs. R. S. Peterson. The subject of the evening was "Wars of Jonathan Maccabees," which was divided into six divisions. (a) The Rival Syrian Kings, Alexander and Demetrius. (b) Their Overtures to Jonathan. (c) Jonathan Enters Jerusalem and Dons the Robe of High Priest. (d) The Fall of Demetrius. (e) The Line of Success of High Priest After the Return from Babylon Captivity. (f) Omlas III and the Egyptians' Temple. After the lesson was over, Mrs. Gillig entertained the guests, and the hostess served dainty refreshments. The attendance was large, considering the dark night.

Mrs. Earl Adams will be hostess at the meeting of the Thimble club Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Baughman, Miss Velma Porter and Ralph Rosewinkel, of Fort Wayne, were the guests last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rainier.

The ladies of the Young Mothers' club were the guests of Mrs. Chas. Bell yesterday afternoon at their meeting. They took needle work and spent the afternoon very pleasantly sewing. A delicious luncheon of two courses was served by the hostess. There were no outside guests.

The social which was given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee, was a success in every way. Each number of the program was nicely rendered. The main number was the excellent talk given by Mrs. Jennie Studabaker on her trip through Europe. This was greatly appreciated by each one, as she gave such a vivid description that it almost made them feel as if they had been with her. Dainty refreshments were served the large crowd which numbered forty-five.

The Euterpean society has planned a very delightful evening for the public on January 30th, at the library hall. Miss Grace Miller and her friend, Miss Elliott, will have charge of the evening's program. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The chicken soup social held at the Hardscrabble school last Saturday evening, January 18, proved to be a grand success, clearing over twenty-five dollars.

The young girls of the Q. Q. club will be entertained by Mrs. Kate Place, at her home on Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. A good time is expected by the girls.

This evening the K. of C. lodge will give a leap year dance at their hall. A large crowd is expected, and tomorrow evening the C. B. L. of I.

The Bosse Opera House

Thursday, January 23

The Greatest Musical Farce Success in Years
STEPHENS & LINTON

Present the Merry Musical Mix-up

My Wife's Family

THE FUNNY AUTOMOBILE
THE FUNNY COMEDIANS
THE PRETTY GIRLS
THE DAZZLING DANCES

Furiously Funny Laughter and Music, Music and and Laughter. Prices 25, 35 and 50 Seat sale Tuesday morning at usual place

will give another dance for the public. A number of out of town guests are invited.

The farmers' institute of the Allen county, will be held at Hoagland on February 5th. Mrs. C. Vogt of this city will give a talk on "The Woman in the Home and Community." Several other splendid numbers will be on the program.

SERVE WARRANTS

On Persons Indicted by the November Grand Jury

FOUR ARRESTS MADE

Two Ladies Got the Wrong Chickens Says One of the Indictments

Sheriff Meyer and his deputy Ed Green were busy today arresting persons who were indicted by the November grand jury. Nine indictments were returned at that time and they will soon know what for.

Mrs. Willard Steele and her daughter Mary E. Debolt, were charged with driving five chickens away from the Mahilda Fronsfield home and converting them to their own use. They gave bond for \$100.

Henry Ostemeyer was "pinched" on an indictment which says he permitted persons in his saloon on Sunday.

Jesse Smith drew one of the packages on his old charge, that of conducting a gambling house.

A CURE FOR MISERY.

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of lame back. Sold under guarantee at Blackburn drug store.

DEMOCRAT WANT ADS. PAY BIG

TESTED AND PROVEN.

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend Upon a Well Earned Reputation.

For months Decatur readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

Mrs. Catherine Contor, of 227 First St., Decatur, Ind., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills with very beneficial results and can recommend them highly. In 1902 I gave a statement telling what Doan's Kidney Pills had done for me and how they cured me of kidney complaint and backache. I had suffered some time and everything I tried failed to help me. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the Holthouse Drug Co.'s store and they benefited me almost immediately and in a short time cured me. I am able to state now that the cure remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

THRESHING OUTFIT FOR SALE.

I have a threshing outfit, consisting of one 15-horse power New Huber engine, one 32-54 Huber Separator, complete outfit, run one season, will sell for \$1,600, or will sell separate. A. W. Werling, Preble, Ind., P. O. Box 55.

FOR SALE—A baby go-cart cheap.

Inquire at 260 north First St. 19-4

Word was received this morning

from Craigville, Ind., announcing the sad death of William Miller, a well known citizen of that town. Heart trouble was the cause of his sudden death.

When the Stomach, Heart, or Kidney

nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. This is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strength on these nerves, build them up with Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Free sample test sent on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Your health is surely worth this simple test. W. H. Nachtrieb.

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THE SHREWD BUYERS

ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE SAVING OPPORTUNITIES, OUR BIG AFTER INVOICE SALE OFFERS. IT IS A BARGAIN EVENT OF IMPORTANCE to all who find it wise to invest at a 25 per cent saving. This is no Red Tag Sale---nor Nigger in the Wood-pile---This sale is strictly on the square. Every price is reduced to such a low figure that the buying public will throng this store during the next two weeks.

WATCH THEM GO-- HELP THEM GO

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