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J. H. HELLER, Manager.

The maiden effort of Congressman Adair was well received in the lower house of congress and dispatches say that he was paid greater consideration and attention than is usually given a new member. Those who know John Adair, however, realize how impossible it is for him to long be new. We venture the assertion that before the present session of congress ends that he Eighth district representative will be about the oldest member there—nowwithstanding the service of some members dates back thirty-six years.

If the democratic state convention has any trouble getting a candidate that can pull more than the party strength for governor, there is Mr. Adair. He is making a mighty good congressman and would make one of the best chief executives Indiana ever had. He is a vote getter and never tires of mingling with the people—Bluffton Banner.

A Detroit woman sold her husband for \$500. Too cheap. Why, some of the rich girls down in New York pay up in the millions for a husband. And even then do not get much more than a sort of a make-shift of a man.—Muncie Press.

Notice to Contractors

The Ward Fence Co. will receive bids until Tuesday noon, Jan. 28th for the construction of an 8 inch sewer, including that to be paid for by The Decatur Commercial club, is about 1,250 ft. long; also the construction of a 4-inch water line, about 700 ft. long, according to plans and specifications now in their office. The 8-inch sewer pipe and 4-inch wrought iron screwed joint pipe will be furnished on ground and contractor shall perform all labor in completing same.

THE PICTORIUM TONIGHT

The Clowns Love Story.
A Night in Dramland.
All Baba and the Forty Thieves.
SONG.
"Bye Bye Dearie."

J. B. STONEBURNER, Prop.

WITH THE LEAGUE

Three Games Played by the
Bowling Teams Last
Evening

K. C.'S TOOK TWO

Post Office Team Defeated
in a Series of Ragged
Games

STANDING.
Played Won. Lost. Pet.
Elks 3 3 0 1,000
Klondyke 9 5 4 .555
K. of C. 6 2 4 .333
Post Office 6 2 4 .333

The Post Office and K. of C. teams played their regular scheduled games last evening at the Klondyke alleys the latter winning two out of the three games and thus tying the Post Office team for third place. The feature of the games was the bowling of "Cottle" Shafer who in the games had a grand average of 224. This is the highest average made in a regular tournament game to date and bids fair to stand for the remainder of the league race. Shafer was in magnificent form and made strike after strike, and it was practically through his efforts that his team won one game. For the K. of C. team Frank Johns did the best bowling his average being 166 for the three games. On next Tuesday evening the Klondyke and K. of C. teams will play. The following scores were made:

Post Office.	
Shafer	241
Smith	150
Mutchler	123
Joseph	93
J. Peterson	168
	775
K. of C.	
Berling	176
W. Johns	115
F. Johns	151
Fullenkamp	168
Wemhoff	168
	778
	692
	768

REAL ESTATE

Farm and city property to sell and buy. Come in and look over our list. Here are some of the few bargains: 80 acres, 5 miles from Decatur, on stone road, good buildings, close to school and church, for \$35.00 per acre. 40 acres, 4½ miles from Decatur, black soil, good buildings, wire fenced; 4 acres of woodland; close to church; \$35.00 per acre.

80 acres, 3½ out on stone road; good building, rich land, \$87.00 per acre.

80 acres, 6 miles from Decatur; good black soil, 12 acres woodland; good buildings; \$82.50 per acre.

And we have city property in all parts of the city, from \$900 to \$5,000. We also make a specialty of renting and caring for property.

KINTZ & WELFLEY

21-30 Decatur, Ind.

BRYANT SCHOOL CERTIFIED.

The Bryant high school has recently been placed by the state board of education on the list of certified schools. This means that its graduates are eligible to teach in the common schools of the state, and meet all the requirements of high school training required by the provisions of the new law. By this law, in addition to the high school training all beginning teachers are required to take a twelve weeks' course in some recognized training school for teachers.

THE AID SOCIETY

Held Splendid Session With

Mrs. Dore B. Erwin
Yesterday

C. B. L. OF I. DANCE

Euterpean Club Meeting

Mrs. Frank Kern Entertained—Other Notes

The Q. Q. club will be entertained by Mrs. Kate Place this evening at their regular weekly meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell will be host and hostess this evening at a masquerade party given at their home on Bellview farm.

Mrs. Cy Weavers is entertaining the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church this afternoon.

The Rebekah lodge held a meeting last evening to practice their drill work for next Tuesday evening when they will have initiation.

There was nothing special during the meeting of the K. of P. lodge last evening only their regular meeting.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. Samuel Shamp Thursday afternoon at her home on Mercer avenue. Much interest was displayed during the meeting and a delicious two course luncheon was served by the hostess. The out of town guest was Mr. F. France, of Pleasant Mills, who spent the day with Mrs. Shamp.

The Afternoon club who is noted for the good times, spent a very enjoyable afternoon Thursday at the home of Mrs. P. J. Hyland. Five small tables were used and twelve games of progressive pedro were played. The first prizes were two cut glass tumblers, which were won by Mesdames W. A. Kuebler and J. H. Bremerkamp. Fancy handkerchiefs were awarded to the Mesdames Jas. Niblick and John Garard as second prizes, also handkerchiefs were given to the Mesdames O. N. Snellen and Chas. Christen as third prizes. The closing feature of the afternoon was an elegant three course luncheon. All the members were present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chas. Vogelweh on Tuesday afternoon.

The Euterpean, another prominent literary society of this city, held their regular meeting last evening at the home of Miss Midge Smith, of Second street. The program for the evening was splendid. The following numbers was splendid. The following Life and Works, Mrs. John Tyndall; Chamber music, Miss Johnson; impromptu, Miss Bess Schrock; description, "To be Sung on the Water," by Miss Miller, sung by Miss Marie Patterson, comments by Sir Geo. Grove, by Miss Rose Dunathan; solo, "Hark! Hark! The ark," Mrs. C. B. Wilcox; description of military march, Mrs. J. C. Patterson, played by Miss Myrie Beachler; art of Schubert, Mrs. E. B. Adams; description of Schubert's serenade, by Miss Fanny Hite, and sung by Mrs. C. B. Wilcox.

REAL ESTATE

Do you want to buy a farm? We have a large list of farms for sale located in this county at prices that will interest you.

We also have some attractive positions in Michigan timber and farm lands. We have sold 366 acres during the fall and winter and feel that we have some more good propositions there for buyers of cheap lands. Come in and see us before you buy.

Among the farms located in Adams county we have an 80 acre farm located 9 miles from county seat, 3 miles from a good shipping point.

buildings and outbuildings are all in

fairly good shape, within ½ mile to

school and good macadam road, well

fenced, well drained. Soil two-thirds

sandy loam.

An 80 acre farm located 5 miles

from Decatur, good 7 room house,

cellar, barn 36x66, good grainery

wagon shed and corn crib combined

good water and wind pump, well

fenced and fairly well drained. Price

\$70.00 per acre.

106 acre farm 5 miles from Decatur,

on stone road, 1 mile to market and

graded school, 4 room house, barn

30x40, buildings in fair repair, land

one-half black, remainder sandy loam,

well tiled, good outlet, outside fence

wire, cross fences rail. Price \$60.00

per acre.

NORTHERN INDIANA REAL

ESTATE CO.

Office over Burns Harness Store

ESTATE OF A. C. GREGORY, DE-

CEASED.

Decatur, Ind., Jan. 23, 1908.

To whom it may concern:

Persons holding claims against Au-

gustus C. Gregory, deceased, will

please present the same to me for set-

tlement.

LUCY J. GREGORY.

21-124-9-2tw

Water rentals are now due

and payable at the City

Treasurer's office. Please at-

tend to this matter.

W. E. FULK, Supt.

A GOOD PROGRAM

Arranged for the C. W. B.
M. to be Given Next Sun-
day Evening

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Some Facts About the Or-
ganization—Establish-
a New Home

At the Christian church next Sunday evening a public meeting will be held by the C. W. B. M. and an excellent program has been prepared for the occasion. The ladies of this organization are accomplishing much in missionary work and each month they contribute their share to defray the expenses of same. A number of mission schools are conducted in the mountain district of the south by the members of this organization and industrial schools are conducted among the negroes in the south. They also have mission schools in Jamaica, India, Mexico and Porto Rico, all of which are doing much in the civilization of the people. A missionary training school is to be built at Indianapolis during the coming year and a large sum of money has already been contributed for this purpose by several women of wealth. This new building is to be used as the headquarters for the C. W. B. M. and people will receive instructions there preparatory to entering the work of missionaries. The meeting of Sunday evening

is a cordial invitation is extended.

Arthur Clark, of Monmouth, returned home at noon.

All Elks are requested to be present this evening at the regular meeting. Important business will be transacted at this meeting and it is essential that all be present.

will be an interesting one as is indicated by the following program:

Lord's Prayer in Concert.

Anthem or Hymn by Choir.

Responsive reading of 96th Psalm.

Hymn by Choir.

Some facts about the C. W. B. M.

and its Centennial aims.

..... Mrs. Holloway

Song.

Reading: "The Vision of the Cross" Mrs. Artman

What I Know About the C. W. B. M.

..... Talk by Mrs. McKinney

Song by choir.

Report of Year's Work by Secretary.

Reading: "What have you done today" Collection

and appeal for new members.

..... Mrs. Fisher

Voluntary remarks by any one present.

Song by choir and congregation.

..... Bringing in the Sheaves

Benediction.

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THE CRYSTAL THEATRE OPEN TONIGHT

MOTION PICTURES.

First film—"Cleopatra Falls." (Extra good.) "Accidents Will Happen."

Second film—"Elephants in India"

"Up to date Burglar."

ILLUSTRATED SONG.

"Where the Morning Glories Twine

Around the Door."

SCHMUCK & MILLER

BOSSE OPERA HOUSE

Monday, January 27

Annual Tour of that Versatile Actress

Miss Dorrit Ashton

IN

"THE LITTLE DETECTIVE"

A METROPOLITAN SUCCESS
An Excellent Supporting Company

IMPORTANT

To the first person sending in the correct answer to the following mathematical problem, will be given two tickets to the above attraction. No one connected with the opera house will be allowed to enter this contest. Place your answer with your name in an envelope, seal it up and take it to the Holt house Drug store, where it will be placed on file. Every one in rotation. At 9 o'clock Monday morning, Jan. 21, the name and answer of the winner will be placed in the window. If it is your name step in and select your seats.

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