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## NO FLIES

## ON FLEMING

The democrats of Allen and Adams counties made an important and a wise choice yesterday in nominating the Hon. Stephen B. Fleming, to represent the district as joint senator. He will add strength to the local tickets in both counties and prove a most aggressive and active campaigner, a vote getter and a triumphant leader. He will do these things because he will command the respect and adherence of the discriminating and patriotic voters of the two counties. They have confidence in his integrity and they know he does not violate confidence. They recognize his intelligence and his qualities of leadership, and know that he will reflect credit upon them by an honest and able fulfillment of every duty.

Mr. Fleming is a man of progress. More than any man of his age in Indiana he is typical of the aggressive, enterprising spirit of the times. Accustomed to dealing with large affairs and to viewing men and events broadly; fitted by nature and education for coping with great questions, and possessing a keen insight into and a comprehension of the fundamental things underlying movements of great import, he is a man of the stature so much needed in the lawmaking bodies of the states. His business connections have always been large and conducted on a broad scale. From his boyhood, almost, his ability has been recognized by the builders of great enterprises and his executive ability has given him rank with the masterminds of modern business life.

Mr. Fleming's political creed is democratic and it is firmly grounded in faith in and sympathy with the people. The son of one of the greatest popular leaders Indiana ever knew, the faith is his by inheritance, but it is strengthened by personal experience and contact with men and affairs. He believes in the people, in the justice of the rule of popular majorities. He believes the people are honest, that they can be trusted, and that they are usually sound in their views.

In private life Mr. Fleming has been faultless, in public life scrupulously exacting of the fullest measure of justice to the common people. He has no apology to make in going before the people. He has nothing to hide in his career. His opinions are known to the world, for frankness and candor are among the predominating traits of his character. What he appears he is; what he believes he proclaims, and there is no tendency to hypocrisy in his nature. He has been successful from a material standpoint, and his accumulation of this world's goods was the fruit of years of toil that would have prostrated most men; of energy such as few are capable of, and of extraordinary talents such as few

are gifted with. There is no stain on his life, nor taint on his estate.—Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

The local option elections in Illinois with the township and ward as the unit, won greater victories for temperance than did the local option elections in Michigan, with the county as a unit. The latter voted on Monday and the former on Tuesday and the two states produce a result that makes certain that the Democrats of Indiana have a better temperance plank in their platform than have the Republicans. Over one thousand saloons have been put out of commission in Illinois, while in the whole state of Michigan but nine counties were made dry, and they were counties comparatively dry before their local option election.

May 14 is the day designated for the casting of your little ballot for further progress. It is the day when the voters of Washington and Monroe townships will decide to help in the extension of the Fort Wayne & Springfield lines south. This extension is important to every one along the line, and still more important to every business man and property owner in both Decatur and Berne. The amount of assistance asked is trivial when the benefits are compared therewith. They ask but for their right-of-way, and are entitled to it by every law of business right. Get ready to boost this railway project.

Uncle Nate, the reputed twelve thousand dollar Cromer congressional candidate is said to be working on another blue book. Uncle Nate is long on blue books, and they usually say some mighty clever things about Uncle Nate, who also is the editor in chief of this famous blue book. Uncle Nate is a sly dog, but not very fleet of foot.

Anderson is in the throes of a lot sale, nearly six hundred being sold Tuesday just half the number they proposed to sell their patriotic citizens at three hundred dollars per lot. The money is to bring new factories to Anderson and to boom what is already one of the best and most prosperous cities in the Hoosier state.

Steve Fleming has called the Indianapolis News and it is up to that sheet now to either keep mum or accept the challenge of Mr. Fleming. The issue has been squarely drawn and the veracity of the News is either to be impeached or sustained. It is up to the News to move.—Columbia City Post.

**How to Avoid Appendicitis.**  
Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes.  
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## AN EXCITING TIME

Was Indulged in at Bluffton  
Yesterday When Papa  
Brown Arrived

## AFTER HIS DAUGHTER

Who Was Living With  
Piano Factory Employee  
—Both Got Away

Bluffton, Ind., April 8.—Joel Brown, a cane-maker from the French Lick resort, arrived in Bluffton yesterday afternoon in search of his daughter, Golda, who, he says, is less than 16 years of age and whom he declares has been living in illicit relationship in this city with Fred Taylor, alias Willard, fireman at the King piano factory.

He says that the girl came to this city directly after Christmas and joined Taylor, who since coming to Bluffton, has traveled under the name of Willard, and at first she wrote that she and Taylor were married, but later Brown says that he discovered that this was a falsehood and he decided to come and investigate.

Upon his arrival here Brown created a sensation with his story, as it had been generally supposed that Taylor and the girl were married. Brown at first met the girl on the street, and later when he and two officers started to the piano factory to find Taylor the girl tried to get there ahead of them and give Taylor warning.

They located Taylor and then Brown, finding that his worst fears were true, declared his intention of prosecuting Taylor, and left with the officers to secure the necessary papers, one of the foremen giving his word that Taylor would be at the factory if they wanted him.

Hardly had her father and the officers departed, however, when Golda Brown hurried to the boarding house where she and Taylor have been living, and secured his best suit of clothes and carried them to the factory to him. He made a hurried toilet and when the officers returned with a warrant he had disappeared.

The girl also failed to return to her boarding house and her father has since that time been unable to locate either of them and believes that they either left the city together last night or are both in hiding here.

## SOCIETY'S ROUTINE

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by Mrs. Jacob Eady on Friday afternoon.

The senior class of 1908 of Decatur high school held a class party at Miss Frances Bryson's home last evening. What was done we will place a question mark, for it was a question.

Don't forget the ladies market of the Presbyterian church at the gas office.

Dainty invitations were issued for the third annual Easter ball, April 20, given by the Columbian club at the K. of C. hall.

## BIG DAMAGE SUIT

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when injured and fully one-third of the horses were injured. The Decatur Horse Sale company will also file a suit against the company demanding \$3,000 for damages done to the horses. The plaintiffs in both cases have good evidence in their behalf and it, appears that they will win.

Mrs. Gust Holbrook and children, of Hoagland, are in the city visiting.

Mrs. Charles Lange went to Berne this afternoon to spend the afternoon on business.

Joseph Whistler, of Monroe, was here attending the funeral of George Louthan this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Miller, of Lima, Ohio, who has been the guest of Mrs. Dallas Hunsicker, accompanied her to Winchester to visit friends.

William Mildenberger, of Chicago, Ill., who has been here for several days, went to Van Wert to bring over a race horse of his which he has sold to Dan Berry.

## NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Great Northern Fair Ass'n on Friday the 10th day of April, at 10 o'clock at the secretary's office.  
T. H. Baltzell, Pres.  
Albert A. Butler, Secy.

## MENACE TO COMMUNITY.

Beach Hargis' Release is Considered Such.

Jackson, Ky., April 8.—The approaching trial of the application of Beach Hargis for bail, which is set for hearing before Judge Adams here on Friday, is the source of solicitation on the part of the many citizens who believe that the release of this young patricide would be a menace to the peace and good order of this community. The clerks in the Hargis store, three of whom are the principal witnesses against the defendant, declare that they are unwilling to continue in their present employment in the event of the liberation of Beach Hargis. They have each notified Floyd Day, who is conducting the Hargis store for his sister, Mrs. Hargis, that they will resign in the event bail is granted to Beach.

## DOCTOR USES D. D. D. IN HIS PRACTICE.

Eminent Physician Says this Great Liquid Prescription is Certain Cure for Eczema.

Still another Eczema specialist comes forward in enthusiastic praise of D. D. D. Prescription, the wonderful external remedy which cures Eczema and other similar diseases like magic. He is Dr. C. B. Holmes, of Silver City, Miss., and in summing up his impressions of the startling cures D. D. D. has effected, he says: "I have been using your D. D. D. for four years with gratifying results. 'Tis as near a specific for Herpes, Eczema, Psoriasis, etc., as is quinine for malaria."

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## "IN A BREATH OF AIR"

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**CITY BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE**  
NOTICE TO CLEAN UP AND REMOVE ALL RUBBISH FROM YOUR PREMISES, ALLEY AND PRIVY VAULTS.

Notice is here given that all persons living within the corporation of the city must clean up and remove all

## THE PICTORIUM TONIGHT

First reel—"Life of a Bootblack."

Second reel—"The Advantage of Jujitsu" (used by permission of Japanese school).

## SONG.

"The Moonbeams Dream of you."

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within the time of this notice and clean up as above directed, for as above stated this is your final notice, and all who have not complied with it will be prosecuted as being the maintainers of a nuisance and must suffer the results of the laws of the state board of health. The time of this notice expires April 24th, 1908.  
H. E. KELLER,  
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