

# TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

We, the undersigned members of the Jay County Bar, most of whom were engaged in the practice of law at the time the Hon. John A. M. Adair was clerk of the Jay Circuit Court, have carefully examined a printed pamphlet put in circulation by N. B. Hawkins, charging that during Adair's term of office, as clerk of said court, some fifteen years ago, he over-taxed certain fees in litigated cases and estates.

In justice to Mr. Adair, we would say that no investigation was ordered or made, by any one in authority, but a pretended investigation for political purposes, was made by one Earl Patterson, of Muncie, who was and now is in the employ of said N. B. Hawkins, Republican candidate for Congress.

That we have examined said pamphlet and find the same to be false, slanderous and misleading. That the fees taxed by Mr. Adair were within the law, were approved by the court and were satisfactory to both litigants and attorneys. His demeanor and conduct as a county official was gentlemanly, honest and courteous, and we are frank to say that there were no fees illegally taxed or collected by him, as such clerk.

JOHN M. SMITH, Ex-Judge Circuit Court.

S. A. D. WHIPPLE, Ex-Deputy Attorney General of Indiana.

EMERSON McGRUFF, Ex-Prosecuting Attorney.

J. F. DENNEY, Ex-Mayor of Portland.

THEODORE BAILEY, Ex-Postmaster of Portland.

R. H. HARTFORD, Ex-Prosecuting Attorney.

JAMES J. MORAN.

CHAS. E. SCHWARTZ.

GEO. W. HALL.

M. S. WILLIAMSON.

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Notice is hereby given to any one who may have legitimate claims against the estate of the late John Phipps, that I have authority to adjust and settle same.

11w-3td JUDSON W. TEEPLE.

# NOTICE.

A big reduction on horse shoeing and buggy tires, both old and new at U. E. Cramer's carriage shop, east of VanCamp's mill. Call and get prices. Entrance on north side of mill.

# CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express in this manner our sincere thanks to the G. A. R. and W. R. C., also to the neighbors and friends and to all who kindly assisted us during our late sorrow.

Mrs. Rebecca V. Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Phipps.

# GLENDALE FARM HERD DUROCS

Now is the time to buy your tried sows and get ready for next year's spring pigs. You sold your sows this last fall and winter, so why not buy a tried sow or spring gilt and start right. I have them in the reach of every farmer. If you need a good male pig, I have them and will sell them right, and will register all hogs, sold to farmers during the next thirty days. My fall sale is on Oct. 29. Write or phone at my expense for prices and Oct. 29, 1908.

D. E. STUDBAKER, R. F. D. 3, Decatur, Ind.

# LAST CHANCE

\$1.25 Toledo and return, Sunday, Oct. 25th, Clover Leaf Route.

# PAY YOUR TAXES THIS MONTH

The tax receipts for the fall installment have been made out and are now ready. November 2, is the last day for paying same, after which time the penalty must absolutely be added. Pay it now while you think of it and thus avoid the rush of the last few days.

J. F. LACHOT, 235-30t County Treasurer.

# MONEY TO LOAN—Any amount at 5 per cent interest on real estate security. Schurger & Smith, Attys. at Law.

235-30t

# On the top wave of public favor—Try Admiral coffee.

209-1t

# SEE L. C. Mills at Monroe before selling your poultry.

234-12t

# DEMOCRAT WANT ADS. PAY BIG

209-1t

# Cures Biliousness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Torpid Liver and Chronic Constipation.

Pleasant to take

# THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG COMPANY,

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# POLITICAL CALENDAR...

Oct. 28.—Decatur, Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, Democratic candidate for Governor, 2:00 o'clock.

Oct. 23.—Oak Grove school house, Monroe township, Hon. D. E. Smith and David Swartz.

Oct. 23.—Peterson school house, Kirkland township, Hons. C. J. Lutz and H. B. Heller.

Oct. 24.—Hahn school house, Monroe township, Hons. D. E. Smith and J. F. Snow.

Oct. 26.—C. J. Lutz and J. F. Snow Aber school house, Root township, Monday evening.

Oct. 26.—Blakey school house, Union township, Hons. S. B. Fleming and D. N. Erwin.

Oct. 27.—Kinney school house, Jefferson township, Hons. D. E. Smith and J. C. Moran.

Oct. 30.—Salem school house, Blue Creek township, Hons. C. J. Lutz and C. Lotzenhizer.

Oct. 30.—Preble, Hons. John C. Moran and A. P. Beatty.

Oct. 24.—At Williams school house, D. N. Erwin and D. D. Coffey.

Oct. 29.—Luckey school house, Union township, D. E. Smith and J. C. Moran.

Oct. 26.—WashingtonMooney school C. J. Lutz and D. B. Erwin.

Oct. 31.—Berne, Walter J. Lotz.

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To those afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble, backache, rheumatism, Pineales for the kidneys brings relief in the first dose. Hundreds of people today testify to their remarkable healing and tonic properties. 30 days' trial \$1.00. They purify the blood.

Sold by HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker. A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

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# HAD A CLOSE CALL.

Mrs. Ada L. Croom, the widely known proprietor of the Croom Hotel, Vaughn, Miss., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough, and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it, and three bottles affected a complete cure." The fame of this life saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at all dealers. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

# HOW TO CURE SKIN DISEASES.

The germs and their poisons must be drawn to the surface of the skin and destroyed. Zemo will do this and cure any case of skin or scalp disease, no matter from what cause or of how long standing. Write for sample. E. W. Kose Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo. See photos of cures and window or show case display at Smith, Yager & Falk drug store.

# WOOD'S LIVER MEDICINE

Wood's Liver Medicine in liquid form for malaria, chills and fever, regulates the liver, kidneys and bladder, brings quick relief to biliousness, sick-headache, constipation. Pleasant to take. The \$1.00 bottle contains 2 1/2 times the quantity of the 50c size. First dose brings relief.

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# ECZEMA IS NOW CURABLE.

Zemo, a scientific preparation for external use, stops itching instantly and destroys the germs that cause the disease.

This remarkable medicine has cured more chronic cases of Eczema and other skin diseases than all other remedies on the market combined. Smith, Yager & Falk, the druggists, say they believe Zemo to be an honest medicine and that it will do all that is claimed for it.

# MARRIED MAN IN TROUBLE.

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package.

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# WHERE BULLETS FLEW.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., a veteran of the civil war, who lost a foot at Gettysburg, says: "The good Electric Bitters have done me more than five hundred dollars to me. I spent much money doctoring for a bad case of stomach trouble, to little purpose. I then tried Electric Bitters, and they cured me. I now take them as a tonic, and they keep me strong and well." 50c. at all dealers.

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Laxative Fruit Syrup

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# THE CHURCHES

Communications intended for this column should be in not later than ten o'clock a. m., Saturday, to insure publication.

# ST. MARYS CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Low mass at 8:00 a. m. sun time.

High mass 10:00 a. m. sun time.

Vespers and Benediction 3:00 p. m.

# ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH.

German divine service at our church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. J. C. Jaus will preach. A cordial invitation extended to all.

J. H. Klausung, Pastor.

# GERMAN REFORMED.

9:30—Sunday school. Lesson, Psalm 32.

10:30—Divine worship conducted in German. Text, Matth 6:9. "Our Father."

6:15—Christian Endeavor. Topic, Fidelity Fiske and missions in Persia. Mis. 4:1-7.

7:00—Service in English. Text Ps. 42:2. "Thirst for God."

We cordially invite friends and strangers to worship with us.

Louis C. Hessert, Pastor.

# CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Bible class 9:30.

Sermon by Evangelist Crabb 10:30. Subject "The Eleventh Commandment."

Sermon by Evangelist Crabb 3 p. m. Subject "How a Woman met a Great Crisis." To women only and girls over 14 years old.

Sermon by Evangelist Crabb 7:15. Subject "Love, Courtship and Marriage."

Every one invited.

Rev. T. A. Coper, Pastor.

# U. B. CHURCH.

Isaiah Imler, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:15 a. m. J. D. Stultz, superintendent.

Preaching 10:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:00 p. m. Mrs. Methis, President.

Preaching 7:00 p. m.

The first quarterly conference for the year will be held Monday evening at 7:30. All the members of the church should be present, and the officers should not think of being absent.

Rev. J. E. Grimes, conference superintendent will be present, and have charge of the services Monday evening.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend all the services of this church.

Regular prayer service each Wednesday evening.

# M. E. CHURCH.

Dr. C. B. Wilcox, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:15 a. m. John Vail, Supt.

Morning sermon 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:00 p. m.

Rally Day concert by the Sunday school at 7:00 p. m.

You are cordially invited to all our services.

# EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9:30.

Preaching services at 10:30.

The Young People's meeting will be led by Mrs. C. J. Leiter. The hour is 6:30 p. m.

Preaching again at 7:30 p. m.

Smith, Yager & Falk are pleased to announce to their customers that they have secured the agency for Zemo, the best known remedy for the positive and permanent cure for Eczema, Pimples, Dandruff, Blackheads, Piles and every form of Skin or Scalp disease. Zemo gives instant relief and cures by destroying the germ that causes the disease, leaving a nice, clear, healthy skin. See display and photos of cures made by Zemo.

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# THE MARKET REPORTS

Accurate prices paid by Decatur merchants for various products. Corrected every day at 2 o'clock.

# TOLEDO MARKETS.

Wheat, cash ..... 102

December wheat ..... 102 1/2

Corn, cash ..... 74

Oats, cash ..... 49 1/2

December oats ..... 48 3/4

# PRODUCE.

By Decatur Produce Co.

Eggs ..... 20c

Powls ..... 9c

Ducks ..... 8c

Geese ..... 5c

Turkey ..... 11c

Spring check ..... 10c

Butter ..... 15c

Chicks ..... 11c

# DECATUR GRAIN MARKET.

Niblick and Company.

Eggs ..... 22c

Butter ..... 16c

Mixed ear corn ..... 73

Yellow ear corn ..... 75

White oats ..... 44

Wheat ..... 95

Red clover seed ..... 4.05

Alsike clover seed ..... 7.25

Timothy seed ..... 1.50

Rye ..... .60

Barley ..... .56

# PRICES ON COAL.

Chestnut coal ..... \$7.25

Hocking Valley ..... 3.75

West Virginia splint ..... 4.00

Wash nut ..... 4.00

# DECATUR PACKING CO.

The Decatur Packing Company.

Phone 81, will pay the following prices for live stock:

Hogs ..... \$4.00@4.75

Veal Calves ..... \$6.00@6.25

Cattle ..... \$3.00@4.00

# SMOKE DECATUR-MADE CIGARS.

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# WANTED

WANTED—Reliable, energetic young man to represent Mfg. Co. in Adams county and adjoining counties. Salary or commission. Fairfax Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—Cigar traveling salesman in your territory; experience not necessary; will pay right man good salary and expenses. National Cigar Sales Co., Toledo, Ohio.

WANTED—Two girls at the Park hotel. Inquire at once. 250-2t

WANTED—A girl to do general housework at once. Inquire at this office

WANTED—Reliable, energetic young man to represent Mfg. company in Adams and adjoining counties. One owning team preferred. Salary or commission. Fairfax Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED—in your locality to represent us. Experience unnecessary; \$110 per mo. and expenses. Write for particulars. Monarch Cigar Co., St. Louis, Mo.

# FOR RENT

FOR RENT—An eight room house located on the corner of Ninth and Jefferson street. Inquire of B. J. Rice at G. R. & I. freight office. 249-6t

FOR RENT—Truck, fruit and poultry farm 21 acres. In city limits. Fine location. Good house, barn and large poultry house. If interested inquire at Schafer Hdw. Co.

FOR RENT—Seven room house on West Monroe street. Inquire of Fred Hoffman. 243-3t

FOR RENT—Five room cottage with hard and soft water in house. Located on Nutman avenue. Key first door east. Inquire of C. O. France, with Conter Ice Cream Co. 1t

FOR RENT—Good seven room house, second door south Presbyterian church; both city and soft water and electric lights. Inquire of W. C. Kauffman, at Schafer Hdw. Co. Hardware Store. 241-6t

HOUSE FOR RENT—Eight room dwelling, one square south of Clover Leaf, opposite South Ward school. Has electric lights, double cellar, gas and water. Inquire of Thomas Mylott, 777 Russell St., Decatur.

# FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cottswold buck sheep. O. T. Johnson, residence 1/4 mile south east of County Farm. 253-6t

FOR SALE—A five room cottage with closets, both kinds of water, much fruit in god location. Will sell cheap if sold within thirty days. Inquire at this office. 249-12t

FOR SALE—Florence Hot Blast stove

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good as new. Inquire of D. H. Hunsicker. 240-6t

BULBS FOR FALL PLANTING—We have on sale a nice assortment of Hyacinths, tulips, lilies, etc. J. D. Hale. 250-12t

FOR SALE—A suburban fifteen acre farm. Has a good six room story and a half house on stone foundation. Has a new barn 20x30, new cow barn 16x26, cistern, good well of water, new wood and coal house, chicken house, hog house, corn crib, granary, wagon shed, wire fence, land well tiled, on good pike, on mail route, on telephone line, interurban stop, in about two squares of house. About sixty rods from good school, 1/2 mile to country store. A good poultry and truck farm. Inquire this office. 250-12t

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and harness cheap, if sold soon. J. C. Leiter, 220 S. Fifth St. 1t

LOT FOR SALE—A building lot located one-half square from Clover Leaf station. Price \$90. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house on Monroe street. Inquire of D. H. Hunsicker. 251-6t

LOT FOR SALE—A well located lot in north part of city, on improved street; good place for residence and a splendid investment if you want to speculate. Will sell at a bargain if taken soon. Inquire at this office. 1t

FOR SALE—I have a few gallons of pure maple syrup for sale. Guaranteed pure under the pure food laws of Ohio. B. W. Sholly. 1t

TRICKER'S Jackson Sootless coal leaves no whiskers on the stove lids. Hocking Splint and other grades at the low price. Office Phone 534; Res. 311. 1t

# LOST AND FOUND