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WE

SECOND THE MOTION

The democracy of the state will decide for itself who shall be the successor of Mr. Hemenway, but Fort Wayne offers one who will represent the state strongly and properly in all things, and one who is heart and soul committed to our greatest enterprise, in the person of Edward G. Hoffman. Mr. Hoffman is too modest to assert his own claims and this article is written without his knowledge or consent. But from the standpoint of party service, patriotism and ability he is in every way fitted to grace any position. In his short professional career he has given evidence of abilities far beyond the ordinary. His political service is evidenced by the fact that as county chairman he brought Allen county out of chaos back to its old political moorings, and his apostleship has made it firmer than ever in the faith; and then, advanced to a higher post of leadership, he redeemed the old Twelfth district from its waywardness of 1904 and 1902 and led it to the greatest democratic victory in its history. Tacitful, diplomatic, broad-sympathetic, intensely patriotic, eloquent and able, Edward G. Hoffman has the elements of statesmanship. He is young, but no younger than Albert J. Beveridge was when he was elected senator. He has wrought faithfully for the party and asked nothing in return; aye, even rejected proffered honors. Now, when northern Indiana, and more particularly Fort Wayne, needs a man of high calibre in the halls of legislation, a better service could not be done by the Indiana legislature next January than to send Edward G. Hoffman to the senate.—Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

Now Judge Smith would fill that speaker's chair completely, and he would add dignity to the place, some-

thing that has escaped the presiding chair of the Indiana general assembly since those good old days.

The eighth district, under the leadership of Adair, is fast becoming a Democratic stronghold. Bryan carried the district by 103, Marshall 2,381, Adair 5,663. This record is not excelled by any other district in the state, save the seventh, Indianapolis.

Nathan H. Baker when he was nominated for congress on the Hearst Independence ticket announced that he was going to make the race of his life. Nate received just three votes in the county and not a single vote in his own precinct. It looks like Nate reasonably ought to have received at least one more vote.—Portland Sun.

Senator Slack has announced his candidacy for the United States senatorship. This sounds good for an Indiana Democrat. Others mentioned are John W. Kern, B. F. Shiveley, John E. Lamb, Samuel Ralston and Edward G. Hoffman. Wade in, gentlemen and help yourselves. It has been so long since official honor has smiled upon a Democrat that we blame none of them for shieling early and often at everything that comes along.

When Judge Taft's special train toured the Eighth district and Mr. Taft addressed "acres" of people at Anderson, Muncie, Winchester, Portland and Decatur, he urged the voters to support Senator N. B. Hawkins for congress, saying he would need Mr. Hawkins when he became president. We are glad that Judge Taft made this partisan appeal. We also believe and are glad that it lined up perhaps thousands of votes for Senator Hawkins. Had Judge Taft not done this Mr. Hawkins' defeat would have been almost disgraceful.—Portland Sun.

THE COMMISSIONERS ADJOURN

Not Much Business at This Term of the Board.

Joseph J. Tonneller and Joseph B. Knapke were granted licenses to retail liquors for one year from November 5th.

The W. A. Bowman, Gallmeyer, Henry Wefel, Preble-Kirkland, Tieman and E. H. Faust macadam roads were ordered sold at the first day of the next regular session.

Adolph Schugg was appointed superintendent on the Schugg macadam road in Wabash township, and S. W. Hale appointed on the Geneva-Ceylon & Wabash township No. 3, in place of P. A. Macklin, deceased.

HUNTING PARTIES

Dr. Dick Neptune and Peter Frank Leave Sunday Night for Arkansas

ON HUNTING TRIP

Will Be Joined by E. L. Carroll—Dr. J. Q. Neptune Off for Michigan

Dr. J. Q. Neptune left this morning on the 8:30 car for Fort Wayne, where he joined a hunting party, consisting of twenty-five men who left immediately for Witbeck, Michigan, to hunt for big game. Philip Koos and George Nettle, of Adams county were among the party. These men expect to remain in the wilds of Michigan for three weeks and they will without doubt get their share of the game, which wanders their way. Raymond Knoff who graduated recently from a Chicago dental college, and who is an expert at the business, will look after Mr. Neptune's patrons during his absence.

Dr. Dick Neptune, accompanied by Peter Frank of this city, will leave Sunday night for eastern Arkansas, where they will enjoy a three weeks' hunting expedition. E. L. Carroll, who left last night for St. Louis, will join the party enroute and the men expect a great time. They will camp in the woods and Mr. Neptune informs us that they will make a desperate attempt to deplete the forest in that vicinity of all its game.

FOR WEEK'S ENGAGEMENT.

Maud Henderson Stock Co. is Billed Here.

Next Monday evening the Maude Henderson company, one of our best known and most popular repertoire troops will open a week's engagement at the Bosse opera house presenting "Over the Ridge" as their initial play. In order to conform to the time-honored custom of repertoire companies Monday evening will be ladies free night, when one lady will be admitted free with each paid reserved seat ticket (30c) purchased prior to six p. m. Monday. It has been some time since we have had a really good show in our city, and Manager Bosse is to be congratulated in bringing back to us the best of the old-line repertoire companies for a full week.

The fraternal Order of Eagles held an interesting meeting at their lodge rooms last evening. Much business of importance was looked after.

AT THE MAJESTIC, FORT WAYNE

"The Servant in the House" is a Great Attraction.

"The Servant in the House" which comes to the Majestic theater in Fort Wayne for an engagement of three nights and a matinee—Nov. 16, 17, 18—owes its success to the fact that it appeals to the casual theatergoer quite as strongly as it does to the most critical. Hailed by competent authorities as the finest example of dramatic art since the days of Shakespeare, it arouses the enthusiasm of auditors who disregard the subtle meaning of the lines and give their attention only to the surface story. Many who are thrilled by the Indian bishop's eloquent description of his mighty church in Benares, the Holy City of the East, and observes with amazement his occult powers, are absolutely unaware that Manson is in reality a reincarnation of the Christ. No play of the season tells a more appealing story—a story that arouses the mirth of an audience by its clean-cut comedy and elicits its tears by simple, real-life pathos. There is exquisite satire for the analytical mind of the student and simple humor that is grasped even by children. The plumber's pride of profession which sends him to face a horrible death down in the darkness that his comrades up above may be saved, sends a thrill through every working man, no matter what his calling, quite as intense as the emotion of clergymen who follow the English vicar's rebellion against the hypocrisy of technique and construction is equalled by his ability to play the emotions of an audience. The fact that "The Servant in the House" is breaking records in every city vindicates the author's first claim, that his play would appeal to the casual amusement seeker quite as strongly as it would to the most earnest thinker. It is a modern comedy in the best sense of the word, and tells a fascinating story.

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THANKS HIS PARTY.

I want to thank the Democrats of Monroe township for their loyal support in my race for trustee, and I promise to conduct the affairs of the office in the interest of every taxpayer in the township, and hope to have your support in so doing. C. C. BEER.

Mr. R. S. McCugne, of Pittsburg was in the city last evening on business.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Several New Cases Filed—One a Paternity Proceeding

WANT A GUARDIAN

For Sam Railing—Will of Peter Aumiller Filed—Other Items

Hooper & Lenhart are attorneys for The Holthouse Drug company, who filed a suit against Frederick Hoffman, on account, demand \$100.

State ex rel Alice M. Kessler vs. William Heistand, a paternity proceeding, was filed at the clerk's office, on appeal from the court of Isaac N. Velej, justice of peace in Wabash township.

E. Burt Lenhart has filed a petition for the appointment of a guardian for Samuel Railing, alleging that he is a person of unsound mind and that through the death of Susan Glass has inherited \$600, which the will provides must be placed in the hands of a guardian.

Lewis C. Helm has been appointed a notary public and filed his bond for \$1,000 as provided by the Indiana law.

The last will and testament of Peter Aumiller of Berne, was probated. He bequeaths all his property, real and personal, to his wife Sarah, to hold during her life. After her death each of the five children, George, Mary and Samuel Aumiller, Anna Blowers and Ida Galloway are to each receive 33 1/3 acres of land from his farm located in the north part of Wabash township. His wife, Sarah Catherine Aumiller is named as executrix. The will was written November 10, 1896, and witnessed by John E. Rose and Andrew Gottschalk.

Sharp & Sturges, Bluffton attorneys, have filed a new case, Peter Meyer vs. Emil and Katie Frany, foreclosure of Mortgage.

In the case of Lee Yager et al vs. Harrie F. McKill et al suit on note, Fruchte & Litterer have entered appearance for the defendants.

D. E. Smith has entered his appearance for the defendants in the case of J. E. Moser vs. Peter Frank et al, suit on note and chattel mortgage.

Martin W. Wolbert vs. Levi and William Kohler, note, appearance by Fruchte & Litterer for defendants.

Daniel Straub et al vs. C. & E. railroad company, damages, demurrer filed to each paragraph, overruled.

Mutual Mfg. Co. vs. Christine Kuntz, account, demurrer to second paragraph of answer overruled and a reply was filed to that paragraph.

W. M. Beabout, administrator of the John E. Rose estate, filed final report, approved and he was discharged.

Vincent and Margaret Smith, heirs of Joseph Smith, applied for an order of court, that they be paid their share of \$75.84 each which was done.

O. T. Shaw and "Dutch" Johns have opened a place of business directly north of the Niblick store in which they will sell the best of fish and all fruits. They expect to treat their customers right so be sure and give them a call. 263-3t

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank the neighbors and friends who assisted us so kindly during the illness and death of our darling babe, Mabel Marie. We are especially thankful to the Aid Society and Helping Hand Society of the German Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Piternour.

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JOHN ELZEY

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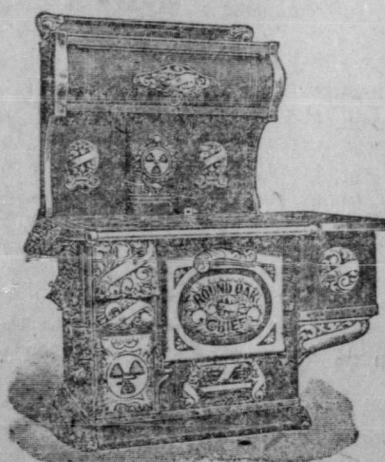
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