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ARE THEY NONPARTISAN?

If the county local option law is allowed to stand on our statute and the next general assembly passes the joint resolution for a constitutional amendment aiming at state-wide prohibition, the program of the Anti-Saloon League will have been carried out, and as the League is nonpartisan, it has no preference as to which political party carries out the wishes of the people it represents.—Berne Witness.

The Witness is really amusing. If supporting the Republican candidates, annexing their headquarters with the Republican state headquarters is nonpartisan, then the anti-saloon league is truly nonpartisan. The Witness itself is a fair sample of the league's independence, and whoever heard of the Witness supporting any candidate other than Republican? All this narrow partisan bigotry has done more to retard than to help the growth of temperance. But in spite of it all, much has been accomplished.

If all the Democratic newspapers in the state would take the stand the Decatur Democrat is taking, the county local option law would have little to fear at the hands of its enemies.—Berne Witness.

Who are the friends and who the enemies? Before the election the Republican state organization and the Republican press were red hot and getting warmer for prohibition. Now they are the "wettest" bunch of patriots ever. Are they the friends? And are the Democrats, who were open and above board, the enemies?

It is said that the anti-saloon league had \$27,000 for their work last year. Those in charge are no doubt drawing fancy salaries, and if these salaries were shortened, their interest would be materially dampened.

Democrat Want Ads. Pay

AT THE HOTEL MURRAY

THANKSGIVING 12:00 DINNER

Blue Points on half shell
Celery

Consummate Julienne	Chicken Gumbo
Salted Almonds	Queen Olives
Fillet of Flounder	Poached Sauce Marney
New Radishes	Gastor-nome Potatoes
Boiled Leg of Mutton	Caper Sauce
Supreme of Veal Breads, Maria Antoinette	Whipped Cream
Fresh Pineapple	Roast Prime Beef
Showflike Potatoes	French Peas in Cases
Young Turkey, Stuffed Walnut Dressing, Cranberry Sauce	Spinach, with Eggs
Asparagus Tips, Hollandaise	Orange Marmalade
Roast Mallard Duck	Nartino Punch
Fresh Shrimps, Mayonnaise	Lettuce and Tomato Salad
English Plum Pudding, Hard or Brandy Sauce	Lemon Meringue Pie
Homemade Mince Pie	Assorted Cakes
Neapolitan Ice Cream	Nuts and Raisins
Imperial Cheese	Fruit
Toasted Crackers	Cafe Noir

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SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Thanksgiving the Most Sacred of All Holidays, to Be Observed Tomorrow

A UNION SERVICE

Historical Club Held Interesting Meeting—Other Items of Interest

"East Lynn" is an old play, but it is one of the best. Joseph King's company will appear at the Bosse opera house on Wednesday, Dec. 2, and a fine performance is assured. The story of "East Lynn" is so familiar it seems almost superfluous to attempt any outline of it, but a paragraph or two in that direction may not be amiss. Lady Isabelle is married to Archibald Carlyle, and, though in love with her husband, is insanely and unjustly jealous of Barbara Hare, a family friend and lifelong acquaintance of Archibald. Her jealousy is fanned into hatred by a designing villain, Sir Francis Levison, and she, after several years of happy married life, is induced to leave her husband through the false representations of Levison. Deserted by the destroyer of her peace, and is left alone to the mercy of the world. Miserable and remorseful she gains entrance into her former husband's home in the guise of a French governess and is enabled to see and be with her children, although unable to re-establish herself as his wife, for, on her desertion, Archibald had married Barbara Hare. She finds some solace and comfort, however, in the care of her children. The death of her eldest, however, undermines her own health and finding herself at death's door, she calls for her former husband, discloses her identity, and with his forgiveness, passes into the great beyond.

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Mrs. S. E. Hudnutt will offer for sale at public auction at the residence of Grover Hoffman on north Fifth street, one square north of the Methodist church, Decatur, on next Saturday, Nov. 28, at 1 o'clock p.m., a lot of household goods, including a Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, rockers, chairs, mirror, two large rugs, soft coal stove, gasoline heater, bureau, mattress and numerous other articles.

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SPECIAL PRICES AT THE GREEN HOUSE FOR THANKSGIVING.

Chrysanthemums, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 per doz; carnations, 60c per doz. A lot of extra fine gold fish 15c. apiece. Ernsberger Bros. & Moses.

The Historical Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. P. B. Thomas last evening, the hostess having charge of the entertainment. Mrs. Jennie Sudabaker had the principal paper on the subject of "Forestry" and it was something great. The care of forests by the future generations was well discussed.

Tomorrow evening the Presbyterian church will be the scene of the initial session of the Christian Endeavor societies of the district in annual convention. We therefore expect out of town delegations to arrive during the afternoon. The visitors will be well taken care of during the two days' stay in our midst. The sessions will be interesting and the public is invited to attend.

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