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The Democrats are at last going to have a club house in Indianapolis that will measure up to the necessities and dignity of the party. The Indiana Democratic club, which is both a local and state institution, is preparing to build a capacious home which will cost anywhere between \$80,000 and \$150,000.

No one is prepared to say at this time just what bills of special importance will be introduced during the coming session of the legislature. There are several matters that will receive particular attention, but there is a very general hope that no time will be wasted on inconsequential things. Sixty days every two years is not a long time for the consideration of the

welfare of three millions of people, but ordinarily it is quite long enough provided the members of the legislature confine their labors to the proposals that are really essential. This, it is believed, will be done at the coming session in a much larger degree than in former years.

The talk about Thomas R. Marshall for president in 1912 does not seem to be making any impression upon him. Certain it is that he is paying practically no attention to it. He has other matters to think about at the present time, which are interesting him far more than is the probable candidate of the democratic party four years hence. He is now interested in giving the people of Indiana a good administration and state matters are therefore receiving his particular attention at the present time. He has not discussed the presidential situation at all and is not likely to have anything to say about his attitude for some time to come.—Columbia City Post.

The legislature will meet and organize on Thursday, Jan. 7, at which time retiring Governor Hanly will submit his final pronouncement. There is some curiosity as to what Mr. Hanly will say. He entered office with an attack upon the administration of his predecessor, Governor Durbin, and it

is not improbable that on disappearing into the capacious political grave which has been dug for him by his party associates he will leave behind an official last will and testament that will cause those same associates to sit up and take notice. Just what form the devise and bequests will take no one is likely to know until the will is read before the expectant mourners and interested spectators.

DEATH IS CERTAIN

Mrs. Crill Called to Bedside of Her Dying Mother

AT HOAGLAND

Woman is About Ninety Years of Age—Sustained a Fall

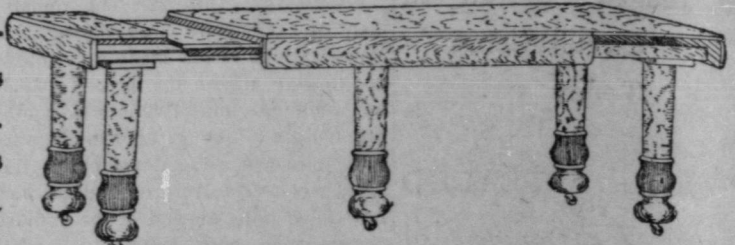
Mrs. Frank Crill, of Hammond, who for many years resided in this city, was the recipient of a message yesterday to the effect that her mother, Mrs. Sweet, of Hoagland, was lying at the point of death and Mrs. Crill and daughter, Georgia, left immediately for this city, arriving here last evening. They went to Hoagland at eight o'clock after visiting a few hours with friends here to be at the bedside of the aged lady who, in all probability will die in the very near future. Mrs. Sweet, who is about ninety years of age, sustained a fall last summer which caused internal injuries and rendered her practically helpless. Since that time her health has gradually declined, assuming dangerous proportions of late weeks. She is one of the oldest residents of Allen county and loved by all who know her. It is thought that had she not suffered the fall she would have survived to celebrate her one hundredth birthday. Mrs. Crill will remain at Hoagland until the crisis is passed.

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ing prizes on the corn of the farmers and they are entitled to credit for the progressive spirit manifest. The above prizes will be divided into three classes for both yellow and white corn and the totals are as follows: First white, \$10.08; second, \$7.35, and third, \$3.00; first yellow, \$12.23; second, \$8.00 and third \$3.50. Besides these the institute will give prizes.

THE PLAN OF ANTIS

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visitations are to go out. The committee on arrangements, headed by Meredith Nicholson, has already brought the plans to a point so near completion that it can be said that the receiving line is to contain the following prominent Indianapolis citi-

zens: Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, James Whitcomb Riley, General and Mrs. Charles Shaler, Bishop and Mrs. Francis, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Elder, Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Stoughton A. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic M. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Volney T. Melott, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taggart, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus L. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. John Perlin, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kern, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Woollen, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Burford and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Nicholson. The entire Propylaeum has been reserved for the occasion and will be beautifully decorated in flags and holiday evergreens. An orchestra of ten or more pieces will furnish the music, the dancing to begin at 10 o'clock. A buffet luncheon will be served. The invitations are to be issued in a few days. There will be many out-of-town guests.

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PRESIDENT SHOWED HIS TEETH

One of the Seminary Girls Lives at Marion, Ohio.

Miss Ruth Fisher, daughter of one of the wealthiest families at Marion, Ohio, and a student at the National Park seminary, Forest Glen, Maryland, yesterday returned from school and told her complete version of the rebuke administered to a party of the school girls by President Roosevelt. She says that Roosevelt with a regular San Juan charge, rode into their midst while they were out for a gallop near the school. His charger kicked one of the girls in the foot and nearly unseated her. Miss Margaret Kierstead of St. Louis was almost unseated when the president's whip struck her horse. Drawing rein some distance ahead the president awaited the party and called them down for not giving him the whole road. The president was later joined by Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel the latter's attitude being even worse than her father's. Miss Fisher con-

demn the actions and statements of the "fiery sage of Sagamore," and said: "We just tried to show by our looks what we thought of them. We then rode by without noticing them and with our chins high in the air. The president and Miss Ethel looked daggers at us. You could see those terrible teeth for a block. He was so angry we thought he was going to initiate us into that terrible club of his even though we had said we did not mean to offend him."

"A TEXAS RANGER."

"A Texas Ranger," the latest and best play of the west, will be the attraction at the opera house Saturday night, Dec. 26th. It possesses literary qualities rare in plays of today that are satisfactory from an acting standpoint. The story is told in unctious, picturesque prose, illuminated by a glowing and virile imagination. The cast is headed by Mr. Pierre Akey, who for the past three seasons played the star part of Lieutenant Denton in "Arizona."

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(Special.)

To all the good boys and girls of Adams county, greeting:
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