

# THE DAILY DEMOCRAT

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J. H. HELLER, Manager.

When the general appropriation bill is brought up for consideration later on in the session, some of the persons in the state house now drawing comfortable salaries will use a magnifying glass in vain to discover where they come in. It seems to be settled that they won't come in at all. If plans now on foot can be carried out no appropriations for salaries will be made unless there is a separate law creating the office and fixing the salary. It has been the practice for several years to slip extra salary items into the appropriation bills, thus making pleasant and profitable jobs where none existed under any independent enactment.

The Indianapolis Sun has become the mouthpiece of that element of the Democracy of Indiana which is laboring under the delusion that the result of the November election was a declaration of the people in favor of a repeal of the local option law. The Sun therefore criticizes the views of Samuel M. Ralston and other Democrats and Democratic newspapers that favor giving the law a trial. The Sun and the class it represents insisted before the election with great vehemence that the temperance question was not an "issue"—that it had been settled by the special session of the legislature, combatting the assertion of the Republican press and leaders that the election of a Democratic governor and legislature meant the triumph of the brewery and saloon element in politics. The Democratic voters of Indiana will not stand for some of the things that blind leadership threatens to foist upon them. The party today is on the threshold of an era of great usefulness in Indiana, under the leadership of Governor Marshall, if it does not fall a victim to misguided leadership.—Lebanon Pioneer.

FOR SALE—A second hand low wheel wagon. Will sell cheap. Inquire of U. E. Cramer, located at rear of Van Camp flour mill. 23-3t.

## HENRY SCHEGEL, CONTEMPT

He Had on a Package That Was a Beaut Besides.

Henry Schlegel is resting at the county jail, being taken up for contempt of court. He was subpoenaed to the hearing that gave his eleven year old son to the board of children's guardians. Instead of appearing, he took on a jag and this information coming to the court, the order went out to have him taken for contempt. Henry Schlegel is a good hearted man, but his love for the flowing bowl has brought him to the present state.

## ONE MORE CHARITY

Charles Schlegel Turned Over to Children's Guardians

## THE BONDS ARRIVE

But One Macadam Road to Be Sold on Monday

The Board of Children's Guardians are again doing business, they having been given the care and custody of Charles Schlegel, the eleven year old son of Henry Schlegel of this city. This grand rush is enough to scare the life out of the members of this charitable board, or fear an epidemic was abroad in the land. While the cases that have come before the board in the last few weeks are perhaps worthy of the consideration given, yet we can see where they can easily be imposed upon. A few prosecutions in that event would not come amiss, and we would be surprised if Prosecutor Heller would take this same view of it. This makes eight children that the board of children's guardians will take to the home near Peru some time during the coming week.

The bonds for the Preble-Kirkland, W. A. Bowman, W. A. Tieman, William Gallmeyer, E. H. Faust, and Henry Wafel macadam roads arrived today and are secure in the hands of Auditor Michaud. They will be signed up and approved by the board of commissioners and delivered to their purchaser next week.

But one macadam road will be offered for sale by the commissioners while in session for their February term. That road is known as the Broadstock and traverses a portion of Hartford township.

Conkey's Roup Cure 50c. at Smith, Yager and Falk's. Makes 25 gallons medicine. Save your fowls.

## SOCIAL COLUMN

The Morrison Dinner Party a Pleasant Affair

## THE SEWING CLUB

Several Events in Society Notwithstanding Inclement Weather

Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison entertained a small company of ladies last evening for tea in honor of Mrs. Stoops. Some Mexican dishes were served. The place cards were brought from Mexico, and on each was an exquisite bird of Mexican feather work. The guests were Mesdames Niblick, Nachtrieb, Dugan, Tyndall, Fisher, Ellingham and Misses Studabaker, Orris and Blackburn.

The Junior Sewing Club composed of the Misses Fannie Heller, Gladys Flanders, Fern Ward, Jerrie Gregory, Naomi Meyers, Vivian Montgomery and Rowena Shoaf, met at the home of Fern Ward this afternoon. Fancy work, games and a general good time occupied the time. The hostess served dainty refreshments.

The members of Mrs. C. J. Lutz Sabbath school class met at the home of Gladys Meyers this afternoon to organize a club to be called the "Shadow Club." The study of music and literature will be taken up. The hostess each time being responsible for the program. A miscellaneous program was given this afternoon. Mrs. Lutz will direct the study and meet with the girls. A few members outside the class will be taken into the club.

Miss Martha Kettler, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Marie Patterson of this city, spent Friday afternoon and night at the beautiful country home of Mrs. C. J. Lutz.

Mrs. U. E. Cramer entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of the Evangelical church at her home Thursday afternoon, in their business meeting. The annual reports were read, after the transaction of business. The ladies have had considerable expense during the year, but still have in their treasury \$128.82. There was a full attendance and the afternoon was spent in social conversation. Delicious refreshments were served. Mamma.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohman were very happily surprised by a number of friends, who came masked at their home on rural route No. 2. The guests were attired in comical costumes and made a quaint appearance. Various games were indulged in and a general good time was enjoyed by all. Music for the occasion was furnished by Miss Josephine Mumma assisted by Mrs. Florence Bohman. Refreshments were served. At a late hour the party made their departure. Those present were Mr. Lewis Wodard of Monroeville; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohnke, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hower, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Railing and Miss Josie

### MOVED HIS SHOP.

I have moved my carriage, wagon, blacksmith and horse shoeing shop to the H. H. Brenerkamp cement block building, corner of First and Jefferson streets, one-half block south of Decatur Horse Sale barn, where I am prepared to do all kinds of work in my line. Four new shoes \$1.25; resoling four old shoes, 70 cents. Thanking all for past favors and soliciting your patronage, and warranting all work. U. E. Cramer. 25-6t

### FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS

"Wouldn't Pay Me for the Relief I Got from Piles."  
"For 12 years I suffered with piles, brought on by any strain or hard work. Since using Hem-Roid eight months ago, I have not had an attack can do any labor and eat what I wish without ill effect. I would not be in my former condition for \$500."  
(Signed) Wm. McAdams, Cook's Falls, N. Y.

Sworn to before notary Mar. 23, '08.  
Dr. Leonhardt's Lico-Roid, an internal tablet cure for piles, is sold for \$1 by Holthouse Drug Co., Decatur, Ind.

### NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Your water rental is now past due. Please call at once and pay the same and save us the trouble of reporting the delinquency.

W. J. ARCHBOLD,  
City Treasurer.

## GOTTSCALK IN THE CITY.

Representative Gottschalk Calls on Friends in the City.

Representative Gottschalk was in the city for a short time this morning on his way home from Indianapolis, going on to Berne this afternoon. He is making the kind of a record that pleases the party and the people on the question of repeal of the county local option, and his congratulations were many and of the kind that count. He well represents his party by representing the people, and Mr. Gottschalk is doing that all right.

## IN THE FIRST PLACE

Elks Took Game from Palace Club Last Night in Bowling

## FORGE TO FRONT

They Now Occupy First Position in the Percentage Column

STANDING.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Elks .....	4	2	.667
Berling's Five .....	5	4	.545
Postoffice .....	3	3	.500
Palace .....	3	6	.333

In a game of unusual interest to the spectators the Elks bowling team defeated the Palace five last night and thereby forged to first place in the pennant race, routing Berling's club out of first position. The contest was exciting throughout and witnessed by many lovers of the sport. The tabulated score:

Palace—			
Studabaker .....	125	147	130
Shaffer .....	142	192	137
Archbold .....	133	168	157
Coverdale .....	164	150	235
Lankenau .....	171	156	160

Totals .....	735	813	819
Elks—			
France .....	189	167	190
Dorwin .....	150	158	131
Bell .....	158	169	156
Henry .....	99	173	174
Peterson .....	165	182	225

Totals .....	761	849	876
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### PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer for public sale at his home 1 mile southeast of Steele and 5 miles south of Pleasant Mills, beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., Thursday, Feb. 11, 1909, the following property, to-wit: Horses, Cattle, Hogs—One brood mare, 14 years old, in foal, 1 brood mare 9 years old in foal, 1 yearling Coach mare sold, 1 Belgium mare colt. One cow, 8 years old, will be fresh in May, 1 cow 7 years old, will be fresh in March, 1 cow 3 years old, will be fresh in April. On brood sow, will farrow in April, 6 shoats, will weigh about 50 pounds each.

Implements—One two-horse wagon, good as new, 1 spring wagon, 1 end gate scoop board, 1 combination wagon bed and hog rack, 1 Oliver breaking plow, 1 Clipper corn plow, 1 double shovel plow, 1 69-spike-tooth harrow, 1 clod masher, 1 corn sheller, 1 pair mud boat runners, 1 double set work harness, 1 grindstone, 1 ball barbed wire, about 30 bushels of selected seed oats, some seed corn, 1 washing machine, 1 good rat dog and dog house, about 3 dozen R. I. Red chickens, a few full blooded R. I. roosters, about 10 dozen mixed chickens, a 200-egg incubator, good as new, 4 tons of good hay in mow, some corn fodder.

Terms—\$5.00 and under cash on day of sale; over \$5.00 a credit of nine months' time will be given to purchaser who gives approved security.

T. A. BAKER.

J. N. Burkhead, Auct.

LOST—A pair of black gauntlet gloves. Please return to this office.

## FARMS

## WANTED

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—

I desire to list for sale for a short time several up-to-date, good, productive farms, as I have in view a number of good prospective buyers for farms from 80 to 200 acres.

Bear in mind it will cost you nothing to list unless satisfactory sale is made, and that this is the high tide in farm sales from now until March 15th, and if you expect to sell, you often miss a good opportunity by not having your farm listed and on the market. Send in by mail or call at office, corner of Monroe and Second streets.

Dan Erwin

## NO FIRE TEAM

City Council Are Thinking Favorably of Installing Auto Truck

## INSTEAD OF TEAM

The Auto Will Be of Modern Construction—Plans Being Drawn

It is now almost a certainty that the city council will buy an automobile truck to be used in the new fire department instead of a team of horses, and negotiations to that end are now going on. Several of the members of the council have, while on visits in the city of Indianapolis, inspected the automobile apparatus which is utilized in conveying the chemical engine, hose reel and ladders to fires and they are convinced that the device is in many ways preferable to a team of horses. It would mean, they contend, a very noticeable saving of money to the city. While there may not be more than one fire a month, in the event that a team would be kept there would be the constant expense of feeding the animals, while the auto would incur no expense whatever. The automobile the councilmen have in mind is one which will carry a chemical engine on its front, a hose reel behind and the ladder cart trailing behind. The council is justifying discretion in the matter, and they are doing all in their power to engineer the establishment of the new and much needed enterprise to the utmost satisfaction of every taxpayer of the city. The architect is busy drawing the plans and will have same completed by February fifteenth. There is only one feature which has not been definitely decided by the city dads, and that is as to whether or not the front of the building will be constructed of solid stone or brick with stone trimmings. The floor plan is settled. At Tuesday night's meeting the matter will be settled in its entirety and bonds ordered advertised for sale.

### EAGLES DANCE.

A dance will be given at the Eagle hall on Wednesday evening, February 3. Tickets sold at the door. 25-4t

### MONEY TO LOAN.

Plenty of money to loan on farm property at 5 per cent. Privilege of partial payment at any interest paying time.

SCURGER & SMITH,

Attorneys at Law and Abstractors.

LOST—A child's fur collar some place in the city. The finder is requested to return it to this office. 24-3t

Save your bands from the Don Cavalier and get the present at the Model.

A bargain sale day at the Decatur Packing company meat market for Saturday only. Hams and beef cuts at special prices. 24-2t

## THE GRAND

One of the finest shows ever come to the city. Don't forget

### TONIGHT

First film—King Richard III.

Second film—The Guide.

Song—She waits by the Deep Blue Sea.

Everybody goes to the Grand.

# A Farm for \$10

IN THE  
Sunny San Luis Valley  
OF COLORADO

## FREE TRIP TO EXAMINE LAND

WE HAVE DIVIDED A 54,000 ACRE TRACT INTO TRUCK FARMS CONTAINING

10 To 1,000 Acres  
PER FARM AT \$200 EACH

\$10 Cash and \$10 Per Month!

No Interest! No Taxes!

We want a reliable and energetic man in every town to form clubs of 15 prospective purchasers. We will furnish round trip railroad ticket FREE to one member of each club to inspect land. We pay liberal commission. Full particulars upon request.

Reference—Any Bank or Banker in St. Louis, Kansas City or Denver.

San Luis Valley Land And  
Irrigation Co.

Bank of Commerce Bldg. KANSAS CITY, MO.

## A NEW WAY

To Buy and Pay  
FOR YOUR SPRING SUIT

Don't delay. Come in  
and let me explain

CHRIS MEYER, The Tailor

135 S. Second St.

Decatur, Indiana

## SNOW AGENCY

No. 764—Is a four room cottage on Elm street, corner lot, fruit, stable, cistern, brick walk, etc., \$600.00.  
No. 765—Is a one acre tract a half mile from Decatur, plenty of fruit, dug well, good four room house, some other buildings, \$450.00.  
No. 766—Is a nearly all black land 2 1/2 acre tract, within a mile and a half of town, good frame story and half house on brick foundation, drove well, all wire fenced, \$2,650.00.  
No. —Is a 90 acre dairy farm good tenant house, dairy barn for fifty cows, sheds, cribs, etc., drove well. All fitted up for dairy business, \$10,000.00.

See Snow Agency's Larger Lists of  
Farm and City Properties

## Free From Tax

WE OFFER  
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS 3 1/2  
PER CENT BONDS  
ISSUED FOR NEW CITY HALL

Dated, Jan. 15th, 1909. Due, Jan. 1, 1939.

PRICE \$101.87 & INT.

Each Bond will cost the investor \$1018.70 and accrued interest.

Your income is 3.40 per cent per annum FREE FROM ALL TAX. In Decatur this is equal to a 7.80 per cent taxable investment.

Call for further particulars  
THE OLD ADAMS COUNTY BANK

# CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

that has been in use for nearly forty years and never known to fail.

Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praises this medicine for what it has done for his children. He says: "It has not only saved them once but many a time. Only two weeks ago my boy had the croup so bad in the night that had it not been for having a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house he would have choked before a doctor could have gotten to the house. It is a medicine that no one should be without at any time." It is pleasant to take and many children like it.

"We guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says W. M. Parish, Palmerston, Ontario. "Out of the many bottles sold last winter not one was returned. We recommend it especially for children with croup." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its prompt cures of coughs, colds and croup. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse an attack of croup may be averted. This medicine is entirely free from narcotics or injurious substances of any kind and may be given to the little ones with absolute safety.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.