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J. H. HELLER, Manager.

If Theodore Roosevelt will "let himself loose" in the next number of The Outlook magazine, of which he is now one of the editors, his comment on the result of the re-trial of the Standard Oil octopus in Judge Anderson's court will be read with lively interest. Mr. Roosevelt is in possession of information that perhaps no other individual in the land could have obtained.—South Bend Times.

TO MEMBERS OF ADAMS CO. NATIONAL HORSETHIEF DETECTIVE ASS'N.

Saturday, March 20, 1909, the full attendance of 207 members shall convene in regular quarterly session at the Grand Army Hall, Decatur, Ind., at 10:00 a. m. The books will be there at 9:00 o'clock for your convenience. Come early as important business is to transact.

Yours respectfully,
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MILLINERY OPENING

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March 16
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THE BIG DUDLEY BUCK CHORUS



At the Bosse Opera House Wed. Evening March 17

NEXT WEDNESDAY.

At the Bosse opera house the big Dudley Buck chorus of Fort Wayne. You can't forget the date, Wednesday, March 17th, St. Patrick's Day. This is one of the largest and strongest musical organizations of that city. They come here at a great expense, as they have chartered a special car on the Fort Wayne and Springfield railway and will arrive about seven o'clock Wednesday evening. You cannot afford to miss this great musical treat. The seats will be put on sale at the Holthouse Dry Goods store today at 1 o'clock instead of Monday, and if you want choice seats have them reserved today. Manager Bosse has just received order from Fort Wayne for 25 reserved seats opera chairs, as there will be a number of Fort Wayne people here on that night. If you want first choice of opera chairs, have them reserved at once. First come first served. The price is only 35c for opera chairs and 25 cents for blue chairs.

ARE FILING FAST

Mortgage Exemptions Are Being Made Out

THE USUAL NUMBER

Indications Point to the Usual Number Who Will Comply With Law

Mortgage exemption affidavits are rapidly being filed with County Auditor Michaud, the first week of the period fixed by law for filing such documents having expired. In addition to the large number from real estate owners in out townships, Decatur property owners also are availing themselves of the privilege. Considering the large number of affidavits filed annually comparatively few abuses are noted. Once in a great while an affidavit is made that a mortgage exists on certain real estate, but when the papers are compared with the county records it is found that the mortgage has been released by the owner. Despite the fact that the newspapers have annually sounded the warning to persons entitled to be exempted on account of mortgages that new affidavits must be made each spring and that those of previous years will not apply, it appears that a goodly number of realty owners still retain this larcenous idea. Many also do not know that non-resident property owners have the same privilege as those in the city, for the affidavit may be made out before any notary anywhere, if the proper facts are set forth, and the affidavit then mailed to the county auditor.

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MONEY TO LOAN—I have plenty of money to loan on farms. No commission charged. Dore B. Erwin, attorney at law.

SOCIAL COLUMN

Jesse Kelly Entertained Eighteen of His Pupils for Michigan Friends

ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY

Was the Scene of Festivities—Miss Niblick Passed Fifth Grade Exam.

Eighteen of Mr. Jesse Kelly's pupils gathered at his home on Thursday evening, March 11, 1909, in response to invitations issued to them. The gathering was in honor of Mr. James Jones and Miss Ina Archer, of Midland county, Michigan. An instrumental solo by Miss Archer opened the fun at 8:00 and it was one continued laughter for four hours. At the wee hour of midnight. All present thanked Mr. and Mrs. Kelly for their entertainment and retired to their respective homes to continue the fun in dreamland. Those present were the Misses Marie Glendening, Bessie and Alta LeFavour, Daisy Blair, Ora Coon, Ruth Ensley and Ina Archer, Messrs. James Jones, Milo and Fred Heller, Charley and Milo Lindsey, Lemuel, Earl and Elmer North, Byron Hart, John A. Wilson and Oscar Price.

A most delightful gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jackson, of Rural Route 9 on last evening, when about 25 of the young people of the vicinity gathered together for an old time party. The evening was spent in games of different kinds, interspersed with music and singing. The guest of honor being Mr. Laudy Jackson, who leaves on next Monday for the coming summer. At a late hour light refreshments were served. The guests present were the Misses Ida Gay, Olive Standiford, Pearl Cowan, Oda Gay, Nellie Lett, Gertrude Shifferly, Iva Lett, Edith Gay, Clara Shell, Lottie Lett and Bertha Barrone, and the Messrs. Clyde Standiford Harvey Shell, Laudy Jackson, George Peters, Vernon Shifferly, Merele Cowan, Floyd Barrone, Rolla Jackson, Jesse Traster, Artie Jackson.

Last evening at the St. Joseph's Academy, Miss Naomi, the daughter of Charles Niblick, of north Third street, passed a very difficult examination, which proved to the public that she certainly was an artist of rare ability when at the piano. She displayed her musical talent in a graceful way by playing any piece in the fifth grade, which was suggested by any person present, proving to them that her time, touch and technique were perfect. Miss Niblick is to be highly complimented in her work, she having completed the first five grades and in a short time will complete her sixth grade. Not only is she a student of music, but she is making a splendid record in the school work. All present enjoyed a rare treat. Those present were Edna Ehinger, Mrs. J. Q. Neptune, Josephine Lang, Rose Egan, Grace Coffey, Rose Colchin, Agnes Matthers, Miss Fanny Rice, Agnes Kohne, Mrs. Clem Vogeleweide, Alma Dodane, Gene-

vieve Berling and Della Sellemeyer. Miss Helen Walters entertained the S. E. B. Club last night with dainty refreshments were served.

The arrival of the Fort Wayne degree staff of the Yeomen lodge will be the occasion of a big meeting of the Decatur order and their friends, on Thursday, the twenty-fifth. A class of candidates will be taken in.

The eighty-sixth birthday of Grandma Robinson will be celebrated at her home and that of her daughter Maria near Monmouth next Thursday. A large number of the relatives and friends will be present.

Miss Genevieve Berling passed her second public examination last evening, having completed the sixth grade in about two months. The course consists of seven grades, and Miss Berling expects to complete this and receive a gold medal in June. She is to be congratulated on having so successfully passed her examinations, and completed her work to the satisfaction of the Sisters of St. Agnes, who have charge of the work and who are meeting with remarkable success as music instructors. They are already planning for a recital to be held some time in June, at which diplomas will be awarded those who have completed the work of the various grades.

The Gleaners are being entertained this afternoon by Misses Frances and Ruth Miller. Each member of the club has a paper on some country. At this meeting Miss Kate Bremerkamp will discuss Germany; Naomi Dugan will give an instrumental solo on the piano, and the Misses Lulu Atz and Ruth Buhler will play a duet. The Misses Lucy Makintosh and Goldie Biggs will sing a duet. Refreshments will be served.

A MEETING TODAY

Local Option Association Pass Resolutions of Good Will

THEY WILL HELP

Those Who Have to Give Up Their Business for Other Lines

At a meeting of the Adams County Local Option association held on Saturday March 13, 1909, the following memorial and resolutions were adopted.

Whereas, at a special local option election held in Adams county, Indiana, on February 23rd, 1909 a majority of the qualified electors of said county voted in favor of prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage within the limits of said county, Therefore, be it resolved, that we congratulate the people upon their action in said matter, and the fairness in which said contest and election was held and conducted by all those interested, without reference to their views upon the question at issue.

Be it further resolved, That with malice toward none and with charity for all, we pledge ourselves to lend all honorable assistance to those who will be compelled to discontinue their business on account of the verdict of the people, in any legitimate business or occupation in which they may engage, and be it further resolved, that while we pledge ourselves in every honorable way to assist all those who will be compelled to quit the business which by the act of the people and by virtue of the laws in force they will be compelled to do, yet be it further resolved that we further pledge ourselves, our means and honest efforts to see to it that the laws governing the sale of intoxicating liquors and prohibiting the sale of the same are strictly enforced, and be it further resolved that this organization known as the Adams County Local Option association be made permanent in order that by organized effort the laws may be enforced, and we invite all the people of the county, irrespective of politics or creed, to join with us in an honest effort for a strict enforcement of the laws.

Rev. R. SPETNAGEL, Vice-Pres.
Rev. I. IMLER, Pres.
E. M. RAY, Secy.

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Many people are now going to the Holthouse drug store to learn all they can of the new remedy that is creating so much talk and newspaper comment. Scores of people throughout the state have been cured by the remedy within the past few months, and testimonials continue to be received from every direction in rapid succession. Here in Decatur and vicinity numbers of people are taking the remedy and many of them are praising it highly, although they have been using it but a short while. While the demonstrations were being conducted at Greensburg, Ind., J. W. Boyle, of 116 East Washington street, said: "My wife has been using Root Juice and it is doing wonders for her. Before taking the remedy she had a very bad stomach. The lightest food would sour on her stomach and cause it to burn and pain her very much; in fact, she said she felt like it was raw from top to bottom. Recently her trouble was aggravated by an attack of the grippe. Her appetite was very poor, but after taking the juice a few days her appetite returned and she now digests everything she eats without the least pain or inconvenience. She is no longer weak and nervous, but seems like a new woman. The remedy has proved a wonderful blessing to her." In fact, so many people are talking about the new remedy and telling of so much wonderful good it is doing that people are going to the Holthouse drug store in crowds to get some of the wonderful medicine.

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We Have a Few Left So Be Sure and Call Early

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