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The chances are that Miles Furnas of Winchester, who will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for congress in the Eighth district, will have opposition when the race is called, for it is expected that Senator Nathan B. Hawkins of Portland will again enter the race. Hawkins was the Republican nominee in the Eighth district during the last campaign, but was defeated by Congressman Adair. The Republicans of the Eighth, accord-

ing to the word which comes to Indianapolis, are already setting up their pins for a determined battle in the next campaign. The district promises to be in better shape than it has been before.—Telegraphic Dispatch.

There are a few things you see in print that you have to take with a grain of salt, and one of them is the expected race of Senator Hawkins for congress. Uncle Nate may be a little dull, but he knows to a certainty when he has had enough, and the boys who are looking for a good thing during the heat of campaign, do not expect to find Uncle Nate on the firing line.

Miss Oida Stoneburner went to Fort Wayne this afternoon on business.

P. B. Dykeman went to Fort Wayne this afternoon on business.

Otto Jobish of Steel, left for Fort Wayne today on his way to Michigan.

Adaline Correy, of Rockton, Ohio, is visiting with relatives in Root township.

John Walters went to Willshire this morning to teach his school at that place.

Francis Covault, of Warren, Ohio, is in the city the guest of relatives and friends.

The management of the Grand theater announces that it has secured the right to show the films of the largest film house in the United States. These come highly recommended for their pleasing subjects and plainness. They always try and give their patrons the best and spare no expense in doing so. Miller and Frisoe will look after the musical end of the show.

WOOD FOR SALE—We have a few cords of hickory wood left, and are closing it out at reduced prices. A. M. York, Phone 502.

THE SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. D. M. Hensley to Entertain the Shakespeare Ladies

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Historical Club to Meet With Mrs. S. D. Beavers

A most delightful event was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bowmans when a number of their friends gathered to celebrate the fourteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter Josephine. A three-course luncheon was served. The evening was spent in playing games and music. Among those who spent the evening so pleasantly were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowman, Lullie Bollinger, Gracie, Nellie and Clara Walter, Lottie Ford, Ida Smith, Samuel Hirsch, William Wolfe, Charley Limenstahl, Howard and Lloyd Collins, Joe Simonds, Otto Baumgartner, Paul and Bert Seegenuth, Edward Neuschwander, Adolph and Fred Baumann, Albert Geroe and William Beiter.

Mrs. D. M. Hensley will entertain the Shakespeare Club at their regular lesson on Mexico Wednesday afternoon. The hostess, as usual has the paper, which will be an interesting one.

Mrs. S. D. Beavers will be hostess at the regular meeting of the Historical Club, Tuesday evening. The club was to have met at the home of Mrs. Robert Blackburn, but was changed.

Mrs. Crabbs will have interesting paper concerning the Panama Canal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suttles entertained a company of friends at twelve o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Suttles and children Mary and Josephine, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Walters, Kenyon Walters, Helen and Dorothy Walters.

Miss Lillian Gates, of Wren, entertained a company of friends at twelve o'clock dinner Sunday. The guests were Miss Fern Everett of that place, the Misses Mary Hite, Lottie Kintz, Ina Everett and Cal Peterson of Decatur.

Mrs. Willus Wise was the charming hostess of a party given yesterday in her honor at her home in the west part of the city. Music was the principal feature of the day and after a luncheon was served by Mrs. Wise, the guests departed for their homes and report Mrs. Wise a delightful entertainer. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Elzey, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Elzey, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Deam, Mr. and Mrs. John Reiter, Mrs. Richard Elzey and Mr. Roy Elzey.

Mrs. Fannie Cole will entertain the Thimble Club at her home on Madison street Wednesday afternoon instead of the usual time Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rhinehart entertained Sunday for dinner Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hoagland, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lower. The occasion was a most pleasant and enjoyable one for all concerned.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society will have their monthly meeting Tuesday at the church. Devotional exercises will be led by Mrs. Charles Dicer. The home topic will be a paper on "Church and Labor," by Mrs. D. B. Erwin. The foreign topic will be a paper on "Africa," by Mrs. Fred Linn. (Continued on page 4.)

IN CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Merryman is Hearing a Case at Portland this Week

AN AFFIDAVIT FILED

Against Curt Johnson for Burglary—A Wedding at the Clerk's Office

Prosecutor Heller today filed in circuit court the affidavit of Albert A. Butler charging Curtis Johnson with burglary and larceny. He is accused of breaking into the Albert Lehrman saloon on March 18th and stealing on, silver spoon valued at fifty cents and fifteen ten cent cigars. Johnson was arrested the day following the robbery, and has since been in jail. Judge Merryman fixed his bond at \$500, which he was unable to furnish and he will remain in jail until his trial, which will probably occur in about about a month. Johnson has served a term in the reformatory for forgery.

Jesse Stucky, aged 22, an oil worker from Petroleum, Indiana, and Edna Liechty, aged 18, of Linn Grove, were granted a marriage license. They were married at nine o'clock at the clerk's office, Squire James H. Smith pronouncing the words.

Real estate transfers: William B. Weldy, guardian to M. F. Rice, inlot 207, Decatur, \$2,000; W. A. Aspy to Augenetie Aspy, inlots tracts in Wabash tp., \$1,600; Chas. W. Snyder to W. L. Wisner to Dewitt Kessling, inlots 354 and 355, Geneva, \$2,000; Melissie Brown to Frank Everett, 5 acres St. Marys tp., \$600; Clara C. S. Wheat (Continue don page 4.)



DR. G. THAIN

of Fort Wayne, will again visit Decatur every two weeks for one year, and will cure such diseases as blindness, deafness, weak eyes, stomach, liver, heart, kidney, lungs, throat, goiter or large neck, constipation, rheumatism, bladder and lost manhood, varicocele, cured without medicine or an operation. Consultation free and medicine furnished. Will be at Murray House, Thursday, April 1, from 8 to 4 o'clock.

For good cigar smoke the Jersey. if PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING—See Tilden Lister. Leave orders Democrat Want Ads. Pay at Page Blackburn's.

NEW EASTER STYLES

Only A Few More Days Left

Visit Our Ready Made Department

We have now the most Complete assortment of Suits—separate Jackets and Skirts ever carried in our store. Our trade this spring in this department has almost doubled in Sales and nothing has done this only the high class garments we carry.

Special For This Week

On every Suit and separate Jacket we will allow a 10per cent discount, Suits from \$10.00 to \$30.00 Jackets from \$5.00 to \$12.00

New White Lingerie Dresses

In this line we show the seasons most popular styles and at prices what the material and laces will cost you to buy. Prices at \$5. \$6. \$7.50 \$8.50 to \$12.50

Just opened a fine assortment ladies shirt waists in White and Colors.

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