

# GAS HEATERS

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## A Constant Stream of New Things Charming every one of them

WE started this fall with an even more extensive showing than ever before. As you glance over hundreds of styles, you will quickly see that there is a decided tendency toward closer fitting garments and coat-dress effects; also that the dominant feature in everything is the Moyen-Age effect—the newest, oddest, most attractive style introduced in years!

Colors were never prettier—and there are enough fashionable shades for everyone to find a becoming one. There seems to be almost a passion for all tones of violet from the deepest purple to the softest and palest shades of lavender; raisin is good, catwaba, taupe and slightly deeper tones of blue, brown and gray.

These models are made expressly for us and are characteristic Bischof garments. This means more than usual care in tailoring and a positive genius in selecting fabrics, trimming, buttons, etc. This is so important this fall as strong contrasts are extremely fashionable.

You couldn't find more attractive garments than these Bischof models. You couldn't find greater values; better clothes can't be had.

Come in now and you can find many simple moderate priced styles that are charming.

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## SOLDIERS GATHER

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nine living members of this old organization and meeting days are nearly over. The register for the eighty-ninth showed the following present from a distance: F. C. McClure, Wash; D. A. More, John Gurtner, Elisha Dickerson, Cyrus Galloway, Fort Wayne; Jesse T. Lamb, Summitville; B. F. Bowserman, Pendleton; J. W. Zeublin, Pendleton; G. L. Craven, New Castle; Thomas L. Gross, Sharpesville; Samuel Pary, Connorsville; John W. Alden, Noblesville; John S. Sears, Lapel; W. H. McCormack, Pleasant Hill, O.; W. S. Elliot, Radley, Ind.; William Simmons, Frank Jones, Fairmount; John Wright, Daphner; Franklin Snyder, New Corydon; Lewis Houser, Bryant; Isaac Premer, Portland; Joseph William, Portland; John Osborn, Grenetown; J. N. Ricahrd, Tipton; J. W. Wilburn, Sharpesville; William M. Clifford, Lincoln, Neb; James Boyd, Pleasant Mills; John Hendricks, Monroe; William Brokaw, Portland; Eli Ray, John Urick, Geo. Crist, Monroe; Lewis Long, Viola, Wis.; George W. Mumma, Monroe; John Barkley, Monroeville; Wm. Danner, Loudenville, O.; J. J. Mallonee, Van Wert, O.; Daniel A. Johnson, Hartford City; George Stevens, Wren, O.; Jacob Cook, Geneva; Reuben Baxter, Monmouth; E. Q. Dailey, Kankakee, Ill.; Henry H. Hart, Chicago; Ezekiel Elzey, Bluffton; Jehu Smith, Pleasant Mills; Jacob Butcher, Geneva; Fred Reppert, Vera Cruz; Thomas Adelsperger, South Bend. The members from the eighty-ninth from this city who registered included Nathan Beckman, Henry McLean, A. J. Teeple, William Wetter, John Steele, R. A. Drummond, George Raver, Fred Apple, Joseph W. Smith, Charles Carver, M. J. Wertzberger, Perry Elzey, Samuel Chronister, Robert N. Andrews, Theodore Kennedy, R. F. Mumma, Joshua Parrish, Thomas W. Mallonee and R. D. Patterson. Besides there about fifty visitors registered from various places, members of other regiments.

**AROUND STATUE OF LIBERTY**  
New York, Sept. 29.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Wilbur Wright piloted the first aeroplane that ever encircled the Statue of Liberty, in a remarkable flight that lasted only seven minutes. He arose from Governors Island, swung around testing ground and then out over the harbor to the mouth of East river and over the battery, where thousands of eyes watched him. While the whistles of every craft were tied down, Wright returned and encircled the Statue of Liberty and returned to Governor's Island. It was the first aeroplane flight in this city.

**SERIOUS ACCIDENT AUTO RACE**  
Long Island, N. Y., Sept. 29.—A serious accident marred the running of the Long Island race for stock automobiles today over the new Suffolk county course. While running seventy miles an hour an Apperson car driven by Herbert Lytle skidded and went into the ditch. Lytle was thrown fifty feet ahead of the car and badly hurt. His mechanic, J. Bates, was caught under the car and had his skull and both legs fractured. The latter will die.

### A WEDDING THIS AFTERNOON

Miss Bessie B. Link, a trained nurse of Fort Wayne, and Mr. Leure T. Feigert, of Van Wert, arrived here this afternoon accompanied by Miss Cecil and Billy Link. At three o'clock they were united in marriage by Rev. Sherman Powell, the event occurring at the M. E. church. Only a few guests were present. Miss Jean Lutz played the march as the party entered and left the church. The bride attended Rev. Powell's church when he was pastor at Fort Wayne ten years ago.

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## OPERA HOUSE WEDNESDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 29

### POINT TO POINT BALLOON RACE

New York, Sept. 29.—For a prize of \$10,000 Captain Baldwin in a giant dirigible balloon and George Tomlinson in a smaller one of the same build, started at 11:37 on a race from New York to Albany. This is the first race of the kind in the United States and the winner is to have a place in Hudson history with Hudson and Fulton. The weather conditions are ideal.

### DITCHER WANTED

108 rods of 8 and 10 in. tile to let. Particulars see before Oct. 1, 1909, Dan Erwin or Ed Lyon. 230-3t

### HOLSTEIN COW SALE

The undersigned will offer for sale at the Shumaker feed yards, at Berne, Indiana, beginning at 1:30 p. m., on Saturday, Oct. 2, 1909, the following stock: Six or eight good draft colts,

2 and 3 years old. Cattle—32 head of fine Holstein cattle. One 6 year old extra good cow, will be fresh in 2 or 3 weeks; 2 cows 7 years old, fresh in two months; 2 large cows, fresh in March; 6 three-year-old heifers, will be fresh in spring; 7 good young cows, giving milk now and all will be fresh in spring; 7 spring calves and 3 young calves four weeks old. These cattle are all three-quarter and seven-eighths bred, and three are full blooded, but with no papers with them; also a few native cows, some fresh now and balance will be fresh soon; 1 Jersey fresh cow, 100 Shropshire breeding ewes—good ones. This is the time to buy good Holstein cattle. All know that Holstein cattle cannot be beaten for milkers.

Come and look this stock over. Terms—Three, six and nine months time, with bankable note, two per cent off for cash.

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### LEASE THE GRAND

The Pearl Amusement Co., of Fort Wayne, has leased the Grand theater and will open same on Friday, October 1st with an entire new program. This company own and control five big moving picture houses in this state, and have the advantage over all other picture men, as they contract for their films in large quantities and use the very best that money can buy, giving the finest service ever in Decatur. They also give you high class vaudeville in connection with the pictures at the one price of admission. They invite you to come and see them Friday, Oct. 1st and guarantee satisfaction and courteous treatment all for 5 cents. The new owners are Loucks & Volland, old show men, who will do all they can to please the Decatur motion picture and vaudeville lovers.

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Sign our contracts now. Nothing can be done toward fixing your house for the comforts of artificial gas until your contract is signed.

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