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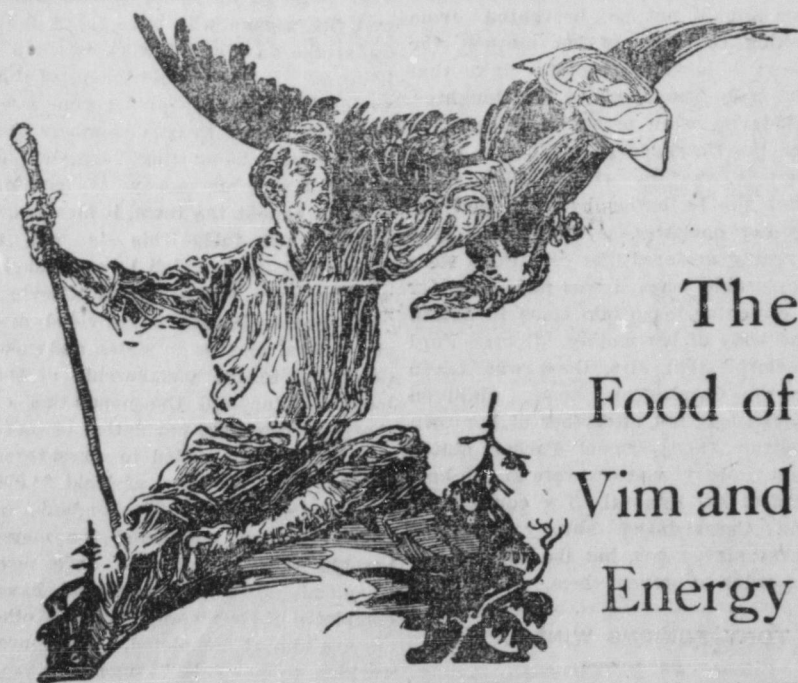
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Why any Republican tariff reformer should hang onto the Republican party until he is kicked out by President Taft or anybody else, passes understanding. Most of them, it can be said to their credit, are going out without waiting to be kicked.

President Taft has announced that he will ask congress at its next session to permit the secretary of the interior to issue \$10,000,000 of bonds to complete the irrigation projects now under way. It is said that it will take \$100,000,000 to complete the work now started, but doubtless Mr. Taft thinks it will not do, at this time, in view of his statement about cutting down expenses, to tell the public about it. But according to a Washington dispatch there is going to be a big demand for other bond issues. The dispatch says: "The request for an irrigation bond issue of \$10,000,000 or more is not the only request of this sort that will be made of congress at the coming session. The rivers and harbors congress is coming along with more than a request—a demand—for a bond issue of \$50,000,000 a year for river and harbor improvements. Another organization which is putting out a propaganda in favor of the reclamation of the swamp lands of the country also intends to ask for a bond issue, if the government proposes to raise money in that way for the reclamation of arid lands, or for the improvement of rivers and harbors. These new demands on the treasury lead observers here to wonder what has become of that much talked of movement to reduce government expenses."

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.
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One plateful of **MOTHER'S OATS** will produce more vim and vigor and energy and action—more vitality, more enthusiasm and more endurance, than many times the same bulk of meat, fish, fowl, or cereals of lower food value. **MOTHER'S OATS** are different from other's oats and different from ordinary oatmeal. They are put up in sanitary sealed packages. But there's more to **MOTHER'S OATS** than the package; they are the best oats in the world, the best selection of the best crops. Every batch that comes to our mills is screened and only the ripe, big grains are marketed. They are not only sterilized, but steamed (to burst the protein cells); then rolled (to render the cooking easy), and after that, **MOTHER'S OATS** are crushed (to hasten their digestion)—easy work for the stove, easy work for the stomach and more work for the man.

There's a coupon in every package of Mother's Cereals. You can collect enough of them in a little while to own a Fireless Cooker for nothing. Your grocer will tell you how to get it free. There are a number of ways and all of them make it worth while to buy Mother's Cereals: Mother's Oats, Mother's Corn Meal (white or yellow), Mother's Wheat Hearts (the cream of the wheat), Mother's Hominy Grits, Mother's Corn Flakes (toasted), Mother's Coarse Pearl Hominy, Mother's Old Fashioned Steel Cut Oatmeal, Mother's Old Fashioned Graham Flour.

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TURKEY CROP IN GOOD SHAPE

The turkey crop this year, it is said, promises to measure well in numbers with that of last season. In quality the average is probably higher, as the late summer and fall have been favorable to their development. The dry weather of last year killed off the grasshoppers, one of the principal sources of food for the growing turkeys. This year they have had grasshoppers in abundance.

The Sim Haines meat market on Madison street is undergoing a painting process and is being repapered, which makes a very neat appearance and improvement. Ray and Miller, the well known painters, are doing the work.

A VOTING CONTEST

The Crystal Theater Offers Prizes to the Most Popular Ladies in Decatur

MANY CANDIDATES

Seventeen are Competing for Gold Watch, Bracelet and Pretty Ring

Mr. Biggs the manager of the Crystal theater has inaugurated a voting contest to determine the most popular young lady in the city, and the affair promises to be a very interesting one before its closes. Each patron at the theater is entitled to a vote for each paid admission, and the race will continue for several weeks. The prizes are a beautiful gold watch, a gold bracelet and a handsome ring which are exhibited in the window at the Lehne jewelry store. Though the contest has only been on for a few days there has already begun speculation as to who the winner will be. The results are posted each day in front of the theater, and as shown today are:

Fanny McConnell, 38.
Bernice Dalley, 25.
Amelia Weber, 25.
Lucille Hale, 24.
Naomi Niblick, 136.
Rose Christen, 22.
Stella Ellis, 35.
Lizzie Peterson, 41.
Grace Purdy, 52.
Naomi Dugan, 25.
Clara Boknecht, 40.
Vera Radamacher, 56.
Edith Miller, 218.
Fanny Hite, 28.
Verena Niblick, 22.
Agnes Murray, 46.
Lucille Gillig, 22.

SOCIETY COLUMN

Many Decatur Young People Attend Box Social at Peterson

A SURPRISE PARTY

Baptist Aid Met With Mrs. Sam Hite at Her Home

Invitations are out for a sewing party to be given tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Richard Spetnagle, for her sister, who is her guest for a few days.

The T. B. G. Club met with Miss Ode Fullenkamp last evening and enjoyed a pleasant social time with conversation and embroidery work and refreshments. The next meeting is with Miss Bertha Kinney.

A pleasant surprise was that which was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Meibers on Walnut street. The guests came masked and after removing same were entertained by playing games. First of all being a peanut contest in which Mr. John Christen won first prize and Okel Slusher booby. Next was a game named Touch in which Frank McConnell carried away first prize and Mrs. Mike Meibers booby, after which a delicious two course luncheon was served by the hostess, the guests departed wishing Mrs. Meibers many more such happy occasions. The guests were Messrs. Acker, Joe Tonneller, Frank Keller, Pete Amspaugh, Chas. Zeser, James Murphy, the Misses Rose and Marie Tonneller, Ursel Amspaugh, Bertha Zeser, Mrs. Anna Yahn, Mr. Bob Miller of Griffith, Ind., John Stalter of Fort Wayne, Ray Christen, Frank McConnell, Dick Tonneller, Charley Keller, Doyle Amspaugh, Edward Murphy and Okel Slusher.

The Peterson school gave a box social last evening which was attended by an unusually large number. The selling of the boxes was the main feature, one box alone brought \$4.50. A pleasant social time was enjoyed with a voting contest. In this contest Miss Florence Sprunger was awarded the prize as the most popular lady.

The Baptist Aid Society held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Sam Hite this afternoon. This is the first meeting held for some time, the president having been out of town till this week. The collection was a good one, and the next meeting will occur as usual in two weeks.

Mrs. Martin Mylott entertained the Pedro Club at a pleasant afternoon yesterday. Those who won favors in the contest were Miss Cora Ehlinger first prize, Mrs. James Niblick second, Mrs. John Gerard third, Mrs. Charlie Vogelewe fourth and Mrs. U. Deininger fifth. Refreshments were served and a most delightful social time enjoyed. Mrs. Mylott is a charming hostess and made every guest welcome in her home.

ANOTHER EXCURSION TO ST. LOUIS.

The Clover Leaf Route is out with a circular announcing their third Fall Festival low rate excursion to St. Louis, November 26th. These excursions are becoming very popular on the Clover Leaf, and are well patronized, by reason of the fact that they are composed of their very best vestibule coaches and chair cars. Are usually run under special order and given the closest attention. They are also personally conducted by an experienced passenger agent of the line, who is continually looking after the wants and comforts of the passengers.

Peter Dodane of Fort Wayne, who moved there but a few months ago, was in the city this afternoon on business.

FOR SALE—One good work horse. Inquire of George Zimmerman.

Postal Cards!
Penny Photos!

Kodak Finishing!
Above

Al. Burdge's Barber Shop
Monroe street.

SUNDAY PAPERS SIX CENTS

Owing to the fact that the price of a number of the Sunday daily papers has been increased, it will hereafter be impossible to sell them at the old price of five cents. Beginning with next Sunday we will charge six cents for all Chicago, Indianapolis and Muncie Sunday papers, except to regular subscribers. We realize that this will be an inconvenience to you as well as to ourselves but we cannot sell them for less. Remember the price will be six cents.

CITY NEWS CO.

Elmer King, of Pittsburg, who has been absent from the city for some time past, is in town looking up old friends.

WILL PLEASE MANY

The Entertainment Planned by the Elks for Next Wednesday Night

A GOOD PROGRAM

To Be Followed by a Dance With the Best Orchestra in the Country

The Elks of this city have planned a very pleasant event for the evening of next Wednesday, November 10th. At that time at the hall in the Morrison block, they will have the Troubadours, one of the best entertainment companies on the road, who will give a delightful two hours' entertainment. The personnel of the company is Helen Harkness reader, Michael Briglia violin, Nichol Briglia flute, Michael Verallo harp, John Varallo violin, under the direction of W. H. Giffen. The program as arranged will be one which will please all who hear it and at the conclusion of the entertainment the orchestra, one of the finest in all the land, will furnish music for those who like to dance. It will be a very enjoyable evening for the young and old of Decatur and the hall will no doubt be filled for the occasion. The admission will be one dollar, but a gentleman may be accompanied by two ladies if he so desires. The Elks are noted for their well planned entertainments and this one will be the equal of anything ever given in the city.

THE SCHOOL BOARD

Discussed Advisability of Establishing a System of Manual Training

IN THE SCHOOLS

System of Training Would Be Great Advantage to Pupils

R. J. Dearborn, manager of the Indiana Manual Training company, was in the city today representing the company in an effort to install manual training in the public schools. He met with the school board, Messrs. Dore Erwin, Fred Mills and A. Sellemeyer and with the superintendent, E. E. Rice, and placed the proposition before them, that manual training is of great advantage to the pupils and that it would prove a great benefit to them always, and that the cost of establishing the course would be small compared to its value. Treasurer Mills of the school board, speaking for the board, said that he thought it would be the best possible thing the school board could do to install a system of training and the members are heartily in favor of it. But for the lack of room and money manual training will not be installed at least for the present. Special teachers would be required and the board does not feel able to meet the demand. The main fact is, however, that if the people desire a system of training for their children and are enthusiastic enough to work for it, it is within their reach, according to the statement of one of the school trustees.

NOTICE

Miss Jean Lutz has on display at Mrs. Burdge's millinery store, artistic handpainted scarf pins, belt pins, and hat pins for Xmas presents. They are a few samples of her work, which you may order from Phone 58.

END OF SESSION

The Commissioners Have Spent Much Time on Macadam Roads

ALLOWING BILLS

Considerable Business Was Attended to During the Session

The commissioners were still paying attention to some of the roads in the county, being out both yesterday and today, however meeting long enough to finish some little business which was uncompleted.

New supply tanks were ordered for the county infirmary, the old tanks being incapacitated by long usage. Supt. Graber was instructed to make the new purchases.

The covered bridge north of the city is to be lighted with electric light the same to be furnished by the Fort Wayne & Springfield Traction company. This will prove a great convenience to the traveling public. All covered bridges are about as dark as they make them, but this particular bridge is a little worse than any other.

The allowance of bills and the completion of the session has been the work today.

CAUSES DEBILITY

Here Are Facts Backed up by a Strong Guarantee.

Catarrh causes debility. In our opinion, most people suffering from general debility have catarrh. Such cases of debility cannot be completely cured by medicine not designed to eradicate catarrh. In every case where our remedy fails to give entire satisfaction we will not charge a cent for the medicine employed during the trial. Now, surely no one should hesitate to believe us or to put our claim to a practical test under such conditions. We will take all the risk; no one else can lose anything by the transaction.

We make these statements and this offer because we know and have time and again proved that Rexall Mucutone rarely fails to do as we claim. It is not a cureall prescribed to cure every disease that flesh is heir to. It is intended for one purpose, i. e. to cure catarrh by assailing the diseased condition in a reasonable, scientific way, which is to employ agents that have been found to have the tonic and alternative power to correct faulty metabolism (tissue change) and to stimulate and help nature overcome the cause or causes of catarrh. This being done, appetite increases, nutrition improves, weight is gained, comfort of body is attained and life's work taken up with the zest natural to the perfectly healthy individual. We want you to try Rexall Mucutone. Follow directions and take it regularly and consistently for a reasonable length of time. Then, if you are not satisfied, come back and tell us and the money you paid for the treatment will be returned without any argument whatever.

Rexall Mucutone comes in two sizes, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. Smith & Yager Drug Co.

KILLS HER FOE OF 20 YEARS

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was Dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up, I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 76 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For Indigestion, Lame Back, Female Complaints, it's unequalled. Only 50c at all drug stores. Loss of Appetite, Kidney Troubles.

Croup is most prevalent during the dry cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many mothers are never without it in their homes and it has never disappointed them. Sold by all dealers.

Lame back comes on suddenly and is extremely painful. It is caused by rheumatism of the muscles. Quick relief is afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all dealers.

WILL HOLD SPECIAL ELECTION

Vote for Mayor at Auburn Resulted in Tie.

Auburn, Ind., Nov. 4.—In the city election held here Tuesday the vote on mayor was a tie, each candidate, J. E. Ensley democrat, and Hugh



Boys Clothes Must be the best clothes it's possible to make.

Leave the little lad to follow his own way and the ordinary suit or overcoat is a sight in a week.

You can't nag a boy all the time; you can't make him remember his clothes, you won't need to if you buy his clothes here.

Our boys suits are made better so they last longer. They're full and liberally sized. The fabrics are the best. They resist wear and tear.

Suits, -overcoats \$2 to \$7.50

Holthouse, Schulte & Co.

Good Clothes sellers for Men and Boys.

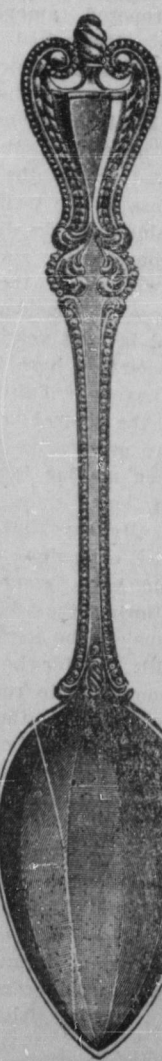
Culbertson, republican, receiving 488 votes, and as a result when the election board met today neither of the candidates could be declared elected. The opinion was general that with the consent of the candidates the matter could be settled by the drawing of cuts or the tossing up of a coin, or in some other manner, but City Attorney Charley Brown soon dispelled this idea when he appeared before the board. He told them it could not be settled in this way, but that a special election was necessary. The city attorney had a decision of the supreme court to this effect. Such a special election will be held. The call for it will be issued at once and the election will be held some time this month, the vote being taken on

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETING

The Democratic County Central Committee of Adams county, will meet at ten o'clock on Tuesday, November 9, at Democratic headquarters in this city, for the purpose of setting a date for the Democratic Primary Election, and for the transaction of such other business that may come before the committee.

T. M. GALLOGLY, Chairman.

FOR SALE—One good work horse. 261-67



Special Silver Sale
Solid Spoon Sale
UNTIL NOV. 20

Take advantage of this sale as Christmas is not far away and have your choice of all the latest patterns.

All \$1.50 spoons . . . \$1.30
All \$1.35 spoons . . . \$1.10
All \$1.25 spoons . . . \$1.00
All \$1.00 spoons . . . 85c

A great big bargain is a set of 6 spoons for \$4.50. The supply is limited, so be wise. We also sell the "Hull" umbrella which always gives satisfaction and we have a nice line to select from

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