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TO STARVE FRIENDS OF INSURGENTS.

The insurgent republican senators and members are receiving no mercy, and expecting little, in the distribution of the spoils of the Taft administration. On the contrary. * * To close observers of the political field in Washington the evident purpose of the administration is to starve out the friends of the insurgents in Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Kansas and other western states. Whether this method of reading them out of the party will have the desired results is what remains to be seen. Political history is full of examples in which the starvation plan has only spread the flames of insurrection—Philadelphia Record.

If the starvation policy above outlined is to be carried out, what will happen to the Indiana men who are depending on Senator Beveridge to secure their appointment to office?

Mr. Beveridge insured just like Cummins and Dilliver of Iowa, Bristow of Kansas, Nelson of Minnesota and La Follette of Wisconsin. But possibly Beveridge will be excepted. It is hardly possible that President Taft should have forgotten that the Indiana senator really favored his nomination for the presidency even as against one Charles W. Fairbanks. If Beveridge's recommendations are heeded it will show that Taft is not ungrateful, but it will put the senator in an exceedingly awkward position.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the city of Decatur, Indiana, will receive proposals for the construction of a sidewalk along the following property abutting on Mercer avenue in the City of Decatur, Indiana:

Commencing at the southeast corner of the property owned by Mrs. Marsh Burd, thence east along said avenue to High street in said city. Said improvement to be constructed according to the plans and specifications now on file at the office of the clerk of said city on the

Seventh day of December, 1909. Sealed bids will be received up to seven o'clock p. m. Each bidder must file with the clerk of said city a certified check in the sum of twenty-five dollars, as a guarantee that they will accept said bid and carry out the construction of said work.

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of November, 1909.

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City Clerk.

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IN INDIANA

SOCIETY COLUMN

Program for the Woman's Home Missionary Society

TO MEET THURSDAY

Mrs. Haefling Entertained for Friends—Other Social Doings

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. T. W. Watts and an invitation is extended to all members to be present.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Nachtrieb Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp.

Devotional.
Reading of minutes and business.
Paper, "Review of the Year," Mrs. Sprang.
Music.
Reports of the conference convention by delegates.
Music.
Social hour.

A very pleasant affair of yesterday was that at the home of Mrs. Bridget Haefling, who entertained about a dozen of her friends and also at six o'clock dinner. The day was spent socially and a very pleasant time was had by those who attended.

Miss Lillian Meyers will entertain the T. B. G. sewing club tomorrow evening at her home on Madison street and all the members are asked to be present.

The Entertain Club will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Midge Smith.

The C. W. B. of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Fisher on Thursday afternoon. All are cordially invited to attend.

A masquerade surprise was among the society events of last evening in which Mrs. Fred Snyder was the victim. A gay time is reported, it being enjoyed by the friends and neighbors of Mrs. Snyder. Games were played and refreshments were served and a most enjoyable time had.

After the business session of the Royal Neighbors Tuesday evening a social session was held, and a good time had by the members who were fortunate enough to be there. Games were played and there was fun galore.

The U. S. Girls are requested to meet with Miss Frances Ward, on Third street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

A DEATH MESSAGE

Joshua Matthewson of Lima, Ohio, Stricken With Paralysis

DIED VERY SUDDENLY

Was a Former Resident and Lived Here for Many Years

A message from Lima, Ohio, brought the unwelcome news of the death of Joshua Matthewson, a former resident of this city and well known here. H. W. Matthewson left for that place at once and will remain until after the funeral services. The news of his illness and death was meager, the only thing known is that he was stricken with paralysis and died suddenly, his relatives here not knowing of any illness until the death message came. He was born and raised in this county and for many years was a resident of this city. His mother is still living on the old home farm near Pleasant Mills, living with her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Springer. Another sister, Mrs. S. O. Bowser, lives near Monroe, and two brothers, H. W. and N. B. Matthewson, are residents of Pleasant Mills. The deceased was about fifty-five years old and for the past several years has lived at Lima Ohio, where he is well known and a highly respected citizen.

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THE CRYSTAL

TONIGHT
From 7 to 10:30

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Wise's Brain

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2—Bonny, Annie, Laurie



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