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ADAMS COUNTY

OWES NO BONDED DEBT

Adams county is free from the tangle of bonded debt. They have set aside money sufficient to pay the last bond and interest owing by the county, and which becomes due January 11, 1911. All this is pleasing to the citizens and taxpayers and demonstrates that business policies alone govern the action of the board of commissioners in the transaction of the financial affairs of the county. It is pleasing to the people to know that the public business of the county is in reality business and not politics. They are only too glad to repose that confidence in her officials that comes in commending faithfulness in public life, and in this, the county commissioners are entitled to words of praise and commendation. They have well done their duty and the Democrat is glad to congratulate them and the county upon their record and upon the excellent standing of the county in the financial world.

Along with the clean financial state Adams county's public buildings are in good condition and rank with the average in any county in the state. The court house, jail and county infirmary are all adequate and well arranged for their use, and in their present state will last the county for several years to come, and as much of this is due to good care, those in charge and who have been in charge

are entitled to share in the eulogies that are being paid to the public officers. Adams county is one of the best counties in the state. Its soil is the most fertile and productive and her citizens are the most enterprising and prosperous in the world.

As predicted the Hon. Stokes Jackson was unanimously elected as chairman of the democratic state committee and for the next two years will head the organization in this state. This is as it should be. For the first time in many years and under the leadership of Mr. Jackson the democrats won their first notable victory and it was but right that he be chosen as the mascot for 1910. The meeting of the committee denoted harmony and it is a fact undisputed that the democrats all over the state are more nearly of one mind than they have been for years. They propose to carry the state, the legislature, elect another United States senator and to do all the big things that is done in politics. It is the one year for all democrats to be democrats and then these accomplishments will be easy.

SERVICES OF SONG

Will be Held by Conference Quartet at Various Factories Tuesday.

INTEREST IS INTENSE

In Revival at the Methodist Church—Quartet Will Sing This Evening.

The famous North Indiana Conference quartet will sing at the revival service at the Methodist church this evening. The men's chorus and the mixed chorus will also lead in the inspiring singing, which characterizes the meetings. Large congregations entirely filled the auditorium (Continue don page 4.)

THE SOCIAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voglewede Give Dinner Party For Mrs. Haeffling.

NOTES ABOUT CLUBS

Mr. and Mrs. Sheets Entertain—Salem Aid Meets at the Parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. So' Sheets entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Dave Buckmaster, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brandyberry, and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Brandyberry. The above gentlemen are the carpenters who built Mr. Sheets' beautiful new home. All report a delightful time and have voted Mr. and Mrs. Sheets royal entertainers.

The Adams County Medical association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the office of Dr. P. B. Thomas Friday evening.

Miss Edna Ehinger will entertain the Bachelor Maids this evening.

One of the pleasant dinner parties of Sunday noon was that given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voglewede in honor of Mrs. Tom Haeffling of Flint, Mich. Other guests were the Misses Bertha, Rose and Agnes Voglewede.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Salem church will meet at the parsonage with the Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Roop Thursday. Come prepared to work all day.

Miss Bessie Baumgartner was hostess to a party of girls Sunday at her home on Monroe street. The company included the Misses Ruby Miller, Matilda Sellemeyer, Electa Glancy, Pearly Purdy, Goldie Gay and Miss Jessie Simson of Berne.

The Historical club will study "The Hawaiian Islands" Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Milen Burns. Mrs. Schrock will have the paper.

The Shakespeare club will meet

Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. G. Ellingham instead of with Mrs. Patterson. The lesson will be on the West Indies, with map studies, and a paper on the geographical location, the geographical formation and classification.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Beavers had as their guests at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Cress and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Annen.

Mrs. John Christen of Walnut street will entertain the members of the Reformed Ladies' Aid society Wednesday in their regular session. The members of the Concord Lutheran Aid society have also been invited to meet with them.

The G. W. C. club will meet Thursday (Continue don page 4.)

DISLOCATED HIP

Mrs. Grover Hoffman Slips on Ice on Way to Church and Sustained

INJURY TO HER HIP

Accident Happened at Swayzee—Mrs. Loch Went to Daughter's Bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Loch Sunday evening received from Swayzee a telephone message of serious injuries received by their daughter, Arbye, wife of Grover Hoffman, whose hip was either dislocated or broken, the result of a fall on Sunday evening the exact nature of the injury was still uncertain. The accident occurred Sunday morning while Mrs. Hoffman was on her way to church, she slipping on the icy pavement and falling. Mrs. Loch left this morning to be at her bedside. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman have made their home at Swayzee for some time, Mr. Hoffman conducting a hardware store at that place. The number of accidents resulting from the reign of the ice king in Decatur and vicinity has been unusually great during the past few weeks, but it seems that they are now all confined to this district.

WAS A LITTLE SLOW

First Horse Sale Dragged on Account of High Prices Prevailing.

WILL GIVE ANOTHER

Willing to Pay Top Prices But Not More Than Animals Can be Sold For.

Buyers for the Decatur Horse Sale company started out this morning bright and early to secure another bunch for Friday, January 21st. This company is one of the best for this community that has ever been located here. They not only bring business to Decatur, but they make a great market for the farmer in this section. The first sale held last Friday was not the success it should have been and this is explained by the fact that the company had to pay too much money for the horses. "We are willing to pay the very highest price possible, but we cannot pay more than the foreign buyers we bring here from New York, Boston and Chicago will give," said one of the proprietors. The average at the sale Friday was \$192.75, and this is only an average price for a fairly good horse now. However, the company is going to stick with the job, and will try to continue their sales through the season, and they will do it if the stock men will assist them by being reasonable. They will pay you the top price and the people of this locality have confidence enough in them to believe they mean it when they put a price on a horse.

A TRAVELING SALESMAN.

H. F. Beers, 617 7th Ave., Peoria, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled for some time with kidney trouble, so severely at times I could scarcely carry my grips. After using one bottle of Foley's Kidney Pills I have been entirely relieved, and cheerfully recommend them to all." Foley's Kidney Pills are healing and antiseptic and will restore health and strength."

Democrat Want Ads. Pay

REMODELED THEATER.

Will Biggs, the proprietor of Crystal theater, is again adding improvements and when completed it will make the best amusement of its kind in the city. But a short time ago he had the stage remodeled so as to put on a vaudeville and such like plays, and he is now improving the interior by calsoning the walls and decorating it throughout. Mr. Biggs is a hustler and knows how to please the public and to obtain their patronage. This evening he has on three films and all promise to be of much interest for those who attend.

REV. I. W. WILLIAMS TESTIFIES.

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington, W. Va., writes as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it."

A GRAND CONCERT

Will be Given by Men's and Ladies' Choruses With Assistance

OF VISITING ARTISTS

During Latter Port of Month Doing Good Work Under Prof. Tucker.

The Ladies' chorus that has been working all winter under Mr. Tucker's direction will resume its rehearsals tonight at the library at 7:30 o'clock. At 8 o'clock the male chorus will join the ladies in some new work for mixed voices, and at 8:30 the men will have a rehearsal to themselves. This will no doubt prove a welcome innovation. Any one desiring to take part in this work will find it profitable to enter upon it at once.

The choruses, assisted by visiting artists, will be heard in a grand concert to be given the last of this month. The public will then have an opportunity of judging of the force and effectiveness of these organizations.

IN 'SQUIRE'S COURT

John C. Coffee Still Wants the Watch—Pays Costs of Old Suit

AND FILES NEW ONE

Butler, Son & Peterson Sue Harvey Segur for Breach of Contract.

John C. Coffee still wants to recover his watch from Charles Zeser, so much that he paid up the costs in the old suit in which he forgot to appear Saturday until after judgment was rendered against him for costs, and filed another in 'Squire Smith's court against Zeser for the replevin of the time piece. The case will be heard Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. The costs in the old suit amounted to about \$1.50. R. C. Parrish is Coffee's attorney.

A new case was filed in 'Squire Smith's court this morning by Butler, Son & Peterson against Harvey Segur for alleged breach of contract; demand, \$5. The plaintiffs aver that they had contracted with Segur for the building of a cement walk at his residence property on Adams street, but that when they had it about half made he gave the contract to the Decatur Filler company. C. L. Walters is the plaintiff's attorneys.

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR LAGRIFFE.

LaGrippe coughs are dangerous, as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's honey and tar not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a very valuable medicine for throat and lung troubles, quickly relieves and cures painful breathing and a dangerously sounding cough which indicates congested lungs. Sold by all dealers.

FIFTEEN DAYS COST SALE

The Only Three Articles That Will not be Reduced and Those are Bread, Flieschman's Yeast and the Clerk's Wages.

THIS BIG SALE STARTS TOMORROW MORNING

We are Going to Conduct our Annual 15 Days Cost Sale Including all Dry Goods, Carpets, Suits, Coats, Skirts, Rugs, Blankets, Calicos, Muslins, also Groceries and Potatoes. In Fact Every Article Will be Sold at Cost for 15 Days. We are Going to Reduce Our Stock and Want you all to Have the Benefit.

THINK OF THIS YOUR CHOICE OF LADIES WINTER COATS, IN VALUES FROM \$16.50 to \$25.00 for **\$10.00**

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