

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

Published Every Evening, Except Sunday, by
LEW G. ELLINGHAM

Subscription Rates:
Per week, by carrier.....10 cents
Per year, by carrier.....\$5.00
Per month, by mail.....25 cents
Per year, by mail.....\$2.50
Single copies.....2 cents

Advertising rates made known on application.

Entered at the postoffice at Decatur, Indiana, as second-class mail matter.

J. H. HELLER, Manager.

The Jefferson Day banquet at Indianapolis on the 13th promises to be the biggest thing of the kind ever held in the state.

The republican press of the state is making a rather ridiculous effort to convince somebody that the democrats are going to split into factions over the manner of choosing a candi-

date for the senate to succeed the Hon. Albert J. Beveridge. The wish, of course, is father to the effort. But it will not be realized. The democrats of Indiana will settle all of their affairs with overwhelming good nature and in the same spirit will find the right man at the right time in the right place to occupy the job which Mr. Beveridge has dallied with for twelve years.

A democratic love feast at Garrett yesterday was the means of bringing democrats from every quarter of the Twelfth congressional district. Such a demonstration as this can only mean that the democrats are in the ascendancy and that they are going to finish the job begun by the insurgents in the lower house of congress a few weeks ago. A banquet was served and speeches were made, the speakers being Hon. John E. Lamb of Terre Haute, Congressman Cline, Hon. A. A. Adams of Columbia City, Senator Powell of Angola, Hon. T. M. Honan of Seymour, Hon. J. Fred France of Huntington, Senator Fleming of Fort Wayne, and several others. It was a gala day and denoted that the democrats of the Twelfth district are alive and on their toes.

Shorthand and typewriter lessons taught by Mrs. Ette Brokaw Johnson, 422 Decatur street. 6816

It is a positive fact Didot & Son are making a cut price sale on their complete stock. See the stock of gold watches, chains, charms, rings, pins, bracelets. We have the quality and quantity. The people that know their business, the jewelers, north side of court house. 7713

DEATH OF BABES

(Continued from page 1.)
from the home, by the Rev. Sherman Powell. The little one will be laid to rest in the Decatur cemetery. The child was two years, four months and twelve days of age, and had been ailing for several weeks with catarrhal fever.

REV. DIEHM EXCELLENT TALKER.

The lecture given Thursday evening at the German Reformed church by the Rev. Diehm of Huntington was a most excellent one, and highly pleasing to the large audience in attendance. The musical part of the program was also well carried out and the evening was one of pleasure to all.

TO GIVE CONCERT

Decatur Ladies' and Men's

Choruses to Join Bluffton Choruses.

IN CONCERT TONIGHT

Have Been in Training by Professor Tucker For Many Weeks.

Many from this city will accompany the men's and ladies' choruses to Bluffton to be present at the concert which will be given by the choruses of this city and Bluffton, which have been under training for so many weeks by Professor C. F. Tucker of Marion. The concert will be similar to that given here some time ago, except that the ladies' choruses will take part in this one. The concert will be held at the First Reformed church, and gives promises of being one of the best in many seasons. An admission of fifty cents will be charged. Professor Tucker and the choruses will be assisted by Georgia Paulus, who bears the name, "Queen of Indiana Sopranos;" Dorothy Barham, harpist; and Gertrude Moses, pianist.

B. P. O. MEETING.
* The presence of every mem-
* ber of the Elks' lodge is request-
* ed for next Friday evening, at
* which time will occur a triple
* event—the installation of offi-
* cers, the initiation of a candi-
* date and a social session. Be
* there promptly at 8 o'clock. Don't
* fail to be present.

SOME SOCIAL NEWS

M. E. Woman's Home Missionary Society Holds Annual Election.

SURPRISE PARTIES

A Farewell Party Given—

Mrs. Brushwiller Entertains Club.

Of all thieves, fools are the worst; they rob you of time and temper.—Goethe.

SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR WEEK.

Friday.
Christian Ladies' Aid—Mrs. C. E. Hitesman.

Saturday.
Gleaners—Ireta Erwin.

Twenty-six of the members of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church were in attendance at the meeting at the home of Mrs. John Rex Thursday afternoon, that lady, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Fledderjohann, being the hostesses. The session opened at 2:30, a great many of the members going out on the 2:30 interurban car, through the courtesy of President Fledderjohann. The lesson study was in charge of Mrs. John Peterson, being a continuation of the reading "From Darkness to Light," with readings by Mesdames Dan Sprang, D. D. Heller, F. V. Mills, J. W. Vail, John Niblick. The chief matter of the business session, probably was the annual election of officers. Mrs. John Niblick, who has served so ably as president for four years, was re-elected. The new official list is:

President—Mrs. John Niblick.
Vice President—Mrs. Dan Sprang.
Recording and Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. F. V. Mills.
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Dan Sprang.
Treasurer—Mrs. Joe Helm.
Assistant Treasurer—Mrs. J. M. Miller.
Secretary of Literature—Mrs. David Eley.

The society usually meets the first Thursday in the month, but as the time would fall during the conference week at Bluffton, April 6th to 11th, it was decided to hold this week.

Misses Mattie Suttileff and Meta Sprunger, who leave during the first part of April for Upland, Cal., where they will make their home, were the guests of honor at a farewell party given last evening by Miss Mary Bogner at her home on West Monroe street. Pedro and other games were enjoyed, after which the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Emma, served a luncheon. While an air of regret over the departure of the girls, lingered in the air, they were sped on their way with many good wishes, and the party was a most pleasant one. The Misses Suttileff and Sprunger went to Berne this morning where they will visit before leaving for California. Miss Sprunger will have a farewell party at her home in Berne Tuesday for her friends there, and the Misses Mary Bogner and Rose Gingley from this city will be in attendance.

The dinner given Thursday noon by the Presbyterian church ladies in the church parlors was one of the most successful, both from a financial and social standpoint, ever given by them. About two hundred plates were served during the dinner hour, and the receipts were about forty dollars, with not a penny of expense, and so depleted was the stock of supplies after the dinner hour that no supper, as usual, could be given without a preparation of more, so this was gladly dispensed with. The ladies remained during the afternoon, and a very pleasant social time was spent.

The Helping Hand society of the German Reformed church, to the number of twenty or more, spent a busy time at the home of Mrs. O. L. Vance Thursday, where they made bonnets for their sales department and enjoyed a good social time, while their fingers made "helping hands." The collection was quite a good one, increasing the amount in the treasury by the sum of \$5.75. The Rev. Diehm of Huntington, who lectured here last night, and the Rev. L. C. Hessert were guests. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Fred Sellemeyer, and the society will probably devote itself to the making of aprons at the next meeting.

Henry Eiting, the prominent farmer living southwest of the city, was given a royal surprise party Thursday evening by a host of his neigh-

Fullenkamp's

DECATUR

CHILDREN'S DRESS COATS

Are newly added feature in our Woman's Ready-to-wear Garment section. They possess lots of style, fit perfectly, are low priced and save tired mothers all the worry and work of making them. They are in White Shephard Plaids and Colors.

95c, \$1.25, \$1.95 to \$6.00

Children's

Headwear

■■■

Dainty little hats for dainty little Misses are to be had here at prices that will please you as well as the hats do and that's pleasing some,

Children's

Dresses

■■■

Dainty little dresses for the dainty little girls as well as for the larger girls. A new assortment expected tomorrow morning, in all colors.

Ladies Dresses

■■■

An elegant assortment of one piece dresses for women and misses. Can be seen in our Ready-to-wear department, in colors and white, ranging from \$1.50 to \$15. We will be glad to show you the new things.



bors, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. The party gathered at the homes of Andrew Miller and Ben Kohne and then went en masse to the Eiting home. To say that he was surprised would be putting it mildly, but he soon recovered and joined with the others in the good time. There was music by Miss Mary Eiting and other amusements that passed the hours merrily. Many good wishes for a long and prosperous life were extended to Mr. Eiting.

Quite an enthusiastic meeting was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Noah Mangold by the True chapter of the Woman's League. At present the women have the momentous question of deciding upon the purchase of the lot for the erection of their chapter house, and they are preparing an article for publication, which will fully explain the matter, and enlist the sympathy of the public in aiding them in securing the lot for the building. The session closed with a social time, during which refreshments were served.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Moran, is seven years old today and to help celebrate the event about thirty of her little friends have been invited to her home after school hours this evening, where a good time is in store for them. The entertainment program includes outdoor games and frolics, a luncheon and all that go to provide a merry time for little folk.

Mesdames John Powell, Jonas Tritch, Milt Hower, Fred Blosser, Dorse Hoagland and Frank Addington of the Fortnight club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon with their sewing at the home of Mrs. Waldo Brushwiller Thursday. A luncheon, tempting and nicely served, was a feature of the entertainment.

The Gleaners will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Ireta Erwin, quite an interesting program having been prepared. The girls are planning for a social to be held next Thursday at the home of Miss Naomi Dugan, further details of which, together with the program to be given, will be published later.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marhenke went to Fort Wayne this morning to attend a birthday party to be given in celebration of the eighteenth anniversary of their granddaughter, Miss Lizzie Miller.

A large number of Rebekahs of this city are preparing to go with the degree team to Fort Wayne Saturday, where the Decatur ladies will initiate a large class of Fort Wayne candidates.

The first meeting of the G. W. C. club girls since Lent was held last evening with Miss Vena Parent, at her home on Adams street. In a series of games first prizes were won by Misses Rose Colchin and Anna Gingley and second honors by Misses Liz-

zie Kortentrer and Edith Erwin. In a guessing contest, in which the number of pieces of candy in a jar were guessed, the first prize was awarded to Nona Harting. The evening was one of great pleasure to all.

Mrs. D. E. Hower of Anderson and Mrs. Sarah Hower were guests today at dinner of Dal Hower and family.

FOR RENT—Five room house on Market street, with all modern conveniences. Enquire of Dyonis Schmitt.

Famous Ford

\$950 Auto.

Quick Deliveries

Also Some Bargains in
SECOND HAND CARS

Call on or Address

W. D. CROSS,
Geneva, Indiana.

THIS IS HOUSE CLEANING TIME

and we are Here with the goods, such as Wall Paper—all the latest styles. Lowe Bros High Standard Paint which has stood the test for years. There is none quite so good. Lowe Bros Varnishes for all kinds of surfaces the best that money can buy. Lowe Bros Mellowtone—a flat wall paint in all colors, very beautiful, can be washed. Chi Namel Graining Process—makes old floors and woodwork look like new, any one can use it. ALABASTINE WALL FINISH, ALL COLORS, when in need of anything in the line of paint, varnish, wall paper etc. think of us. We cater to your wants in this line and carry the best goods.

MAKE US PROVE IT

The Holthouse Drug Co.

The Cyclone Vacuum Cleaner For Rent at THE BOSTON STORE

House cleaning made easy--Sanitary--Dustless and done in half the usual time.

A child can operate the "Cyclone" and clean a carpet in one half the time with one quarter of the labor and twice as clean as any man or woman could do it with a broom.

A method of cleaning which takes the drudgery out of it. Cleans in a fraction of the time, airs and renovates at the same time.

For information regarding the renting of the "Cyclone" Vacuum Cleaner call at the store of

THE KUEBLER & MOLTZ CO.
DECATUR, INDIANA.

Here's a proposition every Mother should investigate thoroughly

We are offering Boy's clothing at popular prices that carries workmanship, fit, style and trimmings equal to the high priced clothing

Our Boy's suits are made Derby Back, vent, cuffs, faced bottoms, cloth undercollar---

Pants full peg tops knickerbocker belt loops, re-enforced taped seams side buckle straps

Boy's Knick Suits

6 to 17 years

\$2.00 UP

The Myers-Dailey Co

Open evenings till 8 P. M.