

LONGER LINE

We've had such a big sale on our Hospital comfort shoes for women that we've put in a longer line of them. One of the new ones intended to be worn on occasions when you want something just a little neater than the plain Hospital is made with fancy scolloped tip running up the front of the shoe. The uppers are of the same soft kid stock as all Hospitals are, the soles are flexible turned, the heels are rubber to take off the jar when walking. These specials will sell at the very reasonable price of

---- \$1.75 ----

CHARLIE VOGLEWEDE

The Shoe Seller

Tom Ehinger returned home this noon after several days' absence from the city in the interest of the Decatur Filler company.

The SAFE WAY TO SAVE



Is to open a account HERE and deposit weekly the expenses on hand—that is the SURE way to build up a sum that will make you independent in your old age or tide you over serious sickness or other troubles.

The essential point is TO START—start NOW and make saving a habit.

4 per cent interest paid.

THE OLD
Adams County Bank

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and warmer tonight; rain tomorrow or tomorrow night.

Sam Simson of Berne was a business visitor here today.

Mrs. C. J. Lutz and daughter, Jean, spent the day at Fort Wayne.

Ed Ahr was looking after business interests in Fort Wayne today.

Commissioner Henry Zwick of Bingen was a business visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scherry of Preble were business visitors here this morning.

G. S. Volmer of Ney, Ohio, who has been here on business, left this morning for Fort Wayne.

Mrs. A. R. Bell has gone to Mt. Clemens, where she will take a course of treatment at the springs.

Mrs. Chris Strebe was the guest of friends at Fort Wayne today, returning home on the afternoon train.

Attorney F. M. Armantrout of Geneva was transacting some important business here today. He returned to his home on the afternoon train.

Dr. Fred Patterson
DENTIST

Successor to Dr. C. E. Neptune

Office above Auth's Jewelry Store.
Telephone No. 472.
Office hours: 8-12 a. m., 1-5 p. m.

We are not looking for the profits of today or tomorrow but are building for the future.

Given a fair trial the "WHITE STAG" will gain the verdict. Smoke one or two today and C.

For Sale By All Dealers

J. S. Bowers, Pres. F. M. Schirmeyer, Vice Pres.

Please Understand

The Bowers Realty Co., has both farms and city properties of all sizes and kinds and all kinds of prices.

The offerings are varied and gives the purchaser a wide selection.

Consult us about your loans.

The Bowers Realty Co.
French Quinn, Secty.

Mrs. E. L. Carroll has gone to West Baden.

George Tricker went to Geneva on business today.

A. H. Sellemeyer went to Fort Wayne this morning.

Henry Scherry of Preble went to Fort Wayne this morning.

Dan Beery left for Berne this morning, being a business caller there during the day.

F. M. Addington left today for Portland in the interest of the Ward Fence company.

Will Chronister and daughter, Francis, went to Fort Wayne last evening for a visit.

Howard Shackley was at Monroe today, where he was attending to some business matters.

Elmer Ault left this morning for Monroe, where he was doing some work during the day.

Mrs. A. VanCamp and son, Hubert, were guests yesterday of Grandma VanCamp at Vera Cruz.

Mrs. Jennie Studabaker Furman of Marion, Ohio, formerly of this place, is enjoying a visit at West Baden.

Mrs. D. P. Reynolds, who has been dangerously sick, beyond hope of recovery, is slowly growing weaker.

Henry Magley of Monmouth was a business visitor here Tuesday afternoon, returning on the 4 o'clock car.

The Joann Joseph ice cream parlor and candy kitchen is nearly ready for the opening and is quite and attractive place.

A fine bird dog arrived by National express from W. O. Smith of Bluffton to Jay Cline of Root township and Will Schrock.

Word comes from Peter Holthouse and T. C. Corbett, who are recuperating at West Baden, that they are both enjoying life and are feeling fine.

Daniel Stuckey of Berne was in the city for a short while today and later left for Fort Wayne, where he was looking after some business affairs.

Mrs. Hannah Barkley, who has been very sick at the home of her son, Henry Barkley, south of town, is somewhat better this morning, though still bedfast.

The chicken pot-pie dinner to be given Friday in the Niblick building, corner Second and Madison streets, is worthy of your patronage. Twenty-five cents.

J. O. Price of Sturgis, Mich., returned home this morning after attending to business here. Mr. Price formerly lived here but moved to Sturgis this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. John Niblick arrived last evening from Fort Wayne. Miss Helen remained over night and left this morning to resume her study at Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, Ill.

The show troupe which played "Across the Great Divide" at the opera house Tuesday night, left on the morning train for Ridgeville, where they have an engagement this evening.

Miss Helen Doswell of Fort Wayne, who has been visiting at the J. Tonnelier home for several days, returned home this morning. She was accompanied by Mrs. Joe Tonnelier and daughter, Miss Rose, who will visit there.

In last evening's issue an article appeared that Miss Marie Tonnelier had resigned her position as stenographer at the Ward Fence company's office. It was Miss Amelia Tonnelier, who has been connected with the office ever since they have been located in this city.

Harry M. Mounts of Indianapolis was here today making an effort to land the delegation from this county for the state convention and induce them to make a part of the trip over the Lake Erie & Western. It is probable that a hundred will attend from here and Mr. Mounts offered to put on a special train out of Bluffton to Fort Wayne if the party will go over his line.

Andrew Carnegie, the steel king, has presented the Friends' church of this city with a four hundred and fifty dollar piano of the King make. The pastor, Rev. F. H. Tormohlen, has worked unceasingly since in December, unbeknown to any of the members, to have Carnegie bestow the gift. Several influential men aided him and the result was the handsome instrument which was installed for the Sabbath services. An orchestra was organized and Sabbath morning both the piano and the orchestra were a surprise to the members of the school.—Portland Sun.

A housewife who has a case of Conter's cherry cider in her pantry is never caught "without a thing in the house" when guests arrive unexpectedly. A glass of this sparkling beverage served daintily in thin glasses with a few wafers is decidedly the "correct" thing nowadays. Sixty cents per case, delivered. Call 'phone 92.

Do you want a good raincoat or spring overcoat?

You ought to have one of our new coats, they'll make you feel mighty comfortable these cool mornings and evenings, they're practical in every way.

We're showing more styles than ever this spring, a lot of good fabrics, colors and patterns to choose from and we believe we can suit your wishes in every detail.

They're made by Hart Schaffner & Marx, always all-wool, made perfectly and fit guaranteed. Prices \$10 to \$25. We'd like to show you.

Holthouse, Schulte & Company,
Good Clothes Sellers for Men and Boys.



Dr. M. F. Parrish of Monroe, was a business visitor here today.

A pool tournament at Menigs will be put on soon and will no doubt attract considerable attention.

Professor McTurnan, formerly in the office of the state superintendent of public instruction, was here today looking after business for his firm, a book concern.

Reiter & France will show their progressiveness by sending some person to New York and paying all expenses for five days. It's a great trip for some one.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kitson and granddaughter, Miss Donna Parrish, spent the day with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnson, at Monmouth, going out on the 8:30 car.

L. G. Ellingham, candidate for secretary of state at the coming democratic state convention, is at Indianapolis today and tonight will attend the Jefferson club banquet, at which a number of men of national reputation will speak.

Scottish Rite Masons here have been notified of a special meeting to be held at the Cathedral on Tuesday, May 10th, for the purpose of conferring the fourth to the fourteenth degrees on such candidates as may present themselves and be voted in.

Joe Volmer arrived home today after an absence of several weeks, during which time he was held at South Bend by the authorities on a grave charge, and in which it developed the officers who arrested him had but little evidence or reasons for so doing. It is possible that he may bring actions against the officers for false imprisonment.

A case by Mrs. Henry Mulcahey vs. Dr. C. S. and Rose Clark and Marshal Peterson, for the possession of property, which was filed in Squire Stone's court, has been venued to Squire Smith. Some time ago a judgment in favor of the Clarks, for rental, was rendered against Henry Mulcahey and the household goods held. Mrs. Mulcahey now brings this suit, claiming that the household goods belong to her and cannot be taken to satisfy the claim against her husband.

First National

Bank of Decatur

Interest bearing certificates of deposit issued, payable on demand at three per cent per annum left for six months.

Four per cent interest given on certificates left for one year.

FOR SALE.

Twenty good improved farms from \$20.00 to \$100.00 per acre. These farm produce of all kinds and fruit farm produce of all kinds and fruit of every variety. These farms lay within ten miles of Wayland, the best farm country in Michigan.

J. M. GILPEN,
Real Estate Agent,
Wayland, Mich.

MONEY TO LOAN—I have plenty of money to loan on farms. No commission charged. D. B. Erwin, attorney at law.

Let the children drink all the Conter root beer they want. It's good for little "tummies." Sixty cents per case, delivered. Call 'phone 92.

FOR RENT—A house on North Third street, seven rooms, good cellar, bath room, furnace, electric lights and all modern conveniences. Inquire of Jacob Atz.

FOR SALE—Go-cart; as good as new. Phone 391.

Serve Conter's ginger ale at luncheon or dinner and delight everybody. It's the finest domestic ginger ale ever made. Sixty cents per case, delivered. Call 'phone 92.

Big Special for Saturday



100 14 qt. dish pans 100

100 12 qt. tin pails 100



10 cents each

These are the regular 25c articles and wont last long at this price so come early and get one at

THE RACKET STORE

Steele & Weaver.

A BIG SUIT SALE

Starting Monday April 11th.

We start today with an extra big discount on all

SUITS

This sale will last this week only.

WATCH OUR 'ADS
It will pay you to call and get prices.

No charge for altering.



Niblick & Company.