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Mr. Roosevelt hasn't said whether he has any interest in the campaign of 1916 or not. He has simply declared he will permit Mr. Taft to try again in 1912. Teddy is regular.

The county commencement will be held Saturday, and one hundred and thirty-eight boys and girls will receive diplomas, proving that they have completed the eighth grade work and are now eligible to high school. The event is an important one and this fact, with the splendid program arranged, should not be overlooked by the people of this community. The schools of Decatur and Adams county are unexcelled in any state in the union.

A meeting of the council and the citizen's committee will be held tonight at which time it is expected the finishing touches will be put on the fire department movement. It was hoped to close the matter on Tuesday evening but Mayor Teeple desired a day or so in which to go over the contract. While it is well to be conservative and careful, this matter should not longer be delayed.

Cut the weeds, clean up, do it today. The health officer has given notice and you should have enough pride, enough interest in the welfare of the community, to do it without being forced at the point of a law suit to do so. There are several places in the city, and some of them right down town, which need attention badly, the weeds are a nuisance, the filth must be cleared away. We have called attention to this several times, and it's up to you now to do it, or have it done at an additional cost.



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BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE TO CLEAN UP.

All persons living in the city of Decatur, Ind., are hereby notified that whatever is injurious to health, or in decent, or offensive to the senses, or an obstruction to the free use of property, so as to essentially interfere with the comfortable enjoyment of life or property, is a nuisance and the subject of an action.

You are hereby notified that all rubbish, filth, animal or vegetable matter, weeds and any other filth, located upon the premises on which you live or conduct business must be cleaned up and removed from the city limits within ten days from this notice. All vaults or privies must be cleaned out and put in a sanitary condition within ten days from this notice. There shall be no further notices served upon any one and after the ten days expire the secret sanitary officer appointed by me will file affidavits against all offenders of the law governing the health of the people.

Respectfully yours,
H. E. KELLER,
Sec'y City Board of Health.
31-th-wk-4t-nxt

ABOUT THE SICK

Miss Minta Acker went to Ft. Wayne this morning to call on her mother, Mrs. Irvin Acker, at the Hope hospital. Mrs. Acker still shows improvement, which is very encouraging.

J. F. Hocker of Fort Wayne, who recently underwent an operation for the removal of an eye, is getting along with no ill results.

Opal, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Whittenbarger, residing eight miles east of this city, underwent an operation for the removal of adenoids and her tonsils this morning at the office of Drs. J. S. and E. G. Coverdale, these doctors being assisted by Dr. S. D. Beavers. The operation was entirely successful.

Miss Mayme Derheimer of Fort Wayne, well known here, where she has relatives and has often visited, has been quite sick with appendicitis and it is thought will have to submit to an operation.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Frederick Maurer, administrator, filed sale bill in the matter of the estate of Melchior Maurer, which the court approved.

Sarah A. Tindall, executrix of the Henry Tindall estate, filed final report and was discharged, the court approving the report.

In the divorce case of Laura A. Foughty vs. Charles K. Foughty, an application to modify the order of the court respecting Russell Foughty was filed. A notice to the defendant was ordered returnable on the first day of the next term. In the recent order made by the court the custody of Russell was given the defendant.

In the Michael Hoffman vs. Samuel Battenfield et al. quiet title case, a judgment and decree quieting the title of lands in the plaintiff was made by the court. The clerk is ordered to satisfy the mortgage of record.

MILK DEALERS' NOTICE.

All persons holding a license to sell milk and cream within the city of Decatur, Ind., are hereby notified that they must file certificates of examinations of their cow or cows before the 30th day of June, 1911, or their license will be cancelled.

Respectfully yours,
H. E. KELLER.
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CARD OF THANKS.

Alva Aurand and children take this way of extending to the neighbors and friends their sincere thanks for the kindnesses extended to them during the illness and at the time of the death of their wife and mother.

RED MEN ELECTION.

The Red Men will hold their annual election tonight at their lodge quarters and many of the members are expected to be in attendance. Besides the election of the officers who will control the lodge for the coming year there will be degree work given to several candidates. This order has progressed considerably during the past year and is making great strides toward being one of the largest and strongest lodges in the city. The incoming sachem will be Richard Helm, who succeeds B. F. Breiner to that chair. All the members should be present at this meeting.

LOST—White goods and trappings for child's dress; was lost Saturday. Finder kindly return to this office. 13513

SOCIAL DOING

Wedding of Omar Kenyon and Beulah Connet Took Place Last Evening.

AN EVENING PARTY

Given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strickler --- Children's Day Programs.

A Sonnet.

To one who has been long in city pent,
'Tis very sweet to look into the fair
And open face of Heaven—to breathe
A prayer

Full in the smile of the blue firmament,
Who is more happy, when with heart's content,
Fatigued he sinks into some pleasant lair

Of wavy grass and reads a debonaire
And gentle tale of love and languishment
Returning home at evening, with an ear

Catching the notes of Philomel—an eye
Watching the smiling cloudlet's bright career,
He mourns that day so soon has glided by;

Even like the passage of an angel's tear
That falls through the ether silently.
—John Keats.

WEEK'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Thursday.
U. B. Aid—D. V. Steele.
Florhul de Purin—Flora Fiedler-Johann.

Needlecraft—Sue Mayer.
Friday.
Florhul de Purin—Flora Fiedler-Johann.

M. E. Mite—Mrs. J. S. Peterson.
Queen Esthers—Vera Hunsicker.
Christian Aid—Mrs. E. H. Shoemaker.

Medical Association—Dr. J. M. Miller.

A farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mumma for their grandchildren, Hattie and Homer Kern, who since the death of their mother have been living with their grandparents, but who will now go to Muncie to join their father. Eighteen guests attended the party and spent the two on their way with good wishes. Games were played, and there was music, with refreshments of ice cream and cake later.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Busch most royally entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks and son, McGee; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hofer and daughter, Martha. A good time was enjoyed by all. Although the writer was not present it is presumed a fine dinner was served and all enjoyed the occasion.

The Ladies' Aid society of Monroe met on Thursday afternoon, June 1st, with Rev. and Mrs. Crafts, with quite a number present, and the attendance of several ladies other than the members of the society was noted. One was voted into membership into the society. Sister Crafts entertained most royally, serving ice cream and cake. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Jesse Essex the first Thursday in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strickler, southeast of Decatur, gave a delightful Tuesday evening party at their country home. Singing, music and various games were the chief features of the evening's pleasures. Those present were Mr. George Strickler, Chris and Calvin Yost, Giles Porter, Oris Andrews, Virgil Springer, George Lord, Claude Harvey, Ruby Wynn, Floyd Shoaf, Roy Shoaf, Enoch Fairchild, Howard and Ralph Keller, Grover Carver, Willie Gause, Rufus, Marion, Roy and Robert Case of Pleasant Mills, Dick Boch of Decatur, James and William Strickler of Rockford, Calvin Myers, Lee Hillard, Ralph and Frank Bolinger of Willshire, Medford Wynn, Gregg Brandyberry and Miles Deiter, Misses Edna Durr, Mabel Hillard, Iva Harvey, Lilla and Lulu Teeple, Mary Myers, Ruble Harvey, Dale Payne, Velma Springer, Elma Payne, Laura Springer, Laura Wolfe, Birdie Wolfe and Perle Strickler and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strickler. All returned to their homes at a late hour fully convinced that Mr. and Mrs. Strickler were royal entertainers.

The wedding of Miss Beulah Connet, daughter of Mrs. Emma Dykeman, and Mr. Omar Kenyon of Birmingham, Ala., took place at 6 o'clock last night at the bride's home on Eby avenue. Relatives and friends to the number of fifty were guests at the wedding, which was followed by a

buffet supper. Miss Eva Tinkham played the wedding march from "Lo-hengrin" as the bride descended the stairs in her filmy gown of white. Embroidered chiffon over satin composed the robe, and her bouquet of bride roses and swansonia completed the girlish appearance of the bride. Smilax, palms and vases of roses and carnations formed a pretty decoration for the house. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon left for the south, where they will make their home. The bride has been popular in her social circle and has had many farewell parties given in her honor. Mr. Kenyon was formerly a linotype operator on the Journal-Gazette and is a young man of perseverance and ability.—Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

Mrs. Dykeman and daughter, Miss Connet, were former residents of this city and county, as was the groom, who is a son of C. M. Kenyon, former editor of the Decatur Journal.

Forty-two attended the meeting of the Concord Lutheran Aid society at the home of Mrs. Jack Kemp at Monmouth Wednesday afternoon, that lady being assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Godfrey Kurt. The devotional service was conducted and a talk by the wife of the pastor, Mrs. A. K. Mumma, of Hoagland, who has just returned from a visit, proved very interesting. During the afternoon refreshments were served. Mrs. C. C. Wilder will be hostess at the July meeting.

Mrs. Henry Bauman and Mrs. S. S. Magley of Monmouth were guests today at the Jay Cline home in Root township.

Mrs. J. H. Bremerkamp was a guest at the Charles Dirksen home north of the city today.

The Concord Lutheran church will hold its annual Children's Day exercises next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, standard time. Everybody is invited.

Miss Flora Fiedler-Johann will entertain the Florhul de Purin club girls tomorrow evening.

Miss Sue Mayer will be hostess to the Needlecraft club this evening.

Invitations were issued today for the wedding of Miss Edna Ehinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. X. Ehinger, to Mr. Will Berling, the wedding to take place Tuesday morning at 7:30 o'clock, June 20th, at the St. Mary's Catholic church.

Miss Edna Ehinger, whose wedding will take place June 20th, is the guest of honor at a kitchen shower given today by Miss Mae Rademaker and Mrs. Thomas Ehinger at the home of the latter.

Miss Lilah Lachot went to Bluffton this morning to attend the wedding of her cousin, Wilson B. Lachot, of Apple Creek, Ohio, to Miss Elsie Cobbum, a Bluffton young lady.

The Orient club spent a pleasant afternoon with Mrs. Harry Helm, the usual pastime of embroidery engaging their attention until the luncheon hour, when Mrs. Helm served refreshments, very delicious and tempting, in two courses. Mrs. J. M. Miller will be hostess at the next meeting in two weeks.

John Smith, who has just arrived at the age of manhood, was fully aware of the fact on Tuesday evening when a number of his friends gathered at his home north of the city and desired to spend the evening with him. The several happy hours were whiled away in playing games and other sports, which afforded great pastime, and the dawning of the twenty-first birthday of Mr. Smith will long dwell in his mind. During the evening he was presented with a beautiful gold ring from his mother, and he also received many other pretty and useful presents from the many present. A delicious lunch was served the guests before their departure for their respective homes. The invited guests were Rost Hoffman, Bertha, Golda and Hulda Lammert, Dorothy Smith, Flora Roop, Harold Roop, John Smith, Harold Butler, Herman Hoffman, Bert Bailey and Carl Smith.

The 9:50 car this morning was besieged with little folks—the members of the Sunday school class taught by Miss Alice Dailey—with a number of friends—bound for the pleasant grove near Monmouth, where they spent the day picnicking. The party included in part, Alta Teeple, Gladys Flanders, Genevieve Smith, Naomi Peterson, Fanny Heller, Rowena Shoaf, Mildred Strebe, Arbie McConahey, Ruth Frisinger, Portia Thomas, Isabel Edwards, Naomi Meyers, Vivian Burke, Gladys Barone, Grace and Florence Lichtensteiger, Rachel Leavell, Cora Peck, Bertha Vogt, Thelma and Dorothy Williams, Helen Everett, Naomi VanCamp, Mary Moses, Grace Shroll, Pauline Wolford and Hazel France of Columbia City.

Invitations to the marriage of Miss Irene Laurer to Robert J. Miller of Fort Wayne were received by a number of Decatur friends. Miss Laurer is quite well known here, having visited here a number of times. The wedding will take place on Wednesday morning, the 21st of June, at St. Mary's church.

THE MONROE NEWS

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mowed and rubbish removed, and our street commissioner, Charles Merryman, with a force of men, busy putting in street crossings all over town, and our business men enjoying a good trade, and everything looks prosperous, why can't our town dads get together and discuss the matter of giving our people some sort of street light, and some kind of fire protection? This is what our town needs and is far behind her sister towns of the same size. Wake up to this matter and begin to do something before it is too late.

Clarence Smith, mail weigher on the Wabash road, spent a few hours in town last Tuesday, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith.

Miss Mabel Hocker of Fort Wayne is spending the week here with her many friends and relatives.

Ben Shirk, mail weigher on the Pennsylvania, was here a few hours Monday.

Several from this place will attend the Sunday school convention at Fort Wayne Thursday of this week.

A. S. Keller returned from a business trip to Kokomo and other places where he has been for the past week.

All Modern Woodmen are requested to meet with the Royal Neighbors at the M. W. A. hall next Friday evening at 7 p. m. to make preparations for the memorial services to be held at the M. E. church next Sunday at 1:30 p. m.

John Elzey of Decatur, who recently purchased the Lewis Andrews property here, is busy putting the finishing touches on same and when completed will have among the best and most convenient house in town.

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