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Every resident of Adams county should join with Decatur in her efforts to land a beet sugar plant. It is said that outside concerns are making an effort to prevent this and within a few days every citizen will have an opportunity to show his patriotism. It is not only a question of the present but of the future years that counts. Be true to your home county.

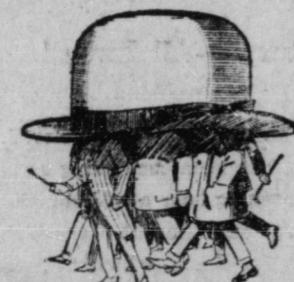
The first Riley day in Indiana was observed Friday generally over Indiana with proper exercises in the schools, and in the years to come, this greatest of Hoosier writers, who has reached the heart of us all, with his "Out to Old Aunt Mary's," his "June Time," and hundreds of others will receive the credit due him. It is but right that some of the honors come to him while he may appreciate them.

The standpatters proudly proclaim that Senator LaFollette is not a republican, that he is an interloper, a trespasser upon republican tradition. It is hard to see how a man with his democratic sympathies and convictions can consider himself a part of a national organization that has been so long dominated by influences opposed to popular interests, but Senator LaFollette entered the United States senate a few years ago and was snubbed by his own party associates. Today he is the most influential member of that body and has done more to educate the public for true reforms than any other member. All political parties need more leaders of his character and ability. If he lives he will either control the republican party, or he will lead a political movement that will take from the party its rank and file.—The Sullivan Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerard left yesterday for Fort Wayne for a few days' visit. Mr. Gerard, who is employed at the automobile factory, had the misfortune to get some emery dust in his left eye, inflammation later setting in. He thinks he will be recovered sufficiently to return to his work next Monday.

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DOINGS IN SOCIETY

Young Matrons Will Open Social Season With Six O'clock Dinner.

THURSDAY EVENING

The Queen Esthers Plan a Campaign For Funds—D. J. Bailey Wedding.

Let's Pretend.

Slip your work and take a day off Where the meadow daisies grow; Get your rod an' wander 'way off Where the rippled rivers flow!

Birds are singin'—
Skies are blue;
An' them skies—
They bend for you!

What's the use o' all the hurry?
What's the use o' all the strife?
Better spice your daily worry
With the sweeter things o' life!

Winds are blowin'
Violets blue;
An' them violets
Bloom for you.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dugan and Mr. L. C. Waring were guests at a dinner party given last evening by Mr. Ross McCullough at his home on West Berry street, Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Will Martin and Miss Nellie Lett planned a surprise on the latter's sister, Miss Iva Lett, who is employed at the Martin home. She had just passed into sweet dreamland when she was awakened by Miss Martin, asking her to come and talk with her sweetheart over the 'phone, and when she got downstairs she was surprised to find her many friends who came to help her spend her eighteenth birthday anniversary. By the sound of the laughter they must have enjoyed themselves. She received several presents. At a late hour a luncheon was served, consisting of bread, butter, chicken, pickles, cake, peaches. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin and children, Francie, Marcia, Glen; Misses Oda and Eda Gay, Nellie, Iva, Lottie Lett, Bertha Fuhrman, Fanny Ruckman, Fern Davis; Messrs. Oscar and Francis Fuhrman, Herman Butler, Owen Davis, Milton Chonister, Clyde Standiford, Edda Gay, Ed Miller.

A surprise party was given last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Ella Bucher at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Bucher. The evening was spent in card playing and dancing after which the guests were served with ice cream and cake. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lehman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Conrad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Bieberich and daughter, Arville; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoile and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Knapp and daughter, Lucile; Mr. and Mrs. August Walters and family, Mrs. August Bussick and daughters, Della, Alma and Esther; Mr. and Mrs. Christ Bucher, the Misses Ella Bucher, Kate, Beltz, Anna Bucher and Iva Bucher; Messrs. Herman Bohne, Jacob Wagner, Hugo France, Henry Bucher, Henry France, John Schuler, Ernest Merica and Harvey Bucher and Slim Bucher. At a late hour they all departed, wishing her many more such happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hey entertained as their guests Messrs. Frank Perry and Rolf Hendricks, engineer and fireman on the G. R. & I. railroad.

On account of the inclement weather Friday evening the Queen Esthers' October meeting at the home of Miss Pansy Bell was not so large as it would have been otherwise, but the interest was good. The society is fortunate in having with them in the work for the winter a new helper, Miss Bertha Heller. Plans for the raising of funds were discussed, and it was decided that each member invest ten cents in some way, and see how much she could earn from that amount by January 1st. The meeting closed with the serving of light refreshments. The hostesses for the November meeting will be the Misses Nellie Nichols, Ruth Parish and Vera Hower.

The members of the Young Matrons' club held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. D. M. Hensley Friday afternoon, where they arranged for the opening of their season's social festivities. The season will open with a 6 o'clock dinner party next Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Reid, to which the husbands of the Young Matrons will also be invited.

Sunday a crowd consisting of the following: Frances and Agnes Coffee, Stella Bremerkamp, Bernadette Forbign, Esther Corbett, Marie Kintz, Alma Starost and Osa Cowan will leave in the afternoon for the home of Valentine Linker in Kirkland township, where they will spend the remainder of the day in pleasure, which is always to be found at the Linker home, where many a happy gathering assembles for a few hours' pastime. A good time is assured.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adang of east of Geneva were guests at dinner Friday of the P. K. Kinney family. Mrs. Adang was Miss Kathryn Kinney before her marriage, which took place Tuesday.

Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Reformed parsonage in Berne, occurred the wedding of Miss Minerva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Fox, of west of town, to Daniel J. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bailey of Ceylon. Rev. H. H. Kattman pronouncing the words that joined them for life. Mr. Bailey has worked at the baker's trade for years and for some time has been serving in that capacity for the City restaurant and bakery here. For a number of years he conducted a restaurant at Decatur. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey will leave Monday with their brother-in-law, Paul Gerber, and family, for California, where they expect to make their home. The worthy young couple have many friends who regret to see them leave, but who wish them a safe journey to their new home as well as happiness and success all through the journey of life.—Berne Witness.

Horse Not Stolen

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that night at the stable. The next morning Mr. Bailey got a man to get the outfit and not knowing the horse he had taken there, pointed out the wrong one, and it was not until the horse and rig had been returned to the Berne stable this morning that the exchange was noticed. Mr. Brown immediately recognizing the exchange. The Berne bridal party will doubtless come in for no little pleasure on account of the trouble that resulted over a mistake in "bridles."

GAVE GOOD TALK

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drawing \$15 or more. If the ninety-day man was disabled during the service he will be entitled to \$30 a month. The bill also provides that any former soldier, with a net income of \$1,000 per year, will not be entitled to the \$30 rate. This does not mean gross income.

The representative read a number of letters from his constituents praising or blaming him for his pension work. Some favored this bill and some opposed it. As the veterans cannot get together and agree on what kind of a bill they desire, he declared it was equally impossible for the 300 members of the house to agree within a brief time on any measure.

He told the veterans that he would look after their interests as best he could, but that the failure of the dollar-a-day measure could not be laid at his door. He advised all of the former soldiers in the district to write to him and give him their time of service, prior to the opening of the new session in order that he might have better information on the subject, when the bill comes up for consideration.

HOLTY'S SPECIAL

SUNDAY DINNER.

11:30 to 2:00 p. m.

MENU.

Young Lettuce Celery Pickles
SOUP.
Chicken with Rice
ROASTS.
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Young Chicken, Oyster Dressing
Loin of Pork, Apple Sauce
Sirloin of Beef, Brown Gravy
ENTREES.
Chicken Fricassee, Green Peas
Oyster Omelette
Breaded Veal Chops
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CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
Communion, 10:30 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.; subject, "Christ Love."
Junior Endeavor, 2:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:00 p. m.; subject, "The Mother of the Twentieth Century."
Choir practice, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
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J. M. DAWSON, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Low mass, 7:30 a. m.
Low mass, 8:30 a. m.
High mass, 9:30 a. m.
Christian doctrine, 1:45 p. m.
Vespers and benediction, 2:30 p. m.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.

9:30, Sunday school; lesson Ezekiel 47:1-12.
10:30, annual mission festival. Rev. G. S. Elliker, of LaCrosse, Wis., field secretary of the home mission board of the German Reformed church, will be the speaker.

2:30, English service, in charge of Rev. C. S. Schneider, of Magley, Ind. 7:00, English service. Rev. G. D. Elliker will speak of missions in the west and in Canada.

We cordially invite you to worship with us.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

9:30 a. m., Sabbath school. Classes for all. Men's class taught by the pastor. Lecture method used; no questions asked. All men not regular attendants elsewhere are cordially invited. Matters of unusual importance will come before the Brotherhood. Try to be present.

10:30 a. m., preaching by the pastor. Subject, "The Foundations of Faith." Communion will follow the sermon.

7:00 p. m., evening service. A large attendance is desired at all these services. Come to help and be helped.

The Indiana Baptist convention meets with the Bluffton church from Tuesday evening to Friday noon of next week. Complete program given in this week's Observer. Every member of this church should attend part or all of the convention meetings if possible.

LUTHERAN ZION'S CHURCH.

English services 10:00. Rev. H. Voltz from Fall Creek, Wis., will deliver the sermon.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

9:15 a. m., Sunday school; subject, "The Life-giving Stream." Ezekiel 47:1-12.
10:30, morning worship; theme, "The Church, the Pillar of Faith."

6:00 p. m., Christian Endeavor; topic, "New Work Outr Society Might Do." Matt. 25:13-30.

7:00 p. m., evening service.

Prayer meeting, 7:00 o'clock, Wednesday evening.

W. H. GLEISER, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Beginning at 10:00 o'clock there will be given a program in keeping with daily day. The morning service and Sunday school will be merged into one grand gathering. A program, consisting of recitations, duets, choruses, etc., will be rendered. Let each Evangelical try to bring some one to this special service.

Mission Band at 2:30 p. m.

Young People's Alliance will meet at 6:00 p. m.

Evening service at 7:00.

Everybody is cordially invited to these services.

COURT HOUSE NEW

(Continued from Page One.) qualified on account of relationship to the plaintiff. Mr. Erwin assumed jurisdiction and judgment was rendered for the plaintiff for \$450. There was also an order of sale against the attached property, the proceeds to be applied first to costs and second to the claim of the plaintiff.

A second suit for appointment of a guardian was filed today by Attorney D. B. Erwin for Christina Schultz, who asks that one be appointed for Adam Schultz, of sound mind and incapable of managing his estate.

In the matter of the estate of Christian Homeier, which was docketed only for the action of Thomas J. Soles' petition, an entry was made Friday. T. J. Soles states that he purchased 100 acres in Preble township from the Strauss Brothers' Company, who in turn purchased from Louise Homeier, sole devisee of the will of Christian Homeier. The real estate is liable for the debts of the decedent, Christian Homeier, and Soles wants to protect it from sale to make assets to pay the debts. No letters of administration

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