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If you have made good with that resolution for a week, it ought to be easier the next week. Keep your back-bone stiff and remember always that we are for Decatur, first, last and always. Let's do it for the year.

No city in Indiana can now boast better fire equipment than Decatur. That's some jump, from the worst to the best. There is only one way to do anything and that is—do it right. Let's follow the rule along every line this year.

Real winter, if you please! It's all right, but a little too much so, and if it's all the same to the man at the throttle, he can turn down the thermometer about twenty degrees, without making anybody real mad, or causing any serious reactions.

Albert Edward Wiggam, in his lecture Friday evening, said that the boy who had a rich dad, was handicapped in a pitiful manner. The lad who prepared himself for the battle, who is used to the knocks when the time comes, is the fellow who makes good always, over the boy who has nothing but his father's reputation. There can be no question but that good sense, educated, is a far better asset than all the dollars that could be bequeathed you on ten pages.

The selection of Bernard Korbly as state chairman seems to be worrying the republican press of Indiana considerably. They are insisting that Edward Hoffman of Fort Wayne was a candidate for the place, but that gentleman declares otherwise and it is known that he would not have accepted the place under any consideration. Mr. Korbly is a young man with every qualification necessary and he will make an ideal chairman. The republicans have a right to fear him. With so many troubles of their own, the

g. o. p. press would be glad for anything to happen that would direct attention somewhere else and give them an opportunity to gather.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer for sale at his residence, on the State Line, at Watt, Ohio, on Wednesday, January 24, 1912, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit: Four head of horses: One draft bay mare, 10 years old, in foal, weighs 1500 lbs.; 1 driving mare, 5 years old, weighs 1100 lbs.; 1 two-year-old driving colt, sired by Harry Axtell of Decatur; 1 Belgian yearling colt. Four head of Cattle: One milch cow, with calf by her side; 3 heifer calves, coming yearlings. Hogs and Sheep: Eighteen ewes and 1 buck; 2 brood sows, each with pigs 6 weeks old; 1 full-blooded Duroc brood sow, will farrow first of April; 1 full-blooded Duroc male hog; 7 shoats, will weigh about 50 lbs. each. Farming Implements: One 3-in. tire wagon, spring wagon, 2 top buggies, in good condition, riding breaking plow, walking breaking plow, riding corn cultivator, walking corn cultivator, spring tooth harrow, 2 spike tooth harrows, pair bob sleds, set breeching harness, set buggy harness, feed grinder, pair grocery scales, iron kettle, sausage grinder, 2 bu. timothy seed, tank heater, 1 bbl. vinegar, 2 oil tanks, ice box, 6 turkey hens, gobbler, about 75 chicks and other articles too numerous to mention. Free lunch at noon.

All amounts of \$5 and under, cash in hand; over \$5 a credit of 9 months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security; 4 per cent off for cash. No property removed until settled for. WM. HITCHCOCK.
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ESTABLISH SAW MILL.

I am preparing to set up a saw mill on the William Graham farm near Monroe. Farmers, bring in your logs if you want them sawed into lumber. The yard is ready for logs now. Mill will start as soon as enough logs are on hand to make it profitable to operate.

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DOINGS IN SOCIETY

Wedding of Laura Howard and Otis Miller Solemnized This Morning.

A SEWING PARTY

Given by Miss Ketler at Fort Wayne Attended by Decatur Girls.

Let us all resolve first, to attain the grace of silence; second, to deem all fault-finding that does no good, a sin; third, to practice the grace and virtues of praise.—Stowe.

CLUB CADENDAL FOR WEEK.

Monday.
Leap Year Ball—Columbian Club.
Tuesday.
Afternoon Club—Mrs. Carrie Ehinger.
Historical—Mrs. Mary Congleton.
Maccabees Installation.
Rebekah Installation.
Wednesday.
Shakespeare—Mrs. Schaefer.
Flohrul de Purin—Grace Purdy.
Thursday.
K. of P. Installation.
Bachelor Maids—Mayme Terveer.
Emberpean—Miss Edith Smith.
Friday.
Ben Hur Installation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Watts returned last evening from a two weeks' visit at Toledo, Detroit and Adrian, Michigan. On New Year's day they met their daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bouse of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Will Walters of Adrian, Mich., at the home of Mr. Bouse's parents at Toledo, Ohio, where a happy reunion was in order. Mr. and Mrs. Watts then accompanied the Walters to their home at Adrian, where they remained until yesterday.

Miss Stella Wemhoff, who leaves soon for an extended visit in Los Angeles, Cal., was honored at a holiday dance given by the Misses Cunningham at St. Patrick's Lyceum in West DeWald street. One hundred and fifty young people were asked to the holiday dance and found the wonderfully beautiful little hall even more charming than ever in its dress of Christmas green. Mr. and Mrs. John Foehy led the grand march, and following came a long line of young girls in exquisite holiday gowns, and fine looking young men. The party gave a large number of Miss Wemhoff's friends an opportunity to wish her "bon voyage" on her delightful trip across the continent.—Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

A splendid quilting party was given by Miss Nora Werling Thursday afternoon when some of the girls came and helped quilt, and at 6 o'clock a delicious dinner was served and the evening was spent in music and games. Those present were Messrs. Gustav and Edwin Bieberich, Fred and Diedie Linnemeler, Fred Koenemann, Otto Bieberich, Mart and Gustav Schneller, Oscar and Casper Dilling, Mart and Paul Grote, and the Misses Frieda and Emma Bieberich, Ada and Hulda Prange, Minnie Schneller, Johanna and Esther Jaebker, Frieda Ehlerding, Marie Grote, Alma Kosch, Amanda Werling, Susis Dilling and Marie Schmidt. Later a most delicious lunch was served and it was late before the guests departed for their homes, having enjoyed a very good time.

Mrs. Jennie Price of Crown Point, who has been the guest of Mrs. S. E. Shamp, left today for her home. She came here from Gas City and Marion, where she had been visiting with relatives. Mrs. Price was Miss Jennie Bollman of this city before her marriage, and was cordially greeted by her many friends here.

Miss Laura Deitsch of Celina, Ohio, will arrive Monday to attend the Leap Year ball at the K. of C. hall. She will be the guest of Miss Lydia Miller.

Mrs. Mary Congleton will be hostess to the Historical club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Coverdale will have the paper on "The Garden Spot of the South."

The Ben Hur lodge wishes to urge the importance of the attendance of every member on next Friday evening, when the installation of officers will take place, also the initiation of several candidates. The lodge has made rapid progress in its growth in the past three months. During this time the average attendance at every meeting has been fifty-one and every officer has been in his chair at all the meetings. Thirty-seven candidates have been initiated and many more

are in line for being received into the order. The lodge begins the new year with very bright prospects indeed.

This morning at 10 o'clock at the United Brethren parsonage was solemnized the wedding of Miss Laura L. Howard and Mr. Otis E. Miller, the Rev. E. A. Goodwin, officiating. The bride is a daughter of Samuel Howard of Ninth street, and the groom a young man of Willshire, Ohio, a son of John Henry Miller, both estimable young people. They had their house on Third street furnished in advance and will go to housekeeping there at once, the groom having accepted employment with the beet sugar factory. The bride's wedding gown was a pretty suit of tan, made becomingly. Their friends join in wishing them a long and happy life.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. held its joint public installation of officers on Thursday evening. On account of the very cold and blustery weather, the attendance was not as large as usual, but there was enough out to make the evening a most pleasant one. A program of recitations by the little folks, with addresses by the Rev. E. A. Goodwin of the United Brethren church and the Rev. E. L. Semans of the Methodist church, followed the installation service.

The installation of the K. of P. officers which was postponed from last Thursday will be held Thursday of next week.

The Misses Frances, Dorothy and Naomi Dugan, Jean Lutz, Gladys Myers, Vera and Anna Clark, Marie Patterson, Gertrude Moses, Bess Schrock, Fannie Hite, Midge Smith and Mrs. Fred Patterson, left on the 1 o'clock car for Fort Wayne, where they were guests at a sewing party given by Miss Martha Ketler.

A FEW FACTS.

Osteopathy combines every good feature of non-drugging systems, besides its own distinctive therapeutics, thereby making it par-excellent. Positive establishment of proper nerve force and blood circulation enables nature to throw off disease, hygiene, diet, sanitation, hydrotherapy, asepsis, etc., naturally are parts of osteopathy. Many operations are practically criminal, but needful ones are necessary.

If nothing else demonstrated osteopathy's worth, this one fact would, viz, within the last ten years mechanotherapy, spondylotherapy, neuropathy, chiropractic and physiotherapy, have sprung up, each one trying to demonstrate that it is better than osteopathy, some claiming to use osteopathy and others by severe and harmful treatment, hurting osteopathy with those uninitiated, who believe it is osteopathy. The facts are these, not one of these systems, have ever managed to thrive at all, when charges equal to those made by a licensed osteopath are asked. Now, doesn't this clearly settle supremacy? Osteopaths are skilled operators, attending school four years, whereas in the man, the "near cults" study by mail and receive their credentials at so much per diploma. State licensing boards recognize none of them, showing there is a nigger in the wood pile somewhere.

Many diseases are curable by more than one kind of treatment, medicine is of value at times, but no system on earth has made such rapid strides in such short time as osteopathy. Twenty-five years ago all people used drugs, whereas today, 11,000,000 people in the United States have turned to osteopathy and more follow daily. So-called incurable cases many times yield to osteopathy. In fact our percentage of cures are larger than those of any other. All systems put together, can't cure everything, but skilled, trained osteopaths are surely advancing cures daily. Consult the best when the opportunity is before you. No harm can result, as our treatment is not severe; the smallest babe can be treated. All acute and chronic diseases treated.

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John Frisinger Has Purchased the Charles True Residence on WINCHESTER STREET

Will Move There About March First—Recently Sold Farm.

John Frisinger has purchased the Charles True residence on Winchester street, one of the finest residences in the city. Mr. Frisinger recently sold his farm, known as the R. S. Peterson farm, adjoining the city on the south, to Willis Wagner of Union township. Mr. Frisinger expects to give Mr. Wagner possession about March 1st and will at that time move his family to his new home in this city. Mr. True and family prior to moving to their farm at Poe, resided in this residence in this city, the house being occupied at present by the E. S. Moses family.

SIGNED DOCUMENT.

(United Press Service.)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—President Taft at 1:38 this afternoon signed the document that admitted New Mexico into the Union as the forty-seventh state.

TO BE LOCAL SUPERINTENDENT.

William C. Kremers of Holland, Mich., will be superintendent of the local sugar beet factory to be erected here and will move his family here in the spring to make their permanent home. Mr. Kremers has been factory superintendent of the plant at Holland, Mich., and knows every detail of the work.

SKATING.

Fine skating at Steele's park, smooth as glass. Admission, 10 cents. Fire at the pond. 313

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Decatur, will, on the
16th day of January, 1912,
at seven o'clock p. m., receive bids for fifty street lamps for lighting purposes on the streets of said city of Decatur, and the furnishing and equipping of said lamps. Further information can be had from the Superintendent of Electric Light Plant, Decatur, Indiana, or of the Electric Light Committee of said city.
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Dec 26-Jan 2

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