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The soldiers' monument will be located in the southwest corner of the court house yard, the committee evidently not agreeing with the suggestion that a monument park be arranged. However, this location will not prevent us all from admiring the handsome monument and believing in the patriotic spirit for which it stands, loving those who have served the flag, cheering those who are with us still and revering the memory of those who have joined the silent cavalry. We are all proud of our soldiers and we are all glad that a monument is to be erected to their memory.

Secretary of State Bryan is for a world-wide treaty that will stop war in every nation of the globe. The millions who inhabit the earth are with him in this great work. His task is big, but he is prompted by pure motives and will succeed to a large degree at least.

Judge Andrew A. Adams, chief justice of the appellate court of Indiana, has resigned to accept September 1st, the position of general counsel for Arbutkus Brothers of New York City. Judge Adams is a lawyer of great ability and will succeed in the big job for which he has been employed. He will be succeeded on the appellate bench by the Hon. Fred S. Caldwell of Winchester, than whom there is no better lawyer in Indiana. Mr. Caldwell was a candidate for the democratic nomination as judge of the supreme court two years ago, when Judge R. K. Erwin was selected. His many Adams county friends will rejoice that he has been honored at this time, believing in his ability and admiring him for his many splendid traits of character.

LITTLE FRED CHLOROFORMED.

Little Fred died this morning, aged thirty-six, his friends deciding it best that he be freed from this world of misery and trouble and bodily ailments. Little Fred was the driving horse owned and driven by J. W. Place for many years. For a long period he had been the faithful standby of the Place and Conter Ice Cream companies. For some months he has been helpless, a sufferer from infirmities and it was decided to put him to sleep. A dose of chloroform did the work and Little Fred now rests in peace.

DOINGS IN SOCIETY

WEEK'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.  
Concord Aid—Mrs. Jack Kemp.  
Thursday.  
Helping Hand—Mrs. Ed Miller.  
M. E. Missionary—Mrs. Jesse Dallery.  
Knights of King Arthur—Presbyterian Church.  
Westminster Guild—Mrs. W. A. Lowery.  
Eureka—Miss Lena Butler.  
Friday.  
Queen Esther Supper—M. E. Church.  
Christian Aid—Mrs. Monerief.

Monday evening, June 2 marked the time long to be remembered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wolfe, south of town, when ninety invited guests gathered to remind Dan of his fifty-third birthday anniversary. His birthday came June 1, but his friends took an evening later in order to completely surprise him, which they certainly did. The baskets they took were filled to the brim with all the good things to eat and two large tables fairly groaned under their weight of everything that goes to make a grand supper. Games and music were in order and every one reports a general good time. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and son, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Tomp Noll and children, Mary, Carl and Eloise; Mrs. H. L. Smith and children, Florence, Dee and Oca; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and family, Brice, Mabel, Ruth, Ralph, Harold and Margaret; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Strickler, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wolfe and children, Lily, Ruby and Grover Allen; Mrs. Annie Gould, Chester Bryan, Edna Steele, Ruth Myers, Cecil Harvey, Calvin Yost, August Slegal, Perry Smith, Ray Harvey, Otto Yost, Burtell Smith, Guy Steele, Lily Teeple, Ralph Miller, Curtis Ray, Mary Myers, Frank Lynch, Claude Harvey, Marjorie Myers, Marion Case, Helen Cowan, Lulu Teeple, Grover Carver, Will Strickler, Will Gause, Archie Hinx, Roy Case, Forest Railing, Ida Irsam, Fred Ayres, Lynn Stettler, Dolly Richard, Jess Welch, Harry Durbin, Richard, Will Ayres, Clara Marbaugh, Clifford Durbin, Irilla Meshberger, Frances Marbaugh, Laura Meshberger, Harvey Durbin, True Gephart, Otto Sovine, Bess Lord, Pearl Strickler, Roxey Stettler, Frank Meshberger, Calvin Myers, Frank Riff, Celia Welch, Harry Wolfe, Lark Wolfe and Bird Wolfe, Dan Gould, John Ritter, Charlie Brown, Roy Shoaf.

For Clare and Jonas Coverdale, who were soon to leave for their home at Nashville, Tenn., a picnic party was given yesterday in a grove near the city, by a number of the neighborhood young folks. Others of the party were Gladys Flanders, Lucile, Genevieve and Lowell Smith, Dick and Fanny Heller.

Miss Neva Brandyberry entertained at dinner last evening for the Misses Effie Miller, Huldah Mutschler, Lydia Kirsch, Alta Teeple and Geraldine Brandyberry.

The Westminster Guild will have an important meeting Thursday evening

with one of its patronesses, Mrs. W. A. Lower. This is an important meeting and the attendance of all is requested.

Mrs. Scott Bockover is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Blackburn and daughter, Nellie. Mrs. Bockover was formerly Miss Hattie Blackburn.

The Misses Anna and Margaret Clark have issued invitations for a farewell party for Friday evening for the Misses Bertha and Celia Kinney, who will soon go with their parents to their future home in Fort Wayne.

The Ladies Helping Hand society will be entertained by Mrs. Ed Miller Thursday afternoon at the rooms of the Reformed Sunday school rooms.

Mrs. C. A. Dugan went to Fort Wayne this noon to attend a bridge party to be given this afternoon by Mrs. Theodore Winch on West Wayne street. Miss Frances Dugan accompanied her to Fort Wayne where she spent the afternoon.

The Eureka club will meet Thursday evening with Miss Lena Butler.

Miss Elizabeth Voglewede of South High street gave a dinner party for Mrs. Tom Haeffling and son, George, of Indianapolis. The gathering was a family party and a very good time was had. Others present were Mrs. Chas. Voglewede, Mrs. James P. Haeffling, and Mrs. J. H. Voglewede.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Board of Review Gets Down to Active Work Today--  
Report is Sent

TO COUNTY RECORDER

Case Venued from County--  
Action Taken in Several Civil Cases.

County Recorder Andrew Welfley received from W. A. Dehority, chief of the state accountants a report of the official examination of his accounts covering the year from January 1, 1912, to December 31, 1912, as made recently by the field examiners, W. A. Lally and Charles D. Sherwin. The report is an excellent one and shows a deficiency of only \$2.60, due to slight errors and fee insufficiency. The total of fees collected was \$2,271.70 and the total paid to treasurer, \$2,269.10. Of this amount he is entitled to receive a total of \$1,570.73. Of this there is \$1,300 salary and also thirty per cent commission of the excess \$69.10, or his commission, \$290.73. With the report was an account of a check paid by him to cover the amount of deficiency and from this he is to receive back the sum of 78 cents commission, leaving the real deficiency only \$1.82. The report is sent for filing and for public inspection.

The board of review began active work this morning, the delay being occasioned by the attention of some of the officials required elsewhere during the county commissioners' session. The assessors' books will be gone over and any errors in extending the amounts corrected, and the footings verified. The board was working today on the books of Union, Root, Preble and Kirklands townships. The board must finish its work in thirty days.

An affidavit for a change of venue from the county of the Adams-Pearson quiet title case was sustained.

In the case of the American Standard Jewelry Co. vs. Fred W. Studler, the demurrer to the complaint was overruled and exception taken. A plea in abatement was filed by the defendant.

In the case of the Old Adams County Bank vs. Wm. H. Fiedler Johann et al., many new papers were filed this morning, including answers to complaint and cross-complaints.

In the case of John Mock et al. vs. Court Clerk Ferdinand Blecke, appearance by Simmons & Dailey, Sturgis & Stein was entered for the defendant.

The Bank of Geneva vs. Thomas E. Cranor. Rule to answer absolute in five days.

The First National Bank of Frankfort vs. Frank Summers et al., appearance by Hooper & Lenhart for the defendants. Rule to answer.

Harriet C. Blume, as executrix of the estate of L. N. Blume, has filed an in-

tervening petition in the interurban receivership case. This is for \$43,700, which she claims is due the estate for seventy-six first mortgage gold bonds. Halfhill, Quail and Kirk of Lima, Ohio, are her attorneys.

SUMMER SEASON

At the Bosse Opera House  
Will Open Next Friday  
Evening, June 6th.

BIG FEATURE SHOW

Hughes and Plunkett Company will be Here for Two Nights This Week.

The big feature company for Friday and Saturday nights is the "Hughes and Plunkett Co.," direct from Detroit, now playing all of the big vaudeville time. Manager Bosse was fortunate in securing this company, as they had the 6th and 7th open and passing through this city on their way to St. Louis, he picked them off for two nights. The Hughes brothers are the Music Hall boys that made such a great hit at the Belasco theater, New York, last season. The Plunketts are the funny Boston comedians and dancers, featuring "The Country School," that funny skit running six weeks at the little theater, New York. Florence Florenz, the French singing comedian, and Burns, up-to-date sketch artist. The prices for the summer will be: Gallery, 10c; blue chairs, 10c; opera chairs, reserved, 20c.

IS NAMED A DELEGATE.

Dr. J. S. Boyers of this city, who is a member of the state board of health, is among the delegates appointed by Governor Ralston to the Seventh International Purity Congress to be held in Minneapolis in November.

Miss Faye Hammell left this morning for Marion, where she will make all necessary arrangements to enter the Marion normal college next Monday to prepare herself for teaching this coming year.

# BUICK WARNING

## THE LAST RACE IS ON

The Question now at Hand, "Will you pick out a Winner?" Every model of 1913 Buick will all be sold before many weeks. The many slow buyers who are holding back for the final decision will be disappointed.

### Buick Is Breaking All Records

This year for the sale of high class cars and the delivery of the last of the 1913 Buick put of 30,000 cars is already in sight. One year ago the entire Buick production was sold out July 1st and every indication is that the 1913 sales record will be even still better.

### TIME COUNTS NOW

Not more than 200 more 1913 Buicks will be available for Indiana. This means only a specified allotment of cars for each Buick dealer. Naturally we have to act and act quick ourselves to secure cars.

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Will be allotted to Adams County, are you going to be one of the lucky owners? If so, you can't wait or delay longer. The Buick Motor Co. have issued their final warning and car allotments to us and every dealer, so it is not a time for postponements, but a time for action.

### WE MUST ACT QUICK

We can no longer guarantee delivery of cars for future dates unless we get your order now. Let us get your car while we can secure same, and hold it for you until you want it delivered, but we must get it now. Delay is not only fatal to ourselves, but to you as well, and we warn you to act quickly.

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" 17.50 "	8.50
" 15.00 "	7.50

### All Coats at Manufactured Cost

ALL \$16.50 COATS THIS SALE	\$10.75
" 12.50 "	7.75
" 10.50 "	7.75
" 7.50 "	5.00

## Big Reduction Childrens Coats

Special to close one lot of skirts worth \$5.00, \$6.00 to \$7.00 this sale \$2.95. One lot wash skirts were \$2.00---25c skirt. Wash dresses from \$1.00 up to \$15.00

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