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DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS.

Monday, October 16. Berne, Ind.—Hon. Dore B. Erwin, of Decatur, and Joseph W. Walker, of Geneva, Ind.

Tuesday, October 17. Monroe—Judge Jacob F. Denney, of Portland, democratic candidate for congress.

Wednesday, October 18. Magley School House, Preble Township—Judge Jacob F. Denney, of Portland, democratic candidate for congress.

Thursday, October 19. Court House, Decatur, Ind.—Judge Jacob F. Denney, of Portland, democratic candidate for congress.

Friday, October 20. Cottonwood School House, French Township—Judge D. E. Smith, Decatur, and J. F. Fruchte, Decatur.

Saturday, October 21. Backmaster School House, Jefferson Township—Hon. Dore B. Erwin, and Hon. C. J. Lutz, Decatur.

Tuesday Afternoon, October 24. Court Room, Decatur—Hon. John W. Kern, United States senator.

REV. HEINEKE

OUT FOR WILSON:—

The following interview with Rev. Heineke, for many years pastor of the St. John's Lutheran church at Dubuque, Iowa, was published in the Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette and should be read by every German who is in doubt concerning his duty in the coming election:

"I for one am not ashamed to confess that I have misjudged the president."

"We misjudged President Wilson's position in this world conflict, says Mr. Heineke, in beginning his statement, 'assuming it to be pro-English and un-American. Naturally, we identified his actions with those of the pro-British press, every utterance which appeared to the German-American element to reflect the mind of our government.'

"Republican party interests have not been slow to make capital out of this state of affairs and to work the German-American vote for all it is worth, assisted by the German language press. In the heat of the controversy we overlooked entirely that the republican party, if it had been in power, and containing the most pronounced anti-German element of America, of the type of Cabot Lodge, Elihu Root and Robert Bacon, probably already would have our country driven into an alliance with England and into war with Germany. What a howl that stanch supporter of republican Candidate Hughes, Mr. Roosevelt, set up against President Wilson for his failure to take action against German on account of 'the invasion' of Belgium and, especially, for not promptly declaring war after the Lusitania disaster.

"If ever anyone made it a point to show his contempt for German-Americans and to willfully misinterpret their stand for impartial neutrality, it certainly was Theodore

Roosevelt. And he takes the stump for Mr. Hughes, and, after he has made that wild Maine speech, denouncing everything German in Rooseveltian fashion, he is made the recipient of a congratulatory message from the republican candidate.

"If, after these disclosures of the real sentiment in the republican ranks toward the German-Americans, they still cannot see where to get off, they never will. In the hands of these men, the United States today would not be peacefully pursuing her undisturbed course, but would be engaged in the vortex that has swallowed almost all of the world powers. With these men in the government of the United States the hard-pressed German nation could not have arrived at a peaceful solution of the difficulties arising between Germany and the United States out of English aggression.

"I harbor no resentment against the president now. I feel that for many things said and written against him the German citizens owe him an apology. Our criticisms of his actions and motives has at times passed all bounds of discretion. No allowances were made for the difficulty of the international problems he had to wrestle with, no attempt was made to understand his motives. He was set down as a man whose sympathies were all British, not American.

"Now, in the light of more recent developments, in view of republican activities and official utterances, I ask myself, who is American first and last—Wilson, who has steered the ship of state through unparalleled dangers and kept us out of war, or these men, who are the leaders of the republican party, and who have brought all the immense pressure of big capital and inflamed public opinion to bear upon that lone man at the head of the nation, counseling war in sympathy with England and, while abusing the German-Americans in terms Wilson never used, playing out the German vote against the man who has stood like a rock in the way of all exploiters of truly American interests?

"I, for one, am not ashamed to confess that I have misjudged the president, and I see clearly that he felt that he had to speak out as he did to awaken the country and by putting upon congress the pressure he could bring to bear, force it to yield agreement to his way of handling the submarine issue, which we all now must grant was the right way.

"None of the pro-ally republican press doubts for a moment that Hughes is just as pro-ally as his spokesman, Roosevelt. I wonder that the German language press fail to take notice of these facts which tell all German-Americans in plain language, as plain as can be, that the republican party intends to use the German vote merely as a catspaw in this campaign. The blind anything-to-beat-Wilson sentiment of theirs is a valuable ally in the fight of the enemies of peace against Wilson, and the republican campaign leaders play a very clever game in playing the German vote out against the president. If we fail to see that now, we shall have to see our previous mistake after the election, when the mask will fall off the faces of false friends if, unfortunately, the president shall be beaten.

"I fear when the game is up, German voters will regret to see that they have been 'sold.' In the hands of Hughes and the republican party the issues of the German-American stand for will be handled in rough-riding fashion, and, what is more, America's hitherto wise and peaceful course will be put in the gravest danger."

Read Ralph Knoff's letter in today's paper and you will have some idea of the feeling of about ninety per cent of the railmen of the country.

Senator Underwood's speech at Fort Wayne last night was one of the most interesting heard in this campaign, according to the verdict of those from here who heard him. He discussed in a fair and impartial manner the great questions of this campaign and made clear to every one in his audience the importance of re-electing President Wilson.

A laboring man told us this morning that he intended to vote for Wilson because he felt satisfied that he was the friend not only to the railroad men, but to every laboring man in this country, and he said also that he could not understand how any working man in the city or country could afford to go back on the man who has proven himself a real friend—and they won't.

Business seems to be going along pretty good, don't you think? Well, you remember, don't you, how the republicans have always argued that you ought to let well enough alone? It is far more important that you do so this year than ever before, and it doesn't make any difference whether you are a first voter or as old as that ninety-seven-year-old citizen at Columbia City who will this year cast his first democratic vote, you should this year vote for Wilson.

The tide continues to swing to President Wilson. His meeting at Indianapolis yesterday, while not a partisan campaign event, was the greatest demonstration ever witnessed in the capital city. Thousands and thousands of people packed every street and cheered him every minute while all that could get within range of his voice listened to his speeches upon "good roads" and "The farmer's credit law." The people are for President Wilson and he will be re-elected on November 7th by a majority that will leave no doubt in the minds of the people of every nation in the world.

DOINGS IN SOCIETY

WEEK'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Friday. Do Your Best Class—U. B. church basement.

Eastern Star—Masonic Hall. Mite Society—Mrs. Charles Burd. Christian Aid—Mrs. J. W. Rabbitt.

Saturday. Evangelical Pastry Sale—Old laundry building.

"If there is anything worse for a woman's peace of mind than having something which she cannot tell it is suspecting something which she does not know.—Corra Harris.

The Eastern Star will give a card party in the Masonic Home, Friday, Oct. 20, to raise money for a new piano. Every Mason and friend of Masons is urged to buy a ticket of the ladies. Tickets 25c.

The annual New England dinner is scheduled for Thursday, October 19, in the M. E. church dining room. This will be twenty-five cents. The usual excellent supper will also be served for twenty cents.

The Loyal Women's Bible class had their interesting study as usual last evening. Mrs. A. R. Bell throwing open her home for the same.

Mrs. Ella Bacon and Mrs. Fred Galli will be initiated by the Pocalontas council this evening and all members of the degree staff are requested to be present.

Mrs. Mat Breiner, Mrs. Quincy Winans, Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Mrs. Ed Whitright entertained thirty-five of the Evangelical Ladies' society at the home of Mrs. Breiner yesterday afternoon the collection being \$18.20. In a nation contest, Mrs. Earl Butler won the award for guessing the greatest number of questions correctly. There were also charades and a number brought their crocheting for the social period. Refreshments of fruit, cake, hot buttered rolls and coffee, with pickles, were appetizing.

With very little business to come before the society of twenty five ladies of the Presbyterian Aid yesterday at the home of Mrs. C. A. Dugan, the hours were given over chiefly to social pleasure. The Victrola and Edison machines both furnished delightful little concerts and the light lunch served was refreshing. This was the meeting of the October section of which Mrs. Dugan is chairman.

In spite of the rainy evening a most delightful time was had by classes 4 and 5 of Union Chapel at the home of Mrs. Floyd Baxter, this being their regular monthly meeting. A fine program was carried out, after which refreshments were served and general amusements and conversation were in order. Thirty were present.

The Yeomen lodge is planning for a masquerade party to be held on the evening of the 26th, when prizes will be given to the best masked. The public is invited to attend this affair.

The sewing party of yesterday afternoon at the Hubbard home, the second of a series, given by Mrs. F. H. Hubbard and Mrs. Carl Pumphrey was equally as pleasing as the first. The home retained its pretty Halloween decorations in yellow and black, in which black cats and witches held the revelry that it supposed to be wholly their own at this season, under the soft lights from hooded candles and gleaming pumpkin faces, and in the midst of pretty autumnal flowers and foliage. The victrola contributed to the pleasure of the guests while they sewed and a contest, the guessing of names of books illustrated by pictures or drawings, was an entertainment feature, in which Mrs. P. G. Hooper was awarded the prize. At 5:30 the little tables were set for the luncheon. There were thirty covers and the place cards were illustrated with pumpkins and witches. Yellow and white were the colors of the decorations of the rooms for the luncheon and the tables and the menu carried out, the scheme further. Misses Helen Dugan and Ruth Hubbard assisted the hostesses and the luncheon menu included baked potatoes, cranberry mold, velouté, hot rolls, olives oysters, preserves, coffee, apricot ice and little white cakes.

Dr. Elizabeth Burns went to Fort Wayne this afternoon to attend a reception given for the physicians at the home of Dr. McCullough on Fairfield avenue.

Mesdames Clarence Baughman, Thomas Fisher and John Hill entertained forty ladies of the United Brethren Aid society in the church basement yesterday afternoon. After the business, fine refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stewart and sons were guests of the D. B. Erwin family Thursday at dinner, the event being in honor of Mr. Erwin's birth anniversary.

CARD PARTY AND DANCE

The public is invited to attend the card party and dance at the K. of C. hall Tuesday evening, October 17. A good time is assured. In the card contests prizes will be awarded. Good music will be furnished for the dancing.

SCHOONER SUNK.

(United Press Service) Galveston, Tex., Oct. 13.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—The liner El Rio arrived here today from New York with eight men from the schooner Dunn, which was wrecked in a storm. The schooner was owned by the American Star line of New York.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

In the Matter of the Seburg Alley Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that the common council in and for the City of Decatur, Indiana, has heretofore, to-wit, on the 3rd day of October, 1916, adopted a preliminary resolution ordering the construction of the following improvement, to-wit: Paving the following: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot No. 48 in the original addition to the City of Decatur, Indiana, and also at the east line of Second street, thence running east over and along the alley dividing lots Nos. 48, 49, and 50 and 51, a distance of 276 feet, and there to terminate at the west line of First street, as per general plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk.

Notice is also given that said common council will on the 7th day of November, 1916, at seven o'clock p. m. at their council room in said city hear all persons interested or whose property is liable to be assessed for the proposed improvement and will then determine whether the benefits accruing to the property to be assessed will be equal to the estimated costs thereof.

PUBLIC SALE.

We will sell at public auction at my farm two and one-half miles southeast of Wren, Ohio, on Tuesday, Oct. 24, 1916, commencing at 12:30 sharp, the following: Forty-seven Poland China hogs. The offering consists of 4 tried sows, 22 spring gilts, 12 fall yearlings, 1 yearling boar, Royal Giant, by Dishers Giant; 8 spring boars. Offering sired by 14 noted boars: Big Fessy 718278, King's Giant 602618, Dishers' Giant 83271, Mammoth Wonder 87873, Giant Buster 90455, Royal Giant 96499, D's Big Defender 95293, Schumm's Giant 96577, Big Bone Whale 87781, Big Long Fellow 205777, Whale Bone 93645, Long Giant 91587, Giant Dishers, 95523, Big Mastadon 228081.

Terms of Sale:—Cash or note for 6 months, bearing interest at 6 per cent; that your bank will cash without recourse. Free lunch at 11:30 a. m.

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WANTS FRIEND NEAR ALWAYS

William Claybourne, Kokomo, Ind., Says He Never Will be Without Tanlac.

Kokomo, Ind., Oct. 12—"I wouldn't be without Tanlac for anything," William H. Claybourne, foreman of the shipping room of the Globe Stove and Range Works, this city, said a few days ago.

"I had stomach trouble," he continued. "My appetite was poor. Gripping pains came in my stomach. I had indigestion. I felt tired and worn out all the time. Tanlac certainly has pulled me out of a bad hole. I eat heartily now. The pains have banished from my stomach. The indigestion has been relieved and I sleep well and feel fine now."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, catarrhal complaints, rheumatism, nervousness, loss of appetite and the like and is fine for relieving the after effects of hard coughs, Lagrippe, pneumonia and the like. Tanlac is now sold exclusively in Decatur at the Smith, Yager & Falk drug store.—Advt.

ABSTRACTS OF TITLE.

Dear Friends:—

Knowing that you have a good title to your real estate is real important. A short time ago one of the best known citizens of this community came into our office. During our conversation with him, he was asked "How is the title to your farm?" He answered "Oh! the title is all right, I am sure of that." "Have you an abstract?" we asked. "No" he answered, "but suppose you make me up one and let us see how it shows up." We made up the abstract. The title showed bad. He was a surprised man. Happily, we found him well informed as to former ownership and with a little effort the errors were cleared up without expense. "Well, well," said he "I am glad we got at that right now while I am alive as it saves me or my heirs lots of future trouble."

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THE SCHIRMMEYER ABSTRACT CO. FRANK M. SCHIRMMEYER, FRENCH QUINN. 24412

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer for sale at his residence on the old Johnhoj farm, 5 miles south of Decatur and one mile north and one mile west of Monroe, on Tuesday, October 24, '16, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property, to-wit: Horses: Four head, consisting of 2 brood mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 1300 each, well matched, good workers and both bred; general purpose horse 7 years old; general purpose mare. Cattle and Hogs: One 2-year-old cow, with calf by side; 3 good brood sows. Farming Implements: Birdsell wagon, with double box, beet bed and stone dump wagon; beet lifter, beet plow, good set double breaching harness, riding breaking plow, cultivator, disc and soil cutter, harrow, 60 tooth harrow, spring tooth harrow, bob sleds, Milwaukee mowing machine, 5 acres of corn in field and on stock, collars and fly nets and numerous other articles.

Extras—Two heifers, be fresh in spring, and full blood; Duroc brood sow, with 8 pigs by side; 300 lbs.; double shovel walking breaking plow, truck wagon in good condition, 137 shocks of corn and 93 shocks, 2 cider barrels, 5 chicken coops, oil can holding 50 gallons, brand new one; galvanized water tank.

Terms:—\$5.00 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of 9 months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security; 2 per cent off for cash. No goods removed until settled for. JULIUS JOHNLOZ, J. N. Burkhead, Auct. 24044

A public sale will be held at the T. A. Hendricks farm 3 miles southwest of Berne on Monday, October 16. Eleven head of horses, 19 head of cattle and 75 hogs, and farming implements will be sold. 24016

FOR SALE—\$40.00 steed range, 6 hole, reservoir attached, an excellent baker.—Menig's cigar store. 24416

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