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The young men of Adams county, particularly those between the ages of 25 and 35 have an opportunity until next Saturday to file application for admission to the second officers training school. It is really an exceptional chance, the fourteen weeks training being a most valuable one whether or not you are called to the service. Each young man who can should enter.

The complete list of the numbers, names and addresses of the Adams county men registered for conscription will be published in the Daily Democrat tomorrow. Save the paper. You will want to refer to it a number of times no doubt for the drawings will be made by numbers which will be flashed over the wires. If you havn't this list you can't tell who is who. Save the paper.

It pays to advertise. We believe it, so do you. There comes a day for every body when they have some use for the advertising columns of a newspaper. We know you would be surprised if you tried our Classified column. We have seen so many results that we can't tell them all to you, but if you want to buy or sell, hire or secure information try a twenty-five cent investment in this column. We know you will be pleased with the results. Whether you advertise or not, read the column. There may be some notice there that you will wish to take advantage of.

G. I. Christie, chairman of the state Council of defense committee on food production and conservation has adopted a slogan—"5,000 additional silos in Indiana before 1918." The state now has 20,000 silos but the committee estimates that at least 5,000 more live farmers who need silos can be induced to build them during the next year. Prof. Christie considers the silo the greatest single agency for the conservation of food in Indiana today and that by it more than thirty per cent of the corn crop may be

saved annually. It's a good work and one that should be co-operated in by the good farmers of Adams county.

It seems to us a burning shame to build a new high school without the auditorium and gymnasium. Decatur and vicinity need both of these improvements and here is the golden opportunity to secure them. Why not organize a company with the idea in view of doing this just as soon as possible? If we can't do it now lets do it next spring or the next or some other time, just as soon as we can. The school board will help all they can and if we organize and meet occasionally some one will suggest some plan that will work. We have heard of several that sound good, for instance one woman this morning asked us why the Carnegie fund which is being used in many places for Y. W. C. A. purposes, could not be utilized for this community social center building. We don't know why but its worth asking some one who does. Lets don't quit until we get this gym and auditorium and lets get it first class when we do get it.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Steele, A. L. Brentlinger and family motored to Huntington and Andrews yesterday. Their drive of ninety-six miles, including stops, averaged twenty miles an hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown and daughter, Mary Maxine, and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Worthmann and daughters, Mildred and Lillian, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Christen in Root township yesterday.

Mrs. C. M. Myers and the Joe Lese family had as their guest over Sunday, the Rev. Father Myers who was recently ordained a Jesuit priest. He is enroute from his parental home at Minster, O., to St. Louis, Mo., where he will again enter school.

Celebrating the birthdays of herself and Frank Bacon, Miss Hazel Schnitz gave a pleasing six o'clock dinner party last evening for Leslie Baumgartner, of Fort Wayne; Frank Bacon and Miss Blanche Biggs.

Floyd Schnitz, of Fort Wayne, was entertained at the home of his uncle, John Schnitz over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Cooper and daughter, Maude, who stopped here and were guests of the Reuben Lord family since Friday, enroute home to Carthage from Marcellus Mich., were accompanied there by Miss Naomi Lord who will be their guest; and Mrs. Grover Odle and children who motored here with them for a visit at her parental home.

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W. C. T. U. Picnic supper and social—Waterworks park.

First Aid Class—Dr. S. D. Beavers.

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U. B. Aid—Mrs. Adam Dean.

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Mite Society—John Niblick Home, Queen Esthers—Gertrude and Mildred Yager.

Do Your Best Class Ice Cream Social—Waterworks Park.

In a free country there is much clamor, with little suffering; in a despotic state there is little complaint, with much grievance—Carnot.

Mrs. Marrow and daughter, Helen, of Mansfield, O., arrived today to be the guests of Mrs. Frank Barthol.

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