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**CHARGES FILED**

**Cecil Lydy, Married Man of Bluffton is Charged by Mother of Delinquency OF HER DAUGHTER**

**Was Arrested — Thelma Klopfenstein is Victim — Was at Fort Wayne.**

Cecil Lydy, well known young married man, and an employee of the Bluffton Hardware company, was arrested by Sheriff Gehrett last night on an affidavit filed by Mrs. Joe Klopfenstein, charging illicit relations and contributing to the delinquency of her 14-year-old daughter, Thelma.

The girl is the one who left her home yesterday, leaving a note saying that she had no friends here, and who later was found by Sheriff Gehrett and the mother at the Cortland hotel in Fort Wayne.

The unfortunate girl was brought home and told her mother of her alleged relations with Lydy, and the case was taken up by Juvenile Officer W. A. Lipkey before Judge Gordon last night.

According to friends of Miss Klopfenstein, the girl became despondent some time ago and attempted her life. Lydy made no comment upon the warrant, merely saying, "I expected it."

He was placed under \$500 bond and bound over to circuit court.

The Klopfenstein girl was registered at the Cortland hotel at Fort Wayne as Mrs. Cecil Lydy.

Sheriff Gehrett and a plain clothes man from the Fort Wayne police department went to the hotel and found the girl waiting in the parlor.

She pleaded with the sheriff not to take back to Bluffton but gave up when the officers told her, her mother was waiting in a machine below.

**Registered as Man and Wife**

The girl was taken to police headquarters in Fort Wayne and there punctuated by sobs, told the story of her wrong doing with Lydy.

**Promised to Marry Her**

She stated that Lydy had made promises of marriage to her, saying "we'll go away off somewhere and be married."

She said that she went to Fort Wayne yesterday and was waiting for Lydy to join her and that they had planned to leave last night. Lydy promising to marry her. She said she knew Lydy was already married.

Lydy quit his position at the Bluffton Hardware some time ago and had planned to go to farming in the spring, it is said.

The Gordon setter was bred in 1890 by the duke of Gordon by crossing the English setter and the collie.

**PUBLIC SALE**

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction at his residence in Blue Creek township, Adams county, Indiana, 7 1/2 miles southeast of Decatur, 4 miles east and 1/2 mile south of Monroe; 3 1/2 miles west and 1/2 mile north of Willshire, Ohio; 1 1/2 miles north of Salem,

Tuesday, Oct. 28, 1919, beginning at 12:30 P. M., the following property, to-wit:

53 HEAD OF O. I. C. AND CHESTER WHITE HOGS—I will say to the farmers and brother breeders that for the last ten years I have been raising the White Hog, and every year I have been trying to make my herd better. In this sale I will present to the public 48 gilts and 5 boars of the best blood lines of the O. I. C. and Chester White family. This herd represents five of the leading sires of the breed, such as Wildwood Chief; Parrish's O. K.; Comeback and Echo Prince; Two trailers. So don't forget October 28th, as these hogs will sell rain or shine. Any one wishing a catalogue drop me a card.

**SALE WILL BE HELD IN BARN.**  
WILDWOOD CHIEF, No. 39415, C. W. R., Vol. 22; Sire, Wildwood Prince, No. 28531, C. W. R., Vol. 20; Dam, Bloom 1st, No. 28336, N. A. L., Vol. 16.  
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KIRKLAND'S BEST, No. 65283, Vol. 20; Sire, Lewis R. 6th, No. 46562, O. I. C., Vol. 17; Dam, Bessie, No. 51853, O. I. C., Vol. 18.

COMEBACK, No. 133442, C. W. R., Vol. 24; Sire, Wildwood Chief, No. 39415, C. W. R., Vol. 22; Dam, Minnie, No. 58190, O. I. C., Vol. 19.

IVORY GIANT, No. 144170, C. W. R., Vol. 24; Sire, Sett's Masterpiece, No. 50991, C. W. R., Vol. 23; Dam, Perfection Duchess, No. 90748, C. W. R., Vol. 22.

ECHO PRINCE, No. 65793; Sire, White Eagle Banker, No. 59644, O. I. C., Vol. 20; Dam, Ester, No. 64562, O. I. C., Vol. 20.

**TERMS OF SALE**—Sums of \$30.00 and under cash. Sums over \$30.00 a credit of 12 months will be given; first 6 months without interest, last 6 months, 8 per cent. interest, purchaser giving note with approved security. No property removed until settled for. **JOHN W. PARRISH.** Col. John Weddle, Franklin, Ind. Col. Noah Frauchiger, Bluffton, Ind. Col. Jess Michaud, Berne, Ind. Auctioneers.

L. A. Graham, Clerk.  
Dinner served on the grounds.  
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**FROM HERE AND THERE IN INDIANA**

The hot water treating station at Greenfield, which has been used by the Hancock county agent for Hancock county farmers, has been closed after treating 300 bushels of seed wheat by the hot water method to prevent smut. In some cases farmers had enough treated to sow an entire field. The total cost was \$2, the cost of two thermometers. The steam, pipe fittings and tanks being donated by local concerns, County Agent M. E. Cromer reports.

The Newton County Beekeepers association was organized recently with 24 members, County Agent S. S. Davis reports.

Out of the 12 premiums offered in the apple show at the farmers' fair at Aurora, nine were won with apples from county demonstration orchards conducted by the county agent C. C. Madison.

The Farmers' State bank at Veedsburg which has done much to encourage boys' and girls' club work in Fountain county, this fall gave out 200 more gilts in an endless chain pig club and sold 29 good gilts and five male hogs because all boys and girls of the proper ages in the township were supplied with pigs or engaged in other club work.

A uniform course in agriculture for the Orange county school has been prepared by County Agent F. W. Frank and through the co-operation of the school superintendent and teachers will be put in vogue throughout the county.

Frank Follett, a farmer living near Fremont, Steuben county, is applying three carloads of ground limestone and a heavy application of acid phosphate of land he is sowing to wheat this fall. He is conducting a demonstration in cooperation with the county agent to show the value of these materials.

**NOTICE FARMERS AND STOCKMEN**

The Decatur Fertilizer Company wishes to state that within a radius of 20 miles of Decatur we will handle all of your dead stock free of charge. If you lose one hog, sheep or calf, call us at our expense and we will come just as free as for a horse or cow. Also will pay for live horses and cattle for tankers delivered at our plant from \$5 to \$7, according to size, cording to size. Anyone representing themselves as same, are false. Also we would appreciate evidence of same. Also evidence of farmers letting junkers feeding carcasses to their hogs. We also sell our feeding tankage direct to the farmers when we have any on hand. All stuff handled in accordance to the Indiana dead stock law.  
t&f—9 wks x D. F. SUMAN, Prop.

**NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS**

State of Indiana, Adams County, SS: In the Adams Circuit Court, Sept. Term, 1919.

Elizabeth W. Burd, vs. Abraham Gerber, et al. Complaint to Quiet Title.

It appearing from affidavit filed in the above cause, that Abraham Gerber, Earl M. Gerber, Charles J. Gerber, and Frank G. Gerber, of the above named defendants are non-residents of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given the said Abraham Gerber, Earl M. Gerber, Charles J. Gerber and Frank G. Gerber that they be and appear before the Hon. Judge of the Adams Circuit Court on the 8th day of December, 1919, the same being the 19th Judicial Day of the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Decatur, commencing on Monday, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, and plead in answer or demur to said cross complaint of Hazel Schaffer, et al., or the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

WITNESS, my name, and the Seal of said Court hereto affixed, this 16th day of October, 1919.

**WILL HAMMELL, Clerk.**  
By John T. Kelly, Deputy  
Peterson & Moran, R. C. Parrish,  
Attys. for Plaintiff. 17-24-31

**Will Hammell Out of Office.**

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Kelley becomes the clerk. It is probable he will be named by the commissioners to fill out the unexpired term.

Mr. Hammell was elected clerk in 1914 but did not assume his office until January 1916, serving until last July when, by agreement with his bonding company who made up a shortage in the office, he retired except as to name. The action today will prevent the bonding company drawing any of the salary of the clerk from this date on.

Mr. Hammell's removal was upon the first three counts of the action, to which he plead guilty, the most important being the third which charged abandonment of his office on July 1st. The first count alleges intoxication during office hours and the second that he is in the habit of becoming intoxicated. The fourth accuses him of appropriating funds to his own use, the fifth with issuing a check to Lula Avery Tucker for \$37.80 when he did not have funds in the bank to meet same while the sixth

with failure to pay to D. B. Erwin the sum of \$35.00 when demand was made for same. The three last counts were dismissed by the state but this does not in any way effect the criminal indictments returned by the grand jury and on which Mr. Hammell will be called to face trial.

John Landon Macadam, inventor of macadamized roads, refused a knighthood before his death in 1836. A considerable number of British coasting vessels taken from the China coast for war services, particularly in the Mesopotamian campaign, are being put back on their normal run, and coast rates are falling in consequence.

**I Owe My Life to PE-RU-NA**

Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be sufferers as he was. Read it:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peruna saved me. Travelling from town to town, throughout the country and having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently; so when this would occur I paid little attention to it, until last December when I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part settled on my lungs. When almost too late, I began doctoring, but, without avail, until I heard of Peruna. It cured me; so I cannot praise it too highly."



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There are 16 different dams represented in this offering and 8 different males, all of which have proved to be of the leading blood lines.

Lunch Will Be Served Free of Charge at 11:30 A. M. Sale Begins at One P. M.

**TERMS**—Cash, or Bankable Note bearing 7% interest from date. Twelve months time will be given.

Mr. Walker, of Montpelier, Indiana, will be present to give a twenty minute talk in regard to the organizing of Adams county, Indiana, in the Farmers Organization of the State of Indiana.

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