



Enterprise Flour
has concentrated
baking quality



Ordinary flour is like whole milk. Enterprise Flour is like cream—rich, smooth, and it is only the white centers of the very finest hard winter wheat.

MILLED from nothing but the white centers of the very finest hard winter wheat, Enterprise is capable of producing at least four more loaves per sack than ordinary flour. And such loaves!

Of course we can, and do, make another grade of flour—Community—which sells for less than Enterprise. It's good flour, too—better than most. But it isn't in it with Enterprise.

The same high quality that makes Enterprise cost more to buy makes it economical to use. It prevents needless, expensive failures. And remember, a sack will go further.

Valier's Enterprise Flour

Bake at home—you'll get better things for half the price

DEMOCRAT WANT ADS GET RESULTS



Senreco
The double-service tooth paste,
keeps teeth clean AND GUMS HEALTHY.

Keeping the gums healthy and the mouth sweet is very important to health; more teeth are lost through the loosening of the tissue that holds the teeth in place than from decay.

Dental science to-day demands that a tooth paste must keep the gums healthy as well as clean the teeth.

Senreco was formulated to meet this requirement. Hundreds of dentists are prescribing and using Senreco because they have found that it does measure up to that standard.

SENRECO IS A WONDERFUL CLEANSER.

In addition to its remedial properties Senreco is a wonderful cleanser; acts directly on the mucin film, the basis of tartar; leaves the mouth cool and clean-feeling. As some one has expressed it—Senreco gives one a new idea on mouth cleanliness.

Get a tube to-day at your druggists or toilet counter—enjoy the healthy, cleanly feeling its use gives your mouth and gums. Notice how brilliantly white Senreco makes your teeth. It performs this two-fold service for you and yet costs no more than the ordinary, old-fashioned tooth paste that simply cleans the teeth and leaves a pleasant taste—



Split Rails By Day Studied At Night

The money President Lincoln earned as a rail splitter he put in the bank. In later life he often referred to his first Bank Account. At night he read every book he could lay his hands on.

Have you a bank account?

If you haven't start one with us today.

4% Interest on Savings

Old
Adams County Bank

This bank will be closed Saturday, Feb. 12, Lincoln's birthday.

DOINGS IN SOCIETY

Club Calendar

Friday.

Zion Lutheran Aid—School House.
M. E. Ladies' Aid—Mrs. Alpha Christy, Madison street.
Pocahontas Lodge and Social—Red Men's Hall.

Saturday

Two-cent Supper—Evangelical Church.

Monday.

Research—Mrs. J. C. Sutton.
Pythian Needle Club—K. of P. Home.

The Loyal Workers' class of the Evangelical Sunday school held a splendid meeting Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler, on Winchester street. The husband of the women were entertained, and also a few invited guests, thirty-nine in all being present. The meeting opened with the singing of "America," and following the devotionals the usual business session of the class was dispensed with, and the program for the evening was in charge of the committee selected for the purpose. There was plenty of music, with games and contests until the pot luck supper, the feature of the program, was prepared. All enjoyed the evening very much, and before departure, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knodle entertained delightfully with music and singing.

A farewell dinner was given the Gillig family yesterday noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillig, south of the city. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Gillig, William Gillig of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillig and children Carl, Harold and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gillig and children, Helen and Richard, Agnes, Cecelia and Leo Gillig.

The Pythian Sisters' Needle club will meet Monday evening following the lodge meeting at the K. of P. home. Hostesses will be Mesdames W. F. Beery, Emerson Beavers, Earl Butler and Guy Brown.

Ninety-eight Years Old Today

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or to and fro on the front porch before partaking of his breakfast, and was always ready for three good meals a day, which he enjoyed very much.

During the civil war, at the battle of Champion Hills, Mr. Brothers was shot through his body, the bullet passing through his right lung.

The following relatives and friends were here today for the anniversary: Elmer D. Brothers and wife of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. George Siebold and daughter, Dorothy, Hamlet, Ind.; Rev. and Mrs. Tinkham and Rev. Thomas, John Brothers, New Castle, Pa.; Mrs. Al Ensminger and daughter, Mrs. H. C. Pressler, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shroyer, Mrs. Cora Bilger, Fort Wayne; Ms. Laura Stewart and sons, Lynn and Clarence, and Mrs. Cora Miller, Wren, Ohio; Mrs. Susan Berg, Mrs. Mabel Pence, son and grand son, Huntington, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Egley and family, Sheldon, Ind.; Mrs. Hannah Manley of Lapsing, Mich.; Mrs. Dora Fosnaugh, Toledo, Ohio; Clark Siebold and wife and Betty Ann Siebold, who is Mr. Brothers' only great-grandchild.

Several of the guests will remain for the week-end to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sargent and Dr. Burns.

Mr. Brothers received many nice gifts and among them were three dozen American Beauty roses that were sent from Chicago by the Oriental Consistory of which E. D. Brothers, thirty-second degree Mason, is an active member.

Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur," was a member of the commission which tried the assassins of Abraham Lincoln.

The words in English which begin with the letter Z are all derived from other languages, principally from the Greek.

The ancients popularly believed the kingfisher had the power of calming the sea by building its nest on floating seaweed.

Discovery of gold in 1866 drew great numbers of foreigners to the Transvaal and ultimately led to the Boer war.

The Geographical society of Paris in 1828 gave a prize of 10,000 francs to Rene Caille as the first traveler to reach Timbuctoo.

Adab, in Babylonia, discovered by the University of Chicago excavating expedition, is considered the oldest city in the world.

Four sacred wars were waged in Ancient Greece, chiefly for the defense of the temple of Delphi.

PETITION FOR A MACADAM ROAD IN FRENCH TOWNSHIP.

State of Indiana, ss:
County of Adams, ss:
Before The Board of Commissioners of Adams County, Indiana:
We, the undersigned, each and all of whom are resident adult freeholders and voters of French township in Adams county, Indiana, respectfully petition your honorable body, that you construct and complete a free macadam road in said township, over and upon the public highway situated on the following route, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) township twenty-six (26) north of range thirteen (13) east in Adams county, Indiana, running thence south on the section line of French township, Indiana, to and terminating at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11) township and range aforesaid;

Your petitioners aver and say that the improvement prayed for is less than three miles in length, and connects at the commencement thereof with a free macadam road, and at the termination thereof with a public highway of said township line between French and Kirkland townships in said county and ends at a free macadam road in French township in said county; that a United States rural mail route passes over said highway and that the same will be of public utility and benefit;

Your petitioners further aver and say that the highway herein sought to be improved is a public highway already established and in use and is one of the public highways of said French township.

Your petitioners ask that said highway above described be drained and graded and that broken stone be placed upon the grade and that upon such broken stone there be placed stone screenings.

Your petitioners further ask that said highway above described be improved to a width of 40 feet, and that said highway be graded to a depth of 8 inches at the sides thereof and to a depth of 10 inches in the center thereof and that crushed stone screenings be placed thereon to a depth of 4 inches upon such broken stone and that said improvement be made a single track and that the name of the same be the George Ringger Macadam Road.

That to pay for said improvement we ask that bonds be issued by the county of Adams in the sum of \$10,000, payable in twenty semi-annual installments or series, and for the payment of which we ask that a tax be levied upon the taxable property of said Jefferson township in a sufficient amount to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they become due.

That said improvement be made and constructed, and that said bonds be issued and said tax be levied upon the taxable property of said township in accordance with the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Indiana, passed in the year 1905 beginning on page 550 and as amended in the Acts of 1907 and as amended in the Acts of 1909 now in force providing for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads and all other and any and all amendments thereto.

We further ask the Board to take all of the necessary steps required by law to have said improvement constructed and made as petitioned herein, and that the same be constructed without submitting to an election of the voters of said French township and that the Board construct the same under the laws of the state of Indiana providing for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads by township taxation.

Respectfully submitted,
George Ringger, Emanuel Doray, P. A. Kohler, Martin J. Doray, David Zimmerman, Andrew Simon, L. R. Schindler, Fred Fox, Jacob B. Steiner, Jacob Moser, Beers, Wilcoxson, David Yoder, Jonas Neuenschwander, Sam Hirsch, Dah D. Moser, Benjamin Gerber, Albert Schmitt, Fred Schmitt, G. Bellinger, David O. Reinhard, M. L. Ford, Sam Baumgartner, Ben N. Baumgartner, Joel Baumgartner, Samuel J. Beers, James Wilcoxson, Daniel Kipfer, Tobias Steffen, John Moller, John Tonner, Albert Moschberger, John J. Schvartz, David Levy, J. J. Kipfer, Paul Geisel, J. W. Gerber, Aaron Moser, Samuel Bertsch, John Schaefer, Alfred Isch, Karl Liebig, Alfred Kohler, Fred Isch, Joe R. Isch, John Smith, William G. Smith, Simon Smith, Andrew Reinhard, Henry Meyer, William P. Stepler, Fred Schaefer, P. S. Steffen, Enoch Steffen, Sam Knehr, Orel Gilliom.

This petition was presented to the Board of Commissioners on Tuesday, March 8, 1921.

At which time the taxpayers of French township may appear and make such objections as the law may provide for.

MARTIN JABERG, Auditor.

PETITION FOR A MACADAM ROAD IN JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP.

State of Indiana, ss:
County of Adams, ss:
Before The Board of Commissioners of Adams County, Indiana:
We, the undersigned each and all of whom are resident adult freeholders and voters of Jefferson township in Adams county, Indiana, respectfully petition your honorable body and ask that you construct and complete a free macadam road in said township over and upon the public highway situated on the following route to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of section eighteen (18) township twenty-five (25) north range fifteen (15) east, thence east on the line dividing the west half of sections (18) and 7 township and range aforesaid, and terminating at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section eighteen (18) aforesaid;

Your petitioners aver and say that the improvement prayed for is less than three miles in length, connects at one end with a free macadam road in said township, and at the other end with the township line, and that a United States rural mail route passes over the highway thus sought to be improved.

Your petitioners further aver and say that the highway herein sought to be improved is a public highway already established and in use and is one of the public highways of said Jefferson township, that the same will be of public utility and benefit.

Your petitioners ask that said highway above described be drained and graded and that broken stone be placed upon the grade and that upon such broken stone there be placed stone screenings.

Your petitioners further ask that said highway above described be improved to a width of 40 feet, and that said highway be graded to a depth of 8 inches at the sides thereof and to a depth of 10 inches in the center thereof, and that crushed stone screenings be placed thereon to a depth of 4 inches upon such broken stone, that said improvement be made a double track and that the name of the same be the "Frank Hiestand Macadam Road."

That to pay for said improvement we ask that bonds be issued by the county of Adams in the sum of \$10,000, payable in twenty semi annual installments or series, and for the payment of which we ask that a tax be levied upon the taxable property of said Jefferson township in a sufficient amount to pay the interest and principal of said bonds, as they become due.

That said improvement be made and constructed, and that said bonds be issued and said tax be levied upon the taxable property of said township in accordance with the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Indiana, passed in the year 1905 beginning on page 550 and as amended in the Acts of 1907 and as amended in the Acts of 1909 now in force providing for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads and all other and any and all amendments thereto.

We further ask the Board to take all of the necessary steps required by law to have said improvement constructed and made as petitioned herein.

By, and that the same be constructed without submitting the question of building the same to an election of the voters of said Jefferson township, and that the Board construct the same under the laws of the state of Indiana, providing for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads by township taxation.

Respectfully submitted:
Frank Hiestand, J. M. Duff, John M. Amstutz, Martin Keef, David Zehr, W. M. Kerr, Rouben Myers, L. M. Pogle, Charley Adams, W. F. Johnson, John F. Teeter, D. C. Boze, S. J. Pogle, J. H. Engle, Jacob Stuber, Fred Kerr, Butler Woodruff, Isaac Teeple, Edwin Ferry, D. A. Rumble, James Kenney, Jonathan Rumble, Earl Duff, Clint Charleston, Jesse A. Buckmaster, Philip Brewster, Christian Zehr, Ray Duff, Frank D. Brewster, J. L. Yancy, Amos Teitner, Geo. B. Maurer, Charley C. Abnet, Wm. M. Adam, Bartley Burk, Jonathan Irlan, Homer Charleston, G. W. Frazel, W. L. Foreman, Peter Kinney, Ray Buckingham, Theodore Peters, Sol Moser, Chas. M. Peters, Lee Peltas, John Marshall, Sam Egley, W. G. Lefever, Dan Burley, J. H. Orndorff, A. Durbin, W. Z. Ketchum.

This petition was presented to the Board of Commissioners on Tuesday, March 8, 1921.

At which time the taxpayers of Jefferson township may appear and make such objections as the law may provide for.

MARTIN JABERG, Auditor.

INCOME TAX RETURNS

At the request of the banks in this city, I will open an office in the room occupied by the County Agent in the rear of The Peoples Loan and Trust building for the purpose of making out income tax returns.

Office will be open on Feb. 15 and each day thereafter. Persons desiring to see me in the evening may do so by appointment.

H. L. CONTER.

Having full confidence in the ability of Mr. Conter, we hereby recommend him and ask our customers to consult him in making out these reports.

First National Bank,
Old Adams County Bank,
Peoples Loan and Trust Co.

FOR THE FARMERS

Items of Interest to the Farmers of Adams County.

Junior Corn Champion Tells How He Grew Crop.

Homer Crandall, a 16-year old student a vocational agriculture in the high school at Mt. Summit, is the new corn club champion of Indiana. He produced 142.27 bushels on one measured acre which was a part of a seven-acre corn field. This yield was surpassed by one club member, Dorothy Baker of Lyons, Greene county, who harvested 143 bushels on one acre. Homer won on a cost of production and a higher grade in record and story. The cost of producing his 142.27 bushels was \$42.25, which includes a charge of \$21.34 in loss of soil fertility. He had 102.27 bushels worth \$61.30 and 40 bushels of seeds worth \$200. His profit not counting prizes was \$219.11.

Homer won \$15.50 in prizes at the local show and as winner in district two and state champion, he won the \$50 trip to Chicago, Madison and other Wisconsin points, given by the state board of agriculture.

Homer has an interesting story to tell, which follows:

"Last year the vocational agricultural class of which I am a member took up the subject of crops and gave especial attention to corn production. We studied reasons for the low yields generally being produced and this interested me to try my hand just to see what could be done by observing correct practices. Incidentally, I wished to grow more and better corn than my father.

"I chose my acre in new ground which was in corn last year. The soil here was loam underlaid with a gravelly sub-soil giving it good drainage. I plowed six inches deep, dragged and harrowed the ground before planting. The corn was cultivated three times."

"The practical points I learned in growing corn were the value of getting good, pure seed testing 100 per cent., proper tillage of the soil, proper fertilization, and desirability of having good drainage.

"Next year (1921) I have planned to plant my corn in narrow rows, to use fertilizer, which I did not do this year, to attempt to raise my yield from 142.27 bushels to 150 or greater. I further plan to use the ear-to-row method to see if I cannot develop a strain of corn better than I have at present.

"The fact that several members of the corn club produced more than 100 bushels to the acre this year shows the value of club work and vocational training.

"I have enjoyed this year's experience very much and intend to join with more interest next year."

Many remarkable fossils of extinct animals have been found in the Bad Lands of Dakotas.

The oasis of Farafeli on the Libyan desert in Africa contains several ruins of Greek and Roman origin.

WELLS SAYS IT HAS NO EQUAL ON EARTH

"I Just Can't Say Enough for Tanlac," States Indiana Dan—Is Like Brand New Man Now.

"You can say for me that Tanlac has no equal and that I think it's the greatest medicine ever put in a bottle," said Joseph W. Wells, of R. R. No. 5, South Bend, Ind., while in a leading drug store there.

"The influenza left me in such a terrible rundown condition that I was so weak I could hardly get around. Al though I spent three weeks at a hospital it failed to do me any good, and one day while I was at my work at the school house everything turned black before me and I fell in a faint and had to be carried home. I didn't have any appetite, and everything I ate seemed to sour and bloated me up as tight as a drum. My kidneys were all out of order. I was so nervous I couldn't get any rest at night and no one knows the suffering I had to endure, for words fail to describe it. I was simply miserable, and it began to look like I wasn't going to be able to find anything to help me.

"Well, this was the condition I was in when I ran across Tanlac, and I want to say right here the medicine has simply made a new man of me. In fact all my troubles have disappeared and I can't remember the time I felt better than I do now. I just can't say enough for Tanlac, and if you see anybody in need of a good medicine just tell them what Tanlac has done for me.

Tanlac is sold in Decatur at Smith, Yager & Falk's; in Berne at Stengel & Craig's; in Geneva at F. C. Deitsch's and in Monroe at O. O. Hocker's.

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ADAMS COUNTY REPRESENTATIVES

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"THE GOLDEN SHOWER"

A Vitaphone production featuring Gladys Lisle. Also, the next episode of the famous serial, "THE SILENT AVENGER," featuring William Duncan. Better come tonight, 10-15 cents.

Coming Tomorrow—Buck Jones, the celebrated western star in "THE SQUARE SHOOTER." It's a Fox production and you know what this means. You must see it to appreciate it. Admission 10-15 cents.

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The Place They All Go.

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A picture that every father, mother, son and daughter should see.

A photoplay that drives straight home. Last time tonight.

10-20 cents.

"THE FALSE ROAD"

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Also good comedy. Admission 10-15 cents.

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