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The railroad operators announce in literature being sent out and in interviews with press associations that they are reducing freight rates when and where they can and have already cut two hundred thousand tariffs. That's fine but the trouble is we can't seem to locate any of the reductions. Evidently they haven't so far effected this part of the country and this is an awful good part to be left out of any thing like that.

If you are planning a trip on the traction better take a look at the new time table, published today. Several slight changes have been made and two cars taken off.

Decatur has a band to be proud of. They are coming along in real style and within a few weeks will be recognized as one of the best in this territory. Mr. Rice who is directing them has had the experience, loves his work and is glad to thus assist the home town boys. The crowd which attended last evening's concert, the first of a series of twelve given through the efforts of the band leaders and the business men of Decatur who so generously contributed, prove the popularity of these events. The people love music and that's a good sign.

Mr. Dawes is receiving the plaudits of the country because of his emphatic assertions that he proposes to save the nation a billion dollars. Fine. But we have been fooled so often by assertions of intentions that

we will have to be shown. We do not doubt the good intentions of Mr. Dawes but it's a big job and that gentleman has not yet felt the opposition of politicians, dissatisfied office holders, job seekers and those who will thus be returned to civil life and actual work. When he has disregarded these and pushed on, he will be entitled to the applause and not before. Talk is cheap but what we need and want is action.

Of course there is some merit in the thing proposed in some of the constitutional amendments to be voted on September 6th but most of them are vicious and the very fact that it establishes a dangerous precedent of changing the most important document in the state at every whip stitch should make the voters of Indiana view the efforts now being made, with considerable alarm. Be careful.

Try reading the declaration of independence over next Monday. The occasion is the Fourth of July, anniversary of the date upon which that important document was signed and the beginning of the greatest nation in the world. We are just a little apt to forget what the day means and we ought never do that.

Yep we are getting back to normality—the Public Service Commission of Indiana actually turned down a petition for an increased rate for the Home Telephone Company of Fort Wayne. The rates there are \$3.50 for a business phone and they asked for six dollars, claiming that they could not earn any money. The commission found that they are now earning about eight per cent and that expenses could be reduced some \$37,000 per year if they wanted to. The boys at Fort Wayne don't seem to be in right or something or can it be that the commission is awakening to the fact that the public is mad and awful tired of the up grade of over head?

After nearly three years, the congress of the United States has decided that we are now at peace with Germany and Austria. The resolution adopted late yesterday provides



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for many of the terms of the Versailles treaty and now diplomatic relations will be resumed. In another few years we will probably have a treaty with these countries and have some of the things we could have had by accepting the treaty a long time ago. If we had made peace when we should of we would not now be suffering from a business depression and other national ailments.

How would you like to meet the additional expenses of an income tax added to your other items this year? That's one of the proposed amendments you are to vote on September 6th. Of course they will tell you that this will reduce your regular taxes but don't let them kid you any longer. Within a short time they will just have this added to your other woes. If they can amend the constitution in this manner there is nothing to prevent them from amending the amendment. It's a joke.

We received returns from the big fight today, blow by blow, for the benefit of those who like this sport, a newspaper service equal to that of the largest cities a few years ago. We get the news if it's possible and we are glad to furnish it to the people of Adams county all the time. Subscribe now.

accept invitations to speak for the next six weeks. That's wise. If everybody else would follow his President Harding has declined to example and then keep it up six months longer, most of the troubles of this country would evaporate.

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—MONDAY—

Buck Jones in

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that this is one of those years when the fellow who works a little harder than the other fellow, whether it's 96 in the shade or not—and advertises—will get there.

DOINGS IN SOCIETY

CLUB CALENDAR

Tuesday.

C. L. of C. at K. of C. hall.

Wednesday.

C. E. Society—U. B. Church.

Thursday.

Concord Aid and Missionary Society—Mrs. Earl Reber.

Friday.

The Concord Ladies' Aid and Missionary society will meet on Wednesday evening at Mrs. Earl Reber. Members are requested to attend.

Saturday.

United Brethren W. M. A.—Parsonage, 2 o'clock.

The Woman's Missionary association of the United Brethren church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage. It is desired that all members attend this meeting, at which time a most interesting program will be given.

The Christia Endeavor society of the United Brethren church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, for their regular monthly business meeting. Every member is urged to be present as this is a meeting of importance.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Beam on Mercer avenue. The leader will be Mrs. J. H. Schug. All members are requested to be present.

ABOUT TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Meyers and daughters, Gladys, Naomi and Helen, will motor to Clear Lake where they will be guests at Hazenhurst over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sellermeyer and daughter, Katherine, will go to Rome City to spend the Fourth at the Tripet hotel.

Mrs. Edith Bremerkamp and children, Helen, and Margaret, and Miss Grace Battenberg, will picnic up the St. Marys river the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashbaucher and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cowan will motor to Cincinnati, Ohio, where they will visit relatives over the Fourth.

Mr. C. H. Uetter of Minneapolis, Minn., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. L. Merry.

Miss Edna Bleeker will go to Fort Wayne to visit over the Fourth.

Edgar Mutschler is able to be back to work again after a several weeks' illness.

Mrs. George Kern and children, Thelma and Richard, of Fort Wayne, will arrive tomorrow for a visit over the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. William McBarnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gass and son, Jr., are spending the Fourth with relatives at Culver, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Roop and children of Blue Creek township, were shoppers in the city today.

Mrs. William Roop of Blue Creek township spent the day in the city.

Mrs. Earl Arnold of east of the city was a caller in Decatur today.

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City Coal Co.

MATHIAS COFFEE, Mgr.

ED KINTZ, Secy.

'Phone 641.

'Phone 750.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Lammert and Mrs. Elmer Schmoe was a caller in motor to Anderson to visit the city yesterday, making preparations for moving soon to the Coffee property on South Third street.

FOR THE FARMERS

Items of Interest to the Farmers of Adams County.

PURDUE HEN LAYS 151 EGGS IN 164 DAYS

Lafayette, Ind., July 2.—One hundred and fifty-one eggs in 164 days from the famous Hoiler man and E. and still going! This is the remarkable achievement of Lady Purdue. Her mother has a record of 182 eggs in the Purdue University poultry flock. Who included in this record the fact that it may be seen that Lady Purdue is a family of high producers. She has received the standard Purdue laying ration of fifteen pounds of cracked corn, 5 pounds of wheat, 5 pounds of oats, and a dry mash mixture including five pounds of bran, five pounds of shorts and three pounds of tankage. The grain is always fed in deep straw litter so that the hens get plenty of exercise scratching for it.

"Her body measurements carry out the utility requirements for a good layer," said Prof. A. G. Phillips commenting on her record. She has an extended, slab-sided body and carries out width of her back well toward the rear. She also shows an excellent abdominal development and has every indication of being a high producer.

NOTICE!
June 27 to July 5th my office will be closed.

N. A. BIXLER, Optometrist.

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