

NOTICE OF PUBLIC LETTING.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Adams County, Indiana, will receive bids for the construction of a macadamized road in Wabash township, in said county, known as the John Petty macadam road, up until ten o'clock a. m. on

Tuesday, February 7th, 1922, at the regular meeting of said Board of Commissioners, held in the city of Decatur, Adams County, Indiana, sealed bids will be received for the construction of said road in accordance with the plans, specifications and report of the viewers and engineer, which are now on file in the Auditor's office of said county, said road to be built of crushed stone alone. A bond must accompany each bid in twice the amount of the bid filed, conditioned on the faithful performance of said work, and that the bidder, if awarded the contract, will enter into contract therefor and complete same according to such contract and in accordance with the bond filed. All bids shall be made so as to give the amount for which said road will be constructed for cash, payable on estimates to be made by the engineer in charge not to exceed eighty per cent of any one estimate, out of the funds to be hereinafter raised by the sale of bonds as required by law. The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

MARTIN JABERG,
Auditor of Adams County, Indiana
9-16-22

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DOINGS IN SOCIETY

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY.

John T. Kelly's Sunday School Class—Roy Baker.
7:30 Woman's Club.

TUESDAY.

Tri Kappa—Misses Dorothy and Ramona Smith—Fort Wayne.
W. M. A. and Otterbein Guild—U. B. Parsonage, evening.
Young Women's Missionary Circle—Mrs. Bob Gerard.

WEDNESDAY.

Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church—Mrs. C. E. Baughman.
Bachelor Maids—Leona Bosse.
So-Cha-Rae, Miss Florence Bremerkamp, 6:30.
Pythian Dance—Postponed.
Historical Club—Mrs. Tom Vall.
Shakespeare Club—Mrs. Emma Daniel.

THURSDAY.

Presbyterian Aid—Mrs. James Elbertson, 2:30.

FRIDAY.

M. E. Ladies' Aid—Church parlors.
M. E. Ladies' Rummage sale—Library building.

SATURDAY.

M. E. Ladies' Rummage sale—Library building.

Mrs. Bob Gerard will be hostess to the Young Women's Missionary Circle at her home at 510 Jefferson street, tomorrow evening at 7:15. All members are especially requested to be present as business of importance will be discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Snow entertained yesterday for the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Hoskinson. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter and daughter, Mrs. Velma McGill, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Porter and son, Will.

Because of the basketball on Wednesday evening at the gym between Monroe and Decatur, the dance announced by the committee, given for the knights, sisters and their friends, has been postponed until a week from Wednesday.

The Historical club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Tom Vall. Mrs. Teeple will have the program.

The Ladies' Shakespeare club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Emma Daniel, on North Second street. Mrs. Shafer will have the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Snow, had as their guests at Sunday dinner yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Porter and son William S. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Porter and daughter, Mrs. Velma McGill of Decatur. The time chosen for this meeting was the eighty-third birthday of their aunt, Mrs. Andrew J. Hoskinson, mother of Mrs. Snow, who at the present time is making her home with Mrs. Snow. A sumptuous dinner was served and a very pleasant day was spent by all in attendance. Grandma Hoskinson received some very appropriate birthday cards, flowers and useful presents, which will ever remind her of her eighty-third birthday, and that she still occupies a brilliant niche in the memory of her acquaintances and friends.

Mr. J. O. Manly of near Peterson, Ind., was the lucky victim of a birthday surprise Sunday The afternoon was spent in visiting, listening to music and taking pictures. Those present were: Mr. J. O. Manly, Myrtle and Harry Manly, Marie and Willie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Manly and daughter, Edna, Violet, Mildred and Mable of Adams county; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Sheets and sons Gale and Carl; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Girlless and son George Edward, Mr. Dayton Hurless, Mr. Leo Hennessey and daughter Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. William Oechste and children Lola, Clifford, Dulcie and Alice Marie, all of Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Manly and daughter Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Julian and son Elmer of near Bluffton, Ind.

A SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

Mrs. C. V. Connell speaks on the Health Crusades.
The entertainment and Better Health meeting held Thursday evening, January 5th at the Schnepf School in Union township, taught by Xariffa Barkley was very successful. A large number of patrons and visitors being present.

Recitations and songs by the children were much enjoyed as were the songs in which everyone took part. Mrs. C. V. Connell of Decatur, spoke on the "Health Crusades" and her talk was much appreciated by all. After the program a spelling match was held in which many took part. Vernon Brodbeck, being the winner, was given a pie for a prize. The ladies brought a goodly number of pies and these with apples were served. Everyone reported a good time.

INDIANA WINS TWO.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 9.—Two Big Ten Conference championships, one of which was also a Western Intercollegiate championship, came to Indiana University during the year ending November 19., according to a report on Big Ten championship tournaments received here by Athletic Director E. O. Stehlin.

The State University won the Western Intercollegiate championship in wrestling. The Crimson also carried off Conference honors in the singles events tennis tournament, through the stellar playing of Fritz Bastian, of Indianapolis.

Illinois won first in track and field events. Dewey Alberts of Illinois, broke the conference indoor high jump record with a leap of 6 feet 4 1/4 inches. J. Murphy, of Notre Dame, clearing the bar at 6 feet 2 1/2 inches, broke the Big Ten outdoor high jump record and H. Huffman, of Michigan, hurling the javelin 178 feet 4 inches, broke the conference record in that event in the same meet. Illinois also won the cross-country championship. Chicago took high honors in swimming events, when E. T. Blinks set new marks in the 40, 220 and 100 yard swims. The Chicago team also won in gymnastic competition and in the tennis doubles events.

A summary of the Big Ten competition shows that Indiana University with two championships, ranked among the leaders. For a number of years Indiana has led in wrestling and prospects are bright this year for a repetition of the honor. The Crimson mat men are being coached by Jack Reynolds, welterweight wrestling champion of the world.

Misses Celia Andrews and Maude Howard and Messrs. John Baumgartner and Jess Cole, spent last evening in Fort Wayne.

STANDARD AMERICAN ANNUAL

1922 World Almanac Complete in Every Detail.

The full texts of the Four-Power Pacific Treaty, the Three-Power Agreement on Naval Armament, the Anglo-Japanese Treaty, and the Irish Free State Treaty are contained in the 1922 World Almanac, together with an account of the important doings of the Conference on the Limitation of Armament held at Washington, including the American naval proposals in full, as well as the addresses of President Harding, Secretary Hughes, Premier Briand, Mr. Balfour and the other plenipotentiaries. The Chronology, or diary of events, covers happenings all over the world, day by day, and the list of deaths includes every man and woman of note in every country who passed over during the year. The Almanac gives tables from the 1920 Census showing how many Japanese, German, Russians, etc., there are in each State in the Union together with full tables, by States and by ages, covering illiteracy, school attendance, etc., together with the number of males and females, State by State, of voting and of military age, naturalized and alien. The tables on farm values, crops, mortgages and the like are complete. There are valuable census statistics covering all the chief cities in the United States. The population and area data cover every county on earth, with lists of rulers, Premiers and Cabinets. The transportation tables cover canals and railways and the trade tables cover the imports and exports of all great nations. The calendars and other astronomical information; the tables of altitudes, weights and measures; the weather records, the Dictionary of Biography—all are revised to date. The election figures and the New York City and State data are fuller than ever. The book should be in the hands of every merchant and banker, every pupil and teacher, every American. The Work Almanac is published by The New York World. Price 50 cents. Postpaid.

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WONDERFUL TRIP

John Troutner Family Has Traveled 2,756 Miles to Bellingham, Wash.

IN AN AUTOMOBILE

Scenery Was Beautiful—Left Bobo October 8—Sixteen Days on Way.

Bellingham, Wash.,

December 4, 1921.

To Decatur Daily Democrat.

We are sending a story of our trip. As several of our friends and relatives want a copy, we thought we would send it if you have room, we would be glad to have it published in the paper. We take the paper ourselves and would be lost without the home paper for our home has been around good old Decatur for years, 'til now. We left Bobo October 8, 1921 arrived that day near Wanata, Ind., and camped for the night; left there October 9th, had a bad muddy road that day; got to a lovely little tourists' camp ground at a Silver Fox farm; had fine water, it was near Zion City, Wis., left there October 10, traveled most of that day along Lake Michigan a beautiful drive. I got that day to Neenah, Wis., and camped for the

night. Left there October 11th, arrived at Stanley, Wis., the same day and camped in Tourists Camp ground—an old fair ground; had good eats and a camp kitchen with a cook stove electric lights and tables and chairs. Left there October 12 and arrived at "Excelsior, Minn. There they have a fine camp ground with camp kitchen with two oil stoves, electric lights, long tables in the kitchen and benches, each side to sit on. Left there October 13, and arrived that day at Appleton, Minn., camped in camp grounds there. They have camp stoves in the open, have no kitchen but have electric lights and water. A very pretty little town. Left there October 14th and arrived at Ispwich, S. D., that day. They haven't much of a camp ground—a little grove by a lake, a few seats and a couple cots to lay on, is all they have. The next morning we heard wolves by the pack howling; sounded rather scary to us, but we were perfectly safe. We left there October 15 and arrived at Wataga, S. D. They have a real nice camp ground along the river. They have water and stoves built out in the open. Left there October 16th and arrived at Westmore, Mont. They have just a camping place, water and one electric light. Left there October 17th and arrived that day at Forsythe, Mont. They have a camp ground in a beautiful park with a camp kitchen with a long stove and good water. We left there October 18th and went through Hunters Hot Springs where several springs come up out of the ground with boiling hot water. They have a health resort and a mammoth big hospital. We took several pictures of it. We arrived that day at Manhattan, Mont. There they have a nice camp ground, furnaces to cook on, electric light and water. We left there October 19th and travelled that day through beautiful mountain sceneries. Came over the Continental Divide with an elevation of 6,950 feet. This is twelve miles east of Butte, Mont. Arrived that day at Deer Lodge, Mont. There we visited friends and spent the afternoon and night with them. Left there October 20th and travelled all day through the mountains and camped that night at Superior, Mont., in tourists camp ground. Had water and little stoves in the open. We left there October 21st and traveled through the mountains all day, came over a mountain four miles from bottom to top. It certainly was a mountain. We had to go nearly all the way up in "low." We passed several cars that had stopped and were "cooling off." After you get up half a mile or so every little way there would be a big sign, reading: "Tow team at top of hill," and when we got to the top, sure enough there was a little shack. A man remained at a shed barn with horses ready to go down to pull up the cars that could not make the hill. He also has gasoline there for sale; charges \$1 per gallon for it and if you are out of gas you are glad to get it at any price, for you are miles and miles from a town. We heard about it and "gassed up" before we got there. This mountain is between Sattles, Mont., and Mullan, Idaho. It is called the Bitter Root Summit. There we came over what is called the Fourth of July canyon. We camped that night six miles east of Spokane, Wash., travelled that day through miles and miles of desert, there we saw the first wild eagle any of us had ever seen. It was as large, if not larger than a turkey gobbler. It sat on a telephone post. We stopped the car and looked at it; then made it fly. Well, it was the largest wild bird we saw flying.

Got that day to Columbia river. Ferried across and camped that night at Vantage Ferry, Wash. Left there October 23. Travelled another half day through desert, and then came to the mountains again. Arrived that day at the Snoqualmie Pass, with an elevation of 3,010 feet. It is a beautiful national forest. Arrived that day at Snohomish, Wash., camped in their little camp ground. Camp ground was about all they had. We left there October 24th and arrived at Bellingham, Wash., home, and our speedometer registered just 2,756 miles from Bobobo, Ind., to Bellingham, Wash. There are other interesting things

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Ladies' Heavy Fleece Union
Suits, \$2.00 value **\$1.68**

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Sale
\$1.68

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