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The entry list for candidates will close one week from today, so if you are contemplating getting into the contests its time to act.

Well anyway its the time of the year when most of us would prefer a strike of the coal miners to one of the ice men.

If you have an opinion on any subject of public interest you are invited to express it through the "People's Voice" column. That's the best way to get it to the people.

The season approaches when it will be the umpire who is the goat for every game lost. But its an ill wind which blows nobody good. Think of the long rest for the basket ball referee.

Candidates for committeemen must file their declarations by April 1st. A notice appearing recently fixed the date for April 12th but this is an error. The latter date is only for delegate candidates.

While the plan is to pigeon hole the bonus bill in the senate there is a strong chance that it may be made so hot for those inclined that they will have to show their hand before congress adjourns for the campaign. Did some one say something about being done with "wiggly-wobble?"

Beveridge says that New's record in the senate won't stand the light of publicity and that he hopes to be nominated by the use of stacks of the coin of the realm, serious charges but perhaps Beveridge knows what he is talking about. Anyway he keeps right on saying things like that.

Mellon and the president insisted that the bonus bill be put on the shelf and the answer from congress was a vote favorable, by an overwhelming majority. Now it's up to the senate and after it is passed there if it is found impossible to dodge the responsibility it will still be possible for the president to veto it. It's a hard road to travel but back of the bill are a determined lot of youngsters, don't forget.

A forty thousand dollar addition to the Decatur high school building providing assembly room and a gymnasium will be built during the next few months, bonds having been sold yesterday. When you stop to think of the progress made along this line in Decatur the last twenty years you will find we have kept up with most communities and ahead of a good many. A city is largely judged by her schools and churches.

A great man indeed was he who said: "Give me a few friends who will love me for what I am or am not and keep ever burning before my wandering steps the kindly light of hope. And though age and infirmity overtake me and I come not in sight of the castle of my dreams, teach me still to be thankful for life and times old memories that are good and sweet; and may the evening twilight find me gentle still."

Gifford Pinchot, one time first lieutenant in Theodore Roosevelt's progressive organization has bobbed into politics again after eight years absence. This time he is a candidate for the republican nomination for

governor of Pennsylvania and says will bury bosses and barrooms. He charges that saloons still operate in the Keystone state where they pay \$1,000 presumably to sell pop but in reality to "bootleg." He is tackling some job but is able and may put over his effort in the last state in the union said to be really "bossed."

Well its settled anyway. We are now in full partnership with Great Britain, France and Japan to keep the peace of the Pacific. The four power treaty was adopted yesterday by the United States senate. The leaders who you remember campaigned every state in the union two years ago, arguing against any foreign alliance have now changed their minds and instead of being members of a league of nations including all the powers of the world we are members of a group of four. Whether this be for good or to the injury of this nation is for the future to decide but anyway it is settled and we can now turn our attention to other problems and we have them to turn to if any one asks you.

Attorney General U. S. Lesh has filed suit against eighteen men who are members of stone construction firms whose plants are in the vicinity of Bedford and who are charged with having organized a conspiracy which is in restraint of trade. Lesh asks that the franchises of the companies represented be revoked and that receivers be named to close the business of each. It is some indictment and it is presumed the attorney general knows where of he speaks. There has been and still is entirely too much of this conspiracy work in restraint of trade and the officials are to be commended in they go through with this. Usually in such cases however the defendants are able to work out some sort of an alibi and the people will have to be shown in this instance.

When democratic papers recite the do-nothing record of Senator New, it is of course taken as pure politics, but when Mr. Beveridge of his own party and a candidate against him for the nomination does so, it ought to make it plain that his record will not stand investigation. In a speech at Richmond, Beveridge said the senator offered an amendment to the emergency tariff bill, or the farmers' tariff bill, providing for an almost prohibitive tariff on airplanes. He said Senator Penrose opposed it, and doing so observed that it "seems utterly indefensible." Mr. Beveridge said Senator New insisted on a roll call on the amendment and it was defeated 64 to 10. "So ended my opponent's constructive effort to aid American agriculture by imposing a high tariff on foreign airplanes," said Mr. Beveridge. "Some weeks ago," he continued, "my opponent made two appeals for the support of the farmers, giving as his reason, the passage of six bills for the relief of those who produce the nation's food. All of these were what were termed 'farmer bloc' measures. Four of them were passed without a roll call—no ayes and noes; and on the day two were passed my opponent answered no roll call whatever and therefore was certainly not present. On another of these very bills my opponent voted in the negative and on the conference report on that bill he did not vote at all. No complaint should be made of my opponent because of this rather pallid and negative showing made by the official record—doubtless he had the best of reasons. But is it fair for him to plead for the support of farmers upon the ground of the passage of measures for which he did not vote or which he opposed?"

Len Shirk of Monroe made a business trip to Decatur this morning. George Harvey of Monroe is home from Muncie where he has been attending the normal school.

WISHES HE HAD

KNOW IT SOONER
 "Only wish I had discovered Foley's Honey and Tar 10 years ago as I have been the victim of attacks of influenza and bad colds until I found this wonderful relief," writes W. H. Gray, 854 Nowita Pl., Venice, Cal. Foley's Honey and Tar helps coughs and colds, bronchial and la grippe coughs tickling throat and hoarseness. It is good for croup and whooping cough. Mr. Gray adds "Worth its weight in gold. Marvelously effective."

USE SLOAN'S TO EASE LAME BACKS

YOU can't do your best when your back and every muscle aches with fatigue. Apply Sloan's Liniment freely, without rubbing, and enjoy a penetrating glow of warmth and comfort. Good for rheumatism, neuralgia, sprains and strains, aches and pains, sciatica, sore muscles, stiff joints and the after effects of weather exposure. For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor. Keep Sloan's handy. At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.



RED PEPPER FOR COLDS IN CHEST

Ease your tight, aching chest. Stop the pain. Break up the congestion. Feel a bad cold loosen up in just a short time. "Red Pepper Rub" is the cold remedy that brings quickest relief. It cannot hurt you and it certainly seems to end the tightness and drive the congestion and soreness right out. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into colds, congestion, aching muscles and sore, stiff joints relief comes at once. The moment you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes the congested spot is warmed through and through. When you are suffering from a cold, rheumatism, backache, stiff neck or sore muscles, just get a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, at any drug store. You will have the quickest relief known.

GOLDEN IS PRODUCER OF "THREE WISE FOOLS"

The public welfare is best benefitted by laughter, according to John Golden, theatrical producer, who will present one of the best of his famous comedies, "3 Wise Fools," with the original New York production at the Majestic theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights, March 27 and 28th. Not that he considers it should be prescribed by physicians, for he delivers it in wholesale quantities in his famous comedies, such as "Lightnin'," the world's record play, "Turn to the Right," "The First Year," and "Dear Me." This renowned comedy of "3 Wise Fools" ran a full season at the Criterion theatre, New York; then it did six months in Chicago, and three months each in Boston and Philadelphia. It also enjoyed a year in London, and is yet popular in Australia and the Orient. John W. Ransome, famous as the original Hans Wagner in "The Prince of Pilsen," will be the principal fun maker among the three old bachelors who form the theme of the story. Burke Clarke, Harry Forsman, Robert L. Keither, Hazel Sexton, and Wallace Fortune will be prominent with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conroy spent last evening in Ft. Wayne.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY

Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2335 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills for pains in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic for constipation, biliousness, headaches, and sluggish bowels.

MRS. LULA VANN FULTON, ARK.

Suggests to Suffering Women the Road to Health

Fulton, Arkansas.—"I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a soreness in my side. I would suffer so badly every month from my waist down that I could not be on my feet half the time. I was not able to do my work without help. I saw your Vegetable Compound advertised in a newspaper and gave it a fair trial. Now I am able to do my work and don't even have a backache every month. I cannot praise your Vegetable Compound enough and highly recommend it to those who have troubles like mine. I am willing for these facts to be used as a testimonial to lead all who suffer with female troubles, as I did, to the right road to health."—Mrs. LULA VANN, Box 43, Fulton, Arkansas.

It is this sort of praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, given by word of mouth and by letter, one woman to another, that should cause you to consider taking this well-known medicine, if you are troubled with such symptoms as painful periods, weak, nervous feelings, miserable pains in your back, and cannot work at certain times. Here is a woman who is so grateful and glad to be relieved from a painful and nerve racking physical condition that she wishes to tell all sick women.

DOINGS IN SOCIETY

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY
 Research Club—Mrs. Dan Sprang.
 Delta Theta Tau—Mrs. Jack Brunton.
 Mrs. Frank Barthel was hostess last evening to several tables of bridge.

TUESDAY.
 Dance—K. of P. Home.
 E. F. G. and H. section of St. Vincent de Paul—Mrs. Mat Morris.

Wednesday
 St. Vincent de Paul—Mrs. Wal Wemhoff and Mrs. Adrian Wemhoff.

The E. F. G. and H. section of the St. Vincent de Paul society will have a called meeting Tuesday evening after church services at the home of Mrs. Mat Harris. All members of the above section are requested to be present.

A SIZZLING ANSWER

"The president of a large automobile concern in Omaha, Nebraska, having had difficulty in getting a satisfactory stenographer, as a last resort put the following ad in a local paper:

WANTED—First class, high grade stenographer; salary no object. The stenographer must get it as fast as I dictate, and get it right; must be absolutely accurate; must have human intelligence. If you are not a crackerjack, don't bother me.

This is one of the letters received in the mail the following morning:

I note your requirements, as aired in the newspaper, and hasten to make inquiry as to this strenuous business that takes such an extraordinary stenographer. Your advertisement appeals to me strongly—stronger than prepared mustard—as I have searched Europe, Airopo, Irope, and Hoboken in quest of someone who could use my talents to advantage.

When it comes to this chin music proposition, I have never found man, woman or dictaphone who could get first base on me, either fancy or catch as catch can. I write a shorthand so fast that I have to use a specially prepared pencil with a platinum point and a water-cooling equipment that I have constructed a telexoribant expense, a note pad made of asbestos composition, covered with human hide, ruled with sulphuric acid and stitched with catgut.

I use the A. W. ignition, double unit high-tension system exclusively and will guarantee to deliver my rated horsepower under either A. L. A. M. or A. E. standard. I have been passed by the national board of censorship and guaranteed under the pure food and drug act.

I run with my cutout open at all speeds, and am in fact a guaranteed double hydraulically welded drop-forged oil tempered specimen of human lightning on a perfect thirty-six frame ground to one-thousandth of an inch. At hot air juggling you have nothing on me.

If you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime, wire me; but unless you are fully prepared to pay the tariff for such services, don't bother me, as I'm so nervous that I can't stand still long enough to have my dressmaker measure my clothes. Spare your time and money unless you want to pay at least \$5.00 per week in cash or its equivalent.—The Shield.

ORCHARD DEMONSTRATIONS

Two spraying and pruning demonstrations were held in the county last Thursday with the assistance of C. L. Burkholder, of Purdue University. The demonstration in the forenoon in the Krueckeberg orchard in about 25 farmers of the neighborhood. Mr. Burkholder first discussed the proper and improper methods of pruning and showed how this operation should be carried out. The fact was emphasized that pruning should be done at the top of the tree rather than at the bottom, as is the common practice of those not acquainted with the proper methods. This allows more sunshine to reach the inner parts of the tree as well as makes it nearer the ground, which makes proper spraying easier.

Mr. Burkholder also stated plainly that it is absolutely of no use to prune if spraying is not also done. Since the present time is probably the best or most popular time to apply the dormant spray of lime-sulphur, Mr. Burkholder sprayed a few trees, showing the most efficient way. It was also shown that under no condition can all the tree be covered with one application, which makes it necessary that they be sprayed at two different times when the wind is coming from different directions.

The afternoon meeting in the Dan Mazelin orchard in Monroe township was attended by between 50 and 60 farmers. Those wishing further information concerning spraying and pruning should write or call the county agent.

CONTEST WINNERS

(Continued from page one)

Glennys Bohne, Decatur; Miss Spangler, teacher.
 Margaret Mills, Decatur; Miss Spangler, teacher.
 George Hindenlang, Union; Kariffa Barkley, teacher.
 Carrol Ritter, Root; Winifred Gerke, teacher.

Gerald Zimmerman, Kirkland; Emma Tullis, teacher.
 The alternates selected for the "B" team are, first, Ida Borne, Preble township, Edward Jaberg, teacher, and second, Matilda Kreutzmann, Preble township, Edward Jaberg, teacher.

The pronouncers were Mrs. W. A. Lower and Mrs. Frank Downs. The judges were Miss Nell Winnes, Miss June Ossenberg and Mr. John Parrish.

South Townships

The spelling contest held among the six townships in the south half of the county at Geneva, also proved very interesting. County Superintendent Christen reported that it took an hour and a half spelling to pick the fourteen members on each team. Geneva and Wabash township received the highest number on the "A" team. The three townships, Hartford, Wabash and Blue Creek, were fortunate enough to form the "A" team, while in the "B" team every township is represented. The members of the "A" team which are to represent the south six townships on next Friday evening are the following:

Chester Nelson, Geneva; Miss Fravel, teacher.
 Theodore Farlow, Geneva; Bertha Buckley, teacher.
 Emma Biery, Wabash township; Dist. 2; Eldon Sprunger, teacher.
 Miriam Felty, Wabash; Dist. 11; Ada Hall, teacher.
 Jessie Glendenning, Hartford Center; June Steiner, teacher.
 Margaret Drew, Geneva; Bertha Buckley, teacher.
 Delphena Lough, Geneva; Bertha Buckley, teacher.

Buhley Drew, Geneva; Bertha Buckley, teacher.
 Lillie Buckmaster, Blue Creek; Dist. 1; Amos Ketchum, teacher.
 Earl Sipe, Blue Creek; Dist. 1; Amos Ketchum, teacher.

Gordon Holloway, Hartford; Dist. 2; Lloyd Heller, teacher.
 Harold Lehman; Hartford Center; June Steiner, teacher.
 Marie Burd, Geneva; Bertha Buckley, teacher.

Alternates selected for the "A" team are Nova Lehman, Helen Hirschy and Emma Kaehr. The pronouncer was Kenneth Shoemaker and the judges were J. White, Rev. I. Carnes and Roland v. d. Smissen.

The members of the "B" team are the following:

Glenn Holloway, Hartford; Lloyd Heller, teacher.
 Irene Monce, Hartford; Lloyd Heller, teacher.
 Merl Parr, Monroe; Merl Poling, Poling, teacher.
 Louis Haines, Monroe; Magdaline Sprunger, teacher.
 Loretta Wable, Monroe; Lavina Chistener, teacher.
 Clover Davis Blue Creek; Lester Davis, teacher.
 Helen Davies, Blue Creek; Iva King, teacher.
 Glennis Kenny, Jefferson; Ernest Hiestand, teacher.
 William Snyder, Jefferson; Alda Sprunger, teacher.
 Gerald Elzey, Berne; Pearl Atz, teacher.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys and they become sort of paralyzed and cloggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.

Clifton Lehman, Berne; Roland v. d. Smissen, teacher.
 Erwin Minger, Geneva; Miss Fravel, teacher.
 Edith Renner, Geneva; Miss Hoskinson, teacher.
 Amelia Isch, French; Cleo Beavers, teacher.
 The alternates selected for the "B" team were Margaret Rawley, Alma Eckrote and Davy Maner. The pronouncers were Supt. E. S. Christen and Everett Smith and the judges were William Bradford, Claudia Buckmaster and C. O. Lehman.

A POT-LUCK SUPPER

The ladies of the Pythian Sisters will entertain all members of the order, both ladies and knights and candidates at a pot-luck supper at the K. of P. home Monday evening at 6 o'clock. Following the supper an initiation will be held and a number of candidates will be given the work. All members are requested to be present.

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

St. Jacob's Oil stops any pain, so when your back is sore and lame, or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest St. Jacob's Oil at any drug store, pour a little in your hand, and rub it right on your aching back; and by the time you count, fifty the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless, and doesn't burn the skin. Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

Your Responsibility Lives After You

A Man's responsibility for his family's welfare cannot, with justice, be laid down even at his death. For it is equally as necessary for him to provide for a careful and wise administration of his affairs after his death, as it is to acquire money and property he intends shall be his family's protection. This can be accomplished by making a will and appointing this company as executor and trustee. By naming this company as executor or trustee you can insure wise management of your estate with a minimum cost.

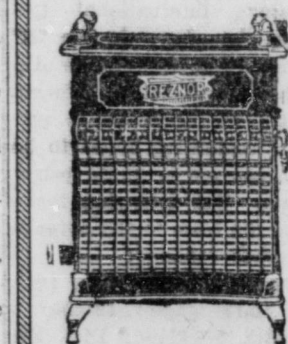
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This Snappy Weather Calls for Gas Heat

It is a wonderful convenience to have on hand a Gas Heating Stove, ready to give instant heat at the touch of a match.

We are showing several styles, from the little copper reflector heater, costing a few dollars, up to the elaborate radiant type which is a thing of beauty and powerful in results.

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The Old Adams County Bank grows steadily because it is essentially friendly in its attitude toward those who favor it with their business. It aims always to make their respective business grow.

With this end always in view, it has so organized its various departments and its effort, that it renders to each customer, SERVICE precisely adopted to personal needs.

This is what you want in Your Bank.

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