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According to a press dispatch the postmaster general has made a ruling that mail need not be left at a person's home unless a mail box is provided for it. If such is the ruling you had better get a mail box.

Decatur was well advertised this summer. First we had the Chautauqua, the big Northern Indiana Fair, Yeoman Day and now let's top it off by electing John W. Tyndall to congress.

James Cox who is touring Europe is quoted as saying that Hoover could save the European countries because the people have confidence in him. True, the people may have confidence in him, but there is still a little work for "Herbie" to do in this country.

The Rotarians will have the honor of entertaining Mr. Mark McKee and Mr. A. N. Farmer of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen on their return visit to this city on September 14th. Rotarians have been secured to talk to

Plans are being made for a cordial welcome and reception of the noted men.

While enjoying a cruise on the Mayflower over the weekend the important information was given out that President Harding would reveal his policy in dealing with the rail and coal strikes. That information will come in handy if given out before the strikes are ended.

Prohibition Commissioner R. A. Haynes in a recent address called for a stricter enforcement of the Volstead law. He omitted any mention of the shipping board's defy of the law by the selling of liquor on American vessels. The shipping board's action helps create contempt for the law.

According to the bulletins sent out by the Indiana State Board of Health the births in the state during the month of May totaled 4,894, while deaths during the same month were 2,775, leaving an increase in population of over two thousand. Lawrence county enjoys the distinction of having the highest birth rate, while Steuben county has the lowest.

The city officials are making an effort to get enough coal to keep the city water and light plant operating. Some months ago the council purchased a several month's supply of coal and had it not been for that our plant would probably have been forced to take the same action as other municipal plants, that of closing down. The local plant still has about a three week's supply and in the meantime we sincerely hope that some action will be taken in getting the cars and mines running. It's about time.

We welcome the teachers who are attending the annual teacher's institute in this city this week. County Superintendent of Schools E. S. Christen has arranged an interesting program and a number of noted educators have been secured to talk to

the teachers. The teacher is one of the most important persons in any community, and his duties are most exacting. To educate the youth of today is most important and Adams county is fortunate indeed in having competent and able teachers who are teaching the boys and girls how to be good citizens and a credit to themselves. Respect and honor the teachers and they will serve you and the community in a way that will repay you.

Among the instructors at the teacher's institute this week are Miss Lyravine Votaw, music instructor, Chicago; Prof. L. R. Brown, head of department of English, Cleveland school of education; Prof. A. M. Harding, Ph. D., director of general extension and lecturer, University of Arkansas; Dean T. J. Breitwieser, dean eastern division Indiana state normal school, Muncie. Competent instructors mean much to the teachers and Superintendent Christen is to be congratulated on securing such well known educators. If the country expects to properly educate the children, the teachers should be given every advantage of good instruction and it is correct to assume that nothing along the educational line is too good for the teachers.

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We have had an inquiry as to who the chairmen and board of directors of the Yeomen Day celebration were. This information is no doubt wanted by someone who thinks they can put on a celebration like this community did last Tuesday. We don't mind telling them that the whole community was back of the project and that we believe no other town or community can duplicate the celebration. It takes more than a board of directors to give an event of this kind and where personal gain or real estate promoters are back of a movement of this kind it will surely fail. Let them try. We have absolute confidence in the directors and officials of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen that they will be able to see the difference.

The Young Women's Missionary Circle will entertain the Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical church at the church on Tuesday evening. A feature of the meeting will be a report of the Oakwood Park conference held recently. There will be other entertaining features.

The Auction Bridge Club will meet on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Agnes Kohne.

The Psi Iota Xi sorority will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at home of Miss Donna Parrish.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. John T. Vail. The ladies will have a pot luck supper with their husbands at 6 o'clock. Each lady is asked to bring her own dishes and silverware. Friday will be dues paying day and all members are asked to have their dues ready for the meeting.

Miss Pearl Wolfe and Mr. Paul Bailer were united in marriage at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon by G. F. Kintz, Justice of the Peace, in his office. Both young people are residents of this city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Wolfe and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bailer. They will reside in this city.

The paper gives precedence to a digest of weekly events of importance so that readers who are in a hurry can leave within a half hour with a knowledge of outstanding events.

For those who have more leisure there is an editorial on a subject of current interest, a social gossip column, a comic column read by a humorist, theatrical criticism and literary reviews, and finally a pamphlet told by its author.

There is no advertising however, and no business man in the audience may take up the reader's time by crying his goods.

London, Aug. 25.—Emma Brazier, one hundred and five yesterday, celebrated the occasion by drinking four glasses of beer and singing God save the Queen.

Friends impressed on her that a King was reigning in England but Emma wasn't having any.

"Queen Victoria I seen married, and I never see her die" she told them. "When I see her buried I'll sing God Save the King—not before."

London, Aug. 24.—Side whiskers are coming into fashion again in London.

With them, there is an influx of the knitted cigar cases of early Victorian times.

Several young men with cheek whiskers produced the knitted cases—presents from girl admirers—at the Cowes yacht races.

A musical program will be given at the Reformed church at Magley, Ind. Sept. 3.

This program will consist of songs by the Magley male choir, quartett, solo, piano duets and pipe organ.

Watch the Democrat for the entire program in a few days.

The public is invited to attend this program. Remember Sept. 3, Sunday evening beginning at 7:30 standard time.

JOE BRENNEN, President.

Amateur authors must git th' blues 'cause magazines refuse their stories, fer that's no sign they hasn't good. Joe Kite is lettin' his grocery bill grow till Bryan's elected.—Abe Martin in the Indianapolis News.

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DOINGS IN SOCIETY

CLUB CALENDAR

Monday

Delta Theta Tau with Mrs. Bernard Terreever.

Tuesday

Tri Kappa—Alta Teeple and Victoria Mills at Teeple home.

Young Women's Missionary Circle entant Women's Missionary Society of Evangelical church at the church.

Psi Iota Xi—Donna Parrish.

Wednesday

St. Vincent de Paul—Mrs. Dr. Keller.

Auction Bridge Club with Miss Agnes Kohne.

Friday

Womans Home Missionary Society of M. E. Church with Mrs. John W. Vail.

Mrs. Henry Leichtensteiger was very

pleasantly surprised last Friday eve-

ning by a number of her neighbors and

friends. Friday was the fifty-sixth an-

iversary of her birth. Mr. Leichten-

steiger received a number of very nice

presents. The evening was spent in

playing games and other forms of

amusement. Those present from out-

of the city were: Mrs. Laura Baxter,

Mr. and Mrs. Burnell and son, all of

Fort Wayne.

The Tri Kappa sorority will meet

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in this city.

Peaches at Mills' Grocery

Tuesday and Wednesday.

READY TO LAY

CORNER STONE

Work on New Adams County

Memorial Hospital is

Progressing Rapidly

According to Mr. Charles Sanders,

contractor, the corner stone of the

new Adams County Memorial Hospital

will be laid within the next few days.

The foundation work is practically

completed. It was decided by the

board of trustees recently that no pub-

lic ceremonies would be held on the

occasion of the corner stone laying.

It is hoped that the building will be

enclosed before cold weather arrives

in order that the work may be con-

tinued throughout the winter months and

completed early in the summer. Mr.

Sanders stated that there is sufficient

material on the site at present to keep

the workmen busy for some time.

There are about fifteen men working

on the building at present. The boil-

er for the heating plant has arrived

and will be put in soon.

NOTICE TO PHI DELTS

The regular meeting of the Phi

Delta Kappa fraternity will be held

in the fraternity rooms at 7 o'clock

tonight prompt. It is important that

all members attend.

JOE BRENNEN, President.

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English Sports Are

On a Decline Now

so made by the British against the Na-

val Academy crew at the Olympic

games because too much attention and

instruction were devoted to rowing at

Annapolis. They figured that men be-

ing educated to the profession of

"Sailors" should not be allowed to