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A real break in the weather converted a ten days' heat wave into very delightful temperature last evening and continues today under cloudy skies. A shower or two would be worth a million or so to this country and the prediction of the weather experts is that we will get them. Here's hoping.

The Washington Evening Star under the headline "Keep an eye on Ralston" predicts a long contest in the national democratic convention next year and the breaking of the deadlock by the nomination of Samuel M. Ralston, senator from Indiana. That's right only we doubt if the contest will last as long as the Star prediction intimates.

Roy Couch, custodian of the state house has been removed from office, the state accountants reporting a shortage of \$8,400 and still growing. Roy must have got the money with some speed and with the idea that he could not be checked. His place will be taken by Henry A. Roberts, former state statistician after a fight which brought in several factions including the klan and on which the board was divided. The selection was finally made by the republican state committee, the principal qualification probably being politics. William Williams, colored, assistant custodian, was in charge of the state house after the dismissal of Couch.

Several Decatur men started out this morning to assist farmers in this section take care of their crops. That's fine and more of those who

can really help can do a dandy turn by offering their services. We heard one young man tell a farmer last evening that while he couldn't do some of the work on the farm, he could drive a team and he was promptly invited to join the squad. He showed the right spirit. If we really want to help the farmer at this time when he has a real problem, if we want him to have a profit when the harvest is in, if you want this community to thrive, you have the chance in one way or another to do it during the next few weeks.

John Whitfield, murdered of Dennis Griffin, Cleveland policeman, and fugitive since May 11th was captured yesterday in Detroit. It's a queer thing that after he had been chased across a thousand miles, captured and escaped and lost sight of, he should be caught so close to the scene of his crime. It is an enigma that he should not have sought escape by adding distance but he perhaps went on the theory that officers would not expect to find him so near to Cleveland. It is likely he will not be given an opportunity to make another get-away until the court and jury have passed upon his guilt or innocence. He is well known by a number of people here and had visited in this community on numerous occasions for which reason there is more than passing interest in his case.

Concern over the visit of Governor Smith of New York to French Lick has every appearance of much ado about nothing. Thomas Taggart happens to operate a popular hotel, where those who can afford it frequently go to rest. Governor Smith went to that hotel to rest. Taggart happens to be a Democrat party leader, and Smith a Democratic presidential possibility. Therefore, the conclusion that there must be momentous significance in the Smith visit. Smith and Taggart have little in common except the fact they belong to the same political party. No governor of Indiana would have dared sign a bill to repeal the state prohibition law. This is an evident fact regardless of any feeling on the subject by individuals. Smith signed the repealer because he believed the people of New York wanted it. Taggart is playing Indiana politics and national politics, not New York politics. Smith has played New York politics to such an extent that he can not play Indiana politics, which also is the Middle West politics and is the kind of politics that more frequently than not wins elections.—Evansville Press.

## Girl Couldn't Stand Clothes to Touch Her

"My father got me a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble and I am feeling so much better since taking it. My stomach was so painful I couldn't stand my clothes to touch me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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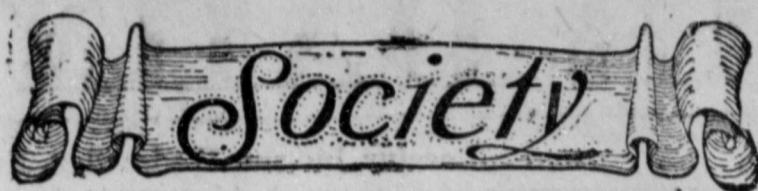
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## CLUB CALENDAR

Wednesday

St. Vincent de Paul—Mrs. Nicholas Brown.

Thursday

Philamath Bible Study Class of Mt. Pleasant Church—Esther Fuhrman.

Ladies Aid Society of E. V. Church—church parlors.

Ladies Aid Society of Christian Church with Mrs. J. E. Anderson, 2:30 p.m.

Silent Workers Class of U. B. Church—Mrs. W. P. Barkley.

Baptist Woman's Society—Mrs. Ira Rodle, 2:30.

Young Woman's Auxiliary of M. E. Church—Mrs. Virgil Krick, South First street, 7:30 p.m.

Friday

Minnehaha Club—Red Men Hall.

Ladies Aid Society of M. E. Church—Cherry Pie Social—Church lawn.

Economic Club of St. Marys Township—Pleasant Mills School House, 1:30 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Aid Society—Mrs. Henry Schoensted.

Friday Night Club—Mrs. J. S. Peterson.

The Silent Workers Class of the United Brethren Church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. P. Barkley, on North Fifth street. All members are requested to attend as there will be important business to be transacted.

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Ira Rodle, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. S. E. Shamp has charge of the program.

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Methodist church, will meet at the home of Mrs. Virgil Krick, on South First street, at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening. All members are urged to be present. A good program will be given.

Mrs. J. S. Peterson entertained at a luncheon and five hundred party last evening at her home on Jefferson street. The six small tables were attractively decorated with roses. After the luncheon prizes in five hundred were won by Mesdames John Carmody, E. X. Ehinger, Farr and Miss Rose Christen. Out of town guests were Mrs. Roger Gipe, of New Sharon, Iowa; Mrs. B. E. Day, of Portland; and Mrs. Edward Wilson, of Fort Wayne.

Mrs. James Elbersohn delightfully entertained with a twelve o'clock luncheon at the Murray Hotel yesterday, for the "Study Club" of Bryant, of which she is a member. The small tables were very pretty with their centerpieces of pink roses, with place cards and nut cups to correspond. After the luncheon the program was taken up at the Elbersohn home on South Second street. Stunts were given by each member and contests were enjoyed. They visited the new Adams county hospital. Among those present from this city were Mesdames, Herb Borroughs, J. S. Peterson, J. F. Arnold and F. I. Patterson. Out-of-town guests were Mesdames I. A. Montgomery, I. G. Metzner, A. F. Ford, C. A. Crow, Beryl Miller, Misses Blanche Lasevor Lella and Irma Huckereide; Mrs. O. D. Arnold, of Geneva; Mrs. G. A. Smith of New Haven, and Mrs. B. E. Day, of Portland.

The sixth annual reunion of the Glass families was held Sunday, June 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Pettit, Convoys. Following the big dinner the following officers were elected for the year: President, Tom Glass, of Elida; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Crites of Van Wert. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitright and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly and family, of Decatur attended the reunion.

Miss Alta Teeple returned yesterday from Rome, New York, where she taught the past year. She attended the commencement exercises of Vassar College, also of Princeton, and saw the Princeton-Yale baseball game. Miss Teeple visited school friends at Philadelphia and Johnston on her way home.

Raymond Keller entertained with an eight o'clock luncheon at his home on North Ninth street last evening for Dr. H. E. Keller, L. C. Waring, Hugh Hite, C. S. Niblick and C. A. Dugan.

## CHICAGO MARKET CLOSE

Wheat: July \$1.01½; Sept. \$1.01½; Dec. \$1.04½. Corn: July \$2¼; Sept. 78½c; Dec. 66½c. Oats: July 41½c; Sept. 37½c; Dec. 39c.

## Army Deserter Caught

Kendallville, Ind., June 27—After eluding authorities for four weeks Merle Eichman wanted on charges of being an army deserter was arrested at the home of his aunt Mrs. Selesta Eichman today. He will also face charges of forgery and violation of the Mann White Slavery act.

## BAKED GOODS SALE

The Ladies Aid of the Pleasant Mills M. E. church will hold a bake sale at the Schmitt meat market, Saturday, June 30, from eight until eleven-thirty a. m. There will be angel food cakes, besides all the other baked goods.

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If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmothers recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.



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A beautifully illustrated booklet descriptive of Atlantic City—and of many other delightful resorts along the New Jersey shore—may be obtained upon application to any ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Summer tourist fares via Delaware River Bridge—the only all-rail route—are now effective.

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