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HOME NEWS.

TAXES! TAXES!!

The third Monday (April 17, 1893) of April, the last day for the payment of taxes is now near at hand.

The books will positively be closed on that date.

I will not make out receipts for this collection. All parties are requested to call at the office to pay taxes.

PERRY ROBINSON, Treas.

1-4 Adams County.

Clean up the city.

"Smoke the Leland."

"World's Fair entertainment."

A charming singer from Bluffton will render a sweet song.

A solo by Will Schirmeyer at the World's Fair entertainment.

The best musical talent of Decatur at the World's Fair entertainment.

Mrs. Kid Townsend, of Fort Wayne, Sundayed with friends here.

Fred Pyle, of Geneva, was attending to some business here last Monday.

N. P. Brown, of Fort Wayne, was with friends here the first of the week.

Mr. Ross, of the Hotel Randall, was shaking hands with friends here one day this week.

Don't fail to call on Rose Holthouse to get the latest styles, and low prices in Millinery. 1-2

We have secured the agency for the celebrated "Leland" 50 cigar. Try them. YAGER BRO'S. 4-6

Rev. Work has been appointed chairman of the standing committee on conference relations.

If you want a nice, pleasant smoke, ask for the "Leland," 50 cigar at 4-6 YAGER BRO'S.

Samuel Miller, Sundayed in Bluffton the guest of his father-in-law, H. E. Grove and family.

CALL AT BOYD & CO'S. and examine their prices before purchasing anywhere else in the city. 52tf

Barney Kalvariska left yesterday for Ft. Wayne where he will remain one week, observing the Passover.

For fashionable Millinery, latest styles, and prices that can't be beat, call on Rose Holthouse, above A. Holthouse's shoe store. 1-2

Mrs. Mary E. Galloway and son Norval, left here yesterday for Streator, Illinois, where they expect to spend the summer.

PLENTY OF TIME to contract for machinery before harvest. Call and see the Osborne Binder and Mower before buying. JOHN KING, Jr. 51tf

MAPLE SYRUP.—The waterworks well drillers have sent Coffee Bros., a lot of genuine maple syrup, right from the sugar camps of N. Eastern, Ohio, which can be bought at reasonable prices. 22

Old straw hats reshaped into pretty new spring styles. Call and see the new styles. Coloring and bleaching a specialty at Miss Sarah Segur's, on Seventh street, opposite G. R. & I. Depot. 52-2

Van Wert, Ohio, is making an effort to secure the Taylor University, of Ft. Wayne. It does not receive the encouragement from Ft. Wayne that it should and is ready to move.

That celebrated and entertaining couple, "Samantha Allen and Josiah," will be at the "Fair" and attend the reception of President and Mrs. Cleveland.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! I sell the OSBORNE Binder and Mower, which has a reputation hard to excel. Don't fail to investigate its merits before buying any other machine. 51tf JOHN KING, Jr.

Many will be unable to visit the World's Fair at Chicago because of the great expense, but Decatur people need not care, as a "World's Fair" is provided for them right here at home for almost nothing.

W. W. Huntsman and family left Wednesday evening for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they expect to remain until Mrs. Huntsman regains her health. He will return as soon as he feels that he can safely leave his family, which he hopes will be in a few weeks.

GAFFER & RAILING—Practical painters, grainers, glaziers, and paper-hangings solicit your patronage. Prices as low as the lowest and work guaranteed. Country work will receive prompt attention. Leave orders at Yager Bros. Drug Store. 37-24

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For a first-class shave or hair cut call on F. C. Foreman.

Mrs. Jacob Blew, of Bluffton, is visiting friends here this week.

There will be services at the Reform church to-day at 10 o'clock.

Two of our young ladies will go to the fair west in the near future.

Miss May Forbing, Sundayed in Ft. Wayne, with relatives and friends.

Commissioner Fetter is improving, so he can be up and about the house.

Call at BOYD & CO'S.

for Family White Fish.

Mell Thomas, of Birmingham, Ala., is visiting his brother, Joe, and family.

Call at BOYD & CO'S. who knock 'em all silly on fine, clean goods and low prices.

Ex Sheriff McGriff and wife, of Geneva, were calling on friends here this week.

D. M. Hensley and John Yeager, called an lady friends at Ft. Wayne, Tueday evening.

For the latest and most stylish assortment of Wall Paper, go to Holthouse, Blackburn & Co. Prices low. 1-6

Mrs. Joe Hart, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past week, has returned to Pontiac, Mich. and took possession immediately.

Don't fail to see the new stock of wall paper at Nachtrieb's before buying elsewhere. 52tf

Daniel Sprang was called to Williamsport the forepart of the week. Some of his friends being quite sick.

Maggie Dorwin, one of the assistants of the Feeble Minded Institute of the State, is visiting her parents.

Come to the "World's Fair" at Meiber's Hall. Music sweet will greet you, kind friends will meet and seat you.

Some of our readers failed to grasp the idea we presented last week when we spoke of a secret society having a poker room in their building.

Alonzo Calderwood, son of Rolla, left for North Dakota, last Wednesday. A number of young men from Blue Creek township, accompanied him.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A team of horses harness and log wagon. A complete outfit for logging. Cash or note. 2-2 ELI ZIMMERMAN.

Hon. S. W. Hale made us a pleasant call last week while here with his brother, J. D. He says Geneva is booming.

If you want fresh, reliable garden seeds, buy Lemire's seeds, of Holthouse, Blackburn & Co. As all seeds not sold at the end of the season are burned, there is no danger of getting old seed. 49-w

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Mann entertained a number of young folks in a very neat manner at their home on Thirteenth street, last Tuesday evening. All had an enjoyable time, and devoted their time to games, music and songs, until a late hour, when they retired to their respective homes.

The "B. & M." Cigar, manufactured by Byers & McConnell, has become the Standard Brand among smokers. It possesses the make-up of a ten cent cigar being filled with pure Havana tobacco. Ask for the "B. & M." and you will always enjoy a good smoke. 48-tf

Mother's Recommendation.

We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville, who would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day. From personal experience we can say that it has broken up bad colds for our children.—Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. H. Nachtrieb, "The Druggist."

Cholera in Pennsylvania.

Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholera, as our physicians called it, in this place lately and I make a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine.

P. P. KNAPP, Ph. G.

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Miss Bertha Winch, of Ft. Wayne, is visiting the family of Wm. R. Dorwin.

The Best 5 cent cigar in the city, at 52tf BOYD & CO'S.

Monsier LaDelle Sundayed with his wife at her father's Clint Fisher.

A. M. Fisher is in the western part of this state this week buying and shipping horses.

New spring line of carpets, lace curtains and opaque fringed shades at J. Niblick & Son. 24-4

AARON DEVINNEY, House Painter and Paper Hanger. All work guaranteed. 50-4

Call and see the fine assortments in carpets and lace curtains at J. Niblick & Son.

J. L. McConnell, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of his brother, Mark and wife.

Dr. Jesse E. Mann, of Butler, Pennsylvania, is the guest of his brothers and sister here and other friends.

Don't fail to call and examine the new and elegant line of Wall Paper at Holthouse, Blackburn & Co. Stock immense. 1-6

An interesting feature of the World's Fair will be the celebrated people one will see. These can also be seen at the "World's Fair entertainment" at the Opera House, April 7th and 8th.

Old gentleman (from the head of the stairs)—"Ethel, that young man goes to work at 8 o'clock in the morning. For goodness sake, let him go home and get some sleep."

Our boot and shoe dealers have arranged their show windows so artistically, that one is very much reminded of some of our larger cities, when looking at them. Our dealers carry stock that equal any that can be bought, the country over.

Having sold my business house, I will close out my entire stock of Harnesses, Plows, Buggies, Wagons, Cultivators, Wheelbarrows, Grindstones, Flay Rakes, House Paints, &c. To those in need of any of the above articles I will give good bargains. Terms Cash or on good time. JOHN KING, Jr.

Through the powers that be, the unsightly dilapidated old fence, that surrounded the square on which the court house stands, has been removed. While this is a move in the right direction, the yard should be filled up and otherwise beautified, so that it will be a pleasant place for the people to spend a short time when they come to our city. Keep the good work a moving.

Will Hull, one of the most popular athletes of the state, commonly known as "Gentleman Jack," and quite well-known at Decatur, was hurt here so badly in a contest last Friday night, that it is feared he will never be able to enter any great contest for some years again, if ever. Mr. Hull has many friends and some relatives in Decatur and was there a few weeks ago in the interests of the "Guarantee Investment Co."—Fort Wayne Gazette.

NOTICE.

PRICE LIST AT THE

PORK HOUSE,

FOR MEATS.

CHICAGO DRESSED BEEF.

Steak, the best cuts, - - - - 11c

Round and Chuck Steak, - - - - 10

Fresh, - - - - 10

Smoked Ham, - - - - 18

Sliced Ham, - - - - 22

Side Meat and bacon, smoked, - - 16

Beef, for Bolling, - - - - 12

Pork Sausage, - - - - 6

Dry Beef, - - - - 15

Dry, - - - - 12

Veal and Poultry on hand most all

30c

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Memorial day will soon be here again and it should be duly observed, having been set apart by Congress as a day to be duly observed in commemoration of those whose lives were sacrificed for the country in which we live. May our people realize that the day is not set apart for merrymaking, but that we may strew flowers on the graves of those noble heroes whose lives were sacrificed that our country might be the better, that the pleasures that we now enjoy may be ours forever.

FOR SALE.—Forty acres of good

farming land for sale in St. Marys township 1/2 miles from Willsboro, Ohio, on a good road; twenty-five acres all cleared; all under fence; a good gravel bank on said farm; price thirty-five dollars per acre. Will sell on reasonable terms. Also in Willsboro, Ohio, five acres of good brick land with a brick machine and tools, with enough moulding sand for 300,000 brick. Will sell cheap if sold in a short time. For further particulars inquire of Dr. J. K. Ross, Willsboro, Ohio.

LISTEN PEOPLE!

Did you hear something drop in the way of

BOOTS AND SHOES

in the city of Decatur? If so, we are in it with

A FULL STOCK.

We are in it for

PERFECT FITS;

we are in it for

BEST GOODS;

we are in it with

PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.

Simply because we buy for cash and

propose to give our customers the

best of