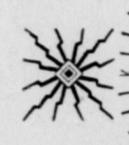


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Before the dawn of what may be called the inventive age, wise men looked forward to the time when wonderfully perfect mechanism would give to all the world woolen fabrics in which artistic beauty would be combined with intrinsic merit. Hundreds of thousands of American citizens are today wearing and recommending these goods. Old ideas, old methods, old traditions, must give way to the new, the modern, the twentieth century regime. Many of the most prominent clothiers of the land find themselves seriously handicapped from the fact that practical tailors can and do compete in price with ready-made work. Our expenses are light, our profits are small. Our woolens are sold and made up by experienced hands. We can and will make you a suit for the price you will pay for a strictly all wool ready-made suit. The reasons why you should get your spring suit made by us, are

1. There is a demand for our work and that demand is growing.
2. Our work gives satisfaction.
3. We are the lowest priced tailors in the city.
4. We use the best grade of trimmings, and the process of manufacture is constantly watched.
5. We are the promoters of low prices in merchant tailoring in Decatur.

A call at our place of business will convince you that all we say is true.

 **DOTY, The Tailor.**

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LEGAL ADVERTISING.

APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator with full authority of the estate of Uriah G. H. King late of Adams county, deceased. The estate is probably solvent.

LOUIS GERIG, Administrator, February 24, 1898.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors, heirs and legatees of Samuel Diehl, deceased, to appear in the Adams circuit court, held at Decatur, Indiana, on the 23d day of March, 1898, and if cause, if any, why the final settlement of the estate with the estate of said deceased and of his wife, Anna Diehl, heirs are refused to them, and then make proof of her death and receive their distributive shares.

FRANCY A. DIEDL, Administrator, Decatur, Indiana, March 4, 1898.

R. K. LEWIN, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Indiana, Adams County, ss: In the Adams Circuit Court, of Adams County, Indiana.

Declaratory Loan Association vs. No. 5,665

Sarah Middleton, George Middleton

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed by the clerk of the Adams Circuit Court of said County and State, I have levied upon the real estate hereinafter mentioned and will expose for sale at public auction at the east door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, Adams County, Indiana, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on

Friday, March 18, 1898.

The rents and profits for a term not exceeding seven years, of the following described real estate, situated in Adams County, Indiana, to wit:

Plot number nine hundred thirty-four (34) in Aiken T. Lynch's addition to the city of Decatur, said county, as the same is designated on the recorded plat of the city of Decatur in Adams County, Indiana.

And on failure to realize therefrom the full amount of the judgment, interest thereon and costs, I will at the same time and in the same manner aforesaid, offer for sale the fee simple of the above described property.

Taken as the property of Sarah Middleton et al to satisfy said order of sale, this 22d day of February, 1898.

PETER P. ASCHAUCHER, Sheriff.

By FRANCIS E. MCLEAN, Deputy.

Mann & Beatty, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a public examination of teachers at the county superintendent's office in Decatur, Indiana, on the last Saturday of each month. Manuscript made in other countries will not be received.

Applicants must be seventeen years of age before they will be licensed. Besides the statutory branches and science of education applicants will be required to answer a list of questions located in the selection made by the state board of education.

The examination in the science of education ("Plato the Teacher,") and the general culture book ("Teaching the Language-Arts,") for the six months beginning with the November examination will be based on the township institute work for the year, covering one institute at each examination.

November—Outline one.

December—Outline two.

January—Outline three.

February—Outline four.

March—Outline five.

April—Outline six.

The work in reading will not be based upon any particular textbook. Teachers' examination begins promptly at 8:30 a. m.

Yours very truly,

IRVIN BRANDYBERRY,
County Superintendent.

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Maggie M. Barr

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