



#### Additional Locals.

The new Fair Store for flannels.

YI-KI cures corns and warts. 1tf  
Johnny is now marching home again.

The new Fair Store for groceries of all kinds.

The summer is far spent and school days will soon be at hand.

Simeon P. Beatty spent Sunday with his family at Rome City.

The new Fair Store, always the cheapest. Never to be undersold.

Mrs. John W. Tyndall and son, Dan, spent Sunday with friends in Ohio.

"Side Tracked" is credited with doing its usual phenomenal business this season.

For Trade.—A three year old Jersey cow with calf. Will trade for sheep. Address, F. J. Houk, Decatur, Indiana. 25-2

James Lynch, a former Decatur boy, now located at Dunkirk, was looking up friends here the latter part of last week.

A Household necessity.—No family should be without Foley's Colic Cure, for all bowel complaints. Holthouse, Callow & Co.

Misses Kittie Christen and Bertha Sellemyer were visitors at Fort Wayne last Thursday and report a pleasant time.

The army will be maintained at 100,000 men for some time. Troops over that number will be discharged from the service.

Found.—At Holthouse, Callow & Co's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is Foley's Kidney Cure. 5

The young lady who wanted to know which of the cows gave ice cream, is out in the country again this summer, and is asking the farmers if they keep a bee or buy their honey already made.

Do not be imposed on.—Always insist on getting Foley's Honey and Tar, as it is positively, absolutely and unqualifiedly the best cough medicine. Accept no substitute.—Holthouse, Callow & Co.

A word of warning to the young lads of Decatur and their parents, should be enough. Last Friday six young lads of Decatur were found in the grape patch of J. T. Baker. If anyone is seen there again, they will be prosecuted.

You invite disappointment when you experiment. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pleasant, easy thorough little pills. They cure constipation and sick headache just as sure as you take them. Page Blackburn.

Girls, don't assume a free and easy slangy way of talking to men to obtain popularity by being considered a "jolly girl." They may appear to be amused, but in their hearts they do not approve; femininity is woman's chief charm to a man.

Why is it that when a young lady pins a bouquet on the lapel of a young man's coat she usually turns her head to one side and tilts up her chin to look at it? The young man who doesn't tumble is slow that he would be run over by a horse.

The new Fair Store for enamel ware. For Sale—Two good houses. For information inquire of Daniel Schlegel, on First street. 24-3

Truth wears well. People have learned that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are reliable little pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and sick headache. They don't gripe. Page Blackburn.

The report that every husband who now kisses his wife must put a revenue stamp on her cheek, is not a fact. The government requires stamps to be used where profit will insure, and makes no vain revenue laws. Stamps are only used when a man kisses other men's wives.

The pain of a burn or scald is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It also heals the injured parts more quickly than any other treatment, and without the burn is very severe does not leave a scar. For sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co.

The camping ground occupied by the 160th is located on the farm of Simon Weil, two miles from Lexington, on the Versailles pike and Louisville Southern railroad. The place is watered by the Elkhorn creek which never goes dry, and is near the famous Bryan Station spring.

An Iowa physician not long ago had under treatment a boy suffering from what seemed to be typhoid. It was found subsequently that the boy had swallowed several lemon seeds, which had remained in the alimentary tract two weeks and had sprouted fully one-eighth of an inch long.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has the largest sale of any Salve in the world. This fact and its merit has led dishonest people to attempt to conterfeite it. Look out for the man who attempts to deceive you when you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the great pile cure. Page Blackburn.

FOR SALE—I have vacant lots desirable for building purposes and improved farms on long time with low rate of interest. Improved city property to trade for farm property, will pay difference. Call and see me before investing. 12tf R. K. ERWIN.

The state board of school commissioners decided at a recent meeting, to make several changes in the series of school books for the five years beginning with 1899. Bids to supply the school books will be asked for. The changes in text books promise to be pretty general all along the line from copy book to arithmetics.

One Minute Cough Cure surprises people by its quick cures and children may take it in large quantities without the least danger. It has won for itself the best reputation of any preparation used to-day for colds, croup, tickling in the throat or obstinate coughs. Page Blackburn.

A special from Green town says that the mad dog scare which was so prevalent in that vicinity last spring, when many persons were bitten by dogs supposed to be mad, is now followed by evidence of hydrophobia among the hogs. Several farmers have been compelled to kill many of their hogs that betrayed madness.

On Tuesday next, at Bosse's Opera House, local theatre-goers will be given an opportunity to witness "Side Tracked," one of the most successful comic plays on the road. The play is filled with funny situations and specialties of a high order. A multitude of novel scenery is carried to make each scene picturesque and vastly interesting to the eye.

It hits the spot.—When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar, when the soreness will be at once relieved, a warm grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced and you will say: It feels so good. It hits the spot. It is guaranteed. Holthouse, Callow & Co. 5

The battleship Indiana has an interesting relic of the Spanish war in an indented silver punch bowl which was struck by a piece of Spanish shell which was exploded on board during the fight with Cervera's fleet. The fragment remains in the indention.

A soldier dead for three days was about to be dissected at the Algiers military hospital when he woke up and before the doctors recovered from their surprise, got off the dissecting table and walked into the next room, where he wrote down some words on a piece of paper to make sure he was alive and awake. The doctors now say that he has completely recovered from his lethargy.

Good enough to take.—The finest of loaf sugar is used in the manufacture of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the roots used in its preparation give it a flavor similar to that of maple syrup, making it very pleasant to take. As a medicine for the cure of coughs, colds, lagriple, croup and whooping cough it is unequalled by any other. It always cures, and cures quickly. For sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co.

Greenville, Ohio, has a sensible idea. The city police will, beginning with September 1, order all young girls who are in the habit of walking the street until late, to go home and stay there. The habit has become entirely too strong and is a matter of much conversation among the people who come into the city. The practice should be stopped, even if severe measures have to be adopted.

An exchange says of a man who pays for his paper in advance that he has never been sick a day in his life, never had corns on his toes, or the toothache, his potatoes never rot, his oats never rust, the weasel never kills his chickens, the frost never kills his beans, his babies never cry at night and his wife never scolds, and he succeeds in serving three terms on the school board without being cussed.

## Excursion Rates

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## Dress Goods.

YOU CAN'T GET SUCH VALUES ANYWHERE BUT

HERE.

15 cents.

34 inch Henrietta; an excellent fabric, in all the leading shades, marked down from 25 cents: this sale

15 cents.

8 cents.

Delaines. Complete line of shades, worth 10 and 12 cents. This sale

8 cents.

45 cents.

Novelties. All wool, fine French weaves, contain all the new colorings; marked down from 75 cents. This sale

45 cents.

25 cents.

Aldine Flannels. This cloth is conceded to be the best of its kind. Sold everywhere at 35 cents. This sale

25 cents.

\* \* Call or send for Samples. \*

## BOSTON STORE.

The Kuebler & Moltz Company.  
I. O. O. F., Block.

The new Fair Store for chinaware.

Ten Million Wheelman.

It is stated by competent authority that there are ten million people in America who are bicyclists. Probably each one gets an average of one hurt in a season, and that is just when Henry & Johnson's Arnica & Oil Liniment gets in its good work. Nothing has ever been made that will cure a bruise, cut or sprain so quickly. Also removes, pimples, sunburn, tan, or freckles. Clean and nice to use. Take it with you. Costs 25 cents per bottle. Three times as much in a 50 cent bottle. We sell it and guarantee it to give satisfaction or money refunded.—Page Blackburn druggist.

A few days ago a Whitley county farmer was boasting of his corn crop and the rapid growth it was making. He said he was out looking at a field and walked across it between two rows. When he turned around to go home he was unable to go back the same way. The corn had "shot out" so rapidly that they interlocked completely blocking the way. Of course we didn't say so to him, but we thought that Blanco's reputation was in danger.

During the first half of this year the Indiana G. A. R. has gained 343 new members. There were taken in by transfer 125 and by reinstatement 482, making a total gain of 950 members. There has been a loss by death of 292 members, by honorable discharge 17, by transfer 376 and by suspension 722, making a total loss of 1,296. During the six months there were organized four new posts, while nine posts surrendered their charters. This is a total loss of five posts. There are at present in Indiana 457 posts with a total membership of 18,166.

The Newport News papers speak very complimentarily of the 160th Reg. One paper says: "The men of the Indiana regiment are as gentlemanly and well behaved as any soldiers that ever passed through. Polite and courteous at all times, they have won the respect of all who have been thrown in contact with them, and the police officers speak in the highest terms of the boys from the west. It is a pleasure to have such soldiers as are in General Grant's brigade encamped in the city, and it is hoped that the war department will see fit to send more of the same kind here."

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, cough and colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with the marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, bronchitis and all throat and lung af-

fections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Trial bottles free at Page Blackburn's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Dr. M. F. Parrish of Monroe, was a business caller in town last Saturday. While here he made this office a pleasant call and renewed his subscription to the DEMOCRAT for another year.

Keeps Folks Well.

It is better to keep well than to get well, although when one is sick, it is desirable to get well. When considered that eight-tenths of the ailments that afflict the American people are caused by constipation, we shall realize why it is that Baxter's Mandrake Bitters "keeps folks well," or if sick, enables them to get well. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters cures constipation. Price 25 cents per bottle. Why not step in and get a bottle and by using it be assured of good health through the trying hot months. We sell it and guarantee it to give satisfaction or money refunded.—Page Blackburn druggist.

Scrofula, a Vile Inheritance.

Scrofula is the most obstinate of blood troubles, and is often the result of an inherited taint in the blood. S. S. S. is the only remedy which goes deep enough to reach Scrofula; it forces out every trace of the disease, and cures the worst cases.

My son, Charlie, was afflicted from infancy with Scrofula, and he suffered so that it was impossible to dress him for three years. His head and body were a mass of sores, and his eyesight also became affected. No treatment that was spared that we thought would relieve him, but he grew worse until his condition was indeed pitiable. I had almost despaired of ever being cured when by the advice of a friend we gave him S. S. S. (Swift's Specific). A decided improvement was the result, and after had taken the specific for many months, who knew of his former dreadful condition would have recognized him. All the sores on his body have healed, his skin is perfectly clear and smooth, and he has been restored to perfect health.

MRS. S. S. MARY,

360 Elm St., Macon, Ga.

For real blood troubles it is a waste of time to expect a cure from the doctors. Blood diseases are beyond their skill. Swift's Specific.

S.S.S. For The Blood

reaches all deep-seated cases which other remedies have no effect upon. It is the only blood remedy guaranteed purely vegetable, and contains no potash, mercury, or other mineral.

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