

The greatest show of the season, The Woman in Black.

Go to the opera house Friday and see the Woman in Black.

"Uncle Hez" played to a crowded house at Bosse's theater Saturday night.

The great political play, The Woman in Black. Opera house, Friday, Oct. 26.

With Galveston as an example, none can aver that the milk of human kindness has soured.

James Niblick and daughter Mae were among the excursionists to Fort Wayne last Friday.

Don't fail to attend the biggest rally ever seen in Indiana at Decatur, Saturday, November 3.

The yellow and red Spanish flag is the oldest of any used by the European powers, as it was first flown in 1785.

No other pills can equal DeWitt's Little Early Risers for promptness, certainty and efficiency. Smith Yager & Falk.

Barney Kalver & Son, four doors south of Peoples' livery barn, pay the highest prices for hides, pelts, furs, iron, metal, rubber, rags, etc. 25tf

Unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice Oct. 20, 1900: Wm. Draper, C. H. Gray, Bertha Railing, Bert Miller in care of John Miller, John Thomas.

The fellow who is known as a hustler does not always have a copy of "Chesterfield's Letters" in his pocket. Too often aggressive methods interest him more than good manners do.

The best method of cleansing the liver is the use of the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Easy to take Never gripe. Smith, Yager & Falk. tf

A new spelling book will be issued in Cincinnati in which there are some changes in the spelling of words. Among them are "thru" for through, "altho" for although and "catalog" for catalogue.

Torturing skin eruptions, burns and sores are soothed at once and promptly healed by applying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. Beware of worthless counterfeits. Smith, Yager & Falk. tf

The western metropolis is trying to rival Chicago all along the lines of modern enterprise. The news is that the fall term of the circuit court in Kansas City, Mo., opened with 300 suits for divorce on the docket.

To First Voters. You are young men casting your first ballot. We congratulate you. We also call your attention to Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for constipation, indigestion, sick headache and stomach trouble. At Smith, Yager & Falk's. o

R. B. Allison attended to business at Berne last Friday.

The Woman in Black is the great city production, with 34 people.

Rev. C. G. Hudson attended the missionary convention at Hoagland last Friday.

The races at Steele's Park next Friday are the closing and banner ones of the year.

Huber DeVoss left last Friday for Chicago, where he is looking after business interests.

Several Decaturites attended the big democratic rally at Huntington last Saturday evening.

H. F. Costello looked after business at Fort Wayne last Friday and heard Bourke Cockran's famous speech.

For sprains, swellings and lameness there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it. For sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

John Yager, J. W. Bosse, Homer Cross, Curley Rademacher, Henry Kohne, R. K. Erwin and others attended the great rally at Fort Wayne Friday evening.

This is the season when mothers are alarmed on account of croup. It is quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure, which children like to take. Smith, Yager & Falk. tf

Times have changed. Now men go forth campaigning on Pullman cars. Jackson and Jefferson would have thought the mule or horse good enough for them in their day and generation.

To stop a cold after exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Take nothing else. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

Senator Thurston sneers at the constitution and the founders of the republic, and Roosevelt sneers at the classes which have always been, and are still, its backbone, as well as a large part of its brains.

If you are overworked, exhausted by sickness, despondent or debilitated in any way, Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier is the remedy for you. For sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

Tim Corbett has opened his new retail and wholesale cigar store in the building formerly occupied by U. Deininger.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at Page Blackburn's drug store.

Mrs. Henry Schulte Sundayed with friends at Fort Wayne.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is now for sale by Smith Yager & Falk. o

Dr. Morgan, of Dixon, Ohio, was here last Friday, attending to business.

H. E. Wells, of Winchester, was in the city last Friday selling novelties and office supplies.

Miss Vesta Dibble is visiting at Springfield, Mass., having left for that destination last Thursday.

Miss Grace Patterson is at home from Cleveland where she has been attending the millinery openings.

An inexperienced pessimist up East says a woman in love and a man in prison generally experience about the same feelings.

A St. Louis druggist and ice cream soda specialist has advertised for "an accurate, registered, thin drug clerk with a mustache."

I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine and think it the best in the world, says Chas. Bender, a newsdealer of Erie Pa. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

For drain tile three to fifteen inches, brick and hollow building blocks, as good as the best, and at prices the lowest. Z. O. Lewellen, Monroe, Ind. 31m3

There will be seven tickets upon the Australian ballot in Indiana this year, viz: Republican, democratic, union reform, prohibitionist, middle-of-the-road populist, social labor and social democrat.

The editor of the Fordville, Ky. Miscellaneous, writes as a postscript to a business letter: "I was cured of kidney trouble by taking Foley's Kidney Cure." Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

Among the Chilians a belief prevails that the juice of onions is a sure cure for typhoid fever if given in its early stages. Perhaps the typhoid microbes dislike the onion's perfume and decide to move on.

Remember these facts; more for your money, less trouble to use and each package colors all fibers. Putnam Fadeless Dyes sold at 10c per package by Smith, Yager & Falk. 32-2

McKinley declared war, the troops under Otis fired the first shots and killed the first man. The signal of war on the part of the Filipinos was McKinley's proclamation declaring for conquest and subjugation.

A Card. The manufacturers of Banner Salve have authorized the undersigned to guarantee it for burns, cuts, sores, ulcers, tetter, eczema and all skin diseases. Your money back if it doesn't do all it claims. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

The revenue department has ruled to the effect that a deed from a husband and wife to a third party, and from that party back to either husband and wife, requires no revenue stamp, where there is no consideration, neither requires a stamp.

It heals the lungs when suffering from a racking cough, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved and a warm, grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

A St. Marys woman of 50, who has lost two husbands and experienced all other kinds of trouble, says that it is her experience that no sorrow is very great if the pantry is well stocked and there is a bank account.

When you have no appetite, do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Holthouse, Callow & Co's drug store.

A community up East is trying to find out which one of the presidential candidates was born in the dark of the moon, so they can be "agin him." They believe in the old Druidical saying as to the time of the birth of the male child: "no moon, no man."

Bright's Disease. High living, intemperance, exposure and many other things bring on bright's disease. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent bright's disease and all other kidney or bladder disorders, if taken in time. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

The man that gets the business uses brainy printer's ink; not a clatter and a splutter, but an ad. that makes you think. And he plans his advertisement as he plans his well-bought stock, and the future of his business is as solid as a rock.

Couldn't Translate It. We received a letter recently we were unable to read. We failed to determine the nationality of the writer. The only words we were able to make out were, "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cures indigestion." Smith, Yager & Falk. o

The next literary fad may get mixed up with a great deal of hard common sense. They say it is to be a Dr. Samuel Johnson craze. It may be welcomed. It was he who held to the opinion that "it matters not how a man dies, but how he lives."

Notice—We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on two 25 cent bottles or boxes of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, if it fails to cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, jaundice, loss of appetite, sour stomach, dyspepsia, liver complaint, or any of the diseases for which it is recommended. It is highly recommended as a tonic and blood purifier. Sold liquid in bottle, and tablets in boxes. Price 25 cents for either. One package of either guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Page Blackburn. tf

# The Political Campaign Is Growing Hotter

## So is our Campaign on reducing prices of what you buy.

We have reduced the price of Lion Coffee to	11c	We are selling 50c children's dress shoes at	39c
We have reduced the price of Coal oil to	9c	We are selling 90c children's dress shoes at	69c
We have advanced the price we pay for eggs to	19c	We are selling \$1.10 children's dress shoes at	79c

We have reduced the price of best crackers to - **6c.**

If these prices don't influence you you are deep-dyed-in-the-wool.

We are selling a lot of ladies' underwear at, per garment	50c 35c	We are selling \$5.00 Silk waists at	\$3.75
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**SATURDAY--Your choice of twenty-five \$2.48 TRIMMED HATS at - \$1.48.**

We can show you the finest line of Capes, Jackets Collarettes and warps of all kinds that you ever saw at attractive prices,

As another firm has said, we can and will sell you any article you need as cheap or cheaper than you can buy the same at any Department House on the Globe. Our reputation, our money and all our interests are here. By helping us you help yourselves and the town and community.

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**Berne, Wednesday, Nov. 8.**  
Dr. Young has treated more cases of Chronic Diseases than any other three doctors in the state.  
We can cure Epilepsy.

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**Consumption and Catarrh can be Cured.**  
Cancers and all Tumors Cured without pain or use of knife

As God has prepared an antidote for the sin-sick soul, so has He prepared antidote for a diseased-sick body. These can be found at the

## Young's Medical and Surgical Institute.

After an examination we will tell you just what we can do for you. If we cannot benefit or cure you, we will frankly and honestly tell you so. Patients can be treated successfully at a distance. Write for examination and question blanks. Streetcars and carriages direct to the Institute. Call on or address

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**J. W. SMITH, M. D., M. C., Manager.**  
**FT. WAYNE, IND.**  
No. 10 W. Wayne St.

It is exasperating to one who has used Foley's Honey and Tar and knows what it will do, to have a dealer recommend something else "just the same" or "just as good." There is nothing "just as good" for colds, coughs, croup, lagrippe, etc. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

Until the time of Charles XII of Sweden, the artillery was not considered a part of the army; the men serving in it were not soldiers, but regarded as mechanics; the officers had no army rank. Charles XII gave artillery officers a rank, and regularly organized the artillery into companies.

Such is the testimony of thousands concerning Brown's Cure, a Perfect Family medicine, the best remedy known for the liver, kidneys and bowels, a positive cure for dyspepsia and all bowel troubles, sick headache, nervousness, constipation and loss of sleep. If you suffer try this great remedy and find health and happiness. Sold by Page Blackburn. Price 5c cts. Yi-Ki cures croup and warts. 157

It has been recently estimated that there is still outstanding more than \$15,000,000 of old "silver dollars," or fractional currency. No doubt much of this has been destroyed, but private collectors are believed to hold great quantities of the bills. They are still redeemable at face value, though they are not under legal tender.

Why do you Commit Suicide?  
The man who lets a cold "run on" until he finds himself in consumption's grasp is guilty of self murder. There is one sure, infallible cure—Cleveland's Lung Healer. Don't delay. We will give you a free trial bottle. Large bottles 25 cents, and you can get your money back if it doesn't cure you. Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

A subscriber notified the editor that he had found a spider in his paper and wished to know if it was an evil omen. The editor promptly replied that it was not; that the spider was there on legitimate business. It was scanning through the columns of the paper to find out who did not advertise so it would know where to locate and not be disturbed.

Millions Given Away.  
It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Page Blackburn, druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Holthouse, Callow & Co's. drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the disease appears. Price, 25 cents per box. Samples free. o

A recent publication in Missouri, where they all eat fruit and talk fruit, says: "Secretary Barnes of the State Horticultural Society has issued a beautiful essay on the subject of prunes. It deals with prunes from cover to cover, and might literally be said to be full of prunes."

It is well to know that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will heal a burn, and stop the pain at once. It will cure eczema and skin diseases and ugly wounds and sores. It is a certain cure for piles. Counterfeits may be offered you. See that you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Smith, Yager & Falk. tf

Horses can sleep standing and so can a few men. Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, the leader of the English opposition, is said to be able to sleep in a standing posture as well as he can lying down. The Duke of Devonshire once said to him: "You are like a policeman, Bannerman; you can always sleep standing up."

He Fooled the Surgeons.  
All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by Page Blackburn, druggist.

Any pensioner the victim of strong drink and dissipated habits, who makes a public nuisance of himself may be investigated by Uncle Sam and if found guilty is likely to be dropped from the pension rolls. This is the latest ruling of the department sent out to pension agents.

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not keep in stock," says Mr. C. R. Gradin, the popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. "She was disappointed and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial if she did not find it worth the money to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy. It is for sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

The wear and tear of silver is considerable. A silver coin usually rubs itself out in about 27 years.

Feelings of safety pervade the household that uses One Minute Cough Cure, the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It is infallible for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. It will prevent consumption. Smith, Yager & Falk. tf

People who are predicting that petroleum will soon cease to flow from the earth should remember that in Zante, one of the Ionian Islands, there is a petroleum spring which has been known for nearly 3,000 years. It is mentioned by Herodotus.

When you cannot sleep for coughing, it is hardly necessary that any one should tell you that you need a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to allay the irritation of the throat, and make possible. It is good. Try it. For sale by Holthouse, Callow & Co. o

According to the Sioux Indian weather prophets, the coming winter will be a hard one. Those predictions are based on the fact that the Buffalo grass shows a heavy crop of seeds, which the redskins declare is a sure sign of a severe winter and deep snow.

Doctors Never Disagree  
on one point—that colery is nature's own remedy for all nerve diseases. Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea cures all nerve troubles, indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney diseases. It purifies the blood and tones up the whole system. We will give you a free trial package. Large packages, 25 cents. Holthouse, Callow & Co.

Owing to the rapid increase of the cocaine habit, there is agitation among the medical fraternity for the enactment of a law at the forthcoming session of the Indiana general assembly to prohibit the sale of the drug, except on prescription of a regular licensed physician.

Neoga, Ill., Oct. 14, '99. Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill. Gentlemen:—I feel it my duty to express to you my gratitude for what your wonderful remedy has done for me. I was completely run down with a complication of stomach disorders. For ten months I could not work and was treated by three eminent physicians. I insisted upon operating on me, declaring nothing short of an operation for appendicitis would cure me. A friend induced me to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and from the first dose I began to improve, and have not had any trouble since. I have gained 25 pounds in weight and am enjoying the very best of health. I never fail to say a good word for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for I know what it has done for me it will do for others. Gratefully yours, Charles Curry. Sold by Smith, Yager & Falk. o