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HOUCK NOT THROUGH YET

The Grant County Bar to Investigate Charges.

Marion, Ind., March 16.—Judge H. J. Paulus, of the Grant circuit court, yesterday started on his own motion disbarment proceedings against William J. Houck, a Marion attorney, who last week was acquitted of the charge of subornation of perjury. Judge Paulus reviewed the charge against Houck and the acquittal on a technicality, saying it was not only proper, but the duty of the court to cause an investigation and examination into the truth of the charges, so that if innocent Houck may be judiciously declared so, and if guilty the court, the profession and the people at large may have proper redress. A committee from the Bar Association appointed by Judge Paulus to conduct an investigation, consists of W. H. Carroll, Grant A. Dentler, W. D. Lett, J. S. Charles, John R. Browne, Foster Davis, Mead S. Hayes, O. L. Cline and W. H. Charles. William J. Houck when seen at his office, said he was not only willing but anxious to have the charges investigated. The acquittal of Houck when the jury had been impaneled to try his case, has led to much discussion among members of the bar, and Judge Paulus decided to institute the disbarment proceedings. Mr. Houck was on the national ticket as Democratic elector for the eleventh district in the last campaign and was once Democratic nominee for congress.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.

The HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

IN MEMORIAM.

Carl Stanley Keller, son of Wm. L. and Minnie V. Keller, was born in Monroe, Ind., July 7, 1907, died March 2, 1909, age 1 year, 7 months and 25 days. He leaves a father, mother and four brothers to mourn their loss. A flower too fair to bloom on earth God has taken him to bloom in heaven. We only know the Lord gave and the Lord has taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It seemed to J. A. Stone, a civil war veteran, of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between adeperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which restored my health completely. I now weigh 175 pounds." For severe Colds, obstinate Coughs, Hemorrhages, Asthma, and to prevent Pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Incendiaries operated in Warren township, Huntington county, for the eighth time in two years Monday night when the large barn of Joseph Poulke was burned, together with a mare, her colt and two calves.

Many Children are Sickly
Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up Colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NEVER WITHOUT IT.

O. T. Frye, Sr., Danville, Ky., says: "Two years ago I gave your Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy to some sick hogs that I had no hopes of saving, and to my surprise it cured them. I have never been without it since, nor have I ceased to tell others about it."

Sold by H. H. Bremerkamp, Decatur, Indiana.

The G. R. & I. depot at Lima, Ind., was broken into Saturday night by burglars, who, it is believed, did not fare very well, although they secured several express packages and a quantity of blank railroad tickets.

How can any person risk taking some unknown cough remedy when Foley's Honey and Tar costs them no more? It is a safe remedy, contains no harmful drugs, and cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. Why experiment with your health? Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar.

The HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

The Royal Neighbors held a meeting last night at which they completed arrangements for the entertainment to be given tonight at the Woodmen hall. The public is invited. Admission, fifteen cents.

Permanently relieves constipation and indigestion. Regulates the bowels, builds up waste tissue. Makes pure blood. You grow strong, healthy and robust. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, the safest, nicest Spring tonic. 35 cents.

SMITH, YAGER & FALK.

James A. Tucker, 53, residing east of Logansport, fell to his death from the bluffs to the limestone banks of the Wabash river near the Logansport Country club Saturday night and his remains were not discovered until Sunday morning.

NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Throats, Whooping Cough, Hemorrhages, Lagrippe, Asthma, and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

A. J. Smith, a resident of this city since last October, is reported missing from his home in the northwest part of the city, and rumor has it that he leaves behind a large number of unpaid bills for house rent, groceries, clothing and fuel. It is said that he left last Friday night.—Portland Sun.

Takes away that careworn, tired, sickly, winter look. Puts sap in every bone. Gives you that feeling of health and happiness. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been the Spring cleanser and regulator of millions of people; there's nothing just as good. 35 cents.

SMITH, YAGER & FALK.

Barney Rupright is making arrangements to move to Ossian soon to reside. He is still employed by the Fort Wayne & Wabash Valley Traction company, but his work is such that he can live in Ossian as well as here and his father has made him a present of residence property in Ossian.—Bluffton News.

Members of Evangelical church are requested to be present this evening as the election of trustees will be held. A good attendance is asked. Rev. D. O. Wise.

Mrs. P. J. Hyland will go to Fort Wayne tomorrow morning to visit with her brother, Jim Touhey, who is at the hospital. The doctors do not yet know the outcome of the injury.

Many deaths have been recorded in Adams county during the past few weeks and at this time many people are very seriously ill. The changeable weather has been conducive to illness.

There will be preaching at the Salem church Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock and also a trustee election. All members earnestly requested to be present. Rev. D. O. Wise, pastor.

All members of the Modern Woodmen should take notice that the meeting tonight will begin at seven o'clock instead of seven-thirty on account of the entertainment which will begin at eight o'clock.

James Kinley, of Noble county, took in a tramp dog. About the first thing the canine did was to bite Mr. Kinley's \$225 colt, two hogs and some sheep. All of the bitten animals died. So did the dog.

Mrs. Ned Steele is entertaining at a St. Patrick's day party this afternoon. The walls of the home are gaily decorated with green flags and shamrocks and look very attractive. The guest of honor is Miss Barker of Marion.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Fuhrman, living south of Decatur, at two o'clock in the afternoon of March 14th, occurred a very pretty wedding when their daughter, Iva Irene, was united in marriage to Forrest Wilbur Danner, a young school teacher residing near South Salem, Ind. Both are very popular young people. Quite a company of relatives and friends were the invited guests of the occasion, and many elegant presents testified the high esteem in which the contracting parties are held. Miss Pruda Danner, a sister of the groom, presided at the organ, while the bridal party approached the parlor to a very appropriate wedding march, where the sacred vows were spoken. After the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Danner will live at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mrs. Otto Reppert will entertain the Helping Hand Society of the German Reformed church at her home on north Eleventh street, tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock and everybody is invited to attend.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. T. W. Watts, Thursday afternoon. Every member is urged to be present.

The Aid Society of the German Reformed church will meet this afternoon with Miss Charles Miller on Seventh street. Refreshments will be served. The guests will devote themselves to sewing for the society.

The Helping Hand Society of the German Reformed church will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fred Reppert on north Third street.

THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

TAKING EVIDENCE

Hearing Evidence in the Gallmeyer Case

MUCH INTEREST

Preble Township More Than Interested in the Case

The lines are drawn and the battle is on in the Adams circuit court in the Gallmeyer case. Most of those in the court room during the day were in some manner interested in the case, which perhaps has developed a greater interest and more feeling than any other one thing that has ever happened in Preble township. The issues were all completed and the taking of evidence began late yesterday afternoon, and nearly the entire day today was taken up in hearing the evidence of Ernest and C. D. Gallmeyer, both of whom were taken over the history of this case, and they both made good witnesses. The many complications in the case, together with the intent of both sides to never give up until the old cat dies, makes the case one in which the best fighting blood is displayed. This fact adds much interest, and it is likely that before the case ends the public generally will be displaying more than ordinary interest in the outcome. It is likely that the evidence in chief for the plaintiff will be concluded by this evening, although this is by no means certain. It will then take the defense a day or two for their evidence, and then the fireworks.

John Hendricks of Monroe, looked after business affairs in the city this morning and has returned to his home.

Miss Frankye Thompson went to Monroe this afternoon to be the guest of friends and relatives for some time.

Mrs. Isaac Peters arrived today to make a visit with her son, R. E. Peters. She will remain for several days.

J. H. Heller was at Fort Wayne today attending a meeting of the Masonic lodge and will return this evening.

John Baker, formerly residing south of town, has secured a medical agency. He will make trips in the vicinity of Huntington in an automobile.

Miss Lanta Wolf of Monroe, passed through the city last evening enroute to Fort Wayne, where she will remain for some time as the guest of friends.

Petitions for macadamized roads in Monroe and French townships have been filed and will be presented to the county commissioners at their next meeting.

Mrs. Isaac Peters of Bluffton, passed through the city last evening enroute to Pleasant Mills, where she will make a visit with her sister, Mrs. U. S. Drummond.

A war scene of the Shenandoah Valley will be shown at the New Star theater tonight and it is said to be one of the most interesting films ever shown in Decatur.

The Erie railroad has erected a large sign at the Winchester street crossing warning everybody that walking on the right-of-way is dangerous and prohibited by the road.

George King, of Wells county, delivered his son, Jesse King, to the office of Sheriff Lipkey on Monday. The young man was wanted on a charge filed by a young girl there.

BUFFALO STOCK MARKETS.

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 17.—(Special to the Daily Democrat)—Receipts 2,910; shipments 2,660.

Official to New York yesterday 1,140, hogs closing strong.
Medium and heavy—\$7.20@7.25.
Yorkers—\$7.10@7.20.
Pigs—\$6.25@6.50.
Roughs—\$6.00@6.35.
Stags—\$4.25@5.00.
Sheep—Receipts 7,000; steady.
Lambs—Slow; tops \$3.00.
Cattle—Receipts 25.

TOLEDO MARKET.

March 16.—
Cash wheat\$1.21½
May wheat1.18½
July wheat1.06
September wheat1.0½
Cash corn68½
May corn68½
July corn68½
September corn68½
Cash oats55½
May oats55½
July oats50
September oats41½

CHICAGO MARKET.

March 16.—
May wheat\$1.15½
July wheat1.04
September wheat97½
May corn87½
July corn87½
September corn86½
May oats54½
July oats48½
September oats40½

PRODUCE.

By Decatur Produce Co.

Eggs15c
Fowls9c
Ducks8c
Geese7c
Turkey13c
Spring chicks9c
Butter14c
Chickens9c

DECATUR GRAIN MARKET.

Niblick and Comp'y.

Eggs15c
Butter13c
Mixed ear corn33
Yellow ear corn35
White oats50
Wheat1.13
Red clover seed4.75
Alsike clover seed7.50
Barley50
Timothy seed1.50

B. KALVER & SONS..Phone 442.

Beef hides9c
Calf hides110
Sheep pelts25c to \$1.00
Tallow4c
Mink\$2.00 to \$4.50
Skunk25c to \$2.25
Coon50c to \$1.40
Opussum10c to 40c
Muskrat50c to 35c

PRICES ON COAL.

Chestnut coal\$7.25
Hocking Valley3.75
West Virginia splint4.00
Wash nut4.00

The Decatur Packing company, Phone 31, will pay the following prices for live stock:

Hogs\$5.10@5.50
Veal calves\$6.00@6.50
Cattle\$3.50@4.25

John Webber went to Willshire on business today.

Daniel Donovan and Daniel Costello went to Fort Wayne today to celebrate St. Patrick's day.

Miss Agnes Costello will go to Fort Wayne this evening to be the guest of friends for some time.

Albert Rabbie, of Delphos, returned to his home yesterday afternoon after a visit with his uncle, C. Vogt.

Mrs. John Roehn returned to Fort Wayne today after attending the funeral of her brother, Martin Shumm at Shumm.

A number of the members of the local chapter Masons went to Fort Wayne last night to attend a meeting held at that place.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.

The HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

WORKED WONDERS.

Mrs. C. P. Wiggins, Lexington, Ky., says: "I gave my fowls Bourbon Poultry Cure when they were sick and it certainly worked wonders."

Sold by H. H. Bremerkamp, Decatur, Indiana.

Beautiful women owe their popularity to perfect health. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes clear, healthy complexions—red, rosy lips, bright, laughing eyes—a healthy system clear through. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents.

SMITH, YAGER & FALK.

WAS SICK ONE WEEK

William Zerkle Succumbs to Ravages of Pneumonia

HAS LIVED LONG

Leaves Widow, Daughter and Multitude of Friends

The hand of the grim reaper has again been thrust into our community and has taken from the midst of loving friends, a devout wife and bereaved relatives the life of William Zerkle, the major part of which has been spent within the boundaries of Adams county. The death of the estimable man occurred at his late home southwest of Decatur a few minutes before 12 o'clock Tuesday night after a week's endurance of a severe case of pneumonia. The aged man suffered for several weeks from lagrippe, pneumonia developing subsequently and he was forced to take to his bed one week ago last night. His decline physically has been gradual since, the pain becoming so intense that he became unconscious Monday and did not regain rationality thereafter. The decedent came to Adams county from Anglaize county, Ohio, when he was seventeen years of age, and thirty-six years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Emma Merica. He has been a progressive farmer and by honest dealing and upright principles he commanded a recognition from his every acquaintance. He was a member of Co. G 156 Ohio Infantry and served in General Sherman's army during the years 1864 and 1865 and while in the service he fought nobly and unerringly for his countrymen. The sorrow of the community has been enlisted by the sad death and the poignancy of the grief is not alone shared by the relatives, but they are joined by innumerable friends in the bereavement. Surviving are the widow and daughter Elva beside a multitude of friends. The funeral services will be held from the Decatur Evangelical church Friday afternoon, Rev. Wise to officiate, assisted by Rev. Payne. Interment will be made at the Decatur cemetery. Deceased was 63 years and 24 days old.

DIES IN HOSPITAL PRISON.

Young Man Held for Extradition Succumbs to Typhoid.

New York, March 17.—Charles Kleb, a 19-year-old native of Scranton, Pa., a prisoner awaiting extradition to that place on a charge of grand larceny, died in the prison ward of Bellevue hospital from typhoid fever. Several days ago he was operated upon for a lesion of the intestines. He rallied after the operation, but collapsed a few hours later. The body was removed from the hospital to the morgue and will be kept there pending the receipt of instructions from the mother, Rose Kleb, who lives at 1532 New York avenue, Scranton.

READERS OF THE DEMOCRAT SHOULD BE INTERESTED IN THIS

Relief from catarrh coughs, colds, hay fever, asthma and bronchitis, can be had in five minutes simply by breathing the soothing, healing, balsamic air of Hyomei over the sore an draw membrane.

It acts like magic. When you breathe Hyomei you bring the air from the Australian forests of pine and eucalyptus to your home, and the curative power of both is so pronounced that all diseases of the nose, throat and lungs are unknown in inland Australia.

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is sold by Holthouse Drug Co. under a positive guarantee to cure any of the above named diseases or symptoms, or money back.

"Hyomei cured my bronchitis, and I feel very thankful to you for your valuable medicine."—Lodwick Edwards, 1323 Madison Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

The price for a complete outfit, including a hard rubber inhaler, is \$1.00, and on the no-cure, no-pay plan, all sufferers should try it.

MI-ONA
Cures Dyspepsia.

Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headache. 50 cents a large box at

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