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There was a large attendance of the Concord Lutheran Aid society members at the home of Mrs. Dora Schieferstein at Monmouth Wednesday. Following the devotional service refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The society is planning to give an ice cream social at the school house at Monmouth in the near future. Mrs. F. A. Peoples of this city will be hostess at the next regular session.

The country home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butler in Root township was the scene of a pleasant entertainment guests being Rev. Caugherty and family of Fremont, Mrs. Elta Stevenson

William T. Flowers, a blind musician of Bluffton, who is well known here, where he has often given street concerts and Mrs. Clara May Smith of that place were refused a marriage license by County Clerk Plessinger under the provision of the marriage law which required a showing that leads the officials to believe that the male applicant will be able to support a wife and family, says a Bluffton dispatch. The clerk's action was sustained by Judge Sturgis, to whom it was appealed. The dispatch says further: "Allen Flowers was married once before and his wife died in 1903, leaving him with six children. Previous to that time it had been necessary for the county to contribute to the support of the family, and after the death of his wife the children were taken to the orphan's home. Flowers is blind and unable to earn much money, although as a musician and in various ways he manages to eke out a reasonable living for himself. Mrs. Smith also was married once before and was divorced and she has two children in the orphan's home. She has been keeping house for Flowers and some time ago the board of children's guardians investigated and determined the conditions were not conducive to the best interests of the children of either to have them kept there."

ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS.

Dr. D. D. Clark Becomes Suddenly Ill — Dr. McOscar Called.

Dr. D. D. Clark became suddenly ill Wednesday evening after returning home at supper time, with what seems to be appendicitis. Dr. McOscar of Fort Wayne was called in, consultation, but it is not known at this time whether an operation will be necessary. Dr. Clark was reported better today noon and it is sincerely hoped by his host of friends that his recovery will be speedy.

Chicago, Ill., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Two hundred policemen were stationed at the Northwestern railroad depot here this afternoon, when John Arthur Johnson returned home. Colored admirers of the champion began gathering at 9 o'clock this morning, although Johnson's special was not due until 1:30. Hundreds of dollars' worth of flowers were taken to the Johnson residence, where a carpet was laid of roses from the curb to the front door. Frocks coats and women finery were strung along South State street today.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—John Williams, 22, negro, Lexington, Ky., was arrested here today after he had attacked and beaten Mrs. Katharine Berry, white, in her own home. A crowd of negroes demanded his release, brandishing clubs and knives. Police charged the mob.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—United States Senator Beveridge is expected to arrive at Sagamore Hill this afternoon.

New York, N. Y., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—At the request of Theodore Roosevelt, Nelson Gardner today issued a statement, branding as false the story of Roosevelt's alleged endorsement of Representative Poin Dexter's senatorial candidacy. Gardner was a guest at Sagamore Hill, but says Poin Dexter's candidacy was not mentioned.

CROYLE-WORDEN.

Happy Wedding at U. B. Parsonage Wednesday Afternoon.

A quiet but happy wedding took place Wednesday p. m. at 3 o'clock when Miss Jennie Croyle of this city was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur Worden of Terre Haute. The wedding took place at the United Brethren church parsonage, and Rev. Imler pronounced the words making them husband and wife. The couple left shortly afterward on a trip, and will be at their home in Terre Haute in about thirty days.

JENNIE CROYLE TO WED.

A marriage license was issued to Jennie Croyle, 31, Decatur, and Arthur T. Worden, 34, glass worker, Terre Haute. Each has been married once before and divorced.

A GOOD JOB.

The Holthouse Drug company began on a job this morning that is much liked by all clerks, that of invoicing. The job is a tedious one and will require some time for completion. Every thing in the store, from the top shelf to the floor, will of necessity have to be handled, and the force will not be the least sorry when the task is completed.

Henry Steele, father of Jesse Steele of near Pleasant Mills, badly injured his hand, cutting it to the bone. He

was working with a piece of farm machinery, when the lever fell on the wheel, his hand being caught between the two.

Dean, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorwin, fell down stairs Wednesday morning, breaking his collar bone. He was taken to Monroe by his mother where the injury was given medical attention.

Vivian, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Jahn, of south of Retterson, caught the thumb of her right hand in a hay loader. The end of the thumb was cut off and while the injury was not serious, it is quite painful.

As is customary every year foreign live poultry buyers cover this and surrounding territory, engaging poultry a month or so before it is to be delivered, at a price more than it is worth at the time of engagement, knowing that when it is delivered it will be worth more than the price they offer. This is evidenced by the fact that local dealers are now paying and have been paying for several weeks from one-half to one cent better than these outsiders paid today.

These foreign buyers clinch the sale with the farmer at the time of engaging his poultry, by paying him so much down, thus making it compulsory on the farmer to either bring in his poultry or to return the money. As it is less poultry is being sold to these outsiders yearly, as the farmers realize they are the losers by so doing. It is safe to say that Adams county poultry raisers are short about \$250 to \$300 by selling their poultry at the prices they did to these foreign buyers today.

SHAMROCKS VS. ELKS.

The Decatur Shamrocks have booked a game of ball for next Sunday, when they will clash with the Fort Wayne Elks at the Maple Grove park. This is the third game between these two teams, each having succeeded in winning a game, and this one will be strenuously fought. The locals will have about the same line-up as usual and promise to give the visitors their money's worth. Everybody is expected to attend, as no admission will be charged.

TO BRING SUITS FOR LIBEL.

Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity Are Wrought Up.

From indications today the executive committee of the Phi Delta Kappa fraternity may bring a suit against a Fort Wayne newspaper, charging libel as a result of the paper printing an editorial on the national convention of the fraternity, which was held in this city last week.

National President Harvey Stewart, with one or two of the other national officers, are meeting with an attorney in Portland this afternoon, and if the evidence held by the fraternity is thought to be sufficient, suit will be filed at once. Correspondents of other papers in Indiana may also get a chance to appear in court if the suit is brought. The entire fraternity was wrought up over the action taken by the metropolitan papers in this vicinity and the suit against the Fort Wayne paper may not be the only one according to the local members.

The great Sunday edition of forty-eight pages of the Tacoma (Wash.) Ledger, of June 26th, contains an interesting article on the observance of founder's day at the Ferry museum. This will be of interest to Decatur citizens, as Col. C. P. Ferry, brother of Mrs. Dr. McMillen of this city, and son of Grandma Ferry, who makes her home with the McMillens, was the founder. It was June 25, 1895, that the collection of curios from Colonel Ferry was received, this forming the nucleus for the museum to which he contributed over \$100,000 in his lifetime. His death occurred last year in California. The speakers of founder's day were unstinted in their praise, and upon motion of Mrs. E. T. Weathered, it was unanimously decided to have Curator W. H. Gilstrap send to Colonel Ferry's aged mother, Grandma Ferry, of this city the congratulations and well wishes of the assembly because of the deeds of her son in establishing the Ferry museum.

The guests of honor at the reception and celebration were Mrs. Elisha P. Ferry, wife of Washington's first governor, and daughter, Mrs. Eliza Leary, a cousin of Colonel Ferry. Colonel Ferry, who gained the distinction of the only patron of the Ferry Museum by his large gifts to it, named Mrs. Leary as his successor, the museum articles providing that any person who gives \$1,000 or more to it becomes a patron with the right to name a successor. The June 26th issue of the Tacoma Ledger also contains an excellent likeness of Mrs. Leary. Among the number of those who assisted the guests of honor in the receiving line at the reception was Mrs. Frank

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The Ledger says further: "An interesting feature of last night's program was the reading of several letters from eastern relatives of the museum's founder by Mr. Gilstrap. One of them was from Mrs. Caroline P. Ferry, mother of Colonel Ferry. She is ninety-six years of age and resides at Decatur, Ind. Other letters were from Col. F. W. Sapp of Galena, Kans., a cousin of Mr. Ferry, and another from his niece, Miss Minnie B. Orvis."

San Francisco, Ca., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Within twenty-four hours, a week ago the idol of American fight fans, and considered the best man in the world (with his fists), will have disappeared into the obscurity of his alfalfa farm, near Los Angeles, never to emerge again as the hope of the white race. Jeff will leave Oakland tonight. He refused admittance to all visitors today. It is said he goes into a rage when his recent fight is mentioned.

Washington, D. C., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—The most severe earthquake shock recorded here since the shock in the West Indies in 1907, was shown at the university at midnight. It is calculated that the shock centered 1,500 miles from here.

Chicago, Ill., July 7—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Mrs. Homer Mulsaw early today shot and fatally wounded her husband, whose dissipation had driven her frantic. Mulsaw had fatally wounded her two-year-old daughter. She completed the tragedy by killing herself with a draught of carbolic acid.

One of the largest gatherings at the Modern Woodmen hall for some time was that of Wednesday evening when three candidates were given the degree work, making them full members of the order. The work was conferred by the local lodge and was complete in all respects. Several interesting addresses were given by the different brethren and were much appreciated by all present. A very appropriate program was carried out during the evening, most of those present taking part and was among the best ever given by the lodge. Those who took the degree work Wednesday evening were Henry Schlickman, John Benke and Henry Scherry. Several others were also to be taken in Wednesday evening, but owing to other business were detained and will be taken through on another occasion. It was also announced that on next Wednesday evening a fitting program will be rendered and all the members are asked to be present and take part. Initiatory work will again be given and two candidates who have already been slated are Frank Butler and Frank Bright.

NEW DISTRICT DEPUTY.

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Charles M. Nlezer of Fort Wayne has been appointed by the Knights of Columbus lodge to serve as district deputy. His territory includes the counties of Adams, Wells, Allen, Noble, DeKalb, Lagrange and Steuben. T. J. McLaughlin, also of Fort Wayne, is the retiring deputy, who has so successfully held this charge for the past seven years.

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