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A FAKE STORY.

A Geneva Correspondent's Vivid Imagination.

Says Votaw Was Fatally Hurt in Scrimmage With Christman.

The following fake dispatch has been sent out from Geneva: "Geneva, Ind., Jan. 8—Charles Votaw and Rollo Christman while under the influence of liquor became involved in one of the most serious fights in the history of Geneva. The trouble arose over a dispute in settling for a lunch they had eaten. After clinching they rolled down a stairs and off the sidewalk. Christman had seized a bottle of catsup, with which he struck Votaw over the head after reaching the gutter. Votaw was rendered unconscious by the blow and did not recover for more than an hour. It was not though he was much injured at first, but physicians now have slight hopes for his recovery, as his skull was fractured. No arrests have been made." There is nothing to the report

further than that two men had a battle with thier fists about a month ago, were arrested and the cases settled, afterwards Votaw took sick with quinsy and from this must have started the story. He has moved and is able to be about now.

FINE MEETING.

Col. Fred Reppert Attends Meeting of Swine Breeders' Association.

Col. Fred Reppert the auctioneer returned this morning from Indianapolis where he was attending the state swine and breeding association and he reports a fine time. Thursday they met at the State House for a session and on the evening were entertained at a swell banquet. On Friday occurred the big sale of Duroc hogs at which sale Fred did the auctioneering and from reports from there he had fine success. John Nidlinger who is always looking after fine stock purchased three hogs, he paying one hundred dollars for the one and seventy five dollars apiece for the two. They will be immediately shipped to Decatur and will go on his farm among his other thorough breeds. Col. Fred is fast gaining a great reputation as an auctioneer not only in this county and state but in other surrounding states.

Farms and City Property for Sale.

Erwin & Erwin have for sale two farms in Union township, well improved; 90 acres, 8 miles from city and 120 acres 3 miles from city. Also two 80-acre tracts in Washington township near city, one 90-acre tract one mile from town, 81 acres three miles from city in Root township, well improved, on pike road and rural route. We also have a number of city properties and two good business blocks. These will be sold at bargains, and we will list others desiring to sell farm or city or city property.

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WERE CROOKED

Show Men Are Charged With Stealing

Members of "Punkin Husker" Com. Will be Arrested at Marion.

Marshal Cordua telephoned to Marion today to have the police there apprehend John McLean and John Nigeo two members of the Punkin Huskers company and hold them. This company stopped at the Murray hotel and were assigned to room No. 22 and while in the room stole a suit of underwear from Harry Freidman, valued at five dollars and two neckties from Frank Miller valued at one dollar. This company show at Marion tonight and these two gentlemen will undoubtedly be arrested by the police and returned to Decatur to be tried on the charge of robbery, which means if they are found guilty an intermediate sentence in the reformatory at Jeffersonville of from one to fourteen years.

FUEL SAMPLES.

Carpenter Company Have Great Prospects.

R. K. Allison, B. W. Sholty and others have received samples of Charles Carpenter's new patent fuel. The samples look like chocolate candy and burns like hard coal. It can be manufactured for \$1.50 per ton and is expected to solve the question of fuel. The company have a factory at South Bend and expect to do an enormous business.

Announcements.

JOINT STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of John W. Tyndall of Decatur, as a candidate for joint senator, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. E. Snow as a candidate for joint state senator for the district composed of Adams and Allen counties. Adams county's delegates to the nominating convention subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held on Friday, January 15, 1904.

REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce the name of S. W. Hale of Geneva, as a candidate for representative; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Henry Dirksen of Preble township, as a candidate for representative; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. J. W. Vizard of Pleasant Mills, as a candidate for representative; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

PROSECUTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of John C. Moran, of Decatur, as a candidate for re-election as Prosecuting Attorney for the twenty-sixth judicial circuit; subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of S. A. M. Butcher of Geneva, as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney for the twenty-sixth judicial circuit; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

AUDITOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of C. D. Lewton of Decatur, as a candidate for Auditor of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Phil Schurz, of Berne, as a candidate for Auditor of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of T. H. Bartzell, of Washington township, as a candidate for Auditor of Adams county, for one term only; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Al Frisoe, of Decatur, as a candidate for Auditor of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. B. Coffee of Decatur, as a candidate for Auditor of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Albert Butler as a candidate for re-election as sheriff of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of George E. McKean, of Decatur, as a candidate for re-election as Surveyor of Adams county; subject to the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. L. Bauman as a candidate for Surveyor of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. V. Buckmaster, of Jefferson township, as a candidate for Surveyor of Adams county;

subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held January 15, 1904.

COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of David Werling, of Preble township, as a candidate for re-election as commissioner of the first district of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Jacob Abnet, of Jefferson township, as a candidate for re-election as commissioner of the third district; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held on Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of David Ramsey, of French township, as a candidate for re-election as commissioner of the third district; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. C. H. Schenk, of Berne, as a candidate for re-election as Coroner of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of John S. Pals, of Washington township, as a candidate for Coroner of Adams county; subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of George Dellinger, as a candidate for the nomination for assessor of Blue Creek township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of William Zimmerman as a candidate for Assessor of Kirkland township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. H. Wagner of Decatur as a candidate for Assessor of Washington township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Albert Spiller as a candidate for assessor of Washington township, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph M. Peels as candidate for Assessor of Jefferson township; subject to the decision of the Democratic election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Nick B. Warner of Decatur as a candidate for Assessor of Union township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of William Conrad as a candidate for Assessor of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of William Blackburn of Decatur, as a candidate for Assessor of Washington township, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. Brown of Kirkland township as a candidate for Assessor; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. Scrimman as a candidate for Trustee of Blue Creek township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Caleb B. Andrews as candidate for Trustee of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Louis Kleine as a candidate for Trustee of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of James H. Niblick, of Decatur, as a candidate for Trustee of Washington township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Lewis C. Mider as candidate for Trustee of Washington township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Wm. Rolfe as candidate for Trustee of Union township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. N. Grandschaft as candidate for Trustee of Root township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of Edward Lubman as candidate for Trustee of Root township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of William Koltewey as a candidate for Trustee of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Fruedite as a candidate for Trustee of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of David J. Dilling as a candidate for Trustee of Preble township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of George M. F. Houck, as candidate for Trustee of Kirkland township, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of James A. Steele as a candidate for Trustee of Kirkland township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

We are authorized to announce the name of William Adler, as a candidate for Trustee of Kirkland township; subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election to be held Friday, January 15, 1904.

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