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J. H. HELLER, MANAGER.

## ELECT OFFICERS

### Fort Wayne and Springfield Traction Company Meeting.

WAPAKONETA, July 5.—The stockholders of the Springfield & Fort Wayne Electric Railway company, at third annual meeting, elected the following officers, all residents of this county. President, W. H. Fledderjohann; vice president, Edwin Fledderjohann; second vice president, Willis Armstrong; secretary, B. A. Fledderjohann, treasurer and general counsel, John H. Koenig; directors, the officers and C. Vogt and Charles Dirksen. The road between Decatur and Fort Wayne Ind., is rapidly nearing completion and the company will commence to lay rails within a few months.

### THE DRINK CURSE.

A bar to Heaven  
A door to hell  
Whoever named it named it well  
A bar to manliness and wealth  
A door to want and broken health  
A bar to honor, pride and fame  
A door to sin and grief and shame  
A bar to hope a bar to prayer  
A door to darkness and despair  
A bar to honored, useful life  
A door to brawling senseless strife  
A bar to all that's true and brave  
A door to every drunkard's grave  
A bar to joy that home imparts  
A door to tears and breaking hearts  
A bar to heaven  
A door to hell  
Whoever names it named it well  
Composed by Curtis Johnson,  
Jeffersonville Ind register No. 414.

## HE SHOT HIM

### Young Man Killed by Policeman at Fort Wayne.

Henry Schmidt a painter, twenty two years of age who resided at 1119 Erie street was shot and killed by Policeman John Greer, about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon while running away from the officer, who had a warrant for his arrest. The shooting took place in front of the residence of Central Buechner, at 100 Cochran street and was witnessed by practically all of the people along the street. Only a few minutes after he was hit and when Dr E. J. McOscar who was summoned to the scene arrived he found the boy dead. Great excitement followed the shooting and Officer Greer and Officer Spiller who was with him, escaped rough treatment at the hands of the crowd which quickly assembled, only by threats of using their clubs. Women sobbed and cried hysterically and shouted curses at the policemen and men talked in a threatening manner. Had the patrolmen remained in the vicinity trouble might have followed —Ft. Wayne Journal Gazette.

Meats delivered to all parts of the city prompt. James Bain. 150d6  
Remember the bargains at the five and ten cent store. 134d30

Wanted—A girl to do general house work; good wages. Inquire of Peter Gaffer.

For Sale—A four-year-old driving mare, sound and all right. Inquire of Dr. LeBrun. 150d6

Special excursion to Marion, Ind. via the Clover Leaf route Sunday, July 10, 1904. Take an outing and visit your friends. Get information of agent.

Take the G. R. & I.—Pan Handle—Vandalia route for World's Fair at St. Louis, Mo. Just as cheap, just as quick and just as comfortable as any other route out of Decatur. Tickets on sale from now to November 30. For rates and information call on or address J. Bryson, Ticket Agent, Decatur, Ind., or C. L. Lockwood, G. P. & T. A., Grand Rapids, Mich.



GROVER CLEVELAND.

The Mention of Whose Name Caused Prolonged Applause.

### CHOKING CATARRH CURED

Your Money Back if Hyomei Does Not Cure You.

"Use Hyomei and be cured of catarrh," is what all who have tried it for that disease say to their friends.

It is the easiest thing in the world to stop catarrh at its beginning if you use Hyomei. Just breathe the health-giving, balsamic air for a few minutes and your catarrh will be cured. In the worst cases of this disease, chronic or acute, Hyomei used four or five times a day is all that is needed to soon effect a cure.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1.00 and comprises a hard rubber pocket inhaler, a bottle of Hyomei and a dropper. The inhaler will last a lifetime; and additional bottles of Hyomei can be obtained for 50c.

In this city and neighboring towns, there are hundreds who can testify to the remarkable powers of Hyomei to cure catarrh. Many of the staunchest friends of this remedy today began its use with little hope that they would be cured, but as The Holthouse Drug Co. offered to refund the money if it did not cure, they decided to try it on that plan, and were soon restored to health.

Erie coach excursions to World's Fair. Commencing June 2nd the Erie will place on sale each excursion tickets to the Worlds fair at St. Louis each Tuesday and Thursday at a rate of one cent per mile each way for the round trip good for 7 days for further information call on or address. A. M. DeWeese Agent Erie.

Commencing June 1, the G. R. & I. will sell round trip 15 day tickets to all tourists points in northern Michigan also to points on the Pere Marquette R. R., and Frankfort on the Ann Arbor R. R. at rate of one fare plus 50 cents for the round trip. For information, call on or address, J. K. Breyon, Ticket Agent, Decatur Ind.

\$9.65 Chautauqua Lake and return \$9.65, on July 8th and 29th, the Erie R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Chautauqua Lake and return from Decatur Ind., at rate of \$9.65. Tickets good returning thirty days from date of sale. See agent for particulars.

\$27.50 Hot Springs, S.D. 30.70 Deadwood and Lead and return from Chicago daily, via the Chicago & North Western Ry. Correspondingly low rates from other points. The Black Hills region the great natural sanitarium of the west, is one of the most picturesque spots in the world and well worth a visit. Information and tickets can be secured from your home agent. Illustrated Black Hills booklet with valuable map mailed on receipt of 4 cent in stamps by W. B. Kniskern, Chicago.

Where will you spend your holiday? Along the Soo Line east and west from St. Paul and Minneapolis are hundreds of ideal spots where a vacation whether of long or short duration, may be spent, every day enjoyably. Hundreds of pure spring feed lakes full of all varieties of game fish on every hand. Send 6 cents to W. F. Callaway, General Passenger Agent, Soo Line Minneapolis, Minn. for Snummer Booklets and Fishing Folders.

Summer outings in Wisconsin Over a hundred summer resorts located on the Wisconsin Central Ry. between Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Ashland, offers to the summer tourists all attractions in the way of rest, comfort and recreation. The hotels are modern and splendidly equipped for the business. Waukesha, Waupaca, Fildfield and a score of other resorts are famous. Beautifully illustrated booklets descriptive of this region will be mailed upon application to Jas. C. Pond, Gen. Pass. Agt. Wis. Cent. Ry., Milwaukee, Wis.

Homeseekers' excursions via Southern railroad in connection with the Queen & Crescent route to certain points in Alabama, Georgia, Florida, North and South Carolina, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee and Virginia on the first and third Tuesdays in each month—May to November, 1904 inclusive, at the very low rate of one fare for the round trip, plus \$2. Tickets are good going 15 days, and for stop-overs south of the Ohio River with final limit for return of 21 days from date of sale. On the same dates one way settlers' tickets will be sold to points in the same territory at one-half first-class rates, plus \$2 from Ohio River gateways. For rates, schedules and full information, call on your nearest ticket agent, or write J. S. McCullough, N. W. P. A., 225 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill.



## COUNTERFEIT MONEY

is of no use to you, but OUR MONEY may be. If you have use for a little extra coin WRITE US.

\$5 \$25 \$50 \$100

or any amount can be borrowed on your furniture, piano, horses and wagons, buggies, stocks and fixtures, etc., and leave the property in your possession.

## You Can Pay

Back in weekly or monthly payments and we give a liberal discount if paid before due. All business inquiries strictly confidential. If you want money, write us and our agent will call on you. Send us your name, wife's name, city, street and number, how much you want, what to give for security and where you are working.

## If You Owe

any other company and want to pay them off and get some more money besides, write us.

## INDIANA MORTGAGE LOAN CO.

Room 3, Arcade, Upstairs.  
FORT WAYNE, INDIANA.

Home Phone 995  
ESTABLISHED 1895.

### Notice.

On and after July 11, no package done for less than 5 cents. Decatur Steam Laundry. 7 5 2d

### NOTICE TO FARMERS

and others who want stone laid. I will do your work for from 40 to 60 cents per perch, according to size of wall. Willis Grose. 101d

Home grown strawberries for canning at Martin's.

Private funds to loan on city property at lowest rate interest. Privilege of partial payments. The Decatur Abstract and Loan Co. 257dtt

FARM FOR SALE—Known as the Bottenfield farm in Kirkland township. For further information call on H. J. Dilling. Decatur, Ind., R. R. 2. 134dwm

Cabbage and Tomato plants for sale—I have cabbage and tomato plants ready for setting. 10c per 100. South Tenth street, between railroads. 2wk J. R. Smith.

Found—Ladies' pocketbook, near Valley school house in St. Mary's township. Owner can have same by calling on Sol Hettler, rural route three, Berne.

For Sale—Ashery; well equipped and a money maker. A good investment for some one. Enquire of Chas. S. Niblick or French Quinn. at Old Adams County Bank. 1f

Lost—A small red pamphlet book with a number of accounts in, some where between my barber shop and home on First street. Finder please return to J. D. Reiter.

## DR. JELLEFF'S Pulmonary Cough Syrup

### A RELIABLE REMEDY

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Laryngeal and Bronchial Inflammation, Loss of Voice, Rawness and Soreness resulting from Dryness of the throat and air passages or from clearing the throat.

25 Cents per bottle at  
HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

## ZORGO SALVE

Once Used Always Used  
Cures Permanently.

Best Salve made for Felons, Cuts, Bruises, Ringworms, Burns, Carbuncles, Boils, Fever and Running Sores, etc. 25c a box at your drug store. The Zorgo Mfg. Co., 1302 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind., and 151 Livingston St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

WANTED AT ONCE—At stone quarry by the Springfield Traction Co. five teams.

Ten thousand dollars private funds left with us to loan on Decatur real estate, first mortgage. Low rate of interest. Will loan in sums of \$50 upwards. The Decatur Abstract and Loan Co. 257dtt

Phones—Residence 312.  
Office 103.

Send your dates in early.

## Fred Reppert

Live Stock Auctioneer.

Speaks English, German, Swiss and Low German.  
DECATUR, INDIANA.

## Schurger & Smith

Attorneys at Law

Abstracts of title made to order. Farm and city property for sale. Private money to loan at the very lowest interest, with privilege of partial payments. Office in Niblick & Allison Block over Everett & Hite grocery store east of Court street, Decatur, Indiana. Give us a call before you invest elsewhere.

## Insure Your Property

in the

## Decatur Insurance Agency

Gallooly & Haefling

## MONEY TO LOAN

## THE DECATUR ABSTRACT & LOAN COMPANY.

(INCORPORATED)

A large sum of PRIVATE MONEY has been placed with us to loan on city property and farms. No delay or red tape in making loans. Lowest rates of interest. We are able to close all loans on the same day of receiving application. Will loan in sums of \$50 up, on one to five years time, with privilege of partial payments. This company can also furnish abstracts of title on short notice to any piece of real estate in Adams county. THE DECATUR ABSTRACT & LOAN CO. Rooms 3 and 4, Studabaker block, 257dtt

## A NOTICE TO EVERYONE

### A Little Cash Reasoning

I have decided that on and after the first of July, everything from my shelves will be sold for CASH—

### Cash to Everybody

and in doing this I believe I can make prices that every person in Adams County can see the point. Here are a few pointers to CASH customers. I show you some full Welts and Hand Turns in Shoes for \$3.00, which you will have to pay \$3.50 for elsewhere. Try them and you will be convinced. I intend to CUT ON PRICES ALL OVER THE HOUSE. Here are some of the close margin prices:

Ladies' Shoes \$3.50 a pair go for Cash.....	\$3.25
“ 3.50 “ .....	3.00
“ 3.00 “ .....	2.75
“ 3.00 “ .....	2.50
“ 2.50 “ .....	2.00
“ 2.00 “ .....	1.75
“ 1.75 “ .....	1.50
“ 1.50 “ .....	1.25

Men's Shoes now \$4.50 go for Cash.....	\$4.00
“ 4.00 “ .....	3.75
“ 3.50 “ .....	3.25
“ 3.00 “ .....	2.75
“ 2.50 “ .....	2.25
“ 2.25 “ .....	2.00
“ 1.75 “ .....	1.50
“ 1.50 “ .....	1.25

### 10c. Shoe Paste for Shining 5c.

### Rubbers and Felt Boots

Here is a tip for the future. Felt Boots, the BEST in the world.

### Stop and Think

That CASH means something to a business man—CASH means no losses in bad book accounts. We propose to give these losses to our customers in the reduction of prices. That's

### Where You Come In

Stop and think the matter over carefully and you will see that the CASH MAN is the one who can give the BARGAINS. He has the goods or the money, and unless the credit man can get a big price for his goods he will soon fail or go out of business. We propose to stay and give our customers the benefit in quality and prices of goods. Let us personally demonstrate to you.

## FRED TAGUE,

THE SHOE SELLER.

