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The Princess Theatre

FRED PHILLIPS, Proprietor.
Watch This Space Every Day

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

PICTURES.

THE NEW STENOGRAPHER.
THE OUTBREAK
(a picture of the west)

BEST SPELLER CHOSEN AFTER LONG CONTEST.

Ardella Rose Salb, 14 Years Old,
Successful in Contest Held in
Indianapolis Thursday.

One of the most interesting and which should also be one of the most beneficial contests ever introduced into the common schools of Indiana, was concluded in Indianapolis Thursday when 37 contestants selected at the various district spelling matches met there in an old fashioned spelling bee. It was a great misfortune that Jasper county did not take part in the preliminary contest which might have resulted in some boy or girl from this county getting into the state contest. Jasper and Warren were the only counties in this district that did not follow the suggestion providing for the contest.

The match in Indianapolis was held in the house chamber in the capitol, where the contestants were lined up for the long contest which took place in the presence of a large audience. The contest started at 2:20 o'clock, and lasted until 5:30. The winner was Ardella Rose Salb, of Jasper, Ind., 14 years of age; Naomi Frank, of Greenfield, was second, and Levin Litzberger, of Middletown, was third.

The contest was conducted by Miss Georgia Alexander, of the Indianapolis public schools, who was assisted by J. Walter Dunn, state manager of the Indiana Reading Circle, and two or three others. It was twenty minutes before the first speller went down, and the pronouncers found it necessary to use the hardest words.

Such little-used words as "succulent," "eligible," "imposter," "analogous," "beseech," "chrysalids," "mademoiselle," "jaunty," "blotches," "perchance," "peered," "bouyant," "courtier," "equilaterals," "assiduously," "aliquot," "geld," "trapezoid," "feigning" and "crypt" were those on which the school children made their errors.

Children from the same county were not allowed to sit together in the line. In the long list of words was a written test of fifty words, in which but one child failed to spell all correctly. Enlla Martin made a grade of 98 per cent in this contest, misspelling "mademoiselle." The remainder of the children, probably twenty-five of them, spelled each of the fifty words correctly and received grades of 100 per cent. Miss Martin spelled the word on which she was sent to her seat, "mademoiselle."

All words which were given to the children to spell will be recorded and a bulletin containing them issued to teachers of the seventh and eighth grades next year for use in the schools of the state.

Dentist's Office Robbed While He Was in Chicago.

The dental office of Dr. W. L. Myer was robbed while he was in Chicago Thursday and gold and platinum to the estimated value of \$100 was stolen. There is no clew to the identity of the thief but it is quite certain that the thief was a professional at the business and one that knows the value of dental metals and knows how to locate things of greatest value about a dentist's workshop.

Dr. Myer had gone to Chicago to see the exhibit of the dental manufacturers' association and Miss Ruth Ames, who assists him in the dental office, was left in charge. She remained at the office until 20 minutes before 12 o'clock and returned at 20 minutes before 1 o'clock. She had been working with the gold in the box where it is kept and left it on the work bench. The door between the reception room and the operating room was locked but the door from the hall to the reception room was not locked. The thief found it easy to make his entrance and selected an hour when all the occupants of the office rooms were at their dinners. The latch to the door into the operating room could be turned with any blunt instrument. The gold box was cleaned out, plate gold, solder gold, scrap gold and platinum being taken. He also went to the safe, which was unlocked and took from it two or three envelopes with some gold in them.

Such familiarity did the thief show with the keeping place of the gold that Dr. Myer thinks it might have been some one who was acquainted with the office, possibly some one who had been a salesman at some time.

The dental office of Dr. Blickenstaff at Monticello was robbed one noon last week in practically the same manner and about \$40 worth of gold stolen.

Dr. Myer lost several pieces of new work as well as the metal.

CONSIDERING ANOTHER FACTORY PROPOSITION.

Commercial Club Hears From The
Committee That is Investigating
Industry Prospect.

The Rensselaer Commercial Club directors and a few others met Thursday night and listened to a report from President Worland and Secretary Spitzer, who went to Chicago and looked over the proposition which has been made for the location here of a factory to manufacture smoke consumers and stokers. The former are for the consumption of smoke from factories, railroad engines and all coal burning establishments. The stokers are for feeding fire boxes for boilers.

The men were much pleased with their investigation and were enthusiastic in their report to the other directors. The company is just forming for an extension of its business and they proved very conclusively that they are a reliable firm and have articles that are in growing demand. A more complete investigation will be made and an expert called into consultation to look into the merits of the articles manufactured. If the factory is located here it is expected to require 10 acres of ground and two buildings 30 feet wide by 140 feet long. The title to the property would remain with the commercial club until wages aggregating a large sum had been paid out.

Former Wolcott Saloonkeeper Died Thursday in Chicago Heights.

Joe Ellis received a telegram this Friday morning informing him of the death Thursday at Chicago Heights of Ab Ellis, who was formerly for many years engaged in the saloon business at Wolcott and who has recently been in the same business in Chicago Heights. No particulars were received about his death and relatives here had not known that he was sick.

REX 5c-Theatre-5c

REX WARNER, Proprietor.

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

PICTURE.

The Angel of His Dream, drama.
Prompt Payment, a comedy.
Stealing a Ride, a drama.

NO SONG—TWO GOOD FILMS.
OPEN AT 7 P. M.

Northern Indiana Teachers' Association April 6, 7 and 8.

County Superintendent Lamson is giving out programs for the meeting of the Northern Indiana Teachers' Association which will be held in Indianapolis April 6th, 7th and 8th. The headquarters of the association will be at the Claypool hotel. The program plans a busy time for teachers and it is probable that a number from Rensselaer and also from over the county will attend the meeting.

Newland Schools Closed With Big Dinner By the Patrons.

A successful term of school taught by Ross Halgren, of Oxford, closed at Newland Thursday. At noon the patrons surprised the teacher and his 37 pupils by invading the school house and spreading a big table of "eats" for the consumption of all. Ed Oliver was in the front rank of the invaders and also one of the heartiest of the feeders. He helped make the occasion a success. Mr. Halgren is said to have been one of the best teachers Newland ever had.

If your regular trading place does not have the shoe you want, perhaps you will find it at our Exclusive Shoe Store. We are glad to have you investigate. Fendig's Exclusive Shoe Store, Opera House Block.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Unsettled, probably snow tonight; Saturday fair.
Maximum 39; minimum 25.
April 1.—Sun rises 5:45; sets 6:24.

Want J. F. Bruner Appointed A Justice of the Peace.

City Marshal Mustard circulated a petition today to have John F. Bruner appointed a Justice of the Peace in and for Marion township. The township is entitled to three justices and has but one, S. C. Irwin, whose other business takes up so much of his time that he announced last fall that he would not accept a re-election. He later deferred to the demands of the public and was elected and has qualified. Mr. Bruner promises to establish an office and devote some of his time to the duties thereof if he is appointed. The commissioners will act on the petition at the meeting which convenes Monday.

Methodist Church Services.

Morning subject, "The Golden Channel of Service." Evening, sermon to young people.
Official board meeting Monday evening, April 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock.

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Concert by High School Pleased Audience Thursday Night.

The concert given by the high school at the Christian church Thursday night proved to be one of the very best ever given by the Rensselaer high school and was a distinct compliment to the ability of Miss Erica Troll, the music and drawing teacher, whose work has been so entirely satisfactory here that she is pronounced by many the best instructor in those branches the city has ever had. The program was divided into two parts. The first included a piano trio by Aileen Allman, Florence Allman and Mrs. M. D. Gwin. A male quartette composed of Cope Hanley, Clarence Smith, Tom Padgett and Don Beam sang "Oh! Brightly Shines the Village Forge," "Hark! Hark! The Lark," and "Stars of the Summer Night." The young men are possessed of good voices and their singing was well received. Martha Long gave a piano solo, as also did Elizabeth Spitzer. Emily Thompson sang "Last Night."

The second part of the concert was a cantata for ladies' voices entitled "A Garden of Flowers." Rosabel Daugherty was the piano accompanist. It opened with a chorus and the voices of the girls seem to have been very much strengthened and improved since their last public appearance. Lura Halleck and Katherine Watson sang a duet very pleasingly and Martha Long, Gladys Pierce and Marjorie Loughridge sang a trio that made a hit with the audience. This was followed by solos by Marjorie Loughridge and Lura Halleck and Esther Padgett. A quartette sang the good night song entitled "The Weary Flowers Have Gone to Rest." Those comprising the quartette were Gladys Pierce, Ruth Harper, Maurine Tuteur and Elizabeth Spitzer. The chorus closed the program with a song entitled "The Garden of Flowers So Fair."

Last year the entertainment was free and was largely attended. This year an admission of 10 cents was charged to defray the expenses and the audience was much smaller. So enthusiastic are the words of praise about the entertainment, however, that it is probable a repetition of the concert would draw a much larger crowd.

Calling cards at the Republican

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