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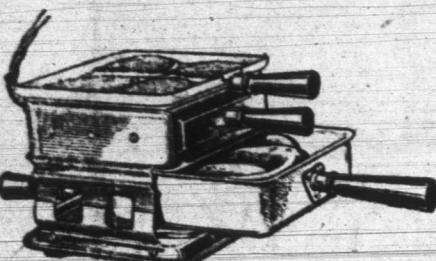
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NOTICE.

All Redmen are requested to be present at the hall Friday evening, February 20. Business of importance and degree work.

BY ORDER OF SACHEM.

Lee Meyers of Knifman was in Rensselaer today.

John R. Lewis and son, Russell, went to Lowell today to attend a big big sale.

SURE SUCCESS WILL ARRIVE IN DUE TIME

AID ALREADY GAINED CON-
VINCES MRS. QUINN TRUTONA
WILL SOON END TROUBLES

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 19.—Proof that Trutona is an unexcelled strength builder for convalescents who have suffered serious illness is in this sincere and grateful statement of Mrs. Harry Quinn, of 30 West Twenty-Sixth Street and who is a well known Indianapolis woman.

"My system was generally rundown following a serious sickness I had several months ago," Mrs. Quinn said. "I was weak and didn't have much of an appetite. At times I would become restless at night. I seemed to absolutely be without ambition. It seemed to be impossible for me to gain strength. My stomach seemed to be out of order and I was annoyed with bloating and constipation.

"I have taken only one bottle of Trutona but the benefits that I have received so far have convinced me that after taking a few more bottles I will be entirely relieved of my troubles. Trutona has given me new strength and ambition in almost no time. My appetite has improved and I sleep much better at night also. My stomach is in better shape. The bloating has stopped and my bowels act more regularly. This change in my condition is due to Trutona and Trutona alone. I don't hesitate to recommend this medicine to others."

Trutona is now being introduced and explained in Rensselaer at Larsh & Hopkins' drug store.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 19.—Consideration of the peace treaty is at a standstill while President Wilson exchanges notes with Great Britain, France, and Italy over the settlement of the Adriatic question. The president's threat to withdraw the treaty from the senate if his wishes are not acceded to in the Fiume controversy has strengthened the opposition to the league of nations.

Increased rates totalling a billion and a quarter dollars will be necessary if the railroad bill is passed in its present form, Representative Barkley of Kentucky, one of the two conferees dissenting from the conference report, declared. Mr. Barkley opposes the financial features of the bill.

Senator Sherman's renewed attack today on Henry Ford resulted in protests and charges of a breach of senatorial proprieties from the Democratic side.

Senator Moses of New Hampshire asserted today that Gen. Wood as Republican presidential candidate would be able to overturn Democratic majorities in many close congressional districts in the south which could not otherwise be won for the Republican party.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John Manck et ux to John S. Lonergan et al, Feb. 16, 1920, sw se 8-29-7, ne sw sw sw, 120 acres, \$22,40. W. D.

William C. Smalley et ux to William A. Stitz et ux, Feb. 17, 1920, pt blk 12, Remington p. nw 30-27-6, \$4,000. W. D.

Oscar R. Johnson et al to J. W. Raines, Feb. 13, 1920, Rensselaer, pt sw sw 19-29-6, \$3,500. W. D.

Walter M. White et al to Michael J. Kuboske et al, Aug. 15, 1919, lots 3-10, blk 9, Rensselaer, \$12,000. W. D.

Willard J. Newman to Edward Brierley et ux, Nov. 28, 1919, se se and s 1/4 n 1/2 se 2-31-7, 60 acres, Keener twp. W. D.

David D. Gleason et ux to Henry C. Dekock et ux, June 28, 1919, e 1/2 ne 31-32-7 and w 1/2 nw nw sw 32-32-7, Keener twp, 20 Acres, \$15,000. W. D.

Harvey Davison et ux to William C. Burrell et ux, Feb. 18, 1920, ne nw 34-29-7 and pt e 1/4 sw 27-29-7, 119.50 acres, \$14,937. Newton twp. W. D.

Charles H. Mills et ux to Emil Besser, June 28, 1919, ne se and pt s 1/2 se 15-28-6, 120 acres, \$5,355, Milroy Twp. W. D.

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LISTEN TO THE SQUAWK FROM MEDARYVILLE

It was with a great deal of amusement which later turned to disgust that we read the squawk manufactured by the Medaryville Journal in its current issue telling of the defeat of its wonder five of basket ball players in this city last week. To anyone who saw the game the wail is ridiculous. The referee spoken of is a member of the St. Joseph varsity five and was playing the game when Medaryville still labored under the impression that basket ball was the name of some new kind of breakfast food.

The wail of the loser is the most disgusting wail on earth, and such wails generally come from the small town citizens who let their boys grow up until they are about twenty-five years of age and then place them in high school to play basket ball on a court that should be used as a clothes closet where their weight and brawn will give them the opportunity of squelching cleverness and speed on the part of their opponents. Medaryville came to Rensselaer to play on a regulation court and were bewildered by the speed of the home five and overawed by the sight of such fine basket ball court. They were as a rube visiting a big city for the first time. They were as awkward as a piece of bologna and were about as much at home on a basket ball floor as a washlady would be on a tennis court.

Medaryville—that town where the basket ball team plays in a 2x4 garage with a cement floor through the middle of which runs a water trough; that town where the automobiles must be taken from the garage and placed in the street before the referee can toot his whistle. Fie! For shame, Medaryville, that you should act up so. You make us feel so foolish.

"Wiggle through the following from the Journal of Medaryville: "Buffalo Bill, in days gone by, organized a wild west show with which to tour the country. He's dead now and the show has gone to pieces, but if he were still living and were to stop in the little town of Rensselaer in our neighboring country to witness a basketball game, we feel sure that he would find some players there that he would back his Indians and cowboys into the shade when it comes to rough riding."

"Yes, we had a basketball game there last Friday night and we are not kicking over the result. We were told by teams as far away as Brook to Rensselaer thought it a disgrace to be beaten on their home floor and of course it would have been humiliating to have suffered a little town like Medaryville to defeat its dear little basket ball team. But it sure was pathetic to see the means they had to use to win. In the very beginning of the game Rensselaer made two fouls and Douglas scored on each free throw. Accordingly, the referee decided it would not do to let our boys have any more free throws, so according to the referee Rensselaer made no more fouls. From that time Rensselaer was allowed to use any means to win and our boys were made to play basketball. There were no held balls near the Rensselaer basket, but all were held balls at the other—the only thing being necessary for a held ball there was for a Rensselaer man to be at that end of the floor. Again and again the referee handed the lead to Rensselaer and again and again they lost it. They did not have the stamina and ability to hold our boys and without the referee's aid the game would have been as one sided as the game Rensselaer played over here."

"Our boys played one of their best games of the season and the game was really theirs. When a referee hands the game to the other side it is no disgrace to lose. But as we said above it was expected, but it was funny the means Rensselaer had to use to win, but then just between the two of us Rensselaer felt it would be detrimental to her dignity to permit Medaryville, a little town, to win.

Frank Ham of Lafayette was in Rensselaer today.

Loren Warren, the book-keeper at the Wright furniture store, was in Lafayette today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane returned to their home in this city Thursday.

PUBLIC REDUCTION SALE

EXTRAORDINARY---Is now in full swing. Many have taken advantage as the savings are 25 per cent to 50 per cent---EXTRAORDINARY.

Only 7 days left to get in on these bargains. If any one thinks he did not get a full measure of value, back with the goods, your money is ready for you.

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of
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Saturday
Specials**

Home made Lard 28c

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Hamburger Steak 20c

Fresh Beef Liver 10c

Veal Stew 20c

**Basket Ball
TONIGHT**

Wolcott High School

vs

Rensselaer H. S.

HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

**Game Called 8:00 P. M.
Admission 25c.**

PHONE 95

PHONE 275

Rowles & Parker

Beans, fancy H. P. Navies, per lb. 10c
Pure Country Lard, per lb. 26c
Salmon, 8 ounce can. 16c
Can Corn, per can. 12 1/2c
Classic, White Laundry Soap, bar. 7c
Batavia Rolled White Oats, 4 lb. pkg. 30c
Creamettes, 3 pkgs. 25c
Sweet Pickles, bulk, per doz. 15c
Cabbage, per lb. 7c
Parsnips, per lb. 8 1-3c

LAST DAY

The balance of my stock of Clothing and Furnishing Goods will be sold at

PUBLIC SALE

Saturday Afternoon

This will be the last day of the closing out sale and all goods must go regardless of price. Don't miss this sale.

C. Earl Duvall

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