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The average woman spends entirely too much time and effort in her kitchen. This would not be so deplorable if it were not so unnecessary—for any woman can positively lessen her kitchen labor by means of the step-saving HOOSIER.

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W. J. WRIGHT

EFFICIENT SERVANT TO BE RETIRED

Harry B. Murray, one of the most efficient public servants known to the people of this community, has been notified by the government that on account of his having reached the age of 65 he will be retired from the service of rural mail carrier out of this city on January 21, 1921. Mr. Murray will be given a pension of \$30 per month, but would greatly prefer to remain in the service and his retirement is very much regretted by the patrons, who appreciate his splendid service. There is a pretty general feeling that his retirement should not have been required at this time.

Mr. Murray has been in the mail service for some sixteen years. As far as we are able to ascertain he is the first carrier in the county to be retired. There are a number in the service in the county, who were serving when Mr. Murray began. Among them are, Grover Smith of Wheatfield, George Jones of Remington, and A. M. Bringle of Fair Oaks.

Vernon Harrington, who is the substitute on the route, and is now serving, while Mr. Murray is taking his vacation, may be Mr. Murray's successor. Mr. Harrington is a Democrat. It is anticipated that other changes in the postal service in this city will be forthcoming directly after March fourth. It has not been entirely forgotten that a most strenuous and finally successful effort was made some eight years ago to retire an efficient servant, whose great weakness was that he was a Republican. There will be a request made that the same standards applied at this time be used again.

BANQUET PROMISES TO BE AN ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

At the time of going to press but three or four tickets to the banquet to be tendered the members of the local football team by the football fans at the Barns restaurant at eight-thirty o'clock this Thursday evening had been disposed of, according to those in charge of the ticket sale. Anyone desiring to attend the banquet and who has not yet made arrangements to do so, should get in touch with Mr. Barnes and arrangements will be made to care for those who decide to attend at the last minute.

The committee urge that all who have purchased tickets be present as the success of the banquet depends upon a full attendance. Plans for next year's team are to be discussed and the foundation laid for a football organization that will permit the launching of the game on a greater scale than ever before in the history of the city, and this cannot be done unless there is a good representation of substantial citizens present. The banquet is not being given as a money making proposition, but simply to express to the members of the team an appreciation of their services during the season just brought to a close, and for the purpose of creating further interest among the fans.

Those who will attend the banquet are invited to gather at the Van Rensselaer club room before going to the restaurant. Following the banquet, the club rooms will again be thrown open and a smoker held, to which all are invited.

MISS DOYLE EXTENDS THANKS

I want to thank everyone who so kindly helped to get the nice Brunswick machine, we were able to purchase. All the nurses are more than grateful.

Anyone having desirable records they have become tired of can find a welcome home for them here.

MISS DOYLE.

AN APPRECIATION.

The nurses at the Jasper county hospital are very grateful for the phonograph and desire to thank all who so kindly helped Miss Doyle in procuring the same.

MARKETS BY WIRE.

(Furnished by The Farmers Grain Market, H. H. Potter, Mgr.)
Chicago, Dec. 30, 1920.
Live Stock Market.
Hogs, receipts, 46,000; top, \$9.90.
Cattle, receipts, 9,000.
Sheep, receipts, 17,000.
Grain Markets.
Mar. wheat opened at 1.66½ and 1.65½; closed at 1.66½.
Dec. wheat opened at 1.70½; closed at 1.71.
May oats opened at .49 3-8 and 1-4; closed at .49 1-8 and 1-4.
Dec. oats opened at .47 1-4 and 1-8; closed at .46 7-8.
May corn opened at .75 5-8 and .74 3-4; closed at .74 1-4 and 3-8.
Dec. corn opened at .73 and .72 1-2; closed at .71 1-4.
Thursday's local grain prices were: Oats, 41c; corn, yellow, 57c; mixed and white 54c; rye \$1.35; Wheat, \$1.60.

THURSDAY LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

Cream 48c
Eggs 60c
Hens 20c
Fries 20c
Cocks 12c
Ducks 22c
Geese 20c
Turkeys 35c

Read T. & K's adv. in this issue.

Advertise in the Republican.

ROBBERS LOOT CULVER BANK

SHERIFF WOODWORTH NOTIFIED TO BE ON OUTLOOK FOR FLEEING ROBBERS

Sheriff True D. Woodworth was notified Wednesday evening to be on the lookout for a robber in a big black and yellow automobile, who was fleeing from Culver, after taking part in robbing the Exchange Bank, a private financial institution at Culver, which was held up and robbed by five masked bandits at 10:00 a. m. Wednesday. At that hour the men drove up to the bank in a black and yellow Marmon car, two of them remaining in the automobile and the other three went into the building, which, at the time, was filled with people. "Hands up," they ordered, flourishing their revolvers.

The bank employees and customers, too frightened to resist, complied with the request and helplessly watched the robbers sweep the money from the desks of the cashier and tellers into their pockets. No effort, however, was made to open the safe in the rear of the room.

While the robbers were backing out of the bank, a man passing by looked through the windows and saw what was going on. He immediately called assistance and before the bandits had left the place, opened fire on them. The robbers offered battle and in the shooting which followed Jacob Saime was wounded in the jaw; and Jerome Zechal was shot through the hip. Both men are in the hospital at Culver Military academy.

A hurriedly organized posse gave chase to the fleeing robbers and three of them were captured before they got out of the city limits. One was caught at Burr Oak, Ind., and the fifth is still at Liberty. J. D. Shilling, president of the bank, is unable to state how much money the robbers got, but most of the cash had been recovered. He estimated that the loss will not be more than a few hundred dollars.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

The Sunday school will meet promptly at 9:30. Let us start the year with a large attendance. The pastor will preach at the morning service at 10:45. The pastor's theme will be "David's Prayer for Solomon." This will be a New Year's meditation. The Epworth League will hold its devotional meeting at 6 o'clock. The monthly union service will be held at the Christian church at 7 o'clock. Dr. Fleming, of the Presbyterian church will preach the sermon.

The annual Sunday school election will be held early in the evening on Friday and the members of the Sunday school board are earnestly requested to be present.

The mid-week church night supper was changed to Friday evening, the meeting to continue to midnight, making a watch night meeting. A program covering every hour of the evening has been prepared. Over 130 have expressed their desire to attend at least a part of this meeting. The sale of the tickets is closed.

THOMPSON AND KIRK.

It's hard to realize how a firm can sell goods at less than cost and be glad to do it. But such is often the case.

It is worth something to clean up and it never means a loss on the year's business.

Nothen—bibs on, here's the soup. If taken before six o'clock Dec. 31, this year of our Lord and high prices, we will sell TWO FRANKLIN SEDANS FOR SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Think of it. Actual value three months ago, nine thousand eighty dollars.

Actual value after January, eight thousand eighty-four dollars.

These prices are considerably below our net, but this sale would boost us into a bonus on our year's business.

Folks, quit running down rain-bows, here's a pot of gold at your feet.

Buy a Sedan at less than touring car price and help us over.

Only TWO and first come first SEVERED.

THOMPSON & KIRK.

Take this coupon and gift to Judson J. Hunt, Trust & Savings Bank, Rensselaer, Ind.

EUROPEAN RELIEF COMMITTEE

HERBERT HOOVER, National Chairman

Save a Life Certificate

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for food and medicines, that they may live.

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CHARLES HALLECK TO DIRECT EDUCATIONAL DRIVE IN THIS DISTRICT

Charles A. Halleck of Rensselaer was chosen chairman of the Tenth Congressional District organization by county chairmen from his district attending Indiana University to lead in the formation of a program for more public support of the state educational institution and education in Indiana. Chairman Halleck is a Junior at the University and is active in student affairs.

Indiana University and the other state institutions are asking for sufficient levy to enable them to keep pace with the forward movement in higher education and give the best instruction possible to the students. In the past few years the states surrounding Indiana have broadened their support of the university and because of this the best members of the faculties of the state educational institutions in Indiana have been attracted away from the Hoosier state. To regain their position in educational circles Indiana's schools of higher learning must have more liberal public support.

All the state educational institutions in Indiana are cramped for class rooms and need more equipment. Enrollment has increased a large per cent and the funds of the state educational institutions, Indiana, Purdue, and State Normal, have not been sufficient to permit building new class rooms.

Surrounding state supported universities have budgets as high as three times as much as the Indiana institutions. Halleck is also chairman of the Jasper County organization. Other Jasper county students chosen in the county organization are C. B. Howard of Remington, vice-chairman, and Sara Alice O'Neal of Rensselaer, secretary. This committee will have charge of the school program in their county.

TWO WEDDINGS AT M. E. CHURCH PARSONAGE

George R. Johnson and Miss Faye Bowsher, a young Fair Oaks couple, were united in marriage by the Rev. E. W. Strecker at the Methodist church parsonage. The newlyweds will make their home at Fair Oaks. Mr. Johnson is employed as a fireman on the Monon.

On Wednesday Willis Clinger and Miss Goldie Mitchell, both of near Medaryville, were married at the parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Clinger will reside on a farm in this county.

NEW TODAY.

FOR SALE—Bicycle, in good condition, \$15. John Harmon, 497 Oak street.

LOST—Large black muff last Thursday evening. Phone 307. Mrs. Leo Worland.

WANTED—A married man to begin January 3 to work. Cow, chickens, garden and house furnished. Thomas Loneragan, phone 902-K.

FORMER CITIZEN TELLS OF WONDERS OF CALIFORNIA

The following letter is from Mrs. Carrie Brenner, a former resident of this city and we know it will be appreciated by our readers.

Santa Cruz, Calif.
December 19, 1920

Mr. L. H. Hamilton,
Editor Republican,
Dear Sir:—

I want to thank you for sending me the address of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wishard. I also want to congratulate you upon the arrival of your little granddaughter. I am always very much interested in any mention I see of your son, Fred. He was certainly one of the bravest of the brave. He was always the favorite with me of the boys who carried the paper and we would often have a little visit, especially if I happened to have a fresh supply of cookies, which, as I remember, Fred, as most boys are, was very fond of.

I hope that some time he may find it convenient to visit Santa Cruz. Santa Cruz is about ninety miles south of San Francisco, a very popular summer resort on Monterey Bay. Many people come here for the winter as well as summer. We have a wonderful climate, never extremely warm or cold. I can pick a few ripe raspberries almost any time during the winter. I have peas in bloom, also strawberries.

We have had an unusually rainy winter, but it has been clear and warm and the sun quickly dries things off after a rain. It is a great sight to see the boys during a storm.

I have my own home here, just a block from the Bay, which may be seen from my south windows, and from the north windows the Santa Cruz mountains. I often watch the lights of the lighthouse, which is about two miles out. The big redwood trees are about six miles north of here, and the National Redwood Park about twelve miles. It is a wonderful trip to the park, mountain road all the way.

Thanking you again for the information, I remain

Respectfully yours,
MRS. CARRIE BRENNER.

ABE MARTIN.

(Indianapolis News.)
Miss Tawney Apple got a lovely purple celluloid hand mirror with her initials on for Christmas, so she has 't' keep it. Eli Shoots dropped in on his old neighbors yesterday after an absence of ten years. He hasn't changed a bit 'cept he kin walk straight.

The Tri Kappas will entertain at the home of Miss Merle Harris in honor of the girls who are home for the holidays. There will be an elegant six o'clock dinner and the evening followed by cards.

Read T. & K's adv. in this issue.

PURDUE TO STAY IN CON- FERENCE, DIRECTOR SAYS

Denial of reports that Purdue university was to be dropped from the Western Conference was made today by Nelson Kellogg, director of athletics at Purdue.

Director Kellogg said there was no foundation for the rumor, which apparently was circulated in an attempt to "belittle" athletics at Purdue.

"Purdue has scheduled twelve basketball games for this winter and spring, the maximum permitted by the conference, and the usual run of indoor and outdoor track meets," Kellogg said. "For the 1921 season in football we have five conference games scheduled."

HUSBAND'S STORY WILL AMAZE RENSSELAER

He says: "Adler-ika helped my wife for gas on the stomach and sour stomach in TWENTY MINUTES. It works beyond greatest expectations." Adler-ika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel removing foul matter which poisoned stomach. Brings out all gasses and sour, decaying food. EXCELLENT for chronic constipation. Guards against appendicitis. Adler-ika removes matter you never thought was in your system and which may have been poisoning you for months. A. F. Long, druggist.

We are unloading a car of large, bright lump coal. \$7.50 delivered. J. C. Gwin and Company.

A WEEK OF JOY AND GLADNESS

Rensselaer young people are having a very gay week.

Miss Margaret Babcock gave a dinner Tuesday evening in honor of her house guests, Miss Helen Parkinson of Lafayette and Miss Bettie Burkle, Mildred Holmes, Harold Weiss, Millard Smith, Edward Honan and Harold Royster.

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Honan will entertain nine couples at a dinner dance in honor of their son, Edward M. Honan, of Breckenridge, Texas, and Miss Margaret Bessie Hemphill, their niece, of Chicago, Ill.

The following will attend: Miss Marian Parker, Harry English, Phoebe Randle, Harold Littlefield, Aileen Allman, Thomas Padgett, Florence Allman, Edward Honan, Wm. Babcock, Helen Parkinson, Martha Ramp, Dr. Paul Miller, Margaret Bessie Hemphill, George Thomas.

NOTICE.

The women and girls of Wheatfield and vicinity are invited by the Red Cross to join a class of instruction in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick. There is no fee charged. Each student is required to be a member of the Red Cross, and buy a text book which is sixty cents.

For further information call Mrs. Bucker.

Read T. & K's adv. in this issue.

---PRINCESS THEATRE---

MATINEE—2:30

NIGHT—7:00

GO TO MOVIE WEEK—POSITIVELY THE GREATEST WEEKLY PROGRAM THE PRINCESS HAS EVER OFFERED

**TONIGHT
WILLIAM S. HART**

"SAND"

Line 'em up with William S. Hart on the warpath! When he Hart in a fight against wrong, then thrill while you watch things happen!

This time it's a bandit plot, a railroad hold-up, a bit of jealousy, and a false charge that "Bill" is "yellow."

Only one way out—to find the man who cracked the safe it was Dan's duty to guard. You know

Hart on the warpath! When he "horned in" on that big train hold-up and tore the mask from the bandit leader—some surprise, you'll say!

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BILLY FRANEY

A GOOD COMEDY

Admission—Adults, 25c—3c—25c;
Children, 10c—1c—11c

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31.

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WALLACE REID

"The Dancin' Fool"

Just a lonesome "small town guy" trying to sell jugs in New York. One night, while passing a little cabaret, he smelled fresh country eggs cooking. A regular meal, a regular fight, a regular girl! Then the dancin' fool landed and the jug business won on jazz.

Jazz in his feet at night—for a cool two hundred a week. Jugs in his head by day—for six dollars per Uncle Enoch's "cusses," joy in

his heart all the time—through Junie Budd, of Broadway's "Garden of Roses" until—

See all the latest steps and fads in dancing—and then some! With witching Bebe Daniels and "Wally" Reid's own jazz band.

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SNUB POLLARD COMEDY

Admission—Adults, 20c—2c—22c;
Children, 10c—1c—11c.