

WEATHER REPORT.
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day; moderate temperature.

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POST OFFICE ZEIS'S PLUM

RACE FOR REPUBLICAN NOMI-
NATION FOR CONGRESS IN THE
FIFTH DISTRICT IS CAUSING
MUCH STIR IN THE RANKS OF
THE LOCAL POLITICIANS.

CHARGES AGAINST LOCAL MAN

Alleged That Grocer Deserted the
Anti-Ring Faction and Went to the
Machine on the Promise That he
Would be Given a Federal Job—
Major Dunbar Fighting Otis Gul-
ley, the Hendricks County Candi-
date.

Charges that Charley Zeis, the
chairman of the Putnam County Re-
publican Central Committee, has de-
serted the anti-machine ring in his
party and has gone over to the
machine, on the promise that he will
be made postmaster here at the ex-
piration of John G. Dunbar's term,
are now stirring things among the
Republicans in Putnam County and
the Fifth District.

The bottom of the whole affair, it
is said, hinges on the hatred of
Postmaster John G. Dunbar, for Otis
Gulley, the Hendricks County
candidate for nomination for Con-
gress. This hatred is said to have
originated two years ago when Mr.
Dunbar asked the Hendricks County
man to lay down in his race for nomi-
nation for Congress at that time in

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CABLE IS BURNED DOWN

Local Telephone Company Suffers
Seriously Through a Peculiar Accident at the Interurban Station.

EIGHTY PHONES OUT OF BUSINESS

A peculiar accident at the Interurban Station Thursday night, at half past ten o'clock, severed the large telephone cable leading to the south part of town, and rendered about 80 phones useless for several days to come. The accident happened at the point where the telephone company's lines cross the lines of the Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Eastern Traction Company. At this point the high tension wires of the interurban, its trolley wires, and the cable of the telephone company pass beneath the open wires of the telephone company, and all are very close together.

It is the custom of the interurban company to switch off its night car due here at 10 o'clock, and leave it for the night on the freight switch. Thursday night, in attempting to do this, the trolley pole slipped from the wire and came in contact with the telephone cable, while also in contact, lower down on the pole, with the live trolley wire. As a result the half inch steel cable carrying the lead pipe containing the telephone wires was burned through and the wires themselves, within the lead casing, to the number of 80, were burned off. The whole accident did not take more than two minutes of time. The main switch board of the telephone company fortunately escaped though for a few minutes it seemed doomed.

The accident is serious because of the difficulty of making repairs. The 80 wires to be spliced are in a twisted cable scarcely an inch in diameter. Each of these must be spliced to the opposite severed end of the cable in such a way that each wire is complete—each phone connected to its proper number in the switch board. Not only is this true, but the work must be done in very close proximity to the live wires of the interurban road. It is expected that several days will elapse before the repairs are complete.

EASY WIN FROM QUAKERS

In a surprising reversal of form and displaying the best team work of the season the DePauw quintet gave the Earlham college five a severe drubbing last night the game ending 24 to 11. The visitors were outplayed at every stage of the game and the old gold representatives were in the lead all the way. Earlham at times took a brace and with some pretty passing threatened to make a change but the ball could scarcely ever be brought dangerously near a goal. Coach Valle had no excuses to offer for the result, on the part of his men and close by him pleased with the splendid work of his protégés old man Brown was grinning the sheepish grin that started the day of the Earlham football game.

DePauw took the lead at the start Pruitt getting two points close after the tossup. Sheets soon made it three and with this start the Quakers were never able to head them off. Genn, the big center of the visitors did good work in tossing fouls in the first half securing four late in the half, but the only basket they were able to land was by Wilson. Pruitt secured another before the whistle blew and with a point awarded the half ended DePauw 9, Earlham 6.

The only official of the game was Guedel of Indianapolis whose work throughout was the best seen here in a long time. He kept the game clean and his judgment was more satisfactory than is usually found with two officials. The second half was easier than the first and the local men soon started a fusillade of shots for the basket. Fouls on Earlham were frequent and Captain Sheets secured about half the chances. Genn secured a pretty goal and Pruitt soon duplicated the trick. Referee Guedel awarded another point to DePauw.

Wilson for the visitors did the best work in this period securing two field counters in rapid succession. Pruitt was sent from the game eight minutes before the close for fouling Bachelder taking his place. It was about this time that the locals began to get in their best passing for the Earlhamites were com-

pletely bewildered by their opponents play. Sheets scored two points and Johnson at the other forward broke loose and sent two nice ones through the hoop before the whistle blew. The score for the half was DePauw 15, Earlham 5.

The entire team put up the best exhibition of basketball that they have shown this year. The men not only guarded well but they were able to get loose at the right time and some good passing was the result. Pruitt, Sheets and Johnson did pretty well with the basket and the low score of the opposing team proves how well the guards performed their duty. The lineup and score is as follows:

DePauw Position Earlham
Sheets (C) ... F ... Hotchkiss
Johnson F. Chambers (C)
Pruitt, Bachelder C Genn
Gandy G Newsom
Hardin, Hodges G Wilson
Summary:

DePauw: Field Goals, Pruitt 3, Sheets, Gandy, Johnson, 2.
Foul goals, Sheets 8. Points awarded 2. Total 24.

Earlham: Field Goals, Wilson 3. Foul goals, Genn 5, Total 11. Time of halves 20 minutes. Referee Guedel, Indianapolis.

TEACHERS IN EXAMINATION

Make First Attempt Under the New Law and Sign Special Blanks Giving the Preparatory Training.

MANY LESS TRY THAN LAST YEAR

The men and women of the county who wish to be teachers are trying for license under the new law today. The law is very rigid, and before any teacher can take the examination they must answer the following questions.

Have you ever taught school? Where? How long?

If you have never taught please answer the following question:

Are you a commissioned High School graduate? Where? When?

Are you an accredited High School graduate? Where? When?

Have you had a full twelve weeks Normal Training in Educational Psychology? In Observation and Study in Training School? In School Organization and Administration? In what school was the above Normal work taken? When?

Have you your passing grades signed by the President of the school?

If the above questions are not answered in the affirmative you are barred from taking the teacher's examination both in the High School and also in the grades.

About forty-five teachers qualified for the examination. This shows the rigor of the law, for formerly nearly a hundred appeared for this first examination. The matter of the examination itself is not radically different from that of other days.

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FRANK ROLLER A CHAMPION

Former DePauw Football Star Climbs One Round Higher in the Wrestling Game by Defeating Farmer Burns of Iowa in Straight Falls.

WAS AN EASY JOB FOR HIM

SEATTLE, Wash., January 24.—Dr. H. F. Roller by throwing Farmer Burns of Iowa, in two straight falls last night, placed himself next to champion Frank Gotch in the list of American wrestlers. He expects to sign articles during the next two weeks for a finish bout with the title holder, and those who have seen him perform believe the present champion will not be entitled to a match with Hackenschmidt after Roller gets through with him. Roller Burns twice in ten minutes, apparently finding the job easier than did Gotch in his last bout with the Farmer. Roller has a fifteen minute draw with Gotch.

Roller is a former Indiana athlete, having gained distinction at DePauw in football and other departments of athletics. He is a giant.

When you go away or have visitors call 65 and let people know it.

SECOND DAY OF INSTITUTE

Larger Crowd Than First Day Tells Of Good Work Being Done by Instructors in Various Lines of Work

WOOLEN TELLS ABOUT THE BIRDS

The second day of the Farmer's Institute opened clear and warmer. The excellent work of the previous day had been reported and before noon the room would not hold the crowd that wanted to hear the subjects of the day.

Friday afternoon Mr. Gentry of Rockport had told the farmers how to test the soil for lacking elements. He had suggested the plot culture method. He advised taking a plot of ground a few feet square and treating it with some kind of fertilizer, for instance nitrogen, and another similar plot and feed it potash. A third plot was to have both nitrogen and potash, and a fifth phosphoric acid, while a sixth had all three elements and a seventh no fertilizer at all. In this way the farmer could learn whether one element, or all or two, or none would help the land.

The question was still further discussed in a most pleasing manner by Dr. Blanchard, Professor of Chemistry in DePauw University.

Following Dr. Blanchard L. A. Stockwell, of Indianapolis, made a plea for forestry, especially in the form of Catalpa growing. He showed the value of this tree for posts and many uses both on the farm and commercially. He pointed out that it could be grown on waste land, and that it would produce many dollars per acre where little else could be grown.

In the evening W. W. Woolen of Indianapolis spoke on birds. Mr. Woolen is an enthusiast, and few who heard him but realized, as never before, the place of the bird in the economy of nature. He declared that more birds meant fewer bugs. He urged that the birds, even game birds, be protected for the benefit of the farm and its crops.

After prayer by Dr. Hoagland, and music, the work of Saturday opened with a discussion of potato growing by Oliver Kline of Huntington. Mr. Kline stated that the richest plot, and that best provided with humus, should be given to the potato. A clover sod well covered with manure, broken in the fall and re-broken in the spring was ideal. The potato should be covered deep, and here commercial fertilizer could be used to advantage. He declared that 200 bushels to the acre was the goal each potato grower should aim at. The discussion was conducted by J. L. Hill and was fully as interesting as the original paper.

The next number was Education for Home Makers by Mrs. Romine, of Mooresville, Ind. Mrs. Romine was at one time a teacher in the domestic science department of Purdue University. She now has a home of her own, and told in a most interesting way how the ideas and theories of the domestic science school could be made practical in the home. Mrs. W. V. Torr led the discussion, which was brief but excellent.

A number not on the program

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was then given by Mrs. S. A. Hazelton, who read a very amusing and pointed story called Betty Ann's experience. It was very well read and brought much laughter and applause. The institute then adjourned for dinner.

During the morning Special Judge Cline passed upon the exhibit of yellow corn grown by a boy. The best ten ears were judged to belong to Harry Lewis, Second prize went to Floyd Mullinx. John Robe judged the white corn and first prize went to L. Nichols. The exhibits were not numerous but were very good.

The committee on nominations reported the names of Mack Jones for President and Ora Day for Secretary

IS INJURED IN A RUNAWAY

Macy Watkins, Principal of the Mt. Meridian High School, is thrown from a buggy and dangerously injured—was still unconscious this morning.

ACCIDENT HAPPENED FRIDAY NIGHT

While returning from Union Valley Church where they had been to attend a lecture last night, the horse driven by Earl Runyan and Macy Watkins scared and ran away. Both of the young men were thrown from the buggy. Runyan escaped uninjured but Mr. Watkins was unconscious when picked up. He remained unconscious all night and was in the same condition this morning.

Mr. Watkins is principal of the Mt. Meridian High School. His home is at New Maysville but he is living at the Half Way House at Mt. Meridian this winter.

The boys were near home when the horse scared. Mr. Watkins was carried to Half Way House and a doctor called. No bones are broken, but it is believed that he is suffering concussion of the brain.

The horse belongs to young Runyan. What the animal scared at is a mystery. The buggy was demolished.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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George A. Gowen to Eliza Ragland in Monroe, \$3250.

Edward E. Evans and wife to Addison D. Chew, land in Washington, \$700.

Eliza Ragland to Edmond Perkins land in Clinton, \$2750.

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THE FARMER'S INSTITUTE.

During the meeting of the Farmer's Institute the listener is sure to hear, upon the street, some very queer remarks, both in favor of and in opposition to, the work being done. Some are enthusiastic in praise, others give the matter a cold shoulder and pass it by with a shrug, and the statement that, "I never got a pointer worth a cent". We do not propose to state here who is right, the enthusiast or the pessimist. It is a fact, however, that there is room for improvement in the general farming of the country. Some money is being made by the very men who scoff at the "new fangled ideas of the Institute", but it is often made by shrewd business deals by economy and close bargaining, (all excellent in themselves) rather than by increased yield and fattening acres.

Then, too, the very men who scoff, half unconsciously, take up, after a season or two, the things scoffed at, when they have been tried by others and proved valuable. It makes no difference how the ideas are scattered so they are scattered, and if a few try and prove good or bad, the theories presented, much in accomplished. Certain it is that knowledge is growing. In general conversation one hears words used that show scientific knowledge. One hears of "nitrogen", "humus", "bacteria", "rotation", and so on.

make plain that the ideas of the institute are gaining ground in conversation, if not in practice. At least we are sure of this, if nothing further is accomplished it is interesting and uplifting to hear how some one else does the thing we are doing daily. Perhaps he does it better, and we can imitate. Perhaps he does it not so well, and we feel proud. In either case we are helped.

RANK FOOLISHNESS.

"When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the King of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at The Owl Drug Store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

When you lose anything tell the people about it in the Want Column of the Herald. You probably will get your property back.

CUNNING BIRDS.

Stratagem of the Lapwing and the Ruse of the Thrush.

"The goose is a frightful liar," said a nature fakir. "He quite puts me to shame."

"Really?"

"Really. You know how the goose, when you draw near it, hisses? Well, with that hissing sound it says: 'Scott, beware. I am a serpent.' Yes, from primeval times the goose has acted this lie. The primeval goose mother, sitting on her eggs in a place of reeds and sedge, would not fly when an intruder appeared; but, keeping her body concealed amid the leaves, she would stretch out her long, flexible neck and hiss wickedly. 'A snake in the grass,' the intruder would say to himself as he retreated, and on her eggs the goose would chuckle in a sly, contemptuous way."

"The lapwing is another liar. Approach her nest and she sets up a distressful crying and runs back and forth in front of you, trailing one wing as though it were broken. You follow. You think to snatch her up in your hands. With this lie she lures you away from her young."

"The thrush in time of drought beats with his feet on the grass like a clog dancer. Thus he lies to the earthworms. He makes them think that it is raining. Up they come in silent haste, and the deceitful thrush makes a rich meal."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

WELL BURIED.

Two Funerals For One Man Provided For by His Will.

Curious directions for the disposal of his remains were left by John Robert Pringle of Catford, who died leaving an estate of gross value of £8,049 3s. 3d. The testator directed:

"After my decease I desire that a competent and trustworthy doctor of medicine shall, by any experiment he may deem suitable, thoroughly satisfy himself that life is absolutely extinct. My carcass is to be cremated and the residuum thereof deposited in two mortal urns, numbered respectively 1 and 2. On the ashes in No. 1 are to be placed a packet, which will be found on my desk, and my miniature portrait scarpin, and on the ashes in urn No. 2 a similar packet, which also will be found on my desk, and my miniature portrait finger ring."

He directed that the urns were then to be soldered down and No. 1 buried in his mother's grave at Newport Pagnell and the other in "my dear Lizzie's grave" in the Streatham cemetery at Tooting. He also enjoined his son to see that the graves of his mother and of the testator's mother were properly looked after.—London Mail.

At Liberty to Scream.

It was on a ferryboat plying between Sydney and Manly, one of that city's beautiful suburbs. Every seat was occupied. Each occupant felt the influence and prepared for an enjoyable trip when a lank girl of fifteen appeared, dragging by the hand a screaming child. There she stood, glowering. A mild lady suggested the child might be in pain. An old bachelor muttered that people who had charge of children should keep them at home. Low voiced but distinct imprecations were now rife. She took not the slightest heed of the muttering or the bawling, which was now at the highest pitch, till the suggestion was offered that medicine would do it good. Then she arose in her wrath, as it were, and, giving the child a vigorous shake, said: "Ethel, cry as loud as you like. I've paid your fare."—London Tit-Bits.

Handsome Dogs Are Good Dogs.
In the most characteristic of English dogs, with the English bulldog as an unfortunate exception of a glaring sort, common sense principles in the canon of judging are distinctly marked. In the case of hounds any good eye can pick out the best animals. This was curiously illustrated not long since in private when an artist taken over one of the bigger kennels of foxhounds picked out the prize and pedigree dogs one after the other. He went purely by his own sense of what was strong and comely, of "strength and beauty met together," as Shelley says in a very different connection.—London Outlook.

The British Breed.

British bred animals, whether they be horses, cattle, sheep or even pigs, are superior to all others in quality and stamina. There is some strange and admirable power in our soil which puts a stronger fiber and a more enduring stamp of excellence into the live stock bred in our islands than are found in the same breed or species in any other part of the world.—London Times.

A City of Happy Homes.

Dublin took a walk in the cemetery, where he noticed on the tombstones, "Good Husband," "Good Wife," "Good Son."

"It is evidently here that the happiest homes are found," he reflected.—Nos Loisirs.

An Admission.

Alice—I rather like that young Thompson. He has such a good, firm mouth and chin. Hazel—Goodness! Has he been kissing you too?—Kansas City Independent.

Always Strong.

Church—They say the human voice is stronger in the morning than it is at night. Gotham—I can't see any difference in baby's.—Yonkers Statesman.

A slip of the tongue is worse than that of the foot.—Spanish Proverb.

SLUG AND SNAIL LORE

Queer Old Traditions That Cluster About the Gastropods.

A CURE FOR WARTS AND AGUE

Drastic Remedies That Must Have Proved Speedily Mortal to the Unfortunate Snails—A Telepathic Theory That Was a Dismal Failure.

It is probable, though—bearing in mind the extent and profundity of the learning considered necessary for "every schoolboy," provided he is educated at other people's expense—one does not like to dogmatize, that slugs and snails were among the very earliest natural history subjects we were taught. The teaching, we may remember, was conveyed in the classical form of question and answer. "What?" we were asked, "are little boys made of?" And the querist, almost always of the nurse or governess persuasion, supplied the answer with unmistakable relish. "Slugs and snails and puppy dogs' tails" were, we were informed, the ingredients which went to the composition of the soaring human boy. It was raining. Up they come in silent haste, and the deceitful thrush makes a rich meal."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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For Poetical Reasons.

"Perchance," called the amiable widow, "come here!"

The little lapdog trotted weekly up.

"Surely that is a strange name for a dog," exclaimed the gentleman visitor. "What made you name him Perchance?"

"I am so fond of poetry!" explained the lady huddly.

"Madam, forgive me, but I fail to see the applicability."

"Why, silly man," exclaimed the merry widow. "I named it after Byron's dog! Don't you remember where he says, 'Perchance my dog will howl?'"

What He Knew.

Master—if your friend were to borrow 12 shillings from you, agreeing to pay 1 shilling a month, how much would he owe at the end of the year?

Pupil—Twelve shillings.

"You don't know the elements of arithmetic."

"But I know my friend."—London Scraps.

The Bonds.

"I want to get rid of some bonds."

"Out of my line," replied the lawyer.

"But these are matrimonial bonds," rejoined the caller, putting a different face on the matter.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Too Much Checking.

Mother (sternly)—Can't you check your wife's constant demand for money? Husband (despairingly)—That's just it! She's always after checks.—Baltimore American.

A slip of the tongue is worse than that of the foot.—Spanish Proverb.

CATGUT STRINGS.

The Way They Are Made From the Intestines of Sheep.

Catgut strings, it is well known, are made of the intestines of sheep. The intestines of the full grown animal are from forty to fifty feet long.

The raw material from the stockyards is first thoroughly cleansed of fat and deshoy fiber by dull knives arranged on a drum turned by a crank. The white tough membrane that is left is then handed over to the splitter, who dexterously splits the material into even strands by bringing it against the blade of a safety razor set upright in the table before him. The strands are then spun together and placed on the drying frames.

An American E violin string requires six strands, the European four. The strands, at one end fastened to an upright post, are twisted together while still damp and pliable by means of a spinning wheel. Taken from the drying frames, the strings are cut in lengths, coiled and boxed in oil paper for shipment. To polish the strings very fine emery paper laid on a grooved aluminum block is used. While the strings are still on the drying frame the covered block is passed over the strings, polishing as many at one time as there are grooves in the block. It can be seen that from the manner in which the strands are twisted the effect of polishing is to weaken the string.

In the essential features the process of making the fine gut strings for surgical uses or the heavy strings three-eighths of an inch thick sometimes employed for machinery belting does not differ from the method employed in the case of the musical strings except that the latter are handled with more care.—Chicago Record-Herald.

DARING PHOTOGRAPHY.

Perilous Feats of the Men Who Manipulate the Cameras.

A man who can stand or sit on the flange of a steel beam not so wide as the sole of your shoe and 600 feet above a roaring granite paved city street, there coolly to take successful pictures of the top of the city far below him, must be possessed of three qualifications and each of the first water. He must have judgment, patience and courage, these three, and, one may add without slighting the other two, the greatest of these is courage. So writes H. G. Hunting in the Technical World Magazine.

The eager eye of the camera goes everywhere nowadays, and the man who makes picture getting his business adopts no peaceful, unexciting pursuit. If he is under contract to a great newspaper or magazine he may be called upon to secure a picture of anything, from a flashlight in the black depths of metropolitan sewer to a portrait of the fairest white slave in a Turkish harem. He may be asked to "get" a female grizzly nursing her whelps in her mountain lair to illustrate some naturalist's work at one end of the year, and before the other end has come he may snap a shutter on the lip of some smoking volcano's crater.

When you see a striking or a startling picture of man or beast in some extraordinary place or pose, do you ever stop to think where the photographer was who made the negative or how he got there?

Pepper in Olden Times.

During the middle ages in Europe pepper was the most esteemed and important of all the spices. Genoa, Venice and other commercial cities of central Europe were indebted to their traffic in pepper for a large part of their wealth. Its importance as a means of promoting commercial activity and civilization during the middle ages can hardly be overrated. Tribute was levied in pepper, and donations were made in this spice, which was frequently also used as a medium of exchange in place of money. When the imperial city of Rome was besieged by Alaric, the king of the Goths, in 408 A. D., the ransom demanded included 5,000 pounds of gold, 30,000 pounds of silver and 3,000 pounds of pepper, illustrating the importance of this spice at that time.

And the snail is not without its quasi mystic attributes. Very widely spread is the childish "charm" by which it is adjured to put out its horns—"Snail, small, come out of your hole or else I'll beat you as black as a coal!" Sometimes a bribe is substituted for the threat, and "bread and barleycorns" are promised as an inducement to "show your horns." In Scotland it is said that the prompt obedience of the snail indicates that fine weather may be expected. In some places to catch a snail by its horns on the 1st of May and throw it over the left shoulder insures good luck.

Possibly one of the queerest ideas that have ever been promulgated about snails was that which gravely proposed to utilize them for the purposes of telegraphy, or, more strictly perhaps, telepathy. Snails, it was alleged, were excessively sympathetic. Two of them were put together for presumably sufficient time to bring them thoroughly in rapport, and the intending operators arranged their code. One of these went to New York with one snail and the other to Paris with the second. When the gentlemen in either capital wished to communicate with his friend, at an hour agreed upon, he put his snail on a dial marked with the characters of the code and moved it from one to the other till his message was spelled out, and the snail in the other capital would, impelled by the mysterious sympathy, of its own accord indicate on a corresponding dial the message letter by letter! That was the beautiful theory that was doomed to dismal failure.—London Times.

What He Knew.

Master—if your friend were to borrow 12 shillings from you, agreeing to pay 1 shilling a month, how much would he owe at the end of the year?

Pupil—Twelve shillings.

"You don't know the elements of arithmetic."

"But I know my friend."—London Scraps.

The Bonds.

"I want to get rid of some bonds."

"Out of my line," replied the lawyer.

"But these are matrimonial bonds," rejoined the caller, putting a different face on the matter.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Too Much Checking.

Mother (sternly)—Can't you check your wife's constant demand for money? Husband (despairingly)—That's just it! She's always after checks.—Baltimore American.

A slip of the tongue is worse than that of the foot.—Spanish Proverb.

The Widow Bliss.

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Pardon's bank, as it was known for fifty years, stood on the corner of two streets in the business center of a populous Canadian town. The business had descended from father to son.

Besides its own building, the bank owned one face of the square, and this ground was covered with stores and the buildings rented from year to year. The one next to the bank was a two story brick and had been rented at different times for different purposes. Just now it stood empty, with a

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ANXIOUS WAGNER.

The First Performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden.

In Ludwig Frankenstein's Wagner year book Gustav Kietz tells this story in connection with the first performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden: "On the day of the first performance Wagner asked me to meet him in front of the theater after the box office had been opened, so that he could give me and my friend Schuster, the butcher, tickets for the performance. Wagner was in a state of great excitement, and when he gave me the two tickets Heine whispered to me, 'Take some one with good big hands with you.' He watched the people as they came toward the theater, and every time one went in he would make some remark to his wife which showed his satisfaction. I had to go within, but I shall never forget the childish joy of the composer when he saw groups enter the house and the disappointment when others passed the open doors. I thought of it even that evening when the enthusiasm was the greatest. How happy Wagner and his wife must have been at the following two performances, when the house was so filled that even his relatives, who had come to Dresden for that purpose, could not be admitted to the theater!"

THE DESERT SANDS.

Why the Arabs of Sahara Lose the Use of Their Eyes.

"I shall winter in the Sahara," said a traveling man. "With a caravan I shall traverse under a blinding sun and an endless plain of snow white sand, but none of my Mohammedan attendants will wear any kind of shade over his eyes."

"Against that dazzling glare the backs of their necks will be swathed in white linen, and even then their ears will be protected. Nothing, though, will keep the sun out of their faces."

"Wondering about this, I said one day to the kaid of an Algerian village: 'Why don't you Arabs wear a cap of some sort? You live in the world's worst sun glare, but neither fez nor turban under any circumstances has a peak.'

"The Koran," the kaid answered, "forbids all true believers to shade their eyes. Obeying the Koran implicitly, we dwellers in the desert avoid like poison brins to our headgear. In consequence there is more blindness among us than among any other people in the world!"—Los Angeles Times.

A Popular Play Indeed.

Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" has been translated into German nine times, into French seven, into Italian six, into modern Greek three, into Latin and Swedish twice and into Croatian, Danish, Dutch, Frisian, Polish, Roumanian, Russian, Magyar, Portuguese and Yiddish. There are seven or eight English acting editions of the tragedy. But one attempt actually to alter and improve it has ever been made. This was in 1722, when John Sheffield, duke of Buckingham, divided it into two parts at the death of Caesar, calling it "The Tragedies of Julius Caesar and Marcus Brutus," and made many other changes. To enrich this poor play, or, rather, these poor plays, Pope furnished some choruses, but they had the usual effects of ill-adjusted ornaments—they served only to make the meanness of the thing they bedecked the more conspicuous.

Full Faith in the Doctor.

A young farm laborer called one market day at the registrar's office to record his father's death. The registrar asked the date of death.

"Well, father ain't dead yet," was the reply, "but he will be dead before morning, and I thought it would save me another journey if you would put it down now."

"Oh, that won't do at all," said the registrar. "Why, your father may make a turn before morning and recover."

"Ah, no, he won't," said the young laborer. "Doctor says he won't, and he knows what he's given father"—Liverpool Mercury.

Irish Wit.

As Sir Walter Scott was riding with a friend near Abbotsford he came to a field gate, which an Irish beggar, who happened to be near, opened for him. Sir Walter was desirous of rewarding him by the present of sixpence, but found he had not so small a coin in his purse. "Here, my good fellow," said he; "here is a shilling for you, but, mind, you owe me sixpence." "God bless your honor!" exclaimed the Irishman. "May your honor live till I pay you!"

The Bone.

"Say, paw," queried little Tommy Toddles, "what is the bone of contention?"

"The jawbone, my son," answered the old man, with a side glance at his wife.—Chicago News.

A Blunder.

Customer—I must say, waiter, this is the first time I've ever had a really tender steak here. Waiter (aghast)—Good gracious, I must have given you the proprietor's steak!—London Standard.

His Awful Threat.

Mother—Why did you not scream when Hans kissed you? Daughter—He threatened me. Mother—How? Daughter—He said if I did he'd never kiss me again.—Megendorfer Blatter.

Worry.

He—You know, if you worry about every little thing it's bound to affect your health. His Wife—Yes, I know. That's one of the things I worry about.—Town and Country.

LENGTH OF THE DAYS

Difference Between the Star Day
and the Sun Day.

IT IS GREATEST IN WINTER.

Why the Difference Occurs and How
It May Be Observed—Oddly Enough
the Shortest Day in the Year Is
Really the Longest Day in Time.

How long, after all, is a day? The geographies say that it is the time required for the earth to turn once on its axis, that it measures twenty-four hours by the clock and that a fraction more than 365 of them are to be found in a year.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

What Greencastle People and Their Friends Are Doing

J. S. Smith is visiting relatives in Danville. Gilbert Wilson, of Roachdale was in the city today.

Lemuel Brown, is out after an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smythe spent the day in Ladoga.

J. F. Martin is visiting friends and relatives at Cataract.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hodges spent the day at Hadley Station.

Miss Myrtle Spaulding is visiting her sister, in Crawfordsville.

R. W. Grogan is visiting friends and relatives in Danville, Ills.

Lee McVay, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McVay, of Bainbridge.

Mrs. D. F. Hayes of Worthington is visiting her parents, Mayor Hayes and wife.

The Twentieth Century club met this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Curtis Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tobin, are visiting, Tom Morgan and family, east of the city.

Forest Smith returned to his home in Cloverdale yesterday after spending the night here.

Miss Nellie Howlett, who has been visiting in the city has returned to her home in Cincinnati.

Charles Hamm who has been visiting his brother, John Hamm, has returned to his home in Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Hair are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hymer, of Crawfordsville.

Miss Myrtle O'Hair of Brich Chapel, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Thomas, on North Jackson St.

Kenneth Sillery the agent for the Blade and Ledger has been out of school this week on account of sickness.

S. W. Silery went to Crawfordsville this morning to accompany his daughters, Opal and Helen, home. They have been visiting in Wallace, Ind.

A Notre Dame Lady's Appeal

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood. Loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address, Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

Mrs. A. P. Burnside is on the sick list.

Ora Heath of Bainbridge spent the day here.

Miss Verna Burnside is visiting in Crawfordsville.

Mrs. J. L. Cooper is visiting relatives in Michell.

Dr. E. H. Hughes is in Danville, Ills., over Sunday.

A. P. Bowman is in St. Louis transacting business.

Hubert Farmer of Terre Haute was in the city to day.

Miss Lewis Pigman of Brazil is visiting Theta sisters.

Mrs. Brick Burris of Cloverdale is spending the day here.

Rev. Wm. H. Brown will be in Gosport over tomorrow.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves will go tomorrow for a visit with his brother, George T. Reeves, who lives north of Fillmore.

Mr. George Burks who has been visiting friends in the city has returned to Tipton and resumed his work as agent in the interurban station.

The new Choral Society under the direction of Prof. Kleinsmid will sing Sunday in the College Avenue Church. This new choir is popular with the students and citizens.

Dr. J. S. Hoagland returned this morning from Danville, where he has been holding a successful revival meeting. He will preach in his church Sunday morning as usual.

O. M. Gardner of Meridian, Ind., was here today to look after business interests. Mr. Gardner formerly was in the real estate business with Mr. Harris of the Central Trust Co. He is a guest of the latter while here.

The Vandalia has stopped work on the eastern division between Indianapolis and Greencastle and has dropped 150 men who were day laborers, but will resume work in the early spring, expecting next season to complete the improvements planned between Indianapolis and Terre Haute—Indianapolis Star.

Henry Ostrom, Jr., who went to New York recently to have an operation performed upon his ear, writes that the operation was a complete success and that his physician assures him that his recovery will be speedy and complete. Mr. Ostrom is now able to be out of the hospital and is with his father, The Rev. Henry Ostrom, at Meridian, Conn. It is hoped that Mr. Ostrom will be able to return to his home within a short time.

Mrs. M. W. Bruner, Miss Harriett Hardin, Miss Florence Dier, and Miss Blanche Woody of this city will go to Indianapolis Saturday morning to attend the annual meeting of the alumnae association of Iota Chapter of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority of DePauw University. The meeting will be held at the Claypool Hotel. In the afternoon there will be a business meeting with a banquet in the evening. The association was formed about four years ago and is composed solely of Kappa Kappa Gamma alumnae of DePauw. The association has a membership of about 100. Miss Blanche Woody of this city is president—Crawfordsville Review.

Mary Grimes is very ill with heart trouble.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King of Fox Ridge died last evening.

Mrs. Melvie Miles of Indianapolis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nathan Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Ragan of Bedford will move to the city in the near future. They were in search of property here this afternoon.

H. E. McAvoy, has returned to his home in Indianapolis, after attending the funeral of his grandfather, Nathan Fowler, of Cloverdale.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves will go tomorrow for a visit with his brother, George T. Reeves, who lives north of Fillmore.

Mr. George Burks who has been visiting friends in the city has returned to Tipton and resumed his work as agent in the interurban station.

The new Choral Society under the direction of Prof. Kleinsmid will sing Sunday in the College Avenue Church. This new choir is popular with the students and citizens.

Dr. J. S. Hoagland returned this morning from Danville, where he has been holding a successful revival meeting. He will preach in his church Sunday morning as usual.

O. M. Gardner of Meridian, Ind., was here today to look after business interests. Mr. Gardner formerly was in the real estate business with Mr. Harris of the Central Trust Co. He is a guest of the latter while here.

The Vandalia has stopped work on the eastern division between Indianapolis and Greencastle and has dropped 150 men who were day laborers, but will resume work in the early spring, expecting next season to complete the improvements planned between Indianapolis and Terre Haute—Indianapolis Star.

Henry Ostrom, Jr., who went to New York recently to have an operation performed upon his ear, writes that the operation was a complete success and that his physician assures him that his recovery will be speedy and complete. Mr. Ostrom is now able to be out of the hospital and is with his father, The Rev. Henry Ostrom, at Meridian, Conn. It is hoped that Mr. Ostrom will be able to return to his home within a short time.

Miss Flora Frazier will spend Sunday at her home in Hillsboro.

Ray Whisland will spend Sunday at his home in New Augusta.

Ivan Hill of Broadripple is visiting yesterday evening at 5 o'clock in Plato Hall the committee appointed to secure an orator for the commencement week reported that at present matters looked very favorable toward securing Governor Hughes.

An open debate will be the feature at University Literary Society in Plato Hall tonight. The discussion will be whether or not the present form of literary society is better than the exclusive one. It is expected that all the debaters of the society will be on one of the sides and discuss the question thoroughly. Other numbers on the program will be Recitation by A. L. Adams, Paper on the Movement of the Eastern Fleet by Elsie Troxall, and several musical selections.

Events in Greencastle's Places of Worship Tomorrow Are Given Below—The Different Pastors and the Subjects of Their Sermons.

Locust Street Church

Rev. J. F. O'Haver, pastor.

The pastor will have charge of the services preaching both morning and evening. The morning theme is: "Spiritual Depression." The evening theme will be evangelistic. A large chorus choir will sing special numbers and lead in the singing of the hymns. The other services are as follows.

Mrs. Kurtz will lead the class.

will visit Alpha Phi tomorrow.

Mrs. Berney Anderson of Rushville is the guest of Alpha Chis.

Miss Helen Montgomery will remain in Indianapolis over Sunday.

Miss Zella Jones of Big Chapel will visit Alpha Phi sisters Sunday.

Will Wade an old DePauw student was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Clark of the Art Faculty will spend Sunday at her home in Pendleton.

Miss Myrtle Spaulding will visit in Crawfordsville over Sunday with her brother.

Miss Dyre Lemon has gone to her home in Indianapolis on account of sickness.

Roy Rawlings is still quite seriously ill at his room at the Delta U house.

Mrs. Lou Allen Baker is in Indianapolis today attending the Theta luncheon.

Miss Bess Sale will remain in Indianapolis over Sunday with Miss Eva Valdin.

Mr. McLechler of New York City is the guest of his brother-in-law, Joe Larimore.

Miss Helen McNeil will be in Anderson over Sunday to visit Miss Marie Hendee.

Miss Pearl Marlott who has been ill for several days is still unable to leave her room.

University class meeting will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Carl Baldwin was called to his home yesterday in Booneville. He will be back Monday.

Harry Redding who has been ill at the Phi Gamma house is again able to attend his classes.

Mrs. G. I. Winans of Columbus, Ind., is visiting her daughter, Miss May, at the Alpha Chi house.

About fourteen Kappas are attending the state banquet of Kappa Gamma in Indianapolis today.

Miss Mary Fee who went to her home in Greensburg on account of illness will not return until next term.

Mrs. Seaman was a guest at lunch on Indianapolis yesterday with some of her Vassar college classmates.

President Hughes goes to Cleveland, Ohio, tonight and will preach in the Epworth Memorial Church in that city tomorrow.

Dr. Kleinsmid will direct the music and the Choral Society will sing.