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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Brief Items of Interest to City and Country Readers.

Everybody goes to the Box Ball Alley.

To-day's markets—Wheat, 87c; Corn, 54c; Oats, 43c; Rye, 65c.

A car of first class sand grown potatoes, the finest that have come to town this year at E. D. RHOADS.

Mrs. R. O. Graves of Morocco is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. Littlefield and family a few days this week.

Uncle John Makeever has shown a little improvement in the last few days but is still unable to be around but little.

Uncle William Bull was down to vote Tuesday. This being the first time in many months that he has been away from the house.

Republicans say over in Joe Cannon's district there has been a new political party formed and will be known as the Methodist preachers political prohibition party.

Notwithstanding the Taft victory a stove was put up in the postoffice Thursday. Of course it is possible that it was put in place to keep the democratic employees warm.

Miss Orabelle Duvall has secured a position as private librarian at Butte, Mont., and will go in a few days to begin work. This position was secured through a mutual friend.

Cristy Wauble, a tailor who has been working here for two or three months, has decided to move back to Payne, Ohio, where he has property. He and his family leave today for that place.

In the clear up, there are several large rocks left on the east side of the river channel, too large in fact to be moved from where they are. There will be several piles of them left on both sides after the road men have their contract completed.

The election Tuesday passed off very quietly in this city, and while there was some inquiry as to the qualification of voters, there was no trouble and no arrests were made, in fact we have not heard of an arrest in the county on election day.

Farmers report corn to be of the best quality that it has been for six or seven years. The yield, however, is not up to the average and it will not leave a very large margin to sell after the farmers have provided for their future wants.

The heating plant in the K. of P. building was repaired yesterday and now the various tenants will have a little warmth in their quarters. No fire had been started in the furnace this fall until yesterday, and as a consequence the tenants worked with their overcoats on these cold mornings.

Mrs. David Wheelon, whose husband met his death in such tragic manner last July by drowning near the Padgett bridge, has gone to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where her people live, and will make that her future home. She and her two sons left yesterday on the milk train for that city.

Mrs. A. J. Smith, living near the Church of God, is in a critical condition and owing to her great age it is doubtful whether she recovers from this sickness. The infirmities of old age and the fact that she has worked much harder than she was able to is thought to be the cause of her affliction.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Blue have returned from a several weeks visit with their daughters, Mrs. Louella Brown at Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Pearl Patterson at New Boston, Ill.

O. H. McKay has moved into the room next to the Little Gem Bakery and will conduct a restaurant and soft drink shop. The room on Cullen street was abandoned Friday, and the new restaurant will be open today for business. Mr. McKay understands the business and will serve nothing but first class eatables.

The first snow fell here Wednesday and the democrats generally wore their overcoats, but when they saw the papers Thursday morning, notwithstanding the weather was pretty cool, they could go in their shirt-sleeves—Charles B. Landis had been defeated for Congress in the ninth district and had lost his home county by 277 votes! Quite a large sum was wagered in Rensselaer on the result of the governorship of Indiana, probably \$1,000 altogether, and the losers are now joining in the popular cry of their party in damning Hanly, who, with the Anti-Saloon ally, is being generally blamed by them for Watson's defeat. Very little was wagered here on the national election.

The dredge is again headed westward, and owing to the cold weather it being impossible to do any more blasting, all that can be done any more is to finish the rest of the dirt work and leave the rock work until spring. The danger of a gorge of ice however is averted as the dredge will winter down below town where there is much more chance for the water to get away than there is further up this way.

The "Hotel Rosey" has been moved up stairs and the restaurant down stairs has been abandoned. The dining room will be where it was for years, in the rear of the building, and the office will be where it was for many years before Mrs. Rosenbaum took charge of the business. She will also run the Little Gem Bakery in connection with the hotel, although the bakery will remain where it is now, on Van Rensselaer street.

The heating system at the school buildings is being repaired again. Some time ago it sprung a leak and was repaired, but a little later it was discovered that the pipe through which air is forced by a little engine at the light plant had rusted so badly that it was full of holes, and of course little if any air could be forced through it. It is thought that these repairs, which consist of replacing the rusted gas-pipe with a new and larger one, can be done without digging up all the pipe from the school houses to the light plant. The work is being rushed so as to anticipate a cold snap which might put the schools out of commission.

Our friend Everett Halstead is not feeling good over the local election in Newton township, where the democratic ticket received many more votes than there were democrats in the township. Nor could this result be attributed to the fact that the candidates were not all good men, for they were, but it was caused by the fact that the republicans were fighting one another. The man and his friends whose hide is hung on the fence always feels worse than the man and his friends who removes the hide and hangs it on the fence. Mr. Mosian's defeat can be attributed to an internecine party war and nothing else, although the democratic candidates were good men and popular.

CORN AND BREAD CONTEST.

It has been planned to have the Bread and Corn contest together with the Farmers' Institute again this year. The Institute will be held Dec. 7 and 8, and it is time that the boys who belong to the club begin to get their best 11 ears of corn together, and the girls to try their hand at baking bread. In the corn contest anyone who secured seed last spring may enter. They should fasten their corn securely together and label it with their name and the township in which they live. All corn should be sent to the place where the institute is held not later than Monday evening, Dec. 7. It may be left at the office of the County Superintendent before that time. One ear of each bunch of corn will be carefully scored and the person sending it may have it to take home that he may see wherein it is weak. The corn from each township will be judged and three prizes will be given for the three best lots from each township. The winners from each township will enter a county contest and other prizes will be arranged.

In the bread contest all school girls between the ages of 9 and 18 may enter. They must prepare and bake without help the loaf of bread which they exhibit, and have it marked with their name, township in which they live and time at which the bread was baked. To this should also be attached a signed statement that they did all the work themselves. Prizes will be arranged in this the same as in the corn contest. All bread should come in Tuesday morning, Dec. 8. Girls may be excused from school on Monday in order to bake the bread.

All persons interested in the Farmers' Institute should take hold of this plan and help to make it the best possible.

Wm. H. Churchill has gone to Siloam Springs, Ark., to spend the winter with his son Thomas Churchill.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Oct. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saylor, a son.

Apples 30c to 40c per peck. CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE.

Jasper Guy or Remington makes farm loans at 5 per cent interest with no commission but office charges. Write him. tf

BOX SUPPER.

A box supper will be given at the James school house, 3 miles south of Rensselaer on the gravel road, Saturday evening, Nov. 14. A good program. Everybody invited. ELIZABETH LUERS, Teacher.

Visit the big cloak and suit sale. CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE.

A SURPRISED MINISTER.

"For many years I have been a sufferer from bronchial catarrh, and had despaired of anything like a cure. Judge of my pleasant surprise when I first used Hyomei, which brought complete relief. Hyomei has been a veritable god-send."—Rev. Charles Hartley, Sardinia, Ohio.

Thousands of catarrh sufferers have given up in despair. They have tried stomach dosing, snuff, sprays and douches without success, and now believe catarrh to be incurable.

But B. F. Fendig, the druggist, holds out hope to all distressed. He sells a remedy called Hyomei which is guaranteed for catarrh, colds, coughs, bronchitis, asthma and croup.

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is medicated air, full of the healthy virtues of the mountain pines. You breathe in the delightful antiseptic air, and as it passes over the inflamed and germ ridden membrane, it allays the inflammation, kills the germs, and drives out the disease.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including a hard rubber inhaler, costs but \$1.00, and an extra bottle of Hyomei, if afterwards needed, costs but 50 cents. See B. F. Fendig about it to-day.

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This is the little Hyomei inhaler, a doctor that has cured many thousands of sufferers from catarrh, bronchitis, asthma, hay fever, coughs, colds, grip and croup.

It's easy to cure yourself with Hyomei. Pour a few drops in the little inhaler, and breathe it in. The healing, soothing and antiseptic air will reach every nook and crevice of the mucous membrane of the throat; will stop immediately; will allay the inflammation; drive out the foul odor; kill the germs and cure the disease.

My wife has been using Hyomei for two months for catarrh. She has received more relief and benefit than from any other treatment."—E. S. Parrett, Jeffersonville, O.

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WOUND UP WITH A FIGHT

Ecuadorian Extra Session of Congress Indulges in Strenuous Stunts at Its Close.

Quito, Ecuador, Nov. 6.—The extraordinary session of the Ecuadorian congress has just been concluded with riotous scenes that ended in a serious fight. A number of the ministers, but particularly the minister of finance, was warmly attacked by the minority in the house, who accused them of being participants in extensive frauds. The supporters of the government retaliated by assaulting the minority deputies while they were leaving the congress, many of whom were wounded in the encounter.

Will Give Roosevelt Pointers.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Sir Harry Johnston, the English author and explorer who is in this country on a vacation, will be the guest of President Roosevelt at the White House today and tonight. Sir Henry has traveled extensively in Africa and knows thoroughly that part of the country in which President Roosevelt is to make his scientific hunting expedition next year.

Governor Johnson's Plurality.

St. Paul, Nov. 6.—With complete reports from a majority of the counties of the state and incomplete reports from the most of the counties it is now estimated that Governor John A. Johnson's plurality will fall a little short of 25,000, but it will be well over 20,000. The other state officials—all Republicans—are elected by pluralities approximately the same as Taft's, which is about 100,000.

Latest from the Buckeye State.

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.—Taft carried Ohio by probably over 70,000, while Harmon won by about 20,000, a difference of 50,000 votes between the highest winning Republican and the highest winning Democrat. Returns received indicate the probable victory of all other Republicans on the state ticket. The Republicans also are believed to have carried the legislature, but there also exact figures are lacking.

Other Results Summarized.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—The latest returns on the election do not make any sensational changes except in the cases of Maryland and Missouri. New York's Taft plurality is 203,495, which beats Roosevelt's in 1904. West Virginia has gone Republican on all tickets. Taft gets 80,000 plurality in Wisconsin, and Davidson for governor, 20,000. Pennsylvania gives Taft 292,586 plurality.

Iowa goes 65,000 for Taft and about 65,000 for Carroll (Rep.) for governor; Hepburn is beaten for congress by 900 votes, while the legislature is heavily Republican. Minnesota goes Republican on everything except governor, Johnson going in by about 22,000.

Nebraska is still in the Ryan ranks but his plurality will be small, perhaps as low as 2,000; the rest of the Democratic ticket has been elected, including probably all candidates for representative. Kansas is Republican by 35,000. Colorado goes Democratic on everything, for Bryan 5,500 and for the state ticket by 7,500.

Nevada's local ticket is more completely Democratic this year than in any other campaign in her history. As for the rest of the country there is nothing new. The states are as they were reported, with some changes in the pluralities that are not material to the result.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The strike of the copper miners in the Rio Tinto district in Spain has virtually been settled.

The thread mills of the J. & P. Coates company, at Pawtucket, R. I., employing 2,500 hands, will resume a full time working schedule tomorrow.

President-elect Taft has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the unveiling of the Martyrs' monument on Nov. 14, in Brooklyn.

The election of Taft has been learned with rejoicing on the part of many citizens of Panama, especially the followers of President Obaldia.

Professor Otis T. Mason, head curator of the department of anthropology of the national museum, and the oldest scientist of that institution, is dead at Washington, aged seventy.

Henry L. West, one of the three District of Columbia commissioners, will be reappointed by President Roosevelt for another term.

Sam Spencer was killed and eight other passengers were injured when a switch engine backed into an electric car at Birmingham, Ala.

The freight steamer H. M. Whitney, of the Metropolitan Steamship line, was sunk in the East River near New York city. Loss, \$500,000.

Mme. Emma Calve, the grand opera star, is prostrated by illness at Pittsburgh with prospects that she will be confined to her room for ten days or more.

Unappreciated.

"There are thirteen tunnels on our road."

"Delightful," said the girl traveler.

"And," added the manager, "they are all lighted by electricity."

"We will look elsewhere," said the girl traveler.

Important to Them.

"Are the farmers taking much interest in politics this year?"

"Yes. They are all worked up."

"On what subject?"

"Well, they are hoping that the campaign will rid the country of all storage eggs."

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By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It gives some men a great deal of happiness to witness the pleasures of others—when their profits amount to at least 10 per cent.

It is hard to go back on a stout arm and a sharp stick.

If the man who knows it all and is sufficient to himself would let it go at that he would have our deepest thanks.

Patience and perseverance sometimes are so persistent that they call for the strong arm treatment.

To the victor belong the precious privileges of paying the bills.

The man who isn't good at believing may be an expert at deceiving.

We may be willing to listen to Reason, but we have small chance of hearing her when she is a thousand miles away.

If sometimes does you good to hear no good of yourself.



The man who keeps a girl busy guessing whether she is going to get him or not is most likely to win.

No matter what her matrimonial troubles, if a woman has a good dress-maker she can be reasonably happy part of the time.

You should learn to be saving. At some time in your life you may run across a spendthrift who will be disappointed if you have nothing to share with him.