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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, 55c; Oats, 45c; Rye, 65c.

Legal blanks for sale at The Democrat office.

Uncle John Casey of Fair Oaks was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dickinson of Carpenter tp., were Rensselaer visitors Wednesday.

X. N. Hemphill is making some extensive improvements to his residence on Front street.

M. A. McConnehey of Idaville came Wednesday for a few days visit with his son, Dave McConnehey.

Farm leases, cash or grain rent, deed, and mortgage blanks, etc., on sale at The Democrat office at all times.

Houses to rent are more scarce in Rensselaer at the present time than they have been for many years.

A new supply of best form real estate and chattel mortgage blanks just printed up and on sale at The Democrat office.

James Laffer, Mrs. Chas. Russell and Mrs. Mary Lowe are at Marietta, Wis., this week looking after their lands near that place.

Trustee-elect Selmer and assessor-elect Rodgers of Ghilam tp., accompanied by the former's father, were in the city on business Wednesday.

C. A. Lee and family of Hiawatha, Kan., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Catherine Lee, and brother, W. R. Lee. Mr. Lee has sold his farm in Kansas and may decide to locate here.

B. S. Fendig has been taking in a large amount of poultry this week, principally turkeys, for the Thanksgiving market. He will ship out about three carloads, 75,000 pounds, for the Thanksgiving trade.

Mrs. I. A. Glazebrook left Wednesday for Greenacres, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Ara Glazebrook, and also visit relatives in Terre Haute and Indianapolis. She will be gone indefinitely.

Dr. M. W. Baker of Englewood, Ill., assisted by Dr. Miller, operated on Mrs. Wm. Miller of northeast of town Thursday for varicose veins. The operation was very successful and it is thought the patient will now get along all right.

There has been nothing further done in the case against E. L. Hollingsworth for failure to send his little son to school. Trust Officer Sands filed the affidavit after complaint had been made to him and the arrest was made and the case tentatively set for trial several times, but that is all that has come of it so far.

Yesterday morning was the coldest morning yet this fall, frost of considerable thickness being formed on the windows of business houses.

Uncle James Blake was down from Fair Oaks on business Wednesday. Mr. Blake is past 80 years of age and has been quite feeble for over a year now, or since he suffered a stroke of paralysis, but manages to get about a little with the aid of a cane.

Mrs. Abraham Miller of Barkley tp., died Monday and was buried in the Dunker cemetery in that township Wednesday. She was about 70 years of age and has been in poor health, both mentally and physically, for some time. An aged husband and several children are left.

Rensselaer is to be well supplied with bakeries this winter. A Rosenbaum and O. H. McKay are each to operate bakeries at their respective places of business on South Van Rensselaer street, making three for the city. Ed Catt, who did the baking for A. E. Bolser the past year, will handle the dough at McKay's.

George Stickfaden, who formerly was the chief mogul in the saloon business in Rensselaer, going from here to Muncie and from thence to Noblesville when this place went "dry," has lately purchased "The Vendome," a swell saloon on Third street in Lafayette, and with his family is now located in that city.

When J. P. Hammond takes a position in the First National Bank, which will be very shortly, President J. M. Wasson will retire from active work and will put in but little of his time there. The Captain's face will be greatly missed from the cashier's window, he having been the acting cashier for a number of years.

A box of canned fruit, 32 quarts, was recently shipped to Mrs. Lucy E. Sample of Pueblo, Colo., by some of her numerous friends in this vicinity. The Democrat has been requested to acknowledge her appreciation of the gift and to say that the contributors have her heartfelt thanks. Also that the fruit was very fine and arrived in good condition.

Lowell Tribune: Mrs. Philo Clark, of Rensselaer, and Mrs. Inez Nichols, matron of the Jasper county poor farm, visited at the home of Mrs. Edgar Hayden and son, Seigle, last Thursday. Ed Tanner, of Rensselaer, visited his brother, Fred, and wife and nephews, Fred and Will Tanner, and nieces, Mrs. L. B. Falk and Mrs. Frank Worley, and family here Sunday.

Mrs. S. A. Hemphill's handsome new cement block house on Front street is now all enclosed, the windows are in and the interior ready for the plasterers. It will be quite a long time before the house is finished, although the contractor has promised to have it ready to move into by Christmas. When completed this will be one of the handsomest and most conveniently arranged residences in Rensselaer.

Joe Nagel went to Lafayette Wednesday night to see his wife who is at St. Elizabeth's hospital in that city and was to be operated on yesterday for gall-stones. Mr. Nagel expected to remain with her until the operation was over and its result known. It was not anticipated by the hospital surgeons that the operation would be more than ordinarily dangerous.

Leonard Turner and Miss Hilda Palmer have been elected to the editorial staff of the Arbutus, Indiana University's annual publication. Leonard has charge of the organization department and Miss Palmer of the stage department.—Monticello Herald.

Leonard formerly was employed as linotype operator on The Democrat, resigning last September to take a course in Journalism.

The burial of Little Oak Gant, who died Monday night, was, at the last moment, decided to be made here in Weston cemetery, instead of at Demotte as first intended. The little girl's father is buried at Demotte and it was intended to bury her by his side, but the family had no regular lot there and the space next her father's grave had been used to bury someone else, hence the decision to bury here. The remains of Mr. Gant will likely be removed from Demotte to Weston cemetery later. The funeral of the little girl was held Wednesday afternoon from the F. W. Baptist church, Rev. O. E. Miller conducting the service.

Anson Cox, the carpenter, who was injured by being thrown from a horse at the S. P. Thompson farm near Parr Sunday afternoon, is improving very slowly and is irrational part of the time. The accident occurred while Anson was helping a boy drive some steers from the yard. The steers had become irritated and Anson got onto the horse the boy had been riding to see what he could do. One of the steers charged his horse and the frightened animal threw Anson about four feet off the saddle and he came down on the ground with great force, striking on his head. He was unconscious for several hours and since being brought home has improved but slowly. His doctor thinks he will finally come out all right, however. It was a close call, surely.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Chas. Lawson, Miss Georgia Dunn, T. Dunlap, Mrs. Elm(?) Hains(?) Aloys Hiss, Jess R. Gray, Lewis Jones, Mrs. W. Koster, Louise Rupley, J. D. Miller, Mrs. Len Moore, Ed Tamis, Geo. Winter.

Will be sent to the Dead Letter Office November 23rd, 1908.

DANGEROUS MALADY

Has Developed Among Cattle in the Keystone State.

Danville, Penn., November 11.—An epidemic of foot and mouth disease which has developed among cattle in Monteur and Columbia counties has caused the state and Federal authorities to quarantine four farms and one large cattle pen in the affected district. The disease, which wrought havoc among cattle in the Transvaal some time ago, is extremely contagious, and five state veterinarians and several Government officials are here studying the malady.

When the "Airy Navies" Fight.

The men who fight in ships on water are actually preparing for defense from missiles hurled or dropped from the skies, according to the Brooklyn Eagle. The problem before them is to protect the vital parts of the ship from attacks. Seagoing ships of war are constructed so as to protect the engines and steering gear; also the magazines from projectiles coming through the vessels' sides. They are not likely to be exposed to dropping bombs except in close action with land batteries, something rare in modern warfare.

Under present methods of warship construction defense from dropping bombs may take the form of nets spread above vulnerable points in the superstructure. These will at least check the ordinary bomb and limit the force. Shells which emit poisonous fumes, however, can spread death in spite of the holdup if the contact with the net is sufficiently violent to explode them or if they are exploded by a fuse. Experts differ as to the amount of damage an airship can do to an ocean ship. It is admitted that it will be extremely difficult for the airship artillery to hit its target. At the most he can only disable a few men or some of the machinery. Shells that explode on deck usually do but little damage. Those that penetrate the armor and explode in the ship's bowels are the ones that wreck things. This is the work cut out for torpedo boats, and many men at present doubt the efficiency of the aerial torpedo thrower.

Rabbits Are Abundant.

Brownsville, Ind., Nov. 13.—The hunting season is on and a large number of rabbits is being killed. All kinds of game are plentiful. Rabbits are selling at \$1.20 a dozen on the market here.

Perhaps the reason of the quiet reception of our fleet in China is that only John Chinaman has something up his sleeve more effective when the time comes than shouting.

FINALLY FACES A JURY

Twelve Men Selected to Say Whether Lamphere Is a Murderer or Not.

CORONER MACK FIRST WITNESS

State Makes Its Statement, and Disavows Persecution—Report on Fish and Game Ready.

La Porte, Ind., Nov. 13.—The introduction of evidence in the trial of Ray Lamphere for the murder of Mrs. Belle Guinness and her three children by setting fire to the house began this morning (Coroner Mack being the first witness called), a jury having been secured late yesterday afternoon, and State's Attorney Smith having made his opening statement to the jury before the adjournment of court yesterday. The twelve men accepted and in whose keeping has been placed the life and liberty of Ray Lamphere, are: Henry Mill (aged 65), retired farmer; William Glasgow (aged 34), Jared Drollinger (aged 58), and Richard H. Holland (aged 53), farmers; Bruce McCormick (aged 50), carpenter; Charles P. Nelson (aged 43), Charles Travis (aged 48) and Joseph Bents (aged 58), farmers; Gifford Hull (aged 56), township assessor; L. B. Collings (aged 40) and Gaylor Jessup (aged 58), farmers; Frank A. Block (aged 54), merchant.

Not Persecuting Anybody.

Prosecutor Smith's opening statement to the jury consumed an hour, and in it he went much into detail as to what he would prove. He took occasion to say: "We are not persecuting anybody. We have no animosity to satisfy, we have no axes to grind, we have no spleen to vent on anybody. A dark cloud has fallen upon our county. It is our duty to uncover the mystery and to punish the guilty, if possible. Now I want to set at rest any idea that we are of necessity trying to fasten the crime on somebody, no matter who it may be. Somebody has been murdered, but it is your duty from the evidence to determine if Ray Lamphere is the guilty man."

Defendant's Counsel Objects.

During the statement Attorney Worden and Weir objected several times, making notably strong objections when Smith stated that he would prove by the coroner's inquest report certain facts. They contended that the report could not be introduced as evidence excepting to impeach a witness, but Prosecutor Smith argued that he could offer the report as direct evi-

dence, and offered to submit to supreme court decision thereon, but the matter was dropped after the state's attorney said he could prove the same facts by Coroner Mack himself and the physicians who conducted the autopsies.

ALL ABOUT FISH AND GAME

You Can Learn It, as to Indiana, from the Fish and Game Board's Report.

Indianapolis, Nov. 13.—The biennial report of the commissioner of fisheries and game has been received at the governor's office and will make a most handsome and imposing volume of about eight hundred pages. It is divided into three departments, fish, game and birds. The department of fisheries contains new pictures and descriptions of the principal fishes of Indiana waters; also a list of fishes known to Indiana waters. It also has articles on the mussel industry of Indiana, and on the pollution of streams and the fish laws of Indiana.

The department of game is full of information that is useful to the hunter and all others interested in game, and that of birds will be read with great interest by the bird lovers. The report will be distributed through the members of the legislature, which has just been elected, and any one desiring a free copy of this report would better apply at once to his member of the house of representatives or state senator. The demand for the book is always heavier than the supply.

Street Car Not a "Public Place."

Terre Haute, Ind., Nov. 13.—Judge Gerdink, appointed city judge by Mayor Lyons, an appointment which Governor Hanly says the mayor did not have the authority to make, has decided that a street car is not a public place within the meaning of the statute in regard to intoxication in public places.

Little Dog With Endurance.

Huntington, Ind., Nov. 13.—After fifteen days' confinement in a tile ditch without food and water a Scotch terrier pup has been released to recover and regain activity. The dog in chase of a rabbit ran into the drain and could not back out.

Heavy Blow to a Village.

Winslow, Ind., Nov. 13.—Fire has practically wiped out the business part of the town of Spurgeon, ten miles south of here, near the Pike county line. The loss, estimated at \$22,000, embraces nearly every business house in the town.

BABY DAUGHTER

Of Indiana Minister Who Eloped With a Domestic Is Dead.

Jeffersonville, Ind., November 10.—In the death today of his little daughter in a hospital here, a tragic chapter has been added to the story of desertion by Rev. J. W. Richey, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, at Charlottesville, Ind., in September, of his wife, Mrs. Lillian Richey, and baby daughter, that he might flee with Bertha Williamson, a domestic. The death of the child was the result of a complication of typhoid fever and brain trouble. The heart-broken mother, when seen tonight, sat beside the little cot containing the body of the golden-haired child with a grief too deep for tears.

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