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FLOFA HAS \$15,000 FIRE.

Hardware Stock Destroyed and Owner Had No Insurance.

Flora, Ind., November 29.—The fourth fire in two weeks occurred in this city yesterday when the large hardware stock owned by O. P. Cornell was destroyed. The loss was \$15,000 with no insurance. The insurance policy had just lapsed. Mr. Cornell had it renewed, but owing to a hitch the policy was not in force.

IN HANDS OF YOUNG MEN

Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 26.—Tippecanoe county will hold its annual fair next year, notwithstanding the fact the last year's fair, according to a report given at the annual meeting of the board, showed a deficit of nearly \$1,000. At to-day's meeting there was a general shake-up among the directors and young men were selected to succeed the older men who had been in charge. The receipts of last year's fair were \$8,100 and the disbursements, \$8,950.

FARMER COMMITS SUICIDE

His Body Found in Barn, Hanging by Halter Strap.

Winamac, Ind., November, 29.—Charles Messman, a farmer living six miles west of here, committed suicide last night in his barn with a halter strap. When his body was found by his wife it was hanging against the wall of the barn. Not seeing the strap she thought her husband had been attacked by a fainting spell and did not know he was dead until neighbors attempted to remove the body. No reason is known for his act. He had been married six weeks on the day of his death. He was sixty years old.

FILES SUIT FOR SLANDER.

Democratic Candidate for Sheriff of White County Asks \$5,000 Damages.

Monticello Journal: Richard Fuller, the democratic candidate for sheriff in the recent election, filed a complaint against Dr. Stewart charging the latter with slandering him in the month of October by stating in the presence of Henry V. Jones that Fuller had furnished Claude Cunningham, a boy, whiskey, causing the latter to become drunk and then enticing him into a game had caused the latter to lose \$10. For all of which defamation of character Fuller asks damages to the amount of \$5,000.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGES

Former Trustee and a Present Trustee of Fulton County Arrested.

Rochester, Ind., Nov. 29.—K. P. Richardson, former trustee, and Robert Wiley, present trustee, were arrested here yesterday on the charge of embezzlement. The accounts of the former were found to be more than \$7,000 short, and those of the latter more than \$4,000 short. Indictments were returned by the grand jury last week, but both men were out of town and they were not found until yesterday. Mr. Richardson, who has been at Gary for more than two weeks, returned when he heard of the indictment. Mr. Wiley was found at home. Both gave bonds for appearance in court.

Their indictment and arrest followed the publication of reports made by the field examiners of the state board of accounts.

LAW ON REMARRIAGE

Of Divorcees in Indiana Rendered Valueless by Appeals Court Decision.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 30.—A decision of the supreme court in a case from St. Joseph county, attempting to cite a woman for contempt of court for disobeying its order not to marry within two years of the date of a divorce she was granted, is declared to have rendered valueless a divorce law

that was supposed to be effective. Courts have been in the habit of prohibiting divorced men and women from marrying until two years after the granting of the decree.

Ada King, a South Bend woman, was married a month after she obtained a divorce. In rendering the decision on the appeal in her case Judge Myers of the Supreme Court says:

"It is significant that no penalty is imposed for the violation of this statute, and as our offenses are statutory, it can hardly be insisted that general laws, or other statutes may be looked to, unless it be the statute of contempt."

MAJOR J. CARNAHAN DEAD

Was Joint Agent at Junction at Lafayette for Thirty-One Years.

Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 30.—Major J. Carnahan, for thirty-one years joint agent for the Big Four, Lake Erie, Monon and Wabash railroads, at the old junction, this city, died last night at Columbus, O. He was sixty-two years old. Major Carnahan was one of the best known railroad men in Indiana. He was born in Cincinnati in 1848 and came here when three years old. He enlisted in the civil war, serving in the Fourth Indiana cavalry. A few years ago he went to Columbus to take a position with the Hocking Valley railroad. He is survived by a widow and three children, one of whom, Harry, lives at Indianapolis.

LARGEST PLURALITY.

In Thirty-two Years for West Virginia Democratic Congressman.

Grafton, W. Va., November, 29.—F. T. Martin, Chairman of the Second District Democratic Congressional Committee, to-day received the official majorities obtained by the candidates for Congress in the district, as disclosed by the Canvassing Boards in each of the counties, showing the election of William G. Brown, of Kingwood, Democrat, over George C. Sturgiss, of Morgantown, Republican, by an increased majority over former estimates. Brown's official majority in the district is 4,492. This is the largest majority received by a candidate for Congress in this district, made history by its having been represented in the eighties and early nineties by William L. Wilson, joint author of the Wilson-Gorman tariff act, since 1878.

ABLE BODIED PATIENTS.

Dr. Terflinger Wishes Farm at Northern Hospital for Insane.

Logansport, Ind., Nov. 29.—The legislative visiting committee yesterday inspected the Northern Indiana Hospital for the Insane. Dr. Fred W. Terflinger, superintendent, desires an appropriation of \$150,000 to buy land to establish an agricultural colony for able-bodied patients. Dr. Terflinger believes this is the only way the state can adequately care for its increasing number of charges.

The hospital is now crowded beyond its capacity and about twenty-five patients are being held in county jails awaiting admission. Dr. Terflinger favors the separation of chronic and acute cases and would establish an agricultural colony along the lines of one in Wisconsin. Dr. Terflinger, Father Gavisk and Amos Butler, of Indianapolis and W. H. Eichorn, of Bluffton, inspected the Wisconsin colony last summer and were impressed with it.

The Democrat for Sale Bills.

Windmills, Stock Scales, Gasoline Engines, &c

I wish to announce to the farmers of Jasper County that it will be a year and a half yet before I take my office as County Clerk, and that up to that time I shall be able to supply their wants in anything in the line of Windmills, Gasoline Engines, Stock Scales, Etc., and respectfully solicit their continued patronage.

Thanking you for past favors and hoping to merit a continuation of your patronage, I remain,

Very truly,

Judson H. Perkins



Milady's Mirror

It strengthens the eyes to bathe them either in very hot water or in very cold. Better yet is to take a piece of absorbent cotton rounded and made into a little pad to fit the eyes, dip them in ice water and place them on the lids, changing them as they become hot. After a few minutes of such treatment the eyes will feel comforted and relieved to a great degree. This is specially grateful to the eyes after riding in the wind or after having been subjected to the dust and clinders of a railway or the glare of bright reflections on the water when on a boat. Those who have a tendency to weak eyes should daily use an eyecup in which is placed a boracic acid solution. The saturated solution diluted one-half is generally the best and should be made fresh for each eye. The eye should be opened and shut in the solution half a dozen times or more so that it will thoroughly bathe the eyeball as well as the lids.

Lines or wrinkles under the eyes may be relieved by the use of a good pure skin food. Steam the parts affected by laying hot wet cloths on them for fifteen minutes, then dipping the fingers into the skin food. Massage gently along the line taken by the wrinkles for ten or fifteen minutes. Give this treatment twice daily with steady persistence, and after a month or so's treatment an improvement should be noticeable.

The Bride Beautiful.

A touch of color in the cheeks on the wedding day is to be desired, and if it can be obtained in no other way a dust of rouge is quite excusable, for the bride who is a wan ghost is anything but good to look upon. But before resorting to this subterfuge try washing the face at the last moment with piping hot and then very cold water and then patting the cheeks, the fingers wet with cologne diluted with rose-water.

But to secure a real look of health, which is necessary for the chill white frock, a cupful of orange juice every morning before breakfast or half the quantity of pineapple juice taken at the same time will very likely promote a natural color on the wedding day, for both of these juices act upon the liver, whose renewed health is immediately shown in the freshening of the skin.

As to foods, carrots contain the iron necessary for color, and when accompanied with rare beefsteak no better food could be offered the bride who fears pallor on her day of days. The girl who is likely to be red should eat only white meats and fish for a month before her marriage and then see to it as well that her collar, sleeves and slippers are not too tight.

A Hair Hint.

Where the hair is inclined to lie unbecomingly close to the head a little fluffing out in the new coiffure is advisable, though it need by no means attain the proportions of a large pompadour. If one has enough hair she may make it into puffs, but most of the hairdressings are made with false puffs or braids, pinned on. These may be made of your own combings or bought in a shade matching your own hair. When the hair is thin a pompadour to wear under it is to be preferred to a roll. A roll may be pinned at the back to form a support for the knot, which may be composed of pinned on puffs, or a switch may be twisted into a Psyche knot and pinned to your own hair.

Face Preparation.

A nice preparation for the face is eau de cologne with glycerin, but while the glycerin is softening and nourishing and the eau de cologne is stimulating the latter dries too quickly and has a tendency to rob the glycerin of its good effects. So that while a face lotion may be helped in some instances it is just as apt to be injurious in others. In Paris at present all the women are trying to get their faces to look like paste seemingly. They use ivory powder and a great deal of it. The blonds remind one of the dead white colorings of the Flemish beauties reproduced by Rubens.

French Powder Puff.

American women are usually content to carry a mouchoir and a fan in their theater bags, but the women of France often add, as a necessary to their well being, a powder puff and a small bonbonniere filled with some favorite confection.

As soon as a Frenchwoman is comfortably seated in a theater she takes out the powder puff, sewed perhaps in the center of a miniature handkerchief, and dusts it lightly over the face.

A Perspiration Cure.

If you suffer from perspiration try mixing an ounce of common baking powder and the same amount of unscented talcum powder. Keep in a tight bottle and use freely after washing.

A little ammonia in the bathing water is excellent. Then dust with the powdered mixture.

Ransford's Department Store

Formerly the 99-Cent Racket Store

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Open Evenings 9 p. m. Saturday Night 11 p. m.

Two large rooms filled with all the latest and up-to-date Merchandise that money can buy. We are headquarters for holiday goods of every description. We will have the largest line we have ever carried since being in business in this city. You can find almost anything you are looking for right here and our prices are all marked in plain figures so a child can tell the price of same at a glance. It will be a busy place from now up to January 1st, so do not delay getting in early and making your purchases and avoid the rush. Besides the stock in every department is all on the ground floor and we are placing same as fast as we can. Come in and see one of the finest displays of goods ever brought to Rensselaer. We know you will find that little something you want. We will be glad to wait on you. Watch our windows for special sales and remember we are Santa Claus' headquarters for everybody.

Watch for Our Grand Opening

We shall give every Lady a beautiful souvenir on

December 8th—afternoon and evening

only one to a family. It will pay you to come to this Grand Opening. We do not ask you to buy anything. Just come and look until you are satisfied beyond a doubt that we have the largest stock, the lowest prices and the finest display of any other house in Northern Indiana. Then after deciding to your own satisfaction, if you think we should have the Grandest Holiday Business in this part of the country for our pains and hard work, all well and good. It is up to you. Remember the Grand Opening, Dec. 8th, 1910

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