

# RUGS

## U C S

WE have several new patterns in Axminster rugs in 11 feet 3 inches by 12 feet size.

Also one pattern in 11 feet 3 inches by 15 feet.

If you knew how scarce these rugs were you wouldn't wait a day to come in and buy. If you need a rug in the next few weeks you will be lucky if you buy now.

**W. J. WRIGHT**

Rensselaer, - - - - - Indiana

## LOCAL NEWS



L. B. Elmore of Monticello was a visitor in the city Saturday.

**LOTS FOR SALE;** also good barn.—Apply to J. J. EDDY in person.

Mrs. Charles Replogle was called to North Judson Saturday by the illness of a sister.

Mrs. Harrison Timmons of Benton Harbor, Mich., came Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Leeta Snively of Indianapolis came Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. George W. Hopkins.

Robert Randle of Parsons, Kas., came Saturday to see his father, James T. Randle, whose death occurred Sunday morning.

The party who was seen taking the two log-chains at McMurray's sale near Knitman Mch. 23 had better return same at once and save prosecution.—Adv. m31

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Knockel and son Charles of Carpenter township were in Rensselaer Saturday to meet Benjamin and George Knockel, who have been working at Gary.

Mrs. John I. Gwin, Democratic district chairman of the women's Democratic organization, attended a Democratic county meeting at Monticello Saturday. She reports a large and enthusiastic meeting.

Among the Chicago goers Friday were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ponsler of Mt. Ay, Misses Bertha Florence and Catherine Jarvis, Mrs. Firman Rutherford and daughter Cecil, Mrs. Thomas Callahan, daughter Ruth and son, Thomas, Jr., and W. C. Babcock.

## \$100 Investments

Why wait until you have saved \$1,000 or \$5,000 to become an investor? Put your small sums of money to work at 7 per cent in **DOLLINGS' SECURITIES**, and make it a habit.

**The R. L. Dollings Co.**  
S. RAY LARUE  
Jasper County Manager.

## General Blacksmithing

Wheelright and Vehicle Woodwork  
Oxy-Acetylene Welding  
Lathe Work

Key Seat Cutting and Machining; Gum Saws, circular or Crosscut; Repair Steam Boilers; New Boiler Tubes carried in stock; Repairs for any Gas Engine built; Handle Go-Tractors, Oliver Plows, Aermotor Windmills, Tanks and Pipe.

**E. L. MORLAN**  
Located in Grant-Warner Lumber Building.

Tomorrow is "All Fools' day."

A. E. Wallace spent Sunday in Chicago with his family.

John W. Roadruck of Morocco took the train here Monday for Ft. Wayne.

James T. Wiseman returned home Monday from a short visit with his son and family near Teft.

Miss Iva Healey spent the weekend in Frankfort with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Healey.

Mrs. Louis Swartz was called to Rossville Monday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Orabelle Leslie.

Mrs. Howard Abbott of Indiana Harbor came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reeve.

Mrs. Alda F. K. Parkison returned home Saturday from a several months stay at McAllen, Tex., near which place she owns a farm.

Fred Phillips returned to Dare, Wis., Monday forenoon after a short visit with his family here and to look after some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Meyers and daughter, Miss Nell, returned Monday from spending the winter at Miami, Fla., and are all looking and feeling fine.

Miss Jane Parkison, teacher in the Anderson schools, came Saturday to spend a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Parkison.

D. W. Allee returned to Indianapolis Monday, where he is employed in the Marmon automobile factory, after spending the week-end here with his family.

John J. Molitor, for many years a resident of near Francesville, died at his home near Paulding, O., recently at the age of 65 years. He leaves a wife and 13 children.

Clyde Gunyon, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Myers, Dudley Myers, Donald Lakin and Floyd Sanders of Parr left Monday for Wisconsin, where they will be employed in dredging.

Mrs. O. A. Yeoman and Mrs. Henry Weiss of Chicago came Monday to attend the funeral of Grace Marian Britt, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Britt of Barkley township, which was held yesterday afternoon.

Among the Lafayette goers Monday were Misses Mary Goetz, Zera Smith and Belle Southard, Mrs. J. D. Allman and daughter Alleen, B. G. Parks and B. T. Lanham of this city and Samuel Hendrickson of Morocco.

The little eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Firman Thompson, was very seriously sick Saturday and Sunday, caused from the inhaling of some zinc stearate powder. She was reported much better yesterday.

Mrs. Ida Coover, nurse at the county hospital, went to Remington Monday afternoon to attend the play put on there by the Matinee Musical club, the proceeds of which will be used toward the building of a community house.

David Shumaker, who moved here from Jordan township recently, has moved to Portland, Jay county, where he will run a scoop in a gravel pit. With his family he left here yesterday via auto to drive through to Portland, having shipped his goods by rail.

Grace Marlan, 2½-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Britt of Barkley township, died at the county hospital Monday at 2 a. m., the cause of its death being malnutrition. Funeral services were held at the home yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial made in the Sandridge cemetery.

The Chicago papers have boosted their subscription rates again, effective April 1, because of the extreme high cost of print paper and other material and labor entering into the making of a paper. Under the new rates the Tribune, for example, is \$7.50 per year (not including the Sunday issue) or \$15 per year with the Sunday issue. And this price, too, only applies to subscriptions within the 1, 2, 3 and 4 zones.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds and two daughters, Helen and Maude, came Sunday evening for a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Hetie Nichols. The Reynolds came here from Lexington, Ky., where they had just closed an engagement, and after their visit here will go to Wheeling, W. V., to open an engagement there. About June 1 they expect to sail for England, where they have a booking at the Hippodrome, Portsmouth. They will return to the States about Dec. 1.

Yesterday's local egg and butterfat prices: Eggs, 37c; butterfat, 67c.

Elmer Humphries of near Chalmers was in Rensselaer on business Saturday.

The only sort of record which the Republican congress appears able to make is a phonographic record.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wright returned to their home at Greenfield Monday after a visit here with the latter's sister, Mrs. Anna King, who is very sick.

Yesterday's local grain prices: Corn, \$1.50; oats, 90c; wheat, \$2.30; rye, \$1.50. The prices one year ago were: Corn, \$1.40; oats, 59c; wheat, \$2.11; rye, \$1.45.

Nullifiers in the senate don't like the name the president has given them. It fits them and suits their manners, but they want disguises, not becoming garb.

Bro. Logan of the Goodland Herald was in Rensselaer Friday afternoon, bringing over in his car several Goodland ladies to attend the Pythian Sisters district meeting.

Those who would nullify the treaty and turn America's victory into defeat must take the consequences. And war is one of the certain results of destroying the league of nations.

Mrs. Jerry Tullis and children went to Hammond Friday where they will make their future home, Mr. Tullis having a job as motor-man on a street car line.

Leonard C. Adams, who is employed as a switchman on the Baltimore & Ohio railway in East Chicago, came the last of the week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Adams.

Charles Scripser of Jordan township received word Monday of the death of his brother at Rantoul, Ill., from Bright's disease. The body will be brought to Remington and burial made there Thursday.

Elmer Apperson, formerly president of the Apperson automobile company of Kokomo, was stricken with apoplexy while watching the automobile race at Los Angeles, Calif., speedway Sunday and died a few moments later. His age was 58 years.

At the meeting of the Democratic state committee Saturday afternoon in Indianapolis, Benjamin Bosse, mayor of Evansville, was elected state chairman to succeed A. C. Sallee, and Thomas Taggart was induced to make the race for United States senator, at the earnest and unanimous solicitation of the committee.

Saturday was a beautiful spring day and the city was full of people from surrounding towns and the country. Following the rain and hail storm of Sunday afternoon the mercury dropped considerably and Monday it was quite chilly and disagreeable out. Yesterday was clear and much warmer, the mercury at 2 p. m. registering 65 in the shade.

Mrs. F. Studevant returned to her home at Indianapolis Monday after a visit at the Ransom Elijah home north of Mt. Ay. Mr. Elijah remains in a very critical condition from a stroke of paralysis which he suffered some time ago. Mrs. Studevant was accompanied home by Mrs. A. McAllison of Cooley, Wash., who had also been visiting at the Elijah home.

Dr. E. N. Loy was in Gary Monday to see his little niece, Betty McCracken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCracken, who is in a very critical condition, suffering from streptococci infection, caused from a severe case of tonsillitis. He came home Monday night but returned there again yesterday accompanied by Dr. Washburn, for consultation, in an effort to save the child's life if possible.

## STORM DAMAGE OF MILLIONS

(Continued from Page One)

acted with the city council in raising funds by public subscription and Red Cross headquarters were opened. In several places American Legion posts sent volunteers to watch for looters and assist in relief work.

Henry J. Cox, weather forecaster for Chicago, said the tornado was the result of a combination of two storms. One developed in Alaska, traveled through British Columbia and joined a storm from the southwest which developed in the arid plateaus of southern Arizona and Nevada. This combination, Mr. Cox said, resulted in a rotary motion which formed eddies and caused a tornado.

Although the tornado traveled forward at a rate of about 50 miles an hour, the wind at the core of the tornado was estimated to have had a velocity of from 200 to 300 miles.



**THE UNIVERSAL CAR**

**Every Road is a Ford Road**  
**Every Day is a Ford Day—**

The FORD is the one car that is economical to buy and at the same time economical to own and use. There is no bigger time and money saver than the **Ford**. Have us look after your car with **Ford** mechanics, **Ford** materials, **Ford** excellence at **Ford** prices.

**PERSONAL SERVICE**

**Central Sales Co.**

Phone Three-One-Nine.

## KILLED AT GRADE CROSSING

(Continued from Page One)

killed while Mr. Smith suffered a broken leg, a broken arm and four broken ribs and was badly cut up.

He was rushed to a hospital at Oneonta, but died four hours after the accident. The third man escaped, it was thought, with minor bruises, but Mr. Shipman says that they were told shortly before they left Sidney Saturday forenoon that the doctors had said that he could not live, he having received internal injuries that would result fatally.

Mr. Shipman and Mrs. Smith expect to go back to Sidney in a couple of weeks to close up Mr. Smith's business affairs there and then come to Rensselaer to make their home.

Mr. Smith had bought a place in Sidney and they were living there at the time of his death. He had made some \$5,000 or \$6,000 on the farm he bought there two years ago and, as they liked the country, it was the intention to relocate some place in that vicinity. The family had made many friends during their residence there and Mr. Smith was held in high esteem.

The following obituary was read at the funeral, which was attended by many old neighbors and friends from Newton township:

Everal J. Smith, son of William J. and Catherine E. Smith, was born Nov. 30, 1878, on the Smith homestead in Jasper county. He was united in marriage with Agnes Shipman June 20, 1900. To this union four daughters were born, viz: Helen, aged 18; Edna M., 16; Nina M., 12, and Evelyn Blanche Smith, 4. Mr. Smith passed to his eternal reward at Oneonta, N. Y., Mch. 25, 1920, at the age of 41 years, 4 months and 26 days.

The deceased united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Mt. Ay 21 years ago.

He leaves to mourn their loss, his beloved wife, the four daughters, his father and mother and one brother, Hamlin H. Smith, one brother and one sister having preceded him to the world beyond.

An armload of old papers for 5c at The Democrat office.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS AT AUCTION

Saturday, April 3, at 2:30 at Residence of Mrs. J. J. Eddy. The undersigned will offer her household goods at public auction at her home, the former Wm. P. Baker residence, on the corner of

Weston and Susan streets, at 2:30 p. m., on

**SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1920**  
One large book case; mantle clock; Favorite baseburner; long mirror; good sewing machine; sideboard; hall tree; set of dining chairs; Crown piano and bench; Walrus upholstered parlor set; Walnut bedroom suite; golden oak bedroom suite; 2 old style bureaus; 6 large velvet rugs; refrigerators; new Cole Hot Blast range; Detroit vapor gasoline stove with two ovens; kitchen table; cooking utensils; 3 mattresses and springs; dishes; folding go-cart; electric iron; electric vacuum cleaner; electric stove; laundry stove; washing machine; boiler and tubs; fruit jars; 4 Gates' half-sole tires, and other accessories and many other articles too numerous to mention.

**Terms**—A credit of 6 months will be given on sums over \$10, purchaser executing note with approved security and bearing 6% interest from date if paid at maturity; if not paid at maturity 8% interest from date. **MRS. J. J. EDDY.**  
**W. A. McCurtain, Auct.**

## NOTICE SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNTY COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that the county council of Jasper county, Indiana, will meet in special session Monday, April 5, at 1 o'clock p. m., in the auditor's office, to consider additional appropriations for 1920 and such other matters as may legally come before them.

**SCHUYLER C. ROBINSON,**  
Auditor Jasper County.

## WANTED--Pickles Raised

For Square Dingo Co. at the various places—Parr, Gifford, Laura, Kersey and Tefft.

The writer will solicit the territory of the various places in the next sixty days, and would appreciate any one who would raise a part of an acre or more. Should I miss any one that would care to raise pickles, the seed can be had for asking for it at the various places:

**PARR**—J. E. Murphy Store.  
**GIFFORD**—T. F. Hankins and James Cavender Store.  
**KERSEY**—Cooper Store.  
**TEFFT**—E. W. Lakin Store.

**JOHN S. LAKIN, Superintendent**  
**NORTH JUDSON, IND.**  
R-R NO. 1 PHONE 164-W

## Easter Shoes

**THE** Curtain Has Raised on the Easter Styles. Beauty in Footwear was never more exemplified than now.

For Ladies—Pumps, Colonials, Ties and Lace Oxfords are so popular as to fortell a record-breaker for Low Shoes this season.

**You will find them all, and reasonably priced at the Columbia.**

Children's Footwear, in both Shoes and Oxfords, are also given an important place. Let us fit your children properly.

For Men—the Best that your money can buy in High or Low Cuts.

**Columbia Shoe Store**  
Geo. E. Collins, Prop.