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RENSSELAER, INDIANA

## LOCAL NEWS

Have you got your tickets yet?

Robert Loy of Chicago spent the week-end here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. N. Loy.

Miss Gladys Minch, teacher in the Rensselaer schools, spent the week-end with her parents at Chalmers.

Mrs. John Rhind of Remington went to Chicago Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bradley.

Among the Chicago goes Friday were Capt. J. L. Hagins, Stewart Moore, W. I. Hoover, A. Halleck and Mrs. W. C. Babcock.

N. C. Shafer received a check for \$50 from J. J. Lawler of Chicago to add to the fund for the Armistice day celebration tomorrow.

John B. Hemphill of North Platte, Neb., came Friday for an indefinite visit with his sister, Mrs. E. P. Honan, and other relatives and old friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill returned to their home at Lowell Friday after a visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. A. C. Pancoast, and family of Newton township.

Rev. W. H. Sayler, W. D. Sayler and Mrs. Jeff Smith returned home Friday from Marion, O., where they were called by the death of their brother, Ben L. Sayler.

Abe Martin says: "Workman like Moots talks some o' buyin' an automobile while ther is yit time. Well, it's all over but satisfyin' th' farmers, a separate peace with Germany, fifteen dollar suits, reduced taxes, an association o' nations, high wages an' cheap livin'."

Mrs. Carrie Dayton has accepted a position as housekeeper in the family of F. E. Lewis, superintendent of the northern division of the Monon, and will go to Lafayette Sunday to commence her duties. She will store her household effects here and her two daughters will remain here and attend school, Josephine staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ancl Woodworth, and Myrtle with the family of her uncle, Sheriff Woodworth.

## Armistice Day Specials

One Day  
Thursday, Nov. 11

Lenox Soap, 13 bars... 50c  
Ivory Soap, 3 bars... 25c  
P. & G. White Naphtha  
7 bars... 50c  
Crispo Soda Crackers,  
10c box... 5c  
Crispo Shell Oyster  
Crackers, 20c box... 10c  
Crispo, S. B. C. Soda  
Crackers, 13-4lb box... 25c  
Uneda Biscuit, 10c bx... 5c  
Crispo Ginger Snaps,  
10c box... 7c

**Burchards**  
5-10 AND VARIETY STORE

Get your tickets, please.

Armistice Day celebration tomorrow.

Yesterday's local egg and butterfat prices: Eggs, 64c; butterfat, 58c.

M. A. Gray was over from Remington Friday afternoon and Saturday.

Mrs. F. M. Abbott went to Monticello Monday for a short visit with relatives.

Forest Morlan and Joseph Putts of Chicago spent the week-end here with their relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Babcock returned to her home at Bluffton Monday after a few days' visit here with relatives.

Miss Zera Smith went to Indiana Harbor Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Constant, and husband.

Leon Lamson came in Monday night from California for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lamson.

Miss Luella Robinson left Monday for Dickinson, N. D., for an extended visit with her uncle, Harve Robinson, and family.

Jacob Moore returned to Racine, Wis., where he is employed, Sunday after a week's visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Moore.

Leo McConahay of Indianapolis and Miss Mary McConahay of Monon spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McConahay.

Dr. F. H. Hemphill returned home Saturday evening from Altamont, Kas., where he had spent the past few months with relatives taking a much needed rest.

Yesterday's local grain prices: Corn, 63c; oats, 46c; wheat, \$1.80; rye, \$1.40. The prices one year ago were: Corn, \$1.25; oats, 67c; rye, \$1.23; wheat, \$2.11.

The woolen mills in Massachusetts have gone to a four-days-a-week schedule, instead of the regular six-day schedule. Lack of orders for their products is given as the cause.

Considerable rain fell again Saturday night, Sunday and Monday night, and yesterday the mercury was down several degrees and the indications were favorable for considerably cooler weather.

There will be a dance on what is known as the Dr. Moore farm, three miles north of Aix, on Saturday night, Nov. 13. Good music. Everybody invited.—ASA ELLIOTT.

D. J. Babcock, who has been in North Dakota, Canada and Washington for several months, will arrive home today, it is expected, and take up a position as linotype operator on The Democrat.

Letters remaining in the Rensselaer postoffice for the week ended Nov. 6: Mr. Loyed Florence, August Felton, Mr. Leon Loy, M. M. Zobel. If not called for above letters will be sent to deadletter office Nov. 22.

Perry Gwin left Saturday for Denver, Colo., where he will be employed as assistant salesman for the Sinclair Refining Co., after a visit with his parents here. He was joined in Chicago by his wife, who had been visiting with relatives at Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Sprague of this city will move upon the A. S. Freeman farm near Moody this week. Mr. Sprague has been employed for some time in the W. J. Wright furniture store. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, who are the parents of Mrs. Sprague, are moving to Francesville.

No further word has been received from the war department regarding the body of John Knox, recently brought from overseas, and the friends do not have any idea as to when it will be shipped from Hoboken, N. J., in response to Mr. Knox's telegram to send the body on to Rensselaer.

Russel Strawbridge and family of Laporte drove down and spent Sunday with Mrs. Strawbridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Long.

City Light and Water Superintendent C. S. Chamberlain and Jay W. Stockton went to Indianapolis Saturday on coal business.

Miss Grace Cain went to Chicago Friday to spend a few days with her sister, Miss Mabel Cain, who is employed as nurse at the St. Mary's hospital.

Following his retirement from the bench Judge Hanley will engage in the practice of law with his son Cope and they will open offices in rooms on the second floor of the Forsythe building which were recently vacated by Joe Jeffries.

George Markin, who has been living on Dr. Turf's farm, four miles north of town, will move back to his town property on the west side, vacated by C. G. Green, who moved into the Jay W. Stockton property on Matheson avenue, vacated by Eugene Hasty, who moved to the Tom Grant tenant house on McKinley avenue.

John Marlatt of Rensselaer and Ernest Comer of Union township left Sunday in the former's Ford for Limestone, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, on a couple of weeks hunting trip. Emmet Pullins of Barkley township and Harry Randle of Paxton, Ill., left for the same place Sunday via rail. Two of Emmet's sons, William and Albert, are also up there, having went up last week.

## TALENT FOR LYCEUM SELECTED



THOMAS BROOKS FLETCHER.

his message upon every community." Mr. Fletcher comes with a reputation of being a dramatic orator. It is said that he dramatizes his message by an intensity of energy which holds his audiences from the very start.

Writing of Mr. Fletcher to the committee in charge of the local course, the Redpath Bureau, through which Mr. Fletcher was secured, says: "It is difficult to write of Fletcher without using superlatives. He is one of the biggest men Redpath has ever had on the platform. His personality is such that, to put it mildly, he simply must be heard to be appreciated. No one can use the right word to describe Brooks Fletcher and his lecture. When you have told all about him you find that what you have said is inadequate."

Mr. Fletcher is a newspaper editor. He lives in Marion, Ohio, and is editor of the Marion Tribune.



THE MONTAGUE LIGHT OPERA SINGERS.

Light opera, always popular, is featured in costume by the Montague Singers. In the repertoire of this veteran organization are scenes from "The Serenade" by Victor Herbert, "Robin Hood" by Reginald Koven, and the "Pied Piper," selections from "The Mikado," "The Red Mill" and "Madam Butterfly," and a complete operetta, "A Japanese Romance," all of which are given in costume.

Incidental solos, duets and quartets

## COUNTY EDUCATIONAL NOTES

(By Co. Supt. Sterrett)

The churches of Jasper county responded exceptionally well to the call from State Supt. L. N. Hines to preach last Sunday on an educational topic that would awaken the people of the county to the educational needs to lift Indiana from 17th towards first place. The teachers are putting on splendid programs throughout the county—some in conjunction with box socials and others on an afternoon. Patrons of each community are taking part in these programs. The Rev. John Dean gave a very interesting talk at Pleasant Grove in south Barkley last Friday evening as a part of a box social program. Miss Evalyn Hauser, the teacher, reported all parents present except two mothers who were unable to be there. Marie Weging Harrington gave a similar school affair at Aix and John E. Alter of Union township gave an excellent address. It was the same that Mr. Alter gave at the dedication exercises at north Marion a week or so ago. These talks will assist in removing the conceit from many of us Hoosiers. It is almost unbelievable to know that Indiana ranks so low educationally. But if one could visit the schools in our southern counties the reason could be readily seen. Jasper county has advantages far above the average counties in Indiana. Very few single-cylinder schools are being built in Jasper county and when one is built it is built strictly according to law. The economy and efficiency of the several-room school is being recognized all over the state. Rensselaer city schools gave an excellent program at the high school auditorium last Friday evening in behalf of this cause. The large auditorium filled even in standing room for the interested patrons of the school. The school reached homes in Marion, Hanging Grove, Milroy, Jordan, Newton, Union, Barkley and Gillam townships. Such a program on a smaller scale should be given in every school house in Jasper county before the month of November passes. Literature is in the hands of every teacher and the initiative of the teachers will be watched by parents, pupils, trustees and county superintendents.

## TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Edward P. Ames et ux to John W. Milikan, Nov. 1, it 3, Fitzgerald's Oak Grove Park on the Kanakakee, \$1.

Frank Kresler et ux to Jay W. Stockton et ux, Oct. 12, it 3, bl 1, Benjamin and Magee's add, Rensselaer, \$1,000.

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

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## THE ZANDORFF ENTERTAINERS.

This company consists of Athel Lindorff, harpist, and Florence Zander, reader and impersonator.

The harp has always held a deep place in the hearts of the people. It is among the earliest known of all musical instruments. But the harp of today is much different from that of early times. The modern harp possesses three thousand separate pieces



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Miss Zander is a clever character impersonator who has had a successful Lyceum and Chautauqua experience. Her readings and impersonations never fail to entertain and also to provide food for good, clean thought.

his farm in Saskatchewan, Canada. Mrs. T. L. Smith returned last week from a summer in the west with her daughters in Idaho and Montana.

Mrs. John Miller and daughter Bertha returned home last Monday after a week's visit with relatives and friends at Logansport and Kokomo.

Fred Comer arrived from Kalama-zoo, Mich., Tuesday to visit a few days here in his old home. He also visited his sister, Glenn Comer, who is in the sanitarium at Rockville. Bernadine Wright suffered quite an injury last Tuesday as she was passing the big door of the Rowe garage at the same time a car was being driven out, the car throwing her to the pavement and injuring her head. For a while it was thought she was quite seriously injured, but is reported to be on the mend today.

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## NOTICE OF DITCH LETTING.

State of Indiana, Pulaski County SS:

In the matter of the petition for cleaning the William N. Mosley et al Drainage in Pulaski and Jasper Counties, Indiana, originally petitioned for by William N. Mosley, et al.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Drainage Commissioners of Pulaski and Jasper Counties, Indiana, will on Saturday, November 13, 1920, at 9 o'clock p. m. at the office of the County Surveyor at Winamac, Indiana, receive bids for the construction, or cleaning out, of the above named ditch.

The main line of said drainage is 32,500 feet in length and consists of 26,134.2 cubic yards of excavation from Stake "0" to Stake 325; and a branch to the main ditch which is 14,900 feet in length and consists of 10,700 cubic yards of excavation from Stake "0" to Stake 149.

The route of the main ditch commences at a post marked "0" bearing North 78° West and East 300 feet from the Southwest corner of the Southeast quarter (34) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Thirty (30) North, Range Five (5) West, Jasper County, Indiana, thence running in a general Eastern direction and ending at a post marked 325 feet in the Township Thirty (30) North, Range Five (5) West, Jasper County, Indiana, thence running in a general Southern direction and ending at Stake 149, in the main ditch herein, in the Southwest quarter (34) of the Southwest quarter (34) of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Thirty (30) North, Range Four (4) West.

All of said drainage to be constructed by means of a Dry Land Dredge or Ditching Machine.

Said ditch is to be constructed according to the plans and specifications now on file in the Surveyor's Office of Pulaski County, Indiana.

Contract will be let to the lowest and best bidder and the person to whom said contract is let will be required to enter into a written contract and give bond to the amount of contract price with surety to the approval of the undersigned for the faithful performance of the contract and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of failure to perform said contract.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with his bid a Certified Check, or Certificate of Deposit, in the sum of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars, payable to the undersigned Drainage Commissioners as a guarantee that they will, if the contract is let, enter into said contract and give bond as herein required, and upon failure to execute said contract and give bond, said amount so deposited shall be retained as liquidated damages for failure to do so. The right is hereby reserved to reject any or all bids.

B. FRANK ALTER, Drainage Commissioner Pulaski County, JOHN WEISSMAN, Drainage Commissioner Jasper County, Reidelbach Bros., Atty's. n10-11



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