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LOCAL NEWS

Matthias Kitch of Bourbon township was a Plymouth visitor Friday.

E. A. Gerard of Chicago, visited his uncle, Prof. Frank Carey and family Thursday.

Thomas Neville of Marion, was in this city Thursday, renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. J. J. Coleman has left for a ten days' trip to Fountain City, and Bryant, Ind.

Conrad Bergman of Montpelier, O., is in this city visiting with friends and relatives.

James B. Clough of Michigan City, is visiting with the family of Mrs. Chas. Clough.

Mrs. Ritter and daughter, Ola, of Tippecanoe, visited with Plymouth friends today.

Mrs. Caroline Craig is visiting with friends and relatives at Mishawaka for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hughes have gone to Wabash to spend a few days with friends and relatives there.

Misses Julia Yorkey and Irene Kuhn took part in a musical recital at Winona Lake, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Hunter has returned to her home in this city, after spending a few days with relatives at Rochester.

Mesdames Wm. Everly, C. S. Cleveland, and J. E. Ellis, spent the day with Mrs. I. M. Mattingly at Argos.

County Surveyor Percy Troyer and C. P. Holloway, have gone to Goshen to spend a couple of days on business.

Mrs. Cassius Brown, who has been visiting with her father, Wm. Riederer, returned to her home in Rochester, Friday.

Mrs. Ettie Day and daughters went to Plymouth this morning where they will make their future home.—Rochester Sentinel.

Miss Beulah Leslie returned to her home in Bourbon, Friday after spending a couple of days with Miss Lottie Fuller in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Snyder, who have been visiting with the family of David Yazel in this city, returned to their home in Mishawaka Friday.

Aaron Jones of South Bend, president of the nations grange, is in Washington to see what he can do in behalf of a bill in congress for good roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and children of Fondea, Iowa, who have been visiting with Mrs. Smith's father, Anthony Molter, in this city, went to Frankfort, Friday, where they will spend a few days with friends.

The independent threats to publish the names in full of those who participated in the poker game Sunday. We dare Mr. Metzker to do so. He might publish a partial list, but the names of all the players would implicate Mr. Metzker, and the only editor will hardly do this.

General Superintendent Blake A. Mapledorran, of the Chicago-New York Air Line, makes the announcement that on or before March 8 the company will place Broadway division at Gary in operation. At first a 15 minute schedule will be observed. When the business warrants it the schedule will be shortened by placing extra cars in commission.

It is said that between 4,000 and 5,000 unskilled laborers are now idle in South Bend. The Studebaker, Oliver, Singer and Birdsell factories have all laid off many of their employes. The cause assigned is that no currency is available to make up the pay rolls. As yet skilled labor in South Bend is not affected by the tightening of the money market.

The Pension Department must have its rules, of course, but when a widow 83 years old, who has lived with the husband of her youth for fifty-seven years is refused a pension because she can not prove that the marriage ceremony was performed, as related in a Carroll County case, it appears to be more of a circumlocution than is necessary and the exercise of common sense a virtue to be recommended.

Monday, while we were writing copy, getting out some bills, waiting on six customers and answering the phone, all in one breath, a fellow from up the street rushed in to prove a bet by us and we have been crazy with the heat ever since. He only wanted to know—if a lion can eat a cow in four hours and a bear can eat the same cow in six hours, and a wolf can eat the same cow in eight hours, and a coyote can eat the cow in eleven hours, how long will it take the coyote to eat what is left of the cow after the lion had been eating two hours, the bear an hour and twenty minutes and the wolf three quarters of an hour?—Kewanna Herald.

Mrs. Claude Schlosser is visiting at Huntington.

John R. Jones is transacting business at Gary.

W. E. Leonard is putting in lights at Walkerton.

Mrs. Asher Boyce spent Wednesday at Argos.

Mrs. Fellers of Bourbon, is visiting at D. C. Smith's.

F. M. Meador of Polk township, was a Plymouth visitor Wednesday.

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Join T. Brosnahan of Pierceton, visited Harry Humrichouser Wednesday.

Oliver Mattice of South Bend, is visiting with friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Leona Wickey went to Peru Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Clay.

Wm. Baugher has returned from Madison, Ind., and is spending a few days in this city.

The state convention of the Lincoln League will be held at Wabash, February 12 and 13.

Mrs. Z. M. Tanner spent the day with her daughter, Edna, at St. Mary's Notre Dame.

Next Sunday is ground hog day and all his friends hope that the day will be very cloudy.

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Miss Mary Fortune of South Bend, is visiting with Mrs. Bert Ostrum in this city.

Thomas Kennedy, operator at the L. E. & W. spent Sunday with relatives at Ambia, Ind.

Mrs. Ernest Shrider of Ft. Wayne, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ulrich, in this city.

Chester Imler of Auburn, Ind., was the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. Imler, Sunday.

Mrs. D. O. Reynolds went to Peru Monday, to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Trainer.

Mrs. Alice Smith has returned to her home in Rutland, after spending a couple of days with friends here.

Miss Mary Wynn of Tiosa, who has been visiting with the family of Jacob Giek, returned to her home, Monday.

Mrs. Lloyd Lowry and Chas. Lown have returned to Walnut after spending a couple of days in this city on business.

Mrs. Frank Cullison went to South Bend Wednesday, for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Swinderman.

It is said that Frank E. Herring, of South Bend, will try to get the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor.

Members of the Illinois legislature have put aside all other business to rush inquiry into the abuses of Illinois asylums.

Mrs. Sylvester Unger has returned to her home in Walkerton, after spending a few days with the family of Louis Stont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sisk have gone to Packerton, Ind., for a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Boyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Losey entertained about forty friends Tuesday evening. They will entertain again Thursday evening.

F. Peters and Peer Marquedsen of Chicago, have been visiting in this country this week. Mr. Peters was a former resident of Hibbard.

Ex-Judge Isaiah Conner is ill with pneumonia at his home in Rochester. He has been frail since he was injured by a fall about a year ago.

Henry Grossman and his niece, Mrs. Myers of Virginia, who is visiting here, went to Bourbon Wednesday to visit Isaiah Grossman.

There were three hundred and fifty guests at the Vanderbilt wedding. Wonder what was the matter with the rest of the four hundred.

Jesse Allman of Marshfield, Wis., for several years manager of the "Big Store" here, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Allman.

Mrs. C. N. Stayton, who was called to Delong last week by the death of her father, John Lysle, has returned to her home at Wanatah.

Mrs. George Dimmitt of Argos, who has been visiting with her son, Willard and wife in this city, returned to her home Tuesday evening.

The meeting of the Y. P. Social Union of the Presbyterian church will be held at the Manse instead of at Mrs. Dial's on Thursday evening.

Prof. W. H. Banta of Rochester, has been seriously ill for several weeks and does not show much improvement. He has many friends in Plymouth.

A fifth time a Chicago jury has refused to convict saloon keepers who keep their places open on Sunday. There seems to be no law observance in Chicago.

Vincent P. Kirk who returned from the state of New York recently, after an absence of several years, will probably become a resident of Plymouth again.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Dickinson Jan. 30 at 2:30 p.m. All members are requested to be present and a very cordial invitation is extended to all.

Over a foot of snow fell in LaPorte county Sunday night. It drifted six feet deep in places and five rural route carriers out of LaPorte were unable to deliver their mail Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGowan have returned from Delhart, Texas, where they have been located for a few months, and will probably make their home in this city in the future.

It is a matter of frequent comment that the rates for fire insurance are much higher now than they were years ago when fire protection was much less efficient than it is at present.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 10:30 a.m. a special service for young men will be held. It will be in recognition of the third anniversary of the Young Men's Bible class of which Mr. F. B. Carey is the teacher. The presence of the class in a body, the militia company, the extra fine music and the sermon appropriate to the occasion by the pastor, will be special features of the service. All young men especially invited.

Langfeldt-Hillsman Wedding.

At the Catholic church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 28, Mr. Harry Langfeldt and Miss Bertha Hillsman were united in marriage by Rev. John Tremmel. The impressive ceremony of the Catholic church was used and there was a large attendance.

Mr. Langfeldt has been employed for a long time at the Kuhn meat market and is one of Plymouth's most popular young men. His orde has been employed at the telephone office, and is an amiable, accomplished and beautiful young lady, worthy of a good husband.

A reception was given at the home of the bride immediately after the wedding and a large number of invited guests were present. The happy couple will make their home in this city and the Tribune joins their hundreds of other friends in congratulations and good wishes.

Plymouth Team Loses to Culver.

The high school basketball team of this city, went down in defeat to the Culver, H. S. team, at that town Friday evening, by a score of 41 to 13.

The local boys say that they were handicapped by the absence of Culver, one of their stars, also by the smallness of the room in which the game was played. Although Culver has a strong team, the Plymouth boys expect to win a return game which will be played here. The line up for Plymouth was: Center, Lloyd Zumwalt; right forward, Harry Alexander, left forward and capt., Earl McLaughlin, left guard, Claude Switzer; Right guard, Gustavus Adolphus Kuhn.

Entertained at Bourbon.

The "Eleven Club" of this city, was most royally entertained by Mrs. J. C. Erwin, at her home in Bourbon, Monday. The full day was put in by the Government to the banks upon adequate security and at a rate of interest which would compel the retirement of the notes when the emergency is over.

"I suppose nearly all members of Congress and senators favor some provision for an emergency currency. The Democrats as a rule, favor a system under which the Government will issue and control the value of emergency currency, while most Republicans favor some system under which it would be issued and controlled by the banks. This presents the point in dispute between the two parties.

Progress in Currency Legislation.

Before the Aldrich currency bill was drafted the idea was sedulously spread that the tracks were all cleared for that bill, whatever it proved to be, and that no other bill would have a chance for enactment. How faulty that idea was appeared quickly enough, and already a number of changes have been announced designed to make the bill more attractive to bankers and business men.

Congressman Fowler's bill, as a rival to the Aldrich bill, has developed so far as can be seen, little or no strength. In place of it the "bankers' bill" which has now been introduced in both houses of Congress, has come to the front. The issue is that large numbers of business men are joining the local organization behind the movement, and are organizing associations throughout the country, the object of which will be to fight the prohibition movement. The organization in New York is known as the Manufacturers and Dealers' Club of Greater New York, and circulars have been sent to jobbing firms and men in the financial district in an effort to extend the membership throughout the business world.

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Deceased has been suffering for about two years with diabetes, but has been seriously ill only for the last couple of weeks.

She is survived by both parents, and one brother, Chauncey.

Funeral was held at the Jacoby church Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

Attended K. of C. Initiation.

A delegation of members of the Knights of Columbus lodge from this city, attended an initiation at South Bend, Sunday. Leo Pesch of this city was taken through three degrees of the lodge.

Members from here who attended were, Peter J. Kruger Thomas Stach, J. A. Molter, Ed Bergman, Jr., George Hendricks and Earl Twomey, Bourbon.

Tower at Lakeview Burns.

The interlocking tower at Lakeview, situated at the crossing of the Vandalia and Wabash railroads, was entirely destroyed by fire, Sunday night. The fire started at about 12 p.m. and its origin is unknown.

The burning of this tower has excited much suspicion, for its predecessor burned down about year ago and was supposed by many to have been fired by malicious hands.

Death of John W. Wolf.

John W. Wolf, one of the old residents of this county, died at his home in Donaldson, Wednesday night, aged 87 years. He is survived by his wife Margaret and nine children.

The funeral was held at the U. B. church at Donaldson Saturday afternoon.

New Suits Filed.

Lavina T. Bryan is suing her husband for support, et al, to have debts declared valid.

Wickizer and Bondurant Co., have foreclosed mortgage on Orlando F. Warner, et al.

Chas. Steele has brought suit against John F. Grise on note.

Catherine J. Prior has brought suit against her husband Milo Prior, for divorce and alimony. Parties are residents of Culver.

Assisting the Democratic Party.

The Republican county chairman does not send this paper any notices of conventions. It hardly seems possible, as suggested by some persons, that the "organization" is trying to elect a Democratic county ticket by keeping genuine Republicans outside.

Marriage License.

Mario Richard to Grace I. Compion, of Bourbon.

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