

LOCAL SCRIBES WERE PRAISED

Rev. Graham Praises News
Writers for Criticisms
Of "The Devil."

HYPOCRITS ARE CENSURED

PALLADIUM EDITORIAL DENOUN-
CING THE PRODUCTION FOR
ITS LACK OF MORALITY WAS
APPROVED BY THE PASTOR.

Local news writers received commendation at the hands of the Rev. Thomas J. Graham, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in his sermon yesterday, for their attitude in condemning "The Devil," as produced by a Savage company at a local theater last week. The church members who profess their unflinching belief in God, but at the same time pay "their good money" to patronize such dramatic performances were ridiculed by the minister. The editorial comment of The Palladium in which the play was denounced severely for its lack of morality was approved.

The Rev. Mr. Graham selected his text from the second Psalm: "He that sitteth in the Heavens shall laugh." The reference to "The Devil" was extemporaneous on the part of the speaker. He had not chosen to deliver a tirade against the drama, but called attention to the play in a casual manner. "God does not laugh at the limitations, poverty nor sorrows of his people but at the attempts of the Evil One," declared the minister. "The people go to see 'The Devil' with the modern idea that he has been laughed out of court, but the fact that church members will spend their good money to see such a show, only proves he does exist. God laughs at the devil and his attempts to gain authority, because he sets himself up to rule the world without regard to Him and without authority."

At one point in "The Devil," the impersonation of the "evil one" offers the two lovers in liaison everything, if they will abandon their consciences to the yearnings of their passions and do as he directs. The scene could not fail to reveal to the spectators the evident intent of the author to refer to the scene between Christ and the Devil on the mount, in which if He would be fall down and worship He could gain all the kingdoms of the world.

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FARMERS INTERESTED.

Farmers are taking much interest in the Congress of Indiana Industrial and Breeders' Associations to open at Indianapolis tomorrow. It is probable that many farmers from this vicinity will attend these meetings. Breeders of Herford, Jersey, Short Horn, Aberdeen Angus cattle, wool growers and breeders of Poland China, and Mule foot hogs are eligible to membership in the congress.

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HOME IS HIS OFFICE

Assessor Temporarily Abandons Court House.

STARTS UNIQUE SYSTEM

It is probable that with the exception of the tax paying time Charles Potter, the newly elected township assessor of Wayne township, will make his office at his home. His predecessor had his office at his residence. It will be necessary for Potter to be at the court house about three times each week in order to make the changes on the plat books in the auditor's office. During tax

ON KAISER WILHELM DER GROSSE.

Here are some of the distinguished people who met on the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse on her last trip. They are Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt and Alfred G. Vanderbilt, also Anthony J. Drexel.

paying time, office room will be provided on the third floor of the court house.

The board of associated charities will meet Monday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock at the office on South Fifth street.

Was Epoch In Their Lives

Hundreds of Happy Youngsters Thronged Y. M. C. A. Saturday, Reveling in Pool and Gymnasium.

Saturday marked an epoch in the lives of 300 local boys. They are members of the Young Men's Christian association and it was their first day of pleasure in their new home. Every minute of the day and until closing time in the evening there was a happy throng of boys about the building. The apparatus in the gymnasium and the swimming pool were in constant use. All of the lads declared they had enjoyed one of the best times of their lives.

But there was an awful ache in the legs and backs of these same youngsters yesterday. Oh, me! Oh, my! How those muscles did ache. There were absences from Sunday School yesterday morning and all because of the Y. M. C. A. Some teachers may take exceptions and wonder where these advantages from a Y. M. C. A. are to

LACEY SPINS A YARN

Well Known Resident of Fountain City Tells Interesting War Experience.

STOVE USED FOR A CANNON

In the Indianapolis Star yesterday the following war experience of Major M. M. Lacey of Fountain City, who was with the Indiana delegation in its recent trip to Vicksburg battle field is related:

Cannon of Stove Pipe.

Major M. M. Lacey of Fountain City, one of the members of the commission was the adjutant of the Sixty-ninth Indiana, which was commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Oran Perry during the assignment of Col. Bennett to other duty. Col. Perry, now Gen. Perry, and Maj. Lacey recalled many incidents in connection with the service of their regiment which was included in the expedition originally sent by General Grant to prepare a way for the army to cross the Mississippi river south of Vicksburg. Maj. Lacey pointed out to the other visitors the locality which forty-five years ago was James plantation. When the Sixty-ninth had proceeded that far into the enemy's country there appeared evidence one day that an attack would be made by confederates. The expedition had no artillery, but a piece of stove pipe was obtained and was so arranged on the wheels of a confiscated ox cart as to appear to be a cannon, and with the aid of breastworks for scenery the contrivance was sufficient to promote a wholesome respect in the minds of the confederates and no attack was made.

JESSUP TO ASSIST IN PROSECUTION

Will Help Prosecutor Ladd
With Criminal Cases.

Until the criminal cases now on the docket of the Wayne circuit court are disposed of, Wilfred Jessup, retiring prosecuting attorney, will appear as assistant to Charles Ladd, the new prosecutor. A number of important criminal cases remain upon the docket. Jessup is acquainted with the evidence in each and his assistance to Ladd will be very valuable. It is seldom that a retiring prosecutor selects to help his successor in this way, as he most frequently prefers to devote all his time to his individual practice.

Truly Feminine.
"What do you know about women?" asked the first young husband.

"Nothing," responded the second young ditto.

"I guess I don't either," rejoined the first, "and I've been married for over three months. Yesterday my wife asked me how I liked the dinner. She does the cooking, you know."

The second youthful hubby didn't know, but he nodded just as if he did.

"And when I began to praise the dinner," resumed the other one, "up she rose and began to cry! Said she feared I loved her only for her cooking!"

The second hubby smiled. "She had a cry coming," he explained. "That's all." —Puck.

"Riches take unto themselves wings and fly away," said the Sunday school teacher. "Now, can any one of you children tell me what kind of riches is meant?"

The smart boy at the foot of the class said, "They must be ostriches." —Exchange.

Mutton Birds.

During six weeks every autumn the 100 inhabitants of the Australian Furneaux Islands make enough money to support themselves in idleness the rest of the year. They do this by catching the very fat young "mutton birds" which are hatched there in such numbers that the flocks when they migrate extend for miles. They furnish food and oil, which is used for lubricating purposes and also as a substitute for cod liver oil.

Making Sure.

Country Cousin—Are you sure I am in the right train? Town Relative (who has had about enough of it)—Well, I have asked seventeen porters and thirty-two passengers, and they all say "Yes," so I think you'd better risk it—London Telegraph.

If thou continuest to take delight in idle argumentation thou mayest be qualified to combat with the sophists, but never know how to love with men—Socrates.

The Whirlwinds.

Whirlwinds are great storms, produced by violent currents blowing from contrary quarters and meeting and striking upon each other, the effect being the creation of circular motion. Whirlwinds usually occur after lengthy calms which have been accompanied by excessive heat, and they generally indicate a breakup of settled weather.

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NATURAL ICE IS SCARCE.

Ice dealers of the city, formed into a delivery combine, are of the opinion that prices current the past year will be in vogue during 1909. They feel that with the not very bright prospects for the natural product that the price will not be lowered any. Citizens will have to depend to a great extent on the manufactured article.

The winter up to date has been too warm for the freezing of the ponds and river to such a depth as to make it profitable to harvest ice. Already it is rather late for the ice men to begin to gather the natural product for good ice is usually secured about the holidays. The dealers believe that the winter will not be exceptional to the extreme that there will be no opportunity to gather ice, but feel that the supply of the natural product will be very limited.

Put in More Words.

"New," Peters, said the teacher, "what is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"Salt," said Peters.

"Next," said the teacher. "What is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"The salty quality of the sea water," answered "Next," "is due to the admixture of a sufficient quantity of chloride of sodium to impart to the aqueous fluid with which it commingles a saline flavor, which is readily recognized by the organs of taste."

"Right, Next," said the teacher. "Go up one!"

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