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Great Clearance in Our Cloak and Suit Department Began Today. SEE OUR WINDOWS

The mere announcement of this great clearance and alteration sale will certainly be welcomed by every woman who appreciates economical buying chances. IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE-TIME TO SUPPLY YOUR WANTS IN LADIES', MISSES' and CHILDREN'S READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS while the prices of this sale do not cover half the cost of even the materials. Every garment is of the season's latest fashions.

—'Tis a Noteworthy Clearance of Fashionable Garments—

The phenomenal business in this section the past season necessitates some alterations and changes. New glass cases will be added, new hard wood floors, more shelf room, a complete and new fitting apartment, etc., etc., adding more floor space, giving greater facilities to show and display our stock, more room to accommodate and serve our patrons. TO ACCOMPLISH THIS, AMAZING SACRIFICES WILL BE MADE, and the greatest opportunity a woman ever had, will be given to buy High Grade, Ready to Wear Garments at about Half Price and in many instances even less.

COME! IT BEGAN TODAY! WATCH OUR WINDOWS!

CHILDREN'S COATS, WORTH TO \$6.50, AT \$1.48
LADIES' SUITS, WORTH TO \$20.00, GO AT \$4.95
LADIES' SUITS, WORTH TO \$25.00, GO AT \$8.85
LADIES' SUITS, WORTH TO \$30.00, GO AT \$14.75
LADIES' FANCY COATS GO AT ONE-HALF PRICE

LADIES BLACK COATS
LADIES' SILK VELVET COATS
MISSES' COATS ALL
DRESS SKIRTS, WORTH TO \$12.50, GO AT
LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S FURS GO AT

ONE-THIRD OFF
ONE-HALF OFF
ONE-HALF PRICE
\$4.88
ONE-HALF PRICE

We mean it, every word of it. 'TIS A REAL GENUINE CLEARANCE OF LADIES' HIGH GRADE GARMENTS. Hundreds of ladies braved the storm and took advantage of the phenomenal savings today. We expect hundreds more tomorrow.

LEE B. NUSBAUM

REPEAL OF OPTION LAW IS DESIRED

Wayne County Jefferson Club
Passes Resolution Last
Evening.

HONESTY AND HOME RULE

THESE ARE REASONS ADVANCED
BY ORGANIZATION FOR ITS AC-
TION—OFFICERS FOR THE EN-
SUITING YEAR ELECTED.

At a meeting of the Wayne County Jefferson club last evening, resolutions were adopted which ask the repeal of the county local option law. Common honesty and home rule are alluded to by the democrats as the reason why such a law should be stricken from the statute books. C. B. Beck was appointed as delegate to the federation of democratic clubs, which will be held at Lafayette. The meeting was fairly well attended.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Pettis A. Reid; First Vice President, A. W. Blitckweld; Second Vice President, C. W. Merrill; Recording Secretary, Jos. M. Welterman; Financial Secretary, Hans Koll; Treasurer, O. F. McKee; Marshal, Henry Farwig; Sergeant at Arms, Wm. F. Klopp; Directors, B. B. Johnson, Harry Watt, E. R. Stover, R. O. Allen, H. R. Marlatt, George Staubach, C. B. Beck, Richard Schillinger, Henry Welterman.

The complete resolutions are:

Whereas, The democratic party of Indiana, did in March, 1908, in state convention assembled, unanimously approve a resolution declaring in favor of the passage of a ward and township local option law in this state, and

Whereas, In April, 1908, the republican party of Indiana did in like manner declare in favor of a county local option law, and

Whereas, The issue so joined was by common consent to be threshed out and decided by the sovereign voters of Indiana at the following November election, and legislation in harmony with that decision was to be enacted by the incoming legislature of the state, and

Manly a Trickster.

Whereas, The governor of Indiana, in the face of these facts and for the apparent purpose of forestalling an honest and candid expression of the majority of the voters of the state in the temperance question, and of preventing such expression from being coined into law by a legislature elected on that issue, and under the cloak of an entirely different purpose, did call an extra session of the Indiana legislature in July, 1908, a body not elected or instructed on the temperance question, and

Whereas, Said special session of the legislature under the whip and spur of the Hanly political machine, did pass a county local option law, as endorsed by the republican state convention, and

Whereas, At the following November election, the sovereign voters of Indiana did resent and repudiate this attempted fraud upon their right of passing judgment on this or any other public question, by electing the democratic candidate for governor and a substantial majority of democratic members of the incoming legislature, therefore be it

Resolved, By the democrats of Wayne county, as represented by their only county organization, the Wayne County Jefferson club, that every consideration of consistency, honor, common honesty and home rule, demand the repeal of the said county local option law as endorsed by the democratic state convention; and we earnestly appeal to the democratic members of the incoming legislature throughout the state by

firmly supporting both the above named propositions.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, signed by the proper officers of this club, be forwarded to the Lieutenant governor as president of the senate, and to the speaker of the house of representatives of the incoming general assembly of Indiana.

Special Discounts on all Cloaks, Suits and Furs at Knollenberg's.

SUCCESS OF THE CORN SCHOOL IS NOW CERTAINTY

(Continued From Page One.)

double efforts in behalf of the school as the Richmond and Wayne County Y. M. B. C. was back of the movement. As a result it was predicted last evening that a membership of 600 to 800 could be depended on this year.

Club Congratulated.

The corn school question was the first taken up by the club because of its importance and also to enable the farmers to return to their homes as soon as possible. Wilfred Jessup was the first speaker and he told of the plans for the school. He also said that the state agricultural authorities were proposing to establish corn schools in each district in the state. The Centerville school will be the second so established. Centerville was chosen for the holding of the school for two reasons, one that it is centrally located and the other because there are no attractions to divert interest.

"By the management of the Good Roads Congress and the success of the Fall festival, combined with the courteous treatment the farmers received while in attendance at these events has caused the school promoters to come to you for co-operation" stated Mr. Jessup and continuing, "It is the plan to make the institution a permanent one. It will be a lasting benefit to the community."

A Practical Organization.

O. E. Fulghum was next introduced and following him Prof. C. W. Jordan, county superintendent and chairman of the executive committee of the school. He said, "Gentlemen, the Y. M. B. C. is a theoretical as well as a practical club and when we looked for some place for help we immediately sought you. We have noticed the statement in the papers that the club is looking toward the farmers for success. The bringing of a factory where a \$10,000 bonus is paid and the concern soon leaves is not as successful a venture to the city as the farmer. I am sorry to say that there have been several things which have kept the farmer out of the city and out of harmony with the citizens. Some of these things were ordinances passed in this hall, others were unpleasant experiences with fake attractions. We are asking for help and we believe that it will be a benefit to Richmond as well as to the county." Mr. Jordan was generously applauded for his remarks.

Levi Peacock, then spoke, asking for the co-operation, knowing that it would lend weight to the school.

Program Not Completed.

O. E. Fulghum again spoke on the school and outlined a plan usually followed but which has not yet been decided on. There will be lectures in the morning, the judgment of stock in the afternoon and popular lectures in the evening, dealing with all phases of farm life. The extent of the lectures depend on the number enrolling. The expenses attached to holding the school will be somewhat great as a part of the receipts have to be given the state to help in the payment of the salaries of the professors of Purdue university who lecture. A large fund is also needed for the erection of stock pens, freight expenditures in bringing stock to Centerville and other incidental expenses.

The expense will be reduced by the town council granting the use of the hall free of charge for the five days of the school.

Five members of the club will take

charge of disposing of the 200 tickets. President, R. G. Leeds named as this committee, E. E. Eggemeyer, Perry J. Freeman, T. P. Butler, Walter Commins and Wilfred Jessup.

It was proposed that a committee of five be appointed to take charge of press and advertising work for the school. It is as follows: O. E. Fulghum, chairman; Charles Neal, Charles Morgan, J. B. Gordon and Joseph Helms.

Richmond Day Approved.

The proposition of having a Richmond day met with the approval of the club. The "Richmond Day" committee includes W. P. O'Neal, chairman; Wilfred Jessup, Charles Kolp, Charles Commons, William Bailey.

A few epigrams pronounced in the discussion by the club members follow:

"Gentlemen you have encouraged farmers to get busy by your action," C. W. Jordan.

"Fellow members whenever we help the farmers we are helping ourselves," P. J. Freeman.

"You knocked the wind out of us and it is certainly appreciated by us and also many other farmers from over the county," O. E. Fulghum.

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DR. WEIST GOES TO AFRICA.

Richard A. Jackson, of Chicago, formerly of this city, intends to leave the United States in a few weeks for an European tour. Mr. Jackson had been asked to deliver an address before a meeting of the Commercial Club, which will be held February 8. He has notified the secretary he will not be able to be present, as he will be out of the country. Another speaker will be solicited.

DR. WEIST TO AFRICA.

Dr. Harry H. Weist, of New York, until recently a resident of this city, is named as one of the members of the party that will accompany Daniel G. Reid, the New York millionaire, to Africa. The party had planned to sail this week. Egypt is named as the ultimate destination of the tourists.

SEND AN EXHIBIT.

The Wayne Works has an exhibition at the automobile show in New York, three models of the machine which it is manufacturing. All are of the runabout class, the large touring car not as yet having been completed and ready for exhibition. Walter Schultz and his son George are in attendance at the show.

A French caddie said that the English way of counting from one to ten was "one, two, three, four, five, six, d-n, eight, d-n, ten."

The electric tramways of the City of Mexico have been chartered by a Electric light plants are being constructed at Juchitan and Oaxaca, and light and power plants on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec.

CITY IN BRIEF

City bowling alley, 22 N. 9th

Bolivia ranks second among the tin producing countries, with an output of 15,300 tons in 1907.

Mrs. Lula Brower has bought the Gadbury millinery store 6th and Main.

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Two Special Skirt Bargains in Black and Colors, \$2.48 and \$4.48 each, former price from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Knollenberg's Store.

Five members of the club will take

INTEREST IN THE SCHOOL ANNUAL

Board of Editors and Other Officers for Publication Have Been Named.

STAFF IS A STRONG ONE

HUBERT WANN HAS BEEN AP-
POINTED EDITOR-IN-CHIEF AND
HIS ASSISTANTS ARE PICK OF
THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Preparations for the forthcoming issue of the High School Annual are being given added impetus each day. The entire school body has centered its interest in the issue and everyone is expecting great things from the board of editors. It is believed competent persons have been selected as heads of each department and nothing will be overlooked by them in their effort to put forth a magazine that will be thoroughly in keeping with the standard of the school. It is believed that with a good live body of editors, there is no reason why R. H. S. can not produce an annual superior to those issued by the average High School and equal in character to the college publications.

Wherever possible it has been the aim to place at the head of each department a pupil who is acquainted with the line of work under his direction. There is a number of students, who are quite talented as writers and grammarians and these have been selected for the editorial departments.

Nothing but success appears to be in prospect and all that is needed is careful work on the part of the few pupils selected for it.

The staff is as follows:

Editor, Hubert Wann; Assistant, Mildred Kuhn.

Business Manager, Stonehill Keates; Assistant, Lucile Townsend.

Literary Editor, Mary Fisher; As-

sistant, Blair Converse.

Faculty Editor, Bessie Adams; As-

sistant, Ralph Brown.

Social Editor, Howard Hunt; As-

sistant, Vera Fleming.

Athletic Editor, Eddie Cox; As-

sistant, Agnes Kelly.

Music Editor, Ruth Peltz; Assistant, Bernhardt Knollenberg.

Art Editor, Carlos Haas; Assistant, Elmina Kempton.

Personal Editor, Abbie Schaefer; As-

sistant, Clifford Thomas.

Alumna Editor, Willard Kemper;

Assistant, Marguerite Rush.

Class Chronicler, James Chapman,

Senior: Grace Wooyard, Junior: Mar-

garet Ferguson, Sophomore: Benjamin

Johnson, Freshman.

ed to have been in Italy at the time of the earthquake are on file at the state department awaiting some information which may be communicated to their friends. Already, through cables received from Ambassador Griscom and American consular offices in Italy, the department has been able to reply favorably to dispatches received from many sections regarding persons known to have been in Italy.

SHIPS APPRECIATED.

ROME, Jan. 6.—The prompt dispatch of a part of the American battle ships with the fleet commander, Rear Admiral Sperry, to offer aid in the earthquake relief work has added to the public feeling of appreciation and gratitude. Word has come that Admiral Sperry has opened a fund for the sufferers and that the men of the

fleet are contributing generously. The catastrophe is almost wholly Italian, few foreigners being among the dead. The American embassy and Americans who have gone to the scene either as volunteers in relief work or as correspondents, have not found any further Americans among the victims.

Signor Rava, the Italian minister of public instruction, has received a telegram from Messina saying that the university there has been destroyed. The library, famous for its collection of manuscripts, may be recovered, but the authorities have not thought it proper to make any attempt in that direction while human suffering remains unrelieved. The celebrated museum of natural history is lost.

Queen Helena has asked the authorities and people throughout Italy not to engage in the usual festivities on her birthday, next Friday.

"I cannot possibly think of any kind of rejoicing," said the Queen, in communicating her desire to the Court Chamberlain, "while the nation is suffering such terrible mourning."

The Queen added that she intended to spend her birthday in nursing the wounded and in attending especially to relief work among the women and children, which is, to a large extent, under her direction.

In order further to aid the earthquake sufferers Queen Helena has turned a portion of the Quirinal Palace into a workshop, where a number of Italian women of high rank, dressmakers and working girls, sit all day long in the greatest friendliness, busily engaged in cutting out and sewing garments for the refugees.

The women are under the superintendence of the Queen herself, who, with her own hands, often guides fingers unaccustomed to work of this kind. Each afternoon there is a rest period of one hour, when all take tea together, but, as soon as the time is up the Queen inexorably commands that the work be resumed.

Plans for the rebuilding of Reggio and Messina already are being discussed in detail here, but especially with regard to the latter place, which is the second city of Sicily. It is estimated that about \$15,000,000 will suffice to rebuild Messina for 50,000 inhabitants, making it a commercial and maritime center. It will take about \$8,000,000 to rebuild Reggio for 25,000 people.

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