

county delegates whose support he must have, would know exactly what he was for. Also that the delegates from the other counties in the district might likewise be informed with regard to his intentions.

Opposes the Tariff Law.

He stated that as the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill stands a whole, he was against an endorsement of it in the platform; that in his estimation this tariff bill is not a measure drawn in the interests of all the people, and is a bill drawn in the interests of a special few; that he felt his stand in this respect reflected the attitude of at least the great majority of the republican voters of Wayne county, and, furthermore, Wayne county was not monopolizing that sentiment in the state of Indiana. He said he was for the strongest possible endorsement of Senator Beveridge on account of his great work in the interests of all the people and against the special privileges that have created a favored and powerful few; that here, again, he believed his stand reflected the sentiment of a great majority of the republicans in the Sixth district. He stated he believed President Taft should be endorsed for his splendid qualities, good intentions and for the dignity with which he was filling his chair of the highest office in the land.

Wants His Position Known.

Mr. Leeds said he declared himself thus frankly so that the members of the entire Sixth district delegation might know what the man who deserved their favor stood for.

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RUINED BY CLOTHES

Desire for Finery Results in Arrest of Former Y. W. C. A. Secretary.

SHE OFFERS NO DEFENSE

(American News Service) Pittsburg, Pa., April 2.—Her desire to wear fine clothes and jewelry has resulted in Ira Freeman, aged 22, who claims that she was formerly a seer at the Young Women's Christian association being held for court on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretense.

Last Monday afternoon she is alleged to have selected \$107 worth of wearing apparel at a down town store, and obtained the goods by representing herself as Mrs. J. E. Masters, of Coal Center, Pa. The firm became suspicious and investigated the case and had the girl arrested. She made no defense at the preliminary hearing. She said she came to this city last August from Kansas City.

SUCCEEDS NAFTZGER

It is Said That Rev. White Will Be Presiding Elder of the Muncie District.

DECIDE AT CONFERENCE

The Rev. L. J. Naftzger, former pastor of the First M. E. church, but who at the present time is presiding elder of the Muncie district of the North Indiana conference, will probably be succeeded by the Rev. J. C. White of Logansport, at the conference session, to be held in Bluffton in April. An Anderson account says:

Methodists in this city, where the annual conference session was held two years ago, say they have reason to believe that the Rev. J. C. White, of Logansport, will be chosen to succeed the Rev. L. J. Naftzger, of Muncie, as superintendent of the Muncie district, North Indiana M. E. conference. It is also said here that in the event the Rev. Mr. White declines, the Rev. L. M. Krider, of Alexandria, formerly of Noblesville, will be considered. His friends in this city understand that the Rev. Mr. Naftzger, whose time limit ends his service as district superintendent, will probably be stationed as an active pastor at Elkhart during the next conference year.

The annual session of the conference will take place at Bluffton next week. It is well understood that the Rev. Chesteen Smith, pastor of the First M. E. church in this city, will be returned.

One of the by laws of a cottage hospital in Wales reads thus: "No patient shall curse or swear, or use any indecent language, nor shall play at cards or dice, nor smoke within the infirmary without the authority of the medical officer, and at certain hours."

Results in baking are the most eloquent arguments in favor of GOLD MEDAL FLOUR. Ask your Grocer.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS MURDER THEIR SON BEFORE THE BOARD

These Matters Will Engage the Commissioners at the Monday Session.

APRIL TERM STARTS THEN

REPORTS OF VIEWERS AND ENGINEER ON NATIONAL ROAD IMPROVEMENTS WILL ALSO BE MADE TO THE BOARD.

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