

GARFIELD TEACHER QUILTS; SAYS SALARY IS NOT SUFFICIENT

W. W. Cottingham, who has been a member of the Garfield faculty for several years, has presented his resignation, effective June 1, to the board of education. Mr. Cottingham is one of the first local teachers to take definite action during the spring semester because of low salary paid in his profession. He explained Thursday that he will enter business, for no other reason than that it pays more.

In his address to the High School Commercial club Thursday morning J. J. Harrington, Jr., spoke highly of the worthiness of teachers and said he was perfectly willing to pay more taxes that teachers might be paid justly and be able to live in a way fitting to their service to the community.

A dispatch from Marion, Ind., states that the petition of the teachers in the Marion city schools for an increase in pay has been met by a ready response by the local school board, which has granted an average salary raise of 25 per cent, and made the school year ten months in length instead of the customary nine. The raise in pay goes into effect April 1 and affects 127 teachers.

Increase at South Bend

After weeks of agitation on the part of the South Bend Teachers' Federation, the board of school trustees has adopted a new salary schedule, which fixes the minimum salary of the lowest class teacher in the city at \$1,000 a year and the maximum of the highest class teacher at \$2,400.

The new schedule, which was drafted by Superintendent W. B. Borden and a committee of six teachers from the federation, provides for an approximate increase of 33 1/3 per cent in the salaries of all teachers over and above the increase of \$400 granted recently and payable at the end of the present school year.

High School

Kenneth Dollins was elected president of the Student Council at the organization meeting Thursday morning; Harold Vore was elected vice-president, and Miss Miriam Jordan, secretary. Class representatives from the junior class will be elected within a few days, it was announced. Freshman class representative is Clark Winchester. Madge Townsend is president. The president of each organization of the school and the other class representatives comprise the board.

Lists of seniors who are failing in their work have been requested by Principal Bate.

The Strollers' Club will meet Thursday evening.

A meeting of the Freshman class was held Thursday morning simultaneously with the student council meeting. No business of importance was consummated.

A. J. Berlaut, dramatic coach of Indianapolis, selected the following cast of characters for the annual senior production "Under Cover" at the try-out Wednesday evening:

Jane Carpenter, Ethel Cartwright; Winifred Comstock, Sarah Peabody; Helen Jessup, Amy; Hazel Hecht, Nora; Alice Gennett, the maid; Esther Reid; Alice Harrington; Stanley Youngflesh, Denby; Kenneth Dollins, Taylor; Richard Thornburgh, Peter, the door keeper of the custom house; Roland Cutler, Michael Harrington; Lynn Evans, Vaughan; and Clem Price, Gibbs.

John J. Harrington Jr., spoke on the ethics of good business and the place of young men and women in business in an address to the Commercial club in the auditorium Thursday morning.

Miss Cecilia Collins, of the Ohio State Normal school at Athens, O., sang a solo.

Tickets were on sale for the last time Thursday for the Girls' Athletics association skate Friday from 4 to 6 p. m. in the Coliseum.

The Kem Kraft Club met Thursday morning. Regular work was taken up.

The camera club met Thursday morning.

Members of the Spanish club who are on the program for the next meeting rehearsed Thursday morning.

Ray Robinson, of the Swayne-Robinson Company, will address the boys of the three upper classes in room 20 at the High School, Friday at 9 a. m. on industrial and engineering training, and Prof. Alexander C. Purdy of Earlham college, will follow with a talk on labor arts training.

Miss Clara Comstock, of the Earlham faculty, will address the girls of the three upper classes in the auditorium on questions of health and success. Special music will feature both meetings. In the auditorium a Ford educational film will be shown displaying the advance of education "From the Little Red School House Days to the Modern High school."

G. A. R. To Meet May 25-27 Medsker Says

Definite dates for the 1920 state encampment of the G. A. R. at Bloomington, have been set for May 25, 26 and 27. William F. Medsker, of Cambridge City, state head of the encampment, said Thursday.

Officials of the encampment are at work on the program for the three-day gathering, said Medsker, and it will be ready for announcement soon. Mr. Medsker said that all indications point to one of the most successful encampments in years.

Save County \$1,500 in 1920

About \$1,500 will be saved the county by the action of the state highway commission in taking over the Liberty-Richmond pike, W. O. Jones, county road commissioner, announced Thursday. Jones said the sum would be used for other roads.

Funeral Arrangements

Fiesel—Funeral services for Lawrence Fiesel will be held at the home at 3 p. m. Friday. Burial will be in Earlham. The Rev. A. F. Mitchell officiated.

Davis—Funeral services for George Davis were held at the home at 2 p. m. Thursday. Burial was in Earlham.

Oakey—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Oakey were held at the home at 2 p. m. Thursday. Burial was in Earlham.

Flower Sales Increase, Prices of Blooms Drop, Say Richmond Florists

While nearby cities have seen the price of flowers fluctuate and soar, Richmond's flower lovers have been unusually fortunate, florists declare, in having numerous greenhouses in the city which are a continual source of supply without the addition of shipping expenses.

Prices everywhere are high. They are high in Richmond, but they have never been as high here as elsewhere. Never in the history of any local florist have as many flowers been sold as during the past year. Increase in sales during the past year is estimated at from 50 to 100 per cent.

For some uncertain reason people have suddenly since the war come into a realization of the acute pleasure of flowers. People laboring under sorrow, people blessed with many joys have felt the same emotion stir them according to the florists.

Prices are not going up, but down, and in Richmond this dependency is already noticeable, it is said. Prices today are not as high as a month ago and the time is at hand when they will be considerably lower.

For the most part flowers are plentiful. They are American flowers, too. Since the national quarantine on importation of rooted plants for fear of spread of plant diseases prevalent in some foreign countries, American growers have set about supplying the demand, which they had before partly with imported blossoms. At present only a few types of bulbs can be brought into the country. Azaleas and other Belgian plants have not appeared on the market for some time, except in cases where advance supplies were on hand.

Marne Statue Drive to Be Presented to Children; Teachers To Be Appointed

The board of education, at the High School Wednesday afternoon, authorized the school to collect from one to 10 cents from every pupil in Richmond who wishes to assist in presenting to France a statue to be placed on the river Marne.

To each child will be explained the significance of the friendship of France and America and the fact that France presented to this country the statue of the Goddess of Liberty.

Principal Keener, of Baxter school, who has been making mental measurements tests in the public schools, reported on Starr, Baxter and Seaveston schools favorably. He will continue his investigation.

The request of the Federation of Teachers made recently, asking the board to make all appointments for the coming year by April 10, was taken under advisement and considered favorably. Charles W. Jordan, president, said Thursday, that every effort would be made to make the appointment at the earliest possible time.

Suburban

DUBLIN, Ind.—Union Christian Endeavor will hold Sunrise prayer services Easter morning at 6 o'clock at the United Brethren church. A special program will be given.... Floyd Beeson and family, or near Hagerstown, Mr. and Mrs. George Stant and daughter Ethel spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth White and daughter.... Mrs. John Schuneman, of Shelbyville, and Miss Aliene Gant, of Laurel, spent last Friday with Mr. William Schuneman and family.... Mrs. Jasper Huffman and children gave a surprise dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. Huffman's birthday. There were a number of guests present.... Misses Katherine and Mabel Voris, of Indianapolis, came Monday to spend their spring vacation here with friends.... Mr. and Mrs. John Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers and Mrs. Alice Myers attended the funeral of Mrs. Clifford Howard at East Germantown, Sunday morning.... Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Huddleston had as their guests Sunday, Rev. W. A. Strickler and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence.... Mrs. Kate Jay returned to her home in Centerville, Saturday after several days stay here with her sister, Mrs. Horen, who is sick.... Mrs. Green and daughter Dorothy, of Terre Haute, are spending this week here with friends.... Mr. Harold, of Cincinnati, spent the weekend here with his family.... Misses Vera Byrd and Ethel Stant were in Richmond Saturday.... Union Easter services will be held at the U. B. Church next Sunday. At 10:30 a. m. the pastor of the Christian church will deliver the sermon. At 7:30 p. m. Rev. Thomas, pastor of the Friends' church will deliver the sermon.... A birthday surprise was given for Mrs. E. R. Morrey at the home of her father, Mr. O. D. Hall. There were a number of guests present and the evening was spent in a social way. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.... Mrs. Sallie Smith went to Indianapolis, Tuesday to buy millinery goods.... Mr. Elmer Laymon, of Dayton, O., spent Sunday here with his parents.... Mrs. E. B. Hiatt, of Palisade, Colorado, Miss Mariella Stanton, a teacher at the Mooreland School and Miss Lula Johnson, of Earlham, spent Saturday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.... Ralph and Russell Lanning, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chesler Laymon.... Mrs. Robert Hicks, of Mt. Auburn, was guest of Mrs. J. A. Haganam last Thursday.... Miss Lora Henly, of Mooreland, spent the weekend here with her parents.... Mrs. Will Copeland, of Muncie, spent Sunday here with his brother, John Copeland.... Mrs. Mary Helms, of Lafayette, came Tuesday for an indefinite stay with her son, Walter.... The Mothers' Club will give the play entitled "The District School at Blueberry Corner," at the O. O. F. Hall, Tuesday, April 6, at 8 o'clock.... Rev. E. E. Plumley and Prof. D. R. Ellabarger of Huntington, Ind., were here Sunday and Rev. Plumley delivered two sermons at the United Brethren church. They were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers.... Art Demaree, of Indianapolis, spent the first of this week here with his mother.... Miss Dorothy Lanning, of Indianapolis, is spending her spring vacation here with relatives and friends.... Mrs. Nixon is sick.... Homer Kimerer of Richmond, spent Monday here with relatives.... Mrs. Powers and Ivan Harren, of near Pleasant Hill, spent Friday evening with Mrs. J. A. Haganam.... There was a large attendance at the Hatfield Laymon and Miller combination sale here last Thursday. The Ladies' Aid societies of the Friends' and Christian Churches serv-

ed the dinner and they each cleared \$25.00.

HAGERSTOWN, Ind.—Charley Marshall has double pneumonia at his home, near Tidewater.... Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Weldman are sick at their home north of town.... Dan Clark, who has been touring the south in an automobile, arrived at his home on Main street, Monday. He was accompanied by a friend Joe Harvey.... Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thurston spent Sunday at Losantville with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sells.... Mrs. Malvina Beeson and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Rouse, of Anderson, motored to this place Monday, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sells.... Mrs. R. I. Thurston will be hostess to the Progressive club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Plum street.... The Mothers' club will meet Friday afternoon at the school house.... The Woman's His- tory club met Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Clark and Mrs. Anna Unthank. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. A. Fritz.... Mr. and Mrs. John Werkhimer moved Tuesday into their new residence on Pearl street, and Mr. and Mrs. Bas Ledbetter and family moved Tuesday, into the residence on South Perry street, which they purchased, and which was vacated by the Werkhimers.... The funeral of Glen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hover, who died Sunday evening at their home near White Branch, was held Tuesday at the church of the Brethren near here. The child was eight years of age and died from an abscess on the liver. Rev. J. A. Miller, of Gaston, delivered the address. Burial was made in the cemetery adjoining the church.... The following guests were entertained at a party Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. R. Jones and Mrs. Rebecca Stewart: Mrs. Oliver Brown, Mrs. William Teeter, Mrs. George Keagy, Mrs. Charles Backenstace, Mrs. R. I. Thurston, and Mrs. Charles Abel. Refreshments were served and needlework was a feature.

GREENSFORK, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thornburg and children spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thornburg.... Mrs. Fletcher Bonn and daughter Opal are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stanton and family.... Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thornburg and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thornburg.... The Greensfork High school play, "Higbee of Harvard," a comedy drama in three acts, will be given in Gaylor's hall Saturday evening, April 3, beginning at 8 p. m. Tickets for reserved seats on sale at Reller's Hardware store. The cast is as follows: Watson W. Higbee, Harold Cook; D. W. Withrow, Dallas Stevens; Lorin Higbee, Laurence Lindley; Theodore Dalrymple, Aaron Lindley; Higgins, Kenneth Nicholson; Nancy Withrow, Mildred Hill; Madge Cummings, Catherine Strickler; Mrs. balloon Louise Lindley; Mrs. Malvina Meddigrew, Ruby Sanders.... Inez and Ruby Gilbert of Hagerstown spent Saturday afternoon with their cousin, Melvo Thornburg.... Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis and Mrs. Joe Davis of Jacksonburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thornburg.... Miss Thelma Stackhouse spent the weekend at Centerville.... Miss Sara Gamber returned from Richmond, where she has been spending a few days.

NEW PARIS, Ohio—The body of Mrs. William Ogden was brought here from Windfall, Ind., Tuesday for burial. Mrs. Ogden with her four children

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OTTAWA, April 1—Canadian millers today asked the government that regulations of the Canadian wheat board be modified, as the price of flour must be advanced if increased cost of manufacture is to be met.

George A. MacDonald, heading the delegation, said that continued restrictions on flour prices and lack of export markets had brought Canadian mills face to face with serious situation. He added that vast quantities of flour available in the United States for export complicated the Canadian problem.

Of the 4,831 members of the A. E. F. who married abroad, 1,060 were officers and 3,771 enlisted men.

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By order of Executive Committee.

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Prunes, large size, lb. 30c

Apricots, lb. 39c

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Seeded Raisins, pkg. 25c

Pineapples, No. 2 can 35c

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One pound can

Brooms ... 65c and 85c

Mops ... 50c, 60c and 80c

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Bulk Oats, 4 lbs.... 25c

Campbell Beans, per can for 12 1/2c

Catsup, bottle 12c

Pancake Flour, pkg. 10c

Peaches No. 3 can.... 40c

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