

## ASKS SCHOOL HEADS TO DEFER CHOICE OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Notice has been sent to local school officials by L. N. Hines, state superintendent of public instruction asking that the election of attendance officers, scheduled for May 2, under the provisions of the present law, be deferred until the new state statute governing the office becomes effective. The notice was sent out at the request of Governor McCray. The appointment and duties of the office were changed considerably by a law passed by the recent sessions of the general assembly.

"On recommendation of the governor," said Mr. Hines, "I am writing you relative to the matter of appointing an attendance officer. The acts of 1915, page 151, provide for the election of an attendance officer May 1 of each year, or the Monday following if May 1 comes on Sunday. House bill No. 274, by implication, repeals the principal provisions of the compulsory school attendance law now in force, including that part relating to the election of attendance officers.

Take Office Aug. 1.

The new law probably will become effective between May 1 and May 15. This law places new responsibilities upon the attendance officers and provides for a greater number of them. It also provides for traveling expenses and an increase in salary. Furthermore, it provides that no person shall be appointed to this position who has not completed the work in the elementary public schools and is not qualified in the manner and in accordance with the standards and regulations determined by the state board of attendance. According to the new law the persons appointed shall take office Aug. 1.

In view of the provisions of this law, and the importance attaching thereto, it is recommended that the matter of appointing attendance officers be deferred until the new law becomes effective, and the state board of attendance has an opportunity to meet, formulate and publish instructions regarding this important station.

In the event the county board of education fails to meet Monday, May 2, select an attendance officer. It is further recommended that they do not meet without making a selection to meet at the call of the county superintendent—the call to be made upon the recommendations of the state board of attendance."

### Suburban

PHILOMATH, Ind.—James Rose and John Leiston were in Connersville Tuesday.... Mrs. Jennie Walting, Mrs. Eliza Martin and Mary Boren, daughter and daughter-in-law, spent Tuesday morning with Mrs. George Fulton and mother, Mrs. Eliza Martin.... Mrs. Ed Hunt of Abington, spent Tuesday evening with her brother, John Leiston and son, Eddie Walting. Mrs. Eliza Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Plankenhorn and Mary Boren, daughter and daughter-in-law, Harry Lambert and son, Harry Lambert, spent Monday evening with Wendell Hawkins and family.... Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Plankenhorn and daughter Reita were in Richmond.... Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doddridge were in Milton Wednesday.... Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinson and daughter Sylvia called on Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shank Tuesday evening.... Mrs. Grant Rose and daughters Ruth and Ruby, Mrs. Ira Pollett, daughter Marie and son Woodrow, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Shank.... Mrs. Jennie Plessinger and son David called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Plankenhorn and son Wednesday evening.... Edith Brown spent Tuesday afternoon with Mesdames Willard and Elmer Rodenburg.... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber were at Richmond Thursday.... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shadle and son Russell of near Centerville spent Friday with Willard Rodenburg and family.

Jacob Shank spent Friday with Wendell Hawkins and family.... Amy Evans, of Clifton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber and daughter June.... Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rodenburg, Ruth Plankenhorn and Sam Stinson spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shank.... Mr. and Mrs. Dan Plankenhorn and son Orval, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinson, daughter Sylvia and son Ernest, Harry Lambert, Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter Edith were in Richmond Saturday.... Mrs. Jennie Plessinger spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Grant and children of Brownsburg.... Earl Doddridge made business trip to Cambridge City Friday.... James Rose and Jasper Kelley spent Sunday with Camp Cassidy of Roseburg.... Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodenburg and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Garrett and daughter, Hazel, of near Greens Fork.... Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and sons of Pendleton, and Mrs. J. T. Bradley of Indianapolis, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McCashland.... Mrs. Harry Lambert and children left Saturday for a visit with J. B. Hayward and family of Angola.... Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rodenburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinson and family.... Garfield Davidson of Dayton, O., is visiting Ira Pollett and family.... Mr. and Mrs. Ora Hendrix and daughter Thelma, Mrs. Lizzie Walting and Mary Plankenhorn spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Plankenhorn and son.... Mr. and Mrs. David Cleenger and son, Roy and Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Cleenger and family.... Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCashland and son Willard of near Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doddridge and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McCashland.... Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doddridge and daughters, Iola, Piccola and Doris spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bertsch and family, of near Pershing.... Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter Edith spent Sunday with Mary, Laura and John Rodenburg.... Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fisher attended the funeral of Mrs. Leland Bond, of Liberty. The funeral was held at Bloomington Wednesday afternoon.... Mrs. Samuel Fisher was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy, of Lebanon, on account of their son, Thomas Gerard, who was operated on for appendicitis Sunday night.... There will be a chicken soup supper given at the hall here Saturday night, April 2, for

spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Shank.... Edith Brown spent Tuesday afternoon with Mesdames Willard and Elmer Rodenburg.... Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodenburg and sons spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garrett of Waterloo.

BETHEL, Ind.—Rev. and Mrs. Roy L. Brown and son, Leighton, are spending a few days here. Brother Brown preaches here Wednesday and Thursday evenings. He just close da thirteen day meeting at his home town, Belfontaine, O.... Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hyde and daughter Beatrice and sons, Robert and Herman, of New Madison, spent Sunday with Eli Hyde and family.... Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Pyle and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reigel of Richmond spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harlan.... Mrs. Stella White spent Saturday with Mr. Perry Williams and family of Richmond.... Mrs. Everett White and Mrs. Jehu Boren spent Saturday with Henry Knoll and family of Richmond.... Mr. and Mrs. Mort Bonham and daughter Helen of Indianapolis spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bonham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Polley.... Mr. and Mrs. John Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Merl Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spencer, Miss Marle Harding, Miss Loreen Spencer, Mr. Homer Coleman and Lowell Spencer spent Sunday with Mr. William Hansbarger and family, of near Middlebury.... Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jordan and children of Richmond were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Anderson Sunday.... Mrs. Guy Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Williams and Mrs. Curtis of Fountain City Sunday.... Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hill and daughter Pauline and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lorin Hill and son were guests of Mr. Henry Bowen and family of Union City Sunday.... Mr. and Mrs. Ansen Brumfield and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brumfield and son Wayne spent Sunday with Mr. Eugene Long and family of Centerville.... Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Van Nys and daughter Sylvia spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jehu Boren.... Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Polley, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Bonham and daughter Helen and Mrs. A. L. Willey spent Saturday evening with Ray Polley and family.... Miss Florence Boren has accepted a position as pianist in a store at Richmond.... Mr. and Mrs. Everett White and Mrs. Stella White were guests of William Frist and family of near New Paris Sunday.... Mrs. Anson Brumfield and son Wayne spent Saturday evening with Mr. Eli Hyde and family.... Miss Fann Addleman of Richmond spent Saturday night and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Addleman.... Will Hyde was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Spencer.

HANNA'S CREEK, Ind.—Rev. Schaefer of Muncie, will preach here Sunday at 10:30 o'clock. Everyone invited to attend.... A. P. Green and daughter, Elizabeth and Florence, and son, Roy, visited Ora Creek, Sunday.... The wheat is looking fine in this

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Rome Finch, who underwent an operation at Reid Hospital for appendicitis last week, is improving.... Misses Edith and Mary Stubbs entertained about forty of their school mates and little friends at an Easter party Saturday afternoon. The time was pleasantly spent in hunting hide eggs, games, and plays. Refreshments of pop-corn, peanuts and cake were served.... Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmeyer entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Jones and Loyda Harmeyer and family at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett LaFuze and son, Harvey entertained with an Easter dinner Sunday. Those present were John Parks and sisters, Misses Eliza and Mary Parks of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Long of Clifton, Mrs. James Lewis of Marion, Ind., Laurence Gregerson and mother, Mrs. Etta Gregerson, of Liberty, Albert and Justin LaFuze and Misses Bessie Wilson and Jinnie Ardery.... Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dallin Myers and family and Carel Montgomery and family.... The revival meetings will begin at this place Monday evening Rev. Schaffer will be assisted by the Rev. Pleasant. Good sermons and excellent singing will be the features of the meeting.... Miss

Verna McCallip is assisting Mrs. Grace Burns in the millinery store at Liberty, this week.... The Greenwood Sunday school gave a fine Easter program Sunday morning the children rendered their recitations in fine style. A large crowd attended.... Mr. and Mrs. William Kitchel entered Ezra LaFuze and daughter Ruth, at dinner Sunday.... Miss Anna Harwood who has been at the infirmary has gone to make her home with Mrs. George Keefer of near Lotus.

LIBERTY, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnhart's son Fred arrived home a few days ago. He has been taking a course in military training at Boone, Maryland, and passed with a fine average. He will soon enter training school again at the same place.... Mrs. W. P. Kennedy entertained her sister, Miss Lucy Vogler, of Hope, the last few days.... Miss Iva Porter spent the week end in Kentucky visiting friends.... Mrs. Dorothy Mullen of this place, has gone to Kansas because of the illness of her uncle, Seth Snowden.... Charles Bond and family spent Sunday in Quakertown with his brother, Leland Bond and family.... Mrs. George Coughlin recently entertained in honor of "Buster" Richardson's sixth birthday. Games and play were indulged in during the afternoon. The little guests were then invited into the dining room where the table was beautifully decorated and in the center was a large birthday cake with six pink candles. Refreshments of ice cream, nuts, cake and candy were served. The favors consisted of little Easter baskets of candy for the girls and whistles for the boys. Those present were Joseph Clawson, Joseph

Rose, Raymond Harlan, Dolly Rose, Elizabeth Harlan, Lawrence and Marion Huntington, Maxine Johnson, Thomas Adams, Eugene Bond, Martha Shock, Junior Roach, Loren Moss, Genevieve Malbaugh, Russell Doman, Mussell Coughlin, Wayne Burnard, and Leonard Roberts.... Miss Natalie Johnson of Oxford college, spent Easter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Johnson.... Mrs. Joshua Davis who has been quite ill at her home on East Seminary street, is improving.... Mrs. H. G. Uray of Indianapolis spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Irwin

.... Joseph McMahan of Bath, has returned from Florida.... The art exhibit held by the Liberty schools and presided over by the teachers of the graded and high schools was attended by large crowds from Liberty, College Corner and surrounding country.... The Easter musicale rendered Sunday evening at the Liberty M. E. church was greeted with a large audience.

The musical represented churches and a fine selection of songs service was rendered. Lavina Bertsch and Miss Rose, who have been in Florida for weeks, will return soon. Teachers attended examinations Saturday.... County schools close in four weeks and commencement will soon be in session.

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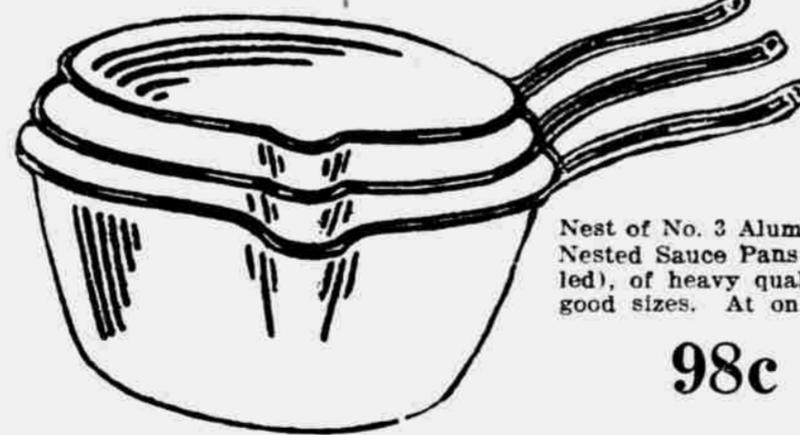
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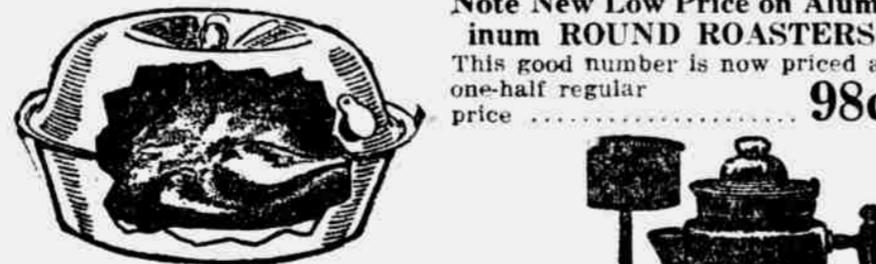
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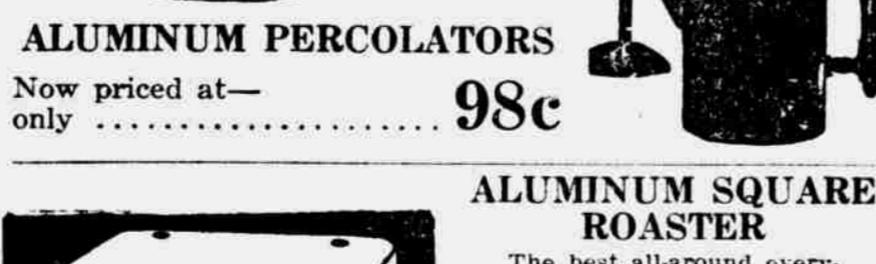
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