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## COUNTY OPTION IS ASSAILED BY BREWERS

Post Flaming Bills Which Claim That Temperance Advance Will Ruin The Nation.

The brewers are facing the advance of temperance with a determination to crush it out and they have caused to be posted flaming bills that proclaim the destruction to the business interests of the country that are certain to result from the restrictions that are being placed on the sale of intoxicating liquors. The bills are actually ridiculous in their claims, and while they may be truthful in their statistics of the amount of grain that are consumed in the manufacture of various brands of liquor and of the vast amounts disbursed by the brewers and distillers of the country to labor, the bills do not show the expense in the state and nation of maintaining penitentiaries, poor houses, orphan asylums and various other charitable institutions that are made necessary largely by the effect of the saloons.

The bills are headed in large red capitals: "THE EFFECT OF COUNTY LOCAL OPTION." Across the bottom and in letters almost as large and fully as red, is the following: "COUNTY LOCAL OPTION MEANS PROHIBITION WITH ALL ITS EVIL EFFECTS." Imagine a brewer, whose whole life has been spent in manufacturing a product that has caused woe

and distress, murder, suicide, burglary, rape, and every sin known to the annals of crime, trying to point out to the people of Indiana that prohibition is an evil entailing countless woes to the people. As one man who read one of the bills said: "If we have arrived at a point where we have to go to rack and ruin if we don't return to the saloons we had better go and the sooner the better."

Two paragraphs of the bill reads: "The continued growth of prohibition and the destruction of the brewing and distilling industries will result in the farmer and the allied trades in all lines of manufacture being made to suffer great losses through the destroyed markets for their products."

"Every farmer, every workman and every manufacturer in the United States should now assert his rights and use every effort to suppress this growing evil of prohibition, which is jeopardizing the livelihood of upward of six millions of people and threatens to precipitate the greatest financial crisis this country has ever known."

These bills must be seen to be appreciated, and every voter should read them from beginning to end.

### Fair Oaks

Charles Barkers have moved into the Dr. Prowdley house.

Mrs. Bruce Moffitt and her father visited with A. M. Bringle over Sunday.

There was a rousing republican meeting at the school house Saturday night.

Mrs. Ed Kessler is arranging to have her picture gallery, in the Kessler hall, where she will be prepared to take first class pictures.

About 200 soldiers camped here over Saturday night, and again reminded us of the care and expense put forth by Uncle Sam for the good of his people.

Floyd Cox has gone to Earl Park, Ill., to work on a farm.

Several Fair Oakers attended the protracted meeting at Roselawn the last of the week.

Four of the Hollanders northeast of town started for the old country last Sunday on a visit which will last several months.

Mrs. Fannie Cottingham has returned from Brookston and Reynolds, where she has been visiting relatives for the past week.

N. A. McKay has gone to Rocklawn to help build up the ruins caused by fire last week.

Ben Zellers and family are visiting in Winamac this week.

Grandma Brohard, who has been visiting her daughter in Boone county for the past six weeks, will return to Fair Oaks in a few days.

Mrs. F. R. Erwin and Mrs. Anna Harold spent Tuesday with N. Littlefield's family, of Rensselaer.

It is reported that D. Washburn will build a house on his land near here, some time this fall.

### HANGING GROVE TOWNSHIP

Mr. and Mrs. Millard English, of Brook, Iowa, are here for an extended visit with relatives. In fact most of their relatives live in this county, and they will probably remain till January in order to visit all.

Wm. Large, of Wing, Ill., who owns the farm where A. Williamson lives, came out Sunday. He drove through a distance of 100 miles. Mr. Large is going to remodel the house on his farm here, this fall. He intends to make it 2 stories high and may make a cellar under the kitchen. It will be built something after the style of Simon Cook's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudicle and little niece of Marion, returned home Tuesday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Reed McColly.

Mrs. J. W. Rishling and Mrs. Wm. Jabel visited with the former's parents, south of Pleasant Ridge, Tuesday.

Farmers are getting ready for corn husking. Corn is ripening very fast since so much dry weather. Some that have two or three cribs and can thus scatter the corn around are going to commence husking next week.

J. P. Gwin has just got in a car load of excellent block coal for his customers.

Jesse Long, who has been working for C. W. Russell this season, has been quite sick for some time, and unless he gets able to work soon he will probably migrate to Tennessee, where he came from last spring. He is a nice young man and it is too bad he is unable to work, as he had intended to stay till after corn husking.

Ray Moniz came home Tuesday noon from Monon, where he has been working during the summer. He and his father will haul the rock for the new bridge south of McCoyburg. Ray came home to stay for a while, bringing his trunk along and was met at the train by his father with the wheelbarrow.

C. W. Russell and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Russell took dinner at James Lefler's Sunday.

Gaylord Parker and Chester Downs have returned from Mitchell, S. Dak. They seem to like the country alright, but it blows most too strong.

Mrs. James Lefler was very sick for a few days this week, but is better now.

The Jasper county Sunday school convention will be held in Rensselaer, Thursday, October 22nd. Each Sunday school in the county should send at least two delegates and as many more people go as can.

### Telephone Girls Visit Country.

The day telephone operators, Misses Mary, Hazel and Florence Moore, Stella Huffman and Florence Gorham spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barkley in Barkley township. Mrs. Barkley was for a time one of the central girls. She has just recently undergone a very severe illness, but from which she is now almost altogether recovered.

The evening was very pleasantly spent, refreshments being served.

### Death of Miss Harriet Parkison.

Miss Harriet M. Parkison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Parkison, died Tuesday afternoon at shortly after 4 o'clock, at their home west of Rensselaer. Miss Parkison had been in failing health for the past two years, and the latter part of October last year went to California, in hope that the climate would restore her health. She was there for several months, but did not improve, and after her return to this county every effort was made to forestall the progress of tuberculosis. A tent house was made near the farm residence, and for weeks she has slept in it and lived out of doors, but all to no avail. A rapid decline was noticed a few days before her death, and the sorrowing parents and relatives were prepared for the sad end.

Miss Parkison would have been 21 years of age next February. She was a graduate of the Rensselaer high school, being a member of the class of 1906, and she was extremely popular with her classmates and with all of her large circle of friends. And all of these and also the many friends of the grief stricken parents will share in the sorrow at her untimely death.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the M. E. church, being conducted by the pastor, Dr. H. L. Kindig. Interment will be made in Barkley cemetery.

Roy Jones, aged 17, tried to kill himself because his sweetheart skated "Home Sweet Home" with another boy at Indianapolis Tuesday night, and he will probably lose his eye sight as a result of a bullet he fired into his head. The girl says he had no cause to be jealous as she loved but him.

### Independence.

Vote for Wm. H. Taft. Miss Chloae Torbet spent Sunday with Miss Bertha Cooper.

Mrs. Wm. Rees is on the sick list at this writing.

Onion topping and gravel hauling is the order of the day.

Sunday school has closed at Independence for awhile.

Simon Cooper spent Sunday with Ernest Rees.

Ernest Rees spent Sunday of last week with Sam Rees and family.

Walter Lutz is getting along nicely with his school at Independence.

Samuel Rees and sons spent Sunday afternoon with Wm. Rees and family.

Geo. Cooper, who has been quite poorly, is some better at this writing.

Leatha Rees and Eva Gorbet spent Sunday of last week with Agnes Hurley, of near Burns Town.

Lesly Pierce, of Illinois, is spending a few days with A. A. Gorbet and family.

Mr. Kennedy, of Illinois, has moved on the North Red Oak farm near Newland.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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### Milroy.

Supt. Lamson visited the schools here Monday.

Earl Foulks attended band practice in Monon Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell were in Rensselaer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson, Sr., were Monon goes Saturday.

The Misses Jesse Williamson, Leva Ginnies and Madge Wolfe attended the institute at McCoyburg Saturday.

John Mitchell and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Mitchell's sister, Mrs. Thos. Leary, and family.

Mr. Connelly and Will Dickson attended Sunday school at Milroy church Sunday afternoon.

Thos. Spencer and E. J. Clark returned Monday evening from a prospecting trip to Texas.

Mrs. John Willbanks and Mrs. Charles Willbanks called on Mrs. Herman Monday.

Bronson Clark and family and Richard Foulks ate dinner Sunday with Geo. Foulks.

Our teachers attended the township institute at McCoyburg last Saturday.

Rev. Mrs. Belcher will preach here after Sunday school Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. E. Johns and Mrs. George Foulks attended the funeral of Rev. D. J. Huston, at Goodland, last Thursday.

Mrs. Chatman and daughter Pearl and Mrs. Elmer Johnson called on Thos. Johnson, Jr., and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Johns and Mrs. Geo. Foulks visited Rev. Morrow and family, of Wolcott, Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foulks and son Earl and Madge Wolfe spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Willbanks and family.

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Mr. H. De Vere Stapcoole's book, "The Blue Lagoon," sounds something like a suicide in Lincoln Park, Chicago.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Rensselaer, Indiana, will on the 26th day of October, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., in the Council Chamber in the Court House in said City, open and consider sealed bids for the construction of the following improvements, to-wit: a cement sidewalk along the west side of College Avenue from the intersection of College Avenue with Washington street south to the south corporation line of said city; a cement sidewalk along the east side of Scott street in front of lots six, seven, ten and the south half of lot three, in block fifteen, in Leopold's addition; and a cement sidewalk along the north side of Cedar street from the intersection of Cedar street with Milton street west to the intersection of Cedar street with Division street. Sealed bids must be filed for each one of the above described improvements separately and may be filed with the City Clerk any time before 7:30 p. m. on October 26, 1908. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand and the seal of said City of Rensselaer, Indiana, this 14th day of October, 1908.

CHAS. MORLAN, City Clerk.

### For Sale or Trade.

20 acres dry land, suitable for poultry and truck, on main road near station, \$15.

30 acres near good town with high school, on main road, free mail, school on land, 20 cultivated, 10 timber, \$20.

40 acres on main road near school and station, in good neighborhood, fine for truck and poultry, \$15.

62 acres near good town, free mail, school, in good neighborhood, level land, good soil; 50 acres cultivated, 12 timber, \$20.

80 acres, gravel road, near school, all level land, black soil, 70 acres prairie, 10 acres timber, \$25.

160 acres, all level black land in pasture, has large ditch through it, 100 acres prairie, 60 timber, with many good sawlogs; near gravel road and school, \$25.

120 acres, nice level black land; 100 acres nice prairie land, 20 timber; lies on gravel road near school, \$25. 12 acres 3/4 mile of court house, in cultivation, on public road; 5 room house, nice shade, fair buildings; 120 pear trees, 50 apple trees, 30 cherries, 30 peaches, a large amount of grapes and small fruit; fruit of grapes and small fruit; fruit trees in full bearing, \$1,500.

280 acres, Union township, 11 miles out, on gravel road, is all nice level land, being about two-thirds black prairie land and one-third timber, consisting of groves and second growth and but little or no brush. It has large ditch through it and is mostly set to blue grass. The e is 60 thousand feet of good saw timber. Can offer this land for a limited time at \$25.

Good six room house, on improved street; this city, on payments at only \$600.

Five room cottage, two blocks of court house, on corner lot, cement walks, improved streets, fine shade, lots of fruit, large cistern, deep well, city water, all in good condition, \$950.

We will accept live stock as part payment on any of the above bargains.

Anyone looking for an investment surely cannot duplicate the above prices. All the property above is in Jasper county. We are ready to show any or all of the above to any one meaning business at any time.

We also have mortgage notes aggregating \$3,000, will trade all or in part for land or town property and assume or pay difference.

G. F. MEYERS, Office opposite State Bank.

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Oct 15dew J. C. Porter, Agent.

### HAD A CLOSE CALL.

Mrs. Ada L. Croom, the widely known proprietor of the Croom Hotel, Vaughn, Miss., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it, and three bottles affected a complete cure." The fame of this life saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at A. F. Long's drug store. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Inasmuch as our forests are being denuded, the small boy of the future will have to be spanked with a state shingle.

### MORE THAN ENOUGH IS TOO MUCH.

To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and you will soon be all right again. For sale by B. F. Fendig.

### NOTICE TO DITCHERS.

I have for sale ditcher's staffs, six feet long, divided in feet tenths and hundredths. Price \$2.00. Will make them to order as wanted.

221maw L. A. BOSTWICK.

At any time when your stomach is not in good condition, you should take Kodol, because Kodol digests all the food you eat, and it supplies health and strength for the stomach in that way. You take Kodol just for a little while when you have slight attacks of indigestion, and you take it just a little longer in order to get relief from severe attacks of indigestion or nervous dyspepsia. Try Kodol today. Sold by B. F. Fendig.



Defer Not Until a Future Day to Act Wisely.

THE EVER PRESENT IS THE ONE TIME FOR YOU TO DO THINGS. THEREFORE, YOU SHOULD BEGIN TODAY TO ACQUAINT YOURSELF WITH THE QUALITY OF THE BUILDING TIMBER HANDLED BY US. LET US QUOTE YOU ESTIMATES THE NEXT TIME YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR ANY KIND OF BUILDING MATERIAL.

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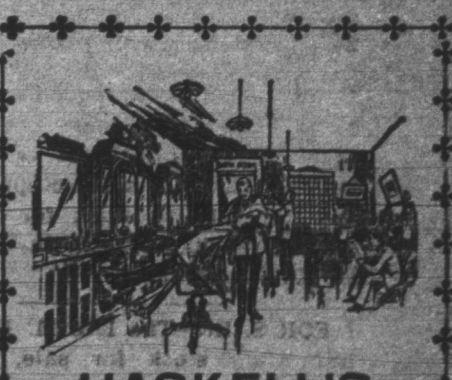
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And long, useful life of the tooth. It's easy to stop and check the growth of the cavity today—quickly done, and costs but little. You will likely persuade your friends to come to me after I fill that tooth, because expected pain and exorbitant prices were found to be strangers at my office.

DR. HORTON OPP COURTHOUSE