

WANING OF THE HONEYMOON.



She—I'm sorry to have to leave you Fred, in such a frame of mind, but I had a previous engagement, you know. He—It might have been as well if you'd had a previous engagement before we were married—and kept it.—Brooklyn Life.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

From Saturday's Daily.

Mrs. Mary E. Hume is in Bourbon today.

Geo Klingerman went to South Bend today.

Jack Nelson went to Argos today on business.

Chas. Detwiller returned from Tyner yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arney are in South Bend today.

Henry Stein came home from Michigan City yesterday.

Mrs. Z. Senior is in Valparaiso visiting for several days.

FOUND.—On Center street an empty purse. Call at this office.

The Clipper Quartette returned to South Bend this morning.

E. G. Fisher, of Bremen, made this office a pleasant call today.

Jas. Reeves is home from St. Joe to spend Sunday with his parents.

Dr. Deeds was out with his gun yesterday training his two spaniels.

Chas. Redding returned to Plymouth today after a month's stay in Bourbon.

George Fogle and Chas. Brown are finishing the interior of the Brink building.

Miss Kit Miller, of Warsaw, is the guest of Miss Grace Borton over Sunday.

Mrs. Chapman from near Culver City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Belle DeMoss.

Try the celebrated Perkins home-made mince meat. Kuhn's market, sole agent.

Bert Nussbaum came home from Ann Arbor today for a nine days' spring vacation.

Lillybridge & Co. will move next week into the corner room of the Brink building.

Michael Climer living on the Westervelt farm between here and Marmont died today.

The Plymouth Dancing club is talking of giving a dance at Kuhn's hall next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lattimore returned to her home in Evanston today after a few days visiting with friends in this city.

Mort Thompson an old Plymouth boy arrived home last night to attend Bert Rosenbury's funeral.

Arthur Jacoby and Oliver Chase came home from Ft. Wayne to attend the funeral of Bert Rosenbury.

SEMI-WEEKLY INDEPENDENT and the Cosmopolitan, the greatest magazine in America, only \$1.85 per year.

Ed. Meier returned from South Bend today where he has been visiting the past three or four days with his family.

F. A. Forbes is putting in a complete stock of agricultural implements in Reeves old store one door north of Spangles.

Mrs. Burroughs and son, Chas. with Mrs. Bert Reeves went to Leesburg this morning to spend a few days with Bert Hall.

Through G. E. Paul's agency, James Cowen exchanged an 80 acre farm for two houses and lots in the north east part of Plymouth.

Mrs. F. Rimpel daughter, Mrs. C. M. Euri and little son, Ernest, of Logansport, are visiting A. Keobert and other relatives in the city.

It is said that Elmer Werntz is an early riser now. He is kept busy raking up the relics that have accumulated in his yard the past winter.

Wilhelm, the Bremen tailor, who is well known in this community, will after the 15th occupy the south room of the new Brink building.

Peter Schoner has purchased a farm south of town known as the old Firestone farm. Mr. Schoner is making a number of improvements.

The Birkey bridge was completed today, and is now ready for travel. Richard Brugh claims to be the first one to cross it with a team.

Bishop White and the Rev. Raymond were accompanied to Marmont last night by the choir of St. Thomas Episcopal church of this city.

From Monday's Daily. George Nell is in Chicago.

Dave Wiser is in Marmont today.

O. F. Ketcham is in Warsaw today.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe are in Chicago today.

Dennis Walters was in Chicago yesterday.

Jas. Talbot was in Plymouth over Sunday.

Mr. Rotzen went to Marmont this morning.

Minnie Cox returned to Marmont this morning.

Miss Carrie Wilson was in Argos over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Spangle spent yesterday in Argos.

E. C. Edinger returned from Logansport this morning.

Chas. Fogle has gone to Chicago to remain indefinitely.

H. A. Brenner has gone to Chicago to secure employment.

John Bowell and Chas. Harris were in Chicago yesterday.

Mort Thompson returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, today.

James A. Marks has accepted a position at the Novelty works.

A crowd of bicycle boys rode up from Bourbon yesterday.

A. R. Zimmerman of THE INDEPENDENT is in Chicago today.

Uncle Mead Thompson had a stroke of paralysis Saturday night.

Carl Strombeck Sundayed in Argos, making the trip on his wheel.

Mrs. W. H. McClintock will return to her home in Ft. Wayne tomorrow.

The Altar Guild will meet with Miss Erma Wining next Monday evening.

We are not giving away advertising space but we can guarantee good results.

Al Gilson, of Logansport, and Lester Carter, of Kokomo, Sundayed in Plymouth.

The saw mill and granary of Jacob Bultz in Bourbon township burned this morning.

Frank Hale spent Sunday with his girl in Hibbard and returned to St. Joe this morning.

Al Ayres, of Chicago, formerly proprietor of Gem cigar store was in Plymouth over Sunday.

Albert Lindquist and G. Peterson, of South Bend were the guests of Nils Lindquist over Sunday.

Miss Naoma Price, daughter of Henry Price in West township, is having a severe attack of rheumatic fever.

At the Populist convention Saturday night the following were nominated for alderman:—E. Poor, Wm. Smith and Dr. Jackson.

Harry Buck, Lou McDonald, Mose Lauer and their wives with Harry Armstrong drove to Argos yesterday to visit Charley Hughs.

Chas. Clough and son Al went to Laporte Saturday night on account of the death of Mr. Clough's mother, Mrs. Alonzo Clough, who was 80 years old.

The report circulated Saturday, regarding the death of Michael Climer, was unfounded. We are glad to be able to announce that he is improving.

Alpheus Windbigler and a number of other boys made a flying trip to Rochester and back yesterday on their wheels.

Mr. J. W. Thomas and wife were acquainted with O. H. W. Sands, of Pentwater, Mich., who was the first victim of the late sextuple tragedy of that city.

Albertus Simons took Harry Corbin Bert Harris and Manie Harris out serenading last night. They entertained their friends until 1 o'clock this morning.

Jerome Flagg, who was for some time proprietor of the Argos house, will move to Plymouth in a few weeks to take charge of the Windsor hotel. So says the Argos Reflector.

Gid Blain and Bert Ashton rode a tandem to Rochester yesterday afternoon. When returning they broke down about six miles this side of Rochester and had to walk nearly all the way home.

The ability of THE DAILY INDEPENDENT to give entire satisfaction to its advertisers, does not need reiterating in a standing local. The merchants who utilize its columns know where the benefit comes from.

There will be a Homeseekers excursion to points northwest, west and southwest via the popular Nickel Plate road April 21st. Low rates have been authorized for this occasion. Enquire of any agent.

It was reported this morning that Peterson's general store at Donaldson was burglarized last night. The truth is that some person broke a window in the store to make it appear that a burglary had been attempted, presumably to have some effect on the jury before which the young man from Donaldson, accused of burglary, is being tried.

Patrick Conner, brother-in-law of Henry Langdon, living in the Whitlock house opposite the Reformed church, died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was ill only about 18 hours, death being caused by conges-

tion of the lungs. Mr. Connell moved to Plymouth on the 15th of last December from Maple Park, Ill. He was 35 years old and leaves a wife and one child. A brother and sister with Geo. Weber will arrive today to attend the funeral.

For the occasion of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, May 1st to the 31st, 1896, a rate of one standard first class fare for the round trip has been authorized via the Nickel Plate road. Tickets on sale April 29th, 30th, May 1st, and 12th.

The Liberal Medical and Surgical Association of Northern Indiana will meet in Rochester at College hall at 1:00 and 7:00 p. m., April 23, instead of April 16, and the college will furnish a literary and musical program in connection with the medical program.

A daughter was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fribley, of Bourbon. Mrs. Fribley, nee Elma G. Thayer, is well known in this city.

A number of excellent communications have been received at this office and will be published as soon as convenient.

The revival meetings at the U. B. church are still in progress, and are very interesting. Come out tonight and enjoy the services.

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Mr. Eamens, the traveling man who was reported as disappearing, has reported as being on deck. He has been for several days thus in silence.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. C. H. Wilcox. Topics are: "India" and "The Freedmen."

The social of the W. R. C. will be held at the residence of Mrs. Mamie Raiback, April 15th (tomorrow eve) south of the Suit planing mill. Every body cordially invited.

Ex-treasurer Vink, of Bourbon, was in our city today to announce himself as a candidate for the office of treasurer. C. V. made a host of friends while occupying that office.

The INDEPENDENT has received a number of letters requesting copies of the article, "Why We are Bimetallists." We have no more at present but in a short time will issue a large number in pamphlet form.

Albertus Simons and John Capron spread themselves this morning on the tandem while giving an exhibition on Michigan street. They performed the "spread eagle" act before a large and appreciative audience.

The democrats of the first and second wards will hold a convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for councilmen for the two wards next Thursday evening. The meeting will take place at the People's party hall in the Shakes building.

The Rev. G. H. Thayer, father of Henry G. Thayer, arrived in the city this afternoon. He is well known in the city and will spend some time visiting with his friends. Although over 88 years old he writes a good hand and reads without glasses.

South Bend Tribune:—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Arney, of Plymouth, spent Saturday in the city....Mr. Geo. Kingerman, of Plymouth, was in this city Saturday....Miss Ada White, of Plymouth, is visiting her brother, Mr. Clement Reese, of this city.

The announcement of Mr. C. V. Vink of Bourbon, for the office of county treasurer of Marshall county, appears in another column of the INDEPENDENT. Mr. Vink needs no introduction to the people of this county. His record as county treasurer is before them. Mr. Vink no doubt will make an excellent race.

Bert Harris and Albertus Simons took a spin on the tandem this morning. The exercise was exhilarating of course, and everything went along smoothly until they struck one of those crossings on Center street that has a hump on it. The inclination to leave their seats was very pronounced, and although no bones were broken, a demoralized condition of affairs, with skinned shins was the result.

We are informed by Mr. J. W. Thayer that the report regarding Mr. Stuck getting 4c a bushel more for wheat in Burr Oak, is all fabrication. He was offered 68½ cents for it in Plymouth so our informant says, and received 69 at the above mentioned place. We hardly believed that our grain merchants were making such a wide difference in the price of cereals, as the report gone out, and are glad to report the charge made.

Dr. Houser was greeted with a full house last night. The doctor has changed somewhat since he was here before, and appears older but has lost none of his vivacity and entertaining mannerisms. Last night he gave a graphic description of all the principal places of interest in London, illustrating his talk with a stereopticon a very fine triple lens dissolving view instrument. Tonight his subject will be Paris, and an admission fee of 5c will be charged.

Levi Cooper and family, of Atwood have moved to Mammoth Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Van Dyke and Mrs. Jennie Tropp, of Orion, are visiting Willis Logan.

Miss Catherine Miller, says the Warsaw Times, is visiting friends in Plymouth.

No trouble in the least, to show you our line of carpets.—Carpenter & Bosworth.

Advance agent for the Side Track Co. was here this morning and billed the show for April 20th.

The Kindergarten class meets with Mrs. D. Frank Redd, on Miner street, tomorrow afternoon.

Willis Logan's children, in North township, are sick with scarlet rash. Dr. Viets is the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, living near the Richland church, are rejoicing over the arrival of a 10 pound boy this afternoon.

The INDEPENDENT force is passing through a seige of sickness. If there are any discrepancies your indulgence is craved.

Andy Moore and A. R. Underwood are attempting to organize a century club to take a 100 mile run once a month.

We witnessed a disgusting sight on South Michigan street Sunday afternoon in the shape of two young fellows not to exceed 18 years old, one of them being considerably under the

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WEATHER REPORT—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

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