

## COURT NEWS

Juries Drawn  
Grand and petit juries for the January term of circuit court

GREATEST NEWS  
IN YEARSChronic Mastitis Is  
Being Cured

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## REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## The State Bank of Syracuse

of Syracuse, in the State of Indiana, at the close of business on December 31, 1943.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including .61 overdrafts)	\$138,257.42
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	685,500.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	32,000.00
Other bonds, notes and debentures	49,777.50
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances and cash items in process of collection	208,592.82
Bank premises owned \$4,920.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,060.00	5,980.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,120,107.74</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	413,321.89
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	443,969.88
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	47,424.49
Deposits of states and political subdivisions	96,644.75
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	27,551.00
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,028,912.01</b>
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money—none.	
Other liabilities	44.55
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)</b>	<b>\$1,028,956.56</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital (*)	\$ 35,000.00
Surplus	35,000.00
Undivided profits	21,151.18
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>91,151.18</b>

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
	<b>\$1,120,107.74</b>

(\*) Includes proceeds of \$ (none) of debentures sold to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, \$ (none) of debentures sold to local interests which debentures are subordinated to the rights of creditors and depositors, and 350 shares of common stock, par \$100.00 per share.

## MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): U. S. Govt. obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities 210,000.00

**TOTAL PLEDGED ASSETS** 210,000.00

Secured and preferred liabilities:

Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 47,424.49

Borrowings secured by pledged assets (including rediscounts and repurchase agreements) none.

Other liabilities secured by pledged assets—none.

Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets—none.

**TOTAL** 47,424.49

Subordinated obligations—none.

On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was 86,436.86

Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to 208,592.82

Included in Loans and Discounts are Loans to Affiliated Companies—none.

Included in Other Bonds, Notes, Debentures and Corporate Stocks are Obligations of Affiliated Companies. —None.

I, Noble C. Blocker, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NOBLE C. BLOCKER, Cashier.

Correct Attest:

RALPH E. THORNBURG,  
CHARLES H. PURDUM,  
STEPHEN FREEMAN  
Directors.

State of Indiana, county of Kosciusko, ss.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this third day of January, 1944, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

LOIS SCHLEETER,  
Notary Public  
(SEAL)

were drawn Monday by County Clerk Orvel E. Phillips, under direction of Rolla A. Anglin and Charles S. Ramsey, jury commissioners. Members of the grand jury chosen were: Fenton B. Davison, Mentone; John Norris, R. S. Warsaw; Ralph Liggett, Jackson twp.; Bert A. Smiley, Etna Green; Scott Swanson, Warsaw, and O. A. Heighway, Franklin twp.

Petit jurors chosen were Anna A. Bishop, Leesburg; Harvey D. Boggs, Prairie twp.; Bertha Hamman, N. Webster; Asa Direk, Claypool; William Nyce, Syracuse; Robt. D. Kuhn, Warsaw; Ralph Neff, Millford; Earl Gross, Pierceton; Russell Bradley, Harrison twp.; Gordon H.

Johnson, Syracuse; Ralph Parker, Tippecanoe twp., and Lester Culbertson, Pierceton.

In the estate of Bertha E. Darr, who died here Dec. 24, sons Kenneth J. and Gordon W. Hapner, of Syracuse, have been named as administrators. Personal property is valued at \$750 and real estate at \$8,000. Another heir in addition to the sons is the husband, John W. Darr. The estate of Warren Rupple, who died June 27, 1942, near Leesburg, has been opened in circuit court, with Everett E. Rason qualifying as administrator. Personal property is valued at \$5,000 and there is no real estate other than that owned by the decedent and the widow and

only heir, Harriette G. Rupple, now Mrs. Palmer, of Columbus, O., a tenant in the entitles, it is set out. The widow sold property from the farm and paid the debt of the estate and took proper steps regarding inheritance taxes. It was learned, assuming that no formal administration would be necessary. She then married Nov. 1, 1942, and it was learned, assuming that the defendant, his wife, was contrary to law—act being sustained by sufficient evidence and that the claimant has discovered new evidence not available during the trial. Bell claims that an automobile, driven by Daniel Wolf, now deceased, struck him on road 13 near Syracuse on July 29, 1942. Wolf was intoxicated and was driving off the berm when Bell was struck. It is charged. The new facts were learned after evidence was completed at the trial, it is stated. It is set out in the motion. Hazel Gordon, at whose home Bell states Wolf spent some time on the evening of the accident, will testify that Wolf was intoxicated; and Cecil Underlock, who Bell says was in the Wolf auto at the time of the accident, will testify that Wolf was driving off the berm when his car hit Bell. Bell will also be able to produce the testimony of a road maintenance man who will state that he saw auto tracks on the berm at the scene of the mishap the next morning, the claimant states. Bell also states that a juror, Roy Fort, was guilty of misconduct in testifying that he did not know the claimant Bell sets out that he, as Turkey Creek township justice of peace, once fined Mort on illegal fishing charges. The claimant states he was unable to secure supporting affidavits from Hazel Gordon and Cecil Underlock since the former is confined with influenza and the latter is in Chicago.

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Masters Lloyd and Gene LeCount, of Goshen, spent Friday night and Saturday with their brother, Arnold LeCount, and family, of Dewitt Lake.

Miss Maryann Pinkerton spent her Christmas vacation with her sister and family, Mrs. Marie Ettinger and family, of Goshen. Mr. and Mrs. R. Pinkerton spent Sunday at their home.

Waneta Harold, Sara and Dolores Mock, have been on the flu list recently.

Practicing services at Concord next Sunday evening at 7. Welcome

Miss Mary Bushong returned to Lafayette, where she is teaching, after spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Guy Fisher. Rev. and Mrs. Hudson and son spent Sunday at the Chester Stiffler home.

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## A Look at the Liquor Situation



## GNAWING AT NATIONAL EFFICIENCY

North of the border, according to the American Business Men's Research Foundation of Chicago, Americans recognize the liquor traffic to be a cause of absenteism, accidents, social unrest, a waste of raw material, and a cause of crime. The Canadian government has boldly taken the stand that the less drinking Canada does, the better will be its war effort.... This is not a moral or religious move; it is simply a tremendously successful economic and war time treatment of the age old problem.... The Canadian Government through its leader, Premier King, advocates temperance, it limits saloons to eight hours a day; it forbids all liquor advertising by radio, movies, newspapers and magazines. Its governmental policy is to decrease during war time the use of intoxicating liquor.

South of the border, the Government of the United States has issued no warning statement against the use of liquor. Saloons stay open from 16 to 20 hours a day. Liquor advertising is unlimited; the strength of the drink is unlimited; restrictions on ordinary business are sometimes softened (for a while at least) for the brewer and the distiller, and this kind of attitude of Uncle Sam is neither a moral, a social or an economic move. No word of justification can be found for it. And a horde of rats are gnawing at our national efficiency.

The above advertisement prepared by the American Business Men's Research Foundation, Chicago, is paid for by the Anti-Liquor Association, P. O. Box 300, Goshen, Ind.

## SIMON BELL ASKS NEW TRIAL OF CLAIM CASE

Simon Bell, of Syracuse, whose \$1,421 claim for damages against Geo. J. Kande's, administrator of the estate of Daniel R. Wolf, was rejected by a circuit court jury at Warsaw Dec. 1, when it found that the defendant, his wife, was contrary to law—act being sustained by sufficient evidence and that the claimant has discovered new evidence not available during the trial. Bell claims that an automobile, driven by Daniel Wolf, now deceased, struck him on road 13 near Syracuse on July 29, 1942. Wolf was intoxicated and was driving off the berm when Bell was struck. It is charged. The new facts were learned after evidence was completed at the trial, it is stated. It is set out in the motion. Hazel Gordon, at whose home Bell states Wolf spent some time on the evening of the accident, will testify that Wolf was intoxicated; and Cecil Underlock, who Bell says was in the Wolf auto at the time of the accident, will testify that Wolf was driving off the berm when his car hit Bell. Bell will also be able to produce the testimony of a road maintenance man who will state that he saw auto tracks on the berm at the scene of the mishap the next morning, the claimant states. Bell also states that a juror, Roy Fort, was guilty of misconduct in testifying that he did not know the claimant Bell sets out that he, as Turkey Creek township justice of peace, once fined Mort on illegal fishing charges. The claimant states he was unable to secure supporting affidavits from Hazel Gordon and Cecil Underlock since the former is confined with influenza and the latter is in Chicago.

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## JUNIOR AUXILIARY

The Junior Auxiliary met on Jan. 1, 1944, at the home of Mrs. Coy. The meeting was opened as usual. There was very little business except to remind us of the phonograph records and old comic books.

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## Four Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snyder entertained at a New Year carrying dinner at their home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bathroe, of near Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deitrich and three children, of near Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Darr and three children, of near Zion; Mrs. Edna Geyer, and Mr. and Mrs. Crist Darr. A very enjoyable time was had by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Stooley and two children spent Sunday with his parents, near Middletown.

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