



PUT A CHECK ON YOURSELF. YOU'LL BE GLAD SOME DAY. IF YOUR MONEY IS IN OUR BANK INSTEAD OF IN YOUR POCKET, YOU CAN'T LET IT SLIP THROUGH YOUR FINGERS.

IF YOU PUT SOME MONEY IN THE BANK EVERY DAY YOU'LL HAVE ENOUGH SOME DAY TO GO INTO BUSINESS FOR YOURSELF. START A FORTUNE.

PUT YOUR MONEY IN OUR BANK. YOU WILL RECEIVE FOUR PER CENT INTEREST EVERY DOLLAR DEPOSITED IN THIS BANK IS INSURED.

## The State Bank of Walkerton

EDWARD GRIDER, PRES. O. C. SHOCKNEY, CASHIER

## Garden Making Time!

We have the celebrated Leonard Garden Seeds which insure a good yield.

If you want cabbage seeds or carrot better get your order in early.

**FRATER & KARR**  
Walkerton, Ind. Phone No. 72

## When Time Counts



If Your old watch can be put in satisfactory condition we are equal to the occasion, and if not you will not make a mistake by purchasing one of the watches mentioned above.

We are showing a complete line this spring and at the right prices.

**E. V. DERF**  
The Jeweler

## California Sweet Pea Seed FREE

To the first 100 women buying Perfume at our Perfume department Friday and Saturday—we give FREE one package CALIFORNIA SWEET PEA SEED.

All you have to do is buy Perfume. Any quantity counts.

**C. M. CARTER, Ph. C.**  
PEOPLE'S DRUG STORE  
The Rexall Store

## PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Koontz, the Clothier, for good clothes and shoes.

Ten Fair of near North Liberty was in town Tuesday.

Otto Kollar of South Bend visited with friends here a few days this week.

Charles Wright of near Hanna was looking after his interests here last Thursday.

Earl Sheppard has returned from South Bend to take charge of his land near town.

Barney Goppert and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schultz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rearick were guests of the former's brother at Winamac a few days last week.

Lester Rosenfeld, representing the Indianapolis News, was in town Wednesday in the interests of his paper.

The Philathane class will be entertained by Mrs. S. C. Ewing and Mrs. J. H. Faulkner at the home of Mrs. Ewing April 15.

Herbert Hoover has finally unlimbered long enough to announce that he would under certain circumstances accept the republican nomination for president.

Rev. William Valentine, late pastor of the United Brethren church, went to Kokomo last week where he will make his home.

The prettiest and most complete line of millinery ever shown in Walkerton, Stillson's, 1st stairway north of P. O. m25-fw.

Don't let your battery run dry. We fill, test and inspect all batteries free of charge—drive up the Quality Vulc. and Battery Co., 1 door north of the Independent. 2t-a8w.

Lew Arnold of South Bend was in town Tuesday. He recently recovered from a siege of smallpox, having been released from quarantine about two weeks ago.

Noch C. Lehman, of South Bend, former county recorder, was in town Monday in the interests of his candidacy for the republican nomination for commissioner from the Middle district.

William Nixon, John and Michael Dailey of near Benton Harbor, Mich., were in town Sunday looking for men to work on fruit farms. They report good fruit prospects this season. 2t-a8w.

George Dolph of Teegarden was a business caller in Walkerton Thursday. He says this wasn't much of a season for maple sugar in that vicinity, but what was made brought sky high prices.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet April 7 at the home of Mrs. A. O. Yerrick to hold an election of officers. All members are requested to be present. Mrs. Trost, president.

M. M. Foster, W. F. LaFeber and A. L. Rogers were initiated into the mysteries of Elksdom at the Elks' temple in South Bend Monday evening. There are now about ten members of the South Bend lodge from this place.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give an Easter pastry sale on April 3, at W. H. Smith's office. Cakes, pies, rolls and home baked goods of all kinds, salads, chicken, noodles, etc., good things for your Easter dinner. 3t-a2w.

District Superintendent Lake of Warsaw conducted services at the United Brethren church last Sunday morning and evening. A good attendance is reported at both services. Arrangements are being made to secure another pastor at an early date to take the place of Rev. William Valentine, resigned.

When somebody sends a hasty call over the phone to get out some stationery in five minutes just like they had five years ago, we know by instinct just exactly what they want and no further particulars are necessary. Printers, you know, have a sort of sixth or seventh sense about such things.

The old wheel factory at Knox has been bought by S. Bachman of Chicago who will remodel the building and occupy it with a factory for making paper cartons, which he will move from Chicago. Mr. Bachman comes to Knox without any bonus, leaving the city on account of the high cost of labor, rents, etc. The factory will start with a force of about 20 men, women, boys and girls, but a little later expect to employ 100 people. 2t-a8w.

FOR SALE—Why pay rent when you can buy a home on easy payments? One 4 room, one 6 room, and one 8 room house on west 9th street, two blocks west of school house. See T. W. Ward, for price and terms. 4t-a22w.

WANTED—Married men to work on fruit farms. Good houses furnished for families and plenty of work for women and children during the fruit season. Good wages and pleasant working conditions. Write to John Dailey, route 4, Benton Harbor, Mich. 2t-a8w.

FOR SALE—Early seed potatoes, Irish Cobblers and Early Ohio, \$3.00 per bushel. I. W. PLACE. 4t-a22w.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, full blooded Orpingtons, White Wyandottes and Silver Spangled Hamburgs. Mrs. Chas. Martin, on the Chas. Harness farm, Garden City, phone Hamlet exchange. 5t-a29w.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, \$5 for 100. Mrs. Chas. Ramsby. 3t-a1w.

FOR SALE OR RENT—160 acres located in Polk township, Marshall county. Inquire of Frank S. Nash. 3t-a1w.

Don't buy that Easter hat until you have looked over our line, Stillson's, 1st stairway north of P. O. m25-fw.

Millinery of unexcelled quality at moderate prices showing advance styles in Pattern Hats. Stillson's, 1st stairway north of P. O. m25-fw.

Henry Kaufman of near Hanna was a business caller in Walkerton Thursday. Since he moved to that locality he only gets to Walkerton about once a year.

We employ only the latest proven methods in the process of vulcanizing and tire repairing. All work strictly guaranteed. The Quality Vulc. and Battery Co., 1 door north of the Independent. 2t-a8w.

A ballot box and ballots have been placed in the postoffice for our people to vote on the county hospital proposition. An article on the first page of this paper will give you the details of the question.

There will be no services at the Presbyterian church Sunday on account of the cantata at the Methodist church. There will be services on the following Sunday, Rev. Wright officiating.

You will find one more place in town where you can sell all kinds of hides and get the top price. Let us know also about your chickens, junk, rags, rubber, metal, etc. Write or phone 65 or 5 to the yard and get extra price for it. You will be satisfied with our treatment. You'll say so. HARRY CHUDAKOFF, Phone 65.

William Pitt will sell at public auction at his residence, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Walkerton near the Jordan school house, Wednesday, April 14, commencing at 10 a. m., 2 horses, 2 milch cows, farming implements, household goods, etc. 12 months time at 6 percent interest. Ed Wolfe, Auctioneer, J. P. Taylor, Clerk.

John M. Olds of Plymouth, formerly foreman of the Independent office, will be a candidate at the May primary for the republican nomination for county recorder. He was a candidate two years ago for county assessor and was defeated by a very narrow margin. But that was just a nice little practice sprint which ought to put him in good running shape to win the race this time.

Now's the time to have your battery looked after. We assure you courtesy, expert workmanship and advice. The Quality Vulc. and Battery Co., 1 door north of the Independent. 2t-a8w.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet April 7 at the home of Mrs. A. O. Yerrick to hold an election of officers. All members are requested to be present. Mrs. Trost, president.

**THE list of possible battery insulating materials contains dozens of different woods, fibrous compounds, natural materials and patent preparations, but there is only one good enough suit the particular battery user. That is Threaded Rubber. You get it only in the Still Better Willard.**

**The Quality Vulcanizing and Battery Company**  
One door north of the Independent  
Phone 92

**WANTS, FOR SALE, Etc.**

FOR SALE—Strawberry and blackberry plants. Best varieties. 3t-a15w. A. D. SWANK.

WANTED—Married men to work on fruit farms. Good houses furnished for families and plenty of work for women and children during the fruit season. Good wages and pleasant working conditions. Write to John Dailey, route 4, Benton Harbor, Mich. 2t-a8w.

FOR SALE—Why pay rent when you can buy a home on easy payments? One 4 room, one 6 room, and one 8 room house on west 9th street, two blocks west of school house. See T. W. Ward, for price and terms. 4t-a22w.

WANTED—Representative for Walkerton and vicinity to sell health and accident insurance for old established company. Liberal contract to right party. For further information address E. W. Mannock, Div. Mer., 538 Farmers' Trust Bldg., South Bend, Ind. 4t-a15w.

FOR SALE—Early seed potatoes, Irish Cobblers and Early Ohio, \$3.00 per bushel. I. W. PLACE. 4t-a22w.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, full blooded Orpingtons, White Wyandottes and Silver Spangled Hamburgs. Mrs. Chas. Martin, on the Chas. Harness farm, Garden City, phone Hamlet exchange. 5t-a29w.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, \$5 for 100. Mrs. Chas. Ramsby. 3t-a1w.

FOR SALE OR RENT—160 acres located in Polk township, Marshall county. Inquire of Frank S. Nash. 3t-a1w.

## Do You Want to Save \$5.00 On Your Boy's Suit

We offer you the opportunity to save \$5.00 on your boy's suit and give you as many days' wear as the other one.

You may say that we are doing wonders. That's right, we feel that we are. This is another demonstration of our wonderful buying ability and low selling expenses.

**ALL WOOL KNICKERBOCKER SUITS**, Coats made in the very latest spring fashion, inverted pleats, well tailored, beautiful patterns, pants full lined and tapered, the biggest bargains going, in high class garments, while they last.

**\$12.50 and \$15.00**

**WONDERFUL VALUES IN BOYS' GUARANTEED SHOES**, "The Every Boy" thoroughly reliable, fully guaranteed by the makers, the largest shoe makers in the world: Endicott Johnson Corporation, in English, in button or Bluchers, Gun Metal Calf.

Size 9 to 13 1/2 \$3.00

Size 1 to 2 \$3.25

Size 2 1/2 to 6 \$3.50

**WE DEAL IN FACTS—MAKE US SHOW YOU—BEFORE YOU SPEND YOUR MONEY**

**GUS REISS & COMPANY**  
Clothers, Shoers, Hatters

B. F. HARDEN, Mgr.

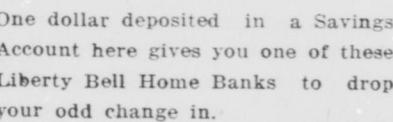
Walkerton, Ind.

## Save for Old Age

But three men in every hundred are self-supporting or "financially fixed" at 65 years, according to statistics.

Are you to be one of the three or one of the 97? Now is the time to decide. Answer by opening a Term Savings Account in this bank now. We pay 4% interest, compounded semi-annually, and your small beginning will soon grow to such proportions as will mean independence for you.

**FARMERS' STATE BANK**



One dollar deposited in a Savings Account here gives you one of these Liberty Bell Home Banks to drop your odd change in.

**E. J. McCARTY**  
Auctioneer

Donaldson Indiana

Phone Tyner Central

## FORMALDEHYDE

For Treating Seed Oats, Etc.

Wall Paper Cleaner  
Makes old dirty walls look new.

C. M. CARTER, Ph. Peoples Drug Store. The Rexall Store.

**THE ODD**  
25

If, out of every one hundred people in civilized lands, seventy-five were minus one hand, one foot, one eye or one ear, everyone would marvel.

Yet it is a fact that today seventy-five people in every hundred are defective in what is undoubtedly our most precious gift—the faculty of sight.

There are only twenty-five people in every hundred who have perfect sight. The remainder are—or should be—wearing glasses in order to correct the deficiencies of their vision.

If you are not absolutely positive that you have perfect vision call and let us make careful, scientific examination of your eyes.

Dr. Ethelred Curtis  
Optometrist and Chiropractor  
LA PORTE, IND.

## Footwear for Easter

Get the New in Ladies' Pumps & Oxfords

at GOHN'S

We have a fine selection of newest styles in Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords which we are offering at low prices for Pre-Easter Sale.

We invite you to call and inspect the line. No trouble at all to show you.



Celebrated Queen Quality Stock

**H. W. GOHN**

## The Indiana Title Abstract Company

**J. WILLIS COTTON, Mgr.**

Prepares modern abstracts to lands in Laporte, St. Joseph, Stark and Marshall counties.

Office over State Bank

Walkerton, Ind.

**1920**

Promises to be a year of great activity. If you are contemplating building we would advise you to get plans and estimates early.

We are at your service at all times.

**Walkerton Lumber Company**  
LUMBER, COAL and BUILDING HARDWARE

Walkerton,

Indiana

**J. WILLIS COTTON, Attorney at Law**  
WALKERTON, INDIANA  
Office Over State Bank. Home Phone No. 1  
FARMS and TOWN REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5, 6, 7 and 8 per cent Money to Loan  
According to amount, time and class of security