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BASKET BALL

HAS A GOOD BEGINNING

December 5th Ushered In the Season in Fine Shape

Fishers Beats Castleton

7th and 8th Grade Teams Won Over Federal Hill, 26 To 7

At last the ice on the Fishers high school basketball pond is broken. Friday night, Dec. 5th, saw three teams in a row. The evening started with the seventh and eighth grade playing Clay Center. Both teams played a good game and showed that they had handled a basket ball before. The final score was 22 to 15 in favor of Fishers.

In the second game the girls played the Castleton girls. This game was close and exciting from start to finish. The first half ended 8 to 6 in favor of Fishers. The score shifted during the second half and about one minute before the close the score stood 10 to 9 in favor of Castleton. At this time Castleton fouled Fishers and both free shots were scored, making the score 11 to 10.

The Fishers first team started off with a bang and played Castleton off their feet. The outcome was at no time in doubt after the first few minutes of the game.

Castleton took several shots at long range but seemed to be unable to locate the basket.

Since there was no second team game, each man on the second team was allowed to play a few minutes during the game. The final score was 34 to 16 in favor of Fishers. Castleton says the game will be closer down there.

The local band has been present for both home games and it surely does help to create a fighting spirit.

While speaking of support the school wishes to express its appreciation of the support given by the public in general.

Help us beat Drexley Dec. 12.
Help us beat Walnut Grove Dec. 19.

Fishers Seventh and Eighth Grades Won Over Federal Hill 26-7

The Federal Hill basketball team consisting of seventh and eighth grade pupils, played the seventh and eighth team of Fishers Friday afternoon after school in the Harold Gymnasium. The teams were evenly matched in weight, but the scoring machine of the home boys was much more active.

Mr. Kinnaman, teacher and coach of the seventh and eighth grades at Fishers, is taking great interest in his basket ball boys. His lads are all willing to learn and much improvement has taken place since the first of the year.

Admission was charged amounting to ten cents. A good crowd was present.

Lineup and summary:

Nance	.....	Milliga
Forward	.....
Flanders	.....	Roudebush
Forward	.....
Dodd	.....	Wade
Center	.....
Castetter	.....	Stern
Guard	.....
Kirkpatrick	.....	Zeis
Guard	.....

Substitutions—Askren for Nance, Hures for Flanders, Garre for Kirkpatrick, Garre for Zeis, Poland for Garre.

Field goals—Flanders, 5; Castetter, 4; Nance, 2; Dodd, Milliga, 2. Foul goals—Castetter, 2; Wade, 2; Milliga.

NEW BLACKSMITH LOCATED IN OLD SHAFER SHOP

Thomas H. Stern, who was formerly of 44th and Keystone Ave., Indianapolis, has located in Fishers. He is a blacksmith and is blacksmithing in the old Shafer shop on Main street.

He has followed this trade for the last twenty-one years and is well up to date in his work.

Mr. Stern is living in the property of Noah Manship which is located in the northeast part of town.

He is well acquainted with some of the people in this neighborhood and deserves a trial and patronage.

A LITTLE INCIDENT

The bell rang, all the students had taken their seats. Mrs. Schooley sat before the assembly. All of a sudden a moaning groan or cry came from the back of the room like someone was crying. Mrs. Schooley arose from her seat and said, "It sounds like a mourner's bench." The assembly roared and in came Mr. Quear, wondering what had happened.

NICKNAMES

Seniors.
Dorsey Dodd "Dink."
Eben Mantz "Peggie."
Kenneth Kirkpatrick "King."
Dorsey Messersmith "Doc."
Minnie Johnson "Ginger."
Edgar Frazier "Bill."
Russell Howe "Russ."
Mary Hamble "Floydie."
DeLores Tate "Dee."
Dossom Beaver "Charlie."
Wilma Brizename "Buzz."
Nina Nance "Doud."
Maude McGinity "Mousee."

Juniors.
Charles Ray "Pussy-Foot."
Roy Cain "Stormy."
Mabel Askren "Athletics."
Jack Olier "Jack."
Quenton Kirkpatrick "Little Kirk."
Robert Abney "Bob."
Addison Harrison "Add."

Sophomores.
Louis Clinton "Louise."
Alice Ringer "Aieck."
Dorothy Emery "Dot."
Mildred Whichel "Mirt."
Robert Johnson "Olio."
Mary Belle Frazier "Peg."
Bryon Clark "Popie."
Forest Garboden "Shod."
Joe Johnson "Probie."
Howard Flanders "Grandpa."

Freshmen.
Mary Whitacre "Marry."
Mary Harrison "Smiles."
Cleo Gibson "Hankie."
Anna Howe "Pud."
Keith Emery "Runt."
Della McGinity "Duke."
Foneta Ranold "Foneti."
Mabel Hamble "Maby."
Theodore Johnson "Little Olio."
Dallas Miller "Dal."
Carvon Cain "Skiet."
Arthur Whitacre "Snub."
Harold Whitset "Mike."

SOCIAL NEWS

Ex-Student Married.

Miss Sylvia Maxwell and Horace Maker, of Noblesville, were quietly married November 26, at the home of Rev. Borders at Fishers.

The bride was dressed in a beautiful cotton crepe dress with accessories. The only attendants were Miss Ethel Mantz and Lawrence Barnhill. The bride was formerly a Fishers high school student and her many friends wish them a long and happy prosperous married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Maker and Lawrence Barnhill were six o'clock dinner guests of Miss Ethel Mantz, Sunday evening.

Misses Marie and Gladys Reddick were guests of Miss Mary Edith Hamble, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Roberta Dodd spent the week end with Mrs. Charles Parker, of Indianapolis.

Mrs. Dora Gibson and daughter, Cleo, spent the week end with Mrs. Charles Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kidwell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Frazier and granddaughter, Mary Bell, spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. William Hamble and family.

Mrs. Chester McGhehey entertained the Eastern Star club Thursday afternoon at her home in Fishers.

Mrs. Jennie Mantz and daughters entertained at Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Williams of Cicero, Mrs. Selda Russell, Ralph Russell and Lawrence Barnhill, and Martha and Hildreth Williams. The dinner was given in honor of Martha's and Lawrence's birthday.

I IMAGINE

Howard Flanders will be a tall fellow when he is older.

Fonita is in love with Carvin Cain.

Our freshmen will be wiser next year.

Rob Johnson will be a musician.

Charles Ray will be a big game hunter.

Roy Cain will go into the dog business.

There will be a special course for shieks.

EASTERN STAR

HAS AN ELECTION

The Order of the Eastern Star met Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, and elected the following officers for the coming year:

Worthy Matron, Mrs. John Borders—Worthy Patron, Lucine Manship—Associated Matron.

Lizaboth Moore—Secretary. Ella Maxwell—Treasurer. Mae Day—Coadjutor. Margaret Chamberlain—Associated Cond.

After the election of officers the members were escorted to the dining hall where a steaming oyster stew was awaiting each one. The cooks of the evening were A. B. Buz and Rev. John Borders, assisted by Grover Madge and Tom Wilks. Many people called for the third bowl of soup. This should be a good recommendation for the cooks and evidence that they gave satisfaction.

The Eastern Star is one of the strangest orders in Fishers. They are closing a good year and looking forward to 1925.

The Masons also met last Saturday evening and elected the following officers:

O. P. Johnson—W. M. Grover Madge—S. W. Fred Johnson—J. W. John Toye—S. D. Vern McKinsray—Treasurer. Claude Moore—Trustee.

MY DIARY

Monday, Nov. 24—Today we find the first snow of the season falling. How welcome it seems to witness the falling of the small flakes. We were permitted to go to school today as usual. Monday was always very dull, but today we find it much different from all the rest. Very joyful and every one in the best of spirits, due to the weather, I suppose.

Tuesday, Nov. 25—Again Diary, we are accompanied by continuous snowing. The air is much colder, and the snow cracks and speaks under any object that might press over it. At school we find the building very uncomfortable and cold, due to the cold blizzard winds that raged in the night, but the best is made of it. The day passing away very quietly.

Wednesday, Nov. 26—Today we find the temperature changing very rapidly, thawing under foot, making every exposed surface very slushy, great sheets of snow slid from the roof of the school building today, causing quite a great deal of excitement. The throwing of snow balls was very common early in the day intermissions, but soon were stopped by those who had the authority to do so.

Thursday, Nov. 27—We must remember our forefathers today, those who were the builders and the ones who receive the credit for our country, as it now stands today. We consider this day a holiday (Thanksgiving day) of course. No school and no work. All are eager to have the best of time. The day is spent very happily and the most wonderful enjoyment is gained in helping devour the Thanksgiving dinner. The fowl for this occasion was most wonderful. Accompanied with many dainty and delicious things, too numerous to mention. This day is for enjoyment and pleasure, and to be sure, this we have received.

Friday, Nov. 28—Today we are permitted to stay from school. Since yesterday was Thanksgiving day, two days were allowed to remain from school. I feel as if I had had a long sick spell, after such a joyous day as yesterday. Too much to eat and foolishness combined, I suppose. I've stayed around close to the fire, looking for nothing to do.

Saturday, Nov. 29—I feel much better today, after fourteen hours of good sleep and a good warm breakfast. The weather is turning more disagreeable than ever and the fire is much more tempting than work. Fuel is plentiful, both wood and coal. So you can be sure that today has been spent away from the weather.

Sunday, Nov. 30—Today is Sunday. I over-slept this morning, being too late for Sunday school. The weather today has been in our favor. So I went to town and spent the day with the rest of the loafers.

By Ross Howe, Sen. F. H. S. '25.

FOR SALE—A second handed husband. Call DeLores Tate.

A NEW BOY

Mr. and Mrs. George Simmons, of Marion, are the proud parents of a new baby boy. Mrs. Simmons will be remembered as Miss Leona Wiles, former principal of Fishers school.

FACTS—There are 24 Mexican War Veterans living. Their ages range from 91 to 100 years.

LETTERS TO SANTA

Dear Santa:
I would like to have an erector outfit, a basket ball suit, a basket ball, a moving picture machine, a watch, a story book and a sled for Christmas.
Your dear friend,
Dorothy Merritt.

Dear Santa:
I want a story book, some candy, some oranges and a sled. I want a set of new games for Christmas. I want a sleepy doll.
Your friend,
Marcella Moore.

Dear Santa:
I want a doll and a baby blanket. I want a cedar chest and a baby bottle and a story book.
Your friend,
Aima Ford.

Dear Santa:
I want five books, and five bottles of ink, and five round pen holders, and a bag, and a sled so I can sled and a basket ball and a ball too for Christmas.
Your friend,
Cleo V. Madge.

Dear Santa:
I wish you would bring me a doll chest for Christmas. I saw you at Noblesville Saturday night and wisned real bady to snake hands with you but did not get to. I was not afraid but some children cried because they were frightened. I live in a white house trimmed with gray. I want you to remember all the other boys and girls.
Your friend,
Beulah P. Butz.

Dear Santa:
I want a sled, a story book and a game of old maid, a desk and a bible for Christmas. I hope you will bring me all of them. I saw you Saturday.
Your friend,
Esther Suiter.

Dear Santa:
I want a sled for I haven't any sled. I want a bysickie, a basket ball, a train with a trak. I want the train to run when I wind it. I want a pair of boots to hunt with.
Lloyd Cain.

Dear Santa:
How are you? I wanted to know to see if you were able to bring a lot of other children and I some toys.

I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas.
I want a foot ball with a good cover on it, a cowboy suit, some nuts, candy, oranges and apples for Christmas. Well I guess that is all.
Your friend,
Clifford Crossley.

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a pair of radio boots, a camera, a collar and chain to lead my dog. And a large rubber ball. And some story books, and I guess that is all.
Yours truly,
Mary Elizabeth Porter.

CLASS PARTY

The Golden Rule Sunday school class of Zion held their regular monthly meeting with Miss Alice Ringer, Wednesday evening, Nov. 26th. The election of officers was held and the following were chosen:

Mary Edith Hamble—President. George Kellam—Vice President. Alice Ringer—Secretary. Blanche Hamble—Treasurer.

After the business meeting was over, lunch was served and all enjoyed a good social time which included games and contests. Those present were Jessie, Raymond, Luther Wisheart, George Kellam, Elmer Perry, Donald Hamble, Floyd Guilkey, Ruth Breedlove, Marybelle Frazier, Blanche, Mary Edith and Mabel Hamble, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell and Children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boram and son entertained Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boram and son Glen, Mr. and Mrs. William Boram, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boram, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boram and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Roudebush and family.

SECOND NUMBER OF THE LYCEUM PROGRAM GIVEN

Program Presented By Harold Banta On Dec. 1st

High Type Entertainer

The Next Number Will Be Given Entirely By the School

On Monday night, Dec. 1st, Harold Banta gave the second number of the Lyceum course of the local school. Mr. Banta proved to be an entertainer of a high type.

His choice of selections was varied so that there was no such thing as monotony. At one time he was entertaining with his excellent baritone voice, at another he was using the crayon, again he was reciting a monologue or giving an impersonation. He never left the stage during the program. While he was preparing his make-up he was at the same time giving some joke. His impersonations of the Village square and of Abe Lincoln giving his Gettysburg address were exceptionally good.

The popularity of the course was shown by the good attendance.

The school is to give the next number and we are planning to make it one of the best. Watch for the date.

I WONDER

Why Mr. Kinnaman is going to add four seats to his room?

Why Dorothy Messersmith bobbed her hair again?

Why Maud was so excited the other noon?

If Mr. Long's physics class has become any brighter than it was the first day of school?

Why the freshman girls wear their coats so much in school?

If Charles Ray will soon be on the first team?

If Bob Aoney would like to sit in the back of the room?

Why Dads is so quiet in school?

If some of the F. H. S. girls are trying to represent some of the beauty parlors of New York?

If Mrs. Schooley ever paid any taxes?

If Maud ever saw a mouse tail?

Why Bob Johnson is always late to school?

If Mrs. Schooley knows where she keeps her money?

Why Mr. Quear is so sleepy just after noon?

Why Anna and Dela go down town every day at noon?

Why Keith is so popular with the girls?

What Arthur will do when he gets married?

Why Mrs. Schooley quit drinking milk?

Why Maud has to take a day of rest out of each week?

If Edgar will ever get a girl?

If some people ever stop to think before they speak?

Why we all have so many lullabies and hard luck stories?

If basket ball practice is all a habit?

If all team men train up to the standard?

If there is a limit to "rivals"?

If there's an age limit to the qualifications of shieks?

Why it isn't a costly crime to rob a cradle?

If interest grades can be found with a compound microscope?

If love is possible by radio?

If the heating system is angry at us?

If Charles Ray got canned or just quit by request?

If physic was invented or patented?

Why Dorsey Dodd receives so many cute little smiles?

Why we all find that there's no place like home?

JOKE

(Kind Lady) "My dear man, how's come you are confined to this prison?"

(Prisoner) "My love for books, Mam."

(Lady) "For instance what books poor man?"

(Prisoner) "Pocket-books."

FOR SALE—A copyright for a love story. Call Russ Howe.

CHURCH WORK IN GOOD SHAPE ABOUT FISHERS

Third Quarterly Conference To Be Held At Zion, Dec. 21st

Revival Starts Dec. 28th

Improvements Made In Church Property—Other Religious Notes

The third quarterly conference business session will be held at the Zion church Sunday, December 21. Plans are being made for an all day service on that day. Rev. Borders will preach in the morning and Dr. Arnold will be present in the afternoon and will preach and conduct communion. The business session will follow. All members and friends of the three churches in the circuit are expected to be present. A basket dinner will be served at noon.

Plans are being made for the annual revival at the Zion church, to start on the first Sunday after Christmas. A special singer will have charge of the music and the pastor will preach. Both pastor and people are hoping for a successful series of meetings.

The Zion church has been making needed improvements on the church property. A new stove has been purchased and a new flue constructed. Several members and friends of the church have made it possible to purchase new windows for the entire church. Each person donated the money to buy one window.

A meeting of the members and friends of the Fishers church met last week to consider much needed improvements of the Fishers church. They recommended the building of two Sunday school rooms at the back of the church and enlarging the choir loft, together with the installation of a new furnace, and new carpets and interior decorations. The trustees will hold a meeting this week to lay more definite plans.

The fine work being done by the woman's class of the Fishers church is shown by the fact that they have pledged eight hundred dollars on church improvements and have the larger part of their pledge in cash at the present time. This is a splendid record equalled by few organized classes.

The pastor went to Muncie this week to attend the Muncie District Settlement day and evangelistic conference. At this meeting reports were made from each church in the district upon the local and Missionary finances. He was able to give good reports from this charge, which has made a good record on both World Service and local pledges.

The annual Christmas party of the Woman's Class at Fishers was held at Mrs. Carrier's. Presents were exchanged, and it is rumored that Mrs. Santa Claus borrowed her husband's clothes and appeared to add to the general festivity. The class studied the Christmas lesson. Games, contests and refreshments completed the afternoon program.

A special Thanksgiving service was held at the Britton church on the Sunday before Thanksgiving. Each class in the Sunday school furnished some part of the program and the pastor gave a Thanksgiving message.

THINGS WORTH THINKING ABOUT

It is not true that we as students are in the wrong about nine out of ten times, but is it not also true that the teachers sometimes abuse their authority over students?

It is not right to deprive the student body as a whole of a privilege which only a few abuse? If not how can the situation be remedied?

Do you as a student realize the value of time spent in study? If so do you think you are doing justice to the time spent?

Are you showing respect to your fellow students and teachers?

Are you thinking about what you are going to do when you get out of school? If not is it not time you are thinking about it seriously?

Is it not the upper classmen's place to try to settle disputes between fellow students rather than to urge them on?

ORIGINAL POEMS
Grade 4. Helen Carrier.
Christmas is coming, Christmas is coming,
The bees have stopped humming,
The birds have flown away,
And I will be happy,
This bright Christmas Day.
Myself.

I wish I were a Japanese,
And wear my dresses over my knees;
Oh, no! I'd rather be a Pilgrim,
That sailed across the sea;
Oh, no! I ought to be thankful,
That I'm just me.

WANTED—Hogs to butcher. Omer Beaver.

HOME PLACE
Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Embry attended the church services at the Christian church at Noblesville, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Randall at Nora, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lawrence Allmond and daughters Wilma Jean and Naomi of Terre Haute, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Luther Wise and son Delmas. Sunday they all were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verley Lamb and daughter at Broad Ripple.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wesp and grandson, Master Wesp Thomas, were the dinner guests, Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wesp in Irvington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Michaels and children returned last week from Lafayette where they were the guests of Mrs. Michaels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Doyle for several days.

Mrs. Frank Moffitt and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Randall, of Gray, attended the evening services at the Cadle Tabernacle at Indianapolis, Sunday.

A community social was given Saturday evening at the Grove church by the Pleasant Aid society for the purpose of encouraging those who have recently moved into the neighborhood to attend the Sunday school. A splendid program was given which was supervised by Mrs. Bert Repass. The first song was sung by the audience which was followed by a prayer by Alvin Power; several readings were given by Miss Ester Harr. A group of songs by Mrs. David Combs; Mrs. Frank Randall followed with a group of readings. A play of three characters ended the program. Those taking part were: Mrs. Walter Johnson, who was a very industrious maid and Mrs. Alvin Power, who was the sympathizing minister who called on Mrs. Robert Harkness, the bereaved housewife who had just

lost her dog. Doughnuts and coffee were then served, after which a social time was enjoyed. All departing at a late hour declaring they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Amanda Wise will be glad to know that she was cured at this meeting of her illness which she had been suffering for many years.

Mrs. Mathew Brown attended church services at Indianapolis, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wise and daughter, of Indianapolis, visited their mother, Mrs. L. O. Wise and son Thomas, Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Deny was quite sick at her home last week.

Mrs. Harriet Fearin is improving at this time.

Mrs. Ester Cutrell remains about the same.

Raymond Embry was an Indianapolis visitor, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pyle and children, of Carmel, called on Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cravens and Mrs. Ester Cutrell, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Marshall and Mrs. Jennie Edwards were Indianapolis shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Hoyt was shopping in Indianapolis, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Charley Ellis called on Mrs. Charles Embry, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Johnson called on Mrs. Andrew Eberwein, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Repass called on Mrs. E. H. Thomas, Wednesday afternoon.

The Pleasant Grove Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. E. P. Howard, Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Wise and son Delmas left Tuesday morning for Miami, Florida, where they will join Mr. Wise, who has been there for several weeks. George

Beard, of Westfield, accompanied them in their Overland sedan. Mr. and Mrs. Wise intends to stay until the first of June. Mrs. Wise will not only be missed in this neighborhood but also in the White Chapel community where she was a good worker in the church for many years before coming here. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harkness will move into the Wise property.

Mrs. Frank Harvey Sr., was a Carmel visitor Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Embry and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hussey attended the funeral services for Mr. Jackson at Union Chapel, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Moffitt called on Mrs. H. H. Wesp, Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert Hoyt and family were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Michaels and children spent the week end with Mrs. Grace Michaels at Indianapolis.

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FARMING LAND IS COMING BACK TO ITS OWN IN COUNTY

Several Good Trades Reported During the Past Week

ANDERSON PLACE BROUGHT \$140 ACRE

Unusual Amount of New Litigations Started In Court

There was more than the usual amount of activity in farm land in Hamilton county during the past week according to the books in the office of Recorder Fox. Of the twenty-nine trades reported since last Wednesday a number of them were farms, most of which sold for good prices, showing that farm land, in a way, is coming back to its own.

The largest trade closed during the week was one hundred acres in White River township which George Stera bought of Claude Anderson, the consideration being \$14,000 or \$140 an acre. A tract of land in Wayne township valued at \$10,000 was taken by Anderson in this exchange. The forty-six acres of William F. Dwiggins, west of the city, which is practically without improvements, was sold to Prof. J. C. Trent for \$4,500. This land is known better to the residents of this community as the William Deeds farm.

The transfers for the week, which are as follows, also include the sale of considerable city and town property:

Charles Smith to Glen Smith, lot in Westfield, \$2,850.

Glen Smith to Charles Smith, lot in Westfield, \$1.

Blanche M. Stern to Claud Anderson, land in Wayne township, \$10,000.

Claud Anderson to George Stern, 100 acres in White River township, \$14,000.

Citizens Co-operative Realty Co., to Charles H. True, land in College Park, \$5.

Lloyd W. Fuller to Henry O. Johnson, lot in Cicero, \$1,400.

Sara D. Slater to Sara Bailard, 13 acres in Washington township, \$1,200.

Samuel A. Hodgins to Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville Railway Co., land in Clay township, \$100.

Aronzo Carpenter to William O. Todd, land \$1.00.

Noie Carpenter to William O. Todd, land \$3,835.

Jeahu Reagan et al to Charles W. Cunningham, lot in Sheridan, \$1.00.

Flora P. Vickery to Charles W. Cunningham, lot in Sheridan, \$1,164.

A. Joseph Baker to Robert A. Dickinson, lot in Sheridan, \$3,600.

Luther E. Underwood to Lloyd W. Fuller, 40 acres in Jackson township, \$1.

Eam M. Leary to Elmer O. Whitmore, 40 acres in Fall Creek township, \$1.

Henry O. Johnson to Lloyd W. Fuller, lot in Cicero, \$1.

Lloyd W. Fuller to Henry O. Johnson, 40 acres in Jackson township, \$1.

Oscar G. Miller to Lida E. Wilson, 13 acres in Fall Creek township, \$125.

Dessie M. Heather to William A. Wicker, 47 acres in Clay township, \$1.

Riverwood Co. to William Wallace Bowman, lot in Riverwood, \$650.

John D. Devaney to Roscoe W. Comstock, \$600.

Josephine Small to Roscoe W. Comstock, 20 acres in Noblesville township, \$2,000.

Millie P. Beals to David W. Norman, land in Washington township, \$1.

William F. Dwiggins to John C. Trent, 46 acres in Noblesville township, \$4,500.

Thomas B. Lynch to Mariza Hubbardt, lot in Sheridan, \$1.

Mariza Hubbardt to Thomas B. Lynch, lot in Sheridan, \$1.

Lina Eudaly to James E. Kercheval, lot in Sheridan, \$4,600.

Robert H. Kinney, trustee to Lina Eudaly, lot in Sheridan, \$2,000.

Quincy Miller to Stella Miller,

lot in Sheridan, \$1,500.

New Cases Filed
P. O. Duncan vs Jesse and George Goodnight, complaint on note.

Guy M. Booth vs Ora O. Kinder, complaint on note.

The Lennox Furnace Co. vs Levi M. Burton et al, complaint on note.

Arbuckle Brothers vs Fred O. Burton, complaint for damages.

Miller & Hart vs Fred O. Burton, complaint for damages.

John A. Anderson vs Flora P. Vickery et al, complaint on note.

W. R. Kercheval vs Glenn McMath, complaint on account.

Earl Pulliam vs Mont Dessie Cobb et al, complaint on note.

James M. Kimble vs Mary E. Kimble, complaint for divorce.

Hattie Thompson vs R. S. Truitt, complaint for damages.

Casey National Bank, of Casey, Ill., vs Star City Coal Co., complaint on note; change of venue from Marion County.

Columbia Investment Co. vs Harry W. Sunderland, complaint.

Circuit Court

Judge Neal was at Indianapolis Wednesday on business connected with the claim of Mrs. Harry Layton against the Travelers Insurance Company and Roy Castor growing out of the death of Layton, who was killed by a fall several months ago while he was remodeling the Castor Block in this city. The judge represents Mrs. Layton in her claim and a member of the State Industrial Commission will be here next Monday for the purpose of hearing the evidence in the case. Castor is protected by insurance, it is said.

The case of the State against Frank Weisenberger was docketed in court Wednesday, having been sent here on a change of venue from Marion county. The State is represented by Attorney General U. S. Lesh and damages in the sum of \$3,500 are demanded. The defendant is said to be the head of the Acme Mattress Company. It is charged in the complaint that the defendant was employed to clean a large number of mattresses for the Clermont school for girls but did not do the work in a satisfactory manner and that he replaced some of the contents of the mattresses and also the ticking with material which is said not to have been as good as the original stock. Fraud is one of the charges in the complaint.

The case of Charles Wesley Fisher against the Maxwell Gravel company, in which the plaintiff is claiming damages on account of a truck accident, was called for trial before a jury in the circuit court Wednesday morning. The accident occurred between Carmel and Broad Kippie. Fisher resides in Tipton county and was taking a load of hogs to Indianapolis. His truck hit a truck belonging to the defendant company. He charges the defendant did not have lights on its car and being a foggy morning the two machines, it is said, were within twenty feet of each other before Fisher says he saw the other truck. His machine hit the rear wheel of the gravel truck and the car and hogs went over an embankment. The following jurors have been selected to try the case: J. L. Perry, Noel Carpenter, Ed Kinnaman, O. V. Kelly, Oral Moore, Clyde Pettijohn, George Hinshaw, Ad Kepner, Ora Beauchamp, Clarence Seymour, Glenn Newby and W. P. Stevenson. Shirts & Fertig and Samuel Ruick, the latter of Indianapolis, are appearing for the company, while Howard Young, also of the capital city, is representing the plaintiff.

ROOM 1 NOTES

The most interesting subject in room one now is talk about Christmas. Many and varied are the tales of past Christmases. This spirit has found expression in many ways. A study of the Christmas story is being made. In drawing class many Christmas articles have been designed. In language class letters have been written to Santa Claus. We hope he will not overlook the following letters:

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a candy. I want a red chair. Please, Santa, bring me a Mamra doll. Santa will you bring me a candy cat?
Sophronia Elmore.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a banjo. I want a dog house for my dog. I want a cap gun. I want some candy. I want some sled.
Marion Wallace.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a sled and a drum and a sack of candy and oranges and a horn.
I want my father and mother to get something too.
To Santa from,
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NURSERY RHYMES AND SONGS

I had a little dog and his name was snap,
The dirty little rat, he bit my Pap.

When I was a little boy I was a bold one,
Mother made me a new shirt out of father's old one.

When I was a little boy about as high as the table,
I love to run and skip and play, but when work came I was not able.

As I stepped up on the platform my heart went Pity Pat,
Some one said, "Who's little brat is that?"

My name is Tommy Tucker, I'm from New Orleans,
I'm going to join the navy and live on navy beans.

Come down this way with your weavely wheat,
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Come down this way with your weavely wheat,
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I have been awful good Santy and I want you to bring me every thing I wants. I wants a doll, Santa, one that says mamma and papa and I wants it to walk so I wont haf to carry it.

The dolly must have a bed so bring one for her.

Dee said for me to ask you to bring her a doll like mine was going to be.

Dolly wants some dishes to eat out of and a house and furniture.

I wants a top, crayons, lots of candy, a broom and stove and a dancing negro so I can learn to dance. And Oh Santa, I like to play ball with Dee so bring me a great big ball, one that I can catch.

I wants a red automobile to take dolly a ride in too.

Its awful cold here Santa and I know its going to snow and I wants a sled, one with a wind-shield on it like Daddy's Ford and, Oh Santa, Daddy said the other day that he wanted a new crank for his Ford. Please bring it for him.

Well, Santa, dis is all I can tink of now. I will tell you some more when you tum, so bring some extrary toys.

My stockings will be in my shoes and you can hang them up for me. Now Santy bring me all dese and I will give you a great big kiss when you come, cause I am going to stay awake.

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ATHLETIC HEADS BANQUET AT THE HIGH SCHOOL GYM

(Noblesville Ledger.)

A banquet arranged to promote good fellowship among those who have charge of the athletics in the schools of Hamilton county was given in the high school gymnasium Wednesday night by Prof. Stockinger, superintendent of the local schools; Prof. Griffey, principal of the high school, and the local High School Athletic Association. The spread was served in the dining room of the gymnasium and prepared in splendid style by Miss Rebecca Inman, in charge of the Domestic Science class, and her assistants. A vote of thanks was extended to Miss Inman for the fine three-course supper. There were forty guests present, most of them being high school principals, coaches and some of the basketball and football players. Prof. Walter Harger, superintendent of the schools of the county, was a special guest.

Prof. Stockinger was toastmaster and Prof. Russell Tomlinson spoke for the Westfield school; Prof. Kerr for Walnut Grove; Prof. Carter for Sheridan; Prof. Botts for Arcadia; Prof. Chester Quar for Fishers; Prof. Saker for Atlanta; Prof. Baylor for Boxleytown; Prof. Frank Hiatt for Cicero; Prof. Griffey for Noblesville and Prof. Harger for the county. All of them stressed clean sportsmanship and said that as a rule they believed that athletics helped the boys in their studies. They adhered to the belief that keen interest in basketball and football made a student keener in his studies.

However, Prof. Griffey urged caution in this matter. He thought there was just a possibility of allowing athletics to become first in high school studies. He does not believe this should be the case and expressed the hope that none of the teachers in Hamilton county would allow such a condition to be brought about. He did not say such a condition existed at the present time but he thought the tendency might be in that direction. He frankly stated that some of the best athletes in the local schools were not the best students and he often wondered if their attention to athletics in any way interfered with their regular course of study. He said he had no criticism to offer and that his remarks along this line were more in the nature of caution than anything else.

In the absence of A. L. Trester, secretary of the Indiana High School Athletic Association, the principal address of the evening was made by Rev. Roy Jordan, of Southport, a director in the state high school association.

CELEBRATED 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Harper, living on their farm southeast of Noblesville, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, December 6th, at their home, where they have lived for 39 years. Mr. and Mrs. Harper were married at Ft. Benjamin Harrison in 1874 and came to their present home in 1905 where they have resided ever since. They are the parents of four children, three of whom are still living, Fred Harper, living on one of their farms, Mrs. Mary Irwin, living southeast of Noblesville, and Mrs. Lily Guinkey also residing southeast of this city. There is only one grandchild, Miss Flossie Guinkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Guinkey. Mrs. Harper before her marriage was Miss Maggie McCormick. The Ladies Aid of Zion Chapel, of which Mrs. Harper is an active member, came in a body to assist them in this important celebration. Both Mr. and Mrs. Harper are enjoying fairly good health and are remarkably well preserved for their years, of 72 and 68 respectively. Neither bride nor groom has gray hair, which is rather unusual. The decorations for this occasion were old gold symbolic of the golden anniversary. The affair was most delightfully informal and the pitch-in-dinner partaken of by the 73 guests present was most elegant and the wedding cake was cut by the granddaughter, Miss Flossie. The bride and groom received their guests, the bride wearing several articles that she wore at her wedding 50 years ago, including a shawl and a cluster of artificial flowers. She also remarked that her wedding gown 50 years ago contained 19 yards while the one worn Saturday was fashioned out of four and one-half

yards. There were a number of pretty gifts from friends and relatives and these were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Harper by Rev. J. W. Borders.

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FOR SALE—A false mustache. See Robert Abney.

FOR SALE—A preparation for making money slick. Call Edgar Frazier.

FOR SALE—A preparation for cleaning hands after reading love notes. See A. J. Whitacre.

FOR SALE—I will offer for sale in the northeast corner of the assembly, the first seat in the second row. My seat which I have recently vacated by request. Miss Blossom Beaver.

FOR SALE—A sow and ten pigs. Arthur Whitacre, Fishers, Indiana.

FOR SALE—A fish dog. Sin Harrison.

John Wiseman and son, Dallas, spent Monday evening in the Will Hamble home.

WANTED—The basketball rules changed so when he falls down it counts one point to his credit. Chas. Ray.

WANTED—The sympathy and love smiles of the fair sex in high school. See the Three Horse-Man.

WANTED—A fat reducer. Call Miss Minnie Johnson.

WANTED—An excuse that will always hold for being absent. Call on Miss Maude McGinity.

WANTED—A private detective. Theodore Johnson.

WANTED—A handy man. Cleo Gibson.

WANTED—A second handed camera. Chas. Long.

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WANTED—Hogs to butcher. Homer Beaver.

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One of the most pleasant features of the Friday evening program was the banquet provided by Mr. Griney. After the games were over the boys and girls composing the squads were invited to the "Ask" for a feed. They found plenty of soup, fried oysters, celery, pickles and coffee awaiting them. These seemed to have been prepared by Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mansp. The Misses Bernice Clark, Dorothy Moore and Irene Butz served as waiters.

Following the banquet short talks were given by Mr. Quar, Rev. Borders, Mr. Long, Mrs. Long, Mr. Griffey and Mr. Mansp. They were principally along basketball lines.

The program ended with several songs and "yells" given by the boys and girls. Everybody had a good time. Thanks to the generosity of Mr. Griney.

SCHOOL NOTES

The semester examination questions sent out by the state will be given to the students Dec. 18th and 19th. Many students are now reviewing for these examinations and hope to make a good showing.

The students of the High School will draw names Friday evening for the annual Xmas swap party. No present is to cost over 25c nor less than 10c. Edgar Frazier is now worrying for fear he will not draw the right name.

The Xmas vacation will start Dec. 19th and end Dec. 29th. We are expecting several good hunting stories after the vacation.

WILLING WORKER'S CLASS SOCIAL

The Willing Workers class of Zion met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pheas, Tuesday evening, Dec. 2nd. The election of officers resulted:

Fred Harper—President.
William Hamble—Vice President
Mrs. Jessie Ringer—Secretary.
Walter Ringer—Treasurer.

After the business meeting, all enjoyed an oyster supper. Apples and pop corn were also served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Leonard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamble children, Mabel and Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boram, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kellam and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harper and son Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kellam, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Graham and son Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ringer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boram and son Gen, and Mrs. Vina Ohler.

NOTICE

The Tub Society will take their annual bath at three o'clock the day before yesterday, next Thursday afternoon. All members be sure and attend.

Estell Long, Mildred Madge, Irene Butz and Harriet Harrison spent Thursday night with Pauline Borders. After they had eaten their supper they toasted marshmallows and popped corn. They also played many games. All had a good time.

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