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CIVIC AND FRATERNAL.

- MARMONT LODGE, K. P. MEETS EVERY Tuesday evening. O. A. REA, C. C.
- F. C. BAKER, K. of G. and S.
- UNION CAMP, M. W. A. MEETS FIRST and Third Friday. LLOYD OSBORN, Sec'y.
- HENRY H. CULVER LODGE, O. F. AND A. M. Meets second and fourth Saturdays. N. S. SORING, Sec'y. F. A. JOHNSON, W. M.
- HENRY SPYER POST No. 6, G. A. R. MEETS First and Third Saturday afternoons. M. DEMING, Adm. SAM'L OSBORN, Com.
- WOMAN'S RELIEF SOCIETY. MEETS THE First and Third Saturday afternoons. Mrs. O. A. REA, Pres. Mrs. S. E. MERRISON, Sec'y.
- LOYAL AMERICANS OF THE REPUBLIC. Meets every second Monday evening. C. L. & M. SORING, President. Mrs. R. S. SPENCER, Secretary.
- CULVER FIRE DEPARTMENT. MEETS EVERY Second Thursday evening. M. H. POSE, Sec'y. O. A. GARDY, Chief.
- CULVER TOWN BOARD. MEETS SECOND and Fourth Monday evenings. LLOYD OSBORN, Clerk. A. A. KEEN, Pres.
- BOARD OF EDUCATION. NO REGULAR meeting dates. O. A. REA, Pres. E. E. PARKER, Sec'y.

Tariff Commission Bill.

Every one knows from sad past experiences the process of pull and haul by which tariff bills are constructed. It is not the merit of the claims of an industry, but the political power which men interested in that industry can exert which is most apt to govern the fixing of duties. "You vote for me and I vote for you" is the principle by which one rate is bartered for another. And this is one of the lowest forms of legislative manipulation.

If congress had an unimpeachable authority to provide it with facts concerning industrial conditions and tariff needs, and if the reports of this authority were available to the public generally, so that every citizen could have a good test as to whether the congressman were doing their duty or descending to log-rolling, then it would be much more probable that we would get a tariff law that would be inherently fair and constitutionally proof against criticism. It is with this object that Senator Beveridge has introduced a bill for the creation of an expert commission to investigate facts and to certify facts to congress.

The proposed commission would consist of five members—one identified with the producing interests, another a lawyer who has specialized in customs and tariff laws, a third with experience in the administration of tariff laws, a fourth familiar with the competitive conditions in foreign countries, and a fifth who is an economist and statistician with special knowledge of prices and costs of production. With seven-year terms, good salaries and divorcement from congress so far as membership goes, and with ample powers for investigation, such a commission would be well equipped to get the facts, tabulate them and "submit them to congress, together with an explanatory report." A further proposed work of the commission is to study the subject of classification at home and abroad and make special reports upon it.

We can heartily indorse this bill in principle. It is better than any previous attempt at investigation by commission because of the pains taken to get expert investigators who shall center their attention on facts, first, last and all the time. We hope it will become law.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Fire Victim Recovering.

Miss Marguerite Fox of Montevideo, who was so severely burned in the lamp explosion which cost Miss Hammes her life, is slowly recovering in a Logansport hospital. The sight of both eyes will be saved with difficulty.

Card of Thanks.

To the neighbors and friends who have so kindly assisted me during the sickness of my children I desire to extend my heartfelt thanks. Mrs. ROSINA SMITH.

Attention, Farmers.

Special inducements on wire fence if bought before March 1st at the Culver Cash Hardware

The Indiana Enactments Governing the Killing of Fish and Game are Unsatisfactory

OVER ELEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS PAID IN THIS COUNTY

Are the People Getting the Benefit of this Large Sum?

The many cases which have arisen in this county during the past few months from violations of the fish and game laws, have excited much talk and comment among the farmers especially, and also the lawyers, says the Plymouth Tribune, relative to the justness and constitutionality of the fish and game laws of this state.

During the past year there was \$558.55 collected from violators. This, added to \$628, obtained by the issuing of hunting licenses, makes a total of \$1186.55 that was obtained from Marshall county people in the past year.

The large sums of money paid in to the state from the issuing of licenses and from convicted violators will not much more than pay the fish commissioner and game warden and his many deputies whose duty it is, not so much to protect the fish and game as to arrest and convict violators and extort heavy fines.

It is not much wonder that farmers resent being arrested for killing quail and other game that has been raised and fed off their own bounty.

In speaking of spearing and netting fish, which are now both illegal, a farmer who has lived on the edge of a lake all his life, and who has spent much of his time fishing thereon, says that spearing and netting of fish are not nearly so destructive as fishing with hook and line. "Nine fish out of every ten," said he, "that bite on a baited hook, are female fish that are bedding. Upon opening these fish, often they are found to be filled with eggs, every three of which would represent two hatched fish. Furthermore a fisherman will drop a hook and line into a bed of sun fish or perch and will take twenty or more of these small fish, if he has luck enough, before he has caught a mess. With a spear, two or three larger, say five-pound fish, will be caught. These fish so speared or caught in a net are far more often male than female. One large snapping turtle, one dog fish, or one gar fish, will kill more small fish in one day than can be represented that one spear would kill large fish in a month. If the small fish are killed off, there will be no large fish. A few years ago," said this man, "when spearing was allowed, any large turtle, gar, or dog fish that showed beneath the light, was speared and killed. In this way the lake was kept pretty well cleared of these fish destroyers; in those days there were forty times the number of fish in the lakes that there are now." Thus, if instead of paying a fish commissioner a big salary for arresting violators, this money would be paid as a bounty on turtles, gar and dog fish, the other fish would have by far more protection than they are now receiving. It is well known that the lakes of this state are becoming gradually devoid of fish.

The same principle will hold in reference to game. One weasel will kill a whole covey of quail in one night. One crow will destroy several nests of quail eggs in the same amount of time.

Remove the deputy fish commissioners and game wardens, revise the fish and game laws, give a local farmer a salary for watching over the fish and game in this neighborhood, and put a bounty on vermin and natural enemies that are more destructive to the fish and game of the land than either gun or spear.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble. Take something once in a while, especially after meals; something like Kodol for dyspepsia and indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by T. E. Slatery.

Noted Oregon Statesman Restored to Health on Recent Eastern Trip.

Hon. Shiller B. Herman, distinguished statesman and legislator of Portland, Oregon, who was recently on an eastern trip, is among those strongly in favor of L. T. Cooper, in the discussion over Cooper and his medicines, which has raged for the past year in cities visited by the young man on his educative campaigns, he calls them. Cooper was explaining his new theories and medicines to Boston people during the Oregonian's visit to that city, and in a recent interview Mr. Herman said: "My trip east accomplished more for me than I ever believed possible. It has actually been the means of restoring my health. While in Boston I heard a great deal about this man Cooper and his medicines, and one morning I talked with a Boston banker who told me that he had been relieved by Cooper's medicines after ten years' chronic dyspepsia. For the past twenty years I have been a fearful sufferer with nervous dyspepsia. It has been so bad that it all but forced me to resign from the legislature."

"I was feeling wretchedly that morning, and I made up my mind to try the medicines. I had seen leading physicians without number both East and West. They had been unable to help me in the least, and I no more believed this Cooper medicine could help me than it could bring a dead man back to life. I really don't know why I bought it. It was like a drowning man clutching at a straw."

"To make a long story short, it has been astonishingly successful in my case. Today I am enjoying a sound stomach and perfect health for the first time in twenty years. I can eat lightly without the slightest inconvenience afterward. I have a fine appetite, and sleep well. I am no longer moody and depressed, and my nervousness has entirely disappeared."

"Any man who has chronic dyspepsia owes it to his family to try this medicine." In all our experience as druggists, we have never seen anything to surpass the famous Cooper preparations. —Culver City Drug Store.



FRIEND TO FRIEND.

The personal recommendations of people who have been cured of coughs and colds by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have done more than all else to make it a staple article of trade and commerce over a large part of the civilized world.

AN INSTANCE.

Lucy Suddreth, of Lenoir, N. C., had been troubled with a very bad cough for over a year. She says: "A friend bought a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY, brought it to me and insisted that I should take it. I did so and to my surprise it helped me. Four bottles of it cured me of my cough."

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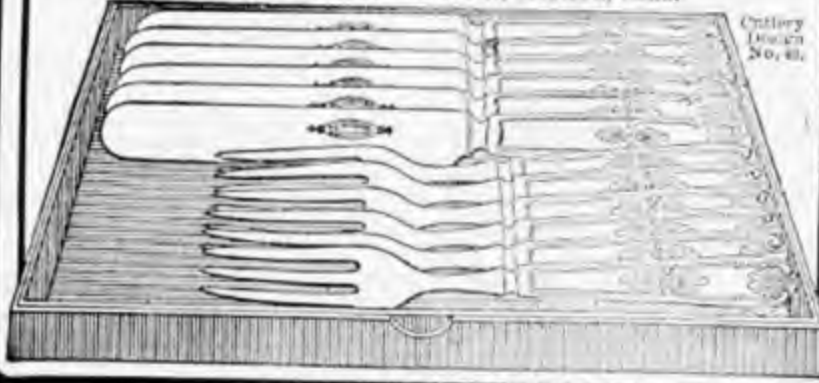
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DR. O. A. REA Physician and Surgeon. Office—West Side Main Street, first door north of new bank building. Phone: Office, 1; Residence, 37-1.

DR. NORMAN S. NORRIS DENTIST. Office—East Side Main Street, two doors north of Postoffice—Second Floor. Telephone No. 29 1.

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