

WAR ON MOTH IS STARTED BY DAVIS

Government Man Makes Tour of Part of the Country and Collects Samples of Insects For Further Analysis.

John J. Davis of the department of agriculture and John S. Borden, county agent, began their county wide search and investigation Thursday of the insect moth which has destroyed hundreds of acres of alfalfa and other crops over St. Joseph county.

The insect is not unknown to this vicinity and it is only the extreme peculiar climatic conditions which have caused it to be so troublesome this season, if the first opinion of Mr. Davis is correct.

A large number of the tiny offenders were bottled up, and taken back to Lafayette, the headquarters of the department man. Davis was compelled to leave the city, but will return in about 10 days to complete the investigation. He expects to analyze the insects which he took with him and will be able, he thinks, to give the farmers some valuable information when he returns.

It was learned in the tour over the northeastern part of the county, made by the two agriculture men that the insect was not only damaging alfalfa but every produce on the farm except potatoes and tomatoes. Alfalfa was damaged the most but all were afflicted to some extent.

The hot dry season which has aided hatching conditions, and the moderate winter are two of the chief reasons according to Borden for the insects being so numerous. He said that the farmers need not worry about the pest doing damage another year as climatic conditions may not be the same again in a number of years.

EAST SIDERS PLAN FOR A FALL BANQUET

Members of Association to Take Steps to Have the Fire Limits Extended.

At a meeting of the East Side Industrial association, plans were laid for a banquet to be held at the Elks temple this fall. An effort is being made by the association to amend the present plumbing ordinance. It is claimed that since the ordinance was made a number of changes have been made in local affairs that makes it practically worthless.

The committee appointed to investigate the street railway contracts giving them a right to cross the E. LaSalle and East LaSalle race bridges, will report at the next meeting.

A discussion regarding the bill postponing ordinance, which they believe is not being enforced was taken up, and an effort is being made to investigate.

The proposition will be put into the hands of a committee. The association will take steps toward having the fire limits extended to take in all the territory east of the east race, and south of Madison st., and west of N. Hill st., and north of E. Jefferson. They claim that a committee was appointed to take the matter up before the council, several months ago and that thus far no action has been taken.

A committee made up of Walter Snyder, John Krystall and Frank Horika were appointed to wait on the city officials regarding the matter. W. J. Burke, Dr. A. E. Glister and Peter B. Miller were enlisted to take the matter of having the E. Colfax race bridge made the full width of the street, before the council.

Fred Cooper of the association and Secy. Hewitt were put on a special committee to make a campaign for new members.

ANOTHER ADDITION TO BIG PRIZE LIST

Jewelry, Cut Glass and Other Gifts For the Best Apples on Display.

Another addition to the big prize list for the farm exposition was announced Thursday by the Conley Drug company. One hundred dollars in jewelry, cut glass and silverware will be given for best apple displays. The complete list is as follows:

Best General Display. First prize—\$25.00. Second prize—1 dozen sterling silver teaspoons, value, \$15.00. Third prize—Chest of silver plated table ware in leatherette case, value, \$14.00.

Baldwin prize—Ladies' or men's watch, 20 year gold filled case, 7 jewel, value, \$12.00.

Northern Spy prize—Cut glass water set, consisting of pitcher, 6 glasses and plateau, value, \$10.00.

Wine Sap prize—Cut glass berry set, 8 inch berry bowl, 6 saucers in case, value, \$10.00.

Snow Apple—Carving set, stag handle sterling silver ferrules, value, \$6.00.

Rambo—Parisian ivory toilet set, comb, brush and mirror, value, \$6.00.

Maiden Blush—Pearl handled berry spoon, triple silver plate, \$4.00.

Golden Russett—Spraying material as wanted, value, \$4.00.

AUDITORIUM GRAYCE SCOTT PLAYERS TOMORROW NIGHT

SCENE IN THE "WOMAN'S WAY" WHICH OPENS AT AUDITORIUM SATURDAY



AT THE THEATERS

AT THE ORPHEUM

Featuring the bill the latter part of the week at the Orpheum is Edwin Keough and company in a sketch entitled "A Vaudeville Surprise". Rapid changes of character are delicately portrayed by Keough, he going from the sublime to the ridiculous in the twinkling of an eye. Rapid change of costume are likewise indulged in. To complete the rapidity of movement an entire scene is shifted in almost less time than it takes to tell.

The Tivoli Trio pleased mightily with a medley of songs being heartily "scored". A "wee bit of Scotch" made a delightful hit with the audience.

Swain's cockatoos do some fancy tricks on bars and rings while one bird tells time to the minute. Belmont's Manikins proved to be the best act of its kind seen in South Bend. Belmont does not stop with one character but works a half score at a time, a specialty being a manikin character act.

"LITTLE DORRIT." That Charles Dickens, the creator of "Little Dorrit" would be pleased with this picture there can be no doubt.

Mild Pesley, in the role of Little Dorrit, is just as fresh and dainty and quite as old-fashioned, clothed with a simple grace, as if she had just stepped from a thumb-worm volume of the master character painter.

James Cruze, as old man Dorrit, has to the casual observer's knowledge not made one misstep, while William Russell is all that could be desired as Arthur Clennam.

The production is of such merit that it could safely be used for educational purposes, as well as for entertainment in the theater.

At the Surprise theater today.

WESTERN PICTURES. The American theater program for Friday includes a stirring western picture, "Sally's Sure Shot," a story of devotion and dynamite; a Lubin drama, "Over the Crib," with an appealing heart interest and other pictures. The "Frisco Newsboys" Quartet, which is playing a four days' engagement is taking the audience by storm with popular songs.

NEW T OSOUTH BEND. A comedy new to South Bend but a big success in New York will serve to introduce the Grayce Scott players to the public at the Auditorium Saturday night.

The play is from the pen of Thompson Buchanan a young newspaper man, and might best be described as a comedy of common sense. The character to be played by Miss Scott (Marion Stanton) is a young, bright, charming American wife who discovers that her husband has fallen in

love with a rich widow from the south, and, by her common sense and humorous treatment of the unpleasant situation, completely wins back his love and easily defeats the schemes of the other woman.

Howard Stanton and his wife Marion, are a young couple in New York society, who, like so many young couples, have drifted apart because of too much money and too few cares to hold them together. She has gone in for "society and culture on the side" and he for "sports and chorus on the side." The husband finally becomes entangled with a rich widow and as a result, a divorce is looked for.

In the end the widow is dismissed and the repentant husband pleads again for his wife's love.

Miss Scott as the young wife will be at her best as she has played Marion Stanton many times and always with success. Ford, the leading man of the company, will be seen as the husband while Miss Dudley will have the part of the rich widow. As Miss Dudley is a southern girl by birth she ought to appear to splendid advantage as the fascinating widow. There is a good part for every member of the company.

AT THE MAJESTIC. The current bill at the Majestic consists of three vaudeville acts, spot light songs and three reels of good pictures. The Great Henri offers an imported novelty on miniature bicycle wheels and difficult balancing; Sam Gilder, a black face comedian from way down south, has a new minstrel specialty; and Charles Bennington, a monopede high jumping athlete, has been retained for the balance of the week. Rose Beckerich sings the choruses of well known songs and new pictures are shown daily.

CURRENCY MEASURE IS APPROVED BY CAUCUS

Resolution Declaring the Bill is a Party Measure is Passed by Democrats.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The administration currency bill after nearly three weeks of discussion was finally approved by the house democratic caucus Thursday night by a vote of 163 to nine. The nine dissenters were Representatives Henry, Eagle and Calloway of Texas; Hardwick of Georgia; Lobeck of Nebraska; Buchanan and Fowler of Illinois; Neeley of Kansas and Sisson of Mississippi.

After agreeing to the bill, the caucus adopted a resolution by an almost unanimous vote, declaring the bill to be a party measure and that "members of this caucus are pledged for the bill to its final passage without amendment."

The feature of today's session was the adoption of a committee amendment as a substitute on the section of bank reserves which in effect simply served to clarify the section as originally drawn.

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WOMEN'S \$5.00 SILK PETTICOATS. 100 beautiful, heavy, all silk Messaline Petticoats, in all plain colors, deep plated flounce; all the latest shades—Saturday \$2.98

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Final Clearance Sale 19c Knit Panty Waists. Children's Knit Panty Waists, strongly strapped and buttoned, Saturday 9c. 75c LADIES WAISTS. One lot of Ladies' Madras Waists and Children's Middy Blouses; your pick at 38c

Final Clearance Sale Men's 35c Summer Underwear. Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; short sleeves and long length drawers, 17c Saturday. MEN'S 59c BEST DRESS SHIRTS. Percales, in neat striped patterns; also few soft pongee shirts with collar attached, Saturday, only 33c

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