

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MR. AND MRS. SIGMUND MAYER HAVE BEEN MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Twenty-Three Direct Descendants and Other Relatives Assemble to Celebrate Event.

- M-Dat's the way to begin. A-Dat's the next letter in. Y-Dat am the third. And also the middle of the word. E-Dat's just to fill in. R-Dat am end. M-A-Y-E-R-That's the way to spell Mayer.

Fifty years ago Tuesday in the city of Cincinnati, Ohio, a youth of twenty-three, and a maid, joined hands, while the words which made them man and wife were being pronounced. Little did the happy young couple then dream, that a half century later, when their years had ripened, and the



MR. AND MRS. SIGMUND MAYER

autumn of life was facing them, that they would be surrounded by the bounteous fruits of their happy wedlock such was in Plymouth Tuesday, celebrating the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Mayer. Twenty-three direct living descendants, the number of Mr. Mayer's years at the time of his marriage, - nine children, twelve grandchildren and two great grandchildren, live to bless the happy old couple, to love them for their kindness, and to thank them for their own existence. Tuesday night they united in singing their pride in their family and their progenitors.

Where is the bunch that will stand through from A to Z? Mayer bunch—that's we. Whose are the kids that are right, and will always be? Mayer Kids—for me. For we're just as proud of our name, you see. As an emperor, czar or a king could be. Who are the kids that make a hit every time they can? Mayer Kids—that's we.

M-a-y-e-r-K-i-d-s—Mayer Kids Proud we are in Plymouth once together. Hope we'll live a hundred years or better. M-A-Y-E-R—the name is right, you see. 'Tis a name that a fame always will be connected with. Mayer Kids—that's w

Who is the man that we all love to have about? Pa Mayer—for me. Who is the man that the boys are simply mad about? Pa Mayer—for me. The boys are all happy with him you see. And he's just as happy as happy can be. Who is the gent that's deserving a monument? Pa Mayer—for me.

Chorus—Who is the girl that we all love to have about? Ma Mayer—for me. Who is the girl that we all are simply mad about? Ma Mayer—for me. The bunch are all happy with her you see. And she's just as happy as happy can be. Who is the girl that's deserving every compliment? Ma Mayer—for me.

Sigmund Mayer is a native of Saxo, Meiningen, Germany and Mrs. Mayer nee Hanchen Schoen, a native of Sax Weimar. On August 31 1859 they were united in marriage at Cincinnati. Mr. Mayer was naturalized as a citizen of the United States in 1861 having emigrated when 18 years old to Stephen A. Douglas. In 1864 he formed partnership with Mr. Lambie Nussbaum, which continued until Mr. Nussbaum's death. Mr. Mayer is still actively engaged in the hide and fur business. The old couple are blessed with nine children, twelve grandchildren, and two great grandchildren, who are as follows: Milton, Mrs. Nathan Kramer, Childive years as Councilman of the second ward and from 1885 to 1890 as school trustee. Their children have not been together in 24 years and the family reunion is due to the efforts and kindness of their sons and sons-in-laws.

In a city bright, on an August night In the good old town of our birth; From the East and West, all dressed in our best, For a united night of mirth. From old Baltimore on the Chesapeake shore, Comes our Milton, with orders su-

PLYMOUTH GIRL IS ARRESTED

GOLDIE RIGGINS IS ARRESTED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE AT SOUTH BEND.

Prisoner implicates Girl Friend to Whose Shoulders She Tries to Shift the Crime.

A falling out between girl chums, which culminated in the throwing of carbolic acid, resulted in Goldie Riggins being arraigned in the city court yesterday at South Bend on a serious charge. Grace Gill, the complainant, alleges that on Tuesday evening she met her former e-friend, Goldie Riggins, on the street and that the latter threw carbolic acid on her; that some of the acid reached and severely burned the side of her neck, leaving ugly scars.

After Goldie Riggins was arraigned it developed she lacks a few months of being 16 years old and the case was turned over to Probation Officer William E. Miller. The girl stoutly denied having thrown the acid, claiming that Mary Clays, of Milwaukee, threw it, and that the latter told her and another girl, whose name Miss Riggins could not recall, that she threw the acid upon Grace Gill because she was angry with her.

Goldie Riggins, who has an abundance of golden hair and a beautiful complexion, stated to the court that she and three other girls were on their way to the interurban station on Tuesday night to take a car to Milwaukee, where they intended to go to a dance, when Mary Clays, who was one of the party, threw the acid upon Grace Gill. However, the girl professed ignorance as to just where the acid was thrown, and appeared to be unable to furnish any details.

The law gives the court much latitude in fixing the penalty in case of conviction of throwing acid, corroding or irritating substance upon another with intent to injure, and a fine of from \$1 to \$2,000 may be imposed, a sentence of from two to 14 years imprisonment be proclaimed or both, may be imposed at the discretion of the court.

The parents of Goldie Riggins formerly lived in Plymouth and recently went to South Bend. Owing to the fact that Probation Officer Miller was out of the city, the girl was placed in the custody of the matron of the county jail pending the return of Mr. Miller, when the case will be taken up—the juvenile court.

Horse Thieves Again Busy. The epidemic of horse thieving which is going on in this community continues unabated, despite the best efforts of the authorities. Saturday night a horse belonging to John Weideman was stolen from the hitch racks at Flint lake. The animal had probably been taken several hours before the theft was discovered. The sheriff and his assistants immediately got busy with the telephone and began a search for the stolen outfit, but so far have been unsuccessful.

The horse is described as follows: Buckskin mare, 17 years old, weight 1,150, black mane and tail, white star in forehead, hitched to new rubber tired buggy with top and box painted black and r-r running gears. The harness is brass mounted. A reward of twenty-five dollars is offered for the recovery of the horse and buggy.

Pardon Board Appeals Increase. The list of pleas on hand for consideration by the state board of pardons in its next regular meeting, on September 7, is already greater than that considered in the July meeting, when seventy-five cae were reported. Since Governor Marshall became governor a marked increase in the number of appeals to the board for executive clemency has been noticed. The condition is said by the board to be caused by the declaration of the governor that all petitions for clemency which were formerly received in the office of the governor are now sent direct to the pardon board.

Death of Mrs. T. E. Houghton. Mrs. Elizabeth C. Houghton, wife of Thomas Edward Houghton, died at her home on west South street, at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday noon, after an illness of over 7 months with gall stones. Her condition was not considered serious until the past few days, when she was seized with a rapid sinking spell. Death was due to poisoning of the system.

Elizabeth C. Swaggett was born in Burr Oak, Marshall county, in December 1871, and was 37 years of age at the time of her death. She was the third daughter of David and Margaret Swaggett. On August 6th, 1886 she was married to Thomas Edward Houghton. They resided in Culver until twelve years ago, when they moved to Plymouth, and have resided here since. Her husband and four sons survive here. The children are Earl, Herbert, Harry and Everett, all of whom reside here.

Bicycled From Indianapolis. Messrs. Herbert Haag and Charles Wickle of Indianapolis, were the guests of the family of C. M. Walker Tuesday enroute from Mishawaka to their homes. They came from Indianapolis, by bicycle, and are returning in like manner.

Plays With Argos Team. Merle Spayde went to Argos Tuesday to join the Argos team which plays Mentone at the latter place this afternoon.

RAMSAY REUNION.

Held at the Home of Mrs. Montgomery in This City Saturday.

The Ramsay family reunion held at the home of Mrs. Montgomery, on the corner of Center and Washington streets was a very enjoyable affair.

Those present from a distance were: Mr. W. A. Ramsay and daughter of Kibbourn, Wis.; George Tuttle and wife, Bronson, Mich.; Mrs. Marjha Ramsay, Mr. Webster Ramsay, Mr. John Ramsay wife and daughter of Eaton Rapids, Mich.; Mrs. Carrie Nell and Mrs. Effie Sprague of Dowagiac, Mich.; Winfield Ramsay and wife of Bourbon.

The reunion was held in honor of the birthday of C. W. Ramsay of West township. The members of his family present were G. W. Ramsay of West township, J. C. Ramsay and wife and Edith Heminger her husband and family of South Bend, Mr. Elmo Harris and Mrs. Anna Harris of Logansport, who was present on account of illness, but sent her husband, A. C. Harris and her two children, also Mrs. Carl Ramsay and wife of Porter, Ind., and Mrs. Lorie Kirtz of Michigan City, Mrs. Susan Johnson of Argos, also Mrs. Eva Clark of Coldwater, Mich.

DEATH CALLS OLD CITIZEN

CASSIMERE WICKEY DIED UNEXPECTEDLY AT 4:30 O'CLOCK A. M. THURSDAY.

Had Been in Ill Health For Long Time But Was Not Considered Serious.

The news of the death of Cassimere Wickey, which occurred at 4:30 o'clock a. m. Thursday at his home at 210 south Fifth street, was received as a blow to his numerous friends in this city, who had not suspected that his condition was serious. The blow was heaviest to his family, none of whom expected the demise of Mr. Wickey without any warning. He had been suffering from diabetes for several years, and grew worse of late.

A couple of weeks ago, he received an injury at the mill where he was working, which disabled him for a few days, but he returned to his employment and continued there until a few days ago, when he became ill. The physician pronounced a case of furunculosis of the bowels, which became aggravated, until death resulted Thursday morning. Members of his family remained at his bedside Wednesday night until 4 o'clock a. m. when Mr. Wickey told them to retire that he was resting along all right. At five o'clock, when a daughter, Anna, went to his bedside, she found that the soul of her father had departed. The shock has completely upset the members of the deceased man's family.

Cassimere Wickey was born in Elsas, France, in 1844, and was 65 years and 6 months old at the time of his death. He came to this country in early childhood and located at Harrisburg, Stark county, Ohio, and came to Plymouth about forty-five years ago, and has resided in this city ever since. He was a veteran of the Civil war, having been a member of the 18th Ohio regiment. On October 19th, 1879, he was united in marriage to Christina Krueger, who with six children survive him. The children are Mr. G. nevieue Clay of Peru, Louis of South Bend, Leona of Peru, Sister Mary Agnes (Agnes) St. Mary's Notre Dame, Anna an Alpha who resides at home, two brothers, August of Plymouth, and Joseph of Mississippi, one sister, Josephine Wicke of Plymouth, also survive.

The funeral was held at St. Michael's Catholic church, at 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning interment at the Catholic cemetery.

HILDEBRAND REUNION

The Hildebrand relatives met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Hay of North Liberty on Wednesday August 25. The day was a very pleasant one and this large family of relatives passed the time in renewing acquaintances, exchanging thoughts and in praising and adoring the Great Maker of our kind. D. D. Bates of South Bend, was elected chairman of the day. A beautiful dinner was served, which all seemed to enjoy. Elde Jacob Hildebrand made a short talk to the ancestors of the Hildebrand family.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: William Hildebrand president, Samuel Hildebrand of South Bend treasurer, Frank Hay secretary, George McBride, Frank and Cyrus Hildebrand committee on arrangements. There were 163 present. All seemed to enjoy themselves and hope to meet next year at the residence of Wm. Hildebrand in Lapaz.

Free Use of Grounds.

Mr. John Nichols of Twin Lake, wishes us to announce that those wishing to picnic at the unveiling of the Pottowattomie Indian monument next Saturday, may have the free use of his grounds and summer resort.

Death of Mrs. Deerdorf.

Mrs. Rut'am Deerdorf aged 86 years, 10 months and 10 days, died at the home of her son near Sligo Friday evening. Deceased was among the oldest residents of Marshall county. The funeral was held Sunday and interment made in Starke county. It went to Lapaz Saturday to at-

W. D. THOMPSON ANSWERS CALL

HAS RESIDED IN MARSHALL COUNTY FOR SEVENTY-THREE YEARS.

Was One of Oldest and Most Respected Citizens—Died Early Friday Morning.

One of the oldest and most respected of Marshall County's citizens was called in the death of William Dickson Thompson, who passed away early Friday morning, after an illness extending over a period of two years. Mr. Thompson was one of the pioneers of the county, having located near Lake Maxinkuckee with others, very few of whom remain. He was one of the first school teachers in the county, and was one of the patriots of the present system.

William Dickson Thompson was born in Fayette county, Ind., March 4, 1827, and died at his home, Plymouth, Ind., August 27, 1909, having reached the age of eighty-two years, five months and twenty-three days.

He traces his ancestry back through several generations to his great grandfather, James Thompson, who came to this country from Scotland and settled in that part of the District of Columbia taken off the state of Maryland. Here William Thompson, his grandfather was born in 1776, and in 1798 was married to Miss Nancy Lewis. About 1800 James Thompson and his family moved to Bracken Co., Ky. He and his son, William, were both Baptist ministers, and while on his way to attend a Conference in his church, was drowned in the Ohio River.

William, with other members of his family, moved to Fayette county, Ind., where in 1816, he severed his connection with the Baptist church, and became identified with the Disciples, of which denomination he was a minister until his death in 1838. He is buried in Union Township, Marshall County.

His son, Lewis Thompson, the father of William Dickson, was born December 20, 1804, in Bracken county, Ky., and was also a member of the Christian Disciple church. He was married to Phoebe Lewis Dickson February 27, 1825. Of their children the following grew to maturity: William D., Alexander C., Nancy J., and Julia A., two of whom, Alexander C., of Cleveland, Ohio and Mr. Julia A. Harsch of South Bend, Ind., are still living.

When William D. was nine years old he, with his father and grandfather and their families came to Marshall county, where he has resided continuously ever since.

From 1850, he was married to Miss Amanda Logan daughter of Thomas and Mary Logan of the same county. Seven children were born to them, of whom Francis Meade, Mary Alice and Lewis Edwin are dead. Mrs. Phoebe C. Wille, Mrs. Eva L. Underwood, Alberts C. Thompson and Olive M. Thompson survive him. Like his ancestors he was in politics, a Democrat, and during his life held several offices under that party. In early life he was converted through the preaching of Evangelists Miller and Hoyt, to the doctrines as held by the Church of God. He has been a faithful and constant member of this church ever since and was an Elder in the church at Plymouth, at the time of his death.

He died in full faith of the second coming of Christ and the hope of immortality through a Resurrection of the dead.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

Double Barrelled Shot Gun Discharged Into Arm and Shoulder of Rutland Youth.

A terrible shooting accident occurred Monday evening, about dusk to Clifford Wolridge, four teen years old son of Ed Wolridge, who resides 1 1/2 mile south of Rutland, when a double barrelled shot gun was attempting to pass over a pair of bars. The entire discharge from the gun passed up the lad's arm on the under side striking full in the arm pit passing through the shoulder and came so near the head that it tore off the rim of his hat.

Although the boy suffered terribly it is believed it will not prove fatal and the arm may be saved to him.

SPECIAL TRAIN ASSURED.

Will Run Over Pennsylvania to Valparaiso Next Sunday Account of Fall Game.

A special train to Valparaiso extending to Logansport, enough signatures having been obtained to secure the special. The train will leave at the Pennsylvania station at 10:00 o'clock Sunday morning, and will leave Valparaiso at 7:00 p. m. Tickets are now on sale and are \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12 years of age. It is expected to take three hundred Plymouth fans to Valparaiso Sunday.

Among the Plymouth people who took advantage of the excursion to Niagara Fall Thursday, were Mr. and Mrs. Christian Fisher, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Hitchcock, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelbis. The latter will spend a couple of weeks at Buffalo, Cleveland, and other eastern cities.

BOYS ENTER STORE.

Two Fugitives From Work Training School Burglarize McLaughlin Grocery Store.

The grocery store of Theodore McLaughlin, on west South street, was entered by two boys, who had escaped from the Julia E. Work Training School, north of this city Saturday night, between the hours of 10 and 12:00 o'clock. A small amount of change was secured from the cash register. They made their entrance through a window. The lads were captured Sunday at Argos, and were returned to this city. A watch of Mr. McLaughlin, was not recovered.

Short Campaign in South Bend.

That the coming city campaign in South Bend will be of short duration is the opinion of the Democratic and Republican politicians. Indications are that the caucuses will be held following the home-coming week and that both the leading parties will fix their conventions for about fifteen days before the election, which will be held Tuesday, Nov. 2.

Marriage License.

James E. Moore Bremen 23, to Louisa A. Schmidt, Bremen, 18.

400 OVERMYERS HAVE REUNION

LARGEST FAMILY REUNION OF YEARS HELD WEDNESDAY AT CULVER.

Program Rendered, Officers Elected, and Big Basket Dinner Were Features of the Day.

Of the kith and kin of the tribe of Overmyer, four hundred gathered together on the banks of the beautiful Lake Maxinkuckee Thursday, and held their annual reunion. Such a large gathering for a family reunion, has not been witnessed for many a day. The Overmyers of this city, furnished the basket lunch for the assemblage. The program executed during the day was as follows: 9:00 a. m. Meet at the Park. 9:30 Meeting called to order. Song. Scriptural reading and prayer by chaplain.

Address of welcome by F. F. Overmyer of Chicago. Response by A. W. Overmyer, Fremont, Ohio. Song. History of Overmyer family by J. C. Overmyer of Fremont, Ohio. Report of secretary and treasurer. Selection of committee to nominate officers.

Remarks of president. Adjournment to 1:30 p. m. 1:30 p. m. Song. Address by Rev. F. P. Overmyer of Waterloo, Ind., subject, "The Family Reunion."

Address by B. B. Overmyer of Fremont, O., subject, "The Wives and Mothers of the Overmyer Family." A call for volunteer speech. Election of officers and selection of place for next reunion. Doxology, Benediction. Officers Elected.

The officers, as elected for the ensuing year are as follows: President B. B. Overmyer of Fremont, O., vice president Dr. B. F. Overmyer, Leaters Ford, Ind.; treasurer J. N. Overmyer, Lindsey, O.; chaplain Prof. J. W. Overmyer, Castalia, O.; Historian John C. Overmyer, Fremont, O.; Secretary, L. F. Overmyer, Plymouth, Ind. Reception committee, Rev. C. D. Overmyer, Charles E. Overmyer, Clifford Overmyer.

Mrs. Jack Wants Divorce. Mrs. Edith E. Jack has brought suit for divorce against her husband Alfred Jack, charging cruel and inhuman treatment. The complaint avers that they were married on Oct. 26th, 1899 and separated in July of this year. She alleges that her husband would become intoxicated, and called her all sorts of vile names. Two children, Oliver 6, and Lillie 3, are being cared for by the mother, over whom she asks custody. E. C. Martindale is attorney for the plaintiff.

Sleeper Falls Off Flyer.

John Widy, 30 years old, a Slav, living in Chicago while asleep on the roof of one of the coaches of the Twentieth Century Flyer was thrown to the ground when the train, running late, dashed across the Lake Shore and Grand Trunk crossing in South Bend at a speed estimated at sixty miles an hour. Beyond a slight scratch on his nose Widy escaped without injury. He was taken to the police station and locked up for the night.

Geis Appoints New Gas Manager.

Michigan City Dispatch: While in the city today President Geis of the Northern Indiana Gas and Electric company announced the appointment of William D. Ray, of Chicago, as general manager of all properties of the company located at Michigan City, Chesterton, Hammond, East Chicago, Indiana Harbor, Whiting, Robertsdale, West Hammond, and Burnham, with headquarters at Hammond.

To Charge More Fee.

Postmaster General Hitchcock announced Wednesday the proposed charge of 2 cents more in the near future for registered letters. Heretofore the charge has been 8 cents, but the proposed increase follows an extended inquiry made into the registry system by a special committee appointed by the postmaster general.

Entertain Relief Corps.

The Women's Relief Corps of this city, to the number of twenty, were entertained by the Culver Corps, at Culver Tuesday.

SAYS ROAD WILL NOT BE BUILT

BREMEN PAPER MAINTAINS THAT PROPOSED ROUTE IS CRAZY.

Announcement Has Road Located Regardless of Population or Prospective Patronage.

While at Plymouth a few days ago S. S. Perley of South Bend, who has had a very great deal to say at sundry and diverse times regarding an electric line north and south through this part of the country, South Bend and Logansport being generally accepted terminal points, took the public into his confidence once more, and copiously.

According to Mr. Perley the line is all arranged for and will be built immediately if not sooner. He says that south of Plymouth it will lead off to Wolf Creek, keeping east of Yellow river, through Rutland instead of Argos, on past the east side of Lake Maxinkuckee, then away back east again to Rochester, then with another big swing west to Logansport. North of Plymouth the road is not so far from the Michigan road, as first intended, but to Lakeville and Lapaz Junction, keeping east of the Vandalia railroad to avoid the expense of crossings two of which would be required if the Michigan road were followed. Farther north the line is to return to the Michigan road, however, and follow it into South Bend, where arrangements are made to enter the city on lines already built.

Without intending to say anything to offend Mr. Perley, that story sounds more like a pipe dream than the conservative utterances of a practical railroad builder, or even the talk of a professional promoter; for they usually put some logic or reason into their tales. The road as described by Mr. Perley would be as crooked as a ram's horn, skip good towns and thickly populated country districts to run through others comparatively sparsely settled, and otherwise disregard the things that induce capitalists to loosen their purse strings. It is a good bet that the line will never be built as Mr. Perley is quoted as saying it out unless some millionaire goes crazy and is induced to build it before he is placed in confinement.

INSTITUTE HAS ADJOURNED

CLOSED MOST SUCCESSFUL MEETING IN THIS CITY FRIDAY EVENING.

Resolutions Are Adopted, Officers Elected and Adjournment Taken After Five Day Session.

After a five day session, at the Methodist church in this city, the Marshall county Teachers' Institute closed its most successful meeting in the history of the county Saturday evening. One hundred eighty was the maximum enrollment, during the five days. The resolutions adopted by the Institute was as follows:

Resolutions. We the public school teachers of Marshall county at the close of our annual session for the year 1909 here by express our sentiments in the following resolutions:

1. That we commend our County Superintendent for his efforts in making this one of the most profitable and practical institutes held in this county and for his policy of progress in the direction of the schools. 2. That we tender our thanks to our instructors for the earnest effort and practical instruction given during the week. 3. That we congratulate ourselves on the splendid showing made in attendance and interest during the entire week. 4. That we fully sympathize with the movement for better school sanitation and we urge each teacher to endeavor to bring his individual school surroundings up to the standard set by our Boards of Education and Health. 5. That we endorse this place and manner of holding this institute. 6. That a vote of thanks be extended to all who helped in making the literary program a success. 7. That all teachers be required to pay the institute fee and should they fail the county superintendent shall attempt to collect the same from the trustees.

J. F. Belmer, Estella Carothers, Ella Marsh, Herbert Shaffer, Glenn Dillingham, Committee.

Aged Couple Quarrel.

The suit of Mrs. John Cline, Sr., of Bremen, against her 81 years old husband for assault and battery was heard in Justice Legner's court Saturday night. Adam Wise of Plymouth appeared for Mrs. Cline. After a brief trial Mr. Cline was found guilty and assessed a fine of \$2 and costs. Notice of an appeal to the circuit court, was filed by Mr. Stevens. A suit for divorce has been filed in the circuit court by Mr. Cline, cruel treatment being charged.

Overmyer Reunion.

Charles Oler and family of the city, Mrs. Martha Worth of Bryan, O., Mrs. Fannie Letts of Wall, Ind., Peter Shuts and daughter Agnes, of Portland, Ind., Frank Stephenson and wife, Mrs. Angie Matheny, James Oler, and family and Mrs. Rebecca Davis of Bourbon, and Martin Oler and family of Elma Green, left Plymouth for Culver Thursday, to attend the Overmyer reunion.

Labor Day Dance.

A Labor Day dance will be given at the New Armory, on next Monday night. The new hall has been completed with a new floor, etc, and is the finest dance hall which the city has ever possessed.

Marriage Licenses.

John H. Christian, Huntington, Ind., 31, to Ada E. Markley, Walnut tp., 31.

MIDDLETON HAS LEFT.

Plymouth Has Lost One of Best Pitchers County Has Ever Produced.

"Jimmie" Middleton has pitched his last game for the Plymouth Clippers last Sunday against the Argos Grays. He left Sunday night for Springfield, Ill., to join the Three I. League team, of that city, going on as a regular pitcher. Thus Plymouth loses one of the best pitchers that has ever filled a box here, and with probably one other, is the best ball twirler that Marshall county has ever produced. This, too, is remarkable, on account of his lack of years. Jimmie is only nineteen years old. His departure from the Clippers is an event of regret, not only to all of the local fans, but to the large circle of friends which he has made here. Jimmie was bound to outgrow Plymouth and not considering the loss sustained by the local team, it is a pleasure to know that he will make good. Jimmie was "the makings" of a first rate pitcher. He has pitched 100 games for the Clippers, and has won 45 and lost 35 games.

The management is discouraged to have Middleton leave before the Valparaiso game, and are castin about for a new pitcher.

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Veterans to Reunite.

On Wednesday and Thursday September 15 and 16, in Chesterton, there will be a reunion of members of the 73rd Indiana regiment, which saw service in the war. The 73rd regiment was composed of ten companies of soldiers, the entire regiment numbering 1,040 men. When the remaining soldiers were mustered out there were only 194 of them. The companies were made up at the following places: Company E—Chesterton. Company I—Valparaiso. Company K—Jacks township. Company A—Crown Point. Company B—Laporte. Company C—South Bend. Companies G and H—Logansport. Companies D and F—Plymouth.

A Big Mistake.

We know a good joke on a farmer living not far from town. He had been having considerable trouble getting his eldest son out of bed in the morning. A few mornings ago he called several times and got no reply. He cautiously stepped upstairs while it was yet dark in the house and went to the boy's room. He pulled down the covers and administered a violent old-fashioned spanking. Returning to the kitchen he informed his wife of what he had done. "Well that settles it," she said, "we'll have to get a new hired girl. Willie didn't come home last night and I told the girl she might occupy his room."—Burlington Democrat.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to render our thanks to the friends who so kindly gave their services to us in the hour of our bereavement that took husband and father from our home circle. We cannot express in words the feelings that our hearts prompt for our labor of love to us, and can only assure you that we shall ever cherish your memory, and not forget your kindness. M. S. W. D. Thompson, and Children.

Hess Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Silvis and daughter Edith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Hess, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hess and daughters Fay and Pansie, and E. B. Hess, went to Winona Thursday to attend the Hess family reunion.

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