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IDLE DOLLARS

In every community there are thousands of idle and unproductive dollars. Idle dollars may represent value but they have no value to their owners nor the community until they are put in motion.

Today there is a pleasant and profitable job for every dollar in the land. Homes are needed—homes which will make better citizens, better neighborhoods, a better town—homes which will contribute indirectly to the welfare of every man, woman and child in this community.

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BUY A BARREL OF FLOUR

The movement has been fostered by the County Farm Bureau to buy a barrel of flour, and buy it now.

The reason is this: Flour has about reached its lowest price for some time to come. Wheat is down to its lowest level and in the last few days has commenced to climb the ladder again, due to the fact that foreign traders have purchased enough flour and wheat at the low price to make the commodity a scarce article next spring. Big buyers have been quick to realize this, and the price began to go up at once.

Another reason for buying a barrel of flour is to make the article sell now, so mills can begin grinding; so farmers can sell their wheat; so they will have money enough to buy a bale of hay to feed their flocks.

Buying a barrel of flour will have its effect on us, the same as it will in Pendleton. When the Pendleton farmers are prosperous, they buy our hay. The idea is a very good one, and our local people should take advantage of it, and DO IT NOW.

BUY A BARREL OF FLOUR.

HANDLE WITH CARE

Too much attention can not be paid to the proper training of the children.

As is the child of today, so is the man or woman of tomorrow. There are few exceptions to this rule.

Giving the child an education, a good suit, a few dollars and sending it out into the world to battle for existence will not suffice. Parents owe a more sacred duty to their offspring.

The child is entitled to health, to an acute conception of right and wrong, and to the cultivation of perseverance, forbearance and mercy.

With these attributes freely inculcated in its mind, body and heart, it will not stray far on the forbidden path of life.

No person is normal without good health, and the great achievements

of the world are accomplished by normal men and women.

Athletics in the schools is one of the best producers of health, and it is the duty of citizens of this community to see that our school children have a place to play their games with proper training facilities.

The other attributes follow in their natural sequence, and the lessons are better understood and more freely assimilated because of a healthy state of mind and body.

SMALL PAPERS PATRIOTIC

The smaller city dailies and the country weeklies are the great force for good in developing the communities they serve.

The big metropolitan dailies may influence national affairs some but it is the country community that determines things.

Many people have formed the habit of merely scanning the headlines of the big city dailies, while smaller papers are read through.

In the recent election the contest was between an extension of state socialism and real Americanism, big city papers boosting socialism.

The small city and country press is patriotic and conservative, and does not rush hostilities with other countries that lead to war.

There are big metropolitan papers that would force our country into war with Mexico and Japan for what they could make out of it.

The Stanfield Standard has found it necessary to enlarge its paper, and the last issue came out as a seven column four page paper instead of six columns as before. We congratulate the Standard and Mr. Cleveland, the enterprising editor and proprietor, for its snappy, newsy appearance, and wish the paper and Mr. Cleveland every success.

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A cooked food sale will also be conducted in connection with the bazaar. Be sure to get some of the famous home-made mincemeat. Hot waffles, maple syrup and coffee will also be served during the day.

Insure against fire with J. D. Watson, who donates this space.

High School Play Coming
The High School will give a play entitled "A College Town," Friday evening, December 17th at the Auditorium at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

It is a typical college play characterizing the life of college students. The cast of characters will be published in next weeks paper.

The play is being well coached and promises to be one of the best ever given by the school, and all who can, should make it a point to see the play. The admission will be 35c and 50c.

The fellow who waits for tomorrow lives on the crumbs of today.

GET THE FACTS

There are three fundamental principles that regulate building costs:

1. LABOR COSTS
2. SUPPLY
3. DEMAND.

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