

MONROE ROUTE

Time Table at Bloomington, Ind., going North:
 Lafayette Accommodation, 6:40 A.M.
 Chicago Day Mail, 10:57 A.M.
 do Night Express, 11:29 P.M.
 Arrives, going South:
 Bloomington Accommodation, 9:00 P.M.
 Louisville Day Mail, 4:30 P.M.
 do Night Express, 2:43 A.M.
 [See General Advertising Card.]

VANDALIA LINE.

Terre Haute & Indianapolis Railroad.
 Going East—Leave Greencastle Junction at 12 A.M., 2:00 P.M., 3:25 P.M., and 5:31 A.M.
 Going West—Leave Greencastle Junction at 1:07 P.M., 5:35 P.M., 8:50 A.M., and 12:03 P.M.

Going North—Leave Terre Haute for South Bend at 6 A.M. and 3:15 P.M.; arrive at South Bend at 12:45 P.M. and 10:55 P.M., making connections for all points North, East and West.
 Special round trip tickets to New Orleans and points en route. For maps, time-tables and other information apply to Rogers & Woolley, Ticket Agents at Bloomington, or J. N. LANGWORTHY, Traveling Passenger Agent, Terre Haute, Ind.

In coffees and sugars Robertson Bros. will step aside for no house in the county. Call on them.

Benj. McGee has determined to quit the ready-made clothing business, and hereafter devote his whole and entire attention to the mercantile tailoring trade, of which he has enough to more than keep him busy, hence he will sell, until it is entirely closed out, the stock of clothing now on hand, at any price that will suit the customer. He says he will not miss a sale if price cuts a figure in the transaction. This is no advertising scheme to sell out and then stop up, but McGee has been a life-time in this branch of the business and is fully determined to quit it.

YOURSELF AND LADY

Are invited to attend a reception at Charley Mobley's Store, Beginning to-day and lasting till NEXT SPRING.

When will be shown some Bargains WORTH SECURING.

Bring your Pocketbooks, and well filled with money.

I HAVE a single story frame house for sale, situated in the eastern part of Bloomington, near the New College Buildings. For price and terms address C. D. McLellan, Harrodsburg, Indiana.

If you want to borrow money at lowest rates, or if you want to insure your property, call on EAST & EAST.

ROBERTSON BROS. have all the best brands of Flour, and deliver all goods promptly. Ask to see new arrivals of Tea and Coffee.

C. Van Zandt & Son, UNDERTAKERS and DEALERS in Metallic Burial Cases, Cases and Coffins. Hearse and Carriages furnished to order. Orders by telegraph will receive prompt attention. Shop on College Avenue, north end of W. O. Fee's Building, Bloomington, Indiana.

Go to John Little's furniture store and sewing machine office, one door north of Reed's harness shop, and examine his spring mattresses; cost \$18, and are good as new.

JAMES C. ROBINSON (formerly with Raley & Co.) is now located on the west side, north of Geo. Atkinson's. Robinson is an active and energetic groceryman, and understands the needs of the Bloomington public. His stock is fresh and well selected, and comprises a general line of all goods sold in this place. He is sole agent for Fleischman's Yeast, the best made. His Coffees, Teas and Sugars are the best that money will buy. Call and see him in his grocery store, he wants to meet his old friends.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have 160 acres of land one mile from the court house (northwest) which I wish to sell, or will trade for town property. The land is well improved and in good condition, good buildings, plenty of timber and plenty of water. For full particulars apply to J. B. Faris, Bloomington, Ind. Will be paroled to suit purchasers.

DRURY HODGES is located in Levee street, and does all manner of watch and jewelry repairing. He mends umbrellas, parasols, etc., and warrants all work. He also keeps a neat stock of jewelry. Give Drury a call when you want "linking" work done.

CALL at Allen's hardware store and examine the "Favorite" cooking stove. It has no equal in its class or any other market. Better get you a drum stove for rapid heating. For permanent heat or beauty of appearance, let us order one of those handsome square base-burner stoves for you. A full and very complete stock of all manner of hardware and materials for blacksmiths and builders.

W. J. ALLEN.

HEMP WILSON's stock of queensware and glassware is very complete. He buys from first hands, and so can give some unheard of bargains to those in search of this class of goods. Goods delivered.

POLITICAL

Editor Progress—You will please announce that I am a candidate for the Office of Treasurer of Monroe county, subject to a Republican primary election or a nominating convention.
 I. MILT. ROGERS.

Ed. Progress—You will please announce that I am a candidate for the office of Recorder of Monroe county, subject to the decision of the Republican party, however expressed.
 JONATHAN NICHOLSON.

Ed. Progress—I am a candidate for nomination to the office of Trustee of Bloomington Township, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.
 HILLORY HEADLEY.

Notice of Re-Assessment on Wylie Pike.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Ind., will meet at the Auditor's office in said county, on the 18th day of February, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of making an additional assessment on all real property originally assessed for benefits for the improvement of the Wylie Turnpike Road.
 JOHN H. HARRILL,
 W. M. A. KIRBY,
 JONATHAN H. FULFORD,
 County Commissioners.
 Attest: W. M. ALEXANDER, Auditor M. C. Jan. 27-86.

THE most attractive place in the town for strangers is the wonderful store presided over by Tobe Smith. This establishment is located on the south side of the square, and the quantity and variety of the goods there displayed is so great and varied that it would be folly to attempt their description. We will say, however, that no one should neglect to visit this house. Tobe Smith has a well earned reputation as a repairer of watches, clocks, etc., and if you have a valuable time-piece you should take it to him when it needs repairs or cleaning. You will make money by examining the goods on his five cent counter.

PROMPT attention given orders by postal card for shavings and blocks. Give street and name.
 J. C. DOLAN & Co.

JAMES RYAN has for sale at his shop some fine two horse wagons, only sixty dollars each, spring wagons, buggies, phaetons, etc., all ready to hitch to. He proposes to sell them as cheap as they can be bought anywhere, and he warrants them put up in a durable style. Call and inspect these vehicles, opposite the county jail, before you buy. Job work and horse shoeing done promptly.

Auditor Alexander has a neat four room house, with all requisite out houses, and a large lot well set with fruit trees and vines which will be sold on reasonable terms.

BENCKART'S Cough Candy is made with Horehound and Boneseet, and gives almost instant relief. Last winter Benckart could not make enough of this candy to supply his customers, but this season he will endeavor to accommodate them in this particular.

IMPORTANT TO PARTIES WANTING FOOT WEAR.

I intend reducing my entire stock of boots and shoes, and will offer to the trade special drives in every department for the CASH. This stock is the largest and most complete in the city, and will be offered for CASH at greatly reduced prices.

Come early, and make your selection. All goods to be paid for at the store, at these cut prices.
 W. T. BLAIR.

A RUBBER Boot with a solid sole leather bottom. A "new wrinkle," but the most sensible one yet seen. Everybody is invited to come and see this curiosity, at Ed. Whetsell's red front shoe store.

GENUINE Mexican Java Coffee can be procured at Robertson Bros. grocery store. They make a specialty of PURE goods, no imitation. Just try them once.

BRAN AND SHORTS.—Two carloads just brought on by Robertson Bros. Call and get a hundred pounds for your cow. Best feed sold.

Tired and Languid Women. How many women there are of whom those words are true: "They feel languid and tired, hardly able to bear their weight upon their feet, the bloom all gone from their cheeks, irritable and cross without meaning to be, nervous all upset, worried with the children, fretted over little things, a burden to themselves, and yet with no acute disease. What a pity it is. But a few bottles of Parker's Tonic will drive all this away, and relieve the troubles peculiar to their sex."

Wabash Satchels, and Itch, cured in 30 minutes, by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by H. Lindley, Druggist, north 12 y.

What will Surely Do It. One's hair begins to fall out from many causes. The important question is: What is sure to make it grow in again? According to the testimony of the hair fallers, Hair Balsam will do it. It quickly cures bald spots, restores the original color when the hair is gray or faded, eradicates dandruff, and causes the scalp to feel cool and well. It is not a dye, not greasy, highly perfumed, safe. Never disappoints those who require a nice, reliable dressing.

ALL parties indebted to Blair, the boot man, failing to settle their accounts at once, will be waited upon by Jas. B. Clark, Collector, at an early date. W. T. BLAIR.

Going to Quit.

I am going to quit the Ready-made Clothing business and give my entire attention to
MERCHANT TAILORING.
 To do this I will be compelled to sacrifice much of my stock, and
I WILL DO IT. YOUR PRICES,
 NOT MINE, will be accepted for these goods.
 SOUTH SIDE OF THE PUBLIC SQUARE.
BENJ. MCGEE.

LIST OF LANDS

which have been returned delinquent, have been offered for sale and remain unsold for want of bidders, three years or more prior to March 25th, 1881, as returned by Isaac Claman and his predecessors in office:
 Bean Blossom Township.
 181 Joan Harris, pt nww sec28 110 r2w 3 acres; value 40; total tax \$3.00
 Washington Township.
 630 John W. Hubbard, aww sec14 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 200; total tax 47.81
 79 Mark Smith, gdm, nww sec11 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 200; total tax 21.93
 697 Rezin Maples, nww, pt sww and pt sww sec12, 110 r1w, 59 90-100 acres, value 305; total tax 218.71
 Marion Township.
 680 Nancy Dodson, aww sec14 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 135; total tax 10.40
 904 M. E. Hacker, nww sec15 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 150; total tax 12.21
 454 Joe M. Puffer, et al, nww sec15 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 340; total tax 10.17
 Benton Township.
 1303 David M. Oliver, nww sec16 110 r1w, 40 acres; value 90; total tax 6.95
 1242 Wm. Robertson, nww, sww, whf none, et sww sec33, aww sec28 110 r1w 160; value 375; total tax 42.15
 Bloomington Township.
 1349 Eleanor Brannan, nww sec1 19 r1w, 40 acres; value 300; total tax 24.58
 1400 Herring & Pierce, pt sww sec32 19 r1w, 13 acres; value 100; total tax 15.94
 3334 Charles E. Whitesell, pt nww sec10 19 r2w, 10-100 acres; value 30; total tax 54.35
 Perry Township.
 3935 Levi M. Puffer, pt sww sec34 18 r1w, 75-100 acres; value 25; total tax 20.02
 Salt Creek Township.
 4146 Green E. Cruse, sww sec18 18 r1w, 40 acres; value 60; total tax 5.96
 4035 Robert Strawn's et al, pt sww sec34, pt nww sec34, pt whf sec34, pt whf nww sec34 18 r1w, 60 acres; value 365; total tax 269.09
 Polk Township.
 4422 Martin Betz, sww sec17 17 r1w, 40 acres; value 160; total tax 20.11
 4454 Edward Casse's heirs, nww sec21 17 r1w, 40 acres; value 170; total tax 32.44
 4509 Catherine Edwards, nww sec36 17 r1w, 40 acres; value 100; total tax 12.10
 4534 Henry Graham, nww sec19 17 r2w, 20 acres; value 100; total tax 17.65
 4675 B. F. Richardson, sww sec11 17 r1w, 30 acres; value 60; total tax 20.67
 Clear Creek Township.
 4838 Casero & Clark, pt nww sec13 17 r1w, 37-50-100 acres; value 150; total tax 10.13
 State of Indiana, Monroe county, as:
 I. W. M. Alexander, Auditor in and for said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing lands have remained delinquent for three years, prior to March 25, 1881, and that the aggregate amount of taxes, penalty, interest and cost due thereon and the taxes for the current year, 1885, are the amounts due on the respective tracts as named above and that the same will be offered for sale at public auction on the 22nd day of February, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., and continue from day to day until all are sold.
 W. M. ALEXANDER, Auditor Monroe co. Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 31st, 1885.
 Notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale at the court house door in the city of Bloomington, county and state aforesaid, on Monday the 22nd day of February, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., being the 22nd day of February, 1886, the foregoing lands that have been delinquent for three years prior to March 25, 1881, and have remained unsold for want of bidders. I will sell said lands to the highest bidder, for cash, and the County Auditor will issue the purchaser a certificate of sale the same as is given in other tax sales.

Ed. Progress—Surprise dinners being all the rage, we have had one in our neighborhood (Maryland Ridge) lately. On Tuesday of last week the friends and relations of Grandmother Breeden determined to give her a surprise. She was 70 years of age on that day, and is a sister of John Greaves of Bloomington, and of Mrs. Whaley and Fowler of this vicinity. Her three sons, two daughters, thirty grand children and five great grand children were present, the entire number of guests aggregating sixty-five. A grand dinner was spread at the residence of her youngest son, R. P. Breeden, to which all did ample justice. The good old lady was completely taken by surprise, and could scarcely express herself.
 JOEL.

Dr. Jordan announced from the college rostrum, Sunday afternoon, that Gov. A. G. Porter would probably give the next Sunday lecture. Subject: "Gladstone." When Gov. Porter comes to Bloomington to lecture he will be greeted by a crowded house. He is one of the polished orators of Indiana, and as a public speaker, in our opinion, has few superiors in the country. If it is known certainly that he will appear in the Chapel next Sunday, announcement should be made to the people by dodgers, if necessary.

Judge Pearson arrived on the Monday noon train, Jason B. Brown of Seymour and Col. Friedley of Lafayette, were also present. Court was convened and Judge Pearson announced that he would appoint Judge Bicknell of New Albany to try the Chambers case. The Judge took the bench, and both plaintiff and defendant expressed themselves as ready for trial. The regular panel was called, and six stepped aside in answer to the usual question. A special venire was then issued for the 126 men whose names were found in the jury box. Court adjourned till 1 p. m. Tuesday, at which hour the jurors were expected to be in court. The court again convened at the appointed hour, and the work of filing the panel was begun in a slow, cautious manner, by both sides. Judge Bicknell is one of the ablest jurists in the State, was a circuit Judge over twenty years, was in Congress, and also sat upon the supreme bench six years as a commissioner. In politics he is a Democrat, and as such was elected to Congress. He is a literary man of no common ability, and excels in his charges, to which his language is fitly chosen, and smooth and rhythmical as music.

Up to the hour of adjournment Tuesday evening, eleven jurors had been secured, leaving several challenges on each side. The greater part of this (Wednesday) forenoon may be occupied in filling the panel and making the opening statements.

Elizabeth H. Neeld died at the residence of Wm. F. Bunker, on Monday morning, in her 79th year, with pneumonia. The burial took place in the Bloomington cemetery, on Tuesday. Her sons, Nathaniel and James, of Chicago, were present at the funeral.

ELLETTSVILLE.—Mrs. Matilda Widney, of Allen county, Ind., sister of S. P. Thompson, has been visiting friends at this place for several weeks.

The repel suit of G. B. Moore vs. the town of Ellettsville, was tried at Ellettsville before Squire Acuff and a verdict was rendered in Mr. Moore's favor. We hear the case will be taken to the Circuit Court by the town. It is likely that the "town" is making a mistake.

Last Saturday Dr. Whitted was summoned to Dr. Campbellburg where his sister Mrs. Driscoll, is lying almost hopelessly ill.

Mrs. Edwards, widow of the late Noel Edwards, is seriously ill from heart disease.

Tuesday morning F. E. Worley started for Ellettsville, where he has put them on the cars and took them to Cairo, where he takes the river. The mules he took were the best he had, and were good ones.

Wm. Pauler and family have returned from the north's visit at Oakton, Ind.

W. C. Draper has sold his 4 acre lot to G. W. Faulkner.

Uncle Harry Constable is now able to be out, and will shortly go to Iowa to stay a while with his son, Charles. His daughter Josie came down from Greencastle Monday evening.

John Eakin has sold his property to Garret Chambers, and on Monday removed to Mrs. Miller's property. Mr. Eakin will soon go to Kansas to prospect. Garret has moved into the property bought from Mr. Eakin.

CITIZEN.

—H. C. Duncan was attending court at Shoals, Ind., last week.

—Chas. Headley and wife have gone to Jeffersonville, Ind., to visit relations.

—John B. Miller, a former well-known student of the I. U. has disposed of his interest in the Indianapolis Herald.

—Eld. I. N. Porch is slowly improving in health. He has been confined to his house, a greater part of the time to his bed, during the entire winter.

—C. C. Dunn, the energetic Stinesville merchant, was in town last Friday, looking up some matters connected with the estate of his brother, Samuel Dunn.

—Treasurer Claman went to Indianapolis on Friday morning on private business.

—Rev. Mr. Livingston of White Hall, preached at "Friendship" church, Salt Creek tp., on the 17th inst.

—The Trustees of Salt Creek tp. says there will probably be but five and a half months school this year. The attendance shows a deficit of about eighty children of school age.

—A large quantity of ice has been stored away by the farmers of this county since the cold weather began. Every well regulated farm should have its ice house.

—Kearney Buskirk of the McPheters Hardware Co., left Bloomington on Thursday last for Washington City, D. C., on a visit to Joseph Hunter and other friends.

—The wife of Prof. Frank Axtell has joined him at Washington, Davies county. Mrs. A. was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Belle Axtell.

—John Cory Hunter is the father of a 14 lb. boy which came to his house on Thursday morning last. Hunter thinks of raising his boy in the glorious climate of California.

—Hiram Lindley was confined to his room with neuralgia, last Tuesday, and so was unable to go on the excursion to Mexico. Moses F. Dunn was expected to join the excursion at Topeka, Kas., and doubtless did so.

—Hillory Headley, a well-known and popular young Republican of Bloomington Township, this week announces his desire to be nominated to the office of Trustee. Headley is an intelligent farmer, residing northeast of town, and if nominated will be elected.

—There are four cases of scarlet fever in town. Two of Dr. Weir's children are suffering with mild attacks of the disease. Bloomington has been fortunate in that no deaths have occurred from scarlet fever this winter.

—By a new order of things on the L. N. A. & C. railroad, three passenger conductors, their brakemen and baggagemen, are dropped from the list. The conductors who were left off are W. G. Davis, J. B. Chambers and Robert Gibson. The Monon is economizing.

—Mr. John Bray, of west of town, says he intends to try the dry air of New Mexico, and so leaves for Las Vegas this week. The air of that region is said to be especially efficacious in lung and throat diseases, and this class of diseases is becoming alarmingly prevalent in our climate.

—The Knights of Pythias are making extraordinary preparations for their banquet and ball, which is to occur on the night of Feb. 18. The Brazil orchestra is to furnish the music, and those of our citizens who heard the full band on the 4th of July can vouch for its ability to do all that is expected of it.

—The several business houses on the north side of the square are undergoing a general brightening up in anticipation of a lively spring trade. Wicks' Bee Hive has been painted, papered, and the dress goods department changed to the east side. Clemmons' grocery store has been rejuvenated in appearance by the tasteful application of paper and paint, and Cravens' store room has a new floor just put in, and will have a modern glass front built immediately.

—The suit of some Boston parties against Ed. Whetsell to recover pay for some goods which he had purchased of C. R. Perdue last spring, came up in the district court of the U. S. on Wednesday before Judge Woods. The Judge heard the evidence and then decided that the Boston men had no claim whatever against Mr. Whetsell. The goods had been sold to Mr. Perdue, and by him sold to Mr. W., and to Mr. Perdue they must look for their money.

—Alexander Post G. A. R. No. 248, elected officers for 1886 as follows: Post Commander, Joseph S. Harris; Senior Vice Commander, Alexander Robertson; Junior Vice Commander, James M. Skirvin; Quartermaster, Will. H. Adams; Chaplain, John T. Langley; Surgeon, Benjamin F. Miller; Officer of the Day, Joseph N. Fleener; Officer of the Guard, Geo. W. Lamkins. They were installed on the 8th inst, by Wm. Peterson, who has been Post Commander for the past two years. The Post is in good running order. Wm. L. Adams is Adjutant and Secretary.

—Remember the Republican mass meeting on Saturday. Come in and assist in getting the campaign in running order.

—Mr. Ketchum has added a hominy mill to his well known Clear Creek grist mill. Mr. Ketchum is full of energy.

—The attendance at the county poor asylum is increasing. The number enrolled is at present forty-seven.

—The city treasurer had a stranger come naked to his house one night recently and he clothed him. That is Doc's religion.

—The Southern Penitentiary was supplied by S. C. Dodds & Co. recently with one hundred stools.

—"Todd" is the name of a new postoffice established in Polk tp. this county, four miles south of Allen's Creek. T. A. Todd is P. M.

—Some twenty-five of the Parks family held a reunion in this place on Wednesday night of last week, and all report an enjoyable time.

—Bloomington has sent two representatives to New Orleans in the persons of Chris. Walker and Sam. Bollenbacher.

—Taylor Voss will soon occupy the room vacated by Milton Hight, west of Jos. M. Howe's store. There is a bill before Congress giving Taylor a pension.

—Chas. Robertson went to Indianapolis to "buy corn" last week. That is the story he told the employees of the popular corner grocery. It is unnecessary to say that not a grain of corn has been shipped, as a result of that trip.

—Forepaugh's popular advance agent, Wm. Durand, left for Philadelphia last week, expecting to be away about five weeks. While in Philadelphia he will prepare the posters, and other advertising matter, for next season's business.

—Frank Worley has started south with his mules, and George Munson will follow with a lot of horses, all belonging to Mr. Worley. His intended destination is New Orleans.

—An old swindle is being worked in Miami county. One sharper agrees to buy a farmer's land and pays him \$25 to bid the bargain. Sharper No. 2 comes along and offers him \$500 more. The farmer gives No. 1 \$150 to let him off. No. 2 never shows up and the farmer is out \$125.

—Wm. M. Tate has due him from the post office department the sum of \$217, which he has been endeavoring for some time to secure. Congressman Matson has introduced a measure into the House looking to the payment of this sum to Mr. Tate. It is justly due and should be paid.

—Everybody will remember Robt. Jennings, the gray-haired mail agent who has been on the railroad during the past twenty-three years. Well, the old gentleman has been removed, and a Salem man named Thompson takes his place.

—The L. N. A. & C. people are having recorded at county-seats on the line of their road a \$10,000,000 mortgage, in which they consolidate all their debts and from which they will as well realize a handsome sum with which to improve the property. The mortgage is given by the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago railway, through its trustee, John H. Barker, of Michigan City, Ind., to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of New York. The mortgage is one of thirty-six printed pages of legal cap, and represents that it is responsible for \$10,000,000 in 10,000 bonds of \$2,000 each, dated Jan. 1, 1886, and payable April 1, 1916, with 6 per cent. interest per annum. This is a consolidated or first mortgage, and relieves \$3,300,000 of mortgages, all now held over the road, so that the debt is now all in one bond, the surplus of \$1,700,000 is to be used in repairing and in replenishing the rolling-stock and improving the road bed. It was necessary under the law to file this consolidated mortgage in every county through which the road passes. It required, therefore, twenty-three copies in as many counties to make the mortgage legal. The instrument was spread of record in Monroe county by Recorder Hall, last week, and made thirteen pages, the contract price being \$7.50. The recording in the twenty-three counties will cost the company \$172.50.

—The Detroit Free Press is one of the few humorous papers that has not "flatted out." The Free Press, in its department popularly known as "His Honor and Bijah," and the "Lime Kilo Club," has no equal. Bro. Gardiner's wise sayings are quoted in all the papers of the country, and have either been heard of or read in every hamlet. Those who have never seen the paper can have a copy forwarded to them free of charge by writing a request on a postal card to "Free Press Co., Detroit, Mich."

Get some of those choice canned goods at Robertson Bros., just brought on.

Calendar of Entertainments, from Jan. till March, '86.

This is the busy, rushing, Winter Term of Colleges. Entertainments and Lectures come thick and fast. It may be interesting to take a look ahead, and decide what we want to go to. Here are some of them:

The Athenian Anniversary, Feb. 12.—Joseph F. Thornton, L. V. Burkitt, and Mr. Thomas.

The Twenty-Second Anniversary, Feb. 23d. Athenian Society, Wm. E. Gardiner; Philomathean, George M. Braxton; Hesperian, Miss Fonda.

The G. W. Cable Lecture. The Beecher Lecture—the event of the year—last of Feb. or first of March.

The Prop.-High School Contest, Feb. 16. The Temperance Prize Contest, 1st prize \$20; 2d prize \$10; March 9. The Civil Service Prize Contest, 1st prize \$25; 2d prize \$15; Feb. 26.

The Primary Oratorical Contest, March 1. Lecture by Mrs. J. Edgar of Lafayette. Sabbath Lecture, 1st.

Hon. E. W. Hallard, Editor India's Polls Journal, "Our young men shall see visions," Jan. 31.

Rev. Jos. S. Jones, Feb'y 21. Prof. Fred. Thompson, Feb'y 7. Supl. James Ball, Rushville, Feb'y 14. "Books and their Readers," Feb'y 19. Prof. Coulter, Wabash, Feb'y 23.

—Stinesville tems from Gosport Reporter: Frank Wilson and Elsie Easton left here on last Tuesday for Wellington, Kansas. The genial faces of these excellent young gentlemen will be sadly missed in Stinesville's best society.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Hoadley and Mr. Minter Cl no one last night (Tuesday) at the residence of the bride's parents was the grandest event of the season. The marriage rite was performed by the Rev. G. W. Terry, in the presence of the most intimate friends of the family. Minnie in her faultless wedding outfit, looked lovelier and more beautiful than ever. The Hoadley Band from Tahoe played the "Wedding March," after which supper was announced, and the guests repaired to the dining room and found such a sumptuous repast as Mrs. Hoadley alone knows how to prepare.

A party at Wm. Hoadley's Saturday night. There were fifty persons present. Vocal music by Miss Hattie Walker, Mrs. Pugh, Miss Hoadley and Cyrus Hoadley. Mr. Cullen Needham, of the Reporter, sang some of the songs with guitar accompaniment. Instrumental music by the Hoadley Brass Band. The midnight stroke of the clock stopped Sunday, and they took their departure.

Big Bargains in Books.

THE PROPRIETOR of the City patron, and an immense number of new ones, that he is

Still on Hand, and though he has been very slow in stating the fact, he is still in the City of Bloomington, and better prepared than ever to cater to the varied tastes of this cultured community. Thus, in addition to an immense stock of School and College Text Books he has a fine supply of

Wall Paper, Window Shades and Fixtures.

CHROMOS, OIL PAINTING, superior Pocket Cutlery, Gold Pens, Albums, and Fancy Articles in abundance, too great to admit of enumeration.

His News Stand is well supplied with choice Reading. He also carries a full line of

SCHOOL SUPPLIES, and almost everything else, to meet the Hierarchy needs of his patrons. Teachers, and other friends of education are invited to make his store their headquarters, where they will be cordially welcomed, and no effort spared to make their stay pleasant.

—There is a brand of flour sold by Robertson Bros., that excels anything in the line of flour ever brought to town. It is as light as down, flying up when shaken slightly, and makes the best bread ever seen. The brand is called "Purity" and the flour is all that is claimed for it. It will pay you to buy a sack.

NOTICE. The notes and accounts of the late firm of L. S. Fields & Co. have been left with me for collection by the assignee of C. R. Perdue. All