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LINE—The Shortest, Best, and Quickest Route between the North and South.

TIME TABLE—Leave Greencastle Junction 1.53 p m, 9.00 a m, 12.20 night, 11.24 p m.

Arrive, Terre Haute, 2.05 p m, 10.13 a m, 1.30 a m, 12.12 p m.

Arrive, Effingham, 4.10 p m, 12.57 p m, 3.03 a m, 2.37 a m.

Arrive, St. Louis, 7.35, p m, 6.30 p m, 7.00 a m, 5.45 a m.

Arrive, Kansas City, 6.00 a m, 7.23 p m.

Going North—Leave Terre Haute, 2.45 m, 8.00 a m.

Arrive, South Bend 10:50 P. M. and 12:45 P.M.

Please to remember that for maps time-tables and other information apply to Rogers & Weedley, Ticket Agents at Bloomington, or J. N. LANGWORTHY, Traveling Passenger Agent, Terre Haute, Ind.

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TIME TABLE AT BLOOMINGTON.

Arrives, going North:

Chicago Day Express	10:36A.M
Chicago Fast Mail	11:10A.M
do Night Express	11:18P.M

Arrives, going South:

Louisville Day Express	4:21P.M
Louisville Fast Mail	4:07P.M
do Night Express	4:08A.M

[See General Advertising Card.]

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Metallic Burial Caskets, 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.

FURNITURE.

We have added a large and carefully selected stock of Furniture, and invite our friends to call before making purchases.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CHRISTMAS GOODS, the choicest that money will buy, are being constantly received by Charley Mobley, the south side dry goods dealer. Since the New York Store closed out Charley Mobley's is the only dry goods store worthy the name south of the court hours. It is situated across the alley from McGee's, and Mobley, always attentive to business, may be found there constantly during business house. His stock is a varied one, but he gives special and particulaar attention to the grade of goods usually called for by the ladies.

—Everybody, almost, knows James C. Robinson who used to be in business with Anderson, and afterwards sold goods for Raley & Co. Well, Robinson has a neat grocery store of his own on the west side. He is each week improving his stock of goods and making it larger and better selected, hoping in time to compete in quantity with any dealer. In prices he now competes with the others in such a decided manner that he has built up the best trade that the room has ever enjoyed, and is adding to his supply each week. Robinson has some specialties in teas, coffees and tobaccos that are making his store famous. Give him a call when you are getting your baskets filled. He delivers goods.

WHY NOT treat yourself to one of McGee's finely fashioned suits for a Christmas present? The Progress cannot think of anything that would give any one more genuine, rational pleasure and comfort than one of the suits that Benj. McGee so well knows how to fashion. He is all the time receiving new piece goods from which to fashion these suits, and he takes such pains in their cutting, trimming, and afterwards in their making, that the wearer finds them a constant source of pride and pleasure. McGee don't have to chop off a piece from this seam or add to that, in order to make a garment take shape—on the contrary he cuts your coat, vest and pants according to a carefully considered draft, and when they are sewed together you know they were made for YOU, which is not the case with the work of all tailors.

AH, CHRISTMAS comes again, and the boys and girls will be excited over the delightful uncertainty of their holiday presents. It is more than probable, too, that those presents will come from the great Fancy Bazar of Tobe Smith, on the south side of the public square, for there can be found all the articles that ingenuity can invent or that money can buy. The principal topic of wonder with those who go to that temple of magic is as to how he (Tobe) can collect such an immense aggregation of curiosities in the space, and how he can possibly secure them in a life-time. It is not alone curiosities that he keeps in stock, however; he has an immense supply of clocks and watches, silverware, and valuable fancy articles that would cost you in the city double the amount that Tobe Smith asks for them.

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

IN ALL STYLES you can have your Oysters served, at Benckart's restaurant and bakery, four doors south of the postoffice.

A Nameless Case.

My case has been a very curious one for about thirteen years. At intervals of about one week I would be attacked with spells of severe and most excruciating pain, always commencing in the region of my kidneys. The pain would then go upward and affect my body and my head, and seemed to penetrate my very eye-balls, creating the most intense suffering, lasting about eight hours each spell.

I resorted to all kinds of medicine without benefit. Several doctors treated my case, but none gave relief. I finally used B. B. B. as an experiment, and to my utter astonishment all pain and suffering vanished after using three doses. To the present time I have used three bottles, and not a pain has ever returned. I do not know what was the matter, neither could my physician name the complaint. The B. B. B. acted finely and powerfully upon my kidneys; my appetite has been splendid and my constitution built up rapidly. R. THOMAS.

Constitution, Ga., May 6, 1886.

UNIMPEACHED INTEGRITY.

I am 55. Broke down twelve years ago, and have not been able to work since. Have lost proper action of my hips and legs. For five years scrofulous sores have appeared on my scalp and nose, and at same time my eyesight began to fail, and for these years have been comparatively blind. Have been treated by eminent physicians of different schools without a cure. I have taken five bottles of B. B. B. (made at Atlanta, Ga.), and all scrofulous sores are gradually healing. Inflammation about my eyes has disappeared and there is some improvement in my vision. Am very much benefitted and relieved and begin to feel like a boy again—feel good. My strength and activity are returning in my legs and hips. The B. B. B. acts vigorously upon my kidneys, and the great quantity of matter that has been forced out through the skin is utterly incredible, often so offensive in odor as to produce nausea. I refer to all business men of LaGrange, Ga.

P. PROPHILL.

LaGrange, Ga., January 13, 1886.

All who desire full information about the cause and cure of Blood Poisons, Scrofula and Scrofulous Swellings, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Kidney Complaints, Catarrh, etc., can secure by mail, free, a copy of our 32-page Illustrated Book of Wonders, filled with the most wonderful and startling proof ever before known.

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WHAT YOU WANT. LOWEST PRICES. THE BEE HIVE GROCERY

LARGEST LINE of Dress Goods in the town can be seen at McCalla & Co.'s dry goods house, west side of the square. There is not an article usually kept in an establishment of this character that cannot be found at McCalla & Co.'s

PERILS OF AN OCEAN TRIP.—"I hope and pray," remarked a gentleman as he left the steamer, "that I shall never have occasion to cross the Atlantic again."

"Rough passage, eh?" queried a friend.

"Rough is no name for it. I had four kings beat three times."

—Ben McGee has a grand display of piece goods and fine furnishing goods for the holiday trade. If you can get a suit or even a single garment fashioned by McGee as your Christmas present, you will be fortunate indeed.

A FAVORITE HOTEL is the Orchard House, situated opposite the depot. The house is large, conveniently arranged, and the rooms are comfortably furnished. Good beds, a well supplied table—all that any one might desire, are to be found here. Well arranged sample rooms are fitted up in the Orchard House, and Commercial travelers will find the Orchard a good house at which to stop. Meals supplied to persons at reasonable figures. Orchard & Son are the proprietors.

—Some of the handsomest piece goods ever seen in the town, have recently been brought on by McGee, the Merchant Tailor. The best feature about this fact is that he so well knows how to fashion a suit from these goods. Give him a trial.

PRESENTS for Christmas now occupy the attention of all classes and all ages. Something lasting, useful and really necessary is the best for a gift. Such articles can be secured at McCalla & Co.'s dry goods store.

FOREIGN Fruits, such as bananas, oranges, lemons, raisins, figs, etc., candies of all kinds, at the lowest prices; oysters, cakes of all kinds, and all that constitutes a Christmas or New Year "spread" may be found at George Benckart's Bess Bakery.

GOLDEN DAYS is one of those publications that needs but an examination so recommend it to the public at large. It is handsomely printed on heavy paper, its illustrations are the best that money will procure, while the stories are written by authors of established reputation. Golden Days is one of those magazines that causes the reader to be impatient for the next issue, because each number is a promise of something still better to come. Every boy or girl who is a patron of "Golden Days" has a fund of information at hand that is not easily procured, as to travels and travelers in foreign lands. Jas. Elverson, Philadelphia, Penn., is the publisher.

"THE CENTURY" has rapidly crowded to the front as a first class literary Magazine, until under its present management its success has become phenomenal and is the one thing commented upon by magazine readers. The war articles that have had so great a run in the Century have added interest to its former excellence, and in fact under the celebrity and impetus given to it by Gen. Grant's articles its circulation was doubled in a few months. The publishers have in no wise relaxed their efforts in this regard and it is quite probable that war articles by prominent generals will be one of the leading features of the Century throughout the year 1887. It is sold by all news-dealers.

Petroleum V. Nasby on Socialism.

I hate a capitalist, no matter how he becum one. I hate the meenspirited, grovelin retch wich will work ten or more hours a day, deprivin hiesself uv beer, and terbacker, and cards, and bilyards, and hos racin, and sich, savin peny by peny til he hez ground enough out of the world to hev a shop uv his own, and to emyloy other men to slave fur him, and thus go on akumulatin til he owns things. Such men are monopolists, and the enemies of labor, and grinders.

I hold that the possession of a ten dolar bil makes a monopolist, and al sich shood be crushed. Ez hevin a ten dolar bil makes a man a monopolist, his monopolism increases jist in proporshen to the ten dolar bils he hez. The owner of a factory is a enemy to the human race, and ez for the man who bilds a railroad he

"Is a monster uv such hidgus meen,
That to be hated needs but to be seen.'

My hatred of railroad managers is intens. It was commenst with the first time I wnz droped off the hind platform uv a trane for not payin fare, and has increst with every repetishun uv the ofense, wich generally happens every time I want to go anywhere. I lothe the ralerode monopolist.

A grindin monopolist is any man wich has anything. Whenever a man hez saved anything, he becomes a capitalist, and ez capitalists are dangerous to labor, he should be made to divide it up so ez to be on a ekality with them wich never saved nothiug.

The mechanic or workingman wich saves so ez to own a house or a farm becomes a capitalist, and consekently a grindin monopolist, and ez accumolashens are dangerous to labor, wat he hez shud be confiskated and divided up among us wich hezn't anything. Property is a crime.

I ain't jist shoor that I hev got the socialistic doctrine down fine enuff, but I think these definishuns will do, espeshly when you howl em under a reg flag to luvers uv humanity wich is chuck full of stale beer.

—Coon Pauley, one of our best known citizens, has taken the agency for Glenn Bros., Nurserymen, Western New York (the best point from which to transplant) and Mr. Pauley is now making an active canvass of Monroe county. Every one knows that they can rely on whatever Coon Pauley tells them. Order your trees from him and you will not be disappointed.

—Mrs. R. N. Denton of Smithville is visiting her son, John Denton, in Greencastle, Ind.

—Miss Minnie Harbison of Chicago is visiting Southern Indiana relations.

—James Showers of Showers Bros. was in Memphis, Tenn., last week, and found the weather summer like and the boys playing about in their bare feet.

—Meadows, the groceryman, who recently sold his stock to James R. Clark, has been confined to his room some four weeks and is thought to be in a precarious condition. Consumption.

—Hon. Thomas R. Cobb and wife of Vincennes, Ind., were visiting Mrs. Cobb's relations in Gutbrie, week before last. Mrs. N. F. Mathers, of Bloomington a sister of Mrs. Cobb, was also visiting at the same time and place.

—Rev. Mr. Simmons, of Ridge Farm, Ills., has been visiting his sons in this place, Messrs. J. W. and H. T. Simmons, the clothing merchants.

—D.J. Hodges has been granted a pension. Drury deserves and needs it. He is now on his way to Colorado.

—Miss Eva Brown, who is attending Conservatory of Music in Cincinnati, is quite sick with fever, and her aunt, Mrs. Ewing Batterton, left Bloomington for Cincinnati on Tuesday, to be at her bedside.

—Whose business is it to see that the pump on the Hunter corner is put in working order?

—The latest gem in the way of coroners' jury verdicts comes from Dakota where a jury found that "she came to her death from a felonious desire to reach a happy hereafter."

—'Squire R. L. Stephens, living six miles east of Bloomington, has sold off of his farm in the last two weeks $600 worth of corn and fat hogs. Farmers should take pattern from the 'Squire, for he is a live business man.

—It is stated that President Garrett, of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, while in Europe recently, perfected arrangements for securing funds to extend the Shenandoah Valley Railroad to Pensacola by way of Birmingham. The immediate result of this movement, it is also stated, will be the establishment of fifteen or more blast furnaces at Birmingham. It is evident that the Magic City is progressing at a rate that, if kept up, will soon entitle it to its title.

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And this is the belief of the physicians in Bloomington——A masquerade ball was given at Mitchell Friday night a week, at which music was furnished by Bloomington musicians——The fast mail (day) on the "Monon," travels forty miles an hour; the night express averages 33⅓ miles an hour——Miss Ada Pearson was visiting Judge Pearson's family last week, in Bedford——Jere. Dean, a former Auditor of Lawrence county, and father-in-law of Robert Marshall, was recently stricken with paralysis at his home in Bedford——The pump on the Hunter corner has been out of order for several weeks to the great in convenience of persons in that immediate locality——The family of Garrison Pauley removed to the Shryer residence after the fire, the building being unoccupied. The amount of insurance carried by Mr. Pauley was $1,200 in the Home of New York. Mr. Pauley had recently added a second story to the building, and as no permit for alterations or repairs were procured from the insurance company it is possible that they may resist payment——Miss Minnie Faris, one of Bloomington's many competent young teachers, has a school at Putnamville, Ind.——Miss Florence Williams, who has for some time been a clerk in the pension office at Indianapolis has accepted a better position with the Bureau of Statistics——Dr. Talmage's subject has been changed, and will be: "Is the World Growing Better or Worse?"——Mr. Spangler will have entire charge of the "Student" this year, and will issue it bi-monthly——Dr. Von Jaageman has been lecturing during the past week in Northern Indiana——Born, Nov. 30th, to Wm. J. Dodds and wife, a son——Ho. Cox, a well known former citizen of Monroe county, is in Indian Nation at present. No use in waiting for those Indians to be removed—Cleveland is opposed to it——Doc. Spencer of Benton township, who went to Texas, has returned. He is not enamoured with the "Lone Star" State——Ira Batman is located in Grant, co., Nebraska, and has been appointed Prosecutor for the county——The Faris Bros., who have been in partnership with Hiram Lindley in business, have purchased Mr. Lindley's interest, and are now going alone. These young gentlemen are attentive to business, are competent druggists, they treat their customers courteously, keep a neat, quiet establishment, and are building up a trade that any firm might be proud of——The W. C. T. U. met in the Baptist church on Monday night——Mrs. Robert Howe of Louisville, is visiting relations in Bloomington——Harvey Hand, one of the old landmarks, is back in Monroe county after a protracted stay with relations in Illinois. Harvey missed the election fun in Monroe county this time——Wm. Wilson and Rosana Stine, J. A. Robison and Cynthia Galyan were licensed to marry last week——On Friday last Samuel Wallingford left Bloomington for Abbeyville' S. C., with a number of horses, and as has been his custom for a number of years, will remain there during the winter——The county commissioners met in regular session on Monday. Henry McCalla is the new member. Mr. J. H. Fulford will hold over two years and W. M. A. Kirby one year. Among other business of importance to be considered at the present term will be two applications for license to sell liquor——Harmon Friedley was in town last Friday, a witness in a Building Association case——A woman named Deckard was given a divorce in the circuit court last Friday afternoon, and soon after with another man named Deckard, went into the Clerk's office and he asked for a license to marry. The Clerk refused license, as the decree had not been entered upon the records. This was rushing matters slightly. The woman has been married twice——Mrs. Tobe Hert of Bedford was the guest of Mrs. Matt. Beatley last week——Corr Walker bought seventy head of hogs week before last of A. W. Jones of Washington tp. The price paid was $3.50——Protracted meeting is being held at Simpson's Chapel, Washington tp., by Rev. Jno. Crowe——Absalom Martin of Guthrie was in town last week——Last Sunday afternoon a number of men and boys were staggering along the streets, disgustingly drunk. Where did they get the liquor, on Sunday?——Learn to shut the door——Miss Grace Wicks will spend the holidays with Danville friends——Christmas Tree at Christian Church——Mrs. Robert Seward has been visiting her daughter in Indianapolis——Will. Clark has gone to Cincinnati, O.——Capt. Dean died at Bedford with paralysis on Monday.

GENERAL NOTES.

BY A CONTRIBUTOR.

One of the most practical and valuable lectures ever given in the College Chapel, was that of Mr. Horr, the gentleman from Michigan. Every citizen of Bloomington and vicinity without distinction of race, color, or creed, should have heard it and thus have had the privilege of thinking over the good, sound sense which it contained.

There is no doubt about it, the Labor Question is one of the foremost questions of the age, and we believe such men as Mr. Horr will sooner or later arrive at its solution. Men of books may theorize, anarchists and socialists may instigate, violence and crime, ignorance and prejudice may stay the final arbitrament; but "the man who has been there" and who has that variety of intelligence known as "common sense" is the man who will cut the knot, and issue the latest Emancipation Proclamation to the toiling, troubled millions.

Mr. Horr's theory of the origin of property, his statements of the unfairness of both capital and labor, the tyranny of labor over itself, the necessity of a tribunal, similar to the French one, for the settling of labor troubles in the U. S., the applying of the golden rule to capitalists and laboring men alike, were all valuable and timely suggestions. His warning against men of the Spies and Parsons type who are going through the land with treason on their tongues and temptation in their hands, was entirely to the point.

Laboring men and capitalists alike want to get a better understanding of their relations and duties by each other. Ignorance is largely at the bottom of the whole matter. Success and God speed to Mr. Horr.

The lecture of Dr. Stott was on the right line, and full of good orthodox sentiment. The next Sunday lecture will be by Mr. Halford, editor Indianapolis Journal,—Theme, "And Your Young Men Shall See Visions."

The President of the University has just returned from a lecturing tour through the southern part of the State. Among other places visiting Dr. Owen's home at New Harmony.

Already we hear of new students for next term. "Shelling the woods" stirs them up.

Don't forget Talmadge at Chapel, Dec. 8th. He proposes an answer to the question "Is the World Growing Better or Worse?" Such a man on such a question is worthy of a hearing.

The Wicks contest on the Immigration Problem comes off soon.

The last Faculty meeting was at Dr. Branners.

The Prep. Debate on the Extermination of the Apaches by the Misses Mathers, Woodward F., Seward K., and Perry A., was well prepared and decidedly well executed. The girls have only to show what they can do to prove their ability to cope successfully with the boys in such work.

The "Y" held its last meeting at the home of Miss Grace Wicks. The president, Miss E. J. Strader, has begun the agitation of the establishment of a Reading room by the labor or management of the "Y." This may be beyond the reach of the "Y," but what an opportunity for some liberal and public spirited man, who has money at his command, to confer a lasting benefit upon this community, and to win an honorable name for himself.

The present term will close Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Prof. Atwater's return from his trip south was somewhat delayed. The boys had an extra holiday.

—Circuit court adjourned Tuesday, Judge Pearson returning to Bedford same evening. This is the third week. On Monday next several venued cases are to be tried before Judge Bicknell.

—Ed. Whetsell is evidently in earnest in his efforts to give bargains to the people of Monroe and adjoining counties, judging from his huge advertisement in to-day's paper. Ed. has the goods, and desires to exchange them for money. You can get bargains at his store, during the next sixty days.

A LINIMENT FOR EARACHE.—According to the Canada Medical Record, Pavesi recommends a liniment composed of camphorated chloral 2½ parts, pure glycerine 16½ parts, and oil of sweet almonds 10 parts. This is to be well mixed, and preserved in a hermetically closed bottle. A pludget of very soft cotton is to be soaked in the liniment, and then introduced as far as possible into the affected ear, two applications being made daily. Frictions may also be made each day with the preparation behind ear. It is claimed that the pain is almost immediately relieved, and even in many cases the inflammation is subdued.

—Tom Long, and his cousin Miss Edith, went to Columbus last week, to attend the funeral of their cousin, Will. Long.

—Mrs. Braxtan has sold her farm near Ellettsville, comprising 320 acres, for $4,000.

—Charley Mitchell sold the old Couk farm, last Saturday, to an Illinois man, for $1,500.

—The "Woman's Suffrage Association" will meet at the residence of Mrs. R. W. Miers, on Monday, Dec. 13th, 6:45 P. M. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance is to be transacted.

MRS. ED. M. SEWARD, Sec.

THE BEST "Cream Bread" is made by George Benckart, the "Boss" Baker. It is light, flaky, sweet and wholesome. If you have never tried this delicious bread you should do so without delay.

—The handkerchief display in McCalla & Co.'s show window is neat and tasteful. It is the work of Chas. Hall.

—Peter Bowers of Indian Creek township was last week sent to the asylum for the Insane, at Indianapolis. He imagines he is building railroads and is engaged in other gigantic schemes.

—Josh. Howe, the jeweler, has a base burner, or a base feeder stove, his own invention, that is worthy of investigation by persons with a taste for the ingenious in design. The stove works satisfacterily, promptly and economically.

—Miss Horning, who for a while was dangerously ill at the residence of Prof. Brown Wylie with typhoid fever, has entirely recovered, has been appointed at the Terre Haute Normal School as a Teacher of History, and left Bloomington to take her new position on Monday.

—The children of Mrs. Mary Cathcart have been called to her bedside in consequence of her dangerous illness. Among these are the wife of Prof. John Wilson of Monmouth, Ills., Mrs. Hugh McQuiston of Paxton, Ills., and Mrs. White of Sparta, Ills.

—The artesian well contractors have reamed out the upper portion of the well and have inserted over one hundred feet of five-inch pipe. This goes past the point in the well where the soft rock has been falling into the bore and giving the contractors a great deal of trouble.

—The aged mother of C. P. Tuley died on Tuesday night of last week, in her 90th year. On Monday by a fall, she broke one of her thigh bones, suffered greatly and died the following night. She was the oldest person in the county, it is believed. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, on Wednesday, and were conducted by Rev. Mr. Minton.

—It will be remembered that early last summer James Sluss was going home one night and when a short distance from Vanzandt's undertaking establishment a dog dashed at him. Sluss pulled his revolver and fired at the dog, and the master of the dog, Fred. Hendricks, being seated in the door-way near by, the ball struck him in one of his legs, making a slight flesh wound. Hendricks brought suit against Sluss demanding $1,000 damages, and the case being tried by a jury last week, they brought in a verdict for the defendant.

—Taylor Shields and Wm. Snoddy sr. got into a controversy, last Saturday, about voting at the recent election. Both are Democrats, and Shields voted for Enoch Fuller for Clerk. Snoddy was giving Shields a lecture about voting for Fuller, and some harsh language was used, when Shields struck Snoddy, and they had a lively little fight before they could be separated. Snoddy's face was somewhat disfigured in the scrimmage but Shields did not show any punishment.

—The Baldridge & Gourley grist mill is to be transformed into a roller process mill within the next month. Wm. Gourley is to become a member of the firm, and then with plenty of capital to back them, the firm consisting of J. A. Baldridge, Wm. Gourley and Albert Gourley, will crowd business in the manufacture and sale of roller process flour. The contract has been closed for the machinery with Sinker & Davis of Indianapolis, which contract includes a new engine. The "Bloomington Grist Mill" has always enjoyed a desirable reputation for manufacturing a first-class grade of flour, and that reputation will not suffer under the new order of things.

—Two degrees below zero on Thursday morning, and two sundogs plainly visible. Nice bracing weather, if 'twould not change.

—Alex. Robison, the energetic builder, is tired of our long winters and enforced idleness, and will remove to Southern California if he can dispose of his Bloomington real estate.

—Forty years ago no house contained a sewing machine, there was not a mower or a harvester in existence, and the households of the land sat around the flickering light of a tallow candle at nightfall.

—The President's message will be much shorter than it was last year. But as very few people take the time or trouble to read the document it dosen't make much difference if the message is long or short, or whether 'tis published soon or late.

—Persons in search of seasonable and sensible Christmas presents should go to Cole's City Book store. Mr. Cole has brought on an immense stock of handsome and tasteful goods, such as he believes his patrons will appreciate. It is useless to attempt a description—there is too great a variety, and the articles are so novel that a description will not do them justice. Remember to visit the City Book store before making your Christmas purchases.

—Equal parts of strong ammonia water, ether, and alcohol form a valuable cleaning compound. Pass a piece of blotting paper under the grease spot, moisten a sponge, first with water to make it "greedy," then with the mixture, and rub with it the spot. In a moment it is dissolved, saponified, and absorbed by the sponge and blotter.

A Club of Old-Timers.

Men Who Voted for William Henry Harrison for President and Are Proud of It.

[Indianapolis Journal]

The annual meeting of the Tippecanoe Club was held yesterday afternoon in the City Court room. Dr. T. H. Lynch opened the meeting with prayer. Captain Taylor read an account of the way the club came to be organized and its history from that time. It was organized in 1880, and was composed of men who voted for Gen. William Henry Harrison for President in 1836 or 1840, when they were all young men, most of them casting their first presidential vote. The political feature and qualification for membership requires that to be a member the candidate must have voted for Harrison for President in '36 or '40, is a Republican, and will support the Republican party. The club is also social and benevolent. They visit the sick members, and when a member dies attend his funeral. The oldest member of the club, James Hubbard, will be 102 years old next March, and has consequently been a voter for eighty years. The youngest member has been a voter for forty-six years.

In the six years of its organization the club has lost by death 111 members. It had 426 members on the first Wednesday of December, 1880. During 1881 the club lost by death 27, or 6⅓ per cent., leaving 399; during 1882, 23, or 5 4-5 per cent., leaving 376; during 1883, 19, or 5⅛ per cent., leaving 358; during 1884, 16, or 4½ per cent., leaving 341; during 1886, 16, or 4 7-10 per cent., leaving 326, and during 1886 the club lost 10, or 3 1-14 per cent., leaving 316 members yet living. Of the living members, 68 of them are between sixty-five and seventy years of age; 114 are between seventy and seventy-five years of age; 65 are between seventy-five and eighty years of age; 54 are between eighty and eighty-five years of age; 12 are between eighty-five and ninety years of age; 4 are between ninety and ninety-five years of age, and one is 102 years of age. Of the total membership, 426 voted in 1840, 230 in 1836, 117 in 1839, 64 in 1828, 16 in 1824, 4 in 1820 and 1 was a voter in the years 1816, 1812 and 1808, and is yet living, with fair prospects of voting again. The total ages of the 316 members of the Tippecanoe Club now living is 22,910. The average age of each member is seventy-two years eight months and twenty-two days.

—Dr. Rose received a letter on Tuesday evening from Cincinnati requesting his immediate presence at home, and he left Bloomington promptly on Friday, which was as soon as he could settle his business.

Prize Stories.

The "Youth's Companion" maintains its reputation for publishing the best Serial and Short Stories, as well as striking stories of adventure. The next volume will contain the eight prize stories selected as the best from over 5,000 manuscripts sent in competition. The first Serial Story, to appear in January, will be "Blind Brother," in eight chapters, illustrated. Every one will want to read it. If $1.75 is sent now, it will pay for the paper to January, 1888.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Faris Bros. (consisting of A. V. Faris and E. E. Faris and Hiram Lindley,) is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Hiram Lindley retiring from the firm. The Faris Bros. will assume and pay all outstanding debts or obligations and will also collect all outstanding debts or obligations due said firm. Faris Bros. will be found at the old stand.

Dated at Bloomington, Ind., this, the 2nd day of Dec., 1886.

FARIS BROS.,
HIRAM LINDLEY.

B. F. ADAMS, SR. is the local passenger agent in Bloomington for the O. & M. railway. If you desire to go anywhere call on him for rates, which are always exceedingly low on the O. & M.

—The Vandalia Line is now running its trains No. 6. and 7. through solid from St. Louis to Cincinnati. This without a change of Passengers or Baggage, then please don't forget that this train has an Elegant Combination Chair and Sleeping Car attached which enables us to please and accommodate the most fastidious. You leave Greencastle Junction at 2:56 a. m. and arrive in Cincinnati at 7:30 p. m. Leave Cincinnati at 7:3 p. m., arriving at Greencastle Junction at 12:22 a. m. For further information apply to Ticket Agent or Passenger Agent, Vandalia Line No. 10, North 6th Street, Terre Haute, Ind.

—Fresh Tub Oysters from Baltimore, are received by Benckart every day. These are a choice grade of oysters and will be shipped direct from the packing house. Benckart will keep none but the best Oysters, and you should buy there if you desire to get the best.

—Go to the Orchard House when you come town and desire to take meals; or if you wish to stay several days there is no more satisfactory house at which to stop.

BEST BRANDS of Cigars and Tobaccos at Hemp. Wilson's grocery store. This house is headquarters for first class goods.

OYSTERS, the best that can be procured, are always to be found at Benckart's restaurant and bakery, south of the postoffice four doors.

YOU WILL FIND it cheaper to buy your bread of Benckart than to bake it yourself, and then Benckart's bread is uniformly good.

BIG STOCK of Queensware and Glassware at Hemp. Wilson's grocery store. You can get anything you need at his establishment, and at lowest living figures. Call.

HEADQUARTERS for choice butter and all varieties of most desirable produce is the grocery store of Hemp. Wilson, "Progress Block."

BEST PRODUCE always bought by Hemp. Wilson, the grocer. You can get good butter at his store as well as all the choicest groceries. He makes a specialty of fine teas, coffees, cigars and tobacco.

ONE OF THE BEST and most reliable grocery stores in the town is that of Hemp. Wilson, in the "Progress Block." Hemp. has built up a reputation for fair dealing that stays with him.

FARMERS and others who desire a good satisfactory lunch, go to Benckart's bakery. Benckart makes splendid coffee, his bread is light and wholesome, and he keeps everything else you are likely to call for in the way of eatables. Benckart's bread is always the best.

SPOKES WANTED.—Waldron, Hill & Co. will pay cash for 1,000,000 Oak and Hickory Spokes. Timber must be cut before January 1st, 1887.

Also, want White Oak Felloes Blocks. Call at Factory and get cards giving prices and dimensions.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH SIPES, DECEASED.

In Monroe Circuit Court, in the State of Indiana.

All creditors, heirs and legatees of said estate are hereby notified that William Norman, Administrator of said estate, has filed his account and vouchers in final settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for examination and approval on the 8th day of December, 1886, the same being the fifteenth judicial day of the November Term, 1886, of said court, at which time said Creditors, Heirs and Legatees are required to appear in said Court, in the Court House in the City of Bloomington, and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved.

Witness my name as Administrator of said estate, the 15th day of November, 1886.

WILLIAM NORMAN,
Administrator.

Buskirk & Duncan, Attys.
Nov. 17, 1886.

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