

Geo. BUCKART's new room is the headquarters for fine Baltimore oysters. He receives them daily by express, and consequently they are always fresh. Call and get a can, or a quart.

### Geo. BUCKART

HAS OPENED HIS NEW

#### CONFECTIONERY

on the site of the burned building, and he asks his friends to come and see his supply of

CANDIES,  
NUTS,  
GRAPES,  
BANANAS,  
RAISINS,  
FOOD,

and everything that is kept in first-class establishment of this kind.

Remember to call on Buckart before you buy.

**IN THE LARGEST** of Gees' furnishing goods the McGee store, south side of the square, stands alone. No one has kept such a stock, in quality, since this class of goods was made a specialty. The hats, suspenders, cravats, ties, handkerchiefs, cuffs, collars and fine shirts, are very superior, and the most fashionable in cut and material. Don't forget to call at McGee's, or you will fail to see something nice.

Choicest Coffees, Tea, Tobacco and Cigars, at Hemp. Wilson's grocery store. Try one of the new brands of cigars at this store.

**IT WILL DO YOU GOOD** to go into Charley McPheeters' dry goods store, on the south side of the square, and examine some of the handsome goods placed on sale by him. He has a way of securing goods at lower figures than a majority of the buyers, and he sells them correspondingly low. He has an extensive trade among the ladies, and makes a point to secure the little articles most frequently called for by them. His ladies have a reputation in this and adjoining counties, and in gloves, mittens, scarfs, breakfast shawls, and articles of hosiery, his stock is difficult to exceed. He now has, in addition to the goods formerly carried, a complete line of boots, shoes and rubbers, and will fit you out for every reasonable sum of money. He has also lately made his store the headquarters for umbrellas. The better and heavier grades of dress goods are also kept by him, and we see less Charley McPheeters' store unoccupied. If you don't see what you want ask for it, and he will, for almost certain to produce the article.

You will find the best goods, in the grocery line. Hemp. Wilson's, receives fresh goods every week, so that nothing in his house is stale. Call on him in "Progress Block."

**CHASING** out the stock of Overcoats at cost at McGee's clothing store, south side of the square. You cannot form an idea of how low that is till you hear his figures and examine the goods. The suits that are kept in stock are unusually well made, and the materials superior to any usually supplied. The prices are far below those of any former season. Ed. McGee has worked a revolution in the clothing trade.

**WE WANT** some more reliable men to sell our nursery stock; guaranteed first-class, true to name, as ordered, and delivered in good, healthy condition. Salary and expenses, (or commission if preferred). Apply (stating age) to The C. L. Van Doren Nursey Co., Geneva, N. Y.

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#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

#### C. VANZANDT

has not retired from business, but will be found at his old stand in the Sudbury block with a complete line of

**UNDETAKERS' AND UPHOLSTERERS' SUPPLIES.** He will henceforth devote his entire attention to these special lines, and will guarantee work the best and prices the lowest. Remember the old Sudbury Block, North Side Square.

### J. S. HUNTER

is the leading

**Funeral Director**

A black and white illustration of a horse-drawn hearse or carriage, showing a driver and passengers.

**AND FURNITURE DEALER.**

**5 CENTS IN STOCK THE BEST LINE OF FURNITURE AND UNDETAKING GOODS.**

**EVERYTHING** in Bloomington, and will sell you goods cheaper than any one. Come and see me before the day is over. Post Office Bldg., South Side Square, West Main Street.

W. H. MCKEE, Geneva, N. Y.

#### A LITTLE CITY.

Bloomington is the best town in Southern Indiana; in 1860 it had a population of 3,700—it now has 4,000. The city is growing steadily and rapidly; Indiana University is located here; also a bedeuted and bureau factory with an output of 1,000 per week; a stave and heading factory; a chair factory; extensive spoke and hub factory; two planing mills; two roller mills, etc., etc. Has turpikes, electric plant, and preparations are being made for water works and for a new open house; has large, handsomely furnished and immensely stocked dry goods houses; three hardware and heavily stocked clothing houses; two gas and hardware stores as are seen anywhere; several enormous stocks of furniture; grocery stores (some nine or ten in number) that are excelled in no town of 15,000 population. The business men are without exception courteous, enterprising and liberal, and all newcomers are welcomed, as they should be in growing cities.

Eagle Clothing House.

Imported Stiff Hats in three shapes, from Halberdyne & Co., London, England. Retail in all cities at \$4.00. To introduce them here will sell at \$3.00. Eagle Clothing House.

The stockholders of the Monroe County Agricultural Society will hold the regular annual meeting for the election of officers for the ensuing year, in the Grand Jury Room, at the Court House in Bloomington, on Saturday, February 24, 1859. A full attendance is desired. Hour of meeting, 1 o'clock p. m.

A. E. JOHNSON, President.

N. B. ROGERS, Secretary.

HENRY WILSON has a full stock of Quicksilver and Glassware, and it is now time to select something nice for the holidays. Buy the best, it will pay.

The pension list is still steadily increasing; not so rapidly however, as during the three months previous to the election. Why this should be so is hard to understand.

Some of the county schools have already closed, others will be closed this and next week. Out of funds.

The father of the Swindler Bros. is visiting his sons in this place.

Meetings are no longer held in the afternoons at the M. E. church. The night meetings, however, are continued as formerly.

Joe McKinley, who was of his express run temporarily, has been put on his train again between Bloomington and Lafayette.

The wife of Joseph Hession is very sick with consumption.

The legislative visiting committee is expected here about the third Monday in February.

Remember that Chaplain Loring will be in Bloomington on February 4th, and that he will sing some of his most popular songs. Remember the date, and endeavor to be there.

Will we have a crop of maple sugar and molasses this year? The indications do not point to it.

Bedford has voted in favor of incorporating that place as a city by a vote of 112 to 146—a majority of 100.

Prof. W. Z. Judah is another candidate for patronage in the dog show business. He hails from Monroe county, and is giving performances in Lawrence county.

Tom Langley is the lucky recipient of another increase of pecuniary. Cal. Worrall was the chief engineer of the increase.

The mother of Mrs. Jackson Denton, Mrs. Sally Mathers, died on Tuesday forenoon of last week, at the residence of her daughter in this place. Mrs. Mathers was 80 years of age, a consistent member of the Christian church, and a very popular old lady. The funeral services were held at the house of Wednesday morning of last week.

Rev. W. F. Sheridan of the Blackford street M. E. church Indianapolis, has been assisting Rev. Halestead in his revival work during the past week.

Greencastle Banner: The Putnam Democrat of yesterday contained a long account of the operations of "L. Freshman" (who recently swindled Geo. Cooper out of \$25) at numerous places in Ohio. He usually represents himself to be a wealthy, dairyman and stock dealer from some city in New York, and negotiates a loan without difficulty. He is a dark complexioned man, height about five feet ten inches, weight about 170 pounds, fifty or fifty-five years old, dark whiskers and blind in the right eye.

Mr. Hendrix, of Pataskaville, has been visiting relations in Bloomington.

Fine fresh stock of groceries at Charley McPheeters' grocery, the old Gees' stand.

You often want to know what constitutes a carload. Paste this in your hat and you will have an answer ready. Nonnally a carload is 20,000 pounds. It is also 70 barrels of salt, 90 of flour, 60 of whiskey, 280 sacks of flour, 6 cords of soft wood, 18 or 20 head of cattle, 50 or 60 head of hogs, 90 or 100 head of sheep, 9,000 feet of siding, 15,000 feet of flooring, 45,000 shingles, one-half less of hvy lumber, one-fourth less of joist, scantling and other large timbers, 340 bushels of wheat, 400 of barley, 680 of oats, 350 of flax seed, 360 of apples, 340 of Irish and 370 of sweet potatoes, 1,000 of bran. Etc.

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