

# BEFORE WE MOVE!

## CLEARANCE SALE

### AT THE BEE HIVE!

# COMMENCING JULY 1ST,

## WE ARE OFFERING BARGAINS TO REDUCE OUR STOCK.

Come and be convinced. Bargains in each Department.

# AT WICKS & CO.

Everybody and their cousins and aunts are invited to call at the hardware store of W. J. Allen and examine the celebrated Milwaukee binder, the lightest running binder made, only weighs 1,250 lbs. and is warranted to give perfect satisfaction. Don't buy any other till you see the Milwaukee, or you will regret it. Also look at the Milwaukee Steel Mower and Buckeye Mowers and Droppers, Cultivators of all kinds, Saws and Revolving Hay Rakes, etc., etc.

At W. J. ALLEN.

POPULAR BRANDS of Tobacco and Cigars are kept in the family grocery owned by Hemp, Wilson, corner 6th st. and College Avenue. It will pay you to buy of Wilson.

See Winslow for McCormick Mowers.

EVERYBODY LIKES TO TRADE with Charley McPheters—he is one of the cleverest men in the town, and he keeps a choice stock of groceries that gives full satisfaction, so that customers are pleased both by the goods and the man.

DON'T FORGET Winslow, when you visit any implements for the farm.

J. & G. MEAKIN'S PORCELAIN Decorated ware is the newest thing introduced into this locality by James Robinson, the west side grocer. This ware is very handsome, attractive and durable. Everybody knows that the J. & G. Meakin Ironstone China is the best in the world, and they may be assured that the Decorated Porcelain ware placed on the market by that firm cannot be equaled anywhere. Call and see it, whether you buy or not. Mr. Robinson will take pleasure in showing these goods.

BOYS, R. L. Winslow, opposite the county jail, is headquarters for everything in the Buggy, Sarey, Cart and Harness line.

CRAG WORKLEY can supply you with a buggy, phaeton, spring wagon, or anything else in the way of a vehicle which you may need. You don't have to pay him cash, either, as he will swap for horses or mules. He may be found at the big lively barn north of the square, on College Avenue.

PAY UP.—I have a large amount of fine deer from persons who have had recording dogs. I need the money and MUST have it. If you don't want a fee bill issued come up and settle at once.

DILAN TALBOT.

RICHEST COFFEE in the town is served at Geo. A. Benckart's bakery, where can be secured a lunch that will specially commend itself to farmers and others.

KEEN on human and horse and all ailments cured in 30 minutes by Woodford's Barkley Lotion. This never fails. Sold by R. Lindley's Sons, Druggists, Bloomington, Ind. 9, 21.

Best Flow is the John Deere Steel Plow. Don't buy any till you see it. W. J. ALLEN.

Best of Clover and Timothy Seed at ALLENS.

For Studebaker wagons, carts and spring wagons, call at W. J. ALLENS.

PEOPLE come from every corner of the county to trade with Hemp, Wilson, because they have heard of his pure goods and reasonable prices. He won't have an adulterated article in his home if he knows it.

NEURALGIA CURED IN A DAY.—"My sufferings for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cured in 1 to 3 days. The action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. First dose greatly benefits. Sold by Farris Bros., Druggists, Bloomington, Ind. 9, 21.

ICE CREAM! ICE CREAM! Next Ice Cream Parlors, at George Benckart's, South College Avenue, and the best Ice Cream in the city. Choice Soda Water.

ENGLISH SPANIA Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Colloidal Lumps and Blisters from horses, Blood Spots, Curbs, Splints, Bruises, Ring-bones, Itches, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, Etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful blemish cure ever known. Sold by H. Lindley's Sons, Druggists, Bloomington, Ind. 9, 21.

ON THE SOUTH SIDE of the square, corner of the alley, is a sign reading: "Golden Rule." That is the store of Charley Mobley, the veteran dry goods and fancy goods man. He was selling goods when many of our old men were boys, and he always had the reputation which he sustains now—that of a competent selector of satisfactory goods.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO go skimming all over town in search of groceries since Charley McPheters is in business. His store, on the corner of Walnut street and Kirkwood Avenue, has become a place of resort for all who love choice goods—especially Coffee, Tea, and fine canned goods.

NO MAN excels Geo. Benckart as a Bread baker. His bread creates comment wherever used, by its sweetness, richness, lightness. Try it and be convinced.

SINCE JOE SMITH took charge of that wonderful store, known as Smith's Bazar, there has been a great increase of stock, and a display of rare taste in the selection of goods that is as remarkable as it is easily noticed. It's a perpetual picnic to go into Smith's Bazar and look at the two million odd and useful articles there displayed, and it is related of one of the greatest educators that when his brain becomes bothered and his thoughts are all in a tangle from poring over his books, he straightway takes train for Bloomington, strolls through this Bazar, and goes back to his work refreshed. If you want your watch repaired so that it will stay repaired, take it to Smith. Satisfaction guaranteed. His customers are his references.

FOR REPAIRS OF Parts of any Sewing Machine call at E. LINDLEY'S SONS.

TRY AND REMEMBER and don't forget that no man in this good county of Monroe is the superior of Charley McPheters as a grocer. He was a tip-top hardware man, and he is just as successful as a square-dealing groceryman.

GO TO FARRIS BROS. and get a bottle of genuine South American Nervine to relieve the "grip" symptoms. Many persons have been helped by its use.

EVERY TRAIN BRINGS to Charley Mobley's "Golden Rule" a new supply of choice goods, ordered to be forwarded from the wholesale houses as rapidly as they are brought out. Placing his order in advance this way, Mobley sometimes has the latest patterns before any one else has sent for them. This is one of the features of Mobley's business that makes his store so popular.

GO OVER to the southeast corner of the square and ask for Charley McPheters' grocery. Every article on his shelves is of the best quality. In fact he has no use for poor goods or base adulterations, and will not carry them in stock. Cash for produce.

FOR FINE CAKES of all kinds, always go to Volpert's bakery, north side of the public square.

TO TRADE: A medium-sized coal stove for a larger one, at the Progress office. Come and see us.

WHERE DID YOU GET THAT fragrant, rich Coffee? Why I bought it at Chas. McPheters' grocery. I never could get coffee like that. Well you ought to trade with McPheters—that is the kind he sells to everybody. It will almost make your hair curl to drink it.

All Postmasters of the country offices in Monroe county are authorized agents for the Progress. A liberal commission will be allowed on all money collected.

National Hotel barber shop is a convenient, cool and cozy establishment, just east of Whitaker's grocery. Gas. Krouger is proprietor. Give him a call.

SWEET MIXED PICKLES, very choice, a barrel just received by Hemp, Wilson. Try a quarter's worth. They are too good to talk about.

**SUMMER RESORT.**  
Orleans, Indiana, is a new summer resort and watering place just now gaining prominence throughout the land, and inviting health seekers and tourists to their realm. The water from her Artesian Magnetic Sulphur Well is proving to have no equal on the face of the earth for the relief of suffering humanity. Its success already bears the testimony too convincing for mortal man to doubt anything claimed of it.

What is it good for?  
Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Gout, any derangement of the stomach, Bowels, Liver, Kidneys and Female diseases of which thousands are dying yearly for want of proper treatment.

Already hundreds have been cured and none have tried it but what have been benefited. A large and elegant bath house with modern appliances has just been completed, and baths of the Magnetic water hot or cold or of any temperature may be had at all hours. The best of hotel accommodations may be had, within easy access, at very reasonable rates, or board in private families can be had also. To those suffering from physical disorders we say come and be healed, at much less expense than it will cost at any other resort. For further particulars address

W. M. DOBBINS, President.  
H. F. FISHER, Secretary.  
Magnetic Well Co., Orleans, Ind.

Don't forget to direct your attorney to bring advertising to the Progress office, in cases where you have any business as administrator, executor or guardian. Rates very low and work done correctly.

Don't send out any botched work in the way of bill heads, statements, envelopes or letter heads. It is always best for your reputation, and for the credit of the town that these things be first class. You can get regular Chicago work at Henry Berry's job office, next to Western Union telegraph office. He has always done good work. Don't know any other way to do. Come and see samples.

BINDER TWINE.—If you want Binder Twine don't delay, but come to W. J. Allen's Hardware Store, where the best may be had.

NEED NOT GO TO THE SPRINGS when you can get genuine Kentucky Blue Lick Water at Lindley's Sons for 5c. per glass or 25c. per gallon.

CAKES baked to order, or kept always in stock. Finest materials always used. Best cakes in town, at Volpert's.

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SODA WATER and ICE CREAM, at Volpert's, north side of the public square. Call and try it.

For Hay Rakes, Sulky or Revolving, go to R. L. Winslow.

SAVE MONEY and get the latest designs in Queensware and Glassware at C. H. McPheters' popular grocery store, southeast corner of the square. New supply of Ironstone China and Decorated Ware.

NEED NOT GO TO THE SPRINGS when you can get genuine Kentucky Blue Lick Water at Lindley's Sons for 5c. per glass or 25c. per gallon.

Mrs. MARGARET GREGORY has returned from Louisville, and may be found at her rooms on South College Avenue, by ladies who wish to secure the latest styles in Spring Hats. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call before you buy.

WINSLOW has the best grain drills on the market. See them.

ALL CHOICE groceries that are needed in summer season can be found at the store of Hemp, Wilson, "Progress Block." This house has a first-class reputation for securing gilt-edged produce.

FOR THE CHOICEST Ice Cream, made from purest materials, go to Volpert's, North side Public Square.

**Time Table at Bloomington.**  
In effect May 25th, 1891.  
Day—  
Mail Train North, arrives..... 10:55 a.m.  
Mail Train South,..... 4:00 p.m.  
Night—  
Mail Train North, arrives..... 11:00 p.m.  
Mail Train South,..... 3:40 a.m.  
Accommodation, North,..... 8:30 a.m.  
Accommodation, South,..... 8:25 p.m.  
Louisville Accom., North,..... 9:40 a.m.  
Louisville Accom., South,..... 8:00 a.m.  
CARTER PARKING, Agent.

**The "Good Old Times."**  
A Howard County Man Compares the Present with the Days of His Youth.

Chas. Seward in Kokomo Gazette-Tribune.  
I am a man past three-score and ten, and confined to the house at the present time with infirmities incident to old age. I have been reflecting, while thus confined, over my past life, and in my humble way comparing the days of the present with the days of my boyhood when I was permitted to wear Sunday and other fine clothes made of flax by my father and mother, with such help from my children as we were able to give. We sewed, pulled and rotted the flax. Then father would break it, and mother and I would take a clay-board, sharpen one end and drive it in the ground. Then, with a wooden knife, something in the shape of a common corn knife, we would knock the broken shives from the flax; and, oh, how proud I was when I got so I could dress more of the indispensable article than my mother; and how superlatively grand and proud I was in my new suit, made of this fine material—made of flax and flax-seeds for underwear and the other parts, and perhaps a linen coat, if we had enough flax for it.

Now I wish to say right here, not that I want to mingle in politics, but those were the days of the good old Democratic times when Martin Van Buren and Free Trade was the ruling power. But I am not yet quite done with the story of these good old times. I will remember the voice of that good old mother when the babes were fretful and demanding care and attention. Homespun linen could not be used for every article of babies' clothing. I remember of going to town one day to get a dress for the baby. Before starting, brother and I hunted the shives all over, gathering up the eggs. Eggs were up then, father said, and we must be sure and get all of them. They brought 2 cents a dozen that day, and calico that day was down to 25 cents a yard. A little later, when I could make the baby's dress. So, you see, it only took sixteen dozen and eight eggs to pay for the baby's calico dress. But again, there is another little girl, and she must have a dress, for aunt is coming next Sunday, and I would be too old for her not to have one too. So mother says: "Father, can't you spare some change to get a dress?" With a sigh, he says: "No, Ellen; I have no money; there are hard times here, and you know I tried another plan. Mother says: 'When I don't get more, I will take a few pounds of that flax. It's worth 6 cents a pound. Five pounds will be 30 cents; and I have saved a little over 6 cents.' 'Five pounds is 30 cents.' It took two and a half yards of calico for the dress, or 63 cents. We still lacked 24 cents of having enough for the dress, but after much hunting around we found two and a half pounds of raisins which were worth a cent a pound—and sister got the calico gown for Sunday.

At the prices in these degenerate days of the robber tariff we can sell the above amount of raisins for 24 cents, and we can get 63 cents and can buy the same amount of calico for 24 cents, which we then paid \$1.12 for.

**Southern Exchange.**  
Just received at "Southern's" Exchange, direct from Anaheim, California, one barrel Angelica and one barrel of Port Wine, made in 1887, and warranted pure. Also, a lot of choice California Best Grade of Maple Grove Whiskies, Brandy and Old, which are guaranteed by them to be the best in the market. I also keep Tongue & Tilgner's Malt Scotch Whisky, \$4.25, instead of \$5.00. At Steiger's Tavern, and Thibault & Wagner's keg beer of Lafayette, which has been on sale here for the last 30 years. All these goods will be sold on a small margin. My place of business is one door south of the postoffice, and no business will be done on legal holidays, or on Sundays by the back door, and don't you forget it.

O. SOUDERS.

On the 14th day of September next the Monroe county Fair will begin on the grounds west of the city. From present indications it will be one of the great events in the history of the county. A new half-mile track is one of the improvements that will make the Fair of '91 one of the best in Southern Indiana.

Louisville papers say that both roast and green coffees are being adulterated by the berries manufactured from dough and from a preparation of Holland cheese. A machine, it is claimed, has been made that turns out fine imitations of the coffee grain or berry. It will need to be examined by purchasers.

Thieving has become quite too common in the southeastern portion of the county, and some one will have to answer for it soon. Country stores are rifled, unprotected houses robbed and all manner of petty larceny is indulged in.

Mrs. Jas. Myers of South Walnut street is dangerously sick.

Thos. Whimand is adding two rooms to his residence on west Second street.

Mrs. Rev. Ross returned last Saturday from a six weeks visit in Illinois.

The young people of Mt. Gilred church meet next Thursday evening to organize a young people's prayer meeting.

If your copy of the Progress does not reach you from any cause: a mistake in direction, the tag slipping off, or from any one of the many accidents that may happen, come promptly to the office and get another copy before the week's supply is exhausted.

On Sunday evening Tal. Reeves and wife, of west of town, were driving in a road cart, when the mule that was drawing the vehicle became frightened, ran away and threw out both occupants. Mr. Reeves was seriously bruised about the head, and Mrs. Reeves suffered a fracture of the ulna of the left forearm. Dr. Polts rendered surgical assistance.

**The Rap-tap of the Drum.**  
"Oh, if only blood &胆汁 and I want to get right out." And Jim the blamed procession and wave my hat and shout. On 6th of July especially, when cannon and drum, and stars and stripes streamers on before; Oh! I'd shoulder up my musket—if the President should call For volunteers I'd go right out and face the foe and fall; And I'd want no sweeter music for a funeral requiem. Than rap-tap-tap, rap-tap-tap, than the rap-tap-tap of the drum.

"I remember back in sixties—when I was in the war— When we'd march into the battle and the drum would boom afar, I'd feel my courage fall; and my heart a-standin' still, How the drummer's rattling quickstep would make my falling spirit thrill. I'd cheer it through fire and smoke, through screaming shot and shell. While like the wheat before the sythe around my comrades fell; For all I heard above the din and whirr— 'rin' beffut hum, Was the rap-tap-tap, rap-tap-tap, was the rap-tap-tap of the drum."

### Our Big Fourth.

After a while when it is announced that anything out of the ordinary is to be done in Bloomington, people at a distance will accept the advertisements without investigation, and at once make preparations to attend. Some doubters were foolish enough to question the statements of our 4th of July committee, during the past three weeks, and inferior celebrations or side shows attempted to detract their attention, but, we are pleased to announce, with very little success. Saturday last when the sun rose upon Bloomington, and the glorious bird of freedom flapped his wings over the broad expanse of woodland and meadow in this vicinity, people began to emerge from every byway and highway, so that by ten o'clock the public square and every street that led to it was crowded by a heaped, sweltering mass of humanity. People came that never came before, and people that always came were here in larger numbers. The many and varied features of the celebration were carried out with promptness, and no mistakes or accidents marred the pleasures of the day. Our vigilant and efficient police force, headed by Geo. Owen and Gar. Reeves, quietly but firmly enforced order, and several threatening outbreaks were throttled by the well-directed efforts of these watchful public servants. The crowd is variously estimated at from six to nine thousand people. The numerous lemonade and candy stands did a thriving business, and made a very fair profit on their investments. The balloon ascension was made by Prof. Oscar Williams, and when at a dizzy height he caught his parachute and dropped earthward. The frail support filled with air soon after it was detached from the balloon, and floating gracefully sustained the weight of the aeronaut in a very handsome manner. All the visitors seemed well pleased, and with a few exceptions all remained to witness the fine display of fireworks at night. This was as great a success as the day observations, and it seemed that more people were on the streets than were here during the day. At a late hour, the fireworks having been exhausted, people began to leave town reluctantly, and it was near 2 o'clock Sunday morning before the city began to assume its normal condition of calm and quiet. In no city of its pretensions in Southern Indiana can as successful a celebration be held, and we may say without boasting, that no other city of 5,000 people can equal it in beauty, growth enterprise, or any of the conditions that go to make a city desirable as an abiding place, or a locality in which to do business. Hurrah for the 4th of July! Hurrah for Bloomington! Hurrah for the Progress!

The committee on award to prettiest baby in county, outside of Bloomington, was P. B. Smith, Luther Grimes and Grant Koons. The prize, a gold necklace, was awarded to Temple Bradford, aged 8 months, living at Stanford.

The committee on award to prettiest girl in county, outside of Bloomington, was Theo. J. Loudon, Charles Barnhill and Henry Nuckols. The prize, a silk umbrella, was awarded to Miss Pearl Grimes of Perry township.

The grand parade last Saturday was one of the most successful demonstrations of the kind ever witnessed in Bloomington. It extended from the U. P. church on College Avenue to Second street, and was under the direction and control of Hon. John W. Cravens. The following order was observed: 1st, Marshal; 2d, Fourth of July Committee; 3d, Mechanics' Brass Band; 4th, Fire Department; 5th, Carriage, containing Judge Miers, Mr. and Mrs. Fielden Sexton (bride and groom); 6th, Business Men's Displays; 7th, Plug Uglies; 8th Citizens in Carriages; 9th Colored Brass Band; 10th, Wagon containing 44 little girls, dressed in white and representing the States.

The game of base ball was played between the Showers factory boys, and the "Corner" clothing store nine, and resulted in a score of 20 to 14 in favor of the "Corner" nine.

Bride and groom were entertained at National Hotel for dinner. At 1:30 committee accompanied by Mechanics' band escorted contract-

ing parties to grand stand at southeast corner of square. Judge Miers in a very impressive manner said the words that made them husband and wife. Among others on the stand were several of the children of the bride and groom.

There were a number of very handsome and original displays in the business men's parade that the Progress would take pleasure in mentioning were it not true that all are deserving of praise—so that the singling out of a few for special mention would be an injustice to the others.

Mrs. Renshaw of Louisville was visiting Mrs. Margaret Gregory last week.

Sheriff Farr took Henry Deming to the asylum for the insane at Indianapolis, on Thursday morning last.

The couple married on the 4th was Fielden Sexton aged 50, the father of 6 children, and Mrs. Lydia Carlwell, aged 40, the mother of 5 children.

A young man named Pickercall, one of the Mt. Ebal converts, has become insane, and application has been made for his admission to the asylum. Seems like Monroe county is having more than its share of lunatics.

Wool is coming in freely and brings from 15 to 25c. per lb.

Mort. Whitaker has sold his stock of groceries to Jas. B. Clark, and it is understood that Mr. Clark will take the goods to his room. It is said that George Norman will remove to the Whitaker room with his stock of drugs.

Mrs. Dora Hays of Campbellburg was last week awarded \$4,500 damages against the Monon road in the Orange circuit court for the loss of her husband, an employee of the road, who was killed about a year ago.

The young people of the Christian church and Chas. Ahi as a delegate to the National Y. P. S. C. E. convention at Minneapolis, this week.

Cal. Worrall has bought the Clint. Worrall house on east Kirkwood Avenue, paying \$700. A big bargain.

M. B. Dillon, a well known citizen of Bloomington, was taken sick at about 11 o'clock, Saturday night and died on Sunday night. Mrs. Dillon died about seven weeks ago. Mr. Dillon was up town looking at the fireworks, Saturday night, and was taken sick after his return. His death was caused by obstructed bowels. Deceased was about 65 years of age.

Elder G. W. Alford of Washington, son-in-law of E. E. Shaw of this city, preached next Sunday morning and evening at the Christian church.

Elder Ross recently preached five nights at Mt. Gilred church with twenty additions, eighteen by conversion.

Jesse Mayfield has just finished his new barn on east Fourth street.

Recently a boy baby came to the home of Eld. Griffin and wife.

Till. Mcelford's home was missing from the barn Monday morning.

Some sickness in the city and vicinity, but the undertakers say that hot weather is not good for their business. Very few deaths.

Quite a large number of earnest students are attending the summer school at the University building.

The pastor of the Baptist church, Rev. Mr. Dobbs, went to Cartersville, Ga., last week, to attend the funeral of his sister.

Thirty-five persons were taken into full membership in the College Avenue M. E. church, recently.

Miss Ella M. Perring, a daughter of Alfred Perring, was recently married to Fletcher Bluff. They will remove to Bloomington soon, as Mr. Bluff expects to go into business here.

Miss Ollie Hughes, favorably known here by reason of her natural histrionic ability, is spending the summer with relations in Illinois.

Prof. Weir has been re-elected Superintendent of the Newcastle, Ind. schools. He is visiting relations in Bloomington at present, accompanied by his family.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following named persons since last publication: Samuel W. Snoddy and Lizzie E. Knight, Hiram L. Reed and Lillian A. Spencer, Wm. Vaughn and Lucy Deekard, Jas. F. Bluff and Ella Maria Perring, Edward Mobley and Ida Maloue, Alfred Storms and Sarah Johnson, Fielden Sexton and Lydia Carlwell, Samuel S. Ground and Dossie M. Lifford.

Jacob Bollenbacher and wife of Washington, Ind., are visiting relations in Bloomington.

The ladies of Walnut St. Pres. Church cleared \$75 on the 4th.

Joe Hunter arrived from Washington yesterday, on a short visit to his father and sisters. Joe is not spoiled by success but is the same jolly, friendly boy as of yore.

The militia company is now drilling in Ryan's Hall.

Prof. Gilbert and wife are happy over the birth of a son.

Maj. Mulky was in the city of Chicago a portion of last week.

Isaac Clummas has secured employment in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Blankenship, who is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Martin, is dangerously sick.

Smithville is going to have a new store, Mr. Heston having purchased the Rainbolt stock at Harrodsburg.

The Mitchell Commercial speaks of one of the lady revivalists who formerly preached at Mt. Ebal as Mrs. Scott.

J. O. Howe has purchased Mrs. Lemon's property, on South College Avenue, for \$3,000.

Dr. Fletcher Gardiner has rented a suite of rooms in the rear of Bott's job printing office, and will be ready for practice soon.

It is stated that wheat will average about twenty bushels to the acre in Monroe county.

The wife and two children of John H. Wylie have been visiting the family of J. Frank Fee at Greencastle.

Hiram Lindley is building a handsome five room cottage on his lot on Maple Heights.

Rev. Carson of Ladoga preached at the Walnut St. church last Sunday morning.

Prof. Woodford has a position in the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia.

GREENCASTLE, July 4.—Joe Allen son of the dry goods merchant, was celebrating the Fourth with a can of powder when another boy dropped a fire-cracker into it. Young Allen's face was dreadfully burned, and his eyes closed.

Rev. Pollock of Indianapolis preached the Union Temperance sermon at the Christian church on Sunday evening last.

Grant Bailey of Bedford was on our streets Sunday.

Married, on Sunday night, by Elder Ross, at the residence of Ben. B. Smith in this city, Mr. Pierre Toussant Jett to Mary Coffax Brown, both of Clay City, Ind.

The Horticultural Society will meet at the residence of J. S. Dinwiddie, Wednesday, July 8th. A full attendance is desired.

Sam. Bollenbacher, Geo. Riley and John Harris demonstrated their ability as advertising agents for the 4th of July.

The Harrodsburg Christian church and the South Union church will hold a meeting next Sunday at the Ketchum Sulphur Springs.

Great credit is due the finance committee, who raised the sinews of war to make the glorious 4th a success. Wm. N. Showers and Joe McPheters make a good team.

Josh. Howe traded his house to Mrs. Lemon, in part payment for her residence on South College Avenue, and she will remove as soon as possible.

Mr. Darnell's eye, injured by a piece of stone being projected into it from a crusher, is some better, though he says it may be only "a half an eye" in service, hereafter.

Mr. Hall, engineer of the Monon, was in town last Friday, and made the survey for the turntable at the new switching grounds south of town. It is understood that the work will be put through at once.

It is now stated that the waterworks stand-pipe has been shipped to Bloomington, and that Mr. Starr, the Philadelphia contractor, will arrive in this city of July during the present week.

W. J. Allen received two hay-loaders last week and sold them: one to Ben. I. Owens and the other to Geo. Eakin. Porter Hope-well bought one last year, and it was such a success that others were induced to invest.

Two bridges are needed for 3d street, at Madison, and at a point further east, in order to make that thoroughfare west of College Avenue fit for travel, and a petition is being circulated, asking the county commissioners to assist by a donation in paying the expense. The petition is being generally signed.

Prof. and Mrs. B. W. Everman, late of the Normal faculty, left Terre Haute last night for all time. Mrs. Everman will visit in the north part of the State until Prof. Everman and Prof. O. P. Jenkins return from their summer survey of the rivers in the north-west. Mr. and Mrs. Everman will then go to Washington and Prof. Jenkins will go to Stanford University in California.

The case of the State vs. John Black, for shooting with intent to kill James Goss, near Gosport, is few months ago, was tried before a jury, in the Owen circuit court, last week. The jury, after being out nearly a day, came in with a verdict of guilty and fixed his fine at \$100 and six months imprisonment.

Moses F. Dunn is taking his regular summer vacation of travel. He is now on his way to Alaska.

Peach trees in this locality are loaded with fruit, and the prospect for blackberries was never better.

Rev. Halstead will be returned to the charge in this place, at the unanimous request of the congregation.

Lon. Faulkner of Ellettsville is making arrangements to remove to Bloomington. Ellettsville would find it cheaper to come in a body, as there. Plenty room for new houses here. Best town in the State. Come and fill it up.

The widow and daughter of Leroy Sanders have returned from Ngunne, Mich., where Miss Bay-trice has been teaching school. They are staying with relations in Worthington.

Thousands of people were here last Saturday from Nashville, Spencer, Bloomfield and Martinsville, and they left for their homes at an early hour Sunday morning full of praise of the greatest 4th of July town in Southern Indiana.

Next 4th of July the town will be hanging full of incandescent electric lights, 1,000 of which have already been ordered.

The threshers are busy and they find where it was said there would be none.

John Beers is spending a few days with his mother in this city.

Miss Lena Sibert has returned from Tennessee where she has been visiting for several months.

Mrs. Eokner of Lyports is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Will. Robertson, west of town.

Mrs. Brown Wylie is spending her vacation in this city with her children at Dr. Wylie's.

Miss Juliette Maxwell is in Chicago attending a school of physical culture.

Mrs. Shreks is going to try the water and baths at Spencer, for rheumatism.

Miss Cora Dodds expects to go sometime soon with some friends in Chattanooga, to Saratoga, to spend several weeks.

Misses Belle and Lucy Maxwell are going to Philadelphia soon to join Mrs. Philpott, and they will all go from there to Ocean Grove, N. J., where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Ryors will leave the last of this week for Athens and Palmetto, Ohio, where she will visit a sister and other friends for several weeks.

M. H. O. D. and his little daughter, Sallie, spent the 4th in Aurora, Ind., with her grandmother Edwards.

Will. Dunn, of Island No. 10, Tennessee, is visiting his mother and other relations.

Mrs. Caroline Coffin will accompany her son, Chas. E. Coffin, and family on a trip to the seashore.

Ollie Barton and wife are spending several weeks with relations at Kokomo and Chicago.

Mrs. Ewing Batterton and Mrs. Mart. Alexander are going to Spencer next week to spend ten days or two weeks.

Kirk. Miers has gone to Greensburg on a visit to relations.

Sim. Need and wife left Bloomington on Wednesday last for Leavenworth, Mo., where they will visit a cousin, Mr. Blackwood.

Benj. McGee and wife went to Spencer the first of this week, in order to be there in time for church in the evening. They expect to remain at the Sanitarium a week or two, and we trust, will return vastly benefited by their stay.

John C. Delan was looking at the Fourth of July from a position in Jackson Park, Chicago, last week. The glorious 4th is a great institution in the Exposition city.

Joe Smith is building up an excellent reputation in Bloomington and vicinity by reason of the first-class bicycles he is supplying. Many of the best machines that run upon our streets were ordered for the present owners by Smith. Call and see him—he can suit you in quality, style and price.

Henry Simons and Frank Simons are the principals at the "Corner" clothing store. These gentlemen are kind, accommodating and ever anxious to please patrons. They do everything in their power to accommodate those who require their services. Then in this store you will meet Cravens, Zaring and Hall among the salesmen, and they try to rival their principals in showing courtesy to customers. When you go to the "Corner" you will always be treated well. Remember this store is run by H. T. Simons & Co., and is on "The Corner."

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