

## Republican Progress

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THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE PROGRESS IS NOW IN THE FRAME BUILDING JUST WEST OF THE BURNED BLOCK.

## REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.

On Saturday, March 24th, at 1 p.m., in the court room, the Republicans of Bloomington tp. will meet to select candidates as follows: one Trustee, one Assessor, three Justices of the Peace, three Constables.

On Saturday, April 7th, at 10 o'clock a.m., the Republicans of Perry tp. will meet at the brick school house, and select candidates as follows: one Trustee, one Assessor, three Justices of the Peace, two Justices and two Constables.

## The Republican Central Committee.

The following are members of the Monroe County Republican Central Committee:

Bean Blossom Township—Wm. Brown, Jas. Davis, C. C. Dunn, Wm. H. McHenry, Thomas Wampler.

Washington Township—Thomas J. Farr, Thomas Robison, Richard Brown, McI. Robertson, John John Harker.

Marion Township—Howard Farr, Fred T. Harker, Miles R. Wedde, Andrew Cook, John Tomy.

Benton Township—Wm. L. Adams, George Welch, Charles Barnhill, Wm. Peterson.

Bloomington Township—Wm. F. Browning, Wm. T. Hicks, Jas. B. Wilson, A. T. Mosey, W. B. Hughes, Jas. Blatt, Isaac P. Hope, Ben. F. Adams jr., H. V. Eagleton, Enoch Fuller, Wm. T. Blair, Wilson Adams, Russell White, Ernest Odle, Jos. G. McPhee, John T. Woodward, Doc. Wilson, W. A. Gale, Walter Bradgate, L. Van Buskirk, Wm. A. Rice and Geo. D. Thornton.

Richland Township—Nathan R. Matson, Geo. W. Faulkner, Wm. Mason, Wm. Reeves, Dow Woodall, James Whisland.

Van Buren Township—John T. Eller, Frank K. Jones, Jas. Eaton, Peter Thresher and Wm. Reed.

Ferry Township—Ren. C. Smith, Henry F. Dillman, John Miles, Abe Donldson, Joseph Linzey, Roger Kerr, W. M. Alexander, Isaac Sutphin.

Polk Township—John P. Sciscone, Jno. Carson, John Michener, John Eads and James Sexton.

Salt Creek Township—Geo. Streeton, Fred Fender, Monroe Miller, Nathan Hill and Wm. Pfriemel.

Clear Creek at Smithville—Silas Grimes, E. F. Bennett, John P. Harrell, J. P. Fowler.

Clear Creek at Harrodsburg—John C. Clay, John T. Nance, Isaac Mitchell, Jos. S. Woodward and George Smith.

Indian Creek Township—John F. Matthews, Thomas Cunningham, John Jones Jr., Elmer Walker and George East.

It turns out that Mr. Blaine's wealth, as is usually the case, was very much overestimated. He was generally supposed to be worth more than \$1,000,000, and in campaign times was accused of several millions. But his estate will not amount to much more than \$400,000, mostly in real estate.

What effect will the Wilson bill have on the business interests of the country? This is a question which is uppermost in the public mind at present. The Presidents of the Chambers of Commerce at New York, Boston, San Francisco and New Orleans have set forth their views on the subject in a timely and important symposium entitled "Home Industries and the Wilson Bill" that will appear in the March number of the North American Review.

A Kansas paper has a long article on George Washington's life and achievements and then in absolute dictionary words plots his death as follows:

"We now come to the closing and the saddest part of this sketch—Washington's death, which occurred when he should have been considered but little past the prime of life. He loved to be without fault at all seasons, and rode over his plantation on a snowy day, when the ground was woody, which caused him to groan. It was something like a spasm, or some acute affection of the hulse. Instead of administering treatment to make him exert, the physicians phlebotomized him, which was no use. He became rapidly worse, and continued to grow stony, until he ceased to aspire, and all hope of re-vival was abandoned."

No man with a bit of self-respect could afford to live after that, so George, in a very orderly and quiet manner, went off and died.

Ind. Sun: Ten days ago the young women who study the fashions in advance of the seasons, and afterward become trimmers in the retail stores, came to the city in considerable number for their schooling. There are about one hundred of them now, at Fahy & McCrea's, and those at Griffith Bros. and the Indianapolis Millinery Company will make the total about two hundred.

Real Estate Transfers, Furnished by Jas. W. Jackson, Recorder. [For deeds and mortgages, correctly executed, call at Recorder's office.]

W H Scales to Dillon Talbot, 32 acres in Washington tp. \$400.

Albert Patten to J L Duncan, lot 15, 1/2 acre, \$200.

Jas. Williams to G D Thornton, lot 24, Fairview.

University Park Land Co to G W Walker, lots 24, 49 and 50.

Anna Woodward to Walter Parks lot 17, East & Marshall add.

Henry Myers to R J Bruner, 50 acres in Salt Creek tp. \$900.

C V Vanhook to C V Ottimore, 5,000 acres in Bean Blossom tp. \$1,300.

W A Fulmer, lot 5, 7 1/2, Prospect.

Jas. S Williams to S & B Stone Co, 5 acres in Bean Blossom tp. 10,000.

## The Application Denied.

[Indianapolis Standard.]

Judge Baker, on Feb. 26th, heard arguments in the application for the appointment of a receiver for the Bloomington water works. The application was made by Charles E. Coon of New York, who holds the promissory note of the water works company people for \$3,500. It appears that the water works company and the city of Bloomington are made defendants in the suit, while the property for which it is asked that a receiver be appointed is in the possession of the contractors who constructed it. Judge Claypool of this city and Attorney Duncan of Bloomington appeared for the plaintiff and W. H. Miller and Ferdinand Winter for the defendants. Judge Baker refused to issue the order appointing the receiver and gave the plaintiff leave to file an amended complaint within fifteen days, and the defendants leave to respond within fifteen days thereafter.

The Judge announced that he regarded the water works property ample to satisfy all the liens on it, and where such a condition existed he did not believe a receiver should be appointed.

Who are the most famous writers and artists of both continents? The Cosmopolitan magazine is endeavoring to answer this inquiry by printing a list from month to month in its contents pages. This magazine claims that notwithstanding its extraordinary reduction in price, it is bringing the most distinguished names of Europe and America to interest its readers, and in proof of this claim submits the following partial list of contributors for the five months ending with February: Valdes, Howells, Paul Heyse, Franscise Sarcey, Robert Grant, John J. Ingalls, Lyman Abbott, Frederick Mason, Agnes Repplier, J. G. Whittier, (posthumous), Walter Besant, Mark Twain, St. George Mivart, Paul Bourget. How this is done for \$1.50 a year the editors of The Cosmopolitan only know.

The pork packing firm of Coffin, Fletcher & Co. of Indianapolis received an order last week for ten car loads of pure lard for export to Hamburg, Germany. It was shipped via Big Four and Kankakee despatch to New Port News then via Barber steamship line across the Atlantic.

DOWN ON HERESY.—"I wish these missionaries didn't vary so much," said King Kannable, as he swallowed his portion of the roast. "I wish so, too," said Queen Kannable, "but there are so many brands of Presbyterians these days it's hard to tell what to order."

The latest novelty is Etching. It is a harmless liquid. Paint it over a picture in a paper or magazine, put paper over the picture, rub with the finger or a spoon and, lo, you have a reproduction of the cut. It's great fun for children and it's useful, too. If good ink is used on the original picture as many as three reproductions can be taken from it.

In thirty counties of this State, by no means the largest, there have been reported, in answer to a circular sent out by the G. A. R. committee on State Soldiers' Asylums, 180 soldiers in work houses, poor houses, etc. Besides, the Posts are keeping members from applying for public charity by their assistance. And yet Hoke Smith wants to take away the pensions!

Mrs. Ernest Bicknell and two daughters, of Gas City, are the guests of E. E. Sluss, west 6th st.

Wm. Cowden was the lucky bidder for the big ditch in Bean Blossom tp., at nine cents per foot.

Wm. and Jas. Showers have gone to Louisville and Cincinnati on business connected with their factory.

An early Easter this year in March. Better secured supply of onion sets.

A chemist at Indianapolis has patented a process for manufacturing chloroform and says that he can make it to sell at 10c. per pound. Sells now for 50c.

Mrs. Walter Bradford and daughter are visiting at Sheridan, Ind., where Samuel Wallingford resides.

Rev. Givler, an eloquent former pastor of the M. E. church will lecture on Thursday night in the church, by invitation. He is accompanied by his wife. He is located in New York at present. Mrs. J. O. Howe of west 6th st. will entertain them while here.

Jennie—"Papa, our cook must be very good."

Papa—"Why, my dear?"

Jennie—"It said, in my lesson, last Sunday, that the wicked shall not live out half their days, and our cook says she has lived out all her life."

There is a better chance to live the full limit of three-score and ten if you will take South American Nervine after the grip. It is a great tonic, and is sold by Faris Bros., importers agents.

Born to H. S. Headley and wife, north of town, a son; to Wesley Barrow and wife, north of town, a daughter; to Mr. Larkins and wife, of Victor, a daughter; to W. P. Puett and wife, west of town, a daughter.

A house on west 2d street was burned last Sunday morning at 1:30 o'clock. It belonged to John Taylor, and was unoccupied, the tenant having vacated it on Saturday morning. Some persons had been dancing and carousing around in the house during the early hours of the night, and the fire is attributed to some of the "hot" people who participated. Insured for \$400. Loss total.

—Camillus Clay of Richland tp., an old and well known citizen of the county, died on Friday last. He was about 80 years of age.

J. M. Calahan is the lucky competitor as an essayist on the "Coming Nation," the decision having been rendered by Edward Bellamy.

—Next meeting of the Republican central committee, on March 17th. The meeting last Saturday was one of the largest ever held at the Wm. W. Owen, one of the most eloquent orators in the State. There will be fuller announcement of this meeting next week.

—Henry Gentry will begin early this spring to remodel the west end of his building, corner of 5th street and the Avenue. The part occupied by the Bass and May barber shop will be built up two or three stories, and the hall occupied by the Red Men will be cut up into office rooms.

—The K. D. social at the M. E. church Friday night was a success in every way. Wall, Panley rendered a solo, a "variety" number was given by Mr. Wilhite, the guitar and mandolin were handled artistically by Messrs. Spencer and Mumford, two solos were sung by Miss Elsie Mason, while Miss Perry pleased the audience with a recitation that evinced decided talent as an elocutionist. The receipts were \$25 for charity.

—Miss Margaret King and W. B. Adamson were married at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. R. Perdue in Bedford, Short, of Springville, officiating.

Miss King was born and raised in Monroe county, and has a large circle of acquaintances and friends who wish that great joy may come to her. Mr. Adamson is a well known farmer of Lawrence county, and of all who know him, he will not want for those who wish that every future day of his life may be happier than even March the 1st, 1894. The bride and groom were recipients of many useful and beautiful presents, and after partaking of an excellent dinner, took the train for their home near Springville.

F. P. TURNER, Co. Supt.

—Latest word from M. F. Dunn is to the effect that his physicians have no hope of his recovery.

—Looks very much like spring has come—cold waves are reported, but they veer off and do not reach us. Long may they continue to veer.

—There will be a grand mass Republican meeting on March 31, at which a speech will be delivered by Hon. Wm. D. Owen, one of the most eloquent orators in the State. There will be fuller announcement of this meeting next week.

—Bloomington is taking on city airs. The hucksters drive through the back streets singing "all-purposes," "tattoos," "hoo-nah-noos," while Sunday parades are beginning to be indulged in with great frequency. Go away, you Bedford folks—yours is no city.

—W. H. EAST, Attorney. Probate business given special attention. Will collect claims and make loans. Office on north side square, up-stairs.

C. R. WORRALL, Attorney, pension business a leading specialty; will practice in all courts; office over the Eagle Clothing store, west side square.

JAMES F. MORGAN, Attorney at Law, office on north side of Public Square, in old fire Hive Block. Is giving his whole time to probate business practice. Will practice in all the courts.

H. A. LEE, Attorney, office over Express office, west side square.

WILSON & HATFIELD, Attorneys. Office over Iliff's drug store, west side of square. Will practice in all courts, and give special attention to probate business and collections.

J. B. FILBERT, Attorney at law. Office over Iliff Bros dry goods store. Does a general probate and collecting business. Will practice in all the courts.

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W. W. PRABODY, Vice President.

O. P. McCARTY, Gen. Pass. Agent.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10th, 1894.

between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. of said day at the door of the court house in Bloomington, Monroe county, Indiana, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding seven years, the following real estate, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section eighteen 1/4 township seven 7 north range two east, containing one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, according to Government survey.

If such rents and profits will not sell for a sufficient sum to satisfy said defendant, the plaintiff, Frank A. Hale, William R. Trasher and J. G. Henderson are defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Eleven Hundred and Sixty Dollars and Thirty-three Cents (\$116.33), with interest on said decree and costs. I will expose at public sale, to the highest bidder, on

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