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Representative, GEORGE W. ALLISON  
Prov. Attorney, JOHN E. EDMONDSON

### COUNTY:

Sheriff, WILSON ADAMS  
Clark, JOHN T. WOODWARD  
Treasurer, JOSSEPH S. WOODWARD  
Recorder, JAMES W. JACKSON  
Coroner, DR. JOSEPH M. ROGERS  
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### THE FARMERS' FRIEND

Of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Is one of the best papers of its class in the State, and should be taken by every family that resides on a farm. To any of our agricultural friends who pay \$1.50 cash in advance subscription to the "Progress," the Farmers' Friend will be sent free for one year. This is in advance, and full \$1.50 subscription, remember.

Representative Wilson is going abroad. He will doubtless be given a very cordial welcome in England.

The Democrats are already beginning to brag about what they are going to do in the future. It is too late. The party has had its opportunity and failed to make it.

The Inter Ocean estimates the annual tax per family for the benefit of the sugar trust at \$6.50. Probably the Democrats expect a proportionate campaign contribution from the Havemeyers.

Republicans must win fifty-two seats in order to control the next House. As the Democrats gained over eighty in the election of 1890 the Republicans will pull through all right with good nominations and a full vote.

Among the acts of the session relating to the military, none was more important than the plan fathered by Representative Curtis, of New York, which recently became a law, regulating enlistments in the regular army upon new principles, most important of which are that recruits in time of peace must be citizens of the United States, or having declared their intention of becoming citizens, must be able to read, write and speak the English language and be under thirty years of age. To promote the efficiency of the naval militia, a comparatively new branch of the volunteer service, Congress authorized the temporary loan to any State making application for it of any vessel of the navy which was not fitted for regular service.

Fred. Harrer, who many years ago kept a bakery where Benckari is now located, died at Spencer last Saturday, aged 70 years. The remains were buried in Rose Hill cemetery, this place.

Born to Jack Pope and wife, a son; to John Campbell and wife, east 7th street, a son; to Morton Adams and wife, east of town, a daughter; to John Prince and wife, east of town, a daughter; to Thos. Burch and wife, Harmony, a son; to Wm. Eaton and wife, east of town, a daughter; to B. T. Ranard and wife, west of town, a son.

## The Eagle.

New Goods  
Constantly  
Arriving.

## The Eagle.

The Finest  
Line of  
Fall Styles  
In SHIRTS  
Just In.

## The Eagle

In Closing Out  
All Broken Lots  
In All Lines.

For Bargains  
Call For  
Broken Lots.

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## THE EAGLE.

J. W. SIMMONS & CO.  
WEST SIDE SQUARE.

Saturday night some one stole the porcelain letters from the window of William Mather's Turkish bath rooms, at Washington-st. and Capitol-ave.

Yesterday a man went to the place and did the job of putting the letters on the window in the place of those which had been stolen. Mather became suspicious and asked the man where he expected to get the letters, as none could be purchased here. The man said he made a business of doing such work and had plenty of letters on hand. He was given the work and started away after the letters, followed by Mather, who traced him to a lumberry yard, where he saw the man take the letters which had been stolen from his window from under a pile of lumber. Mather hurried back to his place of business and after allowing the man to place the letters back on the window again called the police and had him arrested. At the police station he gave the name of John Marsh and his home Louisville.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Some Bloomington artist in this line has been depredating upon the store windows. Ed. Whetsell had a big "E" stolen from his name on the window twice, and then concluded to let the public guess at it. An "E" was also taken from the porcelain sign on the Bee Hive windows, and other business men complain of like vandalism. Perhaps the thief is laying in a supply of porcelain letters for the fall trade.

—The North American Review for September contains, among other timely papers, three valuable articles on the relations of "China and Japan in Korea" written by three men especially qualified to deal with the question: The Hon. Augustine Heard, late United States Minister to Korea; Durham White Stevens, Counselor of the Japanese Legation at Washington, and Howard Martin, Ex-Secretary of the United States Legation at Pekin.

—Prof. McCaughan has gone to Kokomo, Ind., where he will be superintendent of the schools.

—Alex. Robison expects to leave Bloomington with his family for Knoxville, Tenn., this week.

—Ray Sears, Albert Rogers and Tom Baker, all sick with typhoid fever, are said to be improving.

—Miss Maude Carmichael gave a party to her young friends at her father's home, west 6th street, Friday night.

—The Big Fair will begin on Sept. 11th, and every man in the County should be getting ready for it.

—The State convention of the Knights of Maecabees meets this week in Ft. Wayne. W. J. Leas of this place is representative from the local lodge.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the M. E. church was entertained on Thursday night last by Miss Pearl Need at her home on south College Avenue.

—Miss Anna McDermott has returned from an all-summer stay in Carthage, Ills., with Miss Strader.

—Miss Kate Edmunds, (sister of Mrs. Walter Lindley) will be married next week at Indianapolis.

James F. T. Sergeant.

—Wm. Burford, the electrician of west 6th street, has secured the contract for putting in wires for the new college building.

—A DEAD TOWN.—If there is anything of which Greenastle has reason to feel proud, it is her beautiful city of the dead.—Greenastle Banner.

—Harry, son of Wm. Johnston of the quarry company, is attending the Manual Training School at Chicago. He is fitting himself for a civil engineer.

—H. T. Simmons has been taking mud baths at Indian Springs.

Mrs. Brodix returned with him, having been there about a month.

—The old settlers' meeting at Georgetown, last Saturday drew a large crowd of people. Judge Duncan of this city gave the leading address.

—Mrs. Alice Volpert and two nieces will leave on Wednesday for Chicago, where Mrs. Volpert will visit her sister and mother during the next four weeks.

—Walter Hinds will have completed his three years in the regular army on the 18th, and may return home then. He is tuba player in the regimental band.

—The new tariff law places diamonds on the free list. This is a grand thing for the poor man, for if there is anything he needs just now it is diamonds.

—I. Milt. Rogers and J. H. Garrison are 128 years of age, and in commemoration of the fact that each gentleman was 64 on Saturday, they took dinner together at the National Hotel as is their custom each year.

—Franklin Lodge of K. of P. will have a handsome new lodge room in the building to be erected by the Buskirk heirs, south side of the square. A third story is to be built for the lodge, the room to be 90 feet in length by 40 feet in breadth; a lease to be taken for twelve years at \$225 per year.

—Changes on grapes have been made as follows:

Best plate Catawbas, 50c

Concords, 50c

Moors Early, 50c

Niagara, 50c

I. U. Seeling, 50c

Any other kinds, 50c

Each plate to consist of not less than six bunches. The premium for the best twelve varieties has been stricken out.

—Mrs. D. T. Raley, who has been sick for about twelve months with consumption, died on Saturday morning at the family residence, corner of 7th and Lincoln streets. She was the second daughter of Sheriff Adams, and was aged about 36 years. A husband and four little children mourn her loss. The funeral services were held in College Avenue M. E. church, Sunday afternoon, Rev'ds Steele and Reed officiating.

### LAST DAYS OF POMPEII.

Citizens of Indianapolis have, at a great cost, arranged to present Pain's New Spectacle, "The Last Days of Pompeii," in Indianapolis, Sept. 3d, to 22d. The production eclipses any previous theatrical entertainment offered to Indianapolis.

The spectacular features embrace a reproduction of the ancient city immortalized by Lord Lytton. "The Last Days of Pompeii."

The magnificent temples, dwellings, and bath-houses are presented in all their grandeur on a stage 300 feet in length and 10,000 yards of scenery on iron work and canvas is used in the spectacle.

An artificial lake, 75 by 250 feet in length, filled with Pompeian flotillas, and 300 performers, men, women and children, are engaged in the gorgeous pageant.

Upon a vast stage, on which is enacted this open-air drama, will be seen in picturesque groups the temple of Vespasian, the bath-houses, the temple of Neptune, and towering above, the fearful mountain, still the admiration but the secret terror of all Europe—sleeping Vesuvius.

One of the grandest scenes in this out-door presentation of "The Last Days of Pompeii," is the eruption of Vesuvius. The mountain pours forth

flame,

smoke,

molten lava

pours over the historic city,

quakes shatter the temples and dwellings, and the tramp of spectators effect reached in a realistic destruction of Pompeii, realizing Lord Lytton's graphic description of the appalling catastrophe.

Successing comes a feature sure

to delight and instruct thousands.

A gorgeous display of aerial and aquatic fire-works, produced by Messrs. Pain and Company, leading pyrotechnists of the world, and highly exhibitions are given under the personal supervision of Henry J. Pain.

There is seating capacity for 10,000 people. The general admission is 50 cents, reserved seats, 75 cents; box seats, \$1.00; children, 25 cents.

The production is given in Lincoln Park, corner of 16th street and Central Avenue.

### WOW!

The New Orleans Picayune argues

that the demand for irrigation

water in the West will eventually

become so great that the

whole Missouri river will be drain-

ed and the bed of the Mis-

souri transformed into dust.

The flow of the Mississippi wa-

ter to the Gulf of Mexico will

eventually be so great and the

volume so large that the waters of the Gulf will rise and entirely

submerge the doomed city of New

Orleans.

All the inhabitants will be

drowned except the individual

who made the prophecy, with re-

gard to the waters of the Missouri.

He will be preserved through that

incurable manifestation of Prov-

idence which spares drunkards

and fools.

J. B. Wilson is announced to

speak at Nashville, on Sept. 13th.

—There are four lumber yards

in town now, and holes punched

for others.

—Mrs. Ella Bowman has re-

turned from Ohio where for the

past six weeks she has been visit-

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