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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.

—Although 1,440 pension claims were submitted to the Senate and House during the session just closed, but 156 cases were reported back from the committees, and of these only thirteen were finally passed upon by Congress. Of these, eight related to soldiers of the late war and five to those of other wars. One of those granted was to the widow of a Democrat who was a brigadier general, and, although in comfortable circumstances, she was voted \$100 a month.

Grabbing the School Fund.

Deputy Attorney General Wallace, of Green Smith's force, was in the city Friday and Saturday seeking the unexpended state tuition balances in the hands of the Putnam township trustees. In a talk with Mr. Wallace Saturday he furnished the *Banner Times* the township amounts due which are as follows: Madison, \$69.82; Jackson, \$82.05; Warren, \$403.76; Marion, \$5.98; Franklin, \$175.58; city of Greencastle, \$140.80. These amounts are what remain of the state tuition fund in the hands of the township trustees in excess of \$100 as provided by the law the attorney general is working under. Green Smith gets twenty per cent. of the amount so collected and his rake off on Putnam's funds will be, if he gets the city amount, \$417.60. This will go to enrich the Democratic attorney general and it seems that all the law was passed for. The funds collected will be reapportioned and redistributed in January, but it is doubtful whether any of it will escape the ravages of the Indianapolis crowd that will handle it.—Greencastle Banner.

—James C. Robinson has sold a half interest in his west side grocery store to Lawson Faris, who for number of years has been his most trusted salesman. Mr. Robinson has always felt free to leave his business with Mr. Faris at any time, knowing that it would be as jealously guarded and as faithfully looked after as if he were himself behind the counters. There is no uncertainty about Faris' success.

—Jesse Overstreet, Republican candidate for Congress in this district, is making an active canvas. He is an energetic and untiring worker and will be heard from frequently, and to some purpose.

We wish to say

That we have the neatest line of neckwear ever yet displayed by us. A fine line of 25c. goods, the popular small knot. A fine line of 50c. goods, from Wilson Bros., of Chicago.

We wish to tell you

That the sale of our SLIM SUITS has surpassed our greatest expectations. If you are SLIM come to us and get the only ready made fit you ever had.

We wish you to know

That we have an unparalleled stock of boys' and children's clothing. School suits in great variety. Combination knee pants suits, a grand school outfit for the boys. Prices right. You can depend upon it.

We wish you to try us.

THE EAGLE,
J. W. SIMMONS & CO.,
WEST SIDE SQUARE.

FAIR NOTES.

Bring 25 ears of yellow corn to the fair and get \$1.

If you have a big pumpkin, bring it to the fair and get \$1.00 for it.

—Go to the Fair and take the family, if you wish to see something that you will always remember.

Bring a bushel of oats to the fair and get \$2 for it. It is better than selling your oats at 25 cents per bushel.

Bring 25 ears of white corn to the fair and get \$1. Pick them out and lay them away, you have just as good corn as anybody else. Get a catalogue.

Boys, boys, boys: Don't forget that the Big Bloomington Fair offers \$25 for the bicycle race one-half mile, best two in three heats.

—The rule in all departments of the Big Bloomington Fair is where there is no competition you will get either the first or second premium, as the merit of your entry deserves.

It will pay every man who has a good bushel of wheat to bring it to the fair. They will give you \$5 if you have the best, and \$2.50 for the second best. This is better than selling your wheat at 45 cents a bushel.

There will be an old-fashioned slow mule race this year with the riders changed. Bring on your mules and let us make this one the funniest and best things at the fair grounds. The fair offers \$5.00 premium.

Rules as to entry fee have changed as follows: In all entries in all departments, where the first premium is less than one dollar, no entry fee is charged. But in all entries where the first premium is one dollar or more, the entry fee is 10 per cent. on first premium.

—The Sheep Department with Mr. A. Rogers as superintendent. The premiums are increased over last year and remember the rule is, this year, you get a premium whether there is any competition or not.

—The Cattle Department, with H. D. Headley as Superintendent, is the most complete of any County Fair in Indiana. Get a premium list. Awards given by an expert. Remember you get a premium whether there is competition or not.

—The Hog Department, under Wm. A. Rogers, is larger and better than ever. Premiums are given on all breeds and grades of hogs, and you can get a premium whether there is any competition or not.

—For the first time in ten years the Fair offers premiums for the following exhibits: old-fashioned ginger bread, doughnuts, graham bread, cider, sorghum molasses, sorghum sugar, all kinds of wine and old-fashioned pumpkin butter and many other different items. Get a catalogue of the Secretary, C. R. Worrall, or drop him a card and he will send you one.

Premiums on grapes have been changed as follows:

Best plate Catawba, 50c
" Concord, 50c
" Moore's Early, 50c
" Niagara, 50c
" I. U. Seedling, 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.

—R. C. Foster accompanied John McCalla this week to Indianapolis, where he placed him on a through train for Cleveland, O., where his daughter, Mrs. Harris, resides.

—Ben. Moree and William Oliver were taken to the insane asylum Monday by John W. Cravens and Everett Adams.

—College Avenue M. E. church Sunday school elected the following officers Sunday for the coming year: Superintendent Charles Simons; Assistant Supt., S. E. Carmichael; Secretary, Pearl Need; Treasurer, Waldo Vanzandt; Librarian, Jackson Denton; Chorister, Mary Hinden and Homer Wooley.

—By an act of our late congress, 4th class postmasters are authorized to administer oaths to take acknowledgement of the pecuniaries to their pension vouchers, the same as a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. The postmaster uses the stamp of his office for his seal.

—The Board of Trustees of the M. E. church has adopted the following resolution in reference to the return of Rev. Steele to the pastorate here:

Resolved, That this quarterly conference hereby expresses its appreciation of his earnest effort to promote the cause of the church, and that we do hereby endorse his administration of the affairs of church during the present year and hereby petition, the Bishop presiding at the annual session of the Indiana Conference to be held in Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 23-25, to return him to us for another year.

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

Elizabeth Wilson to Carrie C. Hughes, wife lots 5 and 6, city, \$1,000. John C. Delan to Ben F. Lager, lot 10 and 12, Dolan add. 500.

Louisa Moritz to Dora Polley, lot 8, Walnut Grove. 800.

Jacob W. Kirk to Geo W. Kirk, 40 acres in Indian Creek. 300.

Thos M. Coyle to John W. Worley, 22 acres in Van Buren. 250.

Mary H. Howe to Mary B. Howe, lot 35, Hunter add. 3,000.

Mary H. Howe to Mary B. Howe, 200 acres in Van Buren. 3,000.

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