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THURSDAY, JAN. 8, 1891.

This Date in History—Jan. 8.  
1642—Death of Galileo Galilei, born 1564.  
1733—Death of Sir Thomas Burnett, son of Gilbert, judge and political writer.  
1770—Death of John Baskerville, printer; born 1706.  
1787—Death of Sir William Draper, controversial writer; born 1721.  
1812—Birth of General Andrew Jackson, British, defeated, with a loss of over 1,000 in killed and wounded.  
1821—Birth of James Longstreet, Confederate Lieutenant general.  
1830—Born at Dresden Hans Guido von Buxow, musical composer.  
1820—Death of Lieut. Thomas Waghorn, originator of overland route, born 1804.

NEW ROSS  
P. M. Brown was at the Capital on Wednesday.

George Brown was at your city on Wednesday.

Jas. Higgins transacted business in Lebanon Monday.

The meetings continues at the M. E. church with one addition.

There will be a grand sale of fine stallions here Feb. 10. Poca Eagle is billed for sale.

Rev. N. S. McCallum will begin a series of meetings at the Christian church Wednesday evening, Jan. 21.

J. S. Zuck, of your city, enroute for Clark county, was delayed on account of the weather. He returned home in the evening.

Forty persons attended the tin wedding of Matt Rettlinger Wednesday. A grand dinner was served in style and everyone enjoyed himself.

Yesterday morning as the local freight on the Big Four was pulling over the Midland crossing, a Midland freight dashed into it just amidships, knocking two cars from the track and derailing two others. The Midland engine reared into the air like a living monster and dropped over on its back completely demolished. No one was seriously hurt, but the Midland engineer, Michael Bush was seriously bruised. In consequence trains on both roads were delayed some time. The wreck train on the Big Four worked till in the night clearing away the debris. Both tracks are now clear and business is resumed.

WESLEY.  
The school here had but three days holidays.

W. A. Swank spent Sunday with friends here.

Jasper Brown, of Malott, is working for John Moeser.

The devotional meetings of the Epworth League occur every Sunday evening at the church. All invited to attend.

J. W. Remley and F. M. Shanklin represented the local Epworth League in its district convention at Danville, Ind., last week.

A. S. Shanklin, of Roberts Chapel, was surprised very agreeably by his many friends on last Tuesday, the occasion being his 66th birthday. Mr. Shanklin has been all his life an earnest and untiring worker at Roberts Chapel, but he lately sold his farm and home and contemplates moving away, where he has not yet determined, so his friends to the number of 60 thought this a fit occasion of showing him their respect, good will and appreciation of his services. Rev. J. M. Stanford expressed the sentiments of the assembly in a short speech, which was responded to by Mr. Shanklin, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vance, his son-in-law and daughter, of Hopewell, Ill., were present, and all wished him the greatest of happiness in his remaining life.

BROWN'S VALLEY.  
School commenced here Monday morning.

John Patton, of Richmond, is visiting T. F. Patton.

Dave McLeod has returned to school at Green castle.

Scott Fullenwider returned Tuesday morning to School.

Rev. Hickman, of the Petit trial, was in the Valley Sunday.

John Williams has returned home from a visit in Kentucky.

The new organ for the Baptist church here arrived Wednesday.

Pine Todd has gone to Crawfordville again to take music lessons.

Miss Lizzie Suman, of Crawfordville, is visiting her sister Mrs. Clay Gott.

Rev. Kendall has commenced the meeting here to continue some time.

Quite a crowd were in attendance at the mask at Mr. Wilkerson's last Thursday.

Albert Swindler has gone back to his duties at the blind school at Indianapolis.

T. J. Sidener and Minnie Litter, of new Crawfordville, visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Clara Hadley and Dola Parsons, of Plainfield, visited relatives here during holidays.

Edgar Allen's horse run away Sunday afternoon, throwing him and Jim Patterson out but not seriously injuring them.

## INDIANA.

Democratic Caucus Choose Legislative Officers—Other News.

### Census Nominations.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 8.—The contest for the official positions in the Indiana General Assembly which will begin its biennial session to-day was brought to an end by the Democratic caucus Wednesday. The successful candidates were the following named persons: Speaker of the House of Representatives, Mason J. Niblack, of Vincennes; clerk, Thomas Newkirk of Rushville; assistant clerk, Charles E. Crawley, of Sullivan; doorkeeper, Frank D. Helmuth; secretary of the Senate, D. H. Fenton, of Hammond; assistant secretary, George E. Pleasant, of Vevay; doorkeeper, O. T. Wells, of Indianapolis.

The contest for the speakership was very close. Niblack defeated Curtis, of this city, by a majority of only one. He was the speaker of the last House, and it was supposed that as there had been no opposition to him until a few days ago his re-election would be by a large majority. The most surprising result of the contest, however, was the election of Fenton as secretary of the Senate. He came here from Hammond almost unknown, and his candidacy was regarded as presumptuous. He soon showed, however, that he knew a few things about politics, and he came out victorious in a contest with the best men before him in the legislature as candidates.

The Democratic members of the Senate have determined to take into their own hands the appointment of the standing committees. They fear that the Republican Lieutenant-Governor's selections will not be satisfactory. They have appointed a committee of nomination of committees, with Senator Griffith as chairman.

Indiana's representation at the world's fair was considered, and it was decided that there should be created a committee on the Columbian exposition consisting of fifteen members, with each Congressional district represented. A definite conclusion as to the amount of the appropriation to be made was not reached, but there is a general sentiment in favor of making it about \$200,000 that sum to be augmented by county contributions and such sums as may be raised from other sources.

The Republican members of the Legislature decided in caucus to support a worthy Democratic treasurer and not to try to delay legislation unless necessary. They nominated for complimentary vote the following:

Speaker, Alex. Hess, of Wabash; clerk, William F. Seversen, of Lafayette; assistant clerk, B. A. Nay, of Madison; doorkeeper, John Childs, of Decatur; secretary of Senate, C. C. Waite, of Union City; assistant secretary, George B. Henderson, of Warrick; assistant doorkeeper, W. A. Durbin of Noblesville.

The Democratic caucus decided to permit Lieutenant-Governor Chase (Rep.) to preside over all joint sessions of the House and Senate. This was a right that was denied the Lieutenant-Governor during the last two sessions of the Legislature.

The Governor's message will not be delivered until Friday morning. No Legislature has ever assembled in Indiana that had more important work before it. In the Senate there are 34 Democrats and 26 Republicans, and in the House 74 Democrats and 29 Republicans.

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