

## SOUTH KIRKLAND.

MR. EDITOR: It has been some time since I wrote for your most valuable paper. I wish to state briefly a few facts. I am most interested in educational matters and trying to educate my children. We, as patrons and teachers and school officers ought to be more interested in the education of the youth than we are. The work is for us. Give to them the treasure that cannot be taken away. To educate truly is what we should aim at. To do this we must educate morally, physically and intellectually. Now, what stimulates me in part is that I learn that our Superintendent is doing many things that he ought not to do. He should be our example. Do you know what the Bible says about the character that tries to take away your good name that never can be restored? "Steal your purse they steal trash," says one writer. I heard G. W. A. L. make a speech in Kirkland, and I thought he would do unto others as he would wish to be done by. But alas! He wanted to be most too pious. He approached one of the teachers of this township in a way that was very wrong indeed: "Have you got your license with you? Send it to me or bring it in. I want to see it. You have no record on the books." Giving him to understand that he was the Rabi, Alpha and Omega. Now, this was all talked over in the presence of all—spectators and members and members of the institute. Why did he not see him privately, and then he would not left the impression he did (the one of trying to teach school without a license).

Now, Mr. G. W. A. knew just as well as he did that he held a two years' license, as too many saw it. Now, the teacher alluded to is Mr. Mills. He passed an examination in Wells county and holds a license for 18 months, and I know it to be a fact that he is one of the teachers from Wells county that gave entire satisfaction; and in this township he is efficient and industrious. He has done a great deal as a teacher is the reason why I don't think it right that Mr. Luckey should be so important. After he saw the different licenses he held he dropped the subject. Further, he told every one he met all about it before he told Mills. I suppose his intent was to make some one believe that Mr. Walters was so intimate with Mills that he would write him out a license without examining him. So he pounces upon him in public. Further, Mr. Mills passed an examination in February last, and behold! he received a blank. The first time in his life, he says, that he failed, and I have good reason to believe it, as he holds too many 24 and 18 months' licenses. Alas! Mr. Luckey, I suppose, told that he failed long before he sent him the blank. All knew it before Mills did. Now I appeal to this intelligent corps of teachers, is that right? I know what the public thinks of this. Some say another electioneering scheme. Some say it is because Mills came out against him in 1879, and some far worse opinions than that, I am sorry to say. Mr. Mills is not the only teacher that has been treated in this manner. I don't know who is injured the most, Mr. Mills or Mr. Luckey. I am inclined to think that all understand the intent.

Some one told G. W. A. that Mills was going to try him another race in June, 1881. Mr. Mills said he never thought of that. I believe in all candor that Mr. Mills will pass a better examination to day than the all-wise and ever to be adorable G. W. A. He has given as good success as a teacher as any we ever had in this township. He taught in District No. 5, waking up an interest and advancing the pupils just as fast, I think, as any man could. The grammar class got through, the class in Stoddard's mental got through. White's arithmetic finished before school was out, and equally as well in other branches. He closed his school last Saturday week. The entertainment was a good one, there being about 45 or 50 exercises; being assisted by school No. 4, of which were Mr. Brown, Mr. Pollin, Mr. McGlochland and others of whom are science in what they undertake, especially in speaking, singing and so forth. These young men will certainly make good educators. I must say of school No. 5, as well of other schools in the township, will turn out some good scholars. Go on; you will be rewarded; don't get discouraged. As Mr. Merriman said, "an education is not had in a single day nor a single term but by constant labor."

I will close for this time, although not done. Now I wish to hear from those young men and ladies who are trying to educate themselves. I would like to have an answer to my few stammering remarks, which is a good way to improve ourselves.

A SPECTATOR.

BADLY BITTEN.—Peter Kieffer, corner Clinton and Bennett Streets, Buffalo, says: I was badly bitten by a horse a few days ago and was induced by a friend who witnessed the occurrence to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It relieved the pain almost immediately, and in nearly four days the wound was completely healed. Nothing can be better for fresh wounds.

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## NAMES OF TEACHERS.

Below we publish a list of names of the teachers of Adams county and the postoffice address of each one. In view of this fact this issue of THE DEMOCRAT will be an excellent one to file away for future reference:

Mr. R. K. Erwin, Monroeville, Ind.  
David Erwin, " "  
Simeon Montzer, " "  
& Mrs. A. F. Simpson, Decatur, Ind.  
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J. W. Temple, " "  
J. C. F. Galbreath, " "  
Wash. Peterson, " "  
F. D. Brothers, " "  
S. R. Berg, " "  
Miss Malissa McLaughlin, " "  
Jennie Brock, " "  
Martha Founier, " "  
Mary Brodeck, " "  
Alice Reynolds, " "  
Myrilla Numbers, " "  
Arta Numbers, " "  
Anna Christen, " "  
Ella Fitzgerald, " "  
Hattie Sundabaker, " "  
Mary Nordyke, " "  
L. C. Ballard, " "  
Mary Walkup, " "  
Maddie Sewell, " "  
Frank N. Menefee, " "  
Mr. J. J. Magley, " "  
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C. W. Merriman, " "  
J. H. Walters, " "  
A. A. Launder, " "  
S. D. Beavers, " "  
L. Z. Ayres, " "  
P. L. Ayres, " "  
J. A. Barnhart, " "  
S. C. Mills, " "  
Albert Spiller, " "  
T. S. Coffey, " "  
Marion Andrews, " "  
O. P. M. Andrews, " "  
F. L. Andrews, " "  
J. T. Simcock, " "  
W. H. McConney, " "  
S. G. Hastings, " "  
J. Robt. Christen, " "  
J. M. Frissinger, " "  
J. D. Miller, " "  
E. J. Ellsworth, " "  
L. W. A. Luckey, " "  
J. T. W. Luckey, " "  
Miss Ella J. Miller, " "  
Mrs. J. E. Stoops, " "  
Mr. J. C. Cowan, Pleasant Mills, Ind.  
Mrs. J. C. Cowan, " "  
Miss Mantie Dailey, " "  
Laura Dailey, " "  
Mr. H. A. Fristoe, " "  
Dayton Stettler, " "  
Mrs. Dayton Stettler, " "  
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J. M. Pearce, " "  
Nelson Tyndall, " "  
W. J. Edwards, " "  
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L. M. Brunley, " "  
J. W. Holmes, " "  
Miss Lucy Young, " "  
Rebecca Porter, " "  
Mr. A. Neibarger, New Corydon, Ind.  
S. J. Dodge, " "  
J. T. Kinney, " "  
P. K. Kinney, " "  
Patrick Kinney, " "  
James Kinney, " "  
G. B. Burke, " "  
Mr. & Mrs. J. O. Jones, Geneva, Ind.  
A. T. Briggs, " "  
E. C. Egle, " "  
Geo. Hartman, " "  
W. A. A. A. S., " "  
J. F. Snow, " "  
Ed. Long, " "  
James Barr, " "  
Miss Ella Long, " "  
Ella Smith, " "  
Mollie Haines, " "  
Rose Pyle, " "  
Miss Ella Parrot, Linn Grove, Ind.  
Iantha Hufman, " "  
Lissa French, " "  
Salonee Stauffer, " "  
Mollie Enright, " "  
Mr. G. W. Muser, " "  
Paul Baungartner, " "  
J. F. Neiderhauser, " "  
Joseph French, " "  
John Lehman, " "  
D. Levi Lehman, " "  
Benj. Ashbaucher, Vera Cruz, Ind.  
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S. H. Baungartner, " "  
C. M. Stauffer, " "  
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David Hirsch, " "  
Joel Wetly, " "  
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Paulus Reis, " "  
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Henry Lankenow, Bingen, Ind.  
Elmer Numer, " "  
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