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CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

For Congress—11th District.
HON. A. N. MARTIN.

JUDICIAL TICKET.
Judge—26th Judicial Circuit,
DANIEL D. HELLER.

Prosecuting Attorney—26th Judicial Circuit,
RICHARD H. HARTFORD.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Auditor.
W. H. H. FRANCE.

For Clerk.
JOHN H. LENHART.

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For Surveyor.
W. E. FULK.

For Commissioner—2nd Dist.
CONRAD BRAKE.

For Commissioner—3rd Dist.
DAVID ECKROTE.

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE FROM NOW ON TO THE 1ST OF JANUARY, 1895, YOU CAN HAVE THE DEMOCRAT FOR FIFTY CENTS. REMEMBER THIS IS THE ONLY DEMOCRATIC PAPER PUBLISHED IN ADAMS COUNTY.

The Journal's wool statements in last week's issue are similar to the statement on sugar made a few weeks ago,—ignorant and unfounded.

People know truths from falsehoods when they see them. The articles published in the Journal on sugar and wool are too untruthful for school boys to believe. Tom Pepper would blush to listen to such stories, let alone tell them.

THE BALLOT—THE FREERAN'S WEAPON.

There is no remedy for anarchistic violence except in the intelligent exercise of the ballot by the people in selecting their law makers and executive officials. Every assassination, every dynamite bomb thrown, every wanton destruction of property only postpones that much longer such reforms in government as will make the conditions of life easier. The first requisite to reform is order. Society can tolerate the evils we have much more contentedly than to embrace the evils that are sure to follow the use of the assassin's knife, the torch or the bomb. Who uses them is a traitor to mankind. Who sells his vote is just as vile. Who encourages the division of voters that think alike on questions of reform is almost a bad. When men get ready to break down all of the evils and oppressions growing out of the accumulation of vast fortunes they have the peaceable weapon of the ballot at hand to accomplish their purpose and it will never be accomplished in any other way, the dreams of dreamers to the contrary notwithstanding.—Evansville Courier.

A NUMBER of north Fifth street residents are kicking because a scheme is talked of wherein that part of Fifth street lying north of the old Closs property is to be macadamized to the extent of only 20 feet, while that portion south of the Closs property is to be 25 feet. We see no reason for this, as that part of Fifth street north of the Closs property is traveled as much as any other part thereof; besides this the City Park and Ward school building are properties which the city maintains, and should have as extensive thoroughfares as private property.

Addresses of Hons. J. E. Heinaman and J. T. Strange on Convention Day.

Upon the call of Blackford county J. E. Heinaman said:
GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION: I am not here to nominate a candidate, but I am here for the purpose of seconding the nomination of our present Congressman, Hon. A. N. Martin. (Applause)

With our candidate better known than in the past, better loved than ever before; with him we will raise our majority from 200 to 400. (Applause) You will pardon me fellow citizens if I recur to a little history. (Cries of "Go on.")

In 1888 the Republican party of the Eleventh Congressional District sought as their leader, not a man chosen for his ability, not a man chosen because he was worthy; but they brought out in the arena a man wearing the stars and stripes and bearing the unearned and unmerited title of Colonel; with no other breast plate, with no other armor; without merit to that title; with no other weapon in his hands save that which is known in common parlance a boodle, with this they threw down the glove and asked us to bring forth a yeoman to that steel.

The Democratic party sought out a man not from title, but from merit. A man not a Colonel, not a Captain, but they looked over here in Wells county and found a man who fought for years, and carried a musket in private ranks. They brought him forth and placed him in the field, with a Colonel, with his shoulder straps and stars. We brought him forth wearing the breast plate of honor and intelligence. And carrying in his hand no other weapons than the scepter of the Democratic party of the Eleventh Congressional District.

In the conflict which ensued between the Colonel with his stripes and stars, and the private, the colonel went down in defeat and made to bite the earth. (Applause)

And now the Democrats of Blackford county long for a renewal of the contest with the titled Colonel who shall be vanquished by a private soldier. (Applause)

Then they took their leader, weak and worn and hump, far away to the western land for recuperation, took him off to Oklahoma; there to put him in training. They trained him six long years there and elsewhere, (applause) principally elsewhere. (Cheers and prolonged applause.)

After six years of training they brought forth that sametitled colonel and we now bring forth the same yeoman with six years training in the halls of congress. A man who is a friend to every man, woman and child, a friend to the working men, a friend to the people and a friend to the soldier.

No truer soul ever graced the halls of congress, no truer heart ever beat in an American, than that which beats in the bosom of A. N. Martin, (cheers and applause.) Clad in the same armor as before, wearing the same breast plate of honor.

Give us the same man with the same weapon and the vote of the Eleventh Congressional District will be stronger for him and the Democratic party than ever before.

Give us this man and he will produce the same results that he produced in 1888 and the Democrats of this Congressional District will again see the private soldier vanquish the titled Colonel of Oklahoma fame (cheers and prolonged applause.)

GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION:

I come not here to nominate a candidate on behalf of the people of Grant county, I am here for the purpose of supporting and seconding the nomination of a man that we know has an unsmirched record; a man who has a further quality of having a reasonable degree of modesty. (Applause.)

We have his record and he has proven himself worthy of his support. He will be better than a Republican for the next two years at least, and that man is the Hon. A. N. Martin. (Applause.) We have faith in him, but we have little faith in the other man. If you want to forever relegate this man Steele to the rear, vote for A. N. Martin whom we can trust. (Cheers and Applause) I will just say this to the people of this convention: "You do your duty and the people of the soldiers' home will do theirs, and many will be the men like myself, who have always voted the Republican ticket that will be with you next November."

It is said that the Pacific railroads are bankrupt and deserve the generosity of the Government. Nobody has said that the original stockholders are bankrupt. The money advanced to the companies went somewhere, and if there is nothing in the corporations to show for it, there is plenty in California, New York and Boston.

THE DANGER POINT.

Although there is much distress among the laboring classes all over the world their condition in the United States is more deplorable than any other country because there is so much less reason for it. Everything is abundant and there should be ample opportunity for every man and woman to earn a livelihood. The population is not overcrowded as in the west and south there are immense areas of arable lands that are so sparsely settled as only to boast of an occasional village or hamlet. We have every variety of climate and soil and every resource of nature from which wealth and the conveniences and comforts of life are drawn. Moreover our population as a whole is composed of people who are not only willing but anxious to work. In some of the large cities a riff-raff element of foreigners is to be found but that is to be expected in this age of easy and rapid transit.

There is no denying the fact that for many years past the legislation of all countries has discriminated in favor of the powerful and the rich against those who are compelled to earn their bread in the sweat of their faces.

Legislation which makes unjust discrimination may last for a while, but sooner or later those in whose interest it has been established will discover that it was a mistake to labor for it. What value can any kind of property have if society is hovering on the verge of momentary revolution.

Do the men who have acquired their wealth through the unfair advantage of legislation never reflect? Some of them are not capable of thought. Can they not see in the growing intensity of popular impatience as shown by gigantic strikes and organized bands of vagrants tramping over the country that the spirit of agrarianism is abroad and that unless it is permanently checked in some way the end of law and order and consequently all property values cannot be far off? State militia may check it for the moment, but it will spring up again as the noxious weed does when it is cut down.

There must be a change in the whole philosophy of government if the results of civilization are to be continued. Laws that are equal in their effects will have to be enacted and the systems that have developed glass distinction so rapidly within the last quarter of a century must be abolished. Humanity is as well disposed now as it ever was but as it grows more intelligent it is less inclined to brook the partialities of laws whose manifest purpose is to benefit the few by laying tribute on the many.—Evansville Courier.

CRIME OF A FATHER.

He Cuts the Throat of His Two Children and Then Suicides.

BUTLER, S. D., July 5.—K. B. Wain, a Norwegian farmer, became so worried over crop prospects that he cut the throats of his two children, aged 8 and 8, threw them in a well, cut his own throat and jumped in after them.

WINANS DEAD.

Michigan's ex-Governor Succumbs to Heart Failure—The Attack Sudden.

HAMBURG, Mich., July 5.—Ex-Governor Winans died at his home here at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon of heart disease. While the deceased had not been in good health for several months the attack which proved fatal was sudden and of short duration. Two physicians who spent the night with him had expressed grave fears of the outcome. Mr. Winans was born in New York state in 1826 and was a resident of Michigan since 1834, with the exception of eight years spent in California in the 50s, since when he has been a prominent farmer of Livingston county. He had always been a radical Democrat and besides his term as governor in 1891 and 1892 served as a member of congress and in the state legislature. His administration as governor, while conservative and economical, gained the respect of all and the commendation of his constituency.

Sued the Mayor For Damages.

JOLIET, Ill., July 5.—Frank S. Allen, the ejected alderman of the Fifth ward, brought suit against Mayor Stassen, personally, for trespass on the person, asking damages to the amount of \$5,000. The case is the result of Mayor Stassen enforcing the law and having Allen removed by force from Alderman Patterson's seat in the city council.

Midwinter Fair Closed.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—The end of California's midwinter fair came today, when San Francisco day and the national holiday were jointly celebrated. Since opening day, Jan. 27, up to yesterday, the total attendance was 2,140,154.

How To Keep Cool.

There are many ways of keeping cool in hot weather besides getting under a shower bath or sleeping in the cellar. Common sense will keep away many of the ills that come from excessively hot weather and science will do the rest.

People have an idea, for example, that cotton is a good deal cooler than wool, when, as a matter of cold fact, the coolest garment that one may wear is of wool. Cotton will lie close to the skin, get wet and speedily become uncomfortable. A high grade of spun wool, of an extremely light weight will not stick to the skin and will thus leave room for the air to circulate between the steaming body and the product of the blessed sheep. This seems to be a funny idea, but it is full of truth.

Another that science has helped to furnish and which is better understood by the people at large is that relating to the use of certain colors in summer wear. It is a matter of general knowledge that black is not a suitable color for the warm months. It attracts the heat and keeps it. Anyone who has worn a pair of patent leather shoes in the sunlight of summer and then changed to russet or white shoes under the same conditions of weather will remember the sense of relief that followed.

So it is the wise thing to do to put away black and other very dark garments and adopt coat and trousers made of white. Such garments not only look cooler, but, in point of fact, they are cooler.

Some foolish people are deluded into the notion that ice water is cooling. It is, for the instant, but the reaction is as hot as a Wyoming geyser. To cool the head, apply a cool—not cold—damp towel to the veins that supply the cranial section with its blood.

Keep quiet, keep your temper, eat lightly, and you may laugh at the antics of the sun.—St. Louis Republican.

Linn Grove Grist.

Samuel Hill, of Briant is cutting meat at the Blerie meat market here.

Mrs. Catharine Ensey is putting a new roof on her spare dwelling house.

The I. O. O. F. basket meeting was largely attended. However, the threatening weather kept many from a distance away. The audience was disappointed in Bro. M. A. Beal not being present to deliver the opening sermon, but with the ability that Bro. Channess, of the M. E. church at Geneva, filled the place. Disappointments were forgotten. He discoursed on the fundamental principles of the Order, namely: Friendship, Love and Truth, which was received with marked attention and a rare treat to the fraternity. Bro. Ceanness was followed by Bro. Samuel Biteman and others. The speaking was richly interspersed with vocal and instrumental music especially selected for the occasion.

The following officers of the I. O. O. F. Lodge were installed on Wednesday evening: Edwin Heller, N. G.; Wm. Wechter, V. G.; B. F. Kizer, Sec'y; Peter Hoffman, Treas.

An ice cream festival was held at the school building on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Christian church.

Many of our people went to Bluffton to spend the Fourth. One of the attractions being the fleetness of man, in which our Billy was a prime factor.

The Hartford Oil Co., have located their first well on the land of Alexander Michaels, south Hartford, where operations will commence in a few days.

If the sugar trust made three-eighths of a cent profit per pound during the three years past, what will they make under the new order of things? It's a question in mathematics for a proper solution.—Decatur Journal.

Read the papers and post yourself. Mr. Havemyer, president of the "sugar trust" and Mr. Searles, treasurer, in their testimony before the Senate committee, given under oath, said that their profits under the operation of the McKinley bill were four times as great as they would be under the schedule in the proposed senate bill.—Huntington Herald.

The saloons in Fort Wayne were wide open all day the 4th of July. We do not see any great change in the moral condition of the city from its former administration.

NOTICE—I have laid in a complete stock of musical instruments, viz: Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Mandolins, Accordians and Harmonicas; also strings of all kinds. Call and inspect them. D. M. HENSLEY, w15-2d70

WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU BEFORE WE INVOICE. OUR STOCK MUST BE REDUCED IN JULY. BARGAINS THIS WEEK:

Ladies' Vests..... 5 c
Ladies' Vests..... 10 c
Ladies' Vests..... 15 c
Ladies' Vests..... 20 c
Bleached Muslin.... 6 7-9
Unbleached Muslin.. 5 6-7
Few Shirt Waists... 25c
Velours..... 10c
Chenille Covers.... \$1 00

SHEET AND PILLOW CASES READY-MADE

AT THE SAME PRICE AS THE MUSLIN. FOUND ONLY AT THE

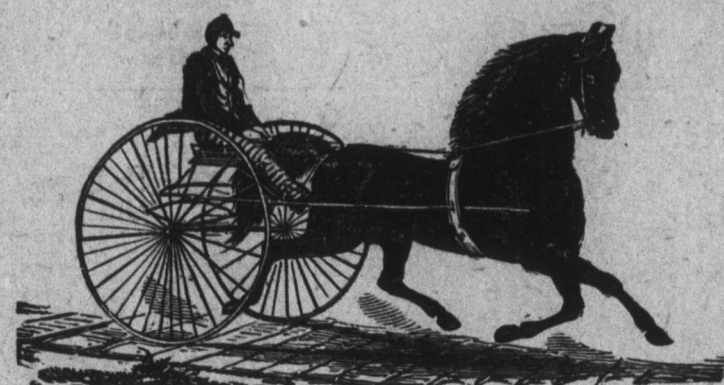
BOSTON STORE.

I. O. O. F. Block.

KUEBLER & MOLTZ.

ROYAL DUKE.

RECORD 2:29 1-4



Bay horse, foaled 1882, 16 hands high. Bred by C. M. Bethel, of Chicago, Ill. Sired by FLORIDA 482. Sire of twelve in the 2:30 list. 1st dam Gentle Jennie, daughter of Night Hawk 514; 2nd dam Musser, daughter of Black Hawk, No. 5; 3rd dam Bosses, daughter of Young Eclipse. Florida by Hambletonian, No. 10. First dam by Volunteer, 55. Son of Hambletonian 10.

Night Hawk sired Red Cross, 2:29 1-4; and Minnie Warren, 2:27 1-4; also sired three producing sons and seven daughters that have produced 2:30 performers.

ROYAL DUKE is a grand individual and impressive sire. Has taken numerous prizes in the show ring. His colts are all young, but his breeding is strong and runs in the best and most approved trotting lines. Mated with trotting bays he should sire extreme speed.

ROYAL DUKE will make the season of 1894 at the Red Barn Livin' and Feed Stable of Peoples Brothers, Decatur, Ind., commencing May 23, 1894, and continuing every day until the season is over.

Terms—To insure a mare with foal \$10, due when the mare is known to be with foal. Any person parting with mare before known to be with foal forfeits the insurance. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but responsible for none.

Come and see this fine Stallion.

J. B. & J. M. RICE, Owners.

Will Christen, architect. Office over Pete Hothouse clothing store. q1f

Try Whites Famous Home Made Bread at the Peoples Bakery and Restaurant, three doors South of the Post Office. 45 tf

Buy olives in the bulk at the Peoples Bakery and Restaurant, three doors South of the Post Office. 45 tf

A few choice lots yet for sale at an extremely low price in the new addition to the city of Decatur. For price and terms call on GRANT RAILING. 43-tf.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at my office in Union township, for the construction of a brick school house. The plans and specifications of which can be seen at my office at any time up to July 9, 1894. Will reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Wm. Skwin, Trustee, Decatur, Ind., June 22 1894. d632w14-2

BRICK! BRICK! BRICK!! —Mayer & Mann are prepared to furnish first-class brick for any purpose, at reasonable prices. Remember the yard near Patterson & Pillars mill. 13tf

Overalls at 25 cents per pair. This is no humbug. Call on Ike and he will show you just what he advertises. 5tf

All laundering at MILLER'S STEAM LAUNDRY, is positively guaranteed to be the finest that has ever been done in this city, or no charges will be made. We respectfully solicit a trial. d41w10

Saloon Fixtures for Sale. I have a complete saloon outfit with pool table, etc., for sale on easy terms. d&w4w PETER WILHELM.

Just received from the east a full line of Dresden China ware Louis XVI. design. D. M. HENSLEY. w15-2d70

Call at D. M. Hensley's and see the new stock of Musical Instruments. w15-2d70

Work called for and delivered in 24 hours and guaranteed first-class at Miller's Steam Laundry. d41w10tf

See Sprang & True's special Doll sale "ad" for July 18, 19, 20 and 21. Don't fail to be there. 16w3

Buckwheat for seeding, Common and Silver Hull, for sale by J. D. Hale. 15-3

PLACE'S ICE LINE!

Will deliver ice to any part of the city. Our ice was harvested from Steele's Pond, which is fed by a well in the rock and living springs. We did not cut any ice from the quarries, which were overworked and are below all sewers of the city. Our prices will be as low as any dealer and we can furnish you ice the whole season, not half. Drop a postal or see Oliver Jackson. 20d1f

ERIE LINES.

Schedule in effect June 17, 1894.

Trains Leave Decatur as follows:

TRAINS WEST.
No. 5, Vestibule Limited, daily for Chicago..... 2:13 P. M.
No. 3, Pacific Express, daily for Chicago..... 1:34 A. M.
No. 1, Express, daily for Chicago..... 10:45 A. M.
No. 8, Local, daily, except Sunday..... 10:45 A. M.

TRAINS EAST.
No. 8, Vestibule Limited, daily for New York and Boston..... 8:06 P. M.
No. 3, Express, daily for New York..... 1:55 P. M.
No. 12, Express, daily for New York..... 1:50 A. M.
No. 30, Local, daily, except Sunday..... 10:45 A. M.

Train No. 12 carries through sleeping cars to Columbus, Circleville, Chillicothe, Waverly, Portsmouth, Ironton, and Kenova, via Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo and Norfolk & Western Lines.

J. W. DeLong, Agent, W. G. MacEdwards, T. P. A. Huntington.

Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad.

Took effect June 3, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5	No. 7
Cincinnati, Ave	4:55pm	8:00am	8:30pm	
Richmond	7:35	11:00	11:25	
Winchester	8:34	12:00	12:15am	
Portland	10:12	1:47	1:30	
Decatur	10:12	1:47	1:30	
St. Wayne, arr	10:55	2:35	2:05	
St. Wayne, ave		2:55pm	2:15	9:00am
Kendallville		4:05	3:30	9:25
Rome City		4:28	3:55	9:31
Valentine		4:49	4:15	9:42
Lima		5:02	4:30	10:10
Sturgis		5:17	4:45	10:21
Vicksburg		5:40	5:05	11:45
Kalamazoo, arr		7:20am	5:30	12:10pm
Gr. Rapids, arr		7:25	5:35	12:00
Gr. Rapids, ave		7:35	5:45	12:10
D. G. H. & M. arr		10:42	8:13	5:00
Howard City		11:40		6:50
Big Rapids		12:40am	9:40	7:00
Reed City		2:10	11:00	9:00
Cadillac, arr		11:15	2:20	11:05
Traverse City			12:45pm	10:45
Kalamazoo			3:00	1:40
Mackinac City			6:50	3:00

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 2	No. 6	No. 4	No. 8
Mackinac City	9:10pm	9:30am	3:00pm	
Potoski	10:35	10:25	4:15	
Kalamazoo		12:42	6:25	
Traverse City		1:40	6:55	
Cadillac, arr		2:15	8:00	
Reed City		3:35	8:50	
Big Rapids		4:05	9:17	
Howard City		4:55	9:55	
D. G. H. & M. arr		6:00	10:45	
Gr. Rapids, arr		6:15	5:15	11:00
Gr. Rapids, ave		7:00am	5:40	11:40pm
Kalamazoo, arr		8:40	7:35	1:45am
St. Wayne		8:45	7:45	4:05
Vicksburg		9:08	8:15	4:30
Sturgis		9:26	8:33	4:57
Lima		10:10	9:25	5:37
Valentine		10:22	9:38	5:50
Portland		10:31	9:44	6:00
Decatur		10:47	9:59	6:18
Kendallville		11:08	10:16	6:36
St. Wayne, arr		12:15	11:25	7:50
Decatur		1:05	12:37	8:30
Portland		2:14	1:45am	9:00
Winchester		2:49	2:55	9:35
Richmond		3:45	3:50	9:55pm
Cincinnati		6:30	6:55	12:01

Trains 2 and 4 run daily between Grand Rapids and Cincinnati.
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