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RENSSELAER, Ind. \$100,000 To Loan on First Mortgage.

Five years' time, at 9 per cent. interest, in sums of \$300 and over.

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Washington street, below Austin's hotel. Two per cent. interest will be paid on all accounts running unsettled longer than three months.

DR. G. A. MOSS, Office in Spiller's block, Washington street, opposite Court House, Rensselaer, Ind.

DR. IRA C. KELLEY, Dentist and Photographic.

RENSSELAER, Ind. LESLIE GRANT, Blacksmith.

Shop on Front Street, at Terhune's old stand. Rensselaer, Ind. PATRICKSON, vint.

CHARLES P. HOPKINS, BROS. have to inform the public that he is now prepared to do house painting, paper hanging, and all other work in the line of painting and decorating.

At a low price, at his rooms, up stairs in Liberal Court building. vint.

HOPKINS HOUSE, E. J. Hopkins, Proprietor.

Excellent table, convenient location, careful attention to wants of guests, and experienced management are its recommendations to popular favor.

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WM. WESLEY WOOLLEY, Secretary. DANIEL B. MILLER, Agent.

RENSSELAER, Ind. AUSTIN HOUSE, Rensselaer, Ind.

A. W. CLEVELAND, Proprietor.

This well-known House has been recently changed and has been thoroughly renovated, and is now open for the reception of guests.

It is centrally located, large, conveniently arranged, and the proprietor will strive to make it attractive and home-like to all who favor him with patronage.

The table is always supplied with the best variety afforded by the market. Charges as moderate as circumstances and conditions will permit.

Good Stabling connected with the House.

Musical Instruction! MISS MARY RALPH, an accomplished pianist, will give instruction on Organ and Piano. Pupils may use her room and instrument, or she will teach them at their homes. Terms reasonable. Apply at her father's residence, south of Court House.

Oct. 25, 1878-3m

H. W. SNYDER, Attorney at Law.

RENSSELAER, INDIANA. OFFICE IN EXCHANGE BLOCK.

COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY.

M. G. TRAUGH, Dentist.

RENSSELAER, IND. OFFICE IN WEST ROOM OVER McDONALD & CO'S GOODS STORE, IN EXCHANGE BLOCK.

J. S. WIGMORE, Watch & Clock Maker.

Don't fail to go to C. C. Starr's new store for anything you want in the Grocery or Queensware line, and examine his goods and prices before making your purchases. Standard goods and low prices, for cash, is his motto.

The farmers of Jasper county are hereby informed that R. D. Roberts, of Crystal Flouring Mills, Monticello, will exchange Flour for Wheat, and transfer same from and to depot at Monticello without charge.

A large stock of fine cut Tobacco, at red hot prices, at C. C. Starr's. Good fine cut Tobacco at 50 cts. per lb.

For browned Coffee, plug Tobacco, canned Fruits, Apples, green Gages, Peaches, canned Salmon, fine cut Tobacco 50c. per lb., Cigars, Rensselaer and Glassware, silver-plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, table and pocket Cutlery, Japan, Young Hyson, Oolong, Imperial and Gunpowder Teas, Malt's Prepared Cocoa, etc., etc., go to Charles Starr's. He keeps them in greater quantity and variety and at lower figures than elsewhere.

\$66 a week in your own town. \$1000 free. No risk. Reader, if you want a business at which persons of either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to H. HALL & CO., Portland, Maine.

PITTSBURG, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.

PAN-HANDLE ROUTE, COLUMBUS & STATE LINE DIVISION.

CONDENSED TIME CARD.

MAY 19, 1878.

Passengers purchasing Local Round Trip Tickets before entering the cars, obtain a discount of ten per cent. from regular rates.

GOING EAST. No. 1. No. 5.

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Leve. Logansport, 8:30 a. m. 8:45 a. m.

Arr. Marion, 9:15 a. m. 9:30 a. m.

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If you are not satisfied with your neighbor's call you can return it.

A Texas preacher lost three-fourths of his deacons by preaching a sermon against horse racing.

The grounds of the Cass County Agricultural Society were sold at sheriff's sale the other day.

Twenty-five thousand dollars has been paid, thus for this season, at LaPorte, for labour in putting up ice.

Alexander Brown, a New York negro, can whistle in imitation of 428 different kinds of birds, and he thinks he ought to be given the Berlin mission.

Mr. Whistler, the artist, has demanded the farthing which the court adjudged to him as damages in his suit with Mr. Ruskin, and he wears it proudly on his watch chain.

Soldiers, remember it remained for a Democratic House, under the lead of the gallant Greenback Democrat of Ohio, General A. V. Rice, to secure for you at last the arrears of pension so justly your due. This bill will secure to the crippled and maimed heroes of the Union army a sum variously estimated at from \$36,000,000 to \$150,000,000 that should have been paid years ago had the Republican party been as true to the soldiers as it was to the bond-holders. Allegan Democrat.

Conkling vs. Hayes.

The victory of the administration over Mr. Conkling was clearly bought. Not only has the administration contracted debts which it will have to pay out of the civil service, but in the course of the debate Conkling showed by the originals of the letters addressed to Collector Arthur that the pretense of the administration that it was working reforms in fact. Among the writers were Rogers, who is a convenient scape-goat for the tenant of the white house, Secretary McCrory, McCormick, when assistant secretary of the treasury, and others, all begging places for friends of the President. A correspondent, who obtained something of the inside history of the executive session says:

"The scene in the Senate during the reading of these letters was a most remarkable one. None such has been witnessed there for years. Mr. Conkling read one letter asking a Mr. Bradley be provided for in the New York custom-house because he was the son of Mr. Justice Bradley, of the Supreme Court.

"Son of whom?" shouted some Senator.

"Son of Justice Bradley," replied Mr. Conkling in a very loud voice.

"What Justice Bradley is that?" asked another Senator.

"Why, Justice Bradley, of the electoral commission," said Mr. Conkling, "and of the Supreme Court of the United States."

"Oh, ho!" shouted a third Senator. "then they wanted to provide for him, did they?"

"A similar scene occurred when another letter was read asking for the appointment of John O. Howard, of Ohio, 'who had written a life of President Hayes.'

"Whose life is that which he wrote?" shouted a Senator with his hand to his ear.

"Life of the President, President Hayes," said Mr. Conkling, with some other remarks which were not complimentary to the head of the administration.

"And then there were exclamations of mock surprise and loud laughter in the Senate: One letter asked for the appointment of a man because he was the writer's wife's sister's son. Altogether the exhibition which Mr. Conkling made of the practice of the administration of civil service reform was a very humiliating one; and it showed that, while the President may have been trying to reform the civil service, he has had men around him who, to say the least, have had the weaknesses of ordinary politicians."

Chicago Times.

Your Money is Ready! Persons entitled to arrears of pensions under the late act of Congress, can secure early action on their claims by making application through me.

131 St. FRANK W. BARCOK.

Mr. Coon is prepared to fill orders for fruit and ornamental trees, evergreens, shrubberies, etc., etc. Call at the Rensselaer Nursery. Insect stock and make selection.

Why will men smoke poor cigars when they can get the best at Catt & Smoot's? Call for the Bald Head Cigar.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE WORLD'S BALM.

Dr. L. D. WATSON'S BALM.

A remedy used THIRTY-FIVE YEARS in a private practice, and NEVER FAILING TO RADICALLY CURE.

RHEUMATISM.

Dropsy, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Secondary Syphilis, Gravel, Diabetes, and all diseases in which the blood is impurified. It is now offered to the public.

Sold by all RETAIL DRUGGISTS, and (wholesale) by J. C. WATSON, MANUFACTURER, P. O. Box 338, Rochester, N. Y. n15-6m.

PIMPLES.

I will make the recipe for a simple Vegetable BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blemishes, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for preventing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing St. stamp, Ben. Vandell & Co., 20 Ann St., N. Y. n31-6m.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy is desirous to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which will send a sure cure to the lungs. Address, enclosing St. stamp, Ben. Vandell & Co., 20 Ann St., N. Y. n31-6m.

Errors of Youth.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from a Nervous Debility, Premature Erection, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who send it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing him in perfect confidence.

JOHN B. GORDON, 42 Cedar St., New York.

Piles.

Of all kinds, TUMORS, discharges of blood or mucus, and all diseases of the RECTUM quickly and perfectly cured by a simple and soothing REMEDY. For information, address: Dr. J. F. BAKER & CO., 25 Ann St., N. Y.

Remington Gump.

Tell it not in Gath, nor yet proclaim it from the housetops; but ye, verily, Remington has three saloons in full, blast and the lovers of rotten corn juice and hop-slon are supreme-ly happy.

F. R. Donnelly is no more a pedagogue and the mischievous urethra of District No. 10, Benton county "toss him their ready caps in air" and shout, "Glory hallelujah!"

A little unpleasantness arose on Friday last between W. L. Rich and John W. Powell, during which Rich rammed his head against Powell's fist a couple of times. Price, five dollars, paid by Powell. Cause, hog.

Wallace Tallman has tired of playing Hoosier and taken himself, family, goods and chattels to the Empire State. Returned to his first love.

Hildebrand, a returned thief, burglar and an associate of the notorious Bender family, lectured in Exchange Hall Thursday night last, and seemed to feel proud of the fact that he had served 18 years in the penitentiary. A good thing to be proud of.

Thomas Dobbins, a farmer living three miles from town, seeks to make a fortune in the patent medicine business. Up a Tree.

The total debt of the city of Philadelphia is \$71,835,101, a decrease of \$1,000,000 on last year.

A Chattanooga darkey, who was one of a jury which failed to convict for want of evidence, explained to his brethren that the culprit was "re-laxed on s'picion."

It is very pleasant to observe, says the LaPorte Argus that no other dispatches nor "Smith arrangements" have ever been changed on Gov. Hendricks, and nothing of the kind has been traced to any of his immediate friends. He stands prominent and spotless. Indiana is proud of him.

"Standard goods, small profits and quick sales" is Ralph Fendig's motto. Call and examine his stock and prices before going elsewhere.

Dried and Canned Fruits at Catt & Smoot's.

Tobacco and Cigars of the best brands at Catt & Smoot's.

Sugar, Coffee, Teas and Spices, at bottom prices, at C. C. Starr's new Cash Store.

A large stock of dried and canned Fruits, at C. C. Starr