

THE DEMOCRATIC SENTINEL

OFFICIAL PAPER OF JASPER COUNTY.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12 1883.

The mystery surrounding the murder of Miss Ada Atkinson still remains unsolved.

OHIO Democratic—13,000. IOWA comes down from 70,000 to less than 30,000. The Republican party must go.

Kentland Gazette: Josefa Sharp has gone to Rensselaer, to engage in the poultry business at that place. The Gazette commends Joe to that place, and wishes him success.

The Democracy of Indianapolis "tied" the radicals in one branch of the City Council, in the late election in that city, and almost wiped out the big radical majorities of other years. Well done.

It is said that the public debt has been reduced to a little over a billion and a half. Sufficient money has been collected from the people to have paid the entire debt, had it been properly applied, and the thieves kept out beyond reach of the treasure.

Monticello Herald: It is singular what a liking the Democratic party have for men who have once been rebels, when they come to making tickets. Instance: Greeley, Hoadley and Butler. Truly there is more rejoicing in the Democratic camp over the one that is just picked up than over the ninety and nine that have always voted and worked for the ticket.

But it is not singular that such bloody-handed rebels as Longstreet, the guerilla Mosby, Key and Och Mahone, should be placed in the upper seats of the radical synagogue? They are repentant rebels, eh? Consistent to first principles? Sectional when they rebelled, they entered a sectional fold when brought back.

Monticello Herald: To democratic newspapers of the McEwen stripe, who are howling themselves hoarse because President Arthur took a pleasure trip to Yellowstone Park, it may be interesting to know that Jefferson, whose memory they pretend to hold sacred, was the champion absentee president. He was away from Washington 796 days in eight years. Monroe was next, being absent 708 days in eight years.

And now, Billy, since you know so much about the incoming and outgoing of Mr. Jefferson, be so good as to tell us from whence you received the information, who was his "time-keeper," &c.; and also inform us whether Mr. J.'s lost time was occupied in looking after the interests of his country, or, like Arthur's, taken up in a grand old picnic. Again: admit for the sake of argument that what you say is true, bear in mind that Mr. Jefferson was President in fact,—did not secure the position, as a "prize from the lottery of assassination;" he was not dishonest himself, never having been kicked out of place for dishonesty and inefficiency by an old fraud like Hayes, as was Arthur—neither was he surrounded with advisers belonging to "Star Route," "DeGolyer Pavement" and "Credit Mobeller" rings.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.
THE FORT WAYNE, DETROIT & CANADA SOUTHERN.

Under the above title, the north eastern extension of the Fort Wayne, Peoria & Galesburg has just been organized, with headquarters at Bryan, Ohio. This line covers the thirty seven miles of distance between the Indiana state line, west of Hicksville, through to Fayette, Ohio, the western terminus of the famous Canada Southern railroad, noted for its low grades, straight lines and quick running time. The new route will be twenty-four miles shorter to Detroit than any existing line from Fort Wayne, and thirty-seven miles less distance to Buffalo than the present Lake Shore via Waterloo, Toledo and Cleveland. Between Fort Wayne and Bryan the location is an air line, with easy grades, the elevation of Fort Wayne above Lake Erie being 199 feet, and Bryan, Ohio, 198 feet, with neither hills, ridges or depressions in between. Compared with the Wabash route to Buffalo via Toledo and Cleveland, the saving in distance will be twenty-four miles—Fort Wayne Gazette.

Gen. Joe Holt, speaking Mr. Buchanan, says:

His heart never beat except with loyalty to the Union: I knew him well, and knew that he was thoroughly loyal. In my intercourse with the president during his administration I always spoke freely and positively upon the one great subject then engrossing all attention. I put the sub-

jects relating to the union and its preservation in the strongest possible manner, and I never received a rebuke of criticism from him for my warmth and earnestness. It is singular that with written evidences of Buchanan's loyalty existing his devotion to the Union should be permitted to go unanswered for so many years. It was not until the recent publication of Curtis's work on the life of Buchanan that these evidences were made public and his loyalty placed beyond doubt. I can not understand why it was permitted to remain so long under a cloud.

Twelve locomotives were shipped from Philadelphia for Brazil recently.

Twenty-two hundred trains leave the railroad stations of London every twenty-four hours.

A Beebe, Arkansas, nursery has shipped 5,000 "umbrella" china trees to Atlanta, Ga., where they will be set out on the streets for shade trees.

The emperor of Brazil has given Professor Lacerda \$20,000 for his discovery of permanganate of potassium, hypodermically injected as an antidote for the bite of the cobra.

The first Chinese child ever born in Washington was the daughter of the Chinese minister, who appeared a month ago. She is named Mi Ju; the first name, Mi means America and is given in honor of this country.

In closing a notice of the arrival of two St. Louis bibles the editor of the Tom Green County (Tex.) Times says: "Rule I am of speech, but if you want a heart with generous valves, fit to run a hydraulic pump, corral me and you'll find it beneath my shirt."

An Albany firm have utilized tin scraps. They make wrought plate dovetails for stove legs, and utensils from six to eight tons of scraps every month for this purpose. The articles made are small pieces of tin of peculiar shape, which are used by stove menders to make a perfect dovetail on stove bottoms.

There is an exhibition at San Luis Obispo, Cal., an ear of corn grown in the exact form of the hand of a child, showing the wrist, hand, thumb and fingers all perfect excepting the little finger, which is double. It is covered with small grains of corn to near the tips of the fingers, which are bare prongs of cob, giving the appearance of a hand clad with a mitt. In total length it is five and a half inches, and three inches broad across the palm.

The services at the Presbyterian church during the evenings of the past week, were well attended, notwithstanding the unpleasant weather, and a lively interest seemed to be awakened among the Christian people of the town.

Rev. Webster of the M. E. church preached on Tuesday evening, and rendered effective service at all the meetings.

There was manifest throughout a spirit of unity and co-operation on the part of the various churches represented, and a disposition for activity and zeal in pushing forward the work during the winter coming.

The Lord's Supper was administered on Sabbath morning at the Presbyterian church. There was a full attendance, and a deep interest seemed to be felt by all present in the solemn service.

The church received an addition of two, which makes seven, during the seven months that Rev. Small has had charge of the congregation.

The Sunday School gave a concert in the evening, when the house was crowded. The Superintendent gave an encouraging report of the work of the school; the lessons for the quarter were briefly reviewed; scripture recitations were given; and other exercises, while a number of appropriate songs were sung.

The Female Missionary Society held a meeting at Mrs. Calvin Porters on Wednesday afternoon for the election of officers.

The Ladies Aid Society gave a supper at Mrs. Dexter's (Nowell's House) for the benefit of the society.

Rev. Small was called by telegram on last Monday to Meadow Lake to unite in the bonds of matrimony Col. Everett W. Foster of Frankfort, Dakota, and Mrs. Rhoda Skinner of Meadow Lake.

The Directors of the Jasper County Agricultural Society will meet at the Auditor's Office, on Saturday the 20th day of October, 1883, at 2 o'clock, P. M. A full attendance is desired.

EZRA C. NOWELS, Sec'y.

Mr. E. S. Daniels, Pros. Atty., 19th Jud. Dist., Indiana, says: "Brown's Iron Bitters is the remedy for indigestion."

Two ladies of this town, in themselves of average size, sat in a hay ball, and, upon being asked by the usher what characters they personated, they replied that they were without any special costume, whereupon the stupid fellow bawled out, "Two ladies without any character!"

MRS. C. W. THOMAS,
—THE GREAT

MAGNETIC AND BOTANIC PHYSICIAN!

Will be at the Makeever House on October 15th, 1883, and return October 29th, 1883.

Who cures all kinds of chronic diseases known to the human family, from cancer down to a felon; and her remedy is chiefly Magnetism, some cases she uses herbs, roots and barks,—God's natural remedies,—but she cures all her patients who do as she directs.

Below we give some of the names of patients whom she has cured, as references:

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BUCKLETON, IND., Sept 17th, 1883.

Mrs. Thomas came here in June last. I had been suffering with a very bad cough for several months, my

wife and daughter were apprehensive that I was going into consumption. Mrs. Thomas said she could cure me, and in 48 hours after treatment the cough was entirely gone, the soreness left my lungs, and I am as well as most men of my age. My wife was sick with disease of the stomach, and she cured her completely. My daughter had been quite seriously diseased for several years, and she cured her entirely. Mrs. Thomas cured a great many patients here in my house, and as far as I know, they are all better, and many of them entirely well. Myself and family were treated without medicine, that is, she cured us by Magnetism.

JAMES WALLACE.

Examination, with patients present, or with lock of hair. Fee \$1. Office hours: 9 a. m. to 12; and 1 to 6 p. m.

A LIST OF GOODS —SOLD AT—

PURCUPILE'S RESTAURANT!

A full line of Common and Fancy Candies!

A full line of Bakers' Goods!

Bread, Pies, Cakes, &c.!

Pepper, Spice, Nutmegs, Oloves

and Cinnamon.

Teas Coffees, Sugars!

California canned goods!

Baked Beans, Baking Powder!

Canned Salmon, Mackerel and Lobsters!

Flavoring Extracts, Tomato Cetchup, Table Sauces. Spanish Olives, Chow-Chow. Mustard, canned Corned Beef, canned Sausage. The best of Crackers, Holland Herring, Spiced Fish, Soaps, etc., in fact, everything kept in a first class Grocery and Restaurant.

Remember! Buy your Teas of me, and draw that elegant set of Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons.

Remember! That with each and every pound of our Coffee you receive a nice present.

Remember! In purchasing your Baking Powders of us, you secure a chance to draw that hand-painted set of ware.

H. M. PURCUPILE.

WHAT THEY EAT IN AFRICA.

An African correspondent of *Food and Health*, speaking of the habits of the people and incidents, says:

Of course hunter's food, such as elephant foot, buffalo hump, sea cow, griffon, and the hundreds of different kinds of deer that abound in various parts of the country are all more or less good eating, especially when you have a good supply of Dame Nature's sauce, hunger, on hand. I also found the coney or rock rabbit a fair dish, although too much like a large rat to look pleasant on the table. The natives of the country are not, as a rule, great meat eaters, living generally on corn (called there, mealies,) milk, pumpkins, and a sort of sugar cane, now and then going in for a feast of meat. I have often considered whether to this way of living may be ascribed the really wonderful manner in which they recover from wounds.

In the Zulu war I saw four persons wounded in the legs with bullets, one of them especially having received a bullet just below the knee, smashing all the bones, and leaving a hole that you could see through. The doctors said the only hope for any of them was amputation. This they refused to allow, and they would do nothing but pour cold water from time to time. When I last saw them all but the worst could walk alone, and his wound looked healthy, the bone having grown together, and knitted quite strongly. No white man could have lived without an operation. On the other hand, these men soon succumb to illness or disease.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters addressed as below remain uncalled for in the Post Office at Rensselaer, Jasper County, Indiana, on the 6th day of October, 1883. Those not claimed within four weeks from the date below given will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D. C.

Loisia Cal George A. Conn, Mrs. C. Howard, E. Marchant, Clark Price—2, Mrs. J. Rice, Alice Spriggs, Albert Summers, Evan M. Tapp, W. W. Wishard, Mrs. Dr. J. H. Bogart.

Persons calling for any of the letters in this list will please say they are advertised.

HORACE E. JAMES, P. M. Rensselaer, Ind., Oct. 8, 1883

THE NUMBER OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

According to the last report of the United States Commissioner of Education, General Eaton, Pennsylvania, has the greatest number of public schools of any State in the Union. The following table is of interest. The reader's attention is invited to the letters opposite the names of States; "a," where the number of schools is indicated; "b," number of school-houses:

(a) Alabama	4,671	(a) Mississippi	83
(b) Arkansas			