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Ten per cent. interest will be added to all accounts running unsettled longer than three months.

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Calls promptly attended. Will give special attention to the treatment of Chronic Diseases.

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Does a general Banking business; gives special attention to collections; remittances made on day of payment at current rate of exchange; interest on deposits; certificates bearing interest issued; exchange bought and sold.  
This Bank owns the "Banking House," which took the premium at the Chicago Exposition in 1876. This safe is protected by one of the best Time Locks. The bank vaults used for good as can be built. It will be seen from the foregoing that this Bank furnishes good security to depositors as can be.

ALFRED M. COY, THOMAS THOMPSON,  
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OF A. McCOY & T. THOMPSON, successors to A. McCoy & A. Thompson, Bankers, Rensselaer, Ind. Does general Banking business. Buy and sell exchange. Collections made on all available points. Money loaned on interest paid on specified time deposits, &c. Office same place as old firm of A. McCoy & Thompson.

## THOMAS J. FARDEN.

## Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,

A complete line of light and heavy shoes for men and boys, women and misses, always in stock at bottom prices. Increase of trade more an object than large profits. See our goods before buying.

## Gents' Furnishing Goods!

## N WARNER & SONS.

## Hardware, Tinware, Stoves

South Side Washington Street,  
RENSSELAER, INDIANA

## BEDFORD & WARNER,

## Dealers In Groceries, Hardware, Tinware, Woodenware, Farm Machinery, BRICK & TILE.

Our Groceries are pure, and will be sold as low as elsewhere. In our Hardware, Tinware and Woodenware Department, will be found everything called for. Our Farm Machinery, in great variety, of the most approved styles. Brick and Tile, manufactured by us, and kept constantly on hand. We respectfully solicit your patronage.

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COVERT'S  
**MODOC BITTERS**  
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WILL POSITIVELY CURE  
Dyspepsia, Chills and  
Fever, Kidney Disease,  
Liver Complaint,  
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\$500 REWARD FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE CASES THAT THIS MEDICINE WILL NOT CURE OR HELP.  
They will stimulate the secretory organs, assist digestion, produce a healthy and laxative effect, and remove all varieties of disease calculated to undermine the natural vigor of the body. Their object is to protect and build up the vital strength and energy while removing causes of disease, and operating as a cure; but are no less useful as a preventive of all classes of similar ailments by building up the system to a good and perfect state of health, and making it proof against disease. One bottle alone will convince you. For sale by first-class Druggists. Send for pamphlet and testimonials.  
NIMMONS & COVERT, BLUFFTON, IND.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a certified copy of a Decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Jasper Circuit Court, in a case wherein Marion L. Spitler was plaintiff, and James H. Willard, Sidney S. Hazleton, Nathaniel Cook, Kate C. Cook, James H. Cook, Fannie Crowl, Robert Crowl, Cynthia S. Stanton, Alphens Stanton, Cornelia Ann Arnold, Melville Parker, Oscar F. Parker, John E. Cook, Caroline G. Willard, James H. Tallman and Susan Tallman were defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars and Twenty Cents (\$220.20) together with interest and costs, I will expose at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, THE 3rd DAY OF MAY, 1884, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the door of the Court House in the Town of Rensselaer, Jasper county, Indiana, the rents and profits, for a term not exceeding seven years, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

The south-east quarter 1/4 of section twenty-eight (28), township thirty-two (32) north, range seven (7) west, Jasper county, Indiana.

And should such rents and profits not sell for a sufficient sum to discharge said Decree, interest and costs, I will, at the same time and place, expose to sale the fee-simple of said Real Estate, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to discharge said Decree, interest and costs.

Said sale will be made without relief, and with the order of Court in said Decree, and in accordance with the order of Court in said Decree.

JOHN W. POWELL, Sheriff.

April 5, 1884—\$10.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a certified copy of a Decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Jasper Circuit Court, in a case wherein Henry R. Bond, Trustee of the Equitable Trust Co., was plaintiff, and Fitz W. Bedford, Elizabeth Bedford, George T. Bedford, Myron E. Sears, Samuel Remington, Philo Remington, Eliphahol Remington, James Milburn, William W. Hammell, Walter A. Wood, Mowing & Reaping Machine Company, Charles F. Webb, William C. Hibbard, Frank Lin F. Spencer, Adolphus E. Bartlett, Deere & Manner Company, and Braziller F. Ferguson were defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Twenty-five Hundred and Forty four Dollars and Thirty-three Cents (\$2544.33), I will expose at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, THE 3rd DAY OF MAY, 1884, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the door of the Court House, in the Town of Rensselaer, Jasper county, Indiana, the rents and profits, for a term not exceeding seven years, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Commencing at the south-west corner of the north-west quarter (34) of section twenty-nine (29), township twenty-nine (29) north, range six (6) west, and running thence east one hundred and forty (140) rods; thence north one hundred and twenty-six and one-half (126 1/2) rods, thence west one hundred and forty (140) rods to the west line of said section thence south on west line of said section one hundred and twenty-six and one-half (126 1/2) rods to the place of beginning.

And should such rents and profits not sell for a sufficient sum to discharge said Decree, interest and costs, I will, at the same time and place, expose to sale the fee-simple of said Real Estate, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to discharge said Decree, interest and costs.

Said sale will be made without relief, and in accordance with the order of Court in said Decree.

JOHN W. POWELL, Sheriff.

April 5, 1884—\$12.50.

### NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

State of Indiana, Jasper County, ss:  
Elizabeth B. Clifton, David S. Clifton, James N. Clifton, Thomas M. Clifton, Samuel S. Clifton, Daniel L. Mallatt, Nettie E. Mallatt, Charles Mallatt, Richard Mallatt, Thomas J. Mallatt, The Union Central Life Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Edwin Clark, are hereby notified that Ezra L. Clark, Administrator, with the Will annexed, of Estate of Thomas L. Clifton deceased, has filed his petition in the Circuit Court in and for said county, praying for an order to sell the Estate of said deceased, and for the making of the first day of the next regular Term of said Court, commencing on Monday, the 24 day of June, 1884.

Witness the Clerk and Seal of said Court this 24 day of April, 1884.  
CHARLES H. PRICE, Clerk  
Jasper Circuit Court.

April 5, 1884—\$6.25.

### NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

State of Indiana, Jasper County, ss:  
Jacob H. Frank, — Frank, his wife, Renben H. Frank, — Frank, his wife, Abraham L. Jacob, Netter, Samuel Kuhn and Solomon Loh, are hereby notified that Ephraim Fleming, has filed his complaint in the Circuit Court, in and for said county, against them, asking a decree quieting title to certain Real Estate. Said cause will stand for trial on the 24 day of the next regular Term of said Court, commencing on Monday, the 24 day of June, 1884.

Witness the Clerk and seal of said Court this 24 day of April, 1884.  
CHARLES H. PRICE, Clerk  
Jasper Circuit Court.

R. S. & Z. Dwiggins, plff's att'ys.

April 5, 1884—\$5.

### NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

State of Indiana, Jasper County, ss:  
Maggie Castleman, — Castleman, her husband, Rachel Patrick, and — Patrick, her husband, are hereby notified that Dennis McLaughlin has filed his complaint in the Circuit Court, in and for said county, asking for the foreclosure of a Mortgage against them, and others, and stand for trial on the second day of the next regular Term of said Court, commencing on Monday, the 24 day of June, 1884.

Witness the Clerk and seal of said Court this 24 day of April, 1884.  
CHARLES H. PRICE, Clerk  
Jasper Circuit Court.

R. S. & Z. Dwiggins, plff's att'ys.

April 5, 1884—\$5.

### Democratic Central Committee.

Hangin Grove—John LeFor, David Culp, Wm. W. Kenton.

Gilliam—Jno. Proutt, Adam Hrs, Jno. Tillett.

Walker—Joel F. Spriggs, George Staibaum, Fred Meier.

Backley—Geo. H. Brown, Nelson Randle, Jno. G. Culp, Geo. Adair, J. G. Norman.

Marion—Jasper Kenton, Wm. Bergman, C. D. Stackhouse, A. K. Yeoman, Geo. O. Aoever.

Rensselaer—John C. Chilcote, Jas. T. Rondie, Ed. P. Honan, Frank B. Meyer.

Jordan—Jay Lamson, John Elm, Lorenzo Hills, George W. Bringle, Jas. Ucoman, Newton Makeover.

Keener—Albert Brooks, Jas. Bennett, Benj. Biggs.

Kankakee—Thos. M. Jones, Presley E. Davis, Patrick Smith.

Wheatfield—John Hill, Nelson Ingram, Lewis Rich.

Car—enter, West Presnet, James Clowery, E. E. Rockwood, W. L. Rich.

East Presnet—Fred Hoover, Edward L. Culp, William H. Wells.

Milroy—Wm. C. McCord, Chas. E. Loshbaugh.

Jacob Owens.

Elion—William Cooper, Jas. Wiseman, Geo. W. Casey.

EZRA C. NOWELS, Chairman.

JAMES W. DOUTHITT, Secretary.

### LOGANSPORT PRESBYTERY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.—An hour was spent in religious conference. A number of the members feelingly expressed a desire for a closer communion with God, that they might be more efficient in winning souls to Christ. At the close of the social service regular business was taken up. The report of the Rev. N. F. Tuck, the Presbyterial Missionary, showed that he had been abundant in labors, gathering many souls into the Redeemer's kingdom. After a spirited discussion in regard to his work and the means of his support a resolution was adopted favoring his continuance in the work and providing for his support.

Rev. Robert Beer, of Valparaiso, asked to be released from his pastoral relations with the church at that place. He stated that he had been serving with them for eighteen years and through all that time the strictest harmony had existed between pastor and people, but he believed the time had now come for a dissolution of those relations. The matter was tenderly discussed and his request was granted.

Monticello was chosen as the place for the fall meeting of the Presbytery.

Rev. Joseph McHatton accepted a call to take pastoral charge of the church at Kentland.

Rev. Beer was elected Ministerial Commissioner, with Rev. A. M. Work, of Rochester, as alternate. For lay commissioner, Mr. Joseph Pierce, of Valparaiso, and Mr. Ingram, of Logansport, alternate.

Rev. E. S. Scott read report of Foreign Missions. Presbytery had contributed to foreign missions, during the year, \$1,600. The report, as a whole, was very encouraging.

Rensselaer church was granted \$50 aid for the current year from the Board of Home Missions.

The committee on Temperance adopted the following resolutions:

1st. Resolved, That we, as ministers and elders, will use all lawful christian effort to secure the legal prohibition of the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicants as a beverage.

2d. That we cordially commend the work of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in their efforts in the cause of Temperance.

Wednesday Evening.—Rev. Scott read report on religious state of the church throughout the Presbytery. Congregations were reported good.—Sunday schools in a flourishing condition. One church had been built and two others projected. A decided growth in the "grace of giving" was noticed. There had been 108 accessions.

The subject of "Helps and Hindrances to efficient work in feeble churches" was discussed, lead by Rev. B. E. S. Ely. Rev. E. P. Thompson, "System." Rev. J. B. Smith, "Social worship." Dr. J. F. Kendall, "Church Loyalty." Rev. Tuck, "Liberality."

Under the head of "Aggressive work in the Church," lead by Rev. W. E. Loucks, the following topics were discussed: Rev. Scott, "Pastoral Duties;" Rev. Work, "The Young Christian."

The speakers all evinced much earnestness and gave many eminently practical suggestions, which were well received.

A vote of thanks to the pastor and elders of Rensselaer church for the use of their building, and to the people of the town for their kind hospitality, and to the choir for their assistance in the evening worship, was passed.

There are eighty-five thousand Hebrews in New York city.

### BLAINE.

Charges and Specifications Relating to Public Ras-calities.

The Great Republican Leader Stripped and Publicly Whipped by a Republican Organ.

(New York Evening Post, April 7th.)

A correspondent, whose letter we print in another column desires some explanation what he considers the slinging or hostile references to James G. Blaine which so frequently appear in the Evening Post, and which he suspects must be, in some degree at least, the product of private malice. We think he is entitled, as are our readers generally, to some such explanation, and we shall proceed to make it cheerfully, starting, however, with the assertion that no editor or other person connected with the Evening Post in any capacity has, to our knowledge, had any difference, quarrel or controversy with Mr. Blaine or has ever received any injury from him whatever or bears him any personal grudge. Whenever he is discussed in these columns he is discussed either as the holder of a public office or as a candidate for a public office. Nor do we make any reference to his private affairs except when those affairs have or appear to have a direct and important relation to his character and claims as a public man. In fact all our comments on him and his doings are due to the fact that we consider his reappearance as a candidate for the highest office in the Government or any other, as an audacious proceeding, which can only be accounted for by supposing him to have an extraordinary and unwarrantable confidence in the popular forgetfulness. It is the duty of all those who do not wish to see the Republican party buried during the canvass next summer with the hopeless task of whitewashing him, to set forth briefly, now that his boom is becoming so lively, the charges which he will have to answer before he can be elected to the Presidency. It would be lamentable indeed, and certainly disastrous, if the task prescribed for Republican journalists by the convention should be not the discussion of great questions of public policy, like the tariff or the civil service or the railroads or the currency, but laborious examinations of Mr. James G. Blaine's railroad transactions. We mean, as far as we are concerned, to avoid this if we can by taking up his railroad transactions now, before the bustle and excitement of the canvass begins.

### THE FIRST CHARGE.

The first of these charges is that in the spring session of Congress in 1869 a bill was before the House of Representatives which sought to renew a land grant to the Little Rock and Fort Smith Railroad of Arkansas, in which some of Mr. Blaine's friends were interested; that an attempt to defeat it by an amendment was made, and was on the point of being successful, and its promoters were in despair; that at this juncture Mr. Blaine, being then Speaker of the House, sent a message to General Logan to make the point of order that the amendment was not germane to the purposes of the bill; that this point of order was accordingly raised and promptly sustained by Mr. Blaine as Speaker, and the bill was in this manner saved; that Mr. Blaine wrote at once to the promoters calling attention to the service he had rendered them, and finally, after some negotiations, secured from them as a reward for it the appointment as selling agent of the bonds of the road.

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