

Ch. Dem. Sentinel.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 1, 1885.

St. Valentine day to-morrow.

C. A. Roberts F. B. Meyer and W. G. Warner expect to start for New Orleans to-morrow evening.

We learn that an effort will be made to have the sentence of Warner commuted to imprisonment for life.

A young daughter put in her appearance at the residence of our friend Joe Sharp the poultry dealer, last Wednesday.

Below we give a list of the recent accessions to the F. W. Baptist Congregation at this place:

Mr. and Mrs. John Ramey Mr. Jno. M. Gent. Mrs. Lewis Day, Mrs. Hawkins Misses Condra Lizzie Cover Maggie Cover Alice Shriver; Edward Smith Thomas Grant Mr. and A. L. Willis Mr. Ousley C. C. Brown David Marion and Miss Cora Catt.

F. W. Baptist Church Notes.

The revival meetings at the F. W. Baptist church closed on last Sunday evening. The meeting had been a long one and closed with a good interest, which we hope may continue.

On Sunday last there was a large congregation assembled, and listened to a sermon by the pastor, to the converts. At the close of the service, at the hour, a large number of people proceeded to the river, east of town, where Rev. M. C. Miner administered the rite of baptism to seven of the converts. At the evening service ten received the hand of fellowship. The meeting was provided blessing to the church, and seventeen new members have been added thereto.

A weekly prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday evening of each week, and all are invited to attend.

The regular services will continue on the 2d and 4th Sundays of each month, and Covenant meeting on each Saturday before the 4th Sunday, at 2:30 p. m. All the members are especially invited to be present at the next Covenant meeting.

The pastor of the church is preparing to move the 1st of March, consequently the next services will close his pastorate in Rensselaer.

Mr. Henry Mackey has purchased the Rensselaer Marble Works changing "ad" next week.

Remington News: The newspaper published in a former issue a rumor that was being circulated about town that Smith had made a death bed confession that he was the murderer of Cotton. We now find that the rumor is false in every particular, and an injustice has been done Smith and his friends by the publication, and from what his friends say are led to believe that the story was started through malice by an enemy.

Certain politicians and certain statesmen made a big dash at Mr. Cleveland this week. The president elect should be careful not to let these men make the impression that they are the only patriots in the Democratic party. There are a good many able bodied, capable, modest men back of all this crowd at the front. To one set Mr. Cleveland said: "My mind, at present about my cabinet is in a state of receptivity, I have often found that the last suggestion is sometimes the best, and I will not act hastily."

MORE ABOUT THE SHELBYVILLE, IND., SCHOOL SUIT.—A Shelbyville Special to the Indianapolis News, says: The damage suit of Louis T. Michener against Prof. W. H. Fertich, superintendent of the public schools, has created great excitement in this city and much diversity of opinion. The Shelby Democrat, a leading daily paper of this city, takes high ground in favor of the justice of Mr. Michener's suit.

Another question that will no doubt be raised in this case will be the power of the school trustees to use school funds to employ attorneys to defend Mr. Fertich. The suit is not against the trustees in their official capacity, but against Mr. Fertich individually. Mr. Michener this morning filed an additional paragraph of complaint which will test another reported rule of the school in regard to keeping pupils in thirty minutes after school hours, for being excused during school hours to attend calls of nature.

The paragraph alleges that on Jan. 15, 1885 the defendant unlawfully and wrongfully restrained, detained and kept the plaintiff's daughter in a room for twenty, thirty minutes without right so to do, and without her consent, to her damage in the sum of \$2,500.

Rev. Howard Crosby, in a communication to Justice, declares it is high time that wise and impartial men should by careful study and counsel, devise a righteous plan to curb excessive wealth for the sake of the country's peace and prosperity. He takes the ground that limitation

of property wealth in dollars is reasonable as limitation in kind. The argument is thus stated:

"I can not keep dynamite in my house, I can not sell gunpowder, I can not keep pigs in my yard, I can not own cholera or small pox rags, I can not own a ricketty house. In all these cases the law will punish me and take away my property. And justly, because I am an injury to the community in holding it. Now if my holding an estate that is dangerous from its vastness is forbidden by law where is the unjustice? All that must be proved is its danger."

A Remedy for Drinking.

It is alleged by one who has been cured of a consuming taste for alcoholic stimulant that half ounce of ground quassia steeped in a pint of vinegar, a small tea spoonful of the decoction to be drank in a little water every time the thirst comes on, affords a certain cure. In a few days the liquor craving will have entirely disappeared. This is cheap, simple and remedy for a very serious and expensive passion.

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Rensselaer, Ind., Feb. 9 1885