

FRIDAY OCTOBER 9, 1885.

Next Tuesday the Ohio election will be held, when, we hope, the "bloody-shirt" screechers will be irretrievably beaten.

The Massachusetts Democratic State Convention, held at Worcester, that State, Wednesday, placed in nomination for Governor, Frederick O. Prince, of Boston, Secretary of the Democratic National Committee, and adopted a platform heartily indorsing President Cleveland's administration.

Our neighbor gets after brother McReynolds roughshod, who, he says, "goes so far as to boastingly air his political opinions from the pulpit, itself." We do not know what brother McR's political views are, but incline to believe he is a prohibitionist. It is evident he does not "boastingly air" Republican "opinions and practices from the pulpit, itself." If he did, gentle George would have no condemnatory epistle for him.

The Rochester Sentinel says that several Democrats have been given postoffices in Fulton county, and in other parts of the district, and 'every man that has been appointed was recommended by Hon. T. J. Wood. The few republicans who have insisted that Mr. Wood had no influence with the administration will soon be forced to change their opinion.'

The republicans can never forgive Mr. Wood for defeating their DeMotte.

The Indianapolis Sentinel is a progressive Democratic paper of nerve and ability, always foremost in the fight for Democracy and good government and a terror to rings and monopolies in whatever form appearing. In our judgment the course of the Sentinel in the last campaign, and the splendid management of its Blaine libel suit by Judge Turpie, in its square stand up fight therein, was the turning point to our grand Democratic victory in Indiana, and it deserves the most hearty and liberal support of every Democrat in the State. Prospectus next week.

Congressman Warner, of Ohio, was recently asked if he thought the Bland silver bill could be repealed without a substitute being provided therefor. Congressman Warner replied that he did not believe it could, and he did not believe it ought to be repealed without a substitute. He said "his was not a mere question of coining a few million dollars more or less in a year, but that it was a question between bimetallism and gold monometallism. He said that the present coinage law was the only thread by which silver was held in our monetary system. Strike this law down, he said, without any substitute, and bimetallism is overthrown. To bimetallists, he said, a change in the standard from both metals to one, in the face of the vast indebtedness that now weighs down modern nations, would be nothing less than a stupendous crime. Warmer proposes to introduce a substitute for the Bland bill, at the assembling of Congress in December, and carry it through the house by a good majority.

The Mt. Ayr correspondent of the Kirtland Gazette last week reports the following on our former townsmen, George Sigler, of the firm of Willey & Sigler:

"The boys get off rather an amusing story concerning George Sigler and his little Jersey. While the little cow is kind and gentle and will follow him like a dog, yet she is a source of trouble to the owner. Any old farmer who is ac-

quainted with this part of the country would have known that to stake a Jersey out in the field he must have a good memory of places as well as a keen eyesight in order that he might have no trouble in going back to the stake by which he fastened his cow. Mr. Sigler soon learned that to stand on the threshold and look across the pasture as he did when old mother Durham was there, was of no use, and he at once set out in search of his little Jersey. At first his efforts seemed to be in vain and was on the point of giving up in despair, and demanding of father Wishard the return of old mother Durham, but as he was turning to leave he caught his foot in the rope, and taking this and following hand over hand in the direction the rope came from he came upon his little Jersey lying in the weeds. Mr. Sigler has since used a stake that stands up above the weeds and now has no more trouble in finding his cow.

#### Kind Words.

Our old time friend M. H. Grim, of the Winamac Democratic Journal, thus kindly alludes to the aspirations of Bro. Rimmerman, of the Valparaiso Messenger, and ourslef:

James McEwen, editor of the Rensselaer Sentinel, and E. F. Zimmerman, editor of the Valparaiso Messenger, are candidates for postmasters of their respective towns. If our wishes could prevail both gentlemen would long before this have been made the happy recipients of President Cleveland's official recognition. They are "worthy and well qualified," and it is the DEMOCRATIC JOURNAL's earnest hope that both Zim and Jim will soon "get har, ell."

Rensselaer correspondent Remington News:

"Some of the leading Democrats concede that J. W. McEwen, editor of the Sentinel, will be our next Postmaster. Several prominent Republicans signed Mr. McEwen's petition. When tackled about it they replied "they wanted a simple, unadulterated Democrat in the place."

Remington News: "It is confidently expected that McEwen, the veteran editor of the Rensselaer Sentinel, will be the next Postmaster of his town."

Thanks! "So mote it be."

Remington News: Mrs. Fred Hoofer accompanied by Eva and Charley, started for their new home in Indian Territory yesterday. Their numerous friends regret their departure, but heartily wish them abundant happiness and prosperity.

Ibid: A portion of Hon. Fred Hoover's household goods were shipped to Coffeyville, Kansas, this week, and will be conveyed by team from there to the Osage Mission.

Superintendent Nelson informs us that Miss Bertie Kearns, of Bringhurst, Carroll county, passed a creditable examination and has been granted license, to teach. If there is a vacancy in the county the Trustee of the township in which it exists will do well to immediately correspond with the young lady at the address given above.

O. B. McIntire, of Remington, entered his two-year-old Hambletonian colt at Cambridge City, this State, and took first money.

Miss Jennie Scott, of Monticello, arrived in Rensselaer Wednesday evening. She will teach one of the schools in Newton town ship, commencing next Monday.

Dr. Samuel W. Ritchie the other day furnished the SENTINEL with a sunflower which measures fifteen inches across. Is there one to beat it?

#### Card of Thanks.

To the kind friends who were with us in our loss and sickness of our daughter Ellen and her infant, we express our sincere thanks, especially to Mrs. A. K. Yeoman, Mrs. M. L. Spiller and Mrs. Henry Watson, for flowers to decorate our loved ones.

MR. & MRS. J. M. GWIN.

#### School Notes.

The School Board held their first monthly meeting Monday evening, to hear the report of Superintendent Reubelt, and talk over matters in general, connected with the schools. The statistical part of the report for September, and compared with September, 1884, is as follows:

	1885.	1884.
Total Enrollment	334	312
No. Days Absent	134.75	164.2
Percentum of Attendance,	97.3	96.68
Number of Pupils tardy,	8	9
Number of Teacher's tardy	0	1
No. of Visitors	16	15
Daily average of time lost by tardiness	4.7 minutes.	

The only member of the High School who was tardy during the month, was a teacher from the country.

Miss Hill's report of the High School compares favorably with that of last year:

	1885.	1884.
Total Enrollment	71	66
Average No. belonging	66x	58x
Per cent. of Attendance	97x	96x
neither absent nor tardy	42	31

Miss Hill's room is so full that the Board contemplate changing her pupils to the large room on the second floor.

The teachers all like the Permanent system of reporting, adopted by the Board at Superintendent Reubelt's suggestion.

Parents and pupils should strive to lessen the number of cases of tardiness.

The total enrollment for last Monday in the several departments were:

Miss Hester's.....	50.
Miss Yantis'.....	70.
Miss Cox's.....	53.
Miss Pym's.....	51.
J. C. Reubelt's.....	44.
Miss Hill's.....	63.
Prof. Reubelt's.....	8.

Total.....339.

At the end of the term there will be a surprise in store for all of the pupils. They should all look well to deportment, as well as lessons, so that the surprise will be a pleasant one, to parents as well as to pupils.

Prof. Reubelt has ordered reviews by the Senior class, in the Common School branches; taking one branch for two months, and then passing an examination. He wants the next graduating class to be able to pass the necessary examination to obtain a license to teach.

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If you want a variety of fruit you know something about, go to the Rensselaer Nursery.

WANTED.—All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once. R. H. YEOMAN.

#### Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption are at F. B. Meyer's, Sept 11-2

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#### NEVER GIVE UP.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitter. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow, you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by F. B. Meyer. 35-6

#### Not Appreciated.

One night a policeman who was patrolling Grand River avenue and trying the doors of business houses came to a grocery and found the door unlocked and the key in the lock. He sprung the bolt, put the key in his pocket and sauntered on, and in the course of an hour he found opportunity to send word and the key to the proprietor. He didn't expect any particular praise for his action, but he was hardly prepared for the storm which soon swooped upon him. The grocer himself, with battered hat, torn coat and two fingers bleeding, suddenly appeared before him and said:

"If I've any influence in this town I'll have you off the force inside of two days!"

"Why, what's the matter?" "Matter? Ask me what's the matter? Oh! I'll fix you!"

"For what? For finding your store unlocked and sending the key to your house?"

"Yes, sir! I was down there hunting up mustard for a sick child at home, and what do you do but lock me in and promenade off?"

"Is it possible?"

"And there I've been for an hour or more, and would be yet if I hadn't crawled through a cellar window! Oh! I'll lay for you, old guardian of the peace!"—Detroit Free Press.

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SO FAR from being injured by severe labor, carried on under normal conditions, the brain is improved by it. Mental activity, like muscular exercise, keeps the brain in a healthy state. When, therefore, a man says he is suffering from the effects of mental overwork, I want to know what his views are. Worry may be one of these; worry is exhausting. The worries of life do infinitely more harm than the work of life, how onerous soever it may be.

—Dr. R. Bartholow, before Philadelphia Medical Society.

#### Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kansas, writes: "I never be state to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by F. B. Meyer's.

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