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July 11, 1884.

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at lowest rates and on most favorable terms.

April 1885.

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F. A. MCCOY & T. THOMPSON, successors
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made on all available points. Money to
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RENSSELAER JASPER COUNTY, INDIANA. FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1886.

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JACKSON'S LAST MOMENTS.

AN ACCOUNT OF HIS DEATH WRIT-
TEN BY HIS FAMILY PHYSICIAN.

Interesting to Tax-Payers.
 Comparatively speaking, there are but few of the tax-payers of Jasper county who have any idea of the amount of taxes assessed and collected in the county. The Republican recently gave the amount, by townships, of tax for 1885, which was probably taken from the records in the Auditor's office. The following table shows the collections from May, 1884, to November 2d, 1884, and from May, 1883, to November 5th, 1883:

Corporations.	1883.		1884.		Collections on duplicate statements, 1884.
	Col. 2d Inst.	Col. 3d Inherent & former years	Col. 2d Inst.	Col. 3d Inherent & former years	
Hunting Grove	\$147,491.00	\$188,011.00	\$141,500.00	\$188,301.00	\$65,291.00
William	181,192.00	189,192.00	89,111.00	119,111.00	30,000.00
Walker	21,210.00	21,210.00	11,427.00	11,427.00	2,000.00
Brown	29,210.00	30,210.00	21,200.00	21,200.00	1,000.00
Marion	51,311.00	60,311.00	30,911.00	30,911.00	1,000.00
Jordan	12,144.00	12,144.00	2,961.00	2,961.00	1,000.00
Newton	2310.80	15,991.80	2,251.00	15,991.00	1,000.00
Keever	618.85	737.45	59.50	229.00	1,000.00
Kirkwood	329.65	329.65	20.00	20.00	1,000.00
Whitfield	564.75	564.75	32.00	32.00	1,000.00
Carpenier	227.75	227.75	15.00	15.00	1,000.00
Hampton	470.00	470.00	27.00	27.00	1,000.00
Total	1,281.20	4,483.80	1,111.50	2,277.50	1,000.00

It will be seen that there was \$5094.50 more collected on second instalment of 1884, than for same period in 1883. There was collected \$1544.22 more delinquent taxes for 1884, than in 1883. There was collected, in 1885, \$1,563.70 more delinquent tax of '83 and former years than was collected in '84 for '82 and former years. Making a total of \$8195.42 more taxes collected in 1884 than in 1883. This statement is from the records of the county and is worthy the consideration of every tax-payer.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the Jasper County Bar, and visiting Attorneys, held January 12th, 1886, a committee was appointed to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of late Hon. SAMUEL A. HUFF, and reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Samuel A. Huff, who for forty years has been a member of this Bar, and an officer of this Court, departed this life, at Monticello, on the 10th instant;

And Whereas, the deceased has been for almost half a century an able, learned and honorable member of the legal profession;

And Whereas, the members of this Bar and officers of the Court desire in a public and befitting manner to bear testimony to his many virtues as a citizen, his uniform faithfulness and generosity as a friend, and his acknowledged abilities as a lawyer. It is therefore resolved—

That, in the death of Hon. SAMUEL A. HUFF, the Bar has lost a brilliant, honorable, learned and courteous member, the Courts an honest, fearless and sagacious advocate—the State a true, unselfish, patriotic and honest man.

That this preamble and these resolutions be entered on the Order Book, and be spread on the records of this Court, and published in the newspapers of this county.

S. P. THOMPSON,
M. F. CHILCOTE,
DANIEL FRASER.
Committee.

ligion that I have ever heard. He spoke for near half an hour, and apparently with the power of inspiration; for he spoke with calmness, with strength, and, indeed, with animation. I regret exceedingly, my dear sir, that there was no one present who could have noted down his precise words. They might have been read with profit, and would have been fondly cherished as a precious gem by all the great and good of the land.

In conclusion, he said: "My dear children, and friends and servants, I hope and trust to meet you all in heaven, both white and black." The last sentence he repeated—"both white and black," looking at them with tenderness and solicitude. With these words he ceased to speak, but fixed his eyes on his granddaughter, Rachel Jackson (who bears the name of his own beloved wife) for several seconds. What was passing through his mind at that moment I will not pretend to say, but it did appear to me that he was invoking the blessings of heaven to rest upon her. The lecture to his family was awfully sublime. His implicit belief in the Christian religion, and in the plan of salvation as revealed in the Bible—his great anxiety that they should believe in religion as taught by the Holy Scriptures, and that, in so doing, they would insure their eternal salvation, and join him in heaven. Such sentiments, from such a man, at such a time, are enough to put to flight all skepticism on the subject of religion.

"Major Lewis arrived about two o'clock. The general appeared to know him when he spoke to him. As I before stated, the general had to be propped up in his bed at night, and in his arm chair during the day. On Sunday morning, the 8th instant (the day on which he died), on entering his room I found him sitting in his arm-chair, with his two faithful servants, George and Dick, by his side, who had just removed him from his bed. Maj. Lewis supported his head until he breath'd his last, which was precisely at 6 o'clock p. m. Thus died the greatest and best man of the age, or, perhaps, of any age."

Obituary.

Nannie E. Spitler, whose maiden name was Strickler, was born at Massanutton, Page county, Vir., June 8th 1837, and died in Rensselaer, January 2nd, 1886, at 11 o'clock p. m. at the age of 48 years, 6 months and 24 days. She was the youngest of 13 children, 4 of whom survive her. She was united in marriage, at her native town, on September 18th 1861, to Thomas J. Spitler, who died in 1875. There was born, as the fruit of this union, five children, four of whom are still living. She joined the Presbyterian church in early life, and continued a consistent member thereof until her death.

She was very firm in her convictions of right, and through the trials of ten years of widowhood, has borne herself as becomes a Christian character; and has endeavored to inculcate in the minds of her children the truth of Christianity.

She was an affectionate wife and a kind and devoted mother, and her place around the fireside cannot be filled. She was resigned to her fate, and died in the full faith of a hereafter.

Public School Notes.

The attention of the patrons of the Rensselaer schools, is called to the fact that the children attending the primary grades are too irregular. A pupil who is irregular can not go through work, as one who is there every day. Each has his daily work, and if he fails to do it, his standing is lowered and his advancement will not be steady.

Prof. Reubelt suggests, that when the weather is bad, the father should bring his children in the morning, when possible, and come for them in the evening, permitting them to bring their dinners.

The per centum of attendance was cut down during December by the absentees in the primary grades.

The report for December 1885 is not as good as in previous months.

Total Enumeration for 1885 493.

Whole number enrolled now	349
Number out of school	144
Average number belonging now	305
daily attendance for Dec	288.14
Per centum of daily attendance	94.96
Number tardy	4
Average daily absence	16.49

BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.

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The Dodge City (Kansas) Live Stock Journal announces in very flattering terms the wedding, in that city, New Year's evening, of W. W. Karsner, formerly of Rensselaer, and Miss Emma Warren, of Dodge City. The affair passed off grandly, and the presents were numerous and valuable.

If you want good clothing at low figures, call and examine the large stock just opened out at Fendig's. In the matter of supply, variety in styles, quality of goods, and low prices, Fendig can not be surpassed. All are invited to call, examine stock and ascertain prices, before purchasing elsewhere.

On Tuesday last Jay Dwiggins started for Florida.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs and had tried many remedies without success. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousand, whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery. Trial Bottles free at F. B. Meyer's Drug Store.

Ex-Sheriff John W. Powell has leased the Halloran Livery and Feed Stables, and respectfully solicits a liberal share of the public patronage.

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. W. Duvall is confined to her bed quite ill.

A Card to Ladies.

A lady who suffered for years and was treated by the most noted physicians in America without relief, was given a simple remedy by a Russian nurse which permanently restored her to health. To aid her sex, she now offers to send free the recipe with full instructions for making the medicine yourself, at home without expense. If you are suffering with any form of female disease do not throw away time and money on doctors and patent medicines, but inclose me a stamped envelope (addressed to yourself), and receive a free cure. Address, Mrs. CLARA B. WRIGHT 78 E. Eagle Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

LOST.—Somewhere between the Banta school house and Marlboro Dec. 19, 1885, a purse containing \$35, consisting of the following: A twenty dollar bill, a ten dollar bill, a five dollar bill and two or more pieces of change. Any information concerning the same will be liberally rewarded.

G. W. INGRAM,
Zard, Jasper Co., Ind.