



FRIDAY FEBRUARY 26 1886.

## RENSSELAER TIME TABLE.

## PASSENGER TRAINS.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
4:51 A. M.	10:48 A. M.
4:08 " "	11:11 P. M.
4:18 P. M.	10:47 " "

To the many, friends in Rensselaer and vicinity whose repeated acts of kindness during ANA'S long illness helped smooth her pathway to the tomb, we return our heartfelt thanks. We appreciate the respect, esteem and sympathy manifested by the large attendance on the funeral ceremonies. The many letters, too, received from associates, companions and friends in this and other States, while they do not fill the aching void, are consoling, as all bear witness to her lovely character.

"Your Brother" does not love the "Republican" who writes for the "Sentinel"—not very much.—Not unless he could make a "wheel" out of him. But then our "Republican" does not like the methods of "Your Brother" in "bossing" nominations any more than he does the attempt to defeat the nominee with "fraudulent tickets." Our "Republican" is a sort of a straight "cuss," if he is a Republican.

## About the P. O.

Monticello Herald: We regret to note that a Mr. Bates has been appointed postmaster at Rensselaer. We regret it, because we had hoped that our old neighbor J. W. McEwen would receive the appointment. He has been true to his party through thick and thin and has for several years been publishing a straight democratic newspaper in a county where his party is largely in the minority and consequently his support has been meager at best. We believe in rewards for meritorious service and that "offensive partisans" friendly to the administration should hold the offices. Therefore Bro. McEwen was justly entitled to the postoffice at Rensselaer and we are sorry his claim has been ignored and another chosen.

Delphi Journal: We are not much interested in the action of the present administration, but we had hoped that our old friend, J. W. McEwen, of the Rensselaer Sentinel, would receive the appointment of Postmaster, as he has worked long and faithfully for his party. Many Democratic editors of this district have been rewarded. Why not he?

Kentland Gazette: Non-partisan lightning has struck Rensselaer, but some way or other it did not strike Bro. McEwen. If the Democrat, as was expected. N. S. Bates was the man who had the "poll long enough to reach the persimmon" and got the postoffice at that place.

White County Democrat: N. S. Bates has been appointed postmaster at Rensselaer, vice H. E. James, commission expired. Mr. Bates is one of the staunchest democrats in Jasper County, and the appointment is a good one, although we can't help feeling that our old friend, Jas. W. McEwen of the Sentinel, should have been the appointee. Mr. McEwen has run the Sentinel for years without any of the patronage of the county, and hard as is the luck of newspaper men generally, "Mac's" luck has been more than usually so.—While we regret that our old friend has not been honored with the appointment, we congratulate Mr. Bates on his good fortune and Rensselaer on securing an efficient postmaster.

To our brethren of the press in this district who have so kindly and freely urged our claims for the position to which we aspired, we tender our sincere thanks.

## WARTNER PAYS THE PENALTY.

Quite a number of people arrived on the trains yesterday and this morning, and before the time set for the execution Rensselaer presented a rather lively appearance, although it was a matter of comment that a large proportion of the crowd was from distant localities.

## CONDENSED ACCOUNT OF THE CRIME.

Wartner is a native of Holland, came to this country a few years since, and located near French Landing, in this county. He has left a wife and four children. His principal occupation was fishing, from which he derived a precarious livelihood. John Dreger, his neighbor, owned a small farm and some cattle, kept house by himself, his wife having died, and sometimes boarded with Wartner, frequently assisting him, and proving to be a friend in need. At the time of the murder Wartner had Dreger go with him to the Kan-kakee river for fish, loading Dreger's wagon with the implement of death, and the articles intended for use in concealment of the deed. On reaching the river, Wartner struck Dreger down with the butt end of his gun, mad sure of his death, then loading the body with the traps he had taken along for that purpose, sank it to the bottom of the river. Returning home, Wartner took possession of Dreger's property, claiming to have paid for it a check from the old country for \$375, and that Dreger had returned to the old country. Brainard, a trapper, on the 29th of October, 1884 found the body of the man, which proved to be that of Dreger. After the identification of the body Wartner was arrested, and on November 4th, 1884, made a confession in which he stated that he was impelled to the deed by destitution and poverty. At the January term, 1885, of the Jasper Circuit Court, on plea of guilty, without intervention of jury, Judge Ward assessed the death penalty. This was set aside by the Supreme Court. Tried by a jury, October term, 1885, he entered a plea of insanity, but the jury found him guilty, assessed his punishment at death, and Judge Ward designated today, Friday, February 26, 1886, as the date of execution, and Weibren Wartner has suffered the penalty of outraged law.

## THE CLOSING PROCEEDINGS.

At 11:20 the gates to the enclosure were opened and those holding tickets were admitted, numbering some 300. At 11:30 the death warrant was read to the condemned man, and at 11:40 the procession left the jail and mounted the scaffold. Wartner walked to the scaffold, assisted by a man on either side, and was given a chair. He sat down, and facing the spectators, and made a general denial of the crime for which he was to suffer death, crying out, "Good gentlemen, I am innocent! God help me, I am innocent!" He spoke very kindly of Sheriff Yeoman, and said, "This good man must kill me. I know that, but he don't like to do it. He has been good to me, and I thank him." A short prayer, in English, was offered by Rev. B. F. Ferguson, followed by a prayer in German, by Rev. Vanness. At 12 o'clock sharp the drop was sprung and at 12:20 Wartner was pronounced dead, his neck being broken. The doctors examined his brains and pronounced them sound and healthy.

Sheriff Yeoman is awarded great praise for the good order which prevailed. Sheriffs Harper, of Montgomery county; Stewart, of White, Burton, of Pulaski; Wells, of Lake, and McCutcheon, of Tippecanoe, were in attendance.

Simon's dog, a Goodland (?) Republican, makes wry faces at us, pouts and says naughty things, all because we invited him to trot his master out. Now, personally, we rank Simon as one of best friends, but as the Democracy have been carrying this Senatorial district for lo these many years, trot him out if you want to see him sail up Salt River.

**Special Invitation!**—Everybody is respectfully invited to call and price my goods, and I will guarantee that out of every 25 customers 24 will be bound to buy of me, as I have reduced my entire stock to such prices that they will feel constrained to purchase unless they have money to throw away.—I mean business, and am determined to secure, by the above method, new friends. Do not be misled, but come at once and convince yourselves of the truth of this statement. Very respectfully,  
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## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Jasper county, Indiana, will receive sealed bids, until one o'clock, p. m. on Friday, March 5th, 1886, for furnishing the offices of said county with Blank Books and Stationery and any other material to be used in the said offices, for a period of one year. The Board reserving the right to reject any or all bids.  
GEO. M. ROBINSON,  
Auditor Jasper County.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Jasper County, Indiana, will receive sealed bids, until ten o'clock a. m., on Friday, March 5th, 1886, for furnishing Medical and Surgical aid to the poor of the several Townships, and County Poor Farm in said County, for a period of one year. The Board reserving the right to reject any or all bids.  
GEO. M. ROBINSON,  
Auditor Jasper County.

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

It is evident that Leopold means business, and everybody would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity of saving 25 per cent. on all goods sold by him.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a Certified Copy of a Decree of the Jasper Circuit Court, in a cause No. 3416 wherein Simon P. Thompson, David J. Thompson and Marion L. Splitter were plaintiffs and Isaac T. Boyden and Laura Boyden, wife of said Isaac T. Boyden, were defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Sixteen Dollars and Sixty-three cents (\$16.63), together with interest and costs, I will offer at public sale, on

Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1886,

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 (7) years, by the year, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south-east quarter (¼) of the south-east quarter (¼) of section thirty-one (31), township thirty-two (32) north, range five (5) west; and the south-east quarter (¼) of the north-east quarter (¼) of the south-west quarter (¼) of section thirty-six (36) township thirty-two (32) north range six (6) west, all in 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, and in the manner aforesaid, expose at public sale the fee simple rights of said defendants in and to said real estate, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to discharge said Decree, interest and costs.

Said sale will be made without any relief whatever from valuation or appraisement laws, and in accordance with the order of court in said Decree.  
SAMUEL E. YEOMAN, Sheriff  
Thompson & Bro. Attys for plfs.  
February 6, 1886. \$10.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a Certified Copy of a Decree of the Jasper Circuit Court, in a cause No. 3459, wherein John Maever was plaintiff and Benjamin F. Haugh and — Haugh, wife of Benjamin F. Haugh, whose christian name is unknown, and Joseph R. Haugh, and — Haugh, wife of Joseph R. Haugh, whose christian name is unknown, were defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Fifty-nine Dollars and thirty-one cents (\$59.31) together with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale on

Saturday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1886,

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 (7) years, by the year, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The north-west quarter (¼) of the south-west quarter (¼) of section twenty-four (24) of township thirty-eight (38) north range six (6) west, in 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, and in the manner aforesaid, expose at public sale the fee simple rights of said defendants in and to said real estate, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to discharge said Decree, interest and costs.

Said sale will be made without any relief whatever from valuation or appraisement laws, and in accordance with the order of court in said Decree.

SAMUEL E. YEOMAN, Sheriff.  
M F Chilcote, Atty for plaintiff.  
February 6, 1886. \$10.

## Notice of Application for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors.

NOTICE is hereby given to all the citizens of the Town of Remington, and Carpenter Township, in the County of Jasper, and State of Indiana: That I, the undersigned Timothy O'Connor, a white male inhabitant of the State of Indiana, and over the age of twenty-one years, will make application to the Board of Commissioners of said Jasper County, in the State of Indiana, at the next regular session and meeting of said Board of Commissioners to be held in the Town of Rensselaer in said Jasper county, commencing on Monday, the 1st day of March, 1886, for a License to sell Spirituous Liquors, Vinous Liquors, Malt Liquors, and all Intoxicating Liquors which may be used as a beverage, in less quantities than a quart at a time, with the privilege of allowing and permitting said Liquors to be drunk on the premises where sold, and precisely as described as follows, to-wit: "A one story Frame Building, located upon Lot number one (1) of P. D. Gallagher's subdivision of Lots Nos. four (4), five (5), and six (6), in Block number twelve (12), of the original plat of the Town of Remington, which is laid out upon a part of the south half of the north-west quarter of section No. thirty, township twenty-seven north, range six west, in the county of Jasper, and State of Indiana. The ground upon which said Building is located, is described by metes and bounds as follows: Commencing at the north-east corner of said Block number twelve (12) in said Town of Remington, and running thence west along the north line of said Block No. twelve (12) a distance of forty feet; thence south parallel with Ohio street in said Town of Remington, in every respect to be intersected with the north line of said Block No. twelve (12), forty feet to the west boundary line of said Ohio street, and thence north along the west line of said Ohio street, twenty feet to the place of beginning.—The said Building is located east on Ohio street in said Town of Remington. Said application will ask for a License as above mentioned, for a period of one year.  
TIMOTHY O'CONNOR.  
James W. Douthitt, Atty for applicant.  
February 6, 1886.—\$10.

## LIQUOR LICENSE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the citizens of DeMotte and Reener townships, in Jasper county, Indiana, that the undersigned, a male inhabitant of said Township, County and State, and a man of good moral character and fit person in every respect to be entrusted with the sale of intoxicating liquors, will make application for a license to sell and barter, in less quantities than a quart at a time, spirituous, vinous, malt and all other intoxicating liquors, which may be used as a beverage, with the privilege of permitting the same to be drunk in and upon the premises where sold and bartered; at the March Term of the Board of Commissioners of Jasper County, Indiana, to be held in the town of Rensselaer, commencing on the first day of March A. D. 1886. The precise location and description of the premises where said liquors are to be sold and bartered is as follows, to-wit:

A one and one-half story frame building situated on lot number fifteen (15) in block number two (2) in McDonald's addition to the town of DeMotte, Jasper County, Indiana, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Commencing at a point one (1) foot south of a point one (1) foot east of the north-west corner of said lot, number fifteen (15), thence running east twenty-four (24) feet thence south sixteen (16) feet thence west twenty-four (24) feet thence north sixteen (16) feet to the point of commencement. Said license will be asked for a period of one year.  
HENRY GRANGER.  
J. W. Douthitt, Atty. for petitioner. Feb 6 '86

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## Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Jasper Circuit Court Administrator of the Estate of Nannie E. Spiller, deceased, late of said county. Said Estate is supposed to be solvent.  
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