

# Democratic Sentinel



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## RENSSELAER TIME TABLE.

### PASSENGER TRAINS.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
4:51 A. M.	10:48 A. M.
4:03 "	11:11 P. M.
4:48 P. M.	10:47 "

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET

For Clerk,

For Sheriff,

For Auditor,  
LUCIUS STRONG.

For Treasurer,  
WILLIAM M HOOVER.

For Recorder,  
DAVID W. SHIELDS.

For Coroner,

For Surveyor

For Commissioner—Second District,  
GEORGE H. BROWN, Jr.

## The Democratic Central Committee

OF JASPER COUNTY, IND., will meet at RENSSELAER, on THURSDAY, August 5th, 1886, for the purpose of making complete the Democratic Ticket for said County, in compliance with instructions of County Convention, and the transaction of other business.

A full attendance requested.  
H. A. BARKLEY, Chairman.  
JAS. W. MCEWEN, Sec'y.

## Democratic CONVENTIONS!

The Democracy of the counties of Benton, Jasper and Newton will meet in Delegate Convention, at Goodland, Ind., on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, '86, and place in nomination one candidate for State Senator and one candidate for Circuit Prosecutor.

At the same time and place the candidate for Representative, for the counties of Jasper and Newton, will also be placed in nomination.

The ratio of representation is fixed at one Delegate for every 60 Democratic votes and fraction thereof, cast at the last general election.

By order of Chairmen of the several COMMITTEES.

Walker items came to hand too late for insertion this week.

The Jasper county Republicans in 1886 repeat their effort of 1880 in exhibition of greed for place. That year Hon. Horace E. James, ex-consul, etc., desired to be placed on the State ticket for Secretary of State; Thompson, for Congress; Chilcote, for Representative, and Babcock for Prosecutor. James was voted the Jonah of the crew. In the effort to get rid of him, the balance of the loyal patriots went overboard with him.

Indianapolis News: Major Bitters, editor and proprietor of the Rochester Daily Republican, was attacked and assaulted upon Main street, in that city, by Otto Rettig, of Peru. They were separated after a lively round. The assault was the result of an article appearing in the paper a few days ago reflecting upon the character of Rettig. Rettig pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs.

Bro. James will now be able to return compliments and extend congratulations. He can send "To T. Major Bitters, greeting: 'Me, too!' But this is not the first assault on Bitters. And when editor of the Rensselaer Republican, his absence on one occasion saved him from an application of rotten eggs procured by an old lady for his benefit.

The selection of Judge Turpie for the office of United States Attorney for the District of Indiana, is one of the best yet made. In his case, the man will honor the office. Should a vacancy occur in the Attorney General's office, we suggest to President Cleveland that he will meet the most general and emphatic approval of all parties if he will place that position at the disposal of Judge Turpie.

THE LADIES' LITERARY SOCIETY met, on June 26th, at Mrs. A. Purcupile's, and the meeting was devoted to business. The election of officers was the first thing in order. Mrs. Belle Kerr was elected president; Mrs. A. Purcupile, vice-president; Mary Washburn, secretary; Mrs. Alfred Thompson, treasurer, and Miss Mollie Babcock, critic. Mr. Van Rensselaer sent a manuscript History of the "Jesuit Mission" to the society.—The History was written by himself and is very interesting and well written. A letter was also read from his daughter, acknowledging acceptance of honorary membership to which she had been elected. The society returned a vote of thanks to Mr. Van-Rensselaer for the manuscript History and other kindnesses that he has shown it during his visit here.—The society desired to take a summer vacation and the meeting adjourned until the first Saturday in October.

Last Friday evening, about six o'clock, during the storm which passed over the town lightning struck the residence occupied by the families of Martin E. Baylor and Ed. Erwin, south side of public square, causing the death of Claude, aged about eleven years, son of Mr. Baylor. At the time of the accident Claude, with an older sister and younger brother were standing in the rear doorway and Mrs. Baylor had just come down stairs. Under the circumstances it is a matter of surprise that the other members of the family escaped unharmed. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. Handley, Saturday, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

At a special session of the board of trustees, Monday evening, a contract was ordered for half a mile of glazed 10-inch sewer pipe to be laid on north side of Harrison street, from Leopold's Addition. Sigler & Goff have the contract. A contract was also entered into with Michaels, of Logansport, for 120 feet of 30-inch concrete pipe at \$1.20 per foot, to conduct the waters of Makehimself ditch across Front street, near the residence of Hon. G. H. Brown.

Among those named for the Democratic Senatorial nomination in this District, Hon. George H. Brown, of Rensselaer, and Dr. D. H. Patton, of Remington, are prominently mentioned.

The Monon Base Ball Club, and "The Kids," of Rensselaer, this afternoon occupy the grounds of the latter in a contest for the championship.

Henry Smith and R. Goddard of Rensselaer, will come in beneficiaries under the act pensioning soldiers of the Mexican war.

County Superintendent Nelson is attending the National Educational Association at Topeka, Kansas.

The Delphi Base Ball Club failed to materialize in Rensselaer yesterday.

Ed. W. Bass, of Lafayette, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Moses Turner, in Rensselaer.

A couple of Arabs were on our streets Wednesday morning asking for backsheesh.

Prof. W. D. Gunning, an able and entertaining Boston scientist, is visiting Rensselaer.

Ezra C. Nowels returned from Washington Territory Tuesday night.

### Commissioners' Court.

#### Allowances of Regular and Special June Sessions of Board of Commissioners.

##### PRISONERS.

H. J. Dexter, mdse furnished,	\$3 65
T. J. Farden "	2 50
LaRue Bros. "	45
Willey & Sigler "	1 00
C. S. Starr "	2 90
N. Warner & Sons "	70
F. P. Bitters, Med. aid to Wartena	1 50

Total 12 70

##### COUNTY PRINTING.

G. E. Marshall, adv. School Lands	21 32
Horace E. James, notices	4 00
G. E. Marshall, printing	37 05
James W. McEwen, printing	9 50

Total 71 87

##### RELIEF OF POOR.

Ferguson & Goff, mdse poor, Marion tp.	16 03
Paxton Bros. " Newton tp.	4 50
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John H. Tilton, " Walker tp.	16 50
J. O. B. McDougle " Carpenter	24 00
J. E. Hollett " " 5 75	
S & Solomon " " 33 25	
John Makeever House rent for Wartena's 12 50	
James Peffley, mdse, for poor Carpenter tp	9 00
Robert Parker " " 16 00	
H. C. Goldsberry " " 62 75	
Paxton Bros. " " Newton 6 00	
Samuel E. Yeoman " " 1 25	
" " Relief of poor 5 70	
LaRue Bros. mdse, for poor Newton tp.	9 00
" " Marion tp. 5 73	
Willey & Sigler " " 15 35	
Estate of W. J. Wright " " 15 00	
" " Barkley 15 00	
L. Tutuer " Marion 20 00	
" " Barkley 8 00	
J. H. Tilton " Kankakee 4 00	
LaRue Bros. " Newton 2 85	
Charles D. Nowels " Marion 11 98	
Mrs. Eckles weekly allowance 8 weeks at \$1.50 per week, Carpenter tp 12 00	
Victor Loughridge wash. and dres. Makus 10 00	
Total 361 24	

##### POOR FARM.

Thomas R. Daugherty, mdse. fur	13 20
J. R. Van Voorst, wire for	11 45
William E. Moore hog for	6 00
Willey & Sigler, mdse. for	34 66
Est. of W. J. Wright, mdse fur	4 50
E. Purepile "	50
N. Warner & Sons "	27 20
John Eger "	91 03
Beij. King, work on poor farm	51 00
Abbie Roberts, Matron	29 00
L C Grant, blacksmithing	5 95
Emmet Kannal, mdse. for	1 80
Samuel R. Nichols, pur. agt. bill for serv. 48 77	
Simon Paillips, quar. salary, Supt.	164 20
Total 486 26	

##### COUNTY OFFICES.

William M. Hoover, Co. map, Treas. office	4 00
Bedford & Warner, mdse. fur, offices	4 45
Est. of W. J. Wright " 75	
N. Warner & Sons "	30
Emmet Kannal, "	1 35
A. Leopold, canvass for wall maps, 4 75	

Total \$15 60

##### ELECTIONS.

Michael Eger room for holding elections	3 50
COUNTY OFFICERS.	

G. M. Robinson, papers filed Trustees Settlement April,	10 69
James F. Irwin, services as clerk	19 50
Samuel E. Yeoman, delivering poll books and tally sheets	51 50
Samuel E. Yeoman, boarding prisoners	14 80
Samuel E. Yeoman, washing and mending for prisoners	13 60
Samuel E. Yeoman, serving precept on commissioners	9 15
Samuel E. Yeoman, serving notice on Bd. of Equalization	18 60
Samuel E. Yeoman, boarding Thomas Coghill	52 12
William M. Hoover, quarterly salary, 200 00	
Geo. M. Robinson, making 15 plat books and 15 transfer books	562 00
Geo. M. Robinson, making wall plats of 13 civil townships	76 00
Geo. M. Robinson, making report of county commissioners	35 00
Geo. M. Robinson, papers filed assessment blanks, statistical &c.	131 71
Geo. M. Robinson, quarterly salary, 471 63	
Samuel E. Yeoman, notice to trustee Jordan tp.	2 05
Samuel E. Yeoman, notice to parties to appear before Bd. of Equalization	9 15
Samuel E. Yeoman, serving com. special session	9 25
Total, \$1686 75	

##### ASSESSING REVENUE.

William M. Kennedy, assessing Walker tp.	6 00
D. D. Redmond, " Hang Grove, 106 00	
Charles Paxton, " Newton, 105 00	
James H. Knight, " Barkley, 31 00	
Benj. R. Faris, " Gilliam, 116 00	
Scott Brown, " Marion, 14 00	
H. W. Porter, " Marion, 122 00	
E. L. Clark, " " 70 00	
James W. Spriggs	