

## Democrat

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## MONON ROUTE

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### Rensselaer Time-Table

In effect Sept. 11th, 1896.

SOUTH BOUND.

No 31—Fast Mail (don't stop) 4:48 a.m.  
No 32—Louisville Mail, Daily 10:55 a.m.  
No 33—Indianapolis Mail, 1:53 p.m.  
No 34—Milwaukee Mail, Daily 6:03 p.m.  
No 35—Louisville Express Daily 11:20 a.m.  
No 45—Local freight, 2:40 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

No 4 Mail, 4:39 a.m.  
No 40—Milwaukee, Daily 7:31 a.m.  
No 32—Fast Mail, 9:55 a.m.  
No 30—Clip to Chicago Vestibule, 6:19 p.m.  
No 8—Mail and Express, Daily 3:30 p.m.  
No 46—Local freight, 9:30 a.m.  
No 74—Freight, 7:40 p.m.

No 74 carries passengers between Monroe and Lowell.  
No 30 makes no stop between Rensselaer and Indianapolis.

No 32 makes no stop between Rensselaer and Hammard.  
Train No 5 h<sup>h</sup> a through coach for Indianapolis and Cincinnati via Roachdale arrives at Indianapolis 2:40 p.m. Cincinnati 6 o'clock p.m.

No 6 h<sup>h</sup> a through coach; return, leaves Cincinnati 8:30 a.m., arrives Indianapolis 3:30 p.m. daily. Tickets can be purchased at regular rates on this route.

W. H. BEAM, Agent.

### Church Directory.

#### PRESBYTERIAN.

REV. M. B. PARADIS, Pastor.

Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m.  
Public Worship, 10:45 a.m.  
Class Meeting, 11:45 a.m.  
Epworth League, Junior, 2:30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Senior, 6:30 p.m.  
Public Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Tuesday, 7:80 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

REV. R. D. UTTER, Pastor.

Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m.  
Public Worship, 10:45 a.m.  
Class Meeting, 11:45 a.m.  
Epworth League, Junior, 2:30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Senior, 6:30 p.m.  
Public Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Tuesday, 7:80 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

#### CHRISTIAN.

Church School, 9:30 a.m.  
Public Worship, 11:45 a.m.  
Junior Endeavor, 2:30 p.m.  
Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p.m.  
Public Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Preparations are under way for one of the finest concerts ever given in Rensselaer. It is under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., and will be given in the auditorium of the Presbyterian church, Friday, November 20th. The leading attractions will be Prof. Hayner, violinist of Chicago, and Miss Mary Kirk Rider, elocutionist, of Central Music Hall, Chicago. The "Humaniphone," the new musical instrument, will also be used.—Admission 25 cents.

WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR women to travel for responsible established house in Indiana. Salary \$780 per annum. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. The National Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

#### ELLIS'

### Opera - House

Monday, Nov. 16th.

EDMUND & FARLEY  
Present the  
Musical Comedy Drama, in four  
acts entitled.

## Railroad Jack

AND  
TWELVE HIGH CLASS  
SPECIALTIES.

Carroll & Kane, David Rivers, Jimerson & Howson, Rita Dixon, Harry Thorpe and Monica Farley contributing to the Vaudeville Ohio.

#### The Big Explosion Scene.

#### The Lunch Room.

All Special Scenery.  
Reserve seats on sale at Huff's

A little daughter came to grace the home of Bian and Hattie Zimmerman, Thursday of last week.

A much-needed arc light has been located at the intersection of Cullen and Washington streets.

There was a large attendance at the corner stone laying, notwithstanding the prospect for disagreeable weather.

A Lewis, cigar manufacturer, has moved into his handsome new brick residence at intersection of Division and Scott streets.

The Monon did the handsome thing in furnishing low rates to voters along its line who desired to go to their homes to vote.

The good name and fame of Hon. D. W. Voorhees will be historical for centuries after the asses who are kicking at him have become extinct.

Henry Clay, for his part taken in the defeat of Gen. Jackson, was never after recognized by his old party, and was obliged to ally himself with the opposition. Van Buren opposed Cass; Buchanan opposed Douglas, and were as effectually and promptly discarded.

Bro. Marshall complains bitterly of the large number of Democrats who made their presence felt on the day of the republican rally. Our republican friends, we understand, vigorously circulated the report that Mr. Bryan would give a half-hour talk to the people on that occasion, in order to insure a crowd. If they were demonstrative, they were neither violent nor offensively so. The indignities offered Mr. Bryan by republican students at Yale, Walsh and Durde are sufficiently fresh in mind to deprive our neighbor of any desire to "throw stones."

AGENTS WANTED. Nothing like it: personal recollections of General Miles, Major General U. S. A., now residing in Personal Adventures. Wonderful Escape, Fantastic Ghost Dances, Desperate Indian Braves, Scaring the Helpless Settlers. In all the realms of fiction, nothing more weird and fascinating can be found than the story of the Famous Indian Campaigns of Gen. Miles. A massive volume, 810 pages, near 200 illustrations. Sold only through authorized agents; exclusive territory granted. Book agents for two years past have been looking for a fast selling book and this book you will find it. It offers a rare opportunity for the agent to make money. Agents who desire choice of territory must act promptly. Commissions only \$1.00 postpaid. For terms and territory, address

FORSHE & MCKINNIN,  
Corner 5th & Elm streets,  
Cincinnati, Ohio.

I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment Indianapolis. Excursion tickets will be sold Nov. 16 and 17, returning to Nov. 20th. \$30 for the round trip. BEAM, Agent.

Shade and Fruit Trees for Sale—We have a large variety of Maple, Ash and Catappa Trees for fall delivery. Will deliver No. 1 trees in Rensselaer at 25 cents each.

Also a fine assortment of fruit trees, grapes, etc., of low figures.

F. A. WOODIN,  
Foresman, Ind.

Call on Berget & Penn for Drain Tile. Office over Ellis & Murray's store.

#### Beauty is your Duty

Abundant, glossy hair, is beauty's crowning glory.

To wear this crown, use

#### AYER'S HAIR VIGOR.

Judge Healy visited Chicago this week and purchased an additional supply for his stock of boots and shoes. The judge's judgment of a good article, will soon make his establishment a popular resort for that line of goods.

#### Farm Loans.

We are prepared to make farm loans at a lower rate of interest than any other firm in Jasper county. The expenses will be as low as the lowest. Call and see us. Office in Odd Fellows' Temple, near the Court House.

WARREN & IRWIN.

#### SALESMEN.

We want one or two men in each County to take orders for Nursery Stock, and are willing to pay well for good work. We agree to replace FREE anything that dies from natural causes.

We also have a choice line of P-TATOES. GIVE US A TRIAL. THE HAWKS NURSERY COMPANY, v. 2003 MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Judge Healy will hereafter keep on hand a select stock of ready made boots and shoes, and will also continue to manufacture to order work entrusted to him.—The judge's well known good judgment of quality, workmanship and prices in his line will be a drawing card for patronage.

#### HOLLISTER & HOPKINS.

The new partners but old millers, are now in full charge of the mill, and prepared to do custom grinding promptly, in the best manner, and all other business in their line. Give them a call.

Judge Healy's is the place for shoes—Gents', Ladies' and Children's. Don't forget it.

Bob Johnson will furnish you the Daily Indianapolis Sentinel at 50 cents per month.

Judge Healy's is the place for laundry for you all as well as one "boys."

Increasing trade requires more shelving in Judge Healy's store.

#### Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm of Thompson & Bro. is mutually dissolved. The debts and credits of the firm will be paid by and to David J. Thompson.

SIMON P. THOMPSON.

MARION L. SPITLER.

DAVID J. THOMPSON.

Simon P. Thompson, a member of the firm of Thompson & Bro. of Rensselaer, Indiana, having been elected to the office of Circuit Judge, said firm has been dissolved by mutual consent, after an existence of over twenty-six years, and had come to be regarded as among the leading legal firms in the State.

Frank Foltz and Harry R. Kurrie who have been in the law department of the office for some years will continue in the law business under the firm name of Foltz & Kurrie. They are young men of recognized ability, studious, ambitious, of good habits, and are fortunate in stepping into a well established business, which they will endeavor to retain and increase by close application and strict attention devoted to the interests of their clientele.

Marion L. Spitler, a member of the old firm, and Charles G. Spitler will conduct the abstract and loan business under the firm name of M. L. Spitler & Son. of these gentlemen anything we might say would be superfluous. They have long been engaged in the department which they will continue, and have extensive acquaintance and experience.

David J. Thompson will settle the accounts of the old firm.

#### A UNIQUE INDUSTRY.

New Lubricating Oil is Obtained in Pennsylvania.

The lubricating oil field of French Creek, in Venango County, Pennsylvania, is one of the most curious spots in all oildom. The business had its start in the well of Blacksmith Evans, at Franklin, in the '70's, and since then \$12,000,000 worth of oil has been taken from the few miles square of territory where this oil alone is found. Around its prescribed limits that yield largely of the regular illuminating oil have been drilled, but none of that kind of oil has ever been found within the lubricating oil limits. This small but rich oil district extends into the village of Franklin, the county seat of Venango County, and there are wells in many private yards in that place. The production has fallen of greatly, the wells and the price also. The monthly yield now does not exceed 7,000 barrels, and the price is below \$4 a barrel. The oil is refined at Oil City, and eighty different commercial products result, besides the oil itself.

Franklin enjoys a monopoly of the heavy oil trade, but the business is conducted on a much more economical basis than when Blacksmith Evans was getting his .00 barrels a day from his pioneer well and reeling \$3 a barrel for it. There is little or no gas in the lubricating oil rock, and every well has to be pumped. As many as fifty wells are pumped by one engine. This is accomplished by an ingenious device called the pumping rig. The wells to be pumped are connected with sucker rods screwed together, reaching out in all directions, frequently more than a mile from the engine. In this way the oil is drawn up the sucker rods may be encountered working slowly back and forth with the regular motion of a piston, and no engine within sight or hearing. The same thing may be seen in the streets of Franklin, where the long arms reach in to connect with the wells in the village boundaries.

The wells are not pumped regularly, but by "heads." Twice a day there is sufficient accumulation of oil in the wells to be pumped out, and then the many-armed engines are started and kept going until all the oil of that "head" is pumped out. Sometimes a new well will start off with a yield of ten or fifteen barrels a day, but this phenomenal yield does not last long. Making it all in all, the lubricating oil corner of the petroleum fields is altogether unique.

MISS WREN CONCERNED HERSELF to prison work in Finland twelve years ago. From that time she has patiently, with untiring heroism, visited at least once every year all the prisons and every prisoner in Finland. She enters the prison in the early morning and leaves it late in the day, and every day of the year finds her steadily pursuing the same ministry. Many of the most hardened criminals have been brought to repentance through her.

MISS WREN IS A GOOD WORK.

John T. Wampler, and Mrs. Wampler wife of said John T. Wampler. John T. Wampler and Mrs. Wampler wife of said John T. Wampler have filed his complaint to foreclose a mortgage on a certain real estate in said town. The said defendants appear to have an interest in the said cause will come up for hearing the second day of the next term of the Jasper Circuit Court, to be held at the Court House, in the Town of Rensselaer, in said County and State, commencing Monday, January 4th, 1897.

WITNESS: John T. Wampler, and Mrs. Wampler wife of said John T. Wampler.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, JANUARY TERM, 1897.  
LOIS F. HOPKINS VS.

JOHN T. WAMPLER AND MRS. WAMPLER.

LOIS F. HOPKINS, PLAINTIFF.

WILLIAM P. IRWIN, ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF.