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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The pre-eminent topic of the day at this season of the year is Christmas; Christmas festivities, Christmas legends, customs, and symbols. The leading article of the December number of "Demorest's" tells the story of "Christmas Chimes all over the world." The story is told from the standpoint of human interest, and is illustrated with eleven fine pictures of the homes of the most famous bells.

The opinion of a few well-known New York clergymen on the authenticity and value of the "Newly Discovered Sayings of Jesus," form a symposium of far-reaching interest to the Christian world. Photographs of these clergymen are also given in November "Demorest's." Besides the serial, "Bobbie's Confession," by Clinton Ross, there are in this number two delightful Christmas stories redolent of the spirit of the season.

The material of the body of the magazine is of varied and widespread interest. Artists will be charmed with the beautifully illustrated account of Millet's "Barbizon"; admirers of dramatic art will read with interest a history of the success of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sother; the home-maker will find a field for profitable study in an article giving reliable information on the making of "Oriental Cozy Corners," illustrated in a most picturesque fashion, the enthusiastic wheelwoman will do well to store her mind with the practical information given in Our Girl's Department on "Bicycle Etiquette," "Care of the Wheel," etc.; while the student and book-lover will find interesting brief reviews of the newest books in "Letters and Art."

The Fashion Department in the December Demorest's is the most complete published in any family magazine. Forty two patterns are given of the latest winter styles.

If the government has either money or credit left after the Honesty Money people get through it will be in great luck.

The wire and nail trust is preparing to do a driving business.

The female pack peddler is becoming a nuisance in Maine.

The latest reports from Ohio do not yet credit Hanna with election.

Try Kennel Brothers' Vienna Bread. None better.

A consignment of sixty-five flocks of corned horse meat has just been sent from Linton, Oregon, to Rotterdam.

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

The broad-headed horses are the cleverest. In the cavalry the horses with broad foreheads learn their drill more quickly than the others.

A farmer writes to ask if there isn't some way to sidetrack this McKinley prosperity until the cotton crop can be disposed of.—Nashville [Tenn.] Sun.

Good warm lunch at Kennel Bros' restaurant and bakery, for 15 cents.

The deficit is still growing, and the Dingley bill is not yielding the revenue that was expected. You may add the tariff to the other questions that are to come before Congress.

"Forty Years of Oratory" in two volumes, containing the speeches of Senator Voorhees in the House and Senate, his arguments in courts, and also his Public Lectures, is now on the market, and is receiving very favorable notice.

The Indianapolis Weekly Sentinel and Democratic Sentinel, one year for \$1.50.

The forthcoming November statement of the government receipts and expenditures will show that the receipts during November so far have reached \$22,950,000, which indicates a total of about \$25,000,000 for the month. This is a trifling improvement over October, when the receipts were \$24,391,415. The deficit thus far during November stands at \$8,572,100, which was larger than was expected. The deficit for the fiscal year stands at \$45,581,120, the receipts having been \$127,701,160 and the expenditures \$174,282,280.

"Its the Jidge ye mane," who is the exclusive shoe dealer in Rensselaer. A practical workman of many years experience; a good "jidge" of stock style and finish, its always "the Jidge ye mane" who keeps the largest and best stock of boots and shoes, at the most reasonable prices, in the city.

IN A NUTSHELL.

New York, New Jersey and Kentucky cast fifty-eight electoral votes for McKinley, one of Kentucky's votes going for Bryan.

New York, New Jersey and Kentucky all went Democratic Nov. 2.

Had McKinley been a candidate this year instead of last the popular vote in these three Democratic States would certainly have been cast against him.

Now demet these 58 electoral votes from the 271 which Mr. McKinley received, and there left 213.

Add these 58 votes to the 176 of Mr. Bryan and he won a bare 234.

That is a majority of 21 in the Electoral College.

Hear Rusk!

Jud. J. Hunt visited Frankfort on business, this week.

Another class in German is being organized by Dr. Johnson.

James W. Douthitt visited Knox Wednesday, on legal business.

Harne Kurrie visited Monticello, Wednesday, on business.

December term of Commissioners court will begin next Monday.

Ira A. Rinehart has moved back to Delphi.

John Eger and Granville Moody returned from their Nebraska trip Friday of last week.

The Rensselaer Lecture Club announces as their third number, Dr. Rusk on Abraham Lincoln.

Jas. H. S. Ellis and wife gave hanks in Chicago, Thanksgiving Day.

John S. Thatcher and wife, of Chicago, are visiting at M. L. Spitzer's.

Rusk on Abraham Lincoln, at Ellis' Opera House, Wednesday evening, Dec. 8.

Charlie Jouvemat, of Chicago, visited relatives and friends in this city this week.

Seats on sale at Fendig's Drug Store for the Rusk Lecture, Dec. 8. Secure them early.

Scholars of Rensselaer Public Schools will be admitted to 10c. to the address of Abraham Lincoln by John Rusk.

John and Ike Kepner think of moving to Sheldon, Ill., in the spring, and have sold their residences in this city.

A gray eagle, measuring 6 feet 8 inches from tip to tip, was shot by Emmet Pullins, of Barkley township, Friday of last week.

Don't fail to hear Dr. Rusk, the eminent Orator and Divine, deliver his famous address on Abraham Lincoln. Opera House, Dec. 8.

Miss Belle Chamblain, of Kentland, was the guest of her cousin Miss True Yeoman, in this city, Thanksgiving Day.

Treasurer Gwin substituted venison for turkey, for Thanksgiving dinner. His son Lacy shipped him a "saddle" from Wisconsin.

Advertised Letters—Mrs. Susan Allen, Mrs. Agnes Schorman, Lincoln Plake, U. A. Schermerhorn, Philip Smith, Miss Della Turner, Jay White.

At the residence of Dr. Washburn, Monday evening, a reception was given Elder and Mrs. W. O. Moore, on the eve of their departure for Indianapolis.

President Burroughs, of Washburn College, attended the Teachers' Association in this city, and was the guest of W. B. Austin and family.

The Jasper County Farmers' Institute will be held in Rensselaer January 14th and 15th. Prominent speakers will be in attendance.

If all the rest of the towns along the proposed routes of the new electric railway are as enthusiastic as Rensselaer there will be no question of its being built right quickly.—Winamac Republican.

Edwin A. Shepherd of Chicago and Miss Jennie Gwin, daughter of Peter Zea formerly of Hanging Grove township, were married at the home of the bride's parents at Shelby, Thursday of last week.

Rensselaer gets a waterworks plant with seven and one half miles of mains and correspondingly larger in every way than that of this city for very little more money than the Winamac plant cost.—Why, the wherefore? Does it take less money over there to promote a plant than it does in some other places?—Winamac Republican.

Our friend Nat. S. Bates, accompanied Mr. McKee to Remington, Wednesday, in the interest of the projected new paper.

We remember Mr. Bates to the same interest in the Sikeel's & James enterprise in 1888, when the Republicans scored a majority of over 600 against the Democrats.

The Monon is to have 260 flat cars forty feet long. These cars are to be built exclusively to handle ore sills, which are thirty-nine feet long as a rule. The ordinary flat car is thirty feet long and all shipments of ore sills must be made on two cars. The lumber business handled by the Monon from the south is perhaps as large as that of any road in the country.

The Second Railroad Meeting.

Another Called for Next Monday Night

The second meeting in the interests of securing the Michigan, Indiana and St. Louis Railroad was held Wednesday evening, as per arrangement at the previous meeting.

The attendance at the meeting gave further evidence that our people have not yet awakened to the realization of the importance of this subject.

The attendance was fairly good, but there was still a notable and lamentable absence of those whose great financial and business interests in the town and county should make them first and foremost in movements of this character.

C. E. Mills presided at the meeting and the editors present were chosen secretaries.

Of the various committees appointed to investigate the right of way question for the various townships, Messrs. Wm. Washburn and Robert Mikels, for Jordan Tp., were the only ones present who seemed to have done much active work. They reported that they had practically been promised a free right of way through Jordan, on the line half a mile west of the range line gravel road. This line, although somewhat longer than a more direct line, has seemingly many advantages over any other.

J. F. Warren, of the Rensselaer committee, had done some good work in looking up the right of way east and north from town. There would not seem to be much trouble in securing the right of way to Francesville over the old Continental grade, except from one man, whose farm is pretty badly out up. A right of way through Barkley and Gillam can be secured probably without any cost at all. It is a very feasible route, but of course has not the advantage of a ready-made grade, as the other route has.

Rev. August Seifert, rector of St. Joseph's College, and other representatives were present from that institution. They are ready to give the right of way through their mile of property, and to give the project every other reasonable assistance. The intelligent public spirit they show in the matter ought to be a good lesson to many of our town residents.

On suggestion of Mr. Warren the various committees on right of way, were directed to procure proper blanks and to secure provisional contracts for the right of way from property owners, and to report at the next meeting. The committees for Marion and Jordan being instructed to co-operate with the Remington and Carpenter township committees.

After a vote for every person present to use his best personal efforts to secure a better attendance of representative financial and business men at the next meeting, adjournment was had until next Monday evening, at 7 o'clock.

At that meeting important action will be taken, such as arranging for raising money for the surveys, choosing delegates to next general meeting at Monticello, receiving reports of the right of way committees &c.

A new \$1 greenback will soon make its appearance. It is a radical departure from all previous designs, showing a large space of white paper, front and back! An eagle with extended wings hovering over the flag and capitol is the only illustration on the face, and in the corners is the figure in scroll work. The back is very plain, consisting largely of a border in geometrical design.

To be thrown upon one's own resources is to be cast in the very lap of fortune; for our facilities then undergo a development and display of energy of which they were previously unsusceptible.—Franklin.

A firm faith is the best divinity; a good life the best philosophy; a clear conscience the best law; honesty the best policy, and temperance the best physic.—Franklin

An article inspired by certain self-assumed leaders in this city, who, wanting an "organ," will not go down into their own pockets and pay for it, but wish democrats to get it for them, appears in the Remington Press of last week.—The article was designed as a boom to the "new organ enterprise" to come up before a meeting quietly called together by the "self constituted leaders" last Saturday, and resulted in a plan to secure it if possible at the expense of democrats.

The editor of the Press starts out with the declaration that "The Rensselaer Sentinel made its appearance again this week * * * after a 'lay off' of a month or so." We were not aware until so notified that the Press had not received the Sentinel, but then hundreds of others did, and we owe no apology to that sheet. In the publication of an article which would not have been given space in the papers of this city for pay, we can have no controversy with the Press man. He is simply beneath our contempt.

We understand our friend D. W. Shields, in response to an inquiry, remarked that his scheme for a personal "organ," to be paid for by individual democrats, "took like wildfire" in Remington. It did. It blazed up in the Press room as the editor gazed upon the legal notices in the Sentinel.

It was certainly a coincidence. While the Press containing insinuations to attorneys here that their publications in the Sentinel were not legal, was enroute in the mails to this city, one of the gang was in our office seeking to impress us with the idea that we should impugn the motives of attorneys employed in cause, wherein the complaint had but recently been filed. If the Press article failed, our uncalled for assault would accomplish the object. See.

Mr. McKee should consult Sickels & James and Craig before investing his little all in this city.

Yes, Mr. McKee wanted to buy the Sentinel, but he offered a price, no doubt under instruction, which he knew would be refused, which amounts to no offer.

So soon as the campaign opens, if not before, we expect to restore the Sentinel to its former size—7 column quarto and will conduct it in the interest of the great democratic party, and will bow at the behests of no one who is at home in any party.

Secretary Long wants to increase the navy. The dingley bill is a first class revenue cutter.

The British financiers are pleased with the forecast of the President's message on the finances.

France is preparing to enact prohibitory tariff laws against American products. It will be a trifle hard on our producers.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a certified copy of Decree and Execution to me directed from the Clerk of the Jasper Circuit Court, in a cause wherein Frank Mikels is plaintiff and Antoin & Dean, William B. Austin, Allen Catt, Whitell Lewis, John W. Paxton and John W. Paxton & Co. are cross-defendants, requiring me to make the sum of \$71.22 in favor of the plaintiff, and \$77.20 in favor of cross-plaintiff Allen Catt, and \$41.90 in favor of cross-plaintiff Whitell Lewis, and \$317.20 in favor of cross-plaintiff John W. Paxton & Co., and \$35.32 in favor of cross-plaintiff Antoin & Dean in all the sum of Five Hundred and Forty-two Dollars and Eighty-four Cents, and interest and costs accrued and to accrue, I will expose at Public Sale to the highest and best bidder, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1897, 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 of Jasper County, Indiana, in the City of Rensselaer, the following described property, to-wit:

The frame dwelling house situated on Lot Five (5), in Block Two, in Austin & Paxton's Addition to the City of Rensselaer, Indiana. Said frame dwelling to be sold separate from the Real Estate on which said building is situated. Said property being in Jasper County, Indiana. Said sale will be made without any reserve whatever from the valuation or appraisement laws of the State of Indiana. NATE J. REED, Sheriff Jasper County. Wilson, Attorney for Plaintiff. December 3, 1897—

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Notice to Non-Reside

The State of Indiana, Jasper County:

In the Jasper Circuit Court.

January Term, 1898.

Nora Lynch vs. Complaint No. 5454.

Edward J. Lynch.

Now comes the Plaintiff, by James W. Douthitt her attorney, and files a complaint herein, together with an affidavit that the defendant Edward J. Lynch is not a resident of the State of Indiana. Notice is therefore hereby given said Defendant, unless he be and appear on January 15th, 1898, at the same being the 12th day of the next term of the Jasper Circuit Court to be holden on the first Monday of January A. D. 1898, at the Court House in the City of Rensselaer, in said Jasper County and State, and answer or demur to said complaint, or if for a Divorce, the same will be heard and determined in his absence.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at Rensselaer, Indiana, this 13th day of November, A. D. 1897.
WM. H. COOVER, Clerk.
James W. Douthitt, Atty' for Plt.

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