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E. C. DAVIS, Buterville, Ind.

MENTION THIS PAPER.

Real Estate Transfers.

B. J. Gifford to Mary A. Kimble, Sept. 21, it. 4, bl 8, Gifford, \$50.

Mary A. Hall et al to William H. Wilcox, Sept. 22, pt sw ne 24-30-7, 18.50 acres, Union, \$750.00.

John Dobson et al to Michael Jungles, Aug. 23, sw 29-31-6, Walker, \$800.

Abby W. Roberts to Barney D. Comer, Sept. 1, n 1/2 sw 14-30-7, 20 acres, Union, \$425.

Abby W. Roberts to James K. Garrick, Sept. 1, s 1/2 sw 14-30-7, 20 acres, Union, \$425.

William H. Ramey to Augustus Reeser, Sept. 14, n 1/2 sw 2-30-5, w 1/2 ne 2-30-5, nw 1/2 30-5, Gilam, \$5,500.

Jesse E. Wilson, com. to David J. Thompson, Oct. 2, se sw 5-30-6, Barkley, \$450. Commissioner's deed.

Thomas Callaghan to Margaret Callaghan, Oct. 2, its 13-14, Schaffer's add. Remington, \$600.

George T. Porter to B. J. Gifford, Sept. 21, pt se 30-30-5, Barkley, \$60.

Eva H. Wright to Eunice A. Wright, Oct. 3, n 1/2 se 22-32-7, nw 1/2 31-7, Keener, \$3,000.

Eva H. Wright to Eunice A. Wright, Oct. 3, n 1/2 ne 4-31-7, w 1/2 sw 24-32-7, Keener, \$4,000.

Albert R. Hopkins to Eunice J. Morris, Aug. 20, its 10, bl 1, its 8 and 9, bl 1, Riverside add. Rensselaer, \$675.

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Addison Parkison to John S. Andrus, Oct. 4, pt 1, bl 1, Thompson's add. to Rensselaer, \$600.

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For Loss of Appetite, Consumption, Bright Hair, Bald Head, and all Diseases of the Skin. Price 50c per package.

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COMMUNICATED.

About "Grover and Clover."

ED. DEMOCRAT:

A few weeks ago I wrote a communication to your paper which I have just learned has been giving the neighboring press some little concern. I did not think to disturb any one, in fact, being just a common tenant farmer, I never once thought that anything I could write would find its way so far from home as Fowler and Lafayette.

The Fowler republican takes my 2,000 bushels of corn and figures me \$600 for it—\$200 more than I was at the time of writing promised for it—and also \$220 more, the Republican says, than it would have brought under "Grover and clover."

Under "Grover and clover" I sold corn in Rensselaer for 50 cents per bushel. My 2,000 bushels of corn at that price would this year bring me \$1,000, or \$400 more than the price the Republican has figured.

Under "Grover and clover" I sold hay at from \$7 to \$9, and I saw hogs sell for \$6 per cwt.

Under "Grover and clover" horses were the highest ever known—under McKinley the lowest.

Under "Grover and clover" Jasper county had the greatest land boom in its history.

Under "Grover and clover" I saw every house in Rensselaer occupied and people for lack of room tenting on the commons.

Under "Grover and clover" to-day, 73 houses of your town are vacant.

Under "Grover and clover" Rensselaer property found ready sale at one-third more than it will bring today.

Under "Grover and clover" and the Wilson tariff, trusts—the blighting curse of the ago.—were not half so active as they are now.

Under "Grover and clover" there were no scandals, no dirt, no rotten beef or boss Hanna's.

Things better than "Grover and clover" our country has enjoyed, and things worse, much worse, we have had to endure under republican rule. In my day the worst business depression the people have seen was under republican rule. Back near the close of the '70's, when republicans had absolute and undisturbed control, the wheels of trade were almost completely stopped. I saw thousands and thousands of honest workmen turned into begging tramps. Riots, bloodshed and death were common, government troops alone held the peace in all our great cities. Nothing like it had ever before been seen in this county and nothing half so bad has since befallen us. And all had been under republican rule for 16 years. No democratic administration was in sight to scare—all was republican and trouble. I did not then nor do I now attribute all the trouble of those bad times to republican mismanagement. Of course the governing party was much to blame, but not wholly.

There are times when conditions and combinations of circumstances are such that misfortunes will for a time befall the people and none can wholly prevent it.

The Republican promises the farmers great things if McKinley can only reign a little longer. The day of great promises by political parties to farmers has about passed.

There are two things all intelligent farmers have quit—planting in the moon and banking on republican promises.

Do away with the trusts, give us equal opportunities with all other callings, and we will, without murmuring, bear our share of whatever ill befalls our land.

FARMER.

Difference Without a Distinction.

About eleven years ago a petition for a road in Union tp., commencing at Aix and running north to what is known as Bradberry's farm, in Keener tp., was presented to the board of commissioners, for a road to be located on said line. Viewers were appointed to examine into the utility of said line and the necessity of it to the traveling public, and make report. The viewers' report was highly favorable to said line. The road was granted and ordered opened. The line was surveyed and established by J. C. Thralls, county surveyor at that time. The line was opened, graded and made accessible to the traveling public. It has been worked and made use of as a public highway and continually traveled ever since, and no one has entered a protest or disputed the right of the traveling public to ride or travel upon said line as a public highway until the spring of 1899, when J. P. Sherman entered a vigorous protest by placing his fence in the road

in such a manner as to successfully obstruct and hinder the passage over it of the traveling public. The trustee, by the advice of his attorney, ordered Sherman to vacate, but he said, No. The fence was forcibly removed while Sherman resisted. Sherman immediately placed his fence again in the road. The trustee was once again advised by Attorney Foltz to clear the road and further advised that if Sherman again placed his fence in the road, to have him arrested for willfully and maliciously obstructing the road, to the delay and inconvenience of the traveling public.

In connection herewith, we wish to state that Mr. Sherman does not own a foot of land in the county and his only excuse for placing his fence in the road is that one John Alter, of auditor's warrant fame, surveyed a tract of land owned by his sister and in doing so changed the line of said road a few feet, thereby giving Mr. Sherman a somewhat feeble excuse for giving the traveling public and somebody else a little trouble.

Being convinced that Sherman had no legal or acquired right to interfere with the traveling public on said road, we are constrained, however, by the ethics of common justice and equity to give him the credit of honestly believing that he was unjustly treated, but public policy dictates that the interest of the state must be conserved. That the welfare of society, is paramount to the individual is one of the cardinal principles of American jurisprudence, though in practice, we are compelled to record, we are lamentably deficient in our cardinal principles as set forth in our Declaration of Independence and embodied in the constitution of the United States, as the supreme law of the realm.

We do not make it a business to tirade against the rich and aristocracy of young America, as such, but we do know a little bit and know full well that the man with \$8 enjoys an unholy and unjust advantage over the farmer and ordinary man, who has nothing to command him but an honest conscience and a willingness to make an honest living with honest labor, and all he asks is a just and equal chance in this life with the almighty \$. Whom do we look to protect the old flag, the emblem of liberty and justice, when foes assail us without and within? Ask the poor, lone widow who has given her only son as a sacrifice, and her answer will be the common people, and not the representatives who have dethroned and impoverished labor and crowned king, the almighty \$. A poor man is considered foolish to appear in court at the present time against a rich man or a strong corporation; no matter how meritorious his claim may be he can't have any assurance of having justice done him. The total destruction of all trusts and rich corporations who organize for the purpose of artificially enhancing the cost of manufactured articles on one side, and the despoiling of the farmers on the other, by reducing the price of their produce to a ruinous and confiscating rate, by unnatural and illegitimate means, would not cure all the ills humanity is heir to, but would go a long ways toward bringing about the great millennium and the white winged messenger of peace, but not wholly.

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road, Mr. Sherman has an undoubted right there also. Your attorney says Mr. Sherman is a trespasser, so is the telephone company, so long as it stays there. If you have legal authority to oust Mr. Sherman, the same legal authority will compel you to oust the telephone company also, and why don't you do it? Perhaps the trustee has run up against a snag he was not looking for, and if so he owes an ample apology to Mr. Sherman for the trouble made him. The principle upon which he has so far been governed by in the matter is an outrage upon justice and equity, and the people who are directly interested and live on said line are getting tired of dilly dallying tactics. If he has not the moral courage to stay with it he had better resign his office of trustee, so a man can be appointed who has the backbone and moral courage to stay with and defend the people's interest against all comers, whether rich corporations or a private citizen.

In closing this communication we wish to say we despise and abhor such a principle as meted out to Sherman on one side, and a rich corporation on the other side. We have no apology to make for this communication only that we wrote it by request.

FRANK J. GANT.

Kniman, Ind.

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