

National Banner.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

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Burt Fisher has retired from the drug business. Titus is now going it alone.

The street sprinkler, operated by James E. Graham, is doing good service.

Everybody seems to be anxious for railroad news. Sorry we can't accommodate.

Judge Clapp opened the May term of Common Pleas Court at Auburn on Monday.

The new Masonic Hall is nearly completed, and will be dedicated on St. John's day, June 24.

Rev. Caskey, of the Lutheran church, will preach in the Brick School House next Sabbath evening.

The firemen of Gothen are making arrangements for a grand celebration on the glorious old "Fourth."

The Elkhart Democracy will meet in convention at Gothen, next Saturday, to appoint delegates to the State Convention.

Past Grands A. Jackson and H. M. Goodspeed have gone to Indianapolis as delegates to the Grand Lodge of Indiana Odd Fellows.

The Auburn Courier announces an increase of Liberal Republicanism in DeKalb county and a corresponding decline in Grant stock.

The abutments of the new bridge at this place are completed. The contractor, Wm. Hills, is pushing the work with all possible dispatch.

Our merchants are considerably chagrined over the refusal of the telegraph company to continue furnishing them the market reports. No reasons are assigned for this arbitrary course.

Our notice, in last week's issue, of D. W. Green's appointment as Deputy Marshal, should be corrected in this: that he is appointed for the collection of taxes and for other purposes whatever.

A Laporte cow gave birth to a calf, and about four weeks afterwards the owner attempted to use her milk, but found it unfit for use. In three weeks more the cow gave birth to another calf.

Major Taylor, of Huntington, and Hon. A. Y. Hooper, of Columbus City, have been making calls in Lagrange, Steuben, and DeKalb counties during the past few weeks. They are both candidates for Congress.

Ed. Woodruff was arrested last Saturday on a charge of assault and battery, committed on Levi Castetter on Monday night previous. Squire Green assessed a fine of ten dollars and costs, from which Woodruff appeals to the Circuit Court.

On Monday noon our worthy townsmen, F. W. Shrike, started for the seaboard, preparatory to embarking for Europe. He will leave New York on the 25th on the steamer *Main*. May the waves of the ocean deal gently with our friend Shrike.

Adam Simmons, an energetic farmer and excellent citizen, was observed, the other day, hauling homeward a barrow of incalculable value to the coming crops.

One suggested Col. Williams, of Albion, as a Greeley candidate for Congress in the Tenth District.

An election will be held during the coming week for the appropriation of funds to aid in the construction of the Chicago & Canada Southern Railroad, in Waukegan and Orange townships. The former will vote on the 27th, and the latter on the 29th of May.

A letter has been received from Mr. Goss in which he says he has examined the maps, profiles and estimates of the surveys already made for the proposed route of the Chicago & Canada Southern Railroad through Kendallville and Ligonier, and finds the route much more favorable than he expected, so much so that the company propose making still further surveys for the purpose of improving the line.

Willie Hollister started for Baltimore yesterday to qualify himself as a first class cabinet maker. He is a worthy mechanic, highly esteemed by his acquaintances, and his departure from our midst is especially regretted by the members of the Ligonier Cornet Band, in which he occupied a leading position. May he speedily arrive at perfection in his profession, and return at an early day.

Last Saturday's Chicago Tribune contained the following: "The second survey for the route of the Chicago & Canada Southern Railway in Indiana has been completed, the grade being entirely satisfactory, and the distance considerably less than by the former route. The prospects are favorable for the adoption of the Kendallville route, but material aid and active measures will be required to secure it."

On last Saturday morning, between 12 and 1 o'clock, the Sheriff of Whitley county, accompanied by the Marshal of Columbia City, drove up to the Helm House, and having aroused the night-club, inquired where Marshal Braden lived. Being informed of the latter's residence, they drove to "pity hill," around Braden, took him into the buggy, and proceeded to the residence of Mr. Ayers, a farmer living about one mile and a half southeast of town, whom they arrested, after a short but spirited contest, on a charge of forgery committed by him in Whitley county. It appears that Ayers has plied the vocation of preacher, counterfeiter, forger, fruit-tree vendor, farmer, and several other "professions." He was married to a widow living in this vicinity some time ago, but in course of time they were separated by a divorce. A reconciliation was effected, and they were living together at the time of Ayers' arrest. He was taken to Warsaw and lodged in jail to await the arrival of a warrant from the United States District Marshal at Indianapolis, for his arrest on the charge of counterfeiting.

KENDALLVILLE CORRESPONDENCE.

KENDALLVILLE, IND., May 21. Mr. EDITOR.—D. S. Welch died on Thursday morning, May 16, in the forty-fourth year of his age. Mr. Welch had been a citizen of Kendallville for some nineteen years. He first came here as a clerk in the employ of Daniels and others, in a dry goods store. Not long after this he engaged in business as one of the firm of "Norton, Welch & Co.," the "Co." being Dr. Barber, of Woletville. He soon bought out his partners and continued in business alone until sometime during the late war, when he formed a partnership with Mr. Greenfield. Exciting times came on and they lost—lost everything—most of them lost by them. Since his failure in business he has been traveling for DeLand & Co., and was in their employ when taken sick. Almost the only conscious words uttered by him during his sickness were "How do you do, Uncle Ben?" The remark was quite suggestive, as Uncle Ben Jones was a heavy loser by his failure in business. He was a prominent member of the Baptist church, and, up to the time of his financial troubles, was very liberal in giving for the support of the gospel. Mr. Welch was a good man.

A post mortem examination, conducted by Drs. Erickson and Gilbert, was made upon the body on Thursday afternoon. By invitation, Doctors Williams & Son, Parker, Teal, and Abell were present. Previous to the examination there had been a report that Mr. Welch had died of bilious fever. The friends of the deceased requested that the body should not be mutilated or disfigured, and it was agreed by the physicians present that if a sufficient cause was found in the brain and its membranes to produce death, and establish the fact of inflammation of these parts, then the examination should go no further; which condition was found, and so expressed by all present, I am told.

The Masons of this place took special care of Mr. Welch during his sickness, and the funeral services were conducted according to the rites and customs of that order. Their procession made a fine appearance while marching to the cemetery. The funeral discourse was preached by the Governor of Ohio; but here is the letter:

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