

Re-Opening

We are now in our New Room. We will hold a Formal Re-Opening on

Saturday, January 25

and will make it a Big Bargain Day

Michigan potatoes, per bushel
3 pounds can tomatoes
3 pounds can table peaches
3 cans Calumet baking powder
3 cans corns

and many other bargains on the same basis. Come in and see our new place. The whole store will be wide open. A Souvenir for Each Lady.

Caldwell Grocery Company

W. E. CALDWELL, Manager

H. Green's Sons Dealers in Choice Farm Lands

We have a number of choice farm for sale in Noble county. Also real estate in the city of Ligonier.

We also have fine farms for sale in the two best counties in northern Michigan, Grand Traverse and Leelanau counties. These farms are all well improved. Soil, black, equally as good as any Noble county farms for producing. Before investigating in farms call on us as we can save your money. We are buyers of live stock and timber.

See us before you sell as it will pay you.

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Farmers and Merchants Trust Company

LIGONIER, INDIANA



Of your financial interests is assured if they are entrusted to us. We are always ready to advise with you along such lines, and want you to feel free to call on us for our advice or counsel at any time. Your success means our success; in helping you, we help ourselves. If you are not already a customer of ours, come in and get acquainted.

We pay 4 per cent interest on certificates of deposit and savings accounts.

CITIZENS BANK

STRAUS BROS. & CO.

Get a coat for less than one-half whole price at E. Jacobs & Co.

Robert M. Waddell has announced his candidacy for the county recordership in LaGrange county.

Dr. Smith extracts teeth absolutely without pain, Goldsmith hotel one day only Tuesday Jan. 28th.

Ed W. Hicks, of Albion, has been appointed secretary of the republican committee by Chairman John W. Earle.

Fred Lemming and J. E. McDonald, Jr. went to Goshen Saturday evening to see "Billy, the Kid" at the New Jefferson.

Norve Hillman changed his mind on short notice and made a trip to Elkhart Sunday eve—for further information, Read.

Thomas Evans, once city marshal at Goshen, died in a soldier home in New York last week at an advanced age. He was a civil war veteran and widely known.

Harley G. Head, '02, a Purdue man, has been elected to the honorary fraternity by his college, a honor accorded only to those whose standing is exceptionally high.—Co-Editor.

Hart Brown, of near Leesburg, who recently disposed of his farm, has advertised a sale of his household goods and farm machinery, together with "thirteen good cats and one shepherd dog."

Twenty pheasants have been sent to Nappanee by chief Game Warden Sweeney of Columbus. The birds were liberated southeast of Nappanee, near the Kosciusko county and Elkhart county line.

John Trachsel, postmaster at Ligonier for the last eleven years, has sent in his resignation to the department to take effect March 1. He has been postmaster at that town since July 14, 1897, succeeding E. E. Riudfus.

Ex-trustee Geo. S. Cobb, of Goshen, is being sued by his successor for \$25,000 alleged to have been misappropriated by Cobb. It is a dirty mess all around. There is no doubt that Cobb was short in his account but no one thought that the sum was so large.

We have been engaged for several days in moving our presses and other machinery into the new addition made to THE BANNER building. It took a vast amount of hard work to make the change, but it had to be done as our quarters were much too small.

Henry Lorman, of Elkhart, and for many years a baggeman on the Lake Shore railroad, died at his home in that city last week. Mr. Lorman was well known in Elkhart many years ago, having enlisted for the war here in the early 60's. He has several relatives yet in this city and vicinity.

William Krueger, formerly a resident of Wawaka, was killed at Toledo last Thursday while switching in the Wheeling yards. His body was brought to Wawaka last Saturday accompanied by several members of a Toledo trainmen's organization for interment. Krueger had been living at Toledo for several years.

P. B. Green, of LaGrange, was here Tuesday. He has been looking after the legal affairs of W. H. Wigton who has been confined to his room for the past two months from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. Green says that everything is quiet at LaGrange and that there is but little political stir in that part of the world.

Last Thursday evening a large party of our young people went to Goshen to see "The Time, Place and the Girl" at the New Jefferson, and all seemed to have enjoyed the play. Among those who made up the party were Misses E. A. Gildart, Winifred Culver, Bertha Myers, Dora Schwab, Mabel Schwab, Ida Miller, Louise Inks, Pearl Banta, Edith Smalley, Rita Jackson, Lila Ditto, Emma Ditto, Helen Bothwell and Mrs. Wickliffe.

Herbert Hadden, the nine-year-old son of S. D. Hadden, formerly of this city, was severely wounded while out hunting near Kendallville last Saturday morning. A target gun in the hands of a companion, Verne Hogmeyer, aged 13, was accidentally discharged and hit the young Hadden just above the heart. The bullet glanced, however, and did not hit any vital parts. The boy will recover if no complications set in.

L. A. Banta, J. L. Graham and Frank Fissell spent the early part of the week in Northern Ohio, inspecting several municipal and private lighting plants. They are trying to solve the problem that is confronting the citizens of this city, which is what kind of machinery to purchase. We hope that they will return with such information as will not point out the way to the very best machinery and equipment but how to get the money to pay for it.

There is but little change in the Lake Shore time table affecting Ligonier. The east bound plug that has been leaving the station at 7:30 is now due at 5:35 or two hours earlier. The train now takes the plug to the Kendallville plug but it does not make the return trip. No. 16, the New England express arrives a few minutes later than before; it is now due at 4:50 p. m. The other changes do not effect our local service. No. 2, the noon mail train will continue to run at the same hour.

Joseph S. Miller, D. D.; Christner and Noah D. Stutsman, three Amishmen from near Millersburg, were given fines Saturday by Justice of the peace. A man who had been in a small ten cent store at Goshen saw them taking articles from the counters. Investigation showed their overcoat pockets to be well filled with cuff buttons and other small articles. Perry Helmuth, aged sixteen years, and who was one of the party, ran when the police attempted to arrest him and has not been seen since.

Thomas L. Imes, of Orange township, will be a candidate before the republican senatorial convention for the nomination of joint senator and he will doubtless have a strong following. Mr. Imes is one of the prominent farmers of the county, most excellent gentleman and would make a strong man in the senate. Mr. Imes was a Democrat until 1896, when he left the party on account of its stand on Jim Jim. It is pretty well understood that a Noble county Republican is to be nominated for senator and so far either of the men mentioned will reflect great credit upon the county if nominated.

F. P. Bothwell was at Albion Monday looking after legal business.

Mrs. Chas. Crockett was in Goshen several days last week, the guest of Mrs. Mervin Chidister.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the U. B. church will hold a bake sale at Duxbury's meat market on Saturday, Jan. 25. Many good things will be offered.

The painless tooth extractor, Dr. Louis J. Smith, will return to Ligonier for one day only, Goldsmith hotel, Tuesday, Jan. 28th.

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The last quarterly conference of the year will be held at the M. E. church Saturday evening, Feb. 1. The Presiding elder, Dr. H. W. Bennett will be present and remain over Sunday, Feb. 2, and will preach morning and evening.

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The building in which the electric lighting and water plant is located at Albion has been condemned by the State Factory Inspector and the town trustees have ordered repairs to be made. It seems that faulty construction is to blame for the collapse of the north wall of the structure. It will entail considerable expense to the taxpayers.

Whitley county farmer, was fatally injured last Thursday morning in falling from a load of straw. He struck on his head and was unconscious until his death Saturday night. He was active, influential farmer, fifty years old and well known in the southern part of this county where he has purchased much stock.

Frederick Reese, an old resident of Elkhart township, was fatally injured last Thursday by the kick of a horse. The horse was entangled in a wire fence and while trying to extricate the bridle the owner who was nearly 88 years old was struck on the side by the end of the hoop. Several ribs were broken and internal injuries resulted. He died several hours later. The funeral was held at Wawaka Sunday last.

The Democrats of Albion are making big preparations for the meeting next Thursday afternoon and it is to be held in the hall of the county which will be well represented. The banquet will be held at noon or as near as possible. The new county central committee will meet for organization at 11 o'clock. Several leading Democrats of the district will be present and it is safe to predict that the meeting will be interesting.

According to the annual statement of the municipal electric lighting plant at Columbia City it cost the city last year \$4,228, over \$82 for 55 lamps. This does not take into account the deterioration of the plant which would bring the cost up to \$90. Some of these fine days the advocates of municipal ownership will come to their senses. They will have a practical home-made demonstration of the fact, that the whole system is wrong.

Charles Roy, of LaGrange, who tried to kill himself a year ago by hanging was more successful last week, using a big dose of Paris green in a glass of whiskey. Roy had been off in his head for several years and last year spent considerable time at Longcliff. He was discharged as cured several months ago but it seems that he was only temporary. His father and two brothers had committed suicide during the last ten years.

The reading class of the Grammar department of the public schools will give an entertainment in the school hall, Friday evening, Feb. 1. It will consist of an original dramatization of the story of Rip Van Winkle by the eighth grade and recitations from the fifth, sixth and seventh grades interspersed chorus from the department of music. A small admission fee of 10 cents will admit you. The proceeds will be applied to the piano fund.

Fred R. Clapp left for Las Vegas, N. M. Tuesday morning for the purpose of closing up his affairs in that city and packing his belongings to ship back to Ligonier. Dr. Clapp will reopen his office in this city, having secured a suite of rooms above the Citizens bank, which are being fitted up in fine style. This will be good news to Dr. Clapp's many friends in this city and vicinity. He has so completely recovered his health that he feels that he can safely take up his residence in this climate again.

The property owners at Sylvan lake seem to be in earnest this time and the lake will, in all probability, be cleared of the weeds, stumps and logs that have made boating dangerous and unpleasant for several years. The weeds have almost covered the bottom of the lake and the wood is a serious problem. To make it possible to cut them out the logs and stumps have to be removed first. A fund has been raised among the property owners, and the Grand Rapids railroad will contribute substantial assistance in the work.

While at work in his summer cottage at Rome City last Monday, Jas. Merrileather, a Grand Rapids railroad official was burned to death by the explosion of a gasoline stove. Mr. Merrileather was a member of the lake to look after some proposed improvements, was alone in the cottage when the accident occurred. He was seen to rush out into the yard by two young men who were fishing near by and when they got to him he was dead. The body was horribly burned but strange to say little or no evidence of the fire was found inside the cottage.

Last Saturday night was an ideal evening for a sleigh ride into the country and if there is a place in the country where more open hearted hospitality is found than at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Randolph near Wawaka, we have never found it. A sleighing party made up of Mrs. Nevada McConnell, Mrs. F. L. Scott, Mrs. A. J. Inks, the Misses Hazel McDonald, Dora Freed, Gloria Graham, Mrs. Anna L. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Draper and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonald drove to Randolph's arriving at 8:30 and they did not get back until after midnight. An elegant supper was served at 11 o'clock and all had a most enjoyable time.

The billiard and pool tables have been ordered out of the saloons at Goshen by the authorities.

Did you get one of those beautiful cloaks E. Jacobs & Co. are selling for less than one-half what they cost?

Mrs. S. A. Mier was in Columbia City last week several days visiting with her parents. She returned home Friday.

The Sunday School of the Christian church will hold a bake sale at Duxbury's meat market on Saturday, Jan. 25. Many good things will be offered.

Solomon Franks, a pioneer of Noble county, is dead at his home in Albion at the age of 81 years.

The republican state convention will be held at Tomlinson hall, Indianapolis, April 21st and 2nd. Noble county will be entitled to sixteen delegates.

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Word comes from Denver, Colo., that Lester Engle, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Werten Engle of this city, has been married for several months. Mr. Engle has been in Denver for four years or more and expects to make that city his future home. His friends here have been sending him congratulations since they have heard of his marriage.

Those of our citizens who had money deposited in the Indiana National bank at Elkhart when it failed several years ago got another small part of their funds last Monday when the receiver paid out a five per cent dividend. So far forty five cents on the dollar has been paid out. It is promised that another dividend will be paid which will bring the payment up to fifty cents or a loss of one half.

Under the new order of things we will have the Chicago morning papers much earlier than ever before. The early east bound train due here at 5:35 will carry the papers, taking them direct from the newspaper train at Elkhart. The will be something new for our people, Chicago papers for breakfast. The Sunday papers will have to come by different route and not reach us until 2 p. m. for the morning train will not run on Sunday.

Some kind friend sends us the following clipping from the Ohio paper: "It is reported that one of our newly wed ladies kneads bread with her gloves on. That's nothing. The editor of this paper needs bread with his shirt and pants on, and unless some of the delinquent subscribers of this paper pay up before long, he will need bread without anything on. And this country is no Garden of Eden in the winter time."

Mrs. Emma Black, widow of the late George Black, was married at St. Louis last Sunday afternoon. She died at her home at Albion last Thursday after a long illness. She was but a few months short of 80 years of age and a pioneer resident of Albion where she was held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends. She was a member of the Wesleyan Church and a strong supporter of the faith. Mrs. Black was the aunt of C. M. Clapp, of Albion, and the stepmother of Mrs. W. A. King, of this city.

Arrangements are being made to hold a reunion of the members of "Company L" in this city on April 27, the tenth anniversary of the departure of the company from Ligonier en route to the camp at Indianapolis where the boys enlisted for service in the Spanish-American war. An effort will be made to make the affair not only a company meeting but in the nature of a regimental reunion. All the old members will be invited as well as the regimental officers, who are expected to present. An elaborate program will be prepared and it is safe to predict that the affair will be a big success.

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were to allow you his income while you held your breath—there would be a long silence—long enough for us to explain to you the merits of the

Gillet Safety Razor

This is the standard safety razor and shaves you easily and quickly at home. It will separate you from your beard quicker and easier than any razor yet made. So simple. It is just lather and shave. One dozen blades with each razor equal to twenty-four as each blade has two cutting edges. Never use a dull blade as new blades cost you but 5¢ each or 24¢ per cutting edge. The cost of shaving is less than 1¢ per. Will you ask us for a chance to try one of these Gillet razors. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price \$5.00. Other safety razors \$3.50 to \$1.00 each. Call or have them sent by you by mail.

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Special Sale

Pillsbury Vitos wheat food	-	-	10c
VanCamp soups per can	-	-	10c
Best Peas three cans	-	-	25c
Best Maple Syrup per quart	-	-	25c
Small bottle Maple Syrup	-	-	10c
Three packages Korn Kinks	-	-	10c
Three pound can Baked Beans	-	-	10c
Genuine Apple Butter per pound	-	-	10c
Smoked Ham per pound	-	-	10c
Best Bacon per pound	-	-	18c
Sliced Pine Apple	-	-	15c
The largest size of Olives in the city	-	-	12c
Best boneless Codfish per pound	-	-	40c
Dark Hiawatha Tobacco per pound	-	-	40c
Oyster shell per pound	-	-	10c