

Local Market Report.

Ducks, 7c.
Turkeys, 9c.
Chickens, 8c.
Eggs, 22.
Wheat, 56c.
Oats, 30c.
Rye, 37c.
Hay, \$5@57.
Corn, 35c.
Butter, 20c.
Creamery butter, 32c.
Hides 24@34.

The Town Board.

The town board met in regular monthly session last Monday evening. The most important work done was on the cow question. The board decided to issue an order prohibiting cows from running at large during all months of the year. Petitions were presented on both sides of the question, 125 names being in favor of keeping them up and 97 against. The action of the board was unanimous, except Mr. Woodworth, who refused to vote on the question.

Messrs. Wasson and Spittler were appointed a committee to investigate and settle a claim of George E. Marshall for legal printing relating to the Washington street improvement. Marshall presented a bill for \$39.25, which was so clearly an overcharge of the excessive rate already fixed by law, that the board appointed the committee. The claim was cut down to \$20.55, a reduction of \$18.70, and was settled on that basis.

Chas. Borntrager was advanced \$100 out of the \$600 due on the gutters on Washington street, when accepted.

Addison Parkinson bought the outstanding certificates on the Washington street improvement at 98 cents on the dollar.

J. H. Jensen asked the board to accept and pay for the Cornelia street sewer. The matter was referred to Ellis and Spittler.

A report was made which shows that at present there is \$4,000 in the treasury. This is about all the money there will be this year, and consequently there will be but little left for street improvements.

Catholic Notes.

Rev. F. Larderman, of Keko mo, paid a visit to the college last Monday.

Rev. Francis Nigsh, the Procurator of C. P. S., was obliged to return to the college again last Wednesday in order to settle some trouble which arose about the sealed proposals for the building of an addition to the college.

Forty Hours Devotion was conducted most solemnly in the Indian school, beginning last Sunday and closing Tuesday afternoon.

Bro. Sylvester Heinen, professor of the Indian Normal school, made a short trip to his home at Carthage, O., last week.

Next Sunday members of St. Rose Sodality will meet after Vespers and elect new officers. The choir will render Millard's mass in "F" at the late service next Sunday. The Misses Mary and Annie Meyers will sing the Offertory "O Sponse me." Mr. Jerry Healy will sing the solo "et incarnatus est" of the creed. He will be accompanied on the violin by Mr. John Haley.

Next Sunday the Pope will celebrate the golden jubilee of his episcopate. Services in honor of this occasion will be observed at the church.

We understand that the Remington creamery company have an opportunity to rent the creamery plant to a man from Hebron, and that the meeting called is for the purpose of deciding whether to accept the offer or not. His offer is to pay \$200 for the use of the plant six months, beginning May 1st, next, and if at the end of that time he thinks he can make the business pay here, he agrees to buy the whole thing at the price now asked for it. The probabilities are that the offer will be accepted.—Remington Press.

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Real Estate Transfers for the Week Ending February 13, 1893.

Elizabeth L. Peters to David M. Peer, Nov. 12, nw sw 5-31-6, 40 acres, \$350.

E. P. Hammond to Arthur S. Nowels, Feb. 3, lts 19, 20, bl 15, Weston's add., Rensselaer, \$120.

D. J. Thompson to Arthur S. Nowels, Feb. 2, lt 18, bl 15, Weston's add., Rensselaer, \$60.

M. L. Spittler et al to Arthur S. Nowels, Feb. 2, lt 19, bl 15, Weston's add., Rensselaer, \$60.

Sarah E. Erwin to Mahala J. Bruner, Jan. 10, e side nw sw 26-32-7, 17 acres, \$400.

Geo. M. Hershman to Mahala J. Bruner, Feb. 4, lt 10, bl 2, McDonald's add., DeMotte, qcd., \$1.

Isaac Gerhart et al to D. J. Thompson, Jan. 13, sw nw, nw sw 6-30-6, \$600.

Union Cen. Life Ins. Co. to Mary R. Post, Feb. 1, w1 sw 34-29-5, \$300.

Silas Seagrave to Barlow H. Bradbury, Dec. 1, lt 6, 7, bl 7, McDonald's add., DeMotte, \$350.

George W. Gorham to Arthur S. Nowels, Feb. 7, lt 17, bl 15, Weston's add., Rensselaer, \$50.

Mary Bail, by heirs, to Thos. Kennedy, July 7, 1892, lt 3, bl 1, Thompson's add., Rensselaer, \$900.

Arabella M. Bartoo to Martha J. Lambert, Jan. 30, bl 2, Remington, Bartoo's add., \$720.

James N. Huston et al to B. J. Gifford, Feb. 8, s1 sw 28-31-5, 80 acres, qcd., \$400.

Geo. W. Spittler, by heirs, to Grant Davison, Oct. 17, n1 se 31-31-6, 80 acres, qcd., \$1.

G. K. Hollingsworth, adm., to Amanda E. Porter, Jan. 19, lts 1, 2, out lts 14, 14, Kannal's subdiv., Rensselaer, adm's deed, \$425.

Lora Van Dusen to Robert Van Dusen, Dec. 22, se pt se nw 26-32-7, 2 acres, \$200.

Emeline Smith to Thos. Callaghan, Feb. 1, lts 13, 14, Shaffer's add., Remington, \$500.

John F. Lathshaw, by heirs, to Thomas Thompson, Jan. 27, sw nw 14-31-5, qcd., \$100.

George H. Brown to Samuel J. Hunter, Dec. 27, nw nw, pt sw nw 23-29-5, ne ne, pt n end se ne 22-29-5, 100 acres, \$1,800.

E. G. Warren to Jos. S. Hartley, Feb. 9, lt 4, 5, bl 7, McDonald's add., DeMotte, \$40.

E. G. Warren to Mary A. Dolson, March 8, lt 4, bl 5, McDonald's add., DeMotte, \$200.

Cyrenius A. David to Rolla T. Newman, Feb. 1, ne nw, n1 se nw, pt nw ne, 35-29-5, \$2,200.

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Per month (including Sunday).....50 cents.
Per month (excluding Sunday).....40 cents.
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CORRESPONDENCE.

To Correspondents.

When you're a thing to say,
Say it! Don't take half a day.
When your tale's got little in it,
Crowd the whole thing in a minute!
Life is short—a fleeting vapor—
Don't fill an eight paged paper
With a tale which, at a pinch,
Could be cornered in an inch!
Boil her down until she simmers;
Polish her until she glimmers;
When you've got a thing to say,
Say it! Don't take half a day.

GOODLAND.

Oats 28@30c.

Corn 35@36c.

Frank Davis, of the Morocco Courier, contemplates moving his office to Brook.

It is reported, on what seems to be good authority, that the C. & L. C. and Pan Handle will build a large union depot near the crossing some time the coming summer.

The correspondent from Locheal must have got our young folks mixed with some other town or else knowingly misrepresented about their getting into trouble at any of their meetings.

Assessor Allison has moved on his farm 1 1/2 miles southeast of town.

Our item last week should have read that Master Raymond Cook was wrestling with the measles, instead of Coats. Do the PILOT compositors want us to send over an interpreter for our turkey tracks?

Rev. Jenkins conducted the quarterly meeting at Brook, last Saturday and Sunday, for Elder Wilson.

Mr. Cutler, of Morocco, the gentleman that will "jerk" the throttle of engine at Percy junction will move to Goodland about Feb. 15th and occupy the Noble house in the north part of town.

A. J. Kitt, of the Herald, has three scapels dangling at his belt taken from the town board. All because they are paying out too much money and are having no street lamps lit.

C. Griffin will soon open up a new butcher shop in the building now occupied by the Star saloon.

The school board held a meeting Saturday evening, the first since the ground-hog looked out on a muddy hemisphere in February, 1892. We have been informed they are considering a proposition to change the hot air furnaces in the school house for steam.

JACK THE RIPPER.

SOUTH EAST MARION.

Charles Slaughter, the blacksmith of this part, was kept quite busy last week shoeing horses.

William Haley is visiting friends at Bloomington, Ind.

Miss Lizzie Luers is on the sick list.

Mr. Ropp, of Rensselaer, was sawing wood for Jesse Smith last week.

Henry Sparling has sold his farm to Theodore Kiper. We understand Mr. Sparling expects to locate near DeMotte.

Miss Belle Slaughter spent Sunday in this part.

Elmer Gwin and the Misses Eva Green, Alice Irwin and Elva Gwin of the Watson school attended the box supper here last Friday evening.

The patrons and religious people of this part are very indignant over the result of the box supper given at the school house last Friday evening as it ended in a dance and card party.

If the box socials are for the benefit of the schools let them elevate the minds of the young instead of lowering them. This is the second time this winter the same has been held in the school house and should it occur again it may cause trouble to the dancers. If our trustee was as anxious to close the school house against the Farmer's Alliance, the religious minds would not need to have been stirred up. L. S. G.

PINKAMINK.

James Price, of Wheatfield, was visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity last week.

Mr. S. McCurtain had a palsy stroke last Saturday while at dinner.

Bert Jenkins is gaining slowly from severe fever.

John Price has moved into his new residence.

Mrs. Katie Lebold is on the sick list. Some say she has the consumption.

Deputy Sheriff B. McColly, of Rensselaer, paid Blackford a flying visit last Saturday.

Mr. Mel Garret had a very fine colt to fall on the ice and cripple itself.

Mrs. Anna McElfresh is on the sick list, also Mrs. Trece McCurtain, Emmet and Sam Pullins.

Gallagher Barker passed through our vicinity enroute to Gillam for a wolf hunt.

OLD JACK.

HANGING GROVE.

Wm. Kenton and family will move to Shelby, Ind., in a short time.

J. R. Phillips, Esq., of Marlboro, is suffering from an attack of the rheumatism.

Daniel Robinson, Esq., will go to Texas in a few days to work for the Western Union Telegraph company. Dan is quite a jolly fellow and will be missed very much.

The Hanging Grove Literary society held its best session of the winter at the Osborne school house last Friday night. The speeches, essays, declamations, etc., which were furnished in the greater part by the students of the Osborne school, reflect much honor to the rustling teacher of that place as well as to the pupils themselves. The debate was also above the ordinary.

The society meets at Marlboro to-night. All are cordially invited to attend.

The young folks of Zard are now practicing on a "play" which they will give in a week or two.

The young sports of Lee and Marlboro enjoyed a fine skating party last week.

On the night of Feb. 22, Washington's birth-day, L. H. Hamilton will deliver Webster's Eulogy on Washington, and Miss Rose Dietrick will read Washington's Farewell Address. Some good music will also be furnished. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Reed Banta is visiting her brother, Mr. E. S. Kenton, of Marion township.

SPUG.

BLACKFORD.

Mrs. Isaac Miller is reported no better.

Peaching at the Dunkard church last Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Rose Hurley, who has been working in Chicago, was at home visiting her parents last Sunday.

Bert, youngest son of George Jenkins has been sick for the past week, but is reported better.

A man with a one-horse wagon was peddling through our vicinity last week.

Mr. Charles Walker and wife were visiting the latter's parents last Sunday afternoon.

Hauling saw logs was the order of the day last week.

It is reported that several of our most prominent farmers have joined the great Merchandise Membership Association of Chicago and will hereafter get their goods directly from the firm at half cost.

Mr. Solomon McCurtain had a stroke of paralysis last Saturday, but is some better at present. Mrs. McCurtain is reported no better.

The Gifford ditch is about full of water.

Mr. Edward and Isaac McCurtain were down to see their parents Monday.

BUTTERFLY.

HOGAN.

Hogan is still on the boom.

William Kennedy is very low with lagrippe and disease of the kidneys. Seven of Fred Hasselbring's children have the measles. Mrs. Woodard is also very low with fever. Dr. C. V. Jones is on the go night and day.

John McGlynn, Jr., has seventy signers on his petition for the post office at Hogan. We think Thomas Sayers will have to hustle or get left, as he has only five signers. Thomas says the five will have more influence than seventy.

The Literary Saturday night was a success.

We invite the defenders of the People's party platform to come Saturday night, Feb. 25, and help defend the platform.

We will organize a local branch of the Fort Wayne Building and Loan Association here.

We understand that R. Halleck is putting up ice. He began rather late.

WHEATFIELD.

Trustee Clark is reported sick.

Miss Hoover is visiting her brother and friends of this vicinity.

If you haven't received a fall the last week you can deem yourself lucky.

Protracted meeting is still going on with good results.

Our town boys enjoyed a good skate along the railroad ditch last Sunday.

We presume Mr. Smiley, our postmaster, thinks he has a pretty good trade at present, especially in valentines.

Rev. Smith delivered two interesting sermons last Sunday, the house being crowded at night until it was impossible to be comfortable. About three hundred persons were present.

Mr. Bert Dunn has been the chief visitor at Mr. Clark's during the sickness of his wife.

A large crowd from Dunnville attended the meeting Sunday night, among them being Bro. Sands, who is one of the best workers in our revival.

We understand that Wheatfield is to have a new Methodist church in the near future, which will be quite an improvement to the town. Owing to the number of churches it contains, Wheatfield should be quite a respectable place. But we are afraid churches have nothing to do with this case and especially some of the saloon and its company.

ICEBERG.

MILROY TOWNSHIP.

Mrs. A. L. Smith is suffering the effects of an old fashioned felon on her thumb.

Jacob Dewey will soon move on a farm near Brook, Ind.

Harvey Jonas and Perry Beaver are erecting new houses.

Miss Smith, of Missouri, is visiting her nephew, Eli Critser.

The venerable Bro. Boyd is making his home with G. W. Foulks.

Joseph Glosser and James McDonald have completed new barns.

The wheat looks fine.

The Rev. Peter Hinds will preach at Center school house next Sunday at 2 p. m. Subject, "The Oneness of God's People."

Bruce Creviston has purchased his brother Luther's farm and will erect a house soon and become a citizen of Milroy. By the way, a neighbor to A. G. W. Farmer.

Our people want ditches and good roads, but a long time to pay for them.

Wonder what attraction Wayne Gwin has found in Milroy.

Link Park will soon move near Remington on his father's farm. We are sorry to see Link leave; he is one of our best men.

DIXIE.

FAIR OAKS.

Wm. Clemmons sold his fine race mare to one of the Wisemans.

D. B. Nowels thinks some one is mistaken in regard to his school and especially the scholars.

Wonder what's the matter with Fair Oaks, some of the boys' faces are scratched.

Alf Reed is putting on horse shoes as fast as possible.

Richard Stowers run the delivery wagon last week. He had the only team in town that was rough shod.

Mr. James Clifton has returned to Fair Oaks.

Mrs. King sent in her petition for the post office.

Mr. Frank Swaim has returned from Chicago, bringing the measles with him.

Mr. Alf Reed is an applicant for the post office at Fair Oaks.

Mr. Peter Call traded a horse to Charley VanArsdell for an old watch.

Mr. William Burns received fourteen dollars for his two wolf scalps.

Mrs. Matilda Hodge is improving in health and her friends anticipate a speedy recovery.

Mr. Chas. Gundy has been suffering with lagrippe.

Mr. Wm. Russel, the carpenter, has a contract to build a fine house for a Chicago man.

There is a demand for rubber boots in Fair Oaks.

Mr. George Stowers is now a citizen of Fair Oaks. We were happy to meet his smiling countenance.

James Cox's residence is completely surrounded with water, it being up even with the doors. He has moved in with his father until it freezes again. Jacob Hurley's premises are also covered with water. He has donned long legged boots and turned his stock out on the commons.

Fair Oaks is bound to be business for a long time to come. We noticed twenty or twenty-five stout, able-bodied men skating on the race track and offered them \$1 per day to chop wood for us. They looked at each other for a while and replied, "We haven't the time to spare."

We continued our journey up the steep hill in front of Mallets and finally landed in the post office, where another outfit were talking dogs. We waited patiently to get an opportunity to ask who wanted a job of chopping wood. It never came. When we left they were talking about old gray horses. One in the crowd exclaimed, "confound atlicky mule."

We ventured over to Russel's grocery store where Professor Russel was delivering a lecture on pugilistic fighting to an audience of two men, Mr. Brockus and Mr. Brooks. We left there and on our way home came to the conclusion that we wasn't in it.

One day last week one of our citizens concluded to make a flying trip to Rensselaer and going to the depot he paid for the round trip, and not knowing what the ticket was for started to tear it up, but a bystander told him it was to keep. He seemed puzzled and said he thought it was only a receipt for the money. He boarded the train and was looking out of the window when the conductor approached. "Fare," said the conductor. "No, sir, I'm going to Rensselaer; the World's Fair is in Chicago. I want your ticket," yelled the conductor. "You can't have it, sir; I was told when I left Fair Oaks to keep my ticket. Do you suppose that I'm fool enough to give you my ticket and then walk to Rensselaer, after paying my money for it. I've paid my way and I'll keep my ticket."

"It makes no difference where you are going or what you are going to do, I must see your ticket or put you off the train," remarked the conductor. The ticket was produced and the conductor tore off the Rensselaer portion and passed on. The rest of the way the passengers were entertained by the indignant citizen who had been swindled by a railroad corporation.

CYCLONE.

SORGHUM VALLEY.

Mrs. Henry Thornton had a severe attack of erysipelas in the face last week. Dr. V. E. Loughridge was called and she is now much better.

Jas. Kenton went to Valparaiso Saturday to accompany his daughter Maggie home.

Josiah Thornton, of the Valparaiso school, returned home last week for a few weeks rest to both mind and body, after which he will return to school.

Jesse Nowels lost a fine cow last Tuesday by falling on the ice and breaking her leg.

Rev. Shaft in order to fulfill his appointment at Badger Grove Sunday, dismissed the meetings at the Chapel from Friday evening until Tuesday evening.

SCHOOL BOY.

EGYPT.

Literary every Tuesday night at Blake school house.

A. McCoy's large sheep barn is nearing completion.

Mort Crockett, of Rensselaer, was selling fruit trees in this vicinity this week.

The people near the Blake school have the measles.

Mort Dutton has rented his farm to Charley Rowen, of Surrey.

Charles Reed, of Rensselaer, has rented the Mulcahy farm.

Horse buyers were thick last week in this vicinity.