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## You are cordially invited to attend the GRAND OPENING OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

FOUR ROOMS filled with choice and seasonable goods, that will be sold at unheard of low prices. Did you ever consider why we undersell all competitors?

### There are Five Reasons:

- 1st. We have no partner to share profits and double the expense of living.
- 2nd. We buy and sell for cash and discount our bills.
- 3rd. Our stock is the largest and we sell the most goods.
- 4th. Our room rent is more than one-half less than any other double room.
- 5th. Our entire expense, store and living is about one-half any other competitor.

Read a few prices below then come and bring your whole family and see for yourselves. Spaces only for about one hundredth part of what we have.

#### CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Complete and we are now prepared to show you the handsomest line of the best styles and best made clothing in this part of the state, and at such close prices that no competitor can afford to meet.



A full line of Cones' World's Best Pants, Shirts and Overalls.

#### DRESS GOODS.

The finest line of dress goods in the county.  
40 in. Changeable silk and wool glace, value.... \$1.50 our price \$1.15  
48 in. Epingle, all wool value..... 1.25 " " .95  
40 in. Poppeline, value.... .75 " " .52  
36 in. Cashmere, value... .25 " " .16  
28 in. Half wool stripe cashmere, value.... 15 " " .10  
32 in. Satin gloria, wash goods, value..... 20 " " .12  
Alpine suitings, value.... 20 " " .12  
Bleached muslin, shirting, flannel outing..... 61 " " .05  
Clarence carpet warp, all colors..... .20 per lb.  
Best apron gingham made value .... .81 our price .07

#### THE ONLY COMPLETE

Carpet stock in town, not samples, but carpet by bolt.  
Best body Brussels value \$1.25 our price \$ .85  
Best tapestry..... value .95 " " .65  
Best ingrain..... value .75 " " .58  
Good union..... value .50 " " .35  
Cotton and hemp... value .25 " " .18  
Carpet parlor up stairs. Trunk and valise room up stairs.

#### COMPLETE LINE

Ladies' muslin underwear, hosiery, embroidery, linens, laces, gloves, chenille, portieres and covers, neckwear, umbrellas, handkerchiefs, tin and granite ware. A museum of 5 and 10 cent counter goods. Carpet tacks, 8oz, 1c per paper, clothes pins, 1c per doz, 6 one pint tin cups 10c, pails, 14 qt I C tin 18c, 10 qt 14c, etc., etc. 6 qt 10c.

## CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE.

— A New Spring Stock of WALL PAPER and PAINTS at B. F. FENDIC'S. —

James Welsh is home this week.

Subscriptions taken for any paper or magazine at this office.

A daughter was born to Pete Wagner and wife Saturday.

Subscriptions for the Nonconformist taken at this office.

Judge Healy enjoyed St. Patrick's day in Chicago.

Mrs. Honan has sold her millinery stock to Misses Mary and Anna Meyer.

A full line of sample carpets at J. W. Williams' furniture store very cheap.

Advertised letters: Mr. Emil Herre, Mr. B. F. Jones, Mr. John Mitchell.

The editor is now installed in his recently purchased residence on Weston street.

Rev. M. L. Tressler is conducting a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church.

Joseph Callow has purchased J. F. Warren's house on Weston street and has moved into it.

Frank Watson has brought a lot east of Jay Williams' and will build a tenant house thereon.

Christie Vick will move his restaurant in the room the first door west of Huff's jewelry store April 1st.

Take you faded clothes to E. M. Parcells and have them dyed. All work first class. Prices reasonable.

The Iroquois Club will hold its annual election of officers this evening. All members are requested to be present.

One 60-gallon oil tank, two show cases and spice caddies for sale at a bargain by C. H. Vick, at the World's Fair restaurant.

Edward Phalon, of Blackford, has been arrested for stealing a log chain and will be tried at this term of court.

FOR SALE.—Young horses, mares, wagons, harness, harrows and plows. Call on A. Leopold, at the Columbus.

A new vault will soon be built for the use of the county recorder and other improvements made in his office.

A few shares of the Rensselaer building and loan stock for sale cheap. Inquire of Geo. K. Hollingsworth.

Mrs. M. M. Thompson and daughter, of Valparaiso, were the guests of Rev. Utz and family last week.

John Holliday was fined \$5 and costs last Thursday in Squire Morgan's court for slapping his wife.

Ellis Walton's old roan mare was kicked by one of LaRue Bro's. horses Saturday and died shortly thereafter.

Marriage licenses: Joseph S. Jones, Lizzie J. Mustard; James A. Tillett, Arie Gray; Henry P. Kessinger, Cora A. Sayler.

Rev. B. F. Ferguson was called to Francesville Sunday to preach the funeral of David A. Hayworth, a former resident of this county.

Warner & Shead have added a delivery wagon to their grocery and will deliver goods to any place in town free. Give them a call.

Miss Franc McEwen is now deputy recorder, having been sworn in last week. Miss McEwen is fully capable of filling the position.

Farmers, if you are needing either a disc or spading harrow do not fail to call on Hammond Bros. as they are closing them out at cost.

Marsh Warren has sold his residence near the railroad to Ellen Saylor and will shortly build a new residence. The price received was \$800.

## A Newspaper.

### And a Paper of General Circulation.

#### Such is the Decision of Judge Wiley.

Messrs. Tabor et al, You Should Now Hide Your Heads in Shame.

For Prostituting Your Office for Personal Spite—You are Now the Contempt of All Honest Men.

As we predicted last week, Judge Wiley decided the case of the PILOT in our favor Tuesday, and in a talk of about fifteen minutes defined the rights of this paper in a manner that would have made the Jasper county board of commissioners hang their heads in shame, provided they have any left. After the Judge's talk the following entry of the case was made, which we advise the commissioners to paste in their hats for future reference:

We find that the PEOPLE'S PILOT is a weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Rensselaer, Jasper county, Indiana, within the meaning of Section 5314, R. S., 1881.

We met H. J. Dexter on the street Friday and he had a smile all over his face. "It's a bouncing girl and arrived this morning," said Dex.

200 bushels of Mayflower seed potatoes for sale at \$1 per bushel if taken at once. Enquire of A. Donnelly, 1½ mile north of town.

Building and loan pay day tomorrow. All members are requested to bring their pass books. Payments should be made at the Citizens' bank.

Farms to rent on equitable terms. Drainage good. Apply at my office.

B. J. GIFFORD,  
Kankakee, Ill.

The Goshen News says South Bend's old maids walk the streets late at night in order to encounter "Jack the hugger" who is said to operate in that town.

The Monon railroad has contracted with the Haskell & Barker car company, of Michigan City, for 1,000 flat cars. They are to be completed by May 1st and to cost \$370,000.

The Trade Palace is having a clearing sale and are selling all their goods at cost for a limited time. From personal experience we know this to be a fact and that money can be saved by giving them a call.

LOST.—Sunday, March 12th, between Rensselaer and James Lewis', in Gillam township, a black pocket-book containing about \$10. Please leave at the PILOT office and obtain suitable reward.

At the annual meeting of the building and loan association Monday Dr. L. B. Washburn was elected president, M. F. Chilcott, vice president; Joe Hammond, secretary; John Eger and Jim Ellis, members of the board of directors.

Strictly speaking, we are undoubtedly "in it" this year. Farmers, if you have not yet seen our varied and excellent line of implements this year do not fail to call and see us before buying. We are positively going to offer you some surprisingly low prices on first class goods.

HAMMOND BROS.

We have been asked why so much type is set each week on the PILOT. Well, one reason is that it pays to do so. It is our aim to get out a good newspaper—one that will be an improvement over all others.

Some dirty hog threw up a barrel of whiskey, more or less, in the stairway leading to the PILOT office last Sunday. If you must make a hog of yourself, keep back of the saloons where you get your drinks.

Bert Brenner, of Mt. Ayr, has taken Semie Fendig's place in A. F. Long & Co.'s drug store. It is reported that Semie has secured a position under Cleveland as pork inspector at Jerusalem and will shortly leave for that place.

It is reported that Jackson Plummer, the murderer, of Kentland, who has been confined in the prison at Michigan City, has been sent from there to an insane asylum. He is also said to have cancer of the stomach, and that he can live but a short time.

Recorder Hunt was in Gillam Sunday. There is quite an attraction in that vicinity for him. It is expected that he will build a residence in the Columbia addition before long, and go to housekeeping, as he has long been complaining of boarding house fare.

A man supposed to be Charlie Wilson, who robbed E. M. Timmons, of Jordan township, recently, was arrested a few days ago near Deerfield, Randolph county, for robbing a house. He was caught the morning following the robbery in a school house and lodged in jail. Charlie Wilson was the name he gave.

The canning factory fever is still spreading. A company at Lafayette wants to contract for 500 tons of cabbage this season at \$6 a ton. John Heinz, a canning factory man, says an acre of ground will produce fifteen tons of cabbage. Cucumbers for pickles also bring good returns, one acre of ground yielding 200 bushels, which at 50 cents a bushel brings \$100. Lafayette people are about convinced that there is more money in pickles and cabbage than in wheat and corn.—Monticello Herald.

The electric belt fake left town Monday night for Irving Park, Ill. During the last three days of their stay they pretty thoroughly advertised the PILOT and its editor. Please accept our thanks, gentlemen. Speaking of the show, to use a slang expression, it was "rotten," not an artist being in the troupe. Their belts may be all they claim, but the chances are they prove worthless. Before leaving town the doctor himself said, in private conversation, that he did not know whether any electric belt was of any value or not, but the one he was selling was as good as any. The company carried away many dollars from our town which might just as well have been left in circulation here, as the same belts and soap is carried in stock by A. F. Long, and is sold as cheap, if not cheaper, than the fake which has been in our town for the past two weeks. The last night of the company's engagement here, about half of the troupe was distributed throughout the audience, with instructions to eject any one found hissing, and thus protected from annoyance.

The company seemed to take a delight in repeating all the old chestnuts which had been hissed at the previous nights.

Smoke the Mendoza cigar. For sale everywhere.