

# THE PEOPLE'S PILOT.

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## MONON TIME TABLE.

### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 31—Mail and Express daily..... 10:49 A.M.  
No. 39—Mail and Express daily..... 11:22 A.M.  
No. 39—Mail and Express daily..... 6:21 P.M.  
No. 3—Night Express daily..... 10:37 P.M.  
No. 43—Local Freight..... 2:30 P.M.

### NORTH BOUND.

No. 27—Mail..... 5:49 A.M.  
No. 49—Mail and Express daily..... 2:57 A.M.  
No. 8—Mail..... 3:27 P.M.  
No. 30—Mail..... 3:27 P.M.  
No. 46—Local Freight..... 9:25 A.M.

A son at Geo. Day's last Friday.

Corn for sale at Dexter & Cox's.

Only one more week of our ten cent offer.

Buy your threshing coal at Dexter & Cox's.

Thomas Thompson is at Cameron Springs.

Baby carriages at Williams' All styles.

R. C. Dowler is seriously sick with rheumatism.

Try Ruger's bread, no better made, at Vick's.

Best grade of threshing coal at Dexter and Cox's.

A daughter was born to Alton Padgett and wife last Sunday.

For a good square meal or lunch go to Vick's.

Dexter & Cox can sell you corn by the wagon load.

Corn for sale at C. S. Baker's, 3 miles south of Mt. Ayr. 2:51

A few watches and chains at a great bargain at Vick's.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Mollie Payton last Friday.

Fruits, the best in the market affords, at Vick's.

Price those laces at Mrs. Lecklider's. Cheap.

A trial trip of eight weeks for ten cents.

Mrs. Joseph Mitchell is having a severe spell of sickness.

The McCormick binders and mowers at Isaac Glazebrook's.

Subscriptions taken for any paper or magazine at this office.

Jim Frame, of Chicago, is visiting old friends in Rensselaer.

For a good smoke try the Crown Jewel cigar.

Subscriptions for the Nonconformist taken at this office.

Miss Ida Shriner, of Goodland, is visiting relatives in Rensselaer.

Lemonade, milk shakes, and ice cream at Vick's "one horse restaurant."

Mrs. Kitty Cann is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyland.

Buy your threshing coal of C. W. Coen, (successor of Coen & Paxton).

F. L. Chilcote, of Albany, was visiting his wife and babies this week.

McCormick binder and mower extras for sale by Isaac Glazebrook.

Mrs. Caroline Martin has returned from her visit to Cincinnati.

Closing out sale of summer stock of millinery at Mrs. Lecklider's from now on.

S. E. Quantick, of Englewood, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Tom Geer.

Something new at Vick's. Step in and see what a bargain you can get.

The normal is causing our town to be overrun with pretty young ladies.

Try a sack of our White Lily flour.

W. R. Nowels & Son.

Only one more week in which you can get the PILOT eight weeks for ten cents.

Three stables and a wood house were burned at Monticello last Thursday.

Misses Blanch and Grace Brown are the guests of their brother, Harry Brown.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Two new first class Cottage organs. Enquire at Austin & Co.'s.

Old settlers' meeting will be held at Monticello the last Saturday in this month.

Goods going at cost all through July and August at Mrs. Lecklider's. 50 per cent. off.

R. B. Hayes, of Hayes Grove, Penn., is the guest of County Clerk Coover and family.

Go to M. & A. Meyer for your stylish millinery and dress-making.

Rose and Dona Whapler, of Beloit, Kansas, are visiting numerous relatives in this county.

Dr. Vaughn, of Winamac, has moved to Wheatfield and will practice medicine in that town.

Misses Dora and Anna Crazen, of Logansport, have been visiting J. C. Thrawls and family.

Orders for job work or advertising in Wheatfield may be left at the drug store of Fendig & Co.

G. S. Williamson, wife and daughter, of Beaver City, Neb., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mel Makeever was married in Denver, Colo., July 24th, to a young lady by the name of Clara A. Riley.

Warren Washburn has resigned his situation as chair pusher at the exposition and is now at home.

Lewis S. Alter, who is located at South Bend, Ind., as deputy county surveyor, is visiting his home in Jasper county.

C. D. Nowels & Son have sold their lumber and coal yard to Wallace Robinson, who has already taken possession.

Even the Prohibitionists wouldn't seriously object if the railway rates were to take a drop or two occasionally.

Harry Zimmerman, of Meadville, Pa., is taking advantage of the dull season and is visiting his parents in Rensselaer.

Jerry Ready, of Chicago, a plumber who worked on the first college, is back doing the plumbing for the new one.

Charles Garvin, of Oregon, was visiting in Rensselaer this week. Twelve years ago he left Remington for Oregon.

The C. & E. I. railroad has notified its employes that full pay will be allowed them during one week's visit to the fair.

Two janitors will attend to the school building the next year. John Daugherty and Vermont Hawkins have been employed.

FOR RENT.—A 36-room fine brick hotel at Rensselaer, Ind. For terms write or apply to C. D. Nowels, Rensselaer, Ind.

Advertised Letters: George Black, Charles S. Ferris, Mr. W. L. Jones, Miss Anna Lansen, Mr. J. K. Ray, Miss Cora Shrum.

S. A. Hemphill, Thomas Burns, Wm. Neal and Jerry Healy attended the unveiling of the soldiers' monument at Delhi last Friday.

The normal began last Monday with thirty-nine pupils. The instructors are Prof. Bannon, J. F. Warren and Gaylord Chilcote.

The Methodist choir has been improved by the addition of a violin and cornet, Miss McGowan playing the former and Mr. Wishard the latter.

Jim Hemphill now has use for the small chair kind friends sent him recently. It's a nine pound boy, born last Friday at Two Harbors, Minn.

You can't afford to borrow the PILOT each week when you can get it eight weeks for the small sum of ten cents. This offer expires next week.

The citizens of Kentland are said to have raised \$1,200 to pay a rain maker to bring rain. It took place Wednesday and is said to have been successful.

Don't you want the PILOT eight weeks for ten cents. If you do you should send in your money at once, as the offer will be withdrawn next week.

The commissioners will meet in special session Monday to take action on the Wakarusha ditch and proposed gravel road.

A vigorous kick will be made on the ditch.

J. L. Brady, a graduate of the Butler University, at Irvington, Ind., will succeed Bro. Utz as pastor of the Christian church. He is a single man and is highly recommended. He begins his pastoral labor here Oct. 1st.

Earnest W. Rettger, of Huntingburg, Ind., a graduate of the State Normal School and State University, has been employed as principal of the Rensselaer high schools, to succeed Harry O. Wise.

Patronize those who want your trade badly enough to ask for it through your paper. When the others want your dollars they'll let you know. Keep an eye on our advertising columns.

Do you intend to buy your hard coal early? If so see C. W. Coen before you place your order. He will give you the best grade at the price you pay for lower grade coal.

Subjects at the Tabernacle next Sunday: Morning, "Training Children." Evening, "Preparation for Life." The evening sermon will be addressed mainly to the young people. All are cordially invited.

Frank O'Mera is home on a two months vacation at full pay. He is assistant engineer in the criminal court building at Chicago. The engineer, George Dolan, accompanied him home, but left Tuesday for Peru.

It is said that if you cut a bunch of dog fennel and place on each head of your cabbage in your garden you will have no further trouble from the destructive cabbage-worm. The experiment is easily tried.

W. A. McCurry and wife, of Goodland, were in town Tuesday. This was Mr. McCurry's first visit to Rensselaer for sixteen years, and he expressed considerable surprise at the change which has taken place in the town.

The latest improved threshing machines cut their own bands, do their own feeding, stack their own straw, and load their own wheat. Under these new arrangements threshing becomes a pleasure and is not the dreaded job of old.

If you enjoy startling climaxes, thrilling situations, clever specialties, good acting and grand scenic effects, don't fail to see the greatest of all railroad plays, "The Lightning Express," at the Opera House, Friday evening, August 11th.

A young lady who had been married a little over a year wrote to her mother of fact father, saying: "We have the dearest little cottage in the world, ornamented with the most charming little creepers you ever saw." The old man read the letter and exclaimed, "Twins, by thunder!"

Wile Duvall is no longer landlord of the Nowels House, the business not proving a paying one. He has moved with his family into the house just south of Dr. Alter's residence. It is not known who will be the next landlord. Mr. Duvall will follow his old business of draying.

A man named McDonnell is getting a new flying machine ready to launch in September. His workshop is just outside the World's Fair grounds, and he is working at the concern just as if he had built air ships all his life and had no doubt of the thing navigating the air when he gets it done.

Our offer of the PILOT eight weeks for ten cents will be continued next week only the offer expiring Saturday, August 8th. Many have taken advantage of this offer, but there are still some who do not receive the paper. If you wish to take advantage of this offer you should do so at once.

The tramp was released from the work house Tuesday and Jerry Karsner completed his term Wednesday. The tramp lost no time in getting out of town. He said he thought there were but six work houses in the state, but has now added another to his list. He is an experienced stone breaker.

Mrs. Gerardy, who was sent from Starke county to the woman's reformatory last March to serve a two years' term for the killing of her husband, was transferred to the insane department of that institution a few days ago. She has been showing signs of mental derangement for some time, and recently has been quite violent and difficult to manage at intervals.

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I. F. Alter and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Alter's father, C. Wilhelm in Clinton county Monday. Mr. Wilhelm met his death last Saturday from a tree falling on him. The tree was burning and unexpectedly fell to the ground, and catching Mr. Wilhelm, crushed the life out of him.

Williams has a full line of goods at his store and can please you all in prices and styles.

An old tramp preacher was delivering sermons on the streets this week. This is his third or fourth trip to this vicinity. He preaches without price, pays his own expenses, and tramps all over the country. It is understood his home is in Illinois. He claims the present hard times and poor crops are owing to the wickedness of the people.

The Miami county commissioners have made an order requiring all owners of traction engines previous to moving their machinery across a bridge to lay down a two-inch plank, upon which the wheels should run. Many bridges are badly damaged by the careless engineers who drive the ponderous machines over the naked floors.

For disregarding the injunction of Judge Stein ordering the Fair kept open on Sunday the World's Fair directors were fined for contempt. Lyman J. Gage, Charles Henrotin, Andrew McNally, Charles Hutchinson and W. D. Kerfoot were fined \$1,000 each; Director General Davis \$250 and Victor F. Lawson \$100. The Fair will remain open until the injunction is dissolved.

Charlie P. Hopkins, writing from Dickson, Tenn., and sending us three new subscribers, says: "The People's Party is growing here rapidly." How are you? Does money cramp you up there? Here business is almost at a stand still. The same condition of affairs is existing in Rensselaer, owing to the tightness of the money market and busy times among the farmers.

LaPorte Star: The glory of the Walkerton huckleberry marsh has departed. Fire did its perfect work among the bushes and it is not among the fringes of the great stamping ground that any berries are found. In the days before the fire 3,000 boxes were picked and shipped in a day. The owners of the marsh have been looking over it with a view to draining it and converting it into a celery farm.

Chas. G. Yelm, the well known and popular traveling salesman, is home nursing two mashed feet and a severely bruised leg. He fell under a freight train at Rensselaer and narrowly escaped a silent interview with the coroner of Jasper county.—Lafayette Courier.

If Yelm "fell under a train at Rensselaer" no one about the depot heard of it. A poor excuse is said to be better than none.

"A great play and a great company," is what every one says after seeing that greatest of all railroad plays, "The Lightning Express." A genuine novelty is introduced in the railroad scene, and one that always holds the audience spellbound. The highest grade of specialties are introduced by clever singers, dancers and musical artists. Don't fail to see the great play at the Opera House, Friday evening, August 11th.

A tramp was begging at a residence in town Friday morning, and the grub not suiting his taste he "sassed" the lady of the house. Deputy Sheriff McCollum lives right across the street and the lady told the tramp that by applying there he would be fed. He did so and was "run in" and furnished his breakfast at the jail. Afterward he was sentenced to the work house for five days and put to work alongside Jerry Karsner breaking nigger heads. He seemed to be familiar with the work and could break two stones to Jerry's one.

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During this exceedingly dry weather too much precaution cannot be taken to prevent fires which might prove very disastrous while the grass and nearly all vegetation is almost as dry as tinder. Parents and others having charge of children should be very careful about allowing them to play with fire or matches. One little match carelessly used might be the means of a very destructive conflagration. Old paper should also not be allowed to lay in heaps.

Lookout for the windmill sharpeners, who are finding many victims in neighboring counties. They sell a windmill agency territory for what appears in the agreement signed by the victim to be a small price conditioned upon the sale of \$125 worth of windmills, the same to be paid one year from date. By tearing off one end of the agreement it turns out to be an ironclad promissory note, such as has been used with such telling effect in the past.

Should a fire break out in Rensselaer at the present time, it would be a difficult matter to check its progress, owing to the scarcity of water. The three fire cisterns built by the town board are nearly empty and the river and many wells are dry.

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