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This congress can do one  
thing of which public opinion  
will approve. It can adjourn.

THE prospect of having two  
governors in Alabama will be  
certain to arouse the jealousy  
of New Jersey, which at one  
time liberto prided itself upon  
being the only state having two  
legislatures.

THE largest affirmative aye  
and nay vote ever cast in the  
house was the one on the free  
sugar bill Monday. There were  
276 for the bill and 11 against  
it. Of the 11 negative votes, 9  
were Democrats and 2 were Re-  
publicans. This vote, it would  
seem, should cause the lid of  
every sugar bowl in the country  
to fly off, but not so, we are no  
nearer and no surer of free sug-  
ar than we were before this vote  
was cast.

PROF. N. A. DUNNING, of  
Washington, has made a careful  
estimate of the money in circula-  
tion. He deducts the bank re-  
serves, and makes a reasonable  
estimate for money lost, worn  
out, destroyed and carried away,  
and the result is as follows:

Year.	Money in Circulation.	Population.	Per Capita.
1860.....	\$1,252,400,236	35,819,281	\$32.61
1870.....	1,554,949,218	39,293,562	37.32
1880.....	2,017,531,133	50,191,894	40.21
1890.....	2,595,055,038	57,710,809	44.97
1900.....	3,619,838,277	68,538,371	52.83
1910.....	5,000,000,000	92,000,000	54.35
1920.....	6,000,000,000	106,000,000	56.60
1930.....	7,000,000,000	120,000,000	58.33
1940.....	8,000,000,000	134,000,000	60.00
1950.....	9,000,000,000	148,000,000	61.00
1960.....	10,000,000,000	162,000,000	62.00
1970.....	11,000,000,000	176,000,000	63.00
1980.....	12,000,000,000	190,000,000	63.00
1990.....	13,000,000,000	204,000,000	64.00
2000.....	14,000,000,000	218,000,000	64.00
2010.....	15,000,000,000	232,000,000	65.00
2020.....	16,000,000,000	246,000,000	65.00
2030.....	17,000,000,000	260,000,000	65.00
2040.....	18,000,000,000	274,000,000	66.00
2050.....	19,000,000,000	288,000,000	66.00
2060.....	20,000,000,000	302,000,000	66.00
2070.....	21,000,000,000	316,000,000	67.00
2080.....	22,000,000,000	330,000,000	67.00
2090.....	23,000,000,000	344,000,000	67.00
2100.....	24,000,000,000	358,000,000	67.00

## Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel,  
Wis., was troubled with Neural-  
gia and Rheumatism, his  
Stomach was disordered, his  
Liver was affected to an alarm-  
ing degree, appetite fell away,  
and he was terribly reduced in  
flesh and strength. Three  
bottles of Electric Bitters cured  
him.

Edward Shepherd, Harris-  
burg, Ill., had a running sore on  
his leg of eight years' standing.  
Used three bottles of Electric  
Bitters and seven boxes of  
Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his  
leg is sound and well. John  
Speaker, Catawba, O., had five  
large Fever sores on his leg,  
doctors said he was incurable.  
One bottle Electric Bitters and  
one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve  
cured him entirely. Sold at F.  
B. Meyer's Drug Store.

We have received some new  
printing material, and are better  
prepared than ever to do your  
job printing. Come in and see  
us.

The PILOT from now until  
December 1st, for 20 cents.

Take notice of Porter & Yeoman's new ad this week.

# FROM WASHINGTON.

An Interesting Batch of News  
From the Capitol.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, August 10, 1894.  
If the long continued deadlock  
between the Senate and the  
House on tariff legislation had  
involved any great principle on  
either side there would have  
been some disposition on the  
part of those who cared nothing  
for particular schedules but  
who wanted the disturbing mat-  
ter settled in some way to con-  
done the inexcusable delay of  
the conferees. But there isn't a  
man in Washington whose in-  
telligence is a degree above  
idiocy who doesn't know, what-  
ever his prejudices or political  
leanings may have caused him  
to say, that no great principle  
was involved in this fight. On  
the contrary, it was merely a  
fight to determine whether the  
democratic party as represented  
in Congress should be bossed by  
President Cleveland or by Sen-  
ator Gorman. That is the naked  
truth denuded of all fuss and  
feathers, and it isn't especially  
complimentary to any one con-  
nected with it.

It having been demonstrated  
that the followers of neither of  
these leaders would acknowledge  
the supremacy of the other the  
conferees have at last waked up  
to the demands of the country  
for a tariff bill of some sort and  
have reached an agreement,  
which will in due time be sub-  
mitted to House and Senate, if  
it isn't upset by one side or the  
other before the reports can be  
made. The agreement leaves  
the question of the supremacy  
of Messrs Cleveland and Gorman  
a draw, but that doesn't interest  
the people. The important  
question now is, will the Senate  
accept the agreement? If recent  
talk of Senators counted for any-  
thing one would be disposed to  
say that it would not, but the  
same power that brought about  
the agreement in conference—the  
will of the people, without  
regard to politics—will probably  
make Senators think twice be-  
fore casting a vote that would  
result in preventing tariff legis-  
lation, leaving the whole disturb-  
ing agitation to begin anew next  
winter.

"Congress would not adjourn  
before the 18. of this month,  
even if the tariff bill was finally  
disposed of tomorrow," said a  
veteran Senator. When asked  
upon what he based his positive  
assertion, he replied: "Human  
nature and the river and harbor  
bill." To make this meaning  
clear it is only necessary to say  
that a majority in both House  
and Senate are interested in the  
appropriations made by the river  
and harbor bill, now in the  
hands of the President, and that  
President Cleveland is not par-  
tial towards river and harbor  
bills, having vetoed one during  
his first administration. Should  
Congress adjourn before the 18,  
President Cleveland could kill  
the river and harbor bill by a  
"pocket veto" (not signing it),  
but should Congress remain in  
session until that day the bill  
will become a law, if not vetoed,  
whether the President signs it  
or not. There is logic in that,  
and unless the President signs  
the river and harbor bill before  
that date Congress will probably  
be in session on the 18 of August.

A bill was this week sent to  
Mr. Cleveland, having passed  
the House and the Senate, that  
comes under the head of the  
better late than never laws. It  
provides that contractors for  
the construction of public build-  
ings shall give bond for the pay-  
ment of labor and for materials  
furnished them. The only  
people to be inconvenienced by  
the new law will be the "snide"  
contractors, who underbid hon-  
est men, intending to get their  
profit by beating their labor and  
those who furnish them with  
materials.

"Cannot be Improved!"  
So MRS. F. E. BAKER,  
of Calveston, Tex.,  
—SAYS—

## AYER'S HAIR VIGOR



It thickens the growth of the hair and  
restores gray hair to its original color.  
I cannot see how this preparation could  
be improved."—Mrs. F. E. BAKER, Cal-  
veston, Texas.

Ayer's Hair Vigor  
PREPARED BY  
DR. J. C. AYER & CO., LOWELL, MASS.

It is well-known that no love  
is lost between President Cleve-  
land and Senator Vest, of Mo.,  
but it was not until ex-Gov.  
Francis, who is now in Washing-  
ton, dropped a few words and  
let the cat out of the bag, that  
the idea got out that Gov. Fran-  
cis is to be the Cleveland candi-  
date for the seat now held in  
the Senate by Mr. Vest, and  
which he wants to keep. The  
understanding here is that the  
entire power of the administra-  
tion is to be used to defeat Vest  
and elect Francis. Vest says  
he asks nothing better than the  
open opposition of Mr. Cleve-  
land.

The House Judiciary commit-  
tee has favorably reported a  
resolution, which was adopted  
without division, authorizing  
that committee to investigate  
the charges against Judge Ricks,  
of Ohio, whose impeachment  
has been asked for by a number  
of petitions from labor organiza-  
tions.

No one who is familiar with  
the scandalous lobbying that  
has been done at this session of  
Congress was surprised when  
Senator Allen this week intro-  
duced a bill to prevent profes-  
sional lobbying, the penalty pro-  
vided for violation of the  
proposed law being a fine of  
from \$1,000 to \$5,000 and im-  
prisonment from one to five  
years. The bill defines a  
lobbyist to be a person who  
habitually attempts to influence  
the legislative acts of Congress  
by soliciting members to support  
or oppose a measure. Such a  
law would doubtless prevent  
many future Congressional scan-  
dals, but it hasn't one chance  
out of a possible hundred to get  
enacted. If Congressmen didn't  
encourage the lobbyist there  
would be no lobbyists. They  
live and thrive on the friendship  
of Congressmen. Therefore Mr.  
Allen's bill will not become a  
law.

Many men think that news-  
paper men are persistent dun-  
ners. By way of comparison let  
us suppose that a farmer raises  
1,000 bushels of wheat a year,  
and sells this to 1,000 persons in  
all parts of the country, a great  
portion of them saying: "I will  
hand you a dollar in a short  
time." The farmer does not  
want to be thought small, and  
says all right. Soon the 1,000  
bushels are gone but he has  
nothing to show for it, and he  
then realizes that he has fooled  
away his whole crop and its  
value to him is due to him in a  
thousand little dribblets, conse-  
quently he is seriously embar-  
rassed in his business, because  
his debtors, each owing him  
one dollar, treat it as a small  
matter and think it would not  
help much. Continue this kind  
of business year in and year out  
as the publisher does, how long  
would he stand it? A moments  
thought will convince any one  
that the publisher has cause for  
persistent dunning.

The Nonconformist and the  
PEOPLE'S PILOT from now until  
after the election, both for 35  
cents. Can you beat that.

## Death of John Waymire.

Word was received here last  
Friday of the death of Uncle  
John Waymire, who is well  
known to all of our citizens.  
He was at Kickapoo Springs  
near Attica at the time of his  
death. This was his second trip  
there for his health. The first  
trip seemed to do him a great  
deal of good. His death occur-  
ed on Thursday night, Aug. 9.  
The cause of his death was  
pleuro-pneumonia. His remains  
were brought here last Saturday  
morning on the early train and  
were taken to his residence on  
south VanRensselaer street.  
The funeral services were con-  
ducted at the M. E. church by  
Rev. Utter, at 10 a. m. the same  
morning. The burial took place  
at the Egypt cemetery south of  
town, and was under the direc-  
tion of the G. A. R. of which  
Mr. Waymire was a member.

John Waymire was born near  
Dayton, O., on Feb. 2, 1828.  
He was married to Mary Mc-  
Mullen on July 24, 1849, at Inde-  
pendence, Warren County, Ind.  
Nine children were born to this  
couple, of whom only four sur-  
vive their father. He has been  
for many years a much respect-  
ed citizen of Jasper county,  
mainly in Jordan township, but  
during the past four years his  
residence has been in Rensselaer.  
For two terms he filled the hon-  
orable and responsible position  
of county commissioner in this  
county. On August 9, 1862, just  
32 years before the day of his  
death, he enlisted in Co. A, 87th  
Ind. regiment. He remained in  
the service until Nov. 24, 1863,  
when he was honorably dis-  
charged, for disability.

He united with the church of  
the United Brethren in Christ in  
boyhood and remained a faithful  
member to the end.

## Town Board.

The town "dads" met in regu-  
lar session last Monday evening,  
and we give below the principal  
business of the meeting:

The rate of tax for special  
school purposes was increased  
to 30 cents on the \$100. It was  
25 cents.

B. F. Ferguson petitioned the  
board to construct a stone cul-  
vert over Makemself ditch on  
Cullen street. The matter was  
handed over to committee on  
street improvements. If this  
is done, which in all probabilities  
will be, every street crossing  
over this ditch will be properly  
and safely bridged.

An arc light was ordered to be  
placed at the intersection of  
Walnut and Main streets just  
north of the depot.

Warren Robinson came before  
the board with a proposition to  
transfer to the town 2 92-100  
acres, the same to be an addition  
to Weston cemetery as it lies  
just west of it. It was taken  
under advisement.

There were also several other  
matters of lesser importance  
transacted.

No Griping, no Nausea, no  
Pain, when De Witt's Little  
Early Risers are taken. Small  
Pill. Safe Pill. Best Pill.

A. F. LONG & Co.

What is the use of baking  
when you can buy fresh bread at  
your door every day of Lakey &  
Saylor's bread wagon.

Ed. Parcels will have a re-  
freshment stand at the Morocco  
fair next week.

Reynolds' railroad show will  
exhibit in Rensselaer, on Satur-  
day, Sept. 1.

Porter & Yeoman can and will  
sell goods cheaper for cash than  
on time.

E. E. Rockwood, of Goodland,  
was in town, last Wednesday.

Curg Spittler will attend school  
at Wabash College this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Piper are now  
proud parents—it is a boy.

If you want a nice lunch, call  
at Lakey & Saylor's.

Fresh bread every day at  
Lakey & Saylor's.

# ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

We take pleasure in announc-  
ing the coming reunion of the  
46th, 48th and 87th Ind. Regi-  
ments, which occurs in Rensse-  
laer, on Wednesday and Thurs-  
day, Aug. 29 and 30. It is ex-  
pected that there will not be  
less than 350 representatives of  
these regiments here at that  
time. Our citizens will be  
asked to care for a large num-  
ber of these old veterans, and  
there should be no hesitancy  
shown in giving them a royal  
welcome. We must show these  
loyal visitors that we know how  
to care for them.

Freight men predict that the  
present scarcity of cars will  
prevail for months to come.  
They argue that the grain mov-  
ing now is the last crop, and as  
60 per cent. of the 1893 crop is  
still in the hands of farmers or  
in elevators, there is no room  
for storing grain; consequently,  
they must ship it, and when the  
new crop is out of the way the  
old must be moved, as holders  
are tired of retaining it for high-  
er prices.

The Ferris wheel, which was  
exhibited at the World's Fair,  
will this week be removed from  
Chicago. The Lake Shore has  
leased the car from the Pennsylv-  
ania company which carried  
the big Krupp cannon to carry  
the wheel. The axle weighs  
seventy tons, and it will require  
several trains of flat cars to con-  
vey to its destination the mater-  
ial of which the great wheel  
was composed.

The great bicycle relay from  
Washington to Denver was com-  
pleted last Saturday night. The  
time consumed in carrying the  
message from the former to the  
latter city, a distance of 2,007  
miles, was 6 days, 10 hours and  
37 minutes, a gain of 37 hours  
and 23 minutes over the sched-  
uled time. The message was  
from President Cleveland to  
Gov. Waite.

Mr. J. C. Boswell, one of the  
best known and most respected  
citizens of Brownwood, Texas,  
suffered with diarrhoea for a  
long time and tried many differ-  
ent remedies without benefit,  
until Chamberlain's Colic,  
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy  
was used; that relieved him at  
once. For sale by F. B. Meyer,  
Druggist.

Christy Vick left with us sam-  
ples of "Uncle Sam," an illus-  
trated paper after the style of  
"Judge" and "Puck," and the  
"Chicago American," a paper  
for Americans. He is agent for  
these papers and would be  
pleased to show you copies of  
the same.

Col. I. N. Walker, a well  
known G. A. R. man, of this  
state, is being urged to place  
his name before the national en-  
campment at Pittsburg as a  
candidate for national command-  
er.

A satisfied customer is a per-  
manent one. That's why we  
recommend De Witt's Little  
Early Risers. They cure Con-  
stipation, Indigestion and Bil-  
iousness. A. F. LONG & Co.

Five prisoners escaped from  
the Logansport jail last Satur-  
day night, by sawing out a win-  
dow. This is the fifth jail deliv-  
ery within a year.

We don't do much blowing  
through the papers, but we do  
expect our prices to talk very  
loud. PORTER & YEOMAN.

Jackson and Corbett are now  
fighting a fierce battle on paper.  
They might call it a "scrap of  
paper."

Say, have you tried one of  
those stylish rigs at W. E. Over-  
tons' livery barn?

C. E. Pickett, of Onargo, Ill.,  
visited with A. G. W. Farmer's  
family this week.

The Jasper circuit court will  
convene on the third Monday in  
October.

## People's Party State Platform.

In general terms we endorse the principles  
and declarations of the Omaha platform,  
and herewith submit the platform prepared  
by your committee on resolutions.

THE FINANCIAL ISSUE.

We demand a national currency of 350 per  
cent. including the free coinage of silver  
at the ratio of 15 to 1. issued by the general  
government only, a full legal tender for all  
debts both public and private distributed to  
the people direct without the intervention of  
banking corporations in payment of all obli-  
gations of the government, and demand the  
issue of non-interest bearing treasury notes  
of small denominations.

We declare our unalterable opposition, as  
a party, to banks of issue, state or national.  
We also denounce the past and continued  
use of the government fiat by congress to  
create interest-bearing bonds.

We charge that the crime of demonetizing  
silver in '73, by the Republican party, further  
consummated by the joint action of both the  
old parties at the extra session of congress  
in '93, has fully accomplished the purpose of  
the monied aristocracy of the United States  
and England, in placing American produc-  
ers of our great staple crops on a level with  
the poorest paid pauper labor of the world  
under English control, by changing through  
this crime against American producers and  
laborers, the pricing instrument for all prod-  
ucts and wages to the single standard of  
gold only.

We demand a national graduate income  
tax on salaries or incomes in excess of rea-  
sonable expenditures for the comforts and  
necessities of life.

We pledge the People's party, when given  
control of the government, that the gun-  
holders, who put up life to save the Union  
from secession, shall be equalized with the  
bondholders, who speculated in human life  
and the blood of our people, and their pen-  
sions shall be treated as a vested right.

We favor the election of United States  
senators and all postmasters by direct vote  
of the people.

## STATE ISSUES.

We believe the people are yet capable of  
self-government and home rule, and demand  
of the next legislature the repeal of the  
metropolitan police law applied to cities.  
We also denounce the present unfair and un-  
just law that forbids minorities representa-  
tion on election boards or witnesses to count  
of ballots, as a violation of the natural  
rights of the people; the entering wedge to  
the destruction of free government; the  
very essence of party tyranny and taxation  
without representation, laws that no honest  
man can defend.

We demand a constitutional convention to  
revise our state constitution and include  
therein reform in the methods of taxation  
and the initiative and referendum system of  
legislation, with the veto power of all the  
important laws in the hands of the people.

We demand such equitable adjustment of  
the statute for the listing of property for  
taxation that will permit the deduction of  
all bona fide indebtedness from sum total  
listed.

We demand a reasonable homestead law  
that no process of any court can touch.

We demand a law taxing all inheritances  
coming to citizens of Indiana, both direct  
and collateral, at 5 per cent. above \$2,000, for  
the benefit of the state sinking fund.

We demand that most liberal educational  
facilities for the masses within the power of  
the state to provide, and a more efficient ad-  
ministration of the public school fund.

We demand that convict labor shall be  
taken as far as possible away from competi-  
tion with honest, free labor in conduct of the  
state prisons, recommending that counties  
work their convicts building and improving  
public roads.

We demand a law at the hands of the next  
legislature that will make it optional with  
debtors in this state, to pay any legal obli-  
gation in gold, silver or other lawful money  
of the United States.

We demand that our state naturalization  
laws conform to our national laws upon the  
subject.

We view with alarm the evil influence of  
the liquor traffic. We heartily endorse the  
initiative and referendum system of legisla-  
tion, believing by this means the people can  
suppress this and other evils more effectually  
than by any other mode.

We demand an effective enforcement of the  
laws prohibiting the employment of child  
labor.

We demand that a system of arbitration be  
established, whereby serious difficulties be-  
tween employer and employees may be speed-  
ily and impartially adjusted, before either  
party resort to measures detrimental to one  
and to both.

We favor a reduction of the working hours  
by law in mines and factories in conformity  
with the progress of industry.

We demand that cities be specially em-  
powered to assume ownership and control of  
public water, transportation and lighting  
plants, in such manner as to operate wholly  
in the interest of the people, without im-  
posing burdensome taxation.

We are against the giving out of public  
works under contract to the lowest bidder.  
state and the communities should carry out  
such work themselves under the supervision  
of experienced officers.

We favor an efficient employer's liability  
law and the inspection of mines and factor-  
ies for the protection of life and limb of the  
workmen.

The right to vote is inherent in citizenship  
irrespective of sex.

## A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie,  
N. Y., says that he always keeps  
Dr. King's New Discovery in  
the house and his family has  
always found the very best re-  
sults follow its use; that he  
would not be without it, if pro-  
curable. G. A. Dykeman Drug-  
gist, Catskill, N. Y., says that  
Dr. King's New Discovery is  
undoubtedly the best Cough  
remedy; that he has used in his  
family for eight years, and it  
has never failed to do all that is  
claimed for it. Why not try a  
remedy so long tried and tested.  
Trial bottles free at F. B.  
Meyer's Drug Store. Regular  
size 50 cts. and \$1.00.

One word describes it—"per-  
fection." We refer to De Witt's  
Witch Hazel Salve, cures obsti-  
nate sores, burns, skin diseases  
and is a well known cure for  
piles. A. F. LONG & Co.