

## CHURCHES.

**CHRISTIAN.** Corner Van Rensselaer and Susan. Preaching, 10:45 and 8:00; Sunday school, 9:30; Junior Endeavor, 2:30; S.Y. P. S. O. D. meeting, Thursdays, 7:30; L. L. Brady, pastor.

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The pastors of all the churches in Rensselaer are requested to prepare notices similar to above, which will be inserted free in this directory.

## SOCIETIES.

**MASONIC.**—PRAIRIE LODGE, No. 126. A. F. and A. M. meets first and third Mondays of each month. J. M. Wassen, Sec'y; B. S. Pendig, M.

**EVENING STAR CHAPTER.** No. 141. O. E. S. meets first and Third Wednesdays of each month. Lizzie, W. M.; Alf. Hopkins, Sec'y.

**OLD FELLOWS.** IROQUOIS LODGE, No. 149. I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday. M. B. Alter, N. G.; J. F. Antrim, Secretary.

**RENNSSLAER ENCAMPTMENT.** No. 201. I. O. O. F. meets second and fourth Fridays of each month. E. M. Parcels, C. P.; John Vannatti, Scribe.

**RENNSSLAER REBECCA LEGREE LODGE.** No. 346, meets first and third Fridays of each month. Mrs. Alf. Collins, N. G.; Miss Blanche Hoyes, Sec'y.

**I. O. O. F. FORRESTERS.** COURT JASPER, No. 1703, Independent Order of Foresters, meets second and fourth Mondays. E. M. Parcels, C. D. H. C. R.; B. S. Pendig, C. R.

**DEGREE LODGE.** N. A. A., No. 75. BENEFICIARY DEPARTMENT, F. A. U. meets on the second Saturday nights of every other month at the Centre School House in Union township, Jasper County, Ind. D. E. Hudson, Secretary.

**CENTER ALLIANCE.** No. 75, JASPER COUNTY, meets regularly every second Saturday night at Center School House, Union township, Ind. G. E. CASEY, Secretary.

## MONON TIME TABLE.

## SOUTH BOUND.

No. 5—Louisville Mail, Daily.....12:07 P. M.  
No. 39—Milk accom., Daily.....12:22 P. M.  
No. 3—Louisville Express, Daily.....12:34 P. M.  
No. 45—Local freight.....2:13 P. M.

## NORTH BOUND

No. 4—Mail.....4:45 A. M.  
No. 40—Milk accom., Daily.....7:24 P. M.  
No. 46—Local Freight.....8:00 A. M.  
No. 74—Freight.....10:05 P. M.  
No. 74 carries passengers between Lafayette and Rensselaer.

## CITY AND COUNTY.

Healy for shoes.

Simon Fendig of Wheatfield was in town Tuesday.

Miss Eliza Tuteur is in Chicago visiting this week.

Indiana school books at Meyer's drug store.

Our telephone system is now opened with our northern towns.

William H. Egger took in the cycle show in Chicago before it closed last week.

Blank books, writing material and incidentals, the finest assortment at Meyer's drug store.

The lecture of Dr. Willets on "Sunshine" was received with the most popular approval of any lecture ever delivered in our city.

Fred Phillips and Bert Brenner made a ride to Mt. Ayr and returned on their wheels in bicycle attire on Thursday. Pretty good for January 16.

Coughing irritates the delicate organs and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure. It helps at once, making expectoration easy, reduces the soreness and inflammation. Everyone likes it. Long, Druggist.

Heat that bed room with one of our 85 hard coal burners that will keep fire all night with a hat full of coal. N. Warner & Son.

George Pumphrey has some gilt edged Plymouth Rock cockerels for sale in the north-west part of town.

LOST.—Ladies' gold watchchain with two charms attached—one a horn-shaped charm. Finder please call at this office and receive a liberal reward.

At the next meeting of the Hobby Club a general discussion will be entered into on the subject of "The Monroe Doctrine."

2000, burr oak and white oak, for sale at 6c each, 3½ miles west and one mile south of Rensselaer by Carr Bros.

The teachers of Marion township met the teachers of Union township in joint institute at Fair Oaks last Saturday. A good program was rendered, and all report a good time.

The program for the Farmers' Institute to be held in Rensselaer Feb. 5 and 6 appears in this issue of the Pilot. If farmers only knew of the great benefit to be derived from these meetings a much larger attendance would be had.

The Rensselaer Creamery has been leased to a party of Thorntown for one year with the privilege of four. The consideration is to be \$1 per day until the average daily delivery of milk reaches 10,000 pounds, after which the rental will be \$400 a year. The patrons will be paid by the 100 pounds for milk, instead of receiving a per cent of the proceeds of the sales of butter.

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Judge Healy's put in a nice stock of ladies and gents shoes in connection with his shoemaking and repairing business.

**Lost.**—Between the postoffice and depot on Friday morning, Jan. 3, a ladies gold watch. Five dollars reward. Leave at Pilot office.

Visit Healy's new shoe store.

Hop cholera preventative, from state formula, for sale at Meyer's drug store.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills. A. F. Long, Druggist.

Lesslie Clark, a former editor of the Pilot, has sold his paper at Red Key and is now visiting home folks in Rensselaer. Mr. Clark is an excellent newspaper man, and will soon be in the business again.

Subscribers who wish to send their copies of the "souvenir edition" to their friends can obtain mailing tubes at this office free, as long as the supply lasts. The postage on the big paper, tube included, is but three cents. Extra copies can be had at this office for ten cents, three for twenty-five.

A child of Jesse Nowels near Parr died of some throat difficulty last Saturday and was buried Sunday.

No dealer in town is so well qualified to select good shoes as Judge Healy, the veteran shoemaker. Examine his stock.

There may be no war with the beef eaters over the Venezuelan affair, but there promises to be a lively campaign down at Goodland between the rival papers. The Herald has hoisted a semi-weekly signal and proposes to give the new Tribune an interesting time of it. The Tribune is a protege of Brother Kitt who recently sold the Herald. Goodland will prosper two live papers if any town of its size can.

Married.—Dec. 31, 1895, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Jordan, parents of the bride, by Rev. R. D. Utter, of Trinity M. E. church, Miss Nevada Jordan and Mr. Harry Thewlies, of Linden, Ind.

The Catholic young people to the number of fifty met at the residence of Mr. Keiper north of town, Wednesday evening, and proceeded to have a jolly time, the one making the most noise getting the prize. Miss Maggie Walters carried off the honors with colors flying.

Judge Healy has fitted up his boot and shoe shop and put in an excellent stock of ladies' and gents' fine shoes. Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

The sick people at the home of Ed Parcels are all better. The list at one time last week embraced every member of the household, except the two dogs and Ed.

FOUND.—A nearly new shawl, near St. Joseph's College, Jan. 9th. WILLIAM WASHBURN.

Judge Healy's shoe store is the place to find a large variety to select from; the best grades at the lowest prices.

**People's Party Convention.**

A mass meeting of the people's party of Jasper county, is hereby called for Saturday, January 25, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the Nowell's House, Rensselaer, for the purpose of re-organizing the county central committee, and to select delegates to the congressional meeting, to be held at Goodland, Ind., Jan. 28, 1896, and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

L. L. PONSLER, Pres.

W. D. BRINGLE, Sec.

**Court Proceedings.**

Court adjourned Thursday of last week to Monday of this.

William Stephenson was acquitted of the charge of stealing wood.

Sherman Cooper plead guilty to the charge of fighting, and was fined five dollars and costs.

The appealed case of Sanders vs. Zea for possession of hotel hack was settled by contestants and dismissed, Mr. Sanders retaining possession. Each party paid his own costs.

Mrs. Sabina M. Richards was granted a divorce from Sherman Richards on the ground of cruelty. Mrs. Richards received back her maiden name of Peterson, and was given custody of their four year old child.

Sherman Richards was awarded a verdict of acquittal of the charge of criminal assault on person of his fourteen year old sister-in-law.

J. F. Iliff was acquitted of the charge of giving liquor to a minor, and Henry Gifford of the charge of assault and battery.

The case of Renicher vs. L. N. A. & C. railroad, suit for damages, is still on as we go to press this Saturday noon.

When you want a farm loan call on J. Chapman & Co. Loans made promptly and at the lowest possible rate. Office with Burget & Penn in Leopold's block.

Married, Jan. 15, 1896, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee, in Hanging Grove township, Dr. W. M. Yocom of Falls City, Neb., to Miss Edna M. Lee, Rev. Wright of Francesville officiating.

**A Call to Populists.**

In obedience to the order of the State central committee of the People's party of Indiana, the voters of said party of Newton county are requested to meet at Brook, Indiana, on Saturday, Jan. 25th, 1896, at 1 o'clock p.m., to elect delegates to the congressional meeting to be held at Goodland, Jan. 28th, 1896, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. U. WILDASIN, Chairman.

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## Attempted Child Murder.

Our neighboring village of Brook, had a sensation last Thursday. One resident of the place, named Sim Tollis, became enraged at his seven-month-old babe, because it was fretful and made too much noise, and almost smothered it to death by holding his hand over its mouth. The frightened mother gave the alarm and when the neighbors arrived the poor infant was more dead than alive, and was revived only after strenuous effort. The brutal father was immediately arrested and bound over to the next term of court by the Justice of Iroquois township. He was brought here Thursday night and on Friday Deputy sheriff White took him to the Fowler jail, where he will be confined until the February term of court, when he will be tried on the grave charge of attempted murder. It is said that this is the second exploit of Tollis in this direction—he being charged with the death of one of his infant children sometime ago. In view of the brutality of the act, it would seem that the unnatural father should be made to feel the severest penalty of the law.—Kentland Democrat.

Tollis, at one time, was a resident of Rensselaer, and while here an infant child of his was smothered to death in bed. Tollis was not prosecuted for the deed then, because it was thought to have been done through ignorance.

## Farmers Institute.

The annual meeting of the Jasper county Farmers Institute will be held in the court house, February 5 and 6. Every farmer that can possibly attend should do so. Able instructors will be present from abroad, those who are successful, practical and educated farmers.

The subjects to be presented have been selected with reference to our own surroundings. Farming is fast becoming one of the learned professions, so that there is no room for, unscientific and haphazard farming.

The man that would succeed on the farm must, not only know the nature and capabilities of the soil he tills, the character and worth of the stock he raises and the grain he plants, but he must know how, when and where to buy and to sell. To acquaint himself with these fundamental principles of successful farming, the farmer must step out from under his own vine and fig tree, must occasionally come from out of his own dung-hill and exchange ideas with his fellows; he must, too, occasionally stand the plow in the furrow, hang the hoe on the fence and turn to agricultural books, market reports and Farmers Institutes. The average farmer that governs himself in his work by his own knowledge and experience, is no match at all for his neighbor, who, through agricultural reading and associations, learns of the ways of the successful and makes proper effort to practice them.

The world is growing old, our soil is wearing, new and noxious weeds are yearly invading our fields, our stock sicken and die, blight and pestilence attack our crops; on every hand the farmer and his farm are violently assailed, so to succeed he must practice the greatest intelligence, vigilance and care. The idea that any man can farm, any one can follow the plow and feed the pigs, has about had its day. Of all the callings in life the farmer should be the most variously accomplished person. His work and his dealings bring him in contact with most every branch of science. It is to be hoped that the farmers of Jasper county will avail themselves of all the benefits that the coming institute can bring.

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## FARMERS INSTITUTE

Will be held at the court house, Feb. 5, 1896. A program has been made out and will be supplied freely. In order to make this institute a success it will be necessary for a united effort on the part of country and town people. We will have need of all the help we can get. This will include all occupations, the invitation being not to farmers alone; ministers, lawyers, doctors, merchants, tradesmen, laboring people of all kinds, are invited to attend and take part. Other counties are making this institute work profitable, why can't we? The speakers engaged to lead, on the subjects named in the program, are highly recommended as thoroughly practical men. We expect to have other subjects discussed by local speakers.

## WEDNESDAY PROGRAM.

MORNING SESSION 10 to 12 M. Institute called to order by president. Invocation.....Rev. Mr. Pendig. Parade Music.....Male Quartette

Introductory remarks.....Pres. Strong

How shall farmers market the products of the farm.....Aaron Jones, South Bend

Work.....Wm. Moore and others.

## AFTERNOON SESSION, 1 to 3:30.

Appointment of committees.

Circular and practical ways of handling it.

Report of committees and election of officers.

Drifts, its causes and how to ameliorate its effects.....Jones

Discussion.....John E. Alter and others

Farm dairying.....Bruce Potor and others

L. STRONG, President.

L. L. PONSLER, Secretary.