

## CHURCHES.

**FIRST BAPTIST.** Preaching every two weeks at 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; B. Y. P. U. 6 p.m. Sunday; prayer meeting 7 p.m.; C. E. Volla pastor.

**CHRISTIAN.** Corner Van Rensselaer and Susan. Preaching, 10:45 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; J. Y. P. S. C. E. 2:30 p.m.; S. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; First pastor.

Ladies' Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon, by appointment.

**PRESBYTERIAN.** Corner Cullen and Angelic. Preaching, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Junior Endeavorers, 2:30 p.m.; Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 a.m.; Ladies Industrial Society meets every Wednesday afternoon. The Missionary Society, monthly.

**METHODIST.** Preaching at 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Evening School, 6 p.m.; Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; Junior League, 2:30 p.m.; 20th alternate Sundays. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p.m.; Dr. R. D. Utter, pastor.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY every Wednesday afternoon by appointment.

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. Wasson, Sec'y.; B. F. Fendig, W. M.

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

**ODD FELLOWS.** IROQUOIS LODGE, No. 149, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday. L. L. Ponsler, N. G.; J. F. Antrim, Secretary.

**BENSON'S ENCLAVEMENT.** No. 201, I. O. O. F., meets second and fourth Fridays of each month. T. J. Saylor, C. P.; John Vannatti, Scribe.

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

**IO. OF FORRESTERS.** COURT JASPER, No. 1763, Independent Order of Foresters, meets second and fourth Mondays. Geo. Goff, C. D. H. C. R.; J. W. Horton, C. R.

**DEGREE LODGE.** N. A. A. No. 75 BENEFARY, No. 1, A. F. and A. M., meets on the second Saturday night of every other month at the Centre School House in Union township, Jasper County, Ind. D. E. Hudson, S. T. Hamacher, Pres. Secretary.

**CENTER ALLIANCE.** No. 75, JASPER County, meets regularly every second Saturday night at Center School House, Union township, G. R. Casey, Secretary.

**RALPH W. MARSHALL,** ATTORNEY.

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Gas or vitrified air administered for the painless extraction of teeth. Give me a trial. Office over Porter & Wissard's.

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Surveyor and Engineer.

Office with the County Superintendent, in Williams & Stockton's block, Rensselaer. 8-28-94.

## CITY AND COUNTY.

Find Lee & Co., when you have anything to sell.

Charles Lee of Lee visited his brother, Walter Lee, last Sunday.

For sale, a good sleigh by C. D. Nowels, Call at his store.

"Shaun Aroon" on the 17th at the opera house.

Mrs. Isaac French has been suffering this week from a dental operation.

H. H. Steward of Brookston was visiting his son, Ernest, for a short time Monday.

Miss Pearl Parker of Hanging Grove township visited Miss Ellen Gwin last Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. McAlpine of Champaign, Ill., specialist for catarrh, spent Monday with Rev. M. R. Paradies.

Owing to Mrs. Paradies' illness she was not able to entertain the Christian Endeavors, as announced last Sabbath.

Junior Henkle returned this week from a month's visit with his brother at Noblesville, Ind.

Don't miss the entertainment given by Miss Doty to-morrow night. Friday, Feb. 14.

Misses Glenn Porter, Bertha Nowels, and Eva Washburn returned Monday from a week at Goodland.

Ernest Steward has resigned his place in Parcels' barber shop and returned to his home in Brookston.

James Welsh expects to move into his new house south of town the first of next week if the weather permits.

Heat that bed room with one of our \$5 hard coal burners that will keep fire all night with a hat full of coal. N. Warner & Son.

Lee & Co., the leading real estate firm of Rensselaer.

The young people gave Miss Myrtle Pulver a very pleasant surprise at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Clark last Tuesday evening.

Rev. Paradies preached to a good audience last Sunday afternoon in the South Meadow school house, and will preach again at the same place a week from next Sunday at 2:30 p.m., Feb. 23.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. A. F. Long, Druggist.

One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. A. F. Long, Druggist.

Richard Grow's new house north of the depot was given the finishing touches by the carpenters last Monday. Mr. Grow will occupy the same March 1st.

William Moore who has been spending a period at Dwight has returned, and a happier man does not walk the streets of Rensselaer.

It is estimated that \$2500 has been cut off from the saloon traffic of Rensselaer by the sending of a score of patients to Dwight during the past year.

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

A. Leopold will go to South Bend next Monday to attend the annual meeting of the A. O. U. W. to be held there on the 17th and 18th inst. He will represent the Rensselaer branch of the order.

J. A. Overton was at Lebanon Sunday and Monday visiting his "cousin." He has not been down to see his "cousin" for two weeks or more.

Don't fail to inquire for prices and terms for lots in Leopold's addition; best situated, wider and larger than the lots in any other addition to Rensselaer.

Don't fail to see the new Model '96 Columbias on exhibition at Ferguson's General Supply Store, opposite Nowels' Block. Eleven styles. Popular prices. Address E. J. Wilcox, Agt., Rensselaer, Ind.

David Michaels, who has been down with rheumatism for thirteen weeks, was in Monday, the first time since he was taken sick. He has a new house nearly ready for occupancy on his farm three-fourths of a mile south-east of town.

Mr. Walker of Remington gave a photographic entertainment at Ferguson's General Supply Store, opposite Nowels' Block. Eleven styles. Popular prices. Address E. J. Wilcox, Agt., Rensselaer, Ind.

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## NO UNCERTAINTY NOW

Jasper County May Now Prepare to Pay For Two New Court Houses.

ARCHITECT GRINDLE OF FORT WAYNE CHOSEN.

For week's there have been knowing ones who have said that there would be no court house built in Rensselaer this year. They have said the certain influence would be exerted upon the commissioners to induce them to defer the matter until after another election. But if this influence was exerted it must have failed for an architect has been selected and it is understood that as soon as he can prepare the plans and specifications the commissioners will ask for bids, and the work will begin at once.

There were undoubtedly very good reasons why the matter was not deferred. It seems evident that if Jasper county is to have a new court house within the next few years this board of commissioners must build it, for no new commissioners could be elected, who were not pledged to forego the doubtful glory of having their names carved on the corner stone of a new edifice.

The board was in session Tuesday for the special purpose of deciding upon the adoption of plans and the selection of the supervising architect. Out of the numerous list of competitors, some fifteen or twenty, all of whom are reported to have entered a pool and agreed to charge the county five per cent for the plans and service of superintending the work, the board selected Alfred Grindle of Fort Wayne.

It is fair to presume that the unsuccessful competitors will be liberally paid for their trouble in waiting upon the Honorable Board. Should the court house cost but \$140,000, as at present proposed, the architect will receive only a paltry \$7000 for his services, but should it reach the more respectable sum of \$200,000, as it most probably will, his fee would of course exceed that amount, and he could afford to be more generous with his pooling side partners. Under any circumstance the more the building costs the more the architect will receive from the tax payers of Jasper county.

The four-year-old son of Jerome Harmon, who had an eye badly injured about three weeks ago with a table fork, is reported no better, and it is feared that he may lose the eye.

Judge Healy was in Chicago this week, selecting a new line of men's and ladies' shoes. His stock is nice and he is selling them at very small profit.

Adeline De Walt Reynolds, who was at the opera house Saturday night, is undoubtedly a very earnest seeker for success upon the rostrum, but far from meriting the tolerance of patient public as yet.

"No Irish need apply" is not applicable in this case. Since "Shaun Aroon" is nothing else but Irish, we confidently expect all our Irish friends to be present, also their friends, and their friend's friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Austin were guests of Warden Charles Harley at the state penitentiary at Michigan City on their recent trip. Mr. Harley, who is from Delphi, is an old acquaintance of the Austins.

W. P. McGann in songs and recitations in "Shaun Aroon," has several of the latest and best to present Monday evening, Feb'y 17th.

Slayton's Colored Jubilee Singers appeared before the Rensselaer Lecture Club Monday night at Ellis opera house. They gave the best of satisfaction and were repeatedly recalled.

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Manly Sport of Trap Shooting.

Some of the boys were out trying their skill at breaking targets a few days since. Those that took part and their scores are given below. Each man shooting at twenty-five birds at unknown angles:

J. W. King, 22, missed 3.  
P. Castor, 19, missed 6.  
Tom Joiner, 15, missed 10.  
Frank Hinkle, 11, missed 14.

Considering the fact that none of the gentlemen have shot at bluerocks since last fall, they made a remarkable good score.

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

Gold Standard Prices on Fruit Trees.

John Casey is working in the interest of James Holbeck's nursery, located at Penbrooke switch, 1½ miles north of Fair Oaks, Ind. His prices are within the reach of all:

Apple, \$6 to \$7 per 100.  
Pear, ten for \$1.25 to \$1.50.  
Peach, ten for 70c to 80c or 86 per 100.  
Cherry, 15c each or \$10 per 100.  
Grapes, ten for 40c, 50c, 70c and 90c.  
Currants, ten for 70c.

Gooseberries, ten for 70c to 80c.

Strawberries, 100 for 40c.

Sorghum molasses