

Take your grain to Coen & Brady's new elevator, level driveway and dumps. The river was considerably swelled by the recent floods.

The latest in collars, cuffs and shirts at Fred Phillips'.

A new floor, nicely oiled, has been laid in the county clerk's office.

Fred Phillips has the most beautiful line of neckwear in the city.

E. J. Hughes says he handles the finest line of cigars and tobacco in the city.

People of Newton county report creeks out of banks that have not been so greatly swollen in four years.

A small force of stone cutters resumed work on the court house Monday. The contractors are still waiting for iron.

A beautiful line of handkerchiefs in linen and silk at Fred Phillips'.

W. S. Felker & Co., who opened their drug store at Fair Oaks about a month ago, are doing well and merit a liberal patronage.

Wm. Synder of Barkley township was accidentally shot and killed yesterday while hunting on one of Gifford's farms in Barkley township, by a man named Parker.

The old bell of the court house was, by order of Judge Thompson, raised on blocks where it rests in the corner of the court house lot, and has been rung this week as of old.

The work in circuit court this week has been that of motion and setting of cases for trial. The trial of cases will begin to-morrow.

Francis Gees has had his meat market running at Fair Oaks for two weeks. It is a great convenience to the people of that locality and he is doing a very satisfactory business.

The old lady was right when she said, the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. Sold by A. F. Long.

Miss Ella Culp is the most prompt subscriber on the Pilot books. She always pays in advance, for four years 'never having failed to call and renew her subscription the week that it expired.

Fresh bread, pies, cakes, daily on hand. Fresh oysters served in all styles at all hours. Candies and nuts a specialty. Half a block south of depot. J. L. FOSTER.

Our fellow townsman, D. A. Stoner, will deliver a series of lectures on poultry at Purdue this winter. Mr. Stoner has made a success of the poultry business and is surely able to give interesting and valuable talks on this subject.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariable reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in cold, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. A. F. Long.

While our court house is being erected with snail-like progress, and only promised ten months hence, the largest store in the world is being put up in Chicago in two sections, the first to be done June the first, and the whole by Nov. first next.

Dr. Horton feels a little pride in the fact that he recently extracted a dozen teeth for a citizen of Rensselaer who was the first white boy to Jasper county. The operation did not seem to bother the old gentleman a particle, and he made no "fuss" at all.

We notice that the new judge is correcting a two prevalent evil in the matter of attorney's fees in collection cases. He has pruned the lawyers estimates of what each others services were worth with a free hand and saved many a dollar to the unfortunate debtor.

Misses Nellie Van Smith and Marybell Purcupie kept New Year open house from 7:30 to 10 p. m. at the house of the latter. Their assistants were Miss Lydia Smith of Worthington, Miss Mullinix of Spencer, Miss Diggins of Chicago, Miss Susie Parker, Miss Nellie Hopkins and Miss Nellie Moss.

Marriage Licenses.

Groom.	Bride.
Daniel W. Biddle	Janie L. Bartee
John C. Maxwell	Eveline M. Lutz
Lewis Shank	Elva G. Sharp

Killed by a Colt.

Charles Wells, a prosperous young farmer living near Remington, was killed by a colt and so badly injured that he died about 4 p. m., Jan. 4, 1897. The deceased was 20 years, 10 months old.

Mrs. Ellis' Theatre Party.

The following guests were present at Mrs. Ellis' theatre party on Wednesday night of last week: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Long; Misses Ellis, Lane, Patterson, Robinson, Diggins, Purcupie, Moss, Parker and Hopkins; Gentleman Wilson, A. H. A. R. A. W. and G. W. Hopkins, Hardy, Phillips, Fendig and Hunt. The party assembled in the Ellis parlors and went in a body to the opera house. After the entertainment they returned and partook of refreshments and enjoyed social intercourse for a short time.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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PROGRAMME

Farmer's Institute and Fair,

RENSSELAER, IND.

January 18th and 19th, 1897.

MONDAY.

- 9:30 A. M. President's Address—Years Work.
10 A. M.—Swine Plagues and Their Cure.....
.....A. O. Lockridge, Greencastle, Ind.
GENERAL DISCUSSION by Thomas Robinson, James Yeoman, Benjamin Harris, S. A. Dowell and others.
11 A. M.—Farm Fertilizers, and how to Save and Use them.....
.....T. B. Terry, Hudson, Ohio.
GENERAL DISCUSSION by F. W. Bedford, James W. Cowden, George M. Robinson and others.
1 P. M.—Profits of Beef Cattle..... Lockridge.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—Granville Moody, W. E. Moore, John Ryan, Walter Ponsler and others.
2 P. M.—Growing Crops in Dry Year..... T. B. Terry.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—O. P. Taber, Walter V. Porter, Wm. M. Hoover, B. D. Comer and others.
3 P. M.—Economics of Wife and Daughter..... Mrs. J. L. Brady.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—Mrs. W. O. Moore, Mrs. S. P. Thompson, Mrs. Julia Healey and Mrs. William Wishard, Jr.
7:30 P. M.—The Farmer's Girl.....
.....Miss Jennie Harris and Miss Estella Parkison.
8 P. M.—The Farmer's Boy..... L. Hamilton.
8:30 P. M.—The Wife's Part..... Prof. T. B. Terry.

TUESDAY.

- 9 A. M.—Continuous Growth the Law of Success.....
.....A. O. Lockridge.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—Fletcher Monnett, Warren Robinson, John Jordan, James D. Babcock and others.
10 A. M.—Home Esthetics..... Mrs. J. F. Warren.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—Mrs. Jasper Kenton, Mrs. C. W. Coen, Mrs. E. C. English, Mrs. W. W. Wishard, Sr. and others.
11 A. M.—Small Fruits..... T. B. Terry.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—M. Y. Slaughter, A. W. Cleveland, R. W. Marshall and others.
1 P. M.—Grasses and Handling Same..... A. O. Lockridge.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—Add Parkison, Charles W. Coen, Luther L. Ponsler and others.
2 P. M.—Points in Tillage..... T. B. Terry.
GENERAL DISCUSSION—D. H. Yeoman, Orpheus Holstead, R. B. Harris, R. B. Porter and others.
3 P. M.—Educational Results in Town and County.....
.....Mrs. Robert Randle.
DISCUSSION—Mrs. W. H. Sanders, Mrs. George Murray, Mrs. C. G. Spitler and Mrs. W. H. Coover.
7:30 P. M.—Report of Committee on Resolutions and Award of Premiums.
Should Ladies take part in Farmer's Institutes?.....
.....Mrs. J. M. Wasson and others.
8 P. M.—The Sunny Side of Farm Life.....
.....A. O. Lockridge.

The Institute will award Premiums as follows:

- Best display of Farm Products for County, \$10.00.
Best display for any Township except Marion, \$5.00.
2nd \$3.00.
3rd \$2.00.
No display to occupy floor space exceeding nine square feet.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

S. P. THOMPSON, MRS. EVA HOLTZ, MRS. IDA RANDLE.

LUCIUS STRONG, PRES.
L. E. GLAZEBROOK, SEC'Y.

All are invited to attend.

Dray work done by Geo. F. Feezer
Leave your order at Cotton House.

The Coming Event.

What is it? The Business Men's Jubilee. When is it? Next Tuesday evening. Where is it? At Ellis Opera House. Nobody should fail to attend this popular entertainment that has created such a sensation in our sister towns. You will all have the opportunity to see and hear the best local talent entertainment ever given in Rensselaer. Sixty business and professional men and women are to be represented.

Furniture Repairing.

I am prepared to do repairing of furniture, upholstering, and other woodwork; residence east part town. J. H. Finhel.

No one will receive the Pilot in the future except it is paid for in advance.

Teachers and scholars resumed their work again Monday morning with renewed energy after the holiday vacation.

Melville Wishard returned to his school work at Purdue Monday, where he will probably remain for five months.

Jasper county's farmer's institute will be held Monday and Tuesday, January 18 and 19, 1897. The instructors are to be T. B. Terry of Hudson, Ohio, and A. O. Lockridge, of Greencastle, Indiana.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. Sold by A. F. Long.

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Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective such are the qualities of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Sold by A. F. Long.

It is learned that the Robinson Brothers have sold out their lumber and coal business to F. J. Saylor. Warren Robinson and James Babcock left Monday for Iowa, Kansas, where they expect to make some investments.

There is talk of organizing a young men's Christian Association in Rensselaer. This is quite the proper thing to do. A good hall is ready for occupancy and could be fitted with reading room and gymnasium, and by a little effort the institution could be pushed to a very valuable auxiliary to our public schools. Here free from demoralizing influences young men could find elevating amusement and healthful recreation coupled with opportunity for instruction. A moral influence can be exerted through such a society that is needed in Rensselaer now and the project should receive more than ordinary consideration.

Grandma Stinson is Gone.

Upon the return of Augustus Stinson from Lafayette on Monday, Dec. 28th, from rendering the last duties to an old neighbor and resident of Wheatfield township, Mrs. Sophia Shaffner, who had been taken to the first named place for interment, Mr. Stinson acting as one of the pall bearers, he was shocked to receive the news of his own mother's death in far away California, where she had passed away at the home of her son, Dr. James Stinson, at Watsonville, Santa Cruz Co., Dec. 17, 1896, aged 91 years, 11 months and 4 days.

Grandma Stinson had formed many acquaintances, while staying with her son at Stoutsburg, who will regret to hear of her death. She was sick but 4 days. Only the two sons mentioned survive her, together with seventeen grand children and fourteen great grand children.

David Michaels, living south of town near the old fair grounds, who has been very sick with Bright's disease for some time, died this morning at 8:30. The time of funeral and other particulars are not obtainable at time of going to press, but will be given next week.

REAL ESTATE.

Jennie Maging et al to Lincoln W. Steege, Dec 31, 1896, n 2, s 8 T 21, R 6..... 2000
Levi Hawkins to Town of Remington, Sept 30, 1896, Remington..... 25
Charles A. Roberts to John W. Paxton, Dec 15, 1896, l 4, sq 9, Rensselaer..... 4000
Edwin G. Warren to Wm B. Austin, Dec 31, 1896, s 6, n 33, T 23, R 7; s w, n 33-32-7, n 33-32-7, s w 33-32-7, s w, s 23-32-7, l 10 & 17, sq 1; l 23 & 9, sq 7, DeMotte, McDonald's Add 1 & c
Ida A. Allison to Etta M. Hardesty, Oct 24, 1896, l 4, sq 15, Remington..... 1000
Sarah E. Miller to Samuel M. LaRue, Dec 28, 1896, l 11 & 12, sq 9, Rensselaer, Weston's Sec Add..... 150
Mary E. Thompson to Thomas Smith, Jan 4, 1897, l 6 & 7, sq 2, Rensselaer..... 300
Thompson's to John G. Brown..... 1000
Nelson Anderson to John G. Brown, Dec 10, 1896, n w, s 8 T 20, R 5..... 1000
Sylvester A. Austin to Frank W. Austin, June 9, 1896, s 4, n 8 T 23, R 6, q 3 d..... 100
George H. Aldrich to Emerald A. Aldrich, Dec 31, 1896, pt s w, n 6 T 20, R 6; pt s w, n 8 T 20, R 6..... 175
Edwin J. Warren to John F. Warren, Jan 2, 1897, pt s 4, s 8 T 20, R 7..... 300
Presley B. Davis to William D. Myers, Aug 25, 1896, l 16, sq 3; s 4 l 13, sq 3, Wheatfield..... 600

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C. D. NOWELS, Cheap Cash Store.

Hats at Cost.

Mrs. Hershman has determined to entirely close out her stock of hats preparatory to taking a vacation before the spring opening. There are no last season hats in the lot; all fresh 1896 styles. They must all go at once and her price cutting method will do it. Call before it is too late. Near the depot.

Notice.

All parties owing accounts at the brick barn are hereby notified that all accounts due me have been placed in the hands of D. W. Shields for adjustment. No one else is authorized to collect any accounts due me. JOHN M. SHIELDS, Proprietor. Rensselaer, Ind., Nov. 11, 1896.