

The Republican.

THURSDAY, JULY 10th, 1879.

CITY AND COUNTY.

Huckleberries are ripe, and the crop is said to be larger than usual.

W. C. Bailey, of Peru, was in the city Saturday visiting his brother, Prof. Bailey.

Mark Ruge is putting in his establishment, one of the finest refrigerators in the city.

The M. E. Church social will be held at Mr. John Dial's Tuesday evening. All are invited.

Warsaw has been selected as the place of meeting for the next State Sunday School Convention.

Rev. Charles Little, of Wabash, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

Capt. Bogardus, the great American markman, passed through on No. 6 of the P. F. W. & C. R. R. Tuesday night.

James Dollar had two head of cattle killed by the I. P. & C. railroad, last Friday, about two miles west of town.

Professor Ward is going west in a few days, and if he likes the country, will remove thither and go into the cattle trade.

A survey is now being made of the public school grounds, preparatory to fencing them and putting down new walks.

W. H. Simons, Robert Neil, Smith and probably others, boast of boarders less than a week old who have come to stay.

The annual report of our city schools is now in press, and will be ready for distribution in about ten days or two weeks.

Major Cooper, the reformed lawyer, had a small audience to listen to his address Tuesday evening, at the Court house yard.

Major Matt M. Cooper, the eloquent orator of Michigan, will address the young men and citizens generally at the Court House square to-night.

Major Cooper, the reformed lawyer, is said, by those who have heard him, to be one of the most temperate orators that ever visited this city.

Mr. Amil Becker, of the firm of Becker & Wolf, is removing his family from Ft. Wayne to Plymouth, where he intends to reside in the future.

Several of our clerks taking advantage of the dull times in town and the high price paid harvest hands, have been in the harvest field for several days.

The big show and our advertisers take considerable of our space this week; but this will not last always; at least we are afraid not—and our readers will get the usual amount of reading matter.

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—H. Hulversen, the popular grocery man at the postoffice corner, knowing that we needed money at this season of the year stopped us on the street yesterday and pressed a two dollar bill into our hands to pay his subscription a year in advance.

—We see from the annual catalogues of St. Mary's Academy, Notre Dame, that in the distribution of honors, Miss Mary Sullivan, of this city, was awarded first premiums in Bible, history, grammar, rhetoric, botany, modern history, chemistry, epistolary, correspondence, composition, elocution and music.

—Oliver G. Solee, deputy county treasurer, and by the way well known by every man in the county as an efficient officer, enrolls for The Republican this week, and after him comes Isaac Restler, one of the leading temperance men in the city. The only wonder is that those men could have done without the paper as long as they have.

—Work on the new jail has not commenced yet, Mr. Klinger not having succeeded in getting his house entirely off the grounds on which the jail is to be built. We shall, on the outside of our paper next week give a general description of the new jail, so that all our readers may know what kind of a building the contractor is expected to erect.

—Coroner Holtzendorff, who is a good barber, a good surgeon and a good fellow generally, excepting his politics, which somehow keeps him in the Democratic party, never forgets when his subscription expires, and never fails to renew. He always pays for his REPUBLICAN just as promptly and as pleasantly as he saves or dresses the hair of his patrons without regard to party, and we hope that he may live long and prosper.

—Mrs. S. H. Bennett, of this city, who has done without the Republican two years, made us happy by calling this week and paying for the paper a year in advance. We also received a pleasant call from W. H. Allard, who, having recently become a resident of the county, says he wants to learn all he can about the county he lives in, and shows that he knows how to get the news by subscribing and paying for the best paper in the county.

—The Fourth in Plymouth was one of the quietest days ever seen here. A large number of our people were away from home celebrating. Many went to Michigan City and Bourbon; quite a number went to Marion, some went to Ft. Wayne, and others went fishing or out into the country to see the "golden grain." At night there was a fine display of fireworks on Michigan street for the amusement of those who staid at home.

—We took the train for Ft. Wayne, Friday, and stopped off at Warsaw. Everything was quiet there. Williams and Boller were both gone to Ft. Wayne, but we visited both offices and found everything in nice shape. We found Zimmerman, of the Union, holding the fort and found him a jolly sort of a fellow, who is making a good Democrat paper for the uttermost at Warsaw. We were surprised to find more than a dozen very fine residences going up in the city, and it seemed that everybody was improving and painting up their property.

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Terrible Accident.

John Edwards, a farmer about 40 years of age, residing three miles west of town, on the farm of Jerome Thompson, was in Plymouth Saturday afternoon and remained until late in the evening, starting home about 10 o'clock, it is said somewhat intoxicated. Arriving at the freight house of the P. F. W. & C. railroad, he concluded to climb on the freight train going west, ride up to the summit and then jump off. He says that he was between the track and the platform and thought that he could get to the west end of the platform before the train caught him, but the train overtook him and knowing that he would be crushed between the cars and the train, he caught hold of a bar attached to the car and attempted to climb up, but his feet slipped and he fell between the cars and the platform. He then tried to crawl under the platform, but his feet and ankles were caught beneath the wheels and crushed. Darr Joseph and a brakeman heard him hollow, the train was stopped and they drew him up on the platform. In a few minutes a number of persons had gathered at the scene of the accident and he was carried to the Haslinger, or National Hotel, where Drs. Reynolds, Bowers, Wilson and A. C. Holtzendorff amputated both limbs below the knee. Mr. Edwards manifested a great deal of nerve, and it was with difficulty that he could be induced to take chloroform while the amputation was performed. He says it did not seem to hurt him much when his feet and ankles were crushed beneath the cars and he has not suffered very much from pain since. He seems cheerful, talks in a clear, firm tone of voice, and says that while he realizes that he shall be a cripple for life, he thinks that he shall yet be able to do something to make a living. He has a wife and three children. The accident occurred within a few feet of where McDonald was crushed to death between the cars and platform about three years ago.

WALKERTON.

BY ST. JOSEPH.

We have had a glorious rain this (Monday) morning and corn and oats look well.

Walkerton boasts of a normal school, and Prof. Hastic is hastening the exercises.

The proposition to issue bonds to build an extension to our school house, was voted down a few days since.

Farmers from LaPorte county were in town yesterday offering from \$2.00 to \$2.50 per day for harvest hands, and many went away without getting the required number.

TYNER CITY.

VIEWS AFLOAT.

BY FLY.
ARGOS, Ind., July 9th.

Mr. J. Pickering moved to his farm Tuesday.

C. M. Townsend is the boss marksman of this place.

Mr. Thomas Shakes made Argos a call last Monday.

Phil. Barnes is studying law with S. J. Holley, J. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fink are visiting in procuring for this season by the proffer of extraordinary inducements; George Conklin, the Lion King; Charlotte Wambold, leading lady bare back rider; Frank Gardner, Jockey Rider and Champion Leaper, by virtue of his standing offer to pay \$1,000 to any one who accomplishes his feat of a double somersault over 22 horses; Will Odele, bare-back rider, Young Leon, rider of six horses, the Gloom, Tom MacIntyre, Pico, Dan Kennedy, and a host of others too numerous to mention individually, but each one master of his or her line of the profession. The Menagerie this year will be found to contain a larger number of animals than ever, and several specimens of foreign fauna, never before seen in this country. Every other department of this Great Show gives equal evidence of Mr. Cole's determination to keep it at the head of the road. He laid the groundwork of his success when he sunk \$300,000 in the original organization of the concern, and the additional outlay of \$50,000 last winter in new and beautiful rolling and live stock; in increasing and improving the Menagerie, and in purchasing a new Wardrobe for the performing artists, shows that Mr. Cole is not willing to rest on his past laurels, but intends to keep his combination at the head of the road, squarely on its merits, whatever the cost may be.

Wille Wang came near losing himself last night by shooting himself in the knee with a revolver. He was shooting rats, he said, but missed the rat and hit his knee. Another instance of parents' carelessness in allowing their boys to carry weapons.

Mrs. Camp, wife of Jonathan Camp, has gone entirely insane from some unknown cause. She is becoming savage and makes the people in her vicinity do just about what she wants them to do. Arrangements are being made for her removal to the asylum.

Married.—At the residence of the bride's parents in Argos on last Wednesday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Saunders, Miss Delta Gordon to Dr. Austin H. Johnson. The newly married couple started the same evening for Cedar Rapids, Ia., to visit the Dr.'s relatives. They have our best wishes for their future happiness.

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