

# THE STANDARD.

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1879.

"Our President or blood," is the campaign cry of the Confederate Bourbons for 1880.

Gen. Ben. Harrison declined his appointment as a member of the Mississippi Levee Commission.

"Slumped" is the title the New York Sun gives to the backdown of the confederate brigadiers in congress.

Secretary Sherman is to open the campaign for the republicans in Ohio. This will insure them a good seed off.

Every lover of his country indorses the President's vetoes. Disunionists and the friends of the shot gun policy object to them.

Senator Winterbotham would like to be governor of Indiana, and to that end is circulating around over the state feeling the pulse of the people. But the people could not touch that botham with a twenty-foot pole.

Zach. Chandler's arraignment of the democratic party has caused more wriggling and squirming among the leading lights of that party than President Hayes' vetoes. Whenever Zach. stirs up the animals they set up a tremendous howling.

The 4th of July this year was productive of more than the usual number of accidents. Several persons were killed and many injured by an accident to a steamboat loaded with excursionists in Massachusetts. A number of deaths occurred in various parts of the country from the careless use of firearms, and the numerous minor casualties complete the day's work. Altogether it will be a day long to be remembered.

The Sentinel is the name of a new republican paper at Rensselaer and it is well conducted. —[Laporte Argus.]

What in the name of common sense is the matter with you, Wadsworth? The Sentinel is the name of the old copperhead democratic states-rights sheet at Rensselaer, and THE STANDARD is the new republican paper. It can't be possible that you commenced celebrating on the 3rd, the day of your publication. Rise and explain, "Wad," why this is thus.

The Indianapolis Journal, of the 11th instant, published a list of names of gentlemen who have been mentioned in connection with the nomination for governor, on the republican ticket. They are as follows: Secretary R. W. Thompson, Hon. G. S. Orth, Hon. William Hellman, Hon. Schuyler Colfax, Gen. Ben. Harrison, Hon. M. C. Hunter, Sen. Thomas M. Browne, Hon. A. G. Porter, Judge W. Q. Grosham, Judge James S. Frazier, Hon. John M. Butler, Gen. Asbury Steele, Hon. Joshua H. Mellett, Col. Will Cumbach, Hon. Jesse J. Brown, Hon. James T. Evans, Hon. J. H. Baker, Hon. W. H. Calkins, Hon. Lon Sexton, Hon. Simon Stansifer, Judge Robert S. Taylor, Hon. D. P. Ballwin, and many others. Either of the gentlemen named would make as good a governor as the present incumbent, and are all far better qualified for the position.

Rensselaer, a small town in the prairie country of Jasper county, is trying the experiment of supporting three county papers. The latest candidate for public favor is THE STANDARD, a six column folio, republican in politics. Every town must have its experiences of this kind. None are willing to accept the word of the hundreds that have tried and failed. No town amounts to much that has not had one or more newspapers die on its hands and Rensselaer will be more prosperous after one of the three papers now there "petters out" than as a consequence as certain as death. —[Rochester Sentinel.]

The Sentinel shoots too much at random and consequently misses the mark. It evidently knows little about Rensselaer and the prairie country of Jasper county, and much less of its citizens. Instead of being a small town, as the Sentinel claims, Rensselaer is a busy, bustling, thriving little city of 1,200 or 1,500 inhabitants, situated in the midst of its fine agricultural and stock-raising region as there is in Indiana. The beautiful groves, the numerous springs of living water, the artesian well, the Iroquois river whose waters abound with fine specimens of the "finny tribe," the abundance of wild game of all kinds and many other attractions all contribute to make it a desirable resort for pleasure seekers and sportsmen. Its citizens are kind, courteous, industrious, intelligent, charitable, and are always ready and willing to encourage any and every enterprise that will tend to build up the town and country around, elevate the morals of society and promote the cause of temperance. They support their three county papers with good grace, believing that through the press only can the object for which they are laboring be accomplished. THE STANDARD starts out with the most flattering prospects, meeting with far better success than was anticipated. Its subscription list is growing rapidly, and its circulation will soon compare favorably with that of any other

paper published in the county. This, together with its liberal advertising patronage, insures THE STANDARD one of the permanent institutions of the county. The Sentinel was also in error as to the size of THE STANDARD. It is a seven column folio instead of "a six column," as Bro. Bitters stated. We cannot help but think these errors are of the head, not the heart, and that the editor of that truly spicy paper, the Sentinel, will make the necessary amends.

## REMINGTON MATTERS.

[From our special correspondent.] This end of the county was blessed the beginning of the week with such a rain as was never known since Noah started out on his yachting expedition. The windows of heaven were not merely opened, but taken entirely out and the flood gates raised.

O. W. Church's new residence is nearly completed and presents quite an imposing appearance.

Some of our flour merchants got on a tear this week and for a few hours that article was running down as low as 85 cents for quarter barrel sacks. As usual at such times it was not the poor who received the benefit, but those who always have money to buy what they want.

R. R. Pettit is rusticated in the wilds of Kansas visiting his daughter. He expects to be gone a month yet.

The Presbyterian church has been newly painted and the seats repainted. It is thought now a possibility to sit in one of those seats and get up again without taking the seat along. Such has not been the case for the last four or five years.

The editors of the Goodland Saturday Herald and the Remington Reporter have inaugurated a slight unpleasantness between themselves, and the outlook for the untitled promises that in a short time the whole country round about the two towns will be flooded with gore, provided the parties meet. Those who know them, however, think it will be a taurus fight.

Jimmy Dunn, the famous apostle of temperance, is lecturing in Remington this week to crowded houses. This is a good field for him to exercise his oratorical powers in, and it is to be hoped he will make his mark. Future developments are anxiously looked for.

Mrs. A. Nourse, living one-half mile west of town, died Tuesday night, after several weeks of illness, suffering from cancer in the stomach. Funeral services were held at the Christian church, Thursday, at 1 o'clock p. m.

## FROM CARPENTER TOWNSHIP.

[Special correspondence of THE STANDARD.] Oh glorious Fourth, where hast thou gone? When wilt thou come again?

Green apples and cramp colic have come. A number of temperance pledges were broken last week. What a grand way to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of "America's latest daughter."

Raspberries, cherries, currants, etc., are ripe, and the good housewife is busy canning the same for winter use.

Most of the district schools have closed, and the gay and festive school misses have again retired to the privacy of their homes.

The "cocklebur" nuisance is disturbing the Carpenterie farmers to such an extent as to induce them to use the hoe in defense of their corn crop.

The coming harvest promises to be an abundant one. Oats look well; timothy will make an average crop, and flax in quantity and quality will exceed that of many previous years.

## TEMPERANCE MEETING.

The following is the order of exercises to be observed at the regular meeting of the Jasper County Temperance Union, which will be held in the M. E. Church, Monday evening, July 14, 1879:

1. Music, by Ladies' Orchestra.
2. Reading Scriptures, by Vice-president.
3. Prayer, by Rev. W. G. Vesells.
4. Song, by Miss Lela Moss.
5. Secretary's Report.
6. Essay, by Miss Mollie Babcock.
7. Music.
8. Declaration, "Arnold's Death-bed," by Mr. Wm. B. Austin.
9. Song, by Miss Maggie Hemphill.
10. Essay, "How Shall We Stop the Liquor Traffic?" by Elmer Dwiggins.
11. Guitar Duet, by Miss L. O. Hopkins and Miss Maggie Cowdin.
12. Dialogue, by Masters Johnny and Charity Webster.
13. Essay, "Why Should Temperance Girls Sign the Pledge?" by Miss Ollie Alter.
14. Music.

Everybody cordially invited to attend.

## TO CORRESPONDENTS.

All communications intended for publication in THE STANDARD should be mailed in season to reach this office Wednesday in order to insure insertion the same week. Correspondence is solicited from every township in Jasper county, upon all matters of local importance, viz., marriages, births, deaths, accidents, removals, improvements, crops, etc., etc. No pains will be spared to make this an interesting feature of the paper, and it is the wish of the publisher that some person in each township will take the trouble to write up the news of his township and send it in for publication; and thus assist in making THE STANDARD the best local newspaper in the county.

## OUT OF MEAT.

There is talk of running Tilden for governor of New York this fall. It is said the old man has been consulted about accepting the nomination, and now has the matter under advisement. His friends say that if he will run they will not only carry New York for him, but will also put money enough in the Ohio campaign to secure the election of Tilden. Thus, with New York and Ohio certainly democratic, they claim there would be clear democratic victory in 1880. The democratic party is out of meat, and must do something. —[Indianapolis Journal.]

## AN ESSAY ON WOMAN.

After man came woman. And she has been after him ever since. She is a person of poor extraction, being made of man's rib.

I don't know why Adam wanted to fool away his ribs that way, but I suppose he was not accountable for all he did.

It costs more to keep a woman than three dogs and a shot gun.

But she pays you back with interest, by giving you a house full of children to keep you awake at nights and smear molasses candy over your Sunday coat.

Besides a wife is a very convenient article to have around the house.

She is handy to swear at whenever you cut yourself with a razor, and don't feel like blaming yourself.

Woman is the superior being in Massachusetts.

There are about sixty thousand more of her sex than males in that state.

This accounts for the terrified, hunted-down expression of the single men who emigrate from the east.

Woman was not created perfect. She had her faults—such as false hair, false complexion, and so on.

But she is a great deal better than her neighbor and she knows it. Eve was a woman.

She must have been a model wife, too, for it cost Adam nothing to keep her in clothes.

Still I don't think she was happy. She couldn't go to sewing circles and air her information about everybody she knew, nor exult the envy of other ladies by wearing her new winter bonnet to church.

Neither could she hang over the back fence and gossip with her near neighbor.

All these blessed privileges were denied her.

Poor Eve! She's dead now.

And the fashion she inaugurated is dead now, too.

If it hadn't been for the confounded "suits" perhaps the ladies of the present day would dress as economically as Eve did. But the only place where her primitive style is emulated is in certain portions of Africa, where the women consider themselves in full dress when they have on but a postage stamp stick in the center of their foreheads.

What a beautiful example in simplicity of dress is shown some of the followers of fashion by that domestic animal, the cat, which rises in the morning, washes its face with its right hand, gives its tail three tremendous jerks, and is already dressed for the day.

Woman is endowed with a tremendous fund of knowledge, and a tongue to suit. She has the capacity for learning everything she was divinely intended to know, and a few extra items besides.

Young ladies take a good deal of stock in classes and learn fast.

When you see a young lady student from Vassar, with an absorbed look in her eye, and her lips moving, you understand at once that she is memorizing a passage from Virgil.

But perhaps a closer inspection will reveal the fact that she is only chewing gum.

A woman may not be able to sharpen a lead pencil, or hold an umbrella, but she can pack more articles into a trunk than a man can into a one-horse wagon.

The happiest period of woman's life is when she is making her wedding garments.

The saddest is when her husband comes home late at night, and yells to her from the front door steps to throw out a handful of keyholes of different sizes.

There is some curiosity in feminine nature.

For instance, I once knew a young lady who could easily pass another one on the street without looking around to see what she had on.

Poor thing! She was blind.

One of the worst habits a woman can get into is a riding habit.

But it is not much worse than the modern walking dress, which ladies persist in wearing on the streets.

When a woman approaches the crossing she pauses for one fleeting moment, gives a sudden kick that would fire the envy of a Mexican muleteer, and catches her train on the fly.

The average age of woman is about twenty-two.

She never lives to be very old.

Some of them look to be well advanced in years, but you should not judge by appearances.

If you will take the trouble to ask a woman how old she is, you will get at the real facts of the matter.

And discover that she is quite young. She seldom passes her thirtieth birthday. About that time she begins to tear out certain leaves in the family bible.

Scientific men are trying to explain why women can't throw stones with the force and precision of the sterner sex.

This is glaring nonsense.

Women may not be able to throw stones with force and precision, but they can hit the mark every time with a gridiron or a stick of stove wood.

Experience has taught me that.

Women, as a general thing, are hard to manage.

I know of but one way to keep a woman in check.

And that is for her to dress in gingham.

## SHARE!

Dr. Guthrie's Specific for intermittent fever, or fever and ague, has never failed in a single case to break and permanently cure ague chills, if taken according to directions. Persons suffering from the above trouble will find it to their interest to give the Doctor a call. Prescriptions furnished free.

Your best friends and political followers in Indiana shot to death a dozen or more "drafting" officers out in Indiana during the war. A queer way they had of showing their friendship for the poor soldiers. —[National Republican.]

Congressmen are advised that they can employ themselves most profitably this summer in keeping their lips sealed and cultivating a new crop of brains. The old crop is clearly exhausted. —[Boston Herald.]

The saloon keepers of LaPorte have subscribed three hundred dollars towards defraying the expenses of the Temperance jubilee to be held at that place.

## Real Estate Transfer.

For the week ending July 11, transfers of real estate in Jasper county was as follows: Samuel H. Duval to Elizabeth A. Rice, part w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. \$ 300  
Susan C. Stedol to Thomas Robinson, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. 100  
Gerard Many to Thomas Robinson, same 100  
Alpheus Elmore et al to John Jordan, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. C. & M. addition to 34, 24, 6. 200  
Joseph T. Jordan to John Jordan et al, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. 200  
George W. Stoner to Thomas J. Stoner, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. 350  
Frederick H. Hemphill to John T. Yoder, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. 650  
John M. Baker to The Traveling Ice Co., all l. s. 27, 7. 1325  
Wm. K. Parkison to Geo. W. Markin, w. n. w. 34, 24, 6. 1500  
Sanford A. Morgan to John M. Briggs, part l. s. 27, 7. 1000  
Shurtz Jasper County to Sanford E. Spiller, s. e. 24, 6, 24, 6. 300

## Application for License.

Notice is hereby given to the citizens of the town of Remington and township of Carpenter, in the county of Jasper and state of Indiana, that the undersigned, a male inhabitant of said town and township, in said county and state aforesaid over the age of twenty-one (21) years, and a fit person to be entrusted with the sale of intoxicating liquors, and not in the habit of becoming intoxicated, will apply to the Board of Commissioners of Jasper county, in the state of Indiana at their regular September session, A. D. 1879, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in a less quantity than a quart at a time, with the privilege of permitting the same to be drunk on the premises where sold. The premises on which said liquors are to be sold and drank is in the lower story of a two story frame building, situated on lot number two (2), in block number eight (8), in the original plat of place of Remington in said county and state and described more particularly by metes and bounds, as follows, commencing two (2) feet east of the south west corner of lot number two (2), in block number eight (8); thence south forty (40) feet; thence east twenty (20) feet thence south forty (40) feet; thence west twenty (20) feet to the place of beginning, said building being situated on that part of lot two (2) above described, and all in the town of Remington, in Jasper county and state of Indiana.

JOSEPH WILLIT, John P. Boroughs, atty for applicant.

## Ordinance No. 52.

An ordinance prohibiting disturbances of the peace, disorderly conduct and other misdemeanors in the town of Rensselaer, county of Jasper, and state of Indiana, and prescribing penalties for the violation of said ordinance, and providing for the enforcement thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of said town, in lawful meeting assembled, that any person or persons of sound mind who shall hereafter be found in a state of intoxication on any public street, highway or alley of said town, or in any other public place therein, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

SECTION 2. Be it further ordained by said town, that any person or persons who shall disturb the public peace and good order of said town, or any of the inhabitants thereof, by rioting, fighting or offering to fight, or by loud, boisterous, profane, lewd or indecent language in said town, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

SECTION 3. Be it further ordained by said town, that any person or persons who shall be found swimming or bathing in a nude condition, or who shall otherwise unnecessarily expose their person in any public place within said town, and in sight of any of the inhabitants thereof, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

SECTION 4. Be it further ordained by said town, that any person who shall willfully or intentionally ride any animal, or who shall drive any wagon, carriage, buggy or vehicle of any kind with an animal or animals hitched thereto, faster than an ordinary trot, on any public street, highway or alley of said town, upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than ten dollars nor less than one dollar.

SECTION 5. Any person or persons committing any of the offenses defined in either of the foregoing sections of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of disorderly conduct and a misdemeanor and may be charged and tried upon affidavit before any justice of the peace of said town, and the justice is hereby required to be vigilant in enforcing the provisions of the several sections of this ordinance, and for that purpose is hereby authorized and required to arrest all such offenders and take them before the proper justice to answer for any and all offenses.

SECTION 6. It is further ordained and declared by said town, that an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and that the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage. Done by the President and Board of Trustees of said town, at their regular and lawful meeting, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1879.

SAMUEL SCOTT, President.

Attest: T. P. Whitout, Town Clerk.

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