

# POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

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## IROQUOIS POULTRY YARDS.

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Breeder of Buff and White Cochins, White and Black Leghorns, Light and Dark Brahmans, Plymouth Rocks, Houdans and B. B. E. Game Bantams. Eggs in season. A few Buff cockerels for sale.

The editor of this column has just received a \$50 shipment of Buff Cochins, of Chicago King, Boyden, Doolittle and Golden Champion strains. And has received orders for fowls this week from Indiana, Ohio and Connecticut. His yards will be in order to receive visitors any Saturday.

Poultry shows to occur: Wabash Valley Poultry Association, Lafayette, Ind. R. T. Wells, Sec., Dec. 10 to 17, 1879.

Logansport (Ind.) Poultry and Pet Stock Association. C. H. Miller, Sec., Dec. 29, '79, to Jan. 2, '80.

Indiana State Poultry Association, Indianapolis. H. C. G. Bals, Sec., Jan. 8, to 15, 1880.

Northern Indiana Poultry Association, Fort Wayne. J. H. Welch, Sec., Jan. 27 to 30, 1880.

### I. P. A.

All members of the Iroquois Poultry Association will take notice that the first regular meeting of the Association will convene at 1 o'clock in the court house, up stairs, at Rensselaer, Indiana, Wednesday, December 3d, 1879. Business before the meeting: Adoption of by-laws and constitution, election of officers for 1880, &c., &c. By order of directors.

I. B. WASHBURN, President.  
C. W. CLIFTON, Secretary.

### Varieties of Fowls.

WHITE COCHINS.

In our opinion, the most beautiful of all the Cochins—their size, weight, shape and good qualities do not differ much from the Buffs, but in color they are a pure white; not creamy or yellowish, but a perfect snow white. Owing to this they are more easily soiled than the Buff Partridge or Black Cochins, but a more beautiful sight the eye never feasted upon than a flock of these noble birds upon a green lawn. Their carriage is upright and stately. They are very docile, love to be petted, and if well cared for, will generally lay all winter. They will average about 120 eggs per year, 7 of which will weigh one pound; 17 pounds of the best of food, or about twice their own weight. White Cochins not being so common as the others, command a higher price.

### Chicken Diseases.

GAPES.

Supposed by some to be caused by a parasite which infests the head of young chicks, but the theory generally accepted is that it is picked from the ground in a larval state, hatch and pass through another change in the wind pipe and again return to the ground. The microscope reveals them as minute forked worms. They irritate the chick very much and frequently cause death. I have never known it where the Douglas mixture was freely used, or where a small lump of Camphor was kept in their drinking vessels. If chicks become infested, kill and burn, or remove from the farm. If valuable enough to justify the trouble, pluck the web from both sides of a feather, leaving the web with a solution of 20 drops carbolic acid and 1 oz of glycerine, run the feather down the wind pipe, not the throat. (Aesopaphagus) give it three or four times and withdraw quickly; repeat a few times with a new feather. The acid paralysis and the glycerine sticks the worms to the feather so they can be drawn out. In treating sick fowls, no matter for what disease, always burn all matter, etc., to prevent exposure to the rest.

### "There's no Money in 'em."

Perhaps some of our readers have seen a fossil—a person of very peculiar and ancient ideas, who never read a word about poultry, would not even allow them on the place, on the plea that "there's no money in 'em." Now this man's name is Jones and he lives near Lake Michigan. His good-natured wife loved fowls. She urged him for years to obtain some fine fowls to devour the kitchen scraps. "No, there's no money in 'em." Their son Harry, seventeen, and a dear lover of fine fowls, spent his spare hours in the yard of a neighboring poultry fancier. Harry enthusiastically hoped some day to become a noted breeder. His father tried to keep down these hopes. Occasionally Harry would eloquently plead for a few fine fowls, telling how their neighbor made hundreds of dollars from a few choice hens. Old Jones believed not a word of this, only answered "there's no money in 'em."

Harry's birth day came, with it the great State Poultry Exhibition. Noted fanciers from every state in the Union and from Canada were there with their finest fowls, and reluctantly, Jones went along with his son. The old man was delighted. His eyes feasted on the lovely objects before him. He admired the beauty of this, the plumage of that and the size of the other. He saw the beauties of Malayias; colossal Cochins from the Orient; Games from the British Isles; Aristocratic Spanish fowls; Brahmans kicking the scales at 14 lbs. In fact more beautiful birds than the old man's wildest visions could have dreamed of. He saw scores of breeders who had grown gray in the business, who were gentlemen of taste, means and polished manners. He saw the friendly greeting, the warm grasp of hands, the kindly bow of recognition, and the social chit-chat. He saw hundreds like himself, ignorant of the origin, characteristics and utility of the fowls on exhibition. Now that he had crossed the Rubicon a happier man was not within the hall. He saw some chicks laid change hands at high figures. He now believed his son's former statements. Before Harry could divine his intentions he was the owner of a trio of fine fowls as a birthday gift from old man Jones. Harry is successfully breeding his pet stock to good advantage. The old man shares his pleasures. He still thinks it was a big price for a trio, yet, never since he crossed the threshold of that hall wherein was held the poultry show, has he been heard to say "there's no money in 'em." [Condensed from the Poultry World.]

# THE STANDARD.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1879.

## Be Sure to Go.

Homer D. Cope at Starr's Hall, Nov. 28, 1879. He will be greatly disappointed if he does not find you in the audience.

—Homer D. Cope next Friday night.

—See notice of "Master's Sale," in another column.

—Get your job printing done at the STANDARD office.

—Dr. I. B. Washburn visited Logansport friends this week.

—The postoffice will be closed at 11 o'clock on Thanksgiving day.

—A daughter of Mr. Sampson Erwin is down with scarlet fever.

—Mr. French, of the Kentland Gazette, was in town last Saturday.

—Yesterday and day before were the coldest days of the season.

—County Clerk Price, of Rensselaer, was in town Tuesday. [Monticello Herald.]

—A cold, drizzly rain, with a slight spit of snow, occupied the greater part of Monday.

—Mrs. Jessie Duck, of Salem, Ohio, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emmet Kannal.

—A calico hop was indulged in by the young folks of Rensselaer, Thursday night.

—Next New Year it will be the ladies' turn to make the calls. Leap year, you know.

—Only a little over a month till Christmas. Little folks, see to it that there are no holes in your stockings.

—Judge Hammond, Prosecutor Babcock and Mr. S. P. Thompson were courting in Kentland this week.

—Mrs. S. T. Royal, nee Miss Mamie Cole, of Dayton, Ind., is visiting her mother and brothers in this place.

—Miss Ella Osborn, who has been visiting in Michigan for the past two weeks, returned home last Tuesday.

—Johnny King, a former Rensselaer lad, but now a resident of Yeoman Station, Carroll county, was in town Monday.

—Dan Duvall has a new arrival at his house. It's a girl, and she made her first appearance early yesterday morning.

—Next Thursday is Thanksgiving. Turkey must roost high or there will be an unrelentless war waged against them.

—James M. Patton, a sprightly young attorney of Kentland, gave THE STANDARD office a pleasant call Saturday evening.

—Shoe polish and blacking brushes at half price at Emmet Kannal's Drug Store. Must be closed out before December 25th, 1879.

—Fun, fun, fun! at Starr's Hall to-night. Take your sweetheart and go and enjoy two hours of solid fun. You will never regret it.

—By a recent decision of the supreme court sheriff's sales are required to be published four weeks successively to make the same valid.

—New subscribers to the STANDARD continue to come in. The people of Jasper county know how to appreciate a live local newspaper.

—Simon P. Thompson came over Saturday, preparatory for court. Simon never defers court business until the last moment.

—[Fowler Era.]

—Thanksgiving services will be held in the M. E. church next Thursday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The public cordially invited to attend.

—Miss Ada Strayer, who is well and favorably known in this community, is teaching the young ladies in the vicinity of Medaryville how to shoot.

—Let us organize a republican club for the campaign of 1880. It is none to early to commence action if we would win in the coming political struggle.

—Remember, persons subscribing and paying \$1 for the STANDARD now, will receive it from this time until January 1st, 1881—over thirteen months.

—Miss Hattie Gibson, who has been visiting in this place the past week or two, returned to Logansport, Wednesday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Ida.

—A good lantern worth \$1.75, now offered for \$1.00 at Emmet Kannal's drug store. Must be closed out regardless of cost before December 25th, 1879.

—Dr. Ira C. Kelley will please accept thanks for a copy of the Las Vegas, (New Mexico) Bureka. The Doctor, we are glad to learn, is doing well in the dental business at that place.

—Go to Emmet Kannal's drug store for holiday books, albums, toilet sets, choice perfumery, toilet soap, &c. All such goods offered at fifty cents on the dollar, to close out before December 25th, 1879.

—Married, at the residence of Mr. Jas. Nickell, in Hanging Grove township, on Monday the 17th instant, by Elder D. T. Halstead, Mr. Joseph A. Robinson and Miss Lettie Burroughs, all of Jasper county.

—Married, at the residence of the bride's father, near Remington, on Thursday, the 13th instant, by Elder D. T. Halstead, Mr. Wm. Banes, of Goodland, Newton county, and Miss Aurelia Belle Spinney, of Jasper county.

—Colonel Yeoman, the backbone of the Indianapolis, Delphi & Chicago road, is in the city. He is sanguine that they will have trains running into Indianapolis, and into Chicago as well, in 1880. [Indianapolis Journal.]

—The four Zimmermans—father and three sons—who were last week sentenced to one year's imprisonment for stealing a heifer, were escorted to Michigan City by Sheriff Robinson and Constable Peacock, last Monday.

—The Ladies' Literary Social will celebrate their second anniversary on Thanksgiving evening, at the residence of Hon. R. S. Swiggins. The members have the privilege of inviting their husbands and the grown members of their families. Come out and have a good time.

MELIE M. WRIGHT, Sec'y.

## Second Lecture.

Go and hear Cope, who can cope with any, and I'll bet a penny, he can beat very many—in the rendition of the drama on which he has closed the mortgage.

### NOTICE.

Before moving into my new drug room I will offer all kinds of miscellaneous books, pocket books, tooth brushes, hair oil, combs, &c., at fifty cents on the dollar, to close out entire stock before December 25th, 1879.

EMMET KANNAL.

—Every subscriber and every reader of THE STANDARD are cordially invited to report items of news for publication in its columns. They will be appreciated by the readers as well as the publisher of the paper.

—Conductor Jones, of the Narrow Gauge, and his wife, have returned from their extended visit to Ohio. He has not yet fully recovered from the injuries sustained in the accident near Pittsburg about three months ago. [Delph Journal.]

—Mr. S. P. Thompson, of Rensselaer, gave the Gazette a friendly call on Saturday. Mr. T. reports the Republicans of Jasper in fighting trim for next year and Rensselaer as in a healthy and thriving condition. [Kentland Gazette.]

—Quarterly meeting services will be held at the M. E. Church next Saturday and Sunday, November 29th and 30th. Rev. Dr. Godfrey, presiding elder of this district, will be present to conduct the meeting. Let there be a good attendance.

—M. F. Chilcote's law office is now located in the Makeover building, upstairs. Frank is proud of his new quarters, and well he may be, for they are neat, cozy and comfortable. Give him a call. He is always ready to receive his friends.

—The STANDARD would be glad to secure a correspondent at each of the following points: Pleasant Ridge, Pleasant Grove, Saltito, Franceville, Monon, Pilot Cove, and Goodland. Who will be the first to respond? Don't all speak at once.

—A Mr. Keegan, of Bunker Hill, Miami county, was in town the first of the week, prospecting for a location. He was quite favorably impressed with our town and we are informed he will soon open a boot and shoe store here. Come along, Mr. K. There is plenty of room in Rensselaer for live enterprising business men.

—All mail matter intended for parties at or Monon, must be addressed to that post-office. Matter addressed to Bradford, White county, Indiana, will be forwarded to the dead letter office at Washington, as there is no postoffice of that name in White county. Parties interested will save a great deal of vexation by bearing this fact in mind.

—John Casey, the popular grocer at Hurley's cross roads, (more familiarly known as New Chicago) besides a large stock of groceries and provisions keeps constantly on hand a supply of cord wood, posts and rails, which he will sell cheap for cash.

We are reliably informed that Mr. Casey is building up a good trade at that point.

—County Clerk Price and his estimable lady celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary on Thursday. A goodly number of their friends dined with them and offered words of congratulation and cheer. It was indeed a pleasant affair and will long be remembered by all present. THE STANDARD wishes the worthy couple may live to celebrate many returns of that happy day when they were made one.

—The Association of teachers for this and Newton township was organized last Saturday at the Bowling Green school house.

Officers elected: President, C. W. Clifton; Vice President, A. F. Florence; Secretary, Miss Clara Cren. A pleasant session was had. The next session will be held on Saturday, December 13th, 1879, at the school house in Rensselaer. We understand there is a special invitation for all pupils and patrons of schools as well as for foreign teachers to attend.

—The elocutionary entertainment given in Starr's Hall, last evening by Prof. Ravlin's class in elocution, was one of decided merit. The performance reflects great credit upon both the teacher of the art and the pupils, and the marked improvement made by each member of the class speaks well for the proficiency of their instructor.

The Professor will give another term of lessons providing a sufficient number of persons desiring instructions in the art can be secured to organize a class.

—Sims & Emmet's great Olio Company will give one of their grand entertainments in Starr's Hall, to-night. This is pronounced one of the best minstrel troupes traveling, and is composed of first-class artists. The programme consists of comic and sentimental songs, mirth-provoking sketches, side-splitting farces, laughable witticisms, etc., etc. The price of admission is within the reach of all, and we advise the fun loving citizens of this neck of woods to take in this entertainment. It will undoubtedly be a rare treat.

—Our old friend, Mr. H. C. Bruce, dropped into our sanctum on Wednesday. Mr. Bruce, it will be remembered, removed from Jasper county to Kansas about two years ago, to try his hand in the Eden of the West. He expresses himself well pleased with that country, but his possessions being here, and no opportunity presenting itself to dispose of them, he concluded to return to old Jasper where he will probably conclude to remain for a while at least. We are glad to welcome him back to his old home and friends, and hope he will spend the balance of his days here.

—Every man in Jasper county ought to be a subscriber to the STANDARD. It is the best and cheapest paper published in the county. Only \$1 a year, 50 cents for six months, 25 cents for three months. If you are already a subscriber, call and have a copy sent to some absent friend. It would be appreciated more than all the copies you would or could write in many months of a year, for it would contain many items of news that would never think of, and very many that would be impossible to crowd into an ordinary letter. See the extra inducements that are offered to subscribers elsewhere in these columns.

## ANOTHER JEWISH WEDDING.

The second Jewish wedding for Rensselaer was consummated at the residence of the bride's parents last Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. The contracting parties were Mr. Louis Wildberg, of Kentland, and Miss Bertha Tuteur, Rabbi Felsenthal, of the Zion congregation, Chicago, pronounced the beautiful and impressive ceremony in both the Hebrew and English languages. A large number of invited guests were present, and congratulations and good wishes for the future welfare of the happy couple were indulged in by all. We regret exceedingly our inability to be present, but a combination of circumstances prevented. Numerous gifts were bestowed upon the wedded pair, for a partial list of which we are indebted to our young friend Isaac Tuteur, brother of the bride.

Sterling silver pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Thompson, Rensselaer, Ind.

Sterling silver sugar bowl and celery dish, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bas, Lafayette, Ind.

China nut set, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. McCoy, Rensselaer, Ind.

Elegant vases, Mr. E. D. Rhoades and Miss Lora Hopkins, Rensselaer, Ind.

Sterling silver napkin rings, Hon. E. P. Hammond and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Card case and ink stand, Miss Mattie McCoy, Rensselaer, Ind.

Half dozen cut glass goblets and water pitcher, Mr. Lack Smith, Delphi, Ind.

Elegant bronze lamp, Mr. W. H. Legg, Rensselaer, Ind.

Ink stand, Miss Ora Thompson, Rensselaer, Ind.

Velvet picture frames, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McCoy, Rensselaer, Ind.

Sterling silver butter knife, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Price, Rensselaer, Ind.

Pin cushion, Miss Maggie Cowdin, Rensselaer, Ind.

Damask tablespread, Miss Nellie Spitzer, Rensselaer, Ind.

Spoonholder, Mr. Sam'l Fendig and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Glass set, Mrs. Malinda Spitzer, Rensselaer, Ind.

Stool cushion, Miss Sarah Tuteur, Rensselaer, Ind.

Toilet set, Miss Liza Tuteur, Rensselaer, Ind.

Elegant vases, Mr. J. Harl', Rensselaer, Ind.

Toilet set and vases, Mr. L. B. Warner and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Sterling silver butter knife, Mr. Jas. Morgan, Rensselaer, Ind.

Vases and mug, Mr. F. W. Babcock, Rensselaer, Ind.

Half dozen goblets, Mr. M. F. Chilcote and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Syrup pitcher, Dr. R. Y. Martin and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Air castle, Mrs. Schaeffer, Lafayette, Ind.

Two towels, Miss Dora Purcupile, Rensselaer, Ind.

Damask tablespread, Mr. J. I. Purcupile and wife, Rensselaer, Ind.

Cigar holder and match safe Mr. Charley Sears and Miss Flo. Thompson, Rensselaer, Ind.

Sterling silver spoons, Mr. M. Meyer, Philadelphia, Pa.

Parlor stove, Mr. M. Meigs and wife, San Pierre, Ind.

Elegant bronze clock, Mr. L. Tuteur, Rensselaer, Ind.

Parlor set, Mr. Moses Tuteur and wife and Mr. Benj. Tuteur, Rensselaer, Ind.

Marble top table, Mr. Isaac Tuteur, Rensselaer, Ind.

Bedroom set, Mr. A. Wildberg, Big Rapids, Mich.

Bedroom set, Mr. S. Wildberg and wife and 1. Mendel, Cincinnati, O.

Bedspread, Mr. S. Wildberg, Big Rapids, Mich.

Glass set, Mr. David J. Thompson, Rensselaer, Ind.

Oil painting, Mr. J. B. Spotswood, editor People's Press, Kentland, Ind.

Sterling silver pickle castor, Mr. Wm. Bass and wife, Washington, D. C.

Sterling silver ice pitcher, Mr. Herman Herold and Mr. Isaac Lowman, Peoria, Ill.

Half dozen solid silver napkin rings, Mr. John Schaffner, Lafayette, Ind.

The happy couple took the noon train Monday for Kentland, and from thence they go to Cincinnati to spend the honeymoon. May their journey through this vale be a pleasant and prosperous one, with no clouds to darken the sunshine of their hearts.

## THE JOURNAL ATLAS.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Journal Atlas and Political Hand Book for 1880, issued by the proprietors of that very excellent paper, the Indianapolis Journal. It is indeed a valuable work, and has required much time and labor to compile the statistical information contained in it. It is just what its name indicates—a political hand book—and a copy of it should be in the hands of every voter in the state. The Atlas is offered as a premium to every subscriber to the Weekly Indiana State Journal, and is alone worth twice the price of the paper. In order that every family in Jasper county may secure this valuable work at a trifling cost, we have made arrangements with the publishing company by which we are enabled to furnish the Weekly Indiana State Journal and the STANDARD one year, together with a copy of the Atlas and Hand Book, for the remarkably low price of \$2.00. The two papers without the Atlas, one year for \$1.65. These are certainly most liberal offers, and we feel confident that all who are not now subscribers to either the Journal or STANDARD will avail themselves of one or the other of the above offers.

## A CLOSE CALL.

The dread alarm of fire was sounded Thursday night about half past nine o'clock, and a few minutes later everybody was rushing pell-mell in the direction of the school house, where a dense smoke was seen issuing from the left wing of the building. The fire originated from the fuse and spread in the flooring of the second story until it reached the weatherboarding in front. But for the prompt action of the citizens, the whole building would soon have been in flames. The damage was light, a few feet of flooring, a bunch of lath and a bucket of mortar being all that is necessary to make the building whole again.

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