



Mammoth Reduction in FURNITURE

10 to 40 Per Cent Cut on
Every Article in the Store



IN taking charge of the Furniture Store recently purchased of the Jay W. Williams heirs, I find it desirable to greatly reduce the stock, and to accomplish this in the least possible time I have decided to mark every article for sale at a greatly reduced price during the season of heaviest furniture buying. This price reduction extends to every article of furniture in the store, except kitchen cabinets, which by contract with the manufacturers can not be sold except at the factory retail price. Everything else has been marked down as low as we could afford to sell it, and there is at least a 10 per cent reduction on it all, and this cut in price extends to as much as 40 per cent on some articles. The price advantage is certain to attract attention and create a great rush for the first choice, and I have decided to give all an equal chance by starting the sale **Saturday Morning, Dec. 12, and continuing it to Dec. 31.**

My clerks have carefully gone over every article, left the old sale price tag and placed over it a new red tag with the reduction price thereon. Both prices are in plain figures and customers can see for themselves that the reduction is actual. My motive in making this great sacrifice sale is to condense the stock which is now displayed and stored in several rooms, and to allow the display of new goods that are to arrive on Jan. 1.

This is not an effort to sell old and out-of-date furniture, for it is doubtful if there was a better stock in Northern Indiana than the Williams stock, and this means rare bargains in the best furniture.

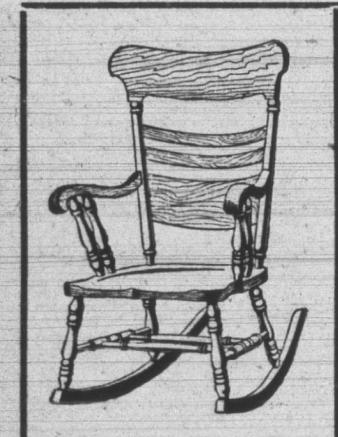


Purchases for Christmas Presents
will be Marked "Sold,"
and Laid Away.

Among the things offered at a reduction are the following:

**Rocking Chairs,
Morris Chairs,
Center Tables,
Cabs, Go-carts,
Bed-Room Suites,
China Racks,
Bookcases, Mirrors,
Dining Tables,
Springs, Mattresses,
Pillows.**

Everything I shall offer will be the very best in the store or on the market, all thoroughly reliable and placed for sale at a great reduction right at a season when people most desire to buy. It will pay the person wanting furniture to drive many miles to get at these rare bargains, and as the probability is that the public will be right after them it will be well to come in without delay. Remember, the sale commences Saturday, Dec. 12, and lasts until the last day of the month, and it will be a matter of the first come, first served.



Don't let this chance get away from you. Now is the time to buy. Get in early and get first selections. Red Tag has Reduction Price plainly marked.

W. J. WRIGHT

Successor to Jay W. Williams

Opposite Courthouse



Rensselaer, Indiana

RENSSELAER YOUNG MAN A STUDENT OF HOMELESS MEN

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start him on his way again as an independent, manly citizen, with the right and capacity to earn a living and to demand the respect of his fellows. The homeless man is the biggest proposition in specialized charity today."

Mr. Gwin, after being graduated from the Indiana University and the New York School of Philanthropy, became a visitor for the Associated Charities in Cincinnati during the summer of 1907 and came to Baltimore as an assistant agent of the Federated Charities four months ago. Since going into the active field he has made the study of the individual homeless man his specialty.

Rosa Alice Kessick.

Mrs. Rosa Alice Gaines Kessick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Gaines, was born in Jasper county, Ind., April 21, 1865, and died in Fair Oaks, Ind., December 7, 1908, at the age of 43 years, 7 months and 16 days. She was united in marriage to Simon Kessick, March 17, 1880, and has resided in this county all her life except six years they spent in Minnesota. Eight children were born to them, three of whom died in infancy and one son at the age of five years. Her husband died Feb. 14, 1907. The surviving children are Nancy, aged 16; John, aged 14; Eunice, aged 12, and Franklin, aged 4 years.

Besides her children she leaves to mourn their loss her aged father, Josiah Gaines; five sisters and one brother, as follows: Mrs. Mary Hudson and Mrs. Rilla Larson, both of Cottontown, Minn.; Mrs. Chas. Merrill, of Biwabik, Minn.; Mrs. Maggie Johnston, of Eveleth, Minn.; Mrs. Eunice Helsel, of Fair Oaks, and Mr. B. F. Gaines, of Hanley, Canada.

When a girl of 12 years Mrs. Kessick united with the Methodist Episcopal church under the ministry of Rev. Vanscoy at the Salem school house, and at the time of her death she was a member of the church at Fair Oaks. The funeral service was held at the Methodist church at Fair Oaks December 10, conducted by Rev. H. L. Kindig, and the burial occurred at the cemetery at Fair Oaks.

No man can preach far beyond his real self.

Bookkeeping in the Court House.

The next legislature can hardly escape enacting a law for uniformity in bookkeeping by county, township and municipal offices. The demand comes from every quarter for such a law and also for inspectors of such books. Scarcely two counties or townships in the state have now the same system, and because of the lack of uniformity and inspection, there are large losses to the taxpaying public. In nearly all counties where experts have gone through the books it has been found that officers have been careless in accounting for all the funds that came into their hands and many have been required to replace large amounts of money that belonged to the people who paid it in. When each county and township adopts the same system for keeping books and officers are chosen to check them up as often as may be necessary, there will be less money squandered or lost. A system similar to that of the government of checking up postoffices, without giving the officers any warning of their coming, will do much toward keeping the books and finances in better condition. No officer who is disposed to be fair in every detail, would object to having his books inspected and audited at any time.

—Exchange.

Manufacturers to Visit Rensselaer.

The board of directors of the Commercial Club Friday evening listened to the favorable report of the committee that went to Chicago to look over the metal furniture factory, and unanimously decided to invite the manufacturers to come here to see the town. President Robinson wrote a letter to them and it is expected that one or both of the proprietors of the factory will come here within a few days.

The board thought it advisable not to close the option for a subdivision until after the factory representatives had been here, thinking they might possibly have some opinion as to the location of the factory and the subdivision. It is probable that Mr. Price will come here with the factory people and that he will also be consulted about the most suitable of the subdivisions.

Miss Grace Kelly won the great Jasper county bread contest, made from the Gem of the Valley flour, bought at the Chicago Bargain Store.

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Warning to Dealers in Christmas Candies.

H. E. Barnard, state food and drug commissioner, has issued warning to dealers in Christmas candies to keep the display under glass to protect it from dust and dirt as required by law.

"The season is approaching" said Mr. Barnard, "when large quantities of Christmas candies will be displayed. Such goods can not be displayed except under glass unless in violation of the law.

"We have had practically no occasion to speak of this matter since last year, and hope that the conditions which have prevailed during the summer season will prevail during the rush season. The reasons which now make it necessary to cover the candies eleven months out of the year are very much more urgent during the Christmas rush when the stores are being tramped by an increased number of people and there is a very general consumption of sweets among all classes."

REMOVAL NOTICE.

Dr. Rose Remmek, optical specialist, who has been located at Clarke's jewelry store, has moved her office to the second floor of the Harris bank building, where she will have more room for the practice of optics. All old patients and any new ones suffering from eye discomforts are cordially invited to call.

DR. ROSE M. REMMEK,
Phone 403.

We want every school teacher and Sunday school superintendent to call and look over our assortment of Christmas candies and get our prices before buying.

JOHN EGER.

We are showing a beautiful line of ties, handkerchiefs, hose, shirts, suspenders and umbrellas that make beautiful and appropriate gifts for men.

Rowles & Parker.

Mr. S. H. Hayner, piano tuner and repairer, from Chicago, is in the city. Patronage respectfully solicited. Please leave orders at Clark's Jewelry Store.

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"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Mamburg, N. Y.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public auction on the W. E. Moore farm in Hanging Grove tp., 6 miles east and 2 miles north of Rensselaer, 2 miles east and 2 miles north of Pleasant Ridge, 1 mile west and 2 miles south of Pleasant Grove, 1½ miles west and 3 miles north of Coysburg, commencing at 10 a. m. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1908.

9 Head of Horses and Mules—Consisting of 1 bay mare, 12 yrs. old, wt. 1150; 1 Clydesdale mare, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1450; 1 grey gelding, 13 yrs. old, wt. 1600; 1 sorrel gelding, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1500; 1 team of grey geldings, 13 yrs. old, wt. 1350 each; 1 black gelding coming 3 yrs. old; 1 yearling colt; 1 black mule, 10 yrs. old.

9 Head of Cattle—Consisting of 6 milch cows, all fresh in spring; 2 half Jerseys coming 2-yr-old heifers, one with calf by side, other to be fresh in spring; 1 coming yearling Shorthorn bull.

4 Head of Hogs—Consisting of 3 Chester White brood sows, one to farrow soon, and one Poland China male hog.

Implements, Wagons, etc.—Consisting of 3 cultivators; 1 corn planter with fertilizer attachment and 80 rods of wire; 2 walking plows; 1 gang plow; 2 spike-tooth harrows; 1 spring tooth harrow; 1 5-foot mowing machine; 1 ten-foot hay rake; 1 eight-foot binder; 1 six-foot binder; 1 endgate seeder; 2 discs; 1 clover buncher; 2 pairs of hay ladders; 1 good corn sheller; 3 wagons; 1 buggy with pole and shafts; 1 pair bobsleds; 4 sets of work harness; 1 set double buggy harness; 1 set single buggy harness; 1 grindstone.

Household Goods—Consisting of 1 steel range, wood or coal; 1 wood or coal heater; 1 nearly new kitchen cabinet; 1 heavy oak dining table, 12 feet; dining chairs and rockers; 1 washing machine; 1 couch; 3 stands; 1 bedroom suite; 1 clock; 2 iron beds; 75 yards of carpet; 10 yards of linoleum; dishes; glass jars; crockery and other articles too numerous to mention.

A credit of twelve months will be given on sums over \$10 with usual conditions; 6 per cent off for cash when entitled to credit.

JAMES LEFLER.

Fred Phillips, Auctioneer.
C. G. Spitzer, Clerk.

Hot lunch on grounds.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS.

The State of Indiana, Jasper County.

In the Jasper Circuit Court, February Term, 1909.

Samuel Hartsell vs. Samuel H. Hartzell, et al.

Complaint No. 7382.

Now comes the plaintiff, by Moses Leopold, his attorney, and files his complaint herein, together with an affidavit that the defendants Samuel H. Hartzell, Elizabeth C. Boone, Lavinia V. Blaney, Paul Hartzell, French Hartzell, Mary E. McGinnis, Columbus C. Elcessor, Edward T. Elcessor, Kate E. Kammerer, Ida B. Hastings, William L. Elcessor, Larrid B. Elcessor, Elnor L. Elcessor, Gladys R. Elcessor, Hettie Graham, John C. Rishaberger, Harriet Rishaberger, Bettina Stauffer and Maud Stanley are not residents of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore, hereby given said defendants, that unless they be and appear on the first day of the next Term of the Jasper Circuit Court to be held on the 2d Monday of February A. D., 1909, at the court house in Rensselaer, in said county and State, and answer or demur to said complaint, the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix (SEAL) the seal of said Court, at Rensselaer, Ind., this 14th day of December, A. D., 1908.

C. G. WARNER, Clerk.

Dec. 15-22-29.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a certified copy of a Decree to me directed, from the Clerk's office of the Jasper Circuit Court in a cause wherein The Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid Society is plaintiff and Mendel Sensibar and Kayle Sensibar, his wife, are defendants, requiring me to make the sum of sixteen hundred and thirty dollars and forty-four cents, (\$1630.44) with interest on said decree and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, THE 9th DAY OF JANUARY, 1909, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the door of the Court House of said Jasper county, Indiana, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding seven years, of the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

The northeast quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section nineteen (19), township thirty-two (32) north, range five (5) west, containing forty (40) acres more or less in Jasper county, Indiana.

If such rents and profits will not sell for a sufficient sum to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, I will at the same time and place expose at public sale the fee simple of said real estate, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to discharge said decree, interest and costs.

Said sale will be made without any relief whatever from valuation or appraisal laws.

JOHN O'CONNOR,
Sheriff of Jasper County.

A. H. Hopkins, attorney for plaintiffs.

Dec. 15-22-29

Ohio Mostly Dry.

Fifty-five of Ohio's eighty-eight counties are "dry." Seven are wet. This is the result of six months work on the part of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League since the Ross county option law went into effect. Of the fifty-five counties in which the saloons have been voted out, five went dry under an old law. As little progress was made by the Anti-Saloon followers under that law, it was displaced by the new law, which has been successful. Voting will be held in practically all of the remaining twenty-six counties within the next few months. The counties remain dry or wet, according to the vote, for two years.

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The saddest thing about the life that ministers to no one is that it never knows what it has missed.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

There will be an election of three trustees of the First Baptist church on Wednesday, January 6th, at 7:30 p. m.

JUDSON H. PERKINS,
Church Clerk.

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