

The Independent

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1896.

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paid the farmer obtains for the purchaser the best products of the farm.

CASH

paid the manufacturer obtains for the merchant the best product of the factory.

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is conducted upon a strictly CASH BASIS, hence SUCCESS has been ours from the beginning.

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Fine Overcoats and Suits for men and boys.

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Red Coats for boys, all sizes.

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because Clothing houses carry shoes. We carry them. We buy them from manufacturers. We can get them and sell them to the people 20 per cent less than the shoe stores with their big blowing big rents and big expense. We are with the people and the people are with us. Respectfully,

RYAN & JOSEPH,

Proprietors of the MODEL.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

He was a child of unkind fate,

A tramp, unkempt and torn,

And he asked each passerby for aid

With countenance forlorn.

As shivering workmen hurried on

Each one he would accost,

But—it was a chilly morning and

Of course he "got a frost."

From Saturday's Daily.

J. N. Wilson is in LaPaz today.

Miss Laura Ryder went to Elkhart.

Mrs. F. M. Axe went to Rochester to-day.

E. A. Curtis, of Hammond, was here over night.

The business men's association is preparing for banquet.

Doctors How and Dickinson return from South Bend today.

The days are growing longer again, but we don't notice it much.

Miss Mabel Firestone, of Bourbon, is visiting Miss Hazel Ketcham.

Miss Myrtle Meinzer returned to her home in Muncie, Ind., today.

The Vandalia depot is to receive some much needed improvements.

Elkhart Truth: Mrs. Joseph Keeley, of Plymouth, is the guest of friends in this city.

Misses Matie Berehns and Lottie Leonard returned from South Bend yesterday.

Try the celebrated Perkin's Home made wet Mince Meat. Kuhn's market, Sole agent.

Valparaiso Star: Nelson Rogers, of Plymouth, is in the city, the guest of Roscoe Rogers.

It is a pleasure to note that Ambasador Bayard at last has his foot on the soft pedal all right.

W. A. Green, completing a four weeks stay at the Institute, returned to his home in Chicago today.

A meeting of the Plymouth dancing club has been called by the president, for H. G. Thayer's office at 3 tomorrow afternoon.

Our neighbors may call Plymouth a dull town, but there is no discount on the way we start out a new year, so far as excitement goes.

Dr. Roy preached Sunday at the Union schoolhouse, at the intersection of the Donaldson and LaPorte roads Subject, "Love Thy God."

Every poor child of Muncie had a feast and received a pair of new shoes and stockings New Year's day Liberality of the Elks of that city.

A Wisconsin professor has made an attack on the law of gravitation, but up to the hour of going to press the law had not been repealed.

Justice Corbin acquitted Wm. Gibson, who had been arrested for assault upon Susan Tabor, after a trial. The parties live about 3 miles south of town.

The young people who came home to spend the holidays are leaving these days to take up their work or their studies again where they were laid aside.

In the matter of settling subscriptions the same custom prevails about the first of the year as in all lines of mercantile business. Does it take a brick house?

M. W. Simons and wife, G. A. Marble, Bert Marble and Miss Rose Brown were among the members of a party which went over to Chicago this morning to attend the Cycle show.

Miss Lizzie Pierce, of LaPorte, will arrive this evening to spend Sunday with Miss Anna Z. Houghton. Tomorrow night they will go to Huntington, where both are teachers in the city schools.

The two men arrested at Donaldson, for robbery and assault respectively, by Constable Klinger, assisted by Marshal Myers, will have their hearing before Squire Reeves on Monday. They are still in jail.

The court house has been a rather dull locality, so far as local news is concerned. The decided lull in the matrimonial license department is especially noticeable after the abnormal rush which marked the closing week of the old year.

The Presbyterian Sunday school has just chosen John W. Parks as superintendent for the 9th year: Charles N. Leonard was named as associate. Trustees—Ed. S. Brooke, J. W. Parks and Wm. B. Outelet. Elders—Josiah Jacoby and Dr. A. C. Hume.

The publishers are exerting every effort to make the carrier service of the daily edition satisfactory to our patrons. But perfection cannot be reached in a single bound; and our subscribers who do not receive their papers will confer a favor by reporting promptly at this office, so that we may know where the weaker points in the daily delivery lie.

Doctor J. F. Jones is the only one of the three members of the rioting medicine troupe bound over by Justice Reeves yesterday who is outside in the frosty air today. He deposited the amount in large round silver dollars and was released for the time being. The other two—Putman and Jarrett—had not been able to give the bail, up to this noon, and were still enjoying the cheerful warmth of the county jail.

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From Monday's Daily.

S. S. Fish is in Argos.

Mrs. North is quite sick.

B. N. Leonard went to Walnut today.

Mrs. M. Lauer will entertain this evening.

Frank Petcher has a severe attack of quinsy.

Bert Nussbaum returned to Ann Arbor today.

Miss Neal has accepted a position in the city schools.

Ray Tanner and Frank Wilson spent Sunday at Argos.

Miss Daisy Nussbaum returned to Chicago last evening.

Will Martin returned to Albion College in Michigan today.

The city school began again today, after its holiday vacation.

Miss Emma Gallagher returned to Columbia City last evening.

Miss Della Oglebee returned today to her home in Indianapolis.

Judge A. C. Capron and wife are spending a few days at Chicago.

Miss Bessie Reeves is assisting in the auditor's office at the court house.

Miss Kate Stoddard returned to her home in Valparaiso Sunday evening.

Jacob Speyer, of Lexington, Kentucky, will arrive tomorrow evening.

The Y. M. C. A. holds prayer services every afternoon this week from 3 to 4.

This is a political year in Hoosierdom. It is going to be one of excitement, too.

Indiana's smallest township is Albin, in Noble county, two miles square.

Jas. W. Thayer went to Chicago this forenoon for the cycle show at Tattersall's.

Dr. T. A. Borton went to Rochester this morning to perform a surgical operation.

The ice-cutters and shippers at Lake Maxinkuckee are doing a booming business just now.

Miss Annie Stegman, who has visited her parents for a few days, returned to Ft. Wayne last evening.

Miss Myer, who has visited D. E. Snyder and family, returned to her home in Columbia City last evening.

The Marshall County Medical society will meet at the office of Dr. Gould, in Argos, on Thursday, the 9th, at 1 o'clock.

J. H. Milliken, traveling passenger agent of the L. & N. Ry., is in the city today looking after the Georgia Colony business.

C. M. Brooke, editor of the Missouri and Kansas Farmer, is expected here from Kansas City to visit relatives.

Mrs. Brooke is now here.

Miss Annie Morris will leave this evening for Argos, where she will join her friend, Miss Stell Taber and they will start for Oberlin, Ohio.

Dr. J. H. Wilson has been called to Valparaiso for one day of this week to assist Dr. D. J. Loring in performing a delicate surgical operation.

Jacob Geiselman, who has been connected with the INDEPENDENT composing rooms, returned to his home at Culver City Saturday evening.

Mr. Welby, representing the Medical and Surgical Register, is in our city, investigating the professional standing of the physicians in the county.

Nils Lindquist and Tabe How returned to their studies at the Hahnemann medical college in Chicago to-day, together with Dr. Dickinson.

The joint four-county institute at Monterey, Pulaski county, Saturday was a decided success. Supt. Fish and a number of Marshall county's teachers were in attendance.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Strickler Pyke died at South Bend on Saturday of heart disease. She was 90 years old and leaves 11 children, one of whom is Mrs. Mary Carson of this county.

The general store of G. H. Greiger, Hanna, was broken into by robbers, the safe drilled and exploded, and \$350 in cash and some twenty-five gold and silver watches secured.

Justice Reeves today found Charles Wolf guilty of assault and battery with intent to kill, and bound him over to the circuit court. In default of \$500 bonds, he's in jail.

The Methodist church, like its denomination in general, is observing this week as one of prayer. A meeting will be held each evening from 7 to 8 at the church, and all are invited.

A lad of 14 robbed the Wabash ticket office at Huntington, securing \$35.00. He claimed Fort Wayne as his home, and it was learned that he had escaped from the Feeble-Minded institute there.

Charles Henry, from Donaldson, made his bow in Squire Reeves' court today. He was charged with larceny, and was bound over to the circuit court for trial in the sum of \$100. He couldn't give bonds, and is in the jail.

Miss Dottie Reeves entertained a small party of friends at the home of her father, ex-Senator Reeves, Saturday evening. One of the enjoyable features was the magnificent piano numbers rendered by Mrs. Brown.

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O. F. Ketcham was in Bourbon today. The remains of his daughter, Bessie Ketcham, who died several years ago, were exhumed there and brought to this city, where they were re-interred in the family lot in Oak Hill cemetery.

John C. Haag, foreman of the present jury in the circuit court, was taken violently ill of cramp colic after reaching home Saturday night. It was not expected he could get back to court to serve in the pending case, but he came in today far from well.

Simon Ensign, of Valparaiso, who was confined at Havana, Cuba, for 20 years, has filed at Washington a claim for \$200,000 against the Spanish government. Ensign was suspected of sympathy with the rebels and was imprisoned without a trial.

H. G. Thayer has consented to deliver his lecture upon "Paul's journey through Rome" in the auditorium of the N. I. N. College at Valparaiso tomorrow evening. Mr. Thayer's address is becoming much sought after in this portion of the state just now, and meets with general favor.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Found, a pocketbook; this office.

Robert Reeves is on the sick list.

Mrs. Dr. Covert returned to Chicago.

John Koontz went to Rochester to-day.

Dr. J. M. Deniston is in town from LaPaz.

C. H. Reeve went to Chicago this afternoon.

Carl Fish, of Rochester, is visiting in Plymouth.

Mrs. Charles Baker will entertain Thursday.

Attorney Morris, of Fort Wayne, is in town today.

Kendall's store is being wired today for electric lights.

Mesdames Bowell and Lamson drove to Bremen to spend the day.

Mesdames Parker and Simons are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wheeler at Edgewater, Ills.

Miss Brass, who has visited Miss Thayer, returned to her home in Indianapolis this morning.

Carl Kleopfer left last night to resume his studies at the Orchard Lake military academy in Michigan.

Messrs. McKinney, Tannez, Fish and Reeve, with their ladies, will form a sleighing party to Argos this evening.

Manager C. A. Reeves and William Qualls, of the telephone exchange, are in Argos today putting up a new line.

The officers-elect of the Sons of Veterans will be installed on Friday evening. All members of the G. A. R. are invited.

The new officers of the G. A. R. and of the Women's Relief Corps were jointly installed last evening, the ceremonies being conducted by Capt. Amasa Johnson.

For Sale or Rent.

The publishers of a newspaper have one thing for sale and one thing for rent. He has the newspaper to sell and space in his columns to rent. Can any one inform us why he should be expected to give away either one or the other? He can do so if he chooses, and does as a matter of practical fact furnish a great deal of space rent free. But it does not follow that he ought to be expected to do so. It should be recognized as a contribution exactly as would the giving away of sugar and coffee by the grocer.

Persons afflicted with diseases of the eye and ear may consult Dr. Paul, the eminent German eye specialist of Chicago at the Ross house, Plymouth, Tuesday, Jan. 21. Get your ticket as you enter the waiting room.

In the circuit court the case of Katie Kent vs. Bridget Shay occupied all of

yesterday afternoon. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff this morning. The case of D. L. Grossman vs. the Nickel Plate R. R. for damages by fire, is on today.

SEMI-WEEKLY INDEPENDENT and the Cosmopolitan, the greatest magazine in America, only \$1.85 per year.

If you want the political news of the coming campaign read our advertisements of clubbing offers with the New York World and Tribune else where in this paper.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Becker has been the pleasant scene of a sort of extended family reunion which has lasted several days. Among those present are their sons, Fred, Theodore and Thomas J. Becker, of Chicago, and Isaac of Columbia City.

The public schools of the United States are attended by 13,000,000 pupils—the entire enrollment in schools and colleges being 15,083,630, or 23.5 per cent of the total population. There are 236,426 school houses in the country valued at \$308,435,039 with 384,010 teachers. The annual cost of the schools is about \$165,000,000.

Did you see them? For a "living picture" of coyly expressive, trusting and adulative love—rich, red and rosy love, without any fluctuating temperature or restrictions of formality, the scene was one which would make little Cupid throw away his arrows and replace them with a