



The war is over.
BYE-BYE, Grover.
Howdy, Benjamin?
The country's safe.
Let us have peace.
We shall see what we shall see.

Now we are going to be "protected."

BENJAMIN and Levi will be in Monday.

Don your swallow tails for the inaugural.

Boys, it is likely to be our turn again in '93.

The Democrats stood it for twenty-four years.

To many Democrats the name of this month is significant—March!

GEORGE W. COOPER goes into Congress next Monday. That's some consolation.

No President ever retired from office with a cleaner administration behind him than does Grover Cleveland.

AFTER next Monday a Republican President, a Republican Congress, a Republican Senate—say, if you fellows don't see what you want, ask for it.

COL. MATSON retires from Congress next Monday with a record that any man might be proud of. He has won bright laurels that will crown his brow for all time to come.

Those who went on the bond of John Carson, indicted by the federal grand jury for bribery at the late election were Enoch Fuller, Clerk of the Monroe Circuit Court; Thomas Farr, Sheriff of Monroe county, and John P. Harrel, ex-County Commissioner.

The Telephone is still badly shocked over the proportion to make a Judicial Circuit out of the counties of Brown and Monroe. A number of years ago these counties constituted a judicial circuit but was changed by a Republican legislature in order to make it politically Republican. The population of both counties have increased and they are certainly more entitled to constitute a judicial circuit by themselves than they formerly were. The passage of the new law will seal the doom of several Republican aspirants for judicial honors, and that's what's the matter with the Telephone.

In noticing the fact that John Carson the Polk township trustee man in charge of a block of five had been indicted by the federal grand jury for bribery the Telephone says that "the Republican leaders propose to stand by Mr. Carson to the last man—with their money if necessary." How money? Are you going to try to buy up something else as you did Polk township? Is there to be more tampering with juries? You will find a federal court something different to deal with than a Republican court of Monroe county. Who are the Republican "leaders" you refer to? If they are the healers, wire-pullers, political hacks and standing candidates of course they will stand by "Carson. It's a case of "have to." Carson knows to much. Birds of a feather flock together. Johnny doesn't propose to be sacrificed, if he did get the boodle. Of course, you will stand by him.

The Telephone thinks that the Indianapolis dudes are going to hog the ring in the matter of the offices to be disbursed by the new administration. We fear the Tellic's suspicions are cor-

rect... Bloomington has some excellent timber for the cabinet, foreign missions, &c., and as a loyal citizen we protest against leaving them all out in the cold. The boys deserve something more than the fourth-class post-offices at \$6 per year salary. Even a position on the capitol police, or as a spittoon cleaner at the White House would be better; yet the Indianapolis gang is moving on to Washington to take all these in. Ungrateful wretches! More especially do we plead for our neighbor of the Telephone—the valiant young captain of a block of five. But we will plead in vain. It is not our funeral. Let the circus begin. When the elephant goes round, and the band begins to play, we will see the fun. Bring out your kilkenny cats, and let's see the fury. It will be excellent "off year" amusement for the Democrats.

University Items.

This term closes March 15th.

Later: "Conquerors of '90 and '92?"

Griggs spent the 22nd at his home in Indianapolis.

Miss Hawkins spent Sunday with Martinsville friends.

Newsom has gone to Washington to the inauguration.

Agatha Rambo is the latest addition to Independents roll.

Prof. Bryan suffered with a sore throat the first of the week.

King was very sick the fore part of the week but is much better now.

The sophomore "miseries" paraded at the 22d anniversary exercises.

Messrs. McFarlan and Price, of DePauw '89, visited college Monday.

Prof. Clark was unable to hear his classes the first of the week on account of ill heart.

Prof. Carthart, of DePauw, will deliver the lecture Sunday. His subject is "Personality."

Meek and Drescher spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks and friends at Spencer.

Rev. Franklin, of Anderson, conducted the devotional exercises at chapel Monday morning.

Dr. Jordan delivered a lecture to the graduating class of the Indiana Medical college last night.

Metcalf enjoyed a visit from his father, Hon. Stephen Metcalf, of Anderson, the latter part of last week.

The lecture given by Hon. Moses D. Dunn in the college chapel Tuesday night was one of the best of the season.

Dr. Dabney accompanied his wife to Louisville Thursday evening from whence she goes east for a visit with her folks.

The members of the Senior class, with their lady friends, will be entertained by Theo. Louden, at his home (Friday) evening.

Dr. Jordan was away since Tuesday of this week. He lectured at Oxford, O., Tuesday evening, at Mornin Sun, Wednesday and at Cincinnati, on Thursday.

"The skull," the new greek letter-fraternity, will give a dance at the K. of P. Armory hall on Friday eve, March 8th. "The skull is composed exclusively of members of the class '90.

Rev. Oscar McCulloch, of Indianapolis, delivered his lecture on "The Tribe of Ishmael" in the college chapel Monday night. The lecture is the result of his experience with and study of the poor and dependent classes in the city, and the problem of "what to do with our poor" as presented by him is indeed interesting to the students of social phenomena.

The Freshies did not offer any resistance at the burning of Horace on the night of the 22d, but when the dophis appeared in a body at chapel Monday morning with badges bearing the inscription "Conquerors of '90 & '92," he Frishie—ir became uncontrollable, and vengeance was written on his brow. Several "scraps" occurred early in the morning between individual members of '91 and '92 in which it was attempted to capture the badges from '91. '90 did not take kindly to exertion with which their defeat of last year was flaunted in their faces, so during the third hour a collision between '90 and '92 was formed and it was determined to unbind '91. The forces met at the end of the 3rd hour in front of Wylie hall and a pitched battle of about 30 minutes followed in which most of the badges were taken from '91, but not until a great deal of wearing apparel had been soiled along with some very pretty countenances. During the thickest of the fray one of the steam pipes in Prof. Swain's room burst and the steam escaped with a noise which sent some of the senior girls, who were watching the fun from a boy's room stairs with expressions of "there is something the matter up stairs" on their faces. The list of wounded are M. U. Johnson, blinea at right leg broken 3 inches above the ankle. "Tyner and Bushy, temporally "caused in." Several others were slightly injured but were able to leave the field without assistance. Good humor prevailed throughout the entire conflict and as soon as it was found that Mr. Johnson had been hurt, a paper was circulated in his behalf which resulted in raising in \$10. "Johnson went to his home near Anderson Wednesday.

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County News.

CONTRIBUTIONS BY THE COURIER'S CORPS OF CORRESPONDENCE.

SALT CREEK.

Thomas Elgar will go to Iowa soon.

There was a dance at H. T. Jacob's last Monday night.

Jerry Wilson has bought a portion of the Fauning farm.

There was a spelling at No. 1 and 3 last Friday night week.

Milton Myers has sold his farm to Lewis S. Stephens. The price paid was \$1,250.

J. D. Butcher and family, of Patricksburg, Owen county are here visiting relatives.

There are men in this township nearly seventy years old, who never was drawn or served as a grand or petit juror.

Benjamin Myers and Sarah C. Richardson were married recently. Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous life.

Miss Lizzie Adams' school closed last Tuesday. Miss Bell Lamkins' school closed Thursday with a spelling at night, and large number of declamations and dialogues, which was well recited. An immense and orderly audience was present.

A debating society is being conducted at Lamkin's school-house, Benton township. On the night of Feb. 12th the question for debate was "Resolved that the colored race has cost this government more than the Indian, D. V. Cox and MacCox in the affirmative and Mr. Livington and Thomas Cox in the negative. The jury decided in favor of the affirmative. J. B. E.

HINDOSTAN.

Howard Farr's twins are growing hearty. The sons name is Francis Festus and the daughter Flora Fidelia.

F. C. Smith is a very popular teacher in Marion township, and can not argue Eld. A. J. McCoy on theological questions. Fulton never was slow, when a lad.

J. Lynch's little daughter Belva, is the pet of the Lynch home, especially of his grand-father Lynch, who is an old man near eighty years old.

Com. Burns is our poet.

Nearly every one received a valentine.

Ada Branhams and Effie Payne are Hindostan's popular young ladies; Annie Knight and Rose Foley are their peers and all are friends.

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