

I. JOSEPH & SONS.

A MOVEMENT IN -Carpets and Mattings-

The new carpet stocks here and on their way are coming for quarters—like the constant arrival of the "boys in blue" at Montauk Point. We are actively getting things in shape for our new comers—the fall goods—but we must have your help. We have

5688 Yards of Carpets

for which we'd like to get new owners, quickly too. Some are ends of rolls, others are lines to be discontinued. Then there are the bashful ones—the kinds that kept to the rear—were not pushed forward sufficiently by the salesman, maybe. No reason for lingering.

Take the all round desirable Axminster, a best wearing carpet that "fits" either parlor or bedroom. Get the \$1.75 kind at \$1. Get the \$1.50 kind at 75c.

Body Brussels are preferred by many housekeepers for parlors, halls and bedrooms, the carpet sure to give good service. Our \$1.40 body Brussels go at 80c. Tapestry Brussels show these savings, \$1.15 and 95c kind go at 70c, the 90c kind go at 50c. Similar extra good values all through an assortment of odd pieces that range from cheap ingrams to Axminsters.

100 rolls of Mattings to go. Knowing home makers wait for this season to do their bargain buying in meetings. Here are some of the chances to save—

- Mattings were 18c now 10c.
- Mattings were 25c now 15c.
- Mattings were 30c now 18c.
- Mattings were 35c now 25c.

These Prices are Only for a Limited Few Days. Come Early.

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For Bed Bugs, Roaches, Ants, Fleas and all insects. It is perfectly harmless, and is not poisonous to those applying it, but is sure death to bugs and insects.

This preparation is put up in a bottle with a patent top, which answers the purpose of a brush and is much more satisfactory.

Call and examine it and get directions for use. The show window is full of it.

C. S. MILLER The Prescription Druggist.

—Mrs. Chas. M. Kidwell and children have returned from Washington where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stump for the past week.

—Mrs. Henry LaCost and little daughter, Edna and Mrs. Mitchell LaCost, Sr., have returned from Outlet, Mich., where they were the guests of the latter's daughter, Mrs. John Pequet.

—Doctor Wilhelm T. Von Knappa, A. M. Ph.D. D. Homeopathic Artist, (Leipzig) chronic and obscure diseases a specialty and general practice. All latest European improvements employed. Office corner Main and Fifth streets. Consultation free. my24bpljr

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Wm. H. Pennington Appointed County Attorney.

HE Board of County Commissioners convened Monday afternoon in regular quarterly session. All members of the board were present and the usual routine work was taken up.

The only important official act was the appointment of a county attorney to succeed Hon. B. M. Willoughby. The applicants for the position were Mr. Willoughby, Wm. H. Pennington and Oatlop & Kessinger.

Mr. Willoughby being a Republican, had no chance before a Democratic board, notwithstanding his superior qualifications. Cullop & Kessinger were "not in it" and were not entitled to it. Pennington, who is chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, had a "strong pull" and won "hands down." He has worked hard for his party and was entitled to any political "pat" the bosses have to distribute among the faithful. He has practiced law for several years, is a good mixer and is very popular. Mr. Pennington served several terms as county superintendent.

NEW CLAIMANTS

For Shares in the Charles Graeter Estate—Suit Filed.

LIVE new claimants for shares in the estate of the late Charles Graeter have arisen and filed suit in the Knox Circuit Court, through their attorneys Rely & Emison.

The new claimants are Lucy A. Derne, Adeline McNally, Edward H. Creditor, Emaline Henry and Rosa Davis.

These claimants claim to be grand-nieces of the late Charles Graeter, which makes them the same relation to the deceased as George W. Graeter and the late Mrs. Baker. Four of the claimants are sisters and allege that they are daughters of a piece of the deceased and the other claimants is a cousin to the former four, being the son of another niece of Mr. Graeter, according to their claim.

These five plaintiffs claim one-twelfth of the entire estate or about \$8,000. The other heirs and administrators, trustees, etc., are made defendants in the new suit which will probably be tried at the present term of the Knox county Circuit Court.

News in Brief.

CONDENSED FOR PERUSAL BY COMMERCIAL READERS.

SHORT REPORTS OF THE HAPPENINGS IN THE CITY AND VICINITY GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS.

Opened an Office. Dentist Beokes has opened an office in the Bishop block.

Plain Drunk. Fred Grimes was fined the usual amount in police court Monday for intoxication.

The Next Sheriff. Critt Cox, the next Sheriff of Knox Co. was in the city Monday greeting friends.

Licensed to Marry. A marriage license was granted Monday, Sept. 5, to Edward Carret and Miss Laura Smith.

To Baltimore. Mrs. E. F. Wheeler and children leave today for Baltimore to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Three Train Loads. Three train loads of sick soldiers passed through the city Monday night on their way to Springfield Ill.

His Mother Dying. Mr. Carlin Utterback received a telegram Monday that his mother living near Sallor Springs was dying.

Mr. Frund Better. We are glad to note that Mr. H. W. Frund, Superintendent of the Electric Light Plant, is convalescing after several days illness.

Hall vs Hall. Suit for account and damage has been filed by Albert R. Hall vs. Andrew J. Hall. O. H. Cobb is attorney for the plaintiff.

Attending Conference. Rev. E. E. Jenkins, of Fort Branch, Ind., who was visiting his mother at Iona, left Monday for Lafayette, Ind., to attend the Free Methodist conference.

Makers and Jobbers. Are selling at almost unreasonably prices. You are reaping the benefit through us. C. C. AZBELL & SON, Jewelers and Opticians.

W. C. T. U. The W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon in regular session at the home of Mrs. J. T. McKinney. All the members are urged to attend, important business to be transacted.

On a Vacation. Editor Percell of the Sun, is taking his annual outing. He will visit the Omaha Exposition and besides "taking in" the excursion of the Editorial Association of which he is a member.

New Quarters. We have moved our office to 116 Main street, the old German National Bank building, opposite Sun Office. VINNENNES ELEC. LIGHT & POW. CO. 08d4dt

Attended a Banquet. W. A. Standley, superintendent of the Prudential at this point, has been spending several days in Lafayette, where he went to attend a banquet given by the company.

We Have the Goods. And they are marked with prices that will soon place them in other hands. C. C. AZBELL & SON, Jewelers and Opticians.

Sick Soldiers. We regret to announce that three of our soldiers boys are seriously ill. Ernest Ruddy is at Fort Myers hospital, Washington, and Clem Greene and Marion Yelton are in a hospital at Philadelphia.

Residence Completed. The new cottage of Albert Wheeler, the mail carrier, on Ninth street, between Washburn Avenue and Hickman streets is completed, and Mr. W. will probably move his family into it this week.

Bans of Matrimony. The bans of matrimony were announced at the Cathedral Sunday for the second time between Charles Boyer, the young blacksmith, and Miss Katie Fogerty, eldest daughter of Mr. Michael Fogerty.

Will Open a Store. E. M. Jenkins, of Iona, has returned from Latham, Ill., where he learned the jeweler's trade. He, in company with T. B. Lushbaugh, of Mount Pulaski, Ill., expect to soon open a jewelry store in Monroe City.

St. Francisville Barbecue Picnic. There will be a grand barbecue picnic at St. Francisville Wednesday, Sept. 7th. Fare round trip 40 cents. Train leaves Union Station at 10:30 a. m., returning, arrives at 9 p. m. FR. F. H. BERGMAN, sc4d3t

A Big Start. The Washburn Building and Loan Association held its first regular weekly meeting Monday evening at the office of J. D. LaCroix. The association start off with bright prospects and is doing a rushing business. The association is managed by reliable business men and will be economically administered.

With the Prudential. A. V. Burshfield, the popular young teacher, and Oliver E. Gough have accepted positions as agents for the Prudential under assistant superintendent E. V. Brockett. Robert McCord, Jr., who has been acting agent for the Prudential at Princeton, has taken a similar position with the company at this point, under assistant superintendent Riley.

Trip to Gettysburg.

The B. & O. S. W. Ry will run an excursion from Cincinnati to Gettysburg battlefield on Friday, Sept. 9th, at rate of \$10 for the round trip. Tickets good five days from date of sale. Train leaves Grand Central Station at noon.

G. M. Taylor, sc4d3t
Traveling Pass. Agent

Called Home Unexpectedly.

Mrs. William Thomas, wife of Rev. Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist church of Evansville, was called home unexpectedly on account of a serious accident to her youngest son, Master Archie. He fell from a tree and broke his arm, and in consequence Mrs. Thomas has had to disappoint her many friends who expected to entertain her the coming week.

What a Shame.

To see high grade \$50 wheels sell at auction, but the factory is overloaded on 1898 wheels and must make room for '99 models. These wheels are fully guaranteed and were never made to sell at auction. Will pay you to buy one for next season. Seldom you can buy guaranteed wheels at auction. Wheels open for inspection. Sale Thursday Sept. 15, 2 p. m. and 7-30 p. m. O. Scott & Son, Hardware Buggies and Bicycles. sc4d3t

Yesterday's Temperature

The following record shows the changes in the temperature yesterday, Sept. 5, in comparison with the corresponding date last year, as indicated by C. O. Azbell & Son's barometer:

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| S. A. M. 1897 1898. | 1897 | 1898 |
| 8 A. M. | 78 | 83 |
| 10 A. M. | 82 | 89 |
| 12 M. | 91 | 92 |
| 2 P. M. | 90 | 88 |
| 4 P. M. | 87 | 86 |
| 6 P. M. | 78 | 81 |
| Average temperature 1898. | 86.12 | |
| Average temperature 1897. | 83.12 | |

Oakland City Band.

The Directors of the Knox County Fair Association met Monday and considered various business matters, one of which was to open bids from bands to furnish music for the fair. The bids were as follows: Oakland City 18 men play 5 days for \$187.50. Garfield 15 men \$150.00. Vincennes City Band 15 men \$175.00. The bid of the Oakland City band being the lowest, it will be awarded the contract.

Weak Eyes are Made Strong.

dim vision made clear, styes removed and granulated lids or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists. sc2bplw

Both in Jail.

Chief of Police Robertson and Deputy Ohmura were called to the E. & T. H. freight depot Monday to arrest a negro who was making trouble on a freight train. He had drawn a revolver on a brakeman. He was arrested and committed to jail. A revolver was found on his person. He said he had stolen the gun from a one-legged tramp. The prisoner said he hated to go to jail as his "pardner" another colored man would not know what became of him. It happened, however, that the "pardner" was found and arrested on a charge of vagrancy thirty minutes later. The friends were united in jail and were contented.

Gospel Temperance Meeting.

The Gospel Temperance meeting held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon was of unusual interest. Mrs. Wm. Thomas delivered a fine address, it was practical. She reviewed the work of the past and told of the needs of the present. Rev. Brown, of Evansville, followed with an intensely interesting talk that aroused all to renewed action. Rev. J. E. Wilford spoke briefly, Mrs. Anderson told of the faithful work done in Wheatland "when the people had a mind to work" what could be accomplished when the church was willing to take hold of the work, and do with their might what their hands found to do.

Will Return to College.

Rev. E. L. Gilmore, who has been preaching at Columbia Falls, Mont., is at home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilmore, of Monroe City. He will return in a few days to college where he will graduate. He will then resume pastorate at Columbia Falls. On his return home Mr. Gilmore made a tour of the west. He went first to Spokane, Wash., and Portland, Oregon, thence by steamer to San Francisco where he spent a week. He then went to Ogden and Salt Lake City, thence to Denver, out to Russell Gulch, gold mine camp. His next point was to the Omaha where he attended the exposition. He then returned home, stopping a short time at Quincy, Ill., arriving home Saturday night.

COURT CONVENES

With Judge Pritchett on the Bench—Probate Docket.

EING indisposed, Judge Shaw appointed Hon. J. S. Pritchett special judge Monday.

Judge Pritchett convened court, heard motions and then the probate docket was called and guardians and administrators made reports.

The probate docket will be taken up again today (Tuesday) and the civil docket will probably be called on the day following.

The petit jury has been called to convene next Monday, Sept. 12, at 1 p. m. Judge Shaw hopes to be able to take the bench next week.

Goughed 25 Years.

I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Ball's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rosell, Grantsburg, Ill. sc2bplw

Labor Celebrates.

THE LABOR DAY PICNIC WAS A GRAND SUCCESS.

The First Labor "Blowout" in the History of Vincennes—Two Hundred Men in Line.

HE Labor Day celebration in this city Monday was a grand success in every respect. The results, as a day of pleasure and advancement to the local labor movement, far surpassed the expectations of the most sanguine. Everything passed off without a hitch in the arrangements, and everybody had a pleasant time.

The members of the local Federal Labor Union met at Labor headquarters at 10 o'clock and formed in line. The parade, headed by the city band, moved east on Main street, and, in passing the COMMERCIAL office, certainly presented an imposing picture of sober, honest and earnest workmen. President Boone, mounted, led the procession. Vice President Coombs acted as mounted deputy. The officers, organizer and flag bearers formed immediately behind the band, and were followed by nearly two hundred members and unorganized workmen. After over an hour's march through the city, they returned to the city and disbanded.

At the park, in the afternoon, the attendance was quite large, and was doubly increased at night. Dancing was indulged in both in the afternoon and evening, and kept up until a late hour. The platforms and stands were beautifully decorated in the national colors, and presented an appearance that certainly should imbue every laborer with a feeling of enthusiasm.

About 80 applications were taken during the day and evening for membership, which fact shows that the people of Vincennes are not slow to recognize the good of becoming trades-unionists. At the rate the membership of the union has been increasing for the past month, the city will be soon among the first in the state, proportionate to size, in the organized labor movement.

The participants in the parade, in the morning, were formed on the west steps of the court house, and photographed by Artist Shores.

OBITUARY.

SCOTT.

Claude Scott, aged twenty-two years, died at the home of his mother, south of the city Monday. The funeral will take place to-day (Tuesday) at 1 o'clock and interment will be made at the Centerville, Ill., cemetery.

CARLE.

Louis Carle died Sunday a 10 p. m. of congestion of the bowels, at the home of Gus Brown in North Vincennes. His age was nineteen years, seven months and two days. The funeral will take place to-day (Tuesday) at 3 a. m. from the home, corner of Short street and Portland avenue. Rev. Ward officiating.

School Suits

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And Save Money.

Our new fall line is in and ready for your inspection. Parents and Guardians will save their patience and money by coming directly to us where every style, make and pattern worth having is to be found. And where you can fit your boy out complete from head to foot.

Single or Double Breasted styles in cassimeres, Scotch, Cheviots, Tweeds & Worsted, all desirable new colors and shades for fall.



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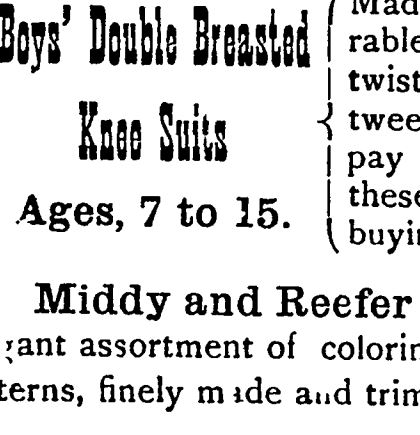


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Ages, 7 to 15.

Middy and Reefer Suits, Elegant assortment of colorings and patterns, finely made and trimmed.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidates' announcements \$5.00 strictly in advance. No rebate.

FOR TRUSTEE. James M. Prenzell is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Trustee of Vincennes township. may20bplf

Three of a Kind.



The Summer Girl and her swell brothers have their shirt waists, shirts, collars and cuffs done up by us. The daintiest garments and most delicate colors are safe in our hands. Telephone 88 for our wagon. K&H-1-NOR LAUNDRY. 129-137 Second St.

They Please Everybody.

The immense increase in the sales at the Eagle Shoe Store during each month of the present year furnishes positive proof of the popularity of their goods and prices under cash system. They are doing the nicest shoe business they ever have done. The Eagle's business is on the boom all because of the splendid goods and reasonable prices. The customers are delighted and always speak in terms of highest praise of this the most popular shoe store in Vincennes. Try the Eagle and you will be their friend and customer. i-16bptf.

PETOSKEY MACKINAO ISLAND EXCURSION VIA BIG FOUR ROUTE.

Tuesday, Aug. 30, Saturday, Sept. 3rd, Wednesday, Sept. 7th, the Big Four Route will sell excursion tickets from Vincennes to Petoskey, Mich., and return at \$10.50 and to Mackinac Island and return at 11.50. Good to return within thirty days from date of sale. For information and tickets apply to Union Station or to F. S. Montgomery, Agent, corner Main and Tenth streets.

Change of Schedule on the Pennsylvania Lines.

A change in the schedule of passenger trains on the Pennsylvania Lines went into effect Sunday, June 26. Under the new schedule the time of trains at Vincennes is as follows: Arrive from the East *12.15 (8:40 p. m. Depart for the East *6.25 a. m. *13.50 *4.00 p. m. *Daily {Daily except Sundays.

Coming and Going.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FOUND IN THE DAILY ROUNDS.

PERSONAL MENTION—WHAT VINNENNES PEOPLE ARE DOING AND WHERE THEY ARE—LOCAL NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

—A. L. Harrison and wife left last night for Cincinnati.

—Mrs. Lizzie Fitzpatrick of Switz City has returned to her home.

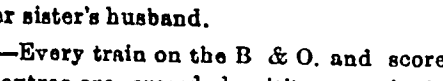
—Squire Sage and O. M. Yates of Decker were in the city Saturday.

—H. M. Paris, a merchant of Monroe City, was in the city on Monday.

—Wanted—Girl for light house work, 808 corner Second and Barnett streets.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. DeBruier will go to Cincinnati today to attend the G. A. R. encampment.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of 

—Albert Wheeler and family have been spending a few days in Washington the guest of relatives.

—An hour of delightful music at the University Hall Friday night, Sept. 9th.

—Eimer E. Johnson of Decker was in the city Monday. He is suffering from a felon on his thumb.

—Miss Anna Flynn was called to Sullivan Saturday by the serious illness of her sister's husband.

—Every train on the B. & O. and scores of extras are crowded with excursionists enroute to Cincinnati.

—Louis Souliagay and John Bonhomme two old soldiers went to the G. A. R. Encampment at Cincinnati.

—The Ladies Choral Class will give a concert Friday night, Sept. 9th at the University Hall, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. sc6d3t

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