poral Tanner, who, after expressing his sense of amazement at the great demonstration, held the audience by a masterly speech of great power and noble inspiration for nearly two hours.

The general opinion is that there were 15,000 people present. Corporal Tanner, who has seen and estimated as many great meetings as any man of his age, placed it at 18,000. There was not a drunken man, so far as could be seen, upon the ground, not a fight, nor even a quarrel, nor an accident, except that Gen. Grose got slightly hurt by the falling of a bench. Nor was there any disturbance except that made by the irrepressible drummers. Altogether, it was the grandest and most successful meeting of the campaign in Eastern Indiana. The Republicans of Cadiz and Harrison townships have covered themselves with glory. The Republicans may safely count on a gain of 200 in Henry county.

B. S. P.

GENERAL CAMPAIGN NEWS.

Dr. John A. Williams, a Life-Long Democrat, Comes Out for Harrison.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SPENCER, Oct. 1.—Dr. John A. Williams, of Patricksburg, in a speech delivered at the opera-house, in this place, on Saturday evening, gave his reasons for no longer affiliating with the Democratic party. Dr. Williams was a candidate before the Democratic congressional convention, held at Bloomington in 1884, against Courtland C. Matson, for the nomination for Congress. He has always been an enthusiastic Democrat, spending his time and means in support of the Democratic ticket in every campaign. Among the many reasons which he gave that Cleveland should not be re-elected were the following: His statement in his letter of acceptance four years ago, that the presidential office should be held for only one term. His position upon the tariff question, which Mr. Williams regards as a strike at the industries of the North, and for the purpose of making himself solid with the South. In the course of the discussion upon this branch of his speech, he stated that a man who was so ignorant as to make the statement, as Cleveland had done in his letter of acceptance, that the duty upon imported goods was added to the price of the article in this country, was too ignorant to be intrusted with the office of President of the United States. Upon the pension question, Mr. Williams said that as Cleveland was never a soldier he could not sympathize with the soldier, and that the language used in the messages upon vetoes of private pension bills showed that he had no feeling in common with the soldier. The largest audience that has assembled at Spencer this year listened to his speech, among which were scores of life-long Democrats. Dr. Williams is doing good service for Harrison and Morton.

Big Day at Mt. Carmel, Ill.

Correspondence of the Indianapolis Journal.

MT. CARMEL, Ill., Oct. 1.—Yesterday was a gala day with the Republicans. The Republican Club held the grandest rally of the campaign thus far. Hon. E. Callahan, of Robinson, Ill., delivered a splendid speech to an immense audience at Edgar Grove, in the afternoon. At night, the air being too chilly, the meeting was held in the court-house, but the room was entirely too limited to accommodate the fast-growing throng, and an outside meeting was organized. Mr. Knapp, of Kansas, delivered an able discourse on the tariff, while Hon. E. B. Green, on the inside, explained the fallacy of the Prohibition vote, and the benefit the Democratic party were deriving from the Prohibition speeches. He showed that if Grover Cleveland should again be elected President, he would, within his term, have the power to appoint three more Supreme Judges from the South or Democratic ranks, by the reason of the retiring of the three Republican judges, and thereby make it impossible to even legislate further on the prohibition question, because the Democrats have in every instance, when called upon, voted for the States to pay the damage arising from closing the distilleries, breweries, etc., and that the only one Democratic Judge on the Supreme Bench had dissented from the decision of the eight Republican judges when they had decided that the State of Kansas could not be held so liable.

Judge Green was followed by a colored orator from Vincennes, Gurley Brewer, a graduate of Wilberforce Union College, who made a great hit and a splendid speech. The visiting glee clubs and bands of Grayville, Friendsville and Simon School-house rendered magnificent music.

Joint Discussion at Bourbon.

Correspondence of the Indianapolis Journal.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 29.—Major Pangborn, of New Jersey, for the Republicans, and Colonel Cameron, of Chicago, for the Democrats, held a joint discussion on the political issues of the day, at the Bourbon Fair Grounds, adjacent to the town of Bourbon, yesterday afternoon. By agreement, Major Pangborn opened the debate in a speech of an hour, which was replied to by Colonel Cameron in a speech of an hour and fifteen minutes. Major Pangborn then closed the debate in a reply of fifteen minutes. The benefits of a tariff for protection to the American farmer, mechanic, artisan and manufacturer were clearly stated and proven by the Major in a clear and concise manner. He is an eloquent orator, and an audience listens to him with pleasure. His reference to the certainty that he felt in New York going for Harrison and Morton, and of their election, was received with rounds of applause. He proved to his Democratic listeners that their party was a free-trade party, or for revenue only. This, however, was unnecessary, as the advocate for the Democrats, in his reply, did not take issue on this point, virtually admitting it. Colonel Cameron, in his reply of an hour and fifteen minutes, labored hard to prove that the consumer pays the whole duty on imports, using the Thurman and Cleveland argument. In the fifteen-minute reply of Major Pangborn he completely answered his opponent, and ably maintained the position he had taken on the tariff and other questions. The 2,000 people present listened with excellent attention to both of the speakers. In political sentiment they were about equally divided.

Hon. John M. Butler at Morocco.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MOROCCO, Oct. 1.—Hon. John M. Butler, of Indianapolis, addressed a Republican gathering of over three thousand people here, to-day. Early in the morning the farmers from the surrounding country commenced filling the town, until the crowd was too large for any ordinary accommodation. A stand was built in front of the amphitheater in the fair grounds, and at 2:30 o'clock the people marched to the ground, and the amphitheater was soon filled to overflowing. A thousand stood around the stand, while many others sat in their carriages, which were placed in hearing distance of the speaker. Although at the time there was a cold and disagreeable wind blowing from the north, the people stayed for more than two hours and listened to the masterly argument of Mr. Butler, and especial attention was given him while he discussed the broken promises of the Democratic party, the tariff issue and the pension question, all of which were presented in Mr. Butler's plain, clear and logical manner. Many Republicans say that the speech will be productive of much good, and was just what they wanted to offset what John E. Lamb, Voorhees's pet, said at this place about a week ago. In his usual reckless manner, although he had but a small school-room full of people, Lamb misrepresented the issues before the people in this campaign.

Anna Dickinson at South Bend.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SOUTH BEND, Oct. 1.—Miss Anna Dickinson spoke here to-night to the largest audience that has greeted any political speaker this campaign. The Rink, which holds 3,000 people, was crowded to its utmost capacity at 7 o'clock, and hundreds were oblized to go away. Miss Dickinson did not make her appearance until after 8 o'clock, but the crowd waited patiently and greeted her with the greatest enthusiasm. She was introduced by Mr. Wilbert Ward, and was listened to for over two hours with the closest attention. The speaker reviewed the past history of the two parties, held up Democracy in its true light, and sarcastically referred to the Democratic party as the friend of the laboring man, the party which indorses the words of Henry A. Wise, that the normal condition of the laborer, be he white or black, is slavery. The Republican party is to win by the aid of enlightened public opinion. Her argument created the profoundest impression.

Gov. Gray at Washington.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Governor Gray arrived to-night and registered at the Arlington. He was not in his room in the hotel during the early part of the night, and it is scarcely necessary to say that he was neither at the White House or Oakview. Gov. Gray does not hob-nob with the President. Mr. Cleveland snubbed him just before the St. Louis convention, and since then the President and the Governor of Indiana do not speak as they pass by. The Governor is not here in consultation with Voorhees or McDonald, either. He is on the way to New York, his friends say, for the purpose of bringing the thumb-screws to bear on the Democratic national committee for "boodle," the hard coin of the realm, with which to wheel recalcitrant Democratic voters into line.

Eugene Hay Refutes a Sentinel Lie.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BROWNSVILLE, Oct. 1.—Eugene Hay, of Minnesota, was greeted by a large audience here this evening. In the course of his speech he paid his respects to the Indianapolis Sentinel, the correspondent of that paper at Martinsville having reported Mr. Hay as saying in his speech in that city, last week, that there was no free-trade issue in this campaign, and that the farmers of Minnesota were in favor of a revision of the tariff, as the protection laws did not benefit them. Referring to this, the speaker said: "I made no such statement in my speech at Martinsville nor at any other place. What I did say was that absolute free trade between two governments did not and probably never would exist; that a large part of our revenue always would be derived from import duty; that the question in this contest was whether that duty should be levied upon commodities in the production or manufacture of which Americans are or are not engaged; whether it should be levied for revenue exclusively, or whether the American system of protection shall be continued. While the farmers of Minnesota are in favor of a revision of the present tariff laws, they want to see such revision made by the friends of the protective system and not in the interest of the sugar-planters of the South, and the factory owners of Leeds, of Manchester and of Birmingham, as the Mills bill is. Wheat is the great stable product of the Northwest, and because we produce a surplus of that article, the tariff upon it is not a direct benefit to the wheat raiser, but the farmers of Minnesota are intellicent men—they can see beyond their nose. They know that in everything else they raise upon their farms they are directly benefited by the protective laws. They know, too, that the nearer to their door is brought their market, the better price will they receive for what they raise."

Irish-American Club at Bloomington, Ill.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Oct. 1.—Following quick upon the overwhelming denial published to-day of the William Condon charge that General Harrison, on Nov. 23, 1876, used language in a speech made in this city insulting to the Irish in America, came the organization to-night of an Irish-American Harrison and Morton Club, in this city, at the Republican headquarters, within less than half a mile of Condon's home and place of business. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Patrick Kelly, a prominent worker in Irish national affairs, and a leading business man of Bloomington. Permanent organization was effected with the following officers: President, Edmund O'Connell; vice-president, Luke Agar; Secretary, J. O. Sullivan; treasurer, John Gregory. Over one hundred Irish-Americans signed the roll of membership, and this number will be nearly or quite doubled by the next meeting. The club is organizing for active campaign work, and every member is enthusiastic and determined to do what he can to promote the cause of Harrison and protection. A speech was made by Mr. Edmund O'Connell, the newly-elected president of the club.

Ex-Senator Bruce at Connersville.

Correspondence of the Indianapolis Journal.

CONNERSVILLE, Sept. 29.—The Republicans of this city greeted ex-Senator B. K. Bruce to-night with one of the largest, most enthusiastic and intelligent audiences that has listened to any political speaker this campaign, and it is no exaggeration to say that not one of the two thousand people who heard him went away disappointed; the universal verdict of all was that his fair, logical and impartial discussion of the issues between two parties was the most convincing ever heard here. He eloquently contrasted the past history of the two parties, showing conclusively that the Democratic party was always wrong, and that the Republican party was always right, as was subsequently admitted by them. His explanation of the disfranchisement of a great mass of the voters of the North, by the suppression of the vote of the colored men of the South, was so plain and logical that it was shown to be simply infamous in the extreme. His speech will result in much good here.

Preparing for the Battle-Ground Rally.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFAYETTE, Oct. 1.—Active preparations are being made for the great Republican rally and barbecue, at the Battle-ground, on the 17th inst. A committee of 100 of our best citizen have the matter in charge, and everything possible will be done to accommodate the thousands who will be present to see and hear Blaine, Foraker, Oglesby, Lincoln, Thompson and others. It is intended that the great rally of 1888, at Tippecanoe Battle-field, shall surpass in numbers, in enthusiasm and results that of 1840, held in honor of the illustrious grandfather of Gen. Benjamin Harrison. This ground was made famous by the battle of Nov. 7, 1811, and it will go down to history as the scene of one of the greatest political gatherings ever held in Indiana.

W. E. Humphrey at Alamo.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ALAMO, Oct. 1.—W. E. Humphrey, of Crawfordsville, addressed a large and enthusiastic audience in this place Saturday evening on the political issues of the day from a Republican stand-point. He put great stress on the importance of the protective system, and handled that, the temperance question, Cleveland's record as a reformer and as a friend of the Union soldier, as well as all other points on which he touched, in a most thorough and logical manner. He is one of the most forcible and eloquent speakers in the State.

Judicial and Legislative Nominations.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

VERNON, Oct. 1.—The Republicans of this, the Fifth, judicial circuit nominated the Hon. Thomas C. Batchelor, of Vernon, for judge, at their convention held on Saturday. Charles B. Johnson, of Ripley county, was nominated for prosecuting attorney.

The legislative convention met at the same time and place, and nominated Hon. J. W. Ridlen, of Scott county, as the Republican nominee for joint representative of this district.

A. C. Harris at Columbia City.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

COLUMBIA CITY, Sept. 30.—Hon. A. C. Harris, of Indianapolis, made three ringing Republican speeches in our county last week—Thursday night at Cherubusco, Friday night at Larwill, and last night at Columbia City. Large and appreciative audiences greeted him at every point. Mr. Harris is a very forcible and argumentative speaker, and has done good service to the Republican cause in Whitley county.

Meeting at Walnut Grove.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Oct. 1.—The Republicans held a meeting at Walnut Grove, Brown township, last Saturday evening, and there was a very large and enthusiastic crowd in attendance. The Russellville Glee Club rendered splendid music, and the Hon. M. D. White, of this city, addressed the largest crowd ever assembled at Walnut Grove. His address was very able and eloquent, dealing principally with the tariff and the temperance questions.

Frank McCray at Peru.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PERU, Oct. 1.—Frank McCray, of Indianapolis, delivered one of the most telling and able speeches of the campaign to a large concourse of people at the court-house last Saturday evening. His arraignment of the Democratic gerrymander was scathing. The abuse of State institutions was dwelt upon, as was also the tariff. The meeting was a decided success.

Declines the Nomination.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MONTPELIER, Oct. 1.—Dr. C. Q. Shull, who was nominated by the Union Labor party, at their convention, held at Geneva, Adams county, for Representative of the Eleventh congressional district, to-day, on being notified, declined to serve or allow his name to be used. He gave as a reason that he is now and always has been a Republican.

Capt. White at Fort Wayne.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FT. WAYNE, Oct. 1.—Patrick Egan, the Irish orator who was to have delivered an address in the Morton Club Hall, this evening, failed to arrive. A large crowd collected in the hall, mostly laboring men, and were addressed by Capt. J. B. White, Congressman from this district. Captain White returned from Washington on Saturday evening, and will probably remain here until after the election. He was unanimously renominated by the Republicans at their last convention. In his remarks to-night he confined himself to the tariff question and made a very strong presentation of it. His speech excited great enthusiasm.

General Hovey and Corporal Tanner.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 1.—The Republicans of this city were addressed to-night by General Alvin P. Hovey and Corporal James Tanner. Despite the fact that the weather was inclement and threatening the Wigwam, where the meeting was held, was completely filled. General Hovey was the first speaker of the evening, and was introduced by Mr. Joseph J. Irwin. The General was very hoarse from continued speaking, and owing to the dampness of the atmosphere his address was only about twenty minutes in length. In that short time, however, he defined his position on all the State issues in a manner that permitted of no uncertainty in the minds of his audience. Corporal James Tanner was presented at the close of General Hovey's talk. Mr. Tanner is an able and convincing talker on all political subjects. He reviewed at some length the record of Col. C. C. Matson as the soldiers' friend, and the testimony he presented, which showed that gentleman to be the greatest enemy the Union soldier ever had in Congress, was irrefutable.

Meeting at St. Louis Crossing.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 1.—W. W. Lambert and W. J. Beck, of this city, addressed about 500 Republicans of Flatrock township, this county, at St. Louis Crossing Saturday night. The tariff question was ably and logically presented to the farmers of that locality by the speakers. The people evinced great enthusiasm for the entire Republican ticket, and are contributing their share of work toward making the Republicans successful in November.

Railroad Men's Club at Elkhart.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ELKHART, Oct. 1.—A Republican club has been organized here comprising 300 members, and it is still growing rapidly. It is composed exclusively of railroad men. Meetings will be held regularly, and every effort put forth to bring success to the Republican party. Railroad men here laugh at the report that they have any grievance against General Harrison.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.

For Illinois, Indiana and Ohio—Fair; cooler; northwesterly winds:

For Michigan and Wisconsin—Fair; cooler; northwesterly winds.

Local Weather Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 1.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	R. H.	Wind.	Weather	Prec
7 A. M...	29.67	60	68	Swest	Clear.	.....
2 P. M...	29.51	78	43	Swest	Fair.	.....
7 P. M...	29.59	64	51	North	Clear.	.06

Maximum thermometer, 78; minimum thermometer, 57.

Following is a comparative statement of the condition of temperature and precipitation on Oct. 1, 1888:

	Tem.	Precip.
Normal	62	0.10
Mean	62	0.06
Departure from normal	00	—0.04
Total excess or deficiency since Oct. 1.	00	—0.04
Total excess or deficiency since Jan. 1	—740	—4.55

General Observations.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 1.

Station.	Barometer.	Thermometer. Exp	Min.	Max	Precipitat'n	Weath'r
New York city...	29.48	60	46	62	.01	Clear.
Buffalo, N. Y.....	29.38	54	42	62	.56	Clear.
Philadelphia, Pa..	29.50	62	44	68	.01	Clear.
Pittsburg, Pa....	29.48	56	46	74	.50	Rain.
Washington, D.C.	29.54	66	46	72	.....	Fair.
Charleston, S. C..	29.98	62	54	72	.....	Clear.
Atlanta, Ga.....	29.96	64	48	72	.....	Clear.
Jacksonville, Fla.	29.04	64	50	74	.....	Clear.
Pensacola, Fla...	30.02	62	56	74	.....	Clear.
Montgomery, Ala	30.98	68	48	76	.....	Clear.
Vicksburg, Miss.	29.92	72	58	78	.....	Clear.
New Orleans, La.	29.02	68	60	78	.....	Clear.
Little Rock, Ark.	30.84	74	56	82	.....	Clear.
Galveston, Tex...	29.98	76	66	80	.....	Clear.
San Antonio, Tex	29.96	72	58	82	T	Cloudy
Memphis, Tenn..	29.82	74	58	80	.....	Clear.
Nashville, Tenn..	29.74	72	54	78	.....	Cloudy
Louisville, Ky...	29.60	62	54	78	.60	Rain.
Indianapolis, Ind.	29.58	64	56	78	.06	Clear.
Cincinnati, O.....	29.58	62	56	80	.12	Cloudy
Cleveland, O.....	29.48	60	44	74	.....	Clear.
Toledo, O.....	29.58	56	38	74	.....	Clear.
Marquette, Mich	29.82	38	38	44	.06	Rain.
S. Ste. Marie, Mich	29.76	40	38	40	.08	Cloudy
Chicago, Ill.....	29.72	56	58	68	.....	Fair.
Cairo, Ill.....	29.70	74	54	82	T	Cloudy
Springfield, Ill...	29.72	64	56	74	.....	Clear.
Milwaukee, Wis..	29.76	50	56	56	.....	Fair.
Duluth, Minn....	30.10	40	40	50	.01	Clear.
St. Paul, Minn...	30.02	44	44	58	T	Clear.
Morehead, Minn..	30.16	46	46	50	.01	Clear.
St. Vincent, Minn	30.24	40	38	56	.....	Clear.
Davenport, Ia....	29.78	58	60	74	.....	Clear.
Dubuque, Ia.....	29.84	54	56	70	.....	Fair.
Des Moines, Ia...	29.92	56	56	72	.....	Clear.
St. Louis, Mo.....	29.70	70	56	82	.....	Fair.
Kansas City, Mo.	29.86	70	60	78	.....	Clear.
Ft. Sill, Ind. T...	29.82	74	52	84	.02	Clear.
Dodge City, Kan.	29.96	70	42	84	.....	Clear.
Omaha, Neb.....	29.98	70	56	74	.....	Clear.
North Platte, Neb	30.06	60	44	74	.....	Clear.
Valentine, Neb...	30.12	56	44	66	.....	Clear.
Yankton, D. T....	30.02	52	46	60	.....	Fair.
Ft. Sully, D. T....	30.14	54	50	64	.....	Clear.
Bismarck, D. T...	30.22	44	42	56	.....	Cloudy
Ft. Buford, D. T..	30.14	54	40	62	.....	Fair.
P. Arthur's L'd'g.	30.10	34	32	44	.....	Cloudy
Qu'Apelle, N.W.T	30.20	50	32	72	.....	Fair.
Ft. A. s'nab'ne, M.T	30.06	64	38	74	.....	Clear.
Helena, M. T.....	29.98	66	48	74	.....	Clear.
Boise City, I. T...	29.90	70	.....	74	.....	Cloudy
Cheyenne, W. T..	30.06	56	46	62	.....	Cloudy
Ft. M'Kn'ny, W.T.	30.02	60	50	76	.....	Fair.
Denver, Col.....	30.02	66	56	72	.....	Cloudy
Pueblo, Col.....	29.98	70	46	76	.....	Cloudy
Santa Fe, N. M...	30.00	64	44	70	.....	Cloudy
Salt Lake City....	29.88	66	58	70	.....	Fair.
Ft. Washakie, Wy	30.02	60	50	68	.....	Clear.

T—Trace of precipitation.

September Weather.

The following summary shows the state of the weather at Indianapolis during the past month:

Mean barometer, 30.062; highest, 30.54, on the 29th; lowest, 29.74, on the 26th. Mean temtemperature, 60.9; highest temperature, 87.9, on the 5th; lowest temperature, 33.7, on the 30th; greatest daily range of temperature, 33.7, on the 14th; least daily range, 8.1, on the 10th; mean daily range, 21.5.

The mean temperature for this month in 1871 was 62.3; 1872, 66.7; 1873, 63.8; 1874, 68.6; 1875, 63.1; 1876, 64.4; 1877, 66.3; 1878, 67.0; 1879, 61.7; 1880, 64.2; 1881, 73.5; 1882, 65.5; 1883, 63.2; 1884, 71.6; 1885, 63.9; 1886, 66.6; 1887, 65.8; 1888, 60.9.

Total excess or deficiency in temperature during the month, —143; total excess or deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1, —740. Mean daily dew-point, 48.5; mean daily relative humidity, 65.8. Prevailing direction of wind northeast; total movement, 2,555 miles.

Total precipitation, 1.23 inch. Number of days on which .01 inch or more of precipitation fell, 8.

The total precipitation (in inches and hundredths) for this month in 1871 was 0.89; 1872, 2.81; 1873, 1.76; 1874, 2.09; 1875, 1.34; 1876, 3.85; 1877, 2.64; 1878, 3.32; 1879, 6.94; 1880, 1.86; 1881, 3.25; 1882, 0.72; 1883, 2.72; 1884, 3.09; 1885, 3.50; 1886, 3.43; 1887, 2.11; 1888, 1.23.

Total excess or deficiency in precipitation during the month, —1.50; total excess or deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1, —4.59.

Number of clear days, 14; fair days, 9; cloudy days, 8.

Dates of frost, 26th to 30th.

Thunder-storms, 20th and 21st.

C. F. R. WAPPENHANS,
Observer Signal Corps.

Narrow Escape of a Passenger Train.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 1.—The locomotive of the Panhandle passenger train due here at 6:30 this evening struck a sycamore tree, fifteen inches in diameter, blown across the track by a storm, a short distance northeast of Loveland. The train was running thirty-five miles an hour. The locomotive broke the tree in two and threw it off the track. The front truck of the engine was thrown off the track, the cowcatcher, the smokestack and the cab were demolished and the engineer was knocked senseless with serious injuries to his head. The fireman was badly injured. The engine, without a man to guide it, ran half a mile with the trucks off the track, when the conductor turned on the air brakes. The train was delayed four hours.

Steamship News.

HAVRE, Oct. 1.—Arrived: North Anglia, from Philadelphia.

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 1.—Arrived: Fulda, from New York.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 1.—Arrived: P. Caland, from New York.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 1.—Arrived: Main, from Bremen; Samaria, from Antwerp.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Arrived: Cimassia, from Glasgow, Leerdam, from Rotterdam; Werra, from Bremen.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 1.—Arrived: Iowa, from Boston; Baltimore, from Baltimore; British Princess, from Philadelphia.

INDIANA AND ILLINOIS NEWS

A Battle with Clubs Finally Leads to the Death of a Participant.

The Public School System of Hamilton County—Fatal Runaway Accident—Jewelry Store Burglarized—Notes.

INDIANA.

A Wealthy Farmer Dies from Injuries Inflicted by His Daughter-in-Law.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Oct. 1.—Ben Ice, a wealthy resident of Fairmount township, died last night from the effects of injuries received in a family broil. A disagreement arose over the measurement of some land, and in an appeal to clubs the deceased severely pommeled a daughter-in-law, Lavina C. Ice, who struck him on the back of the hand, lacerating it severely. The daughter-in-law had Benjamin arrested for assault with intent to murder, and also instituted suit for $5,000 dollars damage. A few days ago erysipelas attacted the wound inflicted on the old man's hand, and death was the result. The probable arrest of Lavina Ice for manslaughter lends a sensational interest to the case.

Hamilton County's Public Schools.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

NOBLESVILLE, Oct. 1.—All of the public schools of Hamilton county are in session today. The greater number of them were opened last week, but this morning all were opened. There are in this county more than 8,000 children within school age. There are employed 171 teachers, occupying 142 separate buildings. The aggregate pay of these teachers is $42,750. Within the last year there have been built seven new buildings. The aggregate value of the school buildings is $427,500. Eighteen of these buildings are of brick and some of them are beautiful buildings, of modern architecture, and would compare favorably with many city buildings. There are fourteen township graded schools. In eleven of the buildings natural gas is used as fuel. There are 125 members of the Indiana Reading Circle in the county. There are, also, quite a large number of the Chautauqua Circle. Of the nine township trustees six are Republicans and three are Democrats. The county superintendent is a Republican, and the principals and superintendents of all the graded and high-schools are Republicans. The corps of teachers is certainly as splendid a body of educators as can be found in any county in the State, many of them being college graduates, and all of excellent character. Hamilton county is justly proud of her public schools, and the great good work they are accomplishing. The political complexion of Hamilton county is Republican, hence the excellence of the schools.

Christian Church Dedicated.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ERIE, Oct. 1.—The beautiful house of worship just completed by the Christian Church in this place was dedicated yesterday. The day was a beautiful one, and the attendance was large. The house is said to be one of the most substantial ones ever built in this part of Miami county. Rev. L. L. Carpenter, of Wabash City, State Sunday-school evangelist of the Christian Church, preached the opening sermon and conducted the dedication service. Money enough was raised to meet all indebtedness.

Burglary at Middletown.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MIDDLETOWN, Oct. 1.—Some time after 2 o'clock last night burglars entered Miller Bros.' drug store at this place and carried away a large amount of valuable jewelry. Among the articles taken were two solid gold watches, five filled ones, seven silver watches and thirty gold and filled chains. The value of the goods taken is placed at not less than $500 and may reach $600. The burglars effected an entrance by removing the glass from the front door.

Fatal Runaway Accident.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFAYETTE, Oct. 1.—Mrs. Jacob Frischmeyer, an aged German lady, died Sunday afternoon from injuries received in a runaway. In coming down a steep hill the tongue of the wagon broke and both Mr. and Mrs. Frischmeyer were thrown into the deep ravin on the roadside. Mrs. Frischmeyer's head struck a large stone, fracturing the skull and causing death.

Minor Notes.

James Sullivan, aged forty-five, attempted to board a Panhandle train, yesterday, at Marion, and fell under the cars, losing his left leg. His recovery is doubtful.

John Smith died at Marion, yesterday, aged ninety years. He was married to Margaret Thomas, Sept. 8, 1822, the marriage being the first wedding of white people in Grant county.

Adam Lehr, a well-known farmer of Center township, Spencer county, went to a neighbor's house for assistance in sickness. He rapped on a window, when a young boy fired the contents of a heavily loaded shotgun in his face, tearing away both eyes and horribly mutilating his face. He cannot live. The boy mistook him for a burglar.

ILLINOIS.

Gleanings from Exchanges and Cullings from Correspondence.

Wm. Davis, of Waverly, was run over by a moving train near Jacksonville Sunday and instantly killed.

Charles Baum, of Yeoman, Ind., fell from a passenger train at Hoopeston and received injuries from which he will die.

Two boys, while out hunting near Highland, on Sunday, found the remains of a man in a badly decomposed state. The remains are generally supposed to be those of a tramp.

J. N. Cochrane, of Manchester, stabbed Mack Jennings, of Carrollton, at the Ogleaby rally in Roodhouse, on Saturday, and Jennings died on Sunday. Cochrane is under arrest.

During the parade yesterday at a Democratic rally at Monticello, a thief opened the safe in Mr. Finn Tinder's store and stole $155 in bills, silver and gold. There was quite a number of people in the store at the time, but the thief was not detected.

SOUTHEAST M. E. CONFERENCE.

It Will Use Its Influence in Favor of Local Option—List of Appointments.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LIBERTY, Ind., Oct. 1.—The Southeast Indiana Conference of the M. E. Church closed its session in this place at 12:30 P. M. to-day. Yesterday was one long to be remembered by the laity of this community, as well as the ministers of the conference. Connersville, Brookville, Oxford and College Corner were represented by large numbers. Every available seat in the large M. E. Church was occupied at the four different services held. Bishop Vincent preached at 10:30; and at 2 P. M. addressed the lay members. At 3 o'clock the sacrament was administered, concluding with a memorial service, at which tributes were paid to Dr. F. C. Holliday, Rev. F. S. Potts, Mrs. Dr. J. N. Ford, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Cohagen and others who died during the past year.

Bishop Vincent conducted vesper services at 5:30 P. M. at the Presbyterian Church. At the morning hour Dr. Keen, of Indianapolis, occupied the pulpit, delivering a very acceptable and able discourse to a packed house, notwithstanding the attraction at the M. E. house of worship.

At the evening services Dr. J. P. D. John preached in the M. E. Church, and Rev. C. W. Tinsley at the Presbyterian Church.

This morning was the liveliest session of the conference in the way of business. Nevertheless, Rev. Earl Cranston, D. D., delivered a short address. The temperance question caused a lively discussion, which resulted in the adoption of the following resolution:

While our aim at all times is legal prohibition of the sale of intoxicating drinks, we will join our efforts with all who are laboring to secure the passage of a local-option law as the General Conference has recommended, and when secured we will use our influence and every legitimate method to have it adopted and enforced in all the townships and counties in which we are sent to labor. We pledge ourselves to join with those whose aim is to secure the very best legislation on the question until the desired end be obtained; viz.: Legal prohibition in our State and throughout the whole land.

Just before adjournment the list of appointments was read, as follows:

Connersville District—James A. Sargent, presiding elder. Abington, A. A. Ayres; Arlington, D. C. Benjamin; Brookville, J. M. Dunkin; Brownsville, Thos. Ayres; Carthage, B. F. Morgan; Clarksburg, G. C. Clouds; College Corner, R. D. Black; Connersville, R. Robertson; Fairfield, G. W. Winchester; Glenwood, J. W. Allen (and one to be supplied); Laurel, J. M. Thompson; Liberty, C. C. Edwards; Maplewood, J. G. Chaffee; Metamora, W. N. Fletcher; Milford, L. N. Jones; Milroy, E. H. Troyer and James Gillespie; Milton, W. R. Lathrop; Morristown, J. T. Scull; Mt. Carmel, Henry J. Black; New Trenton, Alex. Manship; Rushville, J. H. Bickford; St. Paul, Henry Morrow; Waldron, W. O. Wikoff. C. W. Hargitt, professor in Miami University.

Indianapolis District—S. Tincher, presiding elder. Acton, George Murphy; Brightwood, A. A. Jones; Castleton, J. D. Current; Fairland, George S. Connor; Franklin, S. A. Bright; Georgetown, E. McDuffey, (supplied); Greenwood, C. W. Tinsley; Hartsville, J. L. Perry; Hope, H. Harris; Indianapolis: Fletcher-place, J. S. Tevis; Central-avenue, J. H. Ford; East Seventh-street, S. F. Tincher; Edwin Ray, Charles Lee; Grace, L. D. Moore; Hall-place, M. B. Hyde; Hill and Clifford-avenues, J. M. Bailey; Irvington, Charles E. Lewis; Roberts Park, S. A. Keen; Mapleton, T. W. Northcott; Nineveh, —— Winegar; Sartorius, J. P. Pell; Shelbyville, C. Tinsley; Southport, W. H. Dashiell; Palestine, T. B. McClain. J. P. D. John, professor in DePauw University; George L. Curtiss, professor in DePauw University.

Moore's Hill District—E. H. Wood, presiding elder. Aurora, E. N. Campbell; Canaan, H. C. Pelsor; Delaware, G. W. Gelvin; Dillsboroug, Jesse Miller; Greensburg-Centenary, W. W. Reynolds; First Church, E. B. Rawls; Hartford, R. W. Johnson (supply); Lawrenceburg, E. L. Dolph; Lawrenceburg circuit, F. M. Westhafer; Madison, J. W. Turner; Manchester, W. H. Burton; Moorefield, W. T. James; Moore's Hill, George Cochran; North Madison, W. M. Grubbs; Osgood, L. N. Pattison; Patriot, F. A. Guthrie; Rising Sun, John Machlin; Sugar Branch, J. C. White; Versailles, James H. Mendenhall; Vevay, J. T. O'Neal; Westport, R. L. Kinnear; Wilmington, G. W. Cohagan. G. P. Jenkins, President Moore's Hill College; M. Varbinger, professor in Moore's Hill College; D. T. Hedges, missionary to Utah; C. B. Larrabee to attend one of the colleges.

Jeffersonville District—A. N. Marlatt, presiding elder. Brownstown, B. W. Cooper; Charlestown, J. R. T. Lathrop; Clifford, Daniel Ryan; Columbus, V. W. Tevis; Crothersville, J. M. Norton; Edinburg, M. L. Wells; Flat Rock, Lewis King; Freetown, A. Scott; Henryville, J. P. Maupin; Holman, Henry Ross, Jeffersonville, Wall-street, J. H. Doddridge; Port Fulton, Lenora Kennedy; Jonesville, Geo. M. Smith, (supply); Kent, A. M. Lowden; Lexington, B. F. Sturgis, (supply); New Bellville, Amos Carmichael; New Washington, C. E. Hester; Courtland, James Gruber, (supplied); North Vernon, C. L. Bovard; Paris, C. Turner; Scottsburg, M. A. Farr; Sellersburg, N. M. Elwyn; Seymour, J. H. Pye; Taylorsville, W. C. Watkins; Utica, D. A. Robertson; Vernon, W. W. Snyder.

Quaker Educational Statistics.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Oct. 1.—The statistical report on education to the yearly meeting of Friends evidences an advance in the tone of higher education and religious devotion in Earlham, Willmington and Southland colleges, and Spiceland, Fairmount and Ambury academies. Of 291 students at Earlham, 57 per cent. are members of the Society of Friends, and secret societies have no foothold. Its expenses have been $20,550; receipts, $27,704, creating a deficit of $2,846. Southland College has 103 students; the receipts paid the expenses, $6,742, but the buildings were burned and there is a deficit, created in rebuilding the girls' hall at a cost of $5,761; meanwhile, about $6,000 has been contributed toward rebuilding the college buildings. Wilmington College had an enrollment of 140 students last year, and is in good shape, with new improvements.

NEWS FROM ABROAD.

Arrival and Reception of the German Emperor in the Bavarian Capital.

MUNICH, Oct. 1.—A royal salute announced the arrival of Em