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Church Directory.  
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—JOHN L. BOYD, Pastor. Preaching on Sunday at half past ten A. M., and at seven P. M. Sunday School at two o'clock P. M. Class meetings Sunday at 12 M., and three o'clock P. M. General Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Young folk's meeting Friday evening.

High winds Tuesday.  
Warm weather commenced yesterday.  
Gardening is the most popular amusement now.

Little boys with very red feet go bare-foot.  
M. E. Church Social at Bro. Boyd's on next Tuesday evening.

500 Rolls Wall Paper just received at Post Office Book Store. March 28-1.  
All Wall Paper sold at P. O. Book Store trimmed ready to hang. March 28-1.

Go to Wash Kelley's for the best Wagons, Buggies and Carriages, first door north of Machine Shop.  
If you want to see some of the loveliest Flowers and Ribbons, and more of them than ever in one house before, call at Mrs. Williamson's. apr11th.

Notice.  
There will be preaching at the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath by Rev. R. A. Curran, morning and evening.

Our worthy Post Master, Wm. Kendall, has been indulging in the luxury of a law suit or two lately. He thinks it is rather expensive; but he is learning something all the time.

For genuine Singer Sewing Machines, and the real Singer needles, which are all warranted, go to Philpot's Jewelry store, LEXEN, GREYER & CO'S, Ag't. apr18-1w. J. H. MOHR, local Ag't.

WASH KELLEY is manufacturing from the best materials and with great care, Wagons, Buggies and Carriages, of the best styles, and he intends to keep a good stock constantly on hand. All work warranted.

FALSE REMOR.—The report that I am charging my old students \$2.25 per term is untrue. The tuition will be \$1.00 per term, or \$2.50 for three terms. See our advertisement in another column.

ISAAC C. MULKINS, Penman.  
We understand that a satisfactory compromise has been made by the Illinois and Indiana Stockholders and Directors of the P. K. P. Railroad company which will save further expense, and delay to the work on the road. We are glad of it.

The District Sabbath School Convention of LaPorte District will be held on May, 8th, 9th and 10th in the M. E. Church of this place. Officers and Teachers of the other Schools of the place and vicinity are cordially invited to be present and take a part.

The following officers were elected and installed to serve for the next term of American Lodge, No. 91, I. O. O. F.:  
C. S. S. Todd, N. G.  
John A. Palmer, V. G.  
A. L. Reeve, Secretary.  
Christian Lesch, Treasurer.  
R. McKance, Warden.  
W. B. Hess, Conductor.

The 3d Quarterly Meeting of the M. E. Church comes off the 4th and 5th of May Rev. G. M. Boyd, of South Bend will officiate as P. E. instead of Elder Nebeker. Preaching Saturday evening at 7 P. M. On Sabbath at 10 1/2 A. M. and 7 P. M. Communion at 3 P. M. J. L. BOYD.

We were shown this week a two seated Spring Wagon ironed by Charley Stanbury (with Kelly), that is hard to beat for neatness and durability. The farmer who gets it will enjoy comfort and the worth of his money.

Also a buggy was shown us under construction by Kelly, which is number one in work and material.  
Hauling manure on gardens pays. So James Green thinks, since he found a silver watch in a manure pile, which he was hauling to H. B. Pershing's garden, from the alley back of Thompson's Livery Stable a few days ago. The watch was of American manufacture, and from the superior mechanism of the case was unharmed, although exposed to the inclement weather of perhaps more than one winter. He was offered \$25 for the watch; but prefers to keep it.

A wretch by the name of Wm. Cluck, killed his wife by shooting her five times on Tuesday last, in Indianapolis. He then attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a pen knife. He cut his neck severely but not fatally.  
Last week we published a very interesting article, partly prose, and partly not, from the flowing pen of Col. Poe, proprietor of the People's Drug Store, which should have been illustrated with appropriate cuts; but was not, for want of an artist to do the subject justice. The Col. has recently bought out the stock of Drugs, &c., formerly owned by Poe & Hayes, in Warsaw, and has removed the same to Plymouth. The Col. had not room enough in his very economically arranged store for all his goods; and was obliged to procure storage elsewhere.

New Millinery Store.  
Mrs. Williamson as per announcement, opened an entire new stock of Millinery April 1st, in the store of Williamson & Co. These goods embrace the finest selections that has ever been brought to Plymouth, and having been selected with the greatest possible care, and selling at lower prices than such goods has ever been offered before. They cannot fail to give entire satisfaction; and having obtained one of the very best of Milliners, is able to get you up one of the tastiest hats or bonnets, in less than no time.  
All kinds of hats and bonnets done over in the latest style. apr11th.

We dropped into Simon Becker's Dry Goods store yesterday and was surprised by the quantity and quality of his Stock of Goods. He has an immense stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots & Shoes Hats & Caps, Clothing and everything sold in a first class store. He is not selling off at cost but his prices are lower than the "selling off at cost" stores, and his goods are of a better quality. His clerks, both ladies and gentlemen are polite and attentive, and customers will receive the best of treatment and goods. It is no trouble for them to show goods even if they do not sell, so call on Simon and look over his well arranged store.

Republican County Convention.  
The Republicans of Marshall County will meet in Mass Convention at the Court House in Plymouth, on Saturday May 25th, at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates for Representative, Treasurer, Sheriff, Coroner, Surveyor, Commissioners, Appraiser, of Real Estate, the appointment of delegates to congressional convention to be held at Plymouth, and for the transaction of other important business.  
By order of the Republican County Central Committee.  
AMASA JOHNSON, Chairman.

Castoria—a substitute for Castor Oil—a vegetable preparation containing neither Minerals, Morphine nor Alcohol. It is pleasant to take, does not nauseate, and operates when all other remedies fail. Dr. Pierce has experimented fifteen years in producing a preparation more efficient than Castor Oil, without its horrid taste. The Castoria regulates the system; cures croup, stomach ache, colic and flatulency, and kills worms. It does not disarrange the bowels, and is particularly adapted to crying and teething children.  
We desire Physicians to test this article, and will forward three bottles gratis to the address of any one so authenticated. In fact that your druggist order it for you. It costs but 75 cents, and one bottle will save many doctor's bills.  
J. B. ROSE & CO.,  
50 Broadway, N. Y.

The largest assortment of dress Goods can be found at M. Becker & Co's.  
We always keep a full line of home furnishing goods such as Table Linens, Napkins, Tow Linen, Sheetting, Pillar Casings, &c.

Just opened a nice assortment of white goods suitable for this season, such as white Stripes, Plain and figured Jaconets, Bishop Lawns, Fallerton White and Colored Marseilles, Satin Stripes, and most everything belonging to this line of goods.

The Latest Style of Parasols, among it we have the Walking Cane Parasol, the newest thing out.  
We have succeeded in getting the sole agency for one of the most popular Alpacaos in the market. Double face in all grades at very low prices.

We have added to our immense stock a full line of Window Shades and Pictures to which we invite your attention.  
M. BECKER & CO.,  
Head Quarters.

Do not fail to call at our Store and examine our Stock.  
PENMANSHIP.  
Our writing classes meet regularly at the Seminary every day and evening. The night class meets at 7 o'clock P. M. Tuition for night class \$1.25 per 12 lessons or 36 lessons for \$3.00. No deduction made for absence, after entering except, in case of protracted sickness. At the close of the three terms, I will explain the method of transferring one beautiful design from one piece of paper to another so that a boy of ten can letter nearly as neat as an expert penman. This alone is worth twice the tuition. None but those paying the full tuition will be allowed the privilege of this instruction. The day class will meet at the Seminary at 4 1/2 P. M. Tuition 60cts. per week or two from same family 50cts. each per week. A free lesson will be given every Saturday commencing at 9 1/2 A. M. Specimen of writing and the prize for most improvement and for further particulars read and examine at Post Office. All kinds of writing done to order. Records, Marriage Certificates filled out in the nicest style.

ISAAC C. MULKINS, Penman.

Report of the Public Schools for the month ending April 12, '72.

To the Hon. Board of Education.—  
The condition of the Public Schools during the past month is shown in the following table:

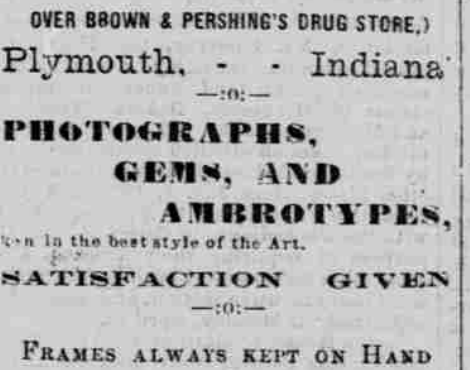
	Primary, Miss Thompson.	Primary, Miss Stubb.	Primary, Miss Williams.	Intermediate, Miss Horton.	Grammar School, Miss Cleveland.	High School, R. W.	Total.
No. Enrolled.	78	56	67	53	55	54	363
Av. daily att'd.	71	43	56	48	41	43	297
Per ct. att'd.	90	76	83	90	74	79	81
No. cases tardy.	25	15	21	23	19	16	109
Per ct. tardiness.	1	1	2	2	1 1/2	2 1/2	2
Time lost by:	65	46	168	61	53	135	458
No. neither late nor absent.	28	13	16	14	11	15	97
Tardies of T'ch'r.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Perfect Rec'tas.	844	632	870	1201	1225	1177	5909
Per cent.	335	881	880	872	813	836	836
Failures.	49	124	8	147	25	305	568
Cases of Physical punishment.	3	0	0	1	1	1	6

Respectfully submitted,  
R. A. CHASE, Sup't.

THE CONNERS CASE.  
Connors Sentenced to the Penitentiary for 6 Years.

The trial of Connors, for the murder of John W. Thornburg in Plymouth, a little over two years ago, came off at South Bend last week. He was found guilty and sentenced to the Penitentiary for six years.  
Most of our readers remember the circumstances of the killing of Thornburg; but as they are not known to all, we give the following brief account. In January 1870, in the night, there was a terrible fight by drunken men in Haslingers drinking saloon, in Plymouth. John W. Thornburg, a school teacher, who was an excellent teacher and a peaceable man when sober, was in the fight. He had been drinking for several days. The next morning after the fight Thornburg was found in Oglesbee's mill yard, insensible and terribly bruised. He lived in an unconscious state about two days, when he died. Connors, Kreyer, and Chas Haslinger were jointly indicted for the murder. Haslinger was tried by a jury who failed to find a verdict, for the reason that after the trial had been two or three days in progress, two of the jurors became sick and unable to hear the whole of the evidence. But the evidence brought out was of such a character as to convince the Prosecuting Attorney that he could not be convicted, and the case as to him was non prosequi. Kreyer's case has never come to a trial, and we understand he is now under bonds for his appearance for trial. Connors' case came up at the February term of the Marshall Circuit Court in 1872, when he was tried by a jury, found guilty, and his punishment assessed at nine years confinement in the penitentiary; but sentence was not pronounced. A new trial was granted by the judge, and the case was continued to a special term in May following, when it was continued to the regular term in August. It was again continued to the February term, 1872, a charge of venue was granted and the case sent to St. Joseph county, with the result above stated.

Miscellaneous.  
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(OVER BROWN & PERSHING'S DRUG STORE.)  
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AMBROTYPES,  
in the best style of the Art.  
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Prices to suit the times.  
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Feed and Sale Stable,  
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CLOCKS, WATCHES, PLATED WARE, AND  
JEWELRY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,  
And keeps constantly on hand  
AMERICAN WATCHES  
of every manufacture.  
I will sell a genuine Elgin Watch, with four oz. silver case, and gold joints, for \$25.  
All repairing wanted.  
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IF YOU WANT THE BEST  
SUGAR CURED HAM  
IN THE MARKET, GET THE  
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You will find them at  
Cleveland & Houghton's  
Where you can find the Best  
Mess Mackerel, Best Tea and Coffee,  
Sugar, Ground and Unground Spices, Canned  
Fruit, Vinegar Pickles,  
Tomato Catsup, Pepper,  
Worcestershire  
Sauce, Double  
Refined  
Petroleum,  
mark Imperial.  
Use no other  
Oil, as it is the safest  
and the best. The Best,  
Largest, and most Complete  
Stock of Glass and Iron Stone  
Ware in the Town of Plymouth.  
And a full line of all other kind of goods of the very best quality kept in a first class Grocery Store.  
O. H. P. BAILEY,  
DEALER IN  
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Glass and Queensware.  
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Highest Market Price Paid for Country Produce.

All goods delivered free of extra charge.  
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Who are now offering and selling goods as cheap as

The Cheapest in this Market,  
For Cash and Produce.  
We keep a full line of articles, such as are kept in a grocery and Provision store.  
We also sell Lime, Plastering Hair Cement and Stucco.  
But a LITTLE LAMB we have not.  
PERSHING & WELCH,  
Plymouth, Ind., May 1, 1871

NEW GROCERY  
AND  
PROVISION STORE,  
BY  
BLAIN & HOGLAN.  
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL  
CROCERS,  
ON THE  
EAST SIDE OF MICHIGAN ST.  
PLYMOUTH, IND.  
KEEP EVERYTHING OF THE  
best quality in their line, which they procure in sell on the most reasonable terms. They will buy all kinds of  
COUNTRY PRODUCE, HIDES  
AND PELTS,  
or which they will pay the highest market price in cash.  
Furs being made a specialty at this house, all persons who bring their Goods, Muskrats, Oppossum, Mink, Otter, and other Furs can feel assured that they will receive the highest cash price.  
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ARE YOU GOING WEST?  
If so, take our advice, and purchase your Tickets over the old reliable and popular Missouri Pacific Railroad, which is, positively, the only line that runs three Daily Express Trains from St. Louis to Kansas City and the West! and its positively, the only line which runs Pullman's Palace Sleepers and the fine Day Coaches (especially for women) equipped with Miller's safety Picketers and the Patent News Brake, from St. Louis to Kansas City, Fort Scott, Parsons, Lawrence, Leavenworth, Atchison, St. Joseph, Sedro, City, Council Bluffs and Omaha without change! For information in regard to Time Tables, rates, &c., to any point in Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Texas or California, call upon or address I. G. WHEELER, Agent, Missouri Pacific R. R. 78 Lloyd St., Buffalo, N. Y., or, E. A. FORD, Gen'l Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.  
No trouble to answer questions!

Attention Builders.  
I have recently fitted up my Planing Mill with new machinery of the latest improved pattern, and am prepared to do work with neatness and dispatch. No delay in getting work done. Cash paid for lumber.  
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HEAR YE! HEAR YE ALL!!!  
To the People of Marshall and adjoining Counties:  
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Have brought one of the most tremendous  
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that ever was seen west of Alleghenias. You just want to step in and see the piles of the loveliest

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the nicest quality,  
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be thought of,  
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Plaids,  
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they have  
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& Checked  
Jackettes,  
New Style Corsets,  
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WILL, FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS,  
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Six Yards for \$1.00, worth 22c per yd.  
Nice Gingham for 12c per Yard.  
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Remember that these Goods were purchased expressly for this market, and will be sold lower than was ever sold before. Call and satisfy yourselves before purchasing elsewhere.