

History Warrick, Spencer and Perry Counties, Indiana, From the Earliest Time to the Present; Together with Interesting Biographical Sketches. Reminiscences, Notes, etc. Illustrated. Chicago: Goodspeed, Bros. & Co., Publishers. 1885.

James P. White is a native of Perry County, Penn., born April 22, 1832, the eldest son born to **John** and **Catharine (McCard), White**, who were married in the Keystone State April 14, 1831. The mother died May 29, 1832, and for his second wife the father married **Miss Elizabeth Eckels**, February 19, 1833, who was a daughter of **Samuel** and **Nancy (White) Eckels**, and to their union six children were born: **Samuel W.**, **Catharine M.**, **Nancy**, **Martha**, **John G.**, and **Thomas B.** **Mr.** and **Mrs. White** came to Warrick County in 1849, locating six miles from Boonville, where they resided until their respective deaths, which occurred March 8 and March 17, 1877. They were both members of the United Presbyterian Church.

James P. White received a good common school education, remaining at home on the farm until his majority. He was united in marriage with **Miss Rachel G. Gwaltney**, daughter of **John** and **Mary Ann (Moore) Gwaltney**, April 13, 1854, and to them have been born five children: **Rosa Belle**, **George W.**, **Perry S.**, **Sarah M.** (deceased), and **Jesse R.** **Mrs. White** was born April 8, 1834. By occupation **Mr. White** is a stock-raiser and farmer, owning 120 acres of well improved land. He is a Republican in politics and he and wife are members of the Presbyterian Church. Since 1882 **Mr. White** has been Weather Observer in the Signal Service of Warrick County and for over twenty-five years has kept a diary of general events without missing a day. He is well known and respected throughout the county.

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