

**Directory of Businesses in
Hendricks County, Indiana
(1885)**

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Author's Note:

This is a transcription of the businesses that are listed in *History of Hendricks County, Indiana* (Chicago: Inter-State Publishing Co., 1885)

It is NOT a comprehensive listing of all the businesses in Hendricks County; it is only a listing of the businesses in these towns: Amo, Brownsburg, Cartersburg, Coatesville, Danville, Lizton, New Winchester, North Salem, Pittsboro, Plainfield, Reno and Stilesville.

Last Name	First Name	Town	Type of Business	Remarks
Adair	J.D.	North Salem	post office	
Adams	[blank]	Danville	abstracts	part of Adams & Emmons
Adams	[blank]	Pittsboro	agricultural implements	part of Adams & Walters
Adams	[blank]	Plainfield	wagons and wood work	part of Dennis & Adams
Adams	James	Pittsboro	blacksmith	
Adams	T.J.	North Salem	physician	
Alberson	Jesse	Reno	shoe shop	
Allen	[blank]	Danville	grocer	part of Vaught & Allen
Allen	Thomas	Pittsboro	general store	
Allman	Miss	Plainfield	dress maker	
Allman	Pleasant	Plainfield	livery stable	
Alston	Charles	Pittsboro	blacksmith	
Anderson	T.D.	Brownsburg	blacksmith	
Anderson	T.D., Mrs.	Brownsburg	milliner	
Bailey	J.T.	North Salem	boots and shoes	
Bales	Daniel	North Salem	pool room	
Barker	Joel T.	Brownsburg	physician	
Baughman	[blank]	Coatesville	druggist	part of Robbins & Baughman
Baughman	Isaac	Coatesville	hotel	Coatesville House
Bell	[blank]	Brownsburg	hardware	part of Bell & Watts

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Bell	J.J.	Danville	harness maker	
Bell	Jacob	Pittsboro	shoemaker	
Bennett	H.C.	Danville	barber	
Biddle	[blank]	Danville	hardware	part of Biddle & Douglass
Black	[blank]	Danville	wagon and blacksmith shop	part of Black & Dooley
Bohannon	A.G.	Brownsburg	livery stable	
Bonney	James	Brownsburg	druggist	
Bourne	J.M.	Coatesville	druggist	
Bradley	[blank]	Pittsboro	agricultural implements	part of Meal & Bradley
Brattin	A.R.	Danville	jewelry	
Brazier	T.T.	New Winchester	physician	
Bromfield	[blank]	Pittsboro	flouring mill	part of Weaver & Broomfield
Brown	A.A.	Plainfield	attorney	
Brown	James	Coatesville	shoe shop	
Brown	John	Coatesville	boarding house	
Brown	O.F.	Brownsburg	wagon maker and blacksmith	
Bruce	Jacob	Stilesville	hack and mail line	
Bryant	[blank]	Coatesville	druggist	part of Bryant & Sharp

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Burglin	Louis	Pittsboro	blacksmith; wagon shop	
Burk	T.P.	Lizton	physician	
Campbell	D.W.	Coatesville	general store	
Campbell	T.L.	Coatesville	furniture	
Carrier	W.W.	Danville	sewing machines	
Carter	[blank]	Plainfield	saw mill	part of Douglass & Carter
Carter	[blank]	Plainfield	agricultural implements	part of Hiss & Carter
Carter	A.	Plainfield	physician	
Carter	J.M.	North Salem	carpenter	
Chadd	[blank]	North Salem	livery stable	part of Chadd & Chadd
Chapman	John P.	North Salem	livery stable	
Clark	[blank]	Cartersburg	grain dealer	part of Cox & Clark
Clark	J.T.	Danville	meat market	part of J.T. Clark & Co.
Clark	Owen	Brownsburg	shoe shop	
Clay	[blank]	North Salem	stock dealer	part of Surber & Clay
Coe	[blank]	Cartersburg	blacksmith	part of Coe & Cox
Conde	H.T.	Plainfield	agricultural implements	
Conover	W.C.	North Salem	carpenter	

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Cook	[blank]	Amo	grocery and meat market	part of Cook & Masten
Cook	[blank]	Brownsburg	saw mill and fence factory	part of Cook & Co.
Cope	[blank]	Brownsburg	general store	part of Cope & Hunt
Cox	[blank]	Cartersburg	blacksmith	part of Coe & Cox
Cox	[blank]	Cartersburg	grain dealer	part of Cox & Clark
Cox	J.A.	Pittsboro	hotel	Central House
Craddick	J.W.	Danville	photographer	
Crawford	[blank]	Stilesville	meat market	part of Elder & Crawford
Crawford	A.N.	Stilesville	blacksmith	
Crews	Henry	Coatesville	restaurant	
Crimmel	William	Reno	station agent	
Crosswaite	A.J.	Amo	blacksmith; wagon shop	
Dalton	Caleb	Plainfield	meat market	
Davidson	[blank]	North Salem	dry goods	part of Lumpkin & Davidson
Davidson	A.W.	Brownsburg	physician	
Davis	[blank]	North Salem	stock dealer	part of Davis & Davis
Davis	[blank]	North Salem	furniture; undertaker	part of Davis & Smith
Davis	[blank]	North Salem	restaurant	part of Davis Bros.
Davis	A.H.	Lizton	druggist	

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Davis	Granville	North Salem	harness maker	
Davis	R.F.	North Salem	blacksmith	
Delany	J.M.	Lizton	grocer	
Dennis	[blank]	Plainfield	wagons and wood work	part of Dennis & Adams
Dillon	Isaac	Pittsboro	hotel	Dillon House
Dinwiddie	Thomas	Danville	blacksmith	
Dinwiddie	W.F.	Brownsburg	grocery; post office	
Dooley	[blank]	Danville	wagon and blacksmith shop	part of Black & Dooley
Dooley	[blank]	Danville	hardware	part of Dooley & McCoun
Dooley	Zach	Danville	grocer	
Dorman	R.T.	Pittsboro	general store	
Douglass	[blank]	Danville	hardware	part of Biddle & Douglass
Douglass	[blank]	Plainfield	saw mill	part of Douglass & Carter
Douglass	[blank]	Plainfield	builder	part of Douglass & Strong
Douglass	W.C.	Plainfield	builder	
Dowden	J.R.	Lizton	dentist	
Downard	[blank]	Danville	abstracts	part of Downard & Parker

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Draper	[blank]	Coatesville	general store	part of Draper & Gambold
Dudley	Thomas	Danville	barber	
Dugan	John	Brownsburg	grocery	
Eaton	Grandison	Brownsburg	brick yard	
Edmonds	Robert	Plainfield	builder	
Elder	[blank]	Stilesville	meat market	part of Elder & Crawford
Ellis	[blank]	Brownsburg	tile factory	part of Ellis Bros.
Ellis	[blank]	Plainfield	saw mill	part of Ellis & Sons
Ellis	E.R.	Coatesville	harness maker	
Ellis	Teresa	Plainfield	dress maker	
Ellmore	Mrs.	Stilesville	milliner	
Ellmore	William H.	Stilesville	shoe shop	
Emmons	[blank]	Danville	abstracts	part of Adams & Emmons
Englehart	Martin	Danville	blacksmith	
Evans	E.N.	Stilesville	carpenter	
Evans	T.E.	Plainfield	physician	
F.M.	Davis	North Salem	miller	
Fawcett	W.T.	Plainfield	boots and shoes	
Feely	Daniel	Pittsboro	stave factory	
Fetrow	Alex	Coatesville	saw and planing mill	

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Fisher	Nathan	Coatesville	freight and express agent	
Fleece	[blank]	North Salem	hardware	part of Fleece & Fleece
Fleece	M.J.	North Salem	hotel	Fleece House
Fleece	W.H.	North Salem	general store	
Fogleman	G.W.	Plainfield	builder	
Fogleman	Rosa, Miss	Plainfield	dress maker	
Forshee	Charles	Brownsburg	wagon maker and blacksmith	
Fowler	[blank]	Lizton	tile factory	part of Fowler & Bro.
Frazier	Nerius	Plainfield	blacksmith	
Gambold	[blank]	Coatesville	general store	part of Draper & Gambold
Gardner	[blank]	North Salem	dry goods	part of Gardner & Hocker
Gentry	[blank]	Stilesville	general store	part of Gentry Bros.
Gentry	B.M.	Stilesville	post office	
George	I.H.	Amo	drug store; post office	
Gerlash	[blank]	Danville	baker	part of Gerlash & Hennings
Gibbons	Thomas	Coatesville	harness maker	
Glass	George N.	Coatesville	photographer	
Gose	T.L.	Reno	blacksmith	

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Graham	T.A.	Brownsburg	physician	
Green	[blank]	Plainfield	druggist	part of Green & Hadley
Green	Cyrus	Plainfield	station agent	
Green	J.N.	Stilesville	physician	
Green	M.D.	Brownsburg	druggist	
Green	Yancy	Danville	grocer	
Griffith	J.W.	Brownsburg	barber	
Gullefer	T.B.	Plainfield	physician	
Hackley	G.E.	North Salem	blacksmith	
Hackley	Napoleon	North Salem	barber	
Hackley	W.H.	North Salem	blacksmith	
Hadley	[blank]	Danville	banker	part of Hadley, Homan & Co.
Hadley	[blank]	Plainfield	druggist	part of Green & Hadley
Hadley	Harlan	Plainfield	livery stable	
Hadley	T.L.	Reno	broom factory	
Haines	Powell	North Salem	pool room	
Haley	Joseph	Lizton	blacksmith	
Hall	E.H.	Danville	grocer	
Hamar	W.L.	Plainfield	dentist	
Harlan	B.G.	Plainfield	dentist	
Harrison	A.T.	Plainfield	editor	editor, Plainfield Progress

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Havens	C.A., Miss	Plainfield	dress maker	
Hawkins	[blank]	Brownsburg	grist and saw mill	part of Smith & Hawkins
Hawkins	L.B.	Danville	sewing machines	
Haynes	[blank]	Danville	flouring mill	part of Haynes Bros.
Heavenridge	A.	Stilesville	druggist and physician	
Hedge	Francis, Mrs.	Lizton	milliner	
Hedge	Gord	North Salem	barber	
Hennings	[blank]	Danville	baker	part of Gerlash & Hennings
Henry	[blank]	Danville	milliner; dress maker	part of Hunt & Henry
Herbster	M.M.	Lizton	druggist	
Hiatt	[blank]	Plainfield	saw and flouring mill	part of Hiatt & Sons
Hicks	W.W.	Danville	baker	
Hiett	Scott	North Salem	meat market	
Hill	O.W.	Pittsboro	postmaster	
Hiss	[blank]	Plainfield	agricultural implements	part of Hiss & Carter
Hiss	S.	Plainfield	undertaker	
Hobbs	Anson	Plainfield	grocer; hotel	
Hocker	[blank]	North Salem	dry goods	part of Gardner & Hocker

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Hogan	James	Brownsburg	grocer	
Hole	L.W.	North Salem	station agent	
Homan	[blank]	Danville	banker	part of Hadley, Homan & Co.
Howell	B.F.	Danville	grocer	
Howell	Henry	Danville	grocer	
Huddleston	Hiram	Pittsboro	livery stable	
Hunt	[blank]	Brownsburg	general store	part of Cope & Hunt
Hunt	[blank]	Danville	milliner; dress maker	part of Hunt & Henry
Hunt	Mrs.	Brownsburg	milliner; dress maker	
Hunt	Stephen	Coatesville	physician	
Hunt	Tilghman	Coatesville	physician	
Huston	H.	Danville	grocer	
Jackson	Allen	Plainfield	livery and sale stable	
Jeffers	J.M.	Danville	dry goods	
Job	Allen	Coatesville	hardware	
Johnson	[blank]	Danville	barber	part of Johnson Bros.
Johnson	A.W.	Stilesville	boarding house	
Johnson	Ellwood	Plainfield	greenhouse	
Johnson	I.A.	Plainfield	harness maker	
Johnson	J.H.	Brownsburg	attorney	
Johnson	O.P.	Lizton	physician	

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Johnson	W.H.	Coatesville	livery stable	
Jones	Adam	Plainfield	nursery	
Jones	John R.	Brownsburg	attorney	
Jones	W.J.K.P.	North Salem	druggist	
Keen	E.C.	Brownsburg	meat market	
Keeney	[blank]	Danville	feed and sale stable	part of Keeney & Son
Keeter	[blank]	Danville	grocer	part of Keeter & Co.
Keleher	[blank]	Danville	druggist	part of Keleher Bros.
Kelley	A.D.	Stilesville	merchant tailor	
Kelley	Joseph H.	Brownsburg	barber	
Kelley	R.A.	Plainfield	barber	
Kendall	J.H.	Lizton	wagon shop	
Kennedy	J.O.	New Winchester	post office; general store	
King	Will A.	Danville	editor	editor, Gazette
Kinnan	T.B.	Plainfield	post office	
Lakin	W.N.	Coatesville	wagon shop; agricultural implements	
Langsdale	Mary	Brownsburg	dress maker	
Lawrence	[blank]	Plainfield	real estate and insurance	part of Lawrence & Small
Leach	W.W.	North Salem	grocer	
Leak	D.B.	Lizton	hotel	Lizton Hotel

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Lewis	A.M.	Plainfield	hardware	part of A.M. Lewis & Co.
Lewis	James	Danville	dry goods	
Lewis	Robert	Plainfield	physician	
Linn	J.S.	North Salem	boots and shoes	
Linn	J.S.	North Salem	attorney	
Linton	Mrs.	Pittsboro	milliner	
Logan	[blank]	Lizton	saw mill	part of Shepherd & Logan
Lumkins	O.D.	Brownsburg	furniture; undertaker	
Lumpkin	[blank]	North Salem	dry goods	part of Lumpkin & Davidson
Lytle	J.A.	North Salem	general store	
Manning	[blank]	Danville	music	part of Manning Bros.
Marker	Elias H.	Coatesville	miller	
Marsh	J.L.	Brownsburg	physician	
Marsh	Julius	Danville	druggist	
Marshall	[blank]	Amo	saw mill	part of Roberts & Marshall
Masten	[blank]	Amo	grocery and meat market	part of Cook & Masten
Masters	A.L.	Stilesville	dry goods	
Masters	N.G.	Stilesville	physician	

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McClelland	[blank]	Danville	undertaker	part of McClelland & Thompson
McClelland	W.R.	Danville	furniture; wallpaper	
McCloud	G.W.	Amo	livery stable	
McCoun	[blank]	Danville	hardware	part of Dooley & McCoun
McCoun	[blank]	Danville	dry goods	part of McCoun & Co.
McCurdy	James T.	Danville	carriage maker	
McDonald	S.W.	Brownsburg	general store	part of S.W. McDonald & Bro.
McKenzie	W.	Stilesville	saddler; harness maker	
McMillen	[blank]	Plainfield	dairy	part of McMillen & Son
McPhetridge	W.H.	Danville	harness maker	
Meal	[blank]	Pittsboro	agricultural implements	part of Meal & Bradley
Mendenhall	Thomas	Amo	grocery	
Mesler	John	Danville	grocer	
Miller	Charles	Brownsburg	shoe shop	
Moffett	[blank]	Danville	editor	part of Moffett & Riddle; editors, Republican
Moore	[blank]	Danville	restaurant	part of Moore & Sons
Moore	P.F.	Plainfield	grocer	

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Morris	Charles	Danville	tobacco and notions	
Moudy	Alvin	Stilesville	grocery	
Neiger	Fred	Danville	wagon shop	
Newkirk	William	Coatesville	contractor	
Newlin	Mrs.	Plainfield	boarding house	
Nichols	[blank]	Danville	druggist	part of Nichols Bros.
Norton	[blank]	Danville	furniture	part of Wade & Norton
O'Day	Thomas	Brownsburg	grocer	
Osborn	[blank]	Lizton	grist mill	part of Osborn & Ross
Osborn	W.M.	Lizton	gunsmith	
Osborne	A.	Stilesville	druggist	
Osborne	S.A.	Plainfield	wagon shop	
Owen	E.B.	Amo	general store	
Owens	Charles	Plainfield	blacksmith	
Parker	[blank]	Danville	abstracts	part of Downard & Parker
Patterson	H.A.	Danville	boots and shoes	
Pearson	[blank]	Amo	livery stable	part of Pearson & Snodgrass
Pearson	[blank]	Danville	saw mill	part of Smith, Pearson & Co.
Phillip	[blank]	Cartersburg	blacksmith	part of Phillip & Pruitt

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Phillips	Frank	Plainfield	dry goods	
Phillips	Mit	Plainfield	druggist	
Pounds	A.P.	Danville	hardware	
Prendergast	J.W.	Danville	photographer	
Pritchett	A.M.	Plainfield	builder	
Pruitt	[blank]	Cartersburg	blacksmith	part of Phillip & Pruitt
Quinn	Malachi	Brownsburg	grocer	
Rader	H.H., Mrs.	Danville	jewelry	
Ralston	W.W.	Amo	station agent	
Rammel	William	Reno	post office; general store	
Rawlings	[blank]	Danville	dry goods	part of Rawlings Bros.
Rawlings	Harvey	Cartersburg	hotel	
Reagan	Jesse	Plainfield	physician	
Reagan	T.	Plainfield	grocer	
Reagan	Zach	North Salem	carpenter	
Reichard	G.W.	Danville	druggist	
Reynolds	D.A.	Lizton	jewelry	
Ribble	M.D.	North Salem	druggist	
Rich	L.H.	New Winchester	shoemaker	
Richardson	[blank]	Stilesville	blacksmith	part of Tignor & Richardson

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Riddle	[blank]	Danville	editor	part of Moffett & Riddle; editors, Republican
Risher	D.W.	Coatesville	post office; grocery	
Robbins	[blank]	Coatesville	druggist	part of Robbins & Baughman
Robbins	Benjamin	North Salem	carpenter	
Robbins	William	New Winchester	physician	
Roberts	[blank]	Amo	saw mill	part of Roberts & Marshall
Roberts	J.D.	North Salem	physician	
Ross	[blank]	Lizton	grist mill	part of Osborn & Ross
Rowe	John	Danville	livery stable	
Sanders	Charles	Danville	grocer	
Scearce	G.W.	Danville	boots and shoes	
Schooley	N.R.	Plainfield	coal dealer	
Scott	Edward	New Winchester	blacksmith	
Sears	R.B.	Danville	baker; restaurant	
Sharp	[blank]	Coatesville	druggist	part of Bryant & Sharp
Shaw	E.J.	Plainfield	dry goods	
Sheehan	John R.	Brownsburg	attorney	
Shepherd	[blank]	Lizton	saw mill	part of Shepherd & Logan

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Sherley	[blank]	Danville	dry goods	part of Sherley, Showalter & Co.
Shipp	M.C.	Lizton	general store	
Shirley	W.J.	Pittsboro	general store	
Shoptaugh	W.A.	Stilesville	hotel	
Showalter	[blank]	Danville	dry goods	part of Sherley, Showalter & Co.
Siler	Noah	Coatesville	blacksmith	
Silvey	I.M.	Danville	livery stable	
Sivage	I.R.	Plainfield	livery stable	
Small	[blank]	Plainfield	real estate and insurance	part of Lawrence & Small
Smith	[blank]	Brownsburg	grist and saw mill	part of Smith & Hawkins
Smith	[blank]	Danville	saw mill	part of Smith, Pearson & Co.
Smith	[blank]	North Salem	furniture; undertaker	part of Davis & Smith
Smith	F.W.	Plainfield	physician	
Smith	S.	Plainfield	restaurant	
Snipes	W.R.	Plainfield	grocer	
Snodgrass	[blank]	Amo	livery stable	part of Pearson & Snodgrass
Sowder	G.G.	North Salem	wagon shop	
Sowder	Milton	North Salem	justice of the peace	

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Sparks	D.W.	Brownsburg	grocer	
Spaulding	William	Pittsboro	wagon shop	
Spray	Eli	Plainfield	dairy	
Stanley	C.L.	Coatesville	attorney	
Stewart	C.W.	Danville	books	
Strong	[blank]	Plainfield	builder	part of Douglass & Strong
Strong	J.T.	Plainfield	physician	
Sullivan	O.W.	Plainfield	shoe shop	
Surber	[blank]	North Salem	stock dealer	part of Surber & Clay
Surber	J.M.	North Salem	boarding house	
Swope	Samuel	Stilesville	undertaker	
Talbot	W.H.	Coatesville	attorney	
Tharp	W.C.	Lizton	hardware	
Thompson	[blank]	Danville	undertaker	part of McClelland & Thompson
Thompson	J.W., Jr.	Lizton	general store	
Tignor	[blank]	Stilesville	blacksmith	part of Tignor & Richardson
Toll	J.M.	Brownsburg	general store	
Tomlinson	[blank]	Plainfield	banker	part of Tomlinson & Co.
Tomlinson	C.L.	Brownsburg	livery stable	
Tomlinson	Moses	Plainfield	jewelry; photography; mill	

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Tout	C.S.	Lizton	postmaster; express agent	
Tout	G.W.	Danville	meat market	
Towles	[blank]	Danville	druggist	part of Towles & Son
Townsend	William	Plainfield	grocer	
Trueblood	Abraham	Danville	coal	
Tucker	[blank]	Coatesville	dry goods	part of Wier & Tucker
Tucker	Will	Plainfield	barber	
Vaught	[blank]	Danville	grocer	part of Vaught & Allen
Vawter	W.A.	Danville	dry goods	
Wade	[blank]	Danville	furniture	part of Wade & Norton
Wagoner	A., Mrs.	Plainfield	milliner; dress maker	
Walden	John	Reno	general store	
Walker	J.E., Mrs.	Plainfield	milliner; dress maker	
Walters	[blank]	Pittsboro	agricultural implements	part of Adams & Walters
Wasson	Ellwood	Plainfield	blacksmith	
Waters	Isaac B.	Pittsboro	furniture; undertaker	
Watson	W.A.	Plainfield	grocer	
Watts	[blank]	Brownsburg	hardware	part of Bell & Watts

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Watts	Samuel W.	Brownsburg	grocer	
Wayland	G.W.	Danville	books	
Weaver	[blank]	Pittsboro	flouring mill	part of Weaver & Broomfield
Weaver	A.C.	Pittsboro	general store	
Weibel	Ed	Danville	barber	
Welshans	Alf	Danville	merchant tailor	
Wier	[blank]	Coatesville	dry goods	part of Wier & Tucker
Wilhite	Willis	Plainfield	dry goods	
Wilkin	William	Plainfield	blacksmith	
Williams	Joseph	Coatesville	justice of the peace	
Wilson	James A.	Danville	hotel	proprietor, Mansion House
Worley	[blank]	North Salem	skating rink	part of Worley & Son
Worline	William	Reno	blacksmith	
Worth	B.F.	Plainfield	grocer; meat market	
Worth	J.C.	Plainfield	feed stable	
Worth	T.J.	Plainfield	tin shop	
Young	Hugh	Brownsburg	grocer	