

J. CLEMENT HASINGER. Although one of the younger business men of Indiana, J. Clement Hasinger is noted for the industry and frugality which so much tend to make business a success, and when we add to this the simple encomium that means so much. He is an honest man, we have noted his whole character. He is a son of Clement and Susannah (Rising) Hasinger, and was born at Indiana, Indiana county, Pennsylvania, January 24, 1862. His father, Clement Hasinger, was a native of Bavaria and in 1853 came to Indiana, where he engaged in the grocery business for some twenty-five years, when he retired from active business life, leaving to his sons, as a result of his untiring energy, a well-establish business. He was a member of the Catholic church and a democrat. He died December 8, 1888, aged sixty-three years. His wife was a daughter of Martin Rising, who came to this country with her parents in 1839, landing at Baltimore. They settled in Cherry Hill township, where Martin Rising bought a farm on which he still lives, being now eighty-five years of age. He is a member of the Catholic church, as is also his daughter, Mrs. Hasinger, who lives in Indiana with her sons, and is now in the fifty-third year of her age.

J. Clement Hasinger received his education in the public schools of Indiana. Leaving school, he assisted his father in the grocery store until the later gave up the business, in 1888, to him and his brother, John E., who have since done business under the firm name of Hasinger Bros. John E., also runs a cigar factory at Indiana, while J. Clement owns a bread and cake bakery.

On October 5, 1880, he was married to Mary, youngest daughter of Conrad Bergman, of Indiana. They have two children, a daughter, names Florence, and a son, William Ralph.

J. Clement Hasinger is a democrat in political opinion, and a member of the catholic Knights of St. George. The Hasingers—father and sons—are an example of what industry and frugality, the noted German characteristics, will accomplish.