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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Railroad Commissioners: JOHN A. KNOTT, JOSEPH P. RICE. For State Superintendent of Schools: W. T. CARRINGTON. For Judges of the Supreme Court: G. D. BURGESS, LEROY B. VALLIANT, JAMES D. FOX. For Judge St. Louis Court of Appeals: VALLE REYBURN. For Congressman, 13th District: EDWARD ROBB. For State Senator: FRANK H. FARRIS.

IRON COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative: JOHN C. HORN. For Sheriff: JOHN W. POLK. For Collector of the Revenue: P. W. WHITWORTH. For Treasurer: J. N. LEWIS. For Prosecuting Attorney: W. H. VAN NORT. For Presiding Judge County Court: W. H. BUFORD. For County Judge—Southern District: MARION LEWIS. For County Judge—Western District: WARREN C. JOHNSON. For Probate Judge: JNO. B. HAMPTON. For Clerk of the Circuit Court: JESSE M. HAWKINS. For Clerk of the County Court: WM. T. O'NEAL. For Coroner: DR. D. CLARKSON.

DEMOCRATS should not forget when they go to the polls on election day, that the school amendment is Number Seven. Scratch out the No, so that your vote will be recorded Yes. Too many voters neglect to vote on proposed amendments and hence the amendments are frequently lost by reason of non-voting. Be sure that your ballot is properly made out in favor of the School Amendment No. 7.

During thirty years of administrative power in Missouri the Democratic party has been faithful to all the people. Every two years it has passed through the crucible of campaign fire and had its every act submitted openly and fully to popular inspection. Today the grand old party has nothing to conceal, and, having been found always true and honest, it will be again triumphant at the coming election.

"If it were true," says ex-Gov. Wm. J. Stone, "that the Democratic party had looted the school fund it should be whipped from power with scorpion lash; but, the charge being malignantly false, as I have shown it to be, the political party which is responsible, for it deserves only the scorn and destitution of the people. The people of Missouri will never give their sanction to a lie like that, basely uttered to the injury of State, and spoken so all the world can hear it."

"It is not fit," said Gov. Dockery in his Holt speech, "neither is it wise that the destinies of such a State as ours should be again committed to a party whose leadership reviles our history, traduces honored names and falsifies public records for partisan purposes." That is a sentiment every Democrat and every fair-minded Republican should remember when he goes to cast his ballot. Republicanism has been tried in the balances and found wanting. Missouri wants none of it.

Des Arc Items.

I was at Ironton Saturday and expected to see a big crowd there to hear several Republican speeches, but I was disappointed. Only one man from Des Arc and none from Annapolis and Sabula, and one negro from Hogan. I don't believe there were fifty all told at Ironton to the day speaking; I was not there at night. Since my last writing I have seen two-thirds of our voters, and there will be at least 100 Democratic votes polled here, and the entire Democratic ticket will be elected.

E. W. Graves has his water works completed. Mr. Graves is a great help to this town, and I wish we had several more business men like him; we would have a lively town. If he was only a Democrat he would be the best man in the county, but as it is I am afraid he will be lost.

Mrs. W. E. McKee and daughter and Miss Anna Morris spent several days in the city last week. Mrs. E. W. Graves' mother and niece are visiting her from Iowa. Her niece will return home in a few weeks, but her mother will remain through the winter. Walter Pate from St. Louis is visiting his brother, James, at this place. Mrs. John Stevenson and baby are spending the first part of this week with her mother at Piedmont.

Mrs. Clay Clifton and family left Sunday for Cape Girardeau, where they will make their future home. Miss Ora Lovelace returned home last Thursday from Greenville, where she has been visiting.

Des Arc was blessed with boys last Sunday. Ed. Maddock, Art. Myers and James Lovelace, brakemen on the Iron Mountain, spent Sunday here. Also Joe Hickman and Mr. Neely from Piedmont.

E. W. Graves, wife and niece are spending a few days in Keener this week.

Miss Blanche Fitz returned home Wednesday, after spending the past three weeks with her Aunt in Illinois. Rev. T. A. Bowman will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

A Typical South African Store.

O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundays River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an anchor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about twenty five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of the question. Within one mile of my store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Silgo Items.

We are having beautiful October sunshine after our cloudy damp weather of two weeks.

The hunting season has come. W. H. Webb leaves for the south on a hunt next week.

There are quite a number of Iron county boys out here. Seven of them work at the mill that G. A. Hartzell is running. Three of them have gone home on a visit. Messrs. Harvey Sutton, Charles Marton and James Donard.

Also one of our Keynolds county boys, Charlie Wilson, has returned home.

The Key school near the mill began the 13th of this month with Miss Dunlap as teacher.

This is the place for summer grapes. Mrs. G. A. Hartzell, with a party of friends, went grape hunting not long since and I must say there are plenty of nuts of all kinds.

Mr. G. D. Sloan seems to be well pleased with the work out here. The mill G. A. Hartzell is running has sawed over 260,000 feet of lumber since the first of September. They sawed logs last week from four to five feet through.

Mr. Luther Sinclair was seen in this vicinity not long since.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Key board the mill hands. They have a jolly lot of boys.

What is the matter with our Bellevue correspondent? And has Monterey writer quit?

Well, old Jack Frost visited us the night of the 14th. Also plenty of ice the same night.

W. O. Hartzell is trying mill work at present.

Goes Like Hot Cakes.

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith, of Davis, Ky., "Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, because it always cures. In my sixty years of sales it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from Throat and Lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and the Arcadia Valley Drug Co. guarantee satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes, 50c and \$1.

Bellevue Items.

Farmers in this locality have been very busy the past few days gathering corn, digging potatoes and finishing sowing wheat.

The Second Baptist people failed to procure the services of Rev. Mr. Harris to conduct the meeting, of which I spoke some time since, and, of course, will not hold a protracted meeting till later.

Real estate buyers appear to be numerous in this locality, but I am informed that some of them have, after making contracts for land, "graw-fished."

Dr. Karlegon made a professional call at Imboden last week.

A. G. Moyer has been hauling lumber from Sawyer's mill, preparatory to building.

Mr. Hartlow visited Thos. Wallen Sunday, 19th inst.

J. G. Hartman and family, of Mann, visited Mrs. Tharpon Sunday the 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Latham made a trip to Flat River Friday last.

Mr. Crossman has removed his family into the property he recently purchased from H. Latham.

I am reliably informed that Mrs. Chambers has recently drawn nearly \$2000 pension.

Marshall Petty has removed his family into the Goggin property, which he purchased sometime since.

On Sunday, the 19th, the writer and family visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Latham, and while there I, accompanied by H. L., rambled over some of the farms in that locality with a pertinacity worthy of a better object. To one who is confined to the house five days in every week, nothing affords so much pleasure and recreation as an occasional ramble over this lovely valley in the

Farmers Attention!



Why buy Swift & Co.'s PURE RAW BONE MEAL? Because it is the best wheat grower manufactured.

Why take your wheat to Ironton Manufacturing Co., in exchange for Bone Meal? Because they will allow you 2c per bushel more for the wheat exchanged for Bone Meal.

Swift & Company's Fertilizers

FOR SALE BY THE

Ironton Man'g Co.,

(Agents for Iron County.)

IRONTON,

MISSOURI.

genial sunshine, breathing the balmy atmosphere, heavily laden with its oxygen and ozone.

Prof. J. M. Hawkins, candidate for Circuit Clerk, was in the valley Saturday afternoon, the 18th, shaking hands with his friends. Jesse is a very worthy young man, and will get not only the votes of all Democrats in this precinct but many Republican votes as well. That is as it should be. Give honor to whom honor is due, regardless of "race, color or previous condition of servitude."

Old People Have Their Troubles.

Mr. Francis Little of Benton Harbor, Mich., is over eighty years of age. Since 1865 he has been troubled more or less with indigestion and constipation and has tried almost everything in use for those ailments. Last August he began using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and was soon feeling much better. In a recent letter he says, "I have used three boxes of the Tablets and now think I am well." These Tablets improve the appetite and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Goodwater Items.

The long rainy periods during the latter part of September and the first week of this month delayed the sowing of small grain, and caused much injury to corn and poorly shocked fodder. However, as Hessian flies are very numerous in most fields this year, the later sown grain will quite likely do better than that sown earlier. In most orchards hereabouts, apples were very scarce this year, but Jno. G. Yount harvested a fine crop of them yesterday.

No serious damage was done by "Jack Frost" in this locality, until the night of the 13th inst. Since then the weather has been remarkably warm for October in this latitude.

The following named gentlemen were in this community on business during October: Mr. W. T. Gay, of Ironton, Hon. J. C. Horn, of near Bellevue, T. F. Blount, of Potosi, A. H. Bay, of Efling, W. J. Crabtree, of Davisville, Geo. B. Cole, of Quaker, Edward Johnson, of near Belgrade, and Jno. G. Yount, of near Ironton.

The following named residents of this neighborhood went to the places named on business during this month: Jas. F. Merritt, to Red Point, Jas. Payne, to Flat River, W. R. Wood, to Ironton, J. M. Lucas, to Sunlight.

The following named persons visited relatives at the points named since Sept. 30th: Walter Mayberry and his sons, Mrs. Ed. Payne and Miss Eliza Merritt, Flat River, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O. Scott, near Tolu, and Mrs. Jane Payne, near Quaker.

W. B. Wood recently treated himself to a new Neeley wagon. A deputy U. S. marshal passed through here on the 15th inst., with witnesses in the counterfeit money case.

Wm. Carl has returned home from near Ironton, where he has just completed a fine country residence for John G. Yount. Mr. Carl is a very industrious and ingenious man.

Jas. Crocker has just returned from Montana, where he spent sometime. There's no place like home, is there, Jimmie?

Samuel Crocker is very ill, and it is thought that his recovery is very doubtful. His ailment is due to stone in the bladder and consequent stricture of the urethra. Drs. John R. and J. Q. Adams are his physicians.

Jas. U. Scott and I carefully measured the tomato vine mentioned in my last letter, on the 17th inst., and found it to have attained a height of 13 feet and 2 inches. We then loosened the braces that upheld the vine and stretched it upon the ground. A careful measurement proved that it was 15 feet long. Hon. J. C. Horn and I afterward verified the last measurement. I am confident that it is the tallest tomato vine grown in Iron county.

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FOR RENT—Foster cottage newly papered. In first-class repair. Enquire

J. LOPEZ.

Out Of Death's Jaws.

"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, that I had suffered with for years," writes P. Muse, Durham, N. C., "Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave perfect health." Best pills on earth and only 25c at Arcadia Valley Drug Store.

A large and carefully selected stock of Clocks and Jewelry at H. Barhouse's.

Bronchitis For Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure." Contains no opiates. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Missouri State Fruit Experiment Station, Mountain Grove, Missouri.

The Experiment Station has published Bulletin No. 3, which is devoted to a discussion of varieties of apples and peaches.

The opinions of many of the leading apple and peach growers are given as well as information collected by the Station.

The information contained in it is valuable for beginners in fruit growing for it contains information that will be of assistance to them in selecting varieties for planting.

The Bulletins of the Station are free to residents of the state who are interested in them, and they may be obtained by writing to the Director of the Fruit Experiment Station, Mountain Grove, Mo.

His Life In Peril.

"I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex., "billousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at Arcadia Valley Drug Store.

Rev. W. A. Humphreys offers at private sale, the following articles: Bedroom Suite, Iron Bedstead, Bed Springs, Cotton Mattress. Call at the residence of J. W. Speck.

"Watch The Kidneys"

"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Lost—From Valley Home, a small pet dog, black and white, answers to the name of "Minor." Will pay \$5 reward for its safe return.

W. H. THOMSON, Arcadia, Mo.

Spent More than \$1000.

W. W. Baker of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife suffered from lung trouble for fifteen years. She tried a number of doctors and spent over \$1000 without relief. She became very low and lost all hope. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and, thanks to this great remedy, it saved her life. She enjoys better health than she has known in ten years. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co."

FOR SALE—A good two-story, 7-room house, all newly papered and painted. Excellent location. Less than cost for a quick sale. Enquire at once.

H. O'BRIEN.

Never Ask Advice.

When you have a cough or cold don't ask what is good for it and get some medicine with little or no merit and perhaps dangerous. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, it cures coughs and colds quickly. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.



Several Thousand Dollars' worth of New Fall Dry Goods Just Opened, and All Marked at the Lowest Possible Price.

All the Latest and Best Styles in Dress Goods, Silks, Millinery, Trimmings, Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear, Blankets, Furnishing Goods and Clothing.

DRESS GOODS—A new arrival of the Late Styles in Waistings, Plaids and Catch Suitings, and all the Latest Wears. Broadcloths, Venetians and Flannels in many colors. Splendid Tricots, all wool, at 25c a yard. 40-inch all-wool Basket Cloth, one of the most fashionable weaves of the season, for 50c a yard, in all colors. Well worth 75c.

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY—The Ladies will find this Department in good hands.

Millinery Opening.

Our Opening will be held Thursday, October 2, 1902. A Souvenir to Every Lady.

NOVEL WALK SKIRT—Made of Snowflake material, in Black and Brown and White-Spotted. Also in Flannels and Broadcloths. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$7. A beautiful line of Ladies' Silk and Flannel Waists, from \$1.50 to \$4.50.

CLOTHING—Never could we say, as we can now, that our stock is complete, for we are showing some of the Choicest Suits for Men, Boys and Children. Men's Suits, Tailor-Made, in the latest fashion, with the stiff front effect, in Black Cheviot, Scotch Mixtures, and Fancy Worsteds; price \$12.50 to \$15—just half of tailor prices.

\$8, \$7.50 and \$5 buy good All-Wool Suits in Round and Square Cut, and will wear like iron. Well worth \$10. Knee Pants Suits from \$1 to \$4. Excellent values at \$1.50, and we sell our Good Wool Suits in Black and Gray Cheviot, at \$2.25.

House-Furnishing Goods.

A Good Line of Wall-Paper, 10 cents a Roll. Oil Cloths, Linoleums and Carpets. Splendid Values.

Heating Stoves, \$1.25 and Up.

Splendid Values in FURNITURE. Parties going to Housekeeping will please give us a call.



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