

OFFICIAL VOTE OF MISSOURI ON DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINEES

Table with columns for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner, and Judge Supreme Court. Rows list counties and their respective votes for various candidates.

MISSOURI NEWS

Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. Cleanses the System Effectually. Dispel Colds and Headaches due to Constipation. Acts naturally, acts truly as a Laxative.

Negroes Dread Springfield. Mexico—Fearful of being again attacked, a score or more of negro refugees from Springfield, Ill., are camped here in the negro districts...

John Ralshel Dies at 97. Jefferson City—John Ralshel, the oldest citizen of Jefferson City, is dead. He was born at Bruyer, Germany, 97 years ago and had been a resident of the United States since 1839.

Pays \$2,000 for One Hog. Kirksville—Fifty head of Berkshire hogs were sold at the Kinloch sale here, bringing \$7,301.50. W. E. Darnell of Armstrong, Ill., paid \$2,000 for one. G. C. Council of Vandalia, Ill., paid on the other 48 head was \$89.

Beil's Plans for Infirmary Adopted. Palmyra—The county court of Marion county met at Palmyra to consider the various plans submitted for the erection of the new county infirmary, for which \$70,000 was recently voted by Marion county.

At Least, Only Kind Young Broker Knew Anything About. A young broker in Boston, while visiting a certain household in the Hub not long ago, encountered a number of young women graduates whose conversation suddenly turned to a discussion of the development of the English novel.

ECZEMA FOR 55 YEARS. Suffered Torments from Birth—In Frightful Condition—Got No Help Until Cuticura Cured Him. "I had an itching, tormenting eczema ever since I came into the world, and I am now a man 55 years old. I tried all kinds of medicines I heard of, but found no relief. I was truly in a frightful condition. At last I broke out all over with red and white boils, which kept growing until they were as big as walnut, causing great pain and misery, but I kept on scratching as well as I could. I was so run down that I could hardly do my work. I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment, Resolvent, and Pills for about eight months, and I can truthfully say I am cured. Hale Bordwell, Tipton, Ia., Aug. 17, 1907."

India's Savings Banks. The postal savings bank of India was established in 1882, in which year the depositors numbered 39,121 and the deposits amounted to \$32,243. In 1907 the depositors numbered 1,190,229 and the deposits amounted to \$49,229,283.

Illustration of a person using Cuticura. Text: "The Gumput—Well, you fellows can say what you like about the editor. For my part, I always stick up for him." "India's Savings Banks." "Saved the Dishes." "FRIENDLY TIP." "Dynamiters Wreck Blacksmith Shop." "Convicted on Girl's Charge." "Fatally Burned by Gasoline." "French Nobleman in Prison." "Baltimore's Fire Protection."

DOES A VACATION PAY?

What a difference there is in what two people bring home from a vacation! One comes back tired, disgusted, bored. He has spent his money and doesn't feel that he has much of anything in return. Another comes back all radiant with the riches which he has drunk in and absorbed during every moment of his vacation. He comes back rejuvenated, refreshed, inspired, a new creature, with a new grip upon life. The cobwebs, the brain aches have been swept away from his faded brain. He has been made over anew. Life means more than ever before. His dimmed ideals have been brightened and sharpened, his ambition renewed. Ask him if a vacation pays, and he will ask you in turn if it pays the grub to throw off its ugly shape and blossom out into a butterfly; if it pays a rosebud to open up its petals and fling out its fragrance and beauty to the world.

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WOMAN IN PULPIT.

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Baltimore's Fire Protection.

Officials of Baltimore showed much interest in the recent test of New York's high-pressure, salt-water, fire-fighting system, because the Monument City is planning something along the same lines. Under the Baltimore building law the height of buildings is limited to 170 feet, so the proposed system would take care of the skyscrapers without the necessity of using fire engines. Chief Horton, who commanded the fire fighters when Baltimore's biggest fire occurred, in February, 1904, favors pines built down the center of the streets and provided at regular intervals with underground plugs, to which adjustable hydrants, so constructed that long stretches of hose would be unnecessary, could be attached.

SWEARS OFF TIPPING WAITERS

John W. Gates Discovers That He Has Been "Stung." John W. Gates has sworn off tipping hotel employees. He says, however, that he may give a tip to an extra good waiter on an extra good dinner. It happened this way: A matter of a hundred or more letters and telegrams arrive every day at the Plaza for Mr. Gates. He has been in the habit of giving 25 cents per letter or telegram when delivered to his room or in any part of the hotel by a bellboy. "I never gave much thought to what this habit cost me," said Mr. Gates, "but I guess I have been 'stung' to a very nice extent." The bellboy at the Waldorf and Plaza, where Mr. Gates has made his headquarters, discovered this 25-cent

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