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E. D. AKE, EDITOR.

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A RECENT headline in the New York Press announces: "End of Torture for Women in Penitentiary Promised." I'm glad of the "promise." It betokens the passing of the Dark Age of Christian civilization.

THE first half of a very interesting narrative by my friend, Mr. W. H. Webb, is printed on the first page of this paper, and the remainder will be given next week. Mr. Webb writes entertainingly, and I am pleased to have his assurance that at an early date he will give the REGISTER the story of his Alaska trip and experiences.

THE State Supreme Court, by a vote of four to three, has declared that the building and maintenance of a station at Pilot Knob would be "confiscatory." Four to three! How close a shave for the railroad! But since all's well that ends well, I hope the company will take new courage and put its trains through on schedule time and give us a night agent—things not to be reasonably expected while its very life hung trembling in the balance.

THE introduction into the National House of Representative by Congressman Buchanan of Texas, of a bill to repeal the oleomargerine law, is pleasing to every Democrat who deserves the name. The bill concerns every wage earner in the land, who will closely observe its course and fate. The confiscatory tax placed upon oleomargerine in the days when "privilege for the few and the residue be blessed" ruled the governmental roast, ought to be made to go at once, nor stand on the order of its going. Good for Congressman Buchanan! His bill has the endorsement of every intelligent, honest-minded citizen of the United States.

THEY'RE getting to be mighty good in Madison county. Over there eating ice-cream on a Sunday is a sin, and the man or woman who sells a cigar on that day is a criminal. And now the county court refuses to grant pool-table licenses. Taine said of the English Puritans that they denounced bear-bating, not from humane feeling, but solely because the exhibition amused the people; and the leaven of the old spirit is still with us. If the "unco guid" could have their will, this world, created for man, as we are told, would be a misfit to all except the few with sprouting wings. Their assurance of heaven seems to make them hard and cruel toward the frailties of their fellow-men. I am no pool-player, and admit that much valuable time may be wasted on the game; and the same may be said of croquet, or dominoes, or checkers, or pitching horseshoes, etc; but if I want to engage in any of these frivolities it is not the rightful province of a county court or other tribunal to stand between me and myself. We have entirely too much of "moral" governing.

Goodland Items.

Glad you had so many Christmas remembrances, Mr. Editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vest are living near Goodland.

Dorothy Akers is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Brooks.

Sol Nelson, of Brule, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Cora Brooks.

The family of S. L. Brooks received some valuable Christmas remembrances from their far away children in Montana.

Dempster's mill did not run during the holidays.

Warren Dempster and Chas. Anderson spent part of the holidays in St. Louis.

Arthur Love and Randolph Adams have each returned to school.

Miss Velah Pippin spent the holidays at Fredericktown.

The pupils of Mr. Keesling's school gave a little Christmas entertainment December 24.

Dr. Adams has been sick for ten days and is but little better at this writing.

Mrs. F. M. Adams is quite ill with la grippe.

F. M. Adams and son went to Doyle last week and returned with a fine new surrey.

Dr. Parker of Dillard was called to see Dr. Adams.

The mud is something fierce.

Does the sun ever shine in Ironton? We have seen it once in the past two weeks.

TIMOTHY HAY.

Weather Report.

Meteorolopical Report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, January 6, 1914:

Days of Week.	Day of Month	Temp'ture Highest	Temp'ture Lowest	Precipitation
Wednesday	31	30	25	
Thursday	1	38	28	
Friday	2	41	35	.15
Saturday	3	38	29	
Sunday	4	31	26	
Monday	5	32	29	
Tuesday	6	44	26	

NOTE.—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow, and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation. W. H. DELANO, Observer.

Coal and Wood Heaters, from $1.00 to $15.00. Comforts and Blankets from $1.00 up. A. RIEKE & SON.

Resolutions.

IRONTON, Mo., December 1st, 1913.

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of Star of the West Lodge No. 133, A. F. & A. M.:

Your committee, to whom was assigned the duty of reporting resolutions touching the death of our late brother, Samuel Downey, beg leave to present the following:

Samuel Downey became a Master Mason over twenty years ago, the precise date not within the knowledge of your committee. About ten years ago he moved from Iron Mountain, Missouri, to the State of Arizona, where he was living when the summons came. He retained his membership in this Lodge but by reason of distance for the last few years we had but little Masonic communion with him. Brother Downey was born in Washington County, Ky., August 14th, 1850. He came to Missouri in early manhood, locating at Iron Mountain. He departed this life at Lowell, Arizona, October 13th, 1913, and was interred at Lowell with honors and according to the Ritual of our Order. Called from Life's battlefield to the dark valley of death—from labor to rest—may that rest be calm and peaceful. This lodge expresses its sorrow at the loss it has sustained in the death of a good citizen and a faithful member of our craft, and we hereby tender to his bereaved family our sympathy and sincere condolence and will always retain fond recollections of his pleasant words of cheer and good Masonic character.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. R. EDGAR,
ANTON ROEHRY,
W. TRAUERNICHT,
Committee.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of the County of Iron, made at the November term thereof, Paul P. Rosentreter, administrator of the estate of T. B. Stephens, deceased, will on the tenth day of February, 1914, at the Court House door, in the City of Ironton, County of Iron, and during the session of the Probate Court of said County of Iron, sell at public sale, to the highest bidder all the interest of T. B. Stephens, deceased, in and to the following real estate, to wit:

All of Lots No. two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), and seven (7) in block No. eight (8); all of Lots No. one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) six(6), and seven (7) in block No. nine (9); also all of Lots in block No. eleven (11), and all of Lots No. one (1), three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6) in block No. twelve (12); the above described lots are all in the Strother Addition to the town of Bethlehem, Iron County, Mo., as shown on the plats now on file in the Recorder's office at the Courthouse in the City of Ironton, Iron County, Mo. Also all of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section eight, Township thirty, North, Range four East, except five acres, more or less, deeded to R. J. Miller, and three acres, more or less, deeded to T. B. Stephens, and a tract or parcel of land deeded to C. J. Hamilton, and for a description of the deeds or parcels of land herein excepted see deeds of same; and also a strip of land containing one acre, or more or less, in the Southeast Quarter of Section eight, Township thirty, North, Range four East, lying between the Southeast Quarter Section line of Section eight and Wm. Seals' west line. The above described land contains about twenty-eight acres, more or less.

TERMS:—Cash.

PAUL P. ROSENTRETER,
Administrator of the estate of T. B. Stephens, deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE AS TRUSTEE.

Whereas, Jehu Jones and Josephine Jones, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 29th day of April, 1902, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, in Book 46, at page 61, conveyed to P. W. Whitworth, Trustee, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, to wit:

Fifty feet off the south side of lot four (4) in block three (3) and described as follows: Commencing on the southwest corner of said lot on Louis street, thence running north fifty (50) feet, thence running east one hundred (100) feet, thence running south fifty (50) feet, thence running west one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning; also fifty (50) feet off the south side of lot four (4) in block numbered two (2) and described as follows: Commencing on the southwest corner of said lot on Vermont street, thence north fifty (50) feet, thence running east to the east boundary line of said lot, thence running south fifty (50) feet, thence west on the south boundary line of said lot to the place of beginning, all in the Town of Middlebrook, County of Iron, State of Missouri;

Also, the following described personal property, to wit: One light bay mare, 5 years old, about 16 hands high with white spot in forehead, with white hind feet, called "Seley," and one dark bay horse, five years old, about 15½ hands high, with white spot in forehead, called "Charley."

Which conveyance was made to said trustee in trust to secure the payment of one (1) certain promissory note fully described therein;

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and interest, now past due and unpaid;

Whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust, that in the case of death, removal from the state, or refusal to act, of said P. W. Whitworth, as trustee, the then acting Sheriff of Iron County, Missouri, shall act as trustee in his stead, and sell the foregoing described property in case of default;

And, whereas, the said trustee, P. W. Whitworth, is dead;

Now, therefore at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned sheriff and trustee, will, on *Monday, the 9th day of February, 1914,* at the east front door of the courthouse, in the City of Ironton, Iron County, Missouri, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, of that day, sell, at public vendue, the above described real estate and property to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said note and the costs and expenses of this trust.

WM. BLUE, Sheriff and Trustee.

Ironton, Mo., January 7, 1914.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, E. M. Logan, administrator of the estate of James M. Logan, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County Missouri, to be holden at Ironton, in said County, on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1914. E. M. LOGAN, Administrator of estate of James M. Logan, deceased.

Heavy Winter Merchandise

—AT—

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" " " " " 4 00 " "	3.20
All our Ladies' and Misses' Regular 5.00 " "	4.00
" " " " " " 7.50 " "	6 00
Ladies' Fine Fine Satin-Lined Cloaks, $11.00, reduced to	8 80
Ladies' Fur-Trimmed, Satin-Lined Cloaks, $15.00, reduced to	12.00
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" " 12.50 " "	10 00
" " 15 00 " "	12.00

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