

News from Over the State

Dr. J. Herman Fox of Vicksburg, has accepted a position as assistant at the State Insane Hospital in Jackson.

Capt. Charles W. Rich, W. R. Hardy and T. M. Fuller will constitute the first board of Commissioners for the city of Hattiesburg.

Work of excavating the earth and preparing the grounds for the foundation of the new Federal building in Hattiesburg will probably begin not later than August 15th.

Senator LeRoy Percy spoke to a large concourse of people August 1st in Dekalb, Kemper county, and is said to have delivered one of the greatest and most effective speeches ever heard there.

Practically every member of the Meridian bar is for Hon. S. A. Witherspoon for Congress and have signed an address to the voters of Lauderdale county, asking them to vote for Mr. Witherspoon.

Hon. Charles Sentt was in Jackson Thursday, August 4, but not on a speech making expedition. He has not yet opened his canvass for governor, his health not permitting him to enter actively into that work.

Word has been sent out from Jackson that Gov. Noel is likely to cast some official heads in the waste basket ere long; and that they will be those ere long; and that they will be those ere winking the other eye at violations of the State-wide prohibition law in Vicksburg, Natchez and other places.

Governor Noel in a letter to the trustees of the Mississippi penitentiary has requested that an investigation of

the recent escapes from Rankin farm be instituted. Five men have escaped in the last week and Governor Noel thinks some one should be held responsible.

Ernest Galvani, aged fourteen years, son of Superintendent B. F. Galvani of the Y. & M. V. Railroad, died Tuesday morning as a result of injuries sustained while jumping on a train in the local freight yards in Jackson Monday. The injuries sustained made amputation of the lower limbs necessary, and the boy never recovered from the shock.

The saloon men on DeSoto island, which lies immediately in front of the city of Vicksburg, have raised a howl because they are losing business thru the saloons in Vicksburg and the way the officials view the matter around the State house, is that the Governor must either put a stop to the open violations of the prohibition law, or call an extra session of the legislature and repeal the prohibition act.

The organization of a chamber of commerce or some similar organization for the purpose of boosting for Meridian and giving publicity to the city's advantages, is being vigorously pushed by a number of the business men of the city and will probably be accomplished before autumn.

Being called to see her two year old nephew, Adrian, shoot a firecracker, in Magnolia, Mississippi, Miss Pet Simmons, aged 21, a daughter of County Farm Manager W. Simmons, turned to see him applying a match to a stick of dynamite. Terrified, the young lady grabbed the dangerous plaything from the child and attempted to throw it out of the window, but it exploded before she hurled it from her, horribly

mutilating both hands and face and neck. The child was not injured. Doctors Lampton and Moore, who have the case in charge, say Miss Simmons's injuries will not likely prove fatal.

When Mr. Hinds, secretary of W. S. Leathers of the State University, presented an order from Chancellor Kincannon, to Mr. Chas. J. Edwards, for the instruments and paraphernalia at the Medical college in Vicksburg, Mr. Edwards refused to give them up. The advice of City Attorney Anderson was to hold the articles unless forced to give them up by some legal authority. The point at issue is, that the university had broken faith and promises with the city of Vicksburg.

Meridian is quietly waiting to see how loud she can crow over Jackson, Vicksburg and other towns of the State in reference to the census returns. It is the general belief that there will be a crow coming, but the people will not feel sure about it until Vicksburg is heard from. Jackson made a good showing, and a rather remarkable growth but the city of Meridian is still confident of showing up as the largest city in the State.

W. D. Williamson, twelve miles northeast of Fulton, Mississippi, at Eastman, has announced that he has a flour mill ready to grind the present crop of wheat. He is located at the Maxey old stand, which ground wheat and corn, ginned cotton and sawed lumber for many of the present generation's grandparents. It is run by water power of Gum creek, a bold stream.

Dr. W. N. Reed, county health officer of Itawamba county, filed his semi-annual report with the board of supervisors Monday in Fulton which showed that during the six months from January 1 to July 1 there were 81 cases of smallpox in the county and 103 cases of chicken pox. There were 69 deaths 24 of which were caused by pneumonia no deaths by smallpox. There were 207 births, 69 deaths and 60 marriages, which proves that there is no race suicide in Itawamba.

Dad wears the breeches in Mississippi according to Attorney General Hudson, who has received a letter from Dr. Charlotte J. Baker of San Diego, Cal., asking for information as to the laws of this State as they relate to women. One of the questions asked by the doctor was: "Do parents have equal control over the children?" It was this question that brought forth the remark from the Attorney General that Dad wears the breeches in Mississippi, as he has superior control under the laws of the State, over the children. When he read this question, as he was dictating to his stenographers, the Attorney General remarked: "Just tell her in reply to that question, Eddie, that Pop wears the trousers down here." And down she went into the letter, just as General Hudson had stated it, as Eddie is Mr. Gunning, who has a keen sense of the humorous and obeys orders from his superiors like a soldier.

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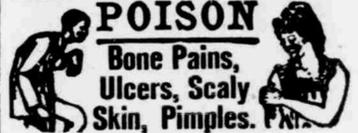
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