EPOCH IN THE CITY'S HISTORY

MAYOR DAVIS SIGNS THE GAP CLOSING PAVING ORDINANCES.

This Is the Beginning of the Systematic Improvement of the Streets From the Business Center of the City Limits—More Paving Proposed.

Mayor Davis yesterday placed his signature on the ordinances providing for paving the gaps on many of the principal streets of the city, that were passed by the city council at the last meeting, and the work will be begun at once. It is gratifying to the taxpayers to see the council act so promptly upon the suggestion that the city be paved systematically, and take action to make the paving upon the principal streets continuous and uniform. It marks an epoch in the history of the city that cannot fail to bring many advantages to the taxpayer, better results to the city and greater value to all concerned.

According to the ordinances that were signed yesterday asphalt paving is to be placed on most of the streets. In each instance, save one, the parts to be paved will close up gaps that have detracted from the appearance and value of the improvements made on the entire street. The work on the contracts can be done during the present season and the city secure results from the Journal's suggestions at an early date. The paving provided for in the ordinances is to be put down on Ninth street, from Forest to Lydia avenue; Wabash avenue, from Sixth to Eighth street; Tracy avenue, from Twelfth to Fifteenth street; Jefferson street, from Fourteenth to Sixteenth street; Troost avenue, from Twelfth to Nineteenth street, and Broadway, from Sixth to Tenth street. Brick paving is to be put down on Thirteenth street, from Hickory to Liberty street.

In addition to all this, there are several resolutions and ordinances for the work needed on the other streets pending; so that with what is started and that which is in contemplation the city will have a satisfactory amount of first-class paving done the present year.

One feature of the work that commends itself to the taxpayer is that there appears to be an effort well directed to pave the unpaved portions of the business district, so that there may be a center from which the line of improvements may run in different directions, and give to the city a systematic expansion of its paved area. Some of the streets where property owners have been fighting the improvements will yet be paved, as in several instances there has been a change of heart and opinion on the subject. The favorable aspect is gratifying to the city fathers and shows a concert of progressive sentiments that cannot fail to be of great value to the city in many ways.

The city cannot fail to make a good impression by having better streets and more paving during the fall festivities this fall. It was noticeable last year that the people were scattered over a greater portion of the city than in former years. This year, according to the programme, they will be scattered much more than even last year, and the more paved streets there are the better for the city, and the more friends will be made.

The value of having the open spaces of streets closed and continuous paving put down is apparent to the taxpayers, and there are many who do not hesitate to express their appreciation of the effort that is being made in behalf of systematic paving. Among the number is Mr. Milton Welsh, surveyor of the port of Kansas City. Yesterday, in talking of the matter with a Journal representative, he said:

"The idea and suggestions of the Journal deserve support, for they are right and proper. There should be used only the best of material and the paving should be put down for permanent service. Patchwork paving and temporary expedients have cost the city and the taxpayers many thousands of dollars, and any plan that promises better results for the expenditure of the sums required for public work is deserving of support and adoption. I am pleased with the suggestions of the Journal and feel that the city would be winner by their adoption. Suggestions for the improvement of the work done are certain to be viewed favorably by the city officials who have supervision of that work, and adopted just as far as may be possible to use them."

Postmaster Homer Reed is another property owner who has had an abundance of experience in the matters of paving and street improvements, and can speak from actual experience on the subject. He believes that some plan should be adopted whereby one-third of the cost of paving should be assessed as a general tax on the city at large, so that the property owner would have but the remaining two-thirds to pay. He feels that would result in a great boom in improvements and that nearly all of the residence portion of the city would be improved at once. He is in sympathy with the Journal's plan and would like to see it carried out so far as the work is done.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Further Consideration of the Proposition to Regrade McGee Street Indefinitely Postponed—Paving Recommended.

The proposition to grade McGee street from Sixth to Eighth street, and to change the grade of several cross streets, which has been under consideration by the board of public works for some time, was temporarily disposed of yesterday by the board by being indefinitely postponed. When the board met several McGee street property owners were present to argue both sides of the question. Messrs. William Vineyard, George Holmes and Robert McClintock were against the proposed grading, while R. H. Hunt, P. S. Brown and J. Newburg wished to see the work done. All of the members of the board were present, and postponed the matter by a unanimous vote.

The board received two communications from citizens. One was from Alfred Gregory, who states that on last Sunday his buggy broke down on Merrill avenue on account of the poorly paved condition of the street. He said the street should be repaved. E. O. Maffatt, who has just returned from a trip through the East, wrote regarding the paving of Troost avenue from Twelfth to Nineteenth street. He said that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company should be compelled to pave between the tracks of its Troost avenue line, as under the present circumstances grass grows between the tracks, presenting the appearance of a country road instead of that of a city street. Both of the communications were filed.

The board recommended the paving of these streets: Grand avenue from Third to Fifth street, with asphalt; Fourth street from Walnut street to Grand avenue, with asphalt; Sixth street from Prospect to Park avenue, with asphalt; Fifteenth street from Woodland avenue to the city limits, with macadam.

IN NEED OF AID.

A Sick Man and His Wife and Children in a Destitute Condition.

Humane Officer Sherlock is investigating a case of destitution reported to the police yesterday by Captain Phillips, of police precinct No. 4. On his rounds Thursday Officer Cassidy discovered a sick man, his wife and five children, without food at No. 2625 Woodland avenue. They were apparently starving to death, and Sanford Briggs, the father, had been sick for six weeks. Some time ago Mrs. Briggs received $3 from the Humane Society, but has spent every cent of the money for food and medicine.

The agent having charge of the house is said to have threatened the Briggs family with forcible removal if the rent is not paid soon. Humane Officer Sherlock will see that the Briggs family receive proper food.

HIS HEAD CUT.

R. H. Williams Injured While Boarding a Ninth Street Car.

R. H. Williams, of Waukesha, Wis., was injured yesterday while attempting to board a cable car as it started down the incline between Walnut and Main streets, on Ninth street. He received severe cuts about the head and was taken to police headquarters, where his wounds were attended to by Dr. Hyde.

Flower Girls Must Not Enter Saloons.

Humane Officer Sherlock is preparing to make a fight against flower girls being allowed to sell flowers in saloons. Frequent complaint has been made lately to members of the Humane Society that little flower girls are allowed to enter saloons with impunity and dispose of their wares. There is an ordinance in force in the city making saloon keepers liable to a fine for permitting minors to frequent their places, and the humane officials will take steps at once to stop the violation of the ordinance. Agent Sherlock yesterday notified the owner of a saloon on Walnut street that any further violation of the law in that respect would lead to his prosecution.

FROM SOUTHERN PORTS NOW.

Goods Imported by Kansas Citians No Longer Come by Way of New York and Boston.

The imports are increasing rapidly at the port of Kansas City and the volume of business is growing larger each month. It has been the rule since the city was made a port of entry for a large amount, practically all of the imports to come by way of New York and Boston. Except an occasional shipment from Baltimore all of the receipts at the port came from those cities, but during the past year there has been a change and now the greater part of the imports are coming from the Southern ports. Large shipments come to the city by way of the port of New Orleans and Newport News, and there is a consequent falling off in the receipts from New York and Boston.

The receipts from Asia come by way of Tacoma and other Northern ports and the business at San Francisco shows a serious decrease. In fact much of the business that once came uninterruptedly by way of San Francisco now comes by way of Tacoma and other ports, many shipments being landed in the British domain and shipped across the government line.

The reason why the port of San Francisco is being avoided is the regulations that have been enforced there that were objectionable to the importers and they declined to comply with them, preferring to go to other ports and avoid trouble and unreasonable officiousness.

The entire shipments of tin plate that reach the city come now by way of New Orleans, being brought to that city by steamer and sent overland from there. Only last week duty to the amount of $5,000 was paid and more than that amount is to be paid during the coming week, as advices were received yesterday of an enormous shipment that was in transit.

SEVERAL NEW CORPS.

Will Be Established by Brigadier Sully, of the Salvation Army, in Kansas, Arkansas and Texas.

Brigadier Sully, who returned from Waco, Tex., yesterday morning, is busy upon a number of important extensions and changes to be made in the Southwestern chief division of the Salvation Army, of which he is the commander and this city is the headquarters. Up to the present time the army has done little work in Arkansas, but now it is proposed to begin an active campaign in that state. Corps will be organized at three new points—Hot Springs, Little Rock and Fort Smith. The army is already located at Eureka Springs and Fayetteville. A corps will be organized, also, in Paris, Tex., where the most prominent citizens have become greatly interested in the army and are offering it the use of a large hall.

In Kansas Atchison and Leavenworth, the only large towns in the state now unoccupied, will be occupied as soon as possible. No corps of the army has ever been stationed in either city. Some years ago both places were occupied by bogus corps who claimed connection with the army, but had none whatever. They soon disbanded. Brigadier Sully says that they left a bad impression which the army will endeavor to dissipate.

A new corps will be organized in this city, but where has not yet been definitely decided. It will be stationed either in the East bottoms or on the state line. Immediately after the campaign to be held at Fairmount park the latter part of this month there will be a wholesale shifting of officers. Nearly fifty of them will be effected. The assignment of officers to the new stations will be made at the same time. There will be changes at the Eighteenth street station, the Kansas City, Kas., station and the Armourdale station.

SWINDLING THE CONDUCTORS.

A Smooth Sharper Working a Confidence Game on Metropolitan Conductors.

The police were notified last night that a man described as having a sandy mustache and wearing genteel clothes, has been practicing a rather smooth confidence game on the Metropolitan street car conductors the past two days. His mode of operation stamps him as an old hand at the business. Boarding a street car he will approach the conductor, mildly stating that he is a friend of the officials of the road, making use of several names familiar to the conductor. He supplants this statement, saying that he has left his pocketbook at home and requests the loan of 50 cents to pay fare for some ladies who are awaiting him downtown. In most instances his requests have been granted and at a convenient crossing the stranger disappears. His work has been confined thus far to the Fifth and Eighteenth street cable lines, but it is expected that he will attempt to work conductors on other lines in the city.

ANOTHER BIG HOUSE.

Auditorium at Fairmount Park Was Packed Again Last Night.

Another house, packed to the doors, greeted the vaudeville show at the Fairmount auditorium again last night. The success of this form of entertainment seems almost phenomenal and is certainly unprecedented in amusement annals in Kansas City, but it is scarcely to be wondered at when it is taken into consideration that a $1 or $1.50 show is being given for 25 cents.

The last opportunity to see this week's favorites will be given this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the matinee and this evening at 8:30 o'clock, as beginning next week there is to be the usual change of bill, with entirely new people. Those who have not seen Clayton, Jenkins and Jasper in that excruciatingly funny skit, the "Darktown Circus;" the Sankey brothers, in their wonderful and startling feats of equilibrium and contortion; Hugh Emmett, in his great ventriloquist act; Burt Jordan, the famous buck and wing dancer, who has not his equal; the funny Crawford brothers and McRobie and West and Palmer and Wheeler, should certainly make an effort to attend, as the entire show is too good to be missed. The children especially should not miss seeing Jasper, the cute little mule, and the other funny features.

THE WEATHER.

Fair weather and stationary temperature are predicted for Missouri and Kansas to-day by the weather bureau. The highest temperature yesterday was 90 deg., the lowest 72 deg.

Following is the record of last night's observations:

Station	Bar.	Temp.
New Orleans	29.90	78
Galveston	29.90	80
Cincinnati	29.82	90
Chicago	29.88	80
St. Paul	29.78	84
Springfield	29.88	82
Concordia	29.84	82
Dodge City	29.88	82
Bismarck	29.98	72
Helena	29.94	80
Denver	29.86	90
Wichita	29.86	84
St. Louis	29.88	86
Kansas City	29.86	85

Paid to Avoid Attachment.

Maurice L. Sullivan entered suit in Justice Spitz' court Thursday afternoon to recover by writ of attachment, $21, which he claimed was due from Robert Turner et al, bookmakers at the Exposition park race track. Mr. Sullivan, in his application, sets forth that on Tuesday last he had purchased a ticket from Turner naming the horse Wedgefield as winner in a certain race at odds of 15 to 1. When the race was finished it was seen that Wedgefield had won. The judges, however, gave the race to Brown Dick, stating that he had been pulled in order to down the bookmakers. Mr. Sullivan presented his ticket to Mr. Turner for payment, but was informed that all bets had been declared off. He was justly disgusted and later when he learned that Wedgefield had been awarded the stake money, he came to town, sought out Justice Spitz and made an application to have the Turner bookmaking stand attached for $21. Constable Vaughn went to the race track to serve the papers, but before he had a chance to exercise his prerogative Mr. Turner paid the amount of the suit, along with the costs, and the case was dismissed.

Unconscious Several Hours.

A team of horses driven by L. C. Lloyd, of No. 1120 Belvidere avenue, ran away yesterday afternoon on Seventh street, near Prospect avenue, and, overturning the wago, threw Mr. Lloyd violently to the ground. He was rendered unconscious for several hours, as well as receiving a severe scalp wound. Dr. Hyde attended him at the police station and he was sent home.

Bitten by a Fighting Dog.

Thomas Connors, living at 102 Locust street, attempted to interfere in a dog fight yesterday afternoon on lower Grand avenue and received a bite on his right forearm from one of the dogs. Police Surgeon Landon treated him at the Central station and he was taken home.

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MAY BE FATALLY WOUNDED

WILLIAM G. CUNNINGHAM STABBED BY WILLIAM THOMASON.

They Met and Fought in a Saloon—Thomason, Who Is Under Arrest, Claims He Was Assaulted and Used His Knife in Self-Defense.

A serious cutting affray took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock in Robert B. Murdock's saloon, at the northwest corner of Twelfth and Walnut streets, the result of which William G. Cunningham lies dangerously wounded at his home, No. 2130 Mercer street.

Shortly before 9 o'clock yesterday morning Cunningham, night yardmaster, and T. M. Cullom, assistant yardmaster, of the Santa Fe railway in this city, entered Murdock's place somewhat under the influence of liquor. After ordering the drinks they stepped to the rear of the saloon and attempted to open the door of the ante room. The room was occupied by William Thomason, who formerly tended bar at Liberty, Mo.

It is said that the two railroad men kicked at the door, and that Thomason also kicked the door. Thereupon Cunningham and Cullom both shoved open the door, and, according to Thomason's story, began beating him. The latter drew his pocketknife, which has a three inch blade, and began slashing at his assailants. He fought them back into the saloon, cutting Cunningham four times, twice in the groin, once in the left hip and once in the left side, just below the ribs. The latter thrust was quite deep. The point of the knife entered Cunningham's left lung. Cullom retreated soon after the trouble began to the saloon door. His nose is broken and he has a deep gash between his eyes. It is not known who hit him.

While the fight was in progress a man, whom Thomason says was Robert Shannon, a frequenter of the race tracks, entered the saloon and, after arming himself with a beer bottle, started to assist him. In attempting to strike Cunningham with the beer bottle, he missed his aim and struck Thomason on the hand, cutting a deep gash.

Cunningham fell to the floor after being stabbed the fourth time and some men, who had entered the saloon, restrained Thomason from further use of his knife.

Another account of the course of the fight is that Shannon first threw the beer bottle at Cunningham and, missing him, it found a lodging place on the top of Thomason's head. This threw Thomason into a violent rage and he started to use his knife with the results stated.

When Cunningham was found to be seriously injured, the police ambulance was called and conveyed him and Cullom and Thomason to police headquarters, where Assistant Police Surgeon Landon dressed their wounds.

Thomason said he did the cutting in self-defense. Cunningham was too weak from the loss of blood to talk. Thomason was locked up and a charge of felonious assault placed against him. Shannon could not be found by the police. He is said to be slightly cut about the head and neck.

Cullom was allowed to depart, after having his wounds dressed, and Cunningham was sent to his home in a very weak condition.

Mr. Cunningham was resting easy at his home last night, and unless internal hemorrhage sets in from the wound in his left lung it is thought by his attending physician that he will speedily recover. The man Shannon, who escaped after the fight, had not been apprehended at a late hour last night.

WILL MEET THIS MORNING.

Lower House Gas Committee Will Consider the Kansas City Gas Light and Coke Company's Ordinance.

The gas committee of the lower house will meet this morning to consider the Kansas City Gas Light and Coke Company's franchise ordinance. Councilman Brown, the chairman of the committe, is anxious to have the matter settled at once, but Councilmen Reiger and Kidwell oppose this action. Among other things which the committee has to consider is a communication sent in by the East Side Improvement Club yesterday, calling the council to protect the new gas company.

BATHING AT FAIRMOUNT.

It Is Very Fine Now and the Beach Is Crowded Every Day.

The popular thing to do these hot days is to take a plunge in the lake at Fairmount park and cool off.

The beach is crowded every night now. The water was never finer, being almost as clear as crystal, while the heavy rains this summer have rendered it as pure as the water of the ocean.

A swim at the lake, followed by a supper with Mrs. McLean, is apt to make the average man feel like a fighting cock and as cool as a cucumber.

Additional Prizes Awarded.

The following additional prizes were awarded at the Irish-American picnic at Fairmount park last Thursday:

Eleventh event—Jig and reel. Prize silk vest, won by Miss Kate Murphy.

Twelfth event—Waltzing contest. Ladies' prize, silk parasol, won by Miss Carroll; second prize, banjo, Miss McLaughlin; third prize, parlor lamp, Miss Cumming.

Thirteenth event—Gents' prize, silver headed cane, won by George Birmingham; second prize, box cigars, R. Gilday.

A Domestic Charged With Theft.

Detective Hays yesterday arrested Hattie Smith, a domestic in the family of Attorney R. E. Ball, on suspicion of having stolen a diamond ring valued at $50 belonging to a member of Mr. Ball's family. She was locked up at the Central police station and will be arraigned to-day before a justice of the peace.

Committed to Jail.

Mary Lamb, charged with having committed felonious assault upon Florence Duprees, was yesterday bound over to the grand jury by Justice Walls. In default of $800 bail she was committed to jail.

MINOR MENTION.

An explosion of a lamp at the home of M. Walston, 1736 McGee street, called out the fire department about 8:40 last night. No damage was done.

James Taylor was yesterday sentenced to ten days in the county jail by Justice Walls for an assault committed upon William Howell on May 27.

C. M. Williams, of Marceline, was put under bonds by Commissioner Nuchols yesterday for failing to post his government license at his place of business.

Roy Dale, a 14-year-old boy living at Fifth and Oak streets, was treated yesterday afternoon by Polce Surgeon Hyde for severe convulsions. He was later taken home.

J. H. Brennan, who went out to have a good time Thursday night, and engaged in a saloon fight at Sixteenth street and Grand avenue, was fined $50 in police court yesterday morning for carrying concealed weapons.

Vannoy Bros. have secured the news contract on the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railways, and will take possession on September 1. I. C. Vannoy will leave for St. Louis to-morrow to arrange final details.

T. P. Williams and P. J. Shick were arraigned in Justice Ebert's court yesterday, charged with operating an auction store on Main street, between Fifth and Sixth street, without a license. They pleaded not guilty and gave bond for their appearance for trial Tuesday.

William Buchanan was arraigned yesterday in Justice Joyce's court, charged with having snatched a handkerchief containing 75 cents from the hands of Jennie Hamburg. He pleaded not guilty and was committed to jail in default of bail to appear for trial Monday.

Jessie Cooper, living at 819 Charlotte street, was taken with convulsions at her home yesterday afternoon and it was found necessary to remove her to the Central police station, where Surgeon Hyde administered treatment to relieve her. Miss Cooper works in a printing office at Fifth and Delaware streets.

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THE NEWEST ATTRACTION.

Mlle. Alice Raymond, the Famous and Handsome Young Cornet Soloist, Comes to Washington Park To-morrow.

The season of great open air free acrobatic shows at Washington park has been brilliantly wound up by the Dunham family. This supreme show of aerial exploits upon the dizzy horizontal bar has worked a spell over the spectators night after night. This afternoon at 3 o'clock and this evening at 8:30 o'clock they close their engagement at Washington park. The full complement of cars of the electric road will be put on tonight to accommodate the vast farewell crowds.

For Sunday the management promises an attraction which will be a direct departure from the scheme of free entertainment at Washington park heretofore. Instead of great gymnastic shows an artistic attraction is offered—Mlle. Alice Raymond, the famous cornet soloist.

The cornet between masterful lips and fingered by masterful hands is the instrument of the very soul of music and song. Confined by the walls of a room the ringing notes of the cornet lose their fine edge of absolute glory and romance and pathos. It is only under the sky, beside the water and the hillside, that the tender and daring voice of the cornet has room to play and echo with unstinted shades of melody. Few have heard the tragic voice of the cornet under these supreme conditions. Therefore the engagement of Mlle. Raymond is not only a new thing, and diverse from the entertainments heretofore, but the most artistic tastes, as well as the musical spirit of the general public, will find pleasure at Washington park.

Mlle. Raymond is young, of an imposing figure and her face is handsome and grave. She has won a fame as the greatest woman cornetist in America and has been followed everywhere by a distinct and warm wave of public admiration.

At Troost park the big Sunday free entertainment will continue with the opening show, both afternoon and evening, of the daring double trapeze act gymnasts, the Forepaugh brothers. The pantomime tumblers and Mlle. Alberto, who dances on the wire, close their engagements at Troost park this evening.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Arlington M. E. church, corner of Seventeenth street and Prospect avenue, Rev. L. C. Sappenfield, pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "Growth of the Kingdom." Evening subject, "The Christian's Privilege."

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Congregational church, corner of Eleventh and McGee streets, will hold a meeting at 6:30 p. m. The topic will be "Christ's Work for the World." The report of the delegates to the fourteenth National Christian Endeavor convention, recently held in Boston, will be received.

At the United Presbyterian church, Sixteenth and Holmes streets, Rev. F. B. Murch, the pastor, will preach at 10:45 o'clock a. m., on "Like Rain on the Mown Grass," and at 8 o'clock p. m., on "No Hope for the Wicked."

At St. George's Pro-Cathedral, corner of Troost and Linwood avenues, Right Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D., bishop, and Rev. S. M. Holden, dean, will hold the following services: Early communion at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; morning prayer and litany and sermon at 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m.

At St. Mark's Episcopal church, Seventh street and Prospect avenue, Rev. A. B. Putnam, rector of Emanuel church, Cleveland, O., will officiate. He will also officiate during the rest of the month. No evening service.

At the Roberts mission, No. 186 East Third street, there will be a Gospel meeting at 8 o'clock p. m., conducted by Mr. John R. Hillson. Bible school at 3 p. m.

Rev. I. T. Underwood, of Leavenworth, Kas., will preach at the Springfield Avenue Christian church at both morning and evening services.

"The Influence of the Bible in Human Progress" is the subject upon which Dr. A. R. Thain will speak in the First Congregational church, corner of Eleventh and McGee streets, at 10:30 a. m. A special musical programme has been arranged as follows:

Impromptu (Leschetizki).
Te Deum (Dressler).
Solo, Mrs. Huff.
Trio—"The Lord Will Comfort Zion" (Brown).
Prelude (Bach).

Services will be held in the Second United Presbyterian church, corner of Euclid avenue and Fourteenth street, by Dr. James White, the pastor, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject in the morning, "A Time to Weep, and a Time to Laugh;" evening subject, "Usefulness."

At the Reformed Presbyterian church, No. 1735 Summit street, the pastor, Rev. A. J. McFarland, Jr., will preach at 11 a. m. on "A Warning to Them at Ease in Zion." Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6:45 p. m.

At the West Side Christian church, corner of Twentieth and Penn, the pastor, E. S. Muckley, will preach the second of the series of sermons on Seventh Day Adventism at 8 p. m. A number of queries that were presented will be answered before the sermon.

Rev. H. M. Richardson, D. D., of Lexington, Mo., will preach at the usual hours morning and evening at the Olive Street Baptist church, Ninth and Olive streets.

At Dundee Methodist Episcopal church, Troost avenue and Fifteenth street, Rev. Dr. O. P. Wright, the pastor, who has returned from his vacation, will preach morning and evening.

Rev. Charles B. Mitchell, D. D., will preach at the Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal church at 11 o'clock on "The Influence of the Church in Kansas City." At night he will deliver an address on "Travels in Bible Lands." Subject "In and About Joppa."

Rev. J. B. Welty, of the Fourth Presbyterian church, is delivering on Sunday evenings a series of sermons illustrated by large oil paintings. There are three pictures shown in each sermon. The subject next Sunday evening is "The Man Whom God Called a Fool." Services also at 11 a. m.

Rev. Charles Kloss, pastor of the Southwest tabernacle, Twenty-first and Jefferson streets, has returned from his vacation and will preach as usual at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Practical Worth of a Vision." Evening, "Our Constant Need of the Helper." The Barnby Ladies' Quartette will sing at the morning service.

Rev. James A. Duncan will occupy the pulpit of the Troost Avenue Methodist church, morning and evening.

At the Linwood Presbyterian church Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor, will preach in the morning on "The Doctrine of a Standing or Falling Church." Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:30 p. m. No other evening service.

At the Second Presbyterian church, corner of Thirteenth and Central streets, Rev. W. O. Thompson, D. D., will preach in the morning at 11 a. m.; also in the evening at 8 p. m.

Rev. W. A. Quayle, D. D., pastor of the Independence Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, has returned from his vacation, and will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Special music will be rendered at both services by the following choir: Miss Mabel Haas, soprano; Miss Mae McFadden, of Leavenworth, Kas., contralto; Mr. W. Henry Potter, tenor, and Mr. Edward K. Chaffee, basso. In the evening the above choir will be assisted in the rendition of a special musical programme by Miss Amanda Peterson.

Rev. James DeBuchananne, Ph. D., will lecture for the Psychic Research Society at the parlors, No. 1220 McGee street, at 8 p. m., promptly. Subjects to be chosen by audience. If not, then the subject will be, "God, Science or Chance—Which?"

Rev. C. W. Scarritt, who has recently returned from Europe, will occupy the pulpit at Melrose Methodist Episcopal church in the morning. Rev. W. T. McClure, of Independence, will preach in the evening.

At the Methodist Episcopal church mission, No. 913 Independence avenue, Rev. J. P. Dew will preach at 8 o'clock p. m. A song service of twenty minutes will precede the sermon, conducted by Rev. Dew. All are invited to come.

At Westminster Presbyterian church, corner of Tenth and Central streets, there will be preaching in the morning by the pastor, Rev. W. P. George, L.L. D., on the subject "A Walk in the Country." Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

Prompt Payment of a Life Insurance Policy.

The Provident Savings Life Assurance Company, of New York, paid to-day, through their general agent, J. C. Gant, at 413 Sheidley building, ten thousand dollars ($10,000), in payment of policy held by Robert S. Kirtley, who was killed in the runaway acident a few weeks ago.

Meetings at Shelly Park.

Rev. G. H. Moulton, the Kansas evangelist, who has been preaching all this week at the Gospel meetings being held at Shelley park, is to preach there this evening and to-morrow evening. His work has been productive of much good, several conversions having been made. Those in charge of the meetings are anxious that they be largely attended.

Declared a Holiday.

Mayor Davis has issued a proclamation declaring September 2, Labor day, a legal holiday in Kansas City. Lee Johnson, secretary of the Labor day committee for the two Kansas Citys, has applied to Mayor Davis for permission for the fire and police departments to participate in the parade. This was granted, subject to the approval of the chiefs of the departments.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN.

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF FAT CATTLE NEXT SPRING.

Stockers and Feeders Are Being Taken to the Country in Large Numbers—One Hundred and Twenty-one Cars Shipped Yesterday.

From the way stocker and feeder cattle are going to the country there will be no shortage in the number of cattle coming to market next spring. It looks as if everybody wanted to feed this year, and the stocker and feeder sales at the yards now constitute about half the business.

There were 121 cars of cattle shipped to the country yesterday. This is the biggest number ever sent to the country in a single day in August, and with but one or two exceptions in the history of the yards. Twenty-two cars went to Kansas, three cars to Illinois and ninety-six cars to Missouri.

It is reported from Texas that D. R. Fant has sold his Live Oak county ranch, consisting of 62,000 acres.

Taylor Gilliam, Dold's hog buyer at Wichita, Kas., was visiting the boys at the yards yesterday.

The number of hogs packed in the West for the week ending Wednesday was 135,000, against 215,000 the same time last year.

O. W. Walker, of the St. Joseph Packing Company, was a visitor at the yards yesterday.

George W. Clausen, one of the heaviest stockholders in the Campbell Live Stock Commission Company, here and in Chicago, and for a number of years vice president of the International Loan and Trust Company, of Kansas City, attempted suicide in Chicago Wednesday evening. He was found about 4:30 o'clock in Lake Front park, suffering from an overdose of cocaine. He was immediately taken to a drug store and medical aid called. He fought the doctor and said he wanted to die, but was forced to submit to antidotes and was soon out of danger. He had been a heavy loser financially lately in his cattle business, and his Eastern financial friends seem to have deserted him, and he tried to end his troubles in death.

Joe Thorp and John Armstrong, Hume, Mo., were here yesterday with hogs.

A message received from Washington yesterday says: "Samuel Degan, a cattle shipper of Chicago, who recently sailed for England with 303 fat cattle, has returned here and reports that not a single one was lost on the trip. When the cattle arrived in England they were in a little better condition than when shipped, averaging about 1,300 pounds. The cattle were, as a rule, well graded. The Polled Angus grades brought the highest prices. The whole 303 averaged about $97.50 a head. It is stated at the agricultural department that the Polled Angus grades are more in demand in Europe than any other cattle. Herefords come next and Durhams last."

John P. Miller, the well known St. Louis cattle trader, has moved to Kansas City, and is now operating on the yards here.

Johnson & Miller were here yesterday with a string of nice Texas calves. They averaged 188 pounds and sold at $5.10.

Fred Chase, Council Grove, Kas., had in cattle yesterday.

There were no fancy cattle in yesterday, but Albertus Fry, of Butler, Mo., was here with eighty-three thick fat steers of his own feeding, averaging 1,372 pounds, that were sold by the Chicago Live Stock Commission Company at $5.40, the highest price of the day.

Goll Bros., Chariton county, Mo., were here yesterday after feeders.

William Wiley, Sedgwick, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle.

F. H. Woodbury, Olivet, Kas., had in in cattle and hogs yesterday.

J. D. Chorn, J. H. Wood and D. E. Chorn, Howard county, Mo., got feeders here yesterday. They report grass and corn fine, and say a good many cattle will be fed this winter. Young hogs short and not many stock cattle on hand.

A. A. King, Pike county, Mo., bought feeders here yesterday.

Greer & Cornelius, Helena, Mo., were in yesterday with cattle and sheep.

James Crawford, Purcell, I. T., came in yesterday with cattle.

J. B. Horne and O. Mize, Williamsburg, Kas., had in hogs yesterday.

Charles Sanderman, Harbine, Neb., was at the yards yesterday with cattle.

I. B. Lamb, Dunlap, Kas., was at the yards yesterday with cattle. He says corn and grass are good in the eastern half of Morris county. Most farmers will crib their corn and feed but little. They are selling their cattle as feeders.

Luke Haff, of Bowling Green, Mo., passed through the city yesterday with a fine Cruickshank bull, from the herd of W. A. Harris, Linwood, Kas., for Charles Harris, of Pike county, Mo.

A. Muckenthaler, Paxico, Mo., got stockers here yesterday.

T. M. Latham, Crowell, Tex., was up yesterday with sheep.

Walter Douglas, Buckner, Mo., had in hogs yesterday.

S. W. Marsh, E. S. Dalton, A. S. Fry and J. W. Shaffer, Clinton county, Mo., were here after stockers and feeders yesterday.

W. M. Miller, H. N. Brady, H. B. Turpin, W. Denning and J. Henry, of Carroll county, Mo., were here after stockers and feeders yesterday.

Garland Bros., Wellington, Kas., was here yesterday with twenty good native steers, averaging 1,337 pounds, that sold at $5.25.

J. O. Fleming, Savannah, Mo., had in sheep yesterday.

Lafe Lusk, Garden City, Mo., was here yesterday after feeders.

W. G. Hegler, Rantoul, Kas., was at the yards yesterday with hogs.

Off for the Kreigersfest.

Accompanied by a brass band and the music of a drum corps C. J. Walruff, president of the National Kriegersfest of the United States; Dr. E. von Quast and E. Bischofsberger proceeded to the Union depot last night, and started for Columbus, O., where they will attend the annual meeting of the association. The members of the local society marched in line behind the band. The organization is composed of German ex-soldiers, a large majority of whom fought in the Franco-Prussian war. Mr. Walruff's associates are urging him for re-election as president of the association.

Births Reported.

The following births were reported to the board of health yesterday:

Bray, George T. and Henrietta; girl; Seventh and Charlotte; August 8.

Jackson, G. M. and Minnie; girl; 1524 Harrison; August 6.

Kaul, William and Margaret; boy; 1423 Indiana avenue; August 14.

Ulrich, Oscar and Anna; girl; 2433 Michigan; August 14.

Lewright, J. W. and Mary; boy; 427 Montgall; August 15.

Worrell, Perry and Bettie; girl; 1409 Grove street; August 15.

Hewitt, William and Julia L.; boy; 1219 Springfield avenue; August 9.

Deaths Reported.

The following deaths were reported to the board of health yesterday:

Jones, Sam; 28 years; 1417 Pacific street; August 14; heart disease; burial in Union cemetery.

Inman, George; 2 months; 501 West Twenty-third street; August 14; inanition; burial in Union cemetery.

Wilson, Ethel; 9 years; 1826 Terrace; August 15; meningitis; burial in Oak Grove cemetery.

Building Permits Issued.

The following permits to build were issued by the superintendent of buildings yesterday:

G. W. Scoffin; frame residence; 1925 Central; $150.

M. F. Leggett; frame residence; 2526 Chestnut; $800.

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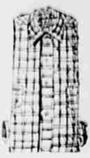

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Real Estate Sales.

W. Diehl & Co. sold fifty feet at the southwest corner of Thirteenth street and Park avenue to P. W. Sullivan, for B. F. Deatherage, for $2,000 cash, yesterday. Mr. Sullivan will build himself a residence on the purchase. Bush Bros. sold a six room cottage, with fifty feet of ground, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, on Warwick ridge, for H. S. Stoller, for $3,100. The buyer is a railroad man.

Recovering Rapidly.

Mr. C. D. Parker, the president of the Real Estate and Stock exchange, has so far recovered from the operation he underwent a few weeks ago for a severe attack of appendicitis that he has been able to leave the city. He started for Minnesota yesterday morning. It will be several weeks before he has regained his strength.

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