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COURT DIRECTORY.
Circuit Court.—First Monday after the fourth Monday in March and September.
County Court.—Second Monday in February, May, August, and November.
Probate Court.—Second Monday in January, April, July and October.

LOCAL AND COUNTY NEWS.

The farmers of Hurricane township want harvest hands.

The Fourth passed off quietly at this place—no celebration.

The aqueduct under Main street, for the surplus water of the spring, is being repaired and enlarged. Jas. Lonhan has the contract.

We have received a communication from Chantilla, which is too personal for our columns. We must know before we insert an article of this kind that there is no possible room for any one to take offence at any thing contained therein.

Among the list of death notices will be found that of Mrs. Frazier, who died after an illness of a few hours. Her loss will be deeply felt in this community where her unostentatious piety and meek christian charity were recognized. She was born in Kentucky, and raised by her uncle, Major Thomas L. Butler, of Carrollton, in that state, her mother dying when she was a child.

The body of Mr. Geo. Catcott was recovered on Tuesday last by a party who went from Troy. It was lying at the bottom of the shaft in the coal mine. The shaft was forty feet deep and contained twenty-five feet of water. The family had been notified by telegraph and on Thursday two sons of the deceased came on from his late home in Peoria, Illinois, and returned with his body. Mr. Catcott during his residence here made many friends by his amiable and gentlemanly qualities.

In the death of Mrs. Frances G. Worsham, notice of which was given in our paper of last week, Troy lost one of its most useful and estimable ladies—one whose place will be hard to fill, and whose kind ministrations will be missed in the sick chamber as well as in the family circle. She was born in Pittsylvania county, Va., on the 11th of March, 1809, and was married to Capt. Wm. Worsham on the 19th of January, 1826. In 1830 she came to Missouri with her husband and located at this place, where she lived, dispensing her good works, up to the time of her death. She was a member of the Missionary Baptist church for fifteen years, and died at the ripe age of 64 years, 8 months and 19 days, in the full hope of immortality.

RUNAWAY.—On Saturday afternoon the stage from Wentzville had three lady passengers, Miss Josephine Martin of this place, and Misses Adams and Robinson of Montgomery City. About two miles out, while descending a considerable hill, the tongue became detached, allowing the vehicle to press upon the horses. The ladies asked the driver (Frank Hartman) to stop while there was yet time, so that they could get out and the damage be repaired; but he insisted that he could keep the horses out the reach of the stage and commenced laying on the whip. The break-neck speed had not been kept up long before Frank fell out. The ladies then attempted to escape by jumping. Miss Adams' feet were entangled in the baggage and she fell, receiving severe bruises about the head and face. Miss Martin was also slightly bruised. Mr. McUen, near whose house the accident occurred, brought in the mail and baggage.

OUR BUSINESS HOUSES.

Persons at a distance cannot always judge correctly of the business importance of a town by its local paper, because of the fact that some of its leading houses do not make themselves known through that medium by advertising or otherwise. Our object is not to lecture them on this blindness of their own and the town's best interest, but to give a review of the places of business in Troy, impartially and regardless of their negligence in assisting immigration by publishing their business and giving strangers a correct standard by which to judge of our business importance. We will commence with one of the most important manufacturing establishments of the place,

CAKE & ROGERS' TANNERY.
We have long boasted of one of the largest and most complete tanneries in the West, established over forty years ago by the late Horace B. Wing, now owned by Cake & Rogers, in connection with a large boot and shoe, saddle and harness manufactory. This establishment probably does more business than any house in the town, gives employment to more hands, and goes far to show that factories of almost any description may be established in our midst upon a firm basis. It has become so identified with the business community that its absence would create a drag in our business circles that would be heavily felt. The reputation of its leather and manufactures is widespread.

This firm has lately met with a sad loss in the death of one of its proprietors, J. W. Rogers, who was taken from our midst last week by cholera. Although this loss will double the responsibilities of the surviving partner, the business will go on as heretofore.

LACLEDE HOTEL.
Few towns in the West can boast of as good hotels as Troy. The Laclede was built in the summer of 1870 by Thornhill & Buswell, its present proprietors, at a cost of \$8,000 or \$10,000, and last year a large addition was built, making it as complete as a country hotel well could be. The rooms are all comfortably finished, and all the accommodations of a first class house are extended its guests. There is a good bar and a billiard room (separate) in the basement of the building, where lovers of game may while away their time. The proprietors are excellent hosts, and have done a good thing for the town in furnishing us with this hotel.

PLANTERS' HOUSE.
This is an older house than the Laclede, formerly a frame building; but within the past two years the proprietor, J. F. Brown, has erected a handsome three-story brick, and removed most of the old buildings. Standing opposite each other, the Planters' and the Laclede furnish some idea of the energy of our town as well as its desire to hospitably entertain those whom business or chance may bring to it. The Planters' has a good bar connected with it, and its rooms are comfortable and well furnished.

FARMERS AND MECHANICS BANK.
One very prominent indication of our business energy and local pride, is the establishing of the above bank, with a capital stock of \$80,000, the stockholders all being citizens of the town and county. We have had a bank for several years, but Mr. Knox gave way for the present enterprise, and took \$10,000 stock in it. Its officers are, W. Perkins, president; J. H. Knox, vice president; E. N. Bonfils, cashier.

TROW. W. WITHROW—SADDLES, HARNESS, TRUNKS, &c.
This is another old and well established house, started many years ago in a little frame building by the father of the present proprietor. It grew in importance, and about 1855 its proprietor found it necessary to build a larger house, and in 1871, T. W. Withrow, having succeeded his father in the business, erected a still more commodious brick building on the corner of Main and Cherry, at a cost of about \$6,000, where he displays one of the finest stocks of sad-

dles, harness, trunks, etc., in the state outside of St. Louis.

DRY GOODS—PARKER, CREWS & CO.
This is probably the oldest established dry goods house in the town, having, since its first opening, frequently changed firm name, but always with F. or C. W. Parker as the leading business man. They have a commodious brick building, which is kept filled, both first and second floors, and warehouse, with every commodity required by the country trade, including groceries, queensware, etc.

NORTON, HARLAN & NORTON.
Another firm, although not so long established as the former, displays equal energy, taste and judgment in the selection of its goods. This firm has a large brick building on the east side of Main street, well adapted to the display of its goods, which consist of staple and fancy dress goods, groceries, queensware, hardware, etc. The leading spirit of this firm we may say is F. M. Harlan, the other two members of the firm, E., and W. M. Norton, his son, are off on a trip to the mountains.

CRUMP & WING.
The delicate health of Benedict Crump, and his recent death, coupled with the public and agricultural duties of F. Wing, have prevented this store from keeping entirely up to its former standard for some months past, although it has maintained an average above ordinary country stores. The death of Mr. Crump necessitating a settlement of and administration upon the co-partnership estate of this firm, the store is not in full trim, but will be ready by the time the busy season sets in.

JOSEPH HART.
Mr. Hart's stronghold is ready-made clothing, although he keeps a fine assortment of boots and shoes, dress goods, lawns, linens, edgings, notions, groceries, etc. He occupies the large brick store room just south of Withrow's saddle and harness establishment, and is driving a staving business. He is one of the few men who sell goods for less than they cost, and yet make a handsome profit.

WALTER S. COOPER.
This gentleman may also be classed among the dry-goods houses of the town, although he has only recently kept them on as large a scale as at present, his chief business being that of groceries, confections, notions, and such little trinkets as are needed and bought every day; now, however, along with these, he keeps prints, clothing, underwear, and hundreds of other things that are a necessity to the comfort and happiness of every one.

GROCERIES AND BAKERY.
We have three stores which keep groceries principally—F. S. Sweeney, G. W. Mohr and M. T. Britton. The latter has a bakery connected with his establishment, and keeps a full supply of fresh bread, cake and confections. All these houses do a good business.

HARDWARE—J. P. LYNOTT.
About six or seven years ago J. P. Lynott started here with a small tin shop, keeping a few stoves, and doing the most of the work himself. By close attention to business he soon commenced to increase his stock, success following success, until now he has one of the largest and finest hardware stores in the state outside the principal cities. Two years ago he built a large two-story brick building, and it is worth one's time to go there and inspect the wonderfully varied and immense stock of almost anything you can name in the hardware line; and it will particularly pay our farmers to take a look at the various improved agricultural implements for which he is agent.

BOOTS AND SHOES—HENRY & BRO.
In the building formerly occupied by T. W. Withrow, Henry & Bro. have a large shoe store and manufactory. They are both young men, who understand their work, and are building up an excellent trade.

F. M. Brickey also has a shoe-shop one door north of Crump & Wing's store. Mr. Brickey is a fine fitter and workman, and always gives satisfaction.

JEWELRY AND WATCHES—L. WOLFGRAM.

Troy can boast as fine an establishment of this character as any town in the West, and as good a workman. Mr. Wolfram keeps a magnificent stock of watches, clocks, jewelry and beautiful charms. On entering his store one almost wishes himself as rich as Croesus, that he may load himself with the dazzling trinkets that flash their rays in his admiring eyes. Mr. Wolfram is a young man of pleasant address, and although he has only been in our midst little over a year, has made many friends and admirers.

DRUGS—WOOLFOLK & CO.
This firm has a large assortment of drugs, medicines, liquors, paints, toilet articles, stationery, and everything kept by druggists. It is a pleasant firm to deal with, and all prescriptions prepared by them may be relied on as being strictly correct. You may also have the inner man refreshed there with a glass of bubbling, sparkling, polar soda water, which, when you drink it once, makes you wish your throat were long enough to retain the taste and indefinite period of time.

DR. S. T. EAST.
Dr. East has been in the drug business here for the past six or seven years, and the reliability of his house is well known. He has a magnificent store, and keeps, outside the regular business, pictures and frames, literary publications, periodicals, and notions without number. Dr. East is a graduate of medicine, and is therefore very particular and correct in preparing prescriptions. Both of our drug stores are doing a good business.

MILLINERY.
We have two millinery stores—Miss S. J. Fentem and Mrs. M. Sedlacek, who keep on hand many things necessary to the lovelier and better sex, a list of which it would be folly in us to attempt to give.

DRESSMAKING.
Mrs. Ogden and Mrs. Ward have a dressmaking establishment over the store of Norton, Harlan & Norton, where they artlessly make up much that our young men admire in the laddies and fondly imagine is real.

FURNITURE.
H. W. Kemper has a large stock of furniture, and judging from the number of wagon-loads that arrive weekly, it is natural to suppose that he is doing a large business. A look through his store will convince one that the demand is large, or he could never afford to keep such a full supply on hand.

WAGONS.
We have a wagon factory, conducted by F. W. Harbaum, an enterprising young man and excellent workman. He sells his wagons about as fast as he can put them up, and those who buy of him are satisfied with his work. There is no use buying wagons of foreign make, when equally good, if not better ones, may be had at home. Mr. Harbaum is succeeding well, and we hope his business will continue to increase.

We have three blacksmith shops, and all are kept busy. They are conducted by Wm. Swan, A. Kuhne and T. H. Stephens.

The business transactions of the various establishments, which we have briefly named here, will give the stranger some idea of the resources of our town, and we suggest that they will find few more pleasant places in which to locate than Troy.

PERSONAL.—Mr. J. B. Gordon, of St. Louis, was in town this week.

Miss Flora Dickey, of St. Louis, returned home last Thursday after a week's visit to this place.

Profs. Isaac Nelson and Henry Richards of the Canton (Mo.) University dropped into our sanctum Monday morning.

George W. Garrett of Warrenton called at our office last Monday, and replenished our exchequer to the amount of \$1.50.

Will M. Norton took a sudden notion last Thursday and went off to Colorado on an hour's notice. He joined his father and Mr. Knox at Wright City.

A number of enterprising citizens of Hannibal have agreed to donate to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway twenty acres of ground, located alongside of the railroad track, about a quarter of a mile west of the fair grounds near that city, to be used for stock-yard purposes. The land is said to be worth \$100 per acre.

According to the Minneapolis Tribune, "Ignatius Donnelly has his hands trying to mow his lawn, so as to obtain entrance to a grange."

DIED.

HOLCOMB—July 8, 1873, at the residence of her husband four miles north of Troy, of cholera morbus, Mrs. PRILLA, wife of Harlin Holcomb, aged 57 years.

BIRKHEAD—July 4, 1873, at the residence of her son, J. M. Birkhead, Esq., three miles east of this place, of dysentery, Mrs. JOANNA BIRKHEAD, aged 81 years, 11 mos. and 7 days.

FRAZIER—July 5, 1873, in this place, at the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Martin, of cholera infantum, little HARRY, youngest child of Mrs. Celia Frazier, aged 2 years, 5 months and 15 days.

WHITESIDES—July 6, 1873, at his late residence near Auburn, of cholera morbus, JACOB WHITESIDES, at an advanced age.

FRAZIER—July 7, 1873, at the residence of her husband in this place, of cholera morbus, Mrs. SARAH, wife of Wm. FRAZIER, Esq., aged 46 years.

CARTER—July 7, 1873, in this place, at the residence of her grandfather, Capt. Wm. Worsham, of cholera morbus, Miss SARAH F. CARTER, aged 17 years and 23 days.

BRAGG—July 7, 1873, at the residence of his father in this place, of cholera morbus, HENRY, son of Wm. Bragg, aged 30 years and 23 days.

MARTIN—July 8, 1873, at her late residence in this place, of cholera morbus, Mrs. MARY A. MARTIN, aged 64 years, 5 months and 3 days.

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B. C. MAGRUEDEI,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
CAP-AUGRIS, MO.

Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. [ptov9n5]

W. C. MCFARLAND,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
TROY, MISSOURI.

Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, and pay special attention to collecting. Office over Bank building. [v8n22]

ALLEN & BAKER,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
TROY, MISSOURI.

Agents State and Phoenix Insurance Companies, and Real Estate Agents. J. B. ALLEN, Notary Public.

B. W. WHEELER,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
TROY, MISSOURI.

Will attend to any professional business in the courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit; also prosecuting attorney of the county and notary public. [ptv8v8]

WALTON & CREECH,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
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Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit and Supreme Court of the State. Business promptly attended to. Office over Dr. East's drug store. [v8n23]

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DR. J. C. GOODRICH,
DENTIST.
WENTZVILLE, MISSOURI.

Will be in Troy from time to time. Due notice of which visits will be given in THE TROY HERALD. [v8n23]

DR. W. W. BIRKHEAD,
DENTIST.
TROY, MISSOURI.

Will always be found in his office, next door to T. W. WITHROW'S, up stairs, where he attends to dental and surgical diseases of the mouth. He keeps an assistant always in the office to aid in filling teeth. [v8n23]