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LOCAL AND COUNTY NEWS.

Anderson's History for only 85cts. at the Drug House of Sam'l T. East.

Several of our citizens attended the Montgomery City fair.

Choice Imported Tea \$1 per pound. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

If you want school books go to the Drug House of Sam'l T. East.

Big Stock of Clothing this week at NORTON & HARLAN'S.

Circuit court commences next Monday. The docket will be found on the third page.

A full line of Heating and Cook Stoves just received by B. S. Crews. Call and examine them. 88

Woolfolk & Gordon have received their New Stock of fall and winter goods.

Prof. Jacob E. Huckstep has a music class of forty-five pupils in the neighborhood of Elm Grove church.

Miss Hattie B. White, for seven or eight years a compositor in this office, has gone to St. Louis. The best wishes of the Herald office attend her.

A pigeon shooting match is advertised to come off to-morrow at Wentzville, with J. Booker May as master of ceremonies.

Don't buy fall and winter goods until you examine our stock; we will sell you more goods for less money than any other house in the county. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

Dr. Birkhead will be in his office in Troy next Monday, and will remain during the week. All the new improvements in dentistry.

The school house in Millwood has been let for repairs. School will hereafter be held on the ground floor, and the second story fitted up for a town hall.

I have two or three improved "Buckeye" and "Farmers' Friend" force feed wheat drills left which I will sell at about cost. 89

B. S. CREWS.

Mrs. James Lyons, Miss Mary Lyons and Mr. James Davis, of this county, passed through town last Thursday, on their way to St. Louis, where they will remain several weeks.

Mr. C. M. Swope, agent for Appleton's American Cyclopaedia, was in town a few days last week and took about a dozen orders. This is a good showing for Troy when it is considered that the work is in the circulating library. Swope is a model book agent and one of the very few that does not bore one to death.

Nobby Hats at

NORTON & HARLAN'S.

Special Bargains in jeans, casimers, tweeds and flannels. Call and examine our stock. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

The Clarksville Sentinel claims to have reliable information that the bonds of the river railroad have been sold. If such is the case, the road will soon be completed, but we would rather hear the whistle of the engine than the repetition of these reports.

Best and cheapest winter Boots in the market. Every pair warranted. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

The best Boot in Lincoln county for \$4.50. See them at NORTON & HARLAN'S.

One morning last week Mrs. Garrett noticed that one of her hens had been killed and partly eaten by owls. She seasoned it plentifully with poison and placed it on a fence. The next morning there was one owl stretched on the ground dead and another clutching the grass in the agonies of death.

The farmers are generally busy with their fall work, many of them not yet having finished sowing wheat. The acreage of wheat will probably be less than for several years, owing to the scarcity of wheat and the dry weather of the season. It is the opinion of many intelligent farmers that this is the year to sow wheat.

New styles in Calicoes—dress goods cheaper than ever. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

There was a plowing match in Millwood last Saturday. There were only two entries, the Moline and Simplicity, manufactured by Russell, of Ashley, several others that had promised to attend, failing to put in an appearance. No committee was selected to make the award but those present were left to form their own conclusions.

Largest stock of Boots and Shoes in Troy at NORTON & HARLAN'S.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—William Eddy, a blacksmith who lives in the upper edge of this county, not far from Prairieville, received a singular injury which is likely to cause his death. While shoeing a horse he drove a nail into the quick, which caused the horse to jerk his foot away before the projecting end of the nail could be twisted off. A small but painful wound was made by the nail. Inflammation set in and he was on Sunday last in a critical condition.

Window Glass.

Large stock at lowest prices always on hand at the Drug House of Sam'l T. East.

We have received a letter from Mr. J. T. Johnson, of Auburn, who is traveling in Iowa. He is much pleased with the soil of that state and the condition of the crops he represents as encouraging. He thinks the average yield of wheat in those localities he has examined will be eighteen bushels, of oats from forty to eighty and of barley from thirty to sixty. As a grazing country he says it cannot be surpassed. The great want is facility for transportation.

If you want a suit of Clothes cheap, call and see us; we have the cheapest stock ever offered in the county. WOOLFOLK & GORDON.

The case of Henry Rieke, charged with murdering his wife, of which we gave an account last week, was taken up last Friday before Esquire J. B. Nelson and A. Y. Brown, the prisoner having secured a continuance from Monday and a charge of venue from Esquire C. W. Mershon. The examination lasted until midnight of Saturday, and ended by admitting Rieke to bail in the sum of two thousand dollars. J. Creech appeared for the prosecution and McFarland, of this place, Daniels, of Wentzville, and Keithley, of St. Charles, for the defence. We understand that the evidence is very strong against Rieke, though altogether circumstantial.

GEOGRAPHICAL.

Monteith's Independent Series for sale or exchange at introductory rates at the Drug House of Sam'l T. East.

Elsewhere will be found a report, sent us by Mr. Dalton, of the proceedings of a meeting of the farmers at New Hope. Our opinion is that the farmers are right in giving their patronage to the independent line of steamers, and it would be to their interest to persevere in this course, no matter how much the old line underates in the matter of prices. A few cents saved in this niggardly way, might be at the expense of many dollars hereafter, for nothing is more certain than that if the independent line were choked off, the old one would immediately resume its former prices and practices. There is a principal involved in this matter of which those farmers interested in cheap freights cannot afford to lose sight. By all means let there be a faithful and consistent unity of action.

OUR SCHOOLS.

Notwithstanding the warm weather of the season and the very general prevalence of malarial diseases, the number attending the schools is regularly increasing. Parker Seminary has fifty pupils, and the Public and High School has one hundred and forty. In the latter school out of this township are William Broyles, Union township; R. D. Robertson, Burr Oak; Arthur Duff, Clark; Jesse J. Shaw, Nineveh; John F. Dyer, Augustine P. Mudd, Daniel H. Mudd and J. T. Mudd, Millwood; and Wade Melan, Payneville, Pike county. In Parker Seminary are Prentiss Edrington, Oliver Edrington, Leon Keller and Abraham Kettus, St. John Baptiste parish, Louisiana; Bessie Smith, Montgomery county; Smith Tinsley, Pike county; William Mitchell, Monroe township; Alice Wilson, Clark; Ida Whiteside, Hurricane; Morris Sheets, Clark.

In the Public and High School Professor Bremer gives German lessons twice each day; also lessons on the violin three evenings in the week. Miss Mattie Roavis is prepared to give lessons on the guitar, in which accomplishment she is very proficient. These facilities are in addition to what has been already announced. What we wish to impress upon our readers is the fact that we have here two schools, either of which offers facilities for obtaining a sound, solid, liberal education that cannot be surpassed by those of any other institution of learning in the state. We are the more proud of this fact because of the almost complete absence of these facilities heretofore. These are home institutions and ought to be liberally patronized by our own people.

Three rowdies, who live in the western part of this township or the eastern part of Prairie, rode out of town last Saturday at a break-neck speed, shouting and cursing with all their might. On Monday the marshal caught one of them, a young Cannon, in town and arrested him. Cannon begged so pitifully and insisted so strongly that he was so drunk on that occasion that he did not know what he was doing, that he was released. It is thought by some that the parties were only feigning drunkenness, but Cannon was drunk enough to be lying on his back on the floor of Graf's saloon. The most gully of the party was a chap named Browning. The marshal will keep sharp lookout for him and teach him better manners when next he comes to town. This thing of galloping horses out of town is the surest mark of a rowdy, and will be the means of making some of these smart youngsters pay dearly for their fun.

We have received an anonymous communication from Cap-au-Gris. Why will persons persist in sending us such articles? We have stated over and over again that every communication not accompanied by a responsible name goes into our wastebasket without being read. This rule is imperative. We must have the name as a guarantee of good faith.

The card of A. Houston & Co. appears elsewhere. This firm succeeds Grant & Houston which was dissolved by mutual consent. Al. Houston is well known in this county as an excellent and safe business man. The other member of the firm is Harry M. Hodgon, son of Dr. Hodgon, a young man of superior business qualifications.

There is a considerable amount of sickness in the county at this time. The physicians are all busy.

Chas. Martin, Jr., is building a dwelling house near that of W. A. Woodson.

50 Bushels

Choice Timothy Seed just received by B. S. Crews. 88

If you want a perfectly fitting coat, pants and vest, go to John Sykora, fashionable tailor, first door north of Coker's harness store. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. 82

New Hope, Mo., Sept. 1st, 1875.

Editors Herald: We, the undersigned, as the friends of temperance, the friends of humanity, of good morals and religion, ask for the following preambles and resolutions a place in your columns:

WHEREAS, It is a fact well known, if not admitted to all, one long deplored by at least a goodly number of our citizens, that Hurricane township, and especially New Hope and vicinity, have been long cursed with intemperance, caused by the dramshop; that the influence of the dramshop has long rested as a cloud alike over our community, our church and our homes. There is no corner where its bitter fruits have not been reaped in tears, no church which has not felt its heaven-cursing, God-insulting, devil-pleasing, soul-destroying influence, and but few, if any, families that have not witnessed with sad hearts, lighted hopes and crushed spirits, its blighting, withering, maddening influence in the person of some loved and once lovely member of the home circle;

1. That in its provision on this subject places the dramshops in the hands of the tax-paying population, thereby making the entire tax-paying population responsible within the township;

2. That the vendors of ardent spirits have made their boast that they receive support and patronage from the very first classes of society, even from the Christians of every church in our community and highly honored in their business, and as we have been informed that the honorable county court grants them license illegally, and as we know that there are at least an honored few that wish to vindicate themselves from such a foul charge, and that we are, in short, determined to know who are, and who are not, willing in the future to support the dramshop in our township, or at least to enlist as soldiers and are willing to fight for the temperance cause hereafter:

Resolved, That we will hoist the temperance battle-flag of Hurricane township, Lincoln county, Missouri, and call earnestly for volunteers.

2. That we will fight only in open field.

3. That the weapons of our warfare shall be always the law. M. S. Whiteside, E. E. Whiteside, J. A. Hammack, Thos. S. Elsbery, J. D. Cox, Wm. A. Hemphill, J. A. Grimes, S. C. Dillman, I. M. Hamuack, H. T. Elsbery, H. C. Hatfield, H. B. Downing, J. P. Webb, E. S. Downing, Wm. S. Luckert, P. J. Waters, E. D. Frasier, W. W. Frasier, R. L. Vance, Wm. Downing, G. W. Elsbery.

Meeting at New Hope.

At a mass meeting of the farmers and Patrons of Husbandry of the eastern portion of Lincoln county, held at New Hope, on Saturday, September 18th, 1875, to take into consideration the ratification of an agreement between the people of Calumet and Capt. LaBarge of the steamboat, Chambers, in relation to freights on the river, the following action was taken:

Thomas Reid was called to the chair and H. B. Dalton elected Secretary. Captain Reid, on taking the chair, stated the object of the meeting in a neat little speech, and was followed by M. S. Goodman in an able and appropriate address, stating fully and conclusively all the advantages and disadvantages of an indorsement of the agreement made between the Clarksville committee and Capt. LaBarge.

On motion the aforesaid agreement was unanimously adopted, and a committee of six appointed to circulate the agreement among the citizens generally for their signatures. The following gentlemen compose the committee:

M. R. Watts, New Hope; Allen & Mildenstein, Burr Oak; J. P. Webb, Rockford; Foley & Welch, Falmouth; Walker Davis, Rockford; Cyrus Finley, Walnut Mills.

On motion T. B. Reid was added to the committee. It was then moved and carried that the proceedings of the meeting be sent to the Troy Herald for publication. The meeting then adjourned.

THOS. REID, Pres't.

H. B. DALTON, Sec'y.

Take Notice.

If you want cheap repairing done, go to M. Sedlacek's harness shop.

Mrs. M. Sedlacek is going to St. Louis for her fall stock soon and wants money to get it with; please come and settle your accounts. All old accounts will be handed over for collection if not settled soon. 88-3

M. SEDLACEK.

GRAND BALL.—Remember the ball on Tuesday, October 5th. A brass and string band has been engaged. No pains will be spared. Everybody invited.

The State Auditor issued the following circular on the 25th inst:

STATE AUDITOR'S OFFICE. To County Collectors: I beg to call your attention to section 143 of the revenue law of 1875, which provides the "personal delinquent lists" allowed to any collector, shall be delivered to his successor, "and so on until the whole shall be collected." "And in making collections on the said personal delinquent lists, the said collectors shall give duplicate receipts therefor, one to be delivered to the person paying the same, and the other to be filed with the clerk of the county court, who shall charge the collector therewith."

You have the same power to collect these "personal delinquent taxes" at any time, as is conferred upon you in section 118 of the same act, by seizing and selling the goods and chattels of the person owing the same.

Many persons think if they can get on the personal delinquent list, they have a perpetual exemption from payment, hence, it is hoped you will endeavor to collect these taxes as soon as possible, and by seizure if necessary.

Very respectfully,
THOMAS HOLLADAY,
State Auditor.

DIED.

PEERS.—Sept. 14, 1875, at Warrenton, Mo., of diphtheria, Joseph Minor, eldest son of Chas. E. and Mary C. Peers, aged 5 1/2 years.

MARRIED.

HENRY—SPTON.—Monday, Sept. 27, 1875, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lucinda Hall, by Esquire J. W. Jamison, Mr. Willis Henry, sr., and Mrs. Lucy Sisson.

A. E. NOEL,

SURGEON DENTIST, TROY, MO. Offers his services to the people of Troy and vicinity. He uses the Celluloid composition, the best in use, for plate work. All work warranted. 11023

E. L. SYDNOR,

SURGEON-DENTIST, TROY, MO. Is prepared to do all work in his line on the latest scientific principles. Satisfaction guaranteed. Office over Withrow's saddle and harness establishment. 11023

P. F. STEWART. O. H. AVERY.

STEWART & AVERY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, TROY, MO. Land Title and all matters pertaining to Real Estate specially attended to. Collection on reasonable terms. Jan2975

GEO. W. COLBERT,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, TROY, MISSOURI. Will practice in the courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. Collections promptly attended to.—Office over Henry's shoe shop. 11

LAWRENCE T. MYERS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, NEW HOPE, MO. Will practice in the courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to. 18m29

J. B. ALLEN,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, TROY, MO. Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. Office over Withrow's harness shop. 11023

B. H. NORTON. CHAS. MARTIN, JR.

NORTON & MARTIN, ATTORNEYS AT LAW & COLLECTORS, TROY, MISSOURI. Particular attention given to controversies affecting Real Estate. We make a specialty of collecting all kinds of notes, bills, &c., at a reasonable commission. Office in the Bank building. 798

E. N. BONFILE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, TROY, MISSOURI. Will practice in the Courts of the 18th Judicial Circuit. Office in Bank.

R. C. MAGRUDER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, CAP-AU-GRIS, MO. Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. 11023

JOSIAH CREECH,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, TROY, MISSOURI. Will practice in the courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. Satisfaction given or no charge made; also Prosecuting Attorney and Public Administrator of the county.

G. T. DUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, TROY, MO. Also Notary Public, will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. Special attention given to collecting. 11023

B. W. WHEELER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, TROY, MISSOURI. Will attend to any professional business in the courts of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit. 11023

Dr. W. W. BIRKHEAD,

DENTIST, CLARKVILLE, MO. Will visit Troy every three or three months, due notice of which will be given through the columns of the Herald.