

Official Directory U. S. SENATORS Hon. Francis M. Cocke, Warrensburg, Missouri...

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS—FIRST DISTRICT Hon. Martin L. Clark, Farmington, St. Francois county...

STATE SENATOR Hon. B. Burnett Oliver Jackson, Co. Mo.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Representative: Valter Harold Clark, Clerk of Circuit Court...

CITY OFFICERS. Mayor: Charles C. Butler. Aldermen: Valter Butler, John B. Baker...

CIRCUIT COURT. Judge: James D. Fox, Judge, Fredericktown, Mo. County.

PROBATE COURT. Judge: Wm. H. Bantz. Second Monday in March...

COUNTY COURT. Presiding Justice: Geo. W. Scribble, Associate Justice: Roman Huck...

Churches. Pastors and clerics of congregations are respectfully requested to send for publication...

STE. GENEVIEVE. Roman Catholic, Rev. Father Weiss, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 7 and 9 a. m.

ST. MARY. Roman Catholic, Rev. Father Madden, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 7 and 10 a. m.

NEW OFFENBURG. St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Rev. Father Paster, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 10 a. m.

BLOOMSDALE. Roman Catholic, Rev. Father Walsh, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 7 and 10 a. m.

LAWRENCETON. Roman Catholic, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 7 a. m.

ISLE DU BOIS. St. Raphael's Church, Sullivan Francis, Pastor, Mass every Sunday at 7 a. m.

Professional Cards. THOS. B. WHITLEDGE, Attorney at Law, Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

VALLEE HAROLD, Attorney at Law, Prosecuting Atty., Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

FIRMIN A. ROZIER, Attorney at Law, Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

CHAS. C. ROZIER, Attorney at Law, Real Estate Agent, Conveyancer and Notary Public, Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

HENRY S. SHAW, Attorney at Law, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri.

PAUL L. LEMPK, County Surveyor and Real Estate Agent, Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

ONE PRICE Clothing Store, Opposite the Court House.

CW HAMM Merchant Tailor, First Class Country Clothing Store.

Persons wishing clothing made to order can be fitted in style and price.

THE FAIR PLAY VALLEE HAROLD, Publisher.

Fair Play Things. Miss Lizzie Zeiser has removed her restaurant to the Boverie building...

Great quantities of lime rock are being shipped from here to the Crystal City Glass works.

Some of our merchants are dealing extensively in apples, that crop being somewhat abundant this year...

Parties wishing a number one life insurance will do well to address A. L. Lunsford, agent of the New York Life Insurance Co., St. Mary, Mo.

Misses Cora Cox, Ba Harris and Menie Janis, under the escort of Mr. O. D. Harris, sojourned in St. Louis several days of this week.

For the best wearing, the best fitting and best waterproof Boots & Shoes call at C. BAUM'S.

Walter C. Lempe desires to state that he is ready and willing to make all surveys, and transact any business in the real estate line entrusted to him.

The Cone Mills will run till the holidays, much to the disappointment of "Sot. Seitz, who wants to lay off right away to go a-frogging for the last time.

It will interest Ste. Genevieveans to learn that James Landis, former owner of their town, is now in the livery business at Cape Girardeau and doing well.

God, Nohelmer, of the reliable firm of Wm. Schellert & Co., importers and wholesale dealers in coffee, spices and teas, was in town Tuesday interviewing our merchants.

Lawrenceton is now without a resident physician, Dr. O'Brien having lately removed from there.

We, the undersigned, wish to inform the public generally that we have on hand One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Feet of Yellow Pine Lumber...

A lawyer from Ohio, representing some parties claiming to be interested in property, developed by the late Judge James, over which there has been so much lawing, was here this week...

A huge waterspout must have burst somewhere, Friday afternoon of last week, on the hills dividing the North and South Gabouric creeks...

From a conversation with the clerk we understand that bids for the superintendency of the Poor Farm, the same having been vacated by the death of Martin Braun will be received at the next meeting of the county court.

Under the rules and regulations governing the Poor Farm the superintendent is required to furnish the services of himself and wife, one female assistant and one able-bodied man, to cultivate the farm, and enter into a bond of \$12,000 for the faithful discharge of his duties.

You fellows are making so much fuss about large sweet potatoes that I want to tell you about mine I raised, said Dr. Carsow to a FAIR PLAY reporter.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Sanny South Printing Co., headed "The Greatest Offer Ever Made," which appears on the outside of this issue of the FAIR PLAY.

My mother used J. H. Hess & Co's Cough Syrup last winter with perfect satisfaction. Jos. Barker.

For sale by Rozier & Jokerst.

If you want good hot rolls for your breakfast, go to Miss Lizzie Zeiser's restaurant, opposite the court house.

The largest variety of cook and heating stoves for sale at KARL MULLER'S.

Chas. J. Bonroe, St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have taken Brown's Iron Bitters for nervousness and general debility with good results."

During our much talked of meeting at Cape Girardeau a few days ago, S. Henry Smith, who is known to nearly all of our readers, perpetrated an elegant joke on one of the brethren, Pigg, of the Farmington News.

We have been informed that of late a number of peddlers have been going through this county and disposing of their wares without first having observed the legal requisite of obtaining a license.

Before he took the field, Doubting it wise with pledge to bind Those who were wont to yield; At last, with stern resolve he rose, With charity adorne.

He made degraded drunkards pause, The pot-nose grass forsake, Nor Nature's salutary laws Incurtains break;

Good Father show how this of old, His battles fought and won, And brought our people to his fold, He strove not to be shown.

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FATHER MATHEW. (Born Oct. 10, 1790.) Remember Father Mathew, men, The noble Irish priest, Who censured both with tongue and pen

The bacchanalian feast; And, while his memory you bring Before your mental view, Beware of dissipation's sting, And to your pledge be true.

Do not, in wantonness, neglect His admonitions kind, Nor lasting happiness expect When reason leaves the mind; Who loves to feel false pleasure's glow— His passions do not bound— Is hovering o'er a chasm of woe That only God can sound.

Intemperance he much abhorred, His countrymen he loved, Against their greatest vice he warred, But grieved while he reproved. 'Twas love of them, sincere and fond, That caused him to forsake His home and kin, the mighty bond Of drunkenness to break.

He looked abroad upon the land, He saw the drunkard's wife Fall bleeding from his brutal hand That should defend her life. He saw his children, pale and wan, While he a wretched slave— Staggered along, still hastening on To fill a pauper's grave.

Long time he paused with troubled mind, Before he took the field, Doubting it wise with pledge to bind Those who were wont to yield; At last, with stern resolve he rose, With charity adorne.

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by the Northern Pacific R. R. We look for it more than any other paper and with the greatest pleasure examine its contents.

The weather is cool now, with frosty nights. We are digging potatoes and have just finished harvesting. Harvest was late this year, owing to a backward spring, but our crops are very good.

We had the two biggest snow storms last spring that I have seen since I came here. One occurred on the first day of April and snow fell to a depth of about sixteen inches and remained on the ground for two weeks.

The second, on the first of May, was a wet heavy snow that fell for three days. This last one was death on lambs and hard on sheep. Lumbering time commonly commences here about the twentieth or twenty-fifth of April, and most of those who made an early start last heavily.

There was no shelter for the sheep and lambs except brush, our sheds not being made to keep out the wet but snow and cold in extreme weather, their roofs being flat and of hay or straw. I lost but eight lambs. However, I had to work night and day and had to work more days from the last of March until the grass came than I did for four previous winters.

This section is now all occupied with sheep and quite crowded in some places, a large number having been driven in here last summer.

Our summer has been very pleasant and though rather warm at times, the nights have always been cool.

We now have railroad communication from the east and west and also from the south. This is, of course, no advantage to the farmer other than it gives him cheaper implements. His produce will be worth less because he will be brought in competition with other parts.

Apples are plenty here—at \$1 a dozen—and you bet they are good. We have lots of all kinds of fruit but it is nearly all sent to us in cans. We intend to do better, however, after a while. We will set out the plants and grow our own fruit, this climate being the home of small fruit, and thus master the situation.

My better half will come down to Missouri during the winter to see her relatives and friends, and I suppose, she will go down as far as Ste. Genevieve if the river does not block herself she can get there.

Very Respectfully, HENRY KERTZ.

SECOND Grand Ball OF THE SEASON AT UNION HALL, ON Tuesday, Oct. 30th.

A cordial invitation is extended to all Refreshments served in rooms adjoining Hall. Admission - - - 50 CENTS. LEON JOKERST, Manager.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. signed, hereby given that undermerchandising business, a general town of St. Mary, Mo. under the firm name and style of Geo. Bond & Co., have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent.

The business will be continued at the old stand by Louis Schaaf, who will pay all debts due by the late firm and who is authorized to collect all debts due the firm. George Bond, Louis Schaaf. St. Mary, Mo., Sept 20th, 1883.

Sheriff Sale. By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Ste. Genevieve county, Missouri...

Administratrix's Sale. By virtue of an Order of the Probate Court in and for the County of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri...

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LAND FOR SALE. The real estate belonging to the Estate of Col. Joseph Bogy, deceased, containing 2,500 acres has been subdivided into lots of from 40 to 150 acres, and will be sold cheap in any quantity desired.

FISH MARKET. Gottlieb Behm wishes the public to know that he has established a fish market in the little building opposite Rozier's store, and will keep the same well supplied with fresh fish.

J. S. WHITLOCK, Carpenter, Builder AND ARCHITECT. Shop and residence on the Rock, East of Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

Belle. THE FIRST CAREFREE PHOTOS BY REDUCED PRICES. Copying and enlarging from old photographs. We offer special inducements to Crayons, Litho Ink and Pastels. Write for our prices, as we use the instantaneous process.

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