

County Officers. Representative W. W. Rucker. Presenting Attorney W. E. Perkins. Judges County Court, L. H. Herring, W. District (Jas. Nickerson, M. District)

Religious. Methodist Church—Rev. G. W. Herley pastor. Services first and third Sabbath, morning and evening of each week.

Benevolent and Literary. Literary Library—E. R. Kellogg, librarian. Open from 8 to 12 a. m. and from 2 to 4 p. m.

W. W. RUCKER. Attorney at Law & Notary Public. Keytesville, Mo. Will practice in the Courts of Chariton and adjoining counties.

A. W. JOHNSON. Attorney at Law and Notary Public. Salisbury, Missouri. Will practice in all the State Courts.

J. T. ALDRIDGE, M. D. Eye, Ear & Throat. Keytesville, Mo.

R. C. FORD. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Keytesville, Mo. Will practice in all the State Courts.

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HILLSIDE GREENHOUSES, CARROLLTON, MISSOURI. THREE LARGE HOUSES. THOUSANDS OF FLOWERS, PLANTS AND BULBS IN THEIR SEASON.

SEND FOR CATALOGUE, FREE. GEO. T. KENNEDY, Carrollton, Mo.

CANDIDATES. Our terms for announcing candidates are: For State or Congressional offices, \$10; County offices, \$5.

REPRESENTATIVE. We are authorized to announce WILLIAM E. PERKINSON as a candidate for the office of Representative of Chariton County.

COUNTY CLERK. We are authorized to announce HENRY B. RICHARDSON as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Chariton County.

PROBATE JUDGE. We are authorized to announce HENRY C. MINTER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge of Chariton County.

TREASURER. We are authorized to announce ALONZO F. TOOLEY as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Chariton County.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY. We are authorized to announce JAS. C. WALLACE as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Chariton County.

RECORDER. We are authorized to announce BENJ. F. CRAWLEY as a candidate for Recorder of Deeds of Chariton County.

SHERIFF. We are authorized to announce O. B. ANDERSON as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Chariton County.

Presiding Justice County Court. We are authorized to announce JAMES B. HYDE as a candidate for the office of Presiding Justice of the County Court of Chariton County.

JUDGE WESTERN DISTRICT. We are authorized to announce LLOYD H. HERRING as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the County Court for the Western District of Chariton County.

JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT. We are authorized to announce JOHN NICKERSON as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the Eastern district of Chariton County.

Another Lathrop Affair. A special to the Kansas City Times dated Farmington, Mo., April 2, says: Some time ago the ladies of this city warned the "blind tigers" to close their lawless dens and made a raid on the worst place.

Blind Guides. The farmers can congratulate themselves that they have at least succeeded in attracting the attention of congress and of the whole country to their suffering condition.

The Pulpit and the Stage. Rev. F. M. Shrovet, pastor United Brethren church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me."

Hibbard's Throat and Lung Balsam. For throat and lung troubles this remedy has no equal. It is guaranteed to cure consumption in its first stages.

Epoch. The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual.

Undoubtedly Got It. Willie (to older sister)—"Say, Irene, you get me a cookie on the sly or I'll give you dead away."

County Court Proceedings. (ADJOURNED MARCH TERM.) April 1, 1890. All the officers present. Townsend & Perkins granted a license to run a ferry across Grand river, west of Brunswick.

LAND DELINQUENT. State taxes \$ 657.43 County taxes 1093.03 Township taxes 339.73 School taxes 1223.31 Total \$ 3312.50

PERSONAL DELINQUENT. State taxes \$ 238.72 County " 398.55 Twp " 120.69 School " 384.27 Total \$ 1142.23

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"By, mamma," asked a sweet young miss of 5, "why do people have two ears when they can hear but one thing at a time?"

"Say, Johnny, did your folks have a private box at the theater last night?" Johnny—"No! but they had one after they got home."

Mr. South Church (of Boston)—"You are sure Mrs. Backbay's statement is correct?" Mrs. South Church—"I believe it to be unclouded veracity."

"What is Jenkinson doing now?" "He writes funny paragraphs for the daily." "Funny paragraphs?" "Yes." "Then why doesn't he put them in the paper?"

"You look sick. What is the matter?" asked Nobbs of Dobbs at the poker table, and Dobbs, who had just drawn the deuce of clubs to four hearts, feebly gasped, "heart failure."

The tramp handed him a silet, on which was written: "I am deaf and dumb, and I am hungry." And he handed it back indorsed thus: "Say nothing and saw wood."

No Extra Charge. In this issue we publish the full particulars of two executions, one delivery, three affrays, one highway robbery, two fist fights, three dog fights, one found dead, a drowning accident, the arrest of a road agent, the death of two Mexicans in the late blizzard and the stealing of Judge Sprout's four-mile team.

Workingmen, Read. Notice is hereby given that if you will come to my store three times a day during the next year and purchase a drink of whiskey each time, paying me ten cents a drink, at the end of the year I will donate, for the benefit of your family:

- 5 barrels of my best flour. 100 pounds of fine granulated sugar. 100 pounds rice. 10 pounds coffee. 10 gallons syrup. 50 yards of calico. 3 pairs shoes. 1 \$10.50 clock for your wife. And then I will have \$20 left to pay for the liquor you drank.

"The Republican farmer," says one of our exchanges, "comes in and demands that the local merchant sell him goods at a profit of ten per cent, and goes to the polls and votes that the manufacturer away off east be given 47 per cent. The merchants and the towns create for you a home market, without which your farms would be worthless, and yet you are willing to allow him but a begrudging ten per cent, but the rich and powerful manufacturer hundreds of miles away, you vote to give 47 per cent. Anything below 47 per cent. for the manufacturer is 'free trade is ruinous; but the local merchant who gives you credit, helps you along in every way, must be compelled to work for ten per cent. Think of the injustice of such a course."

We all need to honor our daily pursuits more than we do—to realize that, if we follow them honestly and earnestly, their best results can never be taken from us. This would take the sting out of much that we call failure. No one who has done his best can ever wholly fail. He has that stored up within him which is of more value than many transient successes. If, as Byron tells us, "they never fail who die in a great cause," certain it is that they too never fail who live in the energetic and persevering pursuit of whatever is good or true or useful to mankind.

A BAKER at West Branch, Mich., received a surprise the other day when he moved a large cake which he had baked some time before and left in the show window. He found the cake very light, and upon examining it discovered that a pair of enterprising mice had eaten all but the crust, and had made their home within it, a family of little ones squeaking a questionable welcome to the baker as he rent their house in twain.

The injury of prodigality leads to this, that he that will not economize will have to agonize.