

THE CHARITON COURIER.

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KEYTESVILLE, - MISSOURI.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Taxes:—County offices, \$5; state and congressional offices, \$10; city offices, \$3. Cash in advance.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce H. B. RICHARDSON, as a candidate for circuit clerk subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce DR. G. M. DEWEY as a candidate for coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

PRESIDING JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce W. J. BOGARD as a candidate for presiding judge of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

We are authorized to announce J. L. STACY as a candidate for presiding justice of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary, to be held on June 9th, 1894.

We are authorized to announce LLOYD H. HERRING as a candidate for presiding judge of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce JUDGE W. E. PERKINSON as a candidate for representative of Chariton county, subject to the action of the Democratic county primary, to be held on June 9th, 1894.

JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce JOHN NICKERSON as a candidate for judge of the eastern district of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

We are authorized to announce HENRY HAYES as a candidate for judge of the eastern district of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

JUDGE WESTERN DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. E. ALLEN as a candidate for judge of the western district of the county court subject to the action of the Democratic county primary to be held on June 9th, 1894.

PROBATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce H. C. MINTER as a candidate for probate judge, subject to the action of the Democratic county primary, to be held on June 9th, 1894.

RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce WALLACE G. AGE as a candidate for recorder, subject to the action of the Democratic county primary, to be held on June 9th, 1894.

We are authorized to announce B. H. SMITH as a candidate for recorder, subject to the action of the Democratic county primary, to be held on June 9th, 1894.

Dr. H. D. Broadus, DENTIST, KEYTESVILLE, - MO.

Graduate of University of Tennessee. All dental work done by the latest approved scientific methods, at reasonable prices. Office up-stairs in Winfree building, east of post-office.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest Award.

An elegant line of shoes and slippers at M. Henry's, Triplett.

Remember that M. Henry, of Triplett, is the leader in general merchandise.

Call and see that new line of prints and white goods at M. Henry's, Triplett.

An innumerable line of seasonable novelties for little girls at Mrs. C. P. Vandiver's.

Narrow ribbons in black or white and all colors for dress trimmings at Mrs. C. P. Vandiver's.

Go to M. Henry, the Triplett dealer in general merchandise, for the best goods at the lowest prices.

If you wish to be a nobby young man, buy one of those nobby hats, just received, at M. Henry's, Triplett.

Corsets, kid gloves, silk mitts, hosiery, new style neckwear and all the latest millinery novelties at Mrs. C. P. Vandiver's.

J. M. Collins, of the Mendon Citizen, is afflicted with rheumatism.

Frank Ulrey and family, of Brunswick, have moved to Carrollton.

When needing dental work go to your home dentist; you will be sure to receive honest treatment.

A Sunday-school was organized at the Union church, at Bynumville, last Sunday.

John H. Capp, of Clark township, has invested in a corn and cob mill, whatever that is.

When they have nothing else to do in Salisbury they discuss baptism, or at least some of them do.

Miss Gosha Hazlett, of the vicinity of Rockford, is entertaining the Russian enemy, *la grippe*.

J. D. Butler and A. D. Kellogg, of Sumner, spent Sunday with Keytesville friends and relatives.

Lon Cook spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in St. Louis on business. Of course he saw the elephant.

On account of ill health B. R. Compton has sold his interest in the saw-mill, near Westville, to John Baer.

E. C. Curran is acting in the capacity of deputy marshal, Marshal O'Bryan being engaged at Kellogg's distillery.

Miss Annie Young, of near Rockford, who has been attending school at the Salisbury academy, has returned home.

The grand jury at the late April term of circuit court completed its labors shortly afternoon last Saturday and adjourned.

J. B. Culbertson, of near Snapp, shipped a car load of cattle to St. Louis last Saturday, and reports having struck a good market.

J. W. Phelps and wife, of Salisbury, are now residents of Kansas City. "Waddie's" smiling countenance will be missed at his accustomed haunts, in Salisbury.

Willie Cupp, of near Westville, has embarked in the swine business, having recently purchased a fine Poland China sow from a Mr. Laddie, of Linneus, paying \$25 therefor.

Rev. J. B. Rice, assisted by Rev. Gibson, of Huntsville, commences a protracted meeting at the Methodist church here to-night. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

When Rich'd Littrell, of near Mendon, misses a pig he generally finds it standing on its head in the soap barrel in the smoke-house, dead. At least this was the case one day last week.

Prof. J. T. Payne, col., principal of the Sturgeon colored public school, and who is a son-in-law of Mrs. Nancy Elliott, of Keytesville, is now the proud possessor of a state certificate.

Ex-Sheriff O. B. Anderson contracted 42 head of fat cattle to Wack & Bullington, of Salisbury, the latter part of last week, to be delivered the first week in May at \$3.60 a hundred.

Mr. J. M. Poterfield, of near Hardin, Ray county, is visiting his son, John, who is very low with consumption. Young Poterfield is making his home with his aunts, the Misses Burton, of near Eccles.

When you want the pure article, try Kellogg's pure, hand-made sour-mash whiskey.

Dr. H. D. Broadus is a graduate of the university of Tennessee and a first-class dentist. He is not here to-day and there to-morrow, but is now a permanent citizen of Keytesville and as such is worthy and deserves your confidence and patronage.

J. E. Parsons and M. A. Dawson, the two strange young men who are charged with stealing a revolver and a pocket-knife from S. R. Stockwell, of Salisbury, will be tried before Squire W. H. Bradley, at Salisbury, to-morrow. Both Parsons and Dawson are now in jail.

Mr. A. F. Wood, of Mendon, was a pleasant caller at the COURIER office last Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Brandt, of near Brunswick, is wielding the rod at a spring term of school at East Indian Grove school-house.

F. M. McNamara, of near Mendon, was the only "veteran" before the board of medical pension examiners, at Brunswick, Wednesday of last week.

W. F. Kyes, of near Echo, was thrown from a mule one day last week and sustained a sprained wrist, which has since been giving him considerable pain.

Mr. Thos. H. Flood, recorder of Linn county, who died of inflammatory rheumatism on April 5th, was the father of Mrs. G. W. Gilliam, of Brunswick.

Editors J. G. Gallemore, of the Press-Spectator, J. B. Dameron, of the Democrat, and P. S. Rader, of the Brunswicker, attended the land sales by Sheriff Dempsey at the capital last Tuesday.

Dr. Dunbar, who has visited Keytesville for the past 12 years at different times, will be here again Saturday, April 14th, and remain 13 days, at medical parlors at Sneed's hotel. Examination and consultation free.

J. W. Closser, the Shannondale saw-mill man, has one of his eyes draped in mourning, but he wasn't hit by the man who struck Billy Patterson. Mr. Closser's optic came in contact with a flying stick of timber while he was sawing.

Dave Brummall, a colored inhabitant of Salisbury, beat his wife, for which he was arrested and fined in Mayor Patterson's court. In default of payment Brummall was remanded to the calaboose to serve out his fine and costs.

The town of Dalton, says the Brunswick News, is about to enjoy a building boom, as Gen. E. W. Price contemplates erecting a one story brick store-room, and a Mr. Sherman the building of a two story brick structure for business purposes on the south side of the Wabash railroad tracks.

Dr. J. F. Grinstead, an old Keytesville boy, who has held a position as house surgeon in the Wabash hospital, at Moberly, for the past few months, has met with a deserved promotion and has been appointed to a similar position in the Wabash hospital, at Chicago. The doctor was in Keytesville last Friday to tell his home folks and numerous friends good-bye before leaving for the world's fair city.

D. M. Brown is again without a farm hand, says the Echo correspondent of the Salisbury Press-Spectator. The hand he had, Jim Dowell, having absconded last week. Mr. Brown is several dollars short since Dowell's departure. If reports be true Jim is no novice, having sold his witness fees twice and received pay each time, the last purchaser being John Wisdom, who is now looking for him. Dowell is only 15 years old.

Dr. W. H. Rees, the celebrated lightning tooth extractor, accompanies Dr. J. E. Dunbar on his visit to the city, and these noted specialists are at the popular Million hotel receiving calls. Aside from the highest reputation as members of the honorable profession of medical and surgical science, these gentlemen are capable of moving at ease in the highest business and social circles of life and are happily gifted as pleasant conversationalists.—*Salisbury Democrat*. Will be at Sneed's hotel April 13th and remain two weeks.

We are in receipt of a letter from A. F. Bash, of Mendon, in which he says he wishes to correct a mistake in the last issue of the COURIER in regard to "champion duck shooting." Mr. Bash says that instead of J. R. Smith and W. J. Freeman, of Brunswick, killing 65 ducks, it was Mr. Smith and himself that killed them, and that Mr. Freeman only killed one. We cheerfully correct the error and hereby give Messrs. Bash and Smith due credit for their fine marksmanship, and extend our sympathies to Mr. Freeman on account of being able to kill only one duck where ducks were so thick.

OUR SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT!

FOR 1894.

Our stock of Spring Dry Goods,
Our stock of Spring Clothing,
Our stock of fine Spring Shoes & Oxfords,
Our stock of fine Spring Hats,
Our stock of Gents' Furnishings.

Is Now full to overflowing.

We can show you all the new things brought out this season in the above lines. And since the panic struck us there NEVER was a time when the purchasing power of a Dollar was so great as NOW. The tendency, as is always the case following a CRASH, will be to higher prices. We therefore

Advise Early Purchases,

And we can and will give you panic prices on our entire line to move them quickly. We handle nothing but first-class goods, and you will consult your interests by calling and getting our prices before you buy.

Keytesville Mercantile Co.

Nice weather, but rather cool.

Frost Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Winter still lingers in the lap of spring.

Attorney W. H. Bradley, of Salisbury, is thinking seriously of making the race for probate judge.

Read G. M. Dewey & Co.'s "ad." and don't forget to call on them when you want hardware, tinware, queensware, etc.

The Press-Spectator thinks Salisbury should have a brick yard. Haven't you got "bricks" enough over there, Jim?

Miss Lizzie Bowman, a vivacious young lady of Brunswick, is the guest of Miss Lois Lay and other Keytesville friends this week.

The COURIER was unavoidably late in going to press last week on account of our new set of rollers having been carried by Keytesville station Friday morning.

Misses Mattie Owen and Grace Edwards, two of Keytesville's winsome young ladies, visited Brunswick relatives the latter part of last and the first part of this week.

The county campaign is beginning to warm up with the weather. We have three new announces this week, viz: B. H. Smith and W. G. Agee for recorder and Judge H. C. Minter for probate judge.

The present term of circuit court has been one of the dullest terms ever held in Keytesville, possibly due to there being no important state cases and so many civil cases being continued.

W. G. Agee, of Keytesville, places his announcement in this issue of the COURIER for the office of county recorder. Mr. Agee was born and reared in this vicinity and is held in high esteem by all who know him. He is in every way competent to fill the office he seeks, and will make a strong race.

David Vassar, of near Rockford, is confined to his bed with pneumonia.

Frank Schwartz, of Dalton, is remodeling and making some repairs to his harness shop, at that place.

Miss Kate Craig, of St. Louis, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. J. B. Rice, of this place.

B. H. Smith announces this week as a candidate for a second term nomination to the office of county recorder, a position which he has filled well and faithfully for the past three years.

Notwithstanding the late freeze we still have a fair prospect for most kinds of fruit except peaches. Local fruit raisers of Southwest Missouri report good prospects for apples, pears, plums and berries, and but few peaches.

Mrs. H. C. Miller, of Keytesville, has between 400 and 500 chickens which were hatched in her incubator this season. Some of them have assumed the proportions of "frying size" and Caskie is getting fat.

Judge H. C. Minter announces this week as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of probate judge. Probate judges, like poets, are born not made, and when one is discovered who fills the bill as well as Judge Minter, it is the proper thing to keep him in office as long as he wants it.

O. P. Ray, the suburn complexioned disciple of Blackstone, of near Hamden, has been shoving a pen in County Recorder Smith's office this week and last, while Mr. Smith has been interviewing the "dear people" concerning his candidacy for a re-nomination to the office of recorder.

Mrs. J. W. Hick, of near Mike, returned home from a six weeks' stay in St. Louis last Wednesday afternoon where she was successfully treated by Dr. J. H. Benson, an eminent specialist, of that city, for umbilical hernia or navel rupture. The lady, we are glad to learn, is now entirely well.

Mr. James Maddox, who resides five miles south of town, was in the city Monday and is one of the happy patients of Dr. Dunbar's. He called on the doctor last September during the doctor's visit at Fayette. He had a severe case of catarrh, nasal passage stopped up, at times dull headache, at times roaring in the head, loss of appetite. He gained from 123 to 150 pounds in two months' treatment. He also at times suffered severe pains through his lungs. To-day he feels like a new man. Any one suffering with any eye, ear, catarrh, throat or lung trouble should call and see Dr. Dunbar at the Glasgow hotel. He will remain until the 21st inst. Examination and consultation free.—*Glasgow Missourian*. Dr. Dunbar is now at Sneed's hotel and will remain two weeks.

Quite a ripple of mirth was created in the circuit court room one day this week during the examination of a young man named Bert Parsons by Attorney L. N. Dempsey. Parsons was a witness in the case of Nichols against Zimmerman, and was asked by Mr. Dempsey who told him to testify so and so? Parsons, after a lapse of a few seconds, replied in the drollest manner imaginable: "The supreme court." Everybody laughed and Attorney Dempsey came as near blushing as a lawyer ever does.

Mrs. Dr. J. D. Reed and two little sons of Sacramento, Cal., who have been visiting Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark, of near Westville, and Mrs. Reed's cousin, Miss Effie Wallace, of St. Catherine, Mo., were the guests of Mrs. A. L. Welch, of Keytesville, last Wednesday afternoon. From here Mrs. Reed and sons went to St. Louis to visit relatives, Miss Wallace returning to Westville Wednesday afternoon.

Frank Hill, son of Mr. Wm. E. Hill, of this place, has returned home from the state university, at Columbia, where he has been attending school. Frank has been indisposed for the past few weeks with *la grippe* and tonsillitis and will probably not return to school before next fall.