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Border County Notes.

LIVINGSTON.
The building of a new opera house in Chillicothe has just begun.

A party of hunters near the mouth of Medicine Creek bagged eight foxes last week, three old ones and five young ones. Their dogs ran them into a hollow log.

The Platter Bros. of Chillicothe recently shipped two car loads of heavy draft horses to Germany. They have a man over there and send another along with the horses.

Joseph Haskins, a Sullivan county farmer, was brought before United States Commissioner Chapman at Chillicothe last week under a charge of opening another man's letters. He was bound over to the U. S. court at Kansas City.

Since the death of a Mr. Waite, which occurred in Chillicothe not long ago, his widow has collected a policy for \$1,000 insurance on her husband's life and given birth to twins, a boy and a girl. The mother and children are doing well.

A fire that if let alone would have terminated into an immense conflagration was started in a wooden spittoon in the office of C. E. Witt in Chillicothe on Monday night of last week. Fortunately it was discovered in time and extinguished before the fire had made much headway.

The Mail and Star reported an aged female organ grinder who had been a fixture in Chillicothe for some time, industriously dispensing music to the passers-by, to be wealthy, thereby causing a marked decrease in the old lady's receipts. She denied the statement as being true, visited the editor, gave him a tongue lashing, threatened to sue him for \$5,000 but expressed a willingness to let him off if he would pay her \$150.

RANDOLPH.

Mathew Kribs of Moberly, aged 69 years, died on the 9th inst.

Obe Wigginton and Miss Lizzie Evans, both of Moberly, were married last week.

Horace Johnson, one of the early settlers of Moberly, died near Little Rock last week, aged 80 years.

The Moberly Monitor says: Two hundred of our people (and many of them good church members) take a San Francisco paper because they get a ticket in a lottery. They want to gamble and get something for nothing. Our clergy would do well to talk on this subject and let some of the home and minor offenses go.

The Randolph papers are highly pleased with the encomiums pronounced upon their young representative in the legislature, Hon. W. A. Rothwell, by other papers of the state. "Will" is a rising young man with rare abilities, who will fully sustain the exalted character the Rothwell family has heretofore achieved.

The people of Moberly are endeavoring to secure the location of the soldiers' home. Mr. Wm. Rutherford of Huntsville has donated 200 acres of the Horner farm for the location. The farm is some two miles this side of Moberly. Mr. Rutherford's generosity seems to be highly appreciated by his many friends throughout Randolph county.

Elder Hanson, pastor of the Christian church at Moberly, announced last Sunday that he would not preach any more for a stated salary, but would depend for his living upon the voluntary contributions of his congregation. He had searched the scriptures and could find no warrant for a stipulated salary, at the same time intimating that if the contributions were not sufficiently large he would squeal. Certainly the world do move.

LANN.

J. W. Crooksbanks and Miss Viola Pixler, both of Browning, were married at Linneus one day last week.

The four old wooden buildings on the north side of the square at Linneus are being removed, preparato-

C. T. STIGLEMAN,



A Missouri Farmer—His Thrilling Experience while in Kansas City. Having suffered for five years with a peculiar growth on my underlip I visited a Kansas City medical college for an examination. After a careful examination the professors pronounced it a malignant cancer involving the entire under lip and advised an early surgical operation as the only hope of a cure. Dreading the knife I sought others' opinions. Hearing that Mrs. Phillip Land (whose husband is president of the Sweet Springs Milling Co., Mo.) had been cured by the Halcyon, Scouting Columbian Oil, I made her personal visit. She so highly recommended the Oil Remedies that I came back and placed myself under the Oil treatment at once. I was sent home sound and well in just four weeks. I feel it a duty I owe suffering humanity to state that I thank God I so narrowly escaped the cruel knife and burning plaster. Will gladly answer any and all questions who write me regarding these wonderful remedies if they will enclose a stamp for reply. Yours Respectfully, C. T. STIGLEMAN, Grand Pass, Saline County, Mo.

ry to the erection of an equal number of fine brick business houses.

The Marcelline Mirror reports a great deal of California fruit passing through that place over the Santa Fe.

Miss Naoma R. Beckett and Mr. John H. Laster were married at Linneus one day last week, the Rev. J. C. Pollard of Milan officiating.

J. Nell Griswold, who was raised near Meadville, has been appointed a traveling freight agent for the Santa Fe railroad in Northwestern Texas, with headquarters at Ft. Worth.

Woman's Relief Corps No. 82 of Marcelline presented Mrs. Augusta Gates, the ex president of that corps, with a beautiful gold badge as an expression of regard and appreciation of her efficient services.

The merchants of Meadville are erecting several large tanks in the business portion of their town, which are to be kept full of water by wind power, for protection against fire. This is a good idea, where no better means of fighting fire is afforded.

Laclede has an inventor who claims to have discovered a solution of perpetual motion. The Linneus Bulletin is in doubt whether it is in the form of a book agent's jaw tackle or the steady drop downward of Thos. B. Reed's presidential stock.

A Marcelline man, who has a reputation of being miserly, is really a very loyal citizen. He realizes that some day he will be old and helpless, and is saving money so the county will not have to eventually bear the expense of taking care of him. The future, and not the present, is what more of us should look to.—Mirror.

Marcelline is agitating the scheme again to build the railroad north from Sedalia to Glasgow, crossing the river there on the C. & A. bridge, thence over the Wabash to Salisbury. From Salisbury it is proposed to extend the road north through Chariton and Linn counties, via Marcelline, to Brookfield.

The Linneus Bulletin published the portraits of a number of editors of Linn county, who have organized themselves into an editorial association of that county. The Bulletin's enterprise develops the fact that that county has a good looking set of journalists, but as that is characteristic of the craft, it is hardly worth mentioning.

"Major" Seth Botts, who has lived in the vicinity of Meadville since 1834, was given a party in honor of his 82d birthday by his great-grandchildren one day last week. "Major" Botts is a brother of Judge John Botts of Salisbury, who, by the way, was the founder of the town of Meadville, which was first called Bottsville. The old Botts homestead is still one of the prominent features of that town, and is owned by a man named A. Lippett.

HOWARD.

Mrs. George W. Drake, aged 57 years, died at her home near Rock Springs.

Mrs. John M. Kivett of Boonslick neighborhood, aged 65 years, died March 8th.

Mrs. John Maunden of Glasgow died suddenly of heart failure on Friday last week.

Henry Taylor and Miss Mollie Lockridge of near Roanoke were married the 12th inst., Rev. Tammage officiating.

Fifty-six hundred pounds of flour and 350 pounds of clothing were

shipped from Fayette last week to the Nebraska sufferers.

Mr. Thomas Hall and Miss Barbara Thomson were married on Wednesday last week, Rev. Holland officiating. All of Howard county.

T. L. Anderson of Louisiana, Mo., a student of Central college, has been chosen to represent that famous institution in the interstate oratorical contest at Kansas City on the 26th inst.

J. H. Markland of the Armstrong vicinity has been badly treated of late by some cowardly miscreant. Two weeks ago he had a good young horse killed and one night last week one of his mules had both its eyes punched out.

The Fayette Leader compliments Hon. Stonewall Prichett, the representative from Howard in the 38th general assembly, for his ability and integrity. The Prichett family is noted for the characteristics above named. What they do, they do with their might.

The Howard County Leader has occasion to warn its readers against giving orders to strangers for buggies, wagons, dry goods, groceries, hardware, clothing or printing. Some of the farmers of that county have cause to regret that they did that sort of thing during the past year.

Dr. John Barring, a Tennessee evangelist, began a union meeting at Fayette last Sunday. The Advertiser says: "He couldn't tackle the devil any nearer his headquarters than at Fayette, and it is to be hoped he will rope in some of the old 'rounders' and others of the tough clans."

A. G. Knaus left Monday for Keytesville to make his future home. He is one of the best citizens of our town and will be greatly missed in church and business circles. Keytesville is fortunate indeed in gaining him as a citizen. The Leader will keep him posted on Howard county affairs.—Fayette Leader.

Chris Hocker, a farmer living a mile south of Fayette, met with a painful accident. He was hauling a heavy load of wood with a four-horse team and while going down a hill the tugs of one of the rear mules became unhitched, and he stopped his team and got down to fix it, when his team took fright at a passing buggy and started, running one of the wheels over his right foot and crushing it badly.

The will of the late Sam'l Steinmetz was admitted to probate at Fayette last week. The will left everything to the widow during her life time and at her death the farm goes to the two younger children, they to pay the estate \$4,000 which together with the balance of the estate is to be equally divided among the remaining six children, subject to the advancement the testator made to them during his life time.

Almost a tragedy occurred one day last week between Pat. H. Burton and Robt. M. Robertson, two Howard county farmers, while on the ferry-boat crossing the river as they were coming from Boonville. Trouble arose over a suit pending for damages in which Robertson was plaintiff and Burton defendant. Burton shot Robertson, the ball making a slight abrasion of the skin on the scalp. Robertson has since filed complaint against Burton for felonious assault. Both the gentlemen have been released on \$500 bail to appear at circuit court.

MACON.

The McGee Presbytery of the C. P. church was in session in Macon last week.

Mr. J. O. Williams and Miss Kate J. Williams were married by Rev. J. V. Jones, all of Macon county.

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the location of the soldiers' home, soon to be established in this state.

Ex-Mayor Robt. W. Aikin of Macon died the 13th inst. He came from Indiana to Macon in 1877 and was in the 66th year.

A residence in Old Bloomington belonging to Mrs. Vandike, a worthy widow lady, was burned on Thursday of last week. The tracks of the incendiary were plainly visible. The house was unoccupied.

Macon has several damage suits on hand, brought by parties whose residences have, they claim, been partially overflowed and made unhealthy by grading certain streets, and obstructing the natural flow of the water in ravines running through or near their premises.

Rev. Mathew C. Patton, an old and dearly beloved minister of the C. P. church of Macon county, died at Webb City last Monday night aged 75 years. He was the spiritual father of several churches in Macon county, where he labored for many years. A good man has received his reward. His remains were taken to Macon for interment.

If Lunce Spicer, living a few miles west of Callao, isn't a "Baron Munchausen," he is a raiser of "farru truck" of wonderful proportions. In 1893 he raised an ear of corn that had 2,300 grains; in 1894 a radish that measured 34 1/2 inches in circumference, 30 inches long and weighed 20 pounds; in January last he butchered a hog of his own feeding that weighed 740 pounds, from which he rendered 35 gallons of lard and had pork enough left to last a family a whole year.

A prominent physician of Macon who has been practicing for about fifty years, took a look over his books the other day. He knew that he had a large amount outstanding among his patients, but was a poor collector, though an excellent book keeper, putting down all his calls and services rendered every day. Hundreds of the accounts are, of course, outlawed, but he thought it would be at least a satisfaction to know how much was rightfully due him. After several weeks of figuring he struck an aggregate, and to his surprise found there was due him, mostly in bad debts, the handsome fortune of \$200,000. He is now ready to offer a prize to anybody who will tell him how to recover the sum due.—Republican.

A Little Tartar

On the teeth destroys the enamel and ruins the teeth. Setafrow will remove this very annoying growth and leave the teeth white and pearly. H. L. Sneed, the popular druggist, keeps it.

SALINE.

Mr. W. D. Sims and Miss Ralla Garrett were married the 10th inst. by Rev. T. C. Carlton—all of Saline county.

Two goblets and four plates, being a part of the communion service stolen from the church at Miami Feb. 24th, have not yet been recovered.

Three tramps were jailed in Marshall last week for being drunk and having in their possession three pairs of pants which they were trying to sell. Adolph Striker who has a clothing store identified the pants as coming from his store, also recognized two of the tramps who were in his store and to whom he sold a handkerchief a few days previous.

CARROLL.

Jno F. Harting, a prominent business man of Carrollton, died last week.

Samuel Turner of Wakenda town-

ship has lived in Carroll county 75 out of the 76 years of his life.

There are 42 state cases on the docket of the circuit court which is going on at Carrollton this week, three or four of which are for murder.

The Republican-Record says that there are at the Carroll county poor farm 22 inmates, all of whom are either decrepid, silly or sadly demented.

While A. M. Herndon was riding on a wagon without a bed his leg was caught between the axle and a stump and broken. Mr. Herndon is over 80 years of age.

Geo. Key of Hill township met with a serious accident on Wednesday of last week. While running a steam circular wood saw-mill, the saw burst and one piece struck him on the left side of the head, tearing the scalp off; another piece struck him in the mouth, knocking nearly all his teeth out and fracturing his jaw in two places. He will possibly recover.

The Democrat says the prospect for trying civil cases in the circuit court at Carrollton this week is not good, as the criminal docket will be likely to occupy the entire term of the court.

While digging a well on Mrs. Timmons' place, near Stipps' Mill, the workmen discovered some mineral mixed with dirt. A jeweler who examined some specimens said it was composed of silver, lead and zinc. No excitement over the find as yet.

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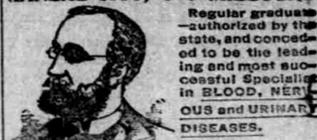
"In 1864," said Capt. J. W. Kneisley Tuesday, "when our army under that gallant, whole-souled leader, Gen. Sterling Price, was falling back, we passed through the Indian Nation. We were extremely short of rations and horses and men almost starved. One night a wealthy southern planter, Thomas Batt, a friend of mine, came to my quarters and said, 'Captain, I stood responsible for two federal prisoners and now have them in my charge. They are nearly starved. I must have something for them to eat.' I replied, well, Tom, I haven't a mouthful nor have any of my boys had anything for thirty hours. I'll go up to Gen. Price's quarters, however, and if he has anything to eat I'll steal part of it. So I went up to the general's quarters and saw that himself and staff had scarcely a fourth of a ration apiece. I watched my chance, nevertheless, and grabbed a piece of bread and one of the little scraps of meat lying there. I do not know whether it was owl or mule meat—we ate both in those days. I found my way back to Batt with the provisions and he gave the prisoners a meal. The next night after going into camp Mr. Batt came to me and said, 'Captain, my federals have had nothing to eat to-day. Can't you get them something more?' To which I replied that I had stolen from Gen. Price's small stock last night and my conscience had hurt me for doing it. I was afraid the general would have nothing for himself. Batt said possibly the boys have brought the general another supply. So I struck out for headquarters. I saw a few scraps cooking. I could not bring myself to steal anything and went directly to General Price, saluted and said: General, Mr. Batt, a private in Gen. Feagan's command, has two federal prisoners for whom he stands responsible. They have nothing to eat and I slipped up last night to your camp fire and stole some of your scanty rations. I would repeat the operation but my conscience will not let me. Gen. Price jumped up from his stump seat, took me to his cook and made me take nearly all the food only leaving a few mouthfuls for himself and staff. 'I am sorry I have nothing better for the boys,' he said, 'but they are welcome to share anything I have.' 'It was such generosity as that,' continued Capt. Kneisley, 'that made Old Pap Price's soldiers love him so. I served with him from Lexington in 1861 until the war closed. If either or both of Mr. Batt's federal prisoners are alive I should be more than pleased to hear from them.'—Columbia Herald.

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Sheriff's Sale in Partition.

Margaret A. Spaw and Wm. Spaw, her husband, plaintiffs, against Othens C. Morgan and W. H. Morgan, her husband; Noah E. Craig, Lilah N. Craig, Mary A. Craig, Annie I. Craig and Zona Craig, defendants.

In the circuit court of Chariton county, Missouri:

By virtue and authority of a decree and order of sale made by the said court, in the above entitled cause, and of a certified copy thereof, dated the 21st day of December, 1894, I will, on

Saturday, the 6th Day of April, A. D., 1895,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court-house, in the city of Keytesville, in Chariton county, Missouri, sell, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, viz: Seventy acres taken off the south part of a tract of land containing sixty-six and a half acres—sixty-six and a half (66 1/2) acres, the east part of the west half (1-2) of the southwest quarter (1-4), and ten and seventy-eight-hundredths (10 78/100) acres, the west part of the east half (1-2) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of section nine (9), all in township fifty-two (52), range sixteen (16), west of the fifth principal meridian, which was purchased by Annie Howerton from Jordan Bentley and conveyed by deed dated April 25th, 1874, and recorded in the recorder's office of Chariton county, Missouri, in deed book (15), page (268); said seventy (70) acres bounded on the north by the lands of Annie Howerton, on the east by the lands formerly owned by Elizabeth Lewis and now owned by Gehart, on the south by the lands of Forrest Minor, and on the west by the lands of Robert Bentley and Henryford, subject to a right of way from the north part of the tract on the east or west side.

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JAMES E. DEMPSEY, Sheriff, Chariton County, Missouri.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of R. J. Vaughan, deceased, will make an application to the probate court of Chariton county on Monday, April 1st, 1895, to resign her office as the administratrix of the estate of the said deceased.

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