

**MONEY TO LOAN.**—Minter & Crawley, Keytesville.

Simpson Bros. have bought out the livery business of H. A. Belcher at Brunswick.

Abraham S. Rhodes, 26 years ago a resident of Brunswick, died at his home in Denver, Col., June 12th.

Newton Long and a jolly company of Mendonites spent Wednesday of last week fishing at Lakewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. O'Malley have moved into their new cottage and now have one of the cosiest homes in Sumner.

Messrs. Lon Eller and Geo. Swiggett of Rosworth have about completed a new dwelling house for W. H. Poland south of Triplett.

The Chariton County News has been selected as the official organ of the national Republican committee in Chariton county.

J. N. Black of St. Louis, state grand patriarch of the I. O. O. F., will make the Brunswick encampment an official visit tomorrow, June 26th.

Miss Clara Bowman has returned to her home in Salisbury from Hale, Carroll county, where she has been instructing a class in elocution.

Mrs. R. G. Beazley of Brunswick will remain in Denver some time, where she has just gone to visit the family of her brother, T. S. Dines.

Jno. R. Gallimore, who has lately purchased an interest in the Salisbury Press-Spectator, is removing his family to their new home from Baldwin, Ill.

J. M. Adams, the brilliant young editorial writer for the Salisbury Democrat, is to address the Brunswick Bryan Free Silver club at its meeting July 23th.

C. R. Mason of Brunswick has been appointed to the vacancy in the school board caused by the resignation of Jno. Knappenberger, removed to Keytesville.

J. T. Pankett celebrated the opening of the soda water season at Brunswick Tuesday of last week, by having free samples of this delicious beverage on tap during the day.

Dr. T. J. Banning of Salisbury has sold his 480-acre farm to Jno. M. Hamilton of Huntsville for \$10,000, part of the consideration being the Arlington hotel in Moberly.

The Indian Grove postoffice still has its aliding place in the Adams store. It is reported that C. C. Painter will not give it space in his store, and that Mr. Longsdoff has arranged for quarters in the Senn building about July 1st.

Mrs. A. Straub of Salisbury has sold her old residence to Mrs. Fisher and will soon erect an elegant two-story dwelling on the site. Mrs. Fisher has removed her purchase to a lot she owns near the Wayland elevator.

C. M. Rumsey, a well-known jeweler, formerly of Salisbury, has removed his family and business to Deepwater, Henry county, where he received special inducements to locate. The place contains 1,200 inhabitants and is near Clinton, the county seat.

The Salisbury township board is notifying the owners of hedge fences to cut the same to the legal height or expect to have the same done by the road overseer at the expense of the proprietor. What's the matter with having the law enforced in this community? Road overseers are liable to prosecution if they fail to enforce the law. Cut down the hedges.

**ANNUAL MEETING NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.**

*Milwaukee, Wis., July 6 to 9, 1897.*

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets to Milwaukee and return at one fare for the round trip, plus \$2.00.

For particulars, call on or write to any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

**THIRD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE EPWORTH LEAGUE.**

*Toronto, Ont., July 15 to 18, 1897.*

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets from all stations to Toronto and return at one fare for the round trip.

For full particulars, call on or address any agent of the Wabash Railroad or connecting lines.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Henry Schletter to Caroline Schumacher, lots 1 and 2 and 13 and 14, block 3 in the town of Mount Saint Mary's. Consideration, \$555.00. Wm. W. Cupp and wife to Thos. J. Hayes, west 1-2 sw 6-56-17, subject to deed of trust for \$200. Consideration, \$600.

Erastus Butler and wife to Nancy Blakey, wife of Clarence Y. Blakey, part of New Madrid cert. 92, survey 2 527 in nw 6-52-17 bounded as follows: Beginning at nw cor. survey being township corner thence south along range line 13 chains and 50 links to nw cor. of Spillman's land west of public road, thence east with north line of said land to the center of the public road, thence in a northwesterly direction in middle said road to township line, thence west along said line to place of beginning, containing 24 acres; also ne nw 1-52-18. Consideration, natural love and affection and \$1.00.

Clarence Y. Blakey and wife to Erastus Butler, same land as foregoing. Consideration, \$1 500.

David A. McKibben and wife to Henry Bohman, all of section 20 that lies north and west of right of way of Chicago, Santa Fe and California railway all of north 1-2 sw 19, and north 1-2 30 that lies north and west of said railway; all s 1-2 7; all sw and w 1-2 ne ne 8; all of 18 except se sw, all in 55 20; also sw 12, n 1-2 13, n 1-2 se and sw se and an undivided 1-4 se se 13; and all ne 25 and east 1-2 24 that lies east of right of way of Wabash railroad 55-21. Consideration, \$1 000.

Jno. P. Winn and wife to R. B. Crowder, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 26 in city of Salisbury. Consideration, \$800.

R. B. Crowder and wife to Thos. Kareter, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 26 in city of Salisbury. Consideration, \$1 000.

Lula Ferguson, a widow, to Jno. N. and S. C. Hamilton, husband and wife, north 1-2 nw 33-55-17; also east 1-2 4 and sw sw and nw nw 3-54-17, subject to deed of trust to Wm. M. Wyatt for \$3 000. Consideration \$7 000.

Jas. M. Padgett and wife to H. E. Elliott, south part east 1-2 ne 28-54-20, described as follows: Commencing at pin oak tree 20 inches in diameter which stands 11 chains and 13 links west of corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28-54-20 thence, south 52 1-4 degrees, east 9.17 chains, thence north 10 3-4 degrees east 7.66 chains to place of beginning. Consideration, \$188.40.

**May Heaven Bless 'Em.**

The following parties have graciously remembered us during the past four weeks by either renewing their subscription or becoming new subscribers to the COURIER:

- RENEWALS.**  
Dr. C. O. West, Geo. Blakely,  
G. T. Lunday, Stewart Henderson  
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Mrs. A. M. Colley, J. F. Wolfe,  
James Pope, Mrs. M. F. Dearing,  
E. G. Smith, C. C. H. Zillman.

**Tourist Sleeping Cars to San Francisco via Wabash.**

On June 29th and July 1st next the Wabash, in connection with the A., T. & S. F. and Sou. Pacific Rys., will run tourist sleeping cars from St. Louis to San Francisco without change for the accommodation of members of the Christian Endeavor society and their friends en route to San Francisco. Sleepers will leave St. Louis at 9 p. m. For particulars call on or address any agent of the Wabash R. R. or connecting lines.

**Christ's Yearning for a Lost World.**

As a rule we neither read nor publish newspaper poetry. We have, however, a two-fold object in publishing the following beautiful lines.

First, the sentiment intrinsically is worthy of preservation.

Second, the lines are written by one of the most estimable Christian ladies of our own town in the endeavor to awaken in the hearts of the old and young alike an earnest interest in the purpose of the church of Christ—the conversion of the world to the standard of the cross. The occasion of the writing of the lines was the February meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian church. The subject was, "Christ's Yearning for a Lost World."

Eighteen hundred years ago, and more,  
Over the hills of Judah, away from us far,  
The Savior of the world was born,  
In the East was pointing towards a city, a star,  
Wise men that found Jesus on the first Christmas morn.

In that far distant city of Jewish lore  
A propitiation for the sins of the world  
The sweet babe in a manger lay  
With the envy of kings at him hurled  
And intent the young child to slay.

In the days of Caesar and Roman law  
An inspiration had been given to men,  
With hearts full of tenderness and love  
A beautiful legend was written then,  
Of a home prepared for mankind above.

And a vision of Christ's yearning they saw,  
"God so loved the world, that he gave  
From his wisdom and power on high,  
His dearly beloved son to save,  
That his elect on earth would not die."

The rulers in council with wicked men counc'd,  
But the claims of this star that rose at his birth,  
As a token of love was shown to them then,  
It has grown in its beauty here upon earth,

Revealing in mercy his mission to men,  
And they sought to crucify Jesus of celestial fame,  
For his enemies he went to his father in prayer,  
"Forgive them they know not what they do,"

So tender and forgiving were his ways,  
He suffered and died for me and for you,  
Hail, King of the Jews he was mocked with now,  
In the garden of Gethsemane in anguish he cried,

With feverish agony great blood drops did start,  
The promise, I will be with you when crucified,  
Will strengthen and comfort your heart  
And a crown of thorns was placed on his brow,  
As the father loved me so I have loved you,  
His mercy to sinners will ever be sure,  
The story is sweet because it is true,  
Let his praises forever endure.

Jesus was then betrayed to his foe,  
On Calvary they nailed him to the cross,  
With a spear his side was pierced by men,  
A desire that the world should not be lost,  
Was so great he gave himself for it then,  
Then Joseph to lay him in the tomb did go,  
There a message, he left in God's holy word

To the young and the old, each boy and girl  
Carry the tidings till the heathen has heard,  
"Go preach the gospel to all the world."  
A woman first to the sepulchre did stray;  
An angel said death is conquered, Christ is risen.

New life was found for a soul when dead that day,  
For Christ had been there and broke sin's dark prison;

When he rose from the tomb on the first Easter day  
The veil in the temple had been rent apart,  
Tenderly now we hear his call from on high  
The love of the soul for him is filled with art,  
Picturing the home beautiful we shall have by and by.

And with his stripes we are healed always;  
In heaven our sins were then forgiven,  
When he on earth his love untolded,  
His life sacrifice for us was given,  
Through his yearning for a lost world.

**All the Way From the Missouri River to Buffalo, the Wabash Railroad Operates Trains Over its Own Tracks.**

Having leased the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway between Detroit and Suspension Bridge, and those of the Erie R. R. from Suspension Bridge to Buffalo, the Wabash R. R. will run its own trains from Kansas City, Omaha, Des Moines, St. Louis, Quincy, Hannibal, Keokuk and Chicago to Buffalo, being the only road from Missouri and Mississippi river points having its own line and trains running into Buffalo. Through cars from Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago to Bugalo without change.

**To the Teachers of Chariton County**

The next session of the county institute will be held in Salisbury, beginning the 2nd of August and continuing 3 weeks.

Teachers who intend to teach in Chariton county are expected to attend the Chariton county institute. Teachers should arrange their affairs so as to enable them, if possible, to attend the entire term. Come and help others and be benefited yourself.

Very Respectfully,  
J. F. PRATT,  
County Com. of Chariton county.

**Retributive Justice.**

Julius Whitehead of Trenton, N. J., went to church recently to have fun with the faithful. He undertook to break up the meeting by a series of very noisy bogus sneezes. He succeeded, but the joke was not a complete success. A pious old deacon arose, shook his forefinger prophetically at the intruder, and said:

"Young man, if you can not be brought to see the light right here and now, may you be forced to sneeze without rest until you acknowledge your sin and ask forgiveness!"

With that Mr. Whitehead began to sneeze in good earnest. He tried every known remedy for sneezing.

He has swallowed pounds of salt, alum, sugar, soap bark, asafoetida and gun powder and sipped gallons of water.

He has jammed his forefinger against his upper lip at the base of his nose until the spot is bruised and swollen. He has held his breath until the veins in his forehead seemed about to burst.

He has eaten a raw onion every half hour for two days, at the end of which period his very relatives have shunned him, and even his dog has avoided his presence.

He has used a snuff of herbs compounded at full moon by the seventh son of a seventh son, and it made him nearly sneeze his head off. He has worn the wishbone of a gander straddle-wise on the bridge of his nose, while a southern voodoo doctor burned abominable incense before him and talked gibberish.

His best girl has given him the shake, his patrons have deserted him and his business has gone to the dogs and at last accounts he was still sneezing. Probably Mr. Whitehead is now satisfied that the gospel is not to be sneezed at.—*Post-Dispatch.*

**Individuality.**

The man who has no refuge in himself, who lives, so to speak, in his front rooms, in the outer whirlwind of things and opinions, is not probably a personality at all; he is not distinct, free, original, a cause—in a word, someone. He is one of a crowd, a tax-payer, an elector, an anonymity, but not a man. He helps to make up the mass—to fill up the number of human consumers or producers; but he interests nobody but the economist and the statistician, who take the heap of sand as a whole into consideration, without troubling themselves about the uninteresting uniformity of the individual grains.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. C. Gaston.

**There are mobs and mobs.**

The mob which goes a lynching is to be deplored. Sometimes it hangs the wrong man, mostly it does the work which would be done more impressively by due process of law, always it is subversive of law and indefensible. But there are other mobs, which while just as much in contempt of law subserve the best interests of the people, and do possible damage only to the interest of some corporation which is able to indefinitely hang up needed improvements by appeals to the courts. Such a mob was this which at Defiance, O. (strikingly apropos, that name), ignored an injunction of the court and completed between midnight and daylight a \$20,000 bridge which was needed, but which a street railway company, on the strength of some alleged right, sought to prevent them. The iconoclastic mob which tears down is one thing; the mob which builds necessary works is another and—a better.—*Post-Dispatch.*

**A WOMAN, being informed that her husband was drowned while fishing off the coast, exclaimed: Horrible! horrible! And he had on a gold watch, three diamond rings and diamond shirt studs!"**

It would not be at all unlike Providence to crown with a useful and wonderful career the little Russian princess who is non persona grata in the household of the czar because she is not a boy.

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**Bargains**

**Millinery!**

I have just received 25 dozen Hats, including a new line of Sailors, all colors, consisting of White Mohair Crowns and Colored Jap Straw Brims. Panama Hats in all of the Latest Dress Shapes. I also have a nice line of Leghorn Flats, and White and Black Dress Shapes.

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