

BORDER COUNTY NOTES.

Friday, February 14 1902

CARROLL.

The dividend of the Dain Manufacturing Co. of Carrollton for the past year was eight per cent.

A local authority on wheat says the crop is in about the average condition in Carroll county.

The old courthouse at Carrollton will have to be vacated March 15 to make way for the new one.

Democratic county committee-men of the Eighth senatorial district will meet in Carrollton April 9 to nominate a senator.

The ice put up at Carrollton was from six to nine inches thick and of as good quality as that shipped from the northern lakes, so says the Democrat.

The meeting at the M. E. church, South, in Carrollton closed Wednesday night. As a result 30 young people were added to the membership.

While a lot of young people were coasting at Carrollton Saturday, the sled struck the bridge and threw the crowd off and broke Miss Jessie Toms' leg between the knee and ankle.

A farmer from Illinois purchased 900 acres of land in the Norborne drainage district last week. He said he would give from \$5 to \$10 an acre more for land in that district than out of it.

The deputy sheriff of Carroll county arrested Frank Balch in Chariton county last week on a charge of seduction. The accused gave bond at Brunswick in the sum of \$500 and was not taken back to Carrollton.

Carrollton had some of the same sort of experience as Keytesville of late with the mails. The mail clerk on the Santa Fe made a bad throw of three mail sacks Thursday morning, while passing at the rate of 60 miles an hour. The sacks fell under the car wheels and were ground to pieces.

Lee Davis and Judge Herring of Brunswick were interviewing the Carroll county court last week asking an appropriation of \$3,000 to build a bridge across Grand river at Brunswick. The bridge will cost \$12,000 or \$13,000. The Chariton county court has appropriated \$4,000 and \$2,000 has been made up by private subscription at Brunswick and elsewhere, but the Democrat thinks Chariton county and Brunswick ought to give a little more. The Carroll county court took the matter under advisement.

There was a convention held in Carrollton last week composed of delegates from farmers' mutual fire insurance companies, at which the following facts were developed: Such organizations exist in 98 of the 114 counties of the state reports show all of them are successful. Not one of them has ever failed. The cost of insurance has averaged 15 cents on the \$100, and the average risks to the county is about \$1,000,000. The expenses of running a county mutual, including pay of officers, is about \$200.

MARRIAGES.

Joshua Shenkel and Lucy E. Hopper, both of Carrollton.

James Manning and Miss Bertie Neet, both of Carrollton.

Louis Wehee and Miss Lillie Brockmeier, both of Carrollton.

HOWARD.

Fat hogs are being sold at Armstrong at six cents a pound.

Still they come—candidates, announcements in Howard county.

There is a case of smallpox reported in the neighborhood of Steinmetz.

Wm. Hickman, aged 32 years, died at his home in Fayette Saturday of consumption.

Glasgow will have one rural mail delivery route as soon as a

carrier is selected and some other preliminaries arranged.

Two rural mail delivery routes are expected to start out from Fayette at an early date.

While on a visit to her brother at Pine Bluff, Ark., Miss Eva Maupin of Glasgow died Sunday.

Wm. Payne of the Ashland Church neighborhood lost two valuable cattle by having a straw stack cave in on them.

The Home company, recently organized at Glasgow, opened its books Saturday and did a rushing business as a starter.

C. B. Smith of Howard county sold 10 head of young Hereford cattle in Kansas City last week at an average of \$259.50 a head.

Mrs. Mary Morris of near Burton, aged 72 years, a native of Virginia, but a resident of Howard county since 1838, died Feb. 1.

Large audiences are in attendance upon the protracted meeting in the M. E. church, South, at Glasgow, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Culbertson.

Sheriff Gipson took Cap Eaton to the penitentiary last week to serve out his sentence of 10 years for forgery. Eaton is a negro and has been in jail at Fayette for a year.

Hon. Samuel C. Major of Fayette is thinking seriously of announcing his candidacy for the state senate from the Fourteenth district. His father held the same office for eight years.

The Glasgow Savings bank pays \$1,184.40 taxes, and George B. Harrison, the cashier, pays individual taxes amounting to \$567.67, being the largest individual tax-payer in Howard county.

George Crigler's lunch wagon and popcorn stand opposite Hotel Howard in Fayette was burned Monday night. Fire was communicated to the steps leading to the Globe office, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

While Ernest Jones, a young blacksmith at New Franklin, was coasting Tuesday with a number of boys he happened to a serious accident. In some way he lost control of his sled and it clashed against a tree. The physicians think his skull was crushed and his recovery is doubtful.

A building and general improvement boom seems to be on at New Franklin. We have known that town for 40 years, and are free to say it was then inhabited and surrounded by as good people as we ever knew. We trust the children that have grown up in these years are chips out of the old blocks.

At the New York Madison square poultry show recently square poultry show recently turkeys that were raised by Mrs. Theo. Evans of Armstrong were the prize winners. They were sold to a New York man and after taking the premium he sent back to Mrs. Evans an order for 20 pullets and five toms for export, but she could not fill the order.

John Beckett of the Steinmetz neighborhood, father of Will Beckett of the Forks of Chariton, and of Mrs. James F. Taylor, deceased, of near Keytesville, passed his 74th milestone in life's journey Feb. 3, on which occasion his good wife and daughter prepared a sumptuous repast, which was partaken of by quite a number of friends.

John L. Morrison, a native of Howard county, died at his home in Fayette Sunday in his 73rd year. He had held the responsible offices of sheriff and collector of Howard county and was warden of the state penitentiary under Gov. Francis. He was a Mason and was buried with the honors of that order. He was the oldest son of the late Judge Alfred W. Morrison, who was state treasurer of Missouri

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The Echo says: "The great need of the hour at Glasgow at least seems to be some strong-minded mothers with a determination to keep their children in at night. These remarks are especially applicable to some half dozen of our giddy-headed girls barely in their teens who think they know it all and mothers know nothing." Glasgow is not alone in this particular Brother Hopper.

MARRIAGES.

Guy C. Morgan and Miss Edith Hannah, both of Armstrong.

LINN.

Mrs. Amanda Thompson of Meadv. He died last week.

George McNish died at his home near Brookfield Feb. 7, aged 88 years.

The Protestant churches of Marceline inaugurated a union meeting beginning last Monday.

Thirty-one car loads of soldiers passed through Brookfield last week destined to the Philippines.

A farm of 230 acres near Meadv. changed hands last week at \$65 an acre, and another one of 40 acres at \$80 an acre.

Two inmates of the county infirmary at Linneus had legs amputated, one for gangrene and the other for white swelling.

N. A. Allgrost, a Swede farmer, 60 years old, living alone near Bucklin, was found dead in his bed Thursday morning frozen stiff.

The neighbors of G. W. Wyatt of near Marceline went to his home with well-filled baskets Feb. 1 to help him celebrate his 77th birthday.

James B. Briggs of Marceline went on the roof of the Allen implement building to clean off the snow and fell and broke one of his femur bones.

Clarence Palmer, a colored tough of Brookfield, is serving out a 15-days' jail sentence, for appropriating 30 cents worth of meat, obtained at the butcher shop, and which he did not pay for.

Dan Fuller of Marceline was arrested Wednesday for threatening to kill his wife and baby, and was sent to jail pending his preliminary trial. We wonder if that Fuller tribe will never become extinct nor reform?

Saturday night some one dropped a cigar stub into a spit-box in John Engberg's store at Bucklin. About 8 o'clock next morning John went to his store and found smoldering fire that had burned a hole 18 inches square in the floor.

Prof. White has inaugurated a novel feature in the Brookfield high schools of which he is principal. One day is set apart for the mothers' club, in which the mothers of the children meet at the school-house, when matters of interest pertaining to the school and the well-being of the children are discussed by the mothers. The effect and object of "mothers' day" is to bring parents and teachers into closer relation and sympathy.

MARRIAGES.

Robert Neff and Miss Katie Benedict, both of Bucklin.

E. T. Smith of East St. Louis and Miss P. K. Baker of Hybrid.

Ril Tinsley and Miss Della May Newman, both of Brookfield.

LIVINGSTON.

Mrs. Carrie Sivon of Chillicothe died Thursday.

Mrs. Lizzie Parish of Chillicothe died Wednesday.

Livingston county Democrats will vote for a U. S. senator July 26.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woolsey of High View, born in Ohio in 1820, a resident of Missouri since her girlhood, died Feb. 4.

Chief Donley of the Chillicothe police force has given orders to his subordinates to put up all horses found out in the cold at night without blankets.

The contract has been let to dig the Wheeling ditch at 12.07 cents a cubic yard. The ditch is five miles long and the contractor has until July 1 to finish it.

The Livingston county patients heretofore supported at the St. Jo asylum, have been ordered by the county court to be returned and taken to the new county infirmary at Chillicothe. Dr. Woodson, superintendent of the asylum, brought them to Chillicothe last Friday.

The Hale correspondent to the Chillicothe Constitution says: Jake Stombaugh, who lives in the bottom in Chariton county, has sold his farm of 200 or 300 acres at \$55 an acre. It is one of the best wheat farms in the county and generally averages about 30 bushels to the acre.

Two boys, Claude Sumpter and Grover Gordon, burglarized the grocery store of J. E. Carmichael in Chillicothe the fore part of last week, and took a lot of cigars, tobacco and chewing gum. They prepared for another raid by stealing a key from one of the clerks, but a padlock had been put on the door which frustrated their plans. They broke the lock and were about to enter the store when apprehended. They gave bond to appear at their preliminary trial. The boys are of good families and it is said they will implicate other boys. This comes of parents not knowing where their boys are of nights.

MARRIAGES.

Chas. Ammond and Miss Runion, both of Chillicothe.

Carl Hawkins and Miss Susie McMillen, both of Utica.

G. M. Brown of Dawn and Miss Lou Maybay of Mooresville.

Harvey A. Jones and Miss Dora Meeker, both of Livingston county.

MACON.

Mrs. Jane Phipps, an aged lady of Keota, was found dead in her bed.

Mrs. Mayfield who lived with her son near Dodd died last week.

Mrs. H. A. Foster of College Mound, aged 43 years, died Feb. 1.

Mrs. Jane Summer, aged 73 years, died at her home in Callao Saturday.

While coasting at College Mound, David Nulf's son ran his sled against a tree and broke his leg.

The new passenger station of the Burlington railroad at Macon was opened for business last Sunday.

J. H. Hartman, while shoveling snow from his coal shed back of his shoe store in Macon, slipped and fell, and in the fall his shoulder came in contact with a ladder. He received a badly sprained shoulder, a gash in the head and a wound on his cheek.

J. K. Cox, a former citizen of Macon, now of the state of Washington, writes to the Times-Democrat of the wonderful things

he is seeing in that far-off state, among them about a tree that measured 9 feet in diameter at the butt, 4 feet 8 inches at the top, 186 feet high and scaled 61,000 feet of clear lumber, without knot, spot, wrinkle or any such thing.

The Macon Republican tells of a visit recently made by Capt. Ketchum of Macon to Capt. Crotty of Kansas City. The former was a union and the latter a confederate soldier during the civil war and fought against each other in one of the sanguinary battles where they met for the first and only time nearly 40 years ago. By accident they learned of each other's whereabouts, and this recent visit was determined upon in order that they might have a meeting as friends, and talk over war scenes before they go hence.

Senator Ruby of Macon is out in a letter to the Times-Democrat, in which he expresses a preference for Champ Clark for United States senator over Stone and Wallace, for the reason that the last two named are not sound on the financial plank of the national Democratic platform. Gov. Stone's unsoundness on the silver question will be news to many Democrats. It is generally understood that in a very large degree Stone was the author of that platform, and if he has ever abrogated a jot or tittle of it we have never heard of it. Tote fair, Senator Ruby.

Justice Love of Macon is frequently called upon to tie a matrimonial knot, but aside from being a favorite of those wanting to get spliced, he has some notoriety for keeping orner in his court. In a recent trial of a case before him several of the lawyers insisted on talking at once. He commanded them to sit down when one of them questioned his authority, whereupon the justice entered a fine against him of \$5 for contempt of court; then picking up an ink stand and pointing to a chair, in words that could not be mistaken, directed the lawyer to take his seat. The justice then lighted his pipe and proceeded with the case. When an officer called to collect the fine the lawyer set up to the oysters to the crowd and promised to do the same for the court, when all went merry as a marriage bell again.

MARRIAGES.

Lee Hayden and Miss Orvie Vaughan, both of Cash.

RANDOLPH.

The printers of Moberly met last week and formed a typographical union.

Postmaster Bedford of Huntsville has succeeded in getting two more rural free mail delivery routes out of that city.

Judge Lamotte of Roanoke will not be a candidate for reelection to the office of presiding judge of the Randolph county court.

We miss the newsy Huntsville Herald from our list of exchanges this week. We hope it will soon arise from the ash.

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bed into which it has fallen with increased brightness and usefulness.

The Cairo correspondent of the Moberly Monitor says: We learn of quite a number of cattle and horses in this county being sick and some dying. Dr. Huntsman, the veterinarian, is unable to fill all his calls.

The editor of the Clifton Hill Rustler returns thanks for several pounds of Oregon figs presented by Lige Martin and wife, taken from a package of 60 pounds sent to them by their daughter whose home is in Roseburg, Oregon.

A man went to Sutliff's saw-mill last week for a load of sawdust and while loading his wagon, for some reason, laid down his shovel and went off. When Mr. Sutliff came out of his mill he noticed the man was gone, his shovel lying by the wagon and that the pile of sawdust had toppled over. He naturally concluded the man was under the sawdust, and, with another man, went to work to remove the dust. A near neighbor appearing on the scene and noticing the hard work going on, inquired what was the matter, and was told that a man was under the sawdust. The neighbor went to work with might and main to assist in the rescue. About that time Mr. Sutliff looked up and saw the man who was supposed to be buried, returning to the mill when he exclaimed! "There he is!" It was a good joke to say the least of it.

MARRIAGES.

Percy Rodgers and Miss Bertie Dunivant, both of Clifton Hill.

SALINE.

Wm. Parsons, a prominent citizen of Blackburn, died in Kansas City Friday, aged 62 years.

Henry Habecat of Marshall, aged 72 years, died Feb. 5. He had resided in Saline county since 1852.

Most of the townships in Saline county have organized and are planning for gathering exhibits for the world's fair.

The old Green hotel, sometimes called the "Old Grey Goose," in Marshall was consumed by fire Tuesday night.

Judge Phillips of the Kansas City federal court appointed Ruphers Holloway receiver to take charge of the Marshall water-works last week.

Four horses belonging to Lee Kitchens of Ayres were shot according to law, being afflicted with glanders. Three of them were assessed at \$30, each, and one at \$15.

Dr. J. P. Wagoner died at his home in Hardeman Feb. 2, aged 62 years. He was a native of Ohio but came to Missouri in 1857 and had lived in Saline county since that time. He had served the people of that county as probate judge.

The large barn of John R. Buck three miles south of Marshall was burned Wednesday morning, together with contents which included an immense amount of corn, hay and a large amount of fodder. Insurance on building, \$1,000; on contents, \$300.

While Jim Bridges and Sam Oots of Slater were out rabbit-shooting they stopped to discuss the superior merits of Jim's hammerless gun as to safety, but the thing went off while they were manipulating it, and as a result the sole of one of Jim's shoes was shot off and his great toe wounded.

MARRIAGES.

W. R. Huffman and Miss Beulah C. Carr, both of Sharon.

Harry Brace of Chicago and Miss Eva Shuttleworth of Marshall.

Louis J. Flair of Blackburn and Miss Eva P. Chamberlain of Fairville.