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ONE of Missouri's greatest needs is a metropolitan Democratic daily newspaper that is Democratic.

WITH the stench of the infamous returning board, which stole the presidential election for Rutherford B. Hayes from the lamented Samuel J. Tilden in 1876 still lingering in the nostrils of the American people, a Democrat is made to grit his teeth in anger when Republicans prate about a free ballot and a fair count.

THE indications are that the Republicans will have a parrot and monkey of a time in selecting a Republican United States senator to succeed Senator F. M. Cockrell.

W. C. P. BRECKENRIDGE, one of Kentucky's most distinguished orators and statesmen, died at his residence in Lexington, Ky., Sunday night.

THE following new cabinet for President Roosevelt's ensuing administration has been announced: Secretary of State, John Hay of the District of Columbia; secretary of war, W. H. Taft of Ohio; attorney-general, W. H. Moody of Massachusetts; postmaster-general, Geo. B. Cortelyou of New York; secretary of the navy, Paul Morton of Illinois; secretary of agriculture, James Wilson of Iowa; secretary of commerce and labor, V. H. Metcalf of California.

WHILE it has been two weeks since the election, a good many people are still trying to figure out how it happened in Missouri. Of course the ultra folk fellows are trying to lay the blame on those who opposed the gubernatorial nomination.

Opportunity, sooner or later, comes to all who work and win.

Most Democrats had to eat crow instead of turkey this Thanksgiving. "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth."

THOSE of us who have had the privilege of visiting the world's fair during the summer and fall regret to learn that the Missouri building was entirely destroyed by fire Saturday evening, entailing a loss of \$160,000, including furniture and fixtures.

IT is now positively assured that President Roosevelt has tendered Senator F. M. Cockrell of Missouri his choice of either one of three desirable federal offices at the expiration of his present term in the senate.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Petit Criminal Cases. Manual Lane, col., pleaded guilty before Justice G. W. Cunningham of Brunswick Friday afternoon to the charge of stealing a dog belonging to B. F. Showers of near Brunswick, and was fined \$1 and costs.

Chas. F. Allen, a young man who makes his home at Mrs. Thos. Clavin's, near Indian Grove, disturbed the peace of I. M. Wiseman of 41-2 miles west of Keytesville by discharging a pistol along the public highway and making threats of violence against Mr. Wiseman, who subsequently swore out a warrant for Allen's arrest.

No legacy is so rich as honesty.

Live Stock Letter.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1904. The cattle run slacked up last week after Tuesday, and prices firmed up a little on all kinds, so that the week closed nearly steady on everything, except undesirable short-fed steers.

Hog markets are tending downward all the time, but packers are not having it all their own way. Prices are off 5 to 10 cents to-day, however with a top here of \$4.75, bulk of all sales, including light weights, \$4.45 to \$4.70.

Sheep markets are extremely satisfactory to sellers. Prices were up 10 cts. yesterday, and are 10 to 15 cts. higher to-day.

J. A. RICKART, Live Stock Correspondent.

The funeral of C. P. Masters, the farmer of near Prairie chapel, who was killed Wednesday of last week by the accidental discharge of his shotgun which he carelessly pulled through a barb wire fence while he was out hunting a squirrel for one of his sick children, was preached at the family residence last Friday morning by Rev. Alpha Ingle of Keytesville, and was attended by large assemblage of sorrowing relatives, friends and neighbors.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Location. Includes J. E. Dunn, Miss Ada Cravens, S. J. Leach, Miss Katie Weidy, Alex. Poole, Miss Nevada Morley, J. F. Yeatch, Miss Beulah Ray, Henry Torey, Miss Lena Dockery.

Food for thought doesn't satisfy an empty stomach.

CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED IN THE FIRST STAGES.

A Beautiful Girl Saved From Dread Consumption - Other Wonderful Cures.



Miss Amelia Weymer.

Hundreds of Women Cured of the First Stages of Consumption by Per-na.

The Following Letter From a Thankful Woman Tells Its Own Story.

Mrs. Mary E. Hobli, 2301 Clinton avenue, Minneapolis, Minn., writes: "My son suffered for three months with catarrh of the bronchial tubes which threatened to become very serious."

It is the praise of those who have been cured by Per-na that makes this remedy so popular and so extensively used. No advertisement could have accomplished this result.

Bismarck as a Drinker. Andrew White, former ambassador to Germany, writing in the Century, repeats the story in the words of Professor Gneist: "One day I met Bismarck and asked him about his health. He answered: 'It is wretched. I can neither eat nor sleep.'"

Silk Caterpillar. The nests of a caterpillar of undetermined species living in a single forest in Madagascar offer a possible new source of fine silk.

Sweet Music. The children of Paris have a new toy in a clockwork phonograph costing only 75 cents.

Not Yet a Depew Story. A few days ago Senator Spooner told a story to an appreciative group of senatorial listeners.

A number of Keytesville people will witness the Missouri-Kansas football game at Kansas City Thanksgiving day.

The City Furniture Co., which has been conducting a branch furniture store in S. M. White's east storeroom, moved its stock back to Salisbury this week.

Lord Rosebery's Superstition. Lord Rosebery is superstitious. I recollect one Sunday afternoon walking in his grounds at the Durdans. He found a dead hedgehog on the path by the Epsom course.

Confederate Lieutenant Generals. General Stephen D. Lee of Mississippi, the first on the list, is the ranking Confederate general of the United Confederate Veterans.

German Postal Methods. In any large city in Germany a special delivery card or stamp, costing less than 8 cents, will cause a message to be shot by tube anywhere in the city.

Executors Notice. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Martha A. Glasscock, deceased, have been granted me by the Probate Court of Charlton County, bearing date November 16, 1904.

CATARRH CAUSES CONSUMPTION

Pe-ru-na Never Fails to Cure Catarrh Wherever Located.

THE medical profession has so thoroughly prejudiced the minds of the people against patent medicines that it is with great reluctance that anyone can be persuaded to try such a remedy at first.

In nearly every one of the thousands of remarkable cures that Per-na has made the patients had to be persuaded by friends very strongly before they could lay aside their prejudice against it.

A large multitude, of course, hold out against the persuasions of friends and die simply because they have allowed their minds to be poisoned against this very excellent remedy.

But fortunately there is another large multitude of people who are able to shake off their prejudice and try Per-na before it is too late. These people are rarely disappointed. They generally try other remedies at the beginning of their troubles. They allow a cold to develop into catarrh of the head. They allow catarrh of the head to gradually become catarrh of the throat. They still keep using the doctor's medicine, or some other ineffectual remedy.

The first week it produces a decided change for the better. A few weeks' continued treatment cures the patient. Then another happy man or woman is added to the long list of people who are praising Per-na.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Per-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Roll of Honor. We make our politest bow in token of appreciation of the following friends who have either become new subscribers or have renewed their subscription to the COURIER during the past two weeks. May heaven bless 'em:

- NEW SUBSCRIBERS. Mary Peglow, E. R. Dempsey, Mrs. C. R. Funk, Victor Smith, Mrs. T. J. Johns, T. F. Chrane, J. M. Kirkpatrick, J. C. Bellinger.

- RENEWALS. Mrs. Julia Holt, J. L. Hershey, W. H. Smith, J. S. Chivers, John Moore, Ed T. Miller, C. W. Powell, L. B. Courtney, W. S. Browning, J. G. Wiseman, Mrs. Alta Richardson, Chas. Sanders, John H. Meyer, J. C. Chivers, R. W. Cooper, H. C. Miller, A. B. Clark, Thos. Briaody, H. D. McCart, Harry Schulte, J. L. Riddell.

R. P. Clarkson of near Pee Dee drove down to the capital Tuesday to bring his great-nieces, Misses Olie and Delia Blakely to the train. The young ladies had stopped off en route from the world's fair to their home at Mayview, Lafayette county, to visit their uncle and family. Miss May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson accompanied the Misses Blakely to the fair.

A sharp tongue is about the only weapon that does not dull by use.

Slander is like a stump—lives a long time after it is dead.

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