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## OUR SCHOOL ELECTION

We have had no more interest in a school election displayed in years than was stirred up Tuesday. A job lot of conditions had awakened patrons and tax payers who are not benefited otherwise than by the prestige lent to the city by the quality of the school, to an interest which has not been noticeable heretofore, and a good vote was out and the material offered for membership on the board exceptionally good in every instance.

There were a number who favored the election of a member of the board from the country since there were a number of pupils attending the school from outside the city but in the district, yet the candidate from the country was snowed badly. There might have been a different result had all the names been put on the sample ticket, but the names of the retiring members of the board only were printed on the ticket, any other having to be written in, those printed and not desired, scratched. There were tickets offered by voters which were refused by the judges because they were not endorsed with the initials of the judges, yet regular in every other way. We call attention to these facts for the reason that dissatisfaction has arisen for several years over the way the elections for members of the board have been conducted, whether there were any just grounds for complaint or not. The interest in the school has augmented wonderfully and the determination to improve conditions which will add materially to the reputation of the school is general. That the board as it will now be is a good one, no one will deny nor raise the slightest objection to it, for the present at least, and the support of the whole community will be back of the board in whatever efforts it makes to secure the best building it can for the cash at its command and the best corps of teachers available. The slogan should be "a safe building and satisfactory teachers."

## UNWARRANTED HYSTERIA

The Kansas City Star made a big hullabaloo about the case of a man and woman registering at the Jefferson hotel as husband and wife and the woman later attempting to kill herself. The Star made the fuss evidently because the hotel was owned by a Democrat and the Star is fighting the Democratic administration. Hence the attack. Facing unpleasant facts, it is a safe wager to bet that there is not a single hotel in any city the size of Kansas City, St. Louis or even in cities of 12,000 or 15,000 in which a man and woman cannot register the same way. Hotels have no means of finding out who is and who is not married. There is nothing to this kind of stuff. The making of men and women who do not want to go to hotels as other women's husbands or other men's wives is the only solution of this question which is age-old. The Star often hits the right chord but when it does it usually hammers this chord until it becomes monotonous. And, the Star's hysteria over the Shidler case seems even more pronounced than the equities would warrant, barring of course its mortal antipathy to the Democratic administration. Virtue for the sake of decency is a mighty fine quality but when it is only a club to lambast Demo-

cratic city officials who probably are no more inefficient than Republicans, it loses its fine qualities.

About the first thing President Wilson insists upon the directors of the new regional banks putting into effect after the banks are established, is rural credit, that is, a plan for small banks and farmers to secure funds. The President does not intend that the large cities, especially those were regional banks are to be, shall absorb the cash. Congress must act on these questions before it adjourns and Rucker from this district is devoting his best energies to the accomplishment of the purposes of the President, Mr. and Mrs. Speaker Clark to the contrary notwithstanding.

Just won the mayoralty race in Kansas City by nearly 10,000 and the balance of the Democratic ticket by about the same pluralities. The republican candidate got but 1607 votes, pop \$61 and socialist 649. The commission form of government went down ignominiously also. Again the Kansas City Star failed ingloriously to defeat the Democratic party.

## Salisbury Scribbles

Justice Mason's law mill has been grinding recently and the net output is three violators of law have been called down. The first was Otis Coy who pleaded guilty to stealing a shot gun and was fined \$25. In his confession he implicated Roy Lewis who was gathered in by Constable Cruse and on trial before a jury drew a fine of \$15.00. The third was Jake Lewis charged with hunting on enclosed premises without permission. He stood trial before the court and drew a prize of \$5. If all the J. P.'s were as vigorous as Judge Mason petty crime would soon cease.

Salisbury churches and Sabbath schools were crowded Sunday. As a result "Go to Church Sunday" efforts, put forth here the last three weeks. It was a splendid sight to see so many people wending their way to church.

Roy W. Rucker was over Monday looking after the case of State vs Jake Lewis, charged with unlawful hunting, mention of which is made elsewhere.

Mrs. Ada Green left Monday for Kansas City where she will reside in future. Her many friends here were sorry to see her leave.

Two of our business men engaged in a fisticuff Saturday night, but as both are good fellows, and sorry any trouble occurred, we call no names.

Monday was moving day and several of our families have changed places. Houses have been scarce for some time, but as spring opens soon, others will be built. If some of our captains of finance will build a few tenement houses they can realize on the investment.

W. P. Mason and daughter, Miss Mamie, are visiting in San Benito, Texas.

Mrs. Coney Phelps died at her home in Moberly the first of the week, and her remains were brought here for interment the funeral being held from the Baptist church. Deceased was a daughter of J. D. Hayes south of town and had many friends, tender condolence to all the friends.

A new girl at Bert Kelley's brings a second ray of sunshine into their home, and we congratulate.

G. G. Wilson is moving to the country north of Keytesville.

A. Tison is reported quite sick of rheumatism.

No watchman has yet been placed at the 2nd street railroad crossing. Look for more accidents.

Vegetables that's good to eat at R. J. Halleys.

## Brunswick Brevities

Rev. Dr. Homburger preached at the Episcopal church Sunday evening.

L. L. Zillman and A. B. Crismond attended the Woodman convention at Salisbury Wednesday.

J. M. Barker has been confined to his home for the last week with an attack of poison oak.

Edward Molett of Kansas City and Miss Viola Murray of northeast of town were married at the home of officiating minister Rev. J. W. Gresham last Thursday.

Capt. James Kennedy of Kansas City, came down last Friday to visit his brother G. D. Kennedy.

Judge L. H. Herringer and son Will attended the fine horse sale at Mexico last week.

Hon. Jack Jones of Carrollton was here taking depositions Thursday.

Louis Champion who has been operating a picture machine at Fulton returned home Thursday.

Hon. John E. Swenger of St. Louis stopped off between trains Friday evening.

Tom Galvin, an old Brunswick boy came in Sunday to visit friends.

Quite a number of candidates were on our streets Saturday among them were, George Welker, Roy McKittrick and Jesse Richardson of Salisbury. Blair Miller and Dick Hunt of Keytesville.

Lon Sullivan of Dalton was here Saturday.

Austin Green of Triplett transacted business here the first part of the week.

Miss Emma Davis visited in Kansas City from Friday till Sunday.

Capt. Louis Benecke transacted business at Salisbury Friday.

Hon. Scott J. Miller, Chillicothe's able lawyer was shaking hands with his many friends here Tuesday.

Geo. Murray an old Brunswick boy, who holds a good position in Chicago visited his parents here Sunday.

Our old friend Martin Reichenbach of Salisbury came up Sunday afternoon to visit friends.

Morris Snapp a prominent farmer of Carrollton, visited Captain Benecke Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott of Triplett were here shopping Friday.

J. E. Montgomery and Warner White were here Tuesday.

## Look to Your Plumbing

You know what happens in a house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The digestive organs perform the same functions in the human body as the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in first class condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your digestion take Chamberlain's Tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

## Chraneville Chips

Easter services at old Corinth Sunday and Sunday night.

Buford Stevenson and his best girl spent Saturday and Sunday in Marceline the guest of M. Stevenson.

Obie Rains and wife and baby spent Sunday with home folks E. C. Cavanah.

Misses Lillian Barnes and Corry Littler of Musselfork were the guests of Nova Stevenson and wife Sunday.

Tom Tetlow lost another horse this week the result of the shock it received one week ago.

Dave Minick and wife and daughter motored over from Mike Sunday and visited Nova Stevenson and wife.

George Hershey had a narrow escape here Sunday from his team taking fright at Minick's automobile.

## Mikes Latest

School began Monday with Miss Margurite Wright of Hamden teacher.

R. B. Cook and sister-in-law, Miss Honor Walker spent Sunday with the former's parents of Musselfork.

Byron Stephenson spent Sunday at the home of E. B. Young.

Misses Honor Walker and Tina Graves spent Thursday with the former's sister, Mrs. T. W. Enyeart.

Miss Mary E. Young returned home Saturday after a few weeks visit relatives in Keytesville and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ready of Musselfork.

## Straight at It

There is no use of our "beating around the bush." We might as well out with it first as last. We want you to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the next time you have a cough or cold. There is no reason so far as we can see why you not do so. This preparation by its remarkable cures has gained a world wide reputation, and people everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. It is for sale by all dealers.

## Indian Grove News

John Stillwell from Shannondale visited friends and relatives at the Grove from Wednesday till Thursday.

J. A. Watts contractor and lightning rod man from Mendon passed through the Grove on his way to Keytesville Thursday.

Will Naulting of Texas and nephew of Brunswick visited at the home of J. H. Bittikers, Friday.

Mrs. Elbert Deweese who has been sick about six weeks is slowly improving.

Ed Stoner and children have the whooping cough at this writing.

Mrs. George Tietjen Sr. is on the sick list this week also "Grandma" Bittiker.

Ellett Deweese and wife made a business trip to Mendon Saturday.

Christene Emerich visited Emma Jansen Saturday.

Mrs. Elbert Deweese's 150 egg incubator hatched Thursday hatching 126 chickens from 156 eggs.

Frank Bittiker and Christine Emerich called on Eunice and Ada Belle Deweese Sunday.

Rev. Deweese filled his regular appointment Sunday at Indian Grove Christian church.

Christian Endeavor at Indian Grove Christian church every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Everybody invited.

## Lights For Sale

One F. P. lighting system, 5 lights, in perfect order, for sale at a bargain.  
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## Real Estate Transfers

### WARRANTY DEEDS

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A. S. Hurburgh to W. R. Terpening \$48,750, s hf 7; sw 8; ne 18-55-20.

J. Hickey to W. B. Lucas, \$175 lots 5 & 6 blk 13, Mendon.

D. M. Smutz to W. L. Armstrong \$150 30 a off e side se sw 6 & n hf ne 7-54-19.

F. Page to J. Ewing, \$90 lot 4, blk 1, Woodson's Add. Brunswick.

J. O. Case to J. G. Brown, \$700 one half acre land.

M. G. Simpson to J. Kincaid, \$1900 lots 1 to 8 and 15 to 21 blk 2, Hedgpath's add Salisbury.

R. R. Gross to F. F. Munn, \$6500 w hf nw except 2 a; sw cor 26; 22 a off w side e hf nw 26-54-20.

W. H. Owens to J. G. Brown, \$6050, 248.29 a by metes and bounds.

J. Crockett to J. H. Kahlor,

\$7700.110 a off e side se 5-54-20. I. N. Long to H. C. Atterberry \$12300 sw 22-56-21 excepting 13.-66 a.

## Real Estate Transfers

### QUIT CLAIM DEEDS

G. W. Rucker to J. E. Wing \$700 lot 3, blk 1 Woodsons Add. Brunswick.

W. A. Henderson to O. L. Mastersou, \$1, pt e hf sw 36-54-17.

J. T. Redding to A. James \$75 und third of n hf se nw 4-56-19.

J. B. Redding to A. James, same as above.

W. R. Douglass to F. Page \$5 lot 1, blk 1, Woodson's addition Brunswick.

## Now Open

Steeles Cafe is again open for the accomodation of the public, and he will welcome all of his old patrons and supply new ones with the best of everything in regular meals, short orders, lunch goods, cigars and candies at his old stand in Brunswick. 8

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