

**Triplett**

Miss Grace Shewalter of Grand Island, Nebr., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Shewalter.

Mrs. G. A. Woods underwent an operation Monday in a Kansas City Hospital. She is reported getting along nicely.

Seven carloads of cattle and hogs have been shipped from this vicinity within the last few days.

Dr. Price was a Kansas City visitor Monday.

Miss Thelma Wood was a visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Vic Stoner of Sumner visited her parents here Sunday.

Albert Wires was a Kansas City visitor the first of the week.

Andrew Brown and Sam Hampton have returned home from Columbia where they attended Farmer's week.

Don Peterson of Brunswick was a Triplett visitor Tuesday.

J. A. Twyman attended the Masonic School of Instruction held at Brunswick Tuesday.

**It Was Some Gun**

Here's a story that T. E. Doremus, former president of the Interstate Association, says he has carried in his mind for 20 years. It is worth while—has improved with age, like they tell us certain fluids do.

It was along about 1896 when Harvey McMurchy, of Fulton, N. Y., at that time sales manager for the Hunter Arms Company; the late Ed Fulford, of the Remington Company, and Jack Hull, of Parker Bros., began to argue about the respective shooting qualities of their guns, to the delight of the crowd at the New York State Fair.

Fulford claimed for Remington guns (they were making

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A Number of **OVERCOATS** at Special Prices  
Full line of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases.

You will save money if you buy an overcoat, suit or underwear NOW for next winter use.

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Salisbury, Mo.

double-barrel guns in 1896) that they would kill ducks at a distance of 150 yards. Hull insisted that the Parker was good for 25 yards more. That seemed to about settle the argument.

Suddenly McMurchy horned in and in his quiet, serene manner told how one day he was out hunting partridges and, upon looking heavenward, saw a small object sailing around 'way up in the clouds. Although somewhat doubtful about the chances of making a kill, he never-the-less let drive. The result was most startling. The object seemed to stop for a moment, then it began to fall toward the earth in a wide, circling flight, and at last gracefully landed on a knoll some 200 yards away.

All curiosity, McMurchy said he hurried to the spot, and his surprise was beyond imagination when he discovered that he had injured a baby angel. He carried it to a near-by farm house, and after a few days' nursing it recovered from the gunshot wound and flew back home.

The Smith gun was unanimously voted some gun.

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**Cough Medicine for Children**

Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given other and more serious diseases may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that there is no better or safer medicine for coughs, colds, and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

**"Do Your Bit"**

Enter Uncle Sam's employ as Stenographer, Bookkeeper, Revenue Officer, Mail Clerk, City or Rural Carrier. Entrance salaries \$900 to \$1200 per year. Many excellent openings for women. We train you for these Civil Service examinations and let you pay us as Uncle Sam pays you.

Chillicothe Business College  
202 Normal Ave.,  
47 Chillicothe, Mo.

Frank Howard Richardson of Salisbury was here for examinations Wednesday. His accomplished better half was with him.

**Administrator's Notice**

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration as administrator of the estate of Geo. W. Davis, deceased, have been granted the undersigned executor of said estate by the Probate Court of Chariton county, Missouri, said letters being dated January 17, 1918.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to me for allowance within six months from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any of the benefits of said estate, but if such claims are not exhibited within 12 months from said date they will be forever barred.

O. P. Ray,

Public Administrator.

Attested this 1-17-18.

(SEAL) J. E. Montgomery,

Judge of Probate.

**CHOCOLATE DROPS**



**Mueller-Kellers  
DUTCH CHOCOLATES**

HERE'S A MILK CHOCOLATE THAT OUTRIVALS THE SWISS PRODUCT IN ITS EVERY CHARACTERISTIC, IN SMOOTHNESS, IN CHOCOLATE QUALITY IN ALL-ROUND DELICIOUSNESS

WITH THE *Mueller-Kellers* FLAVOR

For Sale by

WARREN ELLIOTT

**Darkey 'Suades Balky Donkey**

A balky white donkey named Rory O'Moore, a pop-eyed negro and a puzzled policeman attracted an interested throng last night at Taylor and Finney avenues.

Policeman Seckman found Rory hitched to an Irish jaunting car, without a chauffeur, idly philosophizing. Seckman arrested Rory. But something was the matter with Rory's carburetor. Or maybe he had Irish ideas of his own about being arrested. He wouldn't crank.

Seckman had heard negroes were "hep" to all donkey psychology, so he called a dusky assistant. The negro climbed aboard the cart. Rory sent the dashboard skyward.

Sambo's eyes looked like fried eggs as Rory calmly turned his head to note the effect of his curtain fire.

Maybe something comical in Sambo's aspect appealed to his Irish humor, for he started off briskly, without more back-firing, and Seckman clambered in.

Arriving at the Deer Street Station, it was found an alarm had been sent out for Rory, who was to appear in an act at a downtown theater.

**Dr. L. W. Shands**  
O. M. M., Opt. D.  
Optometrist

Eye Strain Specialist  
Office at Shands' Studio  
Keytesville, Missouri

Miss Grace Closson has been on the sick list.

**CATARRH**  
For head or throat  
Catarrh try the  
vapor treatment



**VICK'S VAPORUB**

The Roses, a club numbering among its members some of our most prominent matrons and maids, met at the millinery parlors of Miss Anna Rucker Tuesday and had lunch and dinner and a jolly exchange of social chat.

The local board members, Chairman Dr. Taylor and Chief Medico Dr. West came Tuesday and resumed examinations vigorously.

**SUFFERING FROM COLD**

If you shiver in frosty weather, if you have cold hands and feet, if colds are stubborn and frequent, then your blood may be thin and impoverished.

**SCOTT'S  
EMULSION**

has been correcting this condition for nearly fifty years. It possesses rare powers for creating natural body warmth, for charging summer blood with winter richness and strengthening both throat and lungs.

The Norwegian cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is now refined in our own American laboratories which makes it pure and palatable.

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Nobody knows why a girl doesn't freeze.

Bare to her waist and bare to her knees; And why a German likes limburger cheese, Nobody knows.—B. G. K.

**Hamden Items**

Plenty of snow and cold. Raleigh and Verne Buchanan are sick with the grippe.

Neal Stark visited homefolks at Hubbard Sunday.

Fred Lain and wife visited with friends at Musselfork Sunday.

Hays McCurry is moving to Mike where his wife will have charge of the telephone office.

Earl Penrod and J. T. Prather were Keytesville visitors Saturday.

H. I. Price was in Salisbury last week filling out his questionnaires.

**Excellent For Stomach Trouble**

"Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble," writes Mrs. G. C. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets afforded me great relief from the first, and taking one bottle of them I fell like a different person" For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Brummall of Moberly was a guest of her brother Jim Wayland and niece Miss Dorothy Wayland Sunday.

**GIVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" TO CONSTIPATED CHILD**

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

**CITY and COUNTY  
DIRETORY**

**DISTRICT AND COUNTY OFFICERS**  
Judge W. W. Rucker...Congressman  
J. D. Taylor...State Senator  
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C. O. Houston...Representative  
Hon. Wm. L. Hamilton...  
Presiding Judge County Court  
Hon. Wm. Herring...  
Associate Judge County Court  
Hon. James M. Hershey...  
Associate Judge County Court  
Warner W. White...  
Clerk County Court  
Walter G. Wright...  
Clerk Circuit Court  
Richard L. Hunt...Recorder of Deeds  
J. O. Richardson...Treasurer  
Robert E. Hurt...Sheriff  
Hon. J. E. Montgomery...  
Judge Probate Court  
R. W. McKittrick...Pros. Atty.  
C. C. Carlstead...Co. Supt. Schools  
Dr. G. W. Hawkins...Coroner  
A. C. Drace...Public Administrator  
John Rodgers...  
Superintendent County Infirmary  
A. F. Arrington...Surveyor  
T. T. Cruse...Caretaker Court House

**CHURCHES**

**Methodist**  
Milton C. Davis, Pastor.  
Regular Services...Every Sunday  
Prayer Meeting...Wednesday evenings  
Sunday School

**Baptist**  
Rev. R. O. Harris...Pastor  
Regular Services...Every Sunday  
Prayer Meeting...Wednesday evenings  
Sunday School

**Presbyterian**  
Regular Services...Second Sunday  
Prayer Meeting...Union  
Sunday School

**Rev. R. T. Matthews...Pastor**  
**Christian**  
Regular Services 1st and 3rd Sunday  
Prayer Meeting...Union  
Sunday School

**CITY OFFICERS**

Mayor...W. G. Agee  
Chief Police...F. M. Veatch  
Collector...F. M. Veatch  
Street Commissioner...F. M. Veatch  
City Attorney...Jno. D. Taylor  
City Clerk...Wallace Applegate  
City Treasurer...M. W. Anderson  
Cemetery Supt...M. W. Anderson

**Council**

North Ward—  
R. W. Cox Ben Brewer  
South Ward—  
C. P. Thrash Otto Evertz

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Drs. Zillman, Hughes and Shopshire,  
and L. B. Thresh and Wm. Burns.

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W. L. Wright...W. M.  
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C. O. Sterner...Sec.  
M. W. Anderson...Treas.  
J. C. T. Kubo...Tyler  
Regular Meetings—2nd and 4th  
Friday Nights.

**I. O. O. F.**

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Joe Carr, V. G.  
M. S. Walther...Sec'y.  
M. W. Anderson...Treas.  
J. C. T. Kubo...O. G.  
Meetings every Monday night.  
M. W. A.  
Ole Herring...W. A.  
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month.

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**BIG HORSE SALE**

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT  
STAATS' LIVERY BARN, SALISBURY,  
MISSOURI, ON SATURDAY

**JAN. 26, 1918**

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED HORSES:

14 head 3 and 4-year-old mares weighing from 1150 to 1400 lbs.; black, bay and iron gray color; all broke and Percheron bred.

6 head geldings, of same description as above.  
2 sucking mules.

THESE HORSES WERE ALL RAISED ON MY RANCH IN NEBRASKA AND ARE NOT BRONCHOS, BUT HORSES LIKE YOU RAISE HERE AT HOME, AND WILL GROW AND MAKE YOU MONEY. I GUARANTEE THEM TO BE SERVICEABLE, SOUND AND WILL ABSOLUTELY SELL AT YOUR PRICE ON DAY OF SALE. THIS STOCK MAY BE SEEN AT STAATS' BARN ANY TIME BETWEEN NOW AND DAY OF SALE. IN YOU ARE IN NEED OF A HORSE OR TEAM BE SURE AND LOOK THEM OVER.

DON'T FORGET THE DAY AND DATE.

**J. G. BOTTORFF**  
GORDON, NEBR.

Col. F. M. HOLTSINGER, Auctioneer.

J. W. LUCK, Clerk.

**Catarrh of Stomach  
Did Not Know It**

Mrs. Selena Tanner, Athens, Ohio, writes: "I cannot find words to express my thanks for your kind advice. I never once thought I had catarrh of the stomach. I commenced taking Peruna, as you directed. My stomach continued to hurt me for about two weeks after I began the medicine, and then it stopped. I now have a good appetite, while before I was nearly starved."

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.



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Made Me Well**