

**THE LACLEDE BLADE.**

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The new governor of Panama says the canal is demanded by civilization. That may account for its being opposed by the Colombian senate.

PEOPLE who buy most of their goods in the neighboring towns are usually the ones who ask long time credit of the local merchant, and sometimes neglect to pay their bills when due.

CLEVER is the woman who can make a speech and mop her eyes at the same time. Men swear, men snarl, and men sometimes wail, but they never cry. That is woman's own peculiar privilege.

THEY do some things about right down in Texas. A fellow who insulted a woman at Dallas the other day was sentenced to pay a \$2,000 fine and serve four years in prison, and if the fine is not paid he will serve fifteen years in prison.

AMERICAN divorcees are not in it any longer. The shah of Persia has just separated himself by a single stroke of his powerful pen from more than eleven hundred of his wives. He will economize by worrying along on fifty wives hereafter.

ONE reason why so many men remain toilers and poor all their lives is that they have been too careful not to give more than a dollar's worth of work for a dollar's worth of wage. This thing bars promotion to easier places and higher wages.

By going to Washington and consulting with the president in regard to extradition of bootleggers, Folk has widened the breach between himself and the democratic ring of this state. The ringsters are not friendly to any move toward punishing the bootleggers.

It takes the Missouri supreme court two years to reach a decision in the bootlegging cases, but it only took the judges two minutes to fine a country editor for criticizing the court, although that criticism was approved by nine-tenths of the people of the state.

THERE is an old saying that "a sucker is born every minute," and one might readily believe the truth of it by a glance at the large array of get-rich-quick schemes that are being floated in this country. America appears to be the Mecca for these robbers.

AGRICULTURAL implements exported from the United States last year amounted to twenty-one million dollars in value, and yet some people have the nerve to say our industries are paralyzed and the country is going to the dogs. Ten years ago they amounted to only four and one-half millions.

Our trade with Mexico exceeds all records. Figures compiled by the department of commerce and labor show that during the last fiscal year our Mexican commerce was greater in both the export and import business than in 1902, although that year made a new high water mark in our trade with our southern neighbor.

KING EDWARD is highly pleased because the Duke of Roxburghe has captured Miss May Golet, she of the many millions. Evidently His Majesty of Britain is alive to the fact that his country is in need of all the American wealth obtainable, and a nestegg like the Golet was just a little too comfortable in size to be overlooked.

THE increase of the money in circulation in the United States during the year ending June 30 was \$121,770,252 of which \$59,776,462 was in gold and gold certificates and \$54,520,193 in national bank notes. The share of money for each person increased 89 cents and the proportion of gold to the whole rose to 42 per cent, the highest ratio ever recorded.

A GREAT many veterans of the Civil War will not support Gen. John C. Black, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, in his demand for a pension for every man who served in the war of the sixties. Those who suffered as a result of that service are entitled to remuneration from the government, but it is unwise to insult the patriotism of this country by such a wholesale raid upon the treasury.

"THE way, and really the only way, in which to rid a community of drunks," says the Rockford (Ill.) Register, "is to make it so warm for them by due process of law that they will find out it pays best to keep sober. Getting drunk is a progressive affair. No man rolls into the gutter without notice and instantaneously. He knows

that he can carry one drink, perhaps two or three, but if he knew for dead sure that the third or fourth, which will surely knock him out, would land him in jail for thirty days, he would stop at the second drink."

BUILDING operations in the principal cities of the country have fallen off materially during the nine months of the current year, as compared with the record of last year for the same period. Demands by organized labor for higher wages, disputes between employer and employe, strikes and attendant deterrents to structural activity are given as the substantial causes. Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, St. Paul, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Washington and cities of less population and of minor rank in the commercial world are sufferers.

By his statement that the militia of the country is necessary and ought to be supported, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has done the country a considerable service, but it is to be regretted that he did not go further and flatly condemn the attitude of some labor organizations toward the National Guard. But his statement as it stands implies that condemnation and is a welcome utterance. The constitutional statement that a well-regulated militia is necessary to the security of a free state ought not to need the indorsement of any individual citizen.

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It is refreshing to see occasionally a sheriff who has the physical courage to do his duty in times of grave emergency, such as was done by the sheriff at Lynchburg, Tenn., when he fired alone and unaided into a mob of people who were seeking to lynch a prisoner. Years ago our officers prided themselves upon doing their duty under all circumstances, but in recent years the loss of political prestige has weighed heavier in the balance than the oath of office. We are truly glad to see the press of the country commending the few really brave men and holding the moral towards up to just ridicule. A continuation of this campaign by the press may have the effect of ridding us of some of these useless barnacles.

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**CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.**

Many Cases Disposed of at the Brookfield Term Last Week.

State of Missouri vs Joe Morris and Elijah Bolden, dismissed as to Morris, alias capias for Bolden and cause continued.

State of Missouri vs Charlie Mitchell and H A Redding, plead guilty to charge of highway robbery and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. City of Meadville vs D D Dye, mandate returned from Kansas City court of appeals affirming the judgment on account of appeal not having been perfected.

J P Morris vs C E Smith, continued by agreement.  
L E Wardell vs W C Kelley, C B & Q Ry Co, garnishee, continued by agreement.

O F Libby vs Geo Stoddard et al, non-suit.  
S D Statz vs Melissa Statz, non-suit.

Charles Johnson vs unknown heirs of Adam Weaver, deceased, et al, judgment in favor of plaintiff, decreeing title to land in plaintiff absolutely.

Rettie Hainsworth vs C B & Q Ry Co, dismissed by agreement at defendant's cost.

James O Murry vs Bettie Murry, plaintiff divorced.

Phoebe E McMillen vs E N McMillen, plaintiff divorced and granted care and custody of minor children.

Robins Bros vs D L Williams, dismissed by agreement at plaintiff's cost.

Charles M Holt vs II & St J Ry Co, transferred to this county by change of venue from Sheloy county, continued.

Ellsworth Turney vs J W Lyford, judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$450.

Emma McWilliams vs John E McWilliams, plaintiff divorced and granted care and custody of minor children, with \$500 alimony.

E M Randolph vs Steve Snow, judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$30.

Josiah V Martin vs Sarah H Robinson et al, judgment decreeing title in plaintiff.

Josiah V Martin, ex parte, judgment quieting title to land in petitioner.

Edward Inman vs Carrie Inman, dismissed for want of prosecution. Cross-bill of defendant also dismissed for want of prosecution.

City of Brookfield vs Lit Fore, appeal dismissed and costs adjudged against defendant's bondsmen.

Eugene G Potter vs The Journal Co, change of venue to Grundy Co.

Frauces Holliday vs Fleming Holliday, continued.

Maggie Green vs Wm A Green, plaintiff divorced, granted custody of minor children and \$300 alimony.

James W Snapp vs Joseph Wholf, continued.

Mary C Lamar vs Jonas M Collier et al, non-suit.

Friend Clothing Co vs M Y Rusk, dismissed by agreement at defendant's cost.

O F Lasche vs James C Thomas, Edward Doolin garnishee, defendant paid into court \$22, is allowed \$5 for answering and dismissed.

O F Lasche vs J C Thompson, A J Smith, garnishee, defendant paid into court \$15, is allowed \$3 for answering and dismissed.

City of Meadville vs G W Pumphrey, plaintiff files motion to forfeit recognizance. Motion and cause continued at defendant's cost.

City of Meadville vs G W Pumphrey (2) same order as above.

Robt Skinner by next friend vs W A Young, judgment for plaintiff for \$24.50.

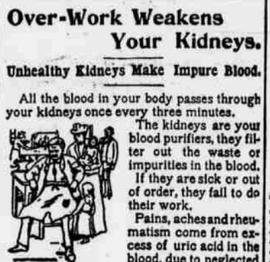
Anna Spicesinger vs J M Smith, judgment for plaintiff of \$86.90.

George J Allen vs Wm M Golden, dismissed for want of prosecution.  
Emily Henderson vs Henry Henderson, plaintiff granted divorce.  
Wm Dean vs J E Green, continued.  
B J Patrick vs E L Joyce, verdict for defendant.  
F M Cole vs Ora Belle Cole, plaintiff granted divorce.  
Illinois Sewing Machine Co vs M Y Rusk, continued.  
Susie Sprague vs John Sprague, continued.  
Hannah Jennings et al vs Frank McCord et al, judgment of partition as prayed for in petition, land ordered sold and cause continued.  
Wm S Cherry et al vs Mary C Bots et al, order of publication and cause continued.  
Ed Holliday vs E M Rusk, non-suit.  
Rebecca Graff, administratrix vs J K Newkirk and E R Davis, garnishee, attachment sustained, judgment garnishee defendant for \$55.56 and allowed \$10 for answering. Four cows in his possession ordered sold and cause continued.  
John B Cantrel vs Mary Cantrel, plaintiff granted divorce.  
Grace Hyatt vs The Loyal Protective Association, judgment is favor of plaintiff for \$103.35. Appealed to Kansas City court of appeals.  
Martha M Camp vs A M Camp,

continued and defendant ordered to pay plaintiff \$65 alimony during the pendency of the action.  
J H Wallovick Mercantile Co vs A T & B Ry Co, continued for want notice of appeal.  
Alicia May Thompson vs James C Thompson, plaintiff divorced, maiden name of Sheets restored and granted \$500 alimony.  
Rebecca Graff, administratrix, vs J K Newkirk and O F Libby, garnishee. Two notes of \$100 each in possession of garnishee defendant turned into court, allowed \$10 for answering and is discharged.

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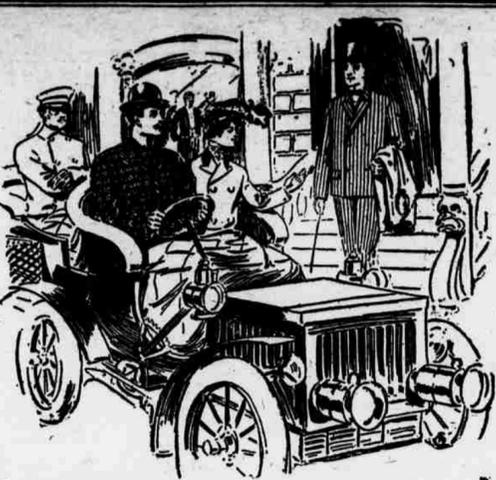
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5	Nebraska-Montana Express to St. Joseph and the West from the East.	8:42 p m	7:25 a m
33	Way freight, west-bound.	7:35 p m	11:45 a m
41	Way freight to Chillicothe.	11:25 a m	11:25 a m
42	To Hannibal, St. Louis and east from the west. Local passenger to Hannibal, St. Louis Illinois, Chicago, Peoria and St. L. R. & N. W. points.	12:15 p m	7:15 p m
44	To Quincy, Chicago, Peoria, and east, St. Louis, R. & N. W. points.	10:20 a m	8:30 p m
45	Way freight, east bound.	8:30 p m	8:10 p m
46	Way freight, east bound.	8:10 p m	8:10 p m
7	Local passenger for Carrollton.	3:15 p m	3:25 p m
10	Way freight, south bound.	8:00 p m	8:25 p m
11	Local passenger to north bound.	8:15 a m	8:15 a m
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