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Forger Captured.

Sheriff John A. Fulkerson left Monday night for Columbus, Indiana. The object of his visit is to bring back for trial one Archie Chestnut, who is wanted here on the charge of forgery, an indictment having been returned against him by the Lafayette county grand jury.

The facts, as we learn them are that in 189 Chestnut was working for Mr. Ed Hord on his farm near Aullville; Mr. Hord gave Chestnut a check for \$6 on the Bank of Higginsville; before cashing the check, it is charged, Chestnut raised the amount to \$60, later the forgery was discovered by the bank but Chestnut had flown; in September he was located in Kentucky and Sheriff Fulkerson went there, the matter of arresting Chestnut being placed in the hands of the sheriff of Clay county, Ky.; Chestnut was arrested, but during the night, and before being delivered to Sheriff Fulkerson, made his escape, and has been at large until last week, when he was arrested at Columbus, Ind., Sheriff Fulkerson on notification leaving at once to bring the prisoner here.

Sheriff Fulkerson spent Tuesday in Jefferson City where he secured a requisition, leaving that night for Indiana. He will likely get home with his prisoner Monday.—Lexington News.

Regardless of Age.

The kidneys are responsible for more sickness, suffering, and deaths than any other organs of the body.

A majority of the ills afflicting people today is traceable to kidney trouble. It prevades all classes of society, in all climates, regardless of age, sex or condition.

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The Gates Are Off.

The M. K. & T. has abolished the gate system, the order going into effect yesterday to the gratification of the traveling public. W. F. Crush, passenger and ticket agent for the

Texas lines, said in an interview this week in regard to the gate system:

"The report that the gate system, which has been in force on our Texas passenger trains for over a year, is to be abolished is true. On the 15th inst. all our gatemen will receive their pay checks and their services for the company be discontinued. We have found the gate system very satisfactory. During the past year the department has not had to pay a dollar for damage suits; for the preceding year we had \$300,000 docketed against us. The traveling public does not want the gates. Nearly 100 men will be thrown out of employment by the abolishment of the gate system."—New Franklin News.

CLUB RATES.

All our former readers should take advantage of the unprecedented clubbing offer we this year make, which includes, with this paper, The Live Stock Indicator, its special Farmers' Institute editions, The Poultry Farmer, The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Journal and the Humane Alliance. The subscription price of these five publications amounts to \$2.50, while our own paper is \$1 a total of \$3.50. We are prepared to send them all, including our own paper, to any farmer in this county for \$1.45, which is only 45 cents more than our own subscription price. Never before was so much superior reading matter, of the most practical and useful character offered for only \$1.45. The first four of the papers named are so well known throughout the West that but little need be said of them. They commend themselves to the reader's favorable attention upon mere mention. The Humane Alliance is devoted to humane education, and should be in every farmer's family, so that the boys and girls on the farm may early imbibe the principles of a broad humanity that shall include all God's creatures, and learn the wickedness and brutalizing tendency of cruelty of all kinds. Take advantage of this great offer.

Eclipse of the Moon.

On Dec. 27th there will be a total eclipse of the moon, visible on all of the continents, except Australia and over the Atlantic ocean. The duration of the eclipse, exclusive of the penumbral phase, which is never perceptible, will be three hours and forty-nine minutes. The moon will be totally eclipsed one hour and thirty minutes. At the middle of the eclipse the moon will be in the zenith of an observer in the longitude five degrees east from Greenwich and in north latitude 23 degrees 30 minute—very nearly at the center of the Sahara desert.

On the 21st at 2 p. m., Washington time, the sun will enter Capricorn and winter will begin.

On the 31st at 3 p. m. the earth will be at its nearest to the sun—three million miles nearer than on the second of July.—Ex.

"History of the Spanish-American war,"

By Henry Watterson.

The above is the title of a superbly illustrated, richly bound volume issued by THE WARNER COMPANY, AKRON, Ohio. It is the only authentic history of the Spanish American War that has so far come to our notice. All the others have, in the main, been merely re-ramped histories of the Cuban War with some illustrations and a few chapters about the Spanish American War. Of course, anything written by Henry Watterson would be readable. He, above all other men in America, is fitted by training and experience to write a history of this war, which has brought world-wide renown and glory to our arms. Every line of the book breathes an enthusiastic spirit of patriotism that is exhilarating and inspiring.

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Shoes and Clothing.

The St. Louis Presbyterian.

The board of directors of the defunct St. Louis Presbyterian met in Mexico to-day to close up outstanding matters connected with that publication.

The following members of the board were present: Walter Williams, Columbia, Mo.; W. W. Trigg, Boonville, Mo.; Prof. John J. Rice, Fulton, Mo.; Mr. VanMeter, Arkansas; W. R. Dobyns, Marshall, Mo., and Rev. Mr. Barbee, of Excelsior Springs. Among those who had business with the board was Dr. Converse, of Louisville, Ky.—Mexico Ledger.

Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria.

Marshall, Mo., Dec. 13, 1898.—Ruth Mesic, residing at 555 West Arrow street, this city, states that her little sister had scarlet fever and diphtheria, which left her with rheumatism. She began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured her.

Miss Emma Adams of Boonville, who was the guest of the family of J. F. Stephens, returned home Tuesday. Miss Adams has many friends among the young people of Bunceeton, and her visits are always appreciated. Prof. J. W. Kirkpatrick, principal of the Boonville Public schools, came out Saturday evening and remained with his many friends at this place until Monday evening. Prof. Kirkpatrick, while principal of the public schools, of this place gave most excellent satisfaction, and he is meeting with equally as great success at Boonville. He is without a doubt, one of the ablest young instructors in the state.—Bunceeton Eagle.

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Miss Gertrude Brown, of Marshall, returned home Wednesday from a three weeks' visit in Sugartree and Miami. She was the guest of Mrs. Robert Res at the former place and while here was the guest of Misses Eva and Louise Miller.—Miami News.

McGinley, the new grocer next to Conway's Meat Market, has an excellent stock of fresh groceries and new queensware to select from. Call and see him.

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