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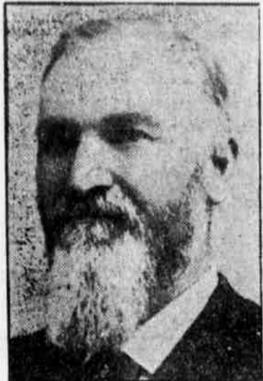
KELLEY VAWTER JEWELRY CO. I find these long winter evenings so desperately lonely that I just must have one of those splendid Talking Machines to while away the time and entertain my family and friends. I learn that when I go to their store they very obligingly play the records for me and in this way I will soon have a selection of music that pleases me. I don't know whether I will pay cash or buy on the easy payment plan, as the price is the same. Thank you. Good bye, ring off.

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Marshall, Mo.

DEATHS



CAPT. W. L. CORUM died Dec 27 11 a. m. at the residence of his nephew, Charles E. Neal, 2 miles north of Ottaville, Cooper county Missouri, in the year 1908. His remains were interred at Mt Olive cemetery by the side of his wife who preceded him Nov. 11, 1887. At his request his daughter Mrs. Mollie S. Hutton and husband F. M. Hutton brought his remains to his old home.

William Lowrey Corum of Cooper County Mo., and Miss Virginia Ewing Rubey, of Pettis county Mo., were united in marriage June 17th 1851 at the home of the bride—Judge Henry M. Rubey, by Rev. Finis A. Wither spoon in presence of many witnesses.

At the outbreak of the late war and at the earnest solicitation of his friends, he was made Captain of the home militia, and so well did he fill his mission that those on the opposite side were his warmest friends by the time he was ready for the office of Representative, which he filled creditably two terms. While at Jefferson City, he helped frame our Public School Laws. When in the war he saved the lives of many citizens by his calm demeanor and timely advice.

Was well read, and with a memory rarely equalled, was thereby posted on all points in the history of this and other nations. Was Justice of the Peace in his home neighborhood and was well and favorably known by the exactness he manifested in this line of his duties.

He with his wife and one child came to his home in Liberty township in 1856 buying an improved farm of Rev. Warren Compton.

He with his wife then joined the Mt. Olive Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which then was about two years old. He was made ruling Elder, and when sickness in his home did not prevent was in his place for many years. Of a family of nine children only two survive him. Mrs. Sue Pullam, Muskogee, Okla., and Mrs. Mollie Hutton, Shackelford, Mo.

Mr. Corum was the second son of Mr. Heli Corum and his mother

nee Miss Evelyn Lowery. One brother, the youngest of all lives near Los Angeles, California, his name is Simeon Corum, is married and well to do.

He was a brother-in-law of Rev. Peter G. Rea, and Rev. James Martin all of Saline county. All lived long and useful lives and their memory is ever with us. His funeral was ably preached by Rev. A. J. Baker of Marshall, Mo.

Mrs. Willie M. Wood.

A cablegram was received Tuesday stating that Mrs. Willie M. Wood had died on Monday, Jan 11th, at Nice France, where Mrs. Wood and daughter, Miss Fannie, with two lady friends from Springfield were spending the winter.

Mrs. Wood was the widow of Will H. Wood, one of the founders of the Wood & Huston Bank, who preceded her in death in 1890. She was born in this county in September, 1844, and was married first to Jay M. Potter, a wealthy citizen of this county, after his death was married to Mr. Wood. Mrs. C. M. Buckner, of this city, is a daughter of the first union and Miss Fannie Wood the only daughter of the second union.

She was a consistent member of the Southern Methodist church and has many good deeds of her credit.

Mrs. Wood had been suffering from asthma and bronchitis and found the warm southern climate beneficial, so that the past few winters were spent in milder regions with considerable relief, yet she had been growing weaker and those who told her good bye several months ago did so under the presentiment that it would be the last time they would have that opportunity. Several weeks ago she grew worse and a letter last week to C. M. Buckner indicated that her condition was becoming serious.

The remains will arrive here about February 1st for burial in the Wood family lot in Ridge Park cemetery.

J. H. CORDELL, a former prominent citizen of Marshall, but recently a resident of Monroe, La., died Tuesday, Jan. 12th. He leaves a wife and ten children. Mr. Cordell was in the banking business here from 1868 till about ten years ago and he and his family were highly respected. He was nearly 67 years old.

JEFF SANDIDGE, who moved to Dakota from near Sweet Springs, died last week and his remains were brought back to this county and laid to rest in Antioch cemetery Friday. He is survived by three children.

Mr. Sandidge was a half-brother of Jas. and Will Crain of near Sweet Springs. He fell over dead

at his home in Saline, North Dakota, Sunday week.

E. M. WINSLOW died at the home of his brother, T. W. Winslow, near Shackelford, Friday January 8th 1909, aged 75 years, after a long illness. He is survived by five sons. Funeral services were held Saturday at Union church, west of Marshall.

WM. L. BIAYNIE DEAD—William Louis Haynie, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Haynie, of this place died at the Deaconess Hospital in St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday, January 6th, 1909, aged 34 years, 8 months and 5 days.

The news of his death was a severe blow to his parents, relatives and friends in Slater, where he is so familiarly known to everyone as it was in this place that he grew to manhood and entered upon his career as a business man.

His death was caused by appendicitis, from the attacks of which he suffered at various times for the past six years. He and his family came here from their home in St. Joseph, Mo., to attend a family reunion Christmas, and he went from here to St. Louis, where he became suddenly ill and went to the hospital where an operation was performed a few days ago. It was thought that he would recover until a short time before his death.

The deceased began his active life in the grocery business with his three brothers, Charlie, Thos. R. and Emmitt. He afterward conducted the Alton Hotel, and for about two years was in the hardware business with Albin Rawlings. Two years ago he sold out his interest in this store and accepted a traveling position with Simons Hardware Company of St. Louis.

He is survived by a wife and two children. His wife before her marriage was Miss Mattie Richardson, daughter of James H. Richardson, of Gilliam.—Slater Rustler.

MRS. A. B. SOPER DEAD—The remains of Mrs. Margory E. Soper, wife of Allen B. Soper, arrived here last Wednesday morning from Fulton, Mo., where he died Monday January 4th, at the age of forty years. The deceased was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. J. B. Ish of this place and has been in ill health for many years. The funeral services were held at the residence of her parents yesterday afternoon at 1:30 and her remains laid to rest in the City Cemetery.—Slater Rustler.

BENJAMIN BOGGS col., died Monday Jan. 11th at his home in East Marshall of consumption, aged 24 years. Funeral services Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the residence and burial in Fairview cemetery. He leaves a wife and one child.

SAUNY JACKSON, col., died Wednesday, January 13th in the eastern part of Marshall after a long illness. He leaves a wife and family to mourn his death.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George W. Holke, Blackburn Ida Bruukhorst, Blackburn Emmet Self, Marshall Margaret May Vardeman, Nelson

Castle-Shields Case.

The jury in the Castle-Shields lawsuit reported to Judge Davis yesterday afternoon about four o'clock that they couldn't agree and the judge sent them back to make another effort to come to a decision.

The Big Clearance Sale at W. H. Fletcher's is still going on.

Hadley is Now Governor.

Imposing Ceremonies Mark the Important Occasion.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan 11.—In the presence of the members of the legislative, judicial and executive departments of the State Government, with hundreds of others representing their political party, and every section of the state, assembled in the Hall of Representatives at noon today, Herbert Spencer Hadley, the first Republican governor in a generation, was given the oath of office by Chief Justice Leroy P. Vallant of the Missouri Supreme Court.

Immediately following the administration of the oath Light Battery A of St. Louis fired a salute of seventeen guns from Capitol Hill.

After the oath was administered, Gov. Hadley delivered his inaugural message, setting his views upon home rule, liquor regulation, means of raising the revenues of the state, elevating the standard of the public schools and other important questions of state government which are pressing the Legislature, the chief executive and the courts for solution.

Time and again he was interrupted by applause, and at the conclusion of this address the cheering continued for several minutes.

We give Mr. Hadley's address in full on page six. It is a very able article and well worth reading.

To Recount Vote for Lieutenant Governor.

Jefferson City, Mo. Jan. 12.—The conference committee chosen to device a plan of procedure to determine the result of the election on the lieutenant governorship submitted a report to the joint assembly this afternoon and it was unanimously adopted and its recommendation concurred in. It contemplates a recount of the votes in fifteen precincts, which are specified, besides all the precincts in St. Louis.

This work is to be begun Saturday and to be completed as rapidly as possible, with one party representative on behalf of each of the contestants to be permitted to witness the recount or canvass which may be made. Books, papers, poll books, tally sheets and witnesses are to be brought before the committee whenever the committee deems it necessary, it declaring its inability, without such a procedure, even after an examination of all the amended and original returns which have been submitted to the speaker of the House, to determine the result of the election on that office.

Financial Effects of Local Option in Marshall.

On request of several Marshall citizens we interviewed the majority of our business men this week to find what effect local option had on their business. The last saloon closed six months ago and therefore it is still very difficult to tell the effect accurately as local conditions have much weight. The grocery men were nearly unanimous in saying that they were benefited. The dry goods men were a little uncertain in the matter, but were certain it did them no harm. One clothing man said he didn't notice the effect one way or another, while a second one said he didn't know the cause but that the store did a record-breaking business during 1908.

One merchant said he didn't notice the effect on his business except that he is at present able to collect more promptly than formerly.

All agreed that taxes were much higher and one man intimated that he wouldn't pay the special tax this spring. Several said their answer a bit serious years but that they had lost a number of good customers who were going to other towns. Several reported a remarkable increase during 1908 of their sales and gave local option full credit therefor.

The bankers said business was better, but were uncertain as to the cause, as it was very hard to tell. One banker stated that the bankers did very little business with the heavy drinkers and therefore could tell the effect on these persons only through the merchants. Several commented on the improved moral condition of the city.

City Clerk Alexander said he was not at liberty to give out figures now but was making out a semi-annual report that he would present to the council next Monday night, after which it would be given out for publication but he said as far as he could tell the city's finances are in good shape. The \$8000 of license revenue lost was being made up for by the special merchants license and a little raise.

County Collector Barnhill's report following shows an unusual condition in his office, and that ought to be a pretty good indication of the county's financial status. He says the total collections for December were \$135,634.79 as against \$108,751.29 in December 1907. This increase of \$27,000 in December is partly due to the extra ten percent tax on acreage producing \$8000 additional revenue, but the \$8000 increase is again offset by the loss of \$2000 license money in 1907. This would make the actual increase under the same

conditions during December \$20,883.50. The amount collected to date beats all previous records.

On January 1st 80 per cent of the total taxes were collected as against 75 per cent on January 1st 1908.

Mr. Barnhill requests us to thank the public for their prompt attention to their taxes.

At the county clerk's office we were told that the criminal costs were \$2500 less during 1908 than during 1907. The costs during the six months of local option compared with the corresponding six months of 1907 follow:

	1907	1908
July.....	\$59.42	\$17.35
August.....		\$21.50
September.....	45.65	
October.....	219.50	39.00
November.....	304.30	414.74
December.....	1943.30	672.30
	\$3062.27	\$1785.55

Mysterious Shooting

Chas. Petry, Jr., was shot on the night of Monday Jan. 4th. As near as can be learned he received his wound in Wingfield's pool room on West North street and wandered over to Ming's, where he was put to bed. The night clerk said he walked in there about 2 a.m. without a hat coat or shoes, and it was quite cold. Petry says he was intoxicated and doesn't know who shot him neither will he say where he got the liquor. The bullet entered near the center of his breast and passed to the left lodging near the collar bone. He is up and around. Several theories are advanced, but no one who knows the facts will talk.

The First Plum.

M. L. Francis, of Slater, passed through Marshall Friday from Jefferson City and called to report that he landed the position of enrolling clerk in the general assembly—a good place.

Saline Gets Two More Appointments.

Jas. Denny, of the Bank of Marshall was Wednesday called to Jefferson City by state bank examiner J. E. Swanger and appointed one of Mr. Swanger's deputies. The position pays \$1800 per annum and expenses. Mr. Denny's friends are congratulating him on his success.

Gov. Folk Saturday appointed S. P. Houston of Malta Bend, to a position on the board of managers for the Missouri Colony to succeed R. M. Abereromble. The appointment was a surprise to Mr. Houston.

Judge Lee of the southern part of the state was appointed Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Abel Leonard on the same board.

Mrs. W. M. Bell at Miami is not improving much.

Big Cut Price Sale!

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