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Missouri State Bank

OF BUTLER, MO.

CAPITAL, ... $110,000.

Transacts a general banking business. We solicit the accounts of farmers, merchants and the public generally, promising a safe depository for all funds committed to our charge. We are prepared to extend liberal accommodation in the way of loans to our customers. Funds always on hand to loan on real estate at lowest rates, allowing borrowers to pay part or all at any time and stop interest.

DIRECTORS.

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New Home Items.

A neighbor borrowed a sausage grinder from Mr. Walker Steele last fall a year ago. Walker says if he is done with it he would be glad if he would return it.

One of James Thomas' girls is very sick with pneumonia fever. Dr. Warren, of Sprague, is tending on her.

Frank Robb sails in a bran new suit.

Glen Miller bought a pair of coon dogs of Wm. Robb.

Elmer Garner, John Hedges and family and Noah Bright were down to see us last week.

Schuler Robb bought a Jersey cow and now he wants to swap his washer for a patent churn.

The tax collector will be in town the 24th to collect taxes.

John Forsyth was in town Friday from Panama mines.

N. M. NESTLERODE.

Virginia Items.

J. W. Hall, the rustling insurance agent, is insuring quite a number of farm houses in this part.

John Cope, of New Home was on this side of the river last week and purchased a horse of George Crook.

Ed Dudley is buying turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens, dressing them and sending to Chicago.

Harrison Wilson, of Olivet, Kan., was visiting the family of Isaac Park last week.

Mrs. George Jenkins went to Butler last Sabbath to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. O. S. Tuttle.

Miss Daisy Park is in Butler, staying with the family of her uncle, Mr. H. H. Flesher.

The spelling school at Nestlerode school house, last Friday night was largely attended and every one had a good time.

Cliff Jackson left Monday for Denver, Colorado, where he will visit his brother.

The party at Mr. Cumiford's on last Tuesday night was a very enjoyable affair.

Miss May Henderson, of Mulberry, was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Hensley, last week.

Miss Mamie Whipple returned home last week.

George Thompson moved last week to the farm he bought of Wm. Duvall, three and a half miles south east of Virginia.

James Cusick went to Henry county last week to look for a farm. He sold his farm here to W. J. Cowan on condition that he could suit himself elsewhere.

Joe Hensley and wife, of Harvey, Oklahoma, are shaking hands with their many friends around Virginia. Both are looking well.

Rev. DeJarnet preached his farewell sermon at the Christian church, last Sabbath night.

There will be a wedding in Charlotte Township this week, guess who.

One of the enjoyable events of the past week was a birthday dinner last Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Orear, in honor of his 68th birthday. The guests were intended to be of the older class of people, near his age. There was a bountiful table to suit the occasion, and the following named guests partook of the good things prepared for them: Mr. R. T. Judy and wife, Mr. John Durrett and wife, Mr. Joe Hensley and wife, Mrs. Dr. Mitchell, Mr. J. T. Hensley and wife, Mr. W. T. Cowan and wife. Mr. B. F. Jenkins and wife, Mother Hallaway, 85 year old, and Miss Dora Neil. Quite a number that were invited did not come on account of sickness. After dinner the guests were treated to some charming music on the violin and clarionet by the old gentleman himself. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in social conversation. This lovely home presented a beautiful scene during the reception, and the event will long be remembered by the guests present. Mr. Orear moved to this place in 1872, and built the first store in 1873, when this section was most all unbroken prairie.

NELS' CLERK.

A Charming Dinner Party in the Vicinity of Virginia, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs George F. Rubel, assisted by Miss Park of Virginia and Miss Whipple of Pleasant Gap, entertained their friends at dinner on Wednesday, January 16th. The menu consisted of four courses most elegantly served.

Those who have enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Rubel can testify to the charming manner in which they always entertain. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Henderson of Amoret, Mr. and Mrs. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. Flenor of Amsterdam, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Dugan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Leech, Mrs. R. Braden of Mulberry, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bard, Mr. and Mrs. Will Park, Mr. and Mrs. Washington Park of Virginia. ***

DIED.—In loving remembrance of little Nora Brooks, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, departed this life, January 10th, 1895, after an illness of two days and nights. The remains were laid to rest in the Park's cemetery. We would say to the sorrowing parents and little brothers:

Mourn not for dear little Nora,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er
On the border land you left her
Soon to meet and part no more.

When you leave this world of changes
When you leave this world of care,
You will find your little Nora
In our Father's Mansion fair.

By a Friend, C. C. K.

Public Sale.

I will sell at public sale at my farm 4 miles west of Johnstown and one and a half miles east of Culver, Tuesday, January 29, 1895, the following property: 19 head of steers, coming 2s; 4 heifers, coming 2s; two 3-year-old mules; one yearling mule; 35 head of shoats; 2 male shoats; five brood sows; about 800 bushels of corn; 8 tons of baled threshed hay; 600 bushels of red oats; 8 bushels flax seed; one rick oats straw; one spring wagon, one mower, one harrow, 2 cultivators, one sulkey hay rake, also household and kitchen furniture and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Sums of $5 and under cash, sums over $5 a credit of nine months without interest if paid when due, if not so paid to draw 8 per cent from date. Note to bear approved security. SIDNEY GRAHAM.

E. C. OGBURN, Auctioneer.

By a Vision.

Lebanon, Ind., Jan. 21.—After 45 years of total ignorance of the existence of each other, Lucy and Eva Bunting, twin sisters, have been united. Lucy Bunting, who resides in this city, had a dream two weeks ago, in which she saw her sister, whom she believed dead, and at once began an investigation by writing different postmasters at various points and was informed by the postmaster at Rushville, Mo., of her sister's whereabouts.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

RIVER PACKET SUNK.

Steamer State of Missouri is Wrecked Near Alton, Ind.—At Least Forty Lives Lost.

Owensboro, Ky, Jan. 20.—The big New Orleans packet, the State of Missouri, struck a rock on the Indiana side of the Ohio river near Alton, Indiana, about six o'clock last evening, and went down in fifty feet of water. She gave a heavy lurch forward and rapidly sank. Four passengers of the City of Owensboro passing here this evening were picked up near the Kentuckey shore They swam for life on planks and reached the Willows. One reached the shore and the others remained in a tree many hours until rescued. They were W. C. Leathers from Hopkins county, Kentucky, and a man named Gregory of Cave in Rock, Ill. The names of the other two could not be learned.

These passengers report that the boat struck a rock near the stern, and gave a sudden lurch forward. A yawl was launched, but so many people crowded into it that it was soon sunk. As the boat lurched again a second yawl was put off from the sinking boat, in which four women passengers and some of the cabin passengers managed to get places. Leathers never swam before, but managed to keep afloat until he reached the Willows. He saw four men drowned near him, but was powerless to act. One chamber maid was picked up by a boat from a farm house near by and several rescued passengers were picked up further on and taken up to Louisville by the steamer Tell City. One yawl that was upset by frantic passengers was full of women and children, and all are thought to be lost.

When the vessel struck the rock she ripped the starboard side open from one end to the other and in less than five minutes she was a complete wreck The crew and passengers, nearly 100 in all, were paralyzed at the shock and before anything could be done the vessel was almost completely under water. The upper deck broke away and floated off. Nearly everybody jumped into the river and made for the shore some 100 yards away

The State of Mssouri was built at Madison, Ind, in 1890 by a Kansas City syndicate for the Missouri river trade at a cost of $40,000. She was one of a trio of fine steamers built by the same company—the State of Kansas and the A. L. Mason being the others. She was 250 feet long, with a forty four foot beam and six foot hold. She was never launched on the Missouri, but placed on the Ohio and Mississippi, plying between Cincinnati and New Orleans, with occasional trips to St. Louis. The syndicate was compelled to sell the State of Kansas to enable the company to continue business.

INDICTMENTS DISAPPEAR.

Nevada, Mo., Jan 22.—Another chapter developed in the celebrated Citizens bank cases here to day when it was discoved that seven indictments of two counts each against O. K. Caldwell, late cashier of the stranded bank, had been taken by unknown parties from Circuit Clerk H. H. Brady's office safe.

The Citizens' Bank failed about three years ago by reasen of some of the officers of the bank using the funds which they replaced with their individual notes signing each others notes as necessity required. The deposits were in the neighborhood of $200,000. The assets realized 12½ per cent dividend in the hands of the assignee. Cashier Caldwell and other officers of the bank were indicted but the cases have been delayed for various reasons. Judge James H. Lay, of Warsaw was to have been here to-day to try the cases but was detained. He will arrive to morrow. Seven out of eight indictments against Caldwell were taken, one indictment against him with one each against William Christian, vice president and W. H Robinson, director of the bank were left undisturbed The indictments all had two counts each.

An Attack on Hai Chang.

Hiroshima, Jan. 20.—General Nodzu, commander of the first Japanese army, telegraphs as follows:

"The Chinese have commenced an attack on Hai Chang at 8 o'clock on the morning of January 17, advancing from three routes—Laiu Yang, Aulangton and New Chwang. At about noon they extended their front five miles, coming within 1,500 meters of our line. The third army division, after maintaining the defense of the north side of Hai Chang until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, assumed the offensive and attacked the enemy's right wing. Shortly after 6 o'clock we succeeded in dispersing the Chinese. The enemy's strenght was over 10,000. The main force is retreating north and west, and the remainder toward New Chwang. The Japanese loss was as previously stated. Inquiries are being made as to the enemy's loss. Seven guns were taken besides other spoils."

A Fortune.

New York, Jan. 21.—Before Wm. Waldorf Astor sailed for Europe he gave the largest commission to a florist that was ever before received by a representative of that industry in the United States.

Every day for one year from the burial 4,000 pure white, freshly cut lilies are to be laid on Mrs Astor's grave.

The cost of this tribute of affection to his dead wife is considerable to the millionaire, being estimated at $50,000. In this estimate is included the wages of a man who will watch the tomb. Every morning when the offering of the day before is removed it will be burned, so that the flowers will have no other mission than that of keeping sweet the last resting place of the dead woman.

Mr. Astor was a very affectionate husband and it is said that he feels the loss of his wife keenly.

Shot in His Wife's Presence.

Moberly, Mo., Jan. 20.—James Heddrick, a Cherokee Indian, who owns a coal mine two miles west of here, while driving home with his wife and the daughter of David Mason yesterday evening, was shot by Mason, the shot taking effect near the breast, from the effect of which he died this afternoon Mason was arrested shortly after the shooting, the cause of which is said to be a family affair in which Mason's daughter figured.

Held in Virginia.

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 22.—The local officials have received a letter from the Governor of Virginia where in he refuses to surrender Frank Lockwood Smith on a requisition from Governor Stone, as Smith is wanted in Virginia for working various gold brick schemes. Smith worked Rev. Dail out of $2,000 on the gold brick swindle.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The Senate committee on pensions to day indorsed a resolution, which Senator Palmer will introduce in the Senate to-morrow, extending the provisions of the act of June 27, 1890, the dependent pension act, to the officers and privates of the Missouri State militia and the provisional Missouri militia which served ninety days during the war, and the other widows and minor children. The decision affects about 10,000 pensioners.

Sedalia, Mo., Jan. 21.—Sheriff Porter and chief of police Kahrs returned from a three days' trip in Jackson and Johnson counties hunting for Mike Davis, the fugitive murderer, who was to have been hanged on Friday next The officers learned positively that, on making his escape Davis, in company with a young friend, started north from Johnson county, where all trace of him was lost. The belief prevails that the fugitive is now far from the Missouri line and the chances for his early capture are not bright.

FARMERS BANK

OF BATES COUNTY,

Cash Capital. $50,000.00

COUNTY DEPOSTORY

OF BATES CO.

OSCAR REEDER ..... President
R. J. HURLEY ..... 1st Vice-President
E. A. BENNETT ..... 2d Vice-President
E. D. KIPP ..... Cashier

Receives Deposits subject to check, Lones Money, issues Drafts and transacts a general Banking business. Your patronage respectfully Solicited.

DIRECTORS.

D. N. Thompson, John Steele, Oscar Reeder, M. S. Kiersey, M. G. Wilcox, J. J. McKee, E. D. Kipp, John E. Shatt, Clark Wix, J. K. Rosier, J. EVERINGHAM, R. J. Hurley, E. A. Bennett, H. M. Talley, Secretary.

NON EST VIVERE SED VALERE VITA.

"Life is not mere existence,
But the enjoyment of health."

Many times this enjoyment of health depends upon the Druggist. The best medical attention, the most careful nursing, will be of little avail, if the medicines be of a poor quality or combined in an unskillful way. We point with pardonable pride to our

PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT.

We have made it so that we can justly do this, by careful attention to all details. Promp, reliable service; crude drugs, pure; and chemicals obtained from reliable sources and all preparation carefully made. In mid winter one is apt to have sudden calls for medicine.

Our Prescription Department will always be found equal to the occasion.

H. L. Tucker.

Killed By a Burglar Trap.

Yankton, S. Dak, Jan. 21.—H. C. Taylor, a storekeeper in Meckling, a small town some miles east of this city, placed a shotgun at the front door of his place of business on Saturday night as a protection against burglars. He attached strings to the triggers and fastened the other ends to the door latch, so that both barrels of the gun would be discharged with the slightest movement of the latch. Frank Elliott, nephew to Taylor, went to the store door and lifted the latch. The gun was discharged and Elliott received the contents of both barrels in his abdomen. He lived twelve hours.

Sheriff's Sale in Partition.

By virtue and in pursuance of a judgment and decree of the circuit court of Bates county state of Missouri rendered at the November term, 1894, wherein Anna B Campbell and David D Campbell were plaintiffs, and Charles W Brown and Allie E Brown, Elizabeth J Frey and Charles Frey and James O Brown, were defendants, a certified copy of which decree has been delivered to me by the clerk of said court commanding me as sheriff of Bates county, Mo., to sell the real estate hereinafter described at the February term, 1895, of said court. Therefore, in pursuance of said judgment and decree, I, D A Colyer, sheriff of Bates county, Missouri, will on

Wednesday, February 20, 1895,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and while said circuit court is in session, offer for sale at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, the following described real estate to-wit:

Lots one and two (1 & 2) in the southwest quarter of section nineteen (19), township forty-one (41) of range thirty-one (31) all in Bates county, Missouri, and containing about one hundred and sixty acres.

D. A. COLYER,
10-4t Sheriff of Bates County.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a general execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the February term, 1895, of said court to me directed in favor of The Citizens Bank of Hampton, Iowa and against J A Boyer and J W Kinser, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of defendants, J A Boyer and J W Kinser, in and to the following described real estate situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

Lots No 14 and 15 in block No 4, and lot No 5 in block No 7, all in the town of Merwin, in the county of Bates and state of Mo., I will on

Tuesday, February 19, 1895.

Between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs.

D A COLYER,
Sheriff of Bates County.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and all others interested in the estate of Wm Milner deceased, that I, Geo. W Fowler, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Bates county probate court, in Bates county, state of Missouri, to be held at Butler on the 11th day of February, 1895.

GEO W FOWLER,
8-4t* Administrator.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a transcript execution and a general execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county Missouri, returnable at the February term, 1895, to me directed, one in favor of A Clark and against J H Hall, A J Baugley, J Patterson and J M'Hoagland, and one in favor of Aaron Badgley and against A J Badgley and J H Hall, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the above named defendants, in and to the following described real estate situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit

The east half of the northwest quarter of section 22, township 40, range 30, and beginning at northwest corner of west half of northeast quarter of section 22, township 40, range 30 and running thence south 20 rods, east 4 rods, north 20 rods, west 4 rods. Also southeast quarter of southwest quarter and northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section township 40, range 30, all in Bates county, Mo., I will on

Tuesday, February 12, 1895

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs.

D A COLYER
Sheriff of Bates County.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution for delinquent taxes issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, returnable at the February term 1895 of said court to me directed in favor of R H Fisher ex-officio collector of the revenue of Bates county and against James A Wilson and William R Wilson, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of defendants, James A Wilson and William R Wilson, in and to the following described real estate situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 7, township [illegible] range [illegible] Bates county, Mo., I will, on

Friday, February 15th, 1895,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs.

8-4t D A COLYER,
Sheriff of Bates County.

C. T. STIGLEMAN

A Missouri Farmer—His Thrilling Experience while in Kansas City.

Having suffered for five years with a peculiar growth on my under lip I visited Kansas City medical college for an examination. After a careful examination the professors pronounced it a malignant cancer involving the entire lip and advised an early commencement of operation as the only hope of a cure, declaring the knife I was at other opinions, among them Mrs. Phoebe Lamb (whose husband is president of the Sweet Springs Milling Co., Mo.) had been cured by the Mother Scotts Columbian Oil, and her a perfect survivor, this so highly recommended the Oil to me that I came back and placed myself under the Oil treatment at once. I was soon being sound and well in just four weeks. I feel it a duty I owe suffering humanity to state these facts, as I cannot too highly recommend Dr. Castle & Co., proprietors of the Mother Columbian Oil Remedies, 5 E. 12th St. & Walnuts Sts., Kansas City, Mo., to all afflicted with cancer. Their cures are quickly the marvel of the age and all they do as they claim. I thank God I am entirely cured of the cancer KNIFE and burning PLASTER. Will gladly answer any and all inquiries who write me regarding these wonderful remedies. If they will inclose a stamp for reply. Yours Respectfully,

C. T. STIGLEMAN.

C. T. STIGLEMAN, Grand Pass, Saline County, Mo.