DID NOT RESUME WORK.

The Promise of Military Protection Failed to Attract the Striking Anthracite Coal Miners.

TIE-UP MORE EXTENSIVE THAN EVER.

Not a Colliery from Mahoney City to Ashland Is Running and the Reading Company Is More Crippled Than at Any Time Since Strike Begun—Soldiers at Shenandoah Patrolling the City.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 24.—The promise of protection by the state troops failed to encourage the mine workers of this region who expressed a desire to continue at work and the strike in this region is more extensive than at any time since the strike was inaugurated. It is stated that not a colliery in the vicinity of this city resumed operations owing to the failure of the employes to report for duty. Messages received from various towns in the region announced that every mine from Mahoney City to Ashland, including the latter place, is closed. It is estimated that fully 15,000 men employed principally by the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company and the Lehigh Valley Coal company are now on a strike and indications point to a continuance of the tie-up.

Early in the morning five batalions of infantry and one troops of cavalry proceeded to the outskirts of the town and marched along the numerous roads leading to the various mines. They met with but few strikers and the number of employes willing to work were still less. Opinion is divided here as to whether the non-strikers are thoroughly intimidated by the threats of the strikers or whether agents of the United Mine workers have succeeded in better organizing the union.

Gen. Gobin remained at his headquarters during the day awaiting reports from his troops. Later he drove through the mining district and found everything quiet. Company B, of the Fourth regiment, of Allentown, is acting as provost guard and the soldiers are patrolling the city from end to end.

Gen. Gobin Fears Trouble.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 24.—The peace which pervades the entire coal field is in danger of being disturbed, Gen. Gobin thinks. He received information that an attack is to be made on Preston No. 5 mine, of the Reading company, at Girardville, about eight miles from here. Troops have been ordered there.

ORDERED THE WAR.

Filipino Junta at Hong Kong Responsible for Recent Activity of Insurgents—American Loss Heavy Last Week.

Manila, Sept. 24.—It now develops that the insurgent activity of last week has cost more American blood than was at first reported. Additional news of insurgent operations comes from Cayogan and Isabela provinces and the northwest part of Luzon. In the province of Albay merchants are rushing their hemp to Manila, fearing that it will be burned by the insurgents. The American casualties in killed, wounded or missing during the last ten days approach 100. In Sinloan, at the east of Laguna de Bay, the insurgents, after an engagement, delivered ten bodies of our dead. Documents captured in Manila show that the insurgents' activity in this vicinity was ordered by rebels here, following instructions from the Hong Kong junta. Senor Buencamino has received from Aguinaldo an answer regarding his peace proposals. Aguinaldo declines to consider them and declares that he is unwilling to agree to a compromise.

ATTACKS JUDICIAL SYSTEM.

Chief Justice Doster Says Present Court Plan in Kansas Discriminates Between Rich and Poor.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 24.—Chief Justice Frank Doster, of the Kansas supreme court, in a signed article in favor of an amendment to the constitution enlarging the supreme court from three members to seven, and doing away with the two courts of appeals, makes a vigorous attack on the present judicial system in Kansas. He says the present plan discriminates between the rich and the poor, and between those who are accused of small crimes and those who are accused of greater ones.

Cannot Enforce Pure Butter Law.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—The state board of health of Missouri has decided to withdraw its butter inspector from St. Louis and make no further attempts to secure the enforcement of the pure butter law in this city. Inspector Lally will be assigned to duty in some other part of the state. According to the official records, there are 225 grocers in St. Louis who have taken out licenses to sell oleomargarine.

Two Great Masonic Bodies.

Cincinnati, Sept. 24.—Two great masonic bodies began their triennial sessions here Monday that continue during the week—the general grand chapter and the general grand council, the highest degree of the York Rite below that of Knight Templar.

Windstorm at Neodesha, Kan.

Neodesha, Kan., Sept. 24.—A small tornado passed through Neodesha yesterday evening at six o'clock, wrecking two dwelling houses, three barns and damaging half a dozen others. Mrs. John Ford was seriously injured and her little son slightly hurt.

NO CHANGE OF DATES.

Mr. Bryan Says His Trip to Chicago Was Only for Conference—Vice Chairman Stone on New York.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Col. W. J. Bryan arrived in Chicago Monday and was driven at once to the democratic headquarters, where he went into conference with various members of the national democratic committe. "I came to Chicago especially for a conference," said Col. Bryan. "I want to talk with the committee now for the reason that I have three days at my disposal. As to Mr. Hanna's assertions concerning me I have nothing to say. The agitation of the trust question is meeting with success. It is something that appeals to every workingman. I am going back to Lincoln tonight and so far as I know now will follow my original itinerary."

Vice Chairman Stone will return to New York Tuesday. "The outlook in New York is bright," he said, "though I will not say that I am confident of carrying the state. The report that the democratic national committee intends to close the New York headquarters is nonsense."

LESS BOOK LEARNING

Miss Reel, Superintendent Indian Schools, Pleads for More Industrial Training for the Red Men's Children.

Washington, Sept. 24.—In her annual report to the Indian bureau, Miss Estelle Reel, general superintendent of Indian schools, advocates more industrial training for the Indian. Miss Reel believes in giving the Indian child a good thorough training in the fundamental English branches, but says that the theory of cramming the pupil with mere book knowledge for generations to come will be a failure. A course in farming and such useful knowledge as will enable him to shoe his own horse, mend his own wagon, build his house and do the general repair work about a farm is recommended for the boys, as well as the teaching of home-making duties for the girls. The property ownership plan has a prominent place in Miss Reel's system of education. A strong plea is made for compulsory education and the cultivation of better crops and more acres of land is urged.

HOBSON DIDN'T MEAN IT.

Hero of the Merremac Episode Corrects His Interview Regarding Dewey and the Spanish Ships at Manila.

Montreal, Can., Sept. 24.—Upon his arrival here Lieut. Richard P. Hobson was shown the answer made by Admiral Dewey to the interview with the lieutenant sent out from Vancouver. He said he was deeply grieved that Admiral Dewey had taken the matter up in the way reported. He declared that he was not responsible for the statement made in the Vancouver interview. He had been approached by a reporter and in the course of a conversation had stated that the Spanish ships had been sunk because the plugs had been drawn by the Spanish. He explained that it was impossible to sink a ship by hitting it above the water line. Admiral Dewey had, however, compelled the Spaniards to sink their ships and that was just as effective as sinking them with shells.

FEVER IN HAVANA.

War Department Informed That the Epidemic Exists There to a Considerable Extent—Troops in No Danger.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The surgeon general's office of the war department has no information regarding the epidemic of yellow fever in Havana, although it is known to exist there to a terrible extent. Private advices from Havana indicate that the outbreak is serious. The fever exists in the best parts of the city and among Americans who have gone there. It is said at the war department that no fears are entertained of a serious outbreak among the troops of the United States as they are outside of the city and not in infected districts. The outbreak is not unexpected, as fever usually develops about this time of the year and is even worse during the months of October and November than in the spring.

Burton and Davis to Debate.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 24.—An interesting political event is slated for Wichita Tuesday night. J. R. Burton and Webster Davis having been advertised to make opposing political speeches here that night, the party managers arranged for them to meet under one roof and divide time.

Hanna Willing to "Take on" Edmiston.

New York, Sept. 24.—Concerning the challenge issued by Chairman Edmiston, of the national populist committee, to discuss points at issue, Senator Hanna said that if Chairman Edmiston wished to take issue with him on any of these matters he would be accommodated.

Money to Move the Crops.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The United States treasurer has sent out nearly $4,000,000 to the western and southern subtreasuries for use in moving the cotton crop. He says that the amount required this year is much larger than in previous years.

Will Send 500 Orphans to Kansas.

Topekan, Kan., Sept. 24.—Mrs. Alice Spradlin, sent from Topeka to Galveston by the Red Cross society, writes to Mrs. E. H. Thompson here requesting that Kansas assume temporary charge of 50 orphans who are destitute in Galveston.

The business portion of Omer, Mich., was destroyed by fire Monday. Loss, $50,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,345; calves, 1,157. The market was slow and steady to 10 cents lower. Representative sales:

SHIPPING AND DRESSED BEEF STEERS

No.	Ave.	Price	No.	Ave.	Price.
45	1152	$5.20	30	1251	$4.60
125	958	4.15	74	1068	4.15
2 HDF	955	3.00	20 HDF	1046	4.00
20 T	703	2.75	15	948	3.25

SOUTHWEST STEERS

44 SW	956	3.65	1 stk	440	3.40
23 SW	833	3.40	2	500	3.25
26 SW	851	3.35	2 stk	605	3.00

TEXAS AND INDIAN STEERS

20	700	3.45	2	785	3.45
2	910	3.40	2	690	3.25
21 ATK	738	3.30	2	738	3.00
1	470	2.50	1	490	2.40

PANHANDLE STEERS

64	951	4.05	25 T	805	3.65

TEXAS AND INDIAN COWS

17	596	3.00	3	573	2.85
22	780	2.85	34	799	2.50
32	696	2.50			

NATIVE HEIFERS

21	647	4.00	1	850	3.50

NATIVE COWS

1	1100	4.00	1	1165	3.55
1	1020	3.65	1	1240	3.50
2	905	3.25	1	920	3.25
1	900	3.25	8	831	3.25

NATIVE FEEDERS

1	1000	4.40	16	867	4.00
1	1000	4.10			

NATIVE STOCKERS.

77	592	4.25	1	480	4.25
18	542	4.00			

STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS.

2	425	3.25	7	458	3.10
1	590	3.00	1	590	2.25

Hogs—Receipts, 5,676. The market was 5 to 10 cents lower. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Price	No.	Av.	Price	No.	Av.	Price
5	254	$5.35	82	187	$5.30	82	252	$5.27½
65	269	5.27½	84	217	5.27½	50	172	5.25
80	187	5.25	76	187	5.25	76	225	5.25
61	241	5.22½	69	252	5.22½	52	208	5.22½
22	234	5.20	60	207	5.20	80	203	5.20
26	198	5.20	51	214	5.15	90	152	4.82½

Sheep—Receipts, 4,188. The market was 10 to 15 cents lower. Representative sales:

63 lambs	80	$5.10	10 lambs	70	$4.85
744 lambs	67	3.45	108 lambs	86	3.30
25 sheep	107	3.30	245 lambs	86	3.45
5 sheep	92	3.30	3 fdrs	83	3.00

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000. Good to prime steers, $5.40@6.00; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.65; Texas fed steers, $4.35@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 44,000. Mixed and butchers, $5.30@5.55; bulk of sales, $5.35@5.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000. Good to choice wethers, $3.75@4.50; western sheep, $3.50@4.50; native lambs, $4.65@5.10.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,300. Native steers, $4.50@5.85; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.80; Texas and Indian steers, $3.20@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500. Packers, $5.15@5.35; butchers, $5.40@5.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500. Native muttons, $3.50@4.00; lambs, $4.00@5.25.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Sept. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000. Native beef steers, $4.40@5.55; western steers, $4.00@4.70; Texas steers, $3.25@4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,400. Heavy, $5.00@5.15; bulk of sales, $5.10@5.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000. Western muttons, $3.60@4.00; lambs, $4.00@4.80.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Wheat—Sales by sample on track:

Hard—No. 2, 70@71½c; No. 3, 69@71c.

Soft—No. 2, 74@75c; No. 3, 73c.

Mixed Corn—No. 2, 37½@38c; No. 3, 37½c; No. 4, 36½c.

White Corn—No. 2, 39½c; No. 3, 39c.

Mixed Oats—No. 2, 26½c; No. 3, 26c.

White Oats—No. 2, 24@25c; No. 3, 23@24c.

Rye—No. 2, nominally, 50½c.

Flaxseed—$1.42.

Prairie Hay—$6.50@8.50; timothy, $8.00@9.25; alfalfa, $8.00; wheat straw, $3.50.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Cash Wheat—No. 2 red, 78@79½c; No. 3, 74@78c; No. 2 hard winter, 73½@75c; No. 3, 72@74c; No. 1 northern spring, 78@81c; No. 2, 78@81c; No. 3, 72@75c. Corn—No. 2, 41½c; No. 3, 40½@41½c. Oats—No. 2, 22@22½c; No. 3, 21½@22c.

Futures: Wheat—September, 78½c; October, 78½c; November, [illegible]. Corn—September, 41½c; October, 39½@39⅝c; November, 36⅞c. Oats—September, 21⅝@22c; October, 22½c; November, 22½c.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, elevator, 76½c; track, 77@77½c; No. 2 hard, 73@73½c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 40c; track, 40½c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 22c; track, 22½@22¾c; No. 2 white, 25½@26c.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Eggs—Fresh, 13½c doz.

Butter—Creamery, extra fancy separators, 20c; firsts, 18c; dairy, fancy, 17c; packing stock, 12½c; northern cheese, 10c; Kansas and Missouri, 10c.

Poultry—Hens, live, 7c; roosters, 15c each; spring chickens, 7½c; broilers, 8½c; capons, 8c per lb; ducks, young, 6½c, geese, young, 5c; turkey hens, 7c; old toms, 6c. Pigeons, 75c doz; plovers, $1.00@1.25.

Potatoes—Home grown, 30c; sweets, 60@75c per bu.

Apples—Fancy, $2.00@2.25 per barrel. Cranberries, $8.00@9.50 per barrel.

Melons—Cantaloupes, Rocky Fords, $2.00@2.25 crate; Idaho, $1.00; watermelons, $5.00@20.00 per hundred; Iowa, $1.00@2.50 doz.

Vegetables—Green beans, home grown, $1.50@1.60 bu; tomatoes, home grown, $1.00@1.25 bu. Navy beans, $2.10. Cabbage, home grown, 65@80c per cwt. Onions, 40@50c per bushel. Cucumbers, $1.00@1.25 per bu. Egg plant, 60@90c per doz. Summer squash, 40@75c per bu. box. Roasting ears, 10@15c doz. Hubbard squash, $1.00@1.50 doz.

Will Not Do It Again.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Rose Kelly, of 2128 Chestnut street, fell asleep with a cigarette in her mouth, which dropped and set fire to her clothing. Her screams attracted the inmates of the house and the flames were smothered by quilts, but not until after the woman was fatally burned.

To Keep Boys Off the Streets.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 24.—The St. Joseph board of education has opened a night school and all patrolmen have been requested to solicit for it. If any idle boys are found in the streets they will be asked to attend, and if they will not they will be made to stay off the streets.

Fortune Bet on the Election.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 24.—Congressman Joe Bailey, of Texas, has wagered $15,000 against the fine thoroughbred trotting stock of H. L. Asher, of this city (numbering in all 218 animals), that Bryan will defeat McKinley for president.

Lodge Man Charged with Shortage.

Quincy, Ill., Sept. 24.—Frederick W. Thoman, a former alderman and prominent business man, was arrested on account of a shortage of $1,800 in his accounts as recorder of the Select Knights of America.

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GOVERNOR PRO TEM MADE A SENATOR.

Trying Joke of Utah Democrats on Gov. Wells.

HAD GONE FOR ROOSEVELT.

President of the Senate Was Acting Executive.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 20.—While Gov. Wells and Secretary of State Hammond were in Idaho last night to meet Gov. Roosevelt and escort him to this city, Judge O. W. Powers of Salt Lake, a democrat, was appointed United States senator.

The appointment was made by Aquilla Nebeker, president of the senate, who is acting governor.

According to the constitution, it was signed a little while before midnight, at which time the train bearing Gov. Wells was expected to cross the line into Utah. The last legislature was democratic, although the state officers are republicans. There was a bitter fight on the senatorship between A. W. McCune of Salt Lake and Congressman W. H. King. An adjournment was taken without breaking the deadlock. The seat has remained vacant.

The democrats discovered last night they had the acting governor. Mr. Nebeker consulted a lawyer and was told he had power to make the appointment. He accordingly did so. The state seal was locked up and could not be obtained, but Mr. Nebeker's legal advisers maintain his action was valid anyway. The appointment was drawn carefully in legal form, signed and witnessed. A formal acceptance will be filed with the secretary of state.

Stops the Cold and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

BOER ARMY DESTROYED.

This is the Report of Lord Roberts to War Office.

London, Sept. 20.—Lord Roberts cables from Nelspruit on the Pretoria-Delagoa Bay Railroad, not far from Komatipoort, the frontier station, under date of Wednesday, Sept. 19, as follows:

"Of the 3,000 Boers who retreated from Komatipoort before the British advance from Machadodorp, 700 have entered Portugese territory, others have deserted in various directions and the balance are reported to have crossed the Komati river and to be occupying spurs of the Lombobo mountain south of the railway.

A general tumult seems to have occurred when they recognized the hopelessness of their cause. Their long Toms and field guns have been destroyed and nothing is left of the Boer army but a few marauding bands.

Kelly-Kenny is dealing with one of these, which occupies a position at Doornberg."

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Gas Struck at Merwin.

A special to the Kansas City Times says:

"A strong flow of gas was struck at Merwin Thursday afternoon, at a depth of about 200 feet. A company of citizens representing over $500,000 are doing the prospecting and will fully develop and utilize the gas. This is the third strike in that vicinity and fully demonstrates that Merwin is located in the gas belt reaching northwest from Iola, Kan.

Scene in Speer's Vineyards, AT PASSAIC, N. J.

Gathering the Oporto Grape for Port & Burgundy Wine.

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Blood-making Wine.

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The Port Wine is nine years old and the Burgundy, a rich dry wine eight years old.

The Claret equals the finest French product.

Druggists and Grocers Sell it.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bates. } ss.

In the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri in vacation, September 19, 1900. Minnie Smith, plaintiff, vs. Zorester T. Smith, defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein, by her attorney and files her petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things that defendant has absented himself from his usual place of abode in this state so that the ordinary process of law can not be served upon him.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the undersigned clerk, in vacation, that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is to secure from this court a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony contracted and entered into by and between this plaintiff and defendant, and for the care and custody of the infant child born of the marriage of the plaintiff with the defendant and for the restoration of the maiden name of this plaintiff to Minnie Watkins, and that unless the said defendant Zorester T. Smith be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house in the city of Butler, in said county, on the 19th day of November next, and on or before the third day of said term, if the term shall so long continue—and if not, then on or before the last day of said term—answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in THE BUTLER WEEKLY TIMES, a newspaper published in said county of Bates for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next November term of this court.

J. P. THURMAN, Circuit Clerk.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the circuit court of Bates county, this 19th day of September, 1900.

[SEAL.] J. P. THURMAN, Circuit Clerk.

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Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bates. } ss.

In the circuit court of Bates County Missouri, in vacation, August 31, 1900. The state of Missouri at the relation and to the use of A. B. Owen, exofficio collector of the revenue of Bates county in the state of Missouri, plaintiff, vs. The unknown heirs of John B. Robinson, defendants.

Civil action for delinquent taxes.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff by her attorney before the undersigned clerk of the circuit court of Bates County, in the state of Missouri, in vacation and files her petition and affidavit, stating among other things that John B. Robinson is now dead, and that he died seized in fee simple of the lands in the petition described, and that his heirs the defendants herein, are unknown. Whereupon it is ordered by the clerk in vacation that the defendants be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this court by petition and affidavit, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri for the delinquent taxes of the years 1896-98-99-1900, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $7.85 together with interest, costs, commissions, and fees, upon the following described tracts of land situated in Bates County, Missouri to wit: Northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the south half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-four (34) township forty (40) range thirty-three (33), and that unless the said defendants, be and appear at the next term of this court to be begun and holden in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in November 1900 and on or before the third day thereof—if the term shall so long continue—and if not then before the end of said term, and plead to said petition according to law the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered according to the prayer of said petition and the above described real estate sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered by the clerk aforesaid that a copy hereof be published in the BUTLER WEEKLY TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Bates county, Mo., for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of the next term of the circuit court.

A true copy of the record. Witness my hand as clerk aforesaid with the seal of said court hereunto affixed, done at office in Butler on this the 31st day of August, 1900.

[SEAL] J. P. THURMAN, Circuit Clerk.

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In the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri, in vacation, August 31, 1900, the State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of A. B. Owen, e-xofficio collector of the revenue of Bates county in the state of Missouri, plaintiff, vs Reese Thomas, defendant.

Civil action for delinquent taxes

Now at this day comes the plaintiff by her attorney before the undersigned clerk of the Circuit Court of Bates county in the state of Missouri, in vacation, and files her petition and affidavit stating among other things that the above named defendant Reese Thomas, is a non-resident of the state of Missouri: Whereupon it is ordered by the clerk in vacation, that the defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court by petition and affidavit, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri for the delinquent taxes of the year 1898, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of 15c together with interest, costs, commissions and fees, upon the following described tracts of land situated in Bates county, Missouri, to wit: Lot seven (7) in block thirty-six (36) in the town of Walnut, and to enforce the lien of the state of Mo. for the delinquent taxes for the year 1898, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of 15c together with interest, costs, commissions and fees upon the following described real estate situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit: Lot thirteen (13) in block thirty-six (36) in the town of Walnut, and that unless the said defendant be and appear at the next term of this court, to be begun and holden in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in November, 1900, and on or before the third day of said term, if the term shall so long continue—and if not, then before the end of said term—and plead to said petition according to law the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be rendered according to the prayer of said petition and the above described real estate sold to satisfy the same.

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Trustee's Sale.

Wherea, N B McFarland and Maggie McFarland his wife, by their deed of trust dated July 5, 1899, and recorded in the recorder's office within and for Bates county, Missouri, in book No. 157 page 209, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate lying and being situate in the county of Bates and state of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot one in block four in Williams' second addition to the city of Butler, Missouri, except a lot in the southwest corner 50 feet east and west by 132 feet north and south, which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of one certain note fully described in said deed of trust, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, and the same is now past due and unpaid.

Now therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and pursuant to the conditions of said deed of trust, I will proceed to sell the above described premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, county of Bates, and state of Missouri, on

Saturday, October 6, 1900,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose of satisfying said deed, interest and costs.

C. A. ALLEN, Trustee.

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N. B. McFarland has no interest in said property, having sold same to another party who made default as above.