

# MRS. E. SCHADE DIES; STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS

### Mother of W. F. Schade was 78 Years Old—Lived at Frohna.

### WAS ILL BUT TWO DAYS; FUNERAL IS TOMORROW

### Came to America From Austria as Child—4 Sons and a Daughter Survive.

Mrs. Elizabeth Schade, mother of William F. Schade, former sheriff and well-known stock raiser, died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Frohna, Mo., Perry County, where she made her home with a bachelor son, Oswald Schade.

Her death was sudden and it is believed that it resulted from a stroke of paralysis that she suffered Friday morning. She was more than 78 years old.

Mrs. Schade, who was well-known in the northern part of Cape County and in Perry County, had been in good health until within a few days ago. Thursday she was up and doing all the housework at the home in which she and her son resided.

Friday, Oswald said, she became slightly ill and determined to take some medicine as a home remedy. A short time after she had become ill, she suffered the paralytic stroke. Her entire left side was rendered useless and she was confined to bed.

Dr. Palisch of Perryville was summoned and he worked in an endeavor to restore her health. She kept sinking, however, from the time of the stroke, and the end came yesterday afternoon.

She is survived by four sons and a daughter; Conrad Schade, of Jackson; William F. Schade, Bruno Schade, Oswald Schade, a saloon man at Frohna, and Mrs. Mary Engert, of Jackson.

Her husband has been dead for about 41 years, and another daughter died about two years ago. A sister, likewise, died but a short time ago.

Arrangements for the funeral were made yesterday. With the exception of W. F. Schade all children were at the bedside when she died. W. F. Schade was at Sikeston attending the fair where he exhibited some livestock. He arrived home last night. The funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home at Frohna. Burial will be in a cemetery near Altenburg.

Mrs. Schade was born in Austria, and she came to America with her parents when she was about 12 years old. She first lived in Illinois, and a short time after the arrival of the family in this part of the country, they remove to Perry County where she lived most of her life.

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# "DOC" BLACKFORD SMASHES KNUCKLE

### Auto Engine Back-Fires and Raps Drug Salesman on Back of Mitt.

Doc Blackford, well-known druggist salesman who was mentioned last summer by many of his friends as congressional timber, arrived in the Cape yesterday with his right hand bandaged in splints. The knuckle of his right hand was smashed when the motor of his engine back-fired and the crank struck the back of his hand.

The accident to Blackford occurred at New Madrid last Monday afternoon. Mr. Blackford had left his machine standing in the road while he got out to make a sale. When he left the machine, he left the spark in the wrong position.

When he returned to the machine to crank it, he seized the crank with his right hand and gave a tug. As soon as he had put his strength against the crank and started it around, he realized that he had left the spark in the wrong position, and last night as he told of the accident, he said he tried his best to let go of the crank.

He said that he knew the engine was going to back-fire and tried to get his hand out of the way. He was an inch too late, for he had raised his hand just far enough to catch the crank with his knuckles as it whirled around. Had he gotten his hand raised another inch, he said, he would have escaped injury.

Mr. Blackford has had the knuckle examined and dressed by three physicians since it was smashed and now is carrying the middle finger and hand in splints.

He expects to depart from the Cape on a two weeks' road trip and probably will be accompanied by Joe Moore of the St. Charles Hotel, who will act as his secretary. Blackford is unable to write.

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# Overstolz's Zoo Is Being Eaten Up By a Big Fox

### Judge Hay's Contribution to Wild Animal Home Consumes Prairie Dog and Squirrel, Ten Years Old.

A large red fox, presented to the Overstolz zoo on South Middle street, last week by Judge Edward D. Hays, is rapidly consuming the zoo.

Old Br'er fox developed cannibalistic tendencies a few nights ago, seized a Kansas prairie dog and consumed it before help could reach the little rodent.

C. H. Overstolz, owner of the animals, was awakened during the night by the prairie dog's calls for help. Mr. Overstolz raised a window and requested the fox to behave. The noise was heard no more that night, and it was supposed that reynard had quit molesting its neighbors.

The following morning, when the keeper went to the cages to feed the animals, he noticed a ball of hair in the center of the cage, and upon investigation, learned that it was the remains of the prairie dog.

Friday night there was a commotion in the zoo that aroused the neighborhood. A series of piteous wails penetrated the midnight air, and people rushed to the windows. After a short silence there was another scream, and then the noise subsided.

When the keeper went to the cage yesterday morning to learn the cause of the trouble of the night before, a lone squirrel's tail lay on the bottom of the cage. A large fox squirrel, ten years of age, had been consumed.

Among the animals occupying the cage with the fox were removed yesterday, except Stanley, the possum. Stanley is so vicious that he cannot be handled, and if a tragedy befalls him, the possum will have only himself to blame.

Mr. Overstolz yesterday began a quiet investigation to ascertain the previous reputation of the fox. He believes Judge Hays has presented him with a wolf disguised as a fox.

# NEGRO SAYS HE LAID PLANS TO KILL DAUES

### Went to Former Cape Man's Office With Revolver—Couldn't Find Him.

St. Louis, Sept. 21.—Louis Graves of Jefferson City, a well-educated negro, held by the police on a forgery charge, told reporters today that he had planned to kill City Counselor Dues and to rob W. D. Vandiver, assistant United States Treasurer in charge of the St. Louis Subtreasury. He said he went to Dues' office in the City Hall last Friday, carrying a loaded revolver, and sat there for a half hour waiting for Dues to return from a conference with Mayor Kiel. He then decided to postpone the killing and went away without seeing Dues.

He went the next day to Vandiver's office, he said, again carrying his revolver, and intending to force Vandiver to sign a check for a large amount. Vandiver, whom he used to know in Southeast Missouri, talked to him in a friendly manner and gave him a quarter and he decided to defer his demand. However, he admits that he himself signed Vandiver's name to a check for \$32, which he attempted to pass, this attempt causing his arrest. He signed Otto Stifel's name to another check, which was in his pocket when he was arrested.

Graves was sent to the penitentiary 10 years ago for forgery, after he had jumped from the third tier of cells in the old City Hall, fracturing his skull. Gov. Hadley later paroled him, and he married a Jefferson City negress who had considerable property. He has roomed for the last two weeks at 3328 Lawton avenue. His grudge against Dues, he said, dates from the time when Dues, as a lawyer in Cape Girardeau, procured a divorce for Graves' first wife. He pleads temporary insanity, the result of the old injury to his head, as an explanation of his recent acts.

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# Early Winter Is Foretold As The Snipe Go South

### Birds Start for Dixie on the First Day of Indian Summer—Frosts Also Bear Out Winter Prediction.

Snipe passed over Cape Girardeau in great flocks last night on their way from the nesting grounds in the Saskatchewan country to the Southern States where they will spend the winter.

According to old residents of the Cape, the snipe do not usually go south so early, leaving after the forest trees in this section have shed their leaves and light frozes give the north the first touch of winter. Their departure is taken to indicate an early autumn. The snipe were dazed by the electric street lights as they passed over. Several birds strayed from their courses and lost their way. They fluttered about on Main street for several minutes before regaining their bearings.

Yesterday was the first day of Indian Summer, according to the almanac. This is regarded as the poetic season of the year. It is the time when the forest trees take on the colors of the rainbow. The air, made crisp by the first frosts, is supposed to possess an ozone as bracing as wine.

Indian Summer in this locality occasionally lasts until the early part of November, but it frequently turns into real fall or early winter weather the latter part of October. As two light frosts have been reported in this county during the past week, it is expected that the leaves on the forest trees will begin to take on their brilliant colors within a short time.

Saturday will be known as "Herbst Anfang," which means the beginning of autumn. Judge Willer possesses a German calendar of events and holidays in Europe.

# BOYS PLAY SNAKE HOAX ON TALLEY

### Patrolman Battles Reptile on Sidewalk and Find Piece of Rag.

Patrolman George Talley of the Broadway beat last night exercised his courage and skill as a snake killer. He put a dent in his club by slaughtering a bit of black rag that had been drawn across the sidewalk by boys on his beat who played a hoax on passersby. Talley was induced to attack the erod it and fled precipitately for the "snake" by two men who first encountered a policeman.

The apparition started to wriggle itself across the walk on Sprigg street Broadway. The object was making in front of the Hunze residence near good headway when the two men near-exclamations of horror, ran up the middle of the street.

They took Talley back and the officer approached, using all the precautions of an experienced woodsman. He had his club firmly grasped in his hand ready for instant action. The snake played dead as he approached, thus allowing the patrolman to get close upon him for an examination before the killing commenced.

Talley's eyes are those of an expert squirrel shot and as he got close upon the apparition upon the sidewalk, he saw the black thread that furnished the life of the snake. His two companions heaved sighs of relief when the patrolman announced to them that instead of having endangered their lives, they simply had been hoaxed and simultaneously, the small boys who had been in hiding and who had manipulated the "snake" broke up the party with their shouts of derision.

# TWO CHILDREN DIE

The funeral of William A. Wright, 15-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wright of Smelterville, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The child had been ill for several days and died at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the family home in Smelterville.

The body of Dorothy Marie Elmore, a daughter of Rexford Elmore of 250 Good Hope street, was shipped to Bloomfield yesterday where the funeral will be held today.

The child died at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning and was one month and 15 days old.

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# ANDERSON MAY APPEAL PAVING INJUNCTION SUIT

### Judge Snider Dissolves Writ Restraining Impovement of Fountain St.

### LOEFFEL ASKS COURT FOR \$500 DAMAGES

### Englemann Wins Land Suit over Amelunke—Lessly Edson Trial on.

After Judge John A. Snider yesterday dissolved a temporary writ of injunction issued to restrain Herman Loeffel and the city from doing paving work on North Fountain street, Edward L. Drum, attorney for "Josh" Anderson, filed a motion for a new trial, and announced that unless some agreement is reached, the case will be appealed.

As soon as the injunction had been dissolved by the court, Judge Edward D. Hays filed a motion asking for \$500 damages for Mr. Loeffel, the bond of Mr. Anderson to be held on the motion.

The case centered upon a difference in two surveys made on North Fountain street in connection with the street paving being done. Anderson claimed that the city's survey made an aggression of from two to eight feet upon his land on the eastern side of Fountain street for a distance of two blocks north of the cemetery.

Before the Loeffel-Anderson case was completed, Judge Frank Kelly occupied the bench and a jury returned a verdict giving C. J. and J. A. Englemann a judgment for \$1197.56 from Henry M. Amelunke in a suit involving the sale of a farm in Mississippi. The three men reside in Cape County and Amelunke sold the Englemanns the farm for \$7000.

Through an unaccountable reason the Englemanns were called upon to pay twice for a part of the farm and they sued to recover. The suit was filed last February.

A third case was taken up before Judge Snider yesterday afternoon when the jury was drawn and testimony started in a suit involving a question of title to a farm in the west end of the county. The fight is between J. M. Lessley and S. P. Edson. The case was started before the following jury: Oswald Hartling, John Schneider, Henry Gockel, G. R. Davis, Julius Jahn, William F. Koerber, Joseph Siemers, A. J. Masters, Henry Kelpo, Leo Saupe, A. G. Landgraf and Charles Wise.

Mr. Lessley was one of the most important witnesses who were examined yesterday afternoon.

# MRS. BEN EGGIMANN DIES IN ST. LOUIS

### Lived in Cape—Sister of W. C. Bergmann—Funeral Yesterday.

Friends of Mrs. Matilda Eggiman, a member of a prominent Cape County family and a sister of W. C. Bergmann, yesterday learned of her death late last Friday night at her home in St. Louis.

Mr. Bergmann, Alvin Bergmann, a nephew, and Mrs. Robert Vogelsang, a niece, went to St. Louis where they attended the funeral which was held yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Eggimann was 78 years old. She died while in bed Friday night and it was not until members of her family went to her room the following Saturday morning that they discovered her death. She had been suffering for the last seven or eight years with a cancer of the breast and that is believed to have been the cause of her death.

Mrs. Eggimann, until about two years ago, lived in the Cape, when she went to St. Louis to make her home with a daughter, Mrs. Annie Mahneke, where she died.

She was married twice, her first husband being Charles Burches. Her son, Charles Burches, killed himself about two years ago. Her second husband, the late Ben Eggimann, was prominent here and he has been dead for several years.

After the funeral services had been held yesterday the body was cremated at the Missouri Crematory in St. Louis.

# ALTERED INTAKE TO SOLVE CAPE WATER PROBLEM

### Engineers Will Confer Today on Modified Scheme of Hugo Wurdack's.

### RIVER IS NEVER LOW ENOUGH FOR WORK

### Well on Bank Circumvents Difficulty in Middle of Stream.

An engineering conference which will seek to agree upon altered plans for a new water intake for the Cape water supply will be held at the office of the Public Utilities Company today, when the water and light company, the Missouri Public Service Commission and the city will be represented.

An alteration in the plans for the water intake has been prompted, by the fact that it has been impossible to install the crib that was planned and made a part of the franchise about two years ago.

The scheme that has been evolved by the engineers for the utilities company gets at the same result, it is said, by means of a different manner of water intake.

At the conference today, Paul Bayliss, assistant engineer for the Public Service Commission, will represent that body, Mr. Billings, chief engineer for the Missouri Light & Development Co., will represent the local water and light company, and it is probable that Major Brooks will represent the Cape.

Under the scheme for a new water intake crib, a pipeline was to lead diagonally across the river and to the northeast of the present pumping station to a regular crib sunk to the bed of the river and in the center of the stream.

At the lowest water level so far recorded, contractors who have viewed the situation for the utilities company, have pronounced the job impossible of attainment, Manager A. M. Tinsley said last night. It would be necessary to sink the crib about 30 feet in the middle of the river.

Hugo Wurdack, president of the Light & Development Co., and his engineers now have proposed to the Public Service Commission a plan for extending a pipeline along the bank of the river north from the powerhouse for about 400 feet. At that point a well 15 feet in diameter and about 35 feet in depth would be sunk.

Then a pipeline water intake would be run to the center of the stream from that point, which would conduct water from the middle of the river and from a portion not touched by Sloan's Creek, to the first well, whence it would be pumped to the plant building south of Sloan's Creek.

There it would be prepared for distribution over the city in the same manner as is now done.

The altered plans have been submitted to the commission and today an examination of the scene probably will be made by Engineer Bayliss who may make recommendations that will lead to the permanent settlement of the Cape's water supply problem.

Construction of the crib in the middle of the river is a highly expensive piece of work as compared with the plans now suggested, and in addition, to that fact, the Cape has been forced to wait for two years for a low river stage so that work in the middle of the river could be carried on. The new scheme could be carried out at once.

# BLOMEYER WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

### Mrs. Maude V. Walters Had Blood Poisoning For Several Days.

Mrs. Maude V. Walters, wife of a farmer, Jake Walter, well-known on the East Side, died at her home near Blomeyer late yesterday afternoon after an illness of several days.

The Walters family formerly lived near McClure and recently moved to a farm one mile west of Blomeyer. Mrs. Walters was 32 years old. Blood poisoning was the cause of her death.

The funeral will be held Thursday when burial will be in the Lenze Cemetery near Thebes. Al Brinkopf and Henry Kimmich last night drove to the Walters family near Blomeyer to embalm the body and prepare it to be shipped to Thebes today.

Mrs. Walters is survived by her husband and three small children. She recently gave birth to a baby.

# SALE OF BREEDING STOCK IS POSTPONED

### Pure Beef Men Decide Not to Stage Public Action Next October.

### C. M. McWilliams, County Agent.

Last Saturday the Cape County Breeders of Pure Bred Beef Cattle met at Jackson to decide on several questions that were before the association. At their June meeting it was decided to hold a public sale of breeding stock in October. The members all declared themselves in favor of this plan but stated that their animals had found such a ready demand at private sale that there was very few animals really for sale at present. A vote was taken and it was decided to defer the sale to some future time, the date to be decided later.

Secretary Wash Miller of Oak Ridge has recently visited well-known herds in Iowa and Illinois and gave an interesting account of his trip. Mr. Miller says that cattle of good breeding and individuality are in good demand and selling readily for good prices.

The breeders present stated that a great bulk of business was local and it is fortunate that this is true. The effect of good blood, particularly, the sire has been fully demonstrated so often that the results are well known. It surely is a favorable condition of affairs when practically all the breeders of pure-bred beef cattle in the county report that they are unable to supply the local demand that comes to them. It means that our local cattle are being rapidly improved and that the farmers and stockmen are finding that it pays to use good blood.

Two new members were added to the roll, and after passing favorably on a motion to assist in making the livestock show at Jackson next month a success, the meeting adjourned to meet again in January.

Seed Corn Selection—Right now and during the first half of October is an ideal time to select next year's corn. Selection from the standing stalk means that you have an opportunity to inspect the parent of the corn. A stalky stalk with short spaces between the joints and with broad leaves is a better feeder and a better producer than the opposite type. The position of the ear and whether or not it bends downward in order to shed water may also be noted. In short, an accurate idea of producing power of corn may be had if the parent stalk is studied and a few hours devoted to seed selection will unquestionably yield larger returns if the work is intelligently done.

Appleton Show! October 13-14.—The dates for the Appleton corn and livestock show have been set for Friday and Saturday, October 13-14. This exhibit has been held for a number of years, starting from a very small beginning; it is now a well-known event that is annually looked forward to. Incidentally the Appleton exhibition has been helpful to the livestock and farming interests of the community. This year the agricultural products and the show rings will be up to previous standards and the promoters hope to exceed previous records.

# DEMOCRATS FILL TICKET AT JACKSON

### Guy Wilkinson to Run for Treasurer and Lewis Hitt for Judge.

Guy Wilkinson, a farmer who lives a short distance west of Jackson in Byrd township, yesterday was placed upon the Democratic ticket as a candidate for treasurer, at a meeting of the Democratic County Committee at Jackson.

Wilkinson will be a candidate in opposition to J. H. C. Kerstner of Jackson. He is inexperienced in politics but has a wide acquaintance in the vicinity of Jackson.

The County Committee also filed the vacancy in the candidacy for County Judge in the Second District by nominating Lewis Hitt, a member of the well-known Hitt family of Cape County.

Hitt lives on a farm west of the Cape and in Cape township. He is a son of the Hitt who was president of the former Cape-Jackson Gravel Road Corporation.

Members of the committee yesterday were met by W. C. Mabrey, a representative of the Democratic State Committee, who made the final arrangements for the erection of the Democratic tent at Jackson for a mass meeting on October 3.

Ben Vinyard, committeeman from the Cape, did not attend the session. He authorized H. E. Alexander to represent him at the meeting.