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Time Table.

ST. L. I. M. & S. RAILWAY.
Trains pass Lutesville—going North.
Full Mail 12:40 p. m.
Local Freight 12:35 p. m.
Going South,
Local Freight, 2:05 p. m.
Full Mail 2:30 p. m.
Local Freight, 2:55 p. m.
W. E. DICKEY Agent.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

U. S. Senators, Geo. G. Vest and Francis Cockrell.
Representative in Congress, 14 District, Hon. Marshall Arnold.
State Senator, Jasper N. Burks.
Representative, J. M. Zimmerman.

County Officers.

Prosecuting Attorney, C. P. Caldwell.
Circuit Clerk & Recorder, Henry M. Smith.
County Clerk, F. M. Wells.
Sheriff, John Huskey.
Collector, W. A. Dunn.
Treasurer, Robert Drum.
Assessor, M. H. Williams.
Surveyor, John Kelly.
School Commissioner, W. A. Dunn.
Public Administrator, J. H. Welch.
Coroner, Louis Mayer.

CIRCUIT COURT.

J. D. Fox, Judge, regular terms, 2nd Monday in March and September.

COUNTY COURT.

D. B. Hill, Presiding Judge, J. P. E. Austin and John Miller, Associates.
Regular terms, 2nd Monday in February, May, August and November.

PROBATE COURT.

Jasper Frymore, Judge, regular terms, 2d Monday in February, May, August and November.

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services as follows: Preaching every fourth Sunday and Saturday before. Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m. J. W. Revelle, Sup't. B. L. Bowman, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—

Preaching every 2d Sunday and Saturday night before in each month. Sunday School at 9 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—

Preaching on the Sunday in each month. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY

Meets every Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church in Marble Hill.

TROWELL LODGE No. 440, A. F. & A. M.

Meets at their hall in Lutesville on Friday night on or before each full moon. Transient brethren cordially invited. Robert Fisher, W. M. A. R. Jaques, Secretary.

MARBLE HILL LODGE No. 298, A. F. & A. M.

Meets Saturday night on or before each full moon at their hall in Marble Hill. Chas. Snyder, W. M. B. L. Bowman, Sec'y.

MARBLE HILL LODGE No. 440, I. O. O. F.

Meets regularly at their hall in Marble Hill on the 2nd and 4th Friday nights in each month. A. Sander, N. G.

SEDEWICKVILLE LODGE No. 426, A. F. & A. M.

Meets Saturday night on or before each full moon, and two weeks after. Visiting brethren cordially invited. D. B. Hill, W. M. W. D. Lumborg, Sec'y.

G. A. R. Post No. 100

Meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at hall in Marble Hill at 10 a. m. Lindsay Murdoch, Commander.

LUTESVILLE LODGE A. O. U. W. No. 429

Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. W. B. Burkett, W. M. W. A. Phelps, Recorder.

LUTESVILLE LODGE No. 385, I. O. O. F.

Meets on the 1st and 3d Saturday nights of each month. W. E. Dickey, N. G. D. W. Lutes Sec'y.

Latest and Best.

ROBERT WINTER, Practical Boot and Shoe Maker, Marble Hill, Mo. I am now prepared to do all kinds of work in my line, of the latest styles and best workmanship. All work guaranteed first-class. Your orders are earnestly solicited. 427 Shop in Rock House. ap4-'89

T. T. BEACH.

Barber and Hair-dresser.

Lutesville, Missouri. Also keeps a full stock of city and home-made collars. Also I. D. Beach's make of walnut CASKETS which have no equal. Gloss-white cases for children. Cloth-covered collars at very low prices. Trimmings of all kinds. When you want any thing in my line call and examine my goods and prices. Any goods not in stock will be ordered TELEGRAM. v10-15

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the co partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of A. Mayer & Co., was, on the first day of March, 1891, dissolved by mutual consent. A. Mayer continues the business at the old stand and assumes all debts and responsibilities. Also all debts owing to said firm shall be paid to A. Mayer. JAMES M. COVER. 10 43-4] A. MAYER.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

—For easter bonnets go to Mrs. Biggs'.

—Mr. Lindsay Walkins, is spending a few days in town.

—Leave your order with A. & E. Miller for Bread. They have lots of it.

—W. F. Kinder is making some repairs on the inside of his residence.

—This year's northern garden seed at Jesse H. Lutes' restaurant, Lutesville.

—Mrs. Grantham has sold her town property to Mrs. Mary B. Smith for \$75.

—This paper and the "twice-a-week" Republic for \$1.70 a year. Cash in advance.

—You can get the Press and the "twice-a-week" Republic for \$1.70 a year. Cash in advance.

—You are sure to find just what you want at Erich O. Sander's jewelry and notion store.

—When your cattle are found eating bones, wood, etc., attend to the digestion at once. It is disordered.

—Jesse Lutes has opened a saddlery and harness shop in the rear of his restaurant in Lutesville.

—Erich Sander solicits a liberal share of your patronage. He has got jewelry, notions, etc., at all prices.

—Prosecuting Attorney Caldwell and Hon. Moses Whybark are attending court at Fredericktown this week.

—Send us the cash or a card if you wish your paper continued after the time paid for expires.

—For novelty bonnet shapes, colorlets, conformations, wreaths and fine flowers of all kinds go to Mrs. Biggs.

—When you hear a man proclaiming that "every man has his price," you can safely conclude that he is one of them.

—Get your Photo's of A. & E. Miller now while you have a chance. The photographer will quit in a few days till spring.

—If you gave the boy a calf last year, don't be looking about for a purchaser for the yearling. It's the boy's yearling.

—Mrs. Biggs has a very large stock of new hats and trimmings which she will sell cheaper than they can be sold elsewhere.

—Dr. Witmer, expects to attend the Madison county circuit court, for the purpose of hearing the Gray poisoning case.

—Sheriff Hoskey and Miss Eva Thornburgh were sure enough married last week and they left Monday on a honey moon trip.

—Blinding twine does not make good plow gears. Go to Jesse H. Lutes' harness shop, Lutesville and have your gears fixed in tip top-shape. Cheap for cash.

—Every kind word you speak to an animal and every kind act you show it, is in the direction of making it a more profitable animal. It is easy to increase your profits.

—Toilet articles, the most useful, perfumery as sweet smelling as the gardens of the Sultan, notions for ornaments, articles for use, all at Erich O. Sander's store, Marble Hill.

—Come and see our line of new dress goods. Something new under the sun.

O. J. SNIDER & Co., Lutesville.

—On Monday evening April the 6th the G. A. R. posts all over the Union will have services celebrating the quarter centennial of its existence. The public will be invited to be present.

—Don't wait for the leather wood and hickory to peel, but come right to Jesse Lutes' saddlery shop in Lutesville and buy what new harness you need. Bring the old harness along and have them repaired at once.

—Goshen, Ind., March 18.—Miss Mary E. Dewey, a well-to-do spinster of this city, who moved here from Canton, O., 12 years ago and has since moved in the best society, has applied for a pension, claiming that she served as a man throughout the war in the Twenty-sixth Ohio volunteers, under the alias of C. Dewey, and that during an engagement she received a gunshot wound in the left leg, which forms the basis of her claim. The proofs she brings forward are genuine and convincing.

—The "lone fisherman" will soon reap his harvest.

—Wayne county has four candidates for school commissioner, one of them a lady, Mrs. Ellen H. Grisham.

—Marriage license.—R. M. Abernathy to Emily P. Myers; John McCoy to Elizabeth Dill; E. G. Upchurch to Martha Wallis.

—A free fight over ten cents resulted in the death of one negro and the arrest of the others, charged with the killing, in New Madrid on the 17th inst. The affair happened at a negro gambling den.

—And now our sister county of Madison enters the ring with a lady candidate for School Commissioner, Miss Glaves is her name. Butler Co. also comes out with the name of Miss Mary Hills, asking for the office in that county.

—Miss Susie P. Watts, a daughter of the late Rev. H. S. Watts, whom every old citizen of Southeast Missouri will remember as "Rough and Ready," has announced herself as a candidate for School Commissioner in St. Francis county.

—If you happen to notice that fine new watch sign hanging over the door of the "old hotel," just walk right in and you will be delighted at the display of watches, clocks, spectacles, fine jewelry and just the neatest daintiest stationery. Oh, my! Go and see.

—Under the supervision of Miss J. R. Park there was organized at the Academy on last Friday evening a society of young ladies and gentlemen, called the "Chataqua Society." The object of the meetings are mutual improvement in the knowledge of the great poets.

—The case of the saloon keepers vs. the crusaders—that is to say, the ladies and their supporters who broke up the saloons in Luthrop over a year ago—was tried in Liberty, Mo., last week. The jury was out two hours and returned a verdict for all the defendants.

—The fronton Register is responsible for the story that in a graveyard at Belgrade there is a tombstone with the following inscription on it: "Mary, an infant here at rest, with her head on Abraham's breast. It is nice for Mary Ann, but rather tough on Abraham"

—Witnesses before the grand jury.—Henry Killian, Sidney Johnson, George B. Myers, W. L. Dellinger, L. B. Adams, John W. Null, E. P. Propst, I. S. Viden, Jesse Cook, Marnel Cook, Robert Edwards, P. S. Vigen, Lourencia Bidwell, Charles Bidwell, Henry George, Pres Miller, J. M. Criles, S. P. Presnell, E. P. Starrock, Ransom Habs, Wm. McCormack, Sheridan Casinger, Philip Shell, John Harris (Sr.), William H. H. H. H.

—At last the much-mooted question of the half mile distance from the corporate limits of Lutesville towards, and into, the town of Marble Hill has been settled, Monday the County Surveyor struck out from Lutesville with chain and compass bound in a bee line for the county seat, and finished up the half mile string when within about fifteen feet of Thomas Fretters' stable. So another war cloud has been dispelled and the "goose hangs high."

—Safe blowers have been "getting in their work" in Poplar Bluff. The safe of the "Senate saloon" was opened, the crackers securing \$180.95 in checks, which they threw away, and \$159.50 in cash and a gold watch and chain valued at \$175, besides damaging the safe and plate glass front to the amount of \$200. No arrests. The safe of Thos. Sticks of Clarkton was blown open the Friday before the burglary at the Bluff. Fifty dollars was secured by the thieves.

—Farmers are getting ready to sow oats.

R. L. Mayfield is moving to his farm on the Hurricane.

Those who have sugar orchards are filling their cans with maple syrup for summer use.

Miss Surilda Douglas has come home from Scott county, where she has been for some time past.

Assessor M. H. Williams got kicked last Sunday by a colt belonging to J. J. Mayfield, and hurt severely.

A Small Boy.

From Lufkin.

Next Sunday is Easter Sunday.

Farms are all busy plowing for oats.

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Judge Miller made a flying trip to the Cape one day last week on business.

We are having some very nice weather at this writing. Hope it may continue.

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LUTESVILLE LOCALS.

O. J. Snider returned from St. Louis Friday.

Wm. Shell and family have moved to town.

W. H. James went to St. Louis last week to work.

Wm. Wadkins is confined to his bed with fever.

Mrs. Wolf has moved into the Robertson property.

Miss Rachel Robins left Monday for Cape Girardeau.

W. W. Sample was in St. Louis last week on business.

W. E. Miller is still confined to his room with a sore throat.

Peter Bess and family have moved into the Lutes property.

E. Trautwein left Monday for Maryland where he is thinking of locating.

J. H. Lutes has started a sadlery shop in the back part of his restaurant.

—Examine and try the bisell chilled plow sold by J. B. Thompson, Lutesville.

J. E. Lutes is having a two story dwelling built on his land opposite the station.

Rev. S. P. Smith, editor of the Southeast Baptist of Cape Girardeau, was in our town Monday.

Wm. Smith, who has been confined to his room for the past two months, is once more able to be on our streets.

Mrs. J. C. and Mrs. Mollie Wann have both been confined to their rooms for the past ten days with sickness.

Jessie Bahn (Jr.) is lying very low with an old chronic trouble with but very little hopes of his recovery, so we are informed.

R. H. Young and family have moved back to old Bollinger county. He has rented the Geo. Meyer farm two miles south of Lutesville.

—If the bisell plow does not work to your satisfaction just send notice to the dealer from whom you bought. Buy from J. B. Thompson of Lutesville.

—A generous soil awaits the tilling to return a fruitful abundance. The thrifty farmer will not fail to examine the bisell chilled plow. For sale by J. B. Thompson, Lutesville.

—The average citizen firmly believes that he has a legal right to shoot any one discovered robbing his hen house or clothes line, says the Detroit Free Press, but in the last year five citizens of different States have been sent to prison for hanging away at such visitors. They are not shootable offenses in any State.

—Friday last the public school at this place closed. The teachers, J. W. Revelle, principal, and Miss Rachel Robins, assistant, gave satisfaction so far as we know. We learn that the teachers "set 'em up" to candy and oranges to the student on the last day. J. W. Revelle has taught two terms in succession in this town and will probably be employed for another term if he will accept it. This was Miss Robins first term here. They are both experienced educators.

From Mayfield.

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Desperate Negroes.

Gaineville, Tex., March 13.—The cold weather is driving the negroes out of Oklahoma and they are coming South by scores, several squads having arrived here this week. They are the immigrants who were recently imported into Oklahoma from Arkansas and Texas by the negro McCabe of Guthrie, who is fathering the negro exodus to the country.

The fleeing negroes are very indignant at the manner in which they have been imposed upon by McCabe and his agents and they say those who are unable to leave that country are going to call upon McCabe for assistance to keep them until they can make a crop. In case he refuses them mob violence is feared for him and the clique which assisted him in getting the negroes to leave good homes and go to the country and starve.

Rev. H. F. Tong Dead.

An old friend of the people was laid to rest in the Marble Hill cemetery on the 24th inst. We refer to Rev. H. F. Tong, a man who for forty years had given his best efforts for the advancement of Southeast Missouri, and especially endeared himself to our people by his unselfish work in behalf of the Mayfield Smith Academy.

C. B. Louis, better known as "M. Quad" will leave the Detroit Free Press, on which he has been receiving for many years the sum of \$150, per week for his services, on the first day of May. He will then take a position on the New York World, with a salary of \$15,000 per year.

Circuit Court.

Below we give to our readers the proceeding of the March term, 1891, of the Bollinger County Circuit Court.

State vs. Douglas Casey, concealed weapons, guilty, fine assessed at \$50.

State vs. indictment No. 68, concealed weapons, alias capias.—continued.

State vs. John Hartle, concealed weapons, alias capias, continued.

State vs. Holland, concealed weapons, continued at defendant's cost.

State vs. Thomas Tippet et al., wheel of fortune, continued on demurrer.

State vs. Jack Harman, selling liquor without license, dismissed by state.

State vs. Wm. Watson, same charge, continued.

State vs. H. F. Kinder illegal charges, dismissed.

State vs. Luke Thomas, selling liquor without license, state enters nolle prosequo.

State vs. indictment No. 97, concealed weapons, alias capias and continued.

State vs. indictment No. 98, selling liquor without license, continued at cost of defendant.

State vs. indictment No. 99, escaping from officer, dismissed.

State vs. indictment No. 100, wheel of fortune, continued, generally.

State vs. indictment No. 102, selling liquor without license, continued at defendant's cost.

State vs. indictment No. 103, concealed weapons, alias capias and continued.

State vs. Charles Whet et al. petit larceny, continued generally.

State vs. Henry B. Whitener, obstructing public road, dismissed.

State vs. James H. Portes, concealed weapons, plea of guilty and sentenced to five days imprisonment.

State vs. Wiley Davaat, maliciously wounding a cow, demurrer sustained.

State vs. Phillip D. Whitener, selling liquor without license, guilty and fined \$5.

State vs. same, same charge, dismissed.

State vs. indictment No. 114, discharging fire arms near courthouse and carrying deadly weapons when intoxicated, plea of guilty as to first and a fine of \$5 and dismissed as to second.

State vs. indictment No. 115, illegal charges, demurrer sustained.

State vs. indictment No. 116, false affidavit, demurrer sustained.

Same vs. John Cash, perjury, nolle prosequo entered.

B. F. Stabler assigned estate of, assignment, proof of publication and settlement approved.

Peter M. Eaker vs. Henry Galas, slander, dismissed.

John W. Hampton vs. Marion Hampton et al., partition, continued.

Geo. E. Statter, assignor, assignment, John W. Revelle, assignee, statement of approval.

School dist. No. 1 & vs. E. P. Kenick, to condemn schoolhouse, ordered that commissioners be appointed.

Bollinger Co. vs. Samuel McDowell, ejectment, continued at defendant's cost.

Leo. Doyle vs. Andrew J. Heaton, ejectment, continued.

Carre Hale vs. Geo. Hale, decree for divorce and name changed to maiden name.

James Sheets vs. Nathan Lloyd (Jr.), ejectment, continued.

James M. Sheets vs. Nathan Lloyd (Jr.), ejectment, continued.

Fletcher Hoover et al vs. Nathan Lloyd, replevin, continued.

Wilson M. Biffle vs. David Puitum, ejectment, judgment for plaintiff and let damages.

Minnie James et al vs. Henry C. Scholl et al., partition, continued.

Barbara Brigman vs. William Brigman, divorce, continued.

Kate Hillemann vs. John Hillemann, divorce, decree of divorce and name change to Kate Sanders.

Bollinger Co. vs. M. A. Hahn et al. S. F. bond, judgment by default for \$48.49, against M. A. Hahn et al.

Bollinger Co. vs. John F. Gordon et al., school fund bond, judgment by default for \$165.21 against defendant.

Same vs. T. J. Gaecher et al., school fund bond continued.

Cynthia Jane Bailey, vs. T. H. Bailey, divorce, granted.

Olie Meeks vs. S. H. Meeks, divorce, continued.

Bollinger Co. vs. Henry Berry et al., judgment by default for \$212.39.

Eli H. Deek vs. St. L. V. & S. Ry. Co., damages for killing stock, judgment by consent for \$10.

C. W. Hunter vs. F. J. Shorb, action on a note, judgment for plaintiff for \$968.89.

Frederick F. Bangert et al. vs. Louisa Yamnitz, partition, decree of partition as prayed for.

Geo. F. Litman B. & Co vs. A. S. Trickett, bill in equity, continued.

OBITUARY.

Died.—Bowman, Claude W., son of Chas. C. and Mattie Bowman of Marquette, Mo., on Thursday, March 12th, 1891, aged 3 years, 6 months and a few days.

The funeral of the little one took place about three o'clock p. m., Friday, the 14th inst., at the Whiteier cemetery near Marquette. The loved form was accompanied to its last resting place by a large number of relatives, friends and neighbors, who had known little prattling giggles Claude in health and beauty, and paid the last tribute—a silent tear—that can only be paid to the loved and lost on earth. And so Mother Earth pillows in her bosom one of the fairest of those whom Christ paid, "suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

"How sleep'st well" in that silent city—of the dead.

"Sleep little Claude, sleep. Thy childish prattling is over. Thy voice to us is dead. We no more shall hear. Thy loved form see no more.

"Sleep here and thou shalt sleep, beneath the quiet and. In faith and hope and prayer, and with full many a tear, We also sleep up to God."

Funeral services and music by the choir.

State vs. indictment No. 117, false affidavit, demurrer sustained.