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LOCAL AND GENERAL

—Nuts are ripe.
—Isn't this Indian Summer?
—Cora gathering has begun.
—Green peaches bring a good price.
—It's time for nut-hunting parties.
—Go to Drums for furniture and boy's wagons.
—Green apples are selling at 25 cents per bushel.
—W. P. McCans left for Charleston Monday.
—George F. Kurze was at the Cape fair last week.
—The cigarette manufacturer's have formed a trust.
—Drum's is headquarters for Queensware and Tinware.
—Marriage license—A. V. Gromer to Susan E. Yount.
—Earnest Wells, son of J. T. Wells, has pneumonia fever.
—Miss Mollie Fisher went to Zalma Wednesday on a visit.
—Frank Hahn and wife returned from Texas yesterday.
—A good many people in town Saturday—more than usual.
—Five pounds of good Rio coffee for \$1 at O. J. Snider & Co.
—School teachers' stationery supplies can be had at this office.
—Butter milk is highly recommended as a cure for bright's disease.
—Mrs. Sophia Snider sold her personal property at auction Saturday.
—A full line of the adopted school books for sale at O. J. Snider & Co.
—Miss Flora Frymire is visiting Miss Daisy Coen of Fredericktown.
—Drum's is the place to buy your clothing and gent's furnishing goods.
—Judge Noah Davis was born on a farm and realized his first coin selling eggs.
—A second hand buggy can be bought very cheap, by calling at this office.
—Calvin S. Brice's first labor was over law books in a country law office in Ohio.
—Henry Clews' early life was spent as a porter in a woolen house at \$2 per week.
—Gen Russell A. Alger earned his first money doing odd jobs for the neighbors.
—Drum's is the place to buy Tips and Ladies Jackets, from the cheapest to the best.
—Alexander C. Sherwood, deputy State Auditor, was in Marble Hill a few days ago.
—A Reduction in watches and jewelry at the store of Dr. A. R. Jaques, Lutesville, Mo.
—The United States collects \$650 and spends \$461 every minute of the night and day.
—Drum has the cheapest and largest selected stock of boots and shoes in Bollinger County.
—Crazed by Cigarettes" is a heading frequently seen by readers of the large city papers.
—President Harrison found his first dollar in the toe of his stocking on Christmas morning.
—O. J. Snider & Co., at Lutesville, still have a good light brown sugar at 20 pound for \$1.
—Russell Sage was a clerk. He learned frugality in his brother's grocery store at Troy.
—Willow Springs, Howell Co., will vote \$5,000 bonds for the purpose of sinking an artesian well.
—A number of new lock boxes have been put in the post-office. I. B. Kauffman did the work.
—Jewelry of all kinds—Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks (small and large) cheaper than ever at Drum's.
—Henry Villard, who has so many ups and downs as a railroad man, earned his first dollar as a reporter.
—The deepest water in the Mississippi river between Cairo, Ill., and Bird's Point, Mo., last week, was four feet.
—A large stock of family groceries and provisions to be found at Drums all the time—cheaper than at any other place.
—At the Academy the following students made an average grade of 85 or more for the first month:
PREPARATORY DEPT.—David Wells, Wilber Bowman and Albert Revelle.
ACADEMIC DEPT.—Susie Graves, Ethel McCans, James Bowman, Charles Wells and Charles Wells

—Mrs. Drum and son, Ed, were at the Cape Fair last week.
—We are one day late this week. The delay was unavoidable.
—Miss Effie Miller of Miller-ville is the guest of Miss Julia Jamison.
—A new floor and stove now add to the comforts of the Press' home. "God bless our home."
—Miss Cora Drum will leave Monday for Cape Girardeau to attend the State Normal school at that place.
—John T. Stratman, formerly of this place, is clerking for Mr. Glen at Cape Girardeau. John will read the Press.
—Liberty Association of the General Baptist Church met last Thursday at Zalma. A large attendance is reported.
—A. Bohnsack sells the King Heater, the best stove now made. It don't require half the fuel that other stoves do.
—Ora Thornburgh, J. W. Caldwell, Tom Bowman and George and Evert Lessley started for the swamps on a hunt Monday.
—Dress goods and fancy notions of every description at Drum's. He is always ready to show them and make you cheap bargains.
—James Profit was thrown from a mule Sunday and an ugly gash reaching from his nose to the point of his chin is the result.
—T. T. Beach, Lutesville, now keeps a full stock of coffins and burial cases—white cases for children. Metallic caskets furnished on short notice.
—Benj. Bollinger and C. H. Pape passed through town Wednesday with a fine bull which they had bought while at the Cape Fair.
—Bring your wheat, corn, dried fruit, hides, feathers, chickens, turkeys, eggs, &c. to Drum's. He pays the highest prices in cash or goods.
—Monthly reports, term reports, semi-annual reports, annual reports or any other kind used in the school room can be had at this office.
PHOTO. ALBUMS.—Call and examine our new stock of Albums—30 cents and upwards. The best we have ever sold for the money.
A. R. JAQUES.
—State Auditor James M. Seibert was in Marble Hill a few hours last Friday. He called at the Press office and ordered this paper sent to him at Jefferson City.
—Drum has the largest and best selected stock of general merchandise in Bollinger County. He buys for cash and sells for cash, which enables him to sell cheap.
—F. Von Stein has returned to Lutesville and will be found at his old shop ready to do all kinds of watch and clock repairing. Call and see him when you want work.
—A movement is under way to consolidate the towns of Lutesville and Marble Hill and incorporate them under one name, which, if successful, will be of great benefit to both.
Daily Enterprise, Charleston.
—The Mississippi county grand jury, at this place, at the term of circuit court, which adjourned on yesterday (Friday) evening, was in session seven days; had one hundred and sixteen witnesses before it and found one hundred and thirty-three indictments; ninety indictments for gambling; six for selling liquor; two for selling liquor on Sunday; two for of hials drunk while in office; nine for grand larceny; seven for petit larceny; two for arson.
—Daily Enterprise, Charleston.
—A singular accident in White Pigeon, Michigan, was the explosion of a dynamite factory containing 20 tons of the explosive. Sixteen men were in the building at the time, but of them not the slightest trace has been discovered. The explosion was heard and felt 50 miles. Trees standing near the vanished factory were blown down, but none show any marks of flying bricks, which is explained that the building must have been reduced to powder, not a brick nor a stone remains to mark the site. There is a yawning cavern in the earth, where formerly stood the basement of the factory, and the stones of the walls were driven 50 feet into the earth, where some of them were found reduced to a fine powder by the awful shock

—Dr. A. Sander, A. J. Bedwell and W. P. McCans were in Cape Girardeau last week attending a meeting of delegates of the Soldiers and Sailors Veteran Association of Southeast Missouri. Mr. McCans was re-elected President of the Association.
—Mrs. Mollie Pittman of Charleston sent the Press a very nice bouquet of roses in the variety of roses of which the bouquet was made bloom eight months out of the twelve in each year, or from the first of May to the last of December. Thanks.
—Have you grease spots on your clothing? If so call and purchase a bottle of our Magic Erasive Fluid. A single bottle will convince you. 15 cents will buy a bottle.
A. R. JAQUES.
[It is the best we ever used—Ed.]
—We beg our readers to indulge us a little this week, and if we have left anything out or have put something in the Press that ought to be left out, to look over it, as we are having some work done in our office, and consequently have not given the paper the attention we should have.
—A remarkable somnambulist feat is reported from Bath, Me. A young man of that place went to bed with the idea of rising early and shaving. In the night he suddenly awoke and found himself standing in the middle of the room. He went to bed again. When he arose in the morning he went to his dressing-case and prepared to shave, when on looking in the glass, he found that he was already shaved as neatly as any barber could have done it.
—After a painful illness of about three weeks, Mrs. B. F. Stevens, who lived about five miles east of town, died of typhoid fever on the night of October 17, 1891. A husband and five children survive her.
She was tenderly cared for during her illness (which at first was not considered serious) by her relatives and friends; and, under the skillful treatment of Dr. C. M. Witmer, it was hoped until a few days prior to her death that she might be restored to health, but the hope was never realized; no remedy known to the medical profession seemed to have any effect; she steadily grew worse until the above mentioned date, when death relieved the sufferer. She was a faithful and earnest member of the M. E. Church, South; had lived a christian life for years; and when the summons came for her to join that innumerable caravan that moves to that mysterious realm she was prepared; death had no terror for her—a christian.
Although her earthly journey has ended, those to whom she was dear can live on in the comforting knowledge that all will be well with her in eternity.
Her funeral on Monday was attended by a large number of friends.
We assure the bereaved ones that none more deeply sympathize with them than we do.
Glen Allen.
Jack Frost has been to see us. The public school at this place is almost half out and is making good progress.
Owing to the dry weather wheat is not coming up well. Some think of having to sow again.
J. A. Taylor is clerking for Berry and Son. Jake makes himself very handy; especially when the young ladies come in.
Mrs. Mollie Summers, wife of R Summers, was buried in the Glen Allen cemetery a few weeks ago. She leaves a husband, three children, and many friends and relatives to mourn their loss.
Any one seeking a location for business or home can do no better than to come to Glen Allen. This town is beautifully situated and surrounded by a good farming country and filled by an industrious, energetic and enterprising people. It is rapidly increasing. One new dwelling has just been completed, and five are being built at the present time, one blacksmith shop, one large drygoods store, and many indications of more new business houses in the near future. Lots can be purchased now at reasonable rates. Ye men of business, now is your time to come to Glen Allen!
A Clean Omen.

LUTESVILLE LOCALS.
Geo. Harper has moved to town.
David Lincoln has bought the Greer property.
W. A. Phelps and W. S. King went to Zalma Sunday.
H. A. Clark and wife were visiting in St. Louis last week.
R. Hatcher of Brownwood will move to Lutesville in short time.
Mrs. Hargraves of Brownwood was in town Saturday and Sunday.
The material is being put on the ground to build the Lutesville bank.
Look to your own interest and buy good millinery goods from Mrs. Biggs.
Others may follow, but Mrs. Biggs leads in fine and reasonable millinery goods.
A sociable was given at the residence of Mrs. S. Jaques by the W. C. T. U. last week.
Mr. Jones and wife of White-water were here on a visit Saturday to their son, T. M. Jones.
J. M. Poe, who has been away on a business trip for the past week, returned home Sunday.
Hall, Burford & Co. have the kind of school books that were selected by the commission.
Jake Allen, formerly of this place but now of Florence, Col., was here on a visit the first of the week.
If you want good bargains in ladies hats go to Mrs. Biggs. She can suit you in prices and quality of goods.
W. E. Miller, of the firm of A. & E. Miller, returned from Doe Run last week, where he had been visiting his parents.
—Rev. Eli Ray will preach next Sunday at Snider school house at 10:30; Bethel at 3:30, and at Lutesville at 7 o'clock.
—Earnest Studler, who has been working for the Southeast Baptist of Cape Girardeau, is at home. He will work for the "Lutesville Banner."
The great Salton Lake that formed in a low desert plain of Southern California is still there, and at last accounts not likely to dry up soon. It was made by flood waters from the Colorado River breaking through a sandy barrier and inundating the plain, which lies below the sea level.—Rep.
Happy and content is a home with "The Rochester," a lamp with the light of the morning.
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NOTICE
I take this means of informing my friends and the public generally that I have given up the practice of medicine and from now on I will give my attention wholly to the drug business. I will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of Fresh Drugs, Patent Medicines, and everything needed in the drug business.
All parties knowing themselves indebted to me will please settle up by cash or bankable note without delay.
Respectfully,
E. P. BIGGS.
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FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of John L. Zimmerman, deceased, that the undersigned administrator of said estate intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of Probate court, in and for the county of Bollinger and state of Missouri, to be held and holden in the courthouse in said county on the second Monday, in November, 1891.
GEORGE E. GIBBS,
Administrator.

Administrator's Sale.
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to and by virtue of an order of sale for the payment of debts, made by the Probate Court of the county of Bollinger, of the State of Missouri, at the August term, 1891, I, Hiram Fowler, administrator of the estate of Troy W. Shell, deceased, will on
Tuesday, November 10, 1891,
At the front door of the courthouse, of the county of Bollinger, state aforesaid, and during the session of the Probate Court of said county, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, expose to public vendue, or out-ry, to the highest bidder, the following real estate, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy said debts due and owing by said estate, to-wit:
The west half of the northeast quarter of section eighteen (18), township twenty-eight (28), north of range eight (8) east, containing eighty acres more or less.
The west half of the southeast quarter of section thirty-five (35), in township thirty (30), north of range eight (8) east, containing eighty (80) acres more or less.
The east half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), township thirty-one (31), north of range eight (8) east, containing eighty acres more or less; and the west half of the southwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-five (35), township thirty-one (31) north of range eight (8) east, containing one hundred and twenty acres.
The south half of lot two (2) of the southwest quarter of section thirty (30) and the north half of lot number two (2) of the northwest quarter of section thirty-one (31) in township thirty (30), north of range eleven (11) east, containing eighty acres more or less.
TERMS OF SALE.—Twenty per cent of the purchase money to be paid down, and credit of nine months will be given on the remainder. The purchaser giving note with approved security for the remainder of said purchase money, with interest from day of sale at eight per cent per annum.
And further ordered that said administrator make a report of his proceedings therein to this court at the next term thereof.
E. LESA SCHOLL,
Administratrix.

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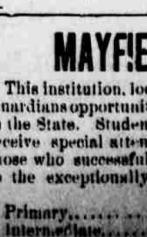
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