

With this issue THE PRESS is twenty-one years old. How well it has filled its mission, it leaves for its patrons to determine. It is enjoying health and a fair measure of prosperity for which it wishes to thank its friends who have made this possible, and with their help will "continue to do business at the old stand," using its best endeavors to merit the patronage of all the people of Bollinger County.

**FRANK HEATH** has nominated **Mark Hanna** as the republican candidate for president in 1904, but owing to the distance, the probabilities are, "Mark" won't reach. And again, he may be tired by that time.

**Fredericktown Tribune:** St. Louis is having a spasm of virtue. It has decided to close up its saloons four hours out of the twenty-four—from one to five a. m.—when even the dummers are asleep. Do we hear any objection to the motion? None! Carried unanimously, and the convention is adjourned sine die.

**THE CHARLESTON ENTERPRISE** sent a supplement last week showing a picture of Mississippi County's court house, which is a credit to the Enterprise and the court house a splendid monument to the enterprising people of that county.

It begins to look a good deal like the tariff issue is going to work its way to the front again. Some of those who were advocating a high protective tariff a few years ago, are now advocating tariff revision. What on earth will become of our infatuation with the tariff if taken away?

**BROTHER MITCHEM** of the DeSoto Press gave the members of the Press Association each a nice biographical sketch last week, with half-tone pictures of most of them and had to issue a supplement to give the news. Brother Mitchem is not afflicted with contraction of the heart.

There should be a building erected at the World's Fair by Southeast Missouri. We have more to show than all the balance of the state together, and could easily supply the state building, proper, and have an annex of our own. The lumber men owners of stone quarries, lead smelters, lime-kilns, glass works and iron mines would, no doubt, donate material for the structure; the railroads would haul it free and so the expense of a really fine building would not be great. Let's talk this up, brethren of the Southeast press.—**Dunklin Democrat.**

We second your motion Brother Caruthers and promise to do our "level best" in assisting in the work. Let each county send a delegate or two, or three, to a convention at some central point to formulate the work and put the matter in proper shape and make all the necessary arrangements etc. How will that do?

The sudden shrinkage in the value of stocks which had been forced up to enormous prices by the most reckless speculation the country has ever seen, brought on a terrible panic in the New York Stock Exchange last week. Fortunes were swept away, and thousands who had invested smaller amounts were caught in the terrible whirlpool of speculation and carried to ruin in less time than it takes to tell it, a number of them having invested their money legitimately only to become the victims of the professional or amateur stock gamblers. If some poor, old gullible fellow, sets down and beats another out of a few dollars at a game of craps, he is taken before a magistrate and convicted of gambling and is made to suffer the penalty of the law, but the fellows in Wall street who gamble in stocks, and in the reckless folly of the past few weeks, driving hundreds of innocent stock holders to ruin, are known as speculators, and they hardly stop long enough to tell how it happened.

The action of Excise Commissioner, **J. M. Seibert**, in suppressing the wine from evil in St. Louis, is being approved by the good people of the City and is nothing less than his friends throughout the State expected and predicted, when Governor Dockery appointed him to that important position. Mr. Seibert knows the law and has the backbone to enforce it, and Governor Dockery knew it when he appointed him. The following are extracts from a letter written to the Jefferson City Press by Dr. J. F. Hendy and go to show that Mr. Seibert's valuable services are appreciated.

"On the 18th of last month the Presbytery of St. Louis, one of the leading religious bodies in our State composed of such men as Drs. **Nichols, McKittick, Palmer and**

**Sneed** endorsed the course of Col. **Seibert** in his dealing with the wine room nuisance in a way that must have been especially gratifying to the commissioner himself, particularly in view of the close relations he sustains to the eminent body of Christian gentlemen.

"The Presbytery of St. Louis recognizes the obligation of all our members to uphold the authority of the law, and to seek the welfare of the community in which they live. Especially at this juncture do we recognize the necessity for enforcing the laws against the iniquities of the liquor traffic. The action of our Excise Commissioner, **Hon. J. M. Seibert**, in his endeavor to suppress the infamous wine-rooms of this city, has our hearty approval and should receive the support of all friends of good morals.

We are under obligations to **Bro. Waters**, editor of the Southeast Missourian, and secretary of the association, for a copy of the minutes of the recent meeting of the Southeast Missouri Press Association. The minutes show the following members present: **W. E. Crow**, DeSoto Republican; **J. F. Mitchem**, DeSoto Press; **E. H. Thelike**, Kellogg Newspaper Co.; **Eli D. Ake**, Ironton Register; **J. S. Marsh**, Greenville Star; **L. B. Towner**, Western Newspaper Union; **Joseph Flynn**, Fredericktown Tribune; **Webb Watkins**, Dexter Messenger; **A. O. Allen** and **E. A. Wright**, New Madrid Record; **R. W. McMullin**, Hillsboro Democrat; **Theo. D. Fisher**, Farmington Times; **Irvin L. Page**, Boone Terre Star; **W. W. Waters**, Southeast Missourian, New Madrid.

The following new members were present and were elected: **C. R. Pratt**, Farmington Herald; **D. B. Hill**, Marble Hill Press; **E. J. Hickman**, Paxico Index; **N. A. Mozley**, Bloomfield Courier; **J. C. Homan**, local editor DeSoto Republican; **Miss Maggie Blackman**, local editor DeSoto Press; **J. M. Ward**, Leadbelt News, Flat River; **P. B. Moore**, Enterprise, Charleston; **B. F. Lusk**, Jackson Herald; **M. C. Hartly**, Current Local, Van Buren, making 25 active members present, who added to the three who were not present but who paid their dues viz., **E. P. Caruthers**, Kennett Democrat; **J. M. Durdly**, Kellogg Newspaper Co., and **J. P. Campbell**, Prospect News, Doniphan, makes 28 active members in good standing.

There were also present, **Rev. Fr. J. J. Furlong** of New Madrid, who always takes an interest in the meetings and is an honorary member, **C. C. Mitchem**, editor of the Willow Springs Index, as a member of the Southwest Missouri Press Association; **Mr. Presson**, formerly of the Prospect News, Doniphan and **R. F. Chew** of St. Louis, both ex-members of the Association. **Hon. Sam Byrns** was elected an honorary member. **Mrs. Allen** accompanied Auditor **A. O. Allen** and was the only visiting lady from abroad.

**Reported Offer of the Panama Canal.** Chicago Record-Herald: The longer the Nicaragua Canal project is delayed the more certain is the United States to be in a position to consider the financial and engineering feasibility of two water way routes. In fact, it is generally believed that when the next Congress takes up the canal question and evinces a determination to go ahead with the Nicaragua project the Panama Company will come forward with an offer to this government that is free from the objections which have heretofore made it impossible to consider any propositions from that source.

It is even now reported from Washington that President **Hutin** of the Panama Canal Company has made a formal tender of the canal, with all rights and concessions, to this government unincumbered by any provisions for joint ownership. Heretofore all propositions for the transfer of the Panama Canal contemplated making this government a large stockholder in the enterprise without giving it actual sovereignty over the water way, which of course, could not be seriously entertained by Congress. It is now reported, however, that the government of Columbia, through its minister at Washington, has offered to permit the Panama Company to transfer its rights to the United States, which leaves the way open for a direct bona fide sale of all property and rights.

Whether this scheme has been devised by the interests that control the Panama railroad to delay the construction of the Nicaragua Canal or not it may serve the commercial and military interests of the nation by passing up to Congress two great

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water way routes that have been thoroughly and repeatedly surveyed and of which is partially excavated and both of which present no obstacles to complete American ownership and control.

**State Historical Society of Missouri.** At the last meeting of the State Historical Society of Missouri, which was held at the State University last week, **E. W. Stephens** was continued as president, **Doctor I. Loeb**, as secretary and **Miss Minnie K. Organ** as librarian. **Walter Williams** was chosen treasurer and **Robert M. White**, **Perry S. Rader** and **Walter Williams** as Finance Committee. The following trustees were chosen:

First District, **W. O. L. Jewett**; Second District, **Perry S. Rader**; Third District, **W. L. Robertson**; Fourth District, **H. E. Robinson**; Fifth District, **A. A. Lesueur**; Sixth District, **John Marens**; Seventh District, **F. A. Sampson**; Eighth District, **Walter Williams**; Ninth District, **R. M. White**; Tenth District, **F. W. Lehmann**; Eleventh District, **W. L. Thomas**; Twelfth District, **M. C. Cranden**; Thirteenth District, **H. C. Bell**; Fourteenth District, **Louis Houck**; Fifteenth District, **Cornelius Roach**; Sixteenth District, **John E. Organ**.

The society already has the beginning of a valuable collection of Missouri historical literature. The headquarters of the society are at the University of Missouri. An appropriation of \$4500 was made for its support by the last general assembly. Its next meeting will be held in Columbia on the 10th of August, Missouri Day. The membership now numbers 230.

**The Claim Upon China.** Chicago Record-Herald: Apparently rumor has finally been succeeded by an authentic dispatch on the subject of the Chinese indemnity. Word comes from Peking that the foreign ministers have decided to address a collective note to the Chinese government "informing it that a joint indemnity of 450,000,000 taels would be demanded and asking what method of payment is proposed."

The total worth about 70 cents, so that the sum is nearly equivalent to \$315,000,000. This is more than forty millions above the reported figure of a few days ago and is forty-five millions greater than the Chinese foreign debt as it stood before the invasion. It was anticipated by a correspondent of the New York Herald some weeks since, the various claims being set down as follows:

Russia.....	\$9,700,000
Germany.....	70,000,000
France.....	40,000,000
Japan.....	30,000,000
United States.....	25,000,000
Great Britain.....	24,000,000
Belgium.....	6,000,000
Italy, Austria and Spain.....	30,000,000

When the adjustments were published The Westminster Gazette wanted to know how the four countries last named had suffered losses which entitled them to compensation on such a scale, but the exorbitant sums higher up the list are more deserving of an inquiry. Russia had a large force in Manchuria, but it keeps an army there or close to the border and undoubtedly that army subsisted on the country during hostilities. Besides the question at issue should not be one of military expenses, but one of losses to the government and its citizens and of

the assertion of the national dignity. On this score there is no much difference between the great powers which were most seriously affected.

The demand, however, as it goes to China is for a lump sum, and the question of a division will probably come up later. China has only to consider how she will foot the bill, which means a new loan and a large increase in taxation.

**Brotherhood.** That plenty but reproaches me  
Which leaves my brother bare,  
Not wholly glad my heart can be  
While he is lowed with care.  
If I go free and sound and stout  
While his poor fellow creaks,  
Unsettled still, I'll cry out,  
And deal with whom I think.

**Our Correspondents.** Miss Lena Neeninger was very sick last Tuesday.

**Two Roses.** Henry Lincoln has been sick several days.

**Scouts.** Quite a number of stove haulers on the road now and a joyful row they be. The factory people are about out of timber.

**Our Mourning Color.** The prevailing color of black suggests nothing sweet, or tender, or beautiful. It is not an emblem of purity or hope. It is a symbol of night in the scriptures, and in all literature is a symbol of danger and of despair. Night is the time when all doors are bolted and windows fastened, and when the sighing of the wind and the rustling of the leaves nuzzle the nerves. The world needs no symbol of mourning. Every soul knows its own sorrow, and that is enough. But if the world must have a symbol of sorrow, let it be white. White is the emblem of purity, the symbol of peace, the garb in which the angels are supposed to be robed, the color of the great throne around which we like to think our loved ones gathered. White is typical of the eternal day which it gives us joy to believe has dawned upon them. And surely, if our loved ones could break the silence of the tomb, they would bid us remember them joyfully rather than sorrowfully.

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**Food and Fuel for the World.** Chicago Record-Herald: To supply food and fuel for the human family in every clime appears to be the commercial destiny of this country.

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### Southeast Notes.

The depot at Bonne Terre burned the 3rd.

James Gleason met a horrible death at a saw mill near Charleston last Friday by falling against a saw.

The steam City of Paducah sank at Brankhorst Landing early Monday morning and several lives were lost.

A new dredge boat is being built in Mississippi County which will begin work on the fourteen mile ditch about June 1.

The forty-third annual meeting of the Missouri Medical Association will be held at Jefferson City, May 21, 22 and 23rd.

Fredericktown Democrat-News: **Hon. W. D. Vandiver** will deliver the annual address before the societies of M. C. I. June 4.

A military company, to be known as a Company "M" Unattached, National Guards of Missouri, was recently organized at Dexter.

Theodore Friedmeyer who resided near DeSoto committed suicide last Wednesday by emptying the contents of a shot gun into his head.

**Cash-Book:** There is said to be one or more cases of genuine smallpox at Friedheim, a town in the northwest part of the county.

**Joe Patton**, the colored man who stabbed **John Vogt** at the Cape a couple of weeks ago, plead guilty yesterday and was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years.

**Fredericktown Tribune:** The Lord said: "Let there be light!" but the Fredericktown City Council says: "Let there be darkness!" and darkness it is—at least within the precincts of Fredericktown.

**J. F. Benning** was run over and instantly killed by a train in attempting to cross the tracks in the yards at DeSoto, Thursday last week. He was a highly respected citizen and left a wife and two children.

**Jackson Herald:** On last Saturday **Lloyd Simpson**, youngest son of **J. W. Simpson**, got on Mr. Poe's wagon which was loaded with gravel. Mr. Poe did not notice the boy, and somehow the boy fell off the wagon and the wheels ran over his arm, mauling it very badly. He is getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

**Fredericktown Democrat-News:** It was reported in St. Louis this week that **Mr. S. H. Leathe**, the owner of Mine La Motte had about concluded arrangements for the sale of this property to the Guggenheims of New York. The Guggenheims are the independent smelter people and are investing extensively in mining property in the Flat River district.

**Caruthersville Democrat:** **C. S. York** retired this week from the management of the Penitentiary Press, which paper he has edited for several months. The paper was sold at auction one day last week. Mr. York in his varied experience in Penitentiary county journalism, has demonstrated that he is a perfect gentleman, and an excellent journalist. He announces that he will enter another line of work in the future.

A traveling man stood at the depot yesterday morning explaining to a list from the country how he happened to be bald. "You see," he said, "there wasn't room for brains and hair both, so the brains being more numerous, pushed the hair away."

"That isn't what paw says," replied the boy. "Paw ald's 'lowed as how an empty brain didn't need no cover."

**St. Francois Herald:** The Wright County Progress says Prof. **W. H. Lynch** of that county takes more than 200 newspapers and intimates that he pays his subscription. We must take off our hats to such a teacher. We know teachers who take one paper and do not pay their subscription to that. Then we also know of teachers who do not take any papers. Oh, for some Lynch (or Lynchings) in St. Francois county!

out a cyclone insurance policy on his house last Friday, after considerable persuasion on the part of **Al Schenke**, the local agent. And now **Sam** is glad of it for on Sunday night a little cyclone came and lifted the roof off the porch on the south side of his house, carrying it in two sections over the top of the main building and setting it down in the yard. While the wind was pretty brisk that night at other places roundabout, nothing like a twister appeared but right at Mr. Williams' house. The whirlwind also carried a sack of carpet rags away and hung it up in the top of a tall poplar tree in the yard. Now, Mr. Williams took his insurance on Friday, the storm got his roof on Sunday and Tuesday Mr. W. received a check from the company covering his damages. There are different opinions concerning Sam's cyclone. Some say his porch needed a new roof over it and he tore it off himself, others that the sack up in the tree indicates that some enemy hung him in effigy, and still others say that couldn't be for Mr. W. has no enemies, and yet others believe that a cyclone really did come and not being able to find Sam himself took the roof of the porch.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.** Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of **Joseph M. Bollinger**, of Bollinger county Missouri, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, **David M. Bollinger** and **Wm. R. Bollinger**, by the Probate court of the county of Bollinger, state of Missouri, bearing date of the 13th day of May, 1901. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance within one year from date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, if such claims be not exhibited within two years from date of said letters, they will be forever barred.

**Notice of Sale of Church Property.** By virtue and authority of an order of the third quarterly Conference of the years 1900 and 1901, of the Marble Hill Circuit, in the Farmington district, in the St. Louis Conference of the M. E. Church South, held at Hickory Grove in the aforesaid Circuit March 16, 1901, directing the sale of the Old Ebenezer Camping Ground and all the church property thereon, two miles north of Luff, Mo., consisting of the church house, pulpit, church house seats and church sheds. The camping ground consists of 1.58 acres of land definitely described by metes and bounds in a deed recorded in the recorder's office of Bollinger county, Mo., in Vol. A at page 125.

We, the undersigned special commissioners, appointed at the time, place and by the quarterly conference aforesaid to make the sale of the property aforesaid, will on SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1901, at 12 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the aforesaid church house, sell at public auction, for cash all the above described church property. The property will be sold separately as above itemized.

This 8th day of May, 1901.  
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