

Missouri at the World's Fair is a little booklet full of suggestions for collecting and preparing exhibits in Agriculture, Horticulture, Mines and Metallurgy. If interested in any of these exhibits, write to Room 229, Administration Building, St. Louis, and get a copy.

Trust people have not lost confidence in our courts, but the hair-splitting technicalities, appeals, changes of venue, and so on, constituting the long, tedious, expensive route between the commission of the crime and conviction of the criminal is what the people are tired of. Give the criminal a fair, but speedy trial, convict and punish him, and there will be a marked diminution in lynchings.

There can be no doubt in the mind of the general reader of this fact that more interest is being taken in the temperance question in this part of the country, and many other parts for that matter, than ever before. To the candid, reasoning mind there is nothing strange about this, let him look at it from a moral or business standpoint. Then the law has been violated and trampled under foot by men who have been licensed to deal in liquor as well as those who deal in it without license, until, in many instances, even those who patronize the vice are disgusted with the whole business. And on the other hand those who drink are being shut out everywhere, and the man with a young family can see nothing, absolutely nothing for his boy if he falls into the drink habit, for there is to be no position of trust or responsibility for him. Organized societies have done much to advance the interest in this movement but they have hardly done more than the liquor dealers themselves, and if they are put out of business they can blame themselves largely for it.

**Why Not Senator Cockrell.**  
Why not Francis Marion Cockrell of Missouri for president? His Christian character, his long experience, his great ability, and his unquestioned integrity make him worthy to be considered among those eligible to a democratic nomination. As one who has been in harmony with his party on every question he would be acceptable to the Kansas City platform democrats, and yet what reorganizer could find a personal objection to him? His long service would disarm criticism and his popularity would spread as he became better known.

He is 69 years of age, but young enough for service yet. His service in the confederate army would not weaken him, first, because the war is over, and second, because his record has been such as to commend him to those who wore the blue as well as to those who wore the gray.

The Commoner has already mentioned several available men and has others in reserve, but it takes pleasure in proposing Senator Cockrell. The Commoner.

**Opening of Missouri State Normal School, Third District.**

The Missouri State Normal School, Third District, at Cape Girardeau, Missouri, will open on Tuesday, September 15, 1906. The school will open in two new three-story stone buildings—one completed January 6, 1906, the other just completed. The two buildings contain 31 recitation rooms, 3 laboratories, a library and reading room, an assembly room, a gymnasium, a swimming pool, bath rooms, toilet rooms, cloak rooms, and a boiler room. There are forty-six rooms, in all, in the two buildings. Buildings are heated by steam and are furnished with new modern furniture throughout. Campus of twenty-two acres. Well equipped Chemistry, Physical, and Biological laboratories, and Manual Training Department.

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**Bad Days for the Promoters.**  
Out of the financial flurry in New York has come one very good thing. The promoter of fake enterprises has all but lost his job. Speculators refuse to bite to any great extent.

In times of prosperity it is possible to finance almost any old scheme by going to the people. There isn't much bank knowledge among the common folks. A well printed circular, bearing names that are often seen in print, looks like gospel to many men and women. There is something illuring about the idea of owning stock in a gold mine, away off somewhere, with nothing to do but draw rich dividends.

The enormous dividends actually paid by the Standard Oil Company have really acted as bait for get-rich-quick schemes. The ignorant part of the public does not discriminate. The man with a few hundred dollars can't get hold of any of Rockefeller's pet stock, but he can invest in mines, oil wells, airships, coffee and rubber plantations, and schemes that contain nothing but wind and promoter's gull. The dividends promised are gorgeous, even better than Standard Oil.

You can hardly blame people for investing. The thing has been going on for hundreds of years. It is a matter of cycles. At times it has convulsed European countries.

The Wall Street flurry has frightened the public. It has made them afraid of schemes. This and the collapse of a few score of get-rich-quick enterprises has made the selling of a thing that lacked merit a difficult proposition.

There is always a field for the legitimate promoter. The other kind are things of the meanest kind—robbers, without a shred of conscience.

The jail is the place for them.—St. Louis Chronicle.

**A Woman's Complexion.**

It is rank foolishness to attempt to remove sallowness or greyness of the skin by the use of cosmetics, or "beauty" treatments, as advocated by the "beauty doctors." The only safe and sure way that a woman can improve her complexion is by purifying and enriching the blood, which can only be accomplished by keeping the liver healthy and active. The liver is the seat of disease and blood pollution. Green's August Flower acts directly on the liver, cleanses and enriches the blood, purifies the complexion. It also cures constipation, biliousness, nervousness, and induces refreshing sleep. A single bottle of August Flower has been known to cure the most pronounced and distressing cases of dyspepsia and indigestion. New trial size bottle, 25 cents; regular size, 75 cents. At Dr. S. M. McAnally's.

**Notice to Teachers.**

The next examination for teachers' certificates will be held Friday and Saturday, August 21 and 22, and the order of subjects given below will be followed.

## .....Mid-Summer.....

# CLEARING SALE

In order to move the remaining part of our Summer Goods and to make room for our large Fall Stock which is arriving daily, we will give you

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Below will be found a few items.

All 5c Calico now going at	3c.	Gent's Fancy Shirts	50 and 35c.	
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### Our Correspondents.

#### Sedgewickville.

Oh, yes, it rained! Deputy Jones succeeded in organizing a camp of Modern Woodmen at this place. The following officers were installed Friday night: G. A. Stalter, venerable consul; John H. Masters, worthy adviser; W. S. Smith, banker; J. L. Stalter, clerk; Walter Seabaugh, escort; C. R. Conrad, watchman; G. J. Cook, sentry. The boys seem to be getting along very well after riding the goat.

#### P. E. Genoway and Mr. C. M. Hay of Fredericktown were here a few days ago.

David Robinson of Patton and a Mr. Berry of Marquand passed thru here a few days ago. Deputy Jones departed for his home near Dexter Monday. Mrs. Blount will depart for her home in Texas Monday. Neighbors Pressell and Sample of Patton and David Crites, John Crites and Peter Seabaugh of Oak Ridge were here to assist in organizing the new camp of Modern Woodmen.

#### THE BOYS.

Not seeing anything in THE PRESS from this part of the country I will try to give you a few items. Health is good. Farmers are busy making hay. Lewis Perkins returned home from Greenview last week. Alfred Hughes of Grassy was in our midst Saturday and Sunday. John Ford of Hahn is seen in this vicinity frequently. Surely some attraction here for him!

#### SALEM.

James Stitts and niece, Miss Emma, of McGee creek were the guests of Henry Stitts and family last Sunday. Miss Mary Perkins visited at Hahn last week. A number of our young people attended services at Mount Pleasant Sunday night. Marvin Hinkle visited his friend George Bell at Hog Eye Saturday night. I will close for this time. Best wishes to THE PRESS and its many readers. **SAL HOPKIN.**

#### Clippard.

(Too late for last week.) We are having plenty of warm, dry weather just now. Health is real good in this vicinity with the exception of colds. W. H. Allmon is erecting a new barn this summer; W. H. Snider is doing the work. Misses Edith Reed and Dora Snider visited at Laflin Wednesday. Mrs. E. B. Proffer visited her sister Thursday of last week. T. M. Snider went to Toga to mull Monday and says they have fine corn in that part of the country. They also have some fine watermelons in that direction and he is said to be rather fond of them. Look out Tom!

#### Miss Edith Reed was right sick the last of the week, but is better now.

T. J. Bollen and family have left old Bollinger and moved to Ripley where they expect to reside in the future. Misses Dollie and Mary Lettgett entertained quite a number of their

#### friends one evening recently to the delight and enjoyment of all.

Miss Julia Finney is visiting her cousins, Misses Mary and Ruth Snider this week. With good wishes. **TWO FAVORITE.**

#### Loyd.

(Arrived too late for last issue.) Here I come again with a few items of news. Health is good. Rev. A. Slinkard preached quite an interesting sermon at Liberty church last Sunday, to a large congregation.

#### Rev. J. R. A. Vaghan, presiding elder of the Farmington district, M. E. Church South, delivered an excellent sermon to a large congregation at Pleasant Valley Sunday night.

One of Thomas Yount's sons was bitten by a copperhead snake a few days ago. Miss Bettie Williams of near Glen Allen and Miss Ada Reagan of Charleston are visiting friends in this vicinity. A. J. Zimmerman and wife of Glen Allen visited W. G. Kiteben and family last Saturday and Sunday. C. Yount, our bustling merchant, was with his best girl last Sunday. Steve hauling is the order of the day with a number of our people. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matthews are proud of a little girl that recently arrived at their home. P. E. Shell, our clever stock buyer, is out of the business for a time on account of the condition of the market. Farmers are breaking ground for the next wheat crop. We have had good rains recently and the corn crop promises to be better than for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rhodes will move to Marquand in a short time. **BOY BAZ.**

#### County Court Proceedings.

AUGUST TERM, 1906. Court met pursuant to adjournment and the following proceedings were had: E. T. Russell allowed \$10 for immediate relief. By request of A. P. McKelvey, court orders sw $\frac{1}{2}$  of sw $\frac{1}{2}$ , 16-20-9 exposed for sale. Cause of road, petitioned for by C. J. Moore et al., dismissed. Order, issue warrant to Bollinger County Bank in sum of \$639 for money advanced for asylum expenses. F. B. Clippard allowed \$225, part salary as assessor. VanAmburg Bros. allowed \$5 for shingles furnished for coorhouse closet. Court refuses to allow account of Dr. S. A. Mayfield for \$10 for care of John Speer while sick of smallpox. Clerk ordered to certify fact of proof of full payment for school land, ne $\frac{1}{4}$  of sw $\frac{1}{2}$ , s $\frac{1}{2}$  of sw $\frac{1}{2}$ , 16-28-8, to State Auditor and request him to issue patent for said land to the said W. P. Barnes. W. E. Dickey allowed \$6.25 for office supplies. The following petit jurors were drawn for September term of Circuit Court: White Water township, D. R. Conrad and J. M. Rice; Union township, J. C. Starrock and Will Shady; Crooked Creek township, Walter Deussen and B. A. Tinnis; German township, P. L. Doss and Peter Harde; Lorraine township, J. R. Kirkpatrick, J. M. Zimmerman, E. L. Kaiser, Henry Winters and Melvin Lutes; Liberty township, Henry Vandevia, R. C. Heidershot, John G. Fisher and John Poe; Wayne township, Sam

#### Dunbar, Noah Mosser, John Huff and J. A. Slagle; Fillmore township, N. A. Bollinger and P. A. Morris.

Clerk ordered to request State Auditor to issue patent to the sum of \$470.46 in favor of County Treasurer for state school money apportioned to Bollinger County for 1905. Geo. D. Bernard & Co., allowed \$129.75 for assessment and tax books, and stationary furnished county offices. Standard Printing Company allowed \$38.35 for stationary furnished county offices. Missouri school for the deaf allowed \$4.30 for tuition and care of Stella Doggett. Clerk ordered to request State Auditor to issue patent to E. Cooper for the northeast quarter of northeast quarter, 16-35-8. W. A. Davault allowed \$47.45 for making report to State Superintendent of Schools and for stationary and postage. C. G. Revell allowed \$150, salary as prosecuting attorney. School fund bond of Miles B. Henson in sum of \$125 approved. School fund bond of Ira Barks in sum of \$250 approved. School fund bond of Clarence M. Hildman in the sum of \$500 approved. Court refuses to allow account of Jas. Kinder for \$30.30 for goods furnished in malpractice case on the grounds of failure of affidavit having been made to mail account. Treasurer's settlement approved. School fund bond of Lee Sitton in sum of \$140 approved. Order to transfer money on hand in full fund amounting to \$1859.02 to county revenue fund. Following fee bills allowed: State vs. Wesley Baker \$21.40. State vs. W. S. Thorpe \$43.99. State vs. A. M. Murphy \$35.05. Sam J. McMin allowed \$3.30 for term costs. Joe Ledbetter allowed \$7.87 for cleaning closet and doing other work. J. M. Austin appointed superintendent of county farm and bond of \$500 approved. Rent \$100 per year. J. A. McGlothlin allowed \$24.75 for services as deputy sheriff. Eli Deck allowed \$43.30 for services as deputy sheriff. Quarter abstract of fees of Sam J. McMin circuit clerk approved. Taylor & Dunn allowed \$11.57 for supplies. John M. Austin superintendent of the county farm allowed \$18.85, balance due on settlement. Mary Williams allowed \$12 for care of self and family. J. V. Slinkard allowed \$128.44, part salary as treasurer. Dr. C. A. Sander allowed \$2.75 for medical attendance of paupers. A. G. King allowed \$91.08 for services as sheriff. Sam J. McMin allowed \$11.70 for office expenses. Taylor & Dunn allowed \$22.77 for goods furnished county. Mary Williams allowed \$12 for care of self. L. B. James allowed \$28.50 for salary as county judge. T. W. Cooper allowed \$26 for salary as county judge. J. M. Limbaugh allowed \$26.20 salary as county judge. Abstract of fees collected by J. A. Taylor county clerk approved. T. R. Eaker allowed \$16 for care of self and family. May Provens allowed \$5 for care of self. J. W. Wixons granted dram-shop license for dram shop at Sturdivant. J. A. Taylor allowed \$240.46 salary and \$21.99 for office supplies. Elizabeth Gregory allowed \$12 for care of self. Dora Dixon allowed \$10 for care of self. W. H. Williams allowed \$15 for care of Mrs. Innans. Mary Tolesman allowed \$7 for care of self. Daniel Rhodes allowed \$3 for care of brother. Henry Bidwell allowed \$10 for care of Rachel Moore. Henry Pogue allowed \$5 for care of self and family. Cause of road petitioned for by Chas.

Rhodes, et al., continued to next term. Jacob Crites allowed \$10 for immediate relief. Delilah Stines allowed \$10 for care of son. Will Scott allowed \$10 for care of Rachel Moore. Order, adjourn until September 8, 1906.

#### DeWitt Is The Name.

When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name DeWitt on every box. The pure unadulterated Witch Hazel is used in making DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema, and piles. The popularity of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused unscrupulous worthless counterfeiters to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. Sold by S. M. McAnally.

"How much do you charge for weighing hogs?" asked a gentleman of our hog buyer, Walker Moore. Oh, just got on, I will weigh you for nothing," was the bland reply.—Weatherford Chronicle.

#### Hunter & Dickey Make Another Scoop

Secure Exclusive Right to Sell in Lutesville Pants made by the Old Woolen Mills of Mayfield, Ky.

About three years ago the Mayfield Woolen Mills of Mayfield, Ky., who have for so long been making the line of all wool and all wool filling pants sold extensively through this territory, opened a branch house in St. Louis which would as they thought give them a better distributing point for their goods. They were having such marked success with the pants they were making that they decided to add a line of suits, thus increasing their business. But they soon found that the labor necessary to make salable suits was not to be had in St. Louis. The goods they made were not satisfactory. Their business lagged. The stockholders who lived in Mayfield became dissatisfied and finally made a deal whereby the old mills at Mayfield passed entirely into their hands. The St. Louis branch is still in operation under the name of "The Mayfield Woolen Mills Clothing Co.," but they have no connection whatever with the original Mayfield Woolen Mills of Mayfield, Ky.

As soon as Hunter & Dickey heard of the change they immediately secured the exclusive right to sell, in Lutesville, the pants made by the old mills. They have just gotten in a fine line of these pants including, besides the regular patterns you like so well, a lot of new and pretty designs, ranging in price from \$1.25 to \$5 a pair. They are all beauties and Hunter & Dickey's is the only place in town you can get them.

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#### Southeast News.

Roy McLeod, a 10-year-old boy, was drowned while bathing in a pond at Bonne Terre August 6. Six young men were arrested at Malden, charged with burglarizing stores and other robberies recently committed there. Dr. F. L. Keith of Farmington was appointed superintendent of the hospital for the insane, at Farmington, by the board of managers last week. F. A. Vias, postmaster at Fair Dealing, Ripley county, has been languishing in jail, in St. Louis, since August 7. About \$1,000 of your Uncle Sam's "dough" stuck to his fingers. A Chillicothe young woman who swallowed a fly the other day while eating ice cream, ran to a doctor and asked what she had better do. "Is the fly alive?" asked the doctor, smiling. "Oh, I'm sure it is," she replied. "Well," returned the doctor, "I guess you had better swallow a piece of fly paper."—Ex. Sikeston Democrat. And now comes the Stoddard county court and at the end of a hard legal fight decided that M. W. Branock has failed to file a petition containing a majority of the assessed tax-paying citizens of Bloomfield. Mr. Branock had run a saloon there for years. We are informed that things in Benton look blue for another petition there and as a precautionary measure it might be well for the old "red nos" to begin sinking pumps.

#### Veterinary Notice—Dr. H. J. Seabach of the Kansas City Veterinary College will be in Lutesville, Wednesday and Thursday, August 19 and 20. He has studied all diseases of domestic animals and all operations are performed by the latest and most scientific methods.

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