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BURTON and Roosevelt were too r behind in the Cleveland races to properly classed among those ho "also ran," says the Kansas ity Post. The buttinski of the hite house never had such a jolt r unwarranted interference in ther people's business in his whole fe as the people of that city gave im the other Tuesday. He has ound his voice, but both voice and anguage refuse to utter what he hinks of his mistake and their no- ion.

EVERY trust that was doing business when Mr. Roosevelt became president is doing business today. And most of them are doing a much larger business now than they were doing when the late lamented McKinley's death made the nation's big talker and small performer the president of the nation, says the Kansas City Post. If Mr. Roosevelt really wanted to extract the fangs of the trusts from the public flesh he would recommend the abolition of the tariff duties from all trust-made articles. That he makes no such recommendation convicts him either of ignorance or insincerity, and he and his friends can choose whichever horn of the dilemma that best pleases them. It will avail them not. Mr. Roosevelt has not moved a finger to remove one oppressive condition from which the public suffers. But he has talked like a great big lubberly, irresponsible schoolboy, and his irresponsible preaching has destroyed confidence in the minds of conservative business men.

Cape Tollgates Abolished.

A Jefferson City dispatch, giving a synopsis of the proceedings of the Missouri Supreme court, says: "The finishing touch was placed upon the abolition of the tollroads in Cape Girardeau and Scott counties, which have been in operation for more than fifty years. A year or so ago proceedings were instituted against the companies operating them to restrain them perpetually from exacting toll from the public traveling over the roads and to require them to remove the tollgates obstructing the roads. The companies resisted this, contending that the lower court in so sustaining the injunction was seizing private property without rendering compensation. Chief Justice Gantt wrote the opinion, sustaining the lower court. He said, in part: 'This is not a case wherein private property is sought to be taken for public use without just compensation. In some states compensation is made to toll-road owners at the expiration of their charters, but in those states it is expressly provided by law that such compensation shall be made. No such provision is made by law in this state.'"

BEN ADAMS, that wicked old Republican editor of the Cape Girardeau Democrat, takes a fall out of his own crowd occasionally that is worth while. He says:

"From the report obtained it is certain that Roosevelt killed three more Louisiana bears than he did trusts.

And he has been hunting trusts, he claims, the last three years. But another from Ben:

Some of these days when the New York World is thinking of Mr. Bryan it will bite itself and then will have to hustle to a Pasteur institute.

That's what we have been thinking would be the result of the Globe-Democrat's vicious attempts to get up trouble for Mr. Bryan And then see what kindly words Ben can say when he knows he is speaking of a good man, regardless of party:

The democratic papers over the state that are boosting W. H. Miller of this city for attorney general would just as well pull in their towlines. The attorney general's office is too small for Mr. Miller. If the democrats and democratic papers of Missouri want a big, brainy man for governor they should right about face and begin an earnest, aggressive campaign for W. H. Miller of Cape Girardeau county. For governor Mr. Miller is head and shoulders above any man they have in their party. Let up on this attorney general business and talk sense.

Taft's Finish.

Under the above heading The Independent says: The Johnson victory not only eliminates Taft, but insures the nomination of Hughes. The "near panic," blame for which is given Roosevelt, started the movement toward the New York governor, and the Cleveland election has given it the final impetus.

Taft is recognized as a Roosevelt puppet, a ponderous sort of marionette, and public feeling is setting in against the president. Hughes has skilfully placed himself in a position to get the advantage of this reaction. His insurance investigation record gave him a great reputation as a reformer, and while guarding it very carefully, he has taken pains to conciliate the money kings and cater to "vested rights" and the "interests." He has also antagonized the Roosevelt policies in subtle fashion, deprecating this and gravely rebuking that, so that he has really become the logical man for the anti-Roosevelt sentiment to crystallize about.

Taken all in all, Hughes is anything but a safe man. Cold, calculating, and inherently a friend of wealth and power, his reform reputation is a musbroom growth without value or permanence. Outside of his insurance investigation he has done nothing to justify faith in him as a champion of the people. He vetoed a 2-cent fare bill, and has seen to it that no measures have passed that jeopardized the railroad interests.

But the people have some belief in him, and this is being cleverly fostered by the Wall street captains who see in Hughes a man that can be used. The Cleveland result proves that all this secret work is having its effect, and that Taft is a dead cock in the pit.

"Missouri is always to the front," says a St. Louis contemporary. "Yes, indeed," rejoins Will Martin in the Liberal Enterprise. "She acquired the habit by handling mules."—Kansas City Post.

Our Correspondents.

Shrum.

Most of our farmers are done gathering corn.

A large congregation attended church at New Salem Sunday. Prayer meeting and singing there every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Maud Davault attended church at New Salem Sunday.

The candy breaking at Mrs. John Peters's was well attended and a good time was reported.

Miss Texie Yount visited home folks Sunday evening.

WILD IRISHMAN, JR.

[Another from Shrum.]

Rev. F. F. Yount filled his regular appointment at New Salem Saturday and Sunday.

Farmers are busy gathering corn the last few days.

Misses Clara and Ida Peters gave the young folks a candy breaking Saturday night, and all who attended report an enjoyable time.

Marvin Robins and Miss Lizzie Long attended church at New Salem Sunday.

Linus Bridges and Miss Texie Yount of near Mayfield visited at the home of Wm. M. Pair Sunday.

Misses Blanche and Gertrude Pair visited their uncle, J. T. Pair, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shrock of near Lutesville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Filer Sunday evening.

'Tis said that Arch Rhodes got the top of his hat torn off while baling hay at Shrum's the other day. UNCONCERNED.

Drum.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nenninger are visiting at Thomas Snider's.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones a boy.

Mrs. F. M. Snider and daughter are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Miss Helen Huffman and Miss Mary Snider visited the Council Ridge school Friday.

Lon Pittman, Will Strong, and Adam Berry are hauling logs for Dr. Finney.

Elmer Poston is on the puny list.

Will Lubbers returned to his home Saturday.

George Nenninger expects to move his sawmill to his home very soon.

COUNTRY LAD.

Huskey.

Born—October 27, to Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Ramsey, twins—a boy and girl.

T. L. McGraw, proprietor of the Guest hotel, at Columbus, Ky., was here Wednesday and Thursday, looking after his farm near this place.

Mrs. John Call and granddaughter, Miss Willie Robertson, of Lutesville, visited relatives in this vicinity the last of the week.

Albert Barrett of Lutesville came out Tuesday and returned home Wednesday with Mrs. Barrett, who had been spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Thomas Huskey.

Oscar Huskey of Cape Girardeau is visiting relarives near here. He has just returned from a trip out west, and was in the railroad wreck near Little Rock, Ark., in which five persons were killed.

Sheriff Kirkpatrick was calling in this vicinity last week.

Herman Rastl is having his residence repaired and will have a neat building when completed. XENOPHON.

Loyd.

Ross and Lum Trentham are on the sick list.

"Uncle Sam" Hawn is in feeble health.

"Grandma" Davault of Marble Hill is staying with Mrs. John Slinkard now.

Some of our boys have returned from Dunklin and report a shortage in the cotton crop, and claim that prosperity is not as rich a thing down there as they heard it was.

Rumor says there is to be a wedding in this community soon.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Vester Venable, recently, a fine boy. All doing nicely.

J. M. Henderson has improved the appearance of his dwelling house with a new coat of paint.

Our people are doing quite a lot of improving, in the way of building and repairing. George Rhodes is building a new house, and Charley has his new barn almost completed. Jacob Wallis is enlarging and repairing his barn. Will Davenport is repairing his house and making it a two-story building.

NEWSBOY.

Drank Branch.

I haven't much news, but thought you would like to hear from these people again.

Corn gathering is about over and getting wood and making fires keep us busy now.

H. Blanken has made a new addition to his dwelling, recently, which adds much to its appearance.

Asa and Melvin Stevens of near Scopus visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Masters, last week.

Grandma Formway is still very feeble.

W. H. Cobb has purchased G. W. Masters' timber and is making a fine lot of ties.

F. Schrader has put a new roof on his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ossig of Glen Allen visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Masters, on our creek, last week.

N. W. Huffman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cobb attended the funeral of little Clarence Cobb, in the flatwoods, Nov. 4.

Robert Estes and family of near Huskey moved onto H. Blanken's farm last week.

G. W. Masters is visiting relatives and friends near Glen Allen this week.

John Bollinger, who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Mary Cobb visited Laflin last Monday. A LOST KID.

Panther Creek.

Farmers are about done gathering corn. The weather has been fine for the work and no time was wasted.

J. H. Estes and Joe Myers of Burfordville were in this vicinity last week on business.

Judge J. P. Limbaugh and Attorney R. G. Hartle went to Marble Hill last Saturday. The latter had been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hartle.

Evangelist A. F. Slinkard has returned from Mississippi county, where he spent a few days in the interest of his work.

Mrs. J. E. Hutson and son are visiting relatives at Oran.

Russell Limbaugh had business at Marble Hill last Saturday.

D. D. Killian and son passed thru here one day last week trying to get trace of a horse said to have been stolen from a Mrs. Pierce near Scopus.

J. A. Gilliland has had his house painted, which adds much to its appearance.

Hilary Limbaugh made a trip to Huskey last Friday.

J. J. Hahn had business at the county seat Monday.

W. A. Propst has ordered a shingle saw which he will add to his machinery. He will then be prepared to grind corn, saw wood, shingles and plaster laths.

F. F. Pierce sold some fine hogs to Hunter Limbaugh last week.

J. F. Crites and family visited relatives at Millerville last week.

Success to our county paper.

HERCULES.

Sedgewickville.

Wood hauling and corn gathering seem to be the order of the day.

P. S. Statler's new residence is nearly completed and is a neat building.

William R. Hahs has completed and moved into his new dwelling.

Watch us! We are going to report a wedding soon.

Misses Maude Jacobs and Eula Hahs made a trip to Perryville last Saturday.

Miss Louise Miderhoff of near Oak Ridge is visiting at J. W. Fulbright's this week.

Esq. A. J. Statler, who has been visiting relatives in Illinois several days, returned home a few days ago.

Several of our boys, who have been working at Fredericktown several weeks, have returned home.

We understand the Pioneer Cooperage company will move their factory from this place soon, as they have about run out of timber.

Elisha Masters has bought F. O. Schlatitz's property here and will move to town in the near future.

Mrs. L. M. Wills of Desloge visited relatives in this vicinity a couple of weeks ago. While at her daughter's, Mrs. Alex Seabaugh, a few friends came in and all were entertained by some good music which was furnished by Harry Seabaugh's graphophone. JAY.

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Bessville.

Rev. Wood came up from Glen Allen, where he has been assisting Rev. Hodges in a meeting, and filled his appointment at Union Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Whitener returned home from a visit to her son, Clyde, last Saturday.

Misses Minta Hale and Dora Bess visited their cousin, Miss Preshia Barks, on Castor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins of Ohio arrived last Friday and are living on the F. M. Watts farm.

Uncle Jacob Bess visited his daughter, Mrs. Lanpher, at Whitewater, and she returned with him to visit relatives.

Jim Garner of Fredericktown spent Sunday with relatives.

Steve Huffman and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. Sam Shetley, at Fredericktown the first of the week.

'Squire Huskey visited 'Squire Venable one night last week.

Taylor Rea's child is still quite sick.

Married—At the home of the bride, Sunday, November 10, Julius Zimmerman and Miss Lou Rhodes. Their many friends join in wishing them a prosperous journey through life.

"Uncle Billy" Rhodes, an old and well-known resident of this county, died at the home of his son-in-law, Peter Welker, Nov. 11. He had been in very poor health for several years.

Mrs. Susan Watts and daughter, Miss Clara, returned last week from a visit to her son at St. Marys.

Rev. J. M. Welker has had some improvements made on his house.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mabuce were summoned to the bedside of Mrs. Muench, Monday, as she was very much worse.

Will Davenport is rebuilding his residence. BESSVILLIAN.

Glen Allen.

Miss Carolyn Berry, who has been working as trimmer at St. Louis, returned home Tuesday evening.

Miss Floe Berryman, our accomplished school teacher, went to Lutesville last week.

P. J. Burford, our station agent, went to Doniphan Friday evening and has accepted the position of agent at that place.

L. P. O'Connor of Fredericktown is our new agent.

Riley Johnson is here inspecting ties this week.

Jesse Watkins and wife of Oran visited Mrs. Watkins's mother, Mrs. Howard, at this place a few days last week.

Everett Zimmerman went to Festus Friday to visit his parents. He will go to DeSoto, in a few days, to be sent out as operator.

Mrs. P. J. Burford and children and Miss Bessie Hall are visiting relatives at Lutesville.

The revival meetings at the Methodist Episcopal church, south, are accomplishing much good.

Ed Stine was indisposed a few days last week.

W. H. Vann, traveling auditor of the I. M. & S. railway, was in Glen Allen Friday, making station transfer.

NEWSBOY.

Hahn.

William Fee is quite sick.

Willis Deal has just received a large bill of fruit trees and is busy transplanting them in his orchard.

Messrs. Ira and J. I. Gray have just returned from Texas where they have been sojourning some time for the benefit of the climate.

Corn gathering is the order of the day just now.

F. M. Francis gave a corn husking last Saturday night, which was enjoyed by all present.

Rev. D. E. Barrett filled his regular appointment at the Dry Creek church last Sunday. A large congregation was present.

Lucky Fee is driving J. W. G. Hahn's team—hauling staves from Buchanan.

Grover Key is running P. W. Wilkerson's engine these days.

L. W. Andrus has just returned home from Kentucky, where he spent some time visiting relatives and friends. Some dogs got in to his sheep and killed some of them during his absence.

Pop Cullens and Miss Bessie Sloan of Greenbrier were united in marriage on Thursday, November 11, 1907. We wish them a long, happy and prosperous voyage.

Miss Ethel Day of near Hahn left recently for Warren, Arkansas, to visit her brother, Smith Day.

J. C. Cobbel and C. H. Barker are catching the 'possums these nights.

H. S. Shell is to be our new postmaster shortly.

Mrs. I. J. Murray, who has been on the sick list some time, is improving.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carpenter, recently, a little son, which was claimed by the death angel. The bereaved parents have our heartfelt sympathies.

A. P. and Thomas McKelvy have returned from Mingo. They report a good time and plenty of fish. A GABBLER.

Laflin.

Health continues good.

Will Lubbers of Illinois, who had the misfortune to shoot his hand so badly a short time ago, is much improved and returned to his home last Saturday.

Henry Market of St. Louis is visiting relatives and friends in this section.

Leon Rose has moved into the residence lately purchased of Mrs. Fisher of Leopold.

A revival meeting is being held at Barks chapel by Revs. Patton and Lincoln. Much good is reported.

The Grisham Mill company continues to cut lots of lumber, regardless of the "financial flurry."

As we democrats are held responsible for every calamity when in power, I guess there is too much prosperity just now, and Teddy and his republican administration are responsible for the close down all over the United States—banks bursting, mills closing, business depressed, farm products down the grade. This is republican hash—swallow it down, boys! Look out for free soup houses. Too much prosperity. The bottom rail is on top this time.

Rev. W. J. Poston preached here Sunday morning and evening.

Ho, for Thanksgiving! For a turkey, Ho, Ho! Where will I find one? Maybe I will have to eat crow if the panic continues.

Our Sunday school is making fine progress.

Corn gatherers are hustling this ideal weather.

A. Hulshof, the stock dealer, continues to buy cattle and hogs.

Several of our people are improving their residences this fall.

Our merchants seem to have a good trade. I don't know whether they advertise or or not.

Mrs. L. J. Grimsley and Mrs. Laura Clingingsmith, who have been visiting at Cape Girardeau the last week, returned home Saturday.

G. E. Kinder has been up in district 8, the last week, collecting delinquent poll taxes. TRAILER.

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