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Farmington Times

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1905.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

State Senator ..... J. L. BRADLEY
Representative ..... C. F. ARNOLD
Presiding Judge Co. Court ..... C. T. TULLOCK
County Judge First District ..... LO. J. MAYBERRY
County Judge Second District ..... ALLEN HILL
Judge of Probate ..... H. O. NATIONS
Clerk Circuit Court ..... J. C. WILLIAMS
Clerk county Court ..... J. A. LAWRENCE
Collector ..... C. R. DENMAN
Treasurer ..... J. P. PATTON
Sheriff ..... J. J. CROKE
Prosecuting Attorney ..... GEO. M. WILSON
Assessor ..... E. R. HORTON
County Surveyor ..... P. E. FRANCISCO
Coroner ..... R. R. DOWNING
Public Administrator ..... T. T. DALTON
School Commissioner ..... A. H. AKERS

COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT—C. A. Kinlen, Judge—Second Mondays in May, August and November.

COUNTY COURT—First Mondays in February, May, August and November.

PROBATE COURT—Second Mondays in January, April, July and October.

CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. E. C. Hudson, Pastor—Preaching Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Wm. M. Hale, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL, SOUTH—Rev. ——, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Morris Perkin, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. W. R. McCormick, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Dr. W. E. Elliot, superintend't. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

BAPTIST—Rev. W. M. Rudolph, Pastor. Preaching every sunday, morning and evening. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., W. A. Croce, Superintendent. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening. Junior B. Y. P. U. meets Sunday at 3 p. m. and senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Eld. Edw. Owers, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a. m., J. S. Clay, Superintendent. Christian Endeavor Society every Sunday evening at 6:30.

LUTHERAN—Rev. A. L. Roehling, Pastor. Preaching every sunday morning except the fourth; catechism after church.

CATHOLIC—Rev. Father Toomey, resident priest. Mass every Sunday except first at 10 o'clock, catechism same day at 2:30.

Lackman's for drugs.

"It's fresh at Klein's."

Union made shoes at Herzog's.

Office supplies at Pelty's Book Store.

Any kind of canned goods at Klein's.

Leave your order for turkey at Klein's.

Dr. Braning went to St. Louis yesterday.

New line of silverware just received at Tetley's.

You get pure coal oil at Klein's. You need it.

J. Edward Gatton was down from St. Louis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rottger, are in St. Louis this week.

Turkeys, cranberries, mince meat, and celery at Klein's.

F. M. Alexander of Irondale was in town Wednesday.

Joe F. Waller of Jaydee was in town on business last Monday.

"Snipe-hunting" is getting to be popular around Farmington.

C. C. Garrett of Elvins had business in Farmington Tuesday.

Chase and Sanborn's coffee 25c per pound at Klein's. It's good.

Louis Yeates of Loughboro was down Wednesday on business.

You will always find a full line of the best make of Shoes at Herzog's.

Rev. Rudolph will go to Oak Ridge for an appointment Saturday.

Furnished or unfurnished rooms to rent. Apply to Mrs. R. R. Highley

Let us quote you prices on canned goods, in dozen lots.—Klein Grocer Co.

F. M. Matkin of Doe Run transacted business in Farmington last Friday.

Your Thanksgiving dinner will be a success, if you get yur turkey at Klein's.

Mr. and Mrs. Haley Fredericktown visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Wiber of Kansas City is the guest of Mrs. Kuhn at State Hospital No. 4.

You will find the best meats of all kinds at the City Meat Market, (Thos Autsen's.)

Mrs. L. F. Castleman and little daughter, Virginia, visited in Potosi last week.

Miss Mary Dorsey of Columbia is visiting her cousins, Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Hickok.

Bring your tintypes or photos to Kahn. He will make you 16x20 pictures for a dollar.

After January 1st, 1906, the name of Owl Creek post-office will be changed to Leadwood.

Bart Walker, John C. McCormick and Vernon Doss were St. Louis visitors the first of the week.

Officer Jo Alexander of the St. Louis police is down this week visiting relatives and friends.

H. N. Bono of Doe Run was in town yesterday and left The Times a substantial favor.

Rev. George Steel of Ironton will preach at the Baptist church here Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. W. M. Rudolph and children will leave to-morrow (Saturday) for a visit to friends at Oran, Mo.

Send a Christian Church Calendar to some absent friend. Apply to Mrs. Fugate or Mrs. J. W. Buck.

Ledgers, journals, cash books, record books, day books, order books and counter books at Pelty's Book Store

You can buy watches, clocks and all kinds of jewelry cheaper at Tetley's than any other place in the county.

Van B. Cunningham of Marshall, Mo., was here the past week attending the trial of his brother, James W. Cunningham.

Use 4 cups of Gold Medal Flour in the place of using 5 cups of other kinds. It makes as much bread and better.—Klein Grocer Company.

The Christian Church Calendar is for sale by Mrs. J. W. Buck and Mrs. Fugate. Price 25 cents. Send one to a friend who is away from here.

Dube Wilson started on his return to Hamilton, Ontario, Wednesday. His sister, Miss Mary Wilson, accompanied him as far as St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perringer went over to Arcadia Saturday to see their daughter, Miss Josie, who is attending the Ursuline Convent at that place.

Dr. Vernon, Assistant superintendant of State Hospital No. 4, went to Marshall, Mo., this week with a couple of patients to be transferred to the Colony of Feeble Minded at that place.

Messrs. R. M. Abercrombie of St. Joseph and David Reese of Poplar Bluff, Republican members, and Wes Robinson of Gallatin secretary of the State Board of Charities, visited State Hospital No. 4 last Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will serve a supper on the evening of their bazaar at the Opera House, Friday evening, December. 8. Later in the evening there will be a concert, to which an admission of ten cents will be charged. Save your money to buy your Christmas presents there, both useful and ornamental.

Contractor Hallett, of Aurora, Ill., has completed the sewer at State Hospital No. 4, and left this week for home. The sewerage will add much to the convenience and healthful condition of the hospital. Mr. Hallett, we are informed will go to the Philippines, where he has a government contract aggregating $1,500,000.

The Genevieve Baptist Church of Ste. Genevieve county, at their conference meeting on the 18th inst., passed resolutions rescending their former action in employing Dr. T. B. Ausmus as pastor, on charges preferred against him, coming from other churches, and which they believed were fully sustained by the evidence furnished them.

W. T. Haile, R. W. Knight and John McCormick opened a skating rink in the Jacobi brick building, opposite Boswell and Helber's, last night (Thursday). A new hardwood floor, well finished, will furnish pleasure to the people of Farmington and the neighboring towns. Children will be free to-morrow (Saturday) morning from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sunday, November 26th, is Boys' and Girls' Rally Day" at the Christian Church. In the morning the pastor will preach on "The Value of a Child." The evening service will consist of songs, readings, etc., by the boys and girls under the direction of Mrs. Dunlap. This promises to be equal to any service of its kind given in the church. Come and hear the children. Time, 7:30 p. m.. An offering will be received for Home Missions.

Horace Siberell writes that John S. Zeran, who has until recently been engaged in business, has felt a call to go into the more active service of the ministry in which he will be assisted by the musical ability of his wife. They already have a number of calls for meetings and with their ability and the experience they have already had in religious work they should prove valuable servants in the ministry of the Lord. Brother Zeran may be addressed at Farmington, Mo.—Christian-Evangelist.

Thanksgiving Services.

In compliance with the proclamation of the President, and of the Governor of the State of Missouri, a union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday, November 30th, at 10:30 a. m. Elder Edward Owers, pastor of the Christian Church, will preach the sermon.

The Ministers' Alliance would suggest to the merchants, that if possible they so arrange their business as to close their stores at 10 o'clock on that day, that they and their assistants can attend this service.

A Good Movement.

Some of the ladies in town have arranged for a table of literature, in the store of McCormick & Henderson. All magazines and papers for distribution will be gladly received at this table. Any home feeling the need of reading matter can there obtain same free of charge.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Disposion Made of State Cases at Present Term.

Kossuth Mitchell, assault with intent to kill, continued to December 11th.

A. J. Ryan, assault with intent to kill, continued to next term at cost of State.

Gainin Bowen, murder, continued to December 11th.

Wm. Dooley, murder, continued generally by State.

James and Henry Harris, murder, continued to next regular term upon application of defendant on account of absence of witnesses, Robert Maupin and Edward Canter.

Wayman Cayce, petit larceny, continued to next term.

Clarence Marler, murder, continued to third Monday in February, 1906, at cost of defendant.

F. M. Robbins, forgery, plea of guilty of forgery in third degree and punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary and sentenced. Defendant being but 18 years of age, with consent of Prosecuting Attorney, is paroled and bond fixed at $500. Defendant says right name is F. M. Robbins and bond and proceedings taken in open court in that name.

Wm. Goforth, removing mortgaged property, plea of guilty as to misdemeanor and fine of $25.

J. W. Cunningham, murder, trial by jury and verdict of acquittal.

Chester Profitt, grand larceny, plea of guilty and punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary.

George Horn, murder, continued, on account of defendant being physically unable to attend trial, to next regular term and ordered set for third day and witnesses notified.

James Scmar, assault to kill, continued on application of defendant on account of absence of witnesses to third Monday in February next.

Kahn has just received a big line of panels and moulding, and will make you any size frame while you wait.

Dr Green's Lecture.

Dr. Thomas E. Green will lecture this (Friday) evening at the Opera House, under the auspices of the High School Entertainment Course. Don't fail to hear him. Following is one of the many favorable comments of Dr. Green's success as a lecturer:

Last night Dr. Green delivered his lecture, "The Key to the Twentieth Century," to a crowded house, and I think I am making a conservative statement when I tay he completely captured his entire audience.

Many patrons of the lecture course have already requested that we secure him for next year and that certainly is our intention.

We expected him to be fine—he far surpassed our expectations.

FRANK MIDDLETON, Secy.
Oct. 25, 1905. Unionville, Mo.

Why Not
Have Better Bread?
By Using
Gold Medal Flour.
You Find It
For Sale At
Klein Grocer Co.'s

East Lynne.

This old and popular melo-drama will be presented at the Opera House in Farmington Wednesday night, November 29th. The beautiful and pleasing emotional actress, Miss Adrene LaPorte, will appear in the title role, and will be supported by a good company with all the necessary paraphernalia and fine scenic equipment. East Lynne is one of the plays that never wears out, and people who see it once go to see it again. Remember the date, Wednesday, November 29th.

Ledgers, journals, cash books, record books, day books, order books and counter books at Pelty's Book Store.

Publisher to Manage Bank.

A controlling interest in the bank of Maplewood has been sold by John L. and Robert A. Swink to G. A. Hoffman, superintendent of the Christian publishing company of St. Louis. Mr. Hoffman lives on Marshall avenue, Maplewood, and until recently conducted services in the Christian church, which had rooms in the bank building. As soon as the transfer is completed, the Swink brothers will leave for southern California. Mr. Hoffman acquires about 80 per cent of the property from the Swinks, the balance being held by business men of the town.—Globe-Democrat.

Just received at Tetley's a new line of plain and set rings, pins, cuff buttons, chains and all kinds of jewelry.

Opera House Calendar.

Friday, November 24—Dr. Thomas E. Green, lecturer.

Wednesday, Nov. 29—East Lynne.

Tuesday, December 5—Bonne Terre Band.

Wednesday, December 6—Frank R. Roberson.

Friday, December 8—Presbyterian Bazaar.

Friday, December 29—The Banker's Daughter.

Notice.

Subscriptions taken for every Magazine and Newspaper published, U. S. or foreign, at Pelty's Book Store.

CUNNINGHAM ACQUITTED.

A Jury of Twelve Men Declare He is Not Guilty of Murder as Charged.

The case of James W. Cunningham, which was begun in the Circuit Court at Farmington last Friday, terminated by a verdict of acquittal at 4:25 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, the jury being out just twenty minutes.

As is well remembered, James W. Cunningham killed Hon. John Sherrlock, his father-in-law, on June 1st last by striking him on the head with a fence stick, crushing his skull. The State's theory supported by a testimony of a personal and circumstantial character, was that Cunningham and Shearlock were bitter personal enemies, this feeling growing out of business and domestic relations; that Shearlock passed along where Cunningham was at work on the day before the killing (May 31st) on the way to Esther and Flat River; that Cunningham had reason to believe deceased would return the same way on the afternoon of the day of the killing; that Cunningham had quarreled with his two sons, Harry and Firman, the evening before and the morning of the homicide, and said that he had forbid Shearlock to come upon his premises, and if he did they (the boys) would "hear something drop;" that defendant went to the place of the homicide expecting and hoping that his enemy would come along; that he did come on his usual way home from Esther, and seeing him coming defendant hid behind a large dead elm tree, and as Shearlock climbed the fence Cunningham assassinated him; that the position of the body, the location of the tree and the fence and the physical facts all tended strongly to establish murder in the first degree.

The attorneys for the defendant set up a plea of self-defense, and established by Cunningham, the only living eye-witness, and corroborated by others and the physical facts, that just as Cunningham had finished closing up a gap of two panels of the fence Shearlock was seen by him in the act of climbing the fence; that Cunningham forbade him to come over on his premises, but that Shearlock climbed over, and when over said to defendant, "G—d— you, I see I have to kill you, and I'd as well do it now," and started toward Cunningham, pulling his 38-caliber Colt's revolver; that Cunningham jumped to the tree for protection, and seeing the fence stick grabbed it, swung around the tree and dealt the fatal blow. The defense further showed by the testimony of witnesses that Shearlock bore a bad reputation as a turbulent and dangerous man, and that he had previously made dangerous and desperate threats against the life of Cunningham; that Cunningham had borne a most excellent reputation.

The instructions were in the usual form for murder in the first and second degrees. Prosecuting Attorney George M. Wilson, assisted by Jasper N. Burks and Jerrry B. Burks, represented the State, while Madison R. Smith, Benj. H. Marbury, Walter L. Hensley and Charles Randle represented the defendant.

An unusual thing occurred just after the verdict of acquittal was returned—the singing of the doxology, Rev. Van B. Cunningham brother of the defendant, leading the singing.

The trial jury were Daniel O'Sullivan, H. E. Evans, J. F. Hinkle, Claud J. Hill, Richmond Cole, John Mullen, Joseph Banks, Albert Belkin, David Painter, J. H. Lupke, C. W. Sandford and Chas W. Johnson.

Kahn has cut prices on all kinds of photo work 25 per cent. Now is the time to have work done.

Pleasant Tin Wedding.

A very delightful evening affair was the tin wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Butterfield, celebrated at their pleasant home in Farmington last Monday evening, November 20th. Two hundred invitations were sent out; for the older crowd from 6:30 to 9 o'clock, while the young folks were entertained from 9 to 11.

The house was very prettily decorated with carnations and green. Delicious ices were served from the dining room by Mrs. Joseph E. Cover and Mrs. Jerry B. Burks, Miss Emma Keller, in her charming way, served punch, and Miss Anna Butterfield gracefully filled the position of door-keeper.

Many beautiful and useful gifts of aluminum, tin and nickel-plated ware were sent, filling a large dining room tabel to overflowing.

The crowd broke up at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield many happy returns of the day.

Bulk, sweet and dill pickles at Klein's.

Unequaled line of
LADIES' and MISSES' COATS and WRAPS.
Unsurpassed in style, quality and lowness of prices.
Cole & Nixon Merc. Co.

CARLETON O, CAPE NORMAL O

Game Called in Middle of Second Half on Account of Cape's Slugging Tactics.

In one of the most exciting games ever seen in Farmington, the Carleton College foot ball team of this city held the heavy Cape Girardeau Normal team to an 0-0 score on Carleton fiel, last Saturday.

In the first half Carleton carried the ball to Cape's three yard line, and on the third down had a yard and a half to gain, when fullback Pipkin was sent through left tackle for two yards. Cape was given the ball, however, because the umpire had told Carleton they had a yard and a half to gain when they had three yards. Bernard immediately punted the ball away from their goal and regained it on Carleton's 30 yard line on a fumble and carried it twenty yards, which was as near as they got to Carleton's goal.

In the second half Carleton received the kick and were marching steadily down the field for a touchdown. Half-back Wilson went around the end, and when he was tackled one of the Cape men, seeing his team had no chance to win the game, ran up and brutally kicked Wilson in the back as he was trying to rise. Then one of the Carleton men,(we were unable to find out who) seeing this, hit the man who kicked Wilson.

The Cape captain demanded that this man be put off the field and Captain Schweer of Carleton said if they would put the man who slugged Wilson out that he would put his man out. This the Cape captain refused to do and called his men off the field. The line-up:

CARLETON		CAPE
Waide	l e	Akins
O'Herron	l t	Hawkins
DeGrant	l g	Marshall
Laws	c	Kinder
Henrick	r g	Friant
Schweer (Capt)	r t	DeClue
Nations	r e	Collins
Wilson D.	q b	McNeely
Miller	l h b	Bernard
Wilson A.	r h b	Corleaux Capt
Pipkin	f b	Pfatenhauer

Referee—Taylor, Carleton; Umpire, Thaxter, Cape; Head linesman, Woods, Yale; time of halves, 30 minutes.

Tetley's is the best place to buy sewing machines. He has them from $15 to $30. Call and see his line before purchasing el-sewhere.

COMMERCIAL COLLEGE NOTES

Prof. Moothart has returned from his Poplar Bluff School and reports everything in good condition.

Our enrollment now stands fifty-nine, S. Weilar of Ste. Genevieve having enrolled this week. Who will be the sixtieth?

Prof. Butler of Belleville, Tex., arrived last week and has been engaged to act as substitute instructor during such times as President Moothart is called out of the city. Mr. Butler is an experienced Commercial College teacher.

The first program of the Students' Improvement Society was given Tuesday afternoon and proved a creditable success. President Tucker's address contained some strong points, which should be carried out by all of the students. The debaters handled their question, "Resolved, that Grant was a greater general than Washington," in a very forcible manner, the judges rendering a decision in favor of the affirmative. President Tucker called on Master Willie Moothart to recite, which he did in a very acceptable manner. The second program is to be rendered next Monday, 2 p. m.

JAPANESE WOMEN'S CODE.

Teachings Which Have Become Part of the Practice in Every Household.

The work of the Countess Oyama and other Japanese women in organizing the hospital service of Tokio and the various societies for aiding the Japanese army is distinguished for its splendid spirit and its modern method. Anyone who has watched and admired it, says Youth's Companion, will take up with amused wonder a recent book—the translation of the precepts of a Japanese sage, which for generations have been the foundation of feminine training in Japan.

The book itself is not now much used, but its teachings have become a part of the practice of every Japanese household.

"The worst infirmities that afflict the female," says the sage, Kaibara Ekken, "are indocility, slander, jealousy and stilliness. These infirmities are found in seven or eight out of every ten women, and from them arise the inferiority of women to men."

He boldly puts the doctrine of the wife's obedience on an impregnable ground. "Such is the stupidity of woman's character," he says, "that it is incumbent on her in every particular to distrust herself and obey her husband."

The system of rewards and punishment for women extends over this life and the life to come, and maintains an ingenious balance. "A woman must look on her husband," says Kaibara, "as if he were heaven itself, and never weary of thinking how she may yield to her husband, and thus escape celestial castigation."

Kaibara disapproves for woman indulgence in the pleasures of the theater, of music, of wine, and even of tea. Curiously enough, he would not have her very religious, and this for a reason which no Christian would be likely to guess—a kind of conjugal jealousy of heaven! "The wife," he says, "must not enter into an irreverent familiarity with the gods."

This is a highly oriental view of woman's place in the scheme of things. Yet no one who knows the best Japanese women can doubt that, whether because of Kaibara's teaching, or in spite of it, they are a lovely type of gracious, gentle, vigorous, loyal, achieving womanhood. They may have been slaves in the past, but they were always charming slaves. Now that new Japan is setting them free, their liberty has not destroyed their charm, but enhanced it.

New York citizens have inaugurated a move to secure a law compelling sources of campaign expenses be made public.

School crayons 5c per box at Pelty's Book Store.

Kahn will make you a 16x20 picture and frame it for $2.95.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat	95
Oats	40
Corn	50@ 60
Flour ₩ 100	$2 50, @ $2 70
Meal	70 @ 75
Shipstuff (sacked)	1 10
Bran "	95
Mixed Feed	1 00
Hay ₩ ton	10 00
Irish Potatoes	50 @ 60
Sweet Potatoes	75
Onions	1 00
Dried Apples	08
Chickens ₩ ℔	06
Frying Chickens	10
Eggs ₩ doz	25
Apples ₩ bushel	1 25
Butter ₩ ℔	15
Beans ₩ bushel	2 25
Bacon ₩ ℔	11
Lard ₩ ℔	10
Tallow ₩ ℔	04
Sorghum Molasses	40
Salt ₩ bbl	1 40
Honey	15
Beeswax ₩ ℔	20

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public sale, at the Thomas Harris farm, two miles north of Libertyville and eight miles south of Farmington, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25,

the following personal property, to-wit: 7 milch cows, 5 yearling heifers, 3 cows, 2 work horses, 1 brood mare; 1 binder, 1 wheat drill, 1 cultivator, 1 corn drill, 1 mowing machine, 1 rake, 1 farm wagon, 1 hay frame, plows, etc., hay in stack, some baled hay, 1 straw stack.

Terms of Sale—All sums of $5.00 and under cash in hand; on all sums over $5.00 a credit of 10 months will be given, purchaser to give note with approved security, at the rate of 6 per cent. interest from maturity. On all sums over $5.00 a discount of 6 per cent. will be allowed for cash payments.

C. H. LEWIS.

City Meat Market
THOS. AUTSEN, Prop.
Best meats always on hand. 2½ per cent. discount on cash sales. All orders by 'phone promptly attended to.
PHONE No. 140.

NSTICE TO CITY TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the city of Farmington for taxes, that the taxbooks are now in my possession and the taxes thereon due, and I will be in attendance at my office during each day of the week from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. to collect same until

JANUARY 1, 1906.

And further, that unless said taxes are fully paid before said date they shall become delinquent and their collection will be enforced as provided by State law and ordinance of said city concerning revenue.

This 3rd day of November, 1905.

W. L. SACKMANN,
City Collector

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of JOSEPH AUBUCHON, Deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator, at the next Term of the Probate Court of St. Francois County, Missouri, to be holden at Farmington, in said county, on the second week in January, 1906.

N. A. AUBUCHON,
Administrator.

Nov. 16, 1905.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executors of the estate of RICHARD MOORE, Deceased, will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Court House in Farmington, Missouri, on the second Monday in April, 1905.

ALFRED MOORE,
Executor.

Nov ember 24, 1905.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of GEORGE W. FORSHEE, Deceased, will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Court House in Farmington in said county, on the second Monday in January 1906.

E. M. FORSHEE, Adm'r.

Nov. 3, 1905.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentery on the estate of Mary J. McCormick, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Mo.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if said claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Farmington, Sept. 26, 1905.

JUNIUS C. McCORMICK,
Executor of Mary J. McCormick, Deceased.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT
—OF THE—
FINANCIAL CONDITION
—OF THE—
ST. FRANCOIS COUNTY BANK,

At Farmington, State of Missouri,

At the close of business on the 9th day of November, 1905, published in the Farmington Times, a newspaper printed and published at Farmington, State of Missouri, on the 24th day of November, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	$103,027.29
Loans, real estate	7,297.35
overdrafts	590.97
Bonds and stocks	600.00
Real estate (banking house)	6,000.00
Other real estate	600.00
Furniture and fixtures	750.00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	15,641.29
Cash items	1,233.62
Currency	4,505.00
Specie	1,058.01
Other resources as follows	600.00
Total	$140,044.03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 20,000.00
Surplus fund	6,000.00
Undivided profits, net	2,315.25
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	1,500.00
Individual deposits subject to check	91,425.34
Time certificates of deposit	16,018.84
Demand certificates of deposit	600.00
Cashier's checks	1,186.00
Bills payable and re-discounts	600.00
Other liabilities as follows	600.00
Total	$140,044.03

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of St. Francois, }

We, Thos. H. Stam, as president, and J. E. Cover, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

THOS. H. STAM, President.
J. E. COVER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of November, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five.

SEAL. Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. (Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring June 20th, 1909.)

MERRILL PIPKIN, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
J. M. MORRIS,
E. E. SWINK,
W. T. HAILE,
Directors.

A Proclamation!
By SANTA CLAUS

BEING ANXIOUS TO DISTRIBUTE MY CHRISTMAS GIFTS TO THE GOOD PEOPLE OF THIS TOWN AND VICINITY IN THE MOST EFFECTIVE AND SATISFACTORY MANNER, I HAVE APPOINTED JACOB HELBER MY AGENT FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON OF 1905, AND HEREBY COMMAND EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD TO GO TO HIS STORE WHERE ONE AND ALL WILL FIND THOSE PRESENTS WHICH THEY MOST DESIRE. THERE ARE SHOWN MY CHOICEST DOLLS, MY PRETTIEST BOOKS, MY DAINTIEST CHINA, AND A HOST OF OTHER THINGS DIRECT FROM MY FACTORY IN TOYLAND. I HAVE CHARGED JACOB HELBER THAT HIS FEES FOR THESE BEAUTIFUL GIFTS SHALL BE REASONABLE; THAT THERE MUST BE PRESENTS TO SUIT THE TASTE AND PURSE OF EVERYONE, AND HE HAS PROMISED ME IT SHALL BE SO.

MY GIFTS WILL BE ON DISPLAY EVERY DAY AND EVENING FROM NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS EVE.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE: JACOB HELBER'S.

SIGNED: *Santa Claus*

Farmington Marble Works,
E. L. SPAUGH,
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