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MISSOURI NEWS

White Oak Growing Scarce.

St. Louis—The National Coopers' association held its annual convention here. The association discussed pessimistically an impending calamity which no one knows how to ward off. This is nothing less than the threatened exhaustion of the supply of white oak, no adequate substitute for which has yet been found for making certain casks. The white oak tree must be 150 years old before it is of use to the coopers.

Students Expelled For Hazing.

Mexico—Twenty-three cadets of the Missouri Military academy, many of them members of prominent families, have been expelled from the academy for hazing Cadet Crane of Peoria, Ill. Crane, who is 16 years old, was seized by his fellow students and thrown into the icy waters of the lake on the campus and he narrowly escaped drowning.

Editor McJimsey's Father Dead.

Chillicothe—Joseph E. McJimsey, one of Chillicothe's oldest citizens, died at his home in this city of pleuro pneumonia. He was 83 years old. His death was sudden, he having been ill but four days. He was the father of C. E. E. McJimsey, editor of the Springfield (Mo.) Republican. The body was shipped to Maryville for interment.

Gas Explosions In Conduits.

St. Louis—Explosions of gas in electric light conduits along the streets in the central part of the city sent a score or more of the heavy covers flight in the air. Fortunately no one was injured. The gas had leaked from mains into the conduits of the electric light company, and an electric spark probably fired it.

Declines St. Louis Invitation.

Washington—President Roosevelt has declined the invitation of the Business Men's League of St. Louis to visit that city on his trip to the middle west in May. He felt compelled to do so on account of so many other invitations he had declined. In justice to these other cities he said he could do nothing but decline.

Faithful Fifty-Three Years.

Clinton—Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Haverty, city chaplain of St. Louis, is attending the conference of the M. E. church, south, here. He was presiding elder here in 1866, and has been a minister 53 years. He never misses a conference.

Purchased 12,000 Acres.

Springfield—Jacob S. Speer, of this city, has entered 12,000 acres of land in Ozark county at the United States land office here, paying $15,000 for the tracts. All of the land is in four townships in Ozark county.

Deaths at Chillicothe.

Chillicothe—Mrs. George Schmatz, a resident of this city 40 years; Clark Wells, a prominent citizen, at his home, of a stroke of paralysis; Miss Nettie Lightner, who shot herself, died of her wounds.

Heavy Rain at Springfield.

Springfield—This city and vicinty was visited by a terrific thunderstorm. The rainfall amounted almost to a cloudburst, in some localities four inches of water being reported.

Negro For Army Chaplain.

Washington—Rev. Oscar J. W. Scott, colored, former pastor in Kansas City, has passed the examination, and, indorsed by Senator Warner, will probably be appointed chaplain in the regular army.

Want a aNtional Convention.

St. Louis—St. Louis has invited the republicans to hold their national convention here in 1908. Invitation sent through Business Men's league.

Lost a $1,500 Ring.

St. Louis—Mrs. Thomas S. Mafitt, wife of a capitalist, reports the loss of a $1,500 ring at a theater.

Capitalist Found Dead.

Kansas City—Thomas A. Gaines, a retired capitalist of Pattensburg, was found dead in a rooming house here. Death was due to heart disease.

Missouri at Jamestown.

Jefferson City—A. L. Sutton, chief of exploitation of the Jamestown exposition, reports the Missouri building nearly completed.

Inexcusably Ignorant.

St. Louis—A St. Louis woman seeks a divorce from her husband because the wretch said: "There is not a nice woman in all the United States.

Mother Sees Boy Fall to Death.

Joplin—While flying a kite at Prospect, near here, George Corum, 11, stumbled into an open shaft and was killed. His mother witnessed the accident.

Another Railroad For Springfield.

Springfield—The Missouri Pacific extension to Springfield has been completed, the first train passing over it a few days ago.

Drown In North River.

Hannibal—Charles Stout and Fred Fisher were drowned in the North river while they were trying to ford the stream.

Regained His Liberty.

Macon—Walter Runnels, an alleged burglar, escaped from Sheriff Groves by jumping through the window of a car on the Wabash.

WILLING TO LET HIM DIE.

Stinging Message Sent by Farmer Worsted in Business Deal.

In the old colony town of Scituate, Mass., once lived Deacon J——, who had a yoke of oxen he desired to sell. The news reached the ears of Farmer T——, who lived in another portion of the town, who was in want of a pair. So he visited the deacon, who met him with a gracious smile and led him to the oxen, which were chewing their cuds and to all appearances ready for any amount of toil.

After some bargaining a difference of five dollars remained. Finally the deacon said: "I am old and feeble, and shall not live long, and five dollars will be of no account," so the bargain was made. Farmer T— took the oxen home.

They proved worthless, could not work, and had been heated. He felt provoked at being sold, and, seeing a person the next day who was going to the part of the town where the deacon lived, said: "You tell Deacon J—— he need not live another d—d minute longer on my account."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.

Were Treated at Dispensary—Did Not Improve—Suffered Five Months—Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the head and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The baby had had it about a week when the second boy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third boy took it. For the first three months I took them to the N— Dispensary, but they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 5 and 7, 1906."

Secret of Japan's Success.

Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton of the British army wrote the evening after one of the great battles which he had witnessed between Russians and Japanese in the recent war in Manchuria: "To bed! Although it is with reluctance that I prepare to lose my grip of the exciting consciousness that I have to-day seen the most stupendous spectacle that it is possible for mortal brain to conceive—Asia advancing, Europe falling back; the wall of mist and the writing thereon." Then as to the meaning of this retreat of Europe before advancing Asia: "The more I think the more certain I am that it was not strategy or tactics, or armament or information, which won the battle of Liaoyang for Oyama, but that it was rather the souls of the Japanese troops which triumphed over the less developed, less awakened, less stimulated qualities of the Russians."

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Physiological Mystery.

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Both Kept Busy.

Prof. Burgess, of Boston, is filling the Roosevelt chair in the University of Berlin and while he is pursuing his duties his wife is devoting much time to the pictures in the Kaiser Frederick museum, copying pictures by Greuze and Franz Hals.

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Advancement in Siberia.

Agricultural schools have been established in several places in Siberia, and a certain number of steam plows, reapers and the like are now in use.

FADED TO A SHADOW.

Worn Down by Five Years of Suffering from Kidney Complaint.

Mrs. Remethe Myers, of 180 South Tenth St., Ironton, O., says: "I have worked hard in my time and have been exposed again and again to changes of weather. It is no wonder my kidneys gave out and I went all to pieces at last. For five years I was fading away and finally so weak that for six months I could not get out of the house. I was nervous, restless and sleepless at night, and lame and sore in the morning. Sometimes everything would whirl and blur before me. I bloated so badly I could not wear tight clothing, and had to put on shoes two sizes larger than usual. The urine was disordered and passages were dreadfully frequent. I got help from the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and by the time I had taken four boxes the pain and bloating were gone. I have been in good health ever since."

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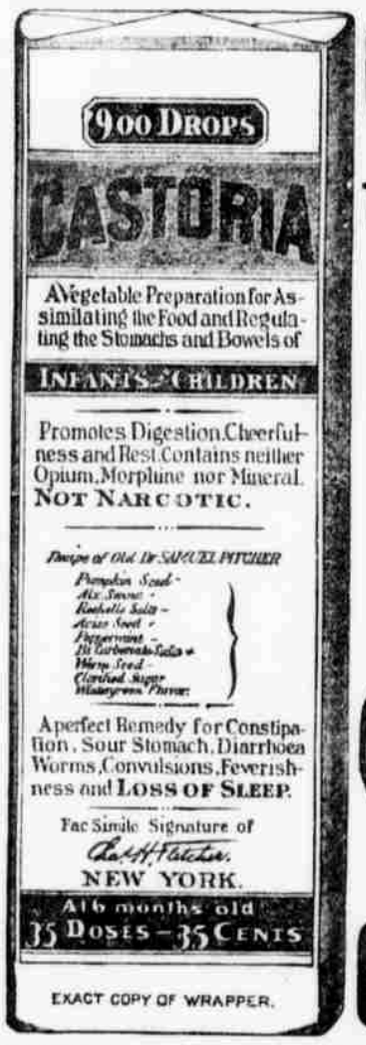

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