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A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver by taking a medicine which will relieve their pain and discomfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at Johnston's Pharmacy.

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TELEPHONE NO. 30.

Local and Personal News.

Onion Sets at Ferguson's.

Ground hog day—February 2nd.

County Court will convene in regular session next Monday.

Sol Wall came home Wednesday from a business trip to St. Louis.

Kit Shemwell has been laid up at his home for a week past with the mumps.

Hon. Gus H. Rife, of Fair Dealing, was here Tuesday transacting business.

Miss Nettie Roberts, of Bolivar, Mo., is here the guest of her friend, Mrs. Kit Shemwell.

Clint Murray came over from the Bluff last Tuesday evening, having finished up his court work there.

Rev. and Mrs. Maness' children, who have been ill with a species of typhoid fever for the past two weeks, are getting better.

Ad. Thomas has leased the room in the Odd Fellows building formerly occupied by Nunnelee & Randel, for a term of five years, and about the first of March will fill the room with a large and handsome stock of furniture.

Gus Berthold came down from St. Louis Monday on a short visit. He was accompanied by a gentleman named Dean, who came to look at "Bertholdmont" with the intention of buying, and we were informed that the deal was made.

General J. J. Russell, of Charleston, Mississippi county, was here Wednesday of this week seeing his many friends. General Russell will again be a candidate for the congressional nomination and expects to win it, and the election, also, this time.

Judge J. C. Sheppard came home from the Bluff last Friday having cleaned up the docket in the Butler county circuit court for the term, and adjourned. The Henson murder case, on motion of the defense, was continued until the April term of court in that county.

Teachers and pupils of the public schools may enter the Springfield Normal school on any day during the spring and continue through the Summer School. There is no vacation before the Summer School which opens June 4, and continues nine weeks. Rates are very low.

John T. Slayton, owing to ill health for some months past, has resigned the position of Street Commissioner, and Mayor Stewart has appointed Albert D. Holt to serve out the remainder of the term. Mr. Holt has been doing some excellent work on the streets since taking charge of the street department.

Eli Blakley, of Varner township, and W. H. Mikesell, of the flatwoods section north of town, the past week received the bronze medals awarded them for fine fruit displays at the World's Fair at St. Louis. The medals are handsome mementos of that great occasion and are prized by the recipients.

At the old-fashioned spelling-bee at the court house last night, given by the city Charity Board to replenish their exchequer, Superintendent Carter, of the public schools, "spelled down" the crowd. The word "gypsy", floored most of the spellers. The Society realized about \$20 out of the entertainment.

Several fruit men have said recently that an examination of some of their peach trees reveals the fact that the fruit bud is pretty generally dead on the trees, this condition being caused by the unusually warm weather that has prevailed during the winter, with the alternating cold snaps, the sudden freezing having killed the buds. Let our fruit men generally examine their orchards and see what the condition of the buds on the trees is.

The almost perfect state of the weather for the past week has put the soil in good condition for the plow and as a result many of our farmers have plows going preparing oats ground and ground for corn. Oats sown now will make a fine crop, no difference what the weather is from now on. John R. Stevens, south of town, was in after seed potatoes yesterday and intends to plant several bushels right away, as he has his ground ready for the seed.

There will be a full moon next Tuesday morning, at 1:46 o'clock. Now this is not in itself an unusual occurrence as it gets full every month anyway, and we once knew a doctor of that name who never waited until even one o'clock to get in that condition but was that way all the time. The peculiar thing about the full moon next Tuesday is that at the hour it falls it will be in total eclipse passing through the shadow of the earth, the passage beginning, for this latitude, shortly after 10 o'clock at night and lasting until about 2 o'clock in the morning, an unusually long eclipse, as the shadow will be 50,000 miles thick at the point the moon enters it. It will be visible here and will be the principal eclipse of the year.

Timothy Seed at Ferguson's.

Now that the primary election has been called the candidates have taken to the tall timber and gone to beating the bush for the game.

George Missick yesterday sold his newspaper agency, for the Globe-Democrat and The Republic, to Master Bert Pearce, who now has charge of the business.

Will Brent resigned his place as delivery clerk at Ferguson's store yesterday and took charge of a new dray outfit that he and Luther Turner have put on the street.

Mrs. E. Sumerlin invites her friends and customers to call and inspect her new stock of gold and silver belts and girdles which she has just received from Chicago. They are the latest fad of fashion.

If you want a position in the civil service, attend the Memphis Business College, take their courses, and you will have no trouble in making your examination. Memphis Business College, No. 80 N. Main St. Memphis, Tenn.

Red Clover Seed at Ferguson's.

Members of the local Woodmen lodge to the number of half a hundred went down to Naylor last Monday night, on a special train, and assisted at the installation of a new lodge of the order at that place. They had a royal good time and got home about 4:00 o'clock the next morning.

The branch train service will be "improved" beginning Monday morning. The train will leave this station at 7:00 a. m. on the first trip and arrive on its return at 9:30. It will leave this station on the second trip at 10:30 a. m. and return at 4:00 p. m. The Neelyville connections were not definitely known by Agent Symon.

Weddings.

Charley Lacey and Miss Virgin Spann were married at 7:30 o'clock last Sunday evening, at the home of the bride's uncle, W. H. S. Miles, on North Jackson street, by Rev. Clarence Burton, pastor of the M. E. church, in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The groom is the exceedingly obliging head clerk at A. Borth & Co.'s store, and has a host of friends throughout the county, while the bride is a charming young young lady, who has been engaged in teaching school, the term having closed the Friday preceding the wedding. She is an accomplished young woman and like her husband has friends wherever she is known. Monday the young couple left for a few days visit at the home of the father of the groom, W. A. Lacey, near Grandin. On their return here they go to house-keeping in a pleasant home already prepared by the groom. The many friends of the happy pair will join with the DEMOCRAT in hoping they may both live long and prosper.

Rev. W. C. Elmore, janitor of the public school buildings, and Mrs. R. E. Sandlin, were united in marriage at the home of the groom, near St. Benedict's catholic church, last Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, by Rev. M. W. Cotton, only a few friends of the families being present. Mr. Elmore and his new wife are well known, as both are old residents and their numerous friends wish them well in the hereafter.

D. M. Wright and Miss Ethel White, of the Burr neighborhood were united in marriage by Judge John A. Pulliam, Wednesday afternoon, at the Pulliam & St. Clair Hdwe. Co. store, several customers and the employees of the store being witnesses to the happy event.

Black Seed Oats at Ferguson's.

The civil service course in the Memphis Business College will prepare you to take a position in the government service. Write for particulars. Address, Memphis Business College, No. 80 North Main St., Memphis, Tenn.

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White Clover Seed at Ferguson's.

Forced to Slave.

B. F. Leek, of Concord, Ky., says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After trying every remedy, I cured it with Hood's Anker-Pain-Expeller. It is the best medicine I ever used."

.....SCHOOL NOTES.....

Week ending January 26, 1906.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.—FIRST GRADE.

Six weeks since we have had a tardy. Hereafter the "B" class will come in the morning and the "D" class in the afternoon.

Twenty pupils present every day last month. As there has been a great deal of sickness and bad weather this month we consider this a splendid record.

The "A" class are halfway through the Ward First Reader and have commenced reading Mrs. Lane's "Stories for Children," in addition to their other reading.

SECOND GRADE.

No tardies.

Enrolled for the month, 44.

May Eable enrolled with us Monday

Two "red letter" days for us this week.

Every one of us enjoyed the half holiday last Friday.

THIRD GRADE.

No tardies.

We are sorry to lose Zora Buffington. Several pupils out on account of sickness.

Dollie Waller and Roderic Bass enrolled this week.

FOURTH GRADE.

No tardies.

One tardy during the past five months.

Several visitors from the high school Friday.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—FIFTH GRADE.

Half holiday last Friday.

Only one tardy during five months.

The girls had four "red letter" days last week.

Those excellent in deportment the past week were—

Flora Moore, Joe Cox,
Kathryn Hutcherson, Lizzie Norman,
Melba Amuels, Ruth Herrick,
Roy Cable, Virgil Blankenship
Vivian Cude, Willie Langford.

SIXTH GRADE.

One tardy.

Attendance, 95.6.

Come to the original program of the Mayflowers, Aubrey Jones, president.

Charlie O'Brien took a special examination and was promoted to the Seventh Grade.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Tardies, none.

Attendance, 93.4.

Twelve "red letter" days for the boys.

Earl Moore is president of the Franklin.

The Franklin Society rendered its program Friday afternoon, up-stairs.

Dollie Abernathy and Frank Page were visitors.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Enrollment, 37.

Per cent. of attendance, 93.7.

Tardies, 2; it might have been worse.

Visitors: Misses Ketch Lawrence and Carrie Holt.

Guy Dick was the winner in the last quotation contest. Other pupils are coming.

The indications are that the class will be larger, perhaps the largest in the history of the school.

In the recent election Frank Denning was chosen president of the class; Eli Hoffman, vice-president; Eva Hall, secretary; Gertrude Ray, pianist.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Tom Austin is back again we are glad to state.

The Juniors make 100 per cent. in attendance for the first time this month and no tardies.

The Seniors continue their record of 100 per cent. in attendance—a record, perhaps, without precedent in the state.

GENERAL COMMENT.

Our percentage of attendance is especially pleasing.

"It is a good thing to be great but a great thing to be good"—an excellent motto.

The Primary school reports no tardies for January. This is the first month this year to be taught without tardies.

The summary report for January, which will appear next week, will show the best per cent. of attendance for the year in some grades.

The work of the student the next few months will determine whether or not he is to take up with the grade higher next year. Parents of pupils whose names are on the list should be sure to

COMPARATIVE REPORT.

	January 1905.	January 1906.
Number attending every day, - - -	131	240
Number absent five or more days, - -	101	40
Tardies, - - - - -	95	20

Ripley County Schools.

[Collected and Edited by E. T. POARD, County School Commissioner.]

Miss Miller Williams closed the Towles school Tuesday with three graduates.

Mrs. Stanton has closed the Bellview school and will have her graduating exercises in about three weeks. The names of her graduates will be published later.

The Fair Dealing school closed Monday with three graduates. Suitable exercises were held in the afternoon. Mr. Stancil was present and addressed the graduates.

The final examination questions have been received from the state superintendent and will be sent out to all teachers who may have Eighth grade pupils. Please let me know when your school will be out.

Mr. A. E. White closed a successful term of school in the Green district last week. The enrollment reached 105, a greater number than has ever been enrolled in the district before. The average daily attendance was 50.35. The number attending every day was 1. Mr. White goes to Louisville to enter medical college.

The names of the graduates are as follows:

Mathews school, Miss Eva White, teacher; Wade Cochran.

Lone Star school, F. F. O'Neal, teacher; Claude Davis and Pearle Seymour.

Ponder school, Miss Willie Thaxton, teacher; Tom Doherty and Ella Dalton.

Fair Dealing school, C. N. Pennington, teacher; Oliver Cope, Ula Cope and Martha Drew.

Towles school, Miss Miller Williams, teacher; Claude Casteel, Ulrio Stevens and Clarence Dudley.

South Buffalo school, Willie Whitwell, teacher; Wyman Edwards.

Miss Grace Moore sends in the following report from her school: "I have been without an assistant for three months and am busy day and night. I had an enrollment of 95 but so many have moved out of the district now. I had 71 enrolled and averaged 69 1-5 and had no tardies this week. I have no Eighth grade pupils now but have ten in my seventh grade, and have never seen better work done. We have had two old fashioned spelling matches and Mr. J. L. Witt sent the children a treat for their good behavior and good spelling. I have some as good spellers as I ever saw. I failed to receive the last quarterly examination questions but the children made fine grades on the questions I gave them."

Last Friday was a busy day with the rural schools. In company with Superintendent Carter, of the Doniphan high school, we visited the Lone Star and Ponder schools in the afternoon and in the evening, being joined by Mr. Stancil, member of the County Board of Education, and Mr. Proffer, Principal of the Grammar school department of the Doniphan school, we attended the closing exercises in Mathews district.

In both the Lone Star and the Ponder schools appropriate graduating exercises were held in the afternoon, consisting of recitations, essays and orations by the graduates and other pupils of the schools.

In the Mathews school an excellent entertainment was given, consisting of recitations, songs and plays. In spite of the fact that the roads were bad and the night dark the house was crowded. The exercises were closed by the reading of an excellent essay by the graduate and the presentation of the certificate by the Commissioner and a short address by Superintendent Carter.

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sells you no other Flour than that made at your Home Mill. Every sack guaranteed. Have no other. Let us all be first Home. Yours,
DONIPHAN ROLLER MILL CO.

Order of Publication.

State of Missouri, ss.
County of Ripley, ss.

I, the Circuit Court of Ripley county, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the original Order of Publication, in the case of

Oscar P. Hodges, Herman A. Kretschmar, John Burridge, Keiser W. McKee, Luther F. Hartwell, Charles B. Allen, Sidney A. Childers, MacGrane Cox, the unknown heirs and devisees of Herman A. Kretschmar, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of John Burridge, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Keiser W. McKee, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Luther F. Hartwell, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Charles B. Allen, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Sidney A. Childers, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of MacGrane Cox, deceased; and the unknown heirs and devisees of Van Davis, deceased, Defendants.

At this time comes the plaintiff herein, by his attorney, and files his petition, duly verified under his oath and affidavit, alleging among other things that he is the owner, in fee simple, and claims the title to the following described real estate, lying being and situate in the County of Ripley, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot one (1) northwest quarter, and east half of lot one (1) northeast quarter of section two (2); the northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section four (4); the southeast quarter of section five (5); the southwest quarter of northeast quarter of section eight (8); the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the south half of northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section nine (9); the south half of northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section ten (10); the northeast quarter of section eleven (11); the northeast quarter of northeast quarter and the south half of northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section fifteen (15); all in township twenty-three (23), north of range one east of sixth principal meridian. That defendants claim some title, interest or estate and to said real estate, the nature and character of which is unknown to plaintiff and cannot be described herein except that it is adverse and prejudicial to the plaintiff; that the real estate aforesaid is in the possession of a tenant authorized by this plaintiff, and that all of said real estate is wild and unimproved lands except a small portion which is in cultivation.

Plaintiff further alleges that all the above named defendants, except Oscar P. Hodges, are non-residents of this state, and that the ordinary processes of law can not be served upon them in this state.

Plaintiff further alleges that he verily believes there are persons interested in the outcome of this petition whose names he can not insert herein because they are unknown to plaintiff; that such persons are the respective heirs or devisees of Herman A. Kretschmar, John Burridge, Keiser W. McKee, Luther F. Hartwell, Charles B. Allen, Sidney A. Childers, MacGrane Cox and Van Davis, deceased; and that the knowledge of this plaintiff extends he is unable to either describe the individual interests of such persons or tell how same were derived, except that said interests have legally passed and now said last named defendants to these unknown parties.

Plaintiff further alleges that he has not sufficient knowledge or information thereof, to know whether Herman A. Kretschmar, John Burridge, Keiser W. McKee, Luther F. Hartwell, Charles B. Allen, Sidney A. Childers and MacGrane Cox are living, or whether the last named defendants are dead; that plaintiff believes the one alternative, or the other is true.

Wherefore it is ordered by the Court in vacation that said defendants and unknown parties be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this court, the object and general nature of which is to try, ascertain and determine the estate, title and interest of the parties plaintiff and defendants in and to the aforesaid real estate, and to define and adjudicate the title, estate and interest of the parties plaintiff and defendants herein, in and to the aforesaid real estate, and that unless the said defendants be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Doniphan, in said county, on the 15th day of March next, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law, in the DEMOCRAT, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the said County of Ripley, in the State of Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said term of this Court.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 15th day of January, 1906.

W. C. MARBLE, Circuit Clerk.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
COUNTY OF RIPLEY, ss.

I, W. C. Marble, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Ripley County aforesaid, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original Order of Publication, in the case therein named, as the same appears in my office. Witness my hand and official seal, this 15th day of January, 1906.

W. C. MARBLE, Circuit Clerk.
Doniphan, Mo., Jan. 15, 1906.

Notice of Letting of Contract for County Printing

NOTICE is hereby given that the contract for printing the County Reports for the year 1906 will be let to the lowest bidder on or before the 15th day of February, 1906, at the Court House in the City of Doniphan, Missouri, at 10 o'clock a. m.