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Local and Personal News.

R. E. Lee went to St. Louis the first of this week on business.

P. J. Barford was at Helena, Ark., the first of the week on business.

Extra Adams of Oxy was in town over night Tuesday looking after business matters.

W. C. Murray went down to Helena, Ark., the first of the week to attend federal court.

Lige Smelser left last Sunday evening for points in Texas where he went to visit a brother.

J. A. Thomas, left Wednesday noon for Sulphur Springs, Mo., to try the water for his health.

Arthur Newkirk returned Tuesday evening from Success, Ark., where he had been on business.

Herman Borth left the latter part of last week on a tour through Arkansas and points in the southwest.

The Mutual Telephone Co., is preparing to erect a new cedar lead pole at their telephone exchange here.

E. L. Fine's, of the Goodwin & Jean poultry house, is at home after a visit with his parents at Birch Tree, Mo.

N. Y. Gary, of the west side, was in town Monday of this week and while here made this office a pleasant call.

Thos. J. Cardwell, the boarding house man, is quite sick at his home at the corner of Locust and Jackson streets.

Miss Bertha Daniels, operator at the Doniphan Telephone Co., exchange, left yesterday noon for St. Louis, for a visit.

Miss Pauline Borth left Tuesday for Detroit, Michigan, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. H. O. Tieman.

Will Short and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Buffington and baby, were down the river yesterday, from their home at Short, trading.

Miss Beattie Martin, of Fairdealing, was in town over night last Saturday visiting her uncle, W. C. Hancock and her aunt, Mrs. L. Harris, of a short distance east of town.

W. P. Odum, who recently sold his restaurant on Washington street has opened a grocery store on Mill street, in the room formerly occupied by Lewis Johnston, as a grocery store.

The branch train has been bringing in a good many empty cars this week for the tie companies, as they are loading out their thousands of ties in the yards here, to make room for the winter hauling.

FOR SALE—48 acres of timber land 2 miles east of Doniphan, on public road, nearly all can be cultivated. Must sell at once. Good title. Price \$3,000 per acre if taken at once. A bargain. Address XYZ, care this office.

Rev. Jack Mitchell, was in town the first of this week, on his return home from attending the Cane Creek Baptist association meeting at Bethlehem church, on Dudley creek, south of town.

W. W. Martin and L. E. Bird, who represented Composite Lodge at the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting in St. Louis last week, returned home last Saturday. Mr. Martin was elected Grand Purveyor of the order.

Rev. Fr. J. A. Hurcik, of St. Benedict's Catholic church, made a trip to St. Louis last Saturday. Father W. F. Malloy of Holy Rosary church, St. Louis came down and took charge of the church during Father Hurcik's absence.

G. L. Jones, a tailor, from Charleston, Mississippi county, has located in Doniphan and has opened a tailor shop in the Maness building, recently vacated by Frey's bakery, and in which W. D. Patterson will also open a restaurant in part of the building. Mr. Jones has followed the tailors trade all of his life, and is prepared to do anything in his line, as well as reblocking and cleaning men's hats. His family will shortly move here.

The chilly snap of the first of this week brought the first flights of ducks down Tuesday, the blue wing Teal, and those who were on the river say they came down by the thousands, on their way south, but all made the passage in one day as none were noticed the next day. The teal is the first of the migratory birds to go south, and always makes its appearance the first cold snap, and they always follow a water course and fly close to the water and generally make the passage of a certain point in about one day. As the exact time of their passage is never known before hand, hunters do not get much chance at them. The other varieties of ducks will follow as the weather gets colder.

J. I. Ponder came over from Neelyville last Sunday evening on a short visit.

Wm. Frey, moved his bakery the first of this week to the Shemwell building on State street.

The City School Board met last Tuesday at the court house and transacted considerable business.

Judge S. E. Glone, of the western district was transacting business in town the first of the week.

Rev. H. D. Maness came over from Lutesville the first of this week to look after his property interests here.

W. C. Hancock was over at Neelyville, Monday of this week selling nursery stock, he reports some good sales.

J. H. Martin, of Naylor, was here Saturday between trains. He is a teacher in the public schools of Naylor.

Rev. J. G. Evans and Probate Judge D. B. Young returned home Monday evening from conference at Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Clyde Page and children, of Little Rock, Ark., are here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wright.

Circuit Judge J. P. Foard, came over from the bluff last Saturday evening on a visit with his parents here over Sunday.

W. D. Patterson opened his confectionary business in the Maness building, formerly occupied by Frey's bakery, this week.

R. H. Williams, City Assessor, returned from the bluff Tuesday evening, where he had seen to see his daughter who is sick.

M. W. Presson returned the first of the week from points over in Scott county where he had been to sell a carload of pears.

Chas. Hevey is at Bowling Green, Mo., where he has a position as repair man in an automobile garage, of the Ford agency.

The City Council held a meeting Tuesday night of this week, and transacted considerable business. The cow ordinance was read the second time.

J. W. Lee, of the Poyner neighborhood, was in town Saturday and has sale bills printed at this office advertising a farm for sale, it being the land of his brother, Charles Lee, who died last Sunday week.

The first frost of the season this year appeared Tuesday night of this week and was plainly visible in the lower places about town, and when the sun got up warm it showed on vegetation by wilting it considerably.

Wesley McCauley, of the Poyner neighborhood, came over to town the first of this week and went up to St. Louis to buy goods for his store and take in the fall festivities. His father, J. R. McCauley went with him.

Circuit Clerk Chas. O. Booker and family returned Tuesday night from their trip out in Colorado. Mr. Booker says they had a fine trip and that they saw lots of country. They made the trip part of the way overland by auto.

E. F. O'Neal, of the west side was in town overnight Tuesday of this week. He brought over and sold to County Clerk John J. Kennon, 63 head of yearling and two year old cattle. He said everything was progressing nicely over in his part of the county.

At the City Council meeting last Tuesday night, Mayor Proctor appointed Benjamin Purbridge, street commissioner, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. G. Merrell. Mr. Purbridge has held the position before and makes a good commissioner.

S. W. Quirk left Tuesday of this week for his home at Wyalusing, Pa., after spending several days here visiting relatives. His son Erastus and family went back with him, they making the trip overland as far as Cairo, where they expected to take a boat.

J. O. Cottle, of Maplewood, Mo., who was here about two weeks ago, looking for a location for a branch of his picture developing business, sends us a dollar and says: "That I may keep up with the happenings in Doniphan before I get located, I want your paper."

"Uncle Dock" W. E. McKinney left yesterday noon for Fort Smith, Ark., where he will spend the winter with a grandson. "Uncle Dock" is one of the pioneer blacksmiths of Ripley county, and has a large circle of friends who will wish him a pleasant and happy winter. Before leaving he called at the Democrat office and ordered this paper changed to his new address, as he wants to keep up with the happenings at home.

Jas. G. Merrill left last Sunday for Kansas where he has accepted a position with the Acme Harvesting Machine Co. He has been assigned 14 counties and will have his headquarters at Topeka, Kansas. Jim says if he likes the work and the territory he will move his family out there later on. He was with this same company the past season, and had territory in southeast Missouri, but as they only handled part of their line here, he threw him out of work until the next season opened up.

Death of H. L. Kilgore.

On last Friday evening, at 6 o'clock, death claimed another old citizen of Doniphan, in the person of Hugh L. Kilgore, from the infirmities of old age, he being 77 years old, and a citizen of Doniphan for the past 20 years. The funeral was held Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock from St. Benedict's Catholic church and the interment was made at the Catholic cemetery east of town. At the time of his death the deceased was making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. B. Butler, in East Doniphan.

Mr. Kilgore, was a native of Clarion county, Pennsylvania, and at the outbreak of the civil war enlisted and served throughout the war. He was in many battles, including the battle of Gettysburg, Pa., which was the turning point of the war. He received several wounds during this service.

After the war he came to Hannibal, Mo., where he resided for 30 years, until he came to Ripley county, and located at Naylor, where he followed his trade as millwright and machinist, and when the late W. H. Horton, disposed of his interests there and came to Doniphan and became manager of the Doniphan Lbr. Co., Mr. Kilgore came along with him and filled a like capacity with that company.

Mr. Kilgore's wife died several years ago, but he leaves four sons and two daughters, Mrs. C. B. Butler, of this city, and Miss Bessie, of St. Louis, Eugene Kilgore, of this city, and Ben of Chicago, and two other sons, Fred and Joe, one of whom lives in California and the other in Louisiana, but whose address is not known.

The deceased while a resident of Doniphan, made many warm friends, who were sorry to hear of his death.

Cane Creek Baptist Association Meets.

The fifty-third annual meeting of the Cane Creek Association of Baptists, held their sessions this year at Bethlehem church, three miles south of Doniphan, and a good crowd was present at all of the meetings, which lasted three days, last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The association covers three counties, Butler, Carter and Ripley, and about 30 churches are represented in the association, but were not all represented at the meeting. Rev. W. E. Hawthorn, moderator, and C. W. Panrod, clerk, were both reelected.

At this meeting the division of the church, composed of the Doniphan and Poplar Bluff churches and one church in Carter county, which about five years ago drew off from the old association and formed a new one, came back and were taken into the old association, which action causes much rejoicing among the members of the association. There are more than two thousand members in the association district.

The visiting delegates were royally entertained by the good people of the Bethlehem neighborhood, during the association.

Methodist Conference Assignments.

The St. Louis annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, which held its sessions at Sikeston this year, adjourned its meeting Monday after making the assignments of pastors for the coming conference year.

Rev. George J. Evans, pastor of the Doniphan church, was appointed to fill the West Plains pulpit, and Rev. J. W. Worsnop, formerly presiding elder of the Poplar Bluff district, was assigned to Doniphan. Other appointments for churches in Ripley county are: Naylor and Neelyville, J. C. Reid, Oxy circuit, J. A. Merritt, Poyner circuit, S. L. Johnson.

Former pastors of the Doniphan church whose assignments will be of interest are: Rev. R. E. Foard, to Festus, Rev. Clarence Burton, Sikeston, W. J. Hays, DeSoto.

Rev. J. E. Martin, presiding elder of the Poplar Bluff district was retained in the same position another year.

Doniphan High Defeats Corning High.

The members of the Doniphan high school foot ball team accompanied by Capt. Bertram Harry, on last Friday morning went to Corning, Ark., where they played against the team of the Corning high school, that afternoon and defeated them, 25 to 0.

This was the first game of the season and the result is due to the careful training our boys have received. The boys from here report a pleasant trip and fair and courteous treatment from the Corning boys.

A game will be pulled off here this afternoon at Athletic park, between the local players and the team from Poplar Bluff high school.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Convicted in Federal Court.

Sam Halcomb, who for the past year or two has been working for W. A. Malagon, as a driver for his livery barn, was convicted in the U. S. court at Helena, Ark., Wednesday, on a charge of fraudulent use of the mails, and was sentenced to three years in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

Halcomb, when the offense was committed, was a traveling salesman for a clothing house and worked on a commission, business being bad at the time he would make out orders on merchants and send them to his house, who would remit him his commission on the supposed sale. When the goods were shipped, the merchant to whom they were consigned would of course refuse to receive them, as he had not placed such an order.

Halcomb was arrested here by a U. S. deputy marshal and gave bond for his future appearance, and this week was given a hearing at Helena, with the above result. He has a wife and two children who live here, and are left in hard circumstances by his conviction.

P. J. Barford and postmaster W. C. Murray, who went down to attend the trial, returned home this week.

Dr. Haefler, of Oxy, was up Monday morning between trains, transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McCauley, of south of town are the happy parents of a new boy baby, which arrived last Thursday.

Marriage Licenses.

Recorder John W. Young has issued the following marriage licenses since our last issue.

Oct. 24d. Berthal Harris, Oxy, Mo. Nellie Collins, Oxy, Mo.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Special report to Ripley County Democrat National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 5th, '15. The market on hogs 100 lbs upwards was active and 10 to 15c higher at the opening. At the close of the market there was a dandy trade for hogs of weight and those 180 lbs upwards sold 15 to 20c higher, while those around 160 lbs on the late market were neglected by packers who were then the only buyers for them. One car of choice hogs sold at \$8.50, but to obtain the price the seller sorted off some choice heavy hogs at \$7. The legitimate top of the trade was \$3.45. The pig trade was very slow with values no better than steady. The bulk of the 100 to 200 lb hogs sold at \$3.15 to \$3.40; 110 to 140 lb pigs \$7.25 to \$7.75; lighter pigs \$6.25 to \$7; rough hogs \$6.75 to \$7.10 while heavy hogs 200 lbs and upwards which were scarce sold at \$7.75 to \$8.20. Today's receipts 7500.

The call now is for hogs weighing 170 to 250 lbs while lighter weights find limited demand from all buyers.

Cattle receipts 6000. No further change in prices was shown today. However, while choice to prime fat steers and prime yearlings are steady with last week, the general market on butcher cattle, stockers and feeders is 25 to 50c lower than last week's best time; canners 10c lower.

Sheep receipts 1500. Market active and steady to strong; top lambs \$8.75; fat sheep \$5.50; bucks and chopper sheep \$4.25 to \$4.50 with canners at \$3.

Facts For Sufferers

Pain results from injury or congestion. Be it neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, neuritis, toothache, sprain, bruise, sore stiff muscles or whatever pain you have yields to Sloan's Liniment—brings new fresh blood, dissolves the congestion, relieves the injury, the circulation is free and your pain leaves as if by magic. The nature of its qualities penetrate immediately to the sore spot. Don't keep on suffering. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment. Use it. It means instant relief. Price 25c and 50c. \$1.00 bottle holds six times as much as the 25c size.

Editor John P. Campbell, returned home last Saturday, from his regular monthly trip to Booneville, Mo., to attend the board meeting of the managers of the Booneville reformatory.

The Colds of Mankind Cured by Pines!

Have you ever gone through a typical pine forest when you had a cold? What a vigorous impulse it sent! How you opened wide your lungs to take in those invigorating and mysterious qualities. Yes! Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey possesses those stimulating qualities and overcomes hacking coughs. The inner lining of the throat is strengthened in its attack against cold germs. Every family needs a bottle constantly at hand. 25c.

Coughs That Are Stopped!

Careful people see that they are stopped! Dr. King's New Discovery is a remedy of tried merit. It has held its own on the market for 45 years. Youth and old age testify to its soothing and healing qualities. Pneumonia and lung troubles are often caused by delay of treatment. Dr. King's New Discovery stops those hacking coughs and relieves the gripe tendencies. Money back if it fails. 50c and \$1.00.

TELL TALE MARKS. And unaccountable stains that appear on Men's Clothing yield quickly to our methods of dry cleaning, but are often rendered worse by in-expert attempts to eradicate them. There is no necessity of wasting your time and annoying yourself with wasted effort when you can have your garments cleaned and pressed at such a nominal price. Hats Cleaned and Blocked. G. L. JONES, The Tailor, Doniphan, Mo.

Pain for Years. "I suffered for years with a pain in my left side and dragging feelings," says Mrs. Sarah Boggs, of Winnipeg, Mo., "and was almost unable to stand on my feet. I couldn't sleep nights, and had smothering spells. Had a pain in my head and back, and I took medicines till I got out of heart. I commenced using Cardul, and I am so much better. Can do my house-work and washing now, and walk two miles easily." CARD-U-I The Woman's Tonic. Card-u-i is a medicine for women, made from pure, vegetable ingredients. It has been found of great value as a tonic for women of all ages, and is particularly effective in relieving the aches and pains from which so many women suffer. If you are weak, run-down or nervous, don't get discouraged. Take Cardul, the woman's tonic. With a record of over 50 years of success, isn't it reasonable to suppose Cardul will help you, too? Give it a trial. Has Helped Thousands.

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Homer Miles, the electric light man, went up to St. Louis Tuesday noon to take in the Veiled Prophet's festivities. Prosecuting Attorney Chas. L. Ferguson made a trip last Saturday up to Pine to appear in the court of Justice Jack Drane, and prosecute seven young men who had been arrested charged with disturbing the peace. The defendants however plead guilty, before Mr. Ferguson arrived there, they being fined and given a jail sentence, but the jail sentence was stayed on the continued good behavior of the young men.

Dr. Proctor on last Friday evening performed an operation on a young man from Warm Springs, Ark., a son of Prof. Tilford, for the removal of a 22 calibre bullet from his left hip. While out hunting last May, with a companion he was accidentally shot, and the bullet was never removed, until now. The patient was able to go home next day, and is making a satisfactory recovery. Prof. Tilford was many years ago a teacher in the Doniphan public schools.

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Texas Florida California or to some of the big eastern cities, and want to know what it will cost, drop a postal card to the undersigned. We will be glad to tell you all about train service, cost of railroad and sleeping car tickets, and so forth. We will also send you, without charge, illustrated descriptive literature.

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