THE LEDGER.

THURSDAY, OCT. 9, 1884.

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—PAYS FOR—

THE LEDGER

To Jan. 1, 1885.

CASH IN ADVANCE.

Sworn Statement of Circulation.

ADVERTISERS, TAKE NOTICE!

We, the undersigned, do solemnly swear that the bona fide actual circulation now of the MEXICO WEEKLY LEDGER is Sixty-two Quires, 25 papers in a quire, or 1,550 copies each week.

R. M. WHITE, Prop'r.
B. B. RUNKLE, Foreman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of April, A. D., 1883.

JNO. J. STEELE, Clerk.
By Geo. E. Steele, D. C.

Advertisers will do well to note this statement. FIFTEEN HUNDRED & FIFTY copies of the LEDGER are printed every week; at least ten persons read each paper, making the circulation about 15,000, counting extras a grand total of 120,000 readers in a month. *Everybody reads the "Great Religious Weekly!"*

John Sontag is very sick.

Cal Wagner October 18th.

Prof. Gass is much better.

Sol Smith Russell Oct. 30th.

John Abbay is in Perry, Mo.

Sam Locke is in Louisville, Ky.

Judge E. Robinson is at the Windsor.

Miss Bertha Clemm has been very sick.

Orpheus Harding is prospecting in Kansas.

The St. Louis fair is well attended from Mexico.

Johnny Ricketts was home on a visit this week.

Hamilton Hall and wife visited St. Louis this week.

W. W. Fry's elegant residence is nearly completed.

Moberly derives $16,000 annually from saloon licenses.

Wm. Warren is happy. It's a girl and weighs 11 pounds.

A. G. Mason of the Paris *Mercury*, made us a call Tuesday.

W. R. Carter, of Mexico, has three flyers at the St. Louis fair.

Warm days and cool nights are good for chills and mosquitos.

Ben. C. Johnson is in the circuit clerk's office learning the ropes.

Miss Julia Lowry, of Ripley, Ohio, visited Miss Belle Hisey last week.

Perry Diggs is now baggage master at the depot. He is a hustler.

A. E. Garrett will now paint the town red. He is happy. It is a girl.

If a circus should visit Mexico the cry of "hard times would be forgotten.

An indebtedness of $760 on the Catholic church was paid off last week.

The skating rink is rapidly nearing completion and will be open in a few days.

Smith Spence, of Alton, Ills., visited relatives and friends in Mexico this week.

Misses Mary Carroll and Lizzie Clark have returned from a visit to McCredie.

Any nomination which causes a party to awake and put out pickets is a God send.

See ad. of 160 head of cattle to be sold at Columbia, Mo., Tuesday, October 14th.

Uncle Billie Kemper is in St. Louis this week. He took Bayliss Collins along with him.

Dr. G. H. Nichols and wife, of Martinsburg, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Dodson.

Mrs. C. H. Harrington and Mrs. R. H. Peery, of this county, are visiting in New York.

Mrs. R. L. Wilburn is visiting in St. Louis. Mrs. Biggs, of Canton, Mo., accompanied her.

John G. Provines, editor Moberly *Headlight*, was registered at the Hotel d' Ferris yesterday.

Misses Mamie Matthews and Mary Bourne of this city, are visiting their friend, Mrs. Crooks, in St. Louis.

The police should make a midnight raid on the "dives" near the depot. Some bad "coons" down that way.

John Creasey says that the Veiled Prophets' procession is not anywhere compared to Anton Bradshaw's march up ghost hollow.

Another vote for Cleveland and Hendricks. It is a big boy and Judge S. M. Edwards is in a better humor than ever.

If you owe some people $1.00 they make a great fuss, while if they owe you $100 they tell you they will pay it when they get it.

Willie Bradley of this city, formerly of the Laddonia *Herald*, is now an employe on the LEDGER. Willie is a hustler from away back.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Runkle and Miss Nora Branstetter are in attendance at the St. Louis fair this week.

Mrs. F. B. Reese and Miss Tillie Mick, a charming young lady, both of Forest, Ohio, are visiting Miss Alma Howe of this vicinity.

Rev. Pearce, assisted by Revs. Whiteside and Jesse, are carrying on a protracted meeting at Hopewell church, just west of this city.

If Fred Fuhr ain't a hummer.

If the "Pough" is not stuck on his shape.

If Arnold Hurd ain't the dandy baggage hustler.

If the Greenbackers are not a little late about organizing.

If Charlie and George will call on those young ladies again.

If J. A. Brooks will get over 50 votes in Audrain county.

If "Charley and George" have not the dandy blue Jerseys.

What was the matter with Dennis and Ned last Saturday night.

If Charley Morgner did not show Bennett the sights in St. Louis.

If Dick Carter ain't the boss detective, and if he ever forgets a face.

How many of our boys "shook hands" with the grand jury this week.

Which one of the Audrain doctors returns births to the county clerk as "mails."

If our friend Joe Coons is trying to revive the antedeluvian game of croquet.

If there are not nearly as many flag poles up in the U. S. as there are telegraph poles.

If Miller, the tailor, is really to be married soon, and if Herman and Henry are to be "best" men.

How many people from Callaway attended the St. Louis fair. They passed through Mexico in droves.

If the time hasn't come for a certain young man of a very bashful turn of mind to brace up and "have courage."

How long V. M. had to wait before his girl got ready to go buggy riding, and if she really danced every set with him.

Pole Raising.

There was a ratification meeting and pole raising at Martinsburg last Saturday. The following was the committee in charge: Oscar Krieger, Jas. Cunningham, F. C. West, Matthew Clines, Adolph Fennewald, M. M. Corder, Dennis O'Leary, C. T. Martin, J. A. Chrisman.

Stuff and Nonsense.

It is all stuff and nonsense about the Republicans having any chance to carry the Seventh Congressional district. The party is up and awake and the majority for this reason should be even larger than usual. It is healthy for the party to have to do a little work in Missouri once in awhile.

Annual Hunting Party.

The following gentlemen leave next Monday for Osage county for their annual deer hunt: John Daniel, John Spotswood, A. B. Daniel, Jr., C. Bruce, F. Miskell, Tom Coons, Pate Morris, Jesse Carter, Joe Beshears. They will bring the LEDGER man a whole deer to make up for the sheep ham they fooled us with last season.

Missionary Meeting.

The elders and deacons of all of the Christian churches of Audrain county are earnestly requested to meet at the Christian church, Mexico, on Wednesday, Oct. 15th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of conferring in regard to our county mission work. Let us have a full representation. Called by order of the executive committee. J. W. HIGBEE, Secy.

Charles Stockwell, of Audrain Co., was down last week buying cattle. He bought 10 head of 3 year old steers from W. Upsom & Bro. for $42 a head; he bought 14 head from J. R. Witt for which he paid $45 a head and he vovght a cow and two heifers from Wm. Howell but we did not learn the price. Charlie said he had 90 head of 3-year-old steers on hand now and 40 head of steer calves, every one of them red but one. He reports fine corn crops up there.—Troy *Free Press*.

No Free Trade.

The term "free trade," as applied to the political opinions of men or parties in the United States, is a palpable misnomer. The most advanced revenue reformer in the Democratic party is an immense distance from a free trader. All that is demanded by the Democratic platform and Democrats is that no more revenue shall be collected than is required to meet the needs of the government. These needs are large, and the duties which must be collected to meet them afford all the protection that any industry to which this country is adapted requires. There is within the bounds here indicated scope for all the protection which ought to be asked or granted.

"Nip Money."

Economy in the kitchen ought to be the first principle in housekeeping. The young wife who is too stuck up to look after the eating department little knows how many dollars she can save out of her housekeeping money for herself. When I see Ethel with new gloves and shoes without asking me to plunge my hand in my pocket I know that she, being housekeeper, has been "on the save." "Where did you get the gloves, Ethel?" "Nipped the money out of the house," I get for a reply. Consequently I call this "nip" money. Any sensible, careful woman can "nip" and yet provide well.—Silver Pen in San Francisco *News-Letter*.

A large number of strangers are in the city and county looking after homes.

A. D. Standish, county clerk of Cole county, died Friday night in Jefferson City.

An unusually large number of movers' wagons have passed through the city this week bound for the west.

A Philadelphia paper refers to Cleveland's candidacy as quixotic. So it is. He is fighting a windmill, sure enough.

Mr. A. B. Daniel left here last night for Montgomery Trigg county, Ky., to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. Rasco, who is quite ill.

Don't forget to call on Miss Ida Spencer of Laddonia for the latest styles in Millinery. She is now in St. Louis buying goods.

$1: "Thief!" $50,000; "Defaulter:" $100,000: "Shortage!" $500,000: "Canadian tourist!" $1,000,000: "Brilliant financier!"

Jim Brown and Issac Jesse both had their buggies badly disfigured last week out in the ghost district. No one hurt. Everybody escaped.

Several persons in Missouri were drowned trying to cross creeks during the late rains. A family of four in Monroe county were lost in this way.

A night or two since a cow belonging to Earl Cunningham gave birth to three living calves. One has since died, but the others are strong and healthy.

Mrs. Williamson, sister of J. B. Botkin, of this city, who was injured in a railroad wreck in Illinois a few weeks since, has not entirely recovered as yet.

B. L. Locke, Mrs. P. E. Locke, Mrs. J. W. Mason, Miss Mamie Morris and Miss Mollie Carter are in Kansas City attending the State meeting of the Christian church.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Eliza J. Hays, by Eld. T. J. Marlow, on the 1st inst., Wm. J. Broaddus and Miss Lizzie Hays, all of Audrain.

Charley Malone, who has been clerking at the Hotel d' Ferris, has gone to St. Louis to take a position in Barr's dry goods store. Charley is an enterprising boy.

The Perry Gazette says that W. J. Giboney has entirely recovered from the effect of the shot he received in that place on the 15th inst., and has returned to his home.

The Blaine & Logan club, No. 1, will meet in the Circuit Clerk's office, Friday evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Business of importance to be attended to. H. D. HUNTER, Ch'm.

How can any German or Irishman vote for J. G. Blaine? He was a know-nothing only a few years ago and edited a paper with the motto, "put none but Americans on guard."

Bill Gay, colored, who stole Coates Bros.' horse last week and was captured at Wellsville by Detective Dick Carter, goes over to the "pen" for two years. Gay is a very bad coon.

Supporting Col. Hutton is no "crow eating" for us. We fought him fairly and upon the open field. He is the victor and like a good soldier we surrender.—Vandalia *Leader-Argus*.

The games between Hannibal and the Mexico Browns proved a Waterloo for the Mexicans, the first game resulting 7 to 0 in favor of Hannibal and the second 8 to 1, also in favor of Hannibal.

There is at least one spot on this fair earth where the base ball fiend cannot get in his work. On a vacant lot near Covington, Ky., is posted this sign: "No plane bace Bol on theas Primaces."

Fred Heckman, of this city, and Miss Mary Engel, of St. Louis, were married last Tuesday. Fred has many friends in Mexico who wish him and his charming bride a long and prosperous life.

Circuit court is in session. The docket is very short. Neither our lawyers nor judge encourage unnecessary litigation. It looks now as though in the course of a few years we would need no court.

The bodies of Mrs. Brit Hickman and one of her two children drowned recently in Salt River, near Florida, have been found. The child recovered had drifted twenty miles from where the mother was found,

Columbus Ploat, of the vicinity of Thompson Station. last Saturday brought us in a beet that weighs about 15 pounds and measures 28 inches in circumference and 10 inches through. It is quite a curiosity.

The distinguished comedian, Sol Smith Russell, in the successful comedy drama, entitled "Edge Wood Folks," supported by a select company of dramatic artists, will positively appear at Opera House, in this city, Thursday eve, October 30th.

Cleveland and Hendrick's club meets at Court House to-night at 7 o'clock. Every body turn out. Permanent organization effected and all officers elected. Speeches will be made by J. McD. Trimble, W. H. Kennan, T. B. Buckner and others.

Mrs. E. Williams of Fulton, who has been in California for the past few months, accompanied by Miss Keene, made us a pleasant call this morning. Mrs. Williams, as usual, looks remarkably well. She is a lady possessed with many accomplishments

Mr. Ford, candidate for governor of Missouri on the greenback-republican-anti-bourbon-anti-Frank-James-prohibitionist-anti-prohibition ticket, began his speech here last Saturday by saying: "I know it's mine, because I wrote it," and then proceeded to read a speech written by Professor Hill and read at a teachers' meeting in Jefferson City several years ago. What does this sound like?

Mr. Ford, the "confusion" candidate for governor of Missouri, is running on prohibition in the rural districts, a platform for beer only in vicinity of breweries, and as a wholesale liquor dealer expects to catch the floaters.

Rev. Silas Smith and his wife, of St. Louis, have separated. Another member of the church liked Smith's wife. Whether Smith liked any other member's wife we are not directly informed, but presume he has not changed much since he was in Mexico.

Capt. Frost is working on some sort of electrical invention by which a man can lie in bed and fish. If he will now add an attachment that will lie about the size of the fish caught, he will remove a load of responsibility from the shoulders of the fisherman. It is not fishing that exhausts a man.

The second ratification meeting at Laddonia was well attended and was a grand success. Hutton, Kennen and others made rousing speeches. The ladies of Laddonia come to the front and declared in favor of the entire Democratic ticket. Audrain old and young of both sexes are solid for the nominees.

It cost Bob Craighead (col.) the best part of $50 last week for drawing a pistol on Kelly Wells (col). It appears that Bob had been carrying notes to Kelly's sister from a white man in this city. Kelly took Bob to task about it when he drew a pistol, for which he was fined. Next time he won't get off so easy.

It was thought the moving of the postoffice would make our part of town a desert. We never saw so many people around before at one time as there were last Wednesday. It was the first day of the month and the collectors all called. The removal of the postoffice, it appears, just as we feared, does not keep people you owe away.

Happy Cal Wagner's new minstrels. The people's choice. A famous corps of minstrelsy. The national black birds of the present age—comprising happy Cal Wagner, Lew Benedict, Sam Price and Charley Goodyear. Supported by a stupendous company with a handsome band and orchestra. At opera house, Saturday evening, October 18th.

Col. W. W. Dudley, who shares with Dorsey the admirstion of Republicans for carrying Indiana in 1880, and got his reward therefor at Washington, is now in Ohio to aid in having the state go for Blaine. We suppose he will avoid the Irish, as he says he has no use for them; and yet they are an element not to be despised in a presidential contest.

A stalk of corn containing three separate tassels and seven ears of corn, was left at this office this week by Mr. Jesse M. Lear. This freak of nature he thinks has a political significance, the three ears representing Cleveland, Hendricks and Marmaduke, and the seven ears of corn, the seven years of plenty that will follow their election.—Frankford *Chronicle*.

Jas. H. McGee, of Elsberry was in to see us Friday. He had just returned from Audrain county where he bought a farm of 120 acres, four miles northwest of Mexico, for which he paid $22,50 per acre. His neighbors think he got a great bargain, claiming his farm is worth at least $1,000 more than he paid for it. He will move to it next month.—Louisiana *Press*.

Says the *Globe-Democrat* of Wednesday, speaking of the roadsters: "Noticeable in this display was Joe Stanhope, a beautiful and stylish bay gelding, 6 years old, a good square trotter. Although he failed in the capture of a ribbon, he has the consolati to know that he was found in good company. He is the property of Mr. W. R. Carter, of Mexico, Mo."

Delegates from 17 churches in Audrain county will meet at the Baptist church in Mexico, the 15th of October for the purpose of organizing an Audrain County Baptist Association. Revs. J. F. Smith, James Reid and J. C. Armstrong, have already been selected to draft a constitution, articles of faith &c. Rev. Jas. Reid has also been appointed to preach the introductory sermon.

We are sure of one thing and that is this: Whether the Republicans of this district are correct in their idea about the popularity of our nominee for Congress or not, we are sure that they are mistaken in the kind of stuff the party in this district is made of. We learn the Democrats are going to stump the district. No need of this. Democrats know their duty and will do it. The majorities in the Seventh district will all be the same and as usual.

As Samuel Apgar was returning from Modoc Tuesday riding a mule, and, when he reached Fetter Ford, just south of John Cressey's and immediately west of Philip Brown's residence, his mule refused to go any further, and commenced bucking and braying and finally broke out in a cold sweat. "Snapper" gave an old colored man 50 cents to lead the mule back to Modoc and walked into town. He says he will never travel over that road again.

One of the "heavy" men of the LEDGER, accompanied by Charley Morgner, spent last Sunday and Monday in St. Louis. We made our headquarters at Mr. Arthur Grahl's, 1861 Linn street, and were nicely entertained by Mr. Grahl and his accomplished wife. Mr. G. is a clever gentleman and is foreman of a large book binding establishment. We also had the pleasure of meeting Captain Andrews, a prominent lawyer of that city, who has our thanks for favors.

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Circuit Court Proceedings.

Audrain circuit court convened in regular session Monday, 6th; Hon. E. Robinson Judge, J. J. Steele Clerk, and D. D. Woodward Sheriff. The following are the jurors for the present term:

GRAND JURY.

L Munday, foreman	J T Guthrie
F M Morris	J M Smith
J T Harrison	G P Smith
O T Rollins	M Bybee
J N Roseberry	A C Sox
Alex Keene	J C Baskin

PETIT JURY.

J W Crigler	L Newkirk
J W Canada	Thos Northern
W L Brown	P H Vance
J M Beagles	A D Spratt
M C Flynt	S L McCord
R A Calhoun	J H Woods
R D Alexander	C J Powell
R D Chinn	D Householder
G A Gilbert	G M Sims
J G Willey	G W Roberts

The following attorneys, other than the local bar, are in attendance: W. H. Morrow, Louisiana; E. T. Smith, Bowling Green; S. H. Priest, St. Louis.

The following are among the proceedings up to date:

Clark vs Pledge, motion for bond for costs filed.

Jno. A. Keller permitted to sign roll of attorneys.

Attachments ordered for J. W. Crigler and R. E. Lawder, jurors failing to report.

State vs N. Brown, indictment for burglary and larceny; indictment read and plea of "not guilty" entered.

State vs. E. Brown, same.

State vs. Ben. Krugler, grand larceny, —plea of guilty.

State vs. Lewis Mc Cory, assault with intent to kill, not guilty.

State vs J. M. Mountain, assault with intent to kill, "not guility."

State vs Wm. Gay, embezzlement, plea "not guilty."

State vs John Boyd, burglary and larceny, plea "not guilty."

State vs Kennedy & Schmidt, grand larceny, plea "not guilty"

City of Mexico vs Gilliam, dismissed at cost of defendant.

Hooton vs Llewellyn, plaintiff filed bond for costs.

Smith vs Hooton, case now in hands of jury.

State vs Wm. Gay, plea of not guilty withdrawn; plea of guilty entered and sentenced to 2 years in penitentiary.

State vs L. McCoy, same entry and same sentence.

State vs J. W. Mountain, same, same.

Smith vs Hooton, verdict for plaintiff for $50.

Waddingham vs Waddingham, motion to re-tax costs sustained.

Merchants National Bank vs Hagan, judgment by default, $475.

First National Bank vs Hagan, judgment by default, $209.15.

Brown vs C. & A. Railroad Co., judgment by consent, $200.

Mason vs Judy & McFaddin, judgment by consent, $50.

State vs Henry Jackson; recognizance $500.

Grand jury report indictments against Moses E. Kearns for felonious assault, and John W. Dugan for embezzlement.

Four Persons Drowned.

Special Dispatch to the Globe-Democrat.

PARIS, Mo., October 1.—Four persons were drowned in Polk Creek, about one mile from Florida, this county, yesterday evening. J. J. Hickman, his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Brit Hickman, and her two children, one aged about 7 years and the other an infant, attempted to cross the creek shortly after the rain-storm of yesterday afternoon, when they were caught by the rising flood and swept away. Nothing was known of the accident until an early hour this morning, when some children discovered the body of Mr. Hickman lodged in the brush on the bank of the creek. At last reports the other bodies had not been recovered. Mr. Hickman was a well-to-do farmer, about 60 years of age, and was highly respected. The horse and buggy were also lost.

Sons of Temperance.

The following are the officers elect of Mexico Division No. 31, S. of T. for the quarter ending Dec. 31st 1884.

J. H. Haydon, W. P.; Miss Fannie Gooch, W. A.; Miss Nora Fullington, R. S.; Ed. Patterson, Assistant R. S.; J. F. Griffee, F. S.; Mrs. Griffee, Treasurer; Rev. J. C. Armstrong, Chaplain; W. D. Lee, Conductor; Miss Mary Gorth, Assistant Conductor; Miss Mary Bourne I. S.; L. B. Cudworth, O. S.

P. W. Harding, Rev. J. C. Armstrong, C. A. Keeton, Josiah Wright, R. H. Kennan and J. H. Haydon representatives to Grand Division of Missouri.

Pay Up.

If you owe the LEDGER anything you will do us a great favor by calling and settling up. We need the money to give you a good paper and must have it. BOB WHITE.

Guy Lamb Lamb, an old "typo" and formery of this place, is in the city visiting friends.

"Painting it Red."

A gentleman who does not live far from Mexico often comes to town and gets drunk with trimmings. Last week one day he came in early. So he said to Marshal Murray:

"Almost every paper I pick up has something in it about painting the town red. I don't see any red around Mexico to speak of. Do they paint the buildings, or sidewalks, or what?"

"My innocent friend," replied Joe, "the term does not refer exactly to paint and brushes. If you should come in here to clean out Mexico, or if you were going on a high old spree, or if you intended to raise an excitement, you would slant your hat over your left ear, spit over your right shoulder, and announce in a loud voice that you were going to paint the town red."

"Because red is the color of blood —fire—lightning—red-hot times, eh?"

"Exactly."

"Kind of a figgerative expression?"

"Just so."

"Well, I'm glad I've found out, and I'm much obleeged," said the stranger as he walked away.

Two hours later he was conducted to the cooler, four-fifths drunk and a tough case to handle. He had a black eye, a bloody nose, a bleeding ear, and had been rolled in the dirt until he was a sight to see. When Judge Tomlinson asked the charge the prisoner replied:

"Red paint Jedge—put 'er down red paint. Been all around paintin' er town red. Town been all around paintin' me red. Whoop? Lively old town! Lively old red! Got painted till 'er can't rest! Put 'er down red paint—more'n a bar'l of it!"

Good Organization.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

Sub order 180, anti-horse thief association, met Sept. 29th, at Worcester for annual election of officers. Returns as follows:

W. T. Lott, W. Pres.; A. E. Kendall, W. Vice Pres.; Wm. Llewellyn, W. Sec'y; J. T. Guthrie, W. Financial Sec'y; Jas. Atkinson, Treas.

The Grand Order for the State of Missouri will meet in convention in Mexico, Oct. 15th. Over 100 delegates are expected.

Filled With Wonder.

He had been at Coney Island all day and was struggling to get his boots off.

"I never (hic) go down to the island," he said to his wife, "and look (hic) out over the broad expanse of sea, thought being (hic) filled with wonder."

"Filled with what?" she asked.

"Wonder."

"Wonder! That's a brand of whisky I never heard of."

England and the Democracy.

From the New York Truth.

Thomas Jefferson, the first Democratic president, beat England in diplomacy. Andrew Jackson, another Democratic president, beat her at a place called New Orleans. The Irish voters should not make fools of themselves.

Situation Wanted.

By a sober, reliable printer, a situation in a country office. Address, box 204, Mexico, Mo.

160 HEAD OF CATTLE

To be Sold at Columbia, Mo., Tuesday, October 14.

Having recently sold our farm we will offer for sale at public auction, on

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at Gen. Guitar's faam, one mile south of Columbia, on the Ashland gravel road, 160 head of cattle. as follows:

60 head high grade short-horn cows.

40 head high grade short-horn heifers, one and two years old, all bred to thoroughbred Hereford bulls.

Many of these cows are good milkers. Five have young calves. All are extra good breeders. Their calves last season were sold for $60 for the grade Herefords and $37.50 for the grade short-horns. They are bred to the same bulls this season.

Also two Hereford bulls, one an imported two-year-old. 20 one-half blood Hereford heifer calves. 11 one-half blood Hereford bull calves. 11 grade short-horn heifer calves. 9 steer calves.

Also 1 black jack seven years old and 15 hands high; a good breeder and fine performer; also, one fine two-year-old jack and one fine yearling jack.

TERMS—Three months note without interest, purchaser giving good security; or five per cent. per annum, discount for cash.

Persons coming by train will be transported to the sale free of charge.

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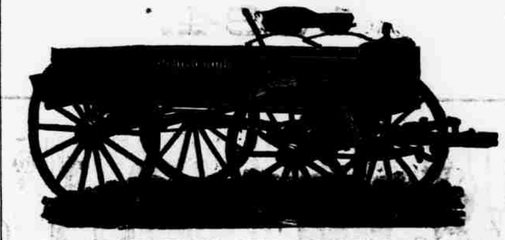

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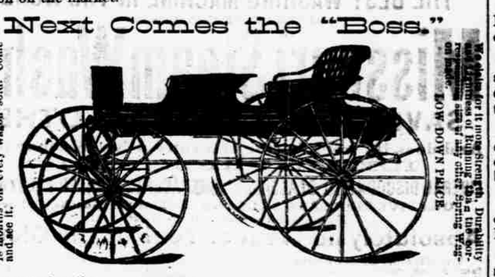

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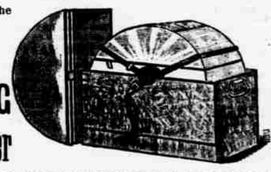

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"Yes, we are twenty miles this side yet."

"This train stops there, doesn't it?"

"Yes."

"Well, don't fail to let me know when we get there."

Then he settled himself back in his seat, and smiled when a St. Louis citizen bent across the aisle and asked him if any new buildings had been put up in Chicago since the fire.

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Woodward & Son have a complete set of abstract books. 42-tf

Ladies' S. Lace custom shoes at less than cost, at M. E. Botts.

Nonpareil velveteen for 75 cents and $1 a yard at M. E. Botts'.

Dress goods department, complete in every respect, at M. E. Botts'.

The celebrated Horse Shoe Boot, warranted, for sale at I. Frank's. tf

You will feel very sorry if you don't buy the Horse Shoe Boot of I. Frank. 26-tf.

Ladies, don't forget that M. E. Botts has an elegant line of wraps and cloaks on hand.

Dry goods, notions, gents' furnishing goods in endless abundance and very cheap at I. Frank's. 26-tf

Don't forget to examine our line of cloaks before you buy.

M. E. BOTTS.

A fine line of ladies, misses and children's shoes, very low at

26-tf. I. FRANK'S.

Go clear around the square to buy your groceries from C. F. Yerger. You will save money. He keeps the best and sells the cheapest. He pays cash for produce. 35 tf

Excursion Rates to St. Louis for Exposition.

Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific and Chicago & Alton Rys., will sell excursion tickets to St. Louis and return Mondays and Thursdays, Sept. 11, 15, 18, 22, 25, 29, and October 2, 6, 13 and 16, at $4.65. Good for return passage five days from date of sale. E. S. WILSON, Tc'k A'gt.

Farmers, It Will Pay You to Paste This in Your Hat.

When you bring your country produce, such as feathers, hides, wool, tallow, &c., to market, look out and don't sell it to street runners; they will swindle you every time. If you want the full market price and good, correct weight, be sure to look up SAM MORRIS; he will always pay you top prices in cash. His warehouse is one and a half blocks northeast of public square, near Mexico Custom Mill, and you can bet on him treating you so that you will call the second time.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs and reduced to a walking skeleton. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and a gain of flesh of 48 pounds." Call at J. F. Llewellyn's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles $1.00.

Short Horns at Auction.

The Northeast Missouri Shorthorn Association will sell at the Fair Grounds, Mexico, Mo., on Monday, October 20th, 70 head of the most noted families known to the shorthorn world. Every animal offered will be recorded in the S. H. Herd Book, or their sire and dam on record. No by-bidding allowed by the Association and no reserve. 40 bulls and 30 cows and heifers constitute the lot. Send for catalogue. Time will be given on good paper. S. P. EMMONS, Sec'y.

Col. J. W. JUDY, Auctioneer. 3

For Sale.

Four to five thousand dollars worth of lumber, cheap; three nice new dwellings, including 5 lots, 60x120 feet, upon which said dwellings are located, including also good will in the lumber business; also, wagon repair shop and lot, in a good, enterprising railroad town in Central Missouri. Will sell part or all of above property on reasonable terms. Call on or address J. W. DANIEL,

22-tf Land Agent, Mexico, Mo.

PILES! PILES!! PILES!!!

Sure cure for Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. One box has cured the worst cases of 20 years' standing. No man need suffer five minutes after using William's Indian Pile Ointment. It absorbs tumors, allays itching, acts at poultice, gives instant relief. Prepared only for Piles, Itching of the private parts, nothing else. Hon. J. M. Coffenbury, of Cleveland, says: "have used scores of Pile cures, and it affords me pleasure to say that I have never found anything which gives such immediate and permanent relief as Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment." Sold by druggists and mailed on receipt of price, $1.

FRAZIER MEDICINE CO., Prop's.
Cleveland, Ohio.

49-1y For sale by Dobyns & Gibbs.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve,

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 5 cents per box. For sale by J. F. Llewellyn. tf

RHEUMATISM CURED.—If you have it, try a bottle of Lightning Liniment; if it does not cure you the money will be refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale at Hall's Drug Store. 5-1y.

When you want anything in the dressmaking line, call on Misses McIntosh & Johnson, over the post office. 24-tf.

LOCAL NOTICES.

For Loans!
Apply to Lakenan & Barnes. 4t.

Go to T. F. Roden's if you want fresh groceries of all kinds. 4-tf

Extra fine stock of pantaloon patterns at Gough & Ruger's. 19-tf

Ice cream made from pure cream at Potts' parlors. 5-tf

Hayden & Gregg have money to loan in sums to suit you. 1 tf

Go to Wilard Potts' for the best of ice cream. 5-tf

Do you want to build a barn? Buy your lumber of J. Wright. 23-3t.

The freshest and cheapest groceries in Mexico at Garrett & McCue's.

The best bread in town at John McKinley's. 7-tf.

A good six room house for sale. Apply to Josiah Wright. 23-3t

The freshest and cheapest groceries in Mexico at Garrett & McCue's. tf

All work guaranteed at C. B. Morris', north side square. 22-2t

Do you want to build a house? Buy your lumber of J. Wright. 3t

Nobody can beat John McKinley making ice cream. 7-tf.

Buy your fencing and cedar posts of Josiah Wright. 23-3t

Staple and fancy groceries at Garrett and McCue's. 23-tf

For correct standard time call at C. B. Morris'. 22-2t

Staple and fancy groceries at Garrett & McCue's. 23-tf

Take your country produce to Garrett & McCue's and buy your groceries of them. 23-tf.

Go to Yerger's and get the boss musical organ—cheap and complete. Call and see it. 35-tf.

T. F. Roden sells groceries cheap and pays the highest price for country produce. 4-tf

T. F. Roden buys and sells for cash, and in this way saves money for his customers. 4-tf

Another invoice of tinware and other goods for the 5, 10 and 25 cent counters at Variety Store.

Dr. W. C. Pipino, physician and surgeon, Mexico, Mo. Office over Dobyns & Gibbs'. 8-tf.

Don't fail to call and see Garrett & McCue. If you trade with them once you will keep it up. 8-4t.

Woodward & Son can furnish an abstract to any piece of land in Audrain county, Mo., on reasonable terms. 42-tf

Before you buy your watches, clocks, silverware, jewely, etc., call on C. B. Morris. His prices can not be beat. 22-2t

The best selected stock of goods ever brought to the city at Gough & Ruger's. 19-tf

A thing of beauty is a joy forever. Such are Willard Potts' ice cream parlors. 5-tf

You will miss it if you don't buy your groceries from C. F. Yerger. 26-tf.

Take your country produce to Garrett & McCue's and buy your groceries of them. 23-tf

Insure with R. S. Steele in the Sunfire of London and the Traders' of Chicago, two of the best companies in the world. 31-tf.

For ladies' cheap hats and bonnets, call at the new millinery store of Mrs. Sontag, at J. Sontag's Notion Store, Washington Street. 51-tf.

Patronize home manufactories. J. P. Dobyns, known to all the people of Audrain, makes the best bed spring in existence. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Price from $4 to $5. 5-tf

New Bakery.

John McKinley has just opened a new bakery southeast corner of the square. John has the very best of ice cream, lemonade, cakes, candies, fruits, &c. His fresh bread is the best in the State. 4-tf.

Ladies and gentlemen going to and from trains will find a nice oyster parlor at M. W. Schefftel's, opposite the depot, where the finest bivalves will be served in first-class style, at all hours. 16-3t.

PROPOSITION

For Restraining Animals Running at Large in Audrain County.

Notice is hereby given that the proposition to restrain Horses, Mules, Asses, Cattle, Swine, Sheep and Goats from running at large within Audrain county will be submitted to the legal voters of Audrain county, State of Missouri, at the next general election, to be held within said county on November 4, 1884. By order of Audrain County Court.

Attest: B. L. LOCKE,
23-3t Clerk.

MEXICO MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED WEEKLY FOR THE LEDGER BY

A. D. JACKSON & CO.

—DEALERS IN—

ALL KINDS OF GROCERIES,

Provisions, Flour, Feed, Salt, Glass and Queensware—all sold low for cash or exchange for all kinds of country produce. Come and see us—EAST SIDE SQUARE.

MEXICO, MO., Oct. 9, 1884.

Bran, per 100 pounds	75
Bacon—shoulders, per lb	8@11
" —Middlings, per lb	12@14
" —Hams, per lb	14
Butter, per lb., fresh	15@20
Beeswax, per lb	25
Corn meal, per bushel	60@65
Corn, per barrel	1 75
Coal oil, best	25
Canvassed hams, per lb	16
Chickens, per dozen	1 50@2 00
Coffee—Rio	14@20
" —Java	30
" —Parched	20
Eggs, per dozen	8@10
Flour, per hundred pounds	2 50@3 00
Feathers, per lb, new	40
Hay, per 100 pounds	90
Hides, dry, per lb	8@12 1-2
" —green, per lb	5@6
Lard, per lb	10
Oats, per bushel	18@20
Onions, per bushel, choice	50
Potatoes, per bushel	25@50
Rice, per lb	8@10
Sugar—brown, per lb	5@8 1-3
" —Clarified, per lb	10
" —Powdered, per lb	12 1-2
Salt, per barrel	1 65
Seamless sacks, each	25@30
Tea—Gun Powder, per lb, best	1 00
" —Black, per lb	75
" —Imperial	50@75
" —Japan	75
Tallow, per lb	5
Vinegar, per gallon	40
Timothy seed	1 50@1 60