# THE LEDGER.

R. M. WHITE, Editor and Proprietor.

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1889.


MEXICO needs a good system of sewerage.

THE Mexico Browns are giving the public good ball.

BENTON CITY is putting on style and has just laid sidewalks from the center to the suburbs all over the city.

RATHER reliable information from Jefferson City indicates that the Governor will sign all the bills now on his table.

SOTHERN, the actor, has written a play for himself and named it "Poker." Paradoxical as it may seem, it won't draw unless it is pat.

THE 300 carriage makers who have been thrown out of employment at Amesbury, Mass., should notify Mr. Harrison that the wheels have ceased to go round.

THE prosideat has already appointed two postmasters who can not read. It seems to be Mr. Harrison's notion that a postmaster's duty is merely to lick stamps.

THE Missouri Legislature adjourned at noon Saturday, and the entire State is happy once more. The sum total of the appropriations, including the pay of members, was $4,130,000.

MICHIGAN is fortunate in its postmasters. It is not probable that any other State in the Union can show both a George Washington and a Shakspeare holding such positions.

THE grip cars of Chicago are so actively at work murdering residents as to make the annexation of the suburbs absolutely necessary in order that the census taker may be met without shame.

How sharper than a serpent's tooth is the reduction of wages at the Sharpsville furnaces, all of which are in the great State of Pennsylvania. Truly, this is a high tariff, Harrisonian year.

WITH Bishop Potter denouncing political corruption, and the Rev. Mr. Abbott declaring that too many of the Grand Army veterans were maimed by whisky, we need expect no peace this year.

"WHO," asks the Philadelphia *Record*, "is to judge whether a Minnesotan be drunk or sober?" Is it possible that the Minnesotan can hold so much without giving some evidence of his condition?

CYNICS say: "Friendship is a good thing, but it has no market price." Mlle. Hortense Leduc, of Montreal, knows better. She has just been left $4,000,000 by the will of a rich Frenchman, as a token of friendship.

NEWFOUNDLAND fishermen are at the point of open hostilities with the French of the same occupation who ply their trade upon the banks. Izaak Walton's peaceful and gentle art has nowadays as much fight in it as has a dynamite conspiracy and for danger far surpasses a French duel.

MISS CLYMER, soon to marry the Hon. Thos. F. Bayard, is to be given away by her brother, who bears the euphonious name of Shubrick. This gentleman must be a terror to all attractive young ladies by reason of the danger that he will throw himself or his first name at their heads.

THE suggestions of "A. Driver" in to-day's LEDGER, regarding the extension of the Boulevard, are good and should be acted upon at once, if at all. As our correspondent says, "We have the land;" we certainly can put the necessary improvements upon it to make it answer the purpose it was donated for. The LEDGER is in favor of the extension.

### Women Too.

Joe Howard in the New York Press.

If it be true that men, in the heydey of prosperity, should put away something for the inevitable day of rain, so that in the last years of life they will not be compelled to lean upon the crutch of charity, or borrow the cane of friendliness, how is it about the women? How about the stenographers, the telephone shouters, the keyboard clickers, the piano thumpers, the screams of "cash," and the measures of dry goods? These girls are not all going to find their George, their Charles, their Albert Edward. Far from it. There is no beautiful provision of nature by which old maids dry up and blow away. On the contrary, the older they grow the more absolute necessity for their bread and butter three times a day, not to mention "a drop of tea."

### The National Meeting.

From the Brookfield Argus.

R. M. White, (our friend Bob) editor of the Mexico LEDGER, left last Monday for Cincinnati, Ohio, where he represents Missouri at a meeting of the National Editorial Association Committee, which will arrange for the National meeting at Detroit this summer. Bob can teach the Buckeyes something about how to run a successful country newspaper.

### Closed by Creditors.

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 27.—The merchant tailoring establishment of Eugene White & Co. was closed today by attachments levied by the Columbia Savings Bank for $1000, C. Meade White for $1857; A. W. Longley, John N. Lowe and Gerard M. Alexander for $300.

## HIS LUCK WAS BAD.

### Contractor "M. E. Ashton" Fails to Fleece the Merchants of Mexico.

About the 20th of this month a tall, smooth looking stranger registered at the Ringo as "M. E. Ashton, Great London Circus," took one of the best rooms in the house and announced his desire to make contracts for feeding the actors of the greatest show on earth. Ashton closed the contracts with Mr. Edmonston, the proprietor, but excited the landlord's suspicion by asking no reduction in the rate. The advance contractor then sailed out among the merchants and after a day or two completed his arrangements and got ready to leave for the next town, saying the bill car would be along in a few days. Mr. Edmonston, of the Ringo, thought the man was crooked and refused to take an order on the circus for the amount of the agent's two days' bill. Ashton pleaded lack of handy funds with such earnestness, however, that the goodhearted landlord accepted the order, believing at the time that he would lose the money.

Ashton visited every meat market in the city, offering to contract if the dealers would allow him a small commission. He finally placed the contract with T. M. Dowell, on Washington street. He asked Mr. Dowell for his commission, but that gentleman refused to advance a cent, saying that he used no such business methods. Numerous other business men were visited, and if they were fooled into advancing money to the contractor they are ashamed to acknowledge it.

Ashton worked a dozen merchants at Nevada on the 3d, saying his show would be in that place on the 25th. Of course the aggregation didn't turn up. His show would reach here on June 3, he said, but nothing has been heard of the scamp or his circus since his departure.

### The German Church.

To the Editor of the Ledger.

PROGRESS, Mo., May 28.—Replying to a recent article in the LEDGER, we must say that our friend, Mr. A. German, is not well up in these church questions. We know all about the expenses of such an institution. The main idea is, we want a church and we want it in Mexico, because it is the proper place for it. What good would a church on Bean Creek be to Mexico. It would not attract an immigrant to the city? The Germans wish to live close to the church. If they do not get this chance they will stay away from here. Mexico should have a German Lutheran Church because she will have somebody to go into it. A good start has been made already and success will follow.

A. HUBERT.

ANOTHER VIEW OF IT.

To the Editor of the Ledger

MEXICO, Mo., May 29.—There is much talk of building a German Lutheran Church at Mexico. I don't see why they want to build a German Lutheran Church at Mexico. Why don't they build a German Evangelical Church like the one at Progress? Then our ministry could serve both churches at very near the same expense. I don't see why they want to build a German Lutheran Church just for three or four. The Lutheran Congregations belong to the Synod of Missouri, and if they form an organization and build a church and if ever the congregation should disagree with the Synod of Missouri and step off, the Synod takes a claim on the church and property; and congregation and citizen would have nothing to say over that property. The Evangelical congregations belong to the Synod of North America. If they form an organization and build a church, and if they ever should disagree and step off the church and property would remain to the congregation and not to the Synod; and if the German citizens of Mexico will take no more interest in it than what they have been doing there will be no church built at all. Mexico should have had a German church long ago.

OBSERVER.

### Council Proceedings.

The Council Monday sat down on the efforts to extend the water mains into the Fourth Ward and out on North Jefferson street. On the first named work, Councilman Roden, chairman of the committee, reported favorably on the laying of 1133 feet of main and the placing of two hydrants. The proposition was defeated, Arnold, Locke and Ferris voting no, Roden and Angle yes, Worrell absent. Mr. Locke, of the committee on North Jefferson street extension, reported adversely and the committee was discharged.

MUNICIPAL MINUTES.

The City Council has tendered the use of two teams and men for two days' work on the Boulevard.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harrison has been instructed to lower the sidewalk in front of property she owns on East Monroe street.

The Council has concluded to furnish no assistance in the Crafton matter, it being decided that the condition of the treasury will admit of the city taking no permanent charges.

Citizens of the Third Ward have asked for a sewer from Jackson street to Monroe. A committee was appointed to look into the work.

The usual batch of bills were allowed.

Clarence Hall is home from Kansas City on a visit.

## Reading for Farmers.

From the Jefferson City Tribune

Members of the agricultural wheel and the farmers' alliance can have no occasion in the future for fighting the Democratic party in this State. Nearly every demand made by that organization has been enacted into laws by the Democratic Assembly of Missouri. Grain gambling has been prohibited, the formation and existence of trusts forbidden, the corporations will be required to bear a greater share of taxation, discrimination in freight rates and exhorbitant charges have been prohibited. The unfair method of handling grain and grading the same was made the subject of a very stringent law. Here is a section of the act:

"Public warehouse men shall not mix any grain of different grades together, not select nor mix different qualities of the same grade for the purpose of storing or delivering the same, nor shall they deliver or attempt to deliver grain of one grade for grain of another grade, nor in anyway tamper with grain while in a public warehouse in his or their possession or custody, nor permit the same to be done by others with the view or result of profit to anyone; and in no case shall grain of different grades, either from the general stock or from special bins, be mixed together while in store or control of such public warehousemen."

With the single exception of the mortgage law there is not a Legislative subject referred to in the enumeration of either the wheel or the farmers' alliance which has not been the subject of a good law. Regarding mortgages, the Republicans are entirely responsible for the failure of this law.

In the light of such facts the farmers' organizations will have no occasion in the future to oppose the Democratic party and if they are true to the principles they proclaim they will gladly support the party which has promptly met their complaints.

### Governor Francis.

From the Boonville Advertiser.

Governor Francis, by his strict attention to duty and his fearless discharge of the same, has disarmed his enemies and in many instances has made of them devoted friends. Of course, it was not expected that those who fought with insincere motives, and who intentionally and deliberately maligned him, would give him fair treatment or proper credit for anything worthy or honorable they might find in him. For instance, his enemies in Cooper county repeatedly asserted that he would do everything in his power to advance the interests of the grain gamblers in St. Louis, which meant that the farmers would be further robbed and swindled, and the price of their wheat caused to row less each year. These partiesg are not charitable enough to inform those they deceived in this matter, that the legislature has enacted a law in behalf of the farmer and against gambling in grain, and the bill has met with the approval ot the governor and has been signed by him. Had he been "owned" by the gamblers and option dealers it is not likely this bill would now be a law. The governor is making a splendid record and his friends in this section of the State are proud of him. His enemies are dumbfounded and have but little to say, with the exception of those who honestly opposed him, who are now his warm admirers, and they propose to stand nobly by him.

### Sunday School Work.

MEXICO, Mo., May 29, 1889.—There was a rousing Union S. S. Convention at Vandalia to-day of all the Sunday Schools in Cuivre township. Another one Saturday, June 1, at Pleasant Grove Church of all the schools in Saling township, and another Saturday, June 8, at Martinsburg, of all the schools in Loutre township and still another Saturday and Sunday, June 15 and 16, at Wesley Chapel of all the schools in Prairie and Linn townships.

Everybody of every denomination is invited and expected to attend each and all of these conventions and take a part in the good work. Let us all work together for our children, our homes and the church.

Respectfully,

J. V. WILLIAMS,
Member State Ex. Com.

William H. Burgess, who lives at Alexandria, Va., assisted in 1836 in building Washington's new tomb at Mount Vernon. Hs says: "I was a lad then, but I remember that in removing the bodies of George and Martha to their present tomb we decided to open the coffin. I looked in and saw Gen. Washington's face. The body was well preserved and the features were intact. There was nothing to indicate the time he had been dead. A minute after exposure to the air there was a collapse and nothing was recognizable. The face looked like his pictures."

### An Attempt at Suicide by Mrs. Beechler.

CLEVELAND, O., May 28.—Mrs. Beechler, mother of the notorious Libbie Beechler, who was recently acquitted of the charge of murdering Harry King in Omaha, endeavored to commit suicide last night. She made several ineffectual attempts to buy poison and tried to jump into the river, but was prevented from doing so by two boys. Family troubles are said to have made her despondent.

T. M. Bates, superintendent of Alton transportation, was in town to-day.

## LITERARY SALAD.

### Pleasant Conversazione at Mrs. Carroll's Friday Evening.

THE quotation party at the home of Mrs. G. M. Carroll, on East Monroe Street Friday eve, was one of the most charming affairs of the year. The parlors were profusely decorated with the most beautiful flowers of many varieties, while the lawn was illuminated handsomely by Japanese lanterns. The affair was given in honor of Miss Alice Wardwell, of Kingwood, West Virginia, and Miss Hannah Wardwell, of Boston, and was a glowing success. The following named persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Llewellyn, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coatsworth, Mr. and Mrs. George LaForce, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White, Mrs. H. A. Ricketts, Mrs. Wm. Pollock, Mrs. Wm. Sims, Mrs. Daisy Mattis, Misses Martha Sullinger, Annie Spence, Linnie Steele, Sadie Pollock, Lillie Dobyns, Alice Wardwell, Kingwood, W. Va.; Hannah Wardwell, Boston, Mass.; Messrs. E. S. Frost, C. D. Rodgers, S. M. Locke, Fenley Bryan and Dr. W. L. Reed.

## THE INTER-STATE INQUIRY.

### Meeting of the Inter-State Commerce Commission at Jefferson City.

The Alton officials, members of the Inter-State Commerce Commission and others passed through the city at an early hour yesterday *en route* for Jefferson City. The party consisted of Chairman Cooley and Commissioners Morrison and Bragg; Judge Aldace F. Walker, chairman of the Inter-State Commerce Association, and Judge Brown, H. H. Courtright, general freight agent of the Alton; George L. Cadmen, chairman of the Western Weighing and Inspection Bureau; E. St. John, general manager of the Chicago and Pacific; E. P. Ripley, general manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, and several witnesses in the case to be investigated. The train left Chicago at 6 o'clock last evening and arrived at Cedar City at 7 o'clock morning.

AT JEFFERSON CITY.

From the St. Louis Republic.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 28.—Judges Cooley, Bragg and Walter of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, will arrive at the Capital to-morrow morning by the Chicago & Alton road. They come for the purpose of hearing the complaints of Central and North Missouri farmers against the Chicago and Alton road on account of alleged excessive freight charges. They will be greeted by large delegations of interested persons. Mr. Charles E. Leonard arrived to-night with a party from Saline county, while Senator Green Clay and R. M. White, of the Mexico LEDGER, are here with a delegation from Audrain county. The arguments will be heard in the office of the Board of Railroad Commissioners and the State Board will be present during the day.

### Vivid Writing.

A little descriptive piece entitled "Over the Guns," from the Detroit *Free Press*, of which we give a paragraph, reminds us that great advertisers, like H. H. Warner & Co., proprietors of Warner's celebrated Safe Cure, might get a hint from it.

Here is the paragraph:

"Shoot to the right or left, over the guns or under them. Strike where you will, but strike to destroy. Now the hell surges down, even to the windows of the old farm-house—now back under the apple trees and beyond them. Dead men are under the ponderous wheels of the guns, mad devils are slashing and shooting across the barrels. No one seems to know friend or foe. Shoot, slash, kill and—

"But the hell is dissolved. The smoke is lifting, shrieks and screams grow fainter, and twenty or thirty living men pull the dead bodies away from the guns. Three hundred dead and wounded on the single acre. They tell of war and glory. Look over this hell's half acre and find the latter." And in just as deadly a strife, though noiseless, are men falling at our right and left to-day. Is it war? Yes, war of the blood. Blood loaded with poison through imperfect kidney action. And is there no power to stop this awful slaughter? Yes, Warner's Safe Cure, a tried specific, a panacea that has brought life and hope to hundreds of thousands of dying men and women.

Be enlisted therefore, in the great army of living men and women who have been rescued from disease and premature death, and be eternally grateful that the means of life can so easily be yours.

### Hardin College Exercises.

Wednesday, May 29, 8 to 11:30 p. m., Art Levee at College. No charge.

Thursday, May 30, 8 p. m., Grand Concert at Ferris Grand, Treloar, director. Tickets 25 cents, at Carter's.

Friday, May 31, 8 p. m., Grand Concert, Schirmacher, director. Tickets 25 cents, at Carter's.

Western towns are not giving the rate of mortality nor bragging about average, but the point is to convince new comers that cyclones always pass to the right or left by a few miles.


# Clothing for Nothing!

AT

# The St. Louis Store!

This is literally what the ST. LOUIS STORE is doing---selling FINE CLOTHING at prices never before touched in Mexico.

## Trousers!

Far below cost. Full suits at actual cost. Gents' Furnishings at half price. This great sale will continue until the stock is closed out, to make room for the new dry goods line. Come and see!

## The St. Louis Store

Has come to stay. Patronize it. Every article in the dry goods line sold at simply a living profit.

**S. GOODSTEIN,** EAST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE, MEXICO, - MISSOURI.


## MILES OF WATER.

### Unpleasant Predicament of an Emigrant Family.

### Hundreds of Acres Submerged—The Highest Water Known in Years—Watching the Rail-Road Bridges.

Just east of the city, standing on a slight elevation, with muddy, swiftly flowing water within ten feet on all sides, an emigrant outfit spent last night and all of to-day. The movers are from the East, bound for Oklahoma. They arrived at their present location late Monday night and when the rain began yesterday morning it was deemed best not to resume the journey under the pelting drops. So a camp was made, and the family stopped on the little knoll. The rain continued all through the day, however, and at nightfall there was no prospect of a cessation. Salt River began to show signs of a rise, but the emigrants did not look at the swelling waters with any degree of alarm. But when they awake this morning everything was different from the night before. All about them lay a sheet of muddy water and their little camp ground was less than fifty feet in width. The alarmed party made soundings of the water and it was found to be from five to seven feet in depth, stretching far on every side. There are several women and children in the party, but none of them are thought to be suffering. It is believed they have plenty of food, though the wagon is wet and their comforts are few indeed. No effort to reach the travelers has been made, as the water seems to have reached its greatest height and no danger that the occupants of the island may be washed away, is feared. The nearest boat is nearly a mile away an unless some new trouble arises, the emigrants will be left on their little patch of ground until the water recedes.

THE HIGHEST IN YEARS.

The streams throughout North Missouri are higher now than they have been for years. It is doubted if Salt River was ever swollen as at present. East of this city, in the neighborhood of the railroad bridges, this stream is now over a mile in width, with back water running two or three miles into the woods and over fields. The water is several feet deep all about Harrison's brick yard and just east of the Alton round house and south of the main line of that road the water is well up to the top of the fences. Trees that usually stand high and dry two hundred yards from the banks of the creek are submerged to their branches, and the county road running under the Alton bridge is covered by at least six feet of swiftly running water. The wooden bridge at the foot of Liberty street now stands at least two hundred feet from dry land on the west, while on the east it cannot be approached closer than a quarter of a mile. The water is passing over the floor of the structure, and numerous big logs and great piles of drift are bumping ominously against its side. Within ten feet of the ties on the Alton bridge a force of men belonging to William Bowers' bridge gang is engaged with long hooks in

CATCHING THE DRIFT

and sending it down stream. The men stand on the iron braces, which are fully covered with water, and with their prongs and hooks keep the big logs from striking the bridge. They work in several feet of water and their position is perilous in the extreme. Below the narrow, water-covered irons on which they stand the water is fully twenty-five feet in depth, while, filled with drift, the swift current rushes about them. A sudden numbness or a cramp would mean the loss of balance, and more than likely, drowning.

Standing on the west end of the bridge the scene is a strange one. On every hand the waters extend out of sight and all familiar landmarks seem changed. A reporter for the LEDGER stood in the driving rain for twenty minutes, this morning, and watched the men below battle with the drift-wood. A queer feature of the high water is an

ABUNDANCE OF SNAKES;

they are everywhere. Several little fellows were seen swimming to land through the current. They made wonderful progress and wriggled off in the grass and weeds as soon as they reached the bank. A number of the reptiles lay on the rock foundation to the bridge, just under the heavy timbers to which the ties are fastened. When flung off into water from the end of a stick, they struggled a moment in the current and then turned and swam easily to land.

The Wabash bridge, which is a heavy, covered structure, was thought to be in danger this morning and a number of men and a pile driver were sent down to brace it up. Several carpenters, in inflated rubber suits, floated serenely on the turbid waters and with hammer and wrench tightened and strengthened the bridge materially. A few venturesome, curious boys and men visited the scene of the high water while the rain fell this morning, and this afternoon many ladies and children went down to the water's edge.

The trains of last night and to-day were all delayed by reason of the heavy rain, but no serious disasters are reported.

AN UNPRECEDENTED RAINFALL.

The rainfall yesterday, last night and to-day was larger than ever before reported in this section. The gauge at Llewellyn's government station indicated a fall of four and nine-tenths inches up to noon.

### The Boulevard Improvement.

To the Editor of the Ledger.

MEXICO, Mo., May 29.—Myself and many others who keep their own horses are gratified to learn from the LEDGER that the Boulevard is to be improved so that it will be in a fit condition to drive over. As it is now it is no better than a county road, and there is no pleasure in driving on it. The land was donated for Boulevard purposes and the unimproved half mile should be fixed up also. Then we would have a sure enough drive—one of the best in the State; a driveway we would not be ashamed to show our friends when they come to Mexico to visit us. The city streets are notoriously bad for driving, the macadam being hurtful to a horse and the many crossings ruinous to vehicles. We want a good long driveway. We have the land; let us improve it. It will require only a small amount of money to do this. Mr. Editor, you can put me down for as much as any other one man for the extension. These long summer evenings much pleasure can be derived for a little outlay of money in the matter spoken of. The city, I see, has agreed to help fix the first half mile. The county, it seems to me, should aid in getting the other half in proper shape. Let the work be done; if in no other way, by subscription.

A. DRIVER.

### Base Ball.

Secretary Kunkel, of the Base Ball Association, informed the LEDGER this morning that Hood had been released. Mr. Kunkel said he did not know who would take his place, but it was expected that LaDue, who played here on the 30th of April, would be employed. Mr. Kunkel has been in correspondence with LaDue, who is now in Kansas, and it is thought he will arrive here to-night or to-morrow.

Always deduct about forty years from the age of a veteran claiming to be 120 years old. Medical science has no record of a person in this country living beyond 102 years.


# Bay State Paste Paints!

# At C. A. BUCKNER'S DRUG STORE,

**Opposite the Ringo House.**

# Boots and Shoes

MANUFACTURED.

## Jas. McWilliams

HAS PURCHASED THE

MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT

Of H. Franke's Boot and Shoe establishment and moved it to the basement of

## Kabrich's Opera House

Where he will hereafter be found. He solicits the patronage of those wanting work done, guaranteeing his prices lower than work was ever done before in Mexico.

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

d&w June 10


### Eating Candy on a Wager.

An artist named Victor, who boards at the Delmonico, on the West Side, made a wager with landlord Douglass last evening, that he could eat a pound of candy in less than an hour. An assorted pound was accordingly furnished and the artist began his task. In twenty minutes, the candy was gone and before the hour had passed the man was also about gone. He became very sick and for a time it was thought the services of a physician and a pump would be required. The artist recovered before morning, however, and won his wager. He said if he had eaten the candy before filling up on supper he would have experienced no trouble. Mr. Victor also modestly states that he hasn't much of a tooth for candy.

### Good Names to Have.

Both James and John are good names for a boy, yet James appears to be a better surname than any other for a candidate for President of the United States. We have had as many as five Jameses in the presidential chair within the century—James Madison, James Monroe, James K. Polk, James Buchanan and James A. Garfield. Moreover, the father of President James Madison was named James Madison and the father of President James Buchanan was named James Buchanan. But in the case of James G. Blaine there has been a failure up to this time. After the Jameses the Johns have panned out next best—John Adams, John Q. Adams and John Tyler.

The sheriff at Troy, N. Y., put a prisoner in charge of his trotting horse, and the prisoner naturally trotted off with the animal.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, John Q. Hulett, Frank T. Hulett and Tobias Hulett, by their certain deed of trust, dated on the twelfth day of March, 1888, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, State of Missouri, in trust record book 3, at page 546, conveyed to B. F. Dobyns, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Audrain county and State of Missouri, to-wit: All of section five (5) township fifty (50) north, of range seven (7) west, containing six hundred and forty acres (640) more or less, all lying and being in said Audrain county, Missouri, which said conveyance was made in trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described. And, whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case default be made in the payment of the said note or any part thereof of the interest, the said trustee, or his successor, shall proceed to execute the powers therein conferred; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, which is now due and unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and by virtue of the authority vested in me so to do by said deed of trust, I will, on

Thursday, June 6, 1889.

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east front door of the Court House, in the town of Mexico, State and county aforesaid, sell said property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and interest and the cost of executing this trust.

6tds B. F. DOBYNS, Trustee.

### Administratrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of Fred Suhre, deceased, have been granted the undersigned, Minnie Suhre, by the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, bearing date May 25, 1889.

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

8-4t MINNIE SUHRE, Administratrix.

### Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of B. F. Ellis, deceased, have been granted the undersigned, J. T. Williams, by the Probate Court of Audrain Count Missouri.

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

6-4t J. T. WILLIAMS, Adm'r.

Mexico, May 16, 1889.


The imp. Percheron Stallion,

# ECLAIR!

(No. 609 Percheron Stud Book of France; No. 4069 Percheron Stud Book of America.) Gray, foaled 1882. Square and blocky, plenty of bone, good style and fine knee action. Sire, Vaillant 404, he by Pro-per 893, he by Decide 822, he by Vieux Pierre 874, he by Coco 112, he by Mignon 715, he by Jean LeBlanc 739. Dam, Tridith, she by Regulus 1073, he by Pierre, he by Luther 792, Jean LaBlanc 739

ECLAIR will make the season of 1889 at Galloway's livery stables in Mexico, Mo., at $15 to insure a mare in foal: $10 for the season.

Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Persons disposing of mares or removing them from neighborhood before foaling time will be held responsible, whether with foal or not.

G. W. GALLOWAY.

DR. C. F. TINCHER,

Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon,

MEXICO, MO.

Calls will receive prompt attention, day and night.

OFFICE—On Jefferson street, over Winters four doors north of post-o fice.


### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, William L. Lowrance and Eliza A. Lowrance, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated on the twelfth day of January, 1888, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, State of Missouri, in trust record book 3, at page 436, conveyed to J. G. Lakenan, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Audrain county and State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2) in block one (1) as laid down on plat of Hill and Reusch's first addition to village of Rush Hill, Audrain county, Missouri, also ½ of lot one (1) block six (6) original town of Rush Hill, in Audrain county, Missouri, described as follows, to-wit: begin at a point on east end of said lot one (1) in block six (6), thirty-one (31) feet from the northeast corner of said lot one (1) block six (6), run thence west eighty (80) feet to line between lots one (1) and two (1) in said block six (6), the ce south on said line sixty (60) feet, thence east eighty (80) feet to east line of said lot one (1) block six (6), thence north on said line sixty (60) feet to place of beginning, last named tract of land conveyed by Asa S. Underwood and wife, to Wm. L. Lowrance by deed recorded in book 32, on page 165, Audrain county records, all lying and being in said Audrain county, Missouri, which said conveyance was made in trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described. And, whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case default be made in the payment of the said note or any part thereof or the interest, as the same becomes due, the said trustee, or his suceessor, shall proceed to execute the powers therein conferred; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, which is now due and unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the owner of said note, and by virtue of the authority vested in me so to do by said deed of trust, I will, on

Saturday, June 8, 1889.

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east door of the Court House, in the city of Mexico, State and county aforesaid, sell said property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and interest and the cost of executing this trust.

6tds J. G. LAKENAN, Trustee.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Stanford C. Watts and Mary M. Watts, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated on the tenth day of October, 1884, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, State of Missouri, in trust record book W., at page 152, conveyed to J. H. Haydon, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Audrain county and State of Missouri, to-wit: Southeast 1-4 of northwest quarter, section 31, and the east half of northeast 1-4 of southwest quarter of section 30, all in township 50, of range 8, and containing 67 55-100 acres, more or less, all lying and being in said Audrain county, Missouri, which said conveyance was made in trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described. And, whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case default be made in the payment of the said note or any part thereof of the interest; or if default be made in payment of the taxes, as they become due, the said trustee, or his successor, shall proceed to execute the powers therein conferred; and, whereas, said deed of trust further provides that in case of sickness, death, or absence from the said county of the said trustee, or other disability or refusal to act, then the acting sheriff of said county, for time being, shall proceed to execute said trust; and, whereas, the said John H. Haydon is absent from said county, and has refused to act, and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, which is now due and unpaid. Now, therefore, I, George W. Adams, Sheriff of Audrain county, acting trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and by virtue of the authority vested in me so to do by said deed of trust, will, on

Saturday, June 8, 1889,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east front door of the Court House, in the town of Mexico, State and county aforesaid, sell said property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and interest and the cost of executing this trust.

6tds GEO. W. ADAMS, Sheriff and Acting Trustee.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Emily A. Myers and A. E. Myers, her husband, by their certain deed of trus dated on the twentieth day of March, 1886, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, State of Missouri, in trust deed record 2, at page 114, and conveyed to John H. Haydon as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Audrain county, and State of Missouri, to-wit: The west half of lot number seven (7), in block number 4 (4), (excepting and reserving the second story of the building situated on sai ground) all in the town of Laddonia, Audrain county, Mo., which said conveyance was made in trust, to secure the payment of one certain note in said deed described. And, whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case default be made in the payment of said note, or of the interest on said note; or if default be made in the payment of taxes, as they become due, the said trustee, or his successor, shall proceed to execute the powers therein conferred, and, wh reas, said deed of trust further provides that in case of sickness, death, or absence from the said county of the said trustee, or other disability or refusal to act, then the acting sheriff of said county, for time being, shall proceed to execute said trust; and, whereas, the said John H. Haydon is absent from said county, and has refused to act, and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note. Now, therefore, I, George W. Adams, Sheriff of Audrain county, acting trustee at the request of the holder of said note do hereby give notice that I will proceed to sell all of said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the east door of the Court House in Mexico in the county of Audrain and State of Missouri, on

Monday, the 10th day of June, 1889.

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and six o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note and the costs of executing this trust.

GEO. W. ADAMS.

5tds Sheriff and Acting Trustee.

### Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Frank Tucker and Edna V. Tucker, his wife, of Audrain county, Mo., by their certain deed of trust, dated on the ninth day of June, 1887, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, State of Missouri, in trust record book 3, at page 180, conveyed to J. C. Bassford, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Audrain county, and State of Missouri, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter; the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter; the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter; the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the southwest one-fourth of northeast quarter, all in section twenty (20) township fifty (50) range seven (7) west, containing two hundred acres, except one acre off of the east one-half (½) of the northwest quarter, section twenty (20) township fifty (50) range seven (7) west, heretofore deeded to district number two (2) for school purposes, all situate and lying in said county of Audrain State of Missouri, which said conveyance was made in trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described. And, whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case default be made in payment of said note or any part thereof or of the interest; or if default be made in payment of the taxes, as they become due, the said trustee, or his successor, shall proceed to execute the powers therein conferred; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, which is now due and unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and by virtue of the authority vested in me so to do by said deed of trust, I will, on

Thursday, June 6, 1889.,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east front door of the Court House, in the town of Mexico, State and county aforesaid, sell said property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and interest and the cost of executing this trust.

6tds J. C. BASSFORD, Trustee.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE OF FINAL REPORT.—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that I will file my final report, as assignee of M. E. Botts, at the June Term, 1889, of the Audrain County Circuit Court, and ask to be discharged.

J. V. WILLIAMS, Assignee of M. E. Botts.

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