HIT BY MOTOR AND RUINED

Fine Colley Belonging to Chauncey Shaw, of South Jefferson St., Killed by Paul Weber's Motor Car—Will Bring Suit for Damages.

The usual quiet of South Jefferson street was sadly disturbed Friday afternoon about five o'clock by the frantic cries and pattering of many feet to the corner where Central avenue crosses this thoroughfare. A motor car had passed with a rattle and bang and from the cloud of dust left in its wake there echoed the cries of something or someone badly hurt. Mothers began to search for their little ones and children for their pets. When the dust had settled there, laying in the middle of the road horribly mutilated, was the fine collie pup of Chauncey Shaw.

The frantic effort of the bloody animal to reach the side of the children who had frolicked with it but a few moments before was heartrending. At the sight of blood the little ones scampered home, tears in their eyes for their beloved playmate and in sobbing voices told of the little fellow's injuries. It was necessary to shoot the animal as the wounds would have eventually proven fatal.

The machine which injuried the animal was the property of Paul Weber and was being driven by its owner at the time. He was coming at good speed for his car, not very fast to be true but too fast for a curve, when he struck the dog playing with another at the side of the street. Mr. Shaw will probably sue for the dog's value if a settlement is not immediately made.

WABASH HAS UPTOWN OFFICE

Enterprising Railroad has Placed an Uptown Ticket Office in the Lawder Building on Promenade St., Where Travelers May Rest or Procure Information.

The Wabash railroad with its customery hustle and enterprise has located an uptown ticket office in this city. The room is in the Lawder block on the Promenade St., side and is equipped with electric fans and ice water as well as comfortable chairs for the use of those using it. Frank Bruton has charge of the office and has issued a general invitation to the public to make use of the establishment.

A bureau of information regarding travel in this and other states. If you are planing a trip or wish to buy a ticket there is no need to go to the company's station. Merely seek the uptown offices and every detail will be attended to.

Bird's Natural Weapon.

A now extinct species of bird which formerly inhabited Rodrigues was flightless, but an outgrowth of bone at the joint of the radius and metacarpus formed a knob that rendered the short wing as dangerous among birds as a policeman's billy.

THE ELECTRIC ROAD

PRESIDENT S. L. ROBINSON AND JUDGE MATHIAS CRUM ARE IN ST. LOUIS CONFERRING WITH CAPITALISTS REGARDING BUILDING OF LINE FROM MEXICO TO PERRY.

CONTRACTORS ARE ON PROPOSED ROAD

Only one Contractor Left and he has Gone to Finish Work he Started Elsewhere Before Present Project Was Launched—Will Return Shortly and Resume the Work.

For the past two days there has frequently passed through the square a long line of wagons and teams. They were evidently a contractors from the proposed Perry and Mexico Traction line. Those who beheld the parade somewhat resembling an army on the march shook their heads and with knowing winks and sad looks said: "There goes our electric line." They were mistaken. Only one contractor has gone. The others remained and at the present time President S. L. Robinson and Judge Mathias Crum are in St. Louis, where it is understood certain capitalists are becoming so interested in the project they will likely finance it.

Contractor Wolfe, who has sublet some of the work, is still here and awaiting orders to resume the work of grading. Quite a distance has already been graded and prepared for steele and if the money is forthcoming shortly we may have cars running over the new line, a part of the distance at least, by October first.

The fact of the project being still alive is good news to many. The general impression was, when the long line of contractors teams and wagons passed through the city, that the road would not be built. It is quite likely within a few days for something definite regarding its construction to be announced. The reports from St. Louis are sanguine and it seems the Mexico, Santa Fee and Perry Traction Co., will be a reality.

$16.10 to St. Paul and Return Via the Wabash.

$22.40 to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo and return. On sale daily until Sept. 30th. Return limit Oct. 31 1908.

I. M. Richards,
Agent
Wabash R. R. Co.

The Ledger covers the field.

SOCIETY

(Those having items for the society column of the Evening LEDGER will please communicate with Miss Esther Houston at her home just west of the Episcopal church, on West Promenade street. Phone 97.)

Advertisements in this column will be inserted for 5 cents per line for first insertion and 1 cent for each succeeding insertion six words to the line. Cash with order.

MISCELLANEOUS.

We hear very little concerning Mrs. Roosevelt and her entertaining. Shall we hear more of Mrs. Bryan when she reaches the White House? The picture published in these columns today of the wife of Mr. Bryan shows her to be a woman whose personal beauty is fit for the position of leader in Washington social circles. Since her husband's last nomination she has had ample opportunity to entertain at their country home near Lincoln. It is called Fairview and is said to be as handsome a residence as there is in that Nebraska city. Her qualifications as hostess in such an exalted position are very good if her reputation in the past is to be taken as a criterion. The women of this country will watch with interest her arrival and stay in the White House and what success she achieves in society there.

Mrs. C. R. Gibbs gave a most pleasant six o'clock dinner party Tuesday. Her guests were Misses Loretta and Mary Gartrell, Virginia Yancy, Ruby Carter, Marie and Susie Houston.

A pleasant six o'clock dinner was given, Wednesday, by Mrs. Ed Keith for Miss Lena Romeiser, of Chillicothe. The remaining guests were Misses Inez Willard, Mary Berry and Messrs Will Williams and Robert Berry.

Miss Martha Frost assisted her sister, Mrs. E. B. Cunningham in giving a pleasant porch party last week, at her home in Paducah, Kentucky. The colors, red and white, representative of the Kentucky, Tennessee and Mississippi Traveling Men's Association, were used in decoration and an original poem, composed by Miss Frost, was read and well received.

Mr. Eliza French, of Lake Arthur, Louisiana, was given a delight fu 8 o'clock dinner at Hotel Horsey, Tuesday, evening by Mr. Cecil Baskett. The excellent dinner was punctuated by many witty spee ches from the guests. The guests were Messrs. French, George Pearson, George Dearing, Charles Digges and Fred Morris.

Mr. and. Mrs. Joseph Coons entertained on Monday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Northern, of Kansas City. Mrs. Coons prepared a most palatable dinner and the afternoon was spent by their friends, neighbors to each other during many years, in recalling old times.

Mrs. Arthur Sharp gave Sunday School class of a dozen girls a happy evening, yesterday. A picnic was the form of voting selected as promising the most fun. Mrs. Sharp and girls therefore went to Bickley's pasture and indulged in games to their heart's content. The hostess provided a lunch sufficient to amply satisfy the most exacting appetite.

Mrs. J. T. Ricketts gave a one o'clock lunch, Wednesday, ordered, as is always the case with her affairs, after the daintiest and best approved manner. The guests affirm that it will long live in their memory as a delightful occasion. Those present were Mesdames Arthur Lee, L. B. Hawthorne, F. R. Sandford, M E Ray and Miss Julia Arnold.

Miss Ruby Ritchie gave a lawn party, Tuesday evening, which met with the distinct approval of all concerned. The guests of honor were Miss Carrie Foster and Mr. Eugene Foster, of Louisville Kentucky. A large number of Miss Ritchie's friends came and enjoyed the evening. The lawn and veranda were illuminated with Japanese lanterns and refreshments were served by Misses Abbie Llewelyn, Nellie Hill, Martha Mason and Lutie Vaughn.

Miss Carrie Forter was given an all day picnic, Friday, by some of the young people. The scene of hilarity was a pasture at the Lewis farm. The grand spread taken from home was augmented by various members of the finny tribe taken on the spot and fried by the gentlemen of the party. The hosteseses and hosts were Mrs. M. B. Guthrie; Misses Alice Morris, Nellie Hill, Lutie Vaughn, Abbie Llewelyn, Annie Lewis, Martha and Fannie Mason, Ruby and Alta Ritchie; Messrs Ed Williams, Sam Sharp, Eugene Foster and Mason Guthrie.

A very pleasant picnic was given Thursday evening, on the Chautauqua grounds in honor of Miss Miriam Hubbard, who is a guest in the city. Misses Julia Ross, Kota Luckie and Mr. George Pearson made first-class chaperones, as, having weighty matters of their own to discuss, they left the young folks to their own devices. A fine spread was enjoyed equally with the intellectual feast supplied by the Chautauqua later in the evening. Those who enjoyed the pleasant affair were Misses Miriam Hubbard, Gertrude Fry, Mary Emmons, Willie Hook, Frances Guthrie; Messrs. Aylette Buckner, Bryan Wilson, Curtis Cauthorne and Bruce McIlhany.

SOCIETY SMALL TALK.

Miss Susie Ringo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen, in Kansas City.

Miss Allene Cauthorne is visiting in Norborne, Missouri.

Miss Gertrude Fry is home from a visit in Columbia.

Mrs. Margaret Orear is home from a visit in Kentucky.

Mrs. Belle Moore has returned from a visit with friends near Skinner.

Mrs. McBride, of Butte, Mont., is the guest of her father, Dr. Reed.

Miss Irma Barth is visiting in Moberly.

Miss Mary Potts is in Mexico to stay during the summer.

Miss Keeing, who formerly taught in our public schools, is the guest of Miss Nannie Wright.

Miss Susie Houston left Thursday to visit Miss Roberta Sayre, of Muscogee, Oklahoma.

Dr. Carl Pasqueth and Misses Harrieth Pasqueth and Dorthy Holmes left Thursday to make a tour of Canada.

Miss Bird McGarrey, of Kansas City, and Mrs. Marvin Hubbard, of New York, are the guests of Mrs. Miriam Ross.

Miss Mae Jackson is home from Warrensburg, where she has been attending the Normal.

Messrs. Sam Sharp and Joe Luckie are home from a stay at Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble.

After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctor's fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all the medicine I bought before.—SAMUEL BOYEN, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by Criswell Drug Co. Sampels free.

Take the Ledger for the News.

MRS. WILLIAM J. BRYAN

RABBITS BANKRUPT COUNTY

Bounty if Paid on 133,000 Scalps in Kansas—Payment Discontinued as Resources Are Exhausted—Animals Multiply Too Rapidly for the Treasury

Sawyer, Kas., July 24.—The Commissioners of Pratt county have decided to cease paying a bounty of 3 cents each for rabbit scalps, for the reason that it has been too great a success.

In the last three months the jackrabbit bounty in this county amounted to $1,164.36, representing the destruction of 38,812 rabbits in 3 months, or about 500 for each working day.

In May the bounty amounted to $490 which stands for the destruction of about 625 rabbits each day for that month.

The Commissioners decided that that they are paying for the destruction of rabbits from surrounding counties, which pay no bounty, and they wish to stop it until all counties can be forced to join in a movement.

The action of the Commissioners excites general protest among the farmers. The loss caused by the rabbits is great, the estimate reaching as high as 10 per cent of the wheat crop, many farmers claiming that the rabbits cost them as much as their live stock.

In the year when the bounty was paid more than 133,000 scalps were brought in, and argued that there has been a perceptible decrease of rabbits in the county.

Magic Lanters For The Boy or Girl.

Any boy or girl who will secure eight new subscribers for the Kansas City Weekly Journal, at 25 cents a year each, making a total of Two Dollars, and send the full amount, together with the names to us, we will mail to his or her address a beautiful Magic Lantern with 50 views.

Any boy or girl can use it. Just stretch a white sheet on the wall and you can have all kinds of fun. Full directions for use is sent with the lantern.

Any boy or girl can secure eight new subscribers in a short time and get this Beautiful Magic Lantern.

Send for samples for canvassing.

Send all money by postoffice money order or draft. d2t-w2t

The Kansas City Journal,
Kansas City, Mo.,

Sunday Excursions Via Chicago & Alton Railroad

Until further notice return tickets will be sold each Sunday from all stations to stations distant not exceeding 100 miles, one and one-half fare with no rate less than fifty cents. Limit to return only on date of sale.

E. F. Mathews,
Ticket Agent,
Mexico, Mo.

Chunks of Driftwood.

By One Reuben O. Dill.

And the band played on.

Mrs. Michael Jordon, Sr., is quite ill.

James Hayden, of South Mexico, aged about 75 years, is very ill.

Here's our glad hand to John Sullivan. It's a boy and a girl. The sweet little youngsters weigh 7½ pounds each.

Col. Roe Shipp and family, of St. Louis, are guests of Col. John Ballew and family and other Mexico relatives.

Here's our glad hand to Johnnie O'Brien and his handsome and accomplished young bride. May they live long and prosper. Thanks for cake.

Come to the rescue of a frightened community. Curtis Bybee cut down a bee tree Monday on the Indian Reservation and the squaws are angry and an uprising is feared.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Scroggins, of Laddonia, is the charming guest of Col. and Mrs. Joe Norman, of South Mexico. Mrs. Scroggins was formerly Miss Rosa Lee Lyons, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Lyons, of Wellsville.

If any farmer wants an artistic hay stacker we will refer said farmer to Meredith Armistead, the champion stacker of Opossum Walk. Meredith can build a stack about as straight as Old Bing Tail, one of Carter Johnson's Flat Head Indians.

Master Frederick Levy, of Nashville, Tennessee, is in Mexico, the guest of his cousins, Herbert and Earl Morris. Frederick is four years old, and has been in Mexico but one day, yet he knows where to find every slot machine in town. He is very bright.

Col. Bob Conner tells us he thinks a meeting of the Bill Dippers should be called and another outing in the woods reeled off as soon as possible. Col. E. B. Campbell is very anxious to join the Club and be initiated into the dark mysteries of the Order before it is everlastingly too late. What say you, Bill Dippers? Let's take to the woods and save a soul or two before they have an "attack of acute indigestion." It's close up to awful.

Col. Joe Dobyns has had his Red Bird Lunch Emporium painted and the building now looks quite nifty. Artist Gerald Garrett done the painting. Col. Dobyns' trade is gaining fast by day and by night, and he will build another story to the Red Bird this fall. He employs a force of clerks and is always there with the goods. Buddie has our thanks for a juicy hot tamale and an onion.

Prof. J. Y. McLean, formerly of Mexico, but who has been in Colorado for the past three years, is in town giving the glad hand to his many friends. He tells us he has been fairly prosperous in the West. The Professor wears a unique necktie—made out of the skin of a large rattlesnake that he captured in the wilds of the Colorado mountains. It is a pretty tie, and if the gallant Professor will take 30 cents for it, come unto Reuben Dill and get the cold hard cash.

If you want a nice, clean Chatauqua or a Cottonwood Springs shave or hair cut, call on Prof. Lambert, at the Ideal Tonsorial Parlors. The Professor and his bunch of artists will spruce you up as you were never spruced before. Bath rooms. Electric fans.

During the past week Bill Ragsdale has shipped $30 spring seat saddles to the following parties: One to G. E. Snedegor, McLean, Illinois; one to W. D. Goodwin, Lake Providence, La., and one to Col. Biggs, of Bowling Green, Mo. The saddles were made by that king of saddle makers—Capt. Solomon Dorsey Threlkeld.

It is pretty generally conceded that most all the members of the Cottonwood Springs Democratic Club will support Stone for United States Senator; Cowherd for Governor; Anderson for Lieutenant Governor; Roach for State Secretary; Dieckes for Auditor; Cowgill for Treasurer; Major for Attorney General; Knott for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner; Bland for Judge St. Louis Court of Appeals; Stark for State Senator and of course our own Champ Clark for Congress. All are good men and we think are sure winners. How far are we off the track? We will have to be shown. A little later on the Club will ballot on the county candidates. For years this Club have named their men and they have been elected. Just watch us this year. It's a way we have.

Ed Azdell, wife and son and Gaither Berry and daughter, of Worcester, attended the Berry-Hubbard wedding in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Scroggins, of Laddonia, is in Mexico on a short visit and made the Ledger a pleasant call today.

Tuesday night the hotel, barber shop two pools rooms and a restaurant at Laddonia were destroyed by fire. Loss $10,000.

Misses Fay and Beulah Cornett, of Rush Hill, attended the Berry-Hubbard wedding Wednesday.

"Button" Turner, formerly of Mexico, now of Joplin, Mo., is in this city on a short visit.

Mr. W. J. Warner, of Windsor, Wis., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Cable.

EGGS FOR SETTING 15 FOR $1.50

Full blooded Barred Plymouth Rocks My stock won every premium at the Mexico Fair in 1907.

ORLANDO WORRELL,
Mexico, Mo.

DR. REESE, the Electro-Magnetic Tooth Extractor and Dentist will visit Mexico August 1st to 14th. Office at Clarkson Hotel. All work guaranteed.

Shoe String Items from the Mexico Factory

By a Merry Widow.

Beautiful widowers.
Beautiful merry widows.
Love me little, love me long.
Beautiful girls. Gallant boys.
Love me and the world is mine.
Meet me at the Chawtocky.
Beautiful Mexico Shoe Factory!
He's my sweetheart; she's my beau.
Miss Alice Mann was on the sick list this week.

"It was love at first sight," and yet they say love is blind.

Miss Cordia Franklin spent the day in the country last Friday.

Hank Husterman was the guest of Col. Chas. Laird Friday night.

John P. Clark and Walter Kreutzer have gone to Montana to locate.

Miss Minnie Boeger attended the basket dinner at Thompson Sunday.

Several more weddings are booked for the early fall. Let the good work go on.

How would you like to be my sweetheart, how would you like to be my beau? Dear heart!

There are quite a number of Cowherd for Governor rooters at the factory. Good boys on the Lord's side.

Fred Keiselback laid off Friday, having received the sad news that an uncle and aunt had died in Jefferson City.

We don't see why the committe who is to decide the most beautiful girl at the factory don't make us a visit and decide this question.

Several from the factory attended the lawn party Saturday night. We wonder if they were "Welcome as the flowers in May."

The Superintendent is experiencing great trouble in getting enough female help to operate the various machines at the factory. Why is this thus?

"Many a night when you are sleeping,
Dreaming in sweet repose,
This poor heart is bitterly weeping,
Listening to the wind that blows."

Miss Minnie Johnson has decided to try the "rest cure." She will spend the summer visiting in the county returning to her duties this fall.

Hand in your items to the Ledger's Owl. He'll print 'em or, if you can't reach the Owl, hand them to Col. Hugh Towson, floor walker at the factory.

LOST—A red headed boy. Last seen wandering down Grind Stone Ave., shooting ducks. Please return to his board and receive a liberal reward.

Mrs. Dell Ryan entertained a few girl friends in a very enjoyable manner last Thursday evening. Games were indulged in and ices and cake were served.

Powder, paint, combs, brushes and "rats" and all such accessories to a lady's toilet have been constantly in use since the announcement was made a month ago.

The "ocean wave" is back in Mexico and is now located on the Chautauqua grounds. Some of the girls are wearing a "patent leather" grin since its arrival.

There is nothing succeeds like success. Ask Col. Hugh Towson and Major Andrew Vorge how about it. These gentlemen now speak and make eyes as they pass by. Glory!

Mr. and Mrs. Happy Hiney will entertain a few select friends at dinner next Sunday. Probably the Ledger's Owl will set at head of first table and make a few appropriate remarks.

Ask Dr. Louis McKee why that stairway was built on the west end of the factory building. If the gallant Doctor doesn't explain why, the Ledger's Wise Owl will tell you why.

Otto Seagrass is back from Kirksville, where he went to accept a position in a shoe factory in that town. They all come back to Mexico to go to work in our big factory.

Quite a number of boys went to Auxvasse to fish Saturday night. Among the crowd were Champ Saunders, Tommy and Roy Barnett, Ben Bybee, and a number of fellows from town. They didn't have any luck fishing but had a fine time.

Among the notables to arrive in Mexico the past week was Col. Oscar Kenney, the well known shoe cutter. Col. Kenney has just completed a tour of the far west, including Australia, and expects to make Mexico his future home as he thinks this is the best place to locate. Sure, Mike!

Col. Chas. Laird gave a bachelor's supper Friday night. Among those entertained were Messrs. Haley, Husterman, Drebing, Potter and Barton. A most appetizing lunch was served and the occasion was a delightful one. Col. Laird made his guests a warm Prohibition speech and rushed the growler filled with Cottonwood Springs mountain wet goods. O, joy!

Last Monday night while going home
I heard an awful noise,
It was coming from a wagon
That was filled with girls and boys;
And you talk about your noises—
You should have heard them shout,
And the Night Watch will get you,
If you don't watch out.

Now the leader of this jolly band—
I wonder where he's from?
He's a sorter at the factory,
And his friends they call him Tom.
He measures over six feet tall—
His voice is just as stout—
And the Night Watch will get you—
If you don't watch out. —H. W.

Mr. W. H. Barton met with a painful but not serious accident at the factory Monday. A portion of the elevator broke and a slab struck Mr. Barton on the head, rending him unconscious for several hours. Dr. Louis McKee dressed the wounds in a very scientific manner, and Mr. Barton is now a little sore but still in the ring. You can't keep a good man down.

Happy Joe, Wm. H. Barton and several of the boys went up to Larabee the other day. They took dinner with Col. T. J. Davenport, near that place and were highly entertained. During the day 24 large Dave Ball bull frogs were hooked and 44 pounds of fish, cat and perch, were captured. Mrs. Davenport served a sumptious dinner for the above gentlemen, for which they return thanks.

There was a living cutter,
And from Washington he came,
He had a jolly disposition
And Henry was his name.

He never lost his temper,
And he chummed with Willie Kemper
The reason why he shook him
I'll endeavor to explain:

One night when Hank was missing,
And they wondered what was wrong;
Says Willie, "Maybe Hank is half sick,
He wasn't very strong."

But soon he heard the reason,
Why Hank wasn't there in season,
Hank's on the water wagon—
And he's driving right along.

Shelbina Takes Third Game

A dog fight under the grand stand at the ball game Wednesday afternoon proved far more interesting to the fans than the nine innings which resulted in a score of 9 to 1 in favor of the Athletics. Shelbina has a shine lot of so-called diamond artists. They are unable to hit any Mexico pitcher to advantage and when it comes to holding the locals down they are completely out of it.

Against a weaker team than the Athletics they might make a creditable showing. They are too young to line up before more experienced players and a team which thoroughly outclasses them. They have acted gentlemanly throughout the two games already played and are not the kicking troublesome kind of men.

St. Vrain pitched his usual strong game and at no time was at a loss what to do. The Athletics played their always close game leaving no loophole for the visitors to get a run. The only score made by Shelbina was through St. Vrains tripping as he stooped to pick up a grounder.

2 base hits Pilcher, Housley, Clemens; 3 base hits Dowing; home runs Willingham E; left on bases Mexico 6; Shelbina 4; Struck out by St. Vrain 5; by Henry 3; base on balls off Henry 3; hit by pitch balls Clemens, Pilcher, Winand, Durcey; wild pitch Henry; pass ball Willingham 2; Sac. hits Hisey, St. Vrain 2; stolen bases Pilcher, St. Vrain, Daniels. Umpire L. Bayles. Time of game 1:40.

Shelbina trounced the locals Thursday afternoon by a score of ten to one. The manner in which they went after the Athletics was such that the fans were led to believe they intended making up for the defeats of two previous days. Perhaps Mexico didn't have as strong team on the diamond and they may not have played their usual strong game, but nevertheless they were defeated by a good fat score.

Bunton, who came to this city heralded as the wonder that held the Cardinals down for ten innings at Quincy last year, pitched for the visitors. Whether he is a wonder or no it is useless to discuss. He certainly assisted in salving the Shelbina team's sore spots. It is useless to go over the work of either team: a glance at a score sheet published below tells the sad tale.

Shelbina has a good team. They are greener material than the locals and cannot put up as good an exhibition of the ball, but with pitcher who was capable they certainly made things hum. Perhaps the first two days made the locals over certain of victory. They had every reason to believe the Shelbina lads had little, if any show to win. But over-confidence is the mother of errors and defeat.

The following is the score:

Mexico	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Pilcher, c f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Clemens, s s	2	0	0	2	2	2
Housley, p	4	0	0	2	4	1
Morris, 1st	4	0	0	10	0	0
Willingham O, c	4	0	0	9	2	2
Bayles, 2nd	4	0	0	3	1	0
Kidd, l f	4	0	0	0	1	0
St. Vrain, r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Daniels, 3rd	3	1	0	0	1	1
	32	1	0	27	11	6

Shelbina	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Dowing, 2nd	6	1	0	3	3	3
Winand, ss	6	1	2	0	2	2
Durcey, c	5	1	2	6	1	0
Threlkeld T. 1f	5	2	2	1	0	1
Threlkeld, R. 3rd	5	2	2	3	0	0
Bates, 1st	3	2	1	9	0	0
Baker, c f	5	0	0	3	0	0
Jewett, r f	5	0	2	0	0	0
Bunton, p	3	1	1	2	5	0
	43	10	12	27	11	6

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Shelbina	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	0	2-10
Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0-1

2 base hits Durcey, 3 base hits Winand, Threlkeld F; home runs Threlkeik R; left on bases Mexico 6; Shelbina 10; base on balls off Housley 4; off Bunton 3; struck out by Housley 13; by Bunton 4; wild pitches Housley 2; pass ball Willingham 6; miss three strike Willingham 1; stolen bases Bunton, Bates. Umpire Donnelly and McDermott. Time of game 1:40.

Take a Vacation

Now is the time to take a vacation, get out into the woods, fields and mountains and visit the seashore, but do not forget to take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy along with you. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be obtained on railroad trains or steamships. It is too much of a risk for anyone to leave home on a journey without it. For sale by Criswell Drug Co.

How the Chinese Use Salt.

There is never any salt on a Chinese dinner table; they consider the finest powered salt to be still too coarse to be eaten uncooked. A small saucer of a very salty sauce stands by each plate, and if the food is not sufficiently salty for the diner's taste, some of this salt is added.

S.S.S. CONTAINS NO MERCURY

Medicines containing Mercury are often given to persons suffering with Contagious Blood Poison, and so powerful is the action of this drug that it frequently removes the symptoms in a short while, and shuts the disease up in the system to do greater damage to the delicate internal members. When, however, the treatment is left off, the disease always returns, and the patient finds that his health has been injured by this powerful mineral, and he is often left with weak stomach, disturbed digestion, mercurial rheumatism, etc. The action of S. S. S. is entirely different. It contains no Mercury, nor any other harmful drug, but is made entirely of healing, cleansing roots and herbs. It cures Contagious Blood Poison by removing the virus from the blood. It searches out every particle of the poison and does not leave the least trace for future outbreaks. S. S. S., in addition to curing the disease, builds up and strengthens every part of the body. Its fine tonic effects tone up the stomach and digestion, improve the appetite and regulate the entire system. Home treatment book containing valuable information about the different stages of the disease and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

The Candidacy of Judge Wallace.

"I would vote for Judge Wallace if I though he had any show. The writer has heard this remark in widely separated sections of Missouri. What is the meaning of the remark? It is simply this—it demonstrates that Judge Wallace possesses a sufficient amount of latent strength now to assure him the gubernatorial nomination provided this latent strength can be changed into potential strength. The progress for making this change have been set in motion.

Space will allow only a very brief statement if the grounds upon which the friends of Judge Wallace may hope for victory in voting for him.

Wallace certainly stands head and shoulders above all his running mates in the matter of a record for law enforcement. Just at this time and for some years past attention has been directed primarily to the enforcement of the law closing saloons on Sunday in the large cities. We may justly reason that the man who would subject himself to the attack of the powerful forces that stand for the open saloon on Sunday will do his duty in less unpleasant matters. We may justly conclude that in Wallace we have a man from whom the utmost can be expected in the matter of enforcing the laws.

Now as to possibilities, with no malice towards any candidate. In the public press claims are made that each and every candidate will carry the state. Supporters of Mr. Cowherd claim the cities for him. Supporters of Mr. Staples claim the German vote in St. Louis and Southeast Missouri for him—manifestly not on a Sunday closing platform. The supporters of Mr. Ball claim the rank and file of the state or him, not primarily or in the main on a platform of law enforcement, but rather on the ground of his stand for larger relative appropriations for the public schools and smaller relative appropriations for the state University. Now, everything of merit or real strength in the platform of these candidates will find a stanch friend in Judge Wallace.

But let us come to the main point—Law Enforcement. This is the question that has been uppermost in Missouri politics for four years. Inasmuch as this matter has been the chief thing in Missouri politics for so long and is really the chief thing today, ought not candidates seeking a nomination for Governor lay considerable stress upon this subject in their spoken and published addresses. But the emphasis given to this subject in the addresses of Judge Wallace's running mates has not been heavy. This subject is not very much stressed in the newspapers supporting Judge Wallace's running mates. If then we look upon the running mates of Judge Wallace as forming any sort of an opposition to him, in policies expressed or implied, is that not a divided opposition? We submit that candidates at this particular time should lay much stress on the question of law enforcement. Then if we have an opportunity to vote for a man who stands for law enforcement and has demonstrated his attitude in this matter in public office so as to attract wide attention, ought we not to vote for that candidate? Are there not voters enough in our state who realize the importance of this matter in the continue development of our state and in behalf of of the reputation of our state among her sister states, won only too recently in the matter of law enforcement, to vote for a candidate who stands pre-eminent in this particular among his running mates, no matter how excellent these men may be in other regards? Shall not the voters in the seventy-five counties of our state who have recently voted upon themselves the law of Local Option, vote for a man who will without any doubt render aid and support to the Prosecuting Attorneys of said counties in preventing the law so recently enacted from becoming a dead letter?

To sum up—with Judge Wallace, a lawyer of eminent ability, thoroughly capable of occupying the supreme bench in our state, the equal certainty of any of his running mates in character, ability dignity, purity of private life and in all other particulars, a public official with a wakeful conscience, a public official whose oath of office was not taken with any reservations, whose record shows that he has obeyed his oath and for which he has been severely criticised, abused, maligned and threatened with harm, an orator who can do the honors of our state at home and abroad as no one of his running mates can, a man, therefore, of ability, education and deep sincerity as to the enforcement of law, with the opposition to him in the nomination race divided as it is, with seventy-five counties needing just now more than ever an administration at Jefferson City of law enforcement, with a host of laborers in Kansas City getting the benefit of Sunday closing as never before through the efforts of Judge Wallace, with the endorsement of newspapers, ministers and public officials that Judge Wallace now has, who will say that Judge Wallace has no show to secure the nomination for Governor at the primary August 4?

Respectfully submitted to the voters of Audrain and adjoining counties by order of the Wallace for Governor Club.

JOHN W. MILLION, President.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson and daughter, Alene, have returned to their home in St. Louis after a visit with Mrs Anderson's parents, G. B Null and wife.

Mrs. D. Wiseman and daughter, Miss Grace, are here from Springfield, Ill., the guest of here sister, Mrs Rolla McIntire.

John Luckie and wife, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabetd Luckie, returned to their home in Texas, Thursday.

Miss Melnotte Sannebeck and grandmother, Mrs. Katherine Sannebeck, are visiting in Illinois.

FIRE ESCAPE AT OPERA HOUSE

Installation of Safe Guards at Theatre First of Those Ordered Recently to be Placed—One in Front of Theatre Connected With Balcony and Gallery.

The new fire escape ordered placed on the Grand Opera House is being installed. It is being placed on the front of the theatre and is connected with both balcony and gallery. The structural work is of iron and very substantial.

There will be a number of other fire escapes placed within the next few weeks. This movement to place safeguards is the result of a recent order by the city council. The move is a wise one and will make many buildings in the city now fire traps more tenable.

Miss Rosalie Hamilton, of Middletown, is the guest of the Misses Tinsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe, living in the northeastern part of town, are sick of typhoid fever.

Miss Susie Houston has left for Muskogee, I. T., where she will be the guest of friends for several weeks.

Miss Miriam Johnson has returned home from a visit at La Plata.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF AUDRAIN. }

In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1908.

Cynthia A. Howington.....Plaintiff
vs.
John L. Howington.....Defendant

Now on this July 11th, 1908, comes Plaintiff and files with the Clerk of the Audrain County Circuit Court, in vacation, her petition for divorce, wherein, among other things, Plaintiff alleges that defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri and cannot be served with the ordinary process of law, in this state.

It is therefore ordered by the Clerk of the Audrain County Circuit Court, that publication be made herein, notifying the said non-resident defendant, John L. Howington, that Plaintiff has commenced suit against him in the Audrain County Circuit Court, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the said defendant on the grounds of desertion, and now, you said non-resident defendant, John L. Howington, are hereby notified of the filing of said suit, the object and general nature thereof, and unless you shall appear at the regular term of the Audrain County Circuit Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in Mexico, Audrain County, Missouri, on the 3rd Monday in September, 1908, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken as confessed and decree rendered as prayed in said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published in the Mexico Weekly Ledger, a weekly newspaper published in Mexico, Audrain County, Missouri, for four weeks successively the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next term of said Audrain County, Circuit Court.

A true copy from the record.

Attest: W. H. MORRIS,
(SEAL.) Clerk Circuit Court.
F. R. Jesse, Attorney for Plaintiff. 9-d

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DR. E. S. CAVE,
PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
Mexico, Mo.
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Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of Charles Hill, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to be held at Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908.

J. W. HILL,
Executor.
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Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of J. D. Tucker, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to be held in Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908.

F. R. JESSE,
Administrator.
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Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of J. H. Gregory, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to be held at Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908.

C. P. CLARK,
Administrator.
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Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of Caroline C. Holliday, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to be held at Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908.

S. M. LOCKE,
MRS. E. M PRICE,
Executors
td

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that final settlement of the estate of James H Canada, deceased, will be made at the August term of Probate Court of Audrain County, Missouri, to be held at Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908.

FRANK CANADA,
STANLEY PALMER,
Administrators.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of E. S. F. Willey, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to be held at Mexico, Missouri, on the second Monday in August, 1908

FANNIE D. WILFLEY,
Administratrix.
td

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Notice is hereby given that final settlement of the estate of W K Potts, deceased, will be made at the August term of the Probate Court of Audrain county, Missouri, to