The Weekly Ledger

Clarence Ashbaugh has returned to Sedalia.

Miss May Miller was here from Salisbury, Monday, on a visit.

Robert Bradley and wife were here from Monroe county shopping Monday.

The Dutch auction has opened its doors at Hazelwood, Kan.

Auction tonight at Mexico Racket store at 7:30. 104-6t

Mrs. F. A. Morris entertained the A. E. Club this afternoon.

Rufus Mitchell is home from a business trip to Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Conlon, of Hannibal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hanlin.

J. K. Linsley, of Oskaloosa, Ia., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Wells.

Bulk garden seed, onion sets and seed potatoes at Mathaway's. M7dwA1

Mrs. A. P. Bishop, of Miami, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. S. J. Buckner, a relative in this city.

Mrs. Lilly Frost, sister of the Vandalia Leader, says: "A woman objecting to telling her age as soon as age begins telling on her."

WILL PASTURE STOCK

Good blue grass pasture. Will take in stock by the month. Apply W. H. Fisher, near Lilley Station. 4-1t

W. Brown, Traveling Passenger Agent of the Iowa Central R. R., is here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells.

FARM FOR RENT.

160 Acres four miles south of Mexico, 40 acres in cultivation balance meadow and pasture. Apply to Shalam, Mexico, Mo., R. F. D. 3-6t

Max Sherer, one of Mexico's most popular traveling salesmen, has rented the Thomas Hook property on E. Jackson Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Sherer are going to housekeeping soon.

Paul Hudson purchased of Dave Ostrander this week a horse for which he paid $211.

FINE JACKS FOR SALE.

I have four good jacks for sale; one color and three of them old enough for service. Apply at once to D. Bates, Santa Fe, Mo. dtwtf

Mr. Taylor, storekeeper at Hospital No. 1, Fulton, Mo., visited relatives in Mexico Sunday.

J. H. Kilpatrick, of Beatrice, Neb., was in this city to-day.

FINE CORN FOR SALE.

I have something over 100 bushels of very fine Iowa White Dent Corn which will sell in the ear at $1.00 per bushel, guaranteed to sow.

H. P. WARDEN,
dwt Mexico, Mo.

Grippe, La Grippe, Then Pneumonia,

Too often the fatal sequence. Foley's Honey and Tar expels the cold, heals the La Grippe, and prevents pneumonia. It is a prompt and reliable cough medicine that contains no opiates. It is as safe for your child as yourself. Otis Purdy.

FOR RENT — 200 Acre Blue Grass Pasture. Plenty good water. Need hog tight. Three miles west of Auxvasse, known as the Bass Hill pasture. Terms reasonable. Morris & Lyman, Mexico, Mo. 2-4t

NEW SEED JUST ARRIVED

Fancy Whipporwill Cow Peas, choice Red Clover, new German Millet. For sale by Sam Morris.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the School District of the City of Mexico in Audrain county, Missouri, that an annual election will be held in said district on Tuesday, April 4, 1911. The polls will be opened and the election held at the same voting place as the election of city officers, at which election the following will be voted for:

To choose two members of the Board of Education to serve for three (3) years.

To vote thirty cents in excess of forty cents on the one hundred dollar valuation for school purposes.

J. H. SALLEE,
Sec'y.

NEW GROCERY STORE

10 lbs. Granulated Sugar for $1

All Other Goods Rock Bottom Prices!

Cheerfully Giving New and Fresh!

We Solicit Your Patronage!

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Bate & Bridgford
BLD'G. - - Mexico, Mo.

SWAT THE HOUSEFLY NOW AND PREVENT SPREAD OF DISEASE

Among the disease germs known to be carried and distributed by flies are typhoid, cholera, cholera infantum, tuberculosis, erysipelas and leprosy.—Extract from bulletin by the Bureau of Entomology.

Germs? If you were to walk into a room and then be told that there were seven million chances to catch a deadly disease, you wouldn't linger long in that room. But do you know that every fly, according to scientists, carries as many as seven million germs on its feet? Typhoid, tuberculosis and erysipelas are the most common of those germs.

Appeared with the Mild Weather.

Now is the time to begin to bing the fly. Perhaps you've noticed on mild afternoons when the sun is bright that one or two buzzed about your ears. They're here. But there are only a few now. Maybe there was only one in your house—but did you swat it?

Get out the swatter of screen wire that you used last year and get the flies before they multiply. The fly is born in filth and lives in filth. He can't be blamed then because he carries a supply of bacteria constantly with him.

Put Screens in Place, Too.

Physicians say every fly that escapes the swatter now means several million equally evasive germ-carrying off-spring in a month or so. To eliminate the housefly effectively you must eliminate it early in the season before it has time to hatch its eggs. Get your screens ready. Bar the fly from the house. But if he slips past you, swat him.

ONLY ONE "BEST"

Mexico People Give Credit Where Credit Is Due.

People of Mexico who suffer with sick kidneys and bad backs want a kidney remedy that can be depended upon. The best is Doan's Kidney Pills, a medicine for the kidneys only, made from pure roots and herbs and the only one that is backed by cures in Mexico. Here's Mexico testimony:

Mrs. M. B. Creux, 727 Franklin St., Mexico, Mo., says: "I was subject to attacks of lumbago, always more severe when I caught cold. I tried several remedies, but was not helped in the least and did not know what to do. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention, I got a box at Buckner's Drug Co. and soon found them to be just what my condition required. By the time I had used one box, the trouble had left me. I occasionally use Doan's Kidney Pills, finding that they keep me in good health and free from kidney complaint.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CLUB PAYS MRS. L. C. MITCHELL TRIBUTE.

The club learns with sincere sorrow of the death of Mrs. L. C. Mitchell, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hodges, in Carthage.

In the early history of the Century Club, Mrs. Mitchell was one of its most valued members. I can speak personally of her work and worth, as I had the good fortune to serve on the program committee one year with her. I have always considered it a privilege to have known her in this relation where I received the benefit of her great store of knowledge.

She not only loved literature, but she possessed the faculty of imparting liberally to others from her highly cultured mind, and I prize most of all the friendship, resulting from the close association in our club work.

MRS. F. T. MERIWETHER,
In Louisiana Press-Journal.

FARMERS ACCOUNT BOOK.

Every farmer in Audrain county should have Selb's "Farmers' Inventory Book." You can't farm along business lines unless you have an accounting book of this kind. Selb's inventory book and the Mexico Weekly Ledger one year for $1.50. The book is worth more than the combination price. Selb lives inn Audrain and you can see his book at the Ledger office. 4-4t

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS' ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the State Executive Committee and members of the Board of the King's Daughters' Home will be held in Mexico April 6 and 7. The members of the Executive Committee are the State and Corresponding Secretaries of the order, Mrs. Marshall Gordon and Mrs. W. T. Stephenson, of Columbia, and State Treasurer, Mrs. E. N. Bridgford, Mexico; also Mesdames Reid, Columbia, Hammond, Sedalia; Sanders, Kansas City; Jones, Mexico; the Misses Brokaw and Glazebrook, of St. Louis. Members of the Board of the Home are Mesdames, E. N. Bridgford, Williams, Houston, Rixey, Jones, Glendy, Sproul, Clark, of Mexico; Mesdames Pepper and Brown, St. Louis; Brant, Chillicothe; McKinney, Kansas City; Hughes, of Kansas City; McBaine, Columbia; Martin, St. Joseph.

BAPTISTS MEET IN LADDONIA, MO.

The Audrain County Baptist Missionary Union met in Laddonia Friday, March 24, and a large delegation left on the early morning train and will return at eight o'clock this evening. Laddonia has a wide reputation for hospitality and the large delegation spent a most enjoyable day with the good people of that town. Among those who were present from Mexico were: The Rev. J. E. Aysee, pastor of the Baptist Church of Mexico; Mesdames M. L. Jones, S. N. Evans, Hardin Rixey, J. A. Guthrie, Belle Moore, J. T. Mason, Lawson, A. S. Houston, C. R. Gibs, W. W. Williams, J. T. Fields, C. F. Clark J. T. Robnett, Misses Lelia Winans, Mackay, Myrtle Moore, Virginia Lawson, Frances Guthrie and Margaret Million.

Miss Genevieve Bishop, of Miami, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Huntsaker, of this city.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. L. C. MITCHELL.
(Pike Co. News.)

Soldier of Christ, well done.
Rest from thy loved employ.
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy Master's joy.

Truly may these words be spoken of our beloved sister in Christ, Mrs. L. C. Mitchell, the venerated mother of Mrs. R. M. White, of Mexico, Mo. She passed into the Higher Life last Friday at noon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie M. Hodges, in Carthage, Mo.

The Right Reverend Daniel S. Tuttle, Bishop of the Diocese, stated that he had few priests who possessed such a knowledge of Church history as Mrs. Mitchell, he certainly had none to surpass her.

She was a true daughter of Angelican Church, and may be said to have devoted her life to upholding its interests and extending its influence.

Many a time and oft has she carried her bright light into the Cimmerian darkness of infidelity, and the hopeless gloom of sectarianism, and led out wanderers into the glorious brightness of the Catholic Apostolic Church.

Her clear cut logical reasoning enabled her to pierce through all doubts and to prove to any unbiased mind that the Church preserved all the marks of Catholicity—the Apostolic succession, the Creed, the fellowship of the Apostles, the Breaking of the Bread upon an Altar by a priest, and and that precious gift The Prayers.

The good she has done, and the souls she has led out of error will bear fruit throughout eternity, where she has entered her Master's joy.

CHAS. J. MILLAR,
Rector Calvary Church, Louisiana, Mo.

Fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism is simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment All that is needed to afford relief is the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. Give it a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

Mrs. E. D. Graham and Mrs. Mary Graham, who spent a pleasant winter at the D'Arles Hotel, in St. Louis, are now visiting Mrs. Graham's brother, Edward Pilcher, who has a large jewelry store in St. James, Mo. Mesdames Graham expects to be home about the first of April.

NORTH MISSOURI TRUST COMPANY ELECTION.

The stockholders of the North Missouri Trust Company Monday, March 27, re-elected as directors A. K. Luckie, William Pollock and D. S. Burroughs. The directory of this institution is now composed of the above named gentlemen and the following hold-over directors:

R. M. White
J. F. Harrison
S. P. Emmons
Geo. Robertson
J. F. Llewellyn
W. W. Pollock.

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise mucus in the morning? Do you want relief? If so, take Chamberlain' Cough Remedy and you will be pleased. Sold by all dealers.

BOY SCOUTS DRILL MONDAY MORNING AT ARMORY.

The Boy Scouts held their second drill Monday morning in the Armory. There were about 30 boys present. Many of these boys were sixteen years old. The patrols will be composed of boys of the same ages, as near as possible, and the drilling will be carried on once a week or maybe oftener.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle aid and curative properties. Sold by all dealers.

The San Diego (Cal.) Sun says: "R. H. Kernan, of Mexico, Missouri, arrived this noon to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. B. Williams, for several months. Mr. Kernan will be with th Williams at the Albatross Inn.

C. E. Purnell, formerly a merchant in Mexico, is here from Southern Texas shaking hands with old friends.

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WALTER DUGAN WEDS IN ILLINOIS AFTER UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPTS

Walter Dugan, of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dugan, was married Monday morning at 8:15 to Miss Susie Frank, of Fulton, so a telephone message from the bridegroom to his mother-in law, Mrs. Caroline Franks, of Fulton, stated. The wedding took place in Carrollton, Ill., after several ineffectual attempts to wed previously.

Not long since Mr. Dugan, who is not 21 years old, tried to get a license in Fulton, but was refused. Saturday he procured one here under a nom de plume, but this he did not use as the licenses in Illinois must be issued in the county where used.

Mr. Dugan and his sweetheart left Fulton on the Alton late Sunday night and went directly to Carrollton, arriving there Monday morning where they were married as soon as the license could be procured.

They came through this city Monday afternoon on their way to Fulton to visit the bride's mother. Mrs. Dugan, who has just come of age, received $8,000 on her 18th birthday. The Ledger joins friends in extending congratulations.

FRANK KUNKEL AWARDED PRIZE.

Frank Kunkel, son of E. F. Kunkel, of this city, has been awarded the five dollar prize by the St. Louis Christian Advocate for his part of the work done towards securing subscriptions for that publication. The contest embraced a wide scope of country and there was but one other that ranked in the same class with him. He secured 18 subscriptions during the period of the contest. Frank is a hustler and is to be congratulated upon his success.

WILLIAM PAYNE INJURED SATURDAY.

William Payne, who is employed at the Wabash freight depot in this city, had his left foot severely mashed late Saturday afternoon, while unloading a piano. The injury is quite a painful one, and Mr. Payne will probably be confined to his room for several days. It is thought that no bones were broken, however. His many friends will regret to hear of his mishap, but hope for him a speedy recovery.

200,000 WILDLY TRY TO IDENTIFY 141 FIRE VICTIMS.

New York, March 27.

From the ten-story loft building at the northwest corner of Washington place and Greene street, which served as a stage for yesterday's appalling tragedy, where 141 persons are dead as a result of the fire, the scene shifted yesterday to the improvised morgue on the charities dock at the foot of East Twenty-Sixth St., where the bodies of the victims lay awaiting identification.

Between 1 o'clock this morning and 8 o'clock to-day it was estimated that more than 200,000 persons had filed by the long line of rough red boxes which held all that remained of the battered bodies.

FORMER MISSOURIAN. DIES IN CALIFORNIA.

S. S. Elliott, formerly of Monroe county, and well known by the older citizens of this city, died in California on March 13. He was about 90 years old and his death was due to paralysis. He went to California about four years ago.

The Ledger extends sympathy.

MCCULLOUGH FORMERLY OF MEXICO NOW RICH.

Mr. McCullough, formerly a traveling man of Mexico, it is reported, has become immensely wealthy, and owns a large orange frove in California. After leaving Mexico, he bought a hotel in California and later traded the hotel for a mine, which he sold for a quarter of a million dollars profit, then bought an orange grove.

THAT'S WHAT THEY ALL SAY IN AUDRAIN.

Prof. J. L. Shobe and wife of Mexico visited their parents here several days last week. The Professor is again a candidate for re-election to Superintendent of Schools and will not have opposition. He has made a good one and deserves to be kept in office.—Laddonia Herald.

COLONEL JACK HAINES IN TROUBLE.

Coonel Jack Haines, while going to Centralia this week in his automobile got stuck in a mud hole. It took three or four farmers and as many teams to get Jack out. We can't find out whether it cost him five or ten dollars, but, anyway, Jack enjoyed it and truly remarked that "it is part of the automobile game."

GEO. HARVEY AND WIFE HOME FROM SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harvey will return home to-night from the South where they have been for several weeks. They are both coming home much improved in health. The Ledger joins their friends in welcoming them back.

WELCOME TO MEXICO, MR. CARRUTHERS.

Geo. B. Carruthers and family, of Madison, Monroe county, have moved to this city to reside. They will make their home on the South Side. The Ledger joins the people of Mexico in extending a cordial welcome.

CHAMP CLARK SEND BOOKS TO MEXICO LIBRARY.

The Hon. Champ Clark has sent a large number of interesting Smithsonian and Ethnological reports to the Mexico Library. These volumes are all handsome government publications.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Mason, of Pittsburg, Pa., are proud parents of a son, born March 25. Mrs. Mason was formerly Miss Ellen Walker of Monroe City, Mo., while Mr. Mason is a Mexico boy who is meeting with much success as a mechanical engineer.

Chamberlain's Stomac' and Liver Tablets invariably bring relief to women suffering from chronic constipation, headache, biliousness, dizziness, sallowness of the skin and dyspepsia. Sold by all dealers.

The Rev. J. O. Edmonston is very ill.

Nobby!

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A Display of Footwear that Has Never Been Equaled for Men, Women and Children. Short Vamps, Snug Fitters. NO SLIPPING.

Men's $3 to $6. Women's $1.75 to $4.00

Children's From the Cheapest to the Best. LET US SHOW YOU

WILKINS & BROWN THE SHOE MEN

THE BEST.

In olden time, with silver and with gold
In o God's sacred House, there came
The rich, the poor, the young, the old
And brought to Him the best.

So now to-day our gifts to God we bring
With love's constraint because of Calvary;
And count our service not a trifling thing
But bring to Him the best.

The Mother, with her fair-haired boy,
Asks God to bless "the apple o' her eye,"
And make of him a messenger of joy
Thus brings to God her best.

The man of books, of business, or of toil
Comes, too, with heart and soul of love;
And offers fruit of study, mart, or soil
And brings to God his best.

Whate'er with hand, or lip or heart e'en now
We yield to Him, for His great love to us;
Constraining love speaks in the soul its vow:
"I'll bring to Him the Best."

—A. A. W.

FARM FOR SALE.

My farm of 243 acres, one mile of electric railroad. Will take small cash payment, and will carry the balance. Robert Randle, Mexico, Mo. 104-6t wlt

Mrs. Ned Rodes entertained Monday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Robinson. Mrs. Robinson, after a delightful visit, will leave in a few days for her home in San Antonio, Texas.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlain Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

MEXICO CITY ELECTION

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1911

OFFICIAL BALLOT

DEMOCRATIC CITY TICKET.

For Councilman—First Ward— Long Term,
Dr. William F. Taylor

For Councilman—First Ward—Short Term,
William F. Atkinson

For Councilman—Second Ward—
Paul L. Hanley

For Councilman—Third Ward—
James O. Tinsley

For Councilman — Fourth Ward — Long Term,
Fred W. Pilcher

For Councilman — Fourth Ward— Short Term,
Dr. Clarence A. Rothwell

I hereby certify that at a Democratic primary election held in the city of Mexico, County of Audrain, State of Missouri, on the sixth day of February, 1911, the above named persons were nominated for the office of Councilman as stated, and the same has been attested by the certificate of the Democratic Central Committee filed in my office on the 4th day of March, 1911, signed by the chairman and secretary of the said committee.

The above names will be printed upon the Regular Democratic City Ticket.

Witness my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Mexico, Mo., this 21st day of March, 1911.

(SEAL) WALLACE DEARING,
City Clerk.
d3-w2t City Clerk.

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

In accordance with the provisions of the ordinances of the city of Mexico, Mo., I hereby give due and legal notice that there will be held on

Tuesday, April 4, 1911,

An election in the four wards of this city for the purpose of electing six councilmen, Two from the First Ward One from the Second Ward, One from the Third Ward, and Two from the Fourth Ward.

Polling places will be as follows:—First Ward, Circuit Clerk's Office, Court House; Second Ward, Roberts' Blacksmith Shop; Third Ward, City Hall, Council Room; Fourth Ward, Peterson's Coal Office.

Witness my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Mexico, Mo., this 21st day of March, 1911.

WILLARD POTTS, Mayor.
Attest WALLACE DEARING,
(SEAL) City Clerk.
d3-w2t

DR. DENNIS BRIAN BORU KANALY VISITS US.

Dr. D. J. Kanaly, who has been dubbed "The Weather Procrastinator," called at the Ledger office, Friday, and deposited a package of the Famous Sayman's Soap. When not studying the heavens through his 40-inch telescope, the Doctor is busy distributing soap in an effort to make Mexico "Spotless Town." The Doctor says we may expect warm weather to continue provided another blizzard doesn't arrive within the next few months. It is rumored that eminent astrologer and astronomer will shortly make a pilgrimage to Cottonwood Springs to confer with Col. Bennett concerning the formation of a permanent lobby to be established at Jefferson City to fight anti-treating bills.

Warning to Railroad Men

Look out for severe and even dangerous kidney and bladder trouble from years of railroading. Geo. E. Bell, 639 Third St., Fort Wayne, Ind., was many years conductor on the Nickel Plate. He says: "Twenty years of railroading left my kidneys in terrible condition. There was pain across my back and hips and my kidneys gave me much distress. The first bottle of Foley Kidney Pills made a wonderful improvement and four bottles cured me completely." Otis Purdy.

FINE BOARS FOR SALE.

J. R. Bell, of Ortiz Fruit Farm, has recently purchased in Iowa three fine Poland China gilts, and 1 boar in Illinois of the big-boned breed from 1,000 lb. sires and 700 lb. dams.

He has for sale his herd boar On & On 2nd, formerly Dr. Greer's herd boar; four young boars and one gilt. Registered stock. Priced right for quick sale.

d1-3-2t J. R. BELL,
R. F. D. 3, Mexico, Mo.

Morris Jolly, who has been living at Holt Summit, Mo., and brother, Mark Jolly, who has made his home with his uncle, Robert Jolly, in this city, will shortly depart for Panhandle City, Tex., to join his father, who lives at that place. Their many friends wish them a pleasant journey and hope they will be pleased with their new home.

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A Special Medicine for Kidney Ailments.

Many elderly people have found in Foley's Kidney Remedy a quick relief and permanent benefit from kidney and bladder ailments. Isaac N. Regan, Farmer, Mo., says: "Foley's Kidney Remedy effected a complete cure in my case and I want others to know of it." Otis Purdy.

NEXT Saturday is Stallion Day in Mexico and the fine horses of Audrain county should all be in Mexico on that occasion.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough remedy I ever used as it quickly stopped a severe cough that had long troubled me," says J. W. Kuhn, Princeton, Nebr. Just so quickly and surely it acts in all cases of coughs, colds, La Grippe, and lung trouble. Refuse substitutes." Otis Purdy.

B. P. Rock Eggs, Bradley Bros.' world's foremost B. P. Rock breeders' stock. S. C. White Leghorn eggs, Wyckoff and young strains. $1 per 15, 3 settings, $2.50. Mrs. H. A. Greer, R. F. D. 4, Mexico, Mo.

If the "price cuts any ice" see CRADDOCK for Wall Paper.
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LEDGER CUP COMPETITION AMONG McMILLAN CLASSES VERY STRONG THIS YEAR

One of the big athletic events of the Spring season at McMillan High School is the annual inter-class meet for the Ledger's loving cup. Last year, the Senior team captured the cup. The class winning it three years straight are allowed to keep it for display in the school trophy room.

The track teams of the various classes are hard at work training for this event which also results in the winners being chosen members of the track team to represent the school at Columbia High School Day. Some of the "wise" ones who have been watching the work outs say the Seniors are getting in good shape this year. Those who are trying out on the various teams are:

Freshman.

Phil Rodgers.
Tom Rowe
Horace McGee
Jim Tom Edmonston

Sophomores.

K. Sanford
M. Bragg
Ben Locke
H Rodgers

Juniors.

C. Jackson
R. Hook
F. Powell
P. Edmonston
G. Morris
F. Peck

Seniors.

G. Watts
R. Wayne
A. Snedeker
A. White
E. Berrey
B. Atchison
R. Rosser
J. Kennan
C. Johnson
H. Laws

LIFE OF FAMILY HUNG UPON RESULT OF GAME OF SOLITAIRE BY FATHER

New York, March 24.

Since the disappearance of Michael Cribben, a mechanic of this city, it has developed that he played solitaire to decide whether he would take his own life or that of his wife and fourchildren. The New York police believe he has committed suicide.

Cribben was injured some time ago in opping a runaway and for some time, according to his wife, had been acting peculiarly.

Last Saturday he wrote a letter to a cousin which the latter has just turned over to the police. The letter is as follows:

Dear Jim: I am going to kill myself, my wife and all the children. I have something pressing on my brain that makes me want to kill them. I must do it. I can't help it. The only way I kept from doing it before is by playing solitaire. I've been playing it all the time at home so I won't kill them.

Now I am going to play just one more game to-night, and if I beat it I won't kill them, but if I don't make it, I will.

That night, according to Mrs. Cribben, the crazed man sat down at his little card table. She noticed that he was very nervous and watched him as he slowly exposed one card after another and laid them in lines before him. His figure was tense and he seemed struggling under great excitement.

"What are you doing, Michael?" she asked.

"You'll know soon enough," was his answer.

At last all the suits from ace to king were neatly piled in sequence. Cribben gave a sigh and hurried out of the room. He has not been seen since.

Adrain Hageman to William Delchman, S. W. 1-4 of Sec 20 51 6. $7100.

Mrs. Carrie Thomas et al to R. H. McCord, S W. 1-4 of S. W. 1 fourth of Sec. 9 50 9, except 2 tracts in S. E. Corner. $4600.

S. D. Byrns to James Allen, 73 acres in N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 19 50 9. $2600.

Harry Brown et al to Robt. Moore 120 acres in S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 28 50 10 except R. R. right of way. $7200.

Sarepta J. Betts to Louie Schmidt, 80 acres off N. end W. 1-2 of Sec. 6 51 6. $3900.

A. W. Parrish to Barnie Parrish, 90 acres in Sec. 9 52 12. $2500.

L. C. Hicks to I. D. Crosswhite, 80 acres W. 1-2 of S. W. 1 fourth of Sec. 12 52 12.

Geo. F. Ballew to Zeph W. Blackmore, 120 acres in Sec. 25 50 11. $7800.

Elizabeth I. Musick to R. F. Turner, S. E. one fourth N. W. 1-4 and N. W. one fourth of Sec. 15 51 5. $2200.

W. O. Wilkerson to Joseph Atkinson, 50 acres in Secs. 10 and 11 52 8. $3500.

Rosser F. Turner to W. S. Barney, N. W. 1-4 of N. W. 1—4 of Sec. 15 51 5. $2,000.

W. H. H. Musick to Shelby Musick 20 acres in N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 15 51 5. $800.

W. R. Harrelson to E. C. Coss, W. 1-2 of N. W. one fourth of Sec. 1 52 6. 80 acres. $4600.

John M. Price to Harvey Coons. 103 1-2 acres S. W. one fourth of Sec. 30 52 5. $6700.

J. H. Parrish to Barnie Parrish, 5 acres in S. W. 1-4 of N. W. one fourth of Sec. 10 52 12.

Adam Weimer to C. F. Clark, 20 acres of S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 25 50 8. $700.

Charles W. Pease to Alma P. Thompson, 80 acres, S. 1-2 of N. E. one fourth of Sec. 30 51 7. $6400.

Charles Hickman to Charles W. Pease, S 1-2 of N. E. one fourth of Sec. 30 51 7. $7200.

George H. Barnes to Theodore and Callie Black, N. E. 1-4 of N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 2 51 6. $2600.

Harvey Coons to Homer E. Weldy, W. 1-2 of N. W. one fourth of Sec. 15 52 5. $5200.

George R. Gibson to William H. and Millie E. Deming, E. 2-3 of lot 2 and W. 7 1-2 ft lot 1, blk 8. Morris Add Mexico. $3500.

William P. Thompson to Louis Schopp, 10 acres in E. 1-4 of Sec. 32 53 12. $600.

Adam Weimer to A. M. Wilcox, 80 acres in Sec. 24 50 8. $6400.

B. F. Schultz to John W. Riggs, 60 acres in Sec. 12 51 11. $5,000.

Chas. Carter to Chas. M. Shutt 400 acres in Secs. 13 and 14 50 9 for $24,000.

William F. Atkinson to Justice White 4.67 acres in Sec. 5 50 8. for $250.

T. J. Bates to F. J. Barnaby, N. 1-2 of lot 38 Mrs. Sparks' Southern Addition Mexico. $251.40.

F. A. Lewton to Ira P. Munro 40 A. N. W. 1-4 of N. E. 1 fourth of of Sec. 24 51 6. $3200.

Jemima Moberly to Rich R. Carroll, 50 A. in Sec. 9 52 12. $1500.

Stephen Owings to J. H. Parrish, N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 8 52 12, except 35 acres off West side. $7875.

John A. Armstrong to A. C. Pledge 20 acres in S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 25 50 8. $750.

W. W. Barrett et al to Alex Seymour, 140 acres in Secs. 25, 35 and 36 51 6. $7,000.

Theo. J. Williams et al to Nannie J. Wilburn, Lot 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, blk 1 College Park Addition, Mexico. $900.

Oliver C. Robey by Trustee to Richard Helm, 240 acres in Sec. 28 52 9 and Lot 31, Sparks' So. Add. Mexico. $1 and other.

J. W. Lee, Jr., to Richard Payne, lot 1, blk 24, Ladd's Add. Extended, Mexico. $525.

Henry H. Meyer to M. . Vandegrift lots 9, 10, 11, 12, blk 2, Coon's Addition Mexico for $1486.19.

Mrs. Alice F. Parks to James P. Ridgeway, quit-claim, $50, 1 rod wide off W. side E. 1-2 of S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 32 52 10.

George D. Jackson to Absalom B. Smock, 84.71 A. S. 1-2 of N. W. 1-4 of Sec.7 51 7. $8470.

Richard Payne to James W. Lee, lot 4, blk 25, Ladd's Add. ext Mexico. $175.

Charles A. Nation by Guardian to S. P. Utterback. Guardian's Deed to Und 1-4 of N 1-2 of N. one half of S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 19 52 5. $210.

Absalom B. Smock to William P. Flynn, W. 1-2 of N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 16 51 7. $8000.

Heirs of Thomas and Anna Helm to John J. and Joseph B. Wakefield. N. W. 1-4 and W. 1-2 of N. E. one fourth of Sec. 28 52 9. $15,850.

C. B. Larue to William O. Wilkerson, 4 acres in S. W. 1-4 of N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 24 52 8. $1050.

Zeph W. Blackmore to Chas. Ackman, 100 A. in Sec. 14 50 9. $6500.

Chas. H. Dean to Henry I. Cobb, W. 1-2 of S. E. 1-4 and E. 1 half S. E. 1-4 W. 1-4 Sec. 9 50 9. $8308.75.

Elmer H. Dicus to William Pryor 59.83 acres and 26.32 acres in 16 59 9. $7412.

David E. Nation et al to S. P. Utterback, 25.75 acres in S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 19 52 5. $1673.75.

Edward Precht to Albert E. Hoyt, $10,750, 158 acres in Secs. 1 and 12-52 7.

C. W. Pease to Elmer Dicus 125 A in Sec. 16 50 9. $750.

Charlee W. Pease to R. W. Hunt 48 acres in N. E. 1-4 of Sec 34 51 9. $7200.

Levi Zehr to Mrs. Kate McCarty, 80 acres, S. E. 1-2 of S. E. one fourth of Sec. 12 50 11. $6400.

Thomas J. Daniel to Burl F. Shultz 164 acres in Sec. 32 53 11. $13,000.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership of Drs. Griffin & Strode was dissolved on March 10th, 1911, and that the accounts of said partnership are payable at the office of A. C. Whitson, over Savings Bank.

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Mrs. Susie H. Buckner, of this city, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Lewise Hord, to Ralph H. Beal, of Jefferson City, the wedding to take place in June.

Miss Lewise Buckner, who is well known and quite popular here, is a talented musician and a charming young woman. Mr. Beal is a prominent society man of the Capitol City. The Ledger joins friends in extending congratulations in advance.

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W. E. Jameson, of Fulton, was in Mexico Thursday night en route to Naples where he will join his wife and daughter. The Jamesons will likely return from Europe sometime early in the fall. Mr Jameson's daughter, Miss Anna, had an audience with the Pope not long ago.

Mrs. Clara Snidow and daughter, Miss Stella, are home from an extended visit to Florida, and we are glad to know that Miss Stella's health is much better.

A. V. Doerris is home from a business trip to Fulton.

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