

LOCAL NEWS

Take your tire work to AD-
COCK.

Walter Dawell of Molino is recovering rapidly at the Mexico Hospital.

Best tires and tubes in town at AD-
COCK'S. d2w1t wk 1f

Milton Smith will be discharged from the Mexico Hospital in a few days.

USED CAR BARGAINS.

Here are some good used cars in first class shape and priced right: One Hupmobile, 2 Buick sixes, Chevrolet, Fords, Reo, good Dodge, Maxwell. First come gets the choice of these bargains. d2 w1t

HOXSEY-SHROUT MOTOR CO.

Bob Barnes, of Western Audrain, was in this city on business Tuesday.

ADCOCK guarantees his tire work.

We regret to learn that Mrs. P. E. Locke's condition is not improving, as her friends hoped it would, when the weather got cooler.

CAR OF CHEVROLETS.

A car of Chevrolet cars will arrive this week. You can get immediate delivery if you place your order with us at once. d2 w1t

HOXSEY-SHROUT MOTOR CO.

A marriage license was issued by the recorder Monday afternoon to Robert E. Smith, of Vandalia, and Mrs. Beulah Marandine Walter, of Mason City.

Pie Supper.

There will be a pie supper at Bryan School Saturday night, October 18. Everyone invited.

DORA CAWTHORN,

Teacher.

Miss Katherine Ott spent the weekend with her parents in Marshall. She returned Tuesday morning.

Come to ADCOCK for tires and tubes. d2w1t wk 1f

Miss Annie Patton, the local Presbyterian missionary from Japan, who is in the States, will arrive Wednesday to spend two days with Mrs. W. J. Botts.

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ADCOCK repairs tubes and tires.

The condition of W. O. Smith who was admitted to the Mexico Hospital about six weeks ago remains about the same.

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Nate Phillip and Louis Barth went to St. Louis Tuesday morning by automobile. They expect to be gone three days.

Public Sale

Thursday, Oct. 23, '19

On the Nolan McCowan farm, 10 miles southwest of Mexico, Mo., 2 miles south of Prairie View Church, 5 miles west of Ortiz Station.

39 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK 39

5 HEAD OF MULES 5

2 two year old mare mules.

3 two year old horse mules.

8 HEAD OF CATTLE 8

1 two year old Shorthorn heifer and calf.

2 two year old Shorthorn heifers; calf in February and March.

1 one year old Shorthorn heifer.

1 Shorthorn heifer calf.

1 good Jersey cow and calf 2 or 3 weeks old.

26 HEAD OF HOGS 26

23 shoats, weighing 60 pounds, or more (Poland China); 3 good Poland China gilts, farrow soon.

Some brood sows.

POULTRY

Some fine Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, privately sold.

SALE BEGINS AT ONE O'CLOCK, WILSON TIME.

TERMS:—6 months' bankable note at 8 per cent.

ED. F. MOORE

J. G. Ford, Auctioneer.
J. C. Mundy, Clerk.

THE fellow who doesn't take a newspaper usually can find more fault with it than anyone else.

THERE are some who voice the opinion that because the prohibition act allows the manufacture of homemade wine the results expected of the law will be nullified. Not so long as the woman in the household has this duty. The women of this country, practically as a unit, favored the elimination of the liquor evil and they are not going to contribute to the loss of the Dry act's results.

WOMEN have always been accused of a moodiness and sentimental interest in criminals regardless of the merits of the case. This accusation must be laid to do with the women of another day. Since women have been given suffrage and more they have accepted the responsibility in the true light and are no longer creatures of sentiment to the loss of their better judgment. In fact the political demagogue, who depends much on sentimental palaver, is discovering this to be true much to his chagrin.

THE man who best knows how to play best knows how to get the most out of his business. You can't get away from this. We know of a firm who employs a high class designer. In their contract with him they specify that one day a week be devoted to golf or some other healthful exercise. The loss of this day in the business costs them \$100 in salary but they know they will be repaid many times this because of his refreshed mind when he returns to work after a fine day in the open. Attend to business but play a little. It will pay you.

SOMETHING PSYCHOLOGICAL.

WHILE it is rather a frayed and bromidic expression yet we must use it and hence when we say that there is something about the psychology of the Constitution of the United States which few foreigners ever understand we mean just what we say.

We of the United States understand this intuitively but those who have come to our shores from lands of oppression and class war, seldom, if ever, grasp its meaning.

Liberty for all differs from personal liberty that allows a man to attack the state or society in general for personal or group benefit and is merely a reversion to that which the Constitution was written to eliminate.

Yet these visiting interpreters would have us believe that they understand this matter better than we do (although, most likely, their life has been spent in communities here where foreigners predominate rather than real native Americans.)

The charge that the Indian is the only native American is but a means of evading the issue. The man who lives here, regardless of where his parents were born, and who has made every effort to achieve the spirit of the nation and by the nation we can only mean the Constitution, is an American. He is the man who has learned our language, become affiliated with community life as it deals with the whole rather than the group from the old country, and is living by American ideals he has been taught them.

This land has too many people from abroad who settle in one neighborhood, continue to speak the language of the home country and continue to live as they did overseas and not according to American standards. This is not a healthful condition and breeds unrest such as this country is suffering from today.

Americans are all right. The country is filled with men and women of true American type who would be willing to forego some of their rights to see such conditions changed and the deportation of those who menace our liberties with false gods.

One of the greatest movements of the reconstruction period should be the Americanization of our citizenship.

This is a government for the people and by the people. For those who come here and find things not to their liking there is a sufficient variety of governments in the world today for them to take their choice. This land is ruled by the majority. And that majority is not bolshevik or radical.

In the last analysis, as far as we can learn, those who are at the front in the present unrest are foreigners. Many of them never having been naturalized and others given their papers without understanding the obligation entailed.

This is a free country, Emma Goldman, to the contrary, and we would suggest to this lady, in passing, that if she doesn't like things here, certainly Russia should suit her, according to her published preferences.

F. J. Bohn of Kansas City was a business visitor here Wednesday.

J. Freedman of Burlington, Iowa, was in Mexico on business Wednesday.

R. F. Lewis of Columbia was here on business Wednesday.

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It's Overcoat Time

and you will be delighted with the immense showing have collected for you

Every stylish model and wanted cloth for the season is here; the conservative Chesterfield; Waist-lines in Single and Double Breasteds, with or without belts; Yoked and pleated Novelties; Great Coats—in fact you'll find all the good ones awaiting your selection.

What's the Cost?

\$25 \$30 \$35 \$40 \$50 \$55 \$60

A PRICE FOR EVERY PURSE—A COAT FOR EVERY TASTE

Better get first selections; replacements now of stocks, are next to impossible; and if we could, there would be a very different price story

The Home of
Hart Schaffner-Marx

Phillips

Mexico's Great
Overcoat Store

A Ledger Classified ad sold a mule for W. F. Settles and he was so pleased he advertised a wagon for sale and found a purchaser the next day. Ledger Classified ads pay. Try one.

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HOXSEY-SHROUT MOTOR CO.

E. F. Elliott advertised a stove for sale in the Evening Ledger Monday and before the paper was off the press he was overwhelmed with telephone calls from prospective purchasers. Ledger Classified advertising pays.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. This alone is enough to convince one that it is a medicine of more than ordinary merit. Give it a trial and you will find this to be the case. Adv.

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Why Be Fat

Three Ways to Reduce Safely.

DR. JOHNSON'S LABORATORY,
804 Pasco, Kansas City, Mo.

FARMERS EXCHANGE

FOR SALE:—4-room house and 3 lots, in Lakeman and Barnes addition. Near South Side School. Write to C. LUMM, Woodburn, Ind. 210-21aw 7 wks (Oct. 8)

FOR SALE:—Bed steed and square piano. Phone 200. 235-2t w2-p

LOST:—Gasoline tank off of car; between Mexico and the County firmery. Please notify CREIGH BROS. GARAGE. dlw1-p

WANTED:—Copy of the Mexico Weekly Ledger of January 3, 1918. Ledger Office. 241-d&w1f

Transportation of the Future. Transportation is the fundamental of progress in civilization. All things must pass through it as through the neck of a bottle. If we can transport energy without using cars to carry it, there is just so much gain. Electricity is energy without substance. Its transmission calls for no vehicle other than a copper wire. Hence it is obvious that we must look to electricity for distributing the power on which our economic future as a nation depends.

Limit on Tree's Growth. The vine does not grow above 2,300 feet above the sea. The oak ceases at 2,250 feet, and the fir at 7,000 feet.

SANTA FE ITEMS.

Mrs. Byron Wilkerson and L. A. Hanger departed Tuesday afternoon for a week's visit with Mrs. Fannie Crigler and Miss Sallie Stoy of Salem, Mo. — Mrs. E. McD. Bridgford visited friends in Mexico Wednesday. — Miss Annie Snyder has returned from a few days visit in St. Louis Wednesday. — Mrs. Robert Getty returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Illinois. — Mrs. H. Gullett has returned home from Illinois where she has been at the bedside of her mother. — Mrs. Geo. Sherwood and son, Frank, and Miss Jennie Levick who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. G. L. Fairbairn departed Wednesday for Decatur, Ill. They will visit relatives in Vandalia, Mo., before leaving for their home in Canon City, Colo. — Wm. Rush and J. M. Dyson motored to Mexico Wednesday. — Rozel Davis broke his right arm Wednesday while trying to crank his father's truck. — Mrs. Ed Kander of Quincy, Ill., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Andrew Harbet. — Miss Irene Hendricks attended the wedding of Miss Eula Reed and Mr. Merritt at the home of the bride's parents of Victor, Saturday evening. — Mrs. W. F. Botts is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Bowering of New Florence, Mo. — Miss Carolyn Wilson of Molino, is the guest of her friend, Miss Nell Wilson. — Wm. Hubbard returned home Monday after a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Paris.

Public Sale

We will sell at the W. G. Sims farm, 4 miles southeast of Mexico, on

Wednesday, October 22nd, 1919

342 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK 342

12 head of mules, ranging in age from 3 to 5 years old, all broke, mostly mares, will make good farm teams.

110 HEAD OF CATTLE 110

30 cows, Shorthorns and Angus, about 10 cows that are fat, among others are some exceptionally good milk cows, all bred to Shorthorn and Pure Bred Angus bulls. About 60 two-year-old steers, will weigh 800 pounds; 10 yearling steers and 10 good calves.

217 HEAD OF SHEEP 217

150 head of breeding ewes, from 1 to 4 years old, 5 good Shropshire bucks; 62 black face spring lambs, in good condition.

4 GOOD BOAR SHOATS 4

Will weigh about 175 pounds, sired by Gerstade Jones.

TERMS:—Six months time with approved note at 8 per cent.

Dinner served by ladies of Union Chapel Church.

W. G. & Fletcher Sims

J. T. Johnson, J. G. Ford, O. B. Johnson, Auctioneers.
W. W. Pollock, Clerk.

Ed Taylor of Middletown who lived the city Wednesday shaking hands in Mexico about 80 years ago, was in with old friends.