

Taney County Republican

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Most Important Happenings of the Past Seven Days.

Interesting Items Gathered From all Parts of the World Condensed into Small Space for the Benefit of Our Readers.

Miscellaneous.

The Democratic national committee announced that their campaign fund for 1912 amounts to \$222,000. There are 11 contributors of \$1,000 and 18 of \$5,000, a total of whose names is published.

After passing resolutions in favor of deep water from Chicago to New Orleans, the Deep Waterway convention adjourned its Chicago meeting. Next year's convention will be held in New Orleans.

The Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, in session at San Francisco, has chosen Denver as the 1909 meeting place.

Mrs. Myrtle Baker, who was convicted at Carthage, Mo., of attempting to kill her husband, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

Three truck repairers were killed and another fatally injured in an accident at the Lake Shore switching yard in South Chicago.

State Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff of New York has announced that A. C. Carnegie had contributed \$29,000 to the Republican national campaign fund. Mrs. Russell Sage contributed \$1,000.

Treasurer Sheldon of the Republican national committee has issued a request for contributions of \$50 each from 10,000 business men throughout the country.

The Atlantic battleship fleet has left Manila en route to Japan.

The National Congress of Mothers will convene in New Orleans in February next.

A case of cholera was discovered in the Southern theater at St. Petersburg during a performance. A panic resulted, but no one was hurt.

The suit of the government against the E. C. & C. Co. of Durango, Col., to recover \$600,000, has been compromised for \$200,000.

The National Rural Letter Carriers' association which has been in session at Omaha, Neb., has adjourned. Paul L. Lindsey of Tucker, Ga., was elected president.

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the M. K. & T. Railway company at Parsons, Kan., the regular semi-annual dividend of 2 percent on the preferred stock was declared.

Orney Peters, 21 years old, while working in a saw mill near Sedalia, Mo., fell upon the saw and his body was cut in two lengthwise.

The board of managers of Kansas Soldiers' home at Dodge City have issued an order that hereafter no portion of veteran's pension money shall be taken to help support the home.

Patrick Cheney, an ex-member of the St. Louis police force and at present a city employe, has been sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for false registration.

According to the Kansas attorney general the nominations of the independence party were made too late to get on the official ballot in that state.

Twenty-five members of the Saltillo army were arrested at Los Angeles, Cal., for violating the city ordinance regarding parading and speaking on the public streets.

Alvo Snyder, an Owsoso, Ok., farmer, is dead from hydrophobia, the result of being bitten by a cow afflicted with the rabies.

Because of the importance of the two-cent fare cases pending in the federal court at Kansas City, the Interstate Commerce commission has assigned an expert in freight and passenger rates from that body to assist Attorney General Hailey. The cases are set for hearing November 5.

The Chicago & Alton Railroad company has placed a second order at Pittsburg, Pa., for 1,000 steel cars.

The boiler house of the Holden, Mo., electric light plant has been destroyed by fire.

Attorney General Bonaparte has asked that the injunction suit filed by 55 western and southwestern railroads against the commerce commission regarding live stock rates be advanced over all other litigation at St. Louis.

To prevent his wife and eight children from becoming impoverished by his illness, August Fiet committed suicide in an East St. Louis hospital.

The stables on the country place of Richard Harding Davis, the author-playwright, were broken into and robbed of three valuable horses. Mr. Davis was recently appointed a deputy sheriff of Westchester county, N. Y.

The trial of the 18 cases brought to test by the Missouri two-cent fare law were postponed in the federal court at Kansas City until November 9.

The trans-Mississippi Commercial congress was opened in San Francisco with an address by President J. B. Case of Abilene, Kan.

Senator Beveridge will speak in Kansas October 17, in Oklahoma City the following day and in Kansas City October 19. Platform speeches will be made between principal stops.

Anatomy hall of the Minnesota State university at Minneapolis was recently destroyed by fire.

The Burlington Railroad company has restored the ten-hour day in the shops at Havelock, Neb. The order affects 700 men.

A Civil war veteran who has drawn for years a pension to which he was not entitled, has turned into the national conscience fund the sum of \$1,172.

Kansas City's new municipal hospital, one of the most complete and modern in the country, and which cost \$500,000, has been opened for the reception of patients.

The Frisco railroad pleaded guilty in the federal court at Springfield, Mo., to seven charges of violating the 28-hour stock law and was fined a total of \$900.

The situation in eastern Europe has been further complicated by the people of the island of Crete who have arisen and proclaimed their union with Greece.

The governing committee of the Aero club of France has awarded its gold medal for 1908 to Wilbur Wright, the American aviator.

Thirteen persons lost their lives when a large grain elevator at Richmond, Va., exploded and was destroyed by the fire which followed.

The attorney general of Kansas has filed two outster suits in the supreme court against Hutchinson and its mayor, John P. Harsha, for violations of the prohibitory law.

A quarter of a block of residences, stores and a livery stable were destroyed by fire at Topoka. On account of a bursting water main the firemen were helpless in fighting the fire.

Nine persons lost their lives in a tenement fire in lower Mulberry street, New York. Eight Italian families occupied the building and 50 persons were asleep when the fire was discovered.

The Balkan crisis has reached an acute phase and the whole of Europe is stirred by the formal proclamation of the independence of Bulgaria. The treaty of Berlin has been abrogated and it will be necessary to hold another congress of the European signers of that document.

A French submarine boat made a run of 81 hours covering a distance of 623 miles under water.

The attorney general of Kansas has ruled that voters in the state who failed to vote at the primary election in August, but were legally entitled to do so, need not register for the general election in November.

The wives of American naval officers now at Tokyo awaiting the battleship fleet were recently entertained at dinner by Admiral Togo.

Personal.

Congressman W. A. Reeder of Kansas has been added to the board of control of the National Irrigation congress for the ensuing year.

William Lyon McKendree, a Civil war veteran who saw exciting service as a Union scout in the border days in southern Kansas, is dead on his farm in Wyandotte county, that state, where he has lived for 42 years.

Edwin Henry Goss, author and banker, is dead at his home in Melrose, Mass. His best known work is a life of Paul Revere.

Dr. J. P. Stewart of Clay Center, Kan., died on a Rock Island train between Topoka and Lawrence while en route to Kansas City.

Senator La Follette is to start a weekly paper in Madison, Wis.

President Castro of Venezuela is reported seriously ill again.

Stephen A. Douglas, son and namesake of Lincoln's rival in debate, died suddenly at his home in Chicago. He delivered an address with Mr. Taft at Galesburg, Ill., on the day before his death.

Capt. Allen Fisher, an attorney of Chadron, Neb., has been disabled for a period of one year by the supreme court of the state.

Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, collapsed as a result of fatigue and a severe cold at Chicago and is under the care of a physician and a trained nurse.

Harry A. Garfield of the class of '85, son of the late President Garfield, has been inducted into the office of president of Williams college at Williamstown, Mass.

William J. Bryan is to make a tour of New York state during the last week of October.

Fay Hempstead of Arkansas was recently crowned poet laureate of the Masons at Chicago with much ceremony. He is the third poet to be thus honored. The others were Robert Burns and the late Robert Morris of New York.

Augustus D. Lynch, formerly of Indianapolis, and for 35 years connected with the office of the comptroller of the United States treasury, is dead in Washington.

William H. Taft and William J. Bryan, the rival candidates for the presidency, were guests of honor at the annual banquet of the Chicago Association of Commerce. When the two men met and shook hands the spectators and guests broke out into a tumult of applause which lasted for 45 minutes. Both candidates made nonpartisan speeches to the assembled guests.

Nicholas Nestor, a New York policeman, lost his life by suffocation after rescuing an aged woman from a burning house.

DeWolf Hopper, the comedian, was rendered unconscious by a bad fall while appearing on the stage at Syracuse, N. Y.

Dr. Charles E. Latimer of New York, who died recently in Florida, bequeathed \$50,000 to the national prohibition party to carry on its work against the liquor interests.

Frank Rush, a civil engineer of Lincoln, Neb., perished by drowning during the recent typhoon in Manila bay.

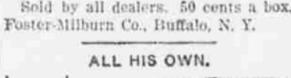
DRAGS YOU DOWN. Backache and Kidney Trouble Slowly Wear One Out.

Mrs. R. Cronse, Fayette St., Manchester, Ia., says: "For two years my back was weak and rheumatic. Pains ran through my back, hips and limbs. I could hardly get about and lost much sleep. The action of the kidneys was much disordered. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and the result was remarkable. The kidney action became normal, the backache ceased, and my health is now unusually good."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



ALL HIS OWN.



"My! What a big figure you are getting!" "Well, what does that matter? I haven't taken yours, have I?"

GIRL WAS DELIRIOUS With Fearful Eczema—Pain, Heat, and Tingling Were Excruciating—Cuticura Acted Like Magic.

"An eruption broke out on my daughter's chest. I took her to a doctor, and he pronounced it to be eczema of a very bad form. He treated her, but the disease spread to her back, and then the whole of her head was affected, and all her hair had to be cut off. The pain she suffered was excruciating, and with that and the heat and tingling her life was almost unbearable. Occasionally she was delirious and she did not have a proper hour's sleep for many nights. The second doctor we tried afforded her just as little relief as the first. Then I purchased Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, and before the Ointment was three-quarters finished every trace of the disease was gone. It really seemed like magic. Mrs. T. W. Hyde, Brentwood, Essex, England, Mar. 8, 1907."

India's Precious Metals. It is estimated that \$1,500,000,000 in gold, and perhaps as much in silver, is hidden away in the Hindu stocking. Vast quantities of the precious metals are known to be kept in the form of personal ornaments. From time immemorial India has been a reservoir into which the precious metals have flowed from all quarters of the globe, only to disappear from statistics. Could the idle wealth be drawn upon, the effect on the industrial and commercial life of the country would be very great. It is, therefore, a matter of concern to try to turn India's dormant capital to active use. It may be impossible to do it. The Oriental mind views everything in a way incomprehensible to westerners. But if only a tithe of the concealed hoards of India were vitalized a new aspect might be given to the conditions of life in England's great eastern empire.

The Allurements of the City. Mrs. Perkins and her daughter Mandy from the country were in the city one day, and as they walked along together they came to a window in which was displayed a variety of women's apparel. Mandy glanced wistfully at the different articles of clothing and started into the store. But a sign in the window which read: "Clothing One-Half Off During This Sale," caught Mrs. Perkins' eye. She seized her daughter by the arm, hurried her along down the street, and exclaimed in a loud voice: "Why, land's sake, Mandy, that ain't no decent place for a girl to go!"—Judge's Library.

WANTED TO KNOW The Truth About Grape-Nuts Food. It doesn't matter so much what you hear about a thing, it's what you know that counts. And correct knowledge is most likely to come from personal experience.

"About a year ago," writes a N. Y. man, "I was bothered by indigestion, especially during the forenoon. I tried several remedies without any permanent improvement.

"My breakfast usually consisted of oatmeal, steak or chops, bread, coffee and some fruit.

"Hearing so much about Grape-Nuts, I concluded to give it a trial and find out if all I had heard of it was true.

"So I began with Grape-Nuts and cream, 2 soft boiled eggs, toast, a cup of Postum and some fruit. Before the end of the first week I was rid of the acidity of the stomach and felt much relieved.

"By the end of the second week all traces of indigestion had disappeared and I was in first rate health once more. Before beginning this course of diet, I never had any appetite for lunch, but now I can enjoy a hearty meal at noon time." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Happenings in Missouri.

Can't Shirk Old Bond Issue.

Judge John C. Pollock in the United States circuit court at Springfield gave a decision in favor of John C. Henderson, Jr., of Washington, in his suit against Dallas county to revive a judgment on the old railroad bonds. The claim of Henderson amounts to more than \$1,000,000. Dallas county opposed the reviving of the judgment on the ground that there was an error in the summons served on the county clerk of that county eight years ago, the summons having been dated the same as the date set for the county to appear in court. Judge Pollock held that the technicality in the summons did not invalidate it. Steps are to be taken in November looking to a final disposition of the Dallas county bonds.

Missouri Homestead Entries Filed.

During the quarter ending September 30, 255 entries were made at the United States land office in Springfield, aggregating 22,654.32 acres, according to the report of Receiver J. H. Dunsmuir, and \$9,737.02 was received from these entries. The complete report for the quarter is as follows: Original homesteads, 91; acres embraced, 6,985.96; fees and commissions, \$739.41; homestead final proofs, 93; acres embraced, 8,494.42; commissions, \$229.38; number of cash entries, 71; acres embraced, 6,664.84; money realized from sale of lands, \$8,321.06; for making plats and transcripts, \$437.02.

A Bereaved Son's Tribute.

Just before the coffin containing the body of Mrs. Ida Hulse of Oak Grove, Jackson county, was lowered into the grave, the minister held up a gold medal to view. It was the trophy held dearest by a broken-hearted son, he said. Adelbert Hulse had won it in an oratorical contest while a student at Baker university, Baldwin, Kan., several years before. The son, now so ill as to be threatened with a complete nervous collapse, had asked that the medal be buried on his mother's coffin. While the coffin was slowly lowered the minister laid the little gold badge on the black lid.

Dead in a Hotel Fire.

Lomax Pittman, an attorney, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Farmer hotel at Hartsville. It is believed that the fire was started by the breaking of a kerosene lamp in Mr. Pittman's room. Mr. Pittman was at one time on the editing staff of the Encyclopedia of American and English law. A telegram was sent immediately to his brother, Judge Pittman of Memphis, Tenn. Pool's millinery store, the postoffice, the city hall and Progress printing office also were burned.

Lucky Kansas City Men.

Kansas City men who in 1903 organized the Lucky Tiger Combination Gold Mining company, with \$650,000 capital, have been offered approximately \$6,500,000 for their properties, almost a ten-fold increase on the amount of their original investment of five years ago. The proposition probably will be accepted. The Consolidated Mines Selection company, limited, of London is seeking an option on the properties, which are in Sonora, Mexico.

Met Death in an Old Mine.

Edward Johnson, a farmer and former miner, engaged recently in digging for an old Spanish mine supposed to be located near Springfield, met death in the shaft which he and his associates were digging. Poisonous gases from dynamite smoke caused his death. His body was taken from the ground after several hours' work by friends.

Appointed by Gov. Folk.

Gov. Folk has made the following appointments: C. T. Whisman of Sedalia, a member of the state board of barber examiners, to succeed himself; term of office three years. R. M. Abernathy, prosecuting attorney of Perry county, vice John J. Seibel, resigned. Thomas J. Adams, inspector of oils for Worth county, for a period of two years from date. W. T. Bender of Kirkwood, county superintendent of public schools for St. Louis county, vice the late J. Will Andrae.

A Missouri Girl Killed by a Fall.

Pearl Moberly of Carthage, while playing on the porch of the Pickwick hotel, lost her balance and fell to the pavement, 40 feet. She was killed by the fall. Her mother is employed by the hotel.

Liveryman Saves Safe.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the Farmers and Merchants' bank at Ludlow, 12 miles south of Chillicothe. The robbers were scared away by a liveryman before they had dynamited the safe.

An Ex-Kansas Cityan Killed.

George Stretz, Jr., 20 years old, shot himself at Booneville as he took a shotgun from a carriage. The charge entered his body under the right arm and he died an hour later. Until a few days ago he was employed by the St. Louis & San Francisco freight office at Kansas City.

These Safe Blowers Disappointed.

The large safe of the Leahy Manufacturing company of Higginsville was blown open recently by robbers. They secured only about \$4.

Confederate Reunion.

The twelfth annual reunion of the ex-Confederate veterans was recently held at Nevada. Large crowds were in attendance from all over the state. The out-of-town sponsors and maids of honor in attendance were: Inez Lowdermilk, Kansas City; Maggie McKinney, Moberly; Ruth Fonville, Mexico; Zelman Daw, Springfield; Nadine Steele, Lexington; Sue Bunce, Sheldon; Myrtle Proctor, Moberly; Carrie Lewis, Kansas City; Lula Duncan, Springfield; Anna Lawrence, Springfield; Fannie Rice, Neosho; Juanita Horn, Neosho; Mesdames Emma Wagner, Lamar, and A. B. Lewis, Kansas City. Mrs. Clark of Kansas City is chaperon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Major general, commanding, J. W. Haliburton, Carthage; brigadier general, Eastern brigade, O. H. P. Catron, West Plains; brigadier general, Western brigade, George M. Jones, Springfield.

Bank Cannot Recover From Masons.

The Bates County National bank of Butler cannot recover from the Masonic home of Missouri, located in St. Louis, and the Missouri Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, as the result of defalcations of Capt. F. J. Tygard, according to the report of a referee filed in court at St. Louis. Tygard was formerly president of the bank and treasurer of the Masonic home and of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar. He was sent to the penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., as a result of defalcations. E. C. Vandegrift, receiver of the bank, filed one suit against the Masonic home for \$8,334 and another against the grand commandery for \$22,023.88. He alleged that Tygard signed notes as treasurer of the Masonic bodies and passed the money to his credit in the bank.

Rev. Manley J. Breaker Dead.

Rev. Manley J. Breaker, for 11 years corresponding secretary of the general home and foreign missions board of the Missouri Baptist association, died suddenly at his home in St. Louis. His mother, Mrs. J. M. Breaker, aged 79, having a presentiment that his life was nearing its end, traveled all the way from Houston, Tex., to see him before he expired, arriving here a week ago, when he was in good health. Five days after her arrival he was stricken with indigestion while on a train near Washington, Mo. Heart disease, brought on by indigestion, is given as the cause of his death.

Horsewhipped by a Girl.

In the presence of 400 preachers and churchmen, gathered at Duenweg in attendance at the Spring River Baptist association, Charles Heilmann, 28 years old, was horsewhipped by Mrs. Nellie Garrison, 19 years old. Edward Mechs, father of Mrs. Garrison, called Heilmann from a store. "Stand still or I will kill you," he shouted, and, with a revolver, stood guard while his daughter struck Heilmann again and again on the face with the heavy end of a buggy whip.

An Old Resident of Sedalia Dead.

A. W. Winesburg, aged 67 years, a pioneer resident and prominent business man of Sedalia, died suddenly of paralysis at his home at Forest park. Mr. Winesburg had been a resident of Sedalia for the past 45 years.

Refused to be Warned.

Refusing to be warned by the presentment of his mother that he would meet a tragic death, Howard Agden, 20 years old, fell from a balloon at Garden City and was killed. He lived at 615 Locust street, Kansas City.

A Generous Farmer.

O. C. Roby, a farmer and stockman near Rocheport, has written the state board of agriculture offering the use of his premises for a farm boys' encampment. The season is too far advanced for a meeting this fall, but Secretary Ellis thinks the invitation will be accepted next summer. Besides doing much for agriculture these encampments give the boys splendid outings.

The Ballot Now is Complete.

The Socialist Labor party has filed its list of presidential electors with the secretary of state. This comprises the lists of presidential electors, there being seven national tickets in all. They are Republican, Democratic, Socialist, Prohibitionist, People's, Independence and Social Labor. There are five state tickets to be voted on in November, which are the first five named.

A Profitable Acre.

One acre put in cantaloupes by W. M. Grace, four miles east of Columbia has yielded more than \$185 in cash.

Drowned While Boat Riding.

Lee Hightower, 22 years old and son of John Hightower, a prosperous farmer living a few miles north of Nevada, was drowned in the artesian lake at Lake park while boat riding with a companion. It is supposed that he was attacked by an epileptic fit which caused him to fall from the boat.

Put Down Sidewalks.

The Richmond Missourian notes that where sidewalks go down property values go up.

SINKS AND DRAINS A FREQUENT CAUSE OF TYPHOID

Purify These and You Will Be Safe From Contagion.

DISINFECTING THE ONLY PREVENTIVE

Gorax, a Simple, Safe and Sure Method.

How to keep our homes clean, sweet and free from germ influences is a question.

While there is no occasion for alarm, it is always well to be forearmed on the theory that "An Ounce of Prevention is Better Than a Pound of Cure," and no ounce of prevention has yet been discovered that is more simple, more direct and more effective, yet harmless to the human system, than Borax.

Borax has been known and used for generations as a purifier and preventive against epidemic influences originating from uncleanly conditions resulting from unsanitary sinks and drains, and when used as a hot solution in the proportion of two table-spoonfuls to a gallon of hot water flushed through the offending locations, removes every trace of disease germs and renders the pipes clean and wholesome.

Borax in addition to its hygienic qualities, is a household necessity, and can be used for numberless domestic purposes. It softens the water, makes linen dazzling white, will cleanse every article in the kitchen or dining room and make it bright, will prevent moths, soften and whiten the skin, remove dandruff and cleanse the scalp, and for cleansing and sterilizing baby's milk bottle and nipple has no equal.

Borax, unlike every other cleanser and disinfectant, is absolutely harmless to the system, and is safe, simple, economical, and can be purchased at any drugstore or grocery. A dainty book in colors, called the "Jingle Book," will be sent free to any Mother sending name and address of her baby and tops from two one-pound cartons of "20-Mule-Team" Borax, with 5c in stamps. Address Pacific Coast Borax Co., Chicago, Ill.

Expressions of a Cynic.

Walter Pater, an old man at 50, bald as a coot and grotesquely plain, regarded every woman much as did Dean Swift, who wrote: "A very little wit is valued in a woman, as we are pleased with few words spoken intelligibly by a parrot." "You don't approve of marriage?" a friend once observed to Pater. "No," he replied, "nor would anybody else if he gave the matter proper consideration. Men and women are always pulling different ways. Women won't pull our way. They are so perverse."

The Wretch!

"A philosopher, papa?" "Philosopher, Willie," answered skimpily little Mr. Deempeck, "is a married man who does not wish he wasn't!"—Smart Set.

Instant Relief for All Eyes,

that are irritated from dust, heat, sun or wind. PETTIS' EYE SALVE, 25c. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

At the time he casts his first vote a man is too young to realize that he doesn't know it all.

You always get full value in Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

The wise man who has a good opinion of himself keeps it to himself.



After suffering for seven years, this woman was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Read her letter.

Mrs. Sallie French, of Pauceanna, Ind. Ter., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I had female troubles for seven years—I was all run-down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different troubles but did me no good. While in this condition I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now strong and well."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your sickness you do not understand. She will treat your letter in confidence and advise you free. No woman ever regretted writing her, and because of her vast experience she has helped thousands. Address, Lynn, Mass.