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Table with 5 columns: TIME, THER., BAR., WIND., WEATHER. Rows for 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 p.m.

Extremes 54° and 86°.

WHISPERINGS.

Shunway for shoes. 8-26dtf. The remains of Irwin Miller, the colored waiter who accidentally shot himself at Brownsville Tuesday and died Friday noon, came down on the Lexington branch train yesterday morning and were shipped in the afternoon to Warrensburg for interment.

The case of Ras Hopkins, charged with assaulting Kitty Thompson on the 18th inst., was called in Justice Riffe's court yesterday afternoon. This is a neighborhood row, and the parties are all colored. A large number of witnesses on behalf of the defense were present, but the state not being ready for trial the case was continued until to-morrow morning.

The Postal Change.

Preparations are already being made by the people for the prospective postal reform that goes into effect on the first of October. People, it is stated by the post-office authorities, seem to be in a hurry to avail themselves of the privileges of the decreased postal duties, and the instructions already so often printed in the newspapers have to be reported day by day at the office. The officials will not receive orders for the new materials formally until September 1, when orders for stamped envelopes will be taken. If any one should get hold of the new 2-cent stamps prematurely it will be of no use for him to apply them toward the paying of postage as they will not be recognized for any use till the new law goes into effect. It is stated that it is probable that the revenue of the office will not be materially decreased by the change.

Programme of the Concert

- To be given at Sicens' park, Tuesday evening, August 28, 1883: 1. March, "Knights Templar," Bach. 2. Overture, "La Dindem," Hermann. 3. Quartette, "Whom God Doth Favor Show," Mendelssohn. 4. Polka, "The Camp," Wil Albert. 5. Aria, "The Hermit," Chambers. Baritone Solo, J. H. Berans. 6. Gallopade, "Bang Up," Prosho. INTERMISSION. 7. March, "Collingwood," Pettee. 8. Musical Jamborie, "Red Hot," Boyer. 9. Waltz, "Beautiful Star," Keller. 10. Grand Processional March, "The Silver Trumpets," Vivont. 11. Sixtette, "Still in My Dream," Hall. 12. Quick March, "The Tuber's Joy," Neare. L. E. FRIEMEL, Conductor.

Our Buyer Telegraphs!

"Don't lose a sale on DRESS GOODS! Let them go and make room for the largest stock of Silks and Imported Suitings ever shipped west. Our prices will be correct and moderate. Don't buy your fall dress until you have seen our stock.

Our Cloak Department!

Is now complete and ready for inspection. No such variety has ever been shown in this country. You are cordially invited to call and inspect them. We accidentally "got in" on a big pile of

BED COMFORTS!

And are prepared to make prices that no other house can meet. We had them manufactured during the dull season. Now is the time for housekeepers to lay in the supply for winter. Stacks of Bleached and Brown Cottons sold at mill prices. Call early and look through our stock.

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—If "Uncle Ike" has received his bouquet yet?

—If B. F. Oliver's favorite flower is not the Lily?

—What Beech Ray knows about that naval engagement?

—What D. A. Clarke will do with all the carpets he received yesterday?

—If the young lady on Third street has learned the meaning of the word "bangle"?

—If Manager Pilkington, of the Missouri Pacific, wasn't the proudest young man in Sedalia last night?

—Why Justice Halstead did not call from the court room window, yesterday, the absent witness, C. Cox?

—When the petite young lady who lives in the vicinity of the tank will again appear in her brother's base ball suit?

—How many lovingly worded missives a certain young lady residing in West Sedalia has received from Tom Somers since he returned to his home in Tennessee?

—Why Josh Iredale and Mory King did not give the elderly lady the desired information Friday, and if they would have been more calm had they been placed in her position?

—If the decision will not be in favor of Hannibal at the close of the private matinee which is sure to be the result of Johnny Wright's Sedalia girl learning of his Hannibal mash?

—If the hammock which swings in front of a boarding house on the west side of Ohio street, between Fifth and Sixth, would not be highly appreciated by a few of the fair sex as a memento of Tom?

—If an innocent tidy, not many Sundays ago, did not cause quite a disturbance near the corner of Missouri avenue and Pettis street, and if the young lady has yet grown tired of telling stories to get even?

Horsford's Acid Phosphate, a Valuable Nerve Tonic.

DR. C. C. OLMSTEAD, Milwaukee, Wis., says: "I have used it in my practice ten years, and consider it a valuable nerve tonic."

Bill Sommers' Death.

From E. D. Crawford, who arrived from Denver last night, a BAZOO reporter learned of the death of Wm. Sommers, formerly a policeman in this city, but more recently an engineer on the D. & R. G. railway, a few days ago.

Sommers, it appears, attended a dance in Denver, and became involved in a difficulty with an unknown man, who picked up a hoe handle and struck him on the head, fracturing his skull, and causing death three days thereafter.

At the time of the accident Sommers' wife was in a delicate condition, and the day her husband died, gave birth to twins—girls. She does not know of her husband's death, and the sad news will be kept from her until she is able to bear it.

Handsome Paintings.

Passing down Ohio street, yesterday, a BAZOO reporter noticed in Ferrel & Fellows' show window two very beautiful paintings, one in water colors and the other, a landscape scene, "Moonrise on the Hill," in oil. These are the first productions of Mrs. Geo. M. Pratt, a pupil of Miss Louise Long, and reflect great credit on both the teacher and pupil, as Mrs. Pratt has taken lessons but a very short time, yet her work exhibits the true talent that will eventually make a fine artist.

Martin Has Caught On.

John L. Martin has taken editorial charge of the Plattsburg Lever, and changed it from a prohibition paper to a straight, democratic paper.—Monroe Appeal.

Mr. Martin is well known in Sedalia, having resided here a year or more, during which time he was employed as a writer on the BAZOO. Leaving Sedalia, he obtained employment on the Kansas City Star and afterwards transferred his services to the Times, where he remained until a few months ago, when the BAZOO lost track of him. There are few better writers in the country than John L. Martin, and the BAZOO's best wishes are with him in his new venture.

Proposes to Retaliate.

Now that the Sedalia BAZOO has published Governor Crittenden's opinion of our county marshal, we will retaliate by an endeavor to ascertain what the governor thinks of J. West Goodwin's special trains to and from the various rural excursions.—Kansas City Times.

Explicit directions for every use are given with the Diamond Dyes. For dyeing Mosses, Grasses, Eggs, Ivory, Hair, &c. Only 10 cents.

—Gen. Schofield is a social lion in San Francisco. Hence his desire not to succeed Gen. Sheridan at Chicago.

Wells' "Rough on Corns."

Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns." 15c Quick, complete, permanent cure. Corns wart bunions.

—Edwin Booth calls his new house at Newport "Boothden." It required a deal of thought to fix upon such a pretty name.

Did She Die?

"No," she lingered and suffered along, pining away all the time for years, the doctors doing her no good; and at last was cured by this Hop Bitters. He papers say so much about. Indeed! indeed! how thankful we should be for that medicine.

THE CORNER STONE! OF OUR NEW BUILDING, The Grand Central!

Has been laid. The first story will be started this week. This is to remind you that we are still selling out our present stock, preparatory to moving in this elegant palace, when completed. Be sure and tell your neighbors that goods have reached bottom prices at our famous establishment.

A FEW QUOTATIONS!

Stacks of Gingham at 5c a yard. Stacks of Calicoes at 3 1/2c a yard. Stacks of Alpaca at 10c a yard. Handsome Dress Plaids at 10c a yard. Double width Cashmeres 20c a yard. Double width Cashmeres 35c a yard, worth 50c. Satins at 40c, 75c, and \$1, worth 35c a yard more. Silks at 60c, 75c, \$1, \$1.35, worth from 25c to 50c a yard more. Velvets 25c a yard, in different colors. Piles of Table Linens to be sacrificed. Stacks of Towels and Toweling at big reductions. Counters and Bed Spreads almost given away. Our Shoe Department will be overflowing with Bargains. Every department has been marked down. Men's Ladies' and Children's Shoes at great sacrifice.

RED STORE, 207 OHIO ST.

DUTIFUL DIRECTORS.

The Proceedings Had at the Meeting of the School Board Yesterday.

At a meeting of the school board, yesterday forenoon, the following members were present: Mertz, Montgomery, Barrett and Faulhaber.

On motion of Mr. Barrett, Prof. Gast, who taught in Sedalia four years ago, was elected principal of the East Sedalia school, at a salary of \$85 per month.

On motion, the chief principal, D. R. Cully, with the aid of the committee on teachers, was instructed to assign the teachers to the different rooms and report to the next meeting of the board for approval.

On motion, the following bills were allowed and warrants ordered: T. Fradenburg, blackboards for Broadway school.....\$100.00. John W. Houz, rent to September 10th for Northeast Sedalia school building..... 20.00. E. Wells, hauling seats to Sedalia school..... 3.00. W. H. Reynolds, printing scholarship cards..... 4.75.

The committee on buildings and grounds were authorized to contract for repairing the ceilings in the Broadway school at a cost of \$35 00.

A communication from W. H. Dixon, declining the position in Lincoln school to which he was elected, was read and placed on file.

On motion, the resignation of Miss M. E. Emerson, as teacher, was accepted. The following teachers were elected: Misses Anna Puckard, May R. Bookwalter, May F. Logan, Nellie Montgomery, Hattie Gold and Kate Graham—the latter for Lincoln school.

Monday, September 10th, was fixed as the date for the commencement of the public schools.

On motion, the board adjourned.

SURE TO BE A SUCCESS

Is the Next Sedalia Fair and Exposition, Commencing September 4th.

The managers of the Sedalia Exposition are making herculean efforts to render our next fair, which commences September 4th, and continues five days, one of the grandest events of the kind ever witnessed in Central Missouri.

The directors of the fair association held a meeting last evening for the purpose of receiving the reports of committees and looking after general details.

The principal matter discussed was that of special attractions. The gentlemen to whom has been assigned the duty of arranging the unique and novel entertainment of the fox chase reported that he had succeeded beyond his most sanguine expectations, having procured a number of kennels of dogs from different parts of the country.

Mr. J. R. Skinner reported that all of the arrangements had been perfected for the appearance of the tribe of wild Indians. Mr. Skinner will leave to-night for the Indian Nation in order to return in due time with the band of braves, as he has to make one hundred and thirty miles of his journey overland.

Among the celebrated chiefs who will be present, are "James Big Heart," "Saucy Chief," "Left Hand," "Long Knife," "Alfred-not-afraid-of-his-horse," "Little Hill," and "Thomas Moshure." The Indians will arrive Monday, the day before the opening of the Exposition, and go into camp at the fair grounds. They will give daily exhibitions of Indian games, war dances, etc. This feature of the Exposition has been secured only at great pains and expense, and promises to add much to the interest of the fair.

Special rates have been secured over the various roads, and there is but little doubt but that thousands of strangers will visit our city during exposition week.

Boston Bloods.

Mr. C. S. Hollis, Veterinary Surgeon, Boston, Mass., certifies that he has made the great pain-cure, St. Jacobs Oil, the sole remedy in his practice for horse ailments, and considers it superior to any cure he has known in forty years. He tried the same great pain-banisher on himself for rheumatism and by which he was completely cured.

The Very Greatest.

It is easily understood why W. W. Cole's Colossal Consolidated Shows are called the greatest on earth when they are once seen. Ordinarily a half-day should be taken to go through the museum alone, where are found more terrible, beautiful, fascinating, instructive and queer things than were ever gathered under canvas before.

RAILROAD RACKET.

Local Squibs, and Notes Picked Up Along the Different Railways.

—John Hewitt, superintendent of motive power on the Pacific, was a guest of the Garrison house last night.

—Sam L. Highleyman, tax commissioner for the Missouri Pacific, visited Fayette yesterday and returned on the evening train.

—John Hodge, master car builder on the Pacific, came up from a trip through Texas yesterday morning, and took the main line train for St. Louis.

—Mike Whelan, the old-time section boss on the Pacific, came in from the west yesterday, and after spending the Sabbath with his Sedalia friends, will return to his labors to-morrow morning.

—Billy Usher, a former K. & T. freight conductor, now running a passenger train on the Denver & Rio Grande road, was in attendance at the Knights Templar convale in San Francisco, Cal., last week.

—C. S. Goodale, agent of the Pacific express company at Denison, Texas, was in the city a couple of hours yesterday morning, and left on the east-bound Pacific train for a visit with friends at Louisville, Ky.

—Conductor D. J. Temple, of the north end of the K. & T., who has been laying off for a couple of weeks past, went out on his regular run last night; and Jim Fleming, who has been running his train, will go out on local to-morrow morning.

—K. & T. switch engine No. 2 climbed the track a short distance west of the yardmaster's office yesterday afternoon, and turned over on its side. No one was hurt, the damage to the engine was slight and it was soon returned to the track. The work of switching was slightly retarded by the accident.

—S. H. Davis, a former conductor on the north end of the K. & T., now running a train on the Fort Worth section of the Pacific, was in Sedalia yesterday, en route to Columbia, for a couple of weeks' visit with friends. He is enjoying excellent health, and expresses himself as delighted with Texas.

AT THE HOSPITAL.

There were six arrivals at the hospital yesterday, as follows: J. B. Backus, section laborer, McAllister; C. A. Holman, bridge carpenter, Whitesboro, Texas; remittent fever.

James Fitzgerald, section laborer, Savannah, malarial fever. C. Littlefield, section foreman, Savannah, and Samuel McCoy, section laborer, Limestone Gap, intermittent fever.

A. Fletcher, section laborer, Bonnett's Mills, punctured wound on leg caused by striking against a splintered rail.

ANOTHER REDUCTION.

Chicago, August 25.—The Chicago & Atlantic has met the cut rate of \$20 from Chicago to Buffalo and return, and has announced \$19 for the round trip from Baltimore to Chautauque.

COLLISION.

New Orleans, La. Aug. 25.—A collision is reported between two freight trains on the Louisville and Nashville road at Chelmer bridge. Conductor Jones and two brakemen were badly injured. The trains and mails are delayed.

The Mexican Veterans.

The annual reunion of Mexican Veterans, to be held in Sedalia on the 5th day of September, is looked forward to with much interest by the members of that association. At the meeting held last night, to make arrangements for the entertainment of the visiting members, the following committees were appointed:

On entertainment—H. C. Levens, F. S. Arnold, J. W. Kalfus, Joseph C. Marsh, L. W. Whipple, W. P. Jackson, J. A. Halstead. This committee will meet to-morrow evening in Justice Halstead's office at 7 o'clock sharp.

On reception—Col. T. P. Hoy, W. F. Cloud, Chas. Yost, W. L. Sperry, Dr. E. White, Dudley R. Allen, John Cooley. Printing and badges—H. C. Hayman and T. P. Hoy.

Hall for place of meeting—M. S. Conner and James A. Hogan. The meeting last night was not largely attended, but there was a manifest determination to make the occasion one surpassing any previous effort. The G. A. R. will turn out in force and escort the veterans to the fair grounds, the procession to be led by the Sedalia Silver Cornet band. Capt. L. L. Bridges has been selected to deliver the address of welcome. There will be a number of distinguished men in attendance, and the occasion will be one well worthy of Sedalia's respect.

—A Kansas City gin-miller says that lawyers and judges take bigger drinks than anybody else.

BEASTLY BUMS.

Whose Appetite for Liquor Has Thoroughly Mastered Them.

Two unfortunate and broken-hearted women called on Justice Riffe yesterday and desired to know if they had any remedy at law which would enable them to prevent their husbands from killing themselves and abusing their families by the use of liquor. County Attorney Hearu was consulted and informed the unfortunate women that there was only one course to pursue by which they could obtain any relief by law, and that was to serve a notice on every saloon keeper and druggist in the city, forbidding them, under penalty of the law, from selling or giving liquor to their husbands. Acting on this advice, the notices were made out in due form and placed in the hands of the constable for service.

The form of the notice is as follows: "To Mr. —, saloon keeper: I, the undersigned —, wife of —, hereby notify you, according to law, not to sell, to give, to furnish, or otherwise permit my said husband any intoxicating liquor, (he being an habitual drunkard), under penalty of the law."

This is under the amended section of the revised statutes, number 5,462, section 6, page 88 of the session acts of the last legislature. The section reads as follows:

"Any dramshop keeper, druggist or merchant, selling, living away or otherwise disposing of, or suffering the same to be done about his premises, any intoxicating liquors to any habitual drunkard, after such dram-shop keeper, druggist or merchant shall have been notified by the wife, father, mother, brother, sister, child or guardian of such person, not to sell, give away or furnish to such person any intoxicating liquors, shall forfeit and pay to such wife, father, mother, brother, sister, child or guardian, for every offense, a sum not less than fifty nor more than three hundred dollars, to be recovered by the party entitled to sue, by civil action, in any court having competent jurisdiction against such dramshop keepers, or by suit in such court in the name of the county to the use of the person entitled to sue on such bond, or a duly authenticated copy thereof against such dramshop keeper and his sureties, jointly or generally, and in addition to the penalties herein provided, shall forfeit his license as a dramshop keeper and be debarred from again obtaining license for that purpose, provided, however, that any married woman for the purpose of recovering the penalties and forfeitures provided for in this chapter may sue as a femme sole. A notice given under this section shall be deemed a continuing notice as to the person notified."

CHEERFULLY CORRECTED

And Credit Ascribed to Those to Whom it is Justly Due.

Officers Wentzleman, Barnett and McGee feel somewhat aggrieved at the publication of the item in reference to the arrest of Robert Thompson and James Christian, who were brought back from Jefferson City Friday by a detective temporarily in the employ of the Pacific.

It will be remembered that one Carber was arrested at an early hour Thursday morning and lodged in the cooler, being slated for drunkenness and late hours, Officer Barnett, who made the arrest, not being able to prefer a state charge. The same night that Carber was arrested, Thompson and Christian were chased to the limits of the yards by Officers Barnett, Wentzleman and McGee. After running them out of the city limits the officers very naturally supposed that they had boarded a train a short distance from the city and made good their escape. Accordingly the three officers named telegraphed to the conductor of the freight train which left this city that morning, and he received the message at Tipton. He found the fugitives in a box car, and, securely fastening the car, went on to Chamois, the end of his division. Trainmaster Diannick was notified, and he at once advised Chief Detective Furlong, who happened to be coming west, and who took charge of the prisoners, bringing them as far as Jefferson City, where he was met by the detective above referred to, to whom the prisoners were transferred, and who brought them to Sedalia. All of the credit of the arrest belongs to Officers Barnett, McGee and Wentzleman, and had it not been for their vigilance, the railroad officials would have never learned who burglarized their car.

A DOZEN DANCED

To Recorder Rauck's Music in the Police Court Yesterday Morning.

Twelve cases were disposed of by Recorder Rauck yesterday. Jim and Jack Craig pleaded guilty to the dual charge of drunkenness and disturbing the peace, and were fined \$5 each. Having just been paid off, they were able to liquidate, and after being discharged from durance, started out to expend the balance of their substance in riotous living.

John Ditson, Bill McIntire and W. Greenhall, pleaded guilty to plain drunks, and got \$5 each.

Robert Hutchinson, for late hours, vagrancy and trespassing, under a plea of guilty, was fined \$15, and has accepted a job pulverizing stone under Officer Kelly.

Three nuisance cases were disposed of, as follows: Dr. Bruner, case dismissed; Mrs. Heismeyer, continued until to-morrow morning; Mrs. Little, fined \$1.

P. B. Shepherd

will be the first performer on the stage at the fair with the Southwestern band of Indians.

—Wall paper Cheapest at Sanborn's.

4-15 lm.

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SWEENEY SECURED.

A. A. Talmage's Blackmailer

in the Clutches of Tom Furlong,

And Passed Through Sedalia for

St. Louis on Train No. 4

Last Night.

Tom Furlong, chief of the detective force for the Gould Southwestern system, passed through Sedalia last night, on his way to St. Louis, having in charge Barney Sweeney, the notorious desperado, who is charged with having attempted to blackmail Superintendent A. A. Talmage out of \$2,500, full particulars of which were published in last Sunday's BAZOO.

Thursday's BAZOO stated that Sweeney had been located in Clay county, and when Detective Furlong passed through the city, going west, Friday afternoon, he was interrogated regarding the man, but was non-committal. Later developments proved, however, that he was then on his way to Clay county, and when he returned, last night, he related to a BAZOO representative the following particulars of the arrest:

It was on Thursday that Sheriff Reed, of Liberty, Clay county, received information that Sweeney was wanted by the authorities of St. Louis, to answer an indictment charging him with attempting to blackmail and sending a threatening letter to A. A. Talmage. Upon receipt of this information Sheriff Reed at once telegraphed to Mr. Talmage, at St. Louis, asking him if he wanted Sweeney. An affirmative answer came from Furlong, requesting Sweeney's apprehension, and saying that he was wanted for robbery and other charges. About 7 o'clock Thursday evening the sheriff and his deputy proceeded to the Sweeney farm, which is located in the bottom, about four miles below Missouri City, arriving at the house about 12 o'clock.

They went straightway to the house and rapped on the door. Barney, who was sleeping down stairs, asked who they were, and came to the door with a pistol in his hand. The officers having told him their names and what they wanted, Sweeney immediately fled up stairs, followed by the officers, saying to them, "Don't come up here. I have six men well armed with me, and we will kill every one who comes in the house." A light was procured, and when the party reached the top of the stairway they found him with a Colt's No. 45 pistol in his hand and in good shooting order. He was secured and taken to Liberty, where he was placed in jail, and yesterday morning was turned over to Mr. Furlong and a deputy sheriff of St. Louis, who had accompanied him on the trip.

A BAZOO reporter took a look at the noted criminal as he sat in the smoking car, and it would be difficult to picture a more repulsive looking individual.

Sweeney, according to Mr. Furlong's statement to the BAZOO man, is the same party who was charged with the murder of John Fuller, in Clay county, in 1878. An indictment was preferred against him at the August term of the court of that year. He was tried at the February term, 1879. The evidence was entirely circumstantial, and the circumstances were of such a nature as to give him the benefit of a doubt, and after a tedious trial, which lasted more than a week, and which was both ably prosecuted and defended, he was acquitted.

He was for some time thought by many to have been connected with the James gang, but the light of recent events has removed any suspicion of this kind. Subsequent to his trial in Clay county he let for the Indian territory, where he remained until his flight near Vinita, at which place he represented himself to the railroad officials to be a member of the James gang, and feigned information of a stupendous train robbery, which proved to be all bush. His killing of an innocent man on that occasion will be remembered by readers of the BAZOO. He was arrested and taken to Fort Smith, Ark., but on being tried was acquitted.

About two months ago he returned to Clay county, and has since been living with his father at the place of his recent arrest. He says he is not guilty of the charges preferred against him—that it is spite work, and that he has done nothing for which he ought to be arrested. He does not specifically deny that he did send Mr. Talmage a letter demanding a pass over the road, or that he did ask him for \$2,500 for services rendered the road. It can, however, be proven that he wrote Mr. Talmage that if his wishes were not complied with he (Mr. Talmage) "would not fare well."