

A GOOD SERMON.

Father Murphy Discourses on the Duty of Parents to Children.

Father Murphy's sermon of Sunday morning should have been heard by every father and mother in Sedalia. His eloquent and forcible illustrations of their duty as parents in cultivating the minds of their children to the realization of the salvation of their immortal souls would certainly have been food for reflection in the minds of parents who too frequently neglect the duty they owe to their children. He called attention to the young man who did not consider himself a man until he could curse and dam and call the name of Jesus, a name the most holy and sacred ever given to man—who would not be afraid and ashamed of the manhood that takes his name in vain. The great name was given to man after a long time of suffering and doubt; a name that the holiest and purest thoughts might be formed in the mind and spoken by the lips. Every knee on earth should bow in adoration at the name Jesus. The beauty of love; the sanctity of God in giving that name to men that they might revere it. Such was the great blessing and it is within the power of all to go down to the lowest depths or ascend to the very foot stool of God. We are responsible for every word, act or thought. The good resolutions made at the close of 1891, where have they gone? Will it be any better in 1892? You frequently find boys on the streets of Sedalia with a cigar in their mouth and an oath on their lips. What a sight! Yet they do not consider themselves accomplished until they can smoke and profanely use the name of Jesus—where do they learn? The older—old men teach them. They are attracted to the blasphemer and think nothing of calling the Holy name when arch-angels would tremble. It is a sad contemplation but there are homes in Sedalia where the child hears nothing but cursing and damning from father and mother when they should save them. They help to send the soul of their offspring to everlasting perdition, lost by and through our parents. Just think for one moment—is there anything more terrible—teach them the deep, beautiful power and protection there is in the name of Jesus. Teach them how to love their church. Bring them with you to God's temple and your example will be as the seed sown in rich soil that will reward you with a crown whose jewels excel all earthly ones—remember the awful responsibility you owe to your self and that perhaps today is your last on earth, then show by precept and example that you are following in the footsteps of Jesus and your example will be as the helm to the storm tossed bark, it will guide that youthful soul to God.

NARROW ESCAPE.

William Huerman, a seventeen-year-old lad employed at Moore Bros. billiard hall, met with quite a painful accident yesterday. While cleaning the incandescent light globes, one of the globes fell on a table, shattering into smithereens. His left eye received a number of pieces and when Dr. W. J. Ferguson attended the young man, eight particles of glass were removed from the socket. The ball while scratched pretty deep was not penetrated and the boy will not, as was expected at first, lose his sight. It was a narrow escape the Doctor said.

CIRCUIT COURT.

James Adkins vs Mary Adkins; divorce; decree as prayed in petition. Citizens National Bank vs J M Durrill; note; plaintiff files motion for new trial. Alfred Dyer vs Belle Dyer; divorce; decree for plaintiff as prayed for in petition. Frank M. Cloes et al; ex parte; partition; by consent report confirmed and \$60 attorney's fee to H. C. Sinnett. City of Sedalia vs J. C. Thompson et al; bond; by consent plaintiff has till first day of next term to file amended petition. Mattie J. Sallee vs R. C. Sneed; conversion; demurrer to evidence sustained; judgment for defendants; plaintiffs file motion for a new trial; heard and overruled and plaintiff has till first day of next term to file bill of exceptions. Ada C. Price vs John P. Higgins; damages; motion to strike out sustained; defendant files bill of exceptions. S. A. Rosse & Co. vs First National bank; garnishee; Norton & Higginbotham; motion to hear bill of exceptions to determining application for change of venue overruled; application for change of venue sustained and cause sent to Benton

county; defendants except everything.

W. J. Hurley vs Missouri Pacific Railway company; damages; defendant's motion to strike out plaintiff's amended petition overruled and defendant has till first day of next term to file bill of exceptions. Emily C. Stephens et al vs Kate Stephens et al; partition; plaintiffs file petition and affidavit of non-residence.

In the matter of the incorporation of the Second Congregational church of Sedalia, Mo.; pro forma; decree as asked for in petition.

Wm. A. Brown vs Marion Brown; divorce; decree for plaintiff on both counts and for custody of all children and to pay his own costs.

Jas. A. McIntire vs R. O. Brame et al; equity; change of venue from Benton county; motion for new trial awarded and plaintiff has during 1st week of May term to file bill of exceptions.

In the matter of the assignment of A W Rollins, Chas Gibson assignee; assignment; assignee ordered to pay the claim of the banks, as per application heretofore filed.

Louis P Andrews, vs Theodore Plate et al; equity; Defendant Plate moves count to dismiss as to him and also files separate motion to dismiss as to Defendant Water Works Co.

Evelyn E Gentry vs J C Thompson et al; quarantine appeal from probate court; court having had their cause under advisement since last term, now announces that it is fully advised and ready to decide same whereupon defendants file motion and request special finding of facts by judge.

State of Missouri vs R. C. Sneed, taxes. James Perdue and John W. Baldwin file motion to set aside sale and to be released from the payment of their bid for same.

State vs Amanda J. Montgomery, taxes; defendant files motion to set aside judgment.

State vs John Montgomery, jr., taxes; defendant files motion to set aside judgment.

HAD NOT SLEPT FOR YEARS.

Mr. A. Jackson, an old resident of Rusk, Texas, and manager of the magnificent new hotel at Rusk, informs us he had not slept at night for years, except in short naps, owing to incessant coughing. He was advised when very much run down to try Ballard's Horehound Syrup; he was immediately relieved of his cough and his rest improved to such a degree that he could sleep soundly all night; Mr. Jackson states: "I regard Ballard's Horehound Syrup superior to any cough syrup on the market, and its freedom from Opium and Morphine leave no constipation after using it. For this reason alone I consider it the best cough syrup in the world for children. My lungs are now stronger than they have been for years. This syrup is very soothing to the throat and lungs." Sold by Oyerstreet & Williams.

CORDELL-DUNNICA'S SCHEDULE.

J. P. Huston, assignee of the Cordell-Dunnica Banking Company of Marshall, which failed on the 9th instant, filed his statement of its condition yesterday in the office of the circuit clerk of Saline county. The books of the bank previous to the assignment were made up at 3:30 p. m. each day. All business which was transacted after that time was carried over to the next day and treated as part of that work. When the assignee took possession he found various large deposits which had been taken since 3:30 p. m. on the 8th, and which had not been entered upon the books of the bank. He immediately directed the teller to lay these deposits aside precisely as received. These deposits will be returned to their individual owners as taken by the bank officials after they knew it to be in a falling condition. All deposits made prior to the closing of Friday's work had been regularly entered. They have been turned over to the bank as a part of its assets, and can in no way be separated from its liabilities.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

CHEAP LANDS AND HOMES. The St. Louis & San Francisco railway company offer for sale 150,000 acres of farm, grazing, timber and mineral lands upon cheap and easy terms and in tracts to suit purchasers. These lands are located in the counties of Franklin, Crawford, Phelps, Maries and Pulaski, State of Missouri. For pamphlet and full particulars, call upon or address F. C. Hoyt, Land Agent, Eoc Building, St. Louis, Mo. H. L. Morrill, D. Wishart, Gen'l Manager, Gen'l Pass Agt., St. Louis, Mo. St. Louis, Mo. 1-19 to 1 yr

—So many people have written and are writing every week to Mr. Geo. W. Childs for copies of his charming essay on "How to Succeed," that he has been forced in self defense to have it reprinted in a dainty little volume which he gives away to his friends. To most other men this would not mean a very heavy demand. But for Mr. Childs to give a volume to each of his friends a very large edition indeed is required. An excellent portrait of the philanthropist appears as a frontispiece.

A HERO.

Joseph Fenaja, a Railroad Brakeman Freezes While Performing a Duty.

In the baggage car of a Missouri Pacific passenger train, which left here for St. Louis at 10:40 this morning, there sat a hero. His fortitude did not manifest itself like that of Leonidas, who sacrificed his life at Thermopylae, nor like that of Hannibal, who scorned the difficulties encountered in crossing the unsealed Alps. Not in mortal shock of arms nor thundering artillery: The actors in such scenes as these were urged on by the consciousness of being watched by a world—spurred to deeds of noble doing, in many instances, more by fear of condemnation, by hope of reward, than by a principle of duty. In no small measure were their actions governed by selfishness; many of these men suffered or died for self-praise, for applause, for the favoring flatteries of the noble.

They acted in plays which were the cynosure of all eyes. Our hero acted in the dark, unseen of men. His fortitude was provoked by an interest in the safety of others. He planted his feet in the snow and in a spot secluded and under the glistening stars, whose rays seemed dimmed, so intense were the cutting blasts of the wintry night, he stood alone, a sentinel brave enough to be crowned by Mars, himself.

Such is the character of Joseph Fenaja, a brakeman on the Missouri Pacific railroad, who last night in a cut this side of Otterville stood with his lantern flickering in the face of the frigid night till his body actually froze and fell to the ground. The train to which he belonged had just pulled into the switch yards at Otterville when it was discovered that the engine was out of order. This was No. 9. In a short while No. 7 was expected and to prevent a possible collision, Fenaja was dispatched down the track to signal the oncoming freight. He entered the cut to shield himself from the merciless chastisements of Boreas and here it was he waited and watched till human endurance was exhausted and he fell frozen to the ground.

Here his body was found when No. 7 arrived, having been stopped by the lantern that was still burning at his side.

He was picked up and carried to Otterville, the crew thinking him dead.

Remedies were administered, however, and consciousness was revived. It was then discovered that there was a possibility of saving his life. He was put aboard a passenger train this morning and sent to the Missouri Pacific hospital at St. Louis.

A representative of the BAZOO saw the hero in a baggage car at the Union depot this morning. He presented a frightful spectacle, either side of his face being swollen to proportions twice their natural size and his hands and feet injured equally as severely.

He is a young man, not over twenty-five.

Should he get well, the officers of the Missouri Pacific railroad will have an opportunity to vindicate their appreciation for their servant's faithfulness.

Krause's Headache Capsules unlike many remedies are perfectly harmless, they contain no injurious substance, and will stop any kind of a headache, will prevent headache caused by other indulgence of food or drink late at night. Price 25 cents, for sale by Aug. Fleischmann, corner Fourth and Ohio; Merz & Hale, 210 Ohio and O. W. Smith, 916 East Third.

THAT TRACK.

The People of Sedalia will Take Their Kite-Shaped.

The committee, appointed at a recent meeting of the Missouri Fair Association, is now going to work in earnest to see what can be done in reference to grounds, buildings, etc., for a kite-shaped track. It is composed of energetic business men, representing various interests, and they will refuse to recognize any such thing as failure. It is almost a certainty now that we will have the track, and the great benefits must be potent to every reasoning man. A few weeks longer, and it is hoped and expected that definite arrangements will be made in this direction.

AS STAPLE AS COFFEE.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is as staple as coffee in this vicinity. It has done an immense amount of good since its introduction here." A. M. NORDELL, Maple Ridge, Minn. For sale by Aug. T. Fleischmann, druggist.

DIED THIS MORNING.

Mrs. Elizabeth Buckley, wife of John T. Buckley, died at 4:10 this morning at her home, six miles west of Sedalia, at the age of 56 years. She had been in bad health for two years and her death was the result of a complication of diseases. She came to Sedalia with her parents 35 years ago. Her father, John Higgins, was well known here, having helped to lay out the streets of this city. Her husband is also well known here and owns a nice farm of 130 acres, where he is at present residing. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Buckley leaves, to mourn her loss, eight children, six of whom are grown boys, and two daughters of 14 and 16 years. The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning from the St. Vincent Catholic church.

EVADING THE POLICE.

H. L. Preston Places Himself in Charge of Constable Hawkins.

The authorities prevented the publication and distribution of the Sunday Sun yesterday says the Kansas City Times. Policemen watched the office during the day but the presses did not move. About 1 o'clock in the morning the presses were run about ten minutes and were then stopped when it was seen that the police were in earnest. A few employees of the paper smuggled out a few copies under their coats but the number thus given circulation was very small. H. L. Preston, editor of the Sun and some of his employees remained in the office all night with every door locked, Preston probably fearing arrest and feeling that there was no likelihood of a forcible entrance by the officials.

Policemen were still watching the place at 5:30 in the morning, when Constable Hawkins knocked at the Sun office door and called out to Preston that he had a warrant for his arrest. Preston telephoned for a carriage and when it arrived he and the constable rode away together, thus precluding arrest by the police. Constable Hawkins had his prisoner in custody all day long and during his rounds met Sergeant Burke, to whom he said: "You can not arrest this man, for he is my prisoner." The authorities are of the opinion that the arrest of Preston by Constable Hawkins was made at Preston's own wish and in order to evade the police during the day.

On Saturday Chief Speers received from Preston a letter saying that he would hold him responsible for any attempt to suppress the Sun. No attempt to sell the paper was made during the day and no arrests occurred.

A dispatch from Leavenworth received last night says that the authorities of that place, aroused by the action taken in Kansas City, have determined that the paper shall not again be sold there.

Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for

SAID TO BE DYING.

Paties from Lamente this morning state that Reinard, who was struck with a portion of a fence rail by his employer, Thos. Roberts, was said by his physician, Dr. Penquite, to be in a dying condition. Roberts was arrested yesterday and released on bond.

A FATAL MISTAKE.

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indiana specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease," which may be had at A. T. Fleischmann's, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequalled New Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache, fits, etc.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Thomas Kinney, a young man living four miles northwest of Warrensburg, has been arrested for the seduction of Miss Martha E. Weldon, a young lady living in Simpson township, Johnson county. Kinney appeared before Justice of the Peace Henry Neill, at Warrensburg yesterday, and gave \$500 bond for his appearance Monday, January 25, at which time the case will be tried.

HOW TO SUCCEED.

This is the great problem of life which few satisfactorily solve. Some fail because of poor health, others want of luck, but the majority from deficient grit—want of nerve. They are nervous, irresolute, changeable, easily get the blues and "take the spirits down to keep the spirits up," thus wasting money, time, opportunity and nerve force. There is nothing like the restorative nervine, discovered by the great specialist, Dr. Miles, to cure all nervous diseases, as headache, the blues, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, fits and hysteria. Trial bottles and fine book of testimonials at A. T. Fleischmann's.

THE McCORD CASE.

Judge Edwards Sick and the Case Goes Over to the May Term.

It will be remembered that a change of venue to Cooper county was granted in the case of McCord for the killing of John Burrows. The case was docketed for to-morrow and the general expectation was that it would go to trial. However, "man proposes and God disposes." This morning Sheriff Smith had the prisoner all ready to be conveyed to Boonville, when news reached here that Judge Edwards was quite sick, and Special Judge Driffin had been chosen by the bar to close up the remaining cases in court. The trial of McCord will therefore go over to the May term of that court.

The prosecution is represented by Attorney Logan, assisted by Messrs Lamm and Steele.

The defense is still in the hands of Messrs. P. D. Hastain and Wm. Parmerlee, of this city, and Col. John Cosgrove, of Boonville.

DIED LAST NIGHT.

The Wife of John Henry Summers at Rest.

News reached the city this morning by telegraph that the wife of John Henry Summers had died last night in Kansas City. Some months ago she left him, not being able longer to bear with his dissipated habits, and has since that time resided in Kansas City.

The Murphy club contributed a sufficient amount to enable the 17-year-old son to attend the mother's funeral, which will occur to-day.

TO A WAR FOOTING.

General Wickham Orders All State Militia to Prepare For Business.

From orders received from Adjutant General Wickham it would appear that the soldiers will soon be figuring on the question of whether they desire to go and whip Chili or not.

Adjutant General Wickham left St. Joseph yesterday for Washington on business it is stated in connection with the present difficulty with Chili, and upon his arrival in St. Louis at once issued a general order directing that all the companies of the First regiment, which is stationed in that city should be at once recruited to full strength and gave specific orders to its officers to see that no time was lost. It is also stated that like orders were issued to the officers of the Fourth regiment, with headquarters in St. Joseph, which order will reach there to-day.

DIED.

Mrs. Chas. Schuster died at her home on North Grand avenue at 6 o'clock this morning, resulting from a complication of diseases. She was 24 years of age and a few weeks before had given birth to a child. The funeral will occur at 2 o'clock to-morrow evening from the M. E. Church, South, and will be conducted by Rev. T. M. Cobb.

Miss Emma Terrill, a favorite teacher in the city, of room No. 6, Prospect school, died last night at the home of her parents in Moberly. The arrangements for the funeral are not yet completed. La grippe was the cause of her death.

Mrs. Margaret Thompson, at the residence of her son, 1418 Missouri avenue, last night at 12 o'clock. Remains will be shipped to her home to-night, at Senecaville, Ohio. She was 75 years of age.

Maggie Henderson died last night at the house of George Grady for whom she had kept house a number of years. Funeral Tuesday at 10 a. m.

John Fillman, father of J. T. Fillman, of Clifton City, died at his home near Pleasant Green last night, aged about 60.

Wm. Sellers of Schell City, formerly of Saline county, father-in-law of D. Postlewait, died at 2 a. m. yesterday. Funeral at Schell City to-day at 11 o'clock a. m.

Miss Mary Welch died last night at Dresden, aged 68. Funeral to-morrow at 10 a. m.

Mrs. Nannie Benningfield, aged 78, died eight miles north of Sedalia, last night. Funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MISSOURI CHEAP LANDS.

One hundred-fifty thousand acres of rich farm, grazing and mineral lands in Southwest Missouri for sale cheap. For particulars, address Land Agent Frisco line, Eoc Building, St. Louis, Mo. 2-10wt

THE EXTRA SESSION.

Hon. Mont Carnes received the following letter from Governor Francis to-day bearing on the extra session: STATE OF MISSOURI, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF JEFFERSON, January 18, 1892. Hon. Mont Carnes, Sedalia, Mo.

DEAR SIR—I have concluded to call an extra session of the general assembly and have fixed February 17, 1892 as the date of its convening. Have ordered a copy of the proclamation sent to you and you will learn the objects of the session therefrom.

I believe that a decided majority of the people now agree in considering an extra session advisable, if not necessary, but such has not been the case hitherto, and if the session had been called earlier, it would have labored under the disadvantage of opposition from a large portion if not a majority of the people.

I trust you are in good health and will return to your duties reinvigorated and well equipped for legislative work.

In my judgment it is wise to confine legislation to the objects mentioned in the call as a protracted call would not meet with approval from the people. Very respectfully, D. R. FRANCIS.

PETTIS' WEALTH.

A Considerable Increase Over Last Year.

County Assessor Logan has just completed a total of his assessment list for the taxes of 1892, and shows a very pleasing increase over the previous years. The total of the realty and personal property is as follows.

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. REAL ESTATE: Farm lands \$3,568,885; City and town lots 2,714,262; Railroads 66,525; Total \$6,459,672. PERSONAL PROPERTY: Horses \$40,245; Mules 142,535; Cattle 395,120; Sheep 17,315; Hogs 68,625; Money, notes, etc. 522,760; All other property 581,335; Banks and corporations 476,641; Total \$2,604,576.

Total \$2,604,576. It shows an increase of almost a million dollars over the previous assessment.

In the list of personal property are found 12,033 horses, of a value of \$400,245; 3,693 mules valued at \$142,535; 31,739 cattle at \$395,120; 12,267 sheep, at \$17,315; 34,570 hogs, at \$68,625; money, notes and bonds of the value of \$522,760; other personal property, \$581,335. In these above items it shows a gain of \$133,405 over the assessment of 1891. The banks and corporations are assessed at \$475,641, a gain of \$155,578 over the previous year.

SUFFERING AT KREB'S.

How the People of Any City Can Render Valuable Aid.

There is need of charity at the Kreb's mines. The recent disaster has reduced many homes to a pitiable state of destitution. The coarse, uninviting home of a miner is far from being able to furnish even the bare necessities to the injured ones, and there comes a cry from a warm hearted, sympathetic Kansas City woman in behalf of these sufferers. She is the sister of Dr. Allen, assistant surgeon at the mines. There are 120 badly burned men to be cared for every day. Some have died, and it is thought many others of the injured can not live. The cry is for rags, rags, rags! old soft rags! Can't you get the good newspaper people of Kansas City to help us get this before the people? We have had wagon loads of rags from Dallas and other Texas towns, but we need still more. You people in the comforts of your homes have no idea of the extent of the injuries, and how long it will take them to heal.

Every person with a spark of Christian fellowship, or who loves his fellow man, will feel the need which is pressing. These people need soft rags for bandages. They need not be made in a surgeon's roll, but may be sent in any cleanly shape.

A DOG LEGALLY EXECUTED.

The celebrated dog case at Moberly is ended. About four weeks ago a young lady was bitten by an ugly dog, whereupon the girl's father had the dog and its owner, a Mr. Peller, arrested. The judge in the case imposed a fine upon the owner of the ferocious canine and ordered the dog killed. The attorney for the defense took an appeal, after some spirited legal argument on both sides, the costs already amounting to quite a large sum. Mr. Peller took the dog to Marshall Lynch yesterday and had him shot, to save any further proceedings.