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GOOD PRICES PAID FOR COX HERD.

Roger Williams of Lawrence, Kan., Pays Top Price for Blanche 74th. Average Price, \$645.

H. C. Cox sold forty-two head of his Anxiety 4th Herefords at auction Wednesday, at Monett. The sale totaled about \$22,000, making an average of \$645. Although this was about half of what the herd would have brought a year ago, Mr. Cox was well satisfied with the sale, taking into consideration the market conditions at this time.

Col. P. M. Gross, of Kansas City, was the auctioneer and he was assisted by Col. Ira Garber, Col. Graff and others. R. R. Miller, of the American Hereford Cattle Breeders Association, of Kansas City, acted as clerk of the sale. Field men were Walter Mitchell and Hayes Walker.

Mr. Cox has been breeding Herefords for nearly ten years and has as his herd bull, Mischief Domino 6th. The animals shown for sale were in prime condition and were beauties.

Roger Williams, of Lawrence, Kan., paid the top price at the sale for Blanche 74th, for which he paid \$1,225. She had a calf at foot by Mischief Domino 6th.

A list of the sales made follows: Choice Mischief, bull, Joe Kennel, Reeds, \$200.

Beau Perfection, bull, Turner Alfrey, Ellerville, Ok., \$205.

Domino Blanchard, bull, Sam Drybread, Elk City, Kan., \$525.

Don Woodford, bull, Commercial Land Co., Muskogee, Okla., \$65.

Anna M., cow, Walter Dickey, Kansas City, Mo., \$400.

Garfish, T. R. Earley, Kansas City, \$575.

Donna Anna, Commercial Land Co., \$300.

Sprite 21st, Mays Graham, Warrensburg, \$1,000.

Miss Repeater 78th, Pickering Farm, Harrelson, Mo., \$360.

Bandola, Mays Graham, \$700.

Lilac Velle, John Langston, Bower Mills, \$400.

Capitola 6th, Mays Graham, \$600.

Vera 2nd, Commercial Land Co., \$390.

Verna Stanway, W. J. Dodson, Albany, Texas, \$700.

Bright Miss, W. J. Dodson, \$700.

Goldie Stanway, W. J. Dodson, \$1,175.

Bettie Stanway, W. J. Dodson, \$900.

Vera Stanway, W. J. Dodson, \$600.

Donna Anna 1st, John Langston, Bower Mills, \$410.

Capitola Stanway, Commercial Land Co., \$590.

Sprite 22nd, Lee Shawhan, Kansas City, \$750.

Capitola 70th, Pickering Farm, \$750.

Dotty Blanchard, E. R. Goldstein, Shelbyville, Ill., \$280.

Bell Mischief 1st, Commercial Land Co., \$265.

Blanche 74th, Roger Williams, Lawrence, Kansas, \$1,225.

Helen 3rd, W. J. Dodson, \$735.

Correline 22nd, Commercial Land Co., \$355.

Banglette 12th, Roger Williams, \$925.

Petunia 34th, Commercial Land Co., \$350.

Glycerine 8th, Commercial Land Co., \$410.

IN THE BARRY COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Circuit court convened Monday with Judge Henson and the following officers of the court present:

Ed Roberts, Sheriff; S. M. Trolinger, Circuit Clerk; Emory Smith, Prosecuting Attorney; Miss Chloe Miller of Carthage, Stenographer; Lon Wolfenbarger and A. L. Wallen, deputies sheriff and Miss Nova Trolinger deputy circuit clerk.

Monday was given over to motions and parole cases, mainly.

Tuesday was divorce day and the following divorce cases were disposed of:

Nora Brattin vs George Brattin dismissed; Anna Mills vs Thomas Mills, continued; Bessie McCormick vs Clovis McCracken, dismissed by plaintiff; Clara G. Harbour vs J. N. Harbour, decree; Bertha Williams vs R. E. Williams, continued; Dot Lane vs Ed Lane, continued; L. L. Stokes vs Bertha Stokes, continued; Leona Ash vs Elmer Ash, continued; Sarah Burris vs Harve Burris, decree; Mary Strimble vs George Strimble, continued; Joe Bobski vs Josephine Bobski, decree; Debora Mansfield vs L. F. Mansfield, dismissed; Cecil Felice vs Joseph Felice, dismissed; Cynthia Owens vs Gladis J. Owens, decree with care and custody of children; Johnnie McAnally vs Hermann McAnally decree and maiden name restored; Arthur Hartman vs Louise Hartman, continued; Anna Roark vs C. C. Roark, decree with care and custody of children; C. C. Black vs Delia Black, decree.

Following equity cases were also disposed of:

T. H. Weddington vs unknown heirs of Norman Gibbs, et al, to quiet title, decree for plaintiff; Martha P. Marlow vs Louis Reithmiller, continued; Fred Summers vs Bud Henderson, appeal, dismissed; E. H. Darity vs Al Darity et al and B. H. Darity vs Al Darity and Lena Darity, decree in both cases for plaintiff.

R. C. Overton vs Oscar Overton, partition, continued by agreement.—Cassville Republican.

Some of the best Columbia records are now being sold at Bradfords for 50 cents, a dozen of them would not cost very much, think of the price only 59 cents. BRADFORD'S. 181f

ATTENTION LADIES

Class in Home Hygiene and care of the sick at the High school Wednesdays and Fridays at 2 p. m. West basement room.

Mrs. Bert McCaslin. 2413

Mrs. W. S. Perry.

Modesty 20th, Commercial Land Co., \$350.

Blanche 75th, Roger Williams, \$975.

Caddoa Lady 5th, Commercial Land Co., \$310.

Graphite 10th, Commercial Land Co., \$355.

Mystic 25th, Dr. James J. Lewis, Dudley, Mo., \$335.

Miss Pariel 16th, Turner Alfrey, \$280.

Miss Paragon 30th, Turner Alfrey, \$190.

Miss Echo 2nd, Turner Alfrey, \$300.

Miss Echo 1st, Turner Alfrey, \$200.

Blanche 89th, Commercial Land Co., \$445.

Miss Lorena, Commercial Land Co., \$775.

Lorena 15th, Pickering Farm, \$650.

PRISONERS BREAK OUT OF COUNTY JAIL

Five prisoners broke out of the county jail at Cassville Wednesday night and made their escape. They were Harry Miller and Van Smith alias Volley Kruse, accused of attempted hold-up of Wm. Meagher at Monett; Clarence Neely, charged with forgery; Joe Martin, arrested for stealing Walter Perry's Chandler Six car; and John Johnson, of Cassville, who was up for chicken stealing.

INDEPENDENT FRUIT EXCHANGE MEETING AT SARCOXIE

Following is the program of the Independent Fruit Exchange meeting to be held at Sarcoxie, Mo., March 29.

Business meeting of sales managers and directors at 10:00 a. m. sharp.

Program meeting will convene at 1:00 p. m. sharp.

Address of Welcome—Ed Hudson Sarcoxie, Mo.

Response—F. A. Taiclet, Neosho, Mo.

Handling an Independent Association—Ed Roark, Anderson, Mo.

Possibilities of Fruit Growing in the Ozarks—T. J. Foster, Editor Fruit Grower, Washburn, Mo.

Address—D. E. Eicher, Frisco Horticultural Agent, Springfield, Mo.

Address on Strawberry Growing—J. S. McQueen, Wheaton, Mo.

Historical Remarks on the Fruit Industry—U. S. Lane, Purdy, Mo.

The (I. F. X.) Independent Fruit Exchange—W. D. Cowhard, Purdy, Mo., and E. A. O'Dwyer, Monett, Mo.

Address—Bernard Finn, Editor Sarcoxie Record.

General discussion.

F. A. Taiclet, Pres. 2314 E. A. O'Dwyer, Sec.

Frost Proof Cabbage plants, 10c a dozen, 50 cents a hundred, \$3.00 per thousand. Ready now at Trittons Greenhouse. 88f

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ARSON CASE BEING TRIED AT CASSVILLE.

Mary McCormick and Son Sheridan Are Being Tried on Charges of Burning Residence.

The case of Mrs. Mary McCormick and her son, Sheridan McCormick, charged with setting fire to their residence to get the insurance, is occupying the attention of the circuit court now in session at Cassville. A jury is hearing the case.

Witnesses examined Wednesday were C. B. Campbell, M. C. Cox, Matt Durbin, Johnnie Bertalot, Miss Minnie Brooks and Bert Hayse. The examination so far has brought out little more than the testimony given at the preliminary trial held at Monett.

The charge of arson is brought against the defendants by the Farmers Mutual Insurance Company of Barry county. C. B. Campbell and M. C. Cox are officials of the company.

The officials of the insurance company paid Mrs. McCormick \$1,000 of the policy soon after the fire. Later rumors were circulated that the fire was not an accident. Strength was given to the rumor because of the fact that Mrs. McCormick had sold some of her furniture and had taken some of her clothing to town before the fire. She explained this by saying that she was preparing to go to Kansas City. She had also sold some of her dairy stock and had made arrangements with a neighbor to care for her stock after she left.

The fire was first observed by Johnnie Bertalot, a neighbor, as he was plowing in his field near by. Sheridan McCormick was helping him at the time. The fire started in the top of the house, several feet north of the chimney to the kitchen stove in which Mrs. McCormick had made up a big fire to heat water to wash milk bottles. When the fire was discovered Mrs. McCormick and John McCormick, her husband, who died later, were milking the cows in the barn and they claimed they did not know of the fire until they heard Mr. Bertalot shouting.

The state went on the theory that the boy had gone to the house and put coals of fire in the attic, but so far nothing has been brought out to verify this. The evidence is purely circumstantial unless the prosecution can bring out more facts than were brought out at the preliminary.

Threats against witnesses were said to have been made by members of the McCormick family, which created

sentiment against them.

Mrs. McCormick and Sheridan will be tried on the charge of the murder of John McCormick, at this term of court. The body of Mr. McCormick was found in a well on the farm several weeks after the house burned. Physicians testified that the condition of the body when found indicated that the man was dead when placed in the well.

PROMINENT YOUNG COUPLE WEDDED

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday afternoon when Miss Fern Mayhew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mayhew, No. 904 Fourth street, was married to Dr. Samuel F. Wilmshire. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, and was witnessed by the immediate family, and a few friends. The ceremony was read by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Dr. Wilmshire is a dentist with offices at the corner of Fourth street and Broadway. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Wilmshire, of Burbon, Mo., one of the best families of that city. He is a graduate of Washington University of St. Louis, and has been practicing his profession for three years. He came to Monett a short time ago, and bought Dr. M. L. Ingram's business.

The bride is well known in Monett her father being one of the leading attorneys of Barry county. She is a graduate of Monett High school and is prominent in church work, and has friends by the score.

Immediately after the ceremony they left for Springfield where Dr. Wilmshire will attend the State Dental Association.

UNION VALLEY

A number of the farmers went to Purdy, Monday after berry crates.

Mrs. Alice Stockton visited Mrs. McNally, one day last week.

Homer Goodnight and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stockton.

Bill Smith and son, Raymond, made a business trip to Cassville one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Thomas and little son, Aubrey, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henderson, Sunday.

Lon Ethridge was trading in McDowell, Monday.

The wedding bells will soon be ringing in this community.

Cleaton Inman and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Thomas, Thursday evening.

TEST COWS IN MONETT AND VICINITY

Dr. Jones, sent out by the United States department of agriculture and Bureau of Animal Training, has been in Monett for several days testing the cattle on farms and dairies near the city, and also testing cattle in town. Of the herds tested to date, only five have been found that are tubercular. Seven were found that had symptoms of the disease.

He has inspected the cattle at several of the dairies that furnish milk for the people of Monett, and he will probably test the cattle at the other dairies before he leaves. He is just starting in good here, and expects to stay until all diseases have been eliminated from the stock that have been found diseased.

All farmers should have their cattle tested. They may not have tuberculosis, or any symptoms of the disease, but the inspector might give them valuable information on the care of their cows.

All applications, if possible, should be turned in at the Whitlock Brothers Feed store, this week.

ARNHART

Next Saturday and Sunday will be regular services at the church at this place. Rev. Ben Crawford will occupy the pulpit.

Those who visited Miss Ruby Lowery, Sunday afternoon, were Misses Lena and Mabel Marbut, Bessie and Elsie Shepherd.

Mrs. Mack Goodnight is quarantined with the small pox.

Miss Eula Amos called on Miss Pearl Gann, Sunday, after church.

Miss Mary Roller and Tim Roller visited Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Riggs and family, Sunday.

Miss Lula Roberts attended Sunday school at this place.

LEAD HILL

Making gardens and planting potatoes are the orders for the day.

Oren Henderson visited Winford Davis, Saturday night.

There will be an egg roast at the Henderson Mines Saturday night. Every body is invited to come.

Rev. Ira Marbut filled his regular appointment at Macedonia, Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Those who visited Sunday evening at the home of Will Niskern were Gertie Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Roller, Mr. and Mrs. George Kaase and Bill Wheeler and family.

Columbus Marbut visited Oren Henderson, Sunday evening.

A Better Plan Found

A merchant went to his banker to borrow some money. His credit was good—but that banker did not let him have the money.

The banker knew that this merchant was a poor collector and that he had a lot of accounts on his books that should be collected.

So he said to the merchant: "Why don't you go after the people that owe you? You don't need to pay us interest on borrowed money if you will only get what the people owe you?"

That banker helped the merchant work out a plan to get this money paid in and soon the merchant was past his need of more money—he had all he needed and it was his own.

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