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Rigidly Enforce Vagrancy Law

ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers And Pertaining To Farmers.

Money to loan at 5 per cent on farm security.—Meriwether & Meriwether.

We have at the head of our White Plymouths a fine cockerel bought from U. R. Fishel, whose motto is: "The Best in the World" and the premiums he captures prove him to raise that kind. Will sell eggs at \$1.00 for 15.—W. J. ROUSE.

Several registered Polled, Aberdeen Angus Bulls for sale.
DAVENPORT & CO.

For Sale

Three hundred ewes and eleven bucks.—Walter H. Moss.

D H Stoddard sold to Stone & Son two yearling suckling mules for \$200.

C. F. Straub's 35 acres of wheat yield 29 bushels per acre and his 40 of oats, an even 1,600 bushels.

J B Gray and Son had 71 acres of wheat that yield 2,185 bushels and 13 acres planted to wheat, then to oats and pastured to a frazel, that yielded 32 bushels of wheats and oats.

J M Proctor Sr of J M Proctor and Son tells us: The blue grass seed crop was only a half one for us, or only 1,000 bushels this season and yet the grass yield is greater than last year. Sunday they shipped four car loads of their fancy fat cattle, to Chicago.

Wenzel Fisher has a good crop, if a small one. His 20 acres of wheat yielded 500 bushels and his 30 acres of oats 600 bushels.

A E Moyer has sold his 147½ acre farm near Shell to Ed Hays for \$45 per acre.

Grant See has sold a Poland-China boar to G W See.

Monday W E Kincaid fetched his 37 lambs (from 20 ewes) to market and sold them. They averaged 80 pounds. They and the wool clip from the ewes fetched \$217 and he has the 20 ewes, original investment, left.

Jno L Owen sent 15 head of beeves to the Bluff City market Monday and has bought 27 head from Mr Dearing, C Wagner 4, Walter Bearman 1, T J Yates 2, Mr Crook 1, J Settle 1, C Jordan 2 and Nick Griffith 1.

Jno L Owen shipped a car load of good cattle Sunday.

Col W T Youell pronounces his J P Dooley sale, Friday, a good one. A pair of filleys fetching \$300. Common yearling steers \$29 and stock hogs clear out of sight.

W P Young has shipped 115 bushels of blue grass seed. It came off of a pasture that had been pastured.

Rye is an unusual sight on the streets of Monroe, unless it is under a mans belt, but Will Lehnbauer brought his crop in and sold at 70c. He had only fifty acres that he put in for pasture and after pasturing it close raised 20 bushels per acre. His forty-one acres of wheat went twenty-three bushels per

acre and his thirty acres of oats made nine hundred bushels, just thirty per acre.

Big Yield.

I L Owen has been experimenting with bone dust for three years and this is the result:

Three years successive. Wheat on 13 acre plat, fall of 1904, sowed 13 acres to wheat 1½ bu to acre—200 parts Row Bone threshed 1905 390 bu No 2 wheat. Same ground fall 1905-1½ bu wheat 200 Raw bone meal, threshed fall 1906, 450 bu wheat. Sowed same ground fall of 1906 threshed 397 bu making a yield of 3 years per acre of 95½ bu of No 2 wheat. Cost of fertilizer per acre for 3 years \$8 40. Average value of wheat 75c total \$71.60 per acre less \$8 40 less amount spent for bone dust leaves \$63 20 per acre. This same ground now has a stand of clover on it that promises to yet cut a crop this fall.

The above test was with Crescent Brand of Bone Meal.

Clay Underhill has bought lambs from Isadore Thomas 6, J W McKey 3, C B McKee 145, J H Simms 12 and L K Lawrence 8

Barger and McClintic have shipped in one car of feeding sheep

W B Arnolds 48 acres of oats yielded 1750 bushels and he sold them at 38½c.

H A McClintics ninety acre oat field threshed out 2,700 bushels.

I N Melson has bought beeves from J Hagar 2, Jim Kenrick 2, Lewis Nash 1, W J Tulley 1. Sold to Melson and Hawkins and sent to the Hannibal market Monday.

During the past few days Barger and McClintic have bought hogs of: Ed Longmire 2, T V Thurman 5, C Crook 7, L G Gupton 8, L Crook 7, J B McClintic 4, Wm Jones 4, J R Underhill 14, F M Bower 4, W Intermon 22, C R. Buckman 2 and lambs from: Gentry Bros 18, F Wadsworth 47, W Gottman 5, J B Buckman 13, W R Kincaid 37, A T Cramer 7.

I will be at Monroe City Saturday Aug. 17, to buy mule colts.—J Gent Faqua.

Phil Tewells forty acres of wheat made thirty-one bushels per acre.

Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Cattle.....	\$3.00@36.00
Hogs Heavy.....	\$3.20@35.50
Hogs Light.....	\$5.90
Sheep.....	\$3.00@35.00
Lambs.....	\$5.75

POULTRY.

Hens.....	11c
Spring chickens pound and quarter and over 1½.....	12c
Old Roosters.....	5c
Geese.....	5c
Ducks.....	7c
Young Gobblers.....	8c
Turkey Hens.....	8c
Toms.....	8c
Guineas, each.....	15c
Eggs.....	13½c
Beeswax.....	24c lb
Tallow.....	4c
Butter.....	16

BIG CORN

From Monroe City DEMOCRAT'S CORN SHOW LAST SEASON.

Here is only one of the many results that have been of vast benefit to the farmer as an immediate outgrowth of the MONROE CITY DEMOCRAT'S ANNUAL CORN SHOW.

Last season Pearl McReynolds selected two exhibits (5 ears each) of the yellow corn and in the springtime planted it. There is about ¼ of an acre of it, and he came to the office Tuesday and told us: "I never saw such corn grow out of the ground. It takes a six footer to reach lots of it and great a deal of it has two large ears to the stalk and such grains I never saw on a cob. I honestly believe it will yield (¼ acres) 75 bushels.

The DEMOCRAT has always given corn entered in its CORN SHOW to the farmers promising to plant it for seed and the foregoing is one of the many results.

The CORN SHOW is not only an advertisement for this section, but a better educator than all Corn Special Trains with fancy paid lectures abroad, because they are practical, visible results.

Mr. McReynolds will save the corn raised this season from those ten ears and next year will have many acres of fine corn instead of ¼ of an acre.

His corn crop is a good one, but nothing like that produced by the seed from the DEMOCRAT'S CORN SHOW.

Green Hides.....	8c
Corn.....	55c
Wheat No. 2.....	77
Oats.....	30 to 35c
Hay.....	\$7.00@10.00

Shipments for week good. A H Green one car of hogs and one of oats; Lee Stoddard two cars lambs; J M Proctor and Son four cars of cattle; J L Owen one car of cattle; Jno Dirigo one of junk; Clay Underhill two cars of lambs, 1 P Stephens 3 cars Buck Lambs; Barger and McClintic two cars of hogs; Henderson & Son one car of eggs, one of poultry and three hundred pounds of butter. Total 19 cars.

New Things.

George T. Ridings has arranged to put in 200 feet of granitoid walk.

The double two-story brick, formerly occupied by the Variety store, now a part of the Rogers & Thompson department store, has been painted red so as to match the firms other two rooms.

Jno. J. Rogers is having 55 feet of granitoid walk put in at south line of his business property, corner of South Main and Summer Streets.

Mrs. Sarah Foley is having 75 feet of granitoid walk made in front of her residence property on South Main St.

John Warren is building a six room house.

E. E. Kratz is building a six-

room cottage home on Fourth Street. Look out girls.

Abe Moyer is putting up a 2-room cottage.

Felix Carrico is reshingling his home and repairing his porches.

Settle.

George Thomas Settle was born in Ralls County, Mo., Oct. 15, 1848; died in this city August 12, 1907.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon by Rev. D. F. Bone, assisted by Rev. I W. Read.

He was a Master Mason and was buried with Masonic honors. Mr. Settle married Miss Aretta Maddox Nov. 4, 1875 and theirs was a happy life. His christian life, which was a consistent one, extended over twenty-eight years.

No one ever heard George Settle speak ill of his fellow-man, and it is doubtful if any one ever spoke ill of him. He has gone to that better land where sorrow [and suffering entereth] not.

Smashed.

Claude Westfall and his friend, O. C. Wheeler, of Quincy, took a ride behind one of Roy Melson's teams Friday that proved disastrous for Claud's guest.

They started for the Proctor farm at south line of city and the team ran away. When Mr. Wheeler was swathed in bandages he looked like he had been through a threshing machine. Fortunately, the injuries were not serious.

Sparks.

Samuel A Sparks was born in Marion County in March 1836; died at his home one mile north of city Aug. 10, 1907.

Mr. Sparks was a quiet unassuming man that had spent his entire life within five miles of his last home.

He never harmed any one therefore left no enemies behind.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at St. Jude Church.

A. F. & A. M. Attention

Every member of Monroe Lodge No 64, A F & A M is urged to attend the regular Communication on Saturday evening, Aug. 17 Important business and it is also expected that the M. M. Degree will be conferred.

"Wanted: Laborers, white or colored, for all departments of our plant. Steady employment, good wages. Apply, American Car and Foundry Co., St. Charles, Mo."

Split Eyebrow.

Marion Abbott was engaged in placing boots on his horses' hind ankles and the horse was engaged in stamping files. It made a bad combination for Marion, because up came the hind foot and instead of landing on the fly struck Marion's left eyebrow and split it open.

Deere Buggies for sale at A. Jaeger's.

ABOUT THE CHURCHES.

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 a. m. Each Wednesday. Don't Forget it.

After a two months rest on his native heath, Rev. Mr. Stephen Kendrick has returned to his duties in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Rev. E S Graham, pastor of the Baptist church at Oakland, will not be able to fit his appointment to-day. He has been on the sick list for the past week or ten days and is just now able to be out. He said to a Journal representative yesterday that this would be the first time in fifty years that he had disappointed his congregation on account of sickness.

Rev. George Smith, of Lewis-town, is conducting a revival at DeMess Chapel.

Rev. Fr. P. F. Cooney, of St. Stephens church, returned Tuesday from a visit to the far hot west.

Rev. Fr. Cunningham spent Tuesday in Hannibal with his friend, Rev. Fr. D F Sullivan.

METHODIST.

Regular services Sunday. Preaching by the Pastor.

Rev. Lehnhoff writes that they are having a good meeting at Santa Anna, Texas, there being twelve conversions at the time of his writing.

CHRISTIAN.

Bible School at 9:45 a. m. and sermon by Pastor at 11 a. m.

There will be no intermission between Bible School and church services. All are invited to be present at these services.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Regular services Sunday by the Pastor.

Fox Hounds

Vint C. Spaulding is in receipt of a long letter from his friend, T. H. Craig, of Marshall, Texas. Evidently Mr. Craig is not only posted on the best breeds of fox hounds and their history and the history of fox hunting, but knows all the requirements and qualities that go to make first-class speed, staying and music of a fox hound. And he also has learned of and knows the great winning qualities of the July and Norris dogs.

He invited Vint to sail in high society society where they follow the hounds, sit at the table in spike-tailed coats and go the big jinks. Or in other words: There is to be a meet of the Southern gentlemen and Southern fox hounds at Jamestown and would be pleased to have you (Vint) with us.

Gee, but we would like to see Vint in a spike-tailed coat.

By the way, Sampson was noted for other things besides the jaw-bone of an ass, the tearing of a lion's jaw apart and the tearing down of the temple. He was a fox hunter.

Uncle Joe Cannon, the biggest of the Sucker State big guns, was in the city Friday enroute to Kansas City.