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Democrat's Big Contest Should Interest You

ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers and Pertaining to Farmers.

Cremoline Dip.—L. M. Wood. tf

When you figure on a sale and want Col W T Youell to cry it, call Elbert Yates at the F & M Bank. He can give you the Colonels dates.

For Sale.

Native hard and soft lumber at the Hillery Bros., farm 9 miles northwest of city. 9-30.

For yearling Shropshire bucks see E S Hampton.

J F Renshaw is quiting the farm 8 miles north of Monroe City and 1 1-2 miles south of Warren so will sell with the assistance of John Brown 104 head of stock Tuesday Sept, 28. The stock is as follows: A matched surrey team of 5 year old geldings, span of brood mares bred to Plaindealer, Registered Gloster yearling filley, yearling horse colt, trotting stock, suckling colt out of Plaindealer eligible to register, four span of 2 year old past mules will be sold in spans 1 span good yearling mules, five milch cows, one fine Jersey, Registered Hereford bull, 13 2-year old steers, 11 yearling heifers, 4 suckling calves, 26 2-year old ewes, 1 buck, 15 lambs, 1 sow and 9 shoats. A lot of farm implements and household and kitchen furniture. M B Proctor clerk. See bills gotten out by the Democrat.

James Warren, of near Paris was in the city Monday and bought weaning mules from the following gentlemen: Tom Foreman 2, Bud Reager 1, Dick Ballard 2, Henry Pattal 2, Jack Crane 2, B Morthland 2, M Gibson 1, F Cline 1, Capt Allison 1, B Mays 1, S Powell 1. While he paid more than $100 for a single mule $200 was the biggest price paid for a pair and it was paid to Dick Ballard.

J I Thomas is feeding 3 car loads of cattle and 200 head of hogs. Mr Thomas and Jno O Wood are farming together on the old Wood ranch that belongs to D K Yowell.

Jno W White will keep sweet his winter. He has hauled five wagon loads of cane to the mill to be ground and turned into molasses.

Gentry Bros are feeding a car load of 3 year old cattle, 40 head of hogs and 18 young mules.

Irve Underhill has bought car load of nice yearling cattle from Union Davis.

Last week this paper spoke of the sale of the Walter Hagan 100 acre farm to J S Elzea. We should have been more explicit and said the farm known as Walter Hagan's but had recently been purchased by John Green and by him sold to Mr Elzea through D K Yowell.

Tuesday Sept. 28 J E Hayden will sell at his former home 6 miles east of Monroe City and 2 miles west of Shiel, through Col W T Youell auctioneer and Elbert Yates clerk, a 7 year old mare in foal by jack, 8 year old bay mare in foal by Missouri Denmark, 10 year old draft mare in foal by jack, 5 year old lady broke bay horse, 14 year old lady broke black horse, 2 year old filley, 2 yearling horse colts, extra good suckling mule, 4 extra good milch cows, 3 heifer calves, 1 steer calf, 22 good ewes, 3 good brood sows, 27 shoats weighing from 40 to 90 lbs, 8-foot Deering binder good as new, Deering mower and rake, disc cultivator, gang plow, good as new, 3-section harrow, corn planter with check rower, wagon, hay frame, 2 sets good tug harness, 4 tons hay in barn, 2 tons in stack, 35 acres of corn in field and 400 bushels of oats in bin. See bills gotten out by the Democrat.

Harry Jackson returned Sunday morning from Midland, Texas with 130 head of "White faced" calves he bought down there.

Jno L Owen has shipped in a car load of beeves from Kansas City and sent 14 head to the Bluff City market.

Last week the type caused us to say J R Carrico sold William Reachoff 30 acres of land. It should have read 80 acres.

The silos are being rapidly filled. Those of R M Walker, W R P Jackson and Tooley & Son have been filled and that leaves only the J B Gray & Son silo to fill. We predict there will be more silos, because they are profitable, built next season.

Mr. Farmer.

There are special and valid reasons why you should make your Corn Show the Greatest in point of Quality and in Entries or Exhibits that you have ever had in the past twelve years in this city. Now pull yourselves together and let there be a Rivalry between Monroe, Ralls Marion and Shelby Counties as to which county will have the largest number of entries as well as the finest specimens of Ten Ears (10) of King Corn.

Remember this year the Corns will be separated differently from what it was in the past. This year there will be Three Premiums on Yellow, Three on the Dent Varities and Three on White Corn.

In another column under the list of the business men who have so kindly and generously donated a part of the premium money, you will find the premiums which are larger than ever before.

Harry Thomas of Columbus, Ill., has bought a fancy Silver Gratton colt of B G Moss and his father has bought 4 jennets of Mr Moss and from Bud Handley.

Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Cattle	$3.00@6.00
Hogs Heavy	5.20@7.50
Hogs Light	5.00
Sheep	3.00@4.00
Lambs	5.00@5.00
Poultry.	
Hens	10½c
Spring chickens pound and quarter and over 1 1-2	10½c
Old Roosters	05c
Staggy Roosters	05c
Ducks	08c
Turkey Hens	11c
Young Toms	11c
Toms	11c
Guineas, each	15c
Geese	06c
Eggs	18c
Tallow	04c
Butter	18c
Green Hides	08c
Corn	70c
Wheat No. 2	1.00
Oats	32@34
Hay	$8.00

Shipments for week ending noon yesterday very light. Barger & McClintic 1 car of sheep; T J Yates 1 car of hogs, Mrs A H Green 1 car of oats; Henderson & Son 2 cars of poultry and 1 car of eggs. Total 6 cars.

THE SHIFTING

Of Times Sands Changes Churches, Societies and a City.

Away back yonder when Monroe City the Queen of the Prairies, was not even a hamlet, 1855, what is now St. Judes Parish was organized in Marion county northwest of this city. The coming of the Hannibal and St. Joseph railroad, now the Burlington, showed Rev. Scheetz that this was a stragic point, so in 1866 the headquarters of the St. Judes church was moved to what is now this city and the pretty stone church commenced on the state roadside, now North Main Street and completed in 1867. Of the charter members only two, J. R McClintic and sister, Miss Mattie, survive.

Then in 1868 what is known as the First Baptist Church of the city was organized by Rev. W. C. Busby, still living in Hannibal, out of the material made through a protracted meeting held by Rev. B. F. Hixson. Of that organization only two charter members still live, J. M. Proctor and wife.

The Christian Church was the third one to effect an organization which was consumated in March 1869 and of that strong church only two members remain, they being William Payne and Miss Fannie Walker—Mrs. Harrison Cary resides in St. Louis.

Then in Oct. 1870, the Presbyterian Church became a living organisation and out it there is only one, Mrs. James Marshall left alone on the shore of time awaiting the call to join the others.

The M. E. Church, South in the misty past was a part of the Sharpsburg circuit and its birth in 1870 meant the gradual death of the mother church, Sharpsburg. From its strugling infantcy it has waxed strong, but of the faithful organizers only one, John Shearman is awaiting the bugle call to cross the Great Divide.

Then came the Holy Rosary Parish in 1884 owning now one of the finest properties in the city, which was organized with twelve male members and of the that number only two are awaiting the angels call to come, they are Andrew Grimm and Frank Westhoff.

The last of our city churches to come into life was the Grace Baptist Church which was organized in 1900 and of that body only two charter members survive, Mrs. William Patterson and Miss Cattie Wood.

Stockholders Meeting.

Farmers & Merchants Telephone Co.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants Telephone Co., of Monroe City, Mo., will be held at the offices of the company at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, October 2, 1909, for the purpose of electing eleven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be desired.

A. LEE ELY, President,
W. J. ROUSE, Secy. 9-30

Misses Olivia and Ruth Brown went to Withers Mill yesterday to visit their cousins, L. Frazier and family.

Concrete Construction of all kind - Evan Smith.

New Things.

Rafe Leake has put in 150 feet of cement walk at his home.

Mrs. Morgan has had 290 feet of cement walk made in front of her property.

F. W. Westhoff has joined the procession by having 155 feet of cement walk made by the side of his business property.

Jno Cleary is having 22 feet of cement walk made in front of his business property on South Main and Dover Streets.

A. D. Thurston is building a 5 room cottage.

Mr. Fields is building a large barn.

Mike Hartigan is building a barn 26x32.

William Lightbody is adding 1 room to his pleasant home.

Joseph Byrd is building a 5 room cottage home.

Bought Paper.

James W. Johnston and son George P. Johnston have purchased the Daily Sun and Weekly Telegraph at Fulton. Messrs. Johnston are thorough newspaper men knowing the business from case to desk therefore will make a success of the business. We understand the family will not move to Fulton for sometime though the gentlemen took possession of their new property Monday. Success to you.

Obituary.

Mollie B. Cross was born in Ralls County, Mo., Nov. 19, 1876 and entered into rest from the home of her grandmother in Monroe City, Sept. 9, 1909 She professed faith in Christ in 1896, uniting with the Presbyterian Church.

Her life was one of singular devotion to the cause of Christ and in her quiet way and confident trust in Him gave evidence daily of the transformed life. In health she walked with her Saviour and in her long illness she suffered for Him, enduring all for His sake. Patient in her affliction, confident in her hope of future blessedness. She lived in faith and died in the triumphs of that faith. Some of her last words are these, "Yes only waiting, it will not be long" spoken only a few hours before her departure and "Come quickly Lord Jesus" and the spirit took its departure to the mansions of our Fathers home. L.

Elegant Trophy.

Monday afternoon Dr. S. Maddox was exhibiting a lovely solid silver pitcher to be awarded to some saddle horse at the St. Louis Horse Show. Upon it is engraved: "American Saddle Horse Association, to be given at the St. Louis Horse Show 1909 to the finest gaited stallion, mare or gelding 3 years old or over."

It is said: Kentucky will be there with the stuff to win because the President, Secretary and Judges are from Kentucky. If that be true then let it be strictly a Kentucky show in Missouri.

Dangerous.

Dr. Geo. L. Turner and D. S. Sharp ran into a sagging telephone wire at east line of city Monday afternoon. The Doctor saw it in time to strike it up with his hand, but not in time to save D. S. Sharp's throat which the wire struck and burned

Cement fluecaps.—Evan Smith.

ABOUT THE CHURCHES.

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 a. m. Each Wednesday.

Rev. B. F. Hixson was quite ill Tuesday.

Rev. Charles King, of Bowling Green, conducted services at Bethlehem Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. W. P. Wynn who was assigned to the Monroe City Station has arrived and filled his appointments Sunday. He is a congenial, scholarly gentleman, and an able minister.

At the recent M. E. Conference in session at Savannah, Missouri, Stoutsville was placed in the Monroe City circuit and Rev. Rooker was placed in charge of the circuit. - Banner.

Rev. E. S. Graham, who was stricken with paralysis fourteen months ago and who has since been in a helpless condition, is now growing worse every day. He has not been able to take any food or drink since last Friday, being absolutely unable to swallow anything. His mind, however, seems to be clear although he is unable to talk. It is thought that his end is drawing near. - Hannibal Journal.

The new Methodist church at Oak Dale was dedicated last Sunday, by Rev. McMurry, of St. Louis. There were between 400 and 500 people present and about $400 was raised which will pay off the indebtedness on the church. This is one of the most up-to-date churches in the county. It is filled with first class furniture and will have furnace heat. Dinner was served on the ground and all who attended spent a very enjoyable day. Hunnewell Graphic.

METHODIST

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Junior League 2:30 p. m.
Senior League 6:30 p. m.
Public cordially invited.

ST. JUDES'.

Rev. H. C. Goodman, Rector.

Services Sept. 23-29.

Thursday 25, Confirmation, 7:30 p. m. Bishop Tuttle will officiate and preach.

Friday 24, morning service, 8 a. m.

Sunday 26, regular services 7 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday 29, S. Michael and All Angels. Morning service 8 a. m.

A general invitation is cordially extended to the above services.

GRACE BAPTIST

The regular services on Sunday.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Wednesdays.
You are cordially invited to worship God with us in these services.

FIRST BAPTIST

Regular services by the Pastor Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN

Regular services Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Dr. Gallagher. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

The ladies Missionary Society will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. David Riddle.

N. M. Burgland of Galesburg, Ill., has been looking after his farm interests near this city.