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ABOUT THE CHURCHES

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 A. M. Each Wednesday.

Rev. W. P. Wynn left Tuesday for La Grange to attend the Hannibal District Conference of the M. E. Church, South.

Christian Church Convention.

The Sixth Missouri District Convention will be held at Clarence, Missouri, May 6th, 7th and 8th. A strong program has been prepared. Four men of national convention calibre have been secured for addresses. The C. W. B. M. session begins Monday evening, the 6th and continues until 3:45 Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. T. W. Grafton, State President, Miss Alice Doherty, State Superintendent of children's work, and C. A. Lockhart of Canton, will speak. Every auxiliary in the 21 counties is asked to send one or more delegates.

The General Church Session begins with an address by Bro. C. M. Chilton of St. Joseph at 3:45 Tuesday afternoon. Following in the evening, W. H. Pinkerton gives the convention sermon. Wednesday is full of good things. B. A. Abbott, St. Louis; W. A. Shullenberger, Mexico; B. L. Smith, Moberly; Geo. A. Campbell of Hannibal; W. G. Alcorn, Monroe City; Cleaver, Shelbina; Enkville; et al will speak.

Not an idle or dull moment in the whole convention. Every church is requested to send its preacher and pay his way, or its proportionate part, so he will surely attend, and at least two delegates. Help us to make this convention a great success in attendance, inspiration, practical formulation of plans and lasting influence.

ROY O YOUTZ, Canton, District President.

METHODIST

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

CHRISTIAN

Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "Christ's Message to Sardis."
C. E. 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Bible Mountains: Calvary."
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Choir practice Friday 7 p. m.
The Easter offering which should have been reported last week, amounted to \$26.85. The members were requested to begin now to lay their plans for May 12th. Let that day be a red letter day in our history.
W. Garnet Alcorn.

ST. JUDES CHURCH.

Rev. Charles A. Eaton, Rector.
Next Sunday, the Second Sunday after Easter (Good Shepherd Sunday).
7 a. m. The Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:45 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. Subject, "The Good Shepherd."
7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject, "The Other Maries."
Thursday, The Feast of S. Mark, the Evangelist, Celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Ransom Harvey, President of LaGrange College, gave us an excellent sermon last Sunday. Come and hear him again next Sunday.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
All are cordially invited.

T. D. BROWN.

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Merrill of Chillicothe, Mo.

GRACE BAPTIST.

The Lord blessed his people on Sunday, so we now send forth a special invitation to each member of the church to be present without fail on next Sunday. We will look for you so do not disappoint us as we need the influence of the full membership if we do the greatest possible good. Come early and be with us in the Bible School at 9:45.
Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "Accepted Service," 1 Sam. 12:24.
7:30 p. m., preaching, subject, "Why?" Ezek. 33:11.
Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Christ the Way of Life."

To the above services we invite all people and will be there to welcome you.

DR. J. W. SMITH, Pastor.

An Old Settler.

Charles S. Wood, aged 90 years died at his home in Shelbyville Thursday and the remains were buried at Oak Dale Saturday. The funeral ceremonies were conducted by Revs. Parker and Blackburn of the Methodist Church of which he was a devoted member for many years. Mr. Wood was born in Santiago de Cuba and came with his parents in about the year 1833 to the United States and settled at Oak Dale in Shelby County where he had resided most of time since. He went with the rush to California in 1849 and during the few years he remained in the golden state he accumulated considerable money. After returning to Missouri he bought a farm near Oak Dale and remained a successful farmer in that neighborhood until a few years when he retired and moved to Shelbyville to spend his remaining days. He is survived by his wife, two sons and three brothers. The brothers are, Dr. A. G. Wood of Lentner, B. O. Wood of this city and Harry Wood of Oak Dale. Few people have lived in Shelby county as long and it might be said he grew up with the county. He was an honorable christian gentleman and respected by all.
Peace to his ashes.

Forsythe.

Katherine, the daughter of Thomas P. Forsythe died at their residence in Oklahoma City, Okla., Tuesday afternoon. The remains are expected to reach this city over the Burlington this afternoon. She was a sweet little girl a little over eleven years of age, and has been a great sufferer most of her life. The family left here about two years ago. Deceased leaves one sister, Mrs. Paul Cox and a host of friends in this city.

Miss Lucile Proctor is visiting in St. Louis.

ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers and Pertaining to Farmers.

Test your seed corn.

For Sale—5 male Duroc Jersey hogs. 1 3-year old and 4 yearlings.
LEO BELL.

B. P. Rock eggs for sale, 40 cents per setting. F. & M. Phone 64D.
Mrs. Hattie Wilson.

Farmers wanting a team of mules should see Joe Simmons before breeding.
LEO BELL.

For Sale—Indian Runner Duck eggs, \$1.00 per 13.
Mrs. Hattie Wilson.

For Sale—A good yearling Poland China boar.
4-25 Edward Longmire.

For Sale—A cheap work horse. Inquire at Democrat.

Mike Madden had a car of his own feeding cattle on the market Monday. He struck a very satisfactory market.

I L Owen who has been elected manager of the Farmers & Merchants Telephone Co., is going to quit farming and will sell at public auction at his farm 6 miles southeast of this city next Tuesday 3 good geldings, the best butter cow in Ralls county, his herd Poland China boar and several registered sows, some pigs, farm implements etc. Col W T Youell is the auctioneer and M B Proctor is the clerk.

Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Hogs.....	\$6.25 to 7.00
Sheep.....	3.00 to 4.00
Lambs.....	4.00 to 4.50
Cattle.....	3.50 to 7.00

Poultry.

Hens.....	11½c
Spring chickens 1 1-2 to 2 1-2 pounds.....	09c
Old Roosters.....	05c
Ducks.....	10c
Turkey Hens.....	13c
Young Toms.....	12c
Toms.....	12c
Guineas, each.....	17c
Geese.....	07c
Eggs.....	16½c
Tallow.....	04c
Butter.....	17c
Green Hides.....	08c
Corn.....	65c
Wheat No. 2.....	1.00
Oats.....	65c
Hay.....	\$12.00 to \$18.00
Baled hay.....	\$15.00 to 20.00

Shipments for week; Sharp, Barger & Co. 1 car horses and 1 sheep car hogs; Mike Madden 1 car cattle; McClintic 3 cars cattle; Henderson & Sons 4 cars eggs and 1 car poultry; McFarland Bros 1 car wheat; Monroe Coal & Grain Co 1 car hay. Total 14 cars.

A Sea Disaster.

Sunday night the Titanic the largest seagoing passenger steamship went to pieces in an iceberg field off the coast of New Foundland. It is thought 1302 persons went down with the ship and that only 868 were saved. These were picked up by the Carpathia. Wireless C. Q. D. calls notified other sailing craft that the Titanic was in distress and many steamed toward the sinking ship to give all possible aid but the Titanic soon sunk. Many prominent men are among the list unaccounted for. It was supposed that the Titanic could not be sunk, but what man builds is easily destroyed.

FOR PRESIDENT



CHAMP CLARK.

Death of Mrs Pearl Buckman.

Mrs Pearl Buckman, beloved wife of Ernest Buckman died at her home in Denver, Colo., aged 35 years. Funeral services were held at Annunciation Church. The funeral was preached by Father Murphy after which the remains were laid to rest in Mt. Olivet cemetery. Mrs Buckman was a devout Catholic all her life and died in the faith.

Although a resident of Denver but a short time she leaves a large circle of friends to mourn her death for her sunny disposition and patient suffering through her long illness endeared her to all, but she was prepared to answer the summons and is now free from suffering and care.
She leaves to mourn her death besides a multitude of friends, a bereaved husband, a heart broken mother Mrs. Jennie Luck and two brothers, John and Asa Luck of Pendleton, Oregon, all of whom we deeply sympathize with in their dark hours.

New Postoffice Fixtures.

The new postoffice fixtures for the Monroe City Postoffice arrived the first of the week and have been placed in position.

The new outfit is a great improvement over the old arrangement. The Postal Savings window, Registered letter window, General delivery and stamp windows are placed close together and nearer the door. The front door to the office will be moved further to the south on account of the fact that the fixtures occupy the north side of the room. The new lock boxes are all of the keyless variety which does away with the inconvenience of losing your key.

To Dr. Proctor belongs the credit of these nice improvements which enables us to boast of as fine arranged postoffice as any in this part of the State.

O. W. Colgate's many friends here regret that he is in poor health and is suffering with rheumatism in both arms. He writes us that crops were almost a failure last year. He sends his kindest regards to his friends here. Mr. Colgate is a most enthusiastic Clark booster. He is living near Shirleysburg, Penn.

FUND FOR CLARK

Republic Raising Money For Cause of Champ Clark—Monroe City Should Contribute—Democrat Will Send Money In for You.

Champ Clark is a poor man. It takes money and lots of it to make a campaign for president. The people should now do their part because Champ Clark has ever been found fighting valiantly for the interests of the people. The great trusts are not going to contribute anything to aid in the nomination or election of Champ Clark because he is a man who always has and always will say to the trusts and monopolies you must not encroach on the rights of the masses. The people from all over the country and especially from Missouri should contribute liberally to the Clark Campaign fund. It is needed. The election of Champ Clark means a government in the interest of all the people, a government where the rights of the people will be respected, a government of equal and exact justice to all citizens, be they rich or poor. Justice is what the people want but is not what the trust and monopoly magnates want. Contribute something for the Clark Campaign fund. Hand it to the Democrat and we will send it in. Any amount will be received. Every citizen of Missouri should consider it a privilege to contribute to the Clark Campaign fund. Make your contribution now.

The Man Who Delivers the Goods.

"There's a man in the world who is never turned down, wherever he chances to stray; he gets the glad hand in the populous town, or out where the farmers make hay; he's greeted with pleasure on deserts of sand and deep in the aisles of the woods; wherever he goes there's the welcoming hand. He's the man who delivers the goods.

"The failures of life sit around and complain; the gods haven't treated them white; they've lost their umbrellas whenever there's rain; and they haven't their lanterns at night; men tire of the failures who fill with their sighs the air of their own neighborhoods; there's the man who is greeted with love-lighted eyes—he's the man who delivers the goods.

"One fellow is lazy, and watches the clock, and waits for the whistle to blow; one has a hammer which he will knock and one tells the story of woe; and one if requested to travel a mile, will measure the perches and rods; but one does his stunt with a whistle or smile—he's the man who delivers the goods.

"One man is afraid he will labor too hard—the world isn't yearning for such and one man is ever alert on his guard, lest he put in a minute too much; and one has a grouch or a temper that's bad and one is a creature of moods, so it's hey for the joyous and rollicking lad for the one who delivers the goods!"—Fayette Democrat-Leader.

In running over some old papers the other day A. E. Moyers found an old ticket to witness the execution of Jesse Johnson, Friday, September 12, 1902 for the murder of Marcus D. McRae at Rensselaer, Ralls Co., on April 28, 1902.

See Kratz about those screen doors.