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Directory of Public Officers and County.

Member in Congress, W. L. Hensley.
State Senator, C. M. Buford.
Circuit Judge, B. M. Dearing.
Representative, Dr. J. A. Eaton.
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Judge of County Court, Second District, S. V. Rye.
Circuit Clerk and Recorder, Joseph Cresswell.
County Clerk, John O. Long.
Judge of Probate, J. A. Henson.
Collector, I. A. Letcher.
Sheriff, Luther Cresswell.
Treasurer, N. F. Robinson.
Prosecuting Attorney, W. A. Cooper.
Assessor, E. L. Smith.
Coroner, Dr. H. J. Blount.
Superintendent of Schools, B. Fox.
County Surveyor, R. H. Hutchings.

Court Terms.

Circuit Court—First Monday in March and fourth Monday in August.
County Court—First Monday in February, May, August and November.
Probate Court—Second Monday in February, May, August and November.

For City of Potosi.

Mayor, R. Q. Allen.
Marshal, Paul Simpson.
Board of Aldermen—First ward, G. B. Maxwell and C. H. Boyer; Second ward, Eugene O'Mara and N. M. Maxwell.

Railroad Time Card.

POTOSI BRANCH
GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	840	842	844	846
	LV a m	LV am	LV p m	LV pm
Potosi	5.00	10.05	3.00	6.30
Mineral Point	5.15	10.20	3.20	6.45
	a m AR	a m AR	p m AR	pm AR

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	841	843	845	847
	LV a m	LV a m	LV pm	LV pm
Mineral Point	5.20	10.50	3.35	6.30
Potosi	5.35	11.10	3.50	9.05
	a m AR	a m AR	p m AR	pm AR

Train 843 has no northbound connection.

MAIN LINE.

NORTH
Leave Mineral Point. Ar. St. Louis.
No. 6—5.18 a m 7.27 a m
No. 8—6.30 p m 6.27 p m

SOUTH
Le St. Louis. Ar Mineral Point.
No. 5—7.30 a m 10.45 am
No. 9—5.51 p m 8.48 pm

J. M. SLOAN,
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AT POTOSI from the 1st to the 20th of each month.
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POTOSI, MO.
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OFFICIAL BALLOT, SPECIAL ELECTION, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1914.

Democratic Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,
JOSEPH CRESSWELL.

Republican Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,
DAVID O. JARVIS.

Prohibition Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,

Socialist Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,

Socialist-Labor Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,

Progressive Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court,

State of Missouri, }
County of Washington, } ss.

I, John O. Long, clerk of the County Court within and for the County of Washington and State aforesaid, hereby certify that the foregoing list contains the names of all candidates for the respective office named, to be voted for in said county at a special election to be held on Tuesday, the 15th day of December, 1914, together with the names of the political parties by which said candidates have been nominated, as the same have been certified to me by the various political parties of Washington County therein, all of which are now on file in my office; said list is arranged in order and form in which they will be printed on the ballot. Witness my hand and official seal. Done at my office in the city of Potosi, Missouri, this 28th day of November, 1914.

[Seal] JONH O. LONG,
Clerk of the County Court.

LOCAL ITEMS

The coal haulers keep busy.

Light snow this morning.

Only two more weeks now till Christmas.

Buy a year's subscription to the Journal.

Have you done your Christmas shopping?

Mrs. J. P. Townsend spent Tuesday in St. Louis.

Mr. John O. Long spent Thursday last in St. Louis.

Miss Frances Casey is visiting friends in St. Louis.

Special election next Tuesday. Let all the voters turn out.

Mr. James Larmer of Sunlight was in our town Thursday.

Mr. M. M. Flynn of Richwoods was on our streets Friday last.

Mr. Frank McCallion of Bellefountain was in our town Friday.

Every long distance crll on the telephone calls for one cent war tax.

Some rumor of wedding bells to chime with the Christmas bells.

It's about time the weather man were letting a little sunshine in.

For any new piece for any old wagon or buggy, go to Hornsey Bros.

Mrs. Mart Nicholson of Latty spent several days in Potosi last week.

Judge L. A. Page of Floyd was a caller at the Journal office Saturday.

Cash for your Poultry, Eggs, Hides and Furs. Breckenridge Produce Co.

Call at Room No. 7, Woolford building and order your Christmas jewelry.

Hornsey Bros. shipped a car of lumber to L. E. Cole of Blackwell Tuesday.

The Board of Alderman has appointed James Henson city marshal, vice Poul Simpson, resigned.

Mr. John Greer of Undine is buying hogs hereabouts and expects to make a shipment in a week or so.

Mrs. B. E. Flynn and daughter, Miss Margaret Mary, spent several days in St. Louis last week.

The quail season opened Dec. 1st, and will close again on the 30th inst. There are few quail left hereabouts.

Young ladies and young men, you can find an appropriate Christmas present at Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

We have a few ladies', misses and children's coats left that will be olosed out at liberal reductions. Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

Thirteen people at Desloge and Cantwell were made seriously ill one day last week by eating head cheese purchased at one of the local stores.

Dear delinquent subscriber, remember the gladsome season that is approaching and add to the editor's cheer with a little remittance on account.

There were 87 births in Washington County during the three months ending September 30th, and 31 deaths, which leaves the stork a long way ahead of the game.

Mr. J. F. Russell of Farmington is installing a steam heating system in the new Woolford building. He has also installed two residence heating plants here this fall.

To exchange for Potosi property—Equity of $1750 in desirable St. Louis house of 8 rooms; lot 75x220, incumbrance $1800 to run 7 years. Write, Box 1, Kinloch, Mo.

Those good sidewalks we haven't got, how fine they would have been during this sloppy weather. Potosi is most unenterprising in the matter of sidewalks. Wake up!

George Hornsey orders the Journal sent to his brother, Rev. Curtis J. Hornsey, at Cuba, Mo. Father Hornsey has lately been given charge of the Catholic church at Cuba.

Thomas Day, an old and well-known citizen of Mineral Point, died on December 2d, and was buried in cemetery at Hopewell on the 4th inst. He was 74 years of age and an Union veteran.

Bank business in Fredericktown is profitable. The Security Bank of that burg one day last week declared a 20 per cent dividend on a capital of $20,000. It made a clear profit of 6,200 during the past year.

COMING—Dr. W. S. Manley, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentiet of Sedalia will be in Potosi Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 24th, 25th and 26th. From Ontario Veterinary College; 25 years experience; examination free.

The city council at a meeting held last Monday night ordered the enforced collection of all back taxes due the city, and that current year's taxes not paid by December 30th shall be treated as delinquent. The city marshal was also ordered to enforce the stock law more rigidly.

Ike Poston, a De Soto negro, lately completed a small table which was made up of 2,700 separate pieces of 47 different varieties of wood. He was a year and a half in building it and used no other tool than a pocket knife. One day last week the table was sold to a lady from New York for $100.

Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Conditioner. Territory Washington County. Salary $90 per month. Address 9 Industrial Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana.

ROCKLAND SYRUP—direct from New Orleans, made from ribbon cane, sold by R. M. Bugg Merc. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Ramsey, a well-known couple of Sunlight, this county, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Nov. 27th, with a family reunion, which was attended by many descendants and connection by marriage. They have 26 grand-children and great-grand-children. Both are 71 years of age and hale and hearty.

Twenty-five cases of smallpox are reported in the vicinity of Fletcher and Frumet. The teacher of McKean school, rumor says was ailing several days and finally ordered home by the doctor. His case proved to be a mild form of small-pox and many of his pupils now have the same illness. Strenuous means are now employed to stamp out the scourge.—Hillsboro Record.

Mr. W. R. Heagler and family of Fulton, Mo., have moved to the Hall house in the east end of town. Mr. Heagler is a civil engineer, who has been engaged by the board of supervisors of the Potosi Special Road District to superintend the new road work in this territory, on which $25,000 is to be expended. He is already at work making the necessary surveys and plans.

Lee Odell was arrested at Riverside last week on a charge of passing counterfeit ten dollar bills. He had been operating in the Lead Belt towns and it may be that some of this bogus money will float over here. The bills are a photographic imitation of the ten dollar notes issued by the Union National Bank of Chandler, Oklahoma. Look closely at your ten dollar bills if you have any.

Work on the post-office building was stopped Tuesday by the government inspector, who declared that the bricklayers were using too much mortar and that one of the walls was out of line. The superintendent in charge of the work refused to dismantle the walls already laid and the bricklayers returned to their homes in St. Louis. The matter will be laid before the chief architect in Washington to be decided upon.—De Soto Republican.

A Farmers' Institute meeting has been announced for Potosi. to be held on Dec. 18th, under the direction of the State Board of Agriculture, Mr. W. D. McKee, a lecturer employed by the State, will address the meeting on farming and country life. He is said to be an entertaining and instructive speaker and will impart much information of value to farmers, who should by all means make it their business to attend the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wisdom, former residents of Potosi, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in De Soto last Friday. They are both natives of Washington County and were married on Dec. 4, 1864, just after Mr. Wisdom had been mustered out of the Union Army, after three years of service as a soldier. His bride was Miss Nancy Edgar. She is now 68 pears of age and Mr. Wisdom is 71, and both are enjoying good health.

Owing to circumstances beyond control, the usual arrangement for the Thanksgiving offering to the Children's Home Society, so long given by Washington County, with similar offerings from many other counties, was overlooked, and Supt. Rev. Stahman has been notified that the offering will be made by us Christmas instead.

Norman Maxwell, who has so long attended to receiving and shipping the generous offerings heretofore made is named to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of our sister, Miss Sallie Smith. Donations may be left with Brother Maxwell at his place of business.

L. T. HALL
MRS. R. M. BUGG.

All Bids on Road Bonds Rejected.

The board of commissioners of the Potosi Special Road District on Tuesday afternoon opened the bids it had advertised for on the $25,000 road bond issue. Five different bidders made proffers for the entire issue, but as all were under par, the board rejected all bids. The best offer was made by a Chicago bond firm, which bid 96¼. The board will now probably try to dispose of the bonds at private sale, to any par offerers.

A Small Fire.

The alarm of fire was sounded through town shortly after three o'clock Monday afternoon. It came from the home of Mr. John Terrell, and a crowd of willing hands were soon battling with the blaze and carrying out the household effects. The fire had its origin from a defective flue and started between the ceiling and roof. A few minutes effective work from above and below put the blaze out. The house is a small cottage owned by Ed Frey of Bonne Terre and the damage can be repaired for less than $100. The household goods were somewhat damaged by the hasty removal. We understand the owner has $1000 insurance on the building, but Mr. Terrell was uninsured.

Closing Out Business

At 25 Per Cent Discount for Cash in Hand.

We will sell our entire stock of
MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOY'S CLOTHING,
LADIES' AND MISSES COATS AND CLOAKS
on the above terms, as we have determined to drop these lines from our business.

CALL SOON

While our stock is new and complete, consisting of MICHAEL-STERN CROTHING and SINGER BROS. COATS and CLOAKS all new and up-to-date in style.

R. M. BUGG MERC. CO.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

A Farmers' Institute and Country Life meeting for Washington County will be held in

POTOSI, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

This meeting will be held under the auspices of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture and will be in charge of Mr. W. D. McKee, a practical farmer and a pleasing, instructive speaker. The meeting will convene at the

COURT HOUSE, AT 10 A. M.

and will be an all-day session. Farmers, Stockmen, Merchants and Prefessional Men—all invited. Come.

NOTICE!

Having sold the drug part of my business to Dr. H. J. Blount, I am now located in Room No. 7 of my new building, where I shall be pleased to see my old customers. My line will consist of Notions, Magazines, Books Fine Stationery, Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Kodaks, Camera Supplies, Electrical Goods, Bicycle Supplies, Spectacles, etc.

W. T. WOOLFORD.

Died.

Mrs. Mary Casey, one of Potosi's best known and highly esteemed ladies, died last Thursday evening between seven and eight o'clock, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. S. White, near Cadet, with whom she had been making her home lately. The funeral took place in Potosi at noon Saturday. Services were held at St. James' Church, of which she was a member for many years, by Rev. Father Canning, and the body was laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery. She was 71 years of age and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. White and Miss Hallie Casey. Two brothers, James L. and Jacob Smith, and two sisters, Mrs. Edmond Casey and Mrs. R. S. Browne, also survive her. She had been in failing health for the past year or two. Mrs. Casey was a woman of lovable disposition and all who knew her will regret her departure.

To the Voters of Washington County.

I am taking this opportunity of making this final appeal to you for your support at the Special Election to be held next Tuesday, December 15th. I made a long, hard canvas for the office of Circuit Clerk and Recorder before the last election and have been seeing the voters almost every day since that time, yet I realize it has been impossible for me to see you all. I don't believe my ability or fitness to fill this office has been questioned by any one during this long drawn out contest and I have done the best I could to win this fight, by honest and honorable methods. My limited means has handicapped me some, but I earnestly solicit your enthusiastic support at next Tuesday's election, and win or loose, I shall always feel grateful, for no man claim friendss more loyal than mine have been to me.

Very Respectfully
DAVID O. JARVIS.

Succession of Fires in Lead-Belt Towns.

The towns in the St. Francois County lead belt have suffered a succession of fires in the last three weeks, causing quite a heavy loss. The regularity with which these fires have occurred causes a strong suspicion that some of them have been of incendiary origin. At Desloge, the opera house and two, two-story buildings were burned and in East Flat River several buildings were destroyed. A beer depot at Flat River was discovered on fire three times before it was finally destroyed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Oswald W. Parker, ...Anth. Mill, Mo.
Hallie Mercer..... " " "
Jesse Gillam..... .....Quaker, "
Lottie Coffman.....Palmer, "

Read the Jounal, $1.00.

Ready for Tomorrow?

Horses digest their feed less thoroughly than other farm animals. In order to insure thorough digestion of all the food eaten, and to make your horses readier for next day's work, add to their evening feed a teaspoonful of—

Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE

It will lessen your feed bills.
It will increase your profits.

I am using Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE with my horses regularly and find it a saving proposition on feed. It also makes them healthy, thriving and clean.
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25c, 50c and $1. per can. At your dealer's.
P. B. I.

We need the money to pay our—

WAR
STATE
COUNTY
CITY
ROAD
POLL
SPECIAL

TAX

Must Pay For the Paper.

Judge George Thomas, of Columbus, Neb., recently decided if a man accepts a paper that is sent him he must pay for it. The decision was rendered in the case brought by the Columbus, Neb. Telegram against a man for $2.35. The Telegram had been sent to the man's home and he accepted the paper. When called upon to pay for it he refused and suit was brought. When Judge Thomas heard the evidence he instructed the jury to bring in a verdict for the Telegram. Judge Thomas ruled that the old common law principle, that what a man received and used he was bound to pay for applied in this instance.

How to Cure a Cold.

Within the first few hours you have a cold and upon going to bed, you may take a large, hot lemonade. Spirituous liquors do not help lemonade and should be omitted. A brisk purge should be taken at the outset. For a couple of days the diet should be free from meat, condiments, sweets and pastries. If there is no fever a person may go about his ordinary activities. but it is better to remain one day at home where heating and ventilating conditions may be controlled. Some bland oil sprayed in the nose is effective if used frequently. If the head feels "stuffed up," continued bathing of the face and hands and forehead in as hot water as can be borne is useful. If these simple measures do not control or cure the attack, you should have the advice of your physician promptly. The above recommendation is made by the medical bureau of the State Agricultural department.

Capt. Hunter sends us the following "effusion" from the pen of Mr. Joseph Flory, clerk of the St. Louis Court of Appeals:

UNIVERSAL PEACE.

Oh, ye Christian (?) nations,
Can anyone tell
Why millions of your gallant men
Are facing shot and shell?

All men were created equal
Upon this grand old earth
And we know of no good reason
For rule by Royal birth.

The Crowned Heads care but little
What anguish you endure;
But the losers in the end will be
The wretched, suffering poor.

The widows and the orphans,
God help them in their grief!
When robbed of husband, father,
By the Royal cannon thief.

Pray, rulers, get together,
As all good Christians should,
And stop this bloody conflict
For all the people's good!

And when the war is over,
Sit down for sober thought
And ask yourselves in candor,
Why this cruel war was fought.

Then try our Constitution,
For liberty and peace
It will give all warring nations,
Including ancient Greece.

READ THE JOURNAL, $1.00.

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W. T. WOOLFORD.

REMEMBER

The Priscilla Bazaar, at the Presbyterian Church, Friday, Decemher 11th. The fancy-work department will be open for the sale of Christmas presents from 3 to 5 p. m., and continued in the evening, when refreshments, consisting of oyster patties, sandwiches. hot chocolate, lemonade, ices, ice-cream and cake will be served.

During the evening a musical program will be given.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Subjects for Sunday Dec., 13th, 1914.
Morning:—"The Sound of the Battle."
Evening:—"The Stimulus of Obstacles."

FARM FOR SALE.

104-acre farm, located at Floyd, Mo. 65 acres in cultivation. Apply to L. A. Page, Floyd, Mo.

Pea Ridge.

Minnie, the little daughter of J. W. Northcutt is very ill with pneumonia.

Joe Hulsey lost a fine big work horse last week.

Our teacher, Miss Declue, will have her pupils play, "Ye Deestrick Skule of Fifty Years Ago," at the M. W. A. Hall on the evening of the 18th of Dec. A box supper will be a special feature of the entertainment. All are invited to attend. The proceeds will be used for the library.

George Pierce has moved his sawmill here and is sawing ties, thus giving employment to some who had been out of work lately.

Irondale.

Bean & Shelton shipped two cars of cattle Monday.

Mr. Wallacs Gibson was here the past week selling out his car of corn. He has the thanks of the community for having brought the price of corn down from $1.05 per bushel to 71 cents.

Joseph Cresswell of Potosi was in Irondale one day the past week.

Mr. M. M. McSpadden died last Wednesday night after only a few hours illness. He was 88 years of age, a native of Tennesseee, but for fifty years a resident of this part of Washington County. The funeral was conducted by Rev. A. C. Robinson. The interment was at the Hopewell Cemetery. He left a wife and six children, three sons and three daughters.

Last Saturday night the Masonic lodge at this place had work in the third degree. There was a large number of visitor delegates from Caledonia and other neighboring towns. After the business was over refreshments were served.

James Barger and wife of Bismarck were here the last of the week.

Andrew Stapp and family of Leadwood were Irondale visitors Saturday.

Prof. Houston was here Monday on his return from Belgrade, where he went to see his father-in-law, Mr. T. H. Henderson, who was seriously ill.

James Barton died Monday morning at ihe home of James Meeks, his father-in-law. He leaves three small children.

Let the people know you are in business by advertising the fact in the Journal.

VOTE FOR
DAVID O. JARVIS
Republican Candidate
FOR CIRCUIT CLERK
SPECIAL ELECTION
Tuesday, December 15th, 1914
ADVT.

In Sunshine or Storm, Fair or Cloudy Weather,

for more than twenty-one years the WASHINGTON COUNTY BANK of Potosi, Missouri, has done business every day.

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Bread—"The staff of life,"

---Is an exception in the present high cost of food products The CHEAPEST article of food on your table is BREAD

Use only WASHINGTON FLOUR and you will have good, wholesome, nutritious bread.

Only the best, clean, scoured wheat is used in making our flours. Each bag of Washington is guaranteed, money back, if not satisfactory.

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