

Probate Court.

Judge Alkire was as busy as he could possibly be last week, holding his regular term of probate court...

John Bishop made settlement of the estate of his stepson, Roy W. Hassinger...

Alex Reed filed a petition, asking that a jury be empaneled to enquire into the mental condition of his wife...

The following demands were allowed against the Geo. H. Smith estate:

T. W. Ballou, \$82.51; C. F. Swain, \$45.83; Virgil A. Swain, \$30.20; Walter Dunkelberger, \$14.30; J. L. Denny, \$15.00; Harman Drug, \$2.39; Hand of Mound City, \$102.96; L. W. Keller, \$6.33; F. M. Parrott, \$171.73; Myron Fuller, \$12.10; J. S. Dawson, \$210.00; Wm. Smith, \$130.54.

G. R. McIntyre and Fred Mark, administrators of estate of Geo. McIntyre, were granted an order of distribution of \$24,000 of said estate as follows:

Mrs. Ellen Burnett, \$3,000.00; Mrs. Emilie Ashworth, \$3,000.00; Velorus S. McIntyre, \$3,000.00; Geo. R. McIntyre, \$3,000.00; Chas. O. McIntyre, \$3,000.00; Ira P. McIntyre, \$3,000.00; Ara O. McIntyre, \$3,000.00; Mrs. Gertrude Gelvin, \$3,000.00.

This is the second distribution, the former was for \$16,000, or \$2,000 to each of the above heirs, making a total distribution of \$40,000 up to this time, or about one-half.

Wm. Smith, as administrator of the estate of Geo. H. Smith, was ordered to sell the 1898 crop of corn at private sale.

Wm. E. Stubbs, as curator for Jno. E. Dodge, made final settlement. Jno. E. Dodge, making proof of having arrived at his majority, the estate was ordered transferred to him, consisting of lands near Mound City.

Daniel Zachman, administrator of the H. R. Price estate, made report of sale of real estate as follows: To Fredrick Keupp 80 acres of raw land near Richville, for \$1500; lot 2 in block 42 Oregon, to Jno. Markt for \$300; both sales were approved by the court.

Giles Laughlin, as administrator, filed proof of grant of letters in estate of S. J. Baker; same entry in estate of Chas. J. M. Sterrett.

Alex Miller filed final settlement in estate of Margaret R. Miller. G. R. McIntyre and Fred Mark, filed proof of grant of letters in estates of Geo. McIntyre and Ara O. and Geo. McIntyre.

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Autumn's Queen of Flows.

The receipts were about \$100, but the usual amount handled at their annual show.

We mention a few of the out-of-town visitors, it being impossible to get a complete list.

Mound City—Mrs. Smith and daughter Effie; D. W. Porter and wife; Misses Mabel Crowell, Nellie Punshon, Emma Vandervort, Mrs. Simmons, W. A. Cochran and wife, and son, C. E. Bennett and wife; Mrs. Anna Long.

St. Joseph—Roy Kunkel and wife, Mrs. Ida McDonald, Rev. Henry Feigenbaum.

Savannah—Mrs. C. W. Frodsham and daughter, Helen, Kate and Jennie; Edna Smith and Marguerite, Esser.

Forest City—Emil Weber and wife, Mrs. McGuire.

Horton, Kansas—Mrs. May Bolden, and Mrs. Raymond, and Mrs. Alice Belden.

Marland—Mrs. D. P. Lewis and daughter, Bertha; Mesdames, J. R. Collier, Ed. Pinkson and T. G. Hunter, and the Misses Ruby Rul and Clara Weaver; Mrs. Chas. Graves; Mrs. Matilda Harman.

Craig—Mrs. L. A. Shipley.

New Point—Misses Ida and Rosa Oren and Ada Steine.

Sidmore—Mrs. Winnie Montgomery, Minnie Kellogg, Adrian Pinkston, and Lulu Chaddock.

Elm Grove—Mrs. Ida Meyer.

St. Joseph—Mrs. Congressman Cochran; Mrs. Louis Burgess, Mrs. Trace Barnes.

Bigelow—Judge Turpin and wife.

The coming session of the Missouri legislature will be devoted mainly to the revision of laws, and the revision thus made will stand for a term of ten years.

For the first days of last week, a great many women and mighty few men, were busily occupied with heavy flower pots and wide, deep wooden boxes, which they dragged hither and thither, and set in place in the large circuit court room.

The weather was just ripe for the occasion and when the doors were opened on Thursday last, it seemed but a few moments were required to fill the large room with lovers of flowers—lovers of the beautiful. The day of the Chrysanthemum was at hand, and we believe the display is up to the usual annual shows made by the society.

With reference to its etymology, Chrysanthemum means "golden flowers," and it is known that the original flower was yellow. It was first introduced from the Japanese matricaria Japonica maxima being the variety. In 1880 when the trade with China received a new impetus, many were imported and many are still growing, it is said, in the old gardens of Long Island, that were planted fifty years ago.

The circuit court room, with its myriads of flowers and exquisite decorations, presented a delightful picture in the day time, but when the brilliant glare of the electric lights were thrown upon these beauties of nature, the effect was simply dazzling. Nothing could have been added to the taste and skill with which the various displays were arranged, and the spectator could almost imagine himself in the Valley of Tempse or in the fabled Garden of Hesperides.

THEIR NEW CAMP.

The Fourth Missouri is now in their new camp at Greenville, South Carolina.

Adjutant George L. Rollins, of the 4th Mo. Infantry, has the following letter in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, of Sunday last:

The 4th Missouri has again camped upon Southern soil. The camp is pitched in a cotton field, the white tufts are hanging here and there that missed the eye of the happy negro as he sings on his accustomed toils; the earth is red and sandy, and amid the forest can be seen the evergreen holly, which has already become an adornment in the tents of the officers and men.

The trip was uneventful, as the South is not quite as enthusiastic as their Northern brothers and sisters, but this is all natural, of course, and it is to be hoped that we shall be able to show by soldierly conduct that we love them deeply and respect their feelings too highly to show one iota of disbelief in their sincerity and character.

The soldiers of the fourth section paraded the streets of Danville, Va., and were received with respectful attention. The band played "Dixie" all the way through town and back again, and what fun it was.

The enlisted men absent on furlough, on account of sickness, are fast returning to the camp, all looking better for the trip Uncle Sam has given them.

Quartermaster Sergeant Waller has a smiling countenance these days, and will soon be the saluted instead of the saluter, as he has received a commission from Governor Stephens as First Lieutenant and quartermaster. It is a well placed commission, too, as Sergt. Waller has worked honestly and faithfully during his entire enlistment. He is a brother school conductor, formerly of the Rock Island railroad, and his transportation experience will stand him well in hand for moving troops. And, again, he knows how to carry out an order when he gets it on proper time.

The Carolina Club, of Greenville, has extended membership cards to all officers of the regiment while here, and the Nathaniel Green Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, has sent beautiful flowers for the soldiers through the commanding officer.

Capt. Owen is again with a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Private L. Craig, of Company B, is again on duty, after an absence on sick furlough to Napier, Mo.

Company Quartermaster McMillan is expected back from Maryville this week.

Corp. Paul G. Woodson's discharge papers arrived today, and he will soon return to St. Joseph, Mo., his home. He was not strong enough to stand the trials of the soldier. He never complained, though, and the command loses a good officer from a stanch Missouri family.

Everything seems scarce here—the sudden landing of 6,000 men in a little place soon makes business stir, and every one is anxious to know the needs of the men. For instance, one good old "Uncle" came over and offered to board about fifteen of us. Guess he didn't know the government did that.

Below we give a few extracts of the comments made by our exchanges on the Jubilee edition of THE SENTINEL.

Last week the Holt County SENTINEL contained an illustrated write up of Oregon. Among the nicest interesting features of this excellent write up were a number of letters from former old residents of that city, now scattered far and wide, Oregon is to be congratulated on awaking from her Rip Van Winkle sleep and getting modern in improvements. The old town can now laugh at old fogeyism.

The handsomest special edition that has ever been issued from a newspaper office in Northwest Missouri came from the office of the Oregon SENTINEL last week. It was full of interesting reading matter, and the mechanical work was very fine.—Fairfax Farmer.

The Holt County SENTINEL's jubilee edition appeared last week and was quite a treat. It contained twelve pages and comprised a complete history of Oregon. The illustrations were handsome and interesting, showing not only some of the business enterprises, but many of the elegant residences of the city.—Bolckow Blade.

The Holt County SENTINEL, published by Dobyns & Curry, issued last week a jubilee edition on super-calendered paper with half-tone cuts in honor of the completion of Oregon's waterworks and electric light systems. The edition gave a most complete and interesting record of Oregon and Holt County for the past fifty-seven years.

The publishers of the Oregon SENTINEL got out a special jubilee edition last week. It was one of the finest and most comprehensive papers ever gotten out in Northwest Missouri. It gave a review of the town's history since its location. It gives cuts of many of its prominent citizens of the past and the present. It also gives cuts of many of its fine, public and private buildings. It was printed on fine book paper and it was far excelent for that always excellent paper.—Turkio Ayalancha.

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Executive Notice. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary in the estate of Christian Wargis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Oregon, Missouri, that, in pursuance of an ordinance ordering a special election, a list of names, which was duly passed by the said Board of Aldermen, on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1898, a special election will be held at said city, at the Court House, and in the Circuit Court room thereof on said city.

Thursday, December 15, 1898. For the purpose of taking notice and assenting to the sense and wishes of the voters of said city of Oregon, Missouri, in relation to the indebtedness of the said city, in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), in excess of the annual income and revenue and fire bonded debt already incurred for the purpose of building, erecting, constructing, equipping and extending a system of Water Works and a system of Electric Light Works for said city; said indebtedness, to be evidenced by bonds, to be issued as may be provided by ordinance, and authorized by Article 22 of Chapter 133, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1892, payable to bearer, and, in denominations not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) each, nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) each, payable within twenty years (20 years), with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, which said bonds, as provided by the terms of the aforesaid ordinance, so passed and approved, as above said.

Notar Public of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Oregon, Missouri, this 2nd day of December, 1898.

LEWIS L. MOORE, City Clerk.

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