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Come in and see-get prices and save money for we will not be undersold. Great slaughter in prices on all winter stock.

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BENTON'S CORNER.

(It will pay you to read this each week.)

SEE ME FOR INSURANCE.

I write old Line or Mutual-you pay your money, so take your choice. So far this week I have written \$900 \$300 Old Line balance Mutual. I have three farms to rent and several for sale.

Yours for Business,

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OREGON, MISSOURI.

23 pounds Granulated Sugar for \$1.00 with an order for \$5.00 worth of Groceries...

Groceries and Queensware at lowest rates for the next 30 days until we invoice.

Call and see what bargains we have for you.

Above prices are for cash only. Remember we will not be undersold. Yours Very Grocery,

J. N. ZACHMAN & CO.,

OREGON, MISSOURI.

See Zach's city photos enlargements. They are up to date and prices reasonable.

James Carder of St. Joseph was entertained by an Oregon young lady Sunday.

Be sure and call on Cross & Seal when wanting shaw, hair cut, shampoo, etc. Second door north of postoffice.

Wanted-Burr oak posts. Hay-male logs for sale.

A. H. BAILEY, Oregon, Mo.

Flour at wholesale and retail, and every sack guaranteed at J. N. Zachman & Co.

We are now prepared to render the public the best of service in the tansorial art. When needing a smooth shave or hair cut call on Cross & Seal, 2nd door north of postoffice.

For Sale on Easy Terms-Two of three fine farms in Holt county, Mo., near Craig; also three good wood farms in Govey county, Kansas. Call on or address. C. A. DODD, Craig, Mo.

The following unclaimed letters remain in the post office at Oregon, Mo., for the week ending Jan. 27, 1899: Grant Atkins, Geo. Mann, (card) and Chas. Voland. When calling for these letters, please say "advertised." Office hours from 7:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Having made arrangements with a large poultry firm, we are prepared to buy, at all times, all of your poultry, for which we will pay the highest market price, either cash or trade. Get our prices before disposing of your poultry. GEORGE F. SEEMAN, The Grocer, Oregon, Mo.

Francis M. Dice, special agent of the postoffice department, was in Marysville last week, surveying the proposed route for a rural free delivery system at that place. Mr. Dice refused to state what he would recommend to the department, but he indicated that there might be special reasons why rural free delivery will not be established there. The roads about Marysville are in bad shape, and this, it is thought, had a great effect on Mr. Dice. He says that the great lack in Missouri is good roads, and that the people of the state cannot expect rural free delivery very generally until they make some improvements in this direction.

Why Not

Get the benefit of the McKinley Good Times.

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and change your 8 per cent loan to 5 per cent.

LOOK OUT

THERE!

Just helped unload a car of

Naval Oranges

We close them out at

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We won't be undersold on

Groceries and Queensware

L. I. Moore & Co.

Grocers,

OREGON, Mo.

Phone 7.

Please pay us what you owe us. Moore & Co. Grocers.

A farm of 62 acres, near Mount City, for rent. Call on or address, T. S. Bragg, New Point, Mo.

Philip Fahrman, from the vicinity of Mount City, was down to Oregon to visit his grandparents.

Miss Anna E. Fiegenbaum, of St. Joseph, visited her sister, Mrs. Minna Curry, this week for a day or two.

Save Time and Shrink by Spicing Your Hogs and Cattle to South Omaha.

For the Best Buggies, Wagons and Harness, go to H. C. Schmidt.

Ladies and girls, take your dresses to Mrs. Steinhilber and learn to make while learning to cut, and design from any fashion book.

Pure bred, white Plymouth Rock chickens for sale also eggs in season. Call on or address, R. G. Rulay, Oregon, Mo.

If your watch, clock, sewing machine, or gun needs repairing, take them to N. Kunkel, who has located in the building, first door east of Koeve's store.

W. B. Day, the saw mill man, is in the field for his lumber trade, and is now having the Henry Minton land, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Napier. He is prepared to fill your bills on short notice.

For that fine flour go to J. N. Zachman & Co. Prices lower than ever.

It looks to us people up this way that Representative O'Fallon had struck an all summer's job. He has been plodding on through Louisiana, Louisiana; Louisiana, Centennial and University.

Remember the coming brood sale of Wm. Rostock, Feb. 16th, at which time our farmers will have an opportunity of purchasing extra selected broods bred to a son of the great Old Tom, No. 1479, and Big Mare, No. 1782. See hand bills and notice in our next week's issue.

It now looks very much like our soldier boys will soon be home again. The Fourth regiment will be ordered out during the month of February there seems to be no doubt. The muster out will occur at Greenville, South Carolina, and they will receive one month's pay additional. They will also be allowed one day's pay of 50 cents for every twenty miles traveled from the place of muster to St. Joseph. From Greenville to St. Joseph is about 1065 miles, hence each man will receive \$27.45, financially, than if they had been brought to St. Joseph for muster out.

The Ariel Sextett, the famous Smith Sisters, gave their entertainment last Friday night to a very large audience at the M. E. church. The program was beyond expectations, and consisted of vocal music and instrumental music. A number of the songs were new, and were very original, and some of them were very original, and some of them were very original.

Flour lower than ever; another car just received from Humboldt, Neb., at J. N. Zachman & Co.

James T. Howell has leased this hotel building to Rose Brothers, of Elmgrove, who will remodel, furnish and otherwise improve the property. They will take possession, and ready for the public Feb. 1. They solicit your custom. Remember the place, The Howell House, west side of square.

The ladies of the St. Joseph Relief League are arranging to banquet the boys of the Fourth Missouri on their return home from the south. Col. Corby in a letter to Henry T. Mill, of St. Louis, states that the regiment will be mustered out about February 1st. They will have a magnificent reception tendered them on their arrival in St. Louis.

A special train loaded with the soldiers of the 20th infantry, passed through Forest City, Saturday, bound for Fort Leavenworth to Manila, going by the route of San Francisco. Bert Thayer, of Craig, is a member of this regiment. The soldiers were all in high spirits, and anxious to begin their journey across the eastern to the extreme western limits of the United States possessors.

POPULAR LOW-PRICE CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS. The Santa Fe Route daily excursions to California in tourist sleeping cars are deservedly popular. Cars are of newest pattern and very comfortable, having every necessary convenience.

These excursions are accompanied by Pullman conductors and porters, and are patronized by many of the best people. Low ticket rates.

The Santa Fe's California line is remarkably picturesque. Its middle course across the continent affords extremes of heat or cold.

For descriptive literature, address Geo. W. Hagenbuch, P. and T. A. T. S. F. Ry., Kansas City, Mo.

We have just received a full line of SHIRTS, PAJAMA and OVERALLS from the Wood Manufacturing Co., for whom we are agents. They are the Best Goods on the market-Warranted Not to Rip.

Buy your MUSLINS, SHIRTINGS, HEMSTITCHED, and LACES now while they are cheap and weather unfavorable for our door work.

We want 10,000 dozen eggs. Bring us your poultry.

Yours for Full Values,

KREEK BROS.,

N. W. Corner Square, OREGON, Mo.

Phone 22.

Ed. Fiegenbaum, of Geneva, Neb., was over this week visiting his parents.

Hot and cold baths are now on tap at C. C. Philbrick's barber shop, and now do keep clean.

L. I. Moore & Co. are closing out their stock of Queensware and Glassware. Prices very low.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a Francis E. Willard commemorative meeting, February 17th. Programs will be published soon.

H. A. Evans and wife are visiting in Valley Falls, Kansas, with his parents. He also attended the funeral of an uncle, who died recently in Leavenworth.

Lan Carroll has bought the bakery business and confectionery stock of R. H. Warrig, and will make extensive improvements in the business. He expects to conduct a restaurant in connection.

In obituary of William Ball, last week we stated that the funeral for the same was conducted from the family residence by Rev. H. Crampston, pastor of the M. E. church, a large concourse of friends and relatives being present.

J. M. Hosmer, "The Auctioneer," of Marysville, Mo., makes sales everywhere. After twenty-five years' experience he guarantees satisfaction. Write for catalogue or telephone for terms and dates.

All parties interested in creating a new school district out of portions of districts 29, 24, 27, and 33, known as Union, Oakland, Lincoln, and Kinsey, are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Hensley on the Jas. Kreider farm, on Friday evening, February 24, 1899.

The Missouri supreme court recently rendered a decision in the case of Frank Hill, which will have an effect in all counties in this state. A county court has no right to draw warrants in any form of security, after which the revenue of that year, unless there be a surplus fund on hand. The court ruled the fiscal year in all the counties is the year ending the first Monday in May and ends one year later.

At a meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America, held at their hall last Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, considerable business was transacted, after which a stranger was conducted through the forest and shown the mysteries of the woodcraft. The camp on this evening organized a hunting party, appointing two captains, with 34 men to the side. The hunt commenced on the last meeting night and continues eight weeks, the prize being a deer. The party will be out for the oyster supper. There were several visiting neighbors present. The camp is in a flourishing condition at some time.

Willie, the sixteen-year old son of Thomas Hughes, living two miles east of Richville, went out hunting last Saturday. He was with a 22 calibre target rifle. In getting over a fence, he first set his gun over and in getting over himself, his foot struck the trigger of the rifle, discharging it, the ball striking the occipital bone, and passing up to the top of the cranium, where it lodged. Dr. Thatcher was called, and by cutting removed the bullet. The protracted meeting was not seriously injured, it was a close call, and should be a warning to him to be more careful. About five years ago he was shot in the same place, and he said that he was very lucky to get away with his life.

A former Missouri boy, who began his newspaper career as "devil" in the office of the Daily News, has recently returned to his home in St. Joseph, Mo., and is now in the employ of the Commercial bank, and is now in the employ of the Commercial bank, and is now in the employ of the Commercial bank.

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The trade between Welly and Wehrli and J. A. Crawell and son has at last been conducted by the Citizens' bank of St. Joseph, Mo., and will open up for business with their usual vim and push. The people of Burlington Junction will find the Crawells to be first class citizens, good business men and pleasant persons to deal with.-Mound City News.

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The finest finished and easiest working Sweeper on the market. If you want the BEST buy the BISSELL'S Sweeper. They are first class and make a very useful Christmas present.

MANY GOODS

In our stock are suitable for presents, Silver Knives and Forks, Shears and Scissors, Pocket Cutlery, Razors, Sewing Machines, Heating and Cooking Stoves, Dofft Ware, Nickel and Copper Ware, etc.

See SANTA CLAUS and send him to our store and we will fit him out for you.

T. L. PRICE, - Hardware, OREGON, MO.

Several of our citizens now have the Oklahoma fever. Mrs. Schmutz has been quite sick, but is now improving. The new residence of Rich Schultz, is rapidly nearing completion.

John Young was on our streets last Monday looking very happy. Charles Atkins was a St. Joseph visitor the latter part of last week.

Bumpus is able to be out again after a long siege with the Grippe. W. B. Hurst has been attending court at Bethany, this state, for the past week.

Grandma Billman, who has been so seriously ill for so long, is now convalescing. Grandma Wahler, who has been quite sick, is now much better we are glad to learn.

The Ladies' Aid Society is somewhat abating in this vicinity, though there is a great deal of sickness still.

J. D. Ahrens, our buttermaker, attended a creamery convention at Kansas City last week.

Chris Fahrman and wife, from near Mount City, spent Sunday and Monday with their parents, in this city.

Waxing-Agents to sell our Lubricating Oils, Greases and famous Black Zanzibar Anti Rust Roof Paint. Liberal contracts offered.

Commonwealth Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

You can buy anything in the harness line at reduced prices at H. C. Schmidt's harness shop. Go and see before you buy and save money.

The new shops for the Burlington railroad will be built in Hannibal. The officials of the railroad, desiring to expend \$200,000 in the erection of them, and the board of directors will authorize the commencement of the work as soon as possible, with the exception of the protracted meeting, which will probably be begun within sixty days, and at least \$200,000 will be expended this year.

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Election Notice. Notice is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' bank of Oregon, Missouri, held at the office of the Citizens' bank in Oregon, Missouri, on Saturday February 11, 1899, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year and transacting any and all business that may come before said meeting. J. A. KREK, Secretary, David S. Sec'y of Board.

Dr. Stine will open her school, Monday, January 16th. All are cordially invited to call at any time. Sewing school in connection. Also Dressmaking, Cutting and fitting. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Through Tourist Sleepers to Portland, Oregon, for Puget Sound and Alaska Travel. Personal Conducted Tourist Routes via the Burlington Route from St. Louis to Portland, Oregon, will be established in service commencing February 12th, 1899.

They leave St. Louis at 8:45 P. M. Wednesdays; Kansas City 10:40 A. M. Thursdays; St. Joseph, 12:40 P. M. Thursdays; and run via Lincoln, Denver, Scottsbluff, & Salt Lake City. The current lowest rates to Seattle, Tacoma and Puget Sound ports apply via this route, offering an unusual chance to make steamer arrangements either at Portland, Tacoma or Seattle. Ask your ticket agent or the undersigned for special folder containing all details.

HOWARD ELLIOTT, L. W. WAKELEY, General Manager, General Passenger Agent, Forest City, Mo.

VISE HOVEY, Agent, Forest City, Mo.

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Nebraska, Colorado, Montana, Black Hills, Utah, California, Puget Sound,

Chicago and St. Louis.

VESTIBULE THROUGH TRAINS, SLEEPERS, DINING CARS, CHAIR CARS (SEAT).

ELLIOT MARSHALL, Div. Pass. Agt., ST. JOSEPH, MO. HOWARD ELLIOTT, GENL. MGR., ST. JOSEPH, MO. W. WAKELEY, GENL. PASSENGER AGENT, FOREST CITY, MO. VISE HOVEY, AGENT, FOREST CITY, MO.

Ten new pupils enrolled at the dress cutting school since the holidays.

Do you need your harness repaired and oiled? Get it done at H. C. Schmidt's harness shop. Charges reasonable.

Mrs. Florence Reichers, of Adams, Neb., and her children, of Lincoln, Neb., were visiting relatives in Oregon, this week.

Mr. Clarence Castle is again at his old place with H. C. Schmidt, making all kinds of new and repairing old harness. Give him a call.

The many friends of Grandmama Fahrman will be glad to learn that she is slowly convalescing, after a severe and protracted spell of grippe.

Married, at the Hotel Woodland, on January 25, 1899, by Rev. H. C. Schmidt, James D. Thompson and Miss Fannie Smith, both of Mound City.

Frank Allen, of Craig, has again been chosen vice-president of the Western Implement Dealers' Association, which recently held its annual meeting at Kansas City.

Joel C. Denny, for many years a citizen of Holt county, but now located at Mandan, North Dakota, is visiting his brothers at De Moines, Iowa. He is convalescing from a spell of sickness.

LOST-A yellow and white, wooly dog, with a tan colored collar on, with tag tag, 1897. Last seen, Jan. 16. Finder will please return to Mrs. S. B. Knowles and receive suitable reward.

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J. M. Hassness has been given a job at Jefferson City. He has been appointed clerk of the senate railroad committee, of which Senator Miller of this district is chairman. Byron Johnson will represent the county in the Craig Courier, during his absence.

The Burlington road leads all the railroads in shipping stock to Chicago; 54,570 cars of stock shipped on this road last year, 7,000 cars more than any other road. There was a million and a half of hogs, 670,000 cattle, and 274 horses, or a little more than the number of horses of any other road.

The Weather. Corrected weekly by William Kaucher, Justice of the Peace, Oregon, Mo.

MAXIMUM MINIMUM FALL. SNOW.

Jan. 14 44 25 0.14

13 47 30

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15 50 21

16 52 49

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January so far has been a mild winter month. There have been flying northward and flying high; robins and blue birds have come out of their shelters frequently through the month; as usual have the coldest weather of the winter in this month; temperatures far below zero are not uncommon; on the 18th of January, 1897, the temperature was 39 degrees below zero; on the next day, 28 1/2 below zero; on the 19th, 29 1/2 below zero; on the 20th, 28 1/2 below zero; on the 21st, 27 1/2 below zero; on the 22nd, 26 1/2 below zero; on the 23rd, 25 1/2 below zero; on the 24th, 24 1/2 below zero; on the 25th, 23 1/2 below zero; on the 26th, 22 1/2 below zero; on the 27th, 21 1/2 below zero; on the 28th, 20 1/2 below zero; on the 29th, 19 1/2 below zero; on the 30th, 18 1/2 below zero; on the 31st, 17 1/2 below zero.

Notice Is Hereby Given That sealed bids for superintendent of the county poor farm will be received at the County Clerk's office at Oregon, Missouri, until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 30th day of February, A. D. 1899. The court reserving the right to reject any and all bids. E. A. WELTY, By order of court. County Clerk.

EXPERT WORKMAN. not a Tinker. All kinds of Sewing Machines repaired or rebuilt. Mr. Wm. McKiever has the best of references from some of the largest Sewing Machine firms; will make it sew as good as new or no pay. He has tools to work with. Leave head of machine or orders with Price's Hardware store. Machines called for in country and delivered free. He charges for work, not for his know.

For Rent. 120 acre farm-20 acres in cultivation, good orchard. Improvements fair. Cheap for cash. R. C. BENTON, Agent, OREGON, MO.