A Splendid Balance Sheet.

The treasury surplus for the government fiscal year that ended June 30 is larger even than was expected. It stands at $81,229,777, or considerably more than double the estimate made by the Secretary of the Treasury last fall. June's surplus was $17,895,159, which indicates that one of the first acts of Congress at the next session will be to reduce the war taxes, as promised in the Republican platform. Last month the public debt decreased $14,897,553. Government expenditures in the fiscal year of 1900 were less than in 1899 by $118,313,008. Army and navy expenses were less by $101,000,000 than in the preceeding year. In the last fiscal year receipts from customs increased 14 per cent, from internal revenue 8 per cent and from miscellaneous sources 6 per cent. In spite of an army of 100,000 men and extended operations reaching from the West Indies to the Philippines the government comes out of the fiscal year with a cash surplus of over $81,000,000.

Figures of the foreign commerce of the United States for the full fiscal year are not yet made up, but enough is known to insure that they go far beyond any previous record. Our foreign trade for eleven months was $2,075,106,350, of which $788,882,722 was in imports and $1,286,225,808 in exports. The indicated total for the whole year is $1,400,000,000 of exports and $860,000,000 of imports an increase of 18 per cent, and the largest gain in the annals of American commerce. Gold exports and imports balance each other for the year, while the exports of silver exceeded the imports by over $20,000,000. The balance of trade in our favor for eleven months was $497,315,086 an enormous margin and explaining why Europe is seeking loans in this country. American manufactured articles to the extent of over $400,000,000 have gone abroad during the year, an increase of 30 per cent. The whole showing denotes a great and solid prosperity for the entire country.

Piles are not only in, and of themselves very painful and annoying, but often greatly aggravate and even cause other grave and painful affections, and should, therefore not be neglected. Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment is a great boon to sufferers as it will cure them. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. J. C. Philbrick.

Mothers endorse it, children like it old folks use it. We refer to One Minute Cough Cure. It will quickly cure all throat and lung troubles. For sale by S. W. Aiken and C. O. Proud.

Curzon.

—B. Dawson went to St. Joseph Saturday.

—Born, to A. T. Robertson and wife, July 24, 1900, a nice girl baby.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cooper visited relatives near Oregon, Sunday.

—Minton Goins, of Springfield, is visiting relatives in our burg and vicinity.

—Frank Norris and family, of Forbes, were the guests of Mrs. M's parents, Sunday.

—Mrs. Elvira Gibson came home Sunday from a few days' visit with relatives near Forbes.

—Mrs. W. R. Walker is visiting relatives and attending the Chautauqua at Wathena, Kansas.

—Mrs. A. G. Sherman, of Beatrice, Nebr., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Earl Cooper, and family.

—Silas Carter, of Forbes, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. J. Sipes, Sr., and family, last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker and Mrs. Sallie Whitmore, of Forbes, were calling on friends here Saturday.

—Mrs. H. E. Henry and daughter, of St. Joseph, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Hahn, and family the first of the week.

—Frank Rhinehalt and mother, Mrs. Susan Roderick, and Miss Sue Applegate, of near Forbes, were the guests of relatives and friends here Sunday.

—Jonathan Culp and family pulled in Monday of last week from his prospecting tour in Kansas and Oklahoma. He speaks well of the country and crops. They stopped a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Dave Elder, before going to their home in Oregon. INO.

NOVEMBER 6th, 1899.

PEPSIN SYRUP CO.

Dear Sirs:—I feel it my duty to write to you and let you know how much good your medicine has done for me. Twenty-three years ago I was taken with some kind of stomach trouble and I tried everything I heard of. They did me but little good. Three years ago neuralgia set in on me and I got so poor and weak that I could hardly walk—couldn't work any. My husband received a book through the mail, advertising your medicine, and he sent our little boy to the drug store to get one of your ten cent bottles. I began to use it. It is strange to say, but it's the truth, the second dose I took gave me lots of relief. I kept on using it till I used it nearly one year and now I am nearly as strong as I used to be and can do any kind of work. I recommend it to all, for it seems to me it would cure anybody. I have gotten several to use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and they all say it has done them so much good. God bless Dr. Caldwell and his medicine for doing me so much good.

Yours with respect,
MRS. ISABELL WHELER.
Freetown, Jackson Co., Ind.
Sold by T. S. Hinde & Son.

James Robinson.

James Robinson, who used to be the the idol of the young as "the champion bareback rider of the world" is spending his last years in a comfortable home in Audrain county. Although Mr. Robinson must be close to 70 years of age, he is as youthful in appearance and as spry in his physical conduct as a man of 40. His gray mustache, a mere wisp, is close cropped, his hair brushed smoothly in place, after the manner of bareback riders in the ring, and his clothing is as near to the current fashion as the tailors can make it. At his home Mr. Robinson retains several wellkept horses of the sort he used to ride about the sawdust arena, and in a treasure box are many belts and trophies secured in England and Europe from crowned heads that thought he rode well. Mr. Robinson invented many of the tricks of the circus ring and was the early teacher of some of the most famous riders of the day. He is a little man. His health continues the best. He feels that his long experience as an athlete has fitted him for many more years of active, contented life.

The Pill that Will Is the Pill You Want

Pills are necessary, but not nice. The fewer you take, the better. It's aggravating to take pills that don't and pills that won't. It's soothing to know that when you take a pill it's the pill that will do the work for which it's taken.

Ayer's Pills

have gained a reputation for their sure results. The pill that will is Ayer's. For all liver troubles, diseases of the stomach and bowels, for

Sick Headache,

biliousness and heartburn, Dr. Ayer's Pills have proven a specific, and they will cure you as they have cured thousands of others whose testimony is a matter of record. Ayer's Cure-Book is sent free by Dr. Ayer, Lowell, Mass. Send for it if you want to know more of the power of these pills than is proven in the following testimonials:

"I suffered nearly all my life with bowel complaints, enduring much pain, and I tried almost all the cathartic remedies advertised in the newspapers, without obtaining permanent relief until I used Ayer's Cathartic Pills. The result obtained from the use of these pills was wonderful. They not only gave immediate relief, but effected a permanent cure."
R. C. STODDARD, Delhi, Ont.

"I was ill for some time with liver trouble. My back ached, and my skin turned as yellow as saffron; I became unable to do any work, and at last was confined to my bed, too weak to move without assistance. I commenced the use of Ayer's Pills, and less than half a box cured me. I owe my present good health to their use, and I am never without them."
WM. OAKLEY, Lobelville, Tenn.

"I have used Ayer's Pills with excellent results for constipation. I find that they do not gripe nor purge, but do give relief."
CHARLES R. WHITE, Pittsgrove, N. J.

"I have used Ayer's Pills since 1845, and consider them superior to all other pills on the market. I always keep them in the house in case of emergency, and at one time they cured my wife of dyspepsia. I have found them good for all diseases caused by the Southern climate."
A. L. JONES, Elizabeth City, N. C.

Prepared by J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass. 25c. a box. For sale by all Druggists.

SETTLEMENT DOCKET
-OF-
Probate Court of Holt County, Mo.
Regular August Term, A. D., 1900.

First Day, Monday, August 13, A. D., 1900.

NAME OF ESTATE.	NAME OF ADMINISTRATOR, GUARDIAN, CURATOR OR EXECUTOR.	ADMINISTRATOR, CURATOR, EXECUTOR OR GUARDIAN.	SETTEMENT.
1. Morris, Richard O..	Penina A. Morris	Guardian	15th annual
2. Price, Daisy.	Daniel Zachman	Guardian	2nd annual
3. Ward, Joseph, et al	H. L. Ward	Guardian	5th annual
4. Burgess, William	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Administrator	final
5. Wampler, Hattie, et al	Martin Wampler	Guardian	9th annual
6. Burger, Fred E..	Howard F. Perry	Guardian	6th annual
7. Williams, Lottie, et al	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Guardian	final

Second Day, Tuesday, August 14, A. D., 1900.

8. Gilis, Martha.	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Guardian	final
9. Allen, Edgar P..	George H. Allen	Guardian	8th annual
10. Aeschlacker, Susan.	Christian Buetzer	Guardian	6th annual
11. Abbott, Myrtle, et al	Geo. W. Glick	Guardian	3rd annual
12. Morrison, Mary.	W. B. Davis	Guardian	10th annual
13. Taylor, Alfred C.,	Van Taylor	Executor	2nd annual
14. Smith, George B.,	Wm. Smith	Administrator	2nd annual

Third Day, Wednesday, August 15, A. D., 1900.

15. Meek, Dr Berry	Bass Meek	Guardian	1st annual
16. Butts, Cornelius,	William Butts	Guardian	final
17. Bain, Julia, et al	James W. Bain	Guardian	6th annual
18. Casey Emma J.,	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Guardian	final
19. Goldsberry, Elizabeth.	John A. Goldsberry	Executor	1st annual
20. Gelvin, Leslie, et al	David A. Gelvin	Guardian	1st annual
21. Kretzer, Effie May,	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Guardian	final

Fourth Day, Thursday, August 16, A. D., 1900.

22. Phelps, Margaret E..	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Administrator	final
23. Cross, Oliver.	George Lehmer	Guardian	final
24. Hahn, Stella.	Giles A. Laughlin	Public Administrator	final
25. Shipley, William E..	Sarah E. Shipley	Guardian	final
26. Shipley, Lewis A.,	Sarah E. Shipley	Administratrix	1st annual
27. Banks, William	David W. Porter	Administrator	1st annual

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt. }
I, George W. Murphy, Judge of the Probate Court within and for Holt County, Missouri, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of the Probate Settlement Docket for May term, A. D., 1900, of said court, as the same appears of record in my office.
Witness my hand as Judge, and the seal of said court. Done at office in Oregon this [SEAL.] 11th day of April, 1900.

GEORGE W. MURPHY,
Judge of Probate Court.

NOTICE.

Administrators, Executors, Guardians and Curators are urged to be prompt in making their settlements, and are respectfully referred to the following sections of law:

Section 218, of Volume I, of the Revised Statutes of 1889, reads as follows: "The court shall call the name of Executors and Administrators on the day for which their settlements are docketed, and if any Executor or Administrator fail to appear and make settlement, the court shall continue such settlement to the subsequent term, and the clerk shall immediately issue a citation to such Executor or Administrator, requiring him to make settlement at the next term of court, and show cause, if any he have, why attachment should not issue against him for failing to make settlement according to law."

And Section 521, of Volume II, of the Revised Statutes of 1889, reads as follows: "The court shall call the names of Guardians and Curators on the day for which their settlements are docketed, and if any Guardian or Curator fail to appear and make settlement, the clerk shall immediately issue a citation to such Guardian or Curator, requiring him within 20 days to make settlement, and shw cause, if any he have, why attachment should not issue against him or failing to make settlement according to law."

People Going West or Northwest should not fail to write John DeWitt, Division Passenger Agent, Burlington Route, St. Joseph, Mo., in order to get the best rates, the best train service and all those travelling comforts which characterize this railroad. Letters or inquiry will always be answered with that fair dealing which has made the Burlington Route what it is,—the road that can take the best care of you to any point in the west.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists.

A Free Trip to Paris!
Reliable persons of a mechanical or inventive mind desiring a trip to the Paris Exposition, with good salary and expenses paid, should write The PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.

For digestive weakness, nervousness, pains in the side, flatulence, dizziness, wakefulness, headache and other annoying accompainments of costiveness, Herbine is a prompt and unequalled remedy. Price, 50 cents. J. C. Philbrick.

"THE NEBRASKA-COLORADO EXPRESS." A NEW TRAIN.

On June 4th the Burlington Route puts into its passenger service to the West a new fast daily train to Denver leaving Central Missouri and Missouri River cities at night, arriving at Denver at 6:20 p. m. the next day. Direct via St. Joseph and Southern Nebraska.

This service is entirely additional to the Burlington's great scheme of passenger train service to the West and Northwest.

California Excursions every Thursday morning. Tourist sleepers Tuesdays and Thursdays, St. Joseph to Seattle, via Billings Route.

For details, ask your ticket agent or
JNO. DE WITT, Div. P. A., St. Joseph, Mo.
L. W. WAKELEY, Gen'l P. A., St Louis, Mo.
HOWARD ELLOITT, General Manager, St. Joseph, Mo.
VINE HOVEY, Agent, Forest City, Mo.

The quicker you stop a cough or cold the less danger there will be of fatal lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. You will like it. For sale by S. W. Aiken and C. O. Proud.

The Belgian Draft Stallion.

ROMEO!

ROMEO will make the present season at my farm, 3½ miles northeast of Oregon, with the fine sabbler, "On-Time" and the two splendid Jacks, Dick Johnson and Zollicoffer.

Description and Pedigree:

ROMEO is an Imported Belgian Draft. Romeo is a fine horse, with good bone and a fine top. Is black in color with small star in forehead; stands 16 hands high and weighs 1,200 pounds. He is a perfect specimen of the draft horse, splendid walker and trotter, good length and great breadth; good feet. It will pay you to see him before breeding your mares.

Terms and Conkitions:

$8 to insure colt to stand and suck. When mare is parted with or removed from original locality, money for service becomes due at once. A lien on mare and foal will be held for insurance money. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

The Thoroughbred Saddle Stallion,
On Time!

DESCRIPTION.

On-Time is a fine, bright bay, 8 years old and weighs about 1200. He will be allowed to serve a limited number of mares at my barn 3 miles east of Oregon, for the season of 1900.

PEDIGREE.

On-Time by Old On-Time, and he by Stonewall Jackson. First dam by Bellshazzar; second by Frank, Thoroughbred. On-Time, Jr., is out of Jenny Lind; she by Sir Wallace, and Jenny's dam was a Thoroughbred race mare and sired by Joe Brown, an imported race horse, Jenny's grand-dam was Sir Albion. On-Time is eligible to register.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

$8 to insure living colt. If mare is traded or parted with, sold or removed from original locality, money for service becomes due and payable at once. A lien on mare and foal will be held for insurance money. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

The Celebrated Jacks,

Zollicoffer and Dick Johnson

They will make the season of 1900 at the same place as the stallion, On-Time.

DESCRIPTIONS AND PEDIGREES.

Zollicoffer is a dark brown, 11 years old this spring, 16 hands high and weighs 1000.

Dick Johnson will be allowed to serve a limited number of mares. He is black with white points, 9 years old, 16 hands high and weighs 1000 pounds.

Both these jacks have pedigrees fully recorded.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

$8 to insure a colt by Zollicoffer, and $10 by Dick Johnson, conditions being the same as for On-Time.

☞Do not bring your mares on Sunday, for I will positively not do any business on that day.

GEORGE S. STEPHENSON.

Champ Clark for Senator.

A dispatch received from White Cloud, Kas., where a Chautauqua meeting was in progress, states that Champ Clark announced that he would be a candidate for the United States Senate, to succeed Senator Vest.

The dispatch says: Congressman Clark, in talking over the political prospects in Missouri with R. C. Benton, of Oregon, said: "I am going to canvass my district thoroughly as soon as I get through this speech making, first in a buggy, making all the places away from the railroad, and later, after the weather gets bad, I will make the railroad towns. I would rather serve in congress than in the senate if I could be elected for six years, but this thing of working hard in congress and then getting out in your district and working like thunder every other year, is too hard."

"You are after Mr. Vest's place then?" inquired Mr. Benton.

"Yes," replied Mr. Clark. "Stone, De Armond, myself and several others are after it. If Bryan is defeated Stone will quit and begin his campaign for the presidential nomination four years hence and I will have a good chance for the place."

"But you do not think Mr. Bryan will be defeated, do you, Mr. Clark?" inquired Mr. Benton.

"It don't look that way now," replied Mr. Clark, "or I wouldn't be out making these speeches."

"How is your county?" inquired Mr. Clark.

"About 100 safely Republican," replied Mr. Benton.

"You find out what you can do for me and if you can promise me a vote in the legislature I will make you a few campaign speeches and help you carry the county."

Although Missouri politicians have suspected for months past that Clark was perfecting his political fences with the senatorship in view no authorized statement of his candidacy could be pointed to.

Clark's course has been altogether different from that of the other Missouri politicians suspected of having senatorial aspirations. It has been an open secret that Dockery's ambition was to serve the state as senator, but whether he would seek the office during the gubernatorial term has been a matter of speculation. Stone has been an acknowledged candidate for the place. Clark has opposed Dockery in everything and fought Stone wherever the opportunity presented.

Prior to his recent engagement with Stephens and Phelps ex-Governor Stone was looked upon as the certain successor of Vest. The state politicians ambitious to succeed Vest has been suspected of promoting the fight against Stone and Clark's course at Jefferson City, which was openly unfriendly to Stone, strengthened the suspicion.

In addition to Stone, Dockery and Clark, Judge De Armond of the Sixth Congressional district and M. E. Benton of the Fifteenth are said to be playing for senatorial honors. Senator Vest's term of office expires in 1903 and he has stated that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

BUCHANAN, MICH, May 22.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:
Gentlemen:—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package of Grain-O every week. I am ten years old. Yours respectfully,
FANNIE WILLIAMS.

Stock Food.

Mr. Editor:—If you have a recipe for making stock food will you please give it to me?

If a condimental food is desired the following from Stewarts "Feeding Animals" may be found useful. Linseed oil cake, twenty-five pounds; flax seed, ten pounds; molasses, twenty pounds; corn meal, forty pounds; tumeric, a pound and a half; ginger, two ounces; caraway seed, two ounces; gentian, eight ounces; cream of tartar, two ounces; sulphur, one pound; common salt, one pound; coriander seed, ten ounces. The flax seed may be boiled in ten gallons of water until a thin mucilage is made, then stir in the tumeric, ginger, caraway seed, gentian, cream of tartar, sulphur, common salt and coriander. Add the molasses, then the corn meal and ground oil cake, stirring well together. If it is intended to keep long it should be dried in an oven and reduced by grinding for convient use. The materials may be ground together in their natural state without the use of boiling water if desired. We doubt, however, whether our correspondent can make a condimental food of this kind as cheaply as he can buy it from those who purchase the materials by wholesale and have facilities for compounding them.—Live Stock Indicator.

In India, the land of famine, thousands die because they cannot obtain food. In America, the land of plenty many suffer and die because they cannot digest the food they eat. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It instantly relieves radically cures all stomach troubles. For sale by S. W. Aiken and C. O. Proud.

Peculiar Coincidence.

A very peculiar coincidence, to say the least, is noted in the report of the deaths of three members of Modern Woodmen Camp No. 2586, Watson, Kansas, which occured on the 5inst. The men were Frank E. Cox, Sherman B. Cox and Wm. J. Whitlow, and their certificates of membership in the Woodmen were respectively numbered 151,554, 161,525, and 161,526 in the amounts, respectively, of $1,000, $2,000 and $1,000. All three joined the Woodmen society at the same time, their certificates issuing on November 21, 1894, making their duration in the society 5 years, 5 months and 15 days. At the time of becoming members all three made their certificates payable to "mother." Later all three got married and changed their certifiate from "mother" to "wife." According to the report of their deaths received at the head office of the society in Rock Island, Illinois, the men were out fishing in Wakarusa creek on the 5th day of May. The boat was upset and all three were drowned. To round out the incident all three were buried at the same time from the the same church.—Ex.

A Woman Only Knows
what suffering from falling of the womb, whites, painful or irregular menses, or any disease of the distinctly feminine organs is. A man may sympathize or pity but he can not know the agonies she goes through—the terrible suffering, so patiently borne, which robs her of beauty, hope and happiness. Yet this suffering really is needless.

McELREE'S Wine of Cardui
will banish it. This medicine cures all "female diseases" quickly and permanently. It does away with humiliating physical examinations. The treatment may be taken at home. There is not continual expense and trouble. The sufferer is cured and *stays cured*.
Wine of Cardui is becoming the leading remedy for all troubles of this class. It costs but $1 from any druggist.
For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, the "Ladies Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.
MRS. C. J. WEST, Nashville, Tenn., writes:—"This wonderful medicine ought to be in every house where there are girls and women."

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.
It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion.
50c. and $1. Large size contains 2½ times trial size. Book all about dyspepsia mailed free
Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., Chicago.
Sold by S. W. AIKEN, Oregon, Mo.

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FOR HEAD AND HEART.
By D. L. Moody
A complete history of the life by Rev. CHAS. F. MOODY, of Mr. Moody's Chicago Church for five years. Introduction by Rev. LYMAN ABBOTT, D. D. 6,000 more wanted by the author. $2,000 made by one agent. WANTED—Men and Women. $75 salary or large commission. Time for Agents. Send for terms. WASHINGTON & CO., Hartford, Conn.

The wolf in the fable put on sheep's clothing because if he traveled on his own reputation he couldn't accomplish his purpose. Counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve couldn't sell their worthless salves on their merits, so they put them in boxes and wrappers like DeWitt's. Look out for them. Take only DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles and all skin diseases. For sale by S. W. Aiken and C. O. Proud.

Bids

will be received for a remedy that is equal to Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. For particulars ask T. S. Hinde & Son.

Sheriff's Sale in Partition.

Geo. E. Gelvin,
vs.
Frances I. McIntyre, Eliza A. Weigel, Rebbecca A. Patterson, Elizabeth Van Dusen, John Carroll, Mary E. Reel and Giles A. Laughlin, her guardian, Hiram N Joslyn and James Nowland.

In the Circuit Court of Holt County, Missouri.

By virtue and authority of a decree and order of sale made by the said court, in the above entitled cause, and of a certified copy thereof, dated March 15, 1900, I will, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1900,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Oregon in Holt County, Missouri, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, viz:

The southwest quarter (s. w. ¼) of section number twenty-eight (28) in township number sixty (60), of range number thirty-seven (37.)

All lying and being in Holt county, State of Missouri.

Terms of Sale as follows, viz.: Cash in hand.
JOHN RAMSAY, Sheriff.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt. }
In the Probate Court of the County of Holt and State of Missouri, May Term, 1900.
In the matter of the estate of Joseph Bucher, deceased, W. H. Richards, Administrator.
Order of Publication.

Now, here at this 19th day of May, A. D., 1900, comes W. H. Richards, Administrator, of the estate of Joseph Bucher, deceased, presents to the Court his petition praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case, on examination wherefof it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be held on the 13th of August next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in this county for four weeks before the next term of this court.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt. }
I, Geo. W. Murphy, Judge of the Probate Court within and for said county, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original order of publication therein referred to, as the same appears of record in my office.
Witness my hand as judge and the seal of our [SEAL.] said court. Done at my office in Oregon in said county, this 19th day of July, A. D., 1900.
GEO. W. MURPHY,
Judge of Probate Court.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt, }
In the probate court of the County of Holt and State of Missouri, May term, 1900.
In the matter of of the estate of Harriet Arterburn, deceased, William H. Wood, Administrator. Order of Publication

William H. Wood, administrator of the estate of Harriet Arterburn, deceased, presents to the court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case; on examination whereof it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be held on the 13th day of August, next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in this county for four weeks before the next term of this court.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt. }
I, George W. Murphy, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for said county, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original order of publication therein referred to, as the same appears of record in my office.
Witness my hand as judge and the seal of SEAL.] our said court. Done at my office in Oregon in said county, this 9th day of July, A. D., 1900.
GEORGE W. MURPHY,
Judge of Probate Court.

It will surprise you to experience the benefit obtained by using the dainty and famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. For sale by S. W. Aiken and C. O. Proud.

Farm Furrows.

Because a hen steals her nest is no reason why some chicken thief should steal her brood. Such things occur and broods have been stolen where the nest has been an incubator. The average chicken thief is not particular how the chickens were hatched or how they were fed so they are handy when he gets chicken hungry. I think more of a man who will not speak to me when he passes than of the man who steals chickens.

When it gets very hot, one is inclined to believe he could stand the cold better, and when winter comes and coal bills are piling up, he feels that hot weather would be a blessing. It is so natural to be dissatisfied with existing conditions. It is either too hot or too cold, too wet or too dry. The think to do is to make the very best of the conditions as we find them. When it is too hot try to keep cool, and when it is too cold try to keep warm.

Grain can be shocked in such a manner as to be injured by a very little rain. It can be shocked so as to withstand almost any ordinary weather. Some farmers know how to do a good job of shocking and others know how but fail to do it. The man who does not know how is excusable for poor work. I know that sometimes the grain is lodged and in a condition to do very unsatisfactory work, but most of the time we do not do as well as we know. I like a good sized shock set up so it will stay, and I prefer to have hudders on it to keep out any excessive moisture that may fall. Trust in Providence, but keep your grain dry.

The weight of a bushel of various kinds of products is a very variable quantity. The lightest bushel we have, perhaps, among the products usually sold is blue grass seed, which weighs but 14 pounds. Next comes such products as bran and charcoal weighing 20 pounds. Dried apples weigh 21 pounds and broom corn seed 30 pounds, which is also the weight of sorghum seed. Oats weigh 32 pounds and so do blackberries, raspberries, strawberries and osage orange seed. Dried peaches weigh 33 pounds per bushel and coke 38 pounds. Cherries, currants, gooseberries, grapes and plums weigh 40 pounds. Hemp seed weighs 44 pounds, timothy seed 45 pounds and castor beans and sweet potatoes 46 pounds to the bushel. Green apples, barley, Hungarian grass seed, millet seed, green peaches and quinces weigh 48 pounds, salt 50 pounds, buckwheat 52 pounds, shelled corn, flax seed and rye 56 pounds, onions 57 pounds and wheat, potatoes, clover seed and beans 60 pounds. Corn on the cob weighs 70 pounds and coal and lime 80 pounds. Sand weighs 130 pounds to the bushel.

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Chinese Boxers.

For several weeks last past the columns of all American newspapers have been filled with accounts of the doings of a party in China called "Boxers." As to just what these people are, or what they want is not very clear at this time, but the most authentic accounts obtainable we have arrived at about the following concerning them

This new organization consists of something near 11,000,000 in numbers, and are principally located in northern China. They are said to be loyal to the empress, whom they blindly follow, and their express object is to banish from the Flowery kingdom all foreigners without exception. Those who are members are very ignorant and superstitous, and those who join the order must take an oath to assist in exterminating all foreigners. They believe that the invasion of China by foreigners means the ultimate destruction of all Chinaman and they are particularly hostile and aggressive toward all missionaries who preach a different religion from theirs. Their religion is a peculiar belief that the heathen gods whom they worship will protect them in battle from gun or sword; that the only harm that can come to them will be from the fists, hence the name—boxers. A prominent Chinaman in this country, who is well informed in relation to the conditions in China says: "The boxers will never gain the day. They have no idea whatever of the strength of the foreigners, or of the reform party that has been organized to supress them, and their mode of warefare—with their fists—is simply ridiculous.

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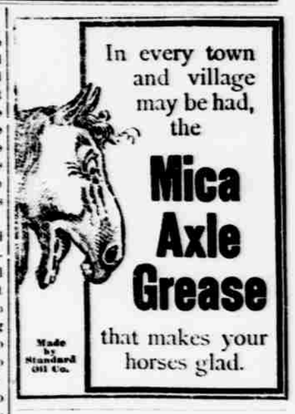

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Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of Holt. }
In the Circuit Court of Holt County, in said State, to the August Term, 1900.

Joel Lovelady, Plaintiff,
vs.
Cora E. Lovelady, Denfendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein, by Henry T. Aikire, his attorney, and files his petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendant, Cora E. Lovelady, is not a resident of the State of Missouri.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk, that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against her in this court, the object and general nature of which is that plaintiffs seeks to be divorced from the bonds of matrimony contracted with the defendant in Holt county, Missouri, on the 12th day of December, A. D., 1895, on the grounds of adultery alleged to have been committed by said defendant; and that unless the said defendant, Cora E. Lovelady, be and appear at this court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house, in the city of Oregon in said county, on the 27th day of August next, and on or before the sixth day of said term—if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term—answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published according to law in the HOLT COUNTY SENTINEL for four successive weeks, the last insertion of which to be at least four weeks before the said 27th day of August, 1900.
GEO. W. HOGREFE, Clerk.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand as clerk, and the seal of said [SEAL.] court. Done at office in Oregon, this 19th day of June, 1900.
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