

ANNOUNCEMENT.

County Clerk.

We are authorized to announce Wesley J. Zachman, of Nodaway township, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Charles W. Lukens, of Hickory township, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Frank L. Zeller, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Recorder of Deeds

We are authorized to announce John M. Speer, of Liberty township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Smith S. Meadows, of Clay township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Elmer W. Hunter, of Clay township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce George Lehner, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce George E. Gelvin, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce John A. Springer, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce John Ramsey, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce A. R. McNulty, of Benton township, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Collector of Revenue.

We are authorized to announce George F. Seaman, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Fred J. Dankers, of Lincoln township, as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Neville Dickson, of Forest township, as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Claud Clark, of Benton township, as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce William H. Alkire, of Milton township, as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Fred W. Cook, of Union township, as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce George W. Cummins, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Prosecuting Attorney.

We are authorized to announce Harry M. Dungan, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce George W. Murphy, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Probate Judge.

We are authorized to announce George W. Wright, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Judge at Large.

We are authorized to announce Henry E. Crider, of Clay township, as a candidate for the office of Judge at Large, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Jacob W. Crider, of Clay township, as a candidate for the office of Judge at Large, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

District Judge.

We are authorized to announce George W. Cotten, of Forbes township, as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the County Court, for the First District, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Philip Schlotzhauer, as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the County Court, for the First District, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Representative.

We are authorized to announce William H. Hardman, of Lewis township, as a candidate for the office of Representative of the County Court, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of John S. Stafford, late of the County of Holt and State of Missouri, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, M. D. Walker, by the Probate Court of said County of Holt, Missouri, on the date of May 10, 1906. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of the publication of this notice, they will be forever barred.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given to all land owners in the Squaw Creek Drainage District No. 1, Holt County and State of Missouri, to meet on

Monday, June 18, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Exodus school house, in school district No. 49, in Holt County, Missouri, in said drainage district, for the purpose of electing one supervisor and for the term of five years.

Done by order of the Board of Supervisors of Squaw Creek Drainage District No. 1. This 15th day of May, 1906.

JOHN S. SMITH, Chairman. F. L. ZELLER, Secretary.

Attest: F. L. ZELLER, Secretary.

—Curt Kennedy, wife and little son, Robert, of St. Joseph, were visiting here, this week, the guests of the "Old Folks at Home." Curt was called home Thursday, but his wife and little boy remained for a little longer visit.

—This is a White Goods season, and we are showing an extensive line of the best selling lines at attractive prices.

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Memorial Day.

What shall be said of Memorial Day? The eloquence of orators has been expended, the passions of poetry invoked, to do it honor for these many years. It is an unique day of its kind. In all the countries on the earth there is nothing like Memorial Day in America. We have our Fourth of July. That is a patriotic occasion. It is celebrated with exuberant demonstrations, with the firing of cannon by day, the bursting of rockets by night. Most nations have such a memorial event in their history. But in reverence of the dead, and in our way of showing respect to their memories, America, we believe, has no imitator. The graves of the soldiers are scattered all over the country. The bones of some are bleaching in Southern soil. In numerous graveyards throughout the North plain, white stones mark their last resting places. In others, stately monuments have been erected to their memory. Wherever they lie they are honored. They gave their lives that the nation might live. It is a quaint and tender conceit—the decoration of the graves of the patriotic dead with flowers. Flowers are the children of rain and sunshine, growing and pointing upwards to the source from whence they derive their being. Their perfume ascends as incense to the throne of the Most High. He must be narrow-souled who doubts that God has taken the man into his sheltering embrace, who left wife, home, children, brothers and sisters, fathers and mothers to go forth and fight for the right. Never did man fall in a cause more righteous; never went forth men to battle with holier motives. So their graves Wednesday next will be strewn with flowers—the purest and sweetest of nature's gifts. Each year a few more graves are added—as an old comrade responds to the call, and joins above those with whom he has stood shoulder to shoulder below. The ranks of the old soldiers are thinning fast. We miss their gray locks fluttering in the wind on this annual occasion. But who can doubt that they go to their rest with thankful hearts, knowing that their memories will be kept green and their examples emulated by the rising generation?

Home Coming Oregonians.

To the EDITORS OF THE SENTINEL, Oregon, Mo.—By all means push the "Home Coming" festival for Missourians in 1907. There are thousands of us, more or less distant, who never forget the old state, and who may be depended upon to get into the game and help make "Home Coming Week" a success. You would be surprised to know how many former Missourians there are in Nebraska, and how many of them have achieved fame. The mayors of the three largest cities in Nebraska are Missourians; Dahlman, of Omaha, Hector, of South Omaha and Brown, of Lincoln. Willis D. Oldham, another Missourian, is commissioner of the supreme court. Frank Ransom, of Omaha, is one of the big lawyers of the state. Richard L. Metcalfe, associate editor of The Commoner, was raised in Missouri. J. B. Kitchen, owner of the largest hotel in the state, The Paxton, at Omaha, is a Missourian. John E. Utt, general agent of the Rock Island, with headquarters in Omaha, is a Missourian product. The Lincoln Daily Star, one of the great newspapers of the west, is under the direction of former Missourians, Col. C. B. Edgar, formerly of the St. Joseph News, being editor and publisher, and A. L. Gale, formerly of St. Joseph and later of Kansas City, being managing editor. John E. Miller, of the firm of Miller & Paine, Lincoln, and head of one of the largest department stores in the west, is a Missourian. Ervine King, until recently managing partner in the Ivy Press printing house Lincoln; Col. "Bill" Boyer, former owner of the Omaha Evening World Herald; Charles B. Righter, manager of the Righter Linotype Composition Co., Lincoln; Mr. Rhea, local manager of a big commission firm, Lincoln—I could string this list out indefinitely—are former Missourians, who are always "boosting" for the old state. If all former Missourians, now in Nebraska, should leave for a visit to the old state it would almost depopulate Nebraska. And what a time we could have in old Oregon if the "old bunch" of my youthful days visited there at once some week in 1907! I rather opine we'd make the old town sit up and take notice of our presence. Lou Hill, Will Schatz, Charley Soper, "Bob" Schatz, Frank and Bryant Peter, Mont Curry, Grant Holtz, Mont Austin, and all the rest of them! "Old Home Week?" Well, I should say so. It would take a mighty hard spell of sickness to keep me away. Let Oregon determine right now to make "Old Home Week" in June of 1907, something that will be remembered as long as any of us live.

WILL M. MAUPIN, Lincoln, Nebr., May 12, 1906.

—Single Drivers will be the subject of the show on Saturday, June 16th.

—If you will take the trouble to go over some of the rural mail routes, you will observe all grades of mail boxes along the route. Many of them were not handy for him to get mail into and out of. Surely any farmer ought to have pride enough about him and appreciation of the service to provide a good box of an approved pattern.

Well Done, Republicans.

The Bigelow convention of Republicans certainly voiced the true sentiment of Holt county, when it endorsed the Hon John Kennish for the Republican nomination for Judge of the Supreme Court. For many years this county has been the home of John Kennish, and our people know him. As a lawyer, citizen or neighbor he outranked the best of men. When he was prosecuting attorney, he was more than successful, and as our representative in the state senate he surpassed the highest expectations of his friends. All our people know him, and know that he is as firm and fearless in the discharge of duty, or the defense of the right as any man of our state. The people of the county feel that with John Kennish setting in the supreme court, the property or rights of the people will receive the most watchful care of an able and fearless judge. His election would strengthen the public confidence in the impartiality and incorruptibility of our court of last resort.

Never Better.

We have been in this tully old country of Holt for now 30 years, but we think we never saw the prospect for fruit as good as it is now. If there is a tree that can bear fruit that is not or has not been in full bloom, we don't know what one it is or where it is located. We are not figuring on the amount of the fruit crop. We have seen good prospects before this go glimmering, but we say let every dweller in Holt rejoice in the prospect even if calamity comes along later—if it don't come later, it is likely that Silas Bucher will have 5,000 and N. F. Murray, 4,000 bushels of budded peaches and James Kelley will have fully 3,000 bushels of both budded and seedlings.

These are only samples of what is expected along the peach line. The fact is that it is worth while to see and smell the blossoms just now even if there is not an apple or a peach in the fall. A sight of Old Holt at the blossom time would quench a man's desire for Paradise. Talk to him of the River of Life and the tree growing by the bank bearing its 12 kinds of fruit and he will take you out to his orchard filled with its apple and peach bloom and ask if you really think there is anything in the saccharine subsequently that holds over that. The sight of the blooming orchards, the fields of wheat growing rank and green, the sound of the humming bees, and the ozone that fills the air, all tend to make a mortal renew his age like the eagle. Spring is a good time to live, a poor time to die. This old world, especially this part of it, the old Platte Purchase, seems too good to leave in the spring. August or September is the proper time to pass away. Then the ground is apt to be bare and blistered with the sun. Dogs are going mad and chickens are apt to have the pips. That is the time when the average mortal ought to be most reconciled to get off the earth, but it is tough to have to go in the spring.

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Going Higher.

From William E. Curtis, special correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald, of recent date, we glean the following in regard to railroad building in the Philippine Islands, and reproduce the article, for the interest it contains, and also because one of the chief engineers is Mr. Lawrence E. Bennett, a former Holt county boy, and a brother of Mrs. L. R. Knowles, of this city:

In the construction of the railroads in Cebu, Panay and Negros Mr. Beard will be assisted by Lawrence E. Bennett, an engineer of wide experience in Spanish and eastern countries. He was formerly general superintendent of the famous Oroya Railroad in Peru, and built a division of that road which is notable for being the most elevated piece of railroad construction in the world, crossing the Andes at an altitude of more than 15,000 feet. Mr. Bennett spent several years in Siam, where he built the K-rat Railway, and was consulting engineer for that government in other public works. In 1901 he went to the Philippines to act in a similar capacity to Governor Taft and outlined the scheme of transportation which is now being carried out. The railroads to be built in the Philippines by J. G. White & Co., will involve an investment of something like \$11,000,000.

He Was There.

Howard S. Teare, who represented the Holt county lodges of Odd Fellows at the recent session of the grand lodge, which was held at Kirksville, writes the brethren of the order:

"The session was held in the chapel of the Kirksville Normal building with Grand Master, J. W. Wilkerson, presiding.

Besides the officers there were 97 representatives, 15 Past Grand Masters and over 100 subordinate Past Grands in attendance.

The Rebekah State Assembly also convened at the same place and their sessions were held in the court house, there was 197 Rebekah delegates in attendance so you can see the town was crowded good and plenty. Mrs. Fred Vanderveer, of Mound City, was the only delegate from Holt county.

The Militant Branch of the order was represented by the famous Joplin Degree Staff, of Joplin, Mo., and they conferred the Degree of Chivalry on several distinguished members of the Rebekah and Subordinate Lodges, including Miss Mamie Stewart, editor of the Missouri Old Fellow. This degree was conferred on the court house grounds and was public.

The annual Memorial exercises were held in the court house on Wednesday evening and there was a tremendous crowd there, Past Grand Master, W. O. L. Jewett, presided. Several speakers paid tribute to those of the order who had died since the last session, Past Grand Master, J. B. Jewell, spoke of Grand Secretary, E. M. Sloan, and Past Grand Master, T. P. Rixey, spoke of Grand Treasurer Thompson. They are both fine talkers and there was lots of damp handkerchiefs in the audience when Brother Jewell had finished.

Several changes was made in the laws of the order, but you will see them when the new Journal comes out.

Brother L. J. Easton was installed as Grand Master for the coming year and Brother S. F. Clark, of Kansas City, Deputy Grand Master.

The next session will be held in St. Louis. Maryville tried hard to get it, but didn't succeed."

Yours in F. L. and T., HOWARD S. TEARE.

The Road Convention.

Last week a state convention was held at Columbia for the purpose of considering the road question. This convention was participated in by the members of the various county courts of our state, Holt county being represented by Judge at Large, Jacob Wehrli. After deliberating on the subject for two days, a few general principles were agreed upon as stated in the following resolutions:

RESOLVED: 1st. That we favor such amendment to the Constitution of the State as will give to the County Courts of the various counties upon a majority vote of the qualified voters voting at an election held for that purpose, the power to levy a direct tax or issue bonds for road and bridge purposes to an amount within the limits now provided by the Constitution.

2d. That we favor the adoption of the following amendment to the Constitution of the State: In addition to taxes authorized to be levied for county purposes under and by virtue of section 11, article 10 of the Constitution of this State, the county courts in the several counties of this state not under township organization, and the township board of directors of the counties under township organization, may in their discretion levy and collect a special tax not exceeding thirty cents on each one hundred dollars valuation, to be used for road and bridge purposes, but for no other purpose, whatever; and the power hereby given said county courts and township boards is declared to be a discretionary power.

3rd. That we favor the principle of State Aid for road improvement, and to that end we favor: 1. A constitutional amendment providing for a state board of ten cents on the one hundred dollars valuation. 2. We favor an appropriation by the next general assembly

from the state revenue fund the sum of \$500,000 to be apportioned to the various counties of this state upon an equitable plan, for road improvement.

4th. That we favor the creation of the office of state highway engineer and we favor the creation of a similar office who shall have charge of said work in each county of the state.

5th. That we recommend to Governor Folk the calling of an extra session of the general assembly for the purpose of preparing and submitting a constitutional amendment providing for a road and bridge tax, which shall be voted upon by the people of Missouri after the general election in November, 1906.

6th. That the chairman of this convention appoint a committee of twelve to present these resolutions to Governor Folk.

7th. That the thanks of this convention are due and are hereby extended to the citizens of Columbia and the Boone county officials for their kindness and attention to the members of this convention; and also to Hon. Jas. H. Whitecotton, Hon. N. T. Gentry, Hon. Sam. B. Cook and Hon. I. C. Dempsey for addressing this convention. That the special thanks of this convention are due to the judges of the Boone county court for calling this convention, and inaugurating this grand movement.

Judge H. H. Childs, Lawrence county, chairman; Judge A. W. Gross, Clay county; Judge C. E. Messerly, Pettis county; R. N. B. Gine, Monroe county; Judge Henry J. Rode, Cole county; L. T. Seary, Boone county, committee.

—Single Driver's contest, June 16th.

—Born, to Clifton Washington and wife, May 19, 1906, a fine boy baby.

—Dr. B. B. Simmons has been on the sick list for several days, but is now better.

Flower Mission Service.

Following is the program of the Flower Mission Service of the W. C. T. U. at the Pre-byterian church, Oregon, Mo., June 1, 1906:

Song.  
Devotional exercises by President Bragg.

R. II call, Bible verses for Flower Mission.

Song.  
Prison Day Flower Mission, Mrs. McFarland.

What the Children Can Do, Mrs. Hobbs and Mrs. Meyer.

District Flower Mission by District Superintendent Ellen O'Fallon.

Life of Jennie Casaday, Mrs. Kiplinger.

Donations of flowers and plants and plans for the work.

Song.  
W. C. T. U. Benediction.

P. E. O. Program.

Friday, June 1st, 1906:  
"How to Look at Pictures," Chapters VII-VIII, Mrs. Montgomery.

"French Art," Mrs. Dungan.  
"Millet," Mrs. Kunkel.  
"Rosa Bonheur," Miss Schulte.  
"Carot," Mrs. Moore.

Friday, June 8th, 1906:  
"How to Look at Pictures," Chapters IX-X, Mrs. Montgomery.

"The Latin Quartets," Mrs. Bunker.  
"Bretton," Miss Noland.  
"Meissonier," Mrs. Zook.  
"Madam Le Brun," Mrs. Aiken.  
"Models in Art," Mrs. Dungan.

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Transfers for week ending May 19th, 1906:

Samuel Nelson to Phoebe E. DeLong, lots 5 and 6, blk 1, Ens add Craig, \$ 500

Thos. C. Dungan to C. B. & Q. R. R., 637a se 11, 60, 39, 637

Jno. J. Brown to C. B. & Q. R. R., 172a sw sw 36, 61, 39, 300

Geo. W. Poyter to A. O. Williams, pt nw 19, 61, 39 and lot 3 and n2 lot 2, blk 17, Chunings add Bigelow, 1,500

Henry C. Spangler to Jno. Hall, e 39 ft 11 in ne end lot 1, blk 14, Craig, 4,500

Robt. C. Glenn to Henry Thomas, frl 2 and n 32 1-3 ft. lot 3, blk 45, Mound City, 450

Henry Thomas to Emmett Thomas, lots 9 and 12, blk 42, Mound City 1

Horace R. Beal to Jno. D. Richardson, Jr., und int w2 se 20, 63, 40; and n2 20, 62, 39, 600

Geo. B. Gillis to Holt Lodge, No. 311 I. O. O. F., lots 10 and 11, blk 18, Mound City, 2,300

Lydia A. Watson, et al to Francis A. Sutton, 10a sw cor se 35, 60, 38, 1500

Samuel Bucher by Gdn. to Jas. F. Bucher, 1/2 int se sw ne 15, 60, 38 30

Jas. W. Bucher by Gdn. to Jas. F. Bucher, 1/2 int se sw ne 15, 60, 38 30

Julia and Bryant Vining by Gdn. and Cur. to Rachel A. Noland, 2 5 of 1/4 int lot 7, blk 2, W. add Oregon, 90

Sidney Harrison, et al to Rachel A. Noland, lot 7, blk 2, W. add Oregon, 900

CARE OF MATTRESSES.

Turn Frequently to Give Equal Wear and Keep Well Mended and Free from Dust.

The object of a two-part mattress is to provide for the wear being evenly distributed, so that there is no uncomfortable depression upon one side or end such as is caused by allowing the mattress to stay for days at a time in the same position. If you have one of two parts, turn the square over or around each day, letting the smaller section be placed at the head for awhile, then changed to the foot and turned as religiously as the other part.

If your mattress is all in one piece, turn it over every two or three days, so that it is not always the same side of top or bottom which is receiving the brunt of the wear.

Handles of strong tape, or, better still, of the binding of the seams, help with the daily turning, and add to the lasting qualities as well—pulling at the sides of a mattress to get a firm hold may result in strained ticking and in binding dragged away from the seams. It is not a steady pull that hurts, but the false strain caused by taking hold of a surface which doesn't yield a handhold.

Dust on the tufts every little while with a fairly stiff brush—dust collects in them almost miraculously.

Watch for the working loose of tufts—nothing so tends to get a mattress out of shape and order as letting so trifling a thing as this go on unheeded. If it is persistently neglected, nothing but making over the mattress will repair the damage.

Cut new tufts out of old kid gloves, as heavy ones as you have, using an old tuft for a pattern. Or make the sort more often used nowadays, of twine looped and knotted into rosette form. Which ever you use, sew them in place with strong twine threaded into a long upholsterer's needle, and knot the ends securely. Of course a rosette is set upon each side of the stitch.

Mend rip or tear as soon as it becomes apparent—with mattresses the old saying of "a stitch in time" is even more sure to "save nine" than with other forms of mending. A place that has caught on a loose wire from the springs and torn into a jagged hole should have a bit of the ticking laid under, and the torn part hemmed down strongly to the improvised patch. And fix that loose wire as soon as it makes its presence known.

Cases of strong muslin, white or unbleached, are of great service in keeping a mattress clean. They are made like a great bag, either in two pieces (allowing, of course, for the blocked edges) or with a strip set between upper and lower cover, following the shape of the mattress, although slightly larger.

They should be finished with buttons and buttonholes, and are slipped off to be washed.

Proper care of mattresses has another result besides that of increased comfort, and that is in adding to the life of the mattress.—Chicago Record-Herald.

LOVELY SHELL NECKLACES.

Now We Borrow of the Islanders and Bedeck Ourselves in Ornaments Once Theirs.

What do you think the girls are wearing now? Necklaces of shells. They come from Honolulu, says the New York Sun, and are as beautiful as they are cheap, which is saying a great deal in this era of exorbitant prices, for they cost only \$1.50 each. Nothing could be more beautiful than these island chains, and they measure about two yards in length, making it possible to wind them three times about the neck.

Every pastel shade is represented and the combination of wonderful blues and greens, purple, pale yellows and luscious rose tints are calculated to put a queen Trigger fish to shame. These necklaces look particularly well on white gowns and blouses, and are daintily exquisite.

The shells are so small and so wonderfully alive with color that the casual observer wonders what on earth they are like. They are still uncommon enough to attract much attention, for they are obtainable only through a special agent. They make especially pretty fan or lorgnette chains, and are most durable.

A Strained Ankle. When the ankle is only slightly strained, and no ligaments torn, there will only be slight swelling and pain when an attempt is made to walk. The treatment is simple. Bathe the injured member in water as warm as can possibly be borne. After this rest the foot on an elevated cushion or chair for a day or so, applying warm or cold compresses. When able to bear the weight of the body bandage ankle firmly every day for a few days with a figure eight bandage, which will stay in position under the sock or stocking.

Coffee Stains. Coffee stains, even when there is cream in the coffee, may be removed from delicate silk and woolen fabrics with the aid of pure glycerin. Brush the glycerin on the spots, then wash them with lukewarm water and press on the wrong side with a warm iron. The glycerin absorbs both the coloring matter and the grease.

A Colored Wash-Dress. If you are doubtful whether a muslin or print dress will wash well, preface the washing by soaking it for ten minutes in a pail of tepid water, into which a teaspoonful of turpentine has been stirred.