

L. L. Teare, of Craig, is on the committee to receive W. J. Bryan at St. Louis, on the 11th inst.

George C. Price, candidate for prosecuting attorney, has returned from Danville, Ill., where he was called by the death of his mother.

Uncle James Ramsay, who has been so very ill for the past three weeks, is now much better—sitting up some through the day—and we are all very glad to hear the news.

Henry Peret was called by telegram Friday, to the bedside of his brother, James, who is dangerously ill at his home in Wetmore, Kas. He was in the harness business here in the latter 70's. Mr. Peret has returned and reports his brother as some better.

Fred Weller, Bob Kermeen, Fred Bartram and James Shaw have returned from their prospecting to Chase and other Nebraska counties. While in Chase county it is said that Weller and Kermeen closed a deal for a section of land, paying \$11,000 for it.

The Democratic county committee held a meeting in our city on Monday of this week, and named Alexander Van-Buskirk as the party candidate for probate judge, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. E. Stubbs, who had been named for the position by the party convention.

Once upon a time said one of our farmer friends the other day, some of my neighbors elected me road supervisor "just for fun," but it did not prove to be so much fun when I made my neighbors work—actually work out their road taxes. Every man put in all the work the law would allow. I was not re-elected.

Whit Maupin tells us that he knows his sidewalk is in a most dilapidated condition, and he is anxious to have it improved so the scholars and schoolmarm may have a good walk to tread upon on their way to school, and as soon as Uncle Jim Ramsay's condition will justify, that walk will be put in first class condition.

Meyer Post, G. A. R., held a highly interesting meeting on Saturday last, and those who were absent missed a treat. The next meeting will be held September 29th, when Rev. Hardman, as a member of the 64th Ohio, will tell something about Shiloh and Stone River. Comrades should be on hand, and come prepared with their quarterly dues, etc.

At the mule show in Mound City, Saturday of last week, August 25th, Dick Warner, of Maitland, won first prize and Ed. Shull took second. Edna Wehrli won first in the Shetland pony class, and Lucile Morse took second. Master Herman Skelton took first in Indian pony class and Loren Hicks took second. The next show will be for colts, and will be held September 15th.

J. W. Patterson, of Holt county, had business in Fillmore, Monday. Mr. Patterson owns about 1600 acres of fine land partly on, and partly adjoining the big bottom west and north of Dunca's mill, and is deeply interested in the drainage project. He is also interested in the success of the St. Joseph & Nodaway Valley railroad, and will give substantial financial support to the movement.—Fillmore Lever.

Milton Berge, an old veteran of the civil war, died at his home near Mound City, on Sunday last, Sept. 2nd. He was about 72 years of age and served in the Union army as a member of the 123-d Illinois Infantry, being wounded at the battle of Perryville. Funeral services were held on Monday by Rev. Allison, of the Christian church, interment in the Mound City cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Kooch is now at home nursing one of her limbs as tenderly as she cares for her little Mildred. Mrs. Kooch and Mrs. Charley Meyer took a horseback ride out to the fair grounds on last Saturday evening. Mrs. Kooch riding Charley Cowan's fine saddler. After a time over the grounds, Mrs. Kooch slipped the stirrup and concluded to alight, and proceeded to just "slide off," or jump off, or in other words "get off." She got off, but in alighting, strained her ankle and knee cap so badly that she is now unable to walk a step, and will likely be confined to her home for several weeks. She was conveyed to her home and Dr. Thatcher was called, who rendered the necessary medical attention.

The unexpected death of Clarence Mann was a shock to all the neighborhood of his home and to his many acquaintances in Mound City. He was sick only about two weeks with typhoid fever. Though he was seriously sick many did not know of it till after his death. He was born December 18th, 1883, in New Liberty township, and died at home August 22nd, 1906, aged 22 years, 8 months and 4 days. The funeral service was held Thursday afternoon, Aug. 23rd, at five o'clock, in New Liberty church, Rev. Henry Nelson Bullard, of Mound City, preaching the sermon. Clarence had always been a lovable boy and as he grew older his friends were many, both in the neighborhood of his home and in towns where his school days added many friends. The church was crowded at the funeral and almost as many more stood outside the windows. Under the circumstances of his unexpected death and the immediate holding of the funeral many who would have been present were not able to do so.—Mound City News.

## SCHOOL CLERKS.

Names and Postoffice Address of the School Clerks for the Several Districts in Holt County, Missouri, for the Year, 1906.

No. of District.	Name of Clerk.	Postoffice Address.	Name of District.
1	T. J. Keown	Forbes	Highland
2	W. H. Sparks	Oregon	White
3	J. R. Milne	Forbes	Pierce
4	Allen Brock	Forbes	Wilson
5	W. S. Gregory	Forbes	Forbes
6	John F. Meade	Forbes	Oak Grove
7	James Iddings	Oregon	Richville
8	C. W. Hurst	Oregon	Marion
9	W. A. Klinepeter	Oregon	Woods
10	C. L. Kunkel	Oregon	Nichols Grove
11	G. W. Norris	Oregon	Mayflower
12	Ralph M. Meyer	Maitland	Fairview
13	Irving Caskey	New Point	New Point
14	H. E. Wright	Maitland	Triumph
15	A. E. Brittle	Maitland	Pine Hill
16	W. S. Schooler	Maitland	Rising Sun
17	W. H. Huiatt	Maitland	Richland
18	Enos Smithers	Oregon	Monarch
19	E. S. Hester	Skidmore	Eureka
20	Geo. Herman	Oregon	Culp
21	W. S. Gifford	Curzon	Bluff City
22	D. C. Stallard	Forest City	Shaffer
23	D. L. Barbour	Forest City	Chambers
24	Peter F. Baker	Forbes	Baker
25	Ben F. Plummer	Forest City	Oakland
26	H. B. Terhune	Forest City	Kimsey
27	James T. Noland	Oregon	Union
28	W. M. Frazer	Forest City	Benton
29	W. R. Swope	Mound City	Blair
30	Charles Bond	Mound City	B-gby
31	Wm. C. Stevenson	Oregon	Lincoln
32	John S. Moore	Mound City	Shiloh
33	Bert E. Patterson	Maitland	Crosen
34	C. F. Swain	Mound City	Pleasant Hill
35	Jacob Wehrli	Mound City	Ross Grove
36	R. K. Ross	Mound City	Squaw Creek
37	N. T. Armantrout	Maitland	South Center
38	H. A. Armark	Mound City	Mineral Springs
39	J. H. Fickes	Maitland	Franklin
40	A. Karne	Mound City	Gordon
41	Henry E. Feil	Mound City	Minnesota Valley
42	O. H. Johnson	Maitland	King Grove
43	Tom Foley	Forest City	Brush College
44	H. A. Bowers	Forest City	Burr Oak
45	S. G. Alkire	Forest City	Idalwild
46	Ira Alkire	Forest City	Walnut Grove
47	W. H. Alkire	Forest City	Exodus
48	W. B. Stuart	Fortescue	Elm Grove
49	H. L. Haigler	Bigelow	Cottonwood
50	Geo. W. Groves	Mound City	Summit
51	John J. Crews	Craig	Cherry Dale
52	Charles Sandall	Craig	Wild Rose
53	Wm. T. McKown	Fortescue	Fortescue
54	J. M. Mann	Mound City	New Liberty
55	J. T. Kite	Mound City	Lonesome
56	G. D. Chuning	Fortescue	Walker
57	O. P. Light	Craig	Kelso
58	Geo. Vanderschmidt	Craig	Marietta
59	Andy Haer	Craig	North Center
60	J. D. Morris	Bigelow	Glen Dale
61	E. N. Doebbeling	Craig	Hogrefe
62	Wm. Orr	Craig	Star
63	W. W. Davis	Craig	Mount Hope
64	J. T. Owens	Skidmore	Harmony
65	Alex Gray	Craig	Brush College No 2
66	E. E. Bunker	Forest City	Monticello
67	Peter Wehrli, Jr.	Mound City	Dale Center
68	Edw. Fuhrman	Oregon	Divide
69	Ira Williams	Maitland	Maitland, Ind.
70	Clyde S. McKee	Bigelow	Bigelow, "
71	P. A. Christen	Corning	Corning, "
72	W. E. Richardson	Forest City	Forest City, "
73	W. T. Crews	Craig	Craig, "
74	J. T. Thatcher	Oregon	Oregon, "
75	B. P. Smith	Mound City	Mound City, "

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FRANK J. A. THOMPSON, D. D., Tarkio, Mo.

W. W. Merrill, of Marshall, Texas, but eighteen years ago a resident of this county, with his two daughters, Blanche and Nellie, and son, Arlie, and friend, Fred Weaver, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Merrill, of Craig, and sister, Mrs. W. S. Field, of Mound City, and daughter, Mrs. Dan Kurtz, of Oregon, last week, all of whom he had not seen for eleven years. He and the boys returned Friday, but the girls will visit other relatives indefinitely.—Mound City News.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. C. N. Dobyns, of the Corning Mirror, which has come to her in the death of her father, Thompson McNabb, which occurred at his home in Cass county, this state, August 24th, 1906, at the age of 60 years. His death was caused by a wagon tongue striking him in the abdomen. He was a veteran of the civil war, serving as a member of the 19th Ohio Infantry. Mrs. Dobyns, by reason of ill health, was unable to attend the funeral.

### To Farmers and Horticulturists!

Remember that next Wednesday the Oregon Fair begins. Are you getting ready for it? Do you realize the great benefit it will be if properly pushed, and exhibits from the farm and the orchard, and the garden are all properly displayed. I have no fears in the Horse Show ring, but what it will be an up-to-date show. But I want to urge upon everyone the importance of the horticultural exhibit. If this is taken hold of by you people, it will help to show the great resources of Southern Holt. Kindly let us have those exhibits Monday and Tuesday, without fail. Get up some of everything that is raised on the farm.

Truly Yours,  
R. C. BENTON,  
President of the Oregon Fair.

Lin Carroll and wife were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Roy Campbell, of South St. Joseph, a day or two this week.

Judges Wehrli, Wright and Cotten went down to Chillicothe, Thursday, and attended the state good roads convention.

Rev. T. J. Enyeart was in Helena, Mo., this week, attending the sixty-second session of the St. Joseph District Conference.

Harry Pollock, of Oregon, and Mart Luucks, of Maitland, will leave next week for Quincy, Ill., where they will attend the Commercial College.

Mrs. Kate McFarland, who has been visiting her parents, James Curtis and wife, for several weeks, returned to her home in St. Louis, this week.

Elder W. A. Haynes will preach at the Christian church next Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Everybody invited to attend.

The roster of the various school district clerks and also the apportionment of the county and state school moneys, will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The residence of James Colhour, in Forbes township, was entirely destroyed by fire on August 25. Most of the contents of the home was also destroyed.

Miss Dora Buck, of Corning, who has been the guest of C. L. Hoffmann, wife and daughter, for several days, returned to her home Tuesday of this week.

L. M. Brummitt, formerly pastor of the M. E. church at Forest City, has been transferred to Craig, and O. C. Carden will have charge of the M. E. church at Forest City.

John Proctor, of Forbes, was before the probate court Monday, and was adjudged to be of unsound mind, and his estate was placed in the hands of Public Administrator Walker.

Miss Henrietta Griffith, of Mound City, Mo., was operated on at the Esworth Hospital, Tuesday of this week. She was taken to St. Joseph by her brother, Abe Griffith, a wealthy farmer of Holt county.

Fred Seeman (Fritz), was here this week from Red Oak, Iowa, where he is interested in a printing plant. He stopped off here to visit his mother, brother and sister for a few hours. He was en route to Mississippi, where he has accepted a position with a large lumber company. He still retains his interest in the printing establishment, but returned to his "first love," the lumber business, as he thoroughly understands it, and likes it much better than printing. He is a number one man where ever you put him, thoroughly reliable and industrious. May health and success be his.

Being a confirmed bachelor, Judge G. W. Murphy, feels competent to hand out matrimonial advice, as follows: "What causes the fires of love to burn too low and gradually die out altogether in many homes? I'll tell you. It is because the fuel is all brought by one person. Too many men quit courting their wife after the wedding ceremony is performed. Too many men forget the sweetheart after she becomes the wife. Too many wives change their smiles of welcome to faultfindings. Too many wives forget that the old man has a few rights left after he becomes a benedict. Too many men fail to keep the wife supplied with a little pocket money. Too many wives forget that the hubby has to work hard for what money he has. Too many husbands want to be the whole works around home. Too many wives think the old man doesn't know how to run his business. There are more happy homes than unhappy ones, because there are more sensible persons than fools. One person can't live in enough fuel to keep the hearthstone warm. It takes both of them. The fire even then gets pretty low at times, but it won't go out if both of them keep at work. All this is not original with me. I got part from an old maid who knows all about how children should be raised."

Jersey Cream Flour  
Will make nice, white, light bread. Guarantee every sack. Miss Rosa Arnold, Forest City, Mo., was the lady who won the Forty-two-Piece Dinner Set for September 1.

Forest City Mill and Elev. Co.

Mrs. Sarah Shaffer, of Edison, Neb., is the guest of her father, John Callow, and other relatives.

Miss Alice Crouser is teaching the Chambers school, commencing Monday last. We believe Miss Alice will give the patrons and pupils of this district a good school.

Mrs. Maude Blevins, of St. Anthony, Mo., is here on a visit with her parents, Charles Cowan and wife, of this city.

J. M. Thompson, wife and son, of Cameron, this state, have been spending the week, with her mother, Mrs. Abe Fletcher.

Charley Huntsman is back from Dakota, where he has been harvesting, and doing other farm work. He has entered our High school.

Mrs. Henry Peret and her two little sons, left Tuesday for Hanford, Calif., for an extended visit with her parents and brothers and sisters.

Albert Martin, one of the rural mail carriers out of Forest City, is enjoying a "lay off" and came up to Oregon to greet his brother carriers up this way.

Bert Moore, wife and three children, of Hopkinton, Ia., are making the rounds between Perry and Sid Moore, and Mrs. N. L. Pierce—brothers and sisters.

An Elberta peach measuring 10 inches in circumference and weighing 10½ ounces was left on our table by N. F. Murray this week. Its a peach of a peach.

Rev. B. N. Kunkel, of Shickley, Neb., came in last week to join his family, who have been visiting here for several weeks, and they returned to their home Friday last.

Recorder Callow has returned home from a two week's vacation in Idaho and other western states. Mrs. Callow attended to his business in thorough manner during his absence.

The beautiful art hangers, announcing the great cattle show in Kansas City, in October, is the work of Miss Cora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant O. Cowan, formerly of New Point, but now of Chicago.

Miss Nell Frye has secured the Benton school and entered upon her duties, Monday last. Miss Nell has had considerable experience, and has always given the best of satisfaction. The patrons are to be congratulated upon securing her services.

A little blaze at the canning factory last Thursday afternoon caused considerable disturbance for a while and quite a little damage. The fire was caused from an explosion of a gasoline fire box on a capper's bench. Supt. Watson received quite a severe burn on the shoulder and neck while fighting the fire, which was soon under control and work was resumed.—Forest City Press.

Mrs. Dick Taylor and daughter, Lillian, had a narrow escape from a serious accident last Friday morning. While driving home from town their horse became frightened about two hundred yards from the Erickson place and upset the buggy. They were assisted out of the mud by some nearby work men and escaped with only a few bruises.—Forest City Press.

Omer Williams came back to Paradise, Tuesday noon, after spending a week looking at the country in Oklahoma with his family. They visited Enid, Marshall, Guthrie, Lawton and Oklahoma City, but failed to find a location that suited, so came back to Wichita, Kas., where the family will remain during his stay here, and where they may decide to locate.—Forest City Press.

J. D. Baker, division passenger agent of the Burlington of St. Joseph, was a caller at our office Thursday last. Mr. Baker is one of the active, pushing, energetic representatives of this system, and it was a great pleasure to meet him. He is gradually advancing in the employ of his company and some day we expect he will be either a general passenger agent or a division superintendent. He is a coming man in the C. B. & Q. system.

The fifth district W. C. T. U. hold their annual convention at Maitland, September 19-20. Miss Bertha J. Bowers, of Creston, Ia., will be the principal speaker. Some of the state officers are expected to be present. Each union is asked to send their full quota of delegates. Preparations are being made for a grand gold medal contest at the close of the convention. Look for program later. It is hoped by the district president that all district superintendents will be present with full reports for the year, and earnest suggestions for future work.

"We can swamp the K. C., St. Joe. & C. B. railroad with apples, if we can find a market for all that fruit which Holt county wants to ship," said one of our fruit growers to us the other day. There has never been such an apple crop in Holt county, and the only trouble about the big orchards making good money will be the difficulty for the owners to get cars and finding a place where the apples can be sold in large quantities. The market here was started last week, by Mr. J. W. King, north of Oregon, selling a car load of Willow Twig and Jonathans at \$1 per barrel in the orchard. Mr. King has recently sold 2,000 bushels of peaches which netted him about \$1 per bushel. He will have about 1,000 bushels of Bartlett peaches to put on the market.

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### ATTENTION, COMRADES.



All comrades of Meyer Post are hereby notified to assemble at the court house on Saturday afternoon, September 29, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of transacting such business as may properly come before it.  
By order of the commander.  
EARL COOPER, Ad'jt.

Tom Foster is now located at Geuda Springs, Kas.

Charles J. Bunker was visiting in Kansas City, this week, and also interviewing the wholesalers of that city.

Attorney W. H. Richards passed the Sabbath in St. Joseph, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Petree.

Clyde Raley returned to Parkville, Saturday last, where he will resume his studies in the college at that place.

Mrs. Kate Christian and children, of near Fairfax, are here visiting friends. She was formerly Miss Katie Polk.

George Weis, of Robinson, Kas., came over Saturday last, for a short stay with his parents, Henry Weis and wife.

Frank Foster and wife removed last week from the John H. C. Curtis property into the Mrs. Lucy Petree residence.

Albert Roecker and wife have returned from Denver, Colo., and other points of interest in that state, where they have been for a month.

Miss Nagel, of Chillicothe, who is a member of our High school faculty, arrived Friday last, and is making her home with Mrs. India Price.

Ed. Keaster has purchased 70 acres from Fred W. Hoffmann, paying \$50.00 per acre. It is a part of the old Silas Pierce place, about three miles southeast of Oregon.

Miss Lottie Williams, of Forest City, will teach the Culp school, the coming term. We make the prediction that she will give satisfaction to both patrons and pupils.

Mrs. Narans and son, Willie, took in Labor day and saw the diving horses at St. Joseph, Monday last. After a visit with friends there she will visit relatives at King City.

Charley Bridge, wife and daughter, Charlene, of Hamburg, Iowa, are here on a visit with parents on both sides of the fence—Ed. Raiser and wife and Columbus Bridge and wife.

Louis C. Irvine, "mine host," of the Monticello hotel, St. Louis, accompanied by his two sons, were here for a few days this and last week, the guests of his father and mother, Clark Irvine and wife.

Mrs. Ethel Parker-Shirling, of Kansas City, is visiting here, the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Maggie Howell, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Shirling was formerly a teacher in our High school.

Garfield Bailey invested in 250 head of yearling sheep, last week. They are merinos. Garfield says he needed company, and a little more to look after, hence his investment. Dollars to cents that he will win out with them, for he is a hustler.

Merrill Christy has returned from the northern lakes, where he spent a couple of weeks angling for the finny tribe. He reports good luck, and we know he told the truth and nothing but the truth—He sent us a picture of one of his catches.

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