

IF YOU WERE BORN IN FEBRUARY

YOU will have great strength and great weakness, will be optimistic, kind and a lover of home. You will have great possibilities and unusual talents of a special nature, which you should develop, and you should aim to depend on your own judgment rather than the advice of others and to concentrate. You should marry only when YOU KNOW YOURSELF, preferably a person born in January, June or October. You should wear sapphire, turquoise or opal ornaments and will do your best work wearing black, blue and pale shades of green and pink.

Great persons born in February: Abraham Lincoln, George Washington, Henry W. Longfellow, Charles Darwin, Horace Greeley, Thomas A. Edison, Joseph Jefferson, Sir Robert Peel and Dwight L. Moody.

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Worth Knowing.

The boy or girl who will cut this out and memorize it will know a part of the history of the state that not one out of 100 legislators, lawyers, editors, preachers, teachers or judges of the state know—the governors of Missouri have been:

SPANISH.
 St. Ange, 1761.
 Don Pedro Pizarro, 1770.
 Don Francisco Cruzat, 1775.
 Don Fernando de Leyba, 1778.
 Don Francisco Cruzat, 1780.
 Don Manuel Perez, 1787.
 D. C. D. Delassus, 1789.
 DonZenon Tuedeau, 1792.

TERRITORIAL.
 W. H. Harrison, 1801.
 Gen. James Wilkinson, 1805.
 James Brown, 1806.
 Frederick Cates, 1807.
 Merriwether Lewis, 1808.
 Samuel Hammond, 1809.
 Benjamin Howard, 1810.
 William Clark, 1813.

STATE.
 Alexander McNair, 1820.
 Frederick Bates, 1824.
 A. J. Williams, 1825.
 John Miller, 1825.
 Daniel Dunklin, 1832.
 John Bull, 1834.
 Liburn W. Boggs, 1836.
 Thomas Reynolds, 1840.
 M. M. Marmanuke, (acting) 1844.
 John D. Edwards, 1844.
 Austin A. King, 1848.
 Sterling Price, 1853.
 Truman Polk, 1857.
 Hancock Jackson, (acting) 1857.
 Robert M. Stewart, 1861.
 Claiborn F. Jackson, 1861.
 Hamilton R. Gamble, 1861.
 Thomas C. Fletcher, 1865.
 Joseph W. McClurg, 1869.
 B. Gratz Brown, 1871.
 Elias Woodson, 1873.
 Charles H. Hardin, 1875.
 John S. Phelps, 1877.
 Thomas T. Crittenden, 1881.
 John S. Marmaduke, 1885.
 A. P. Morehouse, (acting) 1885.
 David R. Francis, 1889.
 Wm. J. Stone, 1893.
 Lon V. Stephens, 1897.
 Alex. M. Dockery, 1901.
 Joseph W. Folk, 1905.
 Herbert S. Hadley, 1909.
 Elliott W. Major, 1913.

Merriwether Lewis, territorial governor; suicided in West Tennessee, October 11, 1809, on his way to Washington; shot himself.

Thos. Reynolds suicided at the governor's mansion, February 9, 1844; shot himself.

Thos. C. Reynolds, lieutenant governor in 1861, suicided in St. Louis, March 30, 1887, by jumping down an elevator at the custom house.

Albert P. Morehouse, lieutenant governor and acting governor by reason of death of John S. Marmaduke, suicided at his home in Maryville, September 23, 1899, by cutting his throat with a pocket knife.

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COUNTY COURT MATTERS.

The February Term of County Court Disposes of Much Business.

Our county court and Clerk Zeller and his deputy were an exceedingly busy set of fellows last week. So much business is ever on hand with them at this term, because the statutes make it so. They not only have the usual routine but they must make their annual settlements with the overseers, and also make the overseer appointments. They must make the railroad, telegraph and telephone assessments, and make a settlement with the county treasurer. All of these require patience as well as time, and it cannot be done and done right in less than five or six days' time.

It is regrettable that the overseers will persist in procrastination, and put off filing their annual settlements until the court meets, and then many come, and ask the county clerk or his deputy to do the work for them, when as a matter of fact they should file their settlements with the clerk, at least ten days prior to the setting of the court. If this were done at least one to two days could be saved in time, to say nothing of the embarrassment that necessarily comes to the clerk and deputy as well as the county court.

The court dismissed the road petition of W. M. Moody, asking for the vacation of the public road between sections 29, 30 in 63, 38, for lack of proof of notice and petitioners failing to appear either in person or by attorney.

George R. Murray and Cliff, Washington filed deeds of dedication for a road in section 26, in 60, 38, and the court made its order declaring it to be a public road. This road leads from the Cliff, Washington place on the east side of the city limits of Oregon, running on the north limits of the east half of the city to The Interurban depot.

They made its valuations on the various railroad, telegraph and telephone properties. Main line C, B. & Q. at \$15,000 per mile; sidetracks, \$10,000; main line Nodaway Valley and Tarkio Valley lines at \$10,000 per mile.

Main line C, B. & Q.:

	From	To
Forbes depot.....	\$ 400	\$ 750
Forest City depot.....	600	900
Bigelow depot.....	500	800
Napier depot.....	800	900
Napier tank.....	1,000	1,500
Craig depot.....	600	900
Corning depot.....	700	900
Corning tank.....	500	700
Nodaway Valley:		
Mound City depot.....	600	800
Maitland depot.....	600	800
Maitland tank.....	500	700
Tarkio Valley:		
Corning tank.....	500	700
Napier section house.....	200	300
Napier dwelling house.....	100	200
Napier coal chute.....	2,000	2,500
Napier round house.....	500	700
Corning coal sheds.....	200	300
Corning section house.....	200	300

St. Joseph & Nebraska railroad: Valuation fixed at \$15,000 per mile; Fortescue depot, \$800; section house, \$200; car house and stock yards, \$200; movable and rolling stock, \$35,000.

Aetehison & Nebraska railroad: Valuation fixed at \$15,000 per mile, which includes the east half of the Rulo bridge; fixed and movable property at \$1,200; rolling stock and movable property at \$20,000.

Oregon Interurban railroad: Valuation fixed at \$700 per mile; depot, \$400; round house and coal sheds, \$100 each; miscellaneous property at \$1,900.

Western Union Telegraph company. Poles, \$70 per mile; wire, \$25 per mile.

American Telephone company. Poles, \$70; wire, \$30.

Missouri & Kansas Telephone company. Poles, \$60; wire, \$20.

Craig Telephone company. Poles, \$15; wire, 7; instruments, \$5 each; switch, \$250.

Holt County Independent Telephone company. Poles, \$30; wire, \$7.

Oregon & Forest City Telephone company. Poles, \$15; wire, \$7; cable, \$600; instruments, \$5; switchboard, \$1,000.

Fairfax Telephone company. Poles, \$15; wire, \$7; cable, \$400; instruments, \$5; switchboard, \$200.

Farmers' Mutual Telephone company. Poles, \$15; wire, \$7; instruments, \$5; switchboard, \$350.

The court took up the settlement of the county treasurer, Seaborn Carson, and finding the same to be correct, approved the settlement. There was found to be in his hands to the credit of the various funds, \$11,794.85; in the school fund, \$11,022.88; road districts, \$2,533.40.

Surveyor Peret made his report on the building of the bridge near the Alonzo Meadows farm, and the court ordered its warrant for \$551.

Superintendent Fuhrman, in charge of the county farm, made his report for the quarter ending January 1, 1914. Total inmates, 8, all males. Receipts, \$1,384.72; disbursements, \$1,073.41.

Recorder Hibbard filed his report of

fees received for the year 1913. Total fees, \$1,840.50.

County Clerk Zeller filed his report of fees received for quarter ending December 31, 1913. Total fees, \$983.38. Salary, \$312.50; deputy hire, \$300; excess paid into the treasury, \$370.88.

The court ordered the new public road opened as petitioned for by John Grythin of Forbes township. This road extends from Forbes to the Nodaway river, and thence to St. Joseph. It is contemplated to secure the old river railroad piers, for bridge purposes, thus making a road along the base of the bluffs through to St. Joseph.

The new road as petitioned for by Hugh Brohan, of Nodaway township, and David Allen, of Forbes township, was ordered opened, and the old road vacated as petitioned for.

The various road overseers filed their annual settlements, and the court made appointments, which will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The poll tax was fixed at \$3 for 1914, or at the rate of 15 cents per hour, single hand, and 30 cents per hour for man and team; overseers to receive 25 cents per hour.

Dr. C. L. Evans was named as county physician, and C. J. Fuhrman, superintendent of the county farm.

Real Estate Matters.

The real estate market for January shows a healthy condition, and as compared with the same month of 1913, a decided increase in warranty transactions is shown for the month just passed. In 1913 the January deals totalled \$100,021, and for the same month in 1914, they reached \$170,500; in 1912 they were \$173,648. The trust deeds filed amounted to \$69,210, while in 1913 they were \$80,177. The releases for January, 1914, were \$72,971, while in 1913 they were \$28,802.

The January warranty deals involving \$5,000 and over were:

F. K. Allen to Alfred L. Feunquay, 1604 18, 62, 39..... \$20,000

John B. Bridgman to L. E. Simmering, se ne 22, 62, 39..... 7,000

D. Lower, Jr to Patrick A. Doolley, e2 nw s 6 1/2 w2 ne 29, 61, 38..... 13,000

Claude R. Henderson to Delphia N. Graham, e2 ne 16, 60, 38..... 10,000

Marion S. Hughes to Edw. M. Miller, s 20 feet, lot 5, part lot 8, block 8, Mound City... 8,000

Frankie B. Hinde et al to Flora A. Hinde, lots 5 and 8, block 5, 5a ne 27, 60, 38..... 5,000

Sylvester E. Judy to L. S. Martin, part e 1/2 se 32, 62, 39..... 7,500

Harry E. Kreek, et al to John A. Kreek, se sw and 2 1/2 chs ne sw, fri block 4: 27, 49, 38... 10,000

Asa Sharp to A. O. Sharp, s 20 1/2 x 200 sw 6, 62, 39..... 6,375

W. H. Williams to A. R. Osborn, 2 1/2 in 6, 62, 39..... 23,000

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A Big Deal.

Ed. Gibson, living just north of Oregon, is now homeless, having sold the old John Gibson farm where Ed. was born sixty years ago, to Elmer Crider, at \$175 per acre. Ed's father entered this land in 1839, and paid \$1.25 per acre. His father died in 1878, and a year later Ed. bought the farm from the heirs at \$30 per acre.

Mr. Gibson has no decided plans as to the future, but he and wife will go to Hot Springs, Ark., for Mr. Gibson's health, and will likely remain there for the coming of spring, and if his health will warrant, will go west for a visit with Elias Bucher, at Emmett, Idaho.

We do hope Mr. and Mrs. Gibson will decide to get a little home here and spend their remaining days among us in a cozy little cottage "built for two." They are greatly esteemed by us all, and we would greatly regret their going away to make their home elsewhere.

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