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MISSOURI NEWSPAPERDOM.

What is Being Done and Talked About Throughout the State.

Miss Helen B. Huff has sued the city of Marshall for \$5,000 for injuries received in a fall on a defective sidewalk.

The Johnson county Star says that Warrensburg would be a fruitful field for a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals.

The Paris Mercury is printing a series of war stories that are very interesting and a credit to the management of that paper.

D. J. Briggs has leased his interest in the Democrat-Leader, at Fayette, to H. P. Mason. Mr. Briggs goes to Armstrong to accept a position with the Armstrong Milling company as bookkeeper.

The Sweet Springs Herald objects to Jefferson City folks naming a candidate for congress in the seventh district, and intimates that fellows down there on politics bent would find it profitable to attend to their own business.

If the cut of Carrie Nation, alleged to have been taken in bathing costume at Atlantic City and which was given in the Kansas City Times one day last week was a fac simile of the original, no sane man will attach blame to old man Nation for applying to the courts for relief.

"Noah was one of the earliest advertisers," says the Curtis Courier. "He advertised that he would sail on a certain date. Those who didn't believe in advertising failed to get tickets and were left in the wet during the forty days' rain without umbrellas. As most of them could not swim they took to the trees and became monkeys."

Malta Bend Qui Vive: A ticket collector on a railroad got leave to go and get married and was given a pass over the line. On the way back he showed to the new conductor his marriage certificate by mistake for his pass. The latter studied it closely and then said, "Eh, mon, you've got a ticket for a lang, wearisome journey, but not on the Caledonian railway."

The Mexico Intelligencer has become so warm a political member that Sam B. Cook, its late editor, has come out in denial of responsibility for its editorial utterances. Mr. Cook seemingly became incensed at the publication of an article criticising William J. Bryan, with which he says he had no connection. His denial was published both in the Intelligencer and the Mexico Ledger.

Columbia Statesman: The demand for pure, clean newspapers is as great as it is for clean, pure pulpits and preachers. A sheet printed in the low language of the back alleys is not fit for family reading and should be ruled out of the home to make room for a high-minded journal which chronicles the news in chaste if not eloquent language. To be entertaining it is not necessary to be foul. A family newspaper should be clear and elevating.

Richmond Missourian: A newspaper is always printed in a rush. There is always something in it that should be left out and something left out that should have been put in; it is sometimes too quick to judge and often too quick to act, but with all its faults and shortcomings, there is more education in a bright, newsy paper than there is in a novel. You will find that the brightest boy on political, sensible, every day questions, is the boy who prefers papers to books.

Warrensburg Journal - Democrat: What is thought may be a discovery of considerable importance has taken place on the farm of I. W. Manis, several miles north of Warrensburg.

While digging a well on his farm Mr. Manis found something that was different from anything he had ever noticed before. He brought a specimen of the substance to town and it was examined by State Geologist Leo Galtaher, who pronounced it genuine mica. The earth is said to be full of the stuff on the Manis farm.

O. P. Sturra, of the Saline County Index, thus speaks encouragingly of Marshall: "Notwithstanding the feeling that the short corn crop will depress business so little for a year, Marshall goes on improving in every way. There are many handsome new homes in the course of construction, several blocks of new macadam are being put down and one would not think that our city even contemplated any change in financial affairs by the way she is forging to the front. Marshall has steadily improved for the past two years and today she is not even slowing up in her splendid progress."

Chillicothe Constitution: Several Missouri counties are discussing the proposition to issue bonds and macadamize the public roads as a means of giving the farmers legitimate and paying employment to help bridge over the effects of the drouth and at the same time get 100 cents in profits to the farmers for every dollar invested. It is one of the most plausible propositions that could be thought of under present conditions. It would put money in circulation when it is mostly needed and the debt could be paid back in a few years' time from actual profit to the county in the investment.

Carrollton Democrat: George Pollman, of Macon county, is a big-hearted Missourian who displays his philanthropy in a modest but practical way. He has a number of tenants on his land and settlement day came recently. Just before its arrival he wrote to each of them inclosing canceled notes and a receipt in full. He told them that he wished them to understand that they didn't owe him anything; that all he should ask the present year was that they take good care of their families. It may be safely prophesied that changes will not be numerous among "Uncle George's" tenants in the immediate future.

Fulton Gazette: About the least profitable thing for Missouri democrats to engage in is personal abuse of one another. Giving voice to imaginary grievances makes the tender spot sore, and adds to the spleen and ill temper of the one who fancies himself injured. Of course there are sore heads who can never be satisfied and who have very little regard for party welfare beyond being prominent themselves who are going to make a noise when they fall from leadership, but they are of no consequence and are not heeded, and if people would pay no attention to them they would be the quicker become silent.

Sedalia Democrat: In the old days, before Christianity and civilization tamed mankind, it was the custom, when a man did something you did not like, to "go after" him with a club. Experience has proven, however, that it is better to "go after" him with an argument. Most men desire to do right, but sometimes they make mistakes in choosing the road and they need only to be shown the right way. A little forbearance, a little reason, a mental application of the golden rule and a strict adherence to the humanitarian doctrine of "live and let live," will sometimes prevent a great deal of trouble, loss and suffering.

Here is the way Editor Morris, of Trenton Tribune, puts it: Every one knows the seat hog. He occupies at least four seats on the crowded train. He reads at the daily paper like he was working on a salary, with his grip on one seat, his feet on another and his coat on a third, while other passengers stand and wonder at his nerve. The traveling public will approve the order of the general superintendent of the Milwaukee road, which declares that the "seat hog" must go. An exchange is ungenerous enough to insinuate that the "seat hog" is not always a man, but sometimes a chic person with large, commodious bandboxes, grips, Saratoga trunks, parasols and divers other articles known to the tender one, but this is carrying the

law too far. Gallant men everywhere will agree that a woman with three bandboxes, two grips, a parasol and a lunch box ought to have at least three seats. If the travelers are the kind of men they ought to be, a young man can be found to take the fourth seat and relieve the lady from the ban of the conductor's orders. We hope the conductor may put a little poetry into the enforcement of the rule when the lady is involved, at the same time making up for his leniency to her by severity on the genuine male "seat hog."

Columbia Herald: To the man on the inside the marvel is that there are so few mistakes in any newspaper, not that the mistakes are so many, but that it is considered how many snags are encountered before any paragraph can get safely into the mind of the reader that errors are spread abroad by the printed page are not at all strange. There will be difference of opinion in the first place as to the exact facts. No two people see any incident exactly alike. The writer may report the incident as it is told to him and yet the report may be wholly wrong. Few people tell the whole truth. They do not intentionally tell falsehoods but they exaggerate, misstate accidentally and give partial statements. This report is given publication—and the newspaper is blamed. Proceeding further it may be said that carelessly prepared copy, bad English or worse grammar may give false impressions. A slip of the compositor, a failure to correct a proof-sheet—these still stand between the reader and the exact truth. No newspaper worthy the name deceives its readers intentionally. Nor are the mistakes which are seen in its columns anywhere as numerous as the mistakes in ordinary conversation. Before a newspaper is condemned for an occasional error count the many times it has told the tale correctly and compare it with the conversation of the most accurate individual you may know. For at the least every newspaper is the lengthened shadow of some individual or several.

FAIR BOARD MET.
Judges Appointed for Cattle and Horse Exhibit.
The following interesting item of news appertaining to the state fair at Sedalia is taken from the Capital of Saturday morning:
Gov. N. J. Coleman, of St. Louis. Alexander Maitland of Richmond, N. H. Gentry, of Sedalia, and secretary J. R. Rippey, of the Missouri State Fair board, held an important meeting in this city last night, the session continuing until midnight, when the board adjourned until this morning. Much minor routine business was transacted, after which the following judges were appointed.
Capt. C. E. Leonard, of Bellair, Cooper county, and Wallace Estill, of Estill, Howard county, judges of beef breeds of cattle.
Professor Eckies, of the Missouri State University, judge of the dairy breeds of cattle.
Wallace Estill, of Howard county, and A. A. Walker and Ed Patterson, of Cooper county, judges of saddle horses.
R. L. Harriman, of Bunceon, Dr. John Isbell, of Washington, and Judge Pettingill, of Memphis, judges of light harness horses.
Arrangements were made to have the fair buildings elaborately decorated with flags and bunting, for the supplying of water tanks for stock barns, and for fountains for the public.
One of the greatest events of the entire week will be World's Fair day, to be held on Wednesday, September 11. Hon. David R. Francis and ex-Mayor Walbridge, of St. Louis; Gov. Dockery and all the state officers and other distinguished men will be invited to be present. The world's fair will receive a big boost, and the speakers will go over the Louisiana purchase in all its details. Special excursion trains will be run on that day from all parts of the country.
Yesterday afternoon the members of the board paid an official visit to the grounds. They found everything in satisfactory shape. The mile track is especially fine. Governor Coleman, who is an expert, said to a reporter for the Capital last night: "I think this is not only the best track in Missouri, but I might say in the West."

WHAT MISSOURI HAS.

Census Bureau has Issued an Important Bulletin.

The census bureau has issued a bulletin showing the population of Missouri and the cities and towns of the state, by sex, general nativity and color.

The bulletin shows that the males continue 54.4 per cent of the population. Ninety-three per cent of the population are native born. White people constitute 94.8 per cent of the total population, the remaining 5.2 per cent being colored, persons of negro descent, Chinese, Japanese and Indians.

Practically all of the colored percentage is, however, of negro descent. Of the native white people in the state 71 per cent are of native parents and 16.9 per cent of foreign parents.

Population by sex, general nativity and color in Missouri: Total population, 3,106,665; males, 1,595,710; females, 1,510,955; total white, 2,944,853; total, colored, 161,822; negro, 161,234; Chinese, 449; Japanese, 9; Indians, taxed, 130.

Native and foreign born and white and colored population, classified by sex in Missouri: Nativeborn—Males, 1,475,593; females, 1,414,693. Foreign-born—Males, 120,117; females, 96,262.

Of the negro population of Missouri there are 81,206 males and 80,628 females. Of the Chinese there are 447 males and 2 females. Of the Japanese there are 7 males and 2 females. Of the Indians there are 73 males and 57 females.

The statistics given for Missouri towns of over twenty-five hundred inhabitants show that in Monett there are no colored people.

Cadet Deserts His Ship.

Warrensburg, Mo., Aug. 23.—Mark Mullens, a cadet on the United States training ship Dixie, was arrested here today on orders from the navy department for desertion. On July 19 Mullens was given leave to go ashore at New York City for the night. With \$1 in his pocket he started for his home at Holden, Mo., where he has been until today. He will be sent to New York.

A Texas Wonder.

HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY.
One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two month's treatment. Will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, St. Louis, formerly Waco, Texas. Send for testimonials. Sold by Crenshaw & Young.

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Yours Truly,
FURNELL & DAVIS.

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The Sunday edition of the St. Louis Republic is a marvel of modern newspaper enterprise. The organization of its news service is world-wide, complete in every department; in fact, superior to that of any other newspaper.

The magazine section is illustrated in daintily tinted colors and splendid half-tone pictures. This section contains more high class literary matter than any of the monthly magazines. The fashions illustrated in natural colors are especially valuable to the ladies.

The colored comic section is a genuine laugh-maker. The funny cartoons are by the best artists. The humorous stories are of high class, by authors of national reputation.

Sheet music, a high-class, popular song, is furnished free every Sunday in the Republic.

The price of the Sunday Republic by mail one year is \$2.00. For sale by all news dealers.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Lafayette County Bank, a corporation, by its deed of trust, dated June 15, 1899, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds for Lafayette county, Missouri, in book 134, at page 228, conveyed to Joseph A. Wilson, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Lafayette county, Missouri, to-wit: The west three-fifths of section 34, in the first addition to the town of Lexington, that is to say, the west half of the west side of lot 8, in block 10, Lexington, in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in the said deed trust described; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note as the interest thereon, now due, as is herein given that I, Joseph A. Wilson, trustee, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said note, will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1899, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, in front of the main door of the court house, in the City of Lexington, Lafayette county, Missouri, the said real estate for the purpose of satisfying such note and expenses accrued thereon, and the costs of executing this trust.

J. A. WILSON, Trustee.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah H. Long, deceased, were granted to me under signed on the 13th day of August, 1899, by the probate court of Lafayette county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against the estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within one year after the date of said letters or they may be excluded from any benefit of such estate, if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.

This 13th day of August, 1899.

SAMUEL J. HUSTON, Executor.

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Cheap Summer Tours West—Daily Colorado, Utah and Black Hills, and Homeseekers' excursions every two weeks to the whole West and Northwest.

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Ask for the Burlington's Summer excursion rate circulars.

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M. K. & T. REDUCED RATES INDIAN TERRITORY.

Ever since the construction of the K. & T. Ry. through the Indian Territory its local passenger rate between stations in the Indian Territory has been on a basis of five cents a mile. The customary rate of passenger fares on railroads, except in sparsely settled country, is the cents a mile. The population of the Indian Territory during the past few years has grown rapidly; there has been a large increase in passenger traffic on account, and the Katy officials recognizing the wants of the people and justice of so doing, have voluntarily arranged to reduce the local passenger rate to a basis of three cents a mile. This reduction will take place on or about September 1st. There will be great cheering among the residents along the line of the M. K. & T.

THE TWICE-A-WEEK REPUBLIC.

Every Monday and Thursday evening as good as a magazine—and better! It contains the latest by telegraph and as interesting stories—is sent to the subscriber of the "Twice-a-Week" Republic which is only a \$1 a year.

The man who reads the "Twice-a-Week" Republic knows all about the political, domestic and foreign events posted about the markets and commercial matters generally.

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Through to Harrison.

On April 15th, the St. Louis and North Arkansas Railroad was formally opened to Harrison, Arkansas, establishing (in connection with the life line from Seligman) direct railway communication with some of the richest lead and zinc fields yet discovered.

The territory traversed by the line presents perhaps the most remarkable panoramas of rugged mountains, ranges and fertile valleys to be found in the American continent. A trip to Harrison is well worth the time so spent either from a commercial or a sight-seeing standpoint.