

The Rich Hill Stock Show

was postponed on account of the excessive wet weather. It was set late in October then because

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MISSOURI NOTES

The question of placing the male members of the Marshall High School under military training is under consideration.

A black-winged pelican measuring seven feet from tip to tip of its wings was killed on the Missouri river near Parkville, Tuesday.

St. Clair county won a ribbon at the State Fair last week on her display of farm produce. The eight ribbons were given in the following order: Polk, Lincoln, Scott, Andrew, St. Clair, Saline, Miller and Randolph.

Frank R. Jesse of Webster Groves, deputy grand master of the Missouri Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., was elevated in St. Louis last week to the office of grand master at the second day's session of the ninety-fifth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge at the Scottish Rite Cathedral.

State Auditor Gordon stated Saturday that up to the date of the present year the earnings of the penitentiary have decreased \$69,449. The loss is due to two causes, one being the increase of the population of the prison and the other a lack of profitable employment for more than one thousand of the convicts.

Horace Blackwell of Lexington, speaking to one hundred farmers in the Thrope schoolhouse told them the proposed issue of \$55,000 bonds for the rock road, Levasy to Lexington, will cost ten cents an acre for fifteen years. He based his figures on the assessed valuation of the road district. There will be another meeting held October 6.

More plug tobacco is manufactured in St. Louis than in any other city of the world. The total tobacco output of St. Louis is about 75,000,000 pounds annually. Of that amount 66,000,000 pounds is plug tobacco. The value of all tobacco products turned out by the St. Louis plants amounts to \$50,000,000 per annum. That is about one-sixth of the total tobacco output of the United States.

Another indication that sets aside the goose bone, the corn husk and other theories in the regard to early frost is presented by a Nodaway county farmer. He says there isn't going to be any heavy frosts until late in the season. He takes his cue from observing the habits of the cockle bur and he claims he never misses. The cockle bur is a very thrifty growing plant but the frost never catches it with the seed infertile. They must be fertile to insure a crop the following year.

GENERAL NOTES

Democrats of Massachusetts in convention indorsed the candidacy of Gov. Walsh for a third term.

Charles Hanson, a sailor, shot and killed his wife, her maid and then turned his revolver on himself with fatal result at Erie, Pa.

Former Secretary of State William J. Bryan, while at Hillsboro, Tex., witnessed the slaying of Dr. A. C. Sayers by a woman who said she was "Mrs. Kirkpatrick."

The body of Patrick Sullivan, an American soldier, was found on the river bank near Fort Brown, Tex., Monday. A blow had crushed his skull.

The Keller State Bank, of Ft. Worth, Tex., was robbed of \$8,000 Monday morning. The cashier was slugged and locked in the vault. The bandits escaped in motor cars.

The French chamber of deputies Thursday decided to discuss a law increasing the salary of soldiers and non-commissioned officers 4 cents daily. The pay of common soldiers now is 1 cent a day.

An American private was taken across the Rio Grande on the night of September 24, shot five times and his ears cut off, according to a report forwarded to the War Department Friday by General Funston.

The first snow of the season fell in St. Paul, Minn. Monday, the slight flurry continuing only a few minutes. From three to six inches of snow fell throughout the Black Hills Sunday night, the first general fall of the season.

Eighty-four years have not dampened the eagerness of Mrs. Amy Winship, who has appealed for admission to University of Kansas to learn more. She believes in the old proverb, "You are never too old to learn."

Orders for 3,000,000 pairs of shoes have just been placed in this country by Russian agents. They will cost on an average of \$5 a pair, making the orders total \$15,000,000. Massachusetts manufacturers have the orders.

M. A. Schmidt, alleged accomplice of J. B. McNamara, in the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times Building, which cost twenty lives, went to trial in Judge Frank R. Willis' court in Los Angeles, Cal., Monday on a charge of murder.

The national encampment of the G. A. R. will be held in Kansas City in 1916. Atlantic City, N. J., made a strong effort to hold the convention but Kansas City won out on account of its

central location. The encampment next year will be the fiftieth.

Police Chief T. J. Nichols of Oklahoma City, Okla., was shot four times and perhaps fatally wounded, and Assistant Jailer Biddle was slightly wounded by Police Officer J. O. Lung Friday afternoon, after a quarrel arising from the chief's lecture about drunkenness on duty.

The United States Cavalry patrol and a half a dozen Mexicans had a running fight Friday near La Feria, about 30 miles up the Rio Grande from Brownsville, Tex. The Mexicans tried to ambush the Americans but failed. There were no known casualties on either side.

The Haitian rebels who have been resisting the American troops, resulting in several fatal encounters recently, have agreed to lay down their arms. A conference was held Thursday and the rebels accepted the conditions offered by the Americans and promised to cease armed resistance.

"Chicken Joe" Campbell was indicted Friday for the murder of Mrs. Odette Allen, wife of the former Warden of the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill. Campbell is a negro who was sentenced for murder from Cook County. He was a trusty at the prison and served in the family head quarters of the Allens.

Robert S. Knox, of Chatsworth, Ga., widely known as "Uncle Bob" has been granted his seventh divorce. He is now in his ninety-third year and walks as straight as when he was 50 and his eyes always twinkle with merriment. He says he thinks he will marry again, as he wants to leave some good woman his fortune, which is said to be a snug one.

Sheriff Jake Alberty, of Adair County, Okla., went to the home of John Weaver, near Westville Thursday night, seeking information about bootleggers. Young Wesley Weaver thought the Sheriff had come to arrest him and opened fire. In the shooting that followed Mrs. Weaver the boy's mother, was killed, the Sheriff was shot through the hip and young Weaver received several wounds.

Former Bates County Resident Killed in an Auto Accident.

Colby, Kas., Oct. 2.—Three were killed and two injured in a motor car accident here early this morning when the westbound Rock Island flyer struck and demolished a car belonging to John Carpenter, a local real estate man. The car, which carried five passengers, had just started north from town and on reaching the Rock Island tracks endeavored to cross ahead of the fast mail from Chicago. Just as the car attempted the crossing it is supposed that the engine went dead and the driver was unable to either cross or back off the track. The engineer did not see the car until after the engine had struck it.

Frienda Carpenter, in the front seat with his father was driving, while Gerald Fitzgerald, son of a local hardware man; Morgan Blevins, a salesman for the Lee Hardware Company of Salina, and Carl Ackard, a local boy, were in the back seat. All were thrown from the car and the elder Carpenter and the Ackard boy were killed and Blevins was injured so that he died within a few minutes.

The John Carpenter referred to in the above dispatch was a former resident of this county and removed to Kansas where he was an extensive wheat raiser, several years ago.

SHORT STORIES

Of Local Interest—Clipped from Our Exchanges.

The home of Jim Heatherly burned last Tuesday night. Nothing was saved from the flames. The cause of the fire is not known.—Amoret Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Seaman left Tuesday for Pueblo Colo., where Mr. Seaman will be again employed as bookkeeper for the same firm he was employed by before coming here.—Drexel Star.

S. Moore went to Springfield, Mo., to visit his twin sons, Clark and Clyde. The boys are with Billie Plumlee's Comedians who are playing a two week's engagement in that city.—Border Telephone.

Urieh is becoming quite metropolitan. Postmaster McDaniel has received notice from the post office department that on October 1 the post office here passes from the fourth to the third class.—Urieh Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lent are the proud and happy parents of a little daughter, who joined their family circle, Sunday, September 26, 1915. This is the first daughter in the family, the other three children being boys.—Amoret Leader.

J. M. Pulliam returned from Kansas City Tuesday where he had been operated on for the removal of a tumor. His recovery was speedy and he is feeling very good. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his restoration to health.—Adrian Journal.

J. S. Hays returned home Sunday from Excelsior Springs, where he had been with Mrs. Hays a week, where she is in a hospital receiving medical treatment. Mr. Hays said she was better but very weak. He will return to Excelsior Springs Sunday.—Drexel Star.

E. A. Cherry went to Kansas City Wednesday morning to see his son, Happy, who was operated on for nose trouble some days ago. We understand that another operation will be performed this (Thursday) morning. Dr. Floyd Bates will be present.—Adrian Journal.

Prof. Chas. A. Burke, the Cass county superintendent of schools makes his tours of inspection on foot. In addition to the health-giving exercise it enables him to meet a greater number of the patrons of the schools and thus learn more of the needs of the schools.—Urieh Herald.

Miss Mayne Louise Larson and Mr. David E. Impey were married at the home of the bride's parents, on East Pine Street Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock by Rev. Peter Pearson. Only immediate relatives of the happy couple witnessed the ceremony.—Rich Hill Western Enterprise.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton, little John, who had been sick with bowel trouble, passed away last Thursday night and the funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon and interment made in the Benjamin cemetery east of town.—Amoret Leader.

John P. Cox, who had been in the University hospital in Kansas City for several weeks came home last Friday evening. He is still quite weak as a result of an operation but seems to be getting along quite well. His many friends wish him a complete restoration to health.—Adrian Journal.

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