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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary of Bates County, to be held Tuesday, August 1, 1916.

County Treasurer

JOHN H. STONE

W. B. WELCH
Summit Township

J. S. TAYLOR
Shaynee Township

Sheriff

J. W. BAKER
Osage Township

H. D. CHAMBERS
East Boone Township

Judge County Court
North District

A. B. THURMAN
Mingo Township

Judge County Court
South District

W. H. LOWDER
New Home Township

Circuit Judge, 29th Judicial District

C. A. CALVIRD
Clinton, Mo.

HENRY F. POAGE
Clinton, Mo.

Prosecuting Attorney

D. C. CHASTAIN
WATT DAWSON

HOWELL H. HECK
Osage Township

Representative in the State
Legislature.

JAS. N. SHARP
Mound Township

JOSEPH B. MARCH

B. C. WILLIAMSON
Osage Township

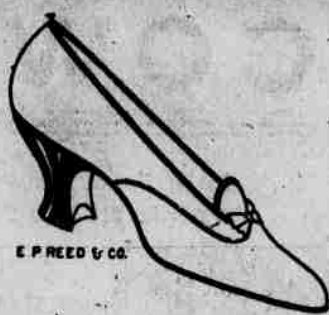
THE MAN FOR THE PLACE.

In the making of a choice of a Governor for Missouri, and the time is not far off, there are many things to be considered, but of all the most important qualifications are honesty, intelligence, ability, and a technical, first hand knowledge of the affairs of the State. The intelligent voter, the citizen with the best interests of his State at heart will not now, of all times, allow the issue to be clouded with fantastic schemes and promises. Neither is it a time for experiment merely to gratify the ambition of any man, no matter how successful or wealthy whose fitness for gubernatorial service is an unknown quantity.

All the Democratic aspirants for governor have the first two qualifications of honesty and intelligence; several of them are indisputably able gentlemen; but, in the matter of the knowledge of the State's affairs, one man, the present Secretary of State, stands out as one with probably a more intimate knowledge of the details of the State government and the needs of the State, than any man in public life.

The service he has rendered the State is a model of honesty, efficiency, economy and intelligence. He has proved his qualifications to make good as chief executive. He is known all over the State, and his fitness is unquestioned and Missouri needs his technical knowledge and his services. He has not had the experience that would recommend him as president of a manufacturing business, but he is notably and indisputably equipped by training, nature, and inclination to make the kind of public servant Missouri needs as governor. Voters should and will be reluctant to reject the employment of a man whose experience and training are what the State needs, rather than the elevation of the wealthy and inexperienced in public service. The kind of statescraft he possesses should be at the service of the State. If any man is better fitted than Cornelius Roach to give to Missouri a conservative, efficient business like administration than that man should be chosen. The State's welfare should outweigh all other considerations.

In choosing the man that the best business is responsible for the present prosperity in this country the New York Commercial says: "The business and financial world of the United States is looking for a man who will lead it through the present crisis."



Extra Values in NEW PUMPS

\$3.00

Black Patent
Black Kid
Black and White
Patent

For the Children
A Splendid Line
\$1.00
to
\$2.50

Babies 50c to \$1.00
Have you seen the
Kewpie Twins?

New Things in our
Wash Goods
Department

Awning Striped
Long Beach Cloth
and
Voiles

Plain Colored
French Organdie
Rose and Blue
Silk Striped Voile

Blue-Green
Gray—
French Linen
Pink-Blue

Walker-McKibben's
The Quality Store

isolation, tariff hesitancy and other things, lacked the 'match' to kindle or set things off. Big business opportunities kept accumulating. Along came war orders in late 1914 and early 1915 (following better railroad sentiment and the federal reserve banking act), and served as the match for the conflagration, which was already waiting. And having served its purpose, the match is practically consumed. Today it plays no more part in the great materials-consuming conflagration of industrial prosperity in this country than does the starting match play in a huge and growing fire that has been burning over a year. War business! We can forget it.

Arrested for Bootlegging.

Sheriff Johnson Saturday arrested Elmer Simpson charged with the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor. There was no liquor found on him but the officers are convinced that they have a good case against him. He was released on a bond of \$300 to appear at the May term of the Circuit Court.

Marshal Bullock, Constable Stotts and Deputy Emmett Bullock went out to the morning train from Kansas City and arrested John Medley and a negro named Walter Leonard who had just come in from Kansas City with suit cases loaded with pint bottles of whisky. Leonard dropped his suit case and attempted to escape, but a shot or two over his head caused him to change his mind.

They were taken before E. S. Catron, justice of the peace, who placed their bonds at \$300 to appear for trial at the May term of the Circuit Court. Leonard furnished bond and was released. Medley was unable to furnish bond and was placed in jail. Monday the cases against them were dismissed and they were again arrested on a capias issued from the office of Circuit Clerk Maxey and the amount of their bonds increased to \$500 which they were unable to give and they were both placed in jail to await trial at the May term of the Circuit Court.

The people of Butler and Bates county have shown by their votes that they want the county and city dry and the officers are determined that it shall be dry and from this time on this will be a mighty unhealthy place for bootlegging.

For sale—High grade head vacuum cleaner with motor, \$12.50. Wash tub, \$10.00. Sewing machine, \$15.00. The price is right.

Bargains for May

At Walker-McKibben's

Here are Savings for You

Fine Bleached Muslin
8 1-3c yard

Good Apron Checked Gingham
7 1-2c yard

Big Assortment Fast Color
Zephyr Gingham
8 1-3c yard

12 1-2c Unbleached Crash
10c yard

15c Tissue Voiles
27-inch fast colors 10c yard

\$1.00 Auto Linen Extra Wide
48c yard

65c Bleached Mercerized
Table Linen 50c

A Limited Number of Table
Linen Remnants at a
Nice Saving

Standard Unbleached Muslin
6c yard

\$2.00 Extra Fine Black
Taffeta Silk \$1.69

This is in great demand for Coats,
suits and skirts

Lot \$1.25 Voile Waists
75c

\$1.00 Satine Petticoats
69c

Lot \$1.00 and \$1.25 Lace Curtains
Quaker Style
62 1-2c

Lot Bed Room Curtain Nets
10c yard

44-inch Wide Curtain Nets
19c and 25c yard

Bed Room Carpetings
29c yard

Bed Room Rugs 9x12
\$4.50

Room Rugs at Old Prices

A CHOICE Selection, It will pay to buy NOW

Agents
Munsing
Union
Suits

Walker-McKibben's

The Quality Store

Agents
Warner's
Rust-Proof
Corsets



Choice Lot
Ladies and Misses

Tailored Suits
on Sale

\$10.00

Choice Lot
Spring
Coats
on Sale
\$4.75

All Sizes
Palm Beach
Skirts
Washable
on sale
\$3.50

Other Wash Skirts
\$1.25 up

WALKER-McKIBBEN'S

The Quality Store

Col. Porter, Breeder of Fine Live Stock.

Col. J. Harlan Porter of Western Bates, was a Butler visitor Saturday and as is his custom called at the Times office. He told the editor that on Tuesday he received an extra well bred Chester White gilt from the Thos. F. Kent herd of Walnut, Iowa. She is sired by "Iowa Progress," a reserved son of "Combination" the greatest living Chester White boar. Her dam is "Iowa Lucile" she by "Iowa Protection." She is bred to "White Elephant" a son of "Sweetstake" that famous 1260 pound hog that won champion at Des Moines, Iowa, in 1912.

With the breeding behind this gilt and the hog she is bred to Col. Porter certainly has the foundation for a herd of big time Chester White hogs and with the surplus milk the big Holstein Friesian cows, which he recently purchased in Kansas, are furnishing at the Rambler farm there should be some good show pigs for the Butler fair this year.

When Col. Porter goes in for a thing he goes for all he is worth. He had the finest chickens in Western Bates, then he went over to Kansas and bought some fine cows, and now he has embarked in the hog business.

This Missouri Boy a World's Champion.

He's just a big good-natured Missouri country boy from Bosworth, but when he dons a track suit and steps down a cinder track he makes the whole world take notice. "Bob" Simpson is a world's champion track star. Recently he equaled the world's record for the 120-yard high hurdle race at the Penn Relay Games at Philadelphia, a wonderful performance, considering that the race was run on a grass track instead of a cinder one. Simpson is a junior in the University of Missouri at Columbia. He is studying agriculture.

Sermons for Young People.

We desire to announce a special series of sermons for young men and young women to be delivered on Sunday evenings at the Christian church. The subjects and dates follow:

"The Crown of Courage," May 21st.

"The Power of a Prince," May 22nd.

"Calling on Unknown Seld," June 4th.

There will be special music each evening. Next Sunday evening the Christian church will be open for the young people. The price is right.

Mrs. L. J. Clapp Dead.

Mrs. L. J. Clapp departed this life at the family home north of Hume, Missouri, May 4, 1916. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. O. R. Sides, of the M. E. Church, Friday, and burial was made in the Independence cemetery.

Martha Ellen Causey was born in Clark County, Indiana, June 8, 1848. In 1865 she was united in marriage to Lewis J. Clapp. To this union seven children were born, five of whom, with the husband and father, survive. They are Mrs. A. L. Thompson, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Frank Denney, Kansas City, Kas.; W. M. Clapp, Bristow, Mont.; Mrs. Dessie Norbury, Hume; Mrs. J. A. Rogers, Butler, Mo. Besides her own family she leaves three sisters and two brothers, a host of nieces and nephews and friends to mourn her death.

Being reared in a Presbyterian home she remained faithful to her belief, expressing herself as willing and ready to die when the summons should come. She was a kind and dutiful wife, and affectionate and loving mother, and an ever ready friend to all her neighbors in time of sickness and trouble.—Border Telephone.

Austin Postoffice Robbed

Sheriff Johnson was notified Sunday that the night before the postoffice and store at Austin, Cass county, had been robbed. Two safes were blown open with nitro-glycerin and from the postoffice safe \$145 was secured and about \$355 from the safe in the store. The work had the appearance of having been done by experts and four men who had been camping on the railroad right of way near Archie for several days are suspected. They were last seen Saturday.

Entertained for Mrs. Hess.

Monday afternoon Mrs. A. C. Coberly entertained the Wesleyan Guild of the Ohio Street M. E. church, in honor of Mrs. C. W. Hess, who was soon to take her departure for Kansas City where she will make her future home. Mrs. Hess was presented with a fine piece of cut glass in recognition of her fine work in the Guild of which she was one of the most loyal members.

G. E. Convention.

The Bates County Christian Endeavor Convention will be held in the Christian church at Butler, Mo., on the 27th and 28th inst. The price is right.

Origin of Bates County.

The Missouri State Historical Society recently published an article by David W. Eaton, giving the origin of counties and places in Missouri and how they are named. The following extract will be of interest to Bates county readers:

The county was organized January 29, 1841 and named for Frederick Bates, second governor of the state, who died Aug. 4, 1825, before the expiration of his term.

Butler, the county seat of Bates county, was laid out in 1854 and named in honor of William O. Butler, of Kentucky, an officer in the Mexican war and candidate for vice-president on the democratic ticket in 1848.

Aaron was a family name. Adrian was named for the Roman Emperor, Hadrian, or Adrian.

Altona was named for a Prussian town near (all too near) Hamburg, which was just across the line in Germany.

Amsterdam, named for a city in Holland.

Foster, a family name. Hume was laid out in 1880 by Noah Little.

Johnstown was surveyed in 1854 by John Herbert and the name formed from his given name.

Pleasant Gap was laid out by Joseph Smith and so named by him because of its pleasant situation in a gap.

Rich Hill was so named on account of the rich land surrounding it.

Rockville was laid out in 1868 by William L. Hardesty and so named because in the vicinity are quarries of excellent white limestone.

Sprague was laid out in 1880 by A. Blaker and named for Chas. Sprague, a merchant.

A Ford Gets Two.

Monday evening as Claude McCombs was attempting to crank a refractory Ford at Newlon's Garage the machine "kicked" throwing him across the room and breaking both bones in his right forearm.

Alfred Newlon summoned a physician who dressed the injured arm. Newlon took him to his home in another car and on returning to the garage he considered to try to crank the mankiller when he too was "kicked" badly bruising his arm, but fortunately breaking no bones.

Barred Roads.

Wheat from my land is prohibited from being sold in the market.

Notice of Sale Under School Fund Mortgage.

Notice is hereby given, that, whereas, A. C. Tefft, did, by his mortgage deed, dated on the 30th day of April, 1910, and recorded in Book 120, page 600, of the office of Recorder of Deeds of Bates County, convey to the County of Bates the following described real estate situated, lying and being in the said County of Bates, in the State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of lots one (1) and two (2) in block one hundred fifty (150) in Rich Hill Town Company's second addition to the city of Rich Hill, Missouri.

And, whereas, said mortgage was executed to secure a bond for five hundred dollars, duly executed by the said A. C. Tefft to the said County of Bates for the loan on moneys belonging to the school fund of said County;

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum;

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, Sheriff of said County of Bates, having been thereto directed by an order of the County Court of said County of Bates, entered of record on the 3rd day of May, 1916, will proceed to sell the above described premises, or such part thereof as may be necessary, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the city of Butler, in said County of Bates on the 10th day of June, 1916, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, said sale to be at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

HARVE JOHNSON,
31-4t Sheriff of Bates County.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Martha C. Taylor to Geo. L. Argembright, 40 acres section 2 Shawnee \$2072.50.

Leslie Valde to W. A. Norton 200 acres section 6 Charlotte \$12,500.00.

C. F. Chapin to J. E. Hartman 184 acres section 1 Hudson \$1.00.

J. E. Hartman to C. F. Chapin et al 184 acres section 1 Hudson \$1.00.

Bromel Cooper to W. F. Basore lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 block 23 Rich Hill \$1.00.

Don't Drink Horas.

Use Farris Cello Remedy. Simply drop it on the horse's snout with the medicine dropper that is furnished with every bottle. Cures colic, indigestion, and all other ailments of the horse. Price 25c per bottle.