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THIRTY YEARS AGO.

July 2, 1890.

Sheriff Ewin has appointed as deputies W. H. Rumans, constable of Osage township, and C. J. McDonald of this city. Jeff See will have charge of the jail and board the prisoners.

The Chief is the name of a new paper started at Amoret last week by R. J. Trickett.

Mrs. S. M. Brown, wife of Rev. S. M. Brown, presented her husband with a fine baby boy Monday.

30 years ago the thermometer stood at 96 1-2 in the shade in Butler.

Lewis A. Webb and Mrs. Annie Hood were united in marriage Monday evening by Esquire Newsome.

Mrs. Tucker, the wife of H. L. Tucker, of Waverly, joined her husband in this city last week. Mr. Tucker is the gentleman who recently purchased the J. G. Walker drug store.

At a meeting of Bates Lodge No. 180, Monday night, the following officers were elected: W. W. Ross, N. G.; Charlie Scott, V. G.; J. W. Reiser, Sec'y.; S. F. Warnock, treasurer.

An exciting race took place at the race track Saturday evening between Sorrell Frank, owned by C. B. Lewis, and a three year old colt owned by Henry Kaune. The race, a half mile dash, was won by the Kaune colt.

Passenger train No. 302, north bound, and due in this city at 3:15 p. m., met with a bad accident about five miles this side of Nevada Saturday last. The train was running about thirty miles an hour when the rail spread and the train was thrown in the ditch, twenty-nine being more or less seriously hurt. Among those from Butler who received injuries were Miss Minnie McFarland, A. B. Walker and J. D. Burner. The two latter were only slightly hurt, but Miss McFarland was more unfortunate and is now confined to her room at the Rockwood hotel at Nevada.

Dr. Christy informs us that Wm. Dewese was presented with a fine boy yesterday.

Thursday at high noon by Rev. A. V. Francis officiating, Mr. C. H. Bryant and Miss Lillie Lamb were united in marriage. The happy couple are now at home on the fine farm of the bride, southeast of town.

318 Women Delegates at Frisco Convention.

San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—With the compilation of the full roll, showing the extent of their participation in the national convention, Democratic women felt today that they had power and equal responsibility with ample reason to crow over their Republican sisters. Not only has the National Committee agreed to give them equal representation, equal power and equal responsibility with men, an agreement that probably will be ratified by the convention without serious opposition, but the convention itself will show an impressive feminine representation. In contrast to the handful of women mustered at Chicago as delegates and alternates at the late Republican conclave, there will be here, according to the National Committee's list, 41 delegates at large, 63 district delegates, 39 alternates at large and 165 district alternates, a total of 308. Attention is called by the women themselves to the character as well as the numerical strength of their representation. Many of the delegates and alternates have attained national reputations through social, educational or club work, and others are fast making themselves known in their own states.

Return the Lowden Checks.

Mount Vernon, Ill., June 26.—Nat Goldstein and Robert T. Moore, Missouri delegates to the Republican national convention, have returned the \$2,500 each of them received to "stir up Lowden sentiment in Missouri."

L. L. Emmerson, Lowden's campaign manager, made a statement last night saying that he had received checks from Goldstein and Moore, "two or three days ago." He refused to say who had turned the checks over to him. Emmerson said he did not care to say anything further than that he received the money and considered the incident closed.

In their testimony before the senate investigating committee Goldstein and Moore admitted receiving the money and said that they would return it if Governor Lowden failed to get the nomination.

Railroad officials intimate that car shortage is not the only, or the principal reason for the present slow freight movement, but inability on the part of the railroads to employ competent labor to handle their trains.

Get a Box Tonight

Get a box of **TRAVIS DRUG & MERC. CO.**

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THE FIRST TIME

In three years. Now, before the harvest is over, is your chance to get your FORD. For as soon as the wheat and oats begin to cash in you will have the same long wait to get a Ford. Phone, write or come at once. We can make immediate deliveries for a short time. Owing to the crop failures of last year in some parts of the United States it is impossible for some agents to move their allotment of Ford cars, and we have a chance to get a few extra cars. Don't put this off, but get busy now, tomorrow may be too late.

Also the FORDSON TRACTOR for immediate delivery. The season is here; never has there been a time when we could supply the demand in July, August and September. Why not place your order now and get ahead of the fellow who does not look ahead? At present we can get the tractors. If we get orders now we can place the orders with the factory and get the tractors in before the other customer realizes he needs one. Get your ground plowed early; the extra yield of wheat will pay for the tractor. You know the early plowing gets the crop, and you can't do it with horses, it will be too hot. Stop and consider this and you will agree with us. We must have the orders to get the tractors. We also have all the tractor equipment, such as plows, disc plows, cultipackers, disc harrows, seeders, binder hitches and tractor oil, the best made, the oil nine tenths of the factories use. If it is good for them it is good for you.

USED CARS—We have on hand some used Ford cars, Ford trucks, and Fordson Tractors taken in on new ones:

One 1914 model 5-passenger Ford, overhauled.....	\$175.00
One 1918 model 5-passenger Ford, a bargain.....	250.00
One 1918 model 5-passenger Ford, good condition.....	265.00
One 1918 model 5-passenger Ford, first class condition.....	325.00
One 1919 model 5-passenger Ford, extra good.....	350.00
One 1919 model 5-passenger Ford, extra good.....	375.00
Two used tractors, completely overhauled and painted. Will sell at bargains.	
One No. 7 Oliver Plow, used one year, good as new except shares which show a little wear.....	110.00

NEW TIRES—Largest stock between Kansas City and Joplin. All standard makes. As soon as this stock is exhausted we will have to get the new prices.

30x3 Smooth Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$11.60, will be.....	\$16.65
30x3 Smooth Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$12.25, will be.....	15.50
30x3 Smooth Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$12.90, will be.....	17.75
30x3 1-2 Smooth Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$15.10, will be.....	20.65
30x3 1-2 Smooth Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$16.80, will be.....	21.15
30x3 1-2 Non-Skid Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$18.00, will be.....	20.65
30x3 1-2 Non-Skid Casing, 6000 mile guarantee, selling at \$20.00, will be.....	23.50

Good Stock of Large Size Casings All at the Old Price

Two car loads of automobile, tractor and steam engine oil at prices as cheap as some, cheaper than others. We have two of the best grades of oil manufactured. Don't forget our WHITE CLOUD high test gasoline. It costs no more than the cheaper grades. We sell it at 28 1-10c, subject to market changes.

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Sheriff's Sale in Partition.

James Paddock, James Miller, Ethel Carrick, Maude Belt, Claude Miller, Frank Miller, Edith Miller and Minnie Miller, Plaintiffs.

vs.
William Paddock, Mollie Paddock, Bertha Paddock, Maude Paddock, Griffin Marshall, Ralph Marshall, Henry Gorton, Orville Gorton, Louis G. Gorton, Sarah Gorton Avery, Martha Paddock Gorton, Elmer Brink and Fred Brink, Defendants.

In the Circuit Court of Bates County, Missouri.

By virtue and authority of a decree and order of sale in partition made by the said Court, in the above entitled cause and of a certified copy thereof, dated June 5, 1920, I will on

Saturday, July 10, 1920, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon, and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Butler in Bates County, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, viz:

Southwest Quarter (1-4) of the North East Quarter (1-4) of Section Seven (7), Township Thirty-eight (38), Range Thirty (30), Bates County, Missouri; also Lot Twelve (12), Block Seven (7), Town Company's Addition to the Town of Rich Hill, Bates County, Missouri.

Terms of sale as follows viz: Cash in hand.

35-4t J. W. BAKER, Sheriff.

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Notice.

Services at New Hope next Sunday, July 4th, 1920.

Business meeting at 9:30 a. m. Saturday.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sunday.

Followed by sermon.

On account of being away Sunday afternoon, baptismal services will be held following the morning service.

Sermon Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on the subject, "Saved by Grace."

A cordial welcome.

L. W. Keels.

W. F. Duvall, President Homer Duvall, Cashier
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FARM LOANS We have money to loan on real estate at a low rate of interest with privilege to pay at any time.

ABSTRACTS We have a complete set of Abstract Books and will furnish abstracts to any real estate in Bates County and examine and perfect titles to same.

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W. F. DUVALL, President, J. B. DUVALL, Vice-President,
ARTHUR DUVALL, Treasurer. W. D. YATES, Title Examiner.

Prevents a Kansas Lynching.

Pratt, Kas., June 24.—Two efforts have been made to lynch Harvey Lilly, the negro who yesterday confessed to the killing of Mrs. William Bryant in this city. Lilly was caught in a wheat field north of the city and taken to the county jail.

At midnight two hundred men surrounded the jail and demanded Lilly. Sheriff McCool met them and told them of the consequences if they followed out their intentions. They then dispersed. At 11 o'clock today three hundred men, led by William

Bryant, the husband of the murdered woman, again surrounded the jail, Bryant carrying a rope. Several deputy sheriffs drew their pistols and held the mob at bay while Sheriff McCool talked to the men.

The American Legion was called upon and responded and ex-soldiers now are patrolling the court house square. No one is allowed on the square unless he gives good reasons for being there. Fifty men will patrol the jail grounds tonight in khaki. The officers are determined that Lilly will not be moved for another