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D. CLEM DEEVER, General Agent,
LANDSEEKERS' INFORMATION BUREAU,
1004 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. Jim Ince and babe have been visiting her parents, W. K. Ince and wife in Louisiana.

Mrs. Jeff Brown and children have been the guests of her parents, John Ince and wife.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned W. R. P. Jackson, Executor of the estate of Samuel S. Hampton, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Monroe County, Missouri, to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the 14th day of November A. D. 1910.

W. R. P. JACKSON, Executor,
of Samuel Hampton, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned W. R. P. Jackson, Administrator, of the estate of George T. Settle & Co. and of George T. Settle, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with both said estates as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Monroe County, Missouri, to be holden at Paris in said county, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1910.

W. R. P. JACKSON,
Administrator,
of George T. Settle & Co.
George T. Settle, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned W. R. P. Jackson, Administrator, of the estate of William L. Elsea deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Monroe County, Missouri, to be holden at Paris in said county, on the 14th day of November A. D. 1910.

W. R. P. JACKSON,
Administrator,
of William L. Elsea, deceased.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration, with the will annexed, on the estate of Elizabeth N. Maston, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of September, 1910, by the Probate Court of Monroe County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they shall be forever barred. This 27th day of September, 1910.

J. N. COONS, Executor.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Wm. R. Yates, Executor of the estate of Eliza E. Paris, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Monroe County, Missouri, to be holden at Paris in said county, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1910.

Wm. R. YATES, Executor,
of Eliza E. Paris, deceased.

Another Fault Found.

Mr. Recentmarrie—"This cake is good, dear, but there seem to be a good many egg shells in it."

Mrs. Recentmarrie—"I'm sorry, John, but I used only three shells, the number the recipe calls for."

Mr. Recentmarrie—"The number the recipe calls for?"

Mrs. Recentmarrie—"Yes, John; the recipe says to use the 'whites of three eggs.'"

Mrs. John Chaloupky and daughter, Miss Agnes have been in St. Louis visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. W. Young, of Palmyra has been the guest of Mrs. P. F. Maxwell.

E. C. Swan, wife and child, of New England.

Going To School On The Roof.

The open-air school for tuberculous children is the logical development of the crusade against tuberculosis, for the three most effective measures in the welfare are, fresh air, rest and food.

All sorts of locations have been utilized for open-aided schools. In Boston the roof of the refectory in Franklin Park is used. Chicago and Hartford began with ten schools. Pittsburg used the balcony of a hospital. New York City has converted three ferry-boats into open-aided camps, and on each of these is a school.

On the roof of the Vanderbilt Clinic in New York the children study breathing in the pure air as it sweeps up from the East River, while the noise of the city's busy life faintly floats upward from below.

"Don't you get very cold in winter?" one of the girls was asked on a crisp day in December when Jack Frost was making icicles on the sides of the steam pipe.

"Oh, we don't mind it," was the reply. "We get into our sitting-out bags and wrap our blankets around us and we are toasty warm."

"But what do you do when it snows?"

"Oh!" was the quick rejoinder, "that's the nicest time of all. We can play and make houses and forts and snowballs, and the snow isn't all dirty and black as it is down in the schools-yards."

Study time on the Vanderbilt roof covers four hours a day in winter and two in the summer, but no study period is longer than one hour. In the middle of the forenoon every child has a fresh egg broken into an egg-cup, and drinks a glass of milk. At noon the children help to set the table and have a full dinner—soup, meat, vegetables salad, dessert. The dining-room is a sheltered section in the lee of the north wall.

After dinner every child must betake himself to his steamer chair, wraps himself cozily in the two heavy blankets provided, and "rest." Then comes a playtime again before afternoon study. Another egg with a glass of milk is given to each child in the middle of the afternoon.

Any kind of industrial work is encouraged among the boys and girls, and instruction is given in basketry, sloyd, sewing, knitting and hammock-making. Articles made have been sold and the proceeds given to the makers. One very pleasant custom on the Vanderbilt roof is that of observing the birthdays of the children. This gives a community feeling, which is still further developed by games, such as cards and checkers, the Christmas tree and the garden work. There are occasional graphophone concerts, and in the summer friends frequently send gifts of ice-cream.

The garden work is one of the charming features of the school's activity. During all the past summer the entire south side of the roof has been gay with flowers that were tended by the children.—November Designer.

WANTED AT ONCE—Hampton's Magazine wants a reliable man or woman in Monroe City to sell the fastest-growing magazine in America. Earn \$1.50 to \$5.00 a day. Write immediately for "Salary Plan" and FREE outfit. Address "VON," Sales Mgr., Hampton's Magazine, 85 West 35th St., New York. 10-27.

For Sale—A large house, good barn and other out buildings, with about 3 1/2 or 4 acres of ground in Monroe City, 3 blocks of Main St. Write or call W. T. Dimmitt, Shelbyville, Mo.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that I will follow the following schedule in my annual trip over Monroe county with the tax books:

Tulip, Monday, Oct. 17.

Middle Grove 18th till noon 19th.

Ash, Monday, Oct. 24.

Leesburg, Tuesday, Oct. 25.

Woodlawn, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

Granville, Thursday, Oct. 27.

Santa Fe, Monday, Oct. 31, till noon Nov. 1.

Florida, Wednesday, Nov. 3, till noon of 4th.

North Fork, Nov. 7.

Stoutsville, Tuesday and Wednesday, 8 and 9.

Indian Creek, Monday, Nov. 14.

Monroe City, Nov. 15, 16, 17, 18.

Madison, Nov. 21 and 22, till 10 o'clock 23.

Holliday, Nov. 23, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Evansville, Dec. 5, 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

A. C. DEEVER, Collector.

Scholarship For Sale.

If you want to take a course in Telegraphy, Shorthand, or Commercial Bookkeeping, in either the Moberly or Sedalia Commercial School, you should see the Democrat. We have a scholarship in each school to dispose of.

Will Not Help the University.

At the morning Wabash train today a man and a boy, passengers for a southern Missouri town on the Iron Mountain railway, had something to say about sophomores. The man's son had entered the university yesterday. He was paddled Monday night and Tuesday night. He was beaten until he was bruised all over. The reason he was beaten so much was that he was a little fellow, seventeen years old, and cried like a child when he was paddled, and the young ruffians who had him out liked to hear him cry. His father took the boy home. The sentiment for the university in that region is not at fever heat. There will be several votes against the mill tax as a result of the performances of the sophomores.—Columbia Tribune.

Snowbound in Mountains.

Missoula, Mont., Oct. 8.—The local forestry officials today reported a force of twelve men snow-bound at the head of Fish lake in the Clearwater country. This is a force of trail builders which has been engaged in building a route from Lolo pass to St. Paul pass, a distance of 100 miles. The men were operating on the Idemont divide about forty miles from Lolo Springs, their base of supplies, when the snow storm cut them off. Foreman Berg arrived at Lolo Springs on snow shoes late yesterday and reported the condition of his men. A relief expedition is being formed.

Miss Lola Jones went to Hunnewell, Saturday to spend several days.

Mrs. V. C. Shearman, of Hannibal visited her parents, Frank Abbott and wife Saturday and Sunday.

There are no abandoned farms in Monroe County. As fast as the farmers here have moved to Texas and Oklahoma buyers from Iowa and Illinois have taken their places and the loss in population must be laid to the birth rate instead of emigration. The agricultural portions of all the central western states, including Michigan, Illinois and Iowa, showed a loss equal to that of Missouri. The drift to