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BRIEF CITY NEWS.

Artie McCullough visited his grandmother in Agency yesterday. John C. Rogers, of King Hill avenue, leaves for an extended visit in California. Miss Addie Brown, of Valley street is the guest of an aunt in Oregon this week.

FISH FRY AT THE LAKE.

DeKalb County Farmers, Two Hundred Strong, Have an Outing. DeKalb county farmers, with their wives and sons and daughters, descended upon Lake Contrary and its well-kept grounds yesterday.

The Hyde valleys will play a return game with the Lake Parks at 2:30 o'clock next Sunday at Lake Contrary. "Pitchers who make use of the spit ball won't last long in baseball," said Manager Douglas a few days ago.

CITY ASKED TO DECORATE.

Knights Templar Invites City to Put on Holiday Attire. A reception committee composed of forty prominent Knights Templar was selected at a meeting of the committee on arrangements held last night in the lodge rooms at Fifth and Edmond streets.

BE A STOCKMAN-FARMER.

Oklahoma Farm Journal: Our old subscribers will remember our definition of a stockman-farmer, but perhaps some of our new ones are wondering what is meant by the term. Briefly, a man is a stockman-farmer who grows at least five different crops, besides a lot of little crops for forage and other purposes, and feeds most of these crops to five or more different classes of live stock which he grows as his chief source of revenue.

BASE BALL NOTES.

Games Today. St. Joseph at Omaha. Denver at Des Moines. Colorado Springs at Sioux City.

Standing of the Clubs. W. L. Per. Des Moines 10 7 568. Sioux City 8 7 533. Omaha 9 8 562. St. Joseph 7 8 427. Colo. Spgs. 5 9 450.

United Brethren Elect Bishops. Topeka, Kan., May 18.—The United Brethren general conference Wednesday afternoon elected a board of five bishops. The old members re-elected were Dr. G. M. Matthews, Chicago; J. S. Mills, Annyville, Pa. The new bishops are: Dr. William Weakley and Dr. William Bell, Dayton, O.; Dr. T. C. Carter, Chattanooga, Dr. Funk, of Dayton, O., was elected church publishing agent. The plan of union with the Methodist Protestant and Congregational churches comes up Thursday.

Lee and Harris Trials May 22. Jefferson City, Mo., May 18.—It was announced Wednesday that the trials of former Lieutenant Governor John A. Lee and State Senators Frank H. Farris and Charles A. Smith, the former on charges of perjury and the latter on charges of bribery in connection with the legislative death of the bill repealing the statute preventing the use of alum in the manufacture of baking powder, in the legislature of 1901, will commence Monday, May 22, in the Cole county circuit court.

Presbyterians Assemble. Fort Worth, Tex., May 18.—About 150 commissioners have arrived in this city as delegates to the Presbyterian general assembly which convenes here Thursday. The commissioners represent 13 synods, or over 50 presbyteries. The meeting will be called to order at 11 o'clock by the moderator, Dr. S. M. Neal, of Kansas City. The most important question to be considered by the assembly is that of closer relationship with the Northern Presbyterian church.

Congressman Mardock as Rescuer.

Los Angeles, May 18.—A special from Ocean Park says that Congressman Victor Mardock, of Kansas, has saved the lives of two women bathers at the beach who were overcome in the surf and carried beyond their depth. The rapids of the women are Mrs. R. L. Horton and Mrs. A. Harrington, both residents of the beach town. Mr. Mardock was on the beach and seeing the peril of the women, sprang into the water. After considerable effort he succeeded in bringing them to the shore.

Grand Army Encampment. Brookfield, Mo., May 18.—This city is in holiday attire, a scene of flags and bunting, not only the business houses but the residences, in honor of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is holding its 24th annual state encampment here Wednesday and Thursday. The attendance is said to be the largest for years.

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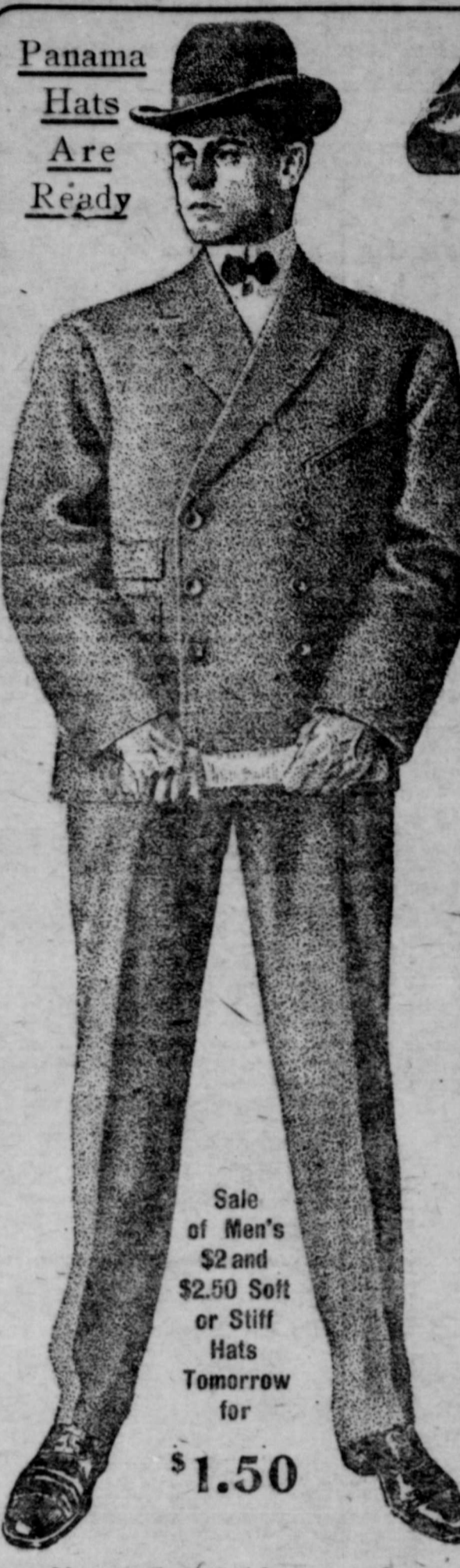
Grand Lodge Officers L. O. O. F. St. Louis, Mo., May 18.—The following officers were elected Wednesday by the grand lodge of Missouri I. O. O. F.: State grand master, J. W. Wilson, Kansasville, Mo.; grand warden, S. F. Clark, Webb City; grand secretary, E. M. Sloan, St. Louis; deputy grand master, J. J. Easton, St. Joseph.

American Jockey Won. London, May 18.—Cleora, ridden by Maher, the American jockey, won the Newmarket stakes of 50 sovereigns each with 1,550 sovereigns added, at the Newmarket second spring meeting.

His Kansas Trip Ended. Horton, Kan., May 18.—Secretary Wilson and the experts of the Agricultural department concluded their tour of Kansas and Southwest with a meeting at this place Tuesday afternoon.

Killed in Kentucky Pistol Fight. Owingsville, Ky., May 18.—During a desperate pistol fight here on the main street of the city Jim Stephens, white, and John Burns, colored, were fatally wounded.

ARE YOU GOING EAST? In making your arrangements for your vacation this summer it would be well to consider convenience and saving of time. The Wabash with its own rails to St. Louis, Detroit, Toledo, Pittsburg and Buffalo is the shortest line, makes the best time and furnishes the best accommodations. Through service to New York and Boston. Ask your local ticket agent for tickets over the Wabash, they sell them.



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FOR GAME WARDEN. A petition is in circulation among South St. Joseph business men and citizens endorsing the appointment of G. G. Starner, of Hyde Valley, as deputy game warden for the Fourth congressional district. The appointment will be made about June 16. This district has more lakes than any other in Missouri, which will make the appointment to wit Mr. Starner a prime one.

CAR REPAIRER KILLED. Cyrus O. Porter, a car repairer for one of the packing houses, was instantly killed in the switch yards yesterday afternoon. The exact manner of death is not known, but it is believed by packing house officials that he was caught unawares by some cars switched upon the track where he was working and crushed beneath the wheels. The body was taken to Meierhoff's undertaking parlors where the inquest will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

THE BEST CARNIVAL. To be held in St. Joseph this summer, begins May 29th. There will be one real carnival held in St. Joseph this summer and that will be the Modern Woodmen's, assisted by the Great Gaskill shows. It will be a strictly Woodman enterprise, in that it is devoted to the advancement of Woodcraft in this city. A general invitation is cordially extended to all other fraternal organizations, and to everybody in St. Joseph and surrounding territory to join in the merry-making.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY. Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Miller Entertained at Their Home. Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Miller, of Swift street, entertained a large number of friends last evening, the occasion being their fifth wedding anniversary. The evening was passed pleasantly with games and social intercourse and concluded with a dainty luncheon. Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Weary, Dr. and Mrs. Bourn, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Penfield, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. George Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Warrick, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jeffries, Mr. and Mrs. John Peppardine, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Longmuir, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Lacy, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brown; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Grundy, Mr. and Mrs. V. Young, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Welty, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Geiwitz, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ewing, Mrs. Rebecca Thompson, Mrs. W. Hamilton Smith, Mrs. Zetta Hardman, Miss Dow Lacy and Miss Vera Prindle.

CHANGING BREEDS. Iowa Homestead: It always reminds us of a drowning man grasping at a straw when we see an individual who has been handling one breed of pure bred animals dispose of all his stock and go into another for some trivial reason. In the case of cattle it may be that he has abortion in his herd, or that a considerable number of his females refuse to breed; it is possible that he may be dissatisfied with them as milkers, or that they might be various other causes for dissatisfaction. This matter of changing breeds is more commonly found among hog breeders than any other class of stockmen, and it is a practice that should be discouraged to the greatest possible extent. In nine cases out of ten it is not the breed that is at fault, but the man, and the same defect in his character or methods that shows up when he handles one breed will also reveal itself in the next. How often do we find instances like this: One man will raise seventy or eighty pigs from nine or ten sows, while a neighbor will not raise more than a dozen or so from the same number. The unfortunate man in many cases does not consider the fact that his non-success has possibly been entirely due to his method of feeding, but he disposes of his stock and purchases a few sows from his neighbor. He feeds these just as he has fed in days gone by and the next year he has no better luck. He may hold a little grudge against the man who sold him his stock, taking the ground that inferior individuals were unloaded on him. He may then try another man's stock and so on without ever really experiencing success.

THROUGH SLEEPER TO CHICAGO. VIA THE ROCK ISLAND. Through Pullman sleeping cars, St. Joseph to Chicago, are being operated in the Rock Island's Fast Express, leaving St. Joseph Union station every evening, 7:05 o'clock. The Rock Island is the line to take.

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BLUEBERRY CULTURE

NOVEL INDUSTRY BUILT UP BY MAINE CANNERS.

Ground Cleared for the Purpose by Burning Off the Barrens—Interesting Particulars.

In grazing sections throughout the west an old and well-known custom is that of burning the dry grass to improve the next year's pasture.

About 1870 a factory for canning blueberries was located in Maine, and as it prospered it was followed by others.

A century ago these "blueberry barrens" were, for the most part, covered by a dense forest, chiefly of white pine and spruce.

The man with the side whiskers had made a tour of the world and was telling the man with the goatee all about it.

"Yes, I spent two weeks in Rome," was the reply.

"What were 'aters selling af in Rome when you left?"

"No, sir."

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coats, dusters, sweaters, coats lined with ermine at \$200 each, automobile coats with hoods and goggles, and each coat fitted with a pocket for the poodle's handkerchief of fine linen or lace.

"I never heard of such a thing."

"It is absolutely true. Furthermore, these women buy for their pet dogs boots of different colored leather to match the coats, house boots, street boots, etc., that lace up nearly to the knee and cost from five to eight dollars a pair.

"What, a dog specialist?"

"Precisely. New York has its fashionable dog doctors, who get ten dollars a visit and sleep with a telephone at their bedside for night calls, like regular practitioners.

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WORK ON JIU-JITSU SELLS.

Here Is a Tip to Encyclopedia Peddlers from a Successful Book Agent.

"Now, sir," began the book agent, as he sidled into the office.

"No, you're not!" howled the man with the ingrowing hair, squeaking around his office chair.

"Ah, then you believe in signs," continued the book agent.

"Get out!" roared the man.

"From your language, sir, I infer that you are the use of the English language, rules of etiquette."

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