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PLAYGROUNDS GREAT ASSET OF MISSOURI Better Highways Are Introducing Natural Resources To People Everywhere.

One of the early signs of spring in Missouri is the coming of the blue bird. This, the official bird of Missouri, is among the first of migratory birds to put in appearance as the season opens. It is also the most beautiful specimen of the bird family and truly symbolizes the coming of spring while representing late fall, Missouri is truly a paradise for birds.

It is only a few days after the bluebirds start arriving, that flowers, both wild and cultivated, commence blooming throughout the state of Missouri. Then comes the desire to be out in the woods and in the field, on the hills, and mountains, and along the banks of streams. Neither the young or the old are immune to this lure. At this time, we all start planning our outings and vacations for the year.

The rivers and streams of the State are many. The Mississippi and the Missouri are of national significance and need no introduction. The state has a large number of other rivers, all of which add to its attractiveness. Such streams as the Osage, Gasconade, Chariton, Meramec, Grand, Fratte, White, Spring, Nodaway, St. Francis, Sait, when once visited by the vacationist, leave a lasting impression.

The Ozark Mountains, the future playground of the whole country, are one of the State's greatest assets. The Ozarks, a part which many books have written, are truly the vacationists' ideal. The first trip one makes into the Ozarks call for another. The region brings him close to nature in all its forms.

The official flower of Missouri is the blossom of the Hawthorne, a shrubby tree of over one hundred and twenty-five species. The Hawthorne is to be found throughout the state, but is most plentiful in the Ozark country, and will soon be covered with clusters of white blossoms.

Importance Of Highways
The people of the United States are being introduced to and are becoming acquainted with the great state of Missouri thru the medium of state highways. With passable and convenient highways, the State's natural resources would still be subjects of literature only. The building of state highways has thrown open the door for everyone.

Abrast with the highway construction program, there has also been the development of a splendid State Park System, which at present includes twelve parks, comprising 40,000 acres of the most beautiful scenery of the Ozark region. Fish hatcheries are provided to replenish the fish stock in the streams, and wild game restocking is being carried on in conjunction with the development of the State Parks.

It is easy to determine who are directly benefited by the tourist traffic. Indirectly, practically the whole state is benefited by the prosperity the tourist brings to Missouri.

Judge R. H. Morhaus In Race For Sheriff

Judge R. H. Morhaus announces his candidacy this week for the office of sheriff of Warren County. Judge Morhaus is no stranger to the people of Marthasville, neither is he unknown to most of the voters of the county. He is a native of Warren County and for many years a resident of Marthasville and engaged here in business pursuits. He is known to many people of the county thru his service for one term as associate judge of the county Court. He was elected from the southern district of the county and served the term before the present one.

The entrance of Judge Morhaus into the race for sheriff makes a total of six candidates. At this time, seeking his office, Judge Morhaus will appreciate the support of the voters at the Republican primary on August 7th.

Louis C. Goltzman Is Candidate For Representative

Louis C. Goltzman asks the Records to publish his announcement this week as candidate for one term of Representative of Warren County. Mr. Goltzman has been a resident of Wright City for several years and was engaged there in business. He has had considerable business experience and is quite well known to many of the voters in Warren County.

The office of Representative of a county in the lawmaking body of the state is one of the most important positions of all the county offices. Mr. Goltzman will appreciate the support of the Republican voters at the nominating primary on August 7th.

Prosecuting Attorney Seeks Re-election

Prosecuting Attorney Alvin C. Juergensmeyer of Warrenton is a candidate for re-election to the office of prosecuting attorney for Warren county and his legal training has fitted him well to perform the duties of the office he now holds.

Tourists Spent \$80,000,000

Conservatively it has been estimated that at least \$80,000,000 was spent in Missouri by tourists during 1927. The amount will be much more this year.

The commercializing of Missouri's natural resources should be along the lines of all successful business enterprises. Three things are necessary, namely: location, demand of product and service.

The location of Missouri, with respect to the nation, is ideal for tourists. The demand for ideal vacation retreats and adventures is unquestioned. Everybody is looking forward to trips back to nature. Service is the one item on which the commercializing of our natural resources depends for its ultimate success. Service is the one item which must be properly managed by the people of the state.

The Pleasures Of A Farmer's Life Up In Iowa

George Webbink, who is working on a farm at Fort Dodge, Iowa, sends the following lines:
Down on the farm
'Bout half past four,
I slip into my pants
And sneak out the door;
Out to the yard
I run like the dickens
To milk ten cows
And feed the chickens;
Clean out the barn,
Curry Nance and Jiggs,
Separate the milk
And slop all the pigs.
Work two hours—
Then eat like a Turk
And by Heck I'm ready
For a full day's work.
Then I grease the wagon
And put on the rack.
Throw a jug of water
In the old grain sack.
Hitch up the horses,
Hustle down the lane—
Must get the hay in
For it looks like rain.
Look over yonder,
Sure as you are born,
Cattle on the rampage
And cows in the corn.
Start across the meadow,
Run a mile or two,
Heavin' like I'm windbroke
Get wet clean through.
Get back to the horses,
Then for recompense
Nance gets straddle
The barbed wire fence.
Joints all aching,
And muscles in a jerk—
I'm fit as a fiddle
For a full day's work.
Work all summer
Till winter is nigh
Then figure up the books
And heave a big sigh.
Worked all year,
Didn't make a thing.
Got less cash now
Than I had last spring.
Now some people say
There aint no hell
But they never farmed
So they can't tell.
When spring rolls 'round
I'll take another chance
While the fringe grows longer
On my old pants;
Give my s'penders a hitch
My belt another jerk,
And by Heck I'm ready
For a full day's work.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cupps of Montgomery City were here Sunday to visit their daughter Miss Gwendolyn, who was sick during last week and unable to teach her classes in the Intermediate room at the grade school.

The classmates of Miss Velma Vogler gathered at her home Sunday to help her celebrate her sixteenth birthday anniversary. All had a most enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. Aug. Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Fischer and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Orgran Fischer and baby of Schluersburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rottmann visited with Hugo Rottmann and family at New Melle Sunday afternoon.

Dr. G. C. Johnson is driving a new Chevrolet coupe received last week.

Probate Court Docket For Warren County

- First day, Mon., May 14th
1. Tony Zeiser, G & C, Henry Esser, person of unsound mind, annual settlement.
- 2. Caroline Meyer, admrx, Frnk Meyer, dec, final settlement.
- 3. Anna A. Terry, admr, Jas. D. Terry, dec, final settlement.
- 4. Cora Lockhaus, G & C, Otto Lockhaus, person of unsound mind, annual settlement.
- 5. Herman Fortmann, G & C, Gladys Fortmann, minor, an. s.
- 6. Alex Polster, Ex, Gustave C. Polster, dec, semi-annual s.
- 7. Geo. Blattner, Cur, Julius Fortmann, minor, annual s.
- 8. Alex Nissing, G & C, Erich A. Nissing, person of unsound mind, annual settlement.
- 9. Mina Pohl, Admrx Hy Lauen, dec, final s.
- 10. Mina Pohl, admrx, Herman Lauen, supposed to be dead, semi-annual s.
- 11. Minnie Schwerdt G & C Roland Schwerdt minor, annual s.
- 12. Edw. Loppold, Ex., Louis Barlage, dec, semi-annual s.
- 13. J. H. Astroth, adm, August Astroth, dec, semi-annual s.
- 14. E. L. Deiventhal, Cur, Iram R. Brown, person of unsound mind, annual s.
- 15. Frank Heggemann G & C Flora Heggemann et al, minors annual s.
- 16. C. B. Cregar, adm, John W. Prior, dec, semi-annual s.
- 17. Geo. Loppold, Ex, Emilie Loppold, dec, final s.
- 18. G. Middlekamp G & C Caroline Strack, person of unsound mind, annual s.
- 19. J. F. Echemeyer et al, Ex, F. W. Ewers, dec, annual s.
- 20. Lizzie Linnert & H. H. Weismann G & C Viola Linnert, minor, annual s.
- 21. E. H. Winter, Ex F. Winter dec, final s.
- 22. Anna Remschner adm Hy. Remschner dec, final s.
- 23. W. T. Wright admr, J. R. Wright dec, final s.
- 24. Gertrude Forstiel, G & C, John Forstiel, minor, annual s.
- 25. Annie Minning, admr Herm. Minning, dec, semi-an s.
- 26. Albert Klein, Ex Catherine Meyer dec, semi-an s.
- 27. Hilda Suhre, G & C, Eli John Mutert, minor, annual s.
- 28. Henry Voshol, adm Agnes P. Voshol, dec, final s.
- 29. Mary Martin, adm, Mary M. Humber dec, semi-an s.
- 30. Emma T. Means, Ex, James H. Means dec, semi-an s.
- 31. H. J. Muench, Ex, Julius Muench dec, semi-an s.
- 32. Olga Engelage G & C Rovena Engelage minor, annual s.
- 33. Emmitt Wyatt G & C Helen Leona Wyatt et al minors, an. s.
- 34. Viola Ludy, Ex, Robert Andrews, dec, semi-an s.
- 35. Arthur Miesch, adm, Louise Brakemeyer dec, semi-an s.
- 36. John Bebermeyer Cur Edw. Steuber, person of unsound mind, annual s.
- 37. Geo. B. Turner G & C James W. Kiehlly, person of unsound mind, annual s.
- 38. Johanna Morhaus G & C Cora Morhaus minor, final s.
- 39. Martha Spohrer, Judge of Probate.

Mrs. George Zilgitt visited with relatives in Chammo the latter part of last week.

Marthasville Wins Game From New Haven 12-3

The Marthasville boys won a game of baseball Sunday afternoon from the New Haven team in rather easy fashion. The score at the end of the ninth inning was decidedly in favor of Marthasville, being twelve runs for Marthasville and only three for New Haven. The next game which will be played Sunday will be with Howell.

Marthasville AB R H O A E
Morhaus 2b 6 1 1 3 0 2
Anmann c 5 1 0 6 2 0
Strube cf 5 2 2 2 0 0
E. Mitter 1 5 1 2 11 1 0
Koch ss 5 2 2 5 1
Juensung rf 4 1 1 0 0 0
Kolling rf 1 0 0 1 0 0
Ploeger 3b 5 2 3 0 2 0
Hieroam lf 3 1 1 0 0 0
N. Mitter lf 2 1 0 1 0 0
Wessel p 5 1 1 1 1 0
Total 46 12 13 27 11 3

New Haven
Fret cf 5 0 2 2 0 0
Quest c 5 0 1 7 1 0
Brunner 1b 4 0 1 0 0 0
McDonald lf 4 2 3 1 0 0
Hibbeler rf 4 0 0 2 0 0
Rodgers 3b 4 0 1 2 1 4
Meyer s 3 0 1 1 2 2
Hallenman 2b 4 0 0 3 1 0
Godrich p 3 0 0 1 0 0
Swentker cf 1 1 1 0 0 0
Zeitman s 1 1 1 0 0 0
Total 38 4 11 27 6 6

DUTZOW NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Witte and children of St. Louis visited here with relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taschner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taschner of St. Louis were visitors here Thursday with Mrs. C. A. Schnapp and daughter Miss Clara. Mrs. Taschner and her daughter remained here for a few weeks visit.

Fred Ehlbeck left Monday for St. Louis where he will remain for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schopp and daughter Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Poepsel and daughter Rosemary motored to Jefferson City Monday where they will spend the week. Mr. Schopp and Mr. Poepsel will attend the K. of C. Convention which will be held there Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. Wm. J. Dames and H. H. Finke were visitors at O'Fallon a few hours Tuesday from there they left for Jefferson City where they will also attend the K. of C. Convention Wednesday.

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders meeting of the Marthasville Bank will be held at its banking house in the city of Marthasville, Missouri, on Saturday, the 26th day of May, 1928.

Said meeting will be convened at nine o'clock a. m. and continue during at least three hours, unless the object for which such meeting is called be accomplished sooner.

The purpose for which this meeting is called is to elect five directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

NEWS ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Bits Of News Gathered Here And There For Record Readers

St. Charles County will have a county track meet at St. Charles on Saturday, May 12. Any boy of the seventh or eighth grade is eligible to enter any or all of the events. The events will include a 50 yard dash, 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 440 yard dash, 1/2 mile relay, running broad jump, running high jump, pole vault, 8-lb shot put, baseball throw for distance (3 trials), and the Badge test.

A new brick plant that will manufacture the "H" brick is to be established at St. Charles. The promoters of the company say that a house of this kind of brick can be built with low cost for material. The new brick plant will be located at South Main Street.

The other day a merchant of a southeastern town happened to see a farmer receiving a box at the depot and noticed that it was from a mail order house. He also noticed the goods were right in his line and the same he had carried for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said: "I could have sold you the articles you have there for less money than the Chicago houses and saved you the freight besides." "Then why didn't you do so?" said the farmer. "I have taken the same paper for a year and have not seen a line about you selling these goods. That mail order house sent advertising matter to me, asking for my trade and they got it. If you have any bargains why don't you put them in the paper so we can see them?"—Hartsburg Truth.

Looking For An Excuse

William Southern, of Independence, Mo., is one of the editors who made the tour of sixties, and being very much a traveler, seems to be getting restless again. He says: "Usually about this time of the year I am conscious of a queer urging and an irresistible desire to get away from the office and go fishing. It is not hard after a winter's grind to find an excuse, and that excuse usually is that I care nothing about whether I catch any fish or not, if I get away from the office with a few companions and have a few days in the open which I need very much on account of the winter's confinement. This year I have not that excuse and am trying to find something else which will answer. Having spent the greater part of the month of March traveling around in pleasant countries, I have not the face to report at the office that I need a small vacation of a day or two in order to get my mental operation oiled up again. Nevertheless the urge to go fishing has struck me just the same and I would appreciate it if some of my good friends would hand in an excuse which would look the same on both sides."