



ship between a mule  
for surely I work as  
if not harder. Plow-  
ing we cover the  
ground, but you do it on  
two. I, there-  
fore, do as much work per  
day.  
I'll be preparing for  
the crop. When the crop is  
in I give one-third to  
the farmer, one-third to  
the mule and this small speck of  
profit. One-third goes  
to the balance is mine.  
I get all of your portion  
except the cobs  
I divide among sev-  
eral chickens, two ducks  
and a pig. If we both need  
get 'em. Bill, you are  
the best of me, and I ask  
you for a mule, a son  
to swindle a man-  
out of his sub-  
sistence  
I only help to plow  
the ground, and I  
cut, shock and husk  
the corn. You look over the  
ground and hee-haw at  
the family, from old  
the baby, picks cotton  
the money to pay taxes  
the new harness and pay  
the mortgage on  
what do you care a-  
bout? Not a d-  
hell, I even have to  
sing about the mort-  
gage, tough, ungrateful  
the only time I am  
is on election day,  
vote and you can't  
I realize that  
as great a jackass as  
Verily, I am prone  
of politics was made  
ackasses, or to make  
men.  
ain't all, Bill. When  
that's supposed to be  
you. But me? The  
me that when I die  
hell forever. That  
don't do just as he  
most of what he  
me from getting any  
life.  
With you, consider-  
things how can you  
get face and look so  
olemn?  
you think, readers of

lard and Austin Smith of St.  
Louis, Mo., David C. Smith,  
Tucson, Arizona, and a host of  
friends to mourn his going.  
Interment was in the Fields  
family cemetery.  
Deceased was our good friend.  
We offer our deepest sympathy  
to the bereaved relatives.

**ANOTHER PIONEER CALLED**

Rebecca Louise Copeland was  
born near Fort Gibson, Indian  
Territory, Sept. 20, 1849, and  
died at her home in Grove, Jan.  
8, 1933, at the age of 83 years,  
3 months and 18 days.

From Fort Gibson she came  
with her parents to the south  
side of Beaties Prairie on the  
state line near Spavinaw, south  
of Maysville, Ark.

It was while living here or  
prior to this time that she at-  
tended school a month or so at  
the old Moravian Mission near  
Oaks on Spring creek in the  
south part of this county. Then  
the Civil war came on and her  
schooling was at an end. The  
hardships and privations then  
endured were pitiful indeed.  
Five times their home was  
burned and their feather beds  
ripped open and scattered to the  
four winds.

Immediately after the close  
of the war she was married to  
George H. Cox in May 1865.  
They went south into Texas,  
where two of their children were  
born, Mrs. Vaudie Manforth and  
John S. Cox.

From Texas they came back  
to this country and settled near  
Copeland Switch. Here they  
lived a few years and in 1872 her  
husband died.

In 1873 she was married to  
Steven Christian Cox, with  
whom she lived till his death,  
Jan. 24, 1896. To this union  
were born six children, Mrs.  
Dora Jones, George A. Cox, S.  
Fred Cox, Lillie Lee Cox, M.  
Grover Cox and Mrs. Dorothy  
Britt. Twenty-six grand chil-  
dren, 18 great grand children  
and 1 great great grandchild.

They bought a farm on Honey  
creek, lived there a few years,  
and about 1880 moved to the old  
farm on Cowskin prairie, near  
Olympus school house, the place  
we all call home, the place where  
the children grew up.

Sometime in the late 80's or  
early 90's, while Bro. Ed Lem-  
ming and Preacher Suttle were  
holding a revival meeting she  
was converted and has since  
lived a consistent Christian life,  
not such an active worker, but a  
praying mother.

Her brothers and sister who  
have all passed on and of whom

**SOME HUNTER**

A farmer hunting in the  
mountains discovered one morn-  
ing that he had only one bullet  
left, but decided to try to get  
something with it, so started off.  
Soon he saw a deer standing on  
a ledge of rock and near it a  
bear.

The man shot at the deer, but  
his aim was not good and the  
bullet hit the rock and split it,  
one-half hitting the bear, the  
other half the deer, which fell  
off the ledge and hit a rabbit  
which was hiding in the brush,  
and knocked it into the nearby  
creek. The man jumped in  
after the rabbit, caught it with  
one hand and a muskrat with  
the other.

Before he reached the banks  
his hunting coat became so filled  
with fish that a button flew  
off and up into a tree hitting a  
wild turkey. However in mak-  
ing his way to the turkey, a red  
fox beat him to it. Hurling a  
club at the fox both hind legs  
were broken. The hunter then  
clubbed the fox to death. Re-  
turning to where the turkey  
fell from the tree he found  
seven quail had been killed by  
the fall and weight of the tur-  
key. The man then decided to  
call it a day and return to camp.  
--Dairymen's League News.

**DODGE NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr were  
Grove visitors Saturday.

Miss Margorie Fields is spend-  
ing a few days visiting relatives  
in Jay.

Mrs. Mack Edwards spent  
Thursday with Mrs. Nervin  
Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert Lynn  
of Stella, Mo., moved to Dodge  
recently.

Miss Emanaline Rive of Big  
Cabin, is visiting her sister this  
week, Mrs. Roy Vanhooser.

Mr. and Mrs. Kels Williams  
of Tiff City, were Sunday visi-  
tors in the J. R. Vanhooser  
home.

Mrs. Myrtle West returned  
home from Oklahoma City, the  
first of last week, where she has  
been visiting.

Mrs. Evelyn Edwards and  
Miss Dolores Fields spent the  
afternoon with Mrs. Myrtle  
West, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barnes  
of Anderson, Mo., attended the  
funeral of her mother, Grandma  
Fields, Sunday.

Aunt Margaret Fields as she  
is known died at her home on  
Friday, January 6, 1933. Burial  
in the Fields cemetery.

keeping farm accounts.  
Inventory at the beginning of  
the year: Second, Inventory at  
the close of the year: Third,  
cash receipts, and Fourth, cash  
expenses. By watching the fol-  
lowing factors especially, they  
should be able to increase their  
earnings: 1. Crop yields. 2.  
Livestock Efficiency. 3. Man  
Labor Efficiency. 4. Power and  
equipment efficiency. 5. Thrift  
in keeping cash expenses down.  
6. Volume of business. 7. Num-  
ber of sources of income.

Now is the time to keep a  
good set of farm accounts.

**Specialist Coming**

D. C. Mooring, specialist in  
Horticulture will be in Delaware  
County January 30th and 31st.  
Professor R. B. Thompson,  
head of the Poultry Department  
of the A. & M. College, will be  
in the county, February 15th  
and 16th.

J. W. Carpenter, specialist in  
Farm Engineering, of the A. &  
M. College will be with County  
Agent E. A. Kissick, March 6th  
and 7th.

**Which Shall It Be?**

Poor Homes, Poor Schools,  
Poor Roads, follow the Woods  
Burner.

Peace, Contentment and Pros-  
perity reign in the Forested  
Land, when the woods are  
spared from fire.

**Township Agricultural Meeting**  
Township, No. 6, northeast  
Delaware county will hold a  
meeting at the Cayuga School  
House, Tuesday, January 17th  
at 7:30 P. M.

An election of Township Of-  
ficers and a discussion of plans  
for the Agricultural Develop-  
ment of the County will be  
made.

A good program and special  
music is promised to all who at-  
tend.

County Agent, E. A. Kissick.

**MT: HERMAN ITEMS**

Arthur Halloway is on the  
sick list.

Bill Lowry is on the sick list  
this week.

Roy McKisson is on the sick  
list at this writing.

J. J. Jones is building a new  
room on his house.

Thurman Humphery spent  
Tuesday night with Scott Jones.

J. Riley Copeland of Grove  
was here on business, Wednes-  
day.

The Truant Officer Madison  
Jordan was visiting here last  
Thursday.

Levi Wyley who has been  
very ill with Typhoid is reported  
to be improving.

Mr. Campbell of Deerick is  
moving to the Pete Nix place

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