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Monmouth  
Meditations

The election failed to disclose any ardent desire to place the ideas of Peter Zimmerman officially before Congress as the ideas of this district and it is also sad but true that Mr. Kubli miscalculated a trifle in sizing up the temperament of the voters of the state.

A proper amendment to the federal constitution would be one prohibiting congress from meeting and considering laws within a year of the time of a general election. It would prevent the passage of much legislation designed to catch votes at the expense of the public treasury.

A. R. Cadle put up a clean and dignified contest for the nomination for the office of sheriff and although he lost, has acquired prestige that will serve him in good stead at some future time.

### A-Fishing

Did you never go a-fishing  
On a sunny day in May,  
When the world with life seemed  
bursting everywhere?  
When the dog-wood trees were bloom-  
ing  
And the red-bird sang so gay,  
And a thousand forest odors filled the  
air?  
Oh! I do not mean a-fishing  
With a fancy rod and line,  
An outfit you've just purchased up in  
town  
With hiking suit and leggings,  
Net and basket all so fine,  
And gloves to keep your hands from  
getting brown.  
But a good old fashioned roaming  
Like we'uns used to take  
When boys down 'mongst the clover  
and the bee.  
The air was close and smelly  
Where we clambered through the  
brake,  
And the springtime stretched as far  
as one could see.  
With your bare feet scratched and  
sunburned,  
And one big toe out of biz  
From a crack you gave it just the  
other day  
And when again you stumped it  
It hurt so like Gee Whiz,  
That—well I will not mention what  
you'd say.  
With your can of worms or minnows,  
And your willow pole, you know,  
And the nickel line you bought at  
Duncan's store.  
How that striped cork would bobble,  
And then out of sight she'd go!  
That he was a forty pounder you'd  
'a swore.  
Remember how you ate that corn-  
bread  
Which for lunch you took along,  
When your brother finally did decide  
'twas noon?  
Remember how you clubbed that bull-  
frog,  
Though your mother oft had said  
'twas wrong,  
Just because he kept a-singing that  
same tune?  
Remember how the water gurgled,  
Through the rocks just down below?  
How the bob-whites clucked and  
whistled in the corn?  
How the clustering "sweet Williams"

### Backed By Klan



Edward Jackson, of Indiana, nominee for Governor on the Republican ticket, who won by a big majority in the primaries through support given by the Ku Klux Klan.

With their petals all aglow  
Wafted fragrance out upon the shin-  
ing morn?  
Ah, life was worth the living then,  
The hours were seldom drear.  
Oie Trouble ambled off and let us be,  
And some of that today mixed in  
At just this time of year,  
Wouldn't do a bit of hurt to you and  
me.  
—Bard of the Backwoods

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Attorney general—Kuykendall 1056  
VanWinkle 1315.  
Dairy and food commissioner—  
J. D. Mickle 1244, Harry U. Miller  
929.

Public service commissioner—Bus-  
selle 845, Ostrander 423, Brown 845.  
Representative, 11th district (Polk  
county)—Bratcher 1332, Fletcher  
1089.

Representative, 14th district (Polk  
and Lincoln counties)—Fuller 1352,  
McBee 955.

District attorney—Helgerson 1314,  
Gregory 1076.

County judge—Hawkins 1523,  
Kirkpatrick 1007.

Sheriff—Hooker 1618, Cadle 917.

Commissioner—Crawford 1057,  
Hart 894, Leighton 633.

Coroner—Henkle 1086, Keeney  
1419.

School superintendent—Wills 1809,  
Macken 732.

Treasurer—Hamilton 1352, Howell  
870.

Nominations for uncontested rep-  
ublican offices in the county follow:  
Frank M. Hobson clerk, Edgar J.  
Howe surveyor, Fred J. Holman as-  
sessor.

Democratic nominations follow:  
Senator—Mansfield 147, Miller 245,  
Strayer 302, King 147.

Representative—W. B. Ewing 217,  
Purdy 202, Clark 344.

County judge—Robinson 432, Peter-  
son 397.

Sheriff—Richards 281, Ross 448.

Democratic uncontested offices fol-  
low: Hugh G. Black clerk, Chester C.  
Gardner commissioner, Dr. V. C.  
Staats coroner, George H. Kurre as-  
sessor, Stella A. Hull treasurer.

A. L. Keeney, republican nominee  
for coroner was also given the demo-  
cratic indorsement by a vote of 95  
to 61 over Dr. V. C. Staats. Both  
names were written in on the ballot.

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