Six boys from Kansas City were received Monday at the State Reformatory School.

Circuit Clerk Hollman returned last Friday from a two-weeks' trip through Southwest Missouri.

G. Pulley, New Palestine, and Geo. Cockrell, Bunceton, are new subscribers to The Advertiser.

S. W. Hills, superintendent of the county poor farm, was in Boonville Tuesday, on business in the county court.

Ewing Cole, a son of Mrs. Eva Cole, of Bunceton, died Tuesday, May 3, 1896, aged about nine years. He had been an invalid all his life. The funeral took place Wednesday, at 2 p.m., at Bunceton.

Joseph Harrison, aged eighty-four years, died of pneumonia at his home, seven miles southeast of Boonville, Thursday, April 30, 1896. The remains were buried Saturday in the cemetery at Mt. Hermon.

Rogers & Son's fine young mare, Bellmarsh, dam of Kathleen, dropped a colt by Eros a few days since. Bellmarsh is by Hambrino, 2:21, sire of Bellmarsh 2:21. The sire of Eros was the great stallion, Elector.

A great deal of wool has been received this week by Boonville shippers, from the wool-raisers of this county. Brockmeyer alone has bought over 5,000 pounds during the last few days, at ten and eleven cents a pound.

Miss Etta Orr, a daughter of Capt. Orr, of near Pilot Grove, died of consumption, at the home of her parents, Tuesday, May 3, 1896, aged about twenty-two years. The funeral took place yesterday, from the Christian church in Pilot Grove.

From the St. Louis Star-Telegram: "Engineer Gus Hessler, who was injured in the Boonville wreck, several months ago, is improving very slowly, he having trouble with his back; also a wound on his head is a little backward in healing."

Will H. Rucker, of Columbia, one of the most popular and successful traveling men on the road, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Boonville. He tells us that, one day last week, he caught with his reel and rod seven handsome black bass, three of them weighing five pounds. These fish were not caught in the Missouri river, either, but in the Home Pinneco, in Boone County.

Mrs. Samuel Hickam died Saturday, May 2, 1896, at her home, about three miles east of Overton, aged about thirty years. She had been ill but a few days. The remains were buried Sunday morning, May 3d, at 10 o'clock, in the family burial ground, on the old Hickam homestead, near Overton. Deceased leaves a husband and one child, and many relatives and friends, to mourn her death.