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EARLY MERCHANTS

of

STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

1895 - 1908

Taken from the Merchants' License Tax  
Book which is retained by the County  
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By

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EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Andoe, M. R.	Viola, Mo.	\$200.	22	24	\$ 3.50	3-9-96
Cartmel, Minnie M.	Galena,	150.	24	23	3.25	3-9-96
Cox, John T.	Radical	500.	22	23	6.75	12-30-95
Cox, W. B.	Oto	35.	25	23	.48	2-5-96
Craig, C. O.	Galena	300.	24	23	10.75	12-10-95
Craig, W. D.	Galena	1973.	24	23	42.43	12-10-95
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	1500.	24	23	35.25	3-14-96
Curtis, G. C.	Poncie	13.	25	22	.31	2-8-96
David Bros.	Cape Fair	800.	24	24	10.80	12-24-95
Flood, Joshua	Poncie	300.	25	22	7.20	1-27-96
Graves, James C.	Galena	250.	24	23	5.38	3-16-96
Gateway, C. F.	Robertson Mill	1300.	26	22	17.55	11-8-95
Hatfield, E. W.	Union City	1800	26	23	25.10	12-11-95
Horn, Samuel	Grafton	300.	23	23	4.80	2-26-96
Hembree, William	Marmoros	300.	22	22	4.05	1-4-96
Koinans, T. H.	Baxter	215.	22	24	3.25	10-9-95
Lane, Jesse C.	Union City	550.	26	23	7.71	11-9-95
Melton, J. D.	Galena	400.	24	23	8.60	5-6-96
Maples, Martha A.	Self	75.	26	23	1.21	2-27-96
Norman, T. S.	Poncie	200.	25	22	4.80	11-21-95
Parsons, H. G.	Oto	400.	25	23	5.40	7-3-96
Porter, T. J.	Galena	3500.	24	23	75.25	2-29-96
Reser, J. Harry	Viola	25.	22	24	.44	Paid
Robertson Bros.	Baxter	800.	22	24	12.00	12-7-95
Stults, H.	Ruth	200.	24	22	3.20	5-26-96
Seaman, Efton	Radical	1000.	22	23	13.50	
Thurmond, J. S.	Cape Fair	200.	24	24	2.70	Paid
Watkins, James	Union City	75.	26	23	1.06	3-13-96
Watson, James C.	Cape Fair	100.	24	24	1.35	2-10-96
Welles, James P. W.	Bradfield	150.	26	24	2.18	4- 2-96
Welch, F. T.	Poncie	900.	25	22	21.60	1- 6-96
Williams, J. J.	Crane	600.	25	24	11.40	3-10-96
White, Margaret A.	Carr	300.	21	24	4.65	12-28-95
Wright, L. B.	Union City	365.	26	23	5.11	12-27-95
Wolf, W. A.	Galena	250.	24	23	5.38	3-16-96
Douglas, O. F. & Co.	Crane	2500.	25	24	47.50	11-13-95

State of Missouri )  
 County of Stone )<sup>ss</sup> I D. J. Reynolds clerk of the County Court within and for the county and State aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing thirty-six names recorded on pages one and two of this is a true copy of the merchants license statement book, for the year 1895, as returned to this office by the assessor of Stone County Missouri. and the taxes thereon correctly extended according to law.

Witness my hand, and the official seal of my office. Done at Galena, Mo. this 28th day of Sept. 1895.

(Signature) D. J. Reynolds  
 County Clerk

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Cox & Shepherd	Radical	\$300.	22	23	\$ 4.05	10-26-96
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	500.	24	23	10.00	2-25-97
Craig, W. D. & Co.	Galena	1763.	24	23	35.26	12- 7-96
Craig, C. C.	Galena	550.	24	23	11.01	12- 7-96
Cox, W. B. Merc. Co.	Oto	1000.	25	23	13.50	12-31-96
Komans, T. H.	Baxter	750.	21	24	11.48	
David Bros.	Cape Fair	900.	24	24	13.95	10-30-95
Douglas, O. F. & Co.	Jamesville	1300.	26	22	17.55	11-10-96
Dalloway, C. F.	Jamesville	1300.	26	22	17.55	11-10-96
Graves, J. C.	Galena	250.	24	23	5.01	4- 9-97
Hembree, William	Marmoros	400.	22	22	6.00	12-25-96
Horn, Samuel	Ance Creek	300.	23	23	4.65	1-19-97
Kennedy, E. L. & Co.	Galena	250.	24	23	5.01	7-20-97
Lane, J. C.	Union City	750.	26	23	10.13	11-11-96
Melton, J. D.	Galena	600.	24	23	12.00	5-10-97
Norman, T. S.	Poncie	200.	25	22	4.84	11-23-96
Porter, T. J.	Galena	3500.	24	23	69.90	3-23-97
Reynolds, D. J.	School	1800.	26	23	24.30	1-30-97
Stults, H.	Ruth	350.	24	22	5.61	3-10-97
Stephens, A. J.	Crane	150.	25	24	2.78	
Seaman, Efton	Galena	2000.	24	23	40.00	5-10-97
Trolinger, J.M.&Co.	Union City	80.	26	23	1.08	11-11-96
Thurmond, J. S.	Radical	300.	22	23	4.05	4-30-97
White, Margaret A.	Carr	600.	21	24	9.00	12-12-96
Welles, J. P.W.	Bradfield	300.	26	24	4.35	3-10-97
Watkins, James	Union City	85.	26	23	1.15	1-28-97
Welch, F. T.	Poncie	800.	25	22	19.36	12-21-96
Williams, John J.	Crane	600.	25	24	11.10	5-5-97
Wright, L. B.	Union City	375.	26	23	5.07	12-30-96
Watson, James C.	Cape Fair	220.	24	24	3.41	2-16-97
Wolf, W. A.	Galena	300.	24	23	6.00	6- 9-97
Suttlemyer, D. A.	Carr	150.	21	24	2.26	5-13-97
Andoe, M. R.	Viola	500.	22	24	6.75	3-10-97
Flood, Joshua	Poncie	300.	25	22	7.26	
James, J. M.	Baxter	800.	21	24	12.24	12-23-96
Faulkner, Jno. W.	Notch	150.	23	22	3.16	12-29-96
Campbell, John	Cape Fair	50.	24	24	.78	2-20-97

State of Missouri )  
County of Stone ) ss

I D. J. Reynolds Clerk of the county court within and for the county of Stone and State of aforesaid do hereby certify that the preceeding thirty seven (37) names recorded on page 3 and 4 of this Book, is a true copy of the merchants License Statement Book for the year 1896, as returned to this office by the assessor of Stone County Mo. and that the taxes thereon are correctly extended according to law.

Witness my hand and the official seal of my office done at Galena, Mo. this 23rd day of Sept. 1896.  
(signed) Dutton J. Reynolds

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd.
Andoe, M. R.	Viola	\$550.	U.	O. T.	\$ 7.43	4- 9-98
Bradfield Merc.Co.	Bradfield	500.	26	24	7.25	5-30-98
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	500.	24	23	9.75	5-17-98
Craig, W. D.&Co.	Galena	1793.	24	23	34.96	12-17-97
Craig, C. O.	Galena	500.	24	23	9.75	12-17-97
Curtis, G. E.	Ponce de Leon	250.	25	22	4.01	10-25-97
Cox Merc. Co.,W.B.	Oto	1000.	25	23	14.50	12-28-97
Campbell, J. B.	Cape Fair	35.	24	24	.52	4-30-98
Cox, J. T.	Radical	300.	22	23	4.35	11- 8-97
Cox, W. B.	Galena	1500.	24	23	29.25	2-28-98
David Bros.	Cape Fair	900.	24	24	13.05	10-22-97
Douglas, O. F.&Co.	Crane	1500.	25	24	27.75	5-11-98
Estes (&Son) J.Wiley	Union City	800.	26	23	10.80	12-30-97
Travis, J. C.	Galena	200.	24	23	3.90	9- 1-98
Galloway, C. F.	Jamesville	1400.	26	22	18.90	10-26-97
Henson, C. L.	Galena	80.	24	23	1.56	12-29-97
Horn, Samuel	Grafton	300.	23	23	4.50	12-31-97
Hembree, William	Marmoros	400.	22	22	6.40	12-30-97
James & Blackburn	Baxter	1000.	21	24	18.50	12-31-97
Koinans, T. H.	Baxter	165.	21	24	3.06	10-20-97
Lawrence, J. J.	Nauvoo	16.	21	24	.30	3-14-98
Lane, J. C.	Crane	1000.	25	24	18.50	10-30-97
Lockhart, F. N.	Crane	125.	25	24	2.32	3-15-98
Maples, Martha A.	Self	50.	26	23	.68	3-15-98
Melton, J. D.	Galena	300.	24	23	5.85	2-21-98
Norman, T. S.	Ponce de Leon	200.	25	22	3.20	11-18-97
Pritchard, D. C.	Ponce de Leon	35.	25	22	.57	6-10-98
Reynolds, G. W.	Union City	400.	26	23	5.43	1-29-98
Stults, Henry	Ruth	400.	24	22	6.40	12-24-97
Thurman, J. S.	Radical	200.	22	23	2.70	
Welch, F. T.	Ponce de Leon	1000.	25	22	16.00	1-29-98
Watkins, James	Union City	70.	26	23	1.23	1-27-98
Watson, J. C.	Cape Fair	120.	24	24	1.74	2-28-98
White, M. A.	Carr	800.	21	24	11.60	12-29-97
Williams, J. J.	Crane	600.	25	24	11.10	5-11-98
Wells, J. P. W.	Bradfield	450.	26	24	6.53	3-21-98
Wolf, W. A.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.88	12- 8-97
Wright, L. B.	Union City	345.	26	23	6.04	10-27-97
Coin, N. A.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.95	
White, Buck	Carr	200.	21	22	2.70	3-17-98
Porter & Reynolds	Galena	4000.	24	23	78.00	5-17-98
Moon, Sallie	Galena	100.	24	23	1.95	12-22-97

State of Mo.)  
 Co. of Stone) ss I D. J. Reynolds clerk of the county court within and  
 for the county and state aforesaid do hereby certify that the preceeding  
 forty two (42) names recorded on pages five (5) and six (6) of this book  
 is a true copy of the Merchants License Statement Book for the year 1897  
 as returned to this office by the assessor of Stone County Mo., and that  
 the taxes thereon are correctly extended and that according to law.

Witness my hand and official seal, done at Galena Mo. this  
 23rd day of Sept. 1897. (Signature) Dutton J. Reynolds,

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rn g	Ttl Tax Paid	When-Pd
Andoe, M. R.	Viola	550.	u.	o. t.	6.33	4-29-99
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	\$500.	24	23	\$8.75	4-29-99
Craig, W. D. & Co.	Galena	1700.	24	23	29.75	12- 5-98
Craig, C. O.	Galena	500.	24	23	8.75	12-13-98
Crumpley, F. F.	Bradfield	400.	26	24	6.00	3-16-99
Curtis, Bros.	Ponce de Leon	300.	25	22	3.90	10-24-98
Cox, W. B.	Oto	800.	25	23	9.60	12-12-98
Cox, J. T.	Radical	300.	22	23	4.20X	Erronious
David, William	Cape Fair	900.	24	24	13.95	12-19-98
Estes, J. W. & Son	Union City	800.	26	23	9.20	12-30-98
Galloway, C. F.	Jamesville	1900.	26	22	28.50	10-25-98
Hudson, J. O.	Crane	75.	25	24	1.17	12-16-98
Horn, Samuel	Radical	250.	23	23	3.38	12-26-98
Hembree, W. M.	Marmoros	400.	22	22	5.60	11-30-98
Koinans, T. H.	Baxter	300.	21	24	4.05	10-20-98
Lane, J. C.	Crane	1250.	25	24	19.38	10-29-98
Lawrnce, J. J.	Nauvoo	125.	21	24	1.69	12-30-98
Melton, J. D.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.75	2-28-99
McCormick, J. R.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.38	2-10-99
Maples, Martha A.	Jamesville	50.	26	23	.58	3-14-99
Moore, Sallie	Galena	50.	24	23	.88	12-31-98
Porter & Reynolds	Galena	3500.	24	23	61.25	12-31-98
Parsons, H. G.	Oto	200.	25	23	3.10	12-26-98
Stults, Henry	Kuth	600.	24	22	7.50	12-31-98
Thomas, H. C.	Radical	600.	22	23	6.90	2-28-99
Williams, J. J.	Crane	600.	25	24	9.30	5- 3-99
Williams, Jim	Crane	1500.	25	24	23.25	3-14-99
Wright, L. B.	Union City	538.	26	23	6.19	10-26-98
Watkins, James	Union City	100.	26	23	1.15	12-27-98
Welles, J. P. W.	Bradfield	300.	26	24	4.50	3-17-99
Welch, F. T.	Ponce de Leon	900.	25	22	11.70	10-24-98
Woods, L. H.	Marmoros	200.	22	22	2.80	12-27-98
White, M. A.	Carr	1000.	21	24	12.50	12-31-98

State of Mo.)  
County of Stone) ss I D. J. Reynolds Clerk of the Co. Court within and for  
the Co. and State aforesaid do certyfy that the pre-  
ceeding thirty three (33) names recorded on pages seven and eight of this  
book, is a true copy of the Merchants License Statement Book for the  
year 1898, as returned to this office by the assessor of Stone County, Mo.  
and that the taxes thereon are correctly extended, according to law.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and off-  
ficially affixed my seal. Done at Galena, Mo. this 19th  
day of Sept. 1898.

(Signature) Dutton J. Reynolds, Co.  
Clerk

SEAL

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Beadle, J. H.	School	\$600.	26	23	\$6.95	10-23-01
Bookout, J. F. S.	Galena	20.	24	23	.40	12-13-01
Butler, J. L.	Blue Eye	1600.	21	23	22.40	12-27-01
Carson, & Mathis	Galena	150.	24	23	3.01	12-30-01
Cary, M. C.	Baxter	350.	22	24	4.56	11-11-01
Cavener, T. O.	School	15.	26	23	.19	12-26-01
Craig, W. D. & Co.	Galena	1899.	24	23	37.89	12-28-01
Cox, W. B. & Co.	Ponce de Leon	800.	25	22	10.40	12-12-01
Cox, (Merc. Co) W.B. Oto		1000.	25	23	16.20	12-12-01
Curtis, Merc. Co. Bros.	Ponce de Leon	500.	25	22	6.50	10-21-01
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	500.	24	23	10.00	11-15-01
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	1400.	26	23	16.80	12.31-01
Forrester, A. B.	Tauria	300.	24	22	6.24	11-27-01
Foster Haynes & Co.	Cape Fair	1200.	24	24	15.60	10-14-01
Goodwin, W. A.	Baxter	1000.	21	24	13.00	10-16-01
Garrison, Mary	Baxter	25.	21	24	.33	9-23-02
Galloway, & Hawkins	Jamesville	1650.	26	22	19.82	12-31-01
Greene, John H.	Galena	79.	24	23	1.60	3-25-03
Horn, Samuel	Radical	150.	23	23	2.36	11- 6-03
Hampton, Jesse	Divide	40.	26	23	.74	
Hembree, William	Marmaros	400.	24	24	6.20	12-30-01
Kerr, Amos B.	Cape Fair	2200.	24	24	28.60	12- 6-01
Layne, J. C.	Crane	2000.	25	24	33.00	10-25-01
Lee, William	Viola	250.	22	24	4.14	10- 8-02
Melton, J. D.	Galena	100.	24	23	2.00	3-29-03
Moore, G. W.	Galena	200.	24	23	4.00	12-24-01
Maples, M. A.	Self	100.	26	23	1.20	5-18-03
Plummer, H. B.	Taurie	900.	24	24	13.05	10-31-01
Rice, S. A. B.	Horner	200.	21	23	2.80	
Short, J. G.	Galena	3000.	24	23	60.00	12-11-01
Sharp, R. H.	Ruth	150.	23	23	3.55	9-12-02
Upton, Alston	Divide	50.	26	22	.66	
Williams, J. J.	Crane	1000.	25	24	16.50	5- 6-02
Wade, JO E(Jode)	Ponce de Leon	800.	25	22	10.40	10-21-01
Woods, L. H.	Marmaros	300.	22	22	4.65	12-30-01
Wright, L. B. & J. L.	School	1000.	26	23	12.00	10-23-01
Williams, James A.	Crane	2200.	25	24	35.30	3-11-02
Wright, Elizabeth	School	88.	26	23	1.05	10-23-01
Williams & Son	Bradfield	1500.	26	24	21.00	10-24-01
Wells, J. P. W.	Bradfield	500.	26	24	7.00	3-10-02
Woods, W. C.	Hurley	1100.	26	24	14.30	1-30-02

State of Missouri )  
County of Stone ) ss I Thos. H. Smith Clerk of the County Court within  
for Stone Co. aforesaid hereby certify that the  
names rec'd on pp 9 & 10 of this book is true copy of the Merchants & Dealers  
Statement book for the yr. 1901 as ret'd to this office by the assessor of  
this (Stone) and that the taxes are correctly extended thereon according  
to law. In Testimony whereof I have hereto subscribed my name & affixed the  
seal of the County Court of Stone Co., Mo. at office in Galena, Mo. this 30th  
day of Sept. 1901. (Sig.) T. H. Smith,  
Clerk County Court

SEAL

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Butler & Dodgens	Blue Eye	\$1425.	21	23	\$19.96	4-25-03
Bookout, J. F. S.	Galena	125.	24	23	2.38	11-10-02
Cox (Merc. Co.), W. B.	Oto	1300.	25	23	16.90	1-27-03
Cox, & Co., W. B.	Ponce de Leon	700.	25	22	9.10	1-27-03
Carson, Thomas	Galena	550.	24	23	10.46	12-30-02
Craig, C. O.	Galena	725.	24	23	13.77	12- 9-02
Craig, W. D. & Co.	Galena	1800.	24	23	34.20	12- 9-02
Cox, C. E.	Jamesville	24.	26	22	.36	11-21-04
Curtis, G. E.	Ponce de Leon	500.	25	22	6.50	12-31-02
Cutbirth, E. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	14.00	9- 3-02
Clifton, J. F.	Divide	80.	26	23	.92	9-30-02
Craig, Cyrus	Galena	500.	24	23	9.50	12- 9-02
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	1500.	26	23	29.25	12-31-02
Eaton, W. S.	Notch	150.	23	22	2.56	12-27-02
Galloway & Hawkins	Jamesville	1500.	26	22	23.25	12-31-02
Goodwin, W. A.	Baxter	600.	21	24	7.80	9-23-02
Garrison, Mary	Baxter	60.	21	24	.78	9-23-02
Hembree, Wm.	Marmaros	450.	22	22	6.54	12-29-02
Henson & Dillard	Galena	400.	24	23	7.60	1- 6-03
Kerr, A. B.	Cape Fair	1500.	24	24	19.50	12-29-02
Layne, J. C.	Crane	1500.	25	24	26.25	10- 3-02
Lee, William	Viola	250.	22	24	3.89	10- 8-02
Moore, G. W.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.76	12-23-02
Maples, E. J.	Self	75.	26	23	.87	3-31-03
Maples, Martha A.	Self	75.	26	23	.87	3-31-03
Marsh Milling Co.	Galena	90.	24	23	1.72	12-31-02
Nipps, John	Ruth	300.	23	23	6.75	4- 6-03
Norman, J. B.	Ponce de Leon	200.	25	22	2.60	4- 1-03
Plummer, H. B.	Tauria	1000.	24	22	15.90	11-22-02
Pitts, Albert	Radical	100.	22	23	1.85	3-29-03
Rice, B. F.	Homer	1000.	21	23	14.00	12-30-02
Short, J. G.	Galena	2500.	24	23	47.50	12- 9-02
Union City Drug Co.	School	600.	26	23	11.70	3-31-03
Wright, L. B. & Co.	School	800.	26	23	15.60	12-31-02
Woods, W. W.	Hurley	1500.	20	24	19.50	12-30-02
Williams, J. A.	Crane	1950.	25	24	34.14	12-31-02
Williams & Son E. W.	Bradfield	1100.	26	24	20.46	
Watkins, James	School	60.	26	23	1.17	10- 1-02
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	700.	25	22	9.10	9-29-02
Ware, E. N.	School	190.	26	23	3.72	10- 1-02
Webster, W. D.	Cape Fair	75.	24	24	.98	9-22-02
Wells, J. P. W.	Bradfield	500.	26	24	9.30	2-26-03
Williams, J. J.	Crane	1000.	25	24	17.50	12-31-02

State of Mo.) ss I Thos, W. Smith, Clerk of Co. Crt within and for Stone Co.  
 Co. of Stone) & State of Mo. aforesaid hereby certify that the 43 names re-  
 corded on pp 11 & 12 of this book is a true copy of the Merchants License  
 Statement for the year 1902, etc... This 20th day of Sept. 1902.

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(Sig.) Thos W. Smith

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE CO TWP., MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria, Mo.	\$ 340.	24	22	\$ 4.08	10- 9-03
Bush, C. C.	Ruth	25.	24	23	.15	Paid
Butler, N. & Son	Blue Eye	1200.	21	23	6.00	3-16-04
Butler & Dodgen	Blue Eye	1000.	21	23	6.00	3-16-04
Burns & Richmond	Galena	400.	24	23	4.00	
Carson, Thomas	Galena	500.	24	23	24.23	12-31-03
Caviner, T. O.	School	15.	26	23	.15	12-30-03
Craig, C. O.	Galena	1000.	24	23	10.00	12- 9-03
Craig, W. D.	Galena	500.	24	23	25.00	11-23-03
Curtis, G. E.	Ponce de Leon	700.	25	22	3.85	12-29-03
Cutbirth, E. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	4.40	12-29-03
Cordell, K. J.	Baxter	100.	22	24	.40	
Colley, E. C.	Elsie	500.	25	24	2.00	
Cox, W. B. & H. B.)	Oto	2000.	25	23	10.00	2- 1-04
Darrell, T. J.	Galena	300.	24	23	3.00	3-14-04
Dixon, W. T.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.00	11- 5-03
(Dewar?) & Donavan	Galena	500.	24	23	4.50	
Eaton, W. S.	Notch	150.	22	22	(?) .15	1-11-04
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	1500.	26	23	14.50	12-24-03
Evans, P. L.	Elsie	750.	25	24	3.00	12-30-03
Fancher, W. H.	Baxter	1000.	21	24	10.50	2-12-04
Galloway & Hawkins	Jamesville	2000.	26	22	10.00	10-20-03
Garrison, M. M.	Baxter	75.	21	24	.79	2-29-04
Goodwin, W. R.	Baxter	750.	21-	24	7.88	12-29-04
Greene, J. H.	Galena	25.	24	23	.25	5- 4-05
Haynes, E. C.	Cape Fair	200.	24	21	.90	
Hembree, William	Marmaros	400.	22	22	2.20	12-21-03
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	5.00	2- 3-04
Huffman, J. C.	Crane	400.	25	24	3.20	12-24-03
Horn, George	Radical	300.	23	23	1.95	2-26-04
James, J. J.	Ruth	40.	24	23	.24	4-28-04
Kanefick Horner & Co.	Ruth	6000.	25	23	(23) 36.00	
Lane, J. C.	Crane	2000.	25	22	11.00	10-24-03
Lawrence & Cole	Nauvoo	250.	21	24	1.00	1-11-04
Lee, William	Viola	250.	22	24	2.13	3-14-04
Maples, E. J.	Self	75.	26	23	.30	12-29-03
Maples, M. A.	Self	50.	26	24	.42	12-29-04
Milton, E. J.	Cape Fair	1200.	24	21	5.40	10-12-03
Mitchell, M. A.	Galena	400.	24	23	4.00	4-26-05
Moore, G. W.	Galena	250.	24	23	2.50	12-28-03
McCord & Son	Galena	1500.	24	23	15.00	12-15-03
McCroxy & Co.	Ruth	250.	24	23	1.50	3- 7-04
McCullah & Co.	Hurley (Hurley)	1150.	26	24	6.90	12-31-03
McDonald, George C.	Bradfield	600.	26	24	5.76	2-25-04
McGuire, J. G.	Radical	550.	23	23	3.58	12- 4-03
McReynolds, C. F.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	3.80	12- 1-03
Nipps & Givvens	Ruth	750	24	23	4.50	2-24-04
Norman, J. B.	Ponce de Leon	400.	25	22	2.20	10-19-03
Palmer, G. F.	Galena	100.	24	23	.55	5- 6-04
Pitts, Albert	Radical	200.	23	23	1.20	10-16-03

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Plummer, K. B.	Ruth	\$1300.	24	23	.55	5- 6-04
Reynolds Craig & Co.	Ruth	1250.	24	23	7.50	12-31-03
Rice, W. S.	Homer	1000.	21	23	5.00	11-23-03
Scott & Short	Hurley	3000.	26	24	18000	12-23-03
Short, J. G.	Galena	3000.	24	23	30.00	12-12-03
Stephens & Son	Tauria	400.	24	22	4.80	
Stiles, V. K.	Galena	500.	24	23	5.00	
Wade, E. E.	School	600.	26	23	5.80	10-21-03
Wade, Joseph	School	1000.	25	22	5.50	10-19-03
Ware, E. N.	School	200.	26	23	1.94	12-31-03
Weber, G. W.	Ruth	150.	24	23	.90	5- 8-05
Webster, W. D.	Ruth	175.	24	24	.79	10-12-03
Wells, J. P. W.	Bradfield	400.	26	24	3.84	2- 3-04
Williams, J. J.	Crane	125.	25	24	.63	3-14-04
Williams, Jim	Crane	2000.	25	24	10.00	12-29-03
Wilson, D. B. F.	School	25.	26	23	.24	
Wright, L. B. & Co.	School	760.	26	23	7.35	12-31-03

State of Missouri }  
 County of Stone } ss I D. J. Reynolds Clerk of the County Court within  
 and for Stone County aforesaid hereby certify that the  
 sixty eight (68) names recorded on pages 13, 14 and 15 of this book is true  
 copy of the Merchants License Statement book for the year 1903 as returned  
 to this office by the assessor of this Stone County, and that the taxes are  
 correctly extended thereon according to law. In testimony whereof I have  
 hereto subscribed my name & affixed the seal of the County Court of Stone  
 County, Mo. at office in Galena, Mo. this 30th day of Sept. 1903.

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(Signature) T. H. Smith,  
 County Clerk

## EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria, Mo.	\$ 340.	24	22	\$ 4.08	10- 9-03
Bush, C. C.	Ruth	25.	24	23	.15	Paid
Butler, N. & Sons	Blue Eye	1200.	21	23	6.00	3-16-04
Butler & Dodgen	Blue Eye	1200.	21	23	6.00	3-16-04
Burns & Richmond	Galena	400.	24	23	4.00	
Carson, Thomas	Galena	500.	24	23	5.00	12-31-03
Caviner, T. O.	School	15.	26	23	.15	12-30-03
Craig, C. O.	Galena	1000.	24	23	10.00	12- 9-03
Craig, W. D.	Galena	2500.	24	23	25.00	11-23-03
Curtis, G. E.	Ponce de Leon	700.	25	22	3.85	12-28-03
Cutbirth, E. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	4.40	12-29-03
Collier, E. C.	Elsie	500.	25	24	2.00	
Cordell, K. J.	Baxter	100.	22	24	.40	
Cox, W. B. & H. B. Merc.	Oto, Mo.	2000.	25	23	10.00	2- 1-04
Darrell, T. J.	Galena	300.	24	23	3.00	3-14-04
Dixon, W. T.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.00	11- 5-03
Dewar & Donavan	Galena	500.	24	23	4.50	
Eaton, W. S.	Notch	150.	22	22	.75	1-11-04
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	1500.	26	23	14.50	12-24-03
Evans, P. L.	Elsie	750.	25	24	3.00	12-30-03
Fancher, W. H.	Baxter	1000.	21	24	10.50	2-12-04
Galloway & Hawkins	Jamesville	2000.	26	22	10.00	10-20-03
Garrison, M. M.	Baxter	75.	21	24	.79	2-29-04
Goodwin, W. A.	Baxter	750.	21	24	7.88	12-29-04
Greene, J. H.	Galena	25.	24	23	.25	5- 4-05
Haynes, E. C.	Cape Fair	200.	24	24	.90	
Hembree, William	Marmoros	400.	22	22	2.20	12-21-03
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	5.00	2- 3-04
Huffman, J. C.	Crane	400.	25	24	2.20	12-24-03
Horn, George	Radical	300.	23	23	1.95	2-26-04
James, J. J.	Ruth	40.	24	23	.24	4-28-04
Kanefick Hanson & Co.	Ruth	6000.	24	23	36.00	
Lane, J. C.	Crane	2000.	25	22	11.00	10-24-03
Lawrence & Cole	Nauvoo	250.	21	24	1.00	1-11-04
Lee, William	Viola	250.	22	24	2.13	3-14-04
Maples, E. J.	Self	75.	26	23	.30	12-29-03
Maples, M. A.	Self (Marionville)	50.	26	24	.42	12-29-04
Melton, E. J.	Cape Fair	1200.	24	24	5.40	10-12-03
Mitchell, M. A.	Galena	400.	24	23	4.00	4-26-03
Moore, G. W.	Galena	250.	24	23	2.50	12-28-03
McCord & Son	Galena	1500.	24	23	15.00	12-15-03
McCrorey & Co.	Ruth	250.	24	23	1.50	3- 7-04
McCulloh & Co.	Hurley	1150.	26	24	6.90	12-31-03
McDonald, George C.	Bradfield	600.	26	24	5.76	2-25-04
McGuire, J. G.	Radical	550.	23	23	3.58	12- 4-03
McReynolds, C. F.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	3.30	12-11-03
Nipps & Gibbens	Ruth	750.	24	23	4.50	2-24-04
Norman, J. B.	Ponce de Leon	400.	25	22	2.20	10-19-03
Palmer, S. F.	Galena	100.	24	23	.55	5- 6-04

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Ttl Tax Paid	When Pd
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria	\$500.	24	22	\$ 6.85	12-29-04
Butler & Dodgen	Blue Eye	1200.	21	23	14.64	12-12-04
Butler, W. E.	Blue Eye	1000.	21	23	12.25	12-12-04
Billings Merc. Co.	Bradfield	200.	26	24	3.50	11-25-04
Barnes Bros.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.87	12-31-04
Bayless, George	Galena	250.	24	23	4.67	2-10-05
Berry, J. S.	Cape Fair	950.	24	24	12.04	12- 8-04
Crane Groc. Co.	Crane	400.	25	24	5.48	1-12-05
Cutbirth, E. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	10.96	12-29-04
Curtis, George E.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	2-27-05
Cole, Bros.	Nauvoo	500.	21	24	6.10	10-31-04
Craig, C. O.	Galena	1000.	24	23	18.70	12-14-04
Carson, Thomas	Galena	3600.	24	23	48.42	12-26-04
Craig, W. D.	Galena	700.	24	23	13.09	12-30-04
Cox, G. N.	Ponce de Leon	50.	25	22	.68	
Cox, W. B. Merc. Co.	Oto	1500.	25	23	18.30	1-31-05
Drahn, Roy	Marmaros	250.	22	22	3.10	5-18-05
Dixon, G	Galena	150.	24	23	2.80	10-18-05
Estes & Son, J. W.	School	1500.	26	23	21.30	1-17-05
Evans, P. L.	Elsie	2000.	25	24	26.40	12-29-04
Galloway & Leduc	Jamesville	1450.	26	22	19.14	12-29-04
Goodwin, W. A.	Baxter	1000.	22	24	12.05	\$6.80 Pd.
Garrison, Mary M.	Baxter	200.	21	24	2.54	1-30-05
Goodrich, E. L.	Crane	200.	25	24	2.44	6- 1-05
Gipson & Son	Crane	2500.	25	24	34.05	12-20-05
Haynes, E. C.	Cape Fair	200.	24	24	2.64	12-31-04
Harp, T. J.	Galena	400.	24	23	7.48	4-26-05
Horn, G. W.	Radical	300.	23	23	3.05	12-14-04
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	9.35	12-31-04
Hembree, William	Marmaros	500.	22	22	9.45	12-31-04
Irwin & Son	Ruth	200.	24	23	2.03	3-13-05
James, S. E.	Ruth	500.	24	23	5.00	12-21-04
Kornans, T. H.	Baxter	600.	22	24	6.72	12-21-04
Lee, William	Viola	200.	22	24	2.03	3-13-05
Love, J. C.	Crane	2000.	25	24	27.40	10-22-04
Melton, J. E.	Cape Fair	1500.	24	24	19.80	12-21-04
Maples, E. J.	Self	50.	26	23	.59	2-22-05
Maples, Mary A.	Marionville, Mo.	50.	26	24	.79	12-31-04
Moore, G. W.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.66	12-24-04
McCulloh & Williams	Galena	400.	24	23	7.48	4-26-05
McGuire, J. G.	Radical	300.	23	23	3.05	1- 6-05
McReynolds, C. H. & Co.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	7-19-05
McCord & Son	Ponce de Leon	1500.	24	23	20.60	12-12-04
McCulloh & Co.	Ruth	2000.	24	23	20.30	4-25-05
Norman, J. B.	Ponce de Leon	100.	25	22	1.37	-----
Nipps & Gibbins	Ruth	1000.	24	23	10.15	-----
Newton, G. B.	Blue Eye	500.	21	23	6.10	-----
Pitts, Albert	Radical	250.	22	23	6.17	-----
Phillibert, Austin	Baxter	225.	22	24	3.45	11- 2-04

## EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Ang	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Pitts, Albert	Radical	\$ 200.	22	23	\$ 1.20	10-16-03
Plummer, K. B.	Ruth	1300.	24	23	7.80	1-19-04
Reynolds Craig & Co.	Ruth	1250.	24	23	7.50	12-31-03
Rice, W. S.	Horner	1000.	21	23	5.00	11-23-03
Scott & Short	H urley	3000.	26	24	18.00	12-23-03
Short, J. G.	Galena	3000.	24	23	30.00	12-12-03
Stephens & Son	Tauria	400.	24	22	4.80	
Stiles, V. K.	Galena	500.	24	23	5.00	
Wade, E. E.	School	600.	26	23	5.80	10-21-03
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	1000.	25	22	5.50	10-19-03
Ware, E. N.	School	200.	26	23	1.94	12-31-03
Weber, G. W.	Ruth	150.	24	23	.90	5-8-05
Webster, W. D.	Ruth	175.	24	24	.79	10-12-03
Wells, J. P. W.	Bradfield	400.	26	24	3.84	2- 3-04
Williams, J. J.	Crane	125.	25	24	.63	3-14-04
Williams, Jim	Crane	2000.	25	24	10.00	12-29-03
Wilson, D. B. F.	School	25.	26	23	.24	
Wright, L. B. & Co.	School	760.	26	23	7.38	12-31-03

Taken from pages 13, 14, 15 of Merchants' License Tax Book for the year 1903.

Thomas H. Smith, County Clerk

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria, Mo.	\$ 500.	24	22	\$ 6.85	12-29-04
Butler & Dodgen	Blue Eye	1200.	21	23	14.64	12-12-04
Butler, W. E.	Blue Eye	1000.	21	23	12.20	12-12-04
Billings Merc. Co.	Bradfield	200.	26	24	3.50	11-25-04
Barnes Bros.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.87	12-31-04
Bayless, George	Galena	250.	24	23	4.67	2-10-05
Berry, J. S.	Cape Fair	950.	24	24	12.04	12- 8-04
Crane Grocery Co.	Crane	400.	25	24	5.48	1-12-05
Cutbirth, E. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	10.96	12-29-04
Curtis, George E.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	2-27-05
Cole Bros.	Neuvoo	500.	21	24	6.10	10-31-04
Craig, C. O.	Galena	1000.	24	23	18.70	12-14-04
Craig, W. D.	Galena	2100.	24	23	48.42	12-26-05
Carson, Thomas	Galena	900.	24	23	13.09	12-30-04
Cox, G. N.	Ponce de Leon	50.	25	22	.68	
Cox, W. B. Merc. Co.	Oto	1500.	25	23	18.30	1-31-05
Drahn, Roy	Marmaros	250.	22	22	3.10	5-18-05
Dixon, W. T.	Galena	150.	24	23	2.80	10-18-05
(pd by Henson & Moore)						
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	1500.	26	23	21.30	1-17-05
Evans, P. L.	Elsie	2000.	25	24	26.40	12-29-04
Galloway & Leduc	Jamesville	1450.	26	22	19.14	12-29-04
Goodwin, W. A.	Baxter	1000.	22	24	12.05	\$6.80 pd.
Garrison, Mary M.	Baxter	200.	21	24	2.44	1-30-05
Goodrich, E. L.	Crane	200.	25	24	2.44	6- 1-05
Gyison & Son	Crane	2500.	25	24	34.05	12-20-04
Haynes, E. C.	Cape Fair	200.	24	24	2.64	12-31-04
Harp, T. J.	Galena	400.	24	23	7.48	4-26-05
Horn, G. W.	Radical	300.	23	23	3.05	12-14-04
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	9.35	12-31-04
Hembree, William	Marmaros	500.	22	22	9.40	12-31-04
Irwin & Son	Ruth	200.	24	23	2.03	3-13-05
James, S. E.	Ruth	500.	24	23	5.00	12-21-04
Kornans, T. H.	Baxter	600.	22	24	6.72	12-21-04
Lee, William	Viola	200.	22	24	2.03	3-13-05
Love, J. C. (Lane)	Crane Fair	2000.	25	24	27.40	10-22-04
Melton, J. E.	Cape Fair	1500.	24	24	19.80	12-21-04
Maples, E. J.	Self	50.	26	23	.59	2-22-05
Maples, Mary A.	Marionville	50.	26	24	.79	12-31-04
Moore, G. W.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.66	12-24-04
McCulloch & Williams	Galena	400.	24	23	7.48	4-26-05
McGuire, J. G.	Radical	300.	23	23	3.05	1- 6-05
McReynolds, G. H. & Co.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	7-19-05
McCord & Son	Ponce de Leon	1500.	24	23	20.60	12-12-04
McCulloch & Co.	Ruth	2000.	24	23	20.30	4-25-05
Morrison, J. B.	Ponce de Leon	100.	25	22	1.37	
Nipps & Gibbins	Ruth	1000.	24	23	10.15	
Newton, G. E.	Blue Eye	500.	21	23	6.10	
Pitts, Albert	Radical	250.	22	23	6.17	
Phillibert, Austin	Baxter	225.	22	24	3.42	11- 2-04

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(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Phillips, L.	Ruth, Mo.	\$ 30.	24	23	\$ .32	3-13-05
Plummer, H. B.	Ruth	2000.	24	23	20.30	5- 8-05
Roulson, H. D.	Galena	180.	24	23	1.81	
Rice, W. S.	Hornor	800.	21	23	9.76	3-7-05
Reynolds Craig & Co.	Ruth	1200.	24	23	12.14	5- 8-05
Sinclair, Edward	Ruth	800.	24	23	8.12	12-31-04
Short, J. G. & Co.	Galena	3500.	24	23	65.45	12-14-04
Scott & Short	Hurley	2500.	26	24	33.00	12-26-04
Short & Stafford	Elsey	950.	25	24	11.79	12-14-04
Williams Bros.	Crane	600.	25	24	8.22	12-28-04
Wilson, D. B.	School	100.	26	23	1.42	
Ware, E. N.	School	250.	26	23	3.55	12-30-04
Wade, J. H.	Ponce de Leon	500.	25	22	6.85	12-13-04
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	1000.	25	22	13.70	12-13-04
Wright, L. B.	School	1135.	26	23	16.11	12-14-04
Union City Drug Co.	School	600.	26	23	8.52	12- 9-04

State of Missouri )  
 County of Stone ) ss I, Thomas H. Smith Clerk of County Court within and  
 for County and State aforesaid hereby certify that  
 the 65 names recorded on pages 17, 18 & 19 of this book is a true copy of  
 the Merchants' License Statement for the year 1904 as returned to this of-  
 fice by the Assessor of said Stone County and that the taxes are correctly  
 extended thereon according to law. In Testimony I have hereunto set my hand  
 and affixed the seal of said County at office in Galena, Missouri this 3rd  
 day of Oct. 1904.

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(Signature) Thomas H. Smith,  
 County Clerk

	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Barnes, Bros.	Galena, Mo.	\$ 50.	24	23	\$ .95	2-14-06
Beverage, T. E.	Ponce de Leon	80.	25	22	1.10	12-28-05
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria	530.	21	22	7.78	12-30-05
Butler, N. & Son	Blue Eye	1500.	21	23	18.30	3- 5-06
Butler & Dodgen	Blue Eye	2200.	21	23	26.84	
Callin, B. A.	Galena	2500.	24	23	46.75	( )-11-06
Carson, Thomas	Galena	700.	24	23	13.04	12-22-05
Cole Bros.	Nauvoo	800.	21	24	8.96	1-13-06
Cox, L. C.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	
Cox, W. B. Merc. Co.	Oto	2500.	25	23	35.50	2-28-06
		(500 Exronious paid to Cox)				
	Note:	(\$500. or \$5.00?)				
Craig & Co.	Reed Springs	1500.	24	23	30.30	12-28-05
Crane Grocer Co.	Crane	2700.	24	23	51.34	12-11-05 *
Cuthburth, F. C.	Crane	800.	25	24	12.56	11-24-05
Craig, G. O.	Galena	1000.	24	23	18.70	12-14-05
Curtis, George E.	Ponce de Leon	800.	25	22	10.96	1-30-06
* Crane Grocer Co.	Crane, Mo.	should read \$ 300.	Twp 25	Rng 24	\$ 4.71	
		and paid 2-24-06.				
Craig, W. D.	Galena	2700.	24	23	51.39	12-11-05
Drahn, Christopher	Marmaros	400.	22	22	6.08	10-27-05
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	2400.	26	23	46.08	12-26-05
Evans, P. L.	Elsey	2000.	25	24	24.40	12-30-05
Evans, J. W.	Baxter	800.	22	24	9.76	10-26-05
Evans, W. E.	Homer	1000.	21	23	14.70	2-21-06
Galloway & Luffuc	Jamesville	1800.	26	22	22.86	12-29-05
Garrison, Mary	Baxter	200.	22	24	2.44	11-20-05
Gipson & Son	Crane	2500.	25	24	39.25	12-28-05
Gance, Susie	Elsey	100.	25	24	1.22	
Goodrich, E. L.	Crane	350.	25	24	5.49	4-30-06
Goodwin, W. A.	Radical	800.	22	23	12.96	12-14-05
Hargrove, J. A.	Baxter	1000.	21	24	12.20	10-26-05
Harp, T. J.	Reed Springs	700.	24	23	14.14	4-19-06
Hemphill & Massey	Crane	125.	25	24	1.95	4-30-06
Hembree, William	Marmaros	500.	22	22	6.60	12- 9-05
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	9.35	2- 8-06
Horn, G. W.	Radical	500.	23	23	7.35	12-26-05
Irwin & Son	Reed Springs	200.	24	23	4.04	
Lane, J. C.	Crane	3000.	25	24	47.10	10-15-05
				(paid 43.05)		
Lee, D. B.	Galena	1500.	24	23	28.05	12-30-05
Lee, William	Viola	150.	22	24	2.35	
McCullish & Mathes	Galena	500.	24	23	9.35	
Maples, E. J.	Self	75.	21	23	.92	
Maples, Mrs. Martha	Self	75.	21	24	1.17	
Melton, John E.	Cape Fair	1500.	24	24	22.05	11-16-05
Meyer, Joseph	Bredfield	300.	26	24	5.12	11-28-05
Morman, J. R.	Galena	50.	24	23	.92	2-14-06

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
McGuire, J. G.	Radical, Mo.	\$ 400.	23	23	\$ 5.88	4-23-06
McCullah, John A.	Ruth	2800.	24	23	56.56	2-15-06
Phillibert, A.	Norwalk	175.	22	24	3.36	11- 8-05
Plummer, H. B.	Reed Springs	2500.	24	23	50.50	11- 1-05
Ragan Lumber Co.	Galena	1500.	24	23	28.80	2- 5-06
Rice, W. S.	Homer	32.	21	23	.46	12- 5-05
Russell Lumber Co.	Crane	2000.	25	24	31.40	2- 5-06
Russell & Bilderback	Cape Fair	1700.	24	24	24.99	2-21-06
Scott & Short	Hurley	3000.	26	24	36.60	12-16-05
Short, W. B.	Elsey	900.	25	24	10.98	12-16-05
Short, J. G. & Co.	Galena	4000.	24	23	74.80	12-16-05
Sinclair, Edward	Reed Springs	500.	24	23	10.10	10- 6-05
Stults, Ben	Tauria	35.	24	22	.70	4-27-06
Thornton & Co.	Galena	200.	24	23	3.74	1-10-06
Turner, George	Radical	400.	22	23	6.48	2-10-06
Union City Drug Co.	School	800.	26	23	15.36	10-10-05
Ware, E. N.	School	600.	26	23	11.52	12-26-05
Wilson, D. B. F.	School	200.	26	23	3.84	10-10-05
Williams, Mrs. W. S.	Crane	200.	25	24	3.14	4-30-06
Williams, J. J.	Crane	900.	25	24	14.13	2-21-06
Whitmire & Co.	Crane	1500.	25	24	23.55	12-20-05
Waymire, D. W.	Crane	150.	25	24	2.35	1-24-06
Wright, L. B.	School	1248.	26	23	23.99	1-10-06
Woods, W. C.	Elsey	1500.	25	24	18.30	12-23-05
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	1400.	25	22	19.18	10- 7-05
Wade, J. H.	Ponce de Leon	600.	25	22	8.22	10- 7-05

State of Missouri )  
 County of Stone ) ss I, Thomas H. Smith, clerk of the county court within  
 and for the county and State aforesaid, hereby certify  
 that the 69 names recorded on pages 21, 22 & 23 of this Book is a true copy  
 of the Merchants License Statement for the year 1905, as returned to this  
 office by the Assessor of this said Stone County, and that the taxes are  
 correctly extended thereon according to law.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed the seal of said Stone  
 County at office in Galena, Mo. this 1st day of Oct. 1905.

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(Signature) Thomas H. Smith,  
 Clerk County Court

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd
Butler, N. & Son	Blue Eye, Mo.	\$ 800.	21	23	\$ 8.56	4-25-07
Barnes, C. A.	Galena	75.	24	23	1.30	3-27-07
Bohanon, Mary	Baxter	50.	22	24	.54	( )-15-07
Brevoort, H. S.	Reeds Spring	100.	24	23	1.42	
Bilyeu, Peter	Taurea	900.	24	22	12.33	12-28-06
Cutberth & Anderson	Crane	1500.	25	24	22.70	1- 5-07
Craig, C. O.	Galena	800.	24	23	13.76	12-12-06
Cox, G. N.	Ponce de Leon	200.	25	22	2.44	7- 1-07
Cole, J. H. & Bros.	Nauvoo	800.	21	24	8.56	11-26-05
Craig, W. D. & Co.	Galena	3000.	24	23	51.60	12-31-06
Carson, Thomas	Galena	800.	24	23	13.76	12-18-06
Crane Stove & Furniture Co.	Crane	600.	25	24	9.12	12- 1-06
Craig & Co.	Reeds Spring	2000.	25	23	28.40	12-11-06
Cannady Bros.	Crane	800.	25	22	9.76	2- 1-07
Cox, W. B. Merc. Co.	Oto	1860.	25	23	19.26	2-25-07
Curtis, George E.	Ponce de Leon	800.	25	22	9.76	1-10-07
CoEn, Thomas	Abesville	300.	25	24	4.58	6-19-07
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	2500.	26	23	40.50	1-29-07
Elsay Drug Co.	Elsay	500.	25	24	6.35	10-23-06
Evans, W. E.	Homer	1500.	25	23	15.75	5-28-07
Evans, P. L.	Elsay	2000.	25	24	25.40	12-28-06
Evans, J. M.	Baxter	1400.	22	24	14.98	11-26-06
Frisby & Hilton	Crane	40.	25	24	.61	4-30-07
Goodrich, E. L. & Co.	Crane	600.	25	24	9.12	10-20-06
Gatton, William	Crane	125.	25	24	1.90	12-29-06
Goodwin, W. A.	Radical	700.	22	23	8.19	1- 7-07
Hargrove, J. A.	Baxter	800.	22	24	8.56	12-18-06
Hilton Furn. Co.	Crane	1000.	25	24	15.20	4-30-07
Hancock, A. D.	Crane	2000.	25	24	30.40	1-16-07
Horn, G. W.	Radical	600.	22	24	6.42	1-28-07
Hembree, William	Marmaros	400.	22	22	5.28	1-26-07
Hunt & Crawford	Norwalk	400.	22	24	7.28	1-26-07
Jones, P. W.	Galena	225.	24	23	3.87	12-19-06
Jennings, T. L.	Radical	100.	22	23	1.17	2- 2-07
Kerr, B. A.	Hurley	600.	26	24	6.42	2-11-07
Lee, D. B.	Galena	1000.	24	23	17.20	12-29-06
LeDuc, Lewis	Jamesville	1800.	26	22	21.06	12-28-06
Lane, J. C.	Crane	3000.	25	24	45.60	10-20-06
Lane, S. B.	Baxter	600.	22	24	6.42	
Phillips, L.	Reeds Spring	450.	24	23	6.40	2- 2-07
Plummer, H. B.	Reeds Spring	2500. (3000)	24	23	35.50	12- 5-06
McCulloch, J. A.	Reeds Spring	2500.	24	23	46.60	12-23-06
Mathes, J. P.	Galena	500.	24	23	8.60	12- 3-06
Maples, Martha A.	Marionville	75.	26	24	.93	10-18-06
Manes, B. A.	Crane	150.	25	24	2.29	2- 8-07
Melton, John E.	Cape Fair	1500.	24	24	18.25	10-24-06
Majors, A. C.	Hurley	350.	26	24	3.75	10-26-06
Myers, Joseph	Bradfield	250.	26	24	3.56	10-19-06
Moreland, J. H.	Galena	50.	24	23	.87	11- 1-06

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd.
Ramsey, J. W.	Marmaros, Mo.	\$ 400.	22	22	\$ 5.28	1-31-07
Russell Lumber Co.	Crane	3000.	25	24	13.68	10-20-06
Rhodes, J. B.	Galena	4000.	24	23	68.80	12-11-06
Russell & Bilderback	Cape Fair	1200.	24	24	14.64	2-11-07
Regan Lumber Co.	Reeds Spring	1500.	24	23	21.30	12-24-06
Regan Lumber Co.	Galena	2600.	24	23	51.60	12-24-06
Snowden, John L.	Marmaros	250.	22	22	3.31	12- 6-06
Sinclair, Ed	Reeds Spring	500.	24	23	7.10	1-19-07
Stultz & Co.	Reeds Spring	500.	24	23	7.10	1- 1-07
Smith, Joe G.	Crane	250.	25	24	3.80	4-30-07
Spears & Gwaltney	Hurley	325.	26	24	3.48	4-29-07
Southard, R. M.	Galena	150.	24	23	2.59	12-29-06
Skriener, M. F.	Crane	400.	25	24	6.08	3-27-07
Stafford, & Son	Hurley	3300.	26	24	35.31	2-18-07
Turner, G. A.	Radical	200.	22	23	2.34	
Thornton & Co.	Galena	200.	24	23	3.44	
Union City Drug Co.	School	500.	26	23	8.10	12-29-06
Viles & Moore	Galena	1600.	24	23	27.52	3-25-07
Webster, W. D.	Reeds Spring	600.	26	24	6.42	
Ware, E. N.	School	400.	26	23	6.48	12-28-06
Wilson, D. B. F.	School	350.	26	23	5.67	1-31-07
Woods, W. C.	Elsey	1000.	25	24	12.70	12-18-07
Williams Bros.	Crane	1000.	25	24	15.20	12-28-06
Wiley, Willis	Crane	3000.	25	24	45.60	4-30-07
Woodson, C. F.	Crane	600.	25	24	9.12	4-30-07
Whitmire & Co.	Crane	1500.	25	24	22.50	12-29-06
Williams, M. S.	Crane	250.	25	24	3.80	4-30-07
Wright, L. B.	School	1250.	26	23	20.25	12-29-06
Wilson, H. C.	School	150.	26	23	2.44	4-29-07
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	1200.	25	22	14.64	12-21-06
Wade, J. H.	Ponce de Leon	400.	25	22	4.88	4-22-07
Whisman, Wiley	Viola	50.	22	24	.74	4-16-07

State of Missouri }  
 County of Stone } ss I, Thomas H. Smith clerk of the County within and  
 for Stone County aforesaid do hereby certify that  
 pages 24, 25, 26 and 27 of this book contains the names of all merchants  
 listed in the Merchants' License Statement Book for said Stone County for  
 the year 1906, and that this is a true copy thereof with the amounts assessed  
 against each of the 79 names thereon and that the taxes have been correctly  
 extended thereon according to law.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of the  
 County Court of Stone County, Missouri at office in Galena, Mo. this 1st  
 day of Oct. 1906.

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(Signature) Thomas H. Smith,  
 County Clerk

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd.
Burton, F. J.	Nauvoo	\$ 650.	21	24	\$ 3.58	11-30-07
Bowman, John D.	Homer	250.	21	23	2.93	
Bilyeu, Peter	Tauria	1050.	24	22	12.82	11-30-07
Berry, H. D.	Nauvoo	350.	21	24	4.63	11- 9-07
Butler, J. O.	Blue Eye	1050.	21	23	12.29	12- 7-07
Burris, R. F.	Galena	1000.	24	23	17.20	12-27-07
Blassingame, R. J.	Crane	2000.	25	24	30.40	11-27-07
Barnes, C. R.	Galena	50.	24	23	.86	2-19-08
Crane Lumber Co.	Crane	500.	25	24	7.60	3-26-08
Coin, Thomas	Abesville	500.	25	23	7.35	11-30-07
Carson, Thomas	Galena	800.	24	23	13.76	12-31-07
Clifton, W. R.	School RFD #1	100.	26	23	1.22	10-27-07
Cutberth, E. C.	Crane	1500.	25	24	22.80	1-18-08
Craig & Co.	Galena	2500.	24	23	43.00	12-31-07
Craig Drug Co.	Galena	800.	24	23	13.76	11-27-07
Curtis, George E.	Ponce de Leon	1000.	25	22	10.70	12-30-07
Cox, Merc. Co. W. B.	Oto	1800.	25	23	16.56	1-31-08
Doggett, J. C. R.	Crane	1100.	25	24	16.72	12-31-07
Drahn, Roy	Notch	300.	22	22	3.96	11-30-07
Evans, P. L.	Elsey	3000.	25	24	38.10	11-27-07
Estes, J. W. & Son	School	2000.	25	23	33.40	12- 2-07
Evans, W. E.	Blue Eye	1500.	21	23	17.25	10-17-07
Evans, J. M.	Baxter	1800.	22	24	19.26	10-15-07
Greene, W. B.	Elsey	400.	25	24	5.08	11-30-07
Grider, Q. A.	School	400.	26	24	5.08	11-30-07
Gipson, J. V.	Crane	65.	25	24	.99	
Hembree, William	Marmaros	400.	22	22	5.28	11-30-07
Hilton Furn. Co.	Crane	1200.	25	24	18.24	2-20-08
Harris & Carney	Crane	200.	25	24	3.04	10-26-07
Henson, L.	Galena	500.	24	23	8.60	12-31-07
Hargrove, Lewonie	Baxter	800.	22	24	8.56	12- 5-07
Horn, G. W.	Radical	700.	23	23	8.54	12- 5-07
Irick & Tirruah (Torrian)	Crane	300.	25	24	4.56	6- 2-08
Jefferson, G. H.	Hurley	300.	26	24	3.21	
Jennings, T. L.	Radical	125.	22	23	1.53	12-12-07
King & Bilderback	Cape Fair	150.	24	24	1.84	11- 8-07
Kelly, B. A.	Galena	250.	24	23	4.31	4- 2-08
Lane, J. C.	Crane	2600.	25	24	39.52	10-26-07
Ledbetter, I. J.	Crane	450.	25	24	6.85	4- 9-08
Layton, J. F.	Reeds Spring	200.	24	23	2.94	12-27-07
Lawrence, J. W.	Nauvoo	1000.	21	24	13.20	12- 7-07
Lane, S. B.	Radical	1000.	22	23	12.20	
LeDuc, Louis	Jamesville	1800.	26	22	19.26	1- 6-08
Mathes, W. D.	Galena	3000.	24	23	51.60	3- 3-08
Majors, A. C.	Hurhey	200.	26	24	2.94	
Matheny & Co.	Crane	260.	25	24	3.95	12-10-07
McCullah, John A.	Reeds Spring	2000.	25	23	33.00	1- 6-08
McCullah, W. E.	Reeds Spring	2000.	24	23	26.40	1-28-08

## EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd.
McGuire, J. G.	Radical	\$ 200.	23	23	\$ 2.44	3-23-08
Norman, N. C.	Ponce de Leon	300.	25	22	3.21	
Otto, A. G.	Hurley	150.	26	24	1.61	12-13-07
Phillibert, Austin	Norwalk	310.	22	24	5.49	10-15-07
Plummer, H. B.	Reeds Spring	2700.	24	23	35.64	11-13-07
Phillips, L.	Reeds Spring	800.	24	23	10.56	2-6-08
Powell, D. H.	Galena	50.	24	23	.87	
Pile Bros.	Cape Fair	2500.	24	24	30.50	2-25-08
Ramsey, J. W. & Co.	Reeds Spring	350.	24	23	4.63	
Regan Lumber Co.	Reeds Spring	1200.	24	23	15.84	12-31-07
Regan Lumber Co.	Galena	2250.	24	23	38.71	12-31-07
Rice & Lee	Homer	40.	21	23	.47	
Russell Lumber Co.	Crane	2500.	25	24	38.00	1-4-08
Sanders, A. H.	Hurley	25.	26	24	.27	
Southard, J. F.	Galena	100.	24	23	1.72	12-31-07
Schumate & Meredith	Reeds Spring	400.	24	23	5.28	Paid
Smith, Joe G.	Crane	200.	25	24	3.04	10-26-07
Skinner, M. F.	Crane	200.	25	24	3.04	10-26-07
Stafford & Son	Hurley	2200.	26	24	23.54	12-30-07
Sharp Bros.	Reeds Spring	50.	24	23	.67	
Stults & Co.	Reeds Spring	520.	24	23	6.86	1-28-08
Sinclair, Ed	Reeds Spring	500.	24	23	6.60	11-22-07
Turner, G. A.	Radical	300.	22	23	3.66	1-6-08
Talley, J. N.	Crane	150.	25	24	2.29	3-30-08
Union City Drug Co.	School	500.	26	23	8.35	10-24-07
Viles, & Moore	Galena	1100.	24	23	18.92	2-24-08
Wright, L. B.	School	1060.	26	23	17.70	12-31-07
Woodruff, M. D.	Elsey	1000.	25	24	12.70	
Wade, J. E.	Ponce de Leon	300.	25	22	3.21	12-28-07
Woodson, C. F.	Crane	1000.	25	24	15.20	3-20-08
Williams Drug Co.	Crane	1100.	25	24	16.72	12-27-07
Wiley, Willus & Co.	Crane	2200.	25	24	33.44	2-18-08
Williams, Jim & Co.	Crane	100.	25	24	1.52	3-20-08
Wilson, D. B. W.	School	300.	26	23	5.01	10-24-07
Whitmire & Co.	Viola (Crane)	329.	25	24	4.94	12-19-07
Wilson, H. C.	School	150.	26	23	2.51	10-24-07
Whisman, Wiley	Viola	200.	22	24	2.94	Paid
Ware, E. N.	Crane	450.	25	24	6.85	2-12-08
Wade, Joe	Ponce de Leon	1400.	25	22	14.98	12-26-07
Yocum, Jim	Crane	100.	25	24	1.52	3-20-08
Yates, C. S.	Crane	3000.	25	24	45.60	5-11-08

State of Missouri )  
County of Stone ) ss I, W. B. Langley, Clerk of the County Court within  
and for the County and State of aforesaid, hereby cer-  
tify that the foregoing pages of this book, beginning on page 29 and ending  
on page 32, inclusive, contains the names of all Merchants listed in the  
Merchant License Statement book for said County for the year 1907 as return-  
ed to me by the Assessor of said County, and that this is a true copy thereof,  
with the amounts so assessed, against each, and that the taxes thereon have  
been here extended according to law for the year 1907. In testimony whereof,  
etc. - 18 - (Sig.) W. B. Langley, Co. Clk.

EARLY MERCHANTS OF STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

(1895 - 1908)

Name	Place	Value of Stock	Twp	Rng	Total Tax Paid	When Pd.
Ambrose, Ghornt	Radical	\$ 800.	22	23	\$11.36	4-14-09
Anderson, E. W. & Co.	Crane	465.	25	24	7.29	
Andoe, M. R.	Reeds Spring	100.	24	23	1.47	2-20-09
Barnes, C. R.	Galena	50.	24	23	1.07	
Bowman, P. J.	School RFD #1	130.	26	23	1.52	1- 4-09
Billingsly & Farris	Reeds Spring	100.	24	23	1.47	3- 4-09
Benjamin, Arthur	Crane	600.	25	24	9.42	3-10-09
Benton, E. R. & Son	Nauvoo	425.	21	24	6.03	12-21-08
Brown Springs Groc Co.	Billings, R. No2	600.	25	24	9.12	3-10-09
Bilyeom Ceter	Tauria	1200.	24	22	16.44	1-18-09
Berry, H. D.	Nauvoo	400.	21	24	5.68	10- 8-08
Burris, R. F.	Galena	1000.	24	23	21.20	5-18-09
Bird, W. T.	Montague	130.	26	22	2.17	
Burton, Thomas	Galena	900.	24	23	19.08	Paid
Cox Merc. Co. W. B.	Oto	1800.	25	23	24.66	1-30-09
Carson, Thomas	Galena	600.	24	23	12.72	12-22-08
Craig Merc. Co.	Galena	5500.	24	23	116.60	12-18-08
Crane Hdw. Co.	Crane	3500.	25	24	54.95	2-24-09
Cutberth, E. C.	Crane	1000.	25	24	15.70	11- 9-08
Coin, Thomas	Abesville	600.	25	22	8.22	10-14-08
Clifton, W. R.	School RFD 1	130.	26	23	1.52	10-17-08
Doggett, J. C. R.	Crane	1200.	25	24	18.84	2-23-09
Evans, J. M.	Baxter	1600.	21	24	25.56	10- 7-08
Estes & Son, J. W.	School	1800.	25	24	19.67	10-21-08
Fisher, Mrs. F. M.	Crane	130.	25	24	2.05	2-23-09
Geer, L. M.	Reeds Spring	200.	24	23	2.94	8- 4-09
Gryder, Q. A.	School Rte #2	600.	26	24	4.92	10-24-08
Gipson, Fred	Crane	65.	25	24	1.02	3-10-09
Greene, A. H.	Crane	600.	25	24	9.42	2- 2-09
Gatton, William	Crane	60.	25	24	.94	2-25-09
Galloway & Cox	Jamesville	1800.	26	22	23.76	12-31-08
Harris & Palmer	Crane	265.	25	24	3.76	
Hilton Bros.	Crane	1200.	25	24	18.84	12-30-08
Horn, G. W.	Radical	700.	23	23	9.49	12-28-08
Hembree, William	Marmaros	500.	22	22	7.10	12-29-08
Hargrove, J. A.	Baxter	800.	21	24	11.36	12-31-08
Henson, Dr. L.	Galena	400.	24	23	8.48	12-30-08
Jennings, T. L.	Radical	75.	24	23	1.06	2- 3-09
King, J. J.	Galena	50.	24	23	1.07	3- 9-09
Kimberling, W. W.	Reeds Spring	600.	24	23	8.82	12-29-08
Kelly, B. A.	Galena	265.	24	23	5.63	2-24-09
Layton, J. F.	Reeds Spring	200.	24	23	2.94	10-13-08
King, George	Cape Fair	150.	24	24	1.92	3-12-09
Layne, S. B.	Reeds Spring	300.	24	23	4.41	2-20-09
Lane, J. C.	Crane	3000.	25	24	47.10	12-11-08
Lents, J. T.	Ozark R #2	200.	26	22	3.34	10-16-08
Magers & Co.	Ponce de Leon	900.	25	22	10.98	3-23-09
Mathes, W. D.	Galena	4000.	24	23	84.80	12-31-08
Moore, A. B.	Crane	2500.	25	24	39.25	2-23-09

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Name	Place	Value of Stock	Page	Page	Amount Tax Paid	Date
Sinclair, Ed	Reeds Spring	\$ 500.	24	23	\$ 7.35	12-28-08
Stone, E. B.	Cape Fair	500.	24	24	6.35	3-12-09
Turner, George	Radical	400.	22	23	5.68	12-18-08
Wade, Joseph	Ponce de Leon	1000.	25	22	12.20	1-26-09
Wade, J. H.	Poncé de Leon	50.	25	22	.62	
Woods & Co. W. C.	Hurley	1250.	26	24	10.24	12-23-08
Woods, J. E.	Blue Eye	1100.	21	23	14.52	
Woodson, C. F.	Crane	1200.	25	24	18.84	2-23-09
Williams Drug Co.	Crane	1400.	25	24	21.98	12-29-08
Wiley & Co. Willie	Crane	1500.	25	24	23.55	12-28-08
Wilson, D. B. F.	School	200.	26	23	2.94	10-17-08
Wilson, H. C.	Billings, R #2	100.	26	23	1.47	12-31-08
Zane, F. H.	Reeds Spring	1000.	24	23	14.70	3-10-09

State of Missouri )  
County of Stone ) ss I, W. B. Langley, Clerk of the County Court within  
and for the County and State aforesaid, hereby certify that the foregoing of this book beginning on page 34 and ending on page 37 inclusive contains the names of all the merchants listed in the Merchants Assessment Book of said County for the year 1908, as returned to me by the assessors and that this is a true copy thereof with the amounts assessed against each and that the taxes extended thereon are correctly extended according to law. In testimony whereof I have set my hand and official seal, this 21st Sept. 1908.

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(Signature) W. B. Langley,  
County Clerk





