

Local Department.

For McSherry Grain Drill, go to J. N. Bishop's.

For the Oliver Chilled Plow, go to J. N. Bishop's.

Go to Whitworth, Clark & Co. for cider and molasses barrels.

Baking Powders at half price, at Drug Store, to close out the lot.

WANTED—Two girls for the dining-room, at the Pilot Knob Hotel.

FOR SALE—A small and gentle Texan pony. Apply to Paul Garner, Ironton, Mo.

Ferd. Stemme & Co., Arcadia, Carpenters, Bricklayers, Stonemasons and Plasterers.

The finest and best 5 and 10-cent Cigars are now to be had at the New Drug Store, Pilot Knob.

If you want Paints, Oils, Varnishes, &c., at reasonable prices, try the New Drug Store, at Pilot Knob.

The "Druggist" wishes it understood that he is open all day Sunday for medicines and "necessaries."

Violins, Accordions, French Harps, and all other musical instruments, sold at St. Louis prices, at the New Drug Store, Pilot Knob.

JUST RECEIVED—At the New Drug Store, Pilot Knob, a full stock of fine Cologne, Handkerchief Extracts, Fancy Soaps, Brushes, Albums, etc.

SEED WHEAT—"CLAWSON," the finest wheat in Iron county; running from 35 to 32 bushels to the acre. For Sale at the Drug Store and Gresson Plantation.

FARMERS—Don't forget that Clarkson, at Annapolis, has enough plows to supply the south end of the county. He has about half a car load of the famous Oliver-chilled.

We have on hand—Molasses Mills and Sewing Machines. Give us a call, and get our prices before purchasing.

J. G. & R. A. CLARKSON, Annapolis.

A GRAND DRAMATIC AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT—By the young ladies Sodality, will be given in the exhibition hall of the Arcadia College, Arcadia, on Thursday, August 26, at 7:30 P. M. Tickets, 50 c. Proceeds for charitable purposes.

The first rain for three weeks came pattering down last Friday night. It came too late to help the corn crop much, but enabled the farmers to break up the ground for wheat.

The corn crop in most sections of this county will be lamentably short.

Several Lodges of the A. O. U. W. will give a picnic at or near St. Joe Lead Mines on the 4th of September. It will be an old-fashioned, free-for-all affair, and the citizens of the locality promise a rare good time to all who may attend. We hear that a large crowd is expected to take a hand.

Geo. Spitzmuller, called on us the other day, and told us to tell the citizens of Iron county that he is putting up a new shop, and can do all sorts of blacksmithing as good and as cheap as ever. Said he, "I don't intend to be bulldozed by anybody from Mine La Motte or anywhere else; and the man who tries to run me out will find he's got the wrong pig by the ear."

The Messrs. Clarkson, at Annapolis, have remodelled their mercantile establishment. They now have the largest stock of merchandise ever offered in the south end of our county. Our south end citizens cannot do better than to patronize these gentlemen. They have erected granaries, and put in a large platform scale for weighing grain; stock, &c.

We witnessed quite a bench show at Farmington Saturday. Mr. Dalton has a fine Irish setter bitch, with a litter of ten puppies, six weeks old. The mother is the finest specimen of the canine race we have ever seen, very intelligent and perfectly trained. A view of her "interesting family" at play, would be more worthy an admission fee than most of the menageries. Four of the members have already been sold at \$15 each, and we presume the owner will have no trouble in disposing of the remainder at the same rate.

Prompt to its fore-ordained date, comes the new Premium List to Ehrlich's Fashion Quarterly, full from end of tempting inducements to send your own subscription, and to persuade others to do likewise. The ordinary magazine premium list is sufficiently familiar to need no description, but in this particular publication we note several novel features. Most of the premiums are selected with direct reference to the wants of ladies. A beautiful set of curtains is offered for 18 subscribers; and the corresponding lambrequins for 15. And to crown all, the publishers strike boldly out in a new direction, and offer premiums for subscriptions to any magazine whatever. The premium list is issued by Ehrlich Bros., Eighth Avenue, New York, and will be sent free to any address, on application to the publishers.

Last Saturday the Band was called over to Farmington, to assist our Republican friends in ratifying the nominations of Garfield and Arthur. Although the weather was very threatening when we started at 6 A. M., well provided with rubbers and umbrellas, the windows of heaven were not opened, and the trip was made without the expected ducking. Arrived at Farmington, we were taken charge of and cared for by the good people of the town, who, irrespective of party, joined in making our visit pleasant and enjoyable. At noon we went to De Lassus and received the speakers, and escorted them to town. About 2 o'clock, the speaking began, and lasted, with an intermission for supper, until 11 o'clock at night. The meeting was large and as enthusiastic as it is possible for a Republican gathering to be in Southeast Missouri. After the ratification proceedings were concluded, the band serenaded several of Farmington's prominent citizens, and then "hit out" for home, where we arrived at 3:30 A. M., a little sleepy, perhaps. This is the second time the band has been called to Farmington this summer, and we boys desire us to return their thanks to people for innumerable kindnesses, and to

assure them they are fully appreciated. To Messrs. Dalton, Coffman, Weber, Parkhurst, Rudy, Fisher, Westcott and Cooley we return special thanks, and hope that they may all live long and prosper.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT—Occurred in the upper tunnel on Pilot Knob, Monday evening about eight o'clock, resulting in the death of one workman (Joseph Gunther), and the wounding of several others. It appears that some time ago, a "lifting blast" had been put in, and it was erroneously supposed to have exploded at the time other blasts were set off. Gunther and his assistants were drilling a vertical hole right over the old blast, and the point of the drill struck the cap of the old blast, exploding it. He was thrown into the air with the life almost crushed out of his body. He barely breathed, but his sufferings continued until the next morning at eight o'clock, when death relieved him.

The two assistants were also injured, but not severely, and will be all right again in a few days. The deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his terrible death. When the accident occurred, all the hands quit work, and it was a lucky thing they did so. About four o'clock Tuesday morning a mass of rock fifty feet long, and weighing many tons, fell from the roof, and masses kept falling during the day. If the workmen had been in the mine, as they are at other times, not less than fifteen or twenty would have been crushed to death! The minor calamity is bad enough, God knows, but think of the terrible visitation that other would have been. It is almost enough to make one wish there were no such things as mines in the world!

Some of the little folks gave an entertainment last Thursday night, in Capt. Zwart's law office, which places the owner kindly lent them for the occasion. Five cents admission was charged, and the room was crowded to suffocation. Another engagement prevented us from attending, but we understand that the performance was highly creditable to the juvenile actors, and they were frequently applauded by a highly critical audience. Through considerable exertion we obtained a copy of the programme, and subjoin it:

PROGRAMME. "Grandmother's Cat," by all. "Stephan Boy," George Moore. "Guardian Angel"—Tableau—by Baby and Margie. "Old Black Joe," by Bert Zwart. "Orphans' Temptation," by Joe Zwart, Camille Stephens and M. Bakewell. "Lily White Lily," by Camille Stephens. "The Old Woman and Her Eggs," by Quitta Bakewell. "Tom Thumb," by all. "Elegy on the Death of a Mad Dog," by Margie Bakewell. "Little Fairy Girl," by Joe Zwart and Camille Stephens. "Ladies' Fashion," by G. Moore, Camille Stephens, Joe Zwart and M. Bakewell. "Busybody," by Margie Bakewell, Camille Stephens and George Moore. "Cinderella," by all. "In My Daddy's Only Son"—Chorus.

To the Republicans of Iron County!

You are hereby requested to assemble in Mass Meeting at the Courthouse, in Ironton, on

Saturday, September 11, 1880, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of choosing a delegate to the State Convention; and also to put in the field a Republican County Ticket for the coming election. A full attendance is respectfully desired. The Republican Township Committees are also requested to meet on organization at 11 o'clock A. M. of the above day. Prominent speakers will be present, and a Garfield and Arthur Club will be formed. W. W. HAYWOOD, Chairman Iron Co. Rep. Com.

From "Gabe"

ANNAPOIS, MO., Aug. 29th, 1880. Ed. Register—

Although the thermometer is up to one hundred, our citizens do not seem to heed, but follow their vocations with a vim that shows that we have the spirit of enterprise in our midst.

Messrs. Clarkson are doing a big business, both merchandising, and manufacturing and shipping charcoal.

The Peckham Iron Company are dealing largely in charcoal, also; and our esteemed friend, Dr. Edwin May, is doing a good business in yellow pine and oak timber, and is always on hand to fill orders for any thing in his line and to make his contracts good.

We have two blacksmiths with a full force of workmen always at work. GARB.

From Mike Dodson.

SUBURBS OF ARCADIA, Aug. 21, 1880. DERE EL D. AIK—

I iz gittin tyred watin fur the elexshan, fur I no sum wun iz goin tu be bete. The grangers and sum ov the Dimkrats haz bin bettin potaters an the like, and the result will be that sum patch in the Subirbs iz boum to safur; fur the bettin part ov the komuntii haz no farms to rais em on; and if the had, the wether iz so dri that ther will be no taters ov ani size.

The tavern iz wel filld. Andru Harvil iz paintin the preat's hous, an it iz lookin brite and nise. He iz also wurkin on hiz nu hous, the old Fletcher tobaker faktori.

Rane iz wantid veri bad, and prospektiz fare fur sum ov it.

The Subirbs dont like the idee ov Iruntun fokes kcm in ovur hear tu se our viziturs from the sitti; but then yure peepil aint awaze tu blaim, fur a fu evenins ago a parti ov the krusadin salvashun gang met the Jege ov the Kounti, alias Mare ov the Sitt ov Iruntun, an been kaptivated bi hiz nete an kompakt figger, wantid tu tak a ride with him, and fillin injuced him tu tak em in hiz bugel and ride em tu the tavern. The Jege bein so big, rume was skase in that karrige, and wun ov the kandidates fur a prominent ofis in the kounti saze that wun ov the gurle aktall had tu sit in the lap ov the Mare ov the Sitt ov Iruntun.

What iz our kwiat komuntii komin tu, when the saig fathur ov the Kounti and Sitt iz subject tu the wils ov the madens from St. Louis. I think Iruntun shud pas an ordonance tu Iruntun durin fi tim. I presum the purieeze will kepe a gud luckout that ther iz no elopin dun, fastur than a wauk in the strete ov the sitti.

There was kwite a exodus from the tavern last weke Chuseda; but the plasts made vacint bi ther departur haz bin filld up agin.

We se the Mager and Jege haz kom bak tu git sum mor helth; also, we se Cy, the nite man, haz got, haz got hom, and looks fresh after hiz trip tu Nu Yauk.

The Little Pusher haz gon to Ellenoy tu inogy hisself talkin fur Garfield.

Punkin-melon rines iz lain al ovur the stretes

ov mornins. Spoz the cum from the tavern patch. The Iruntun band went to Farmington tu blo. Glad ov it. Fur if the blo tu match hereabouts and bust, it will be ferful destruktiv. Fairwel. MIKE DODSON.

Our Weather Report for 1880. Table with columns: DATE, THERMOMETER, WIND, WEATHER, RAINFALL. Rows for August 17-23.

Iron Mountain Express.

IRON MOUNTAIN EXPRESS OFFICE, IRONTON, MO., AUG. 1.

The Iron Mountain R. R. Express Department has opened an office for the reception of freight at the Post-Office, Ironton, where Mr. Jas. C. Peck will receive and receipt for same. We guarantee speedy delivery and immediate transfer. It is not necessary to prepay charges. Reply, H. R. CHARLTON, Agent.

We draw call attention to the advertisement of the PRICKLY ASH BITTERS, which can be found in another column. These Bitters are made from the purest and best materials, and their tonic and cathartic properties render them superior to all others in disorders of the stomach, bowels, liver, &c.

Robt. Holston desires us to tell the public generally that he will hereafter, during the season of 1880, have Ice-Cream on hand for sale at his restaurant, every day and night of the week, except Sunday. He will furnish this delicacy by the plate, quart or gallon—in the larger quantities, at very low rates. He will also keep a supply of the various fruits of the season. Restaurant, south side courthouse square.

The Messrs. Clarkson are paying the highest market rates in cash for wheat, at Annapolis.

Taken up by N. C. Griffith and posted before Franz Dinger, Justice of the Peace in and for Arcadia Township, Iron County, Missouri, on the 12th day of August, 1880, the following described property, to-wit: One Bay Horse; about ten years old; about fifteen hands high. No other marks or brands perceivable. Appraised at \$25.00 by Ferdinand Schmitz and George Carter. A true copy from my stray book. FRANZ DINGER, Justice of the Peace for Liberty Township.

NOTICE!

The undersigned is prepared to contract to drill for mineral or water—holes from 1 inch to 2 1/2 inches in diameter, from 150 to 1000 feet in depth—on the most reasonable terms. Terms and prices sent on application. S. S. BICE, Mining Engineer. Irondale, Washington Co., Mo., Aug. 23.

F. EBREACHT,

Blacksmith and Wagon-Maker, Pilot Knob, - - - Missouri.

WHO is fully prepared to do all work in his line.

New Drug Store,

At Pilot Knob, Mo.

Has on hand a full line of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine and Paint Brushes. Also, a complete line of Fancy and Toilet Articles, Tobaccos, Pipes and Cigars; in fact everything usually kept at a first-class Drug Store. Goods all new and fresh, and prices fair.

NOTICE

To TAX-PAYERS!

I will meet the Tax-Payers of Iron county, Mo., in the several Townships, for the purpose of receiving Taxes

FOR THE YEAR 1880

and all Back Years, at the times and places below stated, viz.: Dent Township—D. S. Love's, September 13th and 14th. Dent Township—Adam's Store, Sept. 15th. Kaolin Township—Mrs. Robinson's, Sept. 16th, 17th and 18th. Iron Township—Bellevue, Sept. 20th, 21st and 22nd. Arcadia Township—Ironton, Sept. 23d, 24th and 25th. Union Township—Des Arc, Sept. 27th and 28th. Union Township—Annapolis, Sept. 29th and 30th. Liberty Township—Big Creek, Liab Dunn's, October 1st and 2d. Liberty Township—Marble Creek, Polk's Store, Oct. 5th. REMEMBER! This is to accommodate Tax-Payers, and if they do not avail themselves hereof they will have to call at the Court-House, or be put to further cost. JAMES BUFORD, Collector Aug. 23d, 1880.—n6. Iron County, Mo.

BALDWIN BROS., (Successors to B. Shepherd,) Carpenters and Contractors, AND MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, Window and Door Frames, MOULDINGS and BALISTERS, both sawed and turned; FLOORING and CEILING, WEATHERBOARDING, and SCOCIA SIDING, tongued and grooved, and DRESSED FINISHING LUMBER, constantly on hand. Give us a trial, and we guarantee satisfaction. We compete with St. Louis prices. [45-tr.] BALDWIN BROS., Ironton, Mo.

FARRIS & BEUCKEMANN, Arcadia, Mo., SELL GOODS Only for Cash or Produce.

If You Want Groceries, CHEAP, FRESH AND PURE, GO TO S. G. & W. G. FAIRCHILD'S STORE, IRONTON MO. They have made arrangements by which they are selling Groceries, Provisions, FLOUR, Cornmeal, Corn, Oats, Meat, Produce, etc., and everything usually kept in a Store, at RARE BARGAINS. We want your patronage, and full satisfaction guaranteed to all. All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE Bought and Sold at Market Rates.

W. F. WIESNER DEALER IN DRUGS AND MEDICINES. Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Books and Stationery, Wall Paper, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, Etc., Etc., W. Main St., Ironton.

ANSALEM BEGLEY, IRONTON, MO. WILL ATTEND TO UNDERTAKING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES. Coffins, all Sizes and Styles, Ready-Made and Trimmed, or Timmed to Order. Can Fill Orders at Ten Minutes' Notice. PRICES REASONABLE. ALSO PROPRIETOR OF LIVERY & FEED STABLE. Hacks, Carriages, Horses and Buggies always on hand for Hire.

J. N. BISHOP, DEALER IN STOVES, HARDWARE, FURNITURE, PUMPS, WOODENWARE, GLASS, PISTOLS, NAILS, GARDEN TOOLS, MATTRESSES, POWDER, GRANITE IRONWARE. Manufacturer of Tinware, Roofing and Guttering. Agent for Buckeye Mower and Sweepstake Thresher. South Side Courthouse Square, - - - IRONTON, MISSOURI.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. For Congress, \$15.00. For State Offices, 10.00. For State Senator, 10.00. For Representative, 7.50. For County Offices, 5.00. For Township Offices, 3.00. Terms: Cash in advance. For Congress. We are authorized to announce LOWNDES H. DAVIS as a candidate for Congress from the Fourth District of Missouri, subject to the decision of the Democratic Congressional Convention. For State Senator. We are authorized to announce THOMAS MABREY as a candidate for State Senator from the 34th Senatorial District of Missouri, subject to the decision of the Democratic Senatorial Convention.

Restaurant and Confectionery. F. OESTERLE, NORTH MAIN STREET, IRONTON, DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF FRUITS, OYSTERS, SARDINES, ETC. MEALS AT ALL HOURS! ICE-CREAM SERVED ON THURSDAYS AND SUNDAYS. ALSO, MANUFACTURER OF CIGARS AND DEALER IN TOBACCO OF ALL KINDS. Cigars Sold by Wholesale and Retail.

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Arcadia College AND ACADEMY OF THE URSULINE SISTERS. The system of education pursued in this institution is designed to develop the intellectual faculties, to make the student accomplished and useful members of society. Pupils of all denominations are equally received—all interference with their convictions being carefully avoided. TERMS For young ladies boarders will be for the present, per session of five months, \$75.00—payable in advance. Terms for instruction in music, foreign languages, drawing, painting and ornamental handwork can be had by applying as below. Attached to the Convent, and totally separated from the boarding school, is a SELECT DAY SCHOOL in which the usual branches of sound and practical education are carefully imparted. A system of rewards and monthly examinations beget in the pupils a healthy emulation which stimulates study and produces surprising results. Terms in the Day School will remain as formerly—One Dollar, Two Dollars, Four Dollars, or Five Dollars per month, according to the studies pursued. In the Day School boys 14 years of age and under will be received. Prospectuses, and other information, may be had by applying, in person or by letter, to MOTHER ROSE, Superior of the Convent of the Ursuline Sisters, Arcadia Iron Co. Mo.

JOHN ALBERT, Undertaker and Cabinet-Maker, Keeps constantly on hand, Coffins of All Styles & Prices lined and trimmed, made ready at TEN MINUTES' NOTICE. Also, BURIAL ROBES AND SHROUDS. Having employed an undertaker, I am prepared to take charge of bodies by night or day, and dress, shave and wash them, and conduct funerals. ORDERS BY TELEGRAPH ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY. Furniture made and repaired. Upholstering done in all styles. Cane-Seated Chairs Re-seated. J. ALBERT, Ironton, Mo.

WANTED A LIMITED NUMBER of active, energetic business men to engage in a pleasant and profitable business. Good men will find this a rare chance. TO MAKE MONEY. Such will please answer this advertisement by letter, enclosing stamp for reply, stating what business they have engaged in. None but those who mean business need apply. 112-103-14 Address FINLEY, HARVEY & Co., Atlanta, Ga. \$200 REWARD—For return of my cow. Lost about three months ago; whitish and ash-colored; spotted all over; middle sized; straight horns; and right ear half cut off. Return to F. SCHMITZ, Ironton House, Ironton Mo. July 26th, 1880.