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IRONTON, MO., THURSDAY, NOV. 27, 1890.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

County Court next week.

Saturday was pay-day at Pilot Knob.

The Methodist expect to open a revival in the near future.

Thanksgiving to-morrow. No special entertainments are announced.

St. Paul's Sunday School will have a Christmas Tree during the holidays.

Can't some more be made to secure street lamps for our city? The need is apparent to all.

Any person desiring good reading matter can get it for \$1.00 a year, at the K. of H. Library.

The new crusher at Schneider's quarry will likely go into operation in the course of a week or ten days.

Quail hunting is said to be very good notwithstanding the large numbers that have been killed this fall.

"Dick" Goulding and Miss Lila Tangre were married at the Methodist church in this city on Thursday evening last.

The attorneys are all over in Reynolds this week attending court. The Turner murder case will likely be tried during the week.

The "Resurrection of Christ" will be the theme of the song service at the Presbyterian Church Sunday night, November 30th.

The \$50 profit realized by the Presbyterians at their recent Entertainment and Oyster Supper reduces the debt on that church to \$17.

A revival was inaugurated at Fort Hill Church Monday evening. The continuance of the meetings will depend on the interest manifested.

Mr. Robt. Kidd of Illinois and Miss Annie Bumgardner were married at the residence of the bride's father east of Ironton on November 19th.

All the young people who took part in the Huking Bee are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. S. T. Gay next Friday evening at seven o'clock.

Rev. A. T. Tidwell will preach a Temperance sermon at Fort Hill Church, Sunday next, at eleven o'clock A. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

Thanksgiving Services will be held in the M. E. Church, Des Arc, Mo., next Thursday, November 28th, in keeping with the President's proclamation.

G. W. Williams, State Lecturer for the Farmers' and Laborers' Union of Missouri, will speak at the courthouse in Ironton on Thursday, December 11th.

The directors of the Academy of Music are considering the advisability of purchasing a piano for the hall, and it is very likely that they will decide in the affirmative.

W. S. Brooks, of Arcadia, and Miss Louise Andrews, of Ironton, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in this city Sunday evening last at seven o'clock.

The special city election held last Saturday resulted in W. E. Elder being chosen councilman to fill Mr. Fletcher's unexpired term. Seventy-eight votes were cast.

Thanksgiving Services at the Ironton M. E. Church, Thursday, at 11 A. M. Mr. Tidwell has been chosen to deliver the sermon. A general invitation is extended to the public.

The Knights of Honor have ordered about fifty additional books for their library, which include Cooper's, Geo. Elliott's, Wm. Black's, Charles Lever's, and part of E. P. Roe's Works.

H. L. Keeling is repairing the old Greason mill property, two miles west of Ironton, and is rebuilding the dam, preparatory to starting a set of burrs for grinding corn and wheat.

Midian B. A. Chapter meets in regular communication next Tuesday evening. As the election of officers for the ensuing year occurs on this occasion a full attendance is desired.

The diamond drill has ceased work at A. Roehry's. A good supply of water was secured but not sufficient to force a stream to the surface. The drill has been hoisted for the winter.

Owing to Mr. W. A. Fletcher's removal to Arcadia, the school board will have to choose a successor to that gentleman in the board. The selection will be made in the course of a week or two.

Sheriff P. W. Whitworth has leased the residence of Mrs. Lydia Welch, west of the blue store, and will remove to the same when he vacates the jail on January 1st. Mrs. Welch will spend the remainder of the winter in Minnesota.

Ellen M. Crozier, the nurse girl who was married to Crozier, the barber, in this town during the summer of 1889, secured a divorce in the St. Louis Circuit Court, on the ground of general indelicacy, last week. Crozier is under indictment for bigamy.

There are entirely too many "kids" around town who make a habit of loitering about the depot and jumping off and on moving trains. Some of these kids are of them will lose an arm or a limb and be a cripple for life. Let stringent means be employed to avert such calamity.

A remarkably large 15 year old boy was in town last week from the western part of the county. His height was 6 feet, 3 inches; a seven-and-a-half hat was too small for him and because he couldn't get a No. 13 shoe on his foot he had to leave an order with the shoe-maker for a special pair of 14's.

The woods on the north, west and south of Ironton—encompassing all the Valley—were on fire for several days until the rain Monday morning. Saturday night some of the residents at the foot of Shepherd mountain were apprehensive that their fences were in danger, but the fire took another direction and no damage resulted.

The following report should have been in the minutes of the Iron County Sabbath School Association, as printed last week: Baptist Sabbath School, Ironton, from November, 1889, to November, 1890: Enrollment, 80; teachers, 7; officers, 2; average attendance, 60. Money received for all objects, \$64. A. S. Priddy, superintendent.

H. H. Kiddle yesterday received a check for \$125.33 from the American Central Insurance Company in payment of the policy held on his shop which burned a few weeks since. Mr. K.'s insurance was \$2,000 on stock and building. The reduction of \$175 was made by agreement, on account of the sale of machinery made by Mr. K. since the policy was issued. Mr. K. will likely rebuild in the near future.

**A North-bound freight train killed three horses on the trestle just north of the railroad crossing at the Arcadia depot last Sunday morning. Two of the animals belonged to James Dixon and the other was the property of Miss Mamie Baird. The front wheels of the locomotive left the track and ran along the ties for a hundred yards before the train could be brought to a stand-still. It took but a short time to get the wheels back on the rails, however.**

**Mamie, the fourteen-year-old daughter of Capt. W. H. Byers, fell from a horse and had her collar bone fractured while riding along Main Street in front of Dr. J. B. Nifong's residence last Saturday afternoon. The young miss escaped injury from the fall, but the horse in passing over, placed one of his feet on her shoulder and broke the collar bone. Dr. Strong was called, the fracture set and at this writing the sufferer is getting along very nicely.**

**One of the pleasantest and in every way thoroughly successful occasions that has taken place in the Valley for some time past was the Grand Ball and Supper given by the ladies of Ironton and Arcadia, at the Academy of Music on Friday evening of last week. There were in attendance about thirty-five couples, a happy, light-hearted assembly, bent on having a good time and just large enough to insure one. The music was first-class and the supper delicious. The dancing was continued until three o'clock, when the party dispersed for home and rest.**

**Messrs. Blanton, Dixon, Fletcher, Huff, Fisher, Tins, and, maybe, one or two others, took the usual "fall hunt" last week, over back of Hogan. They were joined by Sheriff Whitworth and Dr. Strong Thursday, and the whole party returned yesterday. They brought a deer's carcass back with them, the product of their skill—although some persons viliy insinuate it was purchased. We understand a stray cow and a running horse had narrow escapes, their safety being reluctant, in one instance, to a defective cartridge, and in the other, to an empty gun-barrel. Anyway, the boys are as yet safely returned, and no farmer has, as yet, made complaint of his chicken-rook.**

**The Entertainment—"Huking Bee"—given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, last Thursday evening, was greeted by an audience which filled the hall "from pillar to post," so to speak. The program was a good one, and well rendered. After the entertainment, an Oyster Supper was served by the ladies. That the whole affair was very successful is evidenced by the results: although the admission fee was only ten cents, and the oysters served at 25 cents a dish, the gross receipts were about sixty dollars. We learn that, by request of the neighboring community, the entertainment will be reproduced at Graniteville some-where about the 11th of December. Of the exact date, further notice will be given.**

**Mary Shelton, aged 15 years, was brought to Ironton last Saturday from Annapolis, and lodged in jail to serve a ten days' sentence for larceny. Mary has been living near Annapolis with a family by the name of Deboe. About a week ago Deboe was arrested on the charge of shooting one of his neighbor's horses that had broken into his field. Deboe had a preliminary examination before Squire Hampton and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. It was then stated that Mary Shelton had killed the horse at the dictation of Mrs. Deboe who did not know how to use a gun. Mrs. Deboe started to Annapolis to acquaint the officers with these facts but while she was gone Mary became alarmed for her own safety and, taking a few clothes, she endeavored to escape. She was apprehended however, and sentenced for straying the clothes. Deboe was released on his own recognizance and it is not yet known what will be done with the girl on the charge of shooting the horse. Under the circumstances, though, it would seem to us that the child has been sufficiently punished.**

**The trap as a professional is each day becoming more accomplished, and there is scarcely a week passes but what developments are made which tend to show that the tie-walker and rider of freight trains is gradually reaching the top round of the ladder of ingenuity in his chosen calling. About a week or ten days ago three of these individuals of leisure arrived in the Valley, and after spending a half hour in relaxing and yet profitable idling, they proceeded to do the town. They were from the South; had been working in a saw mill whose boiler had exploded, they received severe injuries and that explained the bandages so prominently displayed on their arms, face and head—a more unfortunate partner they had over to the depot was so badly hurt that he was unable to walk. These victims of misfortune were not particular, money, clothes or victuals would be very acceptable. The story worked, as it often did before, and the traps carried away enough truck to start a second-hand clothing store. As soon as they had fully canvassed the vicinity, the stage bandages were removed and the three individuals left on a passing freight for new scenes to ply their talents. Particulars of the saw mill accident have not yet developed.**

**When, from any cause, the digestive and secretory organs become disordered, they may be stimulated to healthy action by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. These Pills are prescribed by the best physicians, and are for sale at all the drug-stores.**

**Card of Thanks.**

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church desire to return their sincere thanks to the young people and ladies, outside of their church, who rendered such valuable assistance, and aided in making their late Entertainment and Oyster Supper a success. Also to the citizens of Ironton and vicinity for their liberal patronage. The gross proceeds were \$39.00.

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. F. P. Adams is visiting in St. Louis. Willie R. Kendal, of Poplar Bluff, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Annie Kendal is visiting in Bismarck. Mr. Earnest Hitzman, of Bismarck, was in town Friday.

Mr. P. A. Moser is spending a few days at home with his family.

Miss Ella Smith, of Iron Mountain, was in town shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Flowers is visiting in Malden. Mr. the guest of Mrs. Cora Bridges.

Mr. Fred Beard, of St. Louis, is at home on a visit.

Miss Maudie Dobbins has returned to her home in Farmington.

Misses Lucille Holladay, Lena Stewart, and Laura Lee. Messrs. Harry Stewart, Sam Holladay, Chas. Lampher, and Harry Newberry from Fredericktown, attended the ball Friday night.

Ed. P. Tetwiler is engaged on the Newport (Ark.) Evening Herald.

Dr. H. Schulz, of St. Louis, spent a few days of the past week with his friend Aug. Reike of Ironton.

H. B. Jones is south on a business trip. W. T. Gay has returned from a trip to Michigan.

**Pilot Knob Items.**

H. M. Collins has at last opened up his branch stable in the Knob, with George Grass (not Green) as the manager.

Mr. A. L. Proffit severely strained his back and hips some weeks ago and is yet scarcely able to walk.

Charles Schmittner who has for the last few years had tonsorial parlor in this place, died himself to St. Louis last Tuesday to go into business there. But there are yet two shops here: John Buckner setting up in the office once used by Dr. Strong.

Justice Louis Schwane rigged himself out in marriage garments last week and proceeding to Ironton tied the knot that made two people happy forever, at least we hope so.

Mrs. Sam Dennis presented the state another citizen Saturday, in the form of a bouncing baby boy. "All parties are doing well."

Another gang of fence-sneers are in town. They board at Mrs. Boss's.

Mr. John Steiner is up in arms against beef combines and pork packing establishments, having gone into the butchering business himself. He sells cheap and on the celerity of his movements will no doubt gain much patronage.

The school-board at its regular monthly meeting Friday, ordered some repairs to be made on the ax for the janitor. The windows were ordered painted also. Mr. Wm. Edinger, an amateur artist will handle the brush. It is the glass that is to be painted.

Mr. Chas. Behrens and Mr. Henry Puls of Jackson, are visiting Mr. Henry Behrens.

An old lady and her son who live east of here, while on their way home from church Sunday, were thrown out of the wagon by the running away of the team. The old lady was considerably bruised up but not seriously hurt. I did not learn their name.

Will the correspondent of the Truth explain this Irish Bull: "He killed six turkeys, but two got away."

A singular thing occurred Sunday here: a thin eating of ice on a wooden bucket full of water remained all Sunday, tho' the temperature rose to 50 degrees.

Mr. Fred Immer's new house is now completed and ready for occupancy. It is a handsome structure and adds greatly to the appearance of Pilot Knob's Main street. No pains have been spared to have the interior arranged for comfort, and when the furnishings ordered by Mr. I. and his daughter, Mary, on their trip to St. Louis last week arrive, the family will soon settle into the nicest place in town.

Mr. Fred Brower was married Tuesday, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the residence of the bride's father to Miss Gussie Morgan, second daughter of Mr. C. M. Morgan of this place.

**MOUNT CALM, TEXAS, Sept. 13, 1888.**

Paris Medicine Co., Pa., Tenn.

Dear Sirs:—Bids demand for your Tasteless Chilli Tonic. I am out, haven't a bottle in the house, and a dozen or more calls for it every day. Send at once, care St. Louis, Ark. & Texas R. R. one gross Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic. Respectfully,

D. M. BLACKBURN.

**Graniteville Items.**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Reno, on the 20th inst., a daughter. Also, to Mr. and Mrs. Mac Jones on the 22nd inst., a daughter. Mothers and children are reported as getting along nicely.

Mrs. Jas. Maze, who has been confined for some time, is yet very poorly. Mrs. Hall had a severe attack of erysipelas, but is reported improving. The sick folk at Mr. Jas. Sizemore's and Lawrence Kelly's are all able to be around again.

Last week, while coupling cars, William Patterson, the Company's brakeman, got his left hand caught, completely stripping the flesh from three fingers, and it is thought they will have to be amputated yet.

Mr. T. F. Walsh, the gentlemanly secretary and treasurer for the S. G. Co., had an altercation with a couple of unruly boys while trying to eject them from the store premises one day last week, and received an ugly cut on one of his hands. It seems that Mr. W. had two other boys engaged to saw wood, when the boys in question came into the yard and began interfering with the one that were doing the work, so much so that they could do nothing, so they reported the fact to Mr. Walsh, when he at once ordered the intruders to get out, but they swore they would not go until they got ready. So Mr. W. did as he had a perfect right to and in the scramble received the cut as above stated, but says his wound is getting along very well.

A Mrs. Bard of Indiana is conducting a series of meetings at Workman's Hall, and, although she is an entire stranger, she has thus far had good-sized audiences, and seems to give good satisfaction in the result under which she is laboring, as to the result your correspondent will give later on.

The entertainment at Workman's Hall on last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by Prof. Weston, the slight-of-hand performer and his illipitian family, drew crowded houses and gave entire satisfaction to both young and old, except, perhaps, to a few smart sneaks who claim to know everything and yet know nothing. We do, however, think some of Prof. Weston's tricks were par excellence to anything of the kind that has ever been produced here.

Some of our town folk who took in the S. of V. Ball got stranded on the road home, and, as a result, got in rather late, a little the worse for the trip.

Messrs. Alex. Leith and Ferguson are spending a few days in the city, but will return in time to do the A. O. U. W. Ball at the Knob on Thanksgiving eve.

Mr. David Osterle and lady have returned from a week's visit to friends in the West End of the county. David reports having had a good time hunting while there, and an enjoyable trip.

Trade good, work booming, and every body happy with such a state of affairs.

Mr. William Brown has bought the Ed. McKernan property, and will move therein shortly. \$275.00 consideration.

Mr. McKernan and family will go East, locating in Westerly, R. I., where he will engage in the granite-business.

Mr. W. R. Hinsdale, while in the city, last week purchased him a fine bird dog; so the quail will have pretty slim chances of escaping our crack shots, such as Messrs. E. M. S. R. W. S. W. R. H. J. C. J. S. H. W. A. F. R. and in fact, a number of others, among them, A. P. TYRO.

**An Expression of Thanks.**

Ed. Register—I owe to the members and friends of Fort Hill Methodist Church, thanks for their many expressions of kindness and good-will to me and my family. While I am trying to "hold the fort" they seem to be determined to support the garrison. Their donations are weekly and substantial. This week my wife is presented with a handsome new carpet ("a yard wide and all wool") by the members and friends of the Woman's Missionary Society.

A. T. TIDWELL, Pastor.

**Consolation.**

ANNAPOLIS, Mo., Nov. 17th, 1890.

Ed. Register—Now, that the battle is over, and the smoke has cleared away, and the Democrats have won a great victory, they can afford to be magnanimous, and overlook the angry words of our disgruntled Republican friends, so long as they confine their remarks to the slandering of the living, but it makes me wrothy, to read such letters as the one published in last week's Truth, over the name of Thos. Callahan. Mr. Callahan, after saying, "let us get above personalities," goes on to abuse McClellan, Hancock, Hendricks, and others. These great men are dead, Mr. Callahan, and your abuse of them, shows about as much bravery on your part, as the small dog that barked at the dead lion. These great men no doubt had their failings, as do all men, but I will venture to say that they never traduced a dead man. To "Joke," of Annapolis, I wish to say, take your medicine, brother; it's bitter I know, as I took it two years ago, but take it like a man. I, like you, brother "Joke," see no need of Republicans feeling sore, since you say the Democrats can accomplish nothing for two years, at least, but you call on them to raise the wages of their employees. Did your party raise anybody's wages after Harrison was elected? You have had the President and both branches of congress. Haven't you done anything for the man that works? Did your party leaders spend most of their time trying to figure out a scheme to perpetuate their power? As to spending money at election's brother "Joke," if any money was spent at Annapolis your party spent it. You fought a gallant fight and lost. I sympathize with you for I have been there. I have been beautifully snowed under, and sent up Saly, but I bowed to the will of the majority and hoped. Brace up, brother "Joke," and come down again in '92, and vote as usual, but, in the meantime, give my regards to the folks up Saly, and tell them I may be back in a couple of years, but hope to remain away twenty.

The burning of Mr. Kinsey in effigy at Des Arc, while it would not hurt that gentleman, was to my mind, unjustified. He stood square on the record of Congress and was beaten by a good majority, and that should settle the matter so far as he is concerned.

MICKY DOOLAN.

**Bellevue Items.**

After the long rainy spell, we are enjoying weeks of perfect weather. Farmers are busy gathering the corn crop, which is hardly an average yield.

Messrs. Will Morgan and Milton Moore were here shooting quail at Mrs. L. T. Ruddock's. They returned to their home in St. Louis Sunday, with a goodly number of birds.

Mrs. M. E. Logan of St. Louis is visiting her son.

Mrs. E. J. Thomas is quite sick.

Uncle Frank Carter, one of the oldest citizens of our county, was stricken with paralysis last week.

Miss Minnie Biel of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Kerigan.

Miss Minnie Horn of Farmington and Miss Susie Moore of St. Louis are spending a pleasant week with friends in Bellevue.

Mr. Padfield went to Ironton Saturday and brought his best girl back with him; so of course Sunday was a delightful day to him.

Four deer were seen in Ed. Logan's corn field on Sunday morning, but in law-abiding Bellevue no one shot at them; perhaps the true reason was they were too far off.

Rev. A. B. Crumpler, assisted by the enthusiastic young pastor of Caledonia, is holding a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church. Result, about twenty conversions and the interest unabated.

Mr. W. H. H. did not fill his appointment here as he is engaged in a protracted service at De Soto. Bro. Hill filled his place here Saturday afternoon and preached Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church to a large and attentive audience.

Steve Lay of "Bonanza" spent Sunday with his mother.

Miss Grace Berryman is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. Reuburn.

Mr. H. H. H. and the Hon. Jas. Burks, with a party of friends, passed through Bellevue en route to Reynolds county on a hunting expedition.

Nov. 23d, 1890. BELLEVUE.

**Read Our Offer for the Holidays.**

We will make, until the 1st of January, 1891, One Dozen Cabinet Photographs and One Hundred Perkins' Photographic Pettis Pictures, for \$8. The public are respectfully invited to call and see our new styles, "Good Pictures or no charge." Gallery opposite Mrs. Lopez's, Ironton, Mo.

W. C. PERKINS.

**From Goodwater.**

Ed. Register—The election passed off without any unusual or note-worthy occurrence, at least so far as known to the writer.

Most all whereabouts are done gathering corn. Most of the fields yielded fairly well—not many, however, as heavily as Lucy, or other fields on the same farm, did last year. A few of our farmers will have some corn to spare and most of the others sufficient for home consumption.

Last Sunday was set apart by the Christians (Campbellites) of this neighborhood for a basket-meeting and the preaching of two funeral sermons at Emmaus Church. The sermons were preached and two persons were baptized by immersion, but the weather was unfit for a basket-meeting as it rained nearly all day.

Mr. F. M. Anderson, Sr., and family, of near Irondale, visited his brother, Mr. W. J. Anderson and numerous other relatives hereabouts last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payne, Sr., are off on a visit to relatives near Mineral Point and Boone Terre.

Jan. R. Miller has removed to the Jno. W. Lucas farm, the old western portion of the old Dr. S. Lucas place. He is also engaged in carrying the mail from Goodwater to Warren's Store and return.

On the 12th inst., Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Payne went to Cub Creek to attend the wedding of a sister of the above-named ladies, Miss Laura Cole, who was on that day married to Mr. Frank Robinson of Courtis, Mo., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Geo. B. Cole. The groom is a son of the late Capt. J. T. Robinson, of Potosi, Mo. May long life, prosperity and happiness be their lot.

Mr. W. W. Turner and family of Cub Creek visited relatives and friends in this neighborhood recently.

I have been informed that Mr. J. J. Townsend of near Belgrade is to begin sawing lumber at Crocker's mill ere long.

Jno. W. Lucas and family left here last Tuesday for Sacramento City, Cal. They intend remaining in California several years.

Mr. M. H. Scott and family have just returned from a visit to his parents who reside near Palmer, Mo.

Mr. J. C. Scott and family of near Palmer, Mo., are spending this week among relatives in this neighborhood.

John G. Yount went to Sunlight to-day with a load of apples.

Since the election of Dr. J. L. Eaton and Hon. Hann Kinzo to the Legislature Washington and Iron counties can no doubt claim the two youngest members from this section of the State. R. E. Nov. 15th, 1890.

REEFFOOT, TENN., Oct. 20, 1888. Paris Medicine Co. Gents:—Please send us six dozen Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic. We have sold twelve doz. of your tonic in last four months. It gives entire satisfaction. We can sell no other when we have Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic. Truly, your friends, HARRIS & ALGER.

**From Des Arc.**

The election is over and everybody seems to be at work, and I am glad to see it. Some of the Democrats through fun hunt Kinsey the night after the election, which caused some hardness among the Republicans, but I hope it is all over now for it is best to live in peace with our neighbors. As for myself, I hold no malice against any man, Democrat or Republican.

This has been a great fall, so far, for hunting, especially deer. There are lots of them around here, more than have been for years. Sam Perry, Geo. Morris, of St. Louis, came by here Friday, and a party of hunters, consisting of Walter Clarkson, R. Omohundro, Jas. Lewis, Jos. Morris, Lewis Maberry and Wm. Reese went out on a big deer drive. They had not been out but a little while before the hounds jumped up a big deer, and it ran close to where Walter Clarkson stood, and he downed him. It was the first deer Walter ever killed.

Yesterday another party came down No. 1 from Hillsboro, Jefferson county. Among them was the editor of the Hillsboro paper. They had a fine lot of hounds, tents, provisions and several kegs of the old "joyful." They will hunt from here to St. Francois River, and back by Paterson, and will be gone a week. They will no doubt bring in a load of game.

Frank Boney has sold his interest in his saw-mill to Pat Brewington, W. T. O'Neal and Geo. Wallis. Accompanied by E. W. Graves he went to the city last week and bought a new saw-mill. They will put on Crane Pond near Jos. Jones'.

J. G. Dunnigan's mill was fired up dry last Wednesday and he is having new flues put in it, which will cost him considerable.

Mr. Jas. Lovelock was baptized here today. He will join the Baptist church at this place.

P. M. Maddock will ship a car of cattle next Tuesday. Jas. Green and Dr. Farr of Bruno shipped a car last week. They report cattle very low.

Sam'l Perry, Walter Clarkson and a lot of others will go on a big deer drive the first of next month. They anticipate a big time. Nov. 17th, 1890. ISAAC.

**Colored Society Notes.**

Rev. J. W. Brown left on the 12th inst. for De Soto. During his stay in Ironton he organized an auxiliary branch of the Epworth League. A full corps of officers were elected. The organization will here after be known as the "Daniel League."

There arrived at the residence of uncle Frank Sweeney, on the 13th inst., his daughter, several grand-children, his nephew John Sweeney and wife. They are from Springfield, Missouri.

The Misses Jessie Turner of De Soto and Samantha Rabotom of Pilot Knob, spent the most of the day Monday visiting the school.

Miss Carry Johnson has gone to Farmington to spend several weeks visiting her aunt.

Mrs. Lavonia Anthony made a short visit to the city during the week, and brought back some choice fruit and vegetables. I had an opportunity to sample both, and I know whereof I affirm.

George Chilton returned to the city Monday.

Rev. Abanatha, our former pastor, is suffering from sore eyes. Rev. Abanatha is in charge of the church at De Soto.

Joe Carter of Granite Bend was in Ironton last Sunday and Monday. It was soon proven that Joe came for the express purpose of seeing Mr. W. H.

There was at the Knob the other night, a "howling jamboree," called by some people, a "ball." "Red eye," hideous music, and banling seems, from what we can hear, to have been the disorder of the night.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, Rev. Turner postponed preaching at the Knob, last Sunday night.

Willie Cole has returned from the city, and will remain at home during the winter.

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