

Announcements.

Primary Election, Tuesday, August 2, 1910.

We are authorized to announce E. L. BARNHOUSE as a candidate for Collector of Iron county, subject to the action of the voters at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JAMES LEWIS as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce O. W. ROOP as a candidate for Probate Judge of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

We again call the attention of such of our patrons who are in arrears on subscription to the ruling of the postal department, and hope for immediate response. I know every subscriber is "good for" his arrearage, and would be willing to carry him indefinitely, but am not permitted to do so. Those who have reached the limit will receive marked copies for two or three weeks, and within that time we hope to hear favorably from all of them. We don't want to strike a single name from the list, if it can be avoided.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Probate court next week.

The candidate is getting busy.

The summer school is opened next Wednesday.

The \$2.35 Ladies' Spring Skirt at Brown's is a wonder.

J. Woolen was quite badly hurt in a scrap at Pilot Knob last Friday night.

The Ironton public schools took a holiday last Friday and visited Arcadia Heights.

No hams so sweet and juicy as Waldeck's. Try them. At Valley Meat Market.

Fred Fisher has sold his place west of town and again moved back into Ironton.

Farmers adjacent to town are complaining of dogs bothering their sheep and goats.

Mayor Rasche will make his appointments at the meeting of the council next Monday night.

If you want the best in Paints, Oils and Varnishes, buy the Sherwin-Williams Brand at Lopez's.

County court has not yet passed on the application of Jehu Jones for saloon license at Middlebrook.

One of the valley beer agencies has disposed of nearly three hundred cases in the past six weeks.

County Graduation next Saturday. Superintendent Burnham has labored hard to make the occasion a success.

J. M. Elvins, father of Congressman Elvins, died at his home in Doe Run, Monday, April 25th, at the age of 69 years.

Mrs. L. Richardson writes from St. Louis that they will remove to Bonne Terre, to make their home, about the middle of May.

Fredericktown was visited by another disastrous fire Tuesday morning of last week. The loss is estimated at nearly \$40,000.

The hotel on Arcadia Heights will soon be opened, we understand. There are already quite a number of prospective guests.

County Court is in session transacting the usual routine of business. Presiding Judge Buford is detained at home by illness.

W. H. Delano yesterday sold his Fort Hill property to Mrs. Marie Jacobs of St. Louis, who will soon build a summer home thereon.

B. P. Burnham is now domiciled in Mrs. Clark's residence. P. W. Whitworth will remove to the cottage vacated by Mr. Burnham.

If all the people run for office that are now mentioned in that connection we will have candidates galore ere the dog days come.

A great many people insist that the apples were not badly hurt by the late frosts. Others insist that the real damage done will be apparent later.

Joel Holloman tells us that he kept his orchard on the farm near Hogan heated by bonfires during the recent cold spell. In consequence, he thinks that his apples were not damaged at all.

There will be a game of basket ball between the girls of the Ironton High School and Carleton College, Friday, May 6th, at 3 P. M. A collection will be taken to help pay the expenses.

There are nearly two hundred cases on the docket for the coming term of circuit court in Reynolds county. If the progress is no better than was made here that means a six weeks' term.

Census Enumerator Joseph Haven reports that he is progressing satisfactorily with the census work in the city of Ironton. He expects to have the job completed in the time prescribed—May 15th.

Lilly Rosentrotter was quite badly bitten on the arm by Steve Tullock's dog, on Main street, Saturday evening. The wound has caused the young lady considerable pain, but it is hoped there will be no serious results.

The grand jury adjourned last Saturday evening after being in session six days. In all, three indictments were returned. The cost to the county is in the neighborhood of \$1,000. The grand jury is a relic of the dark ages and should be abolished.

H. W. Austin, who is associated with the Washab railroad in St. Louis, has a fine young peach orchard on a hill a couple of miles west of Hogan. Three hundred trees were set out a year ago, and seven hundred this spring. All the trees are said to be in a hearty, healthy condition.

Mr. N. A. Cottrell, formerly of Bismarck but now of Stillwell, Okla., was visiting friends here and at Irondale the past week. On his way home he will stop at Lexington, Mo., to attend the commencement of a female college. His daughter, Miss Fern, is one of the graduates in music.—Bismarck Gazette.

Our good old friend, Constantine Kuhn, of Marble Creek, was in to see us Saturday morning and talked most interestingly of his travels as a young man in Bohemia, Germany, and other places in the old country. It is now about forty years since Mr. Kuhn left the land of his birth and he contemplates a trip there some time next year.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the graduating exercises of the Medical Department of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, May 22, from our young friend, William George Patton, who is one of the graduates. Billy is now a full-fledged M. D. and we have no doubt that he will make a success in the profession.

James Lewis of Des Arc announces this week as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Presiding Judge of the County Court. Mr. Lewis is no stranger to the people of Iron county, having served for eight years as Assessor and his record is known to all. He promises that should he be nominated and elected Presiding Judge he will at all times give the office his very best attention.

A special term of county court was held last Saturday to take some action regarding a case of smallpox near Garwood, in the south end of the county. Luther Hackworth is the person who is afflicted with the disease. Acting upon an order from the court, Sheriff Pitts went down to Garwood and quarantined the case and there is not likely to be any further spread of the disease.—Centerville Outlook.

THE REGISTER this week prints the announcement of Mr. O. W. Roop as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Probate Judge of Iron County. Mr. Roop has long been a resident of Iron county, recently removing from Bellevue to Ironton. He is well and favorably known to many of our people and we have no hesitancy in saying that should he be elected to the office he seeks he will prove a faithful and competent Probate Judge.

Mrs. Geo. W. Morris left for Mexico, Mo., yesterday morning to attend a pianoforte recital for graduation by her daughter, Miss Ethel Morris, at Hardin College on the evening of May 3d. Miss Ethel will complete in June, after only one year's study, the full four years' course in piano at Hardin, which is an unusual feat and reflects great credit upon her ability and talent as a student of music and also upon her former training.—Farmington News.

The Clerk of M. W. A. Camp No. 3831, of this place, received notice of the allowance of the amount of the policy carried by Alvin Tate in that order for \$1,000, and who lost his life by falling from an Iron Mountain passenger train near Ironton, about the 15th of March. The policy was made payable to his mother, Mrs. L. F. Tate, of this place. The prompt payment of his death claims is one of this substantial order's rules and helps to retain its position as the peer of all fraternal insurance societies.—Centerville Outlook.

Circuit court is still dragging its weary length along. The docket was a very light one and it was surmised that the term would not last more than a week. But not so. Court has been in session eight days and the end is not yet. There have been just four jury trials. J. D. Donohew, illegal voting, acquitted; N. Aldridge, charged with stealing a pocket book belonging to L. T. Webb at Annapolis, fined \$50; J. H. Stricklin, unlawful cutting timber, acquitted. All day Monday was devoted to the trial of James Oliver, charged with illegal voting. The case was given to the jury that evening, but up to Tuesday night they had not agreed on a verdict. And that's about all!

The fruit crop of Howell and Oregon counties is still in good condition, in spite of the cold wave that passed over the country last week and lasted until Monday night. The temperature varied in this section, in some places going as low as 29 degrees. While there was considerable snow in the north, the sprinkle here scarcely made the ground look white. In some localities in this county smudge pots were used in the or-

chards. Crude oil was burned in these pots for the first time and the experiment where it was tried has proven a great success. Log fires and smudges also were used and aided in keeping off the cold.—West Plains Gazette.

The Woman's Missouri Development Association will have a display of needle work at the Land Congress here (Ironton) on May 24th and 25th, for which blue and red ribbons will be given as 1st and 2d premiums, respectively. Any exhibitor wishing to sell her articles exhibited, can do so by attaching the price as they are entered. There will also be an exhibit not in competition for those who do not care to compete for prizes. Every article will be carefully checked, registered and guarded day and night. Articles received are anything made with a needle, including quilts, (patch-work) bed spreads, crocheted or knitted lace, embroidery of any kind, pyrography, tapestry painting, Mexican cut work, tatting, filet and darned net, etc., etc. All questions will be cheerfully answered by Mrs. Wm. Gross, Chairman, Ironton, Mo.

A crew of surveyors and engineers were here Monday and Tuesday nights. They were surveying an air line from Shreveport, Louisiana, to St. Louis. We were unable to secure any definite information as to the object of the survey, but it is generally conceded that they were surveying a telephone line. They chained the entire distance and drove a stake every 60 or 70 yards, besides blazing the line and cutting the underbrush along the right-of-way. They came into this state from the south, and crossed the Current River branch of the Frisco at Fremont, Carter county. Current River was crossed at or near Paint Rock. The Superintendent said he would probably be back here in from three to six weeks and would want all the teams he could get. One thing that made some people think the survey was being made for more purpose than a telephone line was that the Superintendent was using Missouri Pacific stationery. However, we hope to be able to give our readers something more definite in the near future.—Centerville Outlook.

We take the following from the Labor Herald, which shows that Mrs. Josie Forbes, the far-famed fortune teller of Taskee, still possesses her faculty of foretelling events and seeing things that occur miles away. The following is the clipping from the Herald: "On Wednesday of last week Miles Sedberry hired a saddle horse at Louis Burch's livery stable in Elvins, stating at the time he was going to visit his mother in Esther and that he would be back in a couple of hours. When he failed to show up Wednesday evening, Burch became alarmed and swore out a warrant for his arrest charging him with stealing the horse. The sheriff of several neighboring counties were telephoned to on the lookout for Sedberry. Burch then got in communication with Mrs. Josie Forbes, the famous Wayne county fortune teller. She informed him that Sedberry had disposed of the horse at Yount's store in Perry county, near the Madison county line. It afterwards developed that she was correct. Sedberry sold Burch's horse and three others with it at Yount's store, and received a check for \$345 in payment for same. When arrested Friday night at Slabtown he had the money in his possession."

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Woodside was in St. Louis the first of the week.

C. H. Polk is here from St. Louis for a few days.

Miss Mabel Davis returned to St. Louis last Saturday.

A. Roehry and Wm. Trauernicht went to St. Louis Monday.

E. M. Dearing of Potosi was an Ironton visitor last Saturday.

E. M. Logan and wife of Bellevue were in Ironton Monday.

Miss Annie Whitworth of Arcadia is visiting in South Dakota.

H. B. Jones and son of Pilot Knob are in St. Louis this week.

Mrs. Summa and daughters were here from St. Louis Saturday.

Joe Rieke and A. L. Willard of Leasterville were in St. Louis Monday.

H. A. Nall arrived from Jefferson City Monday for a week's visit.

Mrs. Della Kuehls and Freddie left Sunday evening for Murphysboro, Ill.

Miss Mamie Roehry is home from a visit to Columbia, Jefferson City and St. Louis.

Mrs. M. J. Clark returned last week from San Antonio, Texas, where she spent the winter.

J. P. Matkin of Chico, California, visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Selinger, in Arcadia the past week.

Mrs. W. W. Reese and daughters left last Saturday for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where they will make their home the next two years. Mrs. A. Rieke accompanied them as far as St. Louis.

Arrivals at the Commercial Hotel: J. H. Jones, A. J. Leathers, Farmington; W. J. Meadows, G. Kain, G. W. Fiddwell, J. H. Richardson, C. D. Simpson, Frank O. Smith, F. J. Goslee, P. R. Walsh, E. H. Iondont, W. F. Fahy, F. K. Jones, Speed Brown, W. S. Shannon, R. R. Mason, A. E. Bosley, Judge Raney, J. W. Weston, F. E. Avery, Jas. A. Barker, W. W. Amalson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pierce, Gus A. Stein, Peter Heleinbeck, C. G. Schmitt, A. B. Schnell, John W. Ainger, Oliver H. Uthoff, Wm. Cochran, M. F. Maples, St. Louis; H. P. Gaurer, Cape Girardeau; C. F. Peterson, Itha Bena, Miss; J. Seidel, Eureka Springs; R. H. Creason, Mayfield, Ky.; A. G. Touts, Thomas Sutton, Poplar Bluff; W. C. Vessen, Springfield;

M. L. Abbott, Boston, Mass.; Ed. T. Eversole, Potosi; J. T. Bennett, Cincinnati, Ohio; F. C. Flickinger, Silgo; Floyd T. Palmer, Kansas City; M. T. Connally, New Haven, Mo.; R. Seeberger, R. H. Murphy, St. Charles.

Arrivals last week at the Osteopathic Sanitarium and Hotel: H. S. Whitener, Miss Lela McClintock, Earl F. McClintock, Mrs. C. B. McClintock, Farmington; A. J. Thompson, Hopewell; Carl H. Berkson, Montebello; Bunsenok, Mrs. B. Berkson, Prof. C. G. Colwell, St. Louis; Rev. Chas. E. Edwards, Lathrop, Mo.; Rev. J. C. Ingham, Poplar Bluff; Rev. W. W. Strother, Des Arc.

When you want the best in seed potatoes, seed oats grass seeds, garden and flower seeds, go to Lopez's.

Des Arc Items.

I was in Ironton one day last week (court week). I never saw the town so quiet; never saw one drunken man. Jas. Chilton, a juror, said it had been that way all week. So we can say no that no open saloon is the cause of it. I do not believe the people of Ironton will ever tolerate a saloon again.

Some time ago a man opened a beer depot in Annapolis. Uncle Sam got \$25 for license. Now the state and county will have to pay over \$500 costs because of the sale of the beer, and the beer man has gone out of business.

Riding on train 25 last Friday night I met our old friend, Charley Yancey. He is beginning to look old. He has seen better days.

The Des Arc Realty Co. has sold several lots in the Hicks' addition to Des Arc.

Mrs. O'Neal, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Phillips, for the past two months, has returned to her home in Illinois.

Mrs. John Stevenson and children are visiting her mother at Hendrickson.

Grover Hinkle and family spent Sunday with relatives at Brunot.

Ed. Maddock spent Sunday at Arcadia.

Mr. Howard and family spent Sunday here with his son, John Howard.

Dr. Fred Farr spent Sunday at home.

John Stevenson went to St. Louis Monday.

Quite a number from here are attending court in Ironton this week.

John Lovelace has moved his house on the street facing Hicks' addition. He will improve his home.

Arthur Huff was here from Ironton Saturday.

John Nation is this week moving into the cottage vacated by Harve McFadden.

Mrs. Keathley is visiting her son at Leeper.

T. P. Fitz is at Marquand and Fredericktown this week.

School closed here last Friday.

Mr. McKee and his assistant, Miss Smith, have taught a successful term. They gave a literary entertainment in the afternoon which was attended by a large crowd, including the college students. The way in which the students rendered their parts showed how well they had been trained by both teachers. The songs and music were good. Space will not permit us to print the full programme. It is sufficient to say all were highly pleased and many of the patrons spoke of the wonderful progress made by the pupils during the year. Mr. McKee was presented with a nice gift by his pupils. He will be employed to teach again next year. ISAAC.

The \$7.50 Men's Spring Suit at Brown's is a wonder.

Sabula Items.

We are having fine weather and farmers are busy planting corn.

C. Collins attended court at Ironton last week.

Mr. Heaston, from Chloride, has about completed a neat cottage home for Mrs. Brown, which adds very much to the appearance of that end of the town.

The church building is almost completed.

Mrs. H. E. Homan and Miss Etta and Master Vernon, from Marquand, arrived yesterday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. Collins.

There will be a box supper given at the school house at Sabula for the benefit of the church building funds. Everybody cordially invited. Refreshments will also be served.

There will be a ten days' meeting held at Sabula, beginning the 20th day of May. Bros. Clarence and Chas. Davis, of the Holiness college, at Des Arc, will conduct the meeting. Other ministers from the college will assist them at times during the meeting. Everybody come to the meeting and bring your relatives, friends and neighbors.

Chas. Bollinger visits Chloride quite frequently. What is the attraction, Charles—a fair maid?

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Collins and son, Herbert, went to Ironton this morning on business.

Addie and Grace Mann spent Saturday and Sunday visiting their aunt, Mrs. Dave Worley, at Annapolis.

Mrs. Wadlow and daughters spent Saturday with Mrs. Robinson Lewis.

Mrs. Stella Dunn has been quite sick with tonsillitis but at this writing is reported better.

MARTHA.

WANTED—One second-hand flat top scale. H. BASLER, Meat Market, Ironton, Mo.

Hogan Items.

After the severe weather of last week, we gladly welcome the warm days at present. To-day is an ideal May day.

James Vickery left for Montana the 25th inst.

Advertisement for Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Features include: No Alum, Fifty Years the Standard, No Lime Phosphate. Text: Its use a protection and a guarantee against alum. Image of a tin of baking powder.

Mr. J. A. Reese, of Oklahoma, is visiting his family at this place.

Mr. Levie Pearson and family, of near Glover, visited relatives at Hogan Sunday.

Fred Darden was in town Friday.

Mrs. A. C. Kimmel, of Chloride, visited Mrs. Polk Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Stillwell left for Illinois one day last week, where she will make her home in the future.

Mr. J. Holloman went to Ironton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stout spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hughes.

We are glad to learn of the progress in church work at Sabula. Hope they will succeed in raising all the funds for completing their house of worship.

Miss Gusta Smith is still improving slowly in health.

Elmer and Raymond Polk visited relatives on Crane Pond Saturday, returning home Sunday. Miss Eunice Selinger accompanied them home.

Mr. A. O. Gibbens is contemplating a visit in the near future.

There is some talk of Mr. Thiesen leaving for Oklahoma soon. Just a rumor.

Miss Laura Smith, who has been visiting her sister for some time, has returned home.

Misses Maggie and Lena Gibbens spent Sunday with Mrs. Swearingin.

Mrs. W. H. Hughes went to Glover one day last week.

There are still a few cases of measles at this writing. Two of the children of N. Huff have them now.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill were guests of Mrs. Pinkley Sunday.

JUMBO.

Splendid new stock of J. C. C. Corsets from 50 cents to \$2, at Lopez's. Ask for the College Girl.

Arcadia Items.

Everything is very quiet in town at present, but business is fairly good. Our merchants have apparently a good trade, considering the season of the year.

Our friend, Anton Immer, went to St. Louis a short time ago, and underwent a very serious surgical operation. The last news we received from him he was getting along very nicely.

Miss Nannie Ringo has been visiting her brother in Mississippi county for the past eight or ten days.

Edgar Fletcher was in St. Louis last week.

Willie Hall has accepted a position with Mr. Whitworth. Mr. Hall has many friends in this town, is perfectly honest, and is a first-class salesman. We certainly need more such young men as he.

Mr. Sutherland and daughter, Miss Della, were in St. Louis a few days week before last.

Misses Florence and Lena Fletcher attended church in Ironton Sunday.

While returning home from school Friday evening, Miss Lena Fletcher lost her pocket-book in Ironton. Luckily, however, she had only a few dollars in the pocket-book, which she has not yet found.

The public schools closed here Friday, April 22. After recess in the afternoon, the pupils in the principal's room devoted an hour's time to a ciphering match, after which eight liberty bells were awarded to the pupils of the 6th, 7th and 8th grades. Just before the final closing of school, the pupils all sang, "God be with you till we meet again." Then the pupils of both rooms came forward and with a hearty shake of the hand, bade the teacher goodbye. The teacher received several nice presents as he did Christmas, which shows that his pupils hold him in high esteem.

Last Saturday the writer, accompanied by George Anderson, drove out to Bellevue on business. But few changes have taken place in Bellevue during the past seven months, and it really did appear very much like home to the writer, who spent almost eleven years there. We very much missed our good friend, W. R. Read, who for so many years has been in business there. We trust that he may soon be able to return to his home, enjoying the best of health. Mr. Lasater has charge of the business, and has employed as clerk Willie Warren. Willie appears to like the mercantile business pretty well, and is making a good clerk.

Mr. Conrad spent last week in the city visiting his family.

Mrs. Andrews and daughter, Miss Patty, were out driving near the Shut-in one evening last week.

Mr. Sutherland, of Texas, is spending a few weeks here with his parents.

Summer School.

Mrs. Esse Yount Newman and I have concluded to conduct a Summer Training School in Ironton, beginning May 15th, and continuing to the June examinations.

For the teachers trying to raise their grade of certificate, and for those expecting to take the examinations for the first time, the programme will include all the subjects required for the different grades of certificates.

As agriculture is to be added, special attention will be given to it.

Respectfully, C. B. MCCLINTOCK.

Notice to Teachers.

Applications for a teacher for the Middlebrook school for the period of eight months will be received by the President of the board up to June 4th, 1910. Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

B. WALDRAM, President. F. BUECHSENSCHUTZ, Clerk.

Summary for April.

Table with 2 columns: Metric and Imperial. Mean Maximum 66, Mean Minimum 42, Mean 54, Highest 88, Lowest 28, Precipitation 3.31. Snowfall, 2-12 inches. W. H. DELANO, Observer.

REWARD OFFERED—\$25 offered for arrest and conviction of any person for cutting timber on our land in Iron and St. Francois Cos., Mo., without our written consent. WHITENER-LONDON REALTY CO.

FOR SALE—American Steel Poultry and Rabbit fencing, strong and durable, in 10 and 20 rod rolls, at 35 cents per rod. W. E. BELL & SON, Bellevue, Mo.

Choice Tomato Plants for sale: Livingston's Globe Tomatoes, in purple, red, or colorless. Apply to H. J. Lewis, at "The Maples," Arcadia, Mo.

Advertisement for JOHN NAGEL, Highest Market Price paid for Cattle, Hogs, Calves, Lambs, Hides, Chickens, Eggs and Butter. Call on or write to JOHN NAGEL, HENRY BASLER, Meat Market, IRONTON, MO.

Advertisement for EGGS FOR SETTING. From Good Laying R. I. Reds—Single Comb. Pen No. 1, 10 cents each. Pen No. 2, 7 cents each. Can fill orders from Strictly Fresh Eggs. Write, call, or Phone 52 Bellevue Line. W. R. ALLEN, JR., Graniteville, Mo. Also, a few good Cockerels for \$2.50 each.

Weather Report. Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, May 3, 1910:

Table with 4 columns: Days of Week, Temp. at Max., Temp. at Min., Precipitation. Wednesday 27/73/37, Thursday 28/82/38, Friday 29/88/54, Saturday 30/86/60, Sunday 1/76/60, Monday 2/81/60, Tuesday 3/50/43.

NOTE—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer. If you want thoroughbred chickens, call or write the Thoroughbred Poultry Yard, importers and breeders. Barred Rocks and Light Brahmas Cockerels for sale. Eggs in season. R. C. Marks, Manager, Ironton, Mo.

Advertisement for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Alcohol not needed. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a strong drink. As now made, there is not a drop of alcohol in it. It is a non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. Ask your own doctor about your taking this medicine for thin, impure blood. Follow his advice every time. He knows. Ayer's Sarsaparilla. We publish our formulas. We banish alcohol from our medicines. We urge you to consult your doctor. Ask your doctor. "What is the first great rule of health?" Nine doctors out of ten will quickly reply, "Keep the bowels regular." Then ask him another question, "What do you think of Ayer's Pills for constipation?"