

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Some April showers.
Some frost Friday night.
The peach trees are in bloom.
What will we pay for ice this summer?
The Pilot Knob public schools close April 18th.
Lots of wire fencing being hauled from town.
The automobiles, like the birds, come with the springtime.
Carter Blanton of Arcadia is running a picture show at Bismarck.
The late legislature passed a law prohibiting the hunting of deer with dogs.
Lots of rain. Tuesday was an awfully rainy day and cold and disagreeable.
Ironton endorses granitoid walks, electric lights and general progressiveness.
Free Lunch at the Nichols store, south of the courthouse square, next Saturday.
Mine host B. T. Eaton, of the Bismarck Hotel, was last week elected Mayor of his town.
The Paxico Iron Company, so far as Pilot Knob is concerned, seems dead beyond resurrection.
It is said that the Arkansas strawberry will be coming in car loads in a couple of more weeks.
Six reels, seven pictures, at the picture show to-morrow (Thursday) night. Admission, 5 and 10 cents.
Who can save you money? We can "We can save you money."
B. N. BROWN.

Gerard Blanton, son of Thompson Blanton of the Flatwoods, has been appointed a guard in the penitentiary.
Lost—One sunburst brooch, on March 30, in Ironton or Arcadia. Finder return to this office and receive reward.
It is reported that the law firm of Munger & Lindsay at Piedmont has dissolved partnership.—Greenville Journal.
"The Town Fool" at the Academy of Music Thursday night of last week attracted a fair house and was a pretty good show.
The Board of Equalization is in session at the courthouse this week. An adjourned term of county court will be held to-day.
Mr. Robinson, care-taker at Valley Home, Arcadia, killed a monster wild goose Tuesday. It measured five feet from tip to tip.
It is said that two or more of the young lady teachers in the Ironton schools will not seek re-employment the ensuing year.
Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Sutton Hotel (formerly known as the Kesling House) in this week's paper.
The Haag show will be in Southeast Missouri the last week in April. It is billed at Piedmont and Fredericktown, but gives Ironton the go-by.
It seems necessary to again make the statement that no communication can be published in these columns unless we are furnished the name of the author.
George Brown, who lives nine miles east of Ironton on the St. Francis river, had his ankles badly crushed by an immense log rolling on them Wednesday.
A card from Miss Ollie Davis apprises us that she recently paid a visit to California's famous University, Leland Stanford. She says that it is a most beautiful place.
The Women's Home Mission Society of the Fort Hill Church will meet with Mrs. Burnham, April 10, 1913. Subject: Brazil, Mountain and Indian work. A good attendance is desired.
H. S. Smith, engineer for the Arcadia Country Club, was here from St. Louis last week inspecting Rainbow dam in the Shut-In. The cost of the dam has been about \$23,000.
Dr. J. H. Martin has removed his family from Pilot Knob to the cottage in Russellville recently completed by J. R. Baldwin. The Dr. will probably remove his office to Ironton soon.
Called Meeting Midian R. A. Chapter, No. 71, Saturday, April 12, 1913, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. Work in R. A. degree. All members urged to attend.
A. B. REEL, Secretary.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ironton Academy of Music Monday the old board of directors was elected. The building will be wired for electric lights at once.
The ford across Stout's creek at the railroad bridge is deep and dangerous. Another crossing should be arranged. It has been suggested that a more desirable ford can be had above the bridge.
An unusually large number of wild geese were flying about the valley for a couple of days during the heavy rains two weeks ago. A lot of hunters went after them, but had little success.
Under a law passed by the 47th general assembly a school district may vote from its contingent fund to provide the children of the district free books. This will give those communities where a sentiment exists in favor of free text books the privilege of putting the theory into practice.

Mrs. Norma Dunn at Sabula has a nice line of Spring and Summer Millinery. The ladies in that section are urged to call and make their selections. The styles and prices will be found all right.

Mrs. Priscilla M. Leonard, administratrix of the estate of John J. Leonard, deceased, will have a sale of personal property at the late home of the deceased, five miles east of Ironton, Saturday, April 19th.

Joe Madlinger last week traded the bakery property in Pilot Knob to S. A. Orr for the latter's farm, twelve miles south of Ironton, on Marble Creek. Mr. Orr will make his home in the Pilot Knob property.

Regular meeting of the Arcadia Valley Business Men's League at the office of President Wm. Traenicht in the Academy of Music building Friday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock. All members urged to attend.

Chas. Dalton, who for many years was a resident of Ironton and will be remembered as a salesman in the Lopez store, is reported fatally ill in St. Louis, where he has lived the past few months. We are sorry to hear it.

A night and day crew are now employed on the well on Arcadia Heights. A depth of 320 feet has been attained; the rock continues hard, and is dry, very dry. The drill a few days ago passed through six feet of fine iron ore.

At a meeting of the City Council Monday evening the recently elected city officers were installed. The council named Herman L. Rieke, Clerk, and A. M. Madigan, Treasurer. Mr. Rieke, we understand, will not accept.

Bismarck, at the school election last week, voted bonds to the amount of \$14,000 to build a new school house. It is said, however, that because of some defect in giving notice of the election, another election will have to be held.

Mrs. E. L. Purcell of Fredericktown was in Ironton the first of the week arranging for the establishment of a Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star in this city. The installation will occur in May and there will be twenty-five or more charter members.

FOR SALE—A farm containing 200 acres—75 acres in cultivation—known as the Smiley Orr farm on Marble Creek. A five-room house, barn, springhouse, smokehouse and other outbuildings. A never-failing spring of pure water. Apply to Joseph Madlinger, Ironton, Mo.

Geo. W. Clarkson was here from St. Louis for a few hours Saturday and paid us a call. If you ever have any business with Mr. Clarkson you will soon learn why his phenomenal success. And, above and beyond all, he's just as thorough a gentleman as he is a business man.

J. O. Collins and his brother, Frank G., were called home from St. Louis Friday evening by the serious illness of their brother, Ralph, who is very low with typhoid fever. He is improving slowly now, though, and it is hoped will recover. Miss Minnie Collins is also sick with typhoid, but she is much improved, and, we hope, out of all danger.

Mr. E. H. DeWeese last week showed us a post card he had just received, portraying some of the havoc wrought by the floods in his old home in Chillicothe, Ohio. He tells us that his mother had property damaged to the extent of \$30,000 by the waters. Chillicothe is on the Scioto river, which was higher during the recent flood than was ever known before.

Wanted—A man and wife to take charge of the farm work. Man must be competent to take care of stock and operate all farm machinery; woman must understand taking care of chickens, making butter, etc. Couple must be energetic and keep the place in a clean, sanitary condition. Liberal salary paid to right party. Apply Ideal Farm, T. A. Conrad, Arcadia, Mo.

Our venerable friend, Dr. H. M. Jones, was a caller last Thursday morning. He says that he is not so spry as he used to be, but we think, considering his four-score years and more, he is remarkably active, and a couple of days later we saw him wielding an ax on a tree in the post-office lot in a way that would put many a man, thirty years younger, to shame.

Mr. Geo. L. Moore, an Ironton boy, has been appointed Division Freight Agent of the Texas and Pacific and International & Great Northern Railways, with headquarters at Fort Worth, Texas. For the past year or more George has been stationed at Oklahoma City as the Commercial Agent of the T. P. and I. & G. N. Ironton friends are glad to hear of his advancement.

Otto W. Ramsay, president, Jas. B. Thompson, cashier, and H. R. Grider, assistant cashier, of the Bismarck bank, arrived in town Monday night. Each of them was riding in a new H. C. Hupp automobile which they concluded to out over the roads between Hillsboro and Bismarck. Mr. Ramsay enjoys the distinction of having brought the first automobile to South-east Missouri, when he brought the "Ozark Queen" through Hillsboro and toured the lower counties with it.—Hillsboro Record.

Our young friend, Otto Thomas, of Granite City, Illinois, who had charge of the catering privileges at "Egworth Among the Hills," and on the Arcadia Heights last summer, will be in charge again this season. He will also have charge of Ozark Inn on Arcadia Heights peak. The hotelery will open May 1st for the reception of guests and people who want to spend some time there would do well to communicate with Mr. Thomas at once. He

made quite a success last year and it is safe to say his management of Ozark Inn will be all right. Special rates and inducements to families. Address all inquiries to Otto Thomas, Ironton, Mo.

The contractor who is drilling the well on Arcadia Heights is also putting down a deep well for the City of Farmington. It seems that he is having some hard luck there, too. The following is reproduced from the last issue of the Farmington News: "The work of sinking the big new well at the waterworks plant was brought to a stop last Saturday when the drill or rod broke leaving the huge bit and about 20 feet of the rod in the well which had been put down to a depth of 280 feet. Special tools had to be ordered for fishing out the bit, and it is likely that the work will be shut down for several days as a result of the accident."

While there are no new developments at the North American this week, we believe that the outlook is brighter than it has been for some time; the fact that the superintendent of the plant has gone west on business would indicate that we may look for something good in the way of the plant starting up shortly. That there is a big mining deal in the wind there is hardly a doubt. Maj. Stephen's visit to this city would indicate this and while the major would not talk for publication he volunteered the information that he had never up to the present time had much confidence in the North American. We believe the next four weeks will produce something in the mining line that will surprise our people.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

The Woman's Study Club entertained the Ladies' Social Club, April 1, 1913, at the commodious residence of Mr. W. T. Gay. The Entertainment Committee was composed of Mesdames A. L. Schwab, Fred Kindell, Jr., J. G. Newman, B. N. Brown, Adrain Steel, Sanford Russell and Miss Ruth Pruitt. The parlors were beautifully decorated in the Club colors—white and green. As the party was given on April Fool's Day everyone was supposed to be on the "look out," but the conceits were so cleverly planned by the hostesses they were victims of a joke before they were aware. In the absence of formality there was a lavishness of good humor and fun. A luncheon was served which consisted of chicken salad, rolls, pea-patties, pickles, coffee, ice cream and cake. All departed feeling that they had spent a very enjoyable afternoon and will carry pleasant remembrances of the occasion.

Mr. R. E. Rudy was badly shocked and painfully injured by a dynamite explosion, on his farm a mile and a half west of Ironton, shortly before noon Wednesday of last week. Mr. Rudy had been using dynamite to blast stumps; he was carrying a stick and a half of the dynamite and some fuse and caps, in a bucket, walking through the field, when he noticed some of the fuse burning. He threw the bucket as quickly as he could, but had hardly let go of the bail when the explosion occurred. A hole was torn in the ground and Mr. Rudy was bruised and hurt in a number of places by the flying missiles. One ear was torn slightly but fortunately no bad wound resulted. The shock probably disabled him more than the wounds. The terrible noise of the explosion impaired his hearing but that will probably be all right in time. It was a close call and it is safe to say that Mr. Rudy will handle dynamite mightily carefully in the future.

W. P. (Pink) McCarver was found dead in his bed room in his store at Pilot Knob about six o'clock Tuesday evening. The deceased had been in poor health for many months past and for the past three or four days had been confined to his room. A couple of families who lived in the rear part of the store building had been waiting on and attending to him. The last time he was seen alive was about noon Tuesday when a cup of coffee was taken to him. About six o'clock in the evening Theo Dettmer, a next door neighbor, called to see him; he got no response to his knock, opened the door and walked in. McCarver was not in his bed and, looking around, he found him lying on the floor, dead. The occupants of the house then recalled that about the middle of the afternoon they heard something fall; it is supposed that the deceased got out of bed to get a drink of water, or something of the kind, and fell over dead. Coroner Farrar was notified and that same evening held an inquest. The facts adduced were about as here related. Dr. Farrar says he thinks tubercular trouble was the cause of death, as the body was scarcely anything but skin and bones, having practically wasted away. Pink McCarver was long a resident of Ironton, first coming here probably forty years or more ago. For thirty years he conducted a harness and saddlery establishment in this city. About five years ago he purchased what was known as the Corner Store property in Pilot Knob and has made his home there most of the time since then. His passing away marks the removal of another of the old-timers. The deceased was probably fifty-eight or sixty years of age. He leaves a sister in Ironton and another in Arkansas.

Strayed or Stolen, from the range at Annapolis, Mo., last August, one sorrel mare, three years old this spring; some white in the forehead, white foot behind, fax mane and tail. Any information leading to her recovery will be liberally rewarded. Address Ed. Fonk, Annapolis, Mo.

Lard, my own make, 12½ cents a pound. F. O. CODDING.

PERSONAL

Miss Marion O'Neal was in Ironton Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Edgar went to St. Louis to-day.

It is said that thus far the frost has not come the first.
S. E. Buford of Bellevue was in Ironton Saturday.

J. P. Porteus, the electric light man, was here Saturday.

Miss Marie Gratiot is home from a visit to Poplar Bluff.
Ollie Fox left this morning for Iowa to be gone all summer.

Mrs. T. P. Pigg and son of Farmington were in Ironton the past week.
Miss Robbie Pipkin visited her parents in Farmington Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. L. K. Brunner, of Marsfield, Oregon, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Robt. Hotson.
J. L. Baldwin is in St. Louis this week as a member of the petit jury in the federal court.

Miss Minnie Fisher was in St. Louis the first of this week, buying Millinery for the Lopez Store Co.
Miss Naoma Sweeney, of Bellevue, returned home Saturday. She had been visiting for several days in Bismarck.

Mrs. H. M. Sadler, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hotson, departed on Wednesday for Mason City, Iowa.

Notice

This is to serve notice on every person to not cut timber or wood on any part of our land. You will be prosecuted.
WHITENER LONDON REALTY CO.

WANTED A GOOD FARM HAND—Must be good teamster understand handling mules and farm machinery. Can board with keeper or live at home. T. A. CONRAD, Ideal Farm.

Big Cut Prices now on Cloth Cloaks, Overcoats, Sweaters and Underwear etc., at B. N. BROWN'S, Ironton, Mo.

School Notes

Just five more weeks of school. Commencement exercises this year promise to be very good. The program will be about as follows: Commencement and county graduation, May 10th. Sunday, sermon to the graduates; Wednesday, primary entertainment; Thursday, eighth grade graduation exercises; Friday, high school graduation. The children would like for you to arrange to see all these exercises.

The little folks in the primary are busy with a new set of supplementary readers this week.
The high school course in English at Ironton can now be outlined as follows: Instruction in Secondary English and rhetoric during the first two years. Grammar is given for review. Classics in English and American literature are closely studied for rhetorical and composition purposes, as well as for the thought. The third year embraces a historical survey of English and American literature and biographical study of authors down to the Victorian age. The fourth year covers American Literature in a similar manner and completes the English from the Victorian age. The course in English has two main objects: (1) The cultivation of the student's English, spoken and written; (2) Ability to read accurately, intelligently and with appreciation, the best in our language. Classics read: First year, selections from Bryant and Irving, Stephenson's Treasure Island and Shakespeare's Julius Caesar. Second year, selections from Bryant and Irving, Stephenson's Treasure Island and Shakespeare's Julius Caesar. Third year, Ivanhoe, Silas Warner, Sir Roger de Coverley Papers and Midsummer Night's Dream. Fourth year, Idyls of the East, Milton's Paradise Lost, Paradise Regained and Macbeth. The above classics are not rigidly followed, but changes are made to meet the needs of the classes.

Having fully recovered from my late attack of lagrippe, I am now in condition to do your work promptly. Remember, I do all kind of repairing. Phone 18. J. C. ENDERS.

Peas for Sale. I have the New Era and Whippoorwill Peas for sale. Write for samples, Wm. NEWBERRY, Oran, Mo.

New Stock of Mattings—rugs and Linoleums at Lopez Store Co.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Baptist Church Notes

The total attendance upon all meetings during March was 1199. In January it was 677, in February, 908. Special meetings are in progress this week. Pastor Riggs is preaching, and using the stereopticon each night. Last Sunday night a congregation that taxed the seating capacity of the house, heard the first of a series of stereopticon addresses on Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress. The second lecture will be given next Sunday evening.

Next Sunday's program includes preaching, morning and evening, Sunday School at ten o'clock, Junior Union at half past six, Senior Union at half past six.
The Young People's Meeting last Sunday evening was led quite interestingly by Miss Stella Alexander. Next Sunday's meeting will be led by Miss Mildred St. Louis.
The Ladies' Aid Society meets with Mrs. W. A. Fletcher, Thursday, 2:30 P. M.

A good team of Farm Horses for sale; work single or double. Apply to J. Robertson, on Mr. W. H. Thompson's place, known as Valley Home, Arcadia, Mo.

FOR SALE—Fine, straight, young white oak Telephone poles, cut and made to order. Say what you want and what you will pay on delivery. Address Kaolin Land and Clay Co., Brule, Mo.

County Spelling Contest, May 10

The County Spelling Contest will be held at the Ironton Public School Building, Saturday, May 10th, 1913, at two o'clock P. M. All pupils in the first eight grades, attending the public schools for three-fourths of the term for 1912-13, shall be eligible to enter this contest, except such pupils as may have been promoted to the high school or may have received the common school diploma previous to the present school year. Each district is entitled to three representatives. The winner in this contest will be entitled to represent the County in the State Spelling Contest to be held at Jefferson City, May 12, 1913.

Prizes in the spelling contest will be as follows: First Prize, \$5; Second Prize, \$2; Third Prize, \$1.

We could not get entries enough to justify holding a declamatory contest. Some of the schools are planning to hold exercises at the close of their terms. We will deliver the diplomas at such closing exercises and will not have the county declamatory contest, but all pupils that have completed the examinations and have not yet received their diplomas may get them when they come to the spelling contest.

We are trying to arrange for a County Athletic meet on the same date; all who are interested will please notify me at once.
Remember your display work; we would like for every school in the county to have some display work on exhibition at this meeting. This same work can be placed on exhibition at the fair next fall, so let us all be represented.
Very truly,
B. B. BURNHAM.

Immense stock of new shoes for spring, just received. LOPEZ STORE CO.

FOR SALE—Humphrey Bone Cutter which enables you to make the best egg producer to feed to chickens. \$6.50; cost me twice that amount. T. A. CONRAD, Ideal Farm.

It pays to use Swift's Fertilizers. LOPEZ STORE CO.

Bellevue News. Mrs. S. E. Buford visited her brother in Ironton last week.

Joel Rickett, who spent the winter with his parents in Mt. Sterling, Ky., returned home recently.

The meeting at the Baptist Church is still in progress. The house is full at the evening services and very good attendance in the morning. Up to date five have united with the Church.

Lem Logan and his bride returned last week from their four weeks' bridal tour in St. Louis, Chicago and New York. They witnessed a part of the great flood on their return home.

Miss Nellie McColl is visiting friends and relatives in St. Louis.

Wilmer Keesling, one of Ironton County's young school teachers, has gone to the Cape Normal for the spring term.

Mose Edmonds, of Festus, spent last week in our vicinity visiting relatives.

Giles Henderson, our old Iron County resident, who, for the past few years has resided in Oklahoma, has returned and is living on his big farm, five miles northwest of Bellevue.

Mrs. Pearl Moore is near Iron Mountain, was the guest last week of Miss Fannie Campbell.

Mrs. Jake McClurg, of Cedar Grove, was in town last Wednesday.

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Mrs. C. C. Farmer, of Cedar Grove, attended Church here last night.

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A couple of weeks ago a hog came through the mail from Flat River, and Sunday a cucumber was received from Squire Kitchell and several others from this place and Vulcan have been subpoenaed to be in the circuit court, Poplar Bluff, April 10th, as witnesses in the case of James Ruble vs. the Wheeler Lumber Company.

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attend, because they get no pay for their time.
Robert Santhuff and son were here this morning on their way home to Redford. They have been in Arkansas looking for a location for a saw mill.

Elmer Loyd has bought a fine new refrigerator, in which to keep the beer cool this summer.

Squires and Doy Kitchell's little two-year-old girl is blind with sore eyes. Nothing seems to help the little tot.

Since Mrs. Fanny Reese has taken charge of the hotel everything seems to be moving along nicely and the table is fine.

John E. Harris and wife of Ironton visited here Saturday.

Mr. Johnson, our school teacher, completed his school last week. He is an excellent teacher.

Mrs. Mathia Bolch is home from St. Louis, much improved in health. BULLETIN, April 7.

FULL BRED BARRED ROCK CHICKENS and Indian Runner Ducks. Best in the county. Taking orders for eggs now, to be delivered when wanted. STARK FARM, Arcadia, Mo.

From Goodland. Fine farming weather just now. There is quite a lot of gardening being done. Most farmers have finished sowing oats, and are plowing for corn.

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Dr. Adams has news from his sons in Nebraska that they lost several head of cattle during the terrible storm.

Tony Vanover and family are moving back to Goodland from Flat River. James Brooks and family, with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laws are visiting relatives at Brule.

G. G. Adams and sons spent last Sunday with friends at Goodwater.

Mr. John Rief has returned to St. Louis after a three weeks' stay with families of N. W. Adams and C. R. Oesch.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hughes, of Edge Hill, died last night.

Mrs. Graham is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Bell Pippins, at Edge Hill.

Dr. and Mrs. Adams, S. L. Brooks and wife with master Hubert and Miss Manila and Mr. and Mrs. Oesch with their three beautiful children, took dinner with Mrs. Rief at the home of N. W. Adams last Sunday, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Rief.

Joe Barton and family, of Bixby, spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Jerome Martin, at Goodland.

Chess Thompson has gone west, to California and Washington.

There is quite a town up Brooks creek. More than a dozen families have put up shacks and are working in the tie business. TIMOTHY HAY.

Warranty and Trust Deeds and Chattel Mortgages for sale at this office.

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(Kesling House)

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—MANAGER—
PILOT KNOB, MO.