

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A wedding Thursday. Several more weddings soon. Let us hope the frost will be late in coming this fall.

An unusual amount of coal being shipped in this fall. Saw you ever before the grass growing so fast in September?

Come and see our new stock of Chinaware. A. RIEKE & SON. Tuesday's rain started the creeks that have been dry for nearly three months.

Rev. Mitchell and family will move into the new manse next week. It is quite an attractive structure.

A card from Miss Lottie Prince advises us that they are now domiciled at 5188a Cates Avenue, St. Louis.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Kendall Thursday afternoon of this week.

The following is the enrollment in the Iron County public schools; high school, 56; grades, 175; Arcadia, 25; colored school, 23. Total, 279.

An interesting article was printed in last Saturday's St. Louis Post-Dispatch relative to the Bankers Trust Company.

Frank S. Klebar, the dairyman, whose house and barn were destroyed by fire December 23d last, has instituted suit in the Circuit Court in St. Louis against the North American Insurance Company to enforce the payment of a policy for \$1850 which said company had issued on the buildings.

Prof. C. B. McClintock returned from St. Louis the first of this week, having been there with a view to looking out a location for a future residence.

The St. Louis Annual Conference will meet at Caruthersville, next Wednesday, September 23d, Bishop E. R. Hendrix presiding.

The St. Ursula's Alumnae Association of Arcadia will hold the annual meeting at the Planters Hotel, St. Louis, Tuesday, October 6th, at 10:30 A. M.

Lost—Sunday, September 13th, on the road between the M. E. Church and the cemetery, a brown cameo brooch. Finder please return to this office.

The Republican Central Committee of Iron County at a recent session selected W. C. Hoffmann of St. Louis as their candidate for Prosecuting Attorney this fall.

Judge Dearing states that when circuit court convenes October 26th he will hold court for two days and then adjourn until the Wednesday after the election, November 4th.

Married—At the courthouse, Ironton, Mo., Saturday, September 12, 1914, Lemrow Kelley of Des Arc and Rosa Kelley of Lodi, Mo., Probate Judge O. W. Roop officiating.

Lost—Saturday night, on way to train No. 9, a check book, two notes and a number of receipts. Finder will please return and receive reward.

Earl Haven was brought to Ironton from St. Louis last week on the charge of wife abandonment, preferred by his wife, Fay, of Middlebrook.

A card from Mrs. J. T. Ake informs us that they are now located at Natchitoches, Louisiana, H. B. Ake being agent for the Texas & Pacific Railroad at that place.

Mr. Geo. D. Marks, for many years a resident of Ironton, but who has been living in Moberly, Mo., the past seven years, is spending a week with old friends in the valley.

The editor has received a card announcing the arrival of Gresson Delano at the home of Lieut. and Mrs. F. G. Delano, West Point, N. Y., Friday, September 11, 1914.

We had 2.45 inches of rain from sometime after midnight Monday until noon Tuesday—the biggest rainfall in many, many months.

To my young friend, Miss Florence Jones—aged 11—I am indebted for a mess of fine string beans.

All ladies who are interested in knowing how to arrange the hair in the French roll correctly are invited to attend a free demonstration Friday evening of this week.

Miss Josephine Francis, after spending the week end with Mrs. A. L. Sheppard, of Poplar Bluff, left with her sister, Roberta, for Maryville, Tennessee, where they will attend school this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Wallace Moser, of St. Louis, send the editor a card announcing the arrival of Miss Virginia Anne Moser at their home, Wednesday, September 9, 1914.

Reorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week: James W. DeGuire of Sikeston and Mary Ellen C. Norwine of Fredericktown.

PERSONAL

S. P. Ringo went to St. Louis Sunday. Frank Negim was in Piedmont Sunday.

Miss Blanche Turner went to St. Louis Saturday. B. Fox of Potosi was an Ironton visitor last Friday.

Dr. Franco G. Bond was here from Poplar Bluff Sunday. Mrs. J. H. Clark intends to spend the winter in California.

A. M. Madigan and Eugene visited relatives in Leadwood Sunday. Mrs. Grover Curtis of Sikeston is visiting relatives in Ironton.

Kelton E. White of St. Louis spent Saturday and Sunday in the valley. Mrs. P. Vignaux of Graniteville was a caller at this office Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliott left Tuesday for their former home in Iowa. Misses Freeda and Lucille Ringo have returned to Cape Girardeau for the winter.

Mrs. A. F. Bond returned last Wednesday from a visit to Poplar Bluff and Farmington. R. E. Purkiss left Saturday for Little Rock, Arkansas, where he will probably spend the winter.

Mr. J. A. W. Lewis returned to St. Louis Sunday, after spending a few days at "Ozark Home." Douglas Ringo returned to Mississippi county last week after spending the summer in Arcadia.

James Gray, one of Ironton's popular young men, left Saturday for St. Louis to seek a position. Many friends wish him success.

Mrs. Fannie Manonoculous left Saturday for her home in Chicago after spending a couple of weeks in Ironton as the guest of Mrs. W. R. Edgar, Jr.

Paint, Barn, Buggy and Auto House, Floor and Furniture Stains, Linoleum Coating, Turpentine and Lined Oil at A. Rieke & Son.

DeGuire—Norwine. Thursday morning, September 10, at 8:00 o'clock, in the Arcadia Convocation chapel, James W. DeGuire of Sikeston, Mo., and Miss Mary Ellen C. Norwine of Fredericktown were united in marriage.

The pastor will conduct German preaching services at Bismarck next Sunday morning, September 20th, at 9:45, and at Pilot Knob in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

For the information of all who desire to attend our services be it announced that on the first and third Sundays of the month there will be preaching services at Bismarck in the morning and at Pilot Knob in the afternoon on the first, English, and on the third, German.

The pastor has his place of residence in Flat River. You are invited to worship with us.

There is not much news this time. Our young people gave a pie supper on Saturday night and made money enough to get good slate blackboards for the school house.

Miss Salome Love has gone to north Missouri to teach. Randolph Adams is teaching at Oak Ridge.

Miss Florence Love returned to Columbia to school accompanied by her brother, Arthur, and Miss Ina Adams, who will be students this year.

Mr. Redmond Black has been on the sick list for several days, but is a little better.

Miss Nora Stricklin was the guest of Elsie White Saturday night. Misses Florence Love and Ina Adams left for Columbia, Mo., where they will attend the State University the ensuing year.



Fall and Winter Millinery APPROVED STYLES

MRS. WOODSIDE begs to inform her Lady patrons that, following her recent visit to New York and St. Louis, she is receiving New Goods of the Latest Fashions.

Academy Picture Theatre

Thursday Night, Sept. 17 3 Big Reels 3

Thursday Night, Sept. 24 Sixth Instalment of The Adventures of Kathlyn

Three Bags of Silver. Admission: Children 5c; Adults 10c

BIG REDUCTIONS! In All Men's Oxfords Shoes And Summer Work Shoes

Also, Women's and Children's FINE DRESS SHOES. NOW is the time to buy your Shoes at Almost Cost.

They All Go at Almost Cost! We must make room for our Fall and Winter Goods.

Mr. Geo. Gallaher and wife called on Mr. and Mrs. John Love. Mr. Wilber Dotson visited relatives here last week.

Mr. Pete Sumpter worked the road two or three days last week. Miss Dotia Sutherland won an \$8 cake as the prettiest girl at a box supper near Oates recently.

We had a pie supper at the school house Saturday night. Receipts, \$9.35. Ed Crocker visited Charley Anderson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Black of Goodland visited relatives here Saturday night. Misses Elsie Payne and Eva Merritt visited relatives at Goodland Saturday night.

Weather Report.

Meteorological Report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, September 15, 1914:

Table with columns: Days of Week, Day of Month, Temperature (Highest, Lowest), Precipitation.

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. "—" indicates trace of precipitation. W. H. DELANO, Observer.