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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Fourth of July!

The wheat is fine.

Let the eagle scream.

A glorious Fourth to all!

No apples, to speak of, yet.

Quite a number of city visitors.

The bank statements are published this week.

Mighty cool—almost cold—Monday and Tuesday nights.

A picnic, under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U., at Roselle to-day.

The brick work on Fletcher & Barger's building is well under way.

Iron Mountain will be the Mecca of most of the Fourth of July tourists.

Dr. Barnhouse is building a mighty fine cobblestone porch at his home.

For Rent—4 rooms not furnished. Apply Mrs. C. D. Alexander, Ironton, Mo.

Iron County Teachers' Meeting in Ironton Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. S. P. Ringo has bought a Wyllis-Knight car which will be delivered this week.

The thermometer Sunday touched the high-point, so far this summer, when 97 was recorded.

FOR SALE—Good seven-year-old Horse. Inquire at Ironton Meat Market or John Kuhn, Arcadia.

The roads on the Assembly grounds, Arcadia, will be oiled, a dozen barrels of oil having been purchased for the purpose.

The electric light plant will pump water from Mulligan Hole to Arcadia Heights for the use of the Baptist Assembly this year.

Mr. S. M. Phelan and family of St. Louis are domiciled in the Ayres cottage, on the mountain side, for the summer.

The past few days have afforded some fine weather for harvesting the wheat and hay and oats. But too dry for growing vegetation.

There have been one or two light showers the past week, but we are still needing rain. The gardens and potatoes have suffered greatly.

Geo. H. Gassmann, formerly of Middlebrook, has been awarded the contract for building a $60,000 hotel in Charleston, Mo., his present home.

Services in St. Paul's Church, Ironton, next Sunday, both morning and evening. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at the morning service.

Mr. H. B. Krenning has contractors figuring on a magnificent residence he contemplates building. The structure, we are told, will be put up this summer.

Rev. A. Brittain, of St. Louis, has leased Miss Celia Martin's home, on Shepherd street, and will spend the month of July in Ironton. Mr. Brittain will arrive this week.

Remember the new bridge at Hunt's Farm will be dedicated on July 4th. People from all parts of the county will be present. Also many are expected from Iron county.—Centerville Outlook.

N. P. Logan of St. Louis was in the valley the first of the week. Mr. Logan is now in the employ of the Hess & Culberson Jewelry Company and his Iron county friends will be glad to know he is prospering.

J. W. Clarkson was in the valley a few hours Sunday on his way to his home at Clarks, La. Walter and his family motored from Louisiana to Nebraska, where Mrs. Clarkson and daughter will spend the summer.

Geo. W. Hanson spent several days the past week in Belleview, Caledonia and Belgrade. He says the wheat and oat crop in that section is, by far, the best he ever saw. In some places, he says, the wheat will yield 35 bushels to the acre.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses, the past week:

Harold M. Horn of Leeper and Anna Burnham of Ellington.

Art Wilson and Clinnie Stroups of Goodwater.

Thos. D. Jones left Monday for Silver City, New Mexico, where he was summoned by the serious illness of Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. Pearl Saville, nee Matkin. We are glad to state that Mrs. Jones received a telegram announcing a decided improvement in Mrs. Saville's condition.

John T. Baldwin, Jr., and family departed Sunday morning in an automobile for their home in Laurel, Mississippi. They went from here to Farmington, Cape Girardeau, Cairo and thence south. The distance is mord than 700 miles and they hoped to reach home Tuesday night.

The section men on the Iron Mountain railroad have been on a strike the past ten days. The men have been working ten hours and getting $1.75 per day. They want $2.25 per day and shorter days. Not a man has been at work on the Arcadia Sections, except the foreman, since June 25th.

Mrs. Chas. Inman of Herculaneum was out driving in her Ford Sunday in company with Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, when she lost control of the machine and in turning a curve caused the Ford to turn over. None of the occupants were hurt but the Ford was considerably damaged.—Festus News.

Hillsboro Record: "More than thirty cyclists passed through here Saturday en route to Arcadia. There were numerous ladies in the party, some in side cars and some on tandems, some driving tandems and some side cars occupied solely by two women. There were big numbers on their backs and hailed from Illinois. Needless to say they made a heap of noise, dust and smell."

Lawson Henry, who has been at the officers' training camp at Fort Riley the past two months, spent the past week with his parents in Ironton. Lawson has been dispatched to the aviation training camp at Urbana, Ills., the site of the Illinois University, where he is taking a course in aeronautics. He expects a commission in a short time and anticipates being ordered to San Diego, California, in the near future, to take a try at "real flying."

It will be seen that a change has been made in the firm name of the Optometrists and Opticians, Fuldner & Kitchin, St. Louis, who have had a representative visiting Ironton for several months past. The firm is now Fuldner & Co. This change in no way affects the original business of the firm and Dr. Fuldner will continue to make his regular visits to Ironton and other towns in this section.

On the morning of Sunday, June 24th, 1917, Elvis Rice and Miss Lida Jeanette Madigan were very quietly married at the Baptist parsonage, Leadwood, Mo. The groom is a splendid young man, and has a position with the St. Joe Lead Co., at this place. The bride is one of Leadwood's most estimable young ladies. Their many friends unite in wishing them a long and happy life. X.

Superintendent Hanson Tuesday received a letter from Dr. H. S. Hartzog, of St. Louis, stating that owing to the death of his mother he would be unable to fill his lecture date here Friday evening, July 6th, when he promised to make an address to the Iron County Teachers. Dr. Hartzog's inability to be here will be quite a disappointment and it is too late now to get some one else to take his place.

Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Henry have the sympathy of our people in the death of their son, Norton, which occurred at West Plains, Mo., Wednesday, June 27th. The deceased was 27 years of age and leaves a wife to mourn his demise. We did not know the young man but understand he was held in high esteem by those with whom he associated. On the occasion of the funeral, Friday afternoon, every business house in West Plains closed its doors in respect to the memory of the departed. To the bereaved we offer our sympathy.

Henry Weiss, aged thirty-five years and five months, died at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Beardsley, east of Ironton, Wednesday morning, June 27th, 1917, after an illness of several months of kidney trouble. Mr. Weiss had been a resident of this vicinity for some time, having been employed as miller for the Ironton Manufacturing Company. He was an honest, upright man, and many relatives and friends mourn his demise. The remains were taken to Fredericktown for interment Friday, accompanied by a local delegation of Woodmen, of which order the deceased was a member, and carried a life insurance policy for $1,000 in favor of Mrs. Beardsley, with whom he had made his home for many years. May his sleep be peaceful.

From the Flat River Correspondence in last week's Farmington News: "Mrs. J. M. Garrett accompanied her father, "Uncle" John Galutia, over to the home of Dave Hartshorn near Farmington yesterday to spend the day. Until he arrived at the Hartshorn home, Mr. Galutia did not know he was to have a visit with his only living sister, Mrs. A. E. Ake, whom he had not seen for thirty years. She came in a few days ago from Pasadena, Cal., where she has resided that number of years. Her arrival was kept a secret from her brother and the trip to the Hartshorn home yesterday was planned by his daughter as a surprise for him, and was indeed a pleasant one. Before going to California Mrs. Ake's home was at Ironton, her husband who died some forty years ago, being a brother of "Uncle" Eli Ake, editor of the IRONTON REGISTER. Mrs. Ake was accompanied here by her son, Edward, and they have returned to Missouri to reside. They will probably make their home at Ironton."

The traction engine and road grader recently contracted for by the County Court was unloaded from the cars at Ellington the latter part of the week and on Monday of this week Judges R. L. Black and M. L. Harrison went down to Ellington and with Judge Santhuff inspected the machinery and saw it demonstrated in actual road building. The tractor is a large 30-60 horse power oil burning machine of the latest type manufactured by the Aultman company, and weighs several tons. The grader complete with scarifier and other necessary attachments is said to be as good as there is on the market and will do the work claimed for it. We understand the Court was well pleased with the demonstration. Through donations from property owners in that section about 10 miles of road will be graded in the vicinity of Ellington. Chas. Sutton has been selected to operate the tractor and Judge Santhuff the grader, representatives of the factories being on hand to instruct and fully inform them in the art of handling the machinery.—Reynolds County Outlook.

PERSONAL.

Wm. Blue went to De Soto Tuesday.

R. A. Rasche went to St. Louis Monday.

J. H. Keith went to Piedmont Friday.

J. H. Baugher went to Sikestown Friday.

G. W. Hanson went to St. Louis Tuesday.

M. W. Daugherty went to St. Louis Tuesday.

A. T. Brewster went to Poplar Bluff Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Patton went to Farmington Monday.

H. J. Long of Belleview was in Ironton last Saturday.

E. B. Becker of St. Louis is visiting his mother in Pilot Knob.

Mrs. Backoff and daughter, Margaret, went to St. Louis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Gregory are visiting relatives in Crawford county.

Fred Erbe and wife of Granite City, Ills., are visiting relatives in Ironton.

Wm. Trauernicht returned Sunday from a two weeks' sojourn in Okawville, Ills.

A. Winkler of Poplar Bluff visited Ironton friends last Friday on his way to St. Louis.

Miss Blanche Evans of Arcadia visited relatives in Potosi several days last week.

Miss Velma Sutherland of St. Louis is spending her vacation with her parents in Arcadia.

W. R. Edgar, W. R. Edgar, Jr., and wife, and Robert Edgar motored to St. Louis Tuesday.

Harry Joe, son of Judge and Mrs. H. B. Jones, has filed an application to enlist in the navy.

Mrs. Katie Stromberg of Oklahoma is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Bertha A. Kerwin, in Arcadia.

D. E. Fletcher and Bryan Ringo went to St. Louis Tuesday to bring home Mr. Ringo's Wyllis-Knight car.

J. G. Meeko of Portland, Oregon, has been visiting relatives near Pilot Knob, he left Thursday for Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen arrived from Granite City, Ills., Tuesday on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Hawkins, in Ironton.

Capt. Robert E. Wilkinson was here from Alton, Ills., last Friday on his way south in in the interest of the Western Military Academy.

A. M. Madigan and family will leave in about two weeks to spend the rest of the summer in Denver and other points in Colorado.

Homer Marshall and Leslie Green, who have been employed in the Dodge Bros. Automobile Works, in Detroit, Michigan, the past year, arrived Monday on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. M. H. Clark is home from a visit in St. Louis. Mrs. Clark will soon leave for Hot Springs, Arkansas, to take the baths in the hope of getting relief from rheumatism.

FOR SALE—A five-year-old Horse, gentle and good for all purposes. Apply to L. A. McKee, Ironton, Mo.

Potter—Galt Wedding.

(Sunday's St. Louis Post-Dispatch.)

One of the most notable of the season's weddings will be that of Miss Anna Potter to Charles Franklin Galt, which will take place Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Potter country home at Ironton, Mo.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William B. Potter, who was Miss Agnes Farrar. She is a girl with many accomplishments and is a belle in the "imperial set."

Mr. Galt's brother, the Rev. Robert Barnes Galt, rector of the Episcopal church at Chambersburgh, Pa., will perform the ceremony, and he and Mrs. Galt will arrive the middle of the week and will be guests of Mrs. Smith F. Gult at the old Galt home, 68 Vandeventer place.

The bride's sister, Miss Minnie Potter, will be her maid of honor, and other attendants will be her cousin, Mrs. Seth Low Pierepont, of New York, Miss Caroline Roulon-Miller, of Philadelphia, Misses Ann Farrar, Marion Perry and Nora Jameson, all of St. Louis.

There is uncertainty, quite usual now, in regard to whom the groomsmen will be. The bridegroom's brother, Alex Galt, who was to have been best man, is with the U. S. Marines at some training camp and the others have not been announced.

Doubtless a number of relatives and friends will go down from town, as did the guests several weeks ago for Miss Blanche Turner's wedding to Kelton B. White, which was at Arcadia, the community which adjoins Ironton.

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Bismarck, Tuesday, July 10th, at Mrs. James' Hotel, from 2:30 P. M. to 8 P. M.

Flat River, Wednesday, July 11th, at New Hammond Hotel, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M.

Write for information or appointment.

Methodist Mention.

Preaching morning and evening at Union Church Sunday. These being the last services until after the Assembly, the pastor requests all members to attend.

Epworth League at the usual hour. Leader, Mrs. Ethel Hanson.

Assembly convenes on the 12th inst, and continues until the 26th.

AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

Iron County Chapter

The following citizens have become members of the Local Chapter of the American National Red Cross since our last report:

Allen, Mr A M	Lueddecke, Louis
Allen, Miss Joyce	Newman, C J
Bradley, Mrs M B	Phayer, Mrs J J
Cook, Mrs E L	Ringo, Miss Nan
Downey, C E	Roop, Mrs O W
Edgar, W R Jr	Riggs, Russell
Farrar, Mrs G W	Tual, Mrs Chas J
Gay, Geo W	Tribbe, Mrs A A
Grandhomme, J E	Taylor, Mrs B K
Huff, M C	Tapley, Miss Ruth
Johnson, H C	Willis, Mrs P F
Krenning, Mrs H	

Total membership to date, 208.

CORD WOOD WANTED.

The County Court of Iron County desires to purchase fifty cords of second growth Black Oak Billet Cord Wood, for use at the Court House and Jail. Persons having wood of that kind to sell will please submit sealed proposals, addressed to the undersigned, which will be opened by the Court on the first Monday in August, 1917.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

Dated this July 2d, 1917.

ARTHUR HUFF, Clerk
County Court, Iron County, Mo.

Des Arc Items.

I was down around Charleston, Delta, Sikeston and Oran. They are threshing wheat and the buyers are paying $2 a bushel for it. The wheat is fine. Flour is selling down there at $12 a barrel. Flour will be cheaper from now on. The bottom has dropped out of the potato market. They are selling at $1.50 a bushel.

I met W. W. Strother last Friday on his way to St. Louis, to buy material for his different contracts at Fredericktown. He has eighty men working and his contracts aggregate more than $200,000. He has sold his home in Fredericktown and may go to California this fall. He has an offer of $300 a month out there.

I am sorry to lose Dr. Eaton from Bismarck. Dr. Gale from Marquand will take his place. The people of Bismarck are lucky in getting Dr. Gale.

Leonard Morris lost a fine horse last week. He thinks, while in the pasture the horse ate some poison weed. He only lived a few hours and all that medical aid could do was done but it could not be saved. He was a great pet of the family, such a fine driving horse, and it is quite a loss to the family.

Miss Esther Meyers has returned to St. Louis after a week's visit here with her aunt, Mrs. Dr. N. A. Farr. Miss Myrtle Berchem accompanied her to St. Louis and will seek employment there.

Ben Tempe and wife from St. Louis are visiting her parents, L. L. Schmidt and wife.

Miss Gladys Lucy and Miss Virginia Morris from Farmington visited here Sunday at the home of T. P. Fitz. Miss Gladys returned to Farmington Sunday afternoon where she is attending a Business College. Miss Virginia will remain for a visit with her grandparents.

Miss Grace Dunigan and sister, Miss Hazel, from Piedmont, visited here with their sister, Mrs. Oscar Ruble.

Miss Helen Williams from St. Louis is spending her vacation here with grandparents.

Mrs. Dock Davidson and children are visiting relatives at Graniteville.

Mrs. W. E. McKee and daughters, Morris and Hazel, left Thursday for a visit to her brother, Horace Morris, at Kensett, Ark., and sister, Mrs. O. L. Miller, of Grady, Ark.

Mrs. Chas. Williams and grandchildren have returned from a visit to her daughters in St. Louis.

Miss Jennie Sellinger and little sister from Arcadia were here last week to visit their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Hughes.

Mrs. Bessie Lovelace and daughter, Opal, have returned from Doniphan, where they spent a few days with her husband.

Mrs. Elmer Lovelace is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Miller, at Brunot.

Rev. Tom Mason and wife were here last week from Fredericktown to visit his sister, Mrs. Walter Lovelace. They are moving to Springfield, Mo.

Miss Ora Lovelace went to St. Louis last week to take the medical examination before she can enter the Missionary field.

Rev. V. E. Patterson and family stopped over on their way home from Greenville, where he has been in a Revival. He preached three sermons here. He is a very able speaker.

ISAAC.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to our relatives and friends for their kind sympathy extended during our sad bereavement in the death of our dear brother, uncle and cousin.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT HOOK.
MR. O. H. GORDON AND FAMILY.
MRS. HULDA BEARDSLEY AND DAUGHTER.

Annapolis News.

A few showers the past week, but not enough to do much good. Been good rains round about. Sunday afternoon there was a heavy rain on Funk Branch and hail half as big as hen eggs.

Jack Johnson of Bear Branch last week secured a license at Ironton to marry Mrs. Mead, a young widow of Fruit City, in Reynolds county, and hiked out there Saturday. In all probability they are now on Bear Branch living on honeymoon and huckleberry pie.

T. P. Fitz is here this morning looking after his meat and farm trade.

Gus Funk lost a $200 mare the past week.

Sheriff Blue was in town last week rounding up some offenders for the October term of circuit court. They will all be on hand at the appointed time.

Squire Kitchell has some fine potatoes this year, notwithstanding the dry weather.

It was not Geo. Henson who ran a nail in his foot, but his mother. Mrs. Dicey Kitchell stuck a ten-penny nail through her foot and caused a painful wound, but she is getting along fine.

Ed Moss and Lucian Goodman have bought Gus Funk's traction engine and boiler, and are moving it out to Richland Creek to saw lumber.

The railway station here is being repainted.

Arthur Brewer is moving to the lead mines to-day. Several of the Annapolis boys are going with him.

George Rumpbell of Vulcan was in Annapolis last week with a load of scrap iron and other junk that he sold to D. A. Worley for a good price. Scrap iron now brings 55 cents.

The Lesterville and Des Arc nines played a game of ball here Sunday which ended in a row. One man pulled a knife, but no one hurt.

James Slusher has all his wheat in the shock and is ready to look after after the corn.

Lots of huckleberries in the woods. Selling here at forty and fifty cents a gallon.

Wm. Parmer's wife from Piedmont visited him here the past week.

J. Cook and family from Mill Spring are visiting D. Middleton and family, near Minimum. Mr. Cook recently purchased 80 acres of the Wm. S. Worley land in that section.

Two train loads of soldiers went south to-day, and had their cannons and baggage with them. And another train is expected. It looks like the old days of 1861 and 1862.

BULLETIN.

A TEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perform a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Belleview News.

The hum of the binder greets our ears this morning. We have a good average yield.

Our valley is needing a good rain.

Mrs. I. N. January, son and granddaughter, of Lesterville, visited her sisters, Mrs. Gentry Moyer and Mrs. Giles Henderson, a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Irondale spent Thursday in the home of Mrs. Bollinger.

Wm. King was a business visitor in St. Louis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Irondale.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lasater, of Elvins, are visiting their son, David Lasater.

King & Marsell loaded several cars of ties at the yard Thursday and Friday and will load lumber this week.

Mrs. John W. Wallen and little son, Johnnie, of Oklahoma City, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Paullus.

The Red Cross meeting at the Baptist Church last Thursday evening was a success. There was a full house. Quite a number of interested persons from Ironton were present. The Choral Club rendered valuable help. A branch chapter was organized with 30 members. Mr. T. E. Bell, Chairman; Mrs. A. A. Meador, Vice-Chairman; Mr. H. L. Bell, Secretary; Mr. O. R. Robinson, Treasurer; Rev. I. N. Sherrow and Mrs. T. E. Bell committee to solicit new members. Following is a list of the names:

Rev I N Sherrow	Mrs H L Bell
Dr A A Meador	Miss Lizzie Russell
Mrs A A Meador	Mrs Wm King
David Lasater	Mrs H Latham
Mrs D Lasater	A R Campbell
Robert Wood	Russell Farrar
B W Bynum	Eugene Gibbs
Mrs B W Bynum	Erbin Price
J L Logan	Mrs D C Stevens
O R Robinson	Mrs Bollinger
J O Campbell	T E Bell
Mrs J O Campbell	Mrs T E Bell
Bunker Smith	Miss Ruth Bynum
Mrs W A Bean	Mrs M Horsman
Harry Russell	Mrs I N Sherrow
H L Bell	

ALPHA.

Goodwater News.

We are needing rain badly.

Farmers are getting along nicely with their corn crop.

Oats are finest for several years.

J. H. Crocker went to Graniteville last Friday.

John I. Marshall, of Ironton, passed through here one day last week.

Mrs. Stafford, mother of Dr. F. E. Stafford, died at Doyle, of heart trouble last Thursday. She would have been 80 years old July 28th, and had been an invalid for several years.

Mrs. Matt Williams, of East End, has been very sick, but is some better.

Etta Wigger spent part of last week in Ironton.

Martin Bros. are moving their saw mill to Warren Hollow. They are going to cut the timber they recently bought from Mrs. Yount.

Art Wilson and Miss Clinie Stamps were married on the 29th. Your correspondent tied the nuptial knot.

Bert Lucas is in St. Louis.

Geo. B. Cole died at his home near Quaker on the 24th, at the age of 79 years. He was a good man, and will be badly missed by the people who knew him.

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EDGAR L. TAYLOR, Ass't Cashier
LEROY C. BRYAN, Ass't Cashier.

West End Items.

Dear Editor—It being some time since I have sent any items from this land and country, I thought I would take time to scribble you a few lines.

Every thing is lovely and the goose hangs high. Plenty of work for every body that wants to work, and can fish and have sport when they don't want to work.

We had a nice local shower yesterday but it didn't reach far, but it made us all feel like eating green beans and new potatoes who were in the showery district. Rain was needed very badly out in this neck of the woods. And those who were not in the rainy region yesterday are still in need of rain.

If any one wants a job for himself or a team come to Wm. Volner & Son's, he could get a job and good wages; $2.00 to $2.50 for sawing bolts and from $4.00 to $6.00 for hauling bolts; they pay prices to suit the high cost of living.

Navy beans are worth 18¾ cents per pound in St. Louis. Pretty high.

The West End is improving. More of our citizens are getting automobiles. Every body that can ought to get them a car; they are the best road workers there are in the country.

Dr. Martin made two trips to Oates in the last few days in his new car. He made the trips very successfully. This is a reasonably good road except the creek, and this could be remedied by some good road work. I expect to write an article next week calling the attention to citizens about some good roads that we need and how we can get them.

There is a reasonably good hay crop out here and good prospect for potatoes and all kind of garden truck.

It is reported that Mr. Scheeder's cattle are being killed that are on the wild range near Bixby. The parties may be where Yates and Cauley are. Better be careful, people.

Wm. Volner has purchased a fine span of mules.

O. T. White of West Fork is very sick, not much chance for him.

Bob White's little girl is very sick.

Arthur Sutterfield and family of West Fork spent the week end with M. C. Volner.

Cland Volner and Henry Sumpter made a trip to St. Louis last week.

Quite a crowd was at J. A. Francis' Sunday.

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Since Congressman Hensley and O. L. Munger have declared themselves not candidates for Congressman, I have been thinking [illegible]

Hon. C. M. Buford would enter the race for the nomination. The people couldn't make a better selection to fill the place of Hon. W. L. Hensley whose time will expire in 1919. Hon. C. M. Buford has been Senator for the past ten years, and has been the author of some very important laws and now I think he ought to be sent to Washington, D. C. J. A. F.

Huzzah Items.

It is still hot and dry. The thermometer registered 106 in the sun Sunday.

Business is a little dull at present.

Phillip Cureton and wife, of Poplar Bluff, paid home folk at Bixby a short visit last week. Frank Fieser drove them from Bunker in a car.

Mrs. F. E. Stafford and daughter, Miss Verna, of Boss, went to the Camp Ground Friday.

Mr. Wilbur Dodson made a business trip to Enough the first of the week.

Mr. James Inman has returned home from near Ironton.

Rev. F. K. Hutchings filled his regular appointment at Goodland Saturday and Sunday.

"Grandma" Stafford, of Doyle, died suddenly last Friday, near 1:00 P. M. She had been in poor health some time, but seemed to be as well as usual when she ate dinner. She was found dead sitting in her chair where she had been reading. She was laid to rest in the Boss cemetery Saturday, June 23.

S. H. Dodson is working on Strother this week.

Mrs. Eliza White is visiting her father-in-law, Turner White, who is very ill at present.

George Asher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barton, of Enough, called at Enoch Inman's Sunday.

Mrs. Esther Martin is improving some. ANGELO.

June 28, 1917.

Redmondville Items.

We had some rain this afternoon which was badly needed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller visited Mr. Black's Sunday.

Avis Pippin who is attending school at Ironton visited home folk Saturday night and Sunday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Giles, June 23d, 1917, a boy. Fletcher is all smiles.

Mrs. Chas. Anderson was a caller at Mrs. Terry's Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Millman visited Anna Crocker Saturday.

Mr. N. W. Short and family are visiting [illegible] at Redmondville.

[illegible] spent Saturday night with [illegible]

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