

Ironton, Missouri, THURSDAY, SEPT. 11, 1919.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Genuine summer the past few days. Some roasting ears since the rains. The Picture Show now starts at 8:00 o'clock sharp.

The diamond drill is still working away at Pilot Knob.

There will be a few winter apples. Not many, it is said.

Some of the September weather has been as hot as August.

W. D. Fletcher shipped a car of hogs to St. Louis Wednesday.

Many of our summer visitors have returned to their city homes.

S. W. Andrews left home last week. Said he was going to work again.

Coming, "The Rainbow Trail," sequel to "The Riders of the Purple Sage."

R. T. White is having a store room built on the north side of the Bine Store.

The Baptist Ladies are anxious to subscribe for your papers and magazines—phone 23.

That gasoline engine that propels the wood saw certainly makes a nerve-racking noise.

Mr. C. A. White has returned to Redmondville after an automobile trip to Wisconsin.

The statements of the Bellevue Valley Bank and the Bank of Annapolis are printed this week.

Mrs. Fannie Reese and son and daughter of Annapolis are domiciled in their Ironton home for the winter.

Des Arc and Pilot Knob will play ball in Fletcher's field, Ironton, next Sunday, September 14th, at 2:20 P. M.

After the very cool nights of the first days of September we have had genuine summer again the past few days.

D. E. Fletcher sold three Ford cars Monday afternoon. Edgar says that the people are just clamoring for them.

If a bill now pending in Congress is enacted the salary of the Ironton postmaster will be about \$2200 per annum.

A light plant that affords no service in the morning is far, far, from satisfactory, especially as the fall season approaches.

It is reported that the Hunter place, beyond Russellville, known as the Conrad farm, is about to change hands again.

Rev. A. B. Bush was called to Louisiana, Mo., last Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of an aunt who died the night before.

For Sale—One lady's bicycle in excellent condition; \$10.00 cash, for immediate sale. Telephone or call Roblee, Arcadia, Mo.

It is said the recent rains have helped the late corn materially, and in many places, if the frost holds off, a fair crop may be made.

Miss Fredonia Ringo is employed as teacher in High School at Kirkwood, while Miss Lucille Ringo is re-employed in Webster Groves schools.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boardman, Arcadia, Mo., Sunday, August 31, 1919, a son. All are well, and the REGISTER extends its congratulations.

Fletcher & Barger last week purchased the building formerly used as a handle factory, near the Ironton station. It will be used for storage purposes.

The October term of the Iron county circuit court convenes October 6th, three weeks earlier than formerly, under a law enacted by the last legislature.

For some reason or another there was a lull in automobile travel Sunday. Not nearly the number of visitors that usually characterizes the first day of the week.

Country butter is selling at sixty cents in some instances. The price of eggs hangs around thirty-five cents, but they are scarce and have been for a month or more.

Jacob Dinger has grown 500 lbs. of tobacco on an acre of ground on his farm, east of Ironton. With the product bringing fifty cents a pound it occurs to one that it would be a very profitable crop.

Manager Schaefer was in St. Louis the first of the week. He says he booked some mighty fine attractions that will be presented in the course of the next month or so.

O. W. Rennis of Graniteville was a caller at this office last Saturday, and informed us that the net receipts of the Labor Day picnic and dance at Graniteville were \$124.50.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week:

John Cool and Cecelia Wisniewski of St. Louis.

Thomas Sliva of Troy, Illinois and Margaret Brendel of St. Louis.

J. D. Vance of Ironton and Viola Webber of Memphis, Tenn.

John J. Tiefenauer, who recently went from Munger to Bismarck to engage in the bakery business, was in Ironton Monday. John says he is getting along very nicely.

Mrs. Dr. Barnhouse went to Jefferson City last Friday. From there she and Dr. Barnhouse proceeded to New York to attend the national convention of pure food commissioners.

Word has been received from Mr. Chas. E. Downey and family announcing their safe arrival in California, but they have been considerably annoyed and delayed by the railroad strike.

For Sale—One 18-horse power Avery traction engine and saw mill. All in good running order. Will sell cheap. Located 4 miles west of Ironton.

DICK CHILDERS, Ironton, Mo.

For Sale—Dining Room Suite, 1 Carpet, 2 Heating Stoves, 1 Oil Stove, Sausage Machine and Stuffer; also Chickens, 2 Milk Cows, 1 Horse. Apply to Mrs. Caroline Herrmann, formerly Henley farm.

Dr. Barnhouse sends us a program of the Twenty-Third Annual Convention, Association of American Dairy, Food and Drug Officials in session at the Commodore Hotel New York City, September 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Prof. B. W. Loomis and wife, of Warrensburg, Mo., were valley visitors last week, making the trip here in their Sedan car. Prof. Loomis will again be a member of the Warrensburg faculty for the ensuing year.

It would be a good idea to straighten up the fence along the fill that leads from one of the bridge spans across Stout's creek to the other between Ironton and Arcadia. It might save some one a fall down the embankment.

Bisplinghoff & Hill, undertakers at Bismarck, are prepared to furnish a motor hearse for funerals, having recently purchased a modern hearse car. Arrangements for its hire can be made by applying to Fletcher and Barger, Ironton.

At least two weddings with valley young folk as the high contracting parties are fixed to take place by the early days of October. Our informant is not advised whether the ceremonies will occur in the valley, St. Louis or Akron, Ohio.

Mr. A. I. Willard went to Kennett last week to investigate a hotel proposition that had been offered him. The situation did not appeal to him and he concluded not to go into it. He says he found watermelons in abundance and very cheap down there.

Sheriff Blue went to Mississippi county last week after Chas. Stamey, formerly of the southern part of the county, who is charged with child abandonment. In default of bond, Stamey is in jail where he will likely remain until circuit court convenes.

The allotment of Ford cars made to Fletcher & Barger for the Ironton and Bismarck agencies for the ensuing year is 125. The boys tried hard to get the promise of 150 cars but are feeling pretty good that their allotment is as large as it is.

Dr. R. W. Gay is in receipt of a letter from Mr. W. Palmer Clark of St. Louis stating that the railroad officials have arranged to stop train No. 17 at Arcadia on Friday nights to and including October 10th, for the convenience of passengers from St. Louis.

Mrs. E. M. Orrick will have a sale of livestock, farm implements, household and kitchen furniture and other articles at her farm, one mile south of Graniteville, Mo., on the Centerville road, Saturday, September 20th, commencing at ten o'clock A. M. Terms of sale, cash.—Adv.

Mr. Ed. Coad, Mr. and Mrs. James Coad and children, Mrs. E. J. Nolan, Mrs. A. E. Cunningham, Mr. Ed. Naullhan and wife and Mrs. Margaret Coad motored down from St. Louis Saturday to visit friends and relatives and returned Tuesday. They had a very pleasant trip.

Miss Floy Miller, of Arcadia, primary teacher of Alton Public Schools, secured her release from said schools and accepted a similar position in the Seattle schools. Miss Miller was pleasantly located at Alton, both in school and social life, but she wanted to get out west to see the country.

Mr. J. W. Clarkson and family motored to St. Charles, Mo., last week. Mr. Clarkson left here Friday for Louisiana. Miss Jeanette will go to Lindenwood College, St. Charles, this week. Mrs. Clarkson will remain here a while longer. They have leased Mrs. Francis' residence for another year.

Ben Sohn of Pilot Knob and F. McEntire of Marble Creek had a preliminary examination before Justice Rasche Monday afternoon on a charge of burglarizing T. D. Jones' spring house on Marble Creek August 13th. The defendants were held for circuit court and their bonds fixed at \$500 each.

It is proposed to arrange for Mr. John M. Malange, State Highway Inspector, to deliver an address at Ironton or Bellevue in the near future. Mr. Malange's remarks will be addressed more particularly to those interested in building a road

from here to Bellevue and on to the west end of the county. Due notice will be given.

A circus that visited Poplar Bluff Wednesday of last week did not give the usual free parade in the streets, for the reason that the Monday night previous the City Council had enacted an ordinance fixing the parade license at \$200 instead of \$50 as it had previously been. The small boy was greatly disappointed and much incensed at the action of the City Council.

T. A. Swearinger has opened a grocery store and restaurant in the store building on Main street recently vacated by C. Collins. Mr. Swearinger will keep a complete stock of staple and fancy groceries, fruits, confections, cigars and tobacco, and serve luncheon at all hours. Everything clean, neat and palatable. A share of the patronage is respectfully solicited.—Adv.

The county court of Madison county last Wednesday made an order for a special election for the purpose of voting on the proposition to bond the county for \$325,000 with which to construct a system of good roads and bridges all over the county. The order was made after petitions containing about 600 names of tax-payers had been submitted to the court asking for the election.

A. J. Langdon went to Dunklin county in his automobile last week. He says he certainly had a delightful trip to Colorado, going and returning. The Centennial State has made every provision for the comfort and convenience of the tourist and he is received on every turn with open arms. We are sorry we could not accept an invitation to travel with Mr. Langdon to the Kingdom of Dunklin.

W. A. Vandill of the White & Hummel Manufacturing Company of Redmondville was in Ironton one day last week on his way to Texas where he goes to look after timber lands. Their supply in this county is not yet exhausted but the White and Hummel people want to provide for the future. Mr. Vandill will look over the Lone Star State pretty thoroughly in his search for timber.

Elvins Items in the Lead Belt News: "Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Carr, accompanied by three ants of theirs, Mrs. Fannie Tolman, Mrs. N. Donthin and Mrs. Jennie Elgin, all of whom live in Farmington, motored to Bellevue Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Logan. The three ants of Mr. and Mrs. Carr were all born and reared in Bellevue valley. It had been a good many years since they had visited the scenes of their childhood."

FOR SALE—1 White Princess Dresser, 2 White Chiffoners, 1 large White Dresser with large Mirror, 1 large Packing Chest, 1 Shirt Waist Box, 1 Hat Rack with Mirror, 1 Ladies' Handsome Desk, 1 Mahogany Pedestal, 1 fine Oak Kitchen Cabinet, 1 Four-burner Oil Stove with shelf and large size glass, front oven, 1 Sanitary Wire Cot and Pad, 2 Tables, Pictures, 1 Handsome Electric Dome. Sold all together or separately at a sacrifice if taken by Monday. Apply Mrs. Geo. McGaun, one mile east of Pilot Knob, Mo.

Thos. Hart and family are leaving Ironton for Detroit, Michigan, where they have purchased a home, and will move thereto. The daughters, Mrs. G. E. Lawson and Miss Essie Hart left Saturday, September 6th. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hart and son, Elmer, who returned from service in France a few months ago, will visit the grave of another son, Robert Roy, who gave his life for his country. They will have a tombstone erected at his grave in the family lot, at Crystal City, and will then proceed to Detroit, and join the rest of the family including another son, William, who has been employed there since returning from the army.

The Treasury Department at Washington is very desirous of communicating with Mr. Ivy Elvis Kelley, formerly in the military service of the United States. Mr. Kelley presented a claim for war risk insurance and gave "Hukelbrook," Mo., as his address. There is no such post-office in the state and it has been suggested his address might be Middlebrook, a name somewhat similar to that of the post-office furnished by the missing man. The REGISTER has been asked to help locate him. Any one having any information of Kelley is requested to communicate with R. H. Hallett, Assistant Director in charge of compensation and insurance claims division, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., or Postmaster, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Piedmont Banner: "State Fish and Game Commissioner Birmingham has recommended the purchase of 3044 acres of land in Phelps and Crawford counties at a price of \$150,000, for use as a State park. Most of the land is wild and the recommended price of something near \$49,000 an acre seems to be a rather unusual price for this class of land. We venture the opinion that a tract of equal or surpassing beauty, accessibility and value can be procured in Wayne, Iron or Reynolds counties at less than one-third of the price proposed to be paid for the

above tract. The State cannot afford to be sand-bagged in its purchase of a State park, the need of which is and has been for years disputed. Before lending their approval to the project, Governor Gardner and Attorney-General McAllister, who have the final say-so should investigate it very closely as well as familiarize themselves in land values in more than one section of the State. The home of the State Fish and Game Commissioner is in Phelps county."

PERSONAL.

E. L. Cook left for Flat River Monday.

Thomas Reed has gone to Akron, Ohio.

E. E. Evans was a St. Louis visitor Monday.

Miss Alta Kindell left Tuesday for New York City to attend Columbia University.

A. L. Schwab returned from Chicago Sunday night.

Emil Roehry was here for a day the first of the week.

Miss Lucille Farrar is re-employed in the Wellston schools.

Mrs. H. O. Davis leaves to-day (Wednesday) for California.

Miss Dorothy Honston is attending the Ursuline Academy at Arcadia.

Mrs. J. W. Polk and Miss Carrie expect to remove to Akron, Ohio, soon.

Miss Celia Martin returned Tuesday after an absence of a month in St. Louis.

W. L. Volner and J. A. Francis of Edgehill were callers at this office last Thursday.

Mrs. A. E. Algier and her baby boy of Risco, New Madrid county, are visiting relatives in Ironton.

Mrs. Gussie Hinsdale and Miss Jennie arrived last Saturday to spend a week with relatives in Pilot Knob.

Mrs. Caroline Herrmann has returned to her home, near Pilot Knob, after spending a couple of weeks in St. Louis.

Prof. E. M. Carter, Secretary of the State Teachers' Association, Columbia, Mo., was in Ironton a few hours Saturday.

Among the Ironton people who went to St. Louis to hear President Wilson last Friday were: Rev. Stone, Judge S. M. Brewster and Hon. J. H. Keith.

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ACADEMY THEATRE

Thursday, September 11

School Notes.

The High school is still short one teacher. Teachers are scarce. This scarcity is a sufficient condemnation of Missouri's inadequate taxing system for school purposes.

Basket ball has a very encouraging outlook. Teams have been temporarily organized. A large number of both girls and boys have reported for practice.

About 85 students have been enrolled in High School. Nearly one-fourth of this number are non-residents. This is a very excellent feature. A High School to do the best work should be composed of students from several communities.

The various classes are organizing. Literary programs will soon be arranged in order to give every pupil in school an opportunity to take an active interest in this character of work.

Notice to City Tax-Payers.

The tax books of the City of Ironton for the current year are now in my hands and I am prepared to receipt for all city taxes for 1919. Please call early and avoid the rush that always attends the last days for tax paying.

ROLAND HILL, Collector City of Ironton, Mo.

Baptist News and Notes.

Dr. Milford Riggs was present last Sunday to conduct the Sunday School. The attendance was the largest we have had for many weeks. Superintendent Brookshire has kindly consented to teach the newly formed class for young men. This class was organized to accommodate the "soldier boys" but was not intended for them exclusively. The attendance at the morning wor-

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She Leaned Against Him

there in the desert, and her body was limp and trembling with fear for his safety. Her face was upturned to his. Woman's face, woman's eyes, woman's lips—all acutely and blindly and sweetly and terribly truthful in their betrayal! Then—?

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank all friends for the help and kindness in the burial of our niece, Genevieve.

DR. AND MRS. W. J. SMITH.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.

Sam M. Brewster and George F. Godley, ex parte, petitioners. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree in partition and an order of sale of the Circuit Court of the County of Iron, State of Missouri, made in the above entitled cause at the April term, 1919, thereof, I, the undersigned, Sheriff of the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, will, on

Tuesday, October 7th 1919,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, and during the session of the regular October term of the Circuit Court for the year of 1919, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in Iron County, Missouri, to-wit:

All the southeast quarter of section three (3), township thirty-four (34), north, range one (1) west, containing one hundred and sixty (60) acres, less railroad right-of-way.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash in hand. W. H. BLUE, Sheriff of Iron County, Mo. Ironton, Mo., September 9, 1919.

Job-Work, all kinds, at this office.

Mrs. J. W. Tims, Class Reporter.