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TOWN AND COUNTRY IN BRIEF.

Local Events of The Past Week Recorded For Busy Blade Readers.

W. S. Summers spent last week in Kansas City on business.

The swellest lot of suit cases and traveling bags in the county at Rummell's.

Rummell's have the exclusive sale for the Hawes hats, and have them in all the latest styles.

R. D. Thompson of route one called and renewed this week and ordered the Drover's Journal.

There are to be two days of the old settlers' reunion at Linneus this year, the dates being July 30 and 31.

E. E. Benson put in 130 feet of 5-foot and 140 feet of 4-foot granitoid walk at his residence property this week.

W. L. Sensintaffar and L. W. Lomax, two good farmers on route three, have renewed with us for another year.

The Crossett low shoe for men sold by Rummell is a hummer. Try them. That new Tudor last is a neat one.

Meadville chautauqua tickets are now on sale. As to prices see the chautauqua announcement in THE BLADE today.

Children's day will be observed at the M. E. church next Sunday evening at which time a fine program will be given.

Emil Mesner and Miss Elizabeth Palmer were united in marriage at the Christian church in Linneus last Wednesday evening.

F. M. Connor was in Excelsior Springs this week, having taken three of his driving horses there and placed them on the market.

The Linn County Brotherhood of Threshermen will hold their regular meeting at the opera house in Laclede this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

W. S. Cowherd of Kansas City, candidate for the democratic nomination for governor, will speak in Linneus next Monday at 1 o'clock.

A. J. Caywood this week completed 150 feet more of granitoid walk, making 375 feet of that kind of walk at his residence properties.

Bert Tatman, mail clerk between Burlington and Carrollton, was in Laclede last Saturday evening and made the local postoffice force a visit.

Morris & Schrock are building a milk house and enlarging the barn on their farm adjoining town on the east preparatory to opening their dairy next month.

Everyone treated alike at Rummell's; no favorites played: everything marked in plain figures; one price only and the store back of every dollar's worth sold.

You can find the following preparations of Geo. H. Lee at Barton's drug store: Lee's Lice Killer in all size cans, Flyo Curo for flies on stock, Germozone and Lee's Egg Maker and Lee's sprayers.

Bargain in City Property

Lot 74x150, good five-room house, stone cave, new well and coal house, all granitoid walk, fine location, for sale at once. Call at this office.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Sallie J. Warren, deceased, that I, Harvey Hendrickson, executor of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Linn county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the court house in Linneus on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1908. HARVEY HENDRICKSON, Executor. Dated at Laclede, Mo., June 9, 1908.

Local Paragraphs

Cluett coat shirts at Rummell's. Stetson hats are sold by Rummell.

Barefoot sandals for sale at Rummell's.

Wash suits for the little fellows at Rummell's.

To be well shod, buy the shoes Rummell sells.

Rummell sells the Gibson Girl shoe for ladies.

B. V. D., the athletic underwear, is sold by Rummell.

To be well dressed, buy the clothing Rummell sells.

Keep up to date—buy your furnishing goods of Rummell.

Rompers and play suits for the little folks sold at Rummell's.

Wm. Kraft will pay you the highest market price for wool.

Porosknit, the ideal hot weather underwear, sold at Rummell's.

The Penn overall, the best made for \$1.00, are sold at Rummell's.

The only clothing cabinets used in the city are at Rummell's store.

The Leader-Record announces that Browning will celebrate the Glorious Fourth.

If you have any wool for sale, Wm. Kraft will pay you the highest market price for it.

Take your poor, tired, crippled eyes to Dr. Griffith at the Foreman house Saturday, June 27.

Preaching Saturday evening and Sunday morning at the Christian church and children's day program Sunday night.

All the best varieties of sweet potato plants for sale by L. M. Wilson at his residence in the west part of Laclede.

You get a superior quality of goods at Rummell's; the trade says so; the increase in business is direct evidence of it.

The P. E. O. chapter held a pleasant and interesting session and were delightfully entertained at the home of Miss Emma Gould last Wednesday.

My residence property in Laclede, consisting of four lots, five-room house, good barn and other improvements, for sale at a bargain. R. H. Humphrey.

Farmers who are in the market for implements, vehicles or hardware can save money by reading the advertisement of the Union Mercantile company in THE BLADE today.

Record Year For Coal in Missouri

Last year was a record-breaker in the production of coal in this state. The total output was 4,274,325 tons, and yielded \$7,185,375. There were but eight fatalities at the mines during the year. Coal is successfully mined in thirty-four counties. Macon takes the lead and Lafayette county comes second. In nine counties the output was in excess of 100,000 tons.

The coal product was disposed of as follows: 3,711,877 tons were shipped by rail, 418,781 tons were hauled away in wagons, 25,617 tons were consumed by the miners and 118,100 tons were used for fuel at the mines.

There were employed at the mines during the winter season 10,263 men and 659 mules. The miners consumed 124,902 kegs of powder, for which they paid \$248,206.

For Sale

My residence property in the south part of town for sale at a bargain if taken at once.

MRS. M. J. WILLIAMS.

LOCAL DOINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Pungent Paragraphs Picked up by Our Param-bulating Pencil Pusher.

The fronts of the Owl Pharmacy, Barton's drug store and Kraft's grocery have been brightened up by repainting the past week. There are more that need the same kind of treatment.

The Union Mercantile company announce in THE BLADE today an auction sale of a \$25,000 stock of implements, vehicles and hardware at Mendon and Triplett. Goods sold will be delivered free within fifty miles.

J. E. Kent received a car of coal yesterday and those who want to get their fuel at the lowest price for the year better get their order in at once. From now on he will have coal on hand and can fill orders promptly.

The critical illness of W. N. Harter from peritonitis at his home southwest of town is causing much anxiety among his relatives and many friends. He has been sick for about ten days and at last report there had been no change for the better.

C. J. Dave A. Ball, the famous Pike county statesman and candidate for the democratic nomination for governor, was in Laclede for a short while Wednesday and met quite a number of our citizens through the courtesy of Judge O. F. Libby.

Next Sunday at the Methodist church: 11 a. m.—sermon, subject, "Laying Up Treasures in Heaven." 9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. A birthday offering will be given for the college at Cameron. 2:30 p. m.—Junior League; 7:00 p. m.—Epworth League; 8:00 p. m.—children's day program. E. M. Dugger, pastor.

Misses Margie Englehart and Nellie McGrew and Francis Englehart attended the district Epworth League convention at Marceline this week as delegates from the local league. The delegates were highly entertained and are loud in their praise of Marceline as a convention city. The next convention will be held at Moberly.

Mrs. D. P. Edwards arrived from Sherman, Texas, with the remains of her little daughter last Saturday noon. She was accompanied by her son Edmund and her sister, Mrs. Hunt. The remains were taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bigger, where many friends called, and as they looked upon the sweet, placid little body in its white casket surrounded by beautiful and fragrant flowers—yet not more beautiful or pure than the little face within—their hearts swelled in sympathy for the bereaved mother and brother. Bright, happy and cheerful, Jeanie carried sunshine with her wherever she went. Her death comes as a dark shadow to all who knew her.

The floral offerings were perhaps the largest and handsomest ever seen in the town. The funeral was held at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dugger, and the remains laid away in the city cemetery. The relatives attending the funeral from abroad were Mr. and Mrs. McQuillen and daughter, Miss Jennie, of Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Edwards of Marceline; Mrs. A. K. Hunt of Sherman, Texas; Mrs. Joseph McClelland and Mrs. Lambert Boyle of Hamilton.

Some Evening Reveries.

If there was more push in the world there would be fewer hungry, half clothed, homeless, suffering children; fewer broken down, dissipated men and women; less need of alms houses, houses of correction and homes for the friendless. Push means a lift for a neighbor in trouble. Push means a lift for yourself out of the slough of dependency and shiftlessness, out of trouble, real and fancied. Push never hurts anybody. The harder the push the better, if it is given in the right direction. Always push up hill—few people need a push down hill. Don't be afraid of your muscles and sinews; they were given you to use. Don't be afraid of your hands; they were meant for service. Don't be afraid of what your companion may say. Don't be afraid of your conscience; it will never reproach you for a good deed—but push with all your heart, mind and soul whenever you see anything or anybody that will be better for a good long, strong, determined push.

Push! It is just the word for the grand, clear morning of life; it is just the word for strong arms and young hearts; it is just the word for the world that is full of work as this is. If anybody is in trouble and you see it, don't stand back; push!

If there is anything good being done in any place where you happen to be, push!

Husbands are not made to order; they just grow. To get a good one you have to know him when you see him. He may not look like the man your fancy painted, yet you will recognize in him the qualities that go to make up the reliable, enterprising, amiable man. As a rule, women are not possessed of acute business minds and are not as observant as they might be. One after another they will fall into the same open trap, just as though they were blindfolded or were impelled by some uncontrollable force. The majority of them seem to think they must marry, and all that is necessary is to find a man that is good looking or rich. The average girl first takes a fancy to a pretty man and thinks and dreams of his lovely hair, charming eyes, elegant dress, divine mustache and dove-like voice. She declares that he is too sweet for anything. This fever passes off in time but too often leaves a perverted taste. A dandy figure, swell manners and clattering tongue are apt to outweigh even a good heart, industrious habits and moral worth. Even after marriage visions of the early ideal rise up to disturb the serenity and tranquility of the domestic scene. Better such an ideal had never been formed.

Linn County Teachers' Examination

The next regular teachers' examination in Linn county will be held at Brookfield Friday and Saturday, June 26 and 27. Order of subjects: Friday morning, June 26—Geography, grammar, algebra. Afternoon—Spelling, language, arithmetic, literature.

Saturday morning, June 27—Reading, civil government, United States history, science. Afternoon—Physiology, pedagogy, advanced history.

Examinations will begin promptly at 8 o'clock Friday morning.

E. M. SIPPLE, Commissioner. Rummell's store is headquarters for the boys' and young men's clothing.

HUMANITY ON THE MOVE

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Miss Della Kraft is visiting her sister at Naperville, Illinois.

H. Eccles and family spent last Sunday with relatives at Shelbina.

Mrs. J. E. Strickle and two children visited relatives at Utica this week.

Mrs. Ida Benson and Miss Louese Burke were in Linneus Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. Coleman was the guest of Mrs. C. J. Clifford in Chillicothe the past week.

Mrs. Daisy Edwards is the guest of Mrs. McGrew and family at the Foreman house.

Ward Welsh has been night operator for the Burlington at Anabel the past week.

C. E. Hilton leaves tonight for Chicago to attend the national republican convention.

Miss Effie Botts of Meadville spent last Sunday in Laclede, guest of Mrs. Lockridge.

Mrs. Lineberry of St. Catherine visited her mother, Mrs. Calloud, and family here the past week.

Mrs. Ricketts of Chillicothe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Patrick, and family in Laclede.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson of Brookfield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Mouser Tuesday.

Mrs. Dora Mitchell came from Martelle, Iowa, last week to assist in caring for her brother, W. N. Harter.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Forker school house next Wednesday evening, to which all are invited.

Rev. E. M. Dugger was called to Meadville Tuesday to officiate at a funeral in the absence of Methodist pastor at that place.

C. O. Orton has just completed one of the finest barns in this locality on his farm adjoining the city on the southeast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones were in Cameron Wednesday attending commencement exercises at Missouri Wesleyan college.

Deputy Recorder H. H. Lamb and wife, of Linneus, spent the first of the week visiting Mrs. E. J. Watson and family south of Laclede.

Mrs. W. H. Glover, who has been suffering from rheumatism for several years, was taken to Emporia, Kansas, last week for treatment.

J. J. Deininger is having his farm residence northeast of town raised and put on a new foundation of concrete blocks and an addition built thereto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Welch send in a dollar this week to continue THE BLADE to their address at Los Angeles, Cali., and accompany it with kindest regards to their many friends here.

C. S. Welsh, of route one, called Tuesday and renewed for THE BLADE and Daily Globe-Democrat another year. Mr. Welsh has a fine 100 acre orchard but reports a very light apple crop this year.

Mrs. W. G. Baum and little son Cecyl returned to their home in Joplin last Sunday after a three weeks' stay with relatives, having been called here by the death of Mrs. Baum's mother, Mrs. E. J. Caywood.