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TOWN AND COUNTRY

About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

Honey for sale by G. W. Estes. Fred Alexander was in Chillicothe last Sunday.

Oil stoves very cheap this week at J. B. Patrick's.

J. H. Nichols spent Wednesday in Kansas City on business.

For Sale—One Buick auto and piano like new. Phone 174, Laclede.

Green apples, fine cooking variety, 40c the peck. Carothers & Allen.

J. Paul Jones was on the St. Joseph market Monday with two cars of fat sheep.

The Power Garage sold a Grant Six to Clarence Stapleton of Brookfield last week.

Saturday sale prices only—18 inch linen crash toweling 10 cents per yard. Kraft & Brenner.

Try our Sabo coffee and get some of the finest aluminum premiums free. Kraft & Brenner.

Use Chase & Sanborn teas for making iced tea. Sold in 15 and 25c packages. Carothers & Allen.

F. G. Adams went to Clarence yesterday to remain over Sunday attending a holiness campmeeting.

Drink Schotten's Eight Hour coffee, brews a mild cup. Only 25 cents the pound. Carothers & Allen.

Z. R. Kling was on the St. Louis market last week with one hundred head of fine fat hogs of his own feeding.

The Rest Room will remain open Saturday evening until 9 o'clock for convenience of people trading in town.

Just received an assortment of men's and ladies' sport shirts. Come while you can get your size. Kraft & Brenner.

Peanut sandwiches made from FFOG peanut butter are delicious. Sold in 10, 15 and 30 cent jars at Carothers & Allen's.

Club House pork and beans served these warm days are easily prepared and the taste lingers. 10, 15 and 20c tins. Carothers & Allen.

Earl Foster is home from spending the summer at Kirksville attending the state normal. He will teach the Forker district school the coming term.

Dr. F. W. Burke was in St. Joseph on Thursday of last week, accompanying Mrs. Burke and the children that far on their trip to spend a month in Colorado.

The nutritive value of salmon is higher than that of beef, mutton, pork or chicken. Club House fancy red salmon is the finest packed. 20 and 25c the can at Carothers & Allen's.

All oxfords, ladies' and men's, 10 per cent off. Also will sell all summer dress goods, 10 per cent off from regular price, for one week only, Saturday, August 12 to Saturday, August 19, inclusively. Kraft & Brenner.

The Laclede schools open three weeks from next Monday, September 4. The board held a meeting Monday night and took action on some matters preparatory to the opening, one thing being the election of a janitor. John Sweet was chosen.

Republican Committee Organized

The new republican county central committee met at Linneus last Monday with nearly every township represented. A. C. Ferris of Brookfield was unanimously elected chairman. On motion it was ordered that the secretary be permitted to select the secretary which he will do in the near future. Alpha Michaels of Marceline was unanimously re-elected treasurer. The matter of naming a candidate for judge of the western district was taken up and W. R. Sallee was unanimously chosen. Mr. Sallee is a well known and substantial farmer living in Clay township and has splendid qualifications for member of the county court. Other vacancies on the ticket will be filled by the executive committee. Mr. Ferris, the new chairman of the county committee, is active and aggressive and will conduct a lively campaign and use every honorable means to elect the entire ticket.

Suspects Arrested

Two young men from Kansas who have been in this vicinity for several months were arrested by Marshal Power last Monday morning as they attempted to board the morning train for Kansas City. The arrest was made on request of W. A. Cutler, night operator for the Burlington, who was held up and robbed here April 19. In the two boys he thought he recognized the robbers and had them turned over to Special Officer Hughes of the Burlington. They were taken to Brookfield and examined by Prosecuting Attorney McKinney but the evidence was not sufficient to warrant holding them and they were released.

Aluminum Ware Free

You get a free coupon with each purchase, good for a piece of aluminum ware. See our display in front window. J. B. PATRICK.

Methodist Church Notes

H. J. Dueker, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wm. Kraft, superintendent.

After the study of the lesson a short missionary program will be rendered.

To the pastor was granted a leave of absence for Sunday in order that he might preach at the dedication service of the enlarged church at Mt. Pleasant on Green City charge, where he was pastor prior to coming to Laclede. Mr. Dueker gave the people the vision of improvements and his successor carried them out. Now pastor and people want the former pastor to enjoy the feast of good things.

Local and Personal

Misses Lula and Mima Walker are home from attending the Kirksville normal.

T. H. Barbee and daughter, Miss Folsom, motored up from Adrian and are spending a week here with relatives.

Miss Muriel Jacobs of Linneus is spending the week with her cousins, Lee and Willie Landree, at Rosair farm.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Weaver and Mrs. Allie Harter and daughter, Miss Beatrice, returned Wednesday evening from their motor trip to Oklahoma City.

Miss Jennie Stark returned Friday from Columbia where she attended the summer term of the state university. Miss Stark will teach mathematics and agriculture in the Warsaw high school this year.

ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

The fifth annual assembly of the Linn county W. C. T. U. will be held at the Presbyterian church in Brookfield on Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

J. W. Moberly's right hand was severely burned last Tuesday as he pitched a flaming gasoline stove into the yard at his home. The fire was extinguished before much damage was done.

S. Bassett came in from Walnut, Kansas, Wednesday night to visit his brother, James and family, and his many old friends here. He says it is about as dry in his locality as here, the late planted corn especially suffering.

Miss Daisy Rankin has returned from taking a summer course at the state university at Columbia and will spend a couple of weeks at her home here before going to Carthage to resume her duties in the public schools of that city.

While squirrel hunting several miles northwest of town a few weeks ago, F. F. Pratt and A. J. Baum, spotted a bee tree. They cut it last Saturday and secured over a hundred pounds of fine honey, and Geo. Estes captured the bees and added them to his apiary.

The Meadville chautauque, the one big event of the county, begins one week from next Saturday, August 19 and runs to the 27th. Special trains will be run from Brookfield both Sundays, leaving Laclede at 9:10 a. m. Returning the train leaves Meadville at 9:15 p. m.

A. S. Byrd, secretary of the Laclede Farmers' Mutual Fire and Lightning Insurance company is mailing out notices of an assessment of three mills on each dollar of insurance in force in that company on July 1. This assessment is made to cover thirty losses that have occurred since the last assessment September 1, 1915. Most of the losses were on stock killed by lightning.

Chas. W. Shive, a former Laclede boy and member of the Laclede high school, now in the government mail service as clerk in the postoffice at Quakertown, Pa., sends a remittance to renew his subscription this week. He says they are having real summer weather in the east with lots of rain and everything is growing fine. Hay was an enormous crop, wheat and rye a little above the average and oats and corn looking promising.

People are already inquiring about schools and looking up points and places where they can best school their sons and daughters. It is none too early to call attention to the Laclede schools. This town should lead in the capacity of her schools any place in this section, and we believe it will if the matter is given due publicity. Morally Laclede is as clean a town as you find anywhere—not a saloon or pool hall or objectionable resort of any kind. Parents should have no hesitancy in sending their children here to school. The advantages are the best and the training given pupils is thorough and prepares them for the state university without examination.

Harvest Picnic

A public meeting will be held in the park Friday evening, August 11, at 7:15 to consider the question of holding a harvest picnic in Laclede this fall. Every business man as well as every citizen of the town is invited to come out and take part in the meeting. The harvest picnic held a few years ago was the most successful things ever pulled off here and many believe we can do even better this year. Come out to the meeting Friday evening and express yourself and do your part toward having one big day in Laclede.

Missionary Meeting

A very enjoyable occasion to all present was the August meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society under the cooling breath of the electric fans at the church. The president, Mrs. Bigger, led the exercises of song, scripture reading and prayer. Following instrumental music by Willie Landree, Mrs. Landree, the leader, introduced a local visitor, Miss Volmer, of Illinois who gave the society enough ideas on live mission exercises in Sunday school to last a year or more.

A cornet solo by five young ladies, a song by Elfrieda Dueker and piano solo by Harold Standly were thoroughly enjoyed. Miss Dueker talked inspiringly enough about college life to convince any young person of the value of sacrificing lesser things in order to enjoy the association of people and life purposes which center around colleges.

After a mite-box story by Ruth Foreman, the mite boxes were opened. Those who lingered were delighted to know that enough was collected to elect another life member to add to present list which has been made so either by the society or by individuals and consists of Beatrice Harter, Ruth Foreman, Willie Landree, Naomi Burnett, Georgia Loesa Welsh, Louise Griffith and Lucile Groes.

L. T. L. Meeting

The Loyal Temperance Legion met at the home of Gene Nettie Pease Wednesday, twenty-nine responding to roll call with Bible quotations. Opening prayer, Letha Anderson; vocal solo, Viola Anderson; reading, Ethel Garside; story, life of Frances E. Willard, Gene Nettie Pease; lesson subject, "The stairway of love," led by Zoe Stutsman was very interesting and well rendered.

The following officers were elected for the next quarter: Kathlene Cross, president; Marguerite Jones, vice president; Gene Nettie Pease, secretary; Eunice Farrar, treasurer; Zoe Stutsman, librarian; Arvilla Garside, organist; Lucile Jones, assistant organist.

At the close of the meeting an invitation was extended to the L. T. L.'s of Laclede to render a short program at the W. C. T. U. convention in Brookfield August 17. Meeting adjourned to meet with Carl and Isabelle Libby, August 23.

Lyceum Course Dates

The dates for the Laclede Lyceum course have been received and accepted and are as follows:

October 13, Maud Stevens Concert Company; December 15, Preston Bradley Lecture; January 17, Strollers Male Quartet; February 6, Charles H. Plattenburg, lecturer.

Five year guaranteed paint only \$1.75 a gallon at J. B. Patrick's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Furnished rooms for rent. Bourn Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gartner were in Linneus Tuesday.

C. E. Tracy made a business trip to Macon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pitney of Chicago are visiting relatives here.

Miss Kathryn Harter visited relatives at Meadville over last Sunday.

Miss Lena Mendenhall of Brookfield spent Wednesday afternoon with Laclede friends.

Miss Lizzie Gndgell of Meadville visited her brother, E. B. Gndgell, and family here this week.

Miss Willetta Moberly went to Milan last Saturday to spend a two weeks' vacation with relatives.

Prof. J. E. Marsh has returned from attending the summer session at the state normal at Maryville.

Fred Alexander has returned from spending a month with his mother, Mrs. R. M. J. Davis at Vista, Mo.

Miss Dora Goins returned Wednesday from attending the summer session of the state normal at Maryville.

Mrs. Bertha Brendel and children visited Geo. C. Jones and family at Linneus the latter part of last week.

Mrs. F. G. Adams and daughter, Chrystal, returned home Wednesday from attending a camp meeting at Clarence.

J. Paul Jones, committeeman from this township, attended the democratic committee meeting at Linneus last Tuesday.

A. J. Caywood, wife and daughter, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Ormsby in Chillicothe.

Mrs. A. L. Lindyke and two little sons of Brookfield visited over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Reed and family.

Miss Ruby Adams left Wednesday to attend a camp meeting at Macon. She will teach again in that county beginning her school in September.

I. S. Linn and family of Mt. Auburn, Ill., motoring to Great Bend, Kansas, for a visit, spent a couple of days here the first of the week with L. E. Eichman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Libby of Bonne Terre and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Libby of Linn Creek are visiting relatives here, guests at the home of Judge and Mrs. O. F. Libby.

Mrs. A. J. Linn is spending this week and next at the wholesale millinery houses of Quincy and St. Louis and selecting her fall line as well as getting the styles for fall and winter wear.

Byron Western has returned from taking the summer course at the Maryville state normal, and will move to Spickard preparatory to opening the public schools at that place as superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Mitchell of Meadville took the train here Wednesday for a month's visit in the east, stopping in Ohio to visit Mr. Mitchell's brother and then going to their old home in West Virginia.