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TOWN AND COUNTRY

About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

Try a Century pen. Buy them at the Rexall Store.

For Sale. Good No. 8 cast iron cook stove. E. E. Gould.

One thousand dollars private money to loan. Apply at this office.

Maxwell roadster in good condition for sale. Inquire at this office.

Toys, games, dolls and books for the children at the Rexall Store.

Work mare, 4 year old saddler and mule colt for sale by Ernest Adams.

Jersey milch cow, fresh, for sale by Read & Bertelsen, Boomer.

Some sweet potatoes for sale by E. W. Pease, north part of town, phone 37.

A. G. Groes has bought the Childress lots just south of his garage property.

Am in the market for all kinds of furs. See me before selling. F. M. Alexander.

Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels for sale by Mrs. Fred Clinefelter, phone 404.

Scrap iron 40 cents per hundred delivered. Bring it in any time. F. M. Alexander.

Registered Delane ram from C. C. Carpenter's flock, for sale by Read & Bertelsen, Boomer.

The Rexall Store is full of new goods at reasonable prices. Come in and be convinced before buying elsewhere.

Mrs. Mary Mize is spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Morrison and family at Greencastle.

Purebred Buff Rock roosters and Purebred White Leghorn roosters for sale. Mrs. H. E. Foster, Boomer.

Five full blood Duroc Jersey brood sows, also one full blood Duroc Jersey male hog for sale by Vahl Clawson.

S. C. Rhode Island cockerels, excellent strain, also a few S. C. Rhode Island pullets for sale by Mrs. G. W. Syms, Laclede.

F. W. Groes has bought the tools and fixtures of the only meat market in Meadville, has placed a man in charge and will continue the business.

Mrs. Ella Standly, Mrs. Catherine Fruin, Mrs. Stella Thompson and Mrs. J. E. Welsh, attended the Meadville flower show Saturday afternoon.

There will be a program and pie supper at the Oak Arbor school house, Friday evening, November 26, to which all are invited. Queene Lamme, Teacher.

The fourteenth episode of the "Mystery of 13," Cathlyn Williams and the wild animals and a comedy will be the movies program for Saturday night. The serial ends next week.

So far as home use is concerned Jacob and Lucy Drew are not much concerned about the price of lard and pork, having killed a 400 pound pig of their own feeding this week. Lucy says while she was not able to hoe in the garden this summer she could feed the pigs.

The Burlington is Back

The Burlington railroad company has come back—back to our advertising columns. For nearly thirty years—from the time this paper was established up to the time the government grabbed the railroads under the pretext that it was a war necessity, the Burlington was represented in our advertising columns, but when the present administration took charge of the roads it cut off all paid ads and began to bombard the office with dope boosting government control, specifying it was to be published free as public information. In no way have the newspapers been given a square deal by the present administration and it was no wonder that Cox made the statement during the campaign that the press of the country was almost unanimously unfriendly to his party and the committee was compelled to resort to billboards and handbills to get its matter before the public.

The Baptist Church

Ralph A. Craig, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching 11:00 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. 7:00. Preaching 8:00 p. m. Business meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. This will not be the annual business meeting as was announced last week but the complete report of the committee on the basement will be given and we trust all interested will be present. The annual business meeting will be first Wednesday in January when the church officers for the year will be elected.

Altho we appreciated very much the kindness of the Christian people yet every one was glad to get back home. We cordially invite the public to come and worship with us. "Come thou with us." You acknowledge that the church has a good influence in a community then why not lend your support to it.

Woman's Missionary Society will have an all day meeting the first Thursday in December. Bring dinner and thimbles. Meeting begins at 10:00 o'clock. Program in the afternoon. Visitors welcome.

Tax Collections

The tax books of Jefferson township are now open for collections at the Thorne furniture store. The schools of the township are short of funds and it would be a great help for those who can to pay at once so the boards may have funds to meet the teachers' salaries and other school expense.

C. F. Sayles, Collector.

Gifts That Last

At last, gifts that last will be the thing and the jewelry we sell lasts, for it is Hallmark and for the price none can equal it.

S. M. STRAIN, Brookfield.

For Sale

Baled straw, 40 cents per bale at the barn; 6-foot white oak fence posts, 20 cents each. F. M. Alexander.

For Sale

Have a few choice S. C. Leghorns, yearling hens, 25 in number, at \$1.50 per bird; also a few choice cockerels at \$2.00 per bird if taken at once. H. M. Bartimus, Laclede.

ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

D. J. Kelley has sold his blacksmith shop property to A. C. Windle. Mr. Kelley will continue to occupy the back shop while Mr. Windle will move his shoe repairing business to the front room.

The Atterbury stock of goods that he traded to D. W. Stucker of Breckenridge some time ago was sold under a mortgage foreclosure Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Atterbury bidding the stock and fixtures in at \$2,000.

Wm. Kraft uses our advertising columns today to announce the opening of his new store next Saturday morning. He is located first door north of the Lomax & Standly Bank and invites his old time patrons as well as new ones to call and see him.

Taylor Weaver is to quit his farm which lays about halfway between Brookfield and Marceline. He is soon to hold a public sale and thereafter move to Brookfield, having bought the electric shoe shop on the south side. The farm is for sale or rent.

J. E. Marsh was here from Brookfield Wednesday to take part in the turkey shoot. Mr. Marsh is still in the Burlington offices at Kansas City and with Mrs. Marsh has just returned from his vacation trip to Galveston, Texas, stopping on their return trip at Mansfield, La., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Willard, and family.

Mrs. P. F. Weaver entertained a number of lady friends Friday evening, a surprise on her sister, Mrs. Allie Harter on the eve of her departure to spend the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spokesfield in Kansas City. Games were played and refreshments enjoyed. Mrs. Harter left Saturday.

A number of wool growers of this vicinity have received checks the past week from the bureau of markets of the United States department of agriculture, the amounts being a refund of the excess profits made by dealers who handled the wool clip of 1918, under the regulations of the war industrial board. More than 4,700 country dealers operated in 1918, of these approximately 1,000 realized excess profits, and it is this money that is now being refunded to the wool growers.

Grover F. Peacher, breeder of Spotted Poland China hogs, spent last Saturday at H. L. Faulkner's farm near Jamesport where he purchased a fine fourth English male pig. The mother of the pig is Mr. Faulkner's \$2,025 sow. J. O. Moore, who lives northeast of Laclede, paid \$360 for a half sister of Mr. Peacher's pig. Mr. Peacher is planning to hold a public sale of bred gilts on the 16th of next August, in the meantime he is building up one of the best herds of Spotted Poland Chinas in this part of the state.

Mr. Hyde's Secretary

Governor-Elect Hyde has made his first appointment. He announced Saturday that he had selected Tod N. Ormiston as his secretary until the inauguration and after that Mr. Ormiston would be private secretary to the governor. Mr. Ormiston is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ormiston of the Linneus News, born and grew to manhood at Linneus and naturally Linn county is proud to have one of its products thus honored. For the past four years Tod has been on the staff of the Kansas City Star where he has made good and his work during the campaign attracted the attention of Mr. Hyde who recognized in him fine material for a secretary.

Reading Circle Officers

The American Reading Circle met with Mrs. O. A. Potter on route two Tuesday evening. After the business session Mrs. Ella Standly gave an excellent book review, "Brothers in Arm," Mrs. Caywood being absent, Mrs. Bigger read her paper on "Farmers the Greatest Manufacturers." The annual election of officers was held; Mrs. Belle Lomax, president; Mrs. Carrie Pratt, first vice president; Mrs. Ida Benson, second vice president; Mrs. Lola Lomax, secretary; Mrs. Nellie Carothers, treasurer; Mrs. Eunice Burke, librarian, Mrs. Mary Bigger, assistant librarian; Mrs. O. A. Potter, critic. Delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be all social and held on Tuesday, December 14.

The Official Vote

The official vote of the state was given out at Jefferson City Tuesday night. Over the vote cast for president in 1916, the republicans have made a gain of 351,822.

Hyde's plurality was 141,398. Senator Spencer's plurality was 121,663. Auditor Hackman lead the state ticket, his plurality being 154,943. The democrats elected but two congressmen.

The proposition to issue \$60,000,000 of bonds for good highways received a clear majority of 233,493. The "bone dry" amendment carried by 61,290.

Stock Shipments

The following members of the shipping association sent a car of hogs to the St. Joseph market Saturday: A. H. Farrar, G. W. Syms, L. C. Riddell, H. C. Stockwell, Cecil Welsh, Wm. Ehrich, David Peery and Theo. Sharp.

Manager Patterson took a car of hogs to the St. Joseph market Tuesday night for the following members of the shipping association: Landa Lloyd, H. W. Robbins, Carl Wilson, Lee Landree, Harry Peacher, J. P. Harter, J. L. Sensintaffar, and J. M. McDonnell.

Oscar F. Alexander shipped in two cars of steers, from Kansas City Saturday to fatten on his farm northeast of Laclede.

O. A. Potter shipped a double deck car of sheep Saturday to fatten on his farm northwest of town.

Fine stationery, ivory goods, leather goods and things too numerous to mention, for less than you can buy them elsewhere, all at the Rexall Store.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Come to the Rexall Store: you are always welcome.

A nine pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Facto, Monday.

Miss Ama Adamson of Trenton, Nebr., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. J. Finney.

Ed. McDonnell made a business trip to Chillicothe last Saturday afternoon.

A. C. Windle and family are spending Thanksgiving with relatives in Macon county.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Potter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gilbert in Brookfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Farrar are spending Thanksgiving with E. R. Barton and family at Liberty.

Miss Mary Frances Lamme returned home Saturday from a few days visit with friends in Brookfield.

George Monroe left Tuesday for a two weeks visit at St. Joseph, Kansas City and Excelsior Springs.

Ed. McDonnell attended an Aberdeen Angus cartle sale at Milan Tuesday and one at Green City Wednesday.

Mrs. N. E. Randall and son of Hannibal came Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hawes.

Miss Merle Myers, of the Laclede high school, left Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with home folks at Gower.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peters of Chillicothe were Sunday guests of his grandfather, Joseph Mathiasch and other relatives here.

Miss Erma Bonds, teacher in the public schools at Hardin, spent the weekend with her brother, Dr. H. H. Bonds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozarth and Miss Anna Henry of Brookfield were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lamme and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kraft have another grandson, a boy having been born to Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kailer at Naperville, Ill., this week.

J. L. Welsh returned to Sweetwater, Texas, Tuesday after spending a month here with his brother, Chas. B., during the latter's illness.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold its regular quarterly social meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Garside next Wednesday, December 1, at 2 o'clock.

The second number of the season's lyceum course will be given at the opera house next Wednesday night, the attraction being Miss Clarissa Harrold, dramatic impersonator and interpreter of plays.

Hallmark Silver

Good goods, good patterns and the price is right, for you. We have a nice new shipment of these patterns and we will be glad to show it to you, and gladder to sell you some of it.

S. M. STRAIN, Brookfield.