

ALL OVER THE COUNTY

The News of Neighboring Towns Briefly Told

Purdin Enterprise:—Rev. Syms of Laclede will hold services at the Baptist Church, on the third Sunday in May.

Sumner is perking up a bit. A barber down there has installed a complete shower bath outfit and the Star predicts it will do a rushing business during the hot weather.

Mules seem to be headed for war-time prices again. B. E. May, a farmer residing near Milan sold a span last week for \$625, and a neighboring farmer sold a pair for \$500.

Dick Johnson, former county clerk, has bought the Ziehr & Sykes ice plant and bottling works at Brookfield and will continue the business. The deal is said to be a \$50,000 transaction.

Mrs. Geo. L. Joyce, wife of Attorney Joyce of Bucklin, died in a Kansas City hospital last week after undergoing an operation for appendicitis. She is survived by the husband and one daughter.

Miss Esther Belle Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wheeler of Marceline, who is touring Europe, is writing some mighty interesting letters of her travels that are being published in the Journal-Mirror.

Thieves over at Marceline have no fear of the law and a contempt for those who administer it. They entered the henhouse of a justice of the peace one night last week and relieved it of fowls to the value of \$20 and got away with them.

W. G. Beckett, one of Linn county's best known business men, having for many years been at the head of the Purdin mercantile company at Purdin, died at his home in California on Thursday of last week. Mr. Beckett was born in Benton township, this county, in 1857, and resided here until a year ago when he went to California for his health.

Browning Leader:—Monday a deal was closed between the Talbott Grain Co. and the Browning Farm Club and now the club owns the scales and grain house formerly owned by the Talbotts. The Farm Club can use this building very nicely as their car load shipments can thus be unloaded out of the car into their storage room. Other improvements are planned. Let the good work go on.

In the county examination of eighth grade rural graduates held at Brookfield last week 128 took the examination and were granted diplomas entitling them to enter high school next year. Among them were the following from this township: Velma Gable, Lorane McDandled and Raymond Henley of the Plum Grove school; Eula Sellers and Freida Simpson, Oak Arbor; Eva Mouser, Edmond Mouser and Harold Balcom, Locust Creek.

Brookfield Has a Dentist that will do your work at a very reasonable price; use the best of material and guarantee the work to be first class. Come in and see for yourself. No charge for talking the matter over. Dr. Wiley.

Bennett

Elijah Fisher Bennett was born near Danville, Kentucky, February 19th., 1840, and when seven months of age he came with his parents to Missouri where he spent the rest of his days. He was married March 4th., 1864, to Helen Salmon, nine miles north of Pattonsburg, Missouri, and to this union there were born seven children, three girls and four boys. After a lingering suffering for three months or more he died May 13th., 1922, in Kansas City, Missouri, and his remains were brought to Laclede and laid to rest in our beautiful cemetery, May 15th., the funeral being conducted by Rev. Edward R. Kelley, pastor of the local Methodist Episcopal church. Three of his sons are still living, Charles and Nicholas of Kansas City and Oliver of Laclede, and one daughter, Mrs. Blanche Civer of Kansas City. He united with the Methodist Episcopal church, south, near Breckenridge, Missouri, when 24 years old.

The relatives from abroad here to the funeral were Charles and Nichols Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Will Civers of Kansas City; Mrs. Mary Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hobbs of Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobbs and two sons of Hickory; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown of Jamesport; Mrs. Pearl Hobbs and little daughter of Chillicothe.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank neighbors and friends for kind assistance at the funeral of our father, the late Elijah F. Bennett. Charles, Nicholes and Oliver Bennett, Mrs. Will Civers.

Stock Shipments

Manager Patterson had out a mixed load of hogs and sheep to the St. Joseph market Tuesday night for Mack Farrar, J. W. Howard, J. P. Harter, V. E. Hogsett, Fred Alexander, L. Brendahl, W. E. Flommerfelt, Homer Wilson, Geo. Brenner.

Will have cattle out Saturday or Monday. List what you have at once.

Memorial and Decoration Services

Phil Kearny post will observe Memorial Day this year as has been our custom and the following orders are hereby promulgated:

The post will attend divine services in a body at the Methodist church on Sunday, May 28, at 11:00 o'clock.

The graves in the country cemeteries will be decorated in the forenoon of Tuesday, May 30, followed by assembling at the Post room at 2:00 o'clock from which place we will proceed to the Laclede cemetery where decoration of graves and our usual services will be conducted.

The following committee is hereby appointed to receive and arrange flowers at the hall Tuesday: Mesdames J. L. Burke, Emma David, L. M. Wilson, L. J. Buckley and N. J. Thompson.

W. M. Lomax, Commander.
L. M. Wilson, Adjutant.

Notice to Oiling Contractors

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Laclede at the city clerk's office up to noon of Monday, May 22, 1922, for the oiling of the streets of Laclede in oiling districts Nos. 1, 2 and 3, within said city.

Layout of districts and specification for applying and grade of oil may be seen at the office of the city clerk. The contractor to furnish the oil and do all the work and accept special tax bills for same. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the board of aldermen, this 9th. day of May, 1922.
A. J. Caywood,
City Clerk.

Honey Price Reduced

For a short time I will sell honey in ten pound lots or more at 15 cents the pound. Peach Grove Honey Farm, C. H. Gable, Laclede, route two.

Pasture to Rent

Pasture to accommodate 40 or 50 head of cattle, within three miles of Laclede for rent for the season. Call at Farmers Exchange.

NEW VARIETY STORE PRICES

Laclede, Missouri

The New Variety Store is now open for service and business. This store will meet a long-felt necessity in Laclede and vicinity.

We have already served patrons from Brookfield and other adjoining towns.

What do You Think of These Prices?

Curtain yard goods, per yard	..... \$ .10
Ladies hose	..... 15 and 25
Ladies silk hose	..... .65
Ladies night-gowns	..... 1.00
Ladies undershirts	..... .60
Girls middies	..... 1.00
Girls dresses	..... 1.25
Ladies white veil waists	..... 1.00
Boys play suits	..... .95
Men's overalls	..... 1.50
Man's hose	..... .25
14 quart enamel dish pan	..... .50
Enamel wash dish	..... .25
Men's unionsuits	..... .70
Jack-knives	..... .10
Brooms	..... .50

And many other bargains.

Your Patronage Will Be
Greatly Appreciated

The Laclede Theatre,
Saturday Night.

Maurice Tourneur
Presents

'Deep Waters'
A Paramount Picture

And Paramount Magazine

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If they don't please you get your money back

Made in six different weights and quality. We make a broom for all kinds of trade.

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J. L. WELSH, Manager.

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Service Such as You Would Expect
From Any Good Bank.

This is the cleaner
that gets *all* the dirt

The Royal, with powerful suction, scientifically applied, gets the unsanitary embedded dirt as well as surface litter. ALL the dirt comes out!

The Royal cannot harm the finest rug, even Orientals, or the sheerest drape—cleans with air alone. So light it cannot tire you. Built to last a lifetime, and practically trouble-proof.



Let our Royal Man clean a rug for you free and show you how Royal gets the unsanitary, gritty embedded dirt out of your rug.

**THE ROYAL
Electric Cleaner**
Cleans By Air Alone!

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