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Opportunity is Knocking Knocking Knocking



THREE MORE DAYS

And the most remarkable visit opportunity has made in Butler this year will be ended.

25 representative ladies will be members of the famous Hoosier Club. 25 ladies will enjoy kitchen comforts they never knew before. One lady will receive a Hoosier Special Kitchen Cabinet. She may be you.

COME EARLY TOMORROW.
(BRING YOUR COUPON.)

A. H. CULVER

Furniture Company
Headquarters for Good Furniture.

New Home.

March came in lamb like, will it go out lion like? Wait and see.

People are beginning to sow oats and plow for garden and potatoes.

Bob Bennett was hauling hay Tuesday.

W. B. Miller was called to Vernon county Tuesday to conduct the funeral of an old and highly respected citizen, James Witt, who was born in Williamsburg, Ky., in 1846 and came to Missouri forty-one years ago, locating in Vernon county, west of Metz, where he has since resided.

We see in passing that Mrs. W. B. Miller has a brand new yard fence. C. A. Patton, Frank Morse, Clarence and Carl Morris and Harry Littlefield came last Wednesday and assisted in putting it up, and Mrs. Miller is very grateful to them for their assistance.

The New Home Teachers Reading Circle was to meet last Saturday night

at Judge March's, we have not heard from it.

The five acre farm, adjoining New Home on the east, has changed hands, but we have not learned the man's name, who bought it nor the price paid, it was formerly owned by John Lanman.

We saw M. E. Cole bringing in a new riding plow a few days ago, so we presume that farming is going to begin in earnest.

Uncle Joe Bobbitt is gradually growing weaker.

Mrs. Cory Morris spent the day with Mrs. W. B. Miller last Wednesday, and Mr. and Mrs. Helms made a business call on Miss Ada Miller. Mrs. Helms wanted a carpet woven. She brought warp and filling for 36 yards.

Hogs seem to still be booming in price, but shrinking a number and quality. CLOVER.

"Sleeth" the Insurance Man. 18-ft

VIRGINIA.

Mrs. Henry Gardner went to Worland Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Sadie Izatt.

Mrs. Ben Parker who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cuzick, returned to her home at Kansas City last Friday.

Mrs. Joe T. Whinery bought a house and lot in Amoret last week where she will move this fall. Mrs. Whinery's daughter Mary and son Willie left Sabbath for Oklahoma to visit her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Gordon and other relatives.

Mrs. Will Durst returned from Kansas City Saturday where she had been in a hospital for some time. She is getting along nicely.

C. A. Wallace moved from Amoret to his farm last week and Mr. Lewis from the C. A. Wallace farm to the Dr. J. J. Mitchell farm, at Virginia.

Mrs. Frank Blough was on the sick list a few days last week with sore throat.

Mrs. W. W. Park received a letter from her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Constable, of Baker City, Oregon, informing her of the arrival of a new grandson on Washington's birthday and it had been named Washington Park Constable.

Young Aaron and his niece Miss Bessie Wolfe drove over to Amoret Saturday. The roads had been dragged and they were in good shape. Surely the dragging system is the best plan that has been devised to put the roads in condition for the comfort of man and beast that travel them. We noticed many of the farmers plowing, they are in a hurry to raise a bumper crop of corn. The little city of Amoret is still growing and the merchants were enjoying a good trade.

More wagons passed through Parktown Saturday coming from Butler with some kind of a new farm tool than in any one day for several years.

Claud Wallace and Fred Drysdale, of Amoret, commenced papering Everett Drysdale's house Monday.

Miss Helen Park came home Saturday from Warrensburg where she had been going to school during the winter.

Joe Timaeas will move to Kansas this week.

Neal Porter had a telephone put in his house Saturday.

John Hedger who spent last week visiting near Kansas City has returned home.

If you have been bothered with the blues for some time and would like to have a good laugh at "Sambo," attend the Band Boys entertainment at the Virginia Hall Wednesday evening March 16th. Every lady bring a pie and receive a ticket entitling you to ten votes on the most popular lady in the house. Come and help boost the boys and you will get to see the bride and groom and also see the pair that will be the bride and groom in the near future.

H. C. Lyons, of Rich Hill, spent Thursday and Thursday night with Young Aaron.

L. I. Browning has moved in his mother's house. His mother had a new room built to the house for her to live in.

Grandpa Minton was able to walk to his near neighbors Monday for a visit and to gain strength.

D. C. Wolfe has been putting up

some new fence around his barn lots.

Mrs. James Sacre has the measles.

Mrs. Clark Draper, one of Jim Porter's children and a Miss Duke are on the sick list. Miss Sadie Adams who was on the sick list last week is better.

Young Aaron has 2 Duroc Jersey bred gilts and 2 young males for sale.

The sound of Virgil Jenkins blacksmith hammer can be heard these fine spring days, getting the farmers plows ready to turn the soil.

There will be preaching at the M. E. church next Sabbath by Rev. Gilbreath. Topic for the Young Peoples meeting, "How to be strong." Eph. 3:14-16; Phil. 4:13-16. Leader, Miss Georgia Smith.

Clyde Denning who was kicked by a horse Wednesday of last week is improving.

Ernest Hensley, of Kansas City, came down Sabbath to spend a few days with his uncle John Hensley and family. He attended church at Virginia Sabbath night and gave a talk at the young peoples meeting.

Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Vance were on the sick list last week.

John Nord began working for G. W. Sellon Wednesday of last week.

Henry McCann has a new dog.

Mrs. Ella Garron, of Oskaloosa, Kansas, visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Eggleston, last week. She says the wheat in her part of Kansas is killed.

Harley Warderman sawed wood with his engine for Bob Sprowl Monday.

Rev. Self visited Enterprise school Friday of last week.

The boys treated Ray McCann to a charivari last Thursday night.

Earl Osborne, Alva Crosswhite, W. M. Hardinger and J. W. Eggleston drug roads Friday of last week.

Mrs. Jess Williams who has been sick is slowly improving.

There will be a box supper at Belmont school house Thursday night. Everybody invited to come.

Herbert Steele and family, of Butler, visited Mrs. Steele's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Burk, last Sunday.

Everett Drysdale put a telephone in last week.

J. C. Crosswhites spent Sunday at E. E. Egglestons.

The meeting closed at New Hope Baptist church Sunday night with ten additions to the church.

J. W. Eggleston and family spent Sunday at C. Corlett's.

Misses Maggie and Myrtle McCann spent Saturday with their parents.

Ed. Warderman, of Butler, and Mrs. Ellen Berry, of Colorado, are visiting at the home of Harley Warderman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Warderman spent Sunday with H. S. Williams in Butler.

Ray McCann left Tuesday for Kansas to see after his claim.

W. P. Cowan, of Butler, is repairing aunt Lucie Maloney's house on her farm. Mrs. Cowan came with him, is visiting Mrs. W. J. Bard.

YOUNG AARON.

Merwin.

The fine weather is causing the farmers to think about spring work. They are giving the blacksmith plenty to do the past few days.

S. E. Smith attended the teachers meeting at Johnstown last Saturday.

Will Kuhn is preparing to go into the livery business here. Merwin needs a good livery man. We wish him success.

Ray Yingt went to the automobile show at Kansas City last week.

Mr. Hightower has moved to the Bennet Limpus property.

Dave Jagers has moved into the house formerly occupied by grandpa Storrs.

Herbert Stuart dragged the road last week. We need more farmers who will show the same sort of public spirit.

Mrs. Williams returned from Amsterdam last Sunday evening.

J. E. Bell and family spent Sunday at the home of Anderson Shannon.

The Ladies Aid Society are preparing to give an entertainment and a pie supper on the evening of March 17th.

Miss Gertie Stitt was calling on Merwin friends Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edith Black spent Saturday and Sunday visiting home folks.

The teachers' and patrons' meeting for East Boone, West Boone, West Point and Elkhart townships will be held at Merwin next Saturday, March 12th. An interesting program has been prepared and all are invited to attend and contribute to the success of the meeting.

The teachers of West Point township held their reading circle at Amsterdam last Tuesday night. A. J.

New line of folders just received at West Side Gallery.—W. E. Talbot. 19-2t

FOSTER.

News of the week from over the wire up to 6 o'clock Sunday.

Quite a number of Foster people attended the opera at Butler Monday night.

Dr. Rhoades reports a boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nute Hannam in this city.

Ben Kayler, of Cuba, Illinois, moved on the Jessie Goodenough farm, southwest of Foster.

Walter Shofner was in Rich Hill Thursday on business.

Turner Boatright left Friday for Pittsburg, Kansas.

Jim West departed Friday evening for Butler, and will visit relatives a few days at that place.

A. E. Perkins and son, of Hume, were in Foster Friday. Mr. Perkins is an expert paper hanger, and has a week's work papering at this place.

J. W. Darby was a passenger Thursday evening for Butler on business.

The new independent telephone line was completed Saturday from the south. If the news that goes over this line is as crooked as the poles, it will be something fierce.

Ed. Hereford was reported on the sick list last week at his home west of town.

Misses Maggie and Myrtle McCann spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks near Virginia.

J. H. McCollough was in Rich Hill Saturday.

Mrs. Vonia Collier, of south of town, called on Miss Salia Arbogast Saturday.

A. H. Loyd went over to Butler Tuesday evening, and spent a few days at the county seat.

Vernie Botkins, of New Home, bought a new manure spreader of Havelly & Swarens, the hustling implement dealers of Foster.

V. R. Tollivor, a coal man of Pleasanton, was in Foster Monday, and stayed all night with D. H. Arbogast. He bought considerable coal while here.

Mrs. Dr. Wilson was a passenger to Butler over the Inter-State Tuesday of last week.

C. C. Swarens and wife arrived home Wednesday evening from Kansas City on the Mo. Pacific.

H. E. Proce will leave with his family soon for Peoria, Illinois, where he will go to educate his children.

The skating rink started again Saturday night with one fight and a small crowd.

Fred Laughlin was arrested Tuesday by Constable Hamilton on a state warrant sworn out by Henry and Bob Briscoe. Laughlin is charged with killing one of Briscoe's dogs. The trial comes up Wednesday, March 9th, before Justice Chamberlaine.

There will be a good many witnesses, and the case will be bitterly fought on both sides.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cobb visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Goodenough.

Mrs. Mabel Galloway, of Texas, formerly Miss Mabel Thomas, a niece of Uncle Lewis Jones, visited him last week. She will be remembered by the people, as the young lady who was with W. H. Rice the night. He shot and killed Orval Butler at Nyhart a few years ago.

Miss Minnie Shofner visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. George Plymell and family, of the Green View neighborhood.

Mrs. Dr. Lusk, of Nyhart, visited her parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell.

Jule Heckadon and wife visited Sunday in New Home.

Died.—March 4th, the infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jennings, who came only a few days ago to bless their home. At 1 o'clock Friday the spirit took its flight to the better world. Its short life was done. What happiness and comfort the little one would have been to the parents. But how sad to see it fade and die. Funeral services were short and were conducted at the home by Mr. Ingersoll, and the remains laid to rest at Salem. This is the second little baby Mr. and Mrs. Jennings have laid away in the last two years. The sympathy of the community go out to them in their bereavement.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our thanks to the kind friends, who so willingly assisted us in the sickness and death of our little boy, also in the funeral preparation.—Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jennings.

Tom Badgett and wife, of near Sprague, visited his parents Sunday at this place.

Ed. Shelton and family were out of town visitors Sunday.

Rev. J. H. Boner, of Hume, preached Sunday at the M. E. Church.

P. L. Shelton and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shofner. DINAH.

"Sleeth" the Insurance Man. 18-ft

West Deepwater.

Mrs. Sigle and son, of Leroy, Ill., are visiting Uncle John Reece and family at present.

We had beautiful spring like weather the past week.

Farmers are contemplating sowing oats this week.

Walter Burton moved in with his father at Butler last week. Mr. Burton will reside there for two weeks. From there he and his family will leave for Colorado for the benefit of Mr. Burton's health.

George Davis and Maggie Smith, of Rich Hill, were married at Butler Feb. 28 by Judge Silvers, and left on the night train for their future home near Rich Hill.

There is still lots of sickness at this writing.

Dr. Fletcher reports the little grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Cox very sick with pneumonia fever.

Herbert Clark will reside on Walter Burton's farm this year.

The little son of George Kegeretes, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving at this writing.

W. H. Charters, Jr., has purchased new stock scales, and will have them up in a few days.

Wm. Figg returned from Power county, Colorado, last Thursday. He has taken a homestead there, and will locate out there in August.

Dr. Crabtree, of Butler, was called out to see Miss Maud Wix last week, who has had an attack of bronchial pneumonia, and also Mrs. W. H. Charters, who has been very poorly with rheumatic fever. Both parties are better at present.

Mrs. James Hill and Mrs. Sigle visited Lewis Hill and wife Wednesday.

There was a social dance at the home of Homer Clark Saturday night.

Mrs. W. C. Turpin is suffering with an abscess on the throat.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Renick Wigger, a 12 lb daughter March 6th.

Ed. Winters, of near Pleasant Gap, is a regular Sunday evening caller at the home of W. C. Tupin. From all appearances it looks like Mr. Turpin will lose another daughter.

There was a surprise party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Radford Saturday night in honor of Mart Butler.

Aunt Fannie Baty, who has been visiting L. G. Wix and family for the past two months, returned to her home Wednesday.

Prof. Allison visited Valley school last week and also in the northeastern part of the county.

W. H. Charters, Jr., and Cal Ferguson hauled two loads of goods to Appleton City Monday to ship to W. B. Young near Centralia, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, of Butler, spent Saturday night and Sunday on their farm.

Mr. Smith, the telephone man, was out Monday repairing phones and working on the line. We hope to have better services.

Mrs. McCormack, who has been sick the past week, is about well. Also Mrs. Bridge, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

The Times will be a weekly caller at the home of W. H. Charters, Jr.

I. S. Greer delivered at Butler Monday and purchased a new corn planter and disc. It looks like he is going to farm some.

FARMER JOHN.

Along the Miami.

Miss Maude Hoyt returned home last Wednesday from an extended visit among relatives and friends near Spruce.

Mary Nance is unable to attend school on account of a severe cold.

Ethel Fisher attended a meeting of her Sunday School class Saturday at the home of Jessie Starks in Butler. The class attended to the business part of their meeting, after which they played games and enjoyed themselves very much. Jessie Starks was elected secretary in the place of Leona Steele, who is going to move away. Mrs. Starks served refreshments. Mrs. Shelton, their teacher, was present.

Dick Martin and wife, Dick Cox and two sisters spent Sunday at the home of H. J. Martin.

Mrs. Herring has been suffering from an attack of neuralgia of the heart.

The roads have been dragged, and the voice of the automobile is heard in the land.

Some of the old-time fishermen and some of the small boys have been trying to fish. The stories about the big catches belong to past seasons, so far.

The pupils and teacher of Bethel school are trying to make the school ground more beautiful by putting out lilacs, rose bushes and small trees. They are also going to plant flower seeds, and try to have them properly cared for during the summer.

Dick Frank and wife, of Chicago, made a brief call at the waterworks Saturday evening. MIAMI.

Easter Comes Early This Year

WE ARE SHOWING LOTS OF

Beautiful Spring Goods

- New weaves in Black Dress Goods ..50c to \$1.75 yd
- New weaves and shades in colored dress goods.....50c to \$1.50 yd
- New shades in messaline silks at.....\$1 yd
- New shades in half silk rajah at.....50c
- New pongee silks at.....50c to \$1
- New mercerized poplins at.....25 and 35c
- New Beyadere suitings at.....40c

The largest and choicest selection of 25c wash goods in the county. Imported Scotch Gingham, Egyptian Tissue, Poplins, Soisettes, natural color Linens. Special in yard wide colored linens 50c grade for 35c

- A choice line of mercerized linen in stripes and plain for.....35c
- Fine assortment of French cambric yard wide for.....15c
- Super gingham at.....10c, 12½c, 15c
- 36-inch Canton cloth for.....20c yd

- Economy linen—looks like linen, for.....15c
- French linen—shrunken finish, 46 inches wide, for.....29c
- Lustré linen, full mercerized, for.....20c
- Cotton worsteds, looks like fine worsted goods.....12½c

You will enjoy taking a look at these goods. Capable salespeople who will wait on you.

WALKER-McKIBBEN'S

