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## SEDUCTION CHARGED AGAINST STEELE MAN

Pauline Howard of Steele Accused J. L. Ward, Stepfather, of Serious Crime

J. L. Ward, former mayor and hotelkeeper of Steele, was placed in jail here Wednesday morning, on the charge of seduction, the complaining witness being Pauline Howard, 16 years old, and his step daughter.

The girl, who says the affair began in Memphis in January, 1916, was suspected by her mother, Mrs. Ward, of improper conduct, and finally told the story implicating Mr. Ward, whose whereabouts were then unknown, he having been gone some weeks from Steele, after having made another trip recently with her to Memphis.

Complaint was made Monday before Esq. Brown and a warrant issued. Shortly afterwards, Ward called up his wife from St. Louis, talking to her awhile and told her he was coming home.

Mrs. Ward notified the officers, who telephoned to the police in St. Louis and, in thirty minutes after Ward had phoned, he was under arrest. Sheriff Juden was notified then and went up on the night train, returning with his prisoner Wednesday morning.

It is said that the affair had been suspected there for some months, but nothing definite had been done until the girl's mother induced the daughter to tell her the story. The girl is now said to be in a delicate condition.

A charge of carnally knowing a female under 15 years of age has been filed against Mr. Ward under which he is detained in jail, but it is thought that he will be wanted by the federal officials for violating the Mann Law. A telegram was sent to the United States Marshal in Memphis by Sheriff Juden Wednesday and county officials are awaiting his instructions.—Caruthersville Argus.

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## Concord News. NICODEMUS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ayers were the guests of J. B. Sanders and family Sunday and Sunday night.

Dolly Jones and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foust are the proud parents of a fine boy, having arrived last Wednesday morning.

This week several of the Boy Scouts passed through Concord on their way to the Bayou on a camping expedition. Some were from Hayti and some from Caruthersville.

Miss Lillie Kesner spent Sunday with Misses Pearl and Gladys Chism.

Mrs. Lettie Patrick and children of Dry Bayou spent Saturday night with Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Last Saturday night a wagon load of youngsters attended the meeting held at Hayti. The party consisted of Misses Lillie and Myrtle Kesner of Dry Bayou; and Pearl and Gladys; Messrs. John Kesner of Dry Bayou, and Jack Knight, John Terrell, Drewie Sanders and Hoke Chism.

I. Kohn and family of Hayti and Mr. Shamski and family of Caruthersville visited the Kohn farm Sunday afternoon.

Last Tuesday was spent in talking war, as several of our young men had to register.

Will Jones of Senath will spend this summer with his brother, J. W. Jones.

Last Saturday morning about half past five the death angel entered the home and claimed as its victim the wife of George Hutson. She was born in Dyer County, Tenn., March 14th, 1889 and died June 2nd, 1917, aged 28 years, 2 months and 18 days. She was the mother of five children, of which two of them are dead. She leaves a husband, three children, one sister, two brothers, and three half sisters to mourn her loss. She was laid to rest in the cemetery at Caruthersville Sunday afternoon. The friends extend their sympathy to the bereaved family.

## Dry Bayou News. THE HORNET.

Mrs. Lula Pool is on the sick list this week.

Ben Jones and Miss Dollie Jackson were quietly married Friday afternoon, June 1st, by Rev. J. J. Wilson.

Miss Effie Ball of Hayti has been visiting her cousin, Miss Ellen Ball, several days.

Farmers have plenty of rain at present. Everybody seems to be very busy making use of the rain.

Joe Foust has a fine looking crop of wheat.

Our Sunday school is increasing nicely. Everybody is invited to come and take part with us.

William B. Hailey and Miss Minnie Sanders were quietly married Sunday evening at the home of Rev. J. J. Wilson.

Miss Clara Fry entertained quite a large crowd Sunday, those present being Misses Elva and Goldie Massey, Dollie Tanner, messrs. Bryan Averill, Norse Haden and Earl Watson.

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our dear friends, of Micola and Steele, also the Doctors, Swearingen, Phipps and Denton for their kindness during the suffering and death of our little one. May God bless and keep us that we may meet little Zettie.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Michie.  
Micola, Mo.

## Motorcyclists, Notice.

Veedol, extra heavy cylinder oil is necessary for the economical and efficient operation of your air cooled motor. Just received a shipment at Caruthersville Hardware Co., Caruthersville.

Registration in Hayti brought forth 231 whites and 14 blacks, making a total of 245. Of the number without dependents or total disability there were 75 whites and four blacks.

Elmer Stephens and wife and Jas. T. Jackson and family motored in the south end of the county Sunday and report the conditions and roads as being in good shape.

See what nice diamond rings you can buy for \$10.00 to \$30.00, at Turnbaugh's Jewelry Store, Caruthersville.

Peter Streiff and wife and little daughter, Evelyn, were in Pascola Monday looking after business matters.

Our stock of solid silverware and silver platedware is large and prices right; Turnbaugh's Jewelry Store, Caruthersville.

Bill Lambdin of Stuttgart, Ark., was up a few days the latter part of last week.

For any thing in the line of good jewelry, go to Turnbaugh's Jewelry Store, Caruthersville. 29-30.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Frederick of Caruthersville were in this city a short time Saturday night.

N. C. R. Service—a receipt with every purchase at Buckley's.

Mrs. Walter Schilling was on the sick list several days last week.

Rub-My-Tism—Antiseptic, Anodyne—Kills pain, stops putrefaction.

## Want Something?

Advertise for it in these columns

## Fix The Road.

J. N. Anglin and Willis Whitlock were in this city Saturday and informed the Herald man that with some little work done on the road between this city and Braggadocio that a good road could be obtained that could be used all the year.

They said the worst place was between the farms of O. M. Kiest and that owned by Mrs. R. Y. Henry, and that could be easily remedied with some help from the county court. And that with a good road here much good would result for both towns.

We would be glad to give the publicity that action is to be taken at once and this road made a reality. The section traversed by this road is as good as in the entire county and are entitled to roads that can be traveled all the year. With some extra effort from some of those interested in both towns we are sure the county court will help the road district.

## Notice to Poll Tax-Payers.

Each poll tax-payer in Road District No. 5 East must pay their poll tax of \$5 to the undersigned or at the Bank of Hayti, during the month of June, 1917, or I will be compelled to bring suit.

GEO. B. WEBB, Road Overseer.

The above notice is being paid for out of the personal funds of the undersigned, though the law does not require it, but he desires to save, possibly you some costs. Mr. Webb is one of those kind of gentlemen who believe in fair treatment to all parties, hence the above notice.

## Town Lots for Sale.

Good lots for sale in southwest part of town. For prices and terms see Mrs. S. L. Oates, Hayti, Mo.

Big Bens, Baby Bens, and lots of other good alarm clocks just received, at Turnbaugh's Jewelry Store, Caruthersville.

M. G. Manuel, a merchant of the neighboring city, Pascola, passed through our city Monday enroute to Caruthersville.

No. 666 will cure Malaria or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

Blair Boyle and Attorney Von Mayes were in Caruthersville Monday attending to business before the county court.

Sanol Ezeema Prescription is a famous old remedy for all forms of Ezeema and skin diseases. Sanol is a guaranteed remedy. Get a 50c large trial bottle at the drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wolf and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Shamski of Caruthersville were here Sunday visiting at the Kohn home.

Break your Cold or LaGrippe with a few doses of 666.

Squire F. M. Gwin, S. C. Popham and wife, made a business trip to the county seat Monday afternoon.

New Perfection oil cook stoves in all sizes, at Buckley's.

Peter Streiff of Caruthersville came over Monday to see home-folks.

Have you seen those \$2.50 silk waists at Buckley's?

I. Kohn made a business trip to Kennett Monday.

Rub-My-Tism—Antiseptic, Relieves Rheumatism, Sprains, Neuralgia, etc.

## WANTED!

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If We Can't Please You  
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## Steele News. SUNBEAM.

Miss Ora Curtis and Tom Coleman were quietly married at the home of the bride last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, before Squire Brown, with only a few guests present. The bride is a charming young daughter of our merchant, Geo. Curtis. Mr. Coleman is a highly respected young man. He has been the assistant cashier of the Cotton Exchange Bank the past two year's, but he and his young bride have moved out on his farm where they will make their future home. We wish them much joy and happiness.

J. N. Ballentine was at Micola Monday on business.

Miss Tula Bell Travis of Blytheville is the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Howard this week.

Mrs. Newt Maxwell and daughter, Lora, were in Caruthersville Saturday shopping.

After a few months stay at Jackson, Tenn., Mrs. Annie Laden and children returned home Monday night.

Mrs. Stella Turley and Miss Sarah Cotney attended the high school graduating exercises at the Cape last week.

Misses Ruby Lipscomb and Ruth Funderbuck attended the funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Michie Saturday.

Mrs. J. F. Buchannah and Cleve Ballentine were in Blytheville Saturday shopping.

Miss Fannie Green of Blytheville spent two days here last week with her father, "Uncle" Tom Green.

After six weeks of illness, little Zettie May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Michie, of Micola, passed away Friday morning about 7 o'clock Zettie was three years of age and was the joy and happiness of the home. The little one suffered agony untold, and death was a great relief. Interment was made at Culp Cemetery Saturday morning. Funeral services were conducted by Mr. Huckaba. Besides her father, mother, two brothers and other relatives she leaves lots of friends to mourn her death.

Another little lamb has gone to dwell. With Him who gave another little darling babe is sheltered in the grave; God needed one more angel child amidst his shining band— So He bent with loving smile, and clasped our darling's hand.

## MUCH DRAINAGE WORK BEING DONE

Mayor and Street Commissioner Due Thanks for Efficient Drainage Work.

For some time the city administration, with some little complaint from other sources, have been very busy bringing about a better drainage in this city. And much of the credit is due Mayor B. L. Guffy and Street Commissioner Lum Lefler for the work.

Ditches are being dug to a grade set by Engineer Boyle, and across streets and alongside buildings, box culverts and 10, 12, 15 and 18-inch tile is being laid. The effectiveness of the work being done was evidenced by the recent big rain, which was by far the heaviest this year, and after six hours was almost completely carried away.

The ditches are being dug south along Diamond avenue to a point intersecting Brown street, thence east to the low swag, then 18-inch tile is being laid across the E. B. Britton dairy farm and continuing across the northwest corner of the Mrs. M. B. Crider place, finally emptying into a low place in the surface. At this point is where the big ditch will begin for the drainage of this part of the county, thus it can be seen that our surface water is to be taken care of. Other small ditches over the city are being run crosswise so as to intersect with either the main ditch spoken of or the big ditch along the Frisco right-of-way. A nice sum of money is being spent, but seems for the best interest of the city.

E. B. Britton, through whose land the big tile passes has consented for the laying of it, even offering to lay the tile if the city would furnish it.

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—but we like to use it because it so fully expresses the character of goods which we handle and the superior service which we render in all departments of our drug business.

FOR YOUR PROTECTION

When we supply drugs or fill a prescription you may always be sure that everything necessary has been done to protect your interests. We also consider right prices a part of good service and will guarantee that quality considered, lower prices than ours cannot be found anywhere.

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