

Our Correspondents.

Ladlin

Health is very cool.  
Our farmers are busy breaking  
wheat ground.  
Judge Banks and William Strong  
were guests of L. Poston Sunday.  
Mrs. Catharine Poston and children  
visited Mrs. M. y Poston Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. Penturf visited  
at John Vankilder's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Winters were  
agreeably surprised Sunday by Mrs.  
Winters' brother of Chicago dropping  
in on them for a few hours' visit.  
Everybody had a good time at the  
ice cream supper.  
Mrs. Wm Strong says she thought  
she had the finest radish in the state  
until she read about the one at  
Doniphan. She thinks however, that  
she has the champion head of cab-  
bage as her largest one measures 32  
inches in circumference.

Peck's Bad Boy.

Drunk Branch

Plenty of rain.  
Crops look fine.  
Farmers are breaking ground for  
wheat.

B. B. Tate made a business trip  
to Marble Hill Sunday.

W. J. Slinkard over Jackson Chos-  
tner and family at Lutesville Sunday  
and took them to the home of Mrs.  
Chostner's mother, Mrs. Sarah Slink-  
ard, near Lassley ridge. Mrs.  
Slinkard is 83 years old and is in  
poor health.

John Blanken went over to Jack-  
son Wednesday after his sister, Mrs.  
Minnie Heiter, to be at the bedside  
of their sick mother, Mrs. Herman  
Blanken.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Slinkard made  
a business trip to Lutesville Monday.

Robert Heiter visited at John  
Blanken's Friday night, returning to  
his home near Jackson Saturday.

Herman Blanken visited N. W.  
Huffman Sunday.

Helping Hand.

Leopold

Health is very good.  
We are having fine rains.  
Rev. F. Kurtenbach is in St. Louis  
this week.  
The picnic here Wednesday of last  
week was well attended, but the  
weather was a little too cool.  
"Grandma" Manning is still sick.  
Mrs. A. Hulshof returned from St.  
Louis Sunday. She reports Mr.  
Hulshof a little better.  
J. B. Steinerd and a friend and  
their families came down from St.  
Louis in an auto to attend the picnic,  
returning home Saturday.  
Stock buyers are quite plentiful  
these days, but stock is rather scarce.  
Z. A. O'Kelley of Patton attended  
the picnic and bought a fine mule  
from George Hinkebein.

Among those from a distance who  
attended the picnic were: J. B.  
Steinerd and family of St. Louis,  
Mr. and Mrs. George Tenholder of  
Montrose, Frank and Henry Ten-  
holder of St. Louis and Joe Vandoren.  
Rumor has it that we will have a  
wedding here in the near future.

A READER.

Hog Creek

Mrs. Lydia Blanken is very sick.  
Mrs. Ona Blanken and son, Johnny,  
and daughter, Miss Ethel, and Miss  
Alpha Craft were in town shopping  
Monday.  
Mrs. Minnie Schreiner and sons,  
Masters Roy and Albert, visited Mrs.  
Lydia Blanken Tuesday.  
Miss Alpha Craft visited Mrs.  
Kendall Proffer Tuesday afternoon.  
Miss Mildred Kinder is staying  
with her sister, Mrs. Kendall Proffer.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heider were  
called to the bedside of her mother,  
Mrs. Lydia Blanken, Tuesday night.  
John Bollinger and Miss Mildred  
Kinder attended the picnic at Leo-  
pold Wednesday of last week.  
Mrs. T. B. Formway and daughter,  
Miss Ethel, visited Mrs. Kendall  
Proffer, Tuesday.  
Lee Stroder visited H. F. Schreiner  
Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seabaugh visit-

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ALL DRUGGISTS

ed her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Nunney, We in s day.

George Schreiner and Tom and  
Fred Huffman attended prayer meet-  
ing at Bahn chapel Wednesday  
evening.

Romer Coll made a business trip  
to town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Mitchell and  
Miss Ethel Nunney attended the  
Leopold picnic.

Misses Virgie Snider and Alpha  
Craft visited Miss Flossie Limbaugh  
Friday evening and they all attend-  
ed services at Union Ridge church.

Edwin Blanken visited little Albert  
Schreiner Saturday afternoon.

Leo Bollinger and George Schreiner  
attended services at Union Ridge  
church Friday night.

Marion Daugherty of near Sedg-  
wickville is visiting his uncle, Andy  
Bollinger, in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Formway and  
daughter, Miss Ethel, visited Mr.  
and Mrs. John Mungle Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Kinder and children  
visited her daughter, Mrs. Kendall  
Proffer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Schreiner and  
two sons, Roy and Albert, visited at  
John Blanken's Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Hartwig and daughter  
visited at John Mungle's Sunday.  
Grandma Slinkard is sick at this  
writing.

Little Misses Fern Proffer and Alta  
Mungle are sick.

H. F. Schreiner is helping Herman  
Blanken roof his machine shed.

TWO SWEETHEARTS.

Olathe, Colo.

Well, as I haven't seen anything  
in THE PRESS from Colorado in so  
long I'll try my hand again.  
Health is good, with the exception  
of a few cases of mumps.  
The weather is fine now and crops  
are good. Everybody is busy mak-  
ing hay, this being the second crop.  
Lots of wheat has been cut and  
there is plenty to be cut yet.  
Miss Nellie Whitener was a wel-  
come visitor of Stella Cooper Satur-  
day night and Sunday.  
Church was well attended at the  
Stone Sunday.

There is to be a social at S. W.  
Berry's August 7. A good time is  
expected by all.

There was quite a few people  
gathered at the home of J. C. Pridy  
Sunday and that all had a good  
time is shown by the crowd. The  
visitors numbered thirty-three.

Lawrence Tilly, who has been  
very sick for some time in the hos-  
pital at Delta with appendicitis, is  
recovering very fast.

Messrs. C. D. Whitener and Core  
Cooper visited at Newt Whitener's  
Sunday, July 25.

J. C. Pridy and family visited at  
John Cooper's last Sunday.

The picture shows at Delta and  
Olathe were crowded Saturday night.  
Misses Louise and Lula Rheshaw

and Mabel and Pearl Trickle were  
the guests of Misses Ida and Freida  
Pridy one day this week.

Well, as news is scarce I'll close  
and come again.

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Dear sirs: I thought I would write  
you a few items about this country.

This is a nice farming country and  
crops are extra good here this sea-  
son. They all tell me there was a  
large crop of wheat harvested here  
this year and farmers are fixing to  
sow a big crop this fall.

We are all well and like it out  
here fine.

My wife's health has improved a  
great deal since we have been here.  
Will say, before closing, that we all  
enjoy our old home paper and that  
it is always a welcome visitor into  
our home.

So, with best wishes to THE PRESS  
and its many readers, I will close.

E. F. TEETERS.

Glen Allen

Rev. T. W. Cooper filled his regu-  
lar appointment at Hickory Ridge  
last Saturday and Sunday.

Paul Zimmerman of Cape Girar-  
deau is visiting relatives and friends  
in this vicinity this week.

Mrs. Keptinger of Lutesville spent  
Sunday with her friend, Mrs. J. A.  
Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moyers and  
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sitzes of Lodge  
transacted business here Tuesday.  
Mr. Moyers has purchased Mr. Sitzes  
farm, known as the Whitener place.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Clingingsmith  
transacted business at the county  
seat Wednesday. They made ar-  
rangements for their daughter and  
the Misses Deck and Limbaugh to  
attend Will Mayfield College next  
year. That is the right thing and  
every boy and girl in this county  
should have a diploma from some  
good school.

Earl Limbaugh of Flat River has  
been visiting relatives in this vicin-  
ity last week.

Miss Leota Long of Marquand vis-  
ited her sister, Mrs. M. F. Winters  
from Thursday until Sunday.

W. T. Oster and family have been  
visiting Mr. Oster's parents and oth-  
er relatives in Perry county last  
week.

Oba Mouser transacted business  
at Crystal City Wednesday and  
Thursday.

G. W. Rhodes of near Shrum trans-  
acted business here Saturday.

H. B. Miller of Lodge was greeting  
friends here Saturday. He is going  
to build a new barn this fall. Henry  
is a good farmer and believes in  
good stock and improvements.

Mrs. J. A. Berry visited her moth-  
er, Mrs. McMinn, at Buchanan Fri-

day until Monday. Her nephew,  
Samuel, returned home with her.

Miss Dorothy Berry of Columbia  
is visiting relatives in this vicinity  
and will remain some time renewing  
old acquaintances and enjoying the  
hospitality of our good people.

Isaac Deck returned Saturday  
from school at Columbia. He has  
made good and Glen Allen is proud  
of him.

J. W. McGee of Success, Ark., trans-  
acted business here this week.

Mrs. Williams of Marble Hill vis-  
ited her brother, F. M. Tallent and  
family, Saturday until Monday.

The community around Glen Allen  
has made the best crops it ever  
had. If any part of this county  
needs anything that grows out of  
the soil they can find it here in any  
quantities desired. The question  
with everybody here is, "Where can  
I find room to store all my crop."

The protracted meeting at the  
Methodist church is progressing  
nicely. Rev. D. M. Margrave of Mar-  
quand is doing the preaching. He  
is an earnest, forceful speaker, well  
liked and is doing a good work in  
our community.

Lime Is Not a Fertilizer

There is a general impression  
among many Missouri farmers that  
lime is a fertilizer. Lime is not a  
fertilizer. The prime reason for ap-  
plying lime to the soil is to correct  
sourness or acidity where such ex-  
ists. The legume crops, such as  
clover and alfalfa do not thrive on  
sour soil, unless the soil is very rich.  
Sour soils are not well suited to the  
development of beneficial bacteria,  
which are found in the tuberculosis  
of these crops. It is mainly for the  
purpose of favoring the growth of  
these bacteria that lime is applied  
to soils. Ground limestone is the  
form of lime which is usually cheap-  
est as a soil sweetener.

There are other effects of lime  
but most of them are of less im-  
portance. Lime tends to make  
plant food available from the soil,  
although this is largely through its  
beneficial effect on the bacteria. In  
large quantities it tends to make  
clay soils more friable, but this ef-  
fect of lime is usually observed only  
where the freshly water slacked or  
air slacked lime is applied in large  
quantities. Ground limestone has  
much less effect in this respect.

A fertilizer usually gives a quick  
response in the crop to which it is  
applied, provided the soil is in need  
of the plant food added. Lime on  
the other hand usually has a less  
immediate effect, the benefit being  
distributed through a number of  
seasons. On very sour soils, how-  
ever, where enough lime is added  
to entirely sweeten the surface of  
six or seven inches, the effect upon  
crops, particularly clover and alfalfa  
is often immediate and striking.

The need of lime in Missouri is  
increasing annually. Many soils  
cannot be expected to give satisfac-  
tory returns until they are sweeten-  
ed by it. Farmers should see if  
their soil is sour. The Agricultural  
Experiment Station at Columbia has  
published a number of bulletins  
showing the results of liming and  
fertilizing in different localities of  
the state. Nos. 126, 127 and 128  
refer to North Missouri soils and  
Nos. 119, 129 and 130 to South Mis-  
souri soils. They are free. Lists of  
companies handling ground lime-  
stone, lime scatterers and small  
lime grinders will also be sent on  
request.

M. F. MILLER,

Agricultural Experiment Station,  
Columbia, Missouri.

Buchanan

After a little rest, I am on the job  
again.

Ned Wagner is having a round  
with the chills.

Mrs. T. D. Bess has been on the  
sick list, but is reported some better.  
Mrs. J. A. Dunn had the misfor-  
tune to get thrown off a horse and  
her ankle dislocated.

Mr. Rauls, our sawmill man, is  
sawing ties again.

The wheat in this neighborhood is  
very good.

Corn is looking fine.

Hon. Geo. B. Myers sold some fine  
lambs to Claud McLane recently.

A. A. Kinder & Sons have pur-

chased some fine calves the last few  
days.

Mrs. Ollie Dunn and son visited  
J. A. Dunn and family Saturday  
night and Sunday.

Chas. Barrett purchased a fine  
cow and calf recently.

Lightning killed three fine steers  
for A. A. Kinder & Sons a short  
time ago.

Mrs. F. C. Barrett and son had  
business at Hogeys Friday night.

Miss Madge Wagner assisted Mrs.  
Ben Dunn during wheat threshing.

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