COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

BISMARCK BREVITIES.

Judge Green of DeSoto was here Saturday.

J. W. McCarthy of Farmington was here Sunday.

The base ball season opens here Sunday next.

Judge I. F. Dunning of Potosi spent Monday here.

D. W. McCoy moved to his Orchard farm this week.

Wm. Trauernicht of Middlebrook was here Sunday.

Mine Inspector George K. Williams was here Monday.

Mr. D. H. Gregg is reported seriously ill the past week.

Mr. Rodack of Middlebrook was here Sunday on business.

Theo. Cottrell received a painful injury to his foot Sunday.

T. E. Carney of DeSoto is visiting his father here, W. L. Carney.

Mr. Cottrell of Troy, N. Y. is visiting his son here, N. A. Cottrell.

Quite an interest is manifested in the race for alderman here Tuesday.

Harry McGrew dislocated his right knee Thursday, which necessitates ten days on crutches.

The Baptist Ladies gave a nice entertainment at the home of F. F. Beard Saturday evening.

The I. M. R. R. Co. here is sinking the second well for water located 50 feet from the one just finished.

The citizens are for an aggressive, pushing set of "town fathers" that will use the funds properly and show results.

E. J. Dent and Bro. are painting the front of C. H. Legget's business house, and the woodwork in front of the hotel.

Easter was exceedingly cool, yet despite all adverse conditions the churches had the appearance of mature flower gardens.

Miss Nellie McGrew sustained a painful injury at school Thursday. She was struck with a base ball and injured to such an extent on the side of the head that a physician had to attend the injuries.

Diamond drills are moving in this direction and will re-drill the Gregg, S. M. Beard and John Kirkpatrick farms. We learn the National, Federal and Bonne Terre Lead Co.'s have this week optioned all the land near Irondale and on Big River six miles west of Irondale. There is certainly a great stir in the lead field.

ESTHER ITEMS.

Alonzo Perryman is on the sick list.

Miss Rosa Mackley is attending school at Carleton.

O. W. Hoy and little son Jeff were over from Salem Sunday.

Mrs. Will Polston, who has been very sick, is fast improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones made a business trip to St. Louis the first of last week.

Will Trauernicht and Misses Setha and Gertie Jones visited relatives in Flat River Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clarence Griffin of St. Louis spent several days here the past week with her sister, Mrs. Ora Turley.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Calvert and children of Desloge spent the latter part of last week here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd returned Thursday from Kansas City, where they went to see their sons graduate.

Mrs. Adam Behringer and little daughter Edna of St. Louis are here, the guests of her sister, Mrs. Clark Beezley.

Mrs. W. S. Eggers and Miss Etta Perryman were guests of Mesdames John Doss and J. H. Johnson and Misses Sue Miller and Ada Duran in Farmington Sunday afternoon.

Harry Jennings and Miss Ida Thornton of this place and Willie Woods of Flat River and Miss Etta Duran of Farmington all took a pleasure trip to Ste. Genevieve Sunday evening.

Rev. C. S. Hoy, who has been engaged in evangelistic work in Kentucky and Tennessee, has returned home, and is now attending the Ed. P. Crowe temperance lectures at this place this week.

The E. L. and S. S. members rendered a very interesting program Sunday, commemorating the resurrection of our Lord, after which Rev. Crowe of Murry, Ky., preached an Easter sermon which was greatly enjoyed by all present. OPAL.

Eleven hundred pounds of ginseng were sent from Iron county last year and brought $7,000.

Anselm Kohler, aged 81 years, of Weingarten, stepped in front of a train at Miller's crossing to flag it, and was struck and instantly killed on the 25th ult.

LIBERTYVILLE ITEMS.

Wet weather all winter; dry weather now.

Miss Clara Mitchell of Cross Roads visited Miss Myrtle McKenzie Sunday.

Mrs. Gilbert Brewer of Flat River is visiting her father, J. F. Hicks, here this week.

Mrs. J. R. Hicks of Castor is spending a few days here this week with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Beard.

Mrs. D. F. Moran and daughter Helen of Bonne Terre arrived here Saturday for a two-weeks visit with relatives.

Misses Sadie Wallace and Frankie Banes, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Flat River for three weeks, returned home Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Simpson is spending this week with her father at Higdon, and if she gains sufficient strength by Saturday, she will go to Dr. Higdon's at Allenville.

Mr. A. M. Wallace sold a fine young horse to J. C. Williams last week, and this week bought a fine young mare from Fred Ferguson of Womack, Ste. Genevieve county.

Easter egg hunts were numerous here Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. J. C. Crow gave an egg hunt for her Sunday School class Saturday afternoon. Light refreshments were served and a jolly good time was had by the little folks. Sunday afternoon Mrs. A. E. Vansickle and Mrs. G. N. Baker gave an egg hunt for their Sunday school classes at Mrs. Vansickle's. Some of the little folks seemed to be experts at hunting eggs. Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Sebastian gave an Easter dinner and an egg hunt in the afternoon. We haven't been informed who was the champion egg hunter there, but it has been intimated that Ed Belkin was the champion eater.

FELIX.

LOUGHBORO

Miss Amelia Blankenship spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood of Jaydee.

Mr. Edward Jackson of Elvins spent last Saturday and Sunday here, the guest of his father, Mr. T. Jackson.

Mrs. Betty Kirkendall of Desloge spent several days here the past week with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. McFarland.

Messrs. Clarence Yeates of Elvins and Ferd Yeates of Leadwood spent last Sunday and Monday here with home folks.

Quite a number of young people from here attended the singing on last Sunday at Mr. G. Harris', near Doe Run Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swanford and little daugoter of Doe Run visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jackson and family last Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. McFarland and Mrs. Jennie Wallen and little daughter Bonnie, spent several days the past week with relatives at Knob Lick.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the co-partnership estate of William Marks and Elizabeth Marks, will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the court house in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

CHARLES J. SUTTON, Adm'r.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, County of St. Francois, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, to May Term, 1907.

Eva L. Sutherland, Plaintiff, vs. Edgar Sutherland, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein by her attorney, John Doughty, and files her petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things that defendant, Edgar Sutherland, has absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, and that he is not a resident of the State of Missouri.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the clerk of this Court in vacation, that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is an action for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment and failure to support plaintiff and children, and that unless said defendant be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Farmington, in said county, on the 13th day of May next, and on or before the first day of said term, or before the last day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Farmington Times, a newspaper published in the said county of St. Francois, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next May term of this court.

C. P. WILKSON, Circuit Clerk.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of St. Francois County, Missouri, this 28th day of February, 1907.

SEAL

C. P. WILKSON, Circuit Clerk.

March 8, 1907.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of St. Francois, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, to May Term, 1907.

William N. Fox, Plaintiff, vs. David H. Fox, Minerva Fox, Anchor Ann Moran, George W. Fox, and the unknown heirs of Sarah Fox Keenan, deceased, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff, by Merrill Pipkin, his attorney, and shows and also files affidavit alleging that the names of the heirs of Sarah Fox Keenan cannot be inserted in the petition for partition because their names are unknown to plaintiff, and that their interest in the land therein described is the undivided one-sixth part thereof, which was derived by them by inheritance from said Sarah Fox Keenan; that said Sarah Fox Keenan, deceased, was a daughter of William Fox, senior; that the residence of the said George W. Fox and the said unknown heirs of Sarah Fox Keenan is unknown to plaintiff, but that he verily believes they are non residents of this State. Whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk of this Court, in vacation, that the said George W. Fox and the said unknown heirs of said Sarah Fox Keenan be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this Court, the object and general nature of which is an action in partition of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 8, and north half of northwest quarter of section 17, all in township 33, range 5 east, St. Francois County, Missouri, containing 120 acres; and that unless the said defendants be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house in the City of Farmington, in said county, on the 13th day of May, 1907, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in The Farmington Times, a newspaper published in said County of St. Francois, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next May term, 1907, of this Court.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of St. Francois County, this 16th day of February, 1907.

SEAL

C. P. WILKSON, Circuit Clerk.

February 22, 1907.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator de bonis non of the estate of

CHARLES A. ANDERSON, Dec'd,

will make final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held in the Court House in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

JOHN S. CLAY, Administrator de bonis non.

March 8, 1907.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of

JOHN M. KENNEDY, Deceased,

will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

W. A. KENNEDY, Adm'r.

March 8, 1907.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of

FANNY JONES, Deceased,

will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

WM. J. JONES, Administrator.

February 22, 1907.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administratrixs of the estate of

WILLIAM L. LAMBETH, Dec'd,

will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the court house in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

SUSAN LAMBETH,
AMANDA LAMBETH,
Administratrixs

March 8, 1907.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of St. Francois, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, November Term, 1906.

John Smith, Plaintiff, vs. Sevastia Smith, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff and shows to the court that sevastia smith is not a resident of the state of Missouri, and cannot be served with process in this state.

Whereupon it is ordered by the Court, that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against her in this Court, the object and general nature of which is an action for divorce, on the grounds of gross indignities, and that unless said defendant, sevastia smith, be and appear at this Court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house in the city of Farmington, in said county, on the 13th day of May next, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in The Farmington Times, a newspaper published in said county of St. Francois, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next May Term of Court.

A true copy of the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of St. Francois county this 18th day of November, 1906.

SEAL

J. C. WILLIAMS, Circuit Clerk.

February 8, 1907.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of St. Francois, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, St. Francois County, to May Term, 1907.

Cary M. Holt and John R. Boas, Plaintiffs, vs. Francis M. Boas, Mrs. Mary J. Wetzel, Mrs. Della Smarr, Mrs. Charles Waugh, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Chas. Waugh, deceased, Susan Settle, Annie E. Murphy, Sarah Murphy, Robert J. Boas, Allie J. Bone, Mrs. Sophia Volker, the unknown heirs and devisees of Thomas Boas, deceased, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Rachel F. Brown, wife of A. Don Brown, deceased, Thos. H. Stam, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Alexander Blay, deceased, Jane Pulls, Jules Desloge, Sophia Desloge, Clara D. Pike, unknown heirs of Louise Jamison, Mrs. I. M. Valle, Josephine Fuse, Firmin Desloge, Zoe D. Cobb, Louise Pierce, Defendants.

Now at this day come the plaintiffs, by W. D. Isenberg and Merrill Pipkin, their attorneys, and file affidavit alleging that the unknown heirs and devisees of Thomas Boas, deceased, are non residents of the state of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be served upon them in the state of Missouri; that their names and the number of said unknown heirs and devisees are unknown to the plaintiffs; that Thomas Boas died in the territory of Oklahoma; that his said unknown heirs and devisees are the owners of and entitled to an undivided one-fortieth interest in and to said property as such heirs and devisees, by virtue of the fact that Thomas Boas was a son of Robert J. Boas, who was a son of Jacob Boas, who owned said property in his life time.

Plaintiffs show further that the unknown heirs and devisees of Rachel Brown, deceased, who inter-married with A. Don Brown, are non residents of the state of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be served upon them in the state of Missouri; that their names and the number of said unknown heirs and devisees are unknown to plaintiffs; that plaintiffs have heard that there were two daughters surviving the said Rachel Brown and that the said Rachel Brown died in the state of Texas, and that the interests of said unknown heirs and devisees in and to said property is an undivided one-eighth interest in and to said land; that they derive this interest as heirs and devisees of Rachel Brown, who was a child of said Jacob Boas, deceased.

Plaintiffs show that Mrs. Elizabeth Waugh left surviving her three children, Mrs. Mary J. Wetzel and Mrs. Della Smarr, and a son who died soon after her; that his widow, Mrs. Charles Waugh, and some children, survive him, so plaintiffs are informed and believe; that the residence of the unknown heirs and devisees of said Charles Waugh are unknown to plaintiffs, and that their names and the number of said unknown heirs and devisees are unknown to plaintiffs; that said unknown heirs and devisees of said Charles Waugh, together with his widow, Mrs. Charles Waugh, is entitled to the undivided one-twenty-fourth interest in and to said property as such heirs and devisees by virtue of the fact that Charles Waugh, deceased, was a son of Elizabeth Waugh, deceased, who was a daughter of Jacob Boas, who owned said property in his life time.

That the unknown heirs and devisees of Alexander Blay, deceased, are non residents of the state of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be served upon them in the State of Missouri; and if they have any interest in and to said land it would be by virtue of being the legal heirs and devisees of said Alexander Blay, deceased, and that their names and number of them are unknown to the plaintiffs, so that their names cannot be inserted in this order of publication or their interests more fully described and set out; that said Alexander Blay entered part of said land in 1836, and that whatever interest he or his heirs or devisees might have in the record, title has been acquired by Jacob Boas and his heirs, and those claiming by, through or under him by adverse possession under the statute of limitation, of the State of Missouri, by virtue of a continuous adverse possession for more than thirty years.

Plaintiffs show that Louise Jamison is deceased, and if she left any heirs they are unknown to plaintiffs, and that their names and number of said unknown heirs and devisees of Louise Jamison are unknown to plaintiffs, that whatever interests said unknown heirs of said Louise Jamison have in and to said property was acquired under the will of John M. Desloge, deceased.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk of this Court in vacation that all of said unknown heirs aforesaid be notified by publication that plaintiffs have commenced a suit against them in this Court, the object and general nature of which is an action in partition of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter or section 4, township 37, range 4 east, and west half of the southeast quarter of section 3, township 36, range 4 east, and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 10, township 36, range 4 east, containing in the aggregate 160 acres, more or less, in St. Francois County, State of Missouri; and that unless the said defendants be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Farmington, in said County, on the 13th day of May, 1907, and on or before the first day of said term, to answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in The Farmington Times, a newspaper published in said county of St. Francois, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next May term, 1907, of this Court.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of St. Francois County, this 5th day of March, 1907.

SEAL

C. P. WILKSON, Circuit Clerk.

March 8, 1907.

Notice of Administratrix's Sale

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of the county of St. Francois and State of Missouri, made at the January term, 1907, thereof, and on the 16th day of January, 1907, I, Mrs. N. C. Bess, administratrix of the estate of Thomas F. Bess, deceased, will, on

TUESDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1907,

at the south court house door in the city of Farmington, county of St. Francois, and during the session of the Probate Court of said county of St. Francois, sell at public auction, all the interest of Thomas F. Bess, deceased, in and to the following real estate to-wit: One house and lots numbered as follows: All the north half of lots numbers fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16), of Murphy's addition to the City of Farmington, as the same appears on record in the Recorder's office in St. Francois county, Missouri.

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