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Greetings

By the grace of our Friends this House has enjoyed another year of business success.

We beg to tell you that we greatly appreciate your business, and, for such favor, we offer our honest and hearty thanks. During the last year your kind reasonableness has made it a real pleasure to serve you. From Manager to delivery boy, we thank you!

We wish for all a NEW YEAR of liberal Prosperity and large Happiness.

McKinney's.

TOWN AND VICINAGE

Mrs. Eliza Burgess of Route No. 3 was shopping in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Gruner, son and daughter are visiting in Charleston.

Mr. H. N. Bono of Doe Run made the Times an appreciated call today.

Miss Sarah McArthur of St. Louis is the guest of Miss Anna Butterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McClure and children have returned from Oklahoma.

Miss Ruth Glenn of Cape Girardeau is the guest of Mrs. M. R. Smith.

Rev. J. M. Pepper will preach at Three Rivers Church next Sunday the 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eaves spent Christmas in St. Louis with their son Elisha.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. C. Barroll of St. Louis are spending Christmas week here.

Miss Estelle Hickok of Columbia is here to spend the holiday season with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Robinson.

Mrs. C. S. Carr of Elvins and her guest, Mrs. Kate Tidwell of Nashville, Tenn., visited Mrs. Jennie Elgin Monday.

Miss Raydell Thomas of St. Louis will arrive Tuesday to remain for several days, as the guest of Mrs. Genevieve F. Logan.

Mr. J. J. Creglow of Route No. 4 was transacting business in town Monday, and The Times is indebted to him for an agreeable call.

George H. Bisplinghoff has sold the Bismarck Gazette to J. F. Schroeder of Evansville, Ill., who takes charge the first of January.

Mrs. E. E. Sutherland, whose home was badly injured by fire last summer, has had it completely repaired with all modern improvements and a bungalow effect.

Mrs. Kennett Byington of Jaydee spent some time in town this week. She will leave next week for Chicago to spend a month visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Braham.

We note that Dr. T. C. Allen, one time a resident here and formerly editor of this paper, is an applicant for the position of chief physician at the Farmington asylum under Gov. Major.—Van Buren local.

The Times wants a live correspondent in every town, post office and rural route in the county to chronicle the happenings and personal matters of interest to each. We will try to make it worth while to such correspondents. Write us and learn what we have to offer.

NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

The Monday Club has sent out invitations for their annual New Year's reception and dance which will be at the Opera House January 1, 1913.

HARRISON—CLARK.

Miss Lillian Clark, a former vocal teacher at Elmwood, who lives at Orrick, Mo., will be married New Year's Day to Mr. Harrison, of Hardin, Mo., Rev. C. E. Hickok will go up to perform the marriage ceremony.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

"The Door to Another Year," Rev. L. R. Jenkins will use the above subject for his sermon Sunday. Rev. Wm. Court, P. E., will preach at the evening service.

The first quarterly conference will be held Monday evening at 7:30 at the church.

Moothart Business Colleges organize new classes at opening Winter term, Monday, Jan. 6, 1913. Young people should then enroll, preparing for the many good office positions constantly offered to high-class stenographers and bookkeepers.

YULE TIDE GLEE.

The Clardy Farm was again the scene of a delightful social gathering Christmas night. In the dining room, made brilliant from the glow of the flames in the immense fire place, an elaborate Christmas supper was served, after which old-fashioned school day games were played with much enjoyment. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Robert Forsythe, M. P. Cayce, Paul Cayce, Will Harlan, J. C. Morris, Walter Morris, J. B. Smith, Charley Clardy, E. A. Rozier, Stallcup of Sikeston, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Weber, Rev. C. E. Hickok, Mrs. Sarah Robinson, Mrs. Genevieve F. Logan, Mrs. Nannie Weber, Mrs. Max McClure, Misses Alice Cayce, Bess Noland, Bethel Lawrence, Jane Kennedy, Lavina Rozier, Estelle Hickok, Eugenia Morris, Judge Kossuth Weber, Mr. Kennedy and Carlisle Rozier.

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Among those home for the holidays are the following: Miss Frances Flowers from Bonne Terre, where she is teaching school; Miss Lavina Rozier from the Sacred Heart Convent in St. Louis; Philip Cole from Westminster College, Fulton; Misses Dorothy and Lottie Huff from Drury College, Springfield, Mo.; Miss Robbie Pipkin from Ironton, where she has been teaching; Misses Miriam Bleek and Blanche Gale from Columbia where they attend the University; Hugh Mayberry and Paul Jones from William Jewell College, Liberty; Miss Roberta Tetley, who is teaching in the public schools at Rolla, and Miss Reba Hattie from the Bonne Terre Hospital.

A CHRISTMAS WEDDING.

At high noon Christmas day Mr. Wm. M. Dalton and Miss Ella B. Vance were married at the Vance home, Rev. L. R. Jenkins officiating. It was announced that Rev. J. N. Sitton would preach at Wesley Chapel Christmas morning, and Mr. Dalton and Miss Vance intended to appear on the scene at the close of the service and be married before the assembled congregation. But Mr. Sitton was ill and did not fill his engagement. It was in the air that there would be a marriage at the church, and a large crowd, ignorant of Mr. Sitton's illness, met at the Chapel and waited—and waited.

In the mean time Mr. Dalton was searching Farmington for a disengaged minister, but met disappointment after disappointment. Every preacher had a "previous." Finally, Mr. Jenkins consented to pass up other obligations and go out to tie the knot.

While the marriage was being performed at the Vance home, the people at the church just sat and wondered. But the crowd from the church "got even." As night came on, they came down upon the Vance home with the bells. Reports say that everybody had a jolly time. Mr. Dalton was a St. Francois county man and is now living near Charleston. Miss Vance is well known in the country and has a host of friends. The Times extends congratulations.

EVENING BRIDGE.

The Auction Bridge Club held an evening meeting Thursday with Mrs. E. A. Rozier, to which the husbands of the members were invited.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

To all our customers and friends we extend New Year's Greeting, and trust the coming year will bring to each of you Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

KARSCH'S

Farmington

Flat River

CHANGES IN R. R. TIME.

On the 15th several changes in the railroad time table affecting Farmington went into effect. The St. L. I. M. S., which heretofore left St. Louis at 7:50 a. m., now leaves at 7 o'clock, and changes have been made on the M. R. & B. T. and the Electric road to meet this change as follows: The M. R. & B. T. train that formerly arrived at Flat River from St. Louis at 11 a. m., now arrives there at 10 a. m., and the electric car that left Farmington at 10:18 a. m., now leaves at 9:18 to connect with the 10 a. m. M. R. & B. T. train at Flat River, arriving at Farmington on return at 11 o'clock.

The electric car leaves Farmington now at 4:40 a. m. for DeLassus to connect with I. M. north, returning to Farmington at 5:27; leaves Farmington at 11:45 a. m. to connect with south bound I. M., and at 1:25 p. m. to connect with northbound I. M.; leaves at 8:05 to connect with I. M. south.

HONEST BANKERS.

Several weeks ago, the principal stockholders of the City Bank of Bloomfield, George and Rudolph Houck and E. J. Williams, discovered that the cashier, A. D. Wilcox, was short and called in the State Bank Examiner. It was found that the capital and surplus, amounting to about \$90,000, were wholly dissipated; but the Messrs. Houck and Williams promised that the depositors should be paid in full, so they turned over \$100,000 worth of property owned individually by them, including the homes of the Houcks which were deeded to their wives; and last week the bank was opened with funds enough to pay all demands. The cashier has been arrested for embezzlement. Messrs. Houck and Williams are receiving much praise for the sacrifices they made.

Hog Sells for \$700.

Mount Sterling, Ill., Dec. 20.—A good-sized crowd attended the Duroc Jersey hog sale of H. E. Browning today. The forty-one animals sold for an average of \$166 each. The highest price was for Mac's Dream, a sow, weighing 800 pounds, for which Rogers of Springfield, O., paid \$700. Hogs to the value of \$6,813 were sold.

You will find that druggists everywhere speak well of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. They know from experience in the sale of it that in cases of coughs and colds it can always be depended upon, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

1913
RESOLVE
TO
BUY
BARHAM'S
BREAD
1913

Licensed to Marry.

Dec. 14, Clyde Matkin and Miss Edith Hill of Bismarck.

17th, Will Schaefer and Miss Mollie Mell of Farmington.

17th, Emmett Bye of St. Francois and Miss Eva Thurman of Flat River.

18th, Clarence Warder and Miss Mattie Beers of Flat River.

18th, Albert G. Shoemaker and Miss Hattie O. Hult of Leadwood.

18th, J. W. Starkey of Cornwall and Miss Alice Vernon of Flat River.

21st, Frank A. Cozean of Elvins and Miss Clara Honey of Flat River.

21st, Fred Miller of Leadwood and Miss Lizette Dellmore of Farmington.

21st, Sidney Stricklin and Miss Dora Scott of Elvins.

21st, Guy Robinson of Elvins and Miss Annie Conrad of Doe Run.

21st, Ode Clemons and Miss Myrtle Sutherland of Knob Lick.

21st, A. G. O'Neal of Frankelay and Miss Izella Morris of Leadwood.

23d, Glenn McClurg of St. Francois and Miss Meeda Moore of Granville.

23d, Harrison Hutchinson and Miss Mary Vaughn of Farmington.

23d, J. J. Ratley and Miss Maggie Crust of Flat River.

23d, Tom Heyvendie and Miss Marie Saveris of Flat River.

23d, Chas. A. Lawson of Leadwood and Miss Nettie Williams of Frankelay.

24th, M. E. Skaggs of MineLa Motte and Miss Jessie M. Holland of Desloge.

24th, Amos Brunk of Leadwood and Miss Amy Buckingham of Bonne Terre.

24th, Wm. M. Dalton of Anniston and Miss Ella B. Vance of Farmington.

24th, Chas. T. Welborn and Miss Nettie Hartzell of Desloge.

26th, James H. Church of Elvins and Mrs. Kate Karn of Esther.

To Parents and Guardians

One of the best Christmas or New Year's present to your children, or wards is a six or ten months' scholarship in the Moothart Business College. Why not attend to this without delay?

SHOOTING SCRAPE AT

A FRANKCLAY SALOON.

Last Friday Tom Gould, barkeeper for Iahn's saloon at Frankelay, got into a quarrel with Charley Whaley, a young man about twenty years of age, who was drinking, and followed him outside the saloon and shot him twice, one ball striking Whaley in the right hip and the other in the left hip. Iahn, the proprietor of the saloon, got into trouble shortly after with an older brother of young Whaley, with the result that both Iahn and Gould were arrested and charged with assault to kill.

Do you want to change climate? Buy a fruit ranch in the famous Bitter Root Valley, Montana. We own a large tract of developed land in this fertile valley on the Pacific side of the mountains where the climate is perfect. Grand scenery, fine water, mild winters and cool summers, fine hunting and fishing. Write for prices, etc. The O. W. Kerr Company, 209 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, Minn.—adv.

Power of One Word.

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The Henderson Mercantile Co.

A Note of Personal Thanks
and
A Wish for Your Prosperity

TO OUR CUSTOMERS, severally and individually, we extend our sincere thanks for the share of your business which we have enjoyed in the year now closing.

And we record a hearty wish for your abundant Prosperity and personal Happiness during the coming NEW YEAR—1913.

May the BEST of good things be your portion!

Yours Cordially,

ED HENDERSON, WM. H. SELZER,
President. Secretary.
FARMINGTON, MO.