

.. COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE ..

ELVINS

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Denton and family were called to Ironton one day last week on account of the death of Mr. Denton's sister, who died in the Bonne Terre Hospital. Miss Nettie Moore of Hazel Run is visiting friends here this week. Miss Fannie Baily has returned to her home in St. Louis, after visiting relatives here. Miss Hattie Tullock of Bismarck is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. M. Neider, here this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. DeGrant and family visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cruncheon, of Hazel Run. Mr. M. B. Horn of Hazel Run visited Fred Schek and family here this week. Mrs. Geo. Freeman returned from Webb City this week. Miss Mary Brewen of Doe Run visited Mrs. Roy Horton and family a few days last week. Mrs. Perry Burch of Doe Run visited her daughter, Mrs. Andy Kassabaum, Sunday. Mrs. Alfred Burch and children of Doe Run visited relatives here this week. Walter Doughty and family of Farmington visited relatives here last Sunday. John Hansen of Marquand visited his family here Sunday. Louis Waters has returned to his home in Bunker, Mo. Miss Duella Highley of Flat River visited friends here Sunday. George, the little son of Mrs. Alice Hampton, is very ill with typhoid fever. Miss Katherine Markley of Flat River visited here Saturday and Sunday. At a meeting of the school board last week Jeff Porter of Bonne Terre was elected to teach the Seventh grade. This is the third teacher that has been elected to this position. J. W. Thomasson and W. S. Gold have opened a clothes cleaning establishment in the Sibley building. Mrs. Maggie Parmerley of Knob Lick returned home Tuesday of this week, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Maurer. John Buxton's new residence on Mill street is nearing completion. Mrs. Laura Colbert and children of Festus are spending this week at the home of John Politt and family. Misses Ruth and Rena Sutton, Oral Baker, who have been attending summer normal at Cape Girardeau, came home Friday. Miss Opal Cage has just returned from Chicago, where she has been studying music. Mrs. John Sturgess and children of St. Louis are visiting at the home of Mrs. Roy Horton this week. Rev. D. M. Margraves is spending this week with his family in Cape county. John Hansen, Sr., of Marquand is visiting his family here this week.

PRIMROSE

Mrs. Adolph Haman and children and Miss Nellie Moon spent last Wednesday at the home of Wm. Rawson. There was a party given at the home of John Cash of near Big River Saturday night. All present report a fine time. Herman Lawson spent Saturday night in Valle Mines visiting friends and relatives. Wm. A. Moon was a visitor in the Blackwell vicinity the latter part of last week. Mrs. Ida Jones and little daughters were guests at the home of John Murphy, Sr., of near Big River Saturday. Morris Jones and family were guests at the home of Wm. Blackwell of near Melzo Sunday evening. Clement, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones of Melzo, is very ill with fever. Miss Rose Meyer of Bonne Terre was a guest at the home of Alfred Cole last week. B. Y. P. U. was not very well attended Sunday night. Lass Cash spent Sunday night at the home of Wm. A. Moon. Ellis Moon was a business visitor



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in Bonne Terre Monday. Several from here attended Sunday School at the Prospect school house Sunday morning. Messrs. Lawton Crossman, Henry and Leonard Lawson attended E. Y. P. U. at the Prospect school house Sunday night. Joe Douglas of Bonne Terre made a trip out in this vicinity Monday morning. Wm. Snyder was a visitor in Bonne Terre one day last week. Those who were entertained at the home of Wm. A. Moon Sunday were, Miss Etta Lawson, Messrs. Lass Cash and Floyd Lawson. Miss Beulah Moon spent the fore part of the week in Bonne Terre the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jake Pettis. Jake Pettis motored out here Sunday morning. Willis Moon and family returned home with him. Miss Annie Moon of Bonne Terre spent over Sunday with home folks. Several from Melzo attended the party given at the home of John Cash of near Big River last Saturday night. There will be a basket dinner and all day services at the T. M. B. church next Sunday. John Murphy, Jr., of near Melzo transacted business in Bonne Terre Monday.

VALLES MINES

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Nees and son, Welton, of Bonne Terre visited at the home of R. H. Rowe this week. Miss Nora Murphy of Bonne Terre visited at the home of W. H. Bunt Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McClain and son, Carl Edgar, visited relatives in Bonne Terre the latter part of last week. Miss Viola Thurman of Flat River visited friends and relatives here a few days last week. Misses Edith and Sadie Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Nees attended the picnic at Flucum Friday. Mrs. Laura Iahn of Festus visited her mother here Wednesday and Thursday. Albert Riddle of Festus visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Riddle, from Friday until Sunday. Miss Rosco Whitesell of Oakvale visited home folks Sunday. Misses Lizzie and Ethylene Watt visited Miss Effie Moore Sunday. Geo. Whitesell and Alfred Nusbaum of Festus visited here Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sykes visited relatives in Bonne Terre Saturday and Sunday. Clifton AuBuchon of French Village attended church here Sunday night. Messrs. Stone and Abb Sykes of Flat River visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sykes, Sunday and Monday. Messrs. Edw. Heaton and Harvey Rowe visited in Festus Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Burns of Festus visited home folks here Saturday and Sunday. Clarence Sykes visited at the home of Wm. P. Whitesell Sunday.

BRIGHTSTONE

There will be an ice cream festival given at Wm. Wells' Saturday night, August 26. Everybody invited. Will be given by Knowles Klob and Tom Wells. The wheat crops in this vicinity were fairly well. The largest crop threshed was James Lowe's, which was 326 bushels. Clarence Wines of Farmington was in this vicinity Thursday. Grant Chamberlain and wife were Knob Lick visitors Monday. Wm. Dugal of Mistletoe was visiting Alex Lowe Sunday evening. Shelby and Virg. O'Bannon took a trip to Knob Lick Sunday night. John Mund was in this vicinity Sunday evening. Kelley Parrott of Mine La Motte was visiting home folks Saturday and Sunday. John Wells was a Farmington visitor Saturday. Ed Culton and wife of Flat River were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marshall Sunday. Bart Crepps of Sand Ridge was in this vicinity Sunday evening. Geo. Skinner sold a fine bunch of cattle to J. D. Rion of Farmington Monday. Mrs. James Wescoat of Sikeston is spending a few days with Mrs. M. W. O'Bannon. H. H. O'Bannon was a Farmington visitor Saturday. Tom Marshall of Mine La Motte spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks of this place. Misses Maggie, Jessie and Sadie Skinner and Mary Marshall spent Sunday evening with Miss Susie Canteberry. Those who attended church at Knob Lick Sunday night from Brightstone were Mrs. James Lowe and daughter, Edith, Misses Maudie and Lena Wells, Miss Eva Marshall, Johnie Wells, Jess Erwin, Tom Marshall, John Mund, Tom Wells, Jim, John and Alex. Lowe. Mrs. Kate McDowell and children of Flat River are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brewen. John Kinneman and wife of Fredericktown spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinneman. Oscar Kinneman was a Farmington visitor Thursday. Knowles Klob attended singing at Brightstone Sunday night.

MISTLETOE

Rollo Crepps of Flat River spent Sunday with home folks. Jeff Davis and family were visiting friends in Knob Lick Sunday. August Klob and wife attended church at Brightstone Sunday. John Chatman was hauling hay to Farmington Saturday. John Mund made a business trip to town Saturday. W. H. Crepps was in Farmington Saturday. Ed Crawford of Flat River spent Sunday with home folks. R. N. Davis made a business trip to Knob Lick Sunday evening.

Walter Weimer was visiting Henry Kassabaum Sunday. Dennis and Gussie Herbst and Albert Brenneke attended church at Knob Lick Sunday night. Herman Kassabaum of Flat River spent Sunday with home folks of this place. Wm. Thurman was visiting I. F. Robinson Sunday evening. Wm. Kennon was a Bismarck visitor at Avon Monday. Bart Morice was a Farmington visitor Monday. Bart Crepps attended singing at Brightstone Sunday night. John Mund and Tom Wells threshed a fine crop of oats this year. They had 7 acres on the Doe Run creek. It took one ball of twine to tie up the oats, and when they were threshed the amount of bushels was 1 1/2. John took the oats and Tom the straw. This was the champion oat crop of the Mistletoe vicinity.

AVON

Russell Stokley has been on the sick list the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Jasper McFarland of near Coffman spent Sunday with N. A. Mertell and wife. Mrs. T. E. Ellis spent Thursday with friends in this community. Miss Beulah Daineel was the guest of her friend, Miss Estella Gordon, Sunday. Mrs. Henry Boyd and son, Johnny, and Miss Elizabeth Golf visited at the home of C. A. Boyd last Sunday. Wm. Rodgers recently purchased a fine work horse from C. J. Gouverneur. Rev. W. E. Coffey filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church at Avon last Sunday. E. M. Smith and son, Abram, were Farmington visitors Saturday. A singing was transacted business in this community Monday. A singing was given at the home of G. W. Bess Sunday evening in honor of his sister, Miss Estella Bess, of St. Louis, who is visiting at that place. It was well attended and some good music was rendered. Prof. E. L. Rodgers was a guest at the home of his uncle, C. E. Snyder, and family over Saturday night. He returned home Sunday, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Ethel and Edith, who have been on a brief visit with relatives and friends in the Lead Belt and Knob Lick. James Beard of Farmington was a business visitor near here one day last week. Miss Lavina Hawthorn of Womack was in this vicinity last Saturday. Chas. Sebastian of Route 3 recently purchased a fine mare from E. M. Smith. Mrs. Lavina Sebastian, formerly of Route 3, but now of Farmington, who was recently operated on at Bonne Terre hospital, was brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Mackley, last Saturday and is again in a very critical condition.

OAK GROVE

Flowing for wheat is an occupation of the farmers of this vicinity. Plenty of rain at this writing. Eugene Loker of Illinois is visiting friends around Oak Grove at present. Miss Mamie Smith of Farmington is spending a few days with relatives and friends around Oak Grove. John Mackley of Farmington was in this part of the country the latter part of last week buying cattle. Messrs. Alfred and John Donahoe of Illinois spent a week recently with their sister, Mrs. Walter Bowling. Misses Addie and Mamie Smith and Emma Bowling spent last Wednesday afternoon with Miss Elvie Wampler. The roads were muddy last week for the first time this summer. Harry Wampler of Flat River spent a few days recently with John B. Wampler and family of Oak Grove. Wise Vaugh purchased a hay bailer from Noah Hammors and James Womack recently. Misses Elvie Wampler and Addie Smith, and Messrs. Noah, Roy and Harry Wampler called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harter last Thursday night. All report a good time. Noah Counts of near Salem spent Saturday night near Oak Grove. Russel Mullens of Farmington spent Saturday night with John Gordon. Misses Mamie and Addie Smith called on Miss Mamie Ragstal last Sunday. Misses Hazel and Beulah Wampler and Louvine Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith and family last Sunday. F. T. Harter helped on James Wo-

mack's big new barn last Monday. Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Counts last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harter and son Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Everet Counts, Mr. and Mrs. David Counts and little daughter of Flat River. All report an enjoyable time. Miss Bauer of Farmington spent a few days recently with Miss Iva Johnson of this locality. Prof. E. S. Womack of this locality made a business trip to Flat Woods the first of this week. Misses Emma Bowling, Addie, Mamie and Lavine Smith, Viola Harter and Beulah and Hazel Wampler went to the old mill pond last Monday afternoon. The scenery there is grand and they enjoyed themselves very much. Miss Sarah Hammors spent Sunday with Misses Revn and Ada Wampler. Several of the people of this community are planning attending the picnic at Minnith next Saturday, Aug. 26th. Ed Yeager of Farmington was in this section of the country recently. Burle Gordon of near Knob Lick spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Gordon, of this community. Several of the people of this community attended the J. C. Williams sale today. A singing was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wampler last Sunday night. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Goff, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Harter, Misses Emma Bowling, Addie, Mamie and Lavine Smith, Jennie Coffey and Viola Harter, and Messrs. Elbert Gordon, Wm. Ragstal, Carrol Vaugh, Geo. Smith, Perry Carter Elijah Hammors, J. Cowley, Julian Gordon; Burle, Emmett, Joseph, Orval and J. C. Harter, and Samuel Cowley. All enjoyed themselves fine. John Wampler and Elzie Hammors made a business trip below Coffman last Saturday. Samuel Hammors of Flat River was a visitor in this community last Sunday. Chris. Bess of West Plains, Mo., is visiting relatives around Oak Grove at this writing. Miss Elvie Wampler of this community was a Flat River visitor the first of this week. Noah Hammors is working down below Coffman at this writing. Mrs. James Womack spent the first of this week with her brother, Mr. Louis Smith. Thos. P. Counts of this locality sold his beautiful farm to Noah A. Counts of near Salem for the sum of \$2,500. Mrs. E. S. Womack spent the first of this week with her father, W. B. Johnson. There was church at Pleasant Hill last Sunday. Fannie Lee of Flat River is spending a week with relatives around Oak Grove. School time is almost at hand, and the young will have something to do. Miss Felicia Hammors is on the sick list at this writing. Ervin Wampler of Farmington is spending a few weeks with his grandmother of this locality. Prof. E. S. Womack will move to Sprott the last of this week, where he will teach school the ensuing year. Mr. Womack is a splendid school teacher.

FLAT RIVER

The Beiser Bros. of near Farmington motored through this section last Saturday. Merrill Pipkin of Farmington was through this locality last Saturday. Some of the people of this vicinity are attending the Chautauque at Farmington this week. F. T. Harter, Walter Bowling and Charley Govoro are petit jurors of Saline township for October 23, 1916—Sts. Genevieve county. David Counts of Flat River motored down to this part of the country last Sunday. Wm. McDaniel, Jr., of this community is very ill at present. John Gordon was in Farmington last Sunday afternoon.

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Wilson Proved Belief in Suffrage, Hughes Did Not Chicago, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Geo. Bass, Chicago club woman; has taken charge of the woman's voters bureau in the western national headquarters of the Democratic party.

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