

LOCAL MENTION

This is the "clean up" period. Alfalfa hay at Klein's. Mrs. W. M. Harlan spent the week-end in St. Louis. Mrs. M. P. Cayce returned from St. Louis last Saturday. Miss Frances Tetley was a St. Louis visitor Wednesday. Separator oil at Klein's. P. K. Sylvester transferred business in St. Louis Wednesday. R. B. McCormack, of Plattin, was a Farmington visitor Tuesday. Bulk garden seed at Klein's. Lloyd Ferguson, who has been ill since last Saturday, is much better. Well Spelman of St. Louis is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Karsch. Instant Postum at Klein's. Miss Reta Tullock of Bismarck is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Turley. Miss Roberta Tetley was a St. Louis visitor last Saturday and Sunday. Try a 20 lb. bucket of Pure Lard, at Burnett's Market. Missed Spence of St. Louis, spent last week-end here with relatives and friends. Bob Priester left Monday for Detroit, where he expects to get employment. Seed sweet potatoes at Klein's. Missions left Tuesday for Detroit, where he expects to get employment. Misses Leona and Florence Radle were St. Louis visitors last Friday and Saturday. Soap, 10 cents can, at Klein's. D. H. Haldeman attended the Grade School track meet in Flat River last Saturday. Miss Florence Mitchell left Wednesday for St. Louis, where she will visit friends. Complete line of finest Fruits and Vegetables at Burnett's Market. Miss Minnie Alva Counts spent the week-end at Ladwood with her sister, Miss Lucile. Canned corn, 4 for 25c, at Klein's. Dr. J. E. McCormack and J. R. McCormack, Jr., of Sprott, were Farmington visitors Tuesday. Childress Tetley came in from Columbia last Sunday, where he has been attending the University. Red, yellow and white onion sets at Klein's. Geo. K. Williams and E. E. Swink will attend the Democratic State Convention in Joplin this week. For Saturday and Sunday: Beef, Pork, Veal and Lamb, Burnett's Market. Homer Carver, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Ida Carver, returned to Detroit last Tuesday. Owing to unusually heavy calls for space this week from advertisers, considerable correspondence and local news has been crowded out.

You should not fail to attend the Apron and Bake Sale in the Radle Music Store tomorrow afternoon. Oh, my, you ought to see those new Spring Wraps and Suits at the Farmington Mercantile Co. Miss Ann Caroline... spent the week-end in St. Louis as a guest of Mrs. Frances Tetley. J. E. Klein came to this farm in Pemisott county last Saturday. He reports lots of rain in that district. Try some of our Pure Preserves, Canned and of course jars, only 35c, at Burnett's Market. Gay Klein returned from Columbia Thursday, where he has been a student at the Missouri State University. Miss Clifford Hinkle, who underwent a serious operation last Friday at the Bonne Terre hospital, is getting along nicely. Try us for an order of Meat and Groceries, and we will be satisfied to meet the decision with you. Burnett's Market. Mrs. Richard Irwin returned from St. Louis last week where she had been to visit her son, G. Erwin, and family. Mrs. Erwin, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Baker, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Swink, on Sunday, April 18th, a daughter. O. J. Hamilton, attending in Chicago, was killed in a head-on crash No. 12 Monday evening by a rock falling on him. We are now showing a nice line of Ladies' Spring Wraps and Suits. Come in and let us show you without Farmington Mercantile Co. Mrs. Rufner Lloyd and little son, Robert O'Neal, of Cape Girardeau, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Lloyd, and other friends. The County High School track meet will be held tomorrow at Flat River. The local High School has entered several contestants. Miss Leona Radle has accepted a position with the Field-Lippman Piano Co. and is attending a school of instruction in St. Louis. The streets of Farmington are now being massaged and their wrinkles are disappearing, which greatly improves their looks and usefulness. Mrs. R. Fugate returned from New Madrid county Wednesday, where she had been visiting her nephew, Chas. Lampher, who has been critically ill. The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church, South, will hold an Apron and Bake Sale tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, in the Radle Music Store. Judging from the number of new overalls that have appeared on the streets during the past week, folks are going to work. Or is it only camouflage? Rev. R. O. Talbert, of Jefferson City, gave a stereopticon lecture at the Rock church Wednesday evening in the interest of the inter-church movement. Fred Fuhrmeister, who has a responsible position in St. Louis, came in Wednesday evening and remained over yesterday visiting relatives and many friends here.

Mrs. John Wood, of Fredericktown, spent the week-end here with her father, H. W. Coffield. She was accompanied by her little son, John, who had spent the week here. Franklin Williams, who underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Bonne Terre Hospital, returned home Tuesday. His friends are pleased to see him about again. A silver tea was given at the home of Mrs. George Morris Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 by the ladies of the Baptist church. A splendid program was rendered throughout the afternoon. Miss Lillian Thompson came home from Cape Girardeau last week, where she graduated from Teachers' College. Miss Lillian has accepted a position as high school teacher in a suburban town of Cincinnati. The race within the Missouri State Conference for the baseball championship is on in earnest, the Chillothe Baptist College and Kemper Military Academy taking one each in their respective last week. The County Court will be in session next week at a Board of Appeals, at which time it will be the duty of those who may feel that they have been erroneously assessed to make their grievance known. W. A. Simpson, an enterprising citizen and successful farmer of Route 1, was a Farmington visitor the last of the week and called to renew his Times subscription, stating that he felt completely lost without it in his home. Special summer courses for teachers have been arranged by the Chillothe Baptist College in Bookkeeping, Banking, Stenography, Telegraphy and Civil Service. These will begin May 3rd and may be completed by September. The blooming and budding trees, the singing birds, the blossoming flowers, warm and sunny days, the smell of the atmosphere, early gardening and many fishermen are but a few of the signs which portend that spring is actually at hand. William Meyer and Mary Fleming will represent Farmington High School tonight in the County Declaration contest at the Desloge High School building. The High School Orchestra will accompany the contestants and render a few selections at the contest. After the enthusiastic township and county Democratic conventions recently held in this county, when it is considered that not one of those selected as delegates from this city attended the State convention, it would appear that those who were placed on guard have fallen into a dreamless sleep. Such inactivity, or incompetence, will never accomplish anything. NOTICE A meeting of the share holders of the Farm Bureau Purchasing and Sales Association will be held at the court house in Farmington, on Saturday, April 24th, at 2 p. m., to form a permanent organization and elect the Board of Directors. Maurice Higley, Chairman of Temporary Board.

At a special school board meeting Monday night, Mrs. Geo. Gale was elected to a place in the Farmington schools for next year. She will do grade work. Miss Wilhelmina Herwig, who has been attending the University of Missouri the past term, returned home Wednesday. Miss Herwig has accepted a place in the High School faculty for next year. Leah McDaniel, of Flat River, was a Farmington visitor Wednesday and made The Times office a very enjoyable call. He had recently returned from Detroit, where for almost a year he worked in the Dodge Bros. auto factory. Previous to going to Detroit he was one of the oldest employees of the Federal Lead Co. in the lead belt. Now is the time for the great annual cleaning up of property, when cans and all other rubbish should be placed in alleys, in preparation for carting away by trucks that will be employed by the city. May 5th, 6th and 7th are the days that have been fixed for the disposal of all rubbish by the city. Do not fail to have your premises in readiness before those dates. Hon. Henry C. Riley, of New Madrid, for eighteen years Circuit Judge of that District, died suddenly at his home Tuesday morning, April 13th, aged 70 years. He was very popular, and was loved and trusted by all who knew him. Judge Riley had many friends in this community, where he had sat as special judge in the trial of different cases. He leaves considerable estate. W. B. Rariden left Tuesday for Joplin to attend the Democratic State Convention, which convened there yesterday. The Times believes he is the only one attending that convention from this city, and while not a member of the St. Francois county delegation, we are informed that he left with a proxy from Ste. Genevieve county, which entitles him to a seat in that gathering. Frank Staten, the polite and gentlemanly colored porter at the St. Francois hotel, returned Sunday from a visit to his former home in Fredericktown, carrying his right arm in a sling, having broken a small bone in the wrist, caused from forceful contact with a former old friend with whom he had trouble over the sale of a saddle. While Frank bears a battle scar, he had the satisfaction of felling his antagonist, who had attacked him, twice under his well directed blows. We desire to call attention of Times readers to the announcement in this issue of the Lincoln Housing Trust, which company is opening an office in Farmington, with Lyman H. Reed in charge. The plan of this well established company is along the same lines of the local building and loan associations, though its operations is of national scope, which enables them to make loans on farm and city property at the unusually attractive figure of 4 per cent. interest. The local manager would be pleased to talk over the matter with you if you are in need of a loan.

An important meeting of the shareholders of the Farm Bureau Purchasing and Sales Association will be held at the court house in Farmington tomorrow, (Saturday) meeting at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a permanent organization and electing a Board of Directors. The successful carrying out of this movement will mean much to the farmers of this county. While cleaning house Wednesday, Mrs. Marvin W. Crowder received a severe electric shock, and Marvin believes had a narrow escape from death. She was standing on a table, the top of which was damp, cleaning a rosette of the electric lighting fixtures with a damp cloth, when the cloth evidently came into contact with the electric current. The dampness of the cloth and table on which she was standing made the shock severe, though fortunately the danger quickly passed. Mrs. E. Swink was taken to the Bonne Terre hospital Sunday, suffering from mastoids. An operation was performed on his head, just behind his left ear, the same afternoon. Since then two additional operations have been performed, one on his left knee where an abscess had formed as a result of the mastoids. His family received word yesterday afternoon, stating that he was getting along very well, and many friends hope he will soon be permanently healed of his painful affliction. Prof. J. Clyde Akers, County Superintendent of Schools, will attend the State Convention of County Superintendents in Jefferson City next week. The law requires the attendance of County Superintendents at these annual conventions, and he requests The Times to announce that he will be out of his office all of next week. Such annual conventions have become of great value, not only to the School Superintendents, but through the information gained there by them, it becomes available to the people of the entire State.

WANTED—200 Red Stock Hogs to feed. Weighing from 75 to 150 lbs. Will pay the highest market price for same. E. E. Swink, Farmington, Mo. 16-2t

WANTED—Salesman for Farmington and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare time or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection through our free school of instruction and help you build a business of your own. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company, Accident and Health Dept., Saginaw, Michigan. Capital, \$1,500,000. 16-2t

FOR SALE—A few year-old Fashionable Bred Registered Hereford Bulls, every one a good individual. Prices reasonable. Will deliver same to any neighboring town that can be reached with truck. Would trade for aged bulls. E. E. Swink, Farmington, Mo. 10-8t

FOR SALE—A good small farm of 35 acres; about 27 acres in cultivation; small dwelling and good small barn; well fenced and plenty of water. About 4 miles from Flat River, and 30 minutes walk from car line. Price right for quick sale, on any reasonable terms. W. N. Fleming, Farmington, Mo.

FOR SALE—80 acres, located about eight miles east of Fronton on road leading toward Fredericktown. 65 acres of this is good bottom land on Brewer's creek, near the St. Francois river, 50 acres well fenced, mostly with good wire fence; small dwelling and barn; fine spring near dwelling; fine outside range; price \$2500, or would trade for Farmington or Lea Belt property. 13-5t

WANTED—Men or women, to take orders among friends and neighbors for the genuine guaranteed hosiery, full lines for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. We pay 50c an hour for spare time or \$24 for full time. Experience unnecessary. Write, International Stocking Mill, Norristown, Pa. 11-12t

FOR SALE—My residence property in Farmington, 3 blocks west of public square and 1 block south of car line. Lot 85x195 feet. 1-2 story frame dwelling, out side walls storm sheltered and papered, large basement with concrete floor, hot water heating plant, five rooms—hall, pantry, bath, and three closets on first floor. Grate in living-room. One room, two large closets and large floored attic on second floor. Laundry in basement with cistern and city water, also drain with discharge of wash water. Large barn and chicken house. Electric lights, with convenient switches in all rooms, basement, attic and barn. Concrete back porch with convenient closet and portable screens for summer and storm window and door for winter use. Copper wire screens for all windows and doors. Few fruit trees and grape vines. Price \$5500. Any reasonable terms. W. N. Fleming.

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