

LOCAL MENTION

The drouth is broken. Let's meet at Sundry's Grove. Home-grown roasting ears are now on the market. Mrs. B. H. Boyer, of St. Louis, spent the Fourth here. Hay harvest is in active progress and the yield is good. Grant Evans was a St. Louis visitor the first of the week. Crops and vegetation have been given a new lease on life. H. C. Johnson, of Bismarck, transacted business here Saturday. Ferd Burgess went to St. Louis Sunday in search of a position. J. S. Gossom, of Caruthersville, spent the first of the week here. Taylor Smith made a business trip to Cape Girardeau the first of the week. Miss Anna Puttman, who has a position at Sikeston, is visiting her parents here. Jeff Counts, who has a position in St. Louis, spent the Fourth here with his family. Mrs. F. M. Braning left Saturday for Shreveport, La., for a visit with her brother. Special invitation to all good people to visit our Grove. Our Grove is Your Grove. R. S. Kahn, the Desloge merchant, was in Farmington Tuesday mingling with his many friends. Miss Pauline Byington, who has been visiting friends in St. Louis, returned home Saturday. The usual Fourth of July rain did not reach here until the 5th. But it was thankfully received. "Babe" Ballard will leave Saturday morning for St. Louis to accept a position with the Brown Shoe Co. Henry and Frank Eversole, of St. Louis, spent the Fourth of July here with the family of B. H. Marbury. Mrs. C. L. Stubbs and son, Charles, of Blodgett, are the guests of Mrs. Stubbs' mother, Mrs. S. C. Watts. Dock Mackley, who is connected with the Farm Bureau service, left Saturday for Stoddard county on business. Miss Lillian Tucker, of St. Louis, and Miss Marie McAtee, of Chicago, are guests of Misses Ruth and Juanita McAtee. Miss Bernice Thomure returned to Bonne Terre Wednesday, after visiting here with her aunt, Miss Frances Flowers. Fred Browne came down from St. Louis the latter part of the week and celebrated the Fourth here with his mother. Gene Karsch and Carson Morris returned the latter part of the week from Milwaukee, where they spent several days. Harry Miller, instructor in the Ozark Business College, left Sunday for Chicago to spend several weeks in Gregg school. Mrs. J. A. Kite and daughter, Joy, returned Wednesday from Aurora, where they had spent several weeks visiting friends. The splendid celebrations in this county Monday were broken up in the evening by a hard rain—leaving many wet but happy. Ollie Mayberry went to St. Louis Wednesday in search of some COLD, which he hopes to have shipped in as soon as possible. Henry Radle, who has been enjoying the sights and sounds in California for several weeks, breezed in home Tuesday night. Mrs. O. H. L. Cunningham and grandson, Irvy, returned Saturday night from an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas. Miss Elnora Baker, Home Demonstration Agent, has bought a Chevrolet runabout to use in making her visits over the county. Herbert Biskey, of St. Louis, came in the first of the week for a visit with his cousin, Deputy County Collector W. L. Hoffman. Street lights are soon to be installed in Desloge, for which thanks are due to the enterprising Commercial Club of that place. Many farmers are still putting in every possible moment harvesting their wheat crop. There is a good average yield per acre, and the grain is fine. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Leming, of Cape Girardeau, spent the Fourth and the first of the week here with Mrs. Leming's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rozier. Carl Valle has sold his home on Liberty street to Mrs. G. W. Grover; consideration \$2,450. Mrs. Grover expects to make the new purchase her home. Tom McKinney, Chas. Francisco, Carrol Phillips, Cloud Cole and Gentry Keith, all of whom are working in St. Louis, spent the Fourth here with home folks. Yesterday was Farmington Day of Epworth League Week at Arcadia Heights, and several hundred people from this city were in attendance at that delightful resort. Ed. C. Barroll, who is working for the Gardner Advertising Co., in St. Louis, came in the first of the week for a few days' visit with his mother and old Farmington friends. Lyman H. Reed, representing the Lincoln Housing Trust, has moved his office from its former location in the St. Francis hotel building to the office with J. S. Clay over the Farmers Bank. Clint Denman, editor of the Sikeston Herald, was a Farmington visitor the first of the week, being called here by the serious illness of his father, whom he was pleased to find in an improved condition. Diak Fuhrmeister, whose bright and smiling visage may be seen in the County Clerk's office, has lawfully wedded unto himself one Ford Coupe. The City Council is considering putting on an extra traffic cop.

A number of Farmington people are camping this week at the Methodist Assembly grounds in Arcadia Heights, this being the opening week of a month's program there. This is Epworth League week there. Your joy riding will not be complete unless you stop at Sundry's Grove. We serve all kinds of refreshments, with first-class service—just like at Sundry's Candy Kitchen. Come, and you will come again. Owing to the press of farm work, the County Court did not meet until Wednesday this week. They have a big batch of important county work to look after, which will perhaps keep them in session the remainder of the week. Miss Nora Murphy, who is buyer for a French millinery shop in Wichita Falls, Texas, has been visiting her mother here. She will spend several days in Chicago and New York purchasing goods for her firm before she returns home. Misses Harriet Fite and Mae Francis, of Bonne Terre, visited in Farmington Wednesday. Miss Fite has a position in Indiana, and Miss Francis has a position in Virginia. Both are graduates of the Ozark Business College of this city. The Times editor left yesterday for Caruthersville to attend the annual meeting of the Southeast Missouri Press Association. An interesting program has been prepared for that occasion, and a good attendance of the press "gang" is expected. Milton H. Tucker, of Flat River, Republican candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, was in the city Tuesday extending his acquaintance among the voters. He is a bright and affable young man, whose announcement appears in this issue of The Times. Mrs. Irene Perkins, wife of Wm. Perkins, was taken the first of the week to the home of her parents near Coffman. She is in a bad condition of health, owing to strenuous work at State Hospital No. 4 for the past three years, and her physicians advised a prolonged period of rest and quiet. Miss Willa Buck, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Farmington the past two weeks, will return the first of the week to her duties in Columbia, where she is Filing Clerk in the Newspaper Department of the State Historical Society, which position she has most efficiently filled for several years past. Vincent Hieserer, of Benton, Scott county, who is Democratic candidate for the nomination for State Treasurer, was in Farmington Friday afternoon in the interest of his campaign. He is touring over the state in a Ford to meet the voters. He appears to be a first-class young man and is sure to be a strong candidate. Lieut. and Mrs. Bryan Halter came in last week-end from Georgia, where the Lieutenant has been stationed, for a visit with Mrs. Halter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Williams. Lieut. Halter has been transferred for duty at Camp Dodge, Iowa, at which place he has already reported, but Mrs. Halter will remain here for a time for a visit with home folks. Harry Pease returned Tuesday from Los Angeles, Calif., where he spent several weeks. He had gone to California with the intention of locating, having arranged for his family to join him there later. While he was wonderfully impressed with the country, he said it was impossible to live on scenery, regardless of the altitude, and a comparison of living conditions were very plainly in favor of old St. Francois county, where he has concluded to continue to make his home.

LET THE FARMER OWN THE GAME

One of the strongest movements in progress in this country today is to make the farmer the owner of the game on his farm, not the state. As it is at present in most of the United States, the farmer can post his farm against hunters, which is perfectly proper and which nobody wants to change. But as to the game itself, the state claims ownership laws over bird and beast and passes laws against even the farmer killing them on his own land. All of which is doing the game no good. The farmer has no interest in the wild things. The alleged protection laws are not increasing the game. On the other hand, if the farmer owned the game on his land—mallard duck, teal, goose, pheasant, quail and the like—and could kill them for his table and to sell as food, he would make pretty sure that they were protected. He would exterminate their vermin enemies, keep off game butchers, and more important than all, he would provide his game with food and even shelter on the few desperate occasions in the winter when they die in enormous numbers from starvation. The farmer would soon find that his ownership of the increasing game on his land meant not only a better table for himself but money in his pocket. He or his boys would begin to breed game in large numbers to sell to the townspeople. Briefly, this whole movement is intended to restock this country with game birds. There seems to be no doubt that the farmer's ownership and self-interest care of such birds would increase their numbers mightily everywhere—everywhere, because wild birds do not all stay at one place.

LICENSED TO MARRY

July 1—John E. Kitschel and Gertrude Blankenship, Elvins. July 2—J. H. Burns, Flat River, and Frona Byers, Farmington. July 2—Lawrence Raymo and Rosie Whitaker, Desloge. July 3—James E. Woodson, Cantwell, and Theima L. Smullen, Elvins. July 3—Frank A. Mullerman and Mary E. Sebastian, Knob Lick. July 3—Clarence H. O'Neil, Granite City, and Lucy Williams, St. Louis.

The proposed amendment to the Georgia State Constitution giving the women the right to vote was killed in the Senate, 19 to 15.

GENERAL CROP PROSPECTS GOOD

A gentleman who had just finished a tour through several of the extreme southeast counties of the state gave us some idea of the crop conditions there. The wheat harvest, which proved very poor, yielding only five to ten bushels to the acre, he said was offset in large measure by the fine prospect for corn, cotton and sunflowers, which are profitable crops in that section. These products promise to be the best they have ever had, and will relieve any disappointment they may feel over the failure of the wheat yield. Corn is one of the most important and valuable crops to the farmer, and it is gratifying to learn that the lower counties will not fall short of their usual supply. In St. Francois county the wheat crop is reported unusually good, although the acreage sown last fall may not be as large as last year. The heads are full and the grain of unusual soundness, so that the yield per acre is much more satisfactory than anticipated. Corn, however, is not so promising here. The almost continuous rains up to the latter part of May interfered greatly with plowing and planting, and the consequence is that if the acreage was not cut short the lateness of the planting and the drouth that set in the latter part of May and has continued up to this time has greatly retarded the growth of the young plants. However, if we should from now have a reasonable fall of rain and other favorable conditions it may turn out well. Prices may keep up, but surely we are not in danger of starving and there is no reason for elongating our faces over the crop prospects.

BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES

Ferd Burgess left for St. Louis Sunday morning, where he will accept a position. Miss Helen Kopp accepted a position in the office of Carr Hartshorn of Elvins the first of the week. Miss Irene Miller began work as bookkeeper at Hospital No. 4 Tuesday noon of this week. Miss Viola Wulfert began work in the stenographic department Tuesday morning. Eugene Gibbs called Tuesday afternoon. He is intending to go to St. Louis this week. He has been enjoying a short visit at his home, Greenville. Mattie Chatman of Route 6 completed her work in the combined department and left for St. Louis Wednesday. W. E. Coffey, Sr., is taking a short vacation and working in the harvest field at home. He expects to return in a couple of weeks. Miss Opal Allen is visiting a few days this week. She expects to return to college next week. Harry P. Miller left Sunday for Chicago, where he will attend the summer normal for teachers, conducted by the Gregg school.

JOSEPH H. PERKINS

This old and well known citizen passed away from his home in this city at 8:50 p. m. July 3rd, after several weeks' illness. Deceased was born in St. Francois county 68 years ago, where he spent practically his entire life. Throughout life he was known as a good citizen, a loving and devoted husband and father. About twenty-five years ago Mr. Perkins was elected Sheriff of this county, and during his term performed well the duties of that position. He was a carpenter by trade, in which line of work most of his life was spent, though recently he had been employed at State Hospital No. 4. His wife and only child, William McMullin Perkins, survive him. They have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in their bereavement. While deceased never united with a church, he was a sincere believer in the Christian religion, and during his last illness he became truly converted. Funeral services were held at 2:30 Monday afternoon, being conducted by Rev. E. H. Orear, and interment was in the K. of P. cemetery.

MRS. ANNA CAROLINE BAUMAN

Mrs. Anna Caroline Bauman (nee Winter), wife of Nick Bauman, of this city, passed away at her home Sunday morning, July 4, 1920, at 11 o'clock, at the age of 52 years, 5 months and 17 days. The cause of her death was gall stones, from which deceased had been a sufferer for about two years, although she had been ill only a few days before the end came. Deceased was born and reared in Ste. Genevieve county but for many years she, her husband and family have lived in Farmington. Mr. Bauman being a trusted employee of the Giesing Milling Company. Besides the grief-stricken husband, six children are left to mourn her passing, who are: Katie (Mrs. Propst), Henry, Leona, Wilfred, Esther and Stella. Mrs. Bauman was a kind and loving mother and will be sadly missed by her sorrowing family, as well as by a host of friends who knew and loved her almost like a mother. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at the Catholic church by Rev. Father J. P. Ryan and interment was made in Calvary cemetery. The Times extends sincerest sympathy to the bereaved family, friends and relatives.

MARY JANE HENDERSON Present address: Lewisburg, W. Va. Home after June 7th. Teacher of Piano and Pipe Organ—Harmony, History and Theory of Music. Will take a limited number of pupils for the summer months. Phone 152.

SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

Lutheran Church H. Hallerberg, Pastor. Sixth Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. sermon by Mr. L. Buchheimer, of St. Louis. No other service. Christian Church J. M. Bailey, Pastor. Lord's day, July 11th, the services will be as follows: Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Remember "Sime Sledge of Slumpville," and let us have no slump during the warm months. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. A welcome to all. First M. E. Church W. S. Courtney. The Rev. Mr. Morton will preach Sunday night at the union service; the pastor in the morning. Other services as usual. Everybody welcome. Presbyterian Church Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. John H. Green, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Fruitland, Mo., followed by communion service. All are cordially invited. I. B. S. A. Service Elder Knott, of St. Louis, will deliver two Bible lectures at Wood's store, Electric Place—on Saturday evening at 8, and Sunday morning at 10:30. The Sunday morning subject will be: "The New Heaven and the New Earth." You are cordially invited.

CARD OF THANKS

We feel so thankful to friends, relatives, Ladies Aid, Bible Class and Hospital No. 4 for the beautiful floral offerings; to the pall-bearers, to Rev. O. H. Rrear and Rev. O. H. L. Cunningham and to all others who so kindly assisted in our hours of sorrow. MRS. D. C. PERKINS and SON.

FINE STOCK FOR SALE

1 thoroughbred prize-winning Duroc-Jersey sow, with 8 pigs. 4 or 5 fancy pigs from sweepstakes winner at last fall Boys' Pig Club show. Also a No. 1 milk cow, with 6-months-old heifer calf. Will sell one or both. J. B. Rickard, Route 1, Farmington, Mo. Phone Chestnut Ridge line.

MISSOURI WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

The prosperity of the state is not set forth by any one locality or industry but by enterprises and improvements in every section of the state, the real barometer of progress and development. Columbia.—Howell county court placed order for \$11,000 worth road machinery. Hannibal.—Burlington Railroad plans to spend \$250,000, enlarging switch yards here. Sedalia.—Wheat crop in Pettus county reported heavy. Good corn crop predicted. More strawberries grown here this season than for years. Campbell plans to build brick manufacturing plant with daily capacity of 40,000. Joplin.—Paving Main street from High to Broadway. Carthage.—\$21,350 contract awarded to remodel school building. Sedalia.—Local brewing company goes out of the beer business by pouring 777 barrels into street and will manufacture ice instead. St. Louis.—Fullman rates affecting four lines within state to be increased 25 per cent, beginning July 1. Neosho.—Paving Jefferson street with asphalt and chert. Wellsville.—Demand for homes, farm and business houses forces building campaign despite high prices of material and labor. Carthage.—Work soon to begin paving city streets. Brookdale.—United Presbyterian church plans to build \$80,000 edifice. More than 200,000 persons now occupy prosperous homes in what were American deserts and produce an annual crop worth \$100,000,000 from lands which a short time ago returned nothing. Fayette.—Salaries of faculty of Central College here substantially increased. Kansas City.—\$500,000 hotel planned for 19th and Main streets. Carthage.—New shoe manufacturing company will start operating July first. Crocker.—Work begun on Hawkeye road in Tavern township. Kansas City.—H. D. Lee Mercantile Co. enlarges facilities and installs machines. St. Joseph.—Old Calvary cemetery to be converted into park. Joplin.—Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co. capitalized at \$12,000 organized. Richmond.—Ray county's wheat crop best in years. Kansas City.—New \$35,000 Auditorium Hall to be erected at Sunset Hill school for girls. Kansas City.—La. Roe Printing Co. buys \$65,000 building. Improvements planned. Missouri face crop reduction of 17 per cent—scarcity of labor. Cape Girardeau.—Movement in progress to develop best sugar industry and establish factory here. Martinville.—\$50,000 rural school house under construction in Cooper county. Frankfort.—Missouri Pacific completes arrangements to build round house, machine shop, turn table and put in culverts here; also plans to build round house and necessary buildings at Concordia and Stockton. Platt City.—Local telephone Co. installs new up-to-date equipment. Kansas City.—\$100,000 fund for furthering proposed \$60,000,000 Missouri good roads bond issue pledged

CANNING TIME! THIS YEAR-- OF ALL YEARS Is one season when no American housewife can afford to have any "FAILURES" in her canning. Sugar supplies seem limited--fruits are scarce in some territories. Every full jar set on the shelf in the fruit cellar will be like so much gold next winter. Have the best jar available--the E. Z. Seal jar --glass lid-- which has stood all temperature tests. PINTS - - - 95c per dozen QUARTS - - - \$1.00 per dozen HALF-GALLON - - \$1.25 per dozen Extra rubber caps and lids for all makes. Klein Grocer Co. FARMINGTON, MO.

BANKERS HELP FARMERS "There is much that the local banker can do to stimulate better business methods on the part of farmers. He can also be of material aid to the extension agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture on reaching farmers with results of research. The increased demand for food by our increasing population must be met in the future largely by producing more per acre. Unless this is secured through the more general adoption of improved methods, the increased production will result in ever increasing cost per unit of product. I wish to commend especially the work of the agricultural commission of the American Bankers' Association. Its work is a recognition of the solidarity of the interests of agricultural and of the financial institutions of the United States. It is very gratifying that the bankers of the country, through their agricultural committees and commissions, are taking an active interest in the work of the Department of Agriculture and State Colleges of Agriculture." LIBERTYVILLE Quite a number from here attended the picnic at Flat River and Desloge last Monday. Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Allen spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keith. Clyde Hicks and Miss Dora Lenz of Cross Roads attended church here last Sunday. Mrs. Wallace is spending the week with relatives at Cross Roads. There will be an ice cream social on the lawn at the Christian Church here Saturday evening, July 24th. Everybody invited to come.

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE—A bed-room set, also bed and wash-stand. Phone 337, Farmington, Mo. FOR SALE—The most modern and best equipped bungalow in the Doss addition, W. N. Fleming. FOR SALE—"190" Chevrolet touring car, latest 1920 model, run very little, in perfect condition, lot of extras. Priced for quick sale. Big bargain. Phone 195. Address Box 474, Farmington, Mo. 27-ft. LOST—On last Monday, near the Farmington postoffice, a pair of double lenz eye-glasses, with gold tips. Finder will leave at Farmers Bank and receive reward. WANTED, CARPENTERS—Several first-class carpenters for repairing and building houses. Apply to the IRON MOUNTAIN CO., Iron Mountain, Mo. 27-24. WANTED—An all-round butcher; good wages for industrious man. Apply to Burnette's Market, Phone 385, Farmington, Mo. FOR SALE—A splendid combination stock and grain farm, of 383 acres, known as the Bill Dalton farm, located about 6 miles southeast of Farmington, Mo. Good two-story brick dwelling, good large barn and other buildings. Well watered and about 250 acres in cultivation. Also some stock, farm machinery, and tools. This property belongs to the estate of J. L. Swink and will be offered for sale at a very reasonable price for the next 60 days, for the purpose of settling the estate. See or write W. N. Fleming, Farmington, Mo. 26-3t. FOR SALE My new frame home, of 8 rooms, halls, bath, attic, cellar, big porches, water system, built-in book case, china closet, clothes closets; all in perfect repair; with five acres highly-manured land, now in clover; deep well, barn, orchard. A real country home. Eye troubles compel sacrifice. See or write owner, Dr. E. McGinnis, Bismarck, Mo., or 1711 S. Grand Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 27-3t. A subscription to The Times will help you thro the year

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