

.. COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE ..

BONNE TERRE

Mrs. Munch and little son and daughter, of St. Louis, are spending the week with the family of Christopher Dachwald. Willie Jackson, of French Village, spent Monday here. Alberta House is spending a few days in St. Louis with her aunt and uncle. Bernard AuBuchon spent Saturday and Sunday in Elvins with friends. Andrew McCoy, of Desloge, spent Friday here with friends. Mrs. Martin Donnelly and little daughter, of Silver Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives. Wm. Moon, of Primrose, and Val Smith, of Silver Springs, were here Monday. Mrs. Fenton Millen and little daughter, of Silver Springs, spent Wednesday with relatives here. Mrs. Henry Thurman, of Silver Springs, visited her son, George, here Tuesday. Willard LaBruyere, who has been spending the past two weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Clara LaBruyere, has returned to his home in St. Louis. Luther Blackwell of Cape Girardeau spent Sunday and Monday here with his brother, Frank. Mrs. Coleman spent Thursday and Friday in Herculaneum with her son and daughter. Miss Minnie Thomure, who has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Ste. Genevieve, returned Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Semands and little son, Jack, spent Monday in Desloge. Mrs. E. M. McElfresh has returned to her home in New London, Mo., after a visit of several weeks here with friends. Otto McClain and Harrold Shannon spent Monday in St. Francois. Shelton Horn spent Monday on business in Flat River. Mrs. Wm. Murphy and Mrs. Augustine Murphy were visitors from Big River Monday. Eidson Rinewalt, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his wife. Mrs. Thos. Mead, who has been quite ill at the Bonne Terre hospital with blood poisoning, has been removed to her home and is rapidly regaining health. Mrs. Phillip Langelle and little daughter, Mary Rita, have returned to their home after a visit of several days with her mother, Mrs. Thos. Mead. Clarence Claywell is on his vacation. Mrs. Kathryn Dempsey, of Flat River, spent Monday morning here. Miss Christine House, of the Gordon store, is spending her vacation. Mrs. Theo. Trenchard entertained on Tuesday evening a number of her friends. Those present were: Mrs. Joseph Falk, Mrs. Luther Poston, Mrs. Christopher Dachwald, Mrs. P. Munch and daughter, Anna, and Mrs. Phillip Langelle and daughter, of East St. Louis. All had a very enjoyable time. Leo Marlowe, of Bismarck, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Fenton, and family. Frank Marchand spent Monday and Tuesday in Desloge and Leadwood on business. Leo Jolly, of Bismarck, was a visitor here with friends this week. Mrs. Luther Rice entertained a number of young folks on Thursday evening in honor of her son, Walter. Refreshments were served and the evening enjoyed. Mrs. M. Hoelzel, of Melzo, was a visitor here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norwell and baby, of Cape Girardeau, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Andrews, and family. W. Sutton and Harry Phillips are visiting in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. U. S. G. Thompson are enjoying a two weeks vacation. The ball game here Sunday between Farmington and the home team was won by the local boys, the score being 15 to 4. Ernest Stretesky, who is attending school in Farmington, spent Saturday and Sunday here. Louis Perrett spent Saturday in Flat River. Rev. Sevcik spent Monday and Tuesday in St. Louis on business. Edgar Roy, of St. Louis, is visiting his uncle here this week. Little Agnes Vargo, of St. Louis, is here for a visit of several weeks with her brother and father. Misses Mamie and Louise Cunningham, of near DeSoto, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Arthur AuBuchon and Harry Johnson and family. Reva Counts, of French Village, spent Friday here visiting friends. Joe Bouchard spent two days at Sedalia and was accompanied home by his mother, who had been there the past several weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Vineyard, and attending the State Fair. Little Ruth and Filmore Rice returned home after spending several weeks in Ironton. They were accompanied by their grandfathers, Jos. Rice, who will spend a few days here with his son and family. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Klughart, a son. Marvin Sullivan was a visitor in Festus Sunday. Frederick Benham, who for the past few months has been employed in St. Louis, has accepted a position here in the mine. Mr. and Mrs. W. VanSickel spent Sunday at Libertyville with the latter's mother. Miss Katherine Mitchell, of St. Louis, is here for an extended visit with relatives. Luther Rice, who has been visiting the past week with his parents near Ironton, returned home Sunday. Wyman Buckner, of Elvins, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends. Miss Sidney Boyer and Rowena Gately, of Chaffee, Mo., spent Monday at Festus. Adolph Carrow, of Kansas City, is here visiting his parents. Karl Koester, of Leadwood, spent

Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents. Eugene Williams and wife, of Leadwood, were visitors with relatives and friends here Sunday. Miss Nellie Hoskings spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoskings and family. Misses Rose Lawrence, Zoe and Zeta Govro, of Elvins, spent Sunday here at the home of John Govro. Sam Doss, of Desloge, was a visitor here Sunday. Thos. Cook was a visitor in Desloge Monday. Miss Weber, of St. Louis, is spending the week with her sisters, Mrs. Peter Mouser and Mrs. Thos. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. John Benham, of Rivermines, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benham. Mr. Mayberry was called to Festus Thursday to attend the funeral of his uncle. Mrs. Denver Ball, of Flat River, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her brother, Harry Lesser, and family. Mrs. John Chandler left Saturday for a visit in St. Louis with her mother. Mrs. Cook and little son, Walter, of Desloge, spent Wednesday and Thursday here with the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Numaw. Paul Richardson, of St. Louis, is here for an extended visit with his uncle, Grant Richardson. Miss Avis Walker, of Herculaneum, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends. Misses Lucille and Hazel Benham are spending the week in Flat River and Farmington with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Moon spent Monday in Desloge with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, of Desloge, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West. Mrs. Robert Womack, of Flat River, spent Sunday here with home folks.

BISMARCK

Robt. Hodkins, of Caledonia, was a visitor here Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Croewle, of Des Arc, came here Wednesday for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. Siak. Chas. Francisco, County Highway Engineer, of Farmington, was here Wednesday. Mrs. C. V. Coxy, who has been ill, is better at this writing. Harold and Lester Barrett, of St. Louis, came down Monday night for a few days visit with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Walter Wilson, of Ironton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Eidson, the week-end. L. N. Beard and daughter, Miss Eva, were Flat River and Elvins visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Melville Lindsey and family and his brother, Bert, departed on Tuesday for Muskogee, Okla., from where they will go by auto to Denver, Colo., where Mr. Lindsey is planning entering business. Bert intends to visit for a few weeks and return here in time for the opening of school. Robert Wood, who has been attending the Southeast Missouri Teachers College at Cape Girardeau the past summer, came home Friday afternoon for a few days visit with home folks and other relatives before returning there for the opening of the fall term. "Grandma" Beard went to Annapolis Saturday afternoon, where she will visit her son, Dave, for a few weeks. Miss Newomb, of Desloge, visited her sister, Mrs. Jess Ricman, the past week. T. H. Coxy, G. W. Buford, J. C. Oehler, W. M. Keathley, G. J. Goeltz and Mrs. L. C. Woodrow were in Flat River Saturday afternoon taking the civil service examination for postmaster at this place. The term of Mr. Goeltz, the present postmaster, expired last June. It matters little to us who gets the appointment, as the one who gets it will be well qualified if chosen from the above. We are all well pleased with the way Mr. and Mrs. Goeltz have served us as postmaster and postmistress the past five years, and if they retire it will be with the good will of the patrons of this office. Misses Gertrude and Mildred Sherrell arrived home Friday night from Cape Girardeau, where they have been attending the Teachers College during the summer. Frank DeGuire transacted business in Fredericktown Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Leeper of Mill Springs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lucy the past week. Prof. Baker and family were out near Bellview a couple of days last week visiting friends and fishing. The "Prof" says he caught a big mess of fish. At this writing it seems that Earl Wright, who was reported in a critical condition last week, is somewhat better, although he has not passed the danger line. But his many friends feel more cheerful over his condition than they did, and all hope that in a short while he will be back among them. C. Moore, who is employed as pump hand at the Missouri Pacific water works in DeSoto, was taken very ill Wednesday afternoon and removed to the company hospital in St. Louis. He has been accustomed to sudden sickness since suffering an attack of botulin poisoning about a year ago. His many friends here hope for his speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tumblestone have returned to their home at Clinton, after an extended visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tumblestone. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tumblestone and son, Robert. Mrs. Herbert Luck was a St. Louis visitor the past week. Ed Rowland, who was severely burned about the face and arms a few weeks ago, is again able to be out. Dr. C. C. Kerlagon was a visitor at the State Fair a part of this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hinze, of St. Louis, came down Friday night and

visited relatives here until Monday afternoon, when they assumed charge of the Bismarck hotel, having purchased same from Mrs. R. J. Luenberger and Miss Isa James a few weeks ago. We welcome them here and wish them every success. Rain prevented the Bismarck ball team playing Elvins a return game Sunday. The Bismarck boys were eager to get revenge for the defeat of Sunday two weeks ago. Cecil Renneger came home last Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Renneger. Cecil attended the University last fall, and had been working in Kansas. He plans to re-enter the University this year. Lloyd Black came here Friday to join his wife, who has been at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter. Lloyd had been attending the Teachers College at Cape Girardeau. He will teach in the Crystal City schools the coming term. A large number of hobos are daily seen beating their way on the trains. Occasionally we hear of one going beneath the wheels and paying the penalty either with life or a limb. A young man aged about 19 years, was run over by a train Saturday night and killed. He was brought to the undertaking parlors of Hill & Bispinghoff and from there sent to his home at Winona, Mo. A batch of corn whiskey was found in a corn field belonging to O. E. Hansbrough by Deputy Sheriff W. H. Forbes and other officers a few days ago. The whiskey had not been made at that place but had been made in the woods opposite the Walnut Grove school house. Metro Mulanki, a forger, was "pinched" as the ring leader, besides a number of other forgers. We think that the law is too lenient on these birds who like to manufacture this foul stuff that is called the cup of cheer, which is supposed to make some men and a few boys feel like they own the world, but only shows the small amount of gray matter their craniums contain. The many friends of Miss Hannah Heck were indeed surprised to hear of her marriage at Columbia to Elmer Jones, of Columbia. Miss Heck was high school principal here for a number of years.

VALLE MINES

A. J. Statzel, who has been visiting relatives here for a few days, returned to his work in St. Louis. Several from here attended the dance at N. Nussbaumer's Saturday night. Miss Eva Fraizer, of Festus, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday. Miss Emma Nussbaumer, of St. Louis, is visiting her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Heaton and daughter, Aletha, visited their daughter in St. Louis Saturday and Sunday. Earl Sykes, of St. Louis, spent the week-end here visiting relatives. Several from here attended the picnic at Tunnel Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rhodes and children visited at the home of Wm. E. Heaton the latter part of the week. Urel Hammock was a Halifax visitor Saturday. Miss Carrie Shannon was guest of Miss Elsie Heaton Wednesday. Miss Ada Heaton, who has been visiting her parents, returned to her work in St. Louis Monday. Miss Olga Heaton visited her sister, Mrs. H. C. Rhodes, Monday. Mrs. Floyd Long was a Bonne Terre visitor Wednesday. Mrs. F. H. Millen was a Bonne Terre visitor Wednesday. Earl Richardson, of French Village, was a Valle Mines visitor Wednesday. Miss Elsie Heaton is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Statzel, in St. Louis. Mrs. H. C. Rhodes was a Bonne Terre visitor Wednesday. Miss Pattie Moon and brother, of Koester, visited at the home of Green White Sunday. Miss Martha Horn, of Bonne Terre, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, has returned to her home. Miss Leona Head visited at the home of John Porter Saturday and Sunday. Green White was a DeSoto visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Arthur Rowe visited relatives at Bonne Terre Saturday. Mrs. Monroe Nash was a Bonne Terre visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Ferman Richardson visited friends and relatives at Flat River Monday and Tuesday. Misses Carrie Shannon and Clara Douglas visited at the home of W. E. Heaton Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Nash were DeSoto visitors Monday. Lee Douglas visited relatives in St. Louis Friday and Saturday. Mrs. C. W. Shannon visited her sister, Mrs. John Winner, of Bonne Terre, Wednesday and Thursday. Lewis Shannon, of this place, left for Detroit, Mich., to seek employment. Misses Carrie Shannon, Clara Douglas and Olga Heaton visited at the home of H. C. Rhodes Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whitesell visited Mr. and Mrs. Green White Sunday. Miss Clara Douglas visited at the home of Dr. C. W. Shannon Wednesday.

LEADWOOD

H. K. Level, who is working in St. Louis, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his family here. Prof. J. W. Reeves and family spent from Friday to Tuesday of this week visiting relatives at Webster Groves, Mo. Lynn VanLear was called to Ironton Friday night on account of the serious illness of his father. He informed the writer Monday that his father was much better. B. H. Bass and J. F. Poston transacted business at the county seat Saturday. R. C. Thompson and wife visited

relatives at Ironton over Sunday. J. M. Appleberry, of Silver Springs, visited his son, Dr. D. Appleberry, here Sunday. Miss Marguerite Taylor is visiting relatives at DeSoto this week. J. F. Taylor and wife were visiting their son at DeSoto Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Blunt, of Desloge, accompanied them. Mrs. H. L. Stapp, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Ramsey, at St. Louis for the past two weeks, returned home Sunday. L. H. Penberthy and family, of St. Louis, drove down and spent Sunday with his brother, Chas. Penberthy. Otis Johnson, who is working at St. Louis, was here visiting relatives Sunday. Miss Lois Goodin, of Desloge, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Goodin, Sunday. Miss Beulah Boyer, who has been attending the Teachers Training School at Cape Girardeau, returned home here Saturday. Miss Beulah will teach at Franklay the coming year. Misses Marion McKenzie, Lucille Smith and Madeline Zimmerman, who have been attending the Teachers Training School at Cape Girardeau, returned home here Saturday. Miss McKenzie will teach this year in one of the St. Louis schools, Miss Smith will teach here in the grade school, and Miss Zimmerman has not yet decided just where she will teach this year. Hazel, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McGee, died at her home here Aug. 12th, 1921. She had been in poor health for more than a year, and everything that medical skill could do was done for her. She was in a hospital at St. Louis for several months, but nothing could be done to restore her to health. Hazel was an exceptionally bright and sweet little girl, and her departure brings deep sadness to her family and many friends. The funeral was held at the Baptist church Tuesday, and interment at the Bonne Terre cemetery. Our mutual friend, Doc VanLear, is taking a two-weeks vacation from the Cash and Carry store, of which he is manager. Doc says he expects to put in part of his vacation this year fishing out in Washington county. Last year he spent his vacation on his front porch, and the folks joked him so much about imitating Mr. Harding that this year he is going to get away out in Washington county for fear that someone might accuse him of being a Republican. J. A. Robinson and son, of Ironton, were here attending church Sunday. Mrs. Russell Kemp and children have gone to Patton, Mo., to visit relatives for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kirkpatrick were at Bonne Terre Sunday attending the golden wedding anniversary of Mrs. Kirkpatrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stewart. S. E. Williams and W. T. Scott transacted business at Elvins Tuesday. Wm. Jahnce and two sons arrived here Sunday from Germany. Mr. and Mrs. Jahnce were recently married while he was on a visit to his native country, and this is their first time to be in the good old U. S. A. A truck load of members of the Baptist church here motored to Arcadia Heights Monday to attend the Baptist Assembly at that place. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Varenkamp, former residents of this place, but now living in St. Louis, passed through here last Saturday on their way to Ironton, to visit Mr. Varenkamp's mother.

T. M. Dotson is visiting relatives at DeSoto and St. Louis for a few days in order to recuperate his health and take a much needed rest. SUGAR GROVE These who spent the evening at the home of Mrs. L. T. Hunt last Thursday were: Misses Helen and Mary Haynes, John Davis, Ray and Kosuth Haynes, Milton and Elbert Menge and Roscoe Zolman. Miss Thelma Lotz, of Valley Park, who has been visiting with Mrs. L. T. Hunt, returned home last Saturday. Stanley Haynes is busy plowing for wheat this week. John Haynes has been working on a garage for Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn. Mrs. Jno. Haynes and family, Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn and sons, Elgin and Glenn, spent Sunday with Mrs. E. C. Martin. George Haynes, of St. Louis, is home for a few days visit. Harry Hahn and family motored over town in their new car last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinkle are moving to their farm north of Farmington this week. Howard and Marion Haynes are repairing the roof of the Gene Burgess dwelling at Electric Place this week. Those who spent the evening last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Haynes were: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Williams, Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn and family, Mrs. R. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Haynes and Roscoe Zolman. Ice cream was served. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Williams spent Thursday with E. G. Williams. Miss Mabel Casteel, of Flat River, is visiting with Mrs. T. F. O'Bannon this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Williams spent Sunday with their son, Eugene. Bud Pinkston and family spent the day with his brother, John Pinkston, Wednesday. Mrs. E. Woldredge, who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Pinkston, went to Bonne Terre this week to visit her mother. "Grandpa" Sylvester, who has been on the sick list, is better this week. Mrs. J. W. Gossett spent the day with Mrs. R. C. Martin last Wednesday. Mrs. J. H. English spent Wednesday with Mrs. T. F. O'Bannon. Joe Byington was in Farmington Monday. Mrs. R. Hamilton and children and her mother, Mrs. H. McDaniel, were visitors with Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn last week. Mrs. Wm. Straughn and daughters spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Pinkston. Mrs. R. C. Martin and Miss Lucy Haynes spent Friday with Mrs. Char-

Magnifying the Finger Print THE proved oil producing area in the United States is estimated as only 4500 square miles. When you contrast this with the area of the United States—3,026,789 square miles—the proved area is but a finger print on the map. Yet from this 4500 square miles must come the raw material to drive all of our motor driven machines, and practically all of the oil to lubricate the machinery which makes possible the happiness and prosperity of the nation. To magnify this finger print is the task in which the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is engaged. By reason of the Burton Process, which largely increases the amount of gasoline recoverable from a given quantity of crude oil, and dozens of other methods developed in its laboratories and refineries, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has multiplied the quantity of finished petroleum products available for the use of men wherever they may live. The development of the Burton Process has done more to promote the manufacture of automotive machinery than any other single discovery since the usefulness of gasoline as a fuel was made known. Because of it there is a plentiful supply of crude oil available today, and gasoline is selling for a low price. Without it the price of this fuel would be beyond the reach of the average man. The use of this process is not confined to the refiners of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) alone, but is being made available to others under conditions which are just and equitable to all. The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has a just pride in the work it has done, and is doing, to so increase the quantity and quality of its products as to make possible the use of labor saving machinery throughout the world. Thus is the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) doing a big work in conserving the natural resources of the nation, and in helping others to do likewise. Standard Oil Company (Indiana) 910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago 2556

WOMACK Mrs. Emery Tucker and little daughter, of near Libertyville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawthorn from Saturday until Monday. Clarence Womack, of Higdon, was in this community last Monday. Perry Haney, of Avon, was in this community Sunday. Rush McNown and brother, of Perryville, were here last Monday. Miss Iva Sands, who is staying at Libertyville, is visiting her mother. Mrs. W. A. King was guest of Mrs. Wm. Lunford near Cross Roads last Wednesday. J. C. Beard and son, of Fredericktown, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Beard, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womack and daughters visited friends on Village Creek last Saturday. Oscar Henry and J. T. Hawthorn, of Flat River, were in this community Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawthorn and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Tucker, near Libertyville, the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lenz and Charlie Johnson were shopping in Fredericktown Saturday. Mrs. Stella Smith, of St. Louis, returned to her home from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cartee, last Saturday. Mrs. J. W. Hines returned to her home last Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Flat River. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Womack visited relatives in the Lead Belt the past week. Mr. Womack returned home on Saturday, but Mrs. Womack remained in Fredericktown over Sunday. Mrs. Harrison Hovis and children, of Coppermines, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tesreau, Sunday. Mrs. L. S. Womack and children returned to her home in Fredericktown last Friday from a visit with relatives here. Rev. Andrews is conducting a revival meeting at the M. E. Church at this writing. Flora Tesreau is visiting relatives at Coppermines at this writing. Jim Bant and daughter, Emily, of Perryville, were in this community last Monday. Nick Danieley, of near Ironton, was here Monday. Uland Walsh, of Fredericktown, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Hines, at this writing. Henry Tesreau returned to his home here Wednesday from Flat River, where he had been visiting. Ed McDaniel, of near Libertyville, was a business visitor in this community last Saturday. Raymond Womack, of near Yount, was a business visitor in this community last Saturday. Herbert Ellis, of Libertyville, was guest of his brother, Walter Ellis, on last Thursday.