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### TERRIBLE FIRE TRAGEDY Beautiful Farm Home Burns and Three Lives Lost.

The beautiful country home of Mrs. W. E. Hall and her son, Ed M. Hall, located at Halfwood Stock Farm, six miles west of Carthage, caught fire last Friday night about 10 o'clock and was totally destroyed. Mrs. Hall and her son and Miss Alma Shaw, who lived with the family, lost their lives as a result of the fire.

The house was occupied only by the three named, and no one else lived on the place. It is believed that the family were asleep when the fire broke out. Mr. Hall was awakened by the cries of his mother and ran to her room but was unable to find her or the other woman. He continued his search until he was frightfully burned, the flesh literally falling from his face, hands and feet when he finally made his way to the open air. Neighbors arrived by that time, but were unable to do anything more than care for the unfortunate man. The bodies of the two women were not recovered until the following day, and

then only a few charred fragments. Mr. Hall died at the hospital a little after noon Saturday.

Tom Hall, another son of Mrs. W. E. Hall, survives. The latter lives in Carthage.

The Hall family have long lived at Carthage and near there and had a great host of friends. The family had a number of close friends in Jasper. Ed Hall was a breeder of fine cattle and was widely known in Missouri and adjoining states among stockmen, many of whom attended the funeral.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the First M. E. Church of Carthage, the three victims of the fire being buried at the same time. The remains of Mrs. Hall and Miss Shaw were placed in one coffin and the body of Mr. Hall in another. The services were conducted by Rev. R. N. Allen of Lexington, Mo., Rev. C. A. Powers of Webb City and Rev. W. G. Clinton of Carthage. The Carthage chapter of the Eastern Star and the Carthage Elks Lodge had charge of the ceremony at Park Cemetery, where the bodies were placed in the mausoleum.

### Subscriptions Paid.

The following new subscriptions and renewals were recorded on the subscription books of The News during April:

J D Chapman	Ben Gearig
Alex Kiehl	John Isenman
W C Miller	Mrs Geo Rex
Mrs Zimmerman	Edw Isenman
H E Ballard	J H Blevins
M L Arner	Ross Farr
A R McClurg	J H Harris
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Mrs Norval Gray	R R Harris
Walter Tabler	R E Gresham
C E Wright	L H Hall
W N Keener	Chas Stansberry
Mrs H Beall	Mrs Jarvis
L Faskin	C O Wine
W J McCoy	H R Goodrich
Mrs M Schooler	P Campbell
H Radford	Wm Moser
J K Wells	Robt Lane
D H Badgley	Geo Campbell

### Family Reunion.

Last Sunday marked a happy event and surprise in the Hendricks family, that day being Mr. Hendricks' sixty-eighth birthday anniversary. The event was participated in by Dr. Hendricks and family, T. E. Dodd and family, C. R. Waller and family of Joplin, C. M. Boyer and family, Henry Covert and family, Miss Juanita Hendricks and Will Roby of Joplin.

Mr. Hendricks was presented with a nice rocking chair from the members of the family.

### Baby Week.

Baby week will be observed by the Sunday Schools of Jasper next week, concluding the observance on Sunday, May 14, with appropriate programs. The merchants of Jasper will be asked to decorate their windows with articles relating in some way to the baby.

### Former Jasper Woman Dies.

News came to friends in Jasper this week of the death of Mrs. S. D. Appleby at her home at Willard, Mo., Saturday, April 29. The Appleby family lived here at one time and are remembered by many friends here.

### New Telephone Directories.

The News finished the new telephone directories this week. The new directories are being distributed to telephone subscribers.

A. M. Livingston, District Superintendent Anti-Saloon League, will lecture at the M. E. Church, South Sunday night, May 7. Everyone come. C. A. Lewis.

### TWO OLD RESIDENTS DIE.

#### E. Burns and Frank Boots Pass Away This Week.

E. Burns, who had been sick the past two months, suffering with heart trouble and a paralytic stroke, passed away Sunday afternoon at his home on North Main street. Mr. Burns had been in business here as a harness maker many years and was known and esteemed over this entire section as an honest man, an upright citizen and a business man who enjoyed the confidence of the people. Mr. Burns was always the champion of good morals and clean living.

Emanuel Burns was born at Amsterdam, New York, May 12, 1852, and died Sunday, April 30, 1916. In Indiana in 1881 he married Miss Clara Harmon, and to whom were born three children, a little son who died at the age of 9 years, Mrs. Homer Bayne and Mrs. J. C. Rains, both of Jasper.

In 1888 Mr. and Mrs. Burns moved to Lamar and about two years later to Jasper. They lived on a farm a while, but for the past 16 or 18 years Mr. Burns has been in business in Jasper. Deceased was converted and united with the Lamar Presbyterian Church in 1890, and remained until his death a faithful, earnest christian man.

For many years he had been one of the most active and helpful members of the Jasper Presbyterian Church. By frugality and industry he acquired a comfortable home and some other property, but he left his heirs more than lands or gold—the memory of a loving faithful husband and a kind and devoted father.

#### FRANK BOOTS.

Frank Boots, for about 40 years a resident of this section, died at his home here Tuesday night about 11 o'clock, at the age of 68 years, of a disease of the liver and complications.

Mr. Boots has suffered from a liver complaint about a year and some two on three weeks ago suffered a slight stroke of paralysis confining him to his bed.

Deceased and his wife came to Carthage about 40 years ago from near Council Bluffs, Iowa, afterwards moving to a farm near Jasper. They resided about two years at Carl Junction, but for about 25 years have resided in Jasper.

Besides his wife, one daughter, Mrs. W. M. Jacobs, of Tulsa, Okla., survives. Deceased was a quiet unassuming man, and before age and disease robbed him of his strength he was an industrious and hard working mechanic. He enjoyed the friendship and association of his fellows in his quiet way, expressing his opinions and convictions but never urging them upon others. An honest man, a good husband, a loving father and a kind and helpful neighbor, Frank Boots' place in life was well filled.

The funeral will be held at the M. E. Church this (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock, Dr. J. J. Martin conducting the services. Interment will take place at the Jasper Masonic Cemetery.

The Philathea Class of the M. E. Church, South, will serve home made cream, ices, and cake Saturday, May 13. Announcement of the room to be occupied will be made next week.

### Taka Club Entertains.

On Friday, April 28, the ladies of the Taka Embroidery Club were elaborately entertained at the beautiful home of Mrs. W. H. Woods, assisted by Mesdames Frank Rice, H. H. Sharp, Chas. Teeter, Chas. Ward, Clint Teeter and J. N. Marsh. The house was decorated in lavender and white; verbenias, violets, sweet williams and carnations being used.

The afternoon was passed by playing rook, after which a three-course luncheon was served in which the color scheme was again made vivid.

The following invited guests were present:

Mesdames—	
A F Drake	L V Nunnally
A H Laughhead	J W Black
D C Houser	V H Hendricks
J B Nealy	R E Cernal
L T McCune	J C Rains
Frank Seal	R B Griffith
H A Burkett	
Misses—	
Nora Fox	Oma Webb
Edith Applegate	Maud Semple
	Club Reporter.

### Lecture to Masons.

Dr. J. J. Martin gave his lecture, "Hiram Abiff or the Tragedy of the Temple," at the Masonic Hall Tuesday night, his audience being the local Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star Chapter and a few visitors. The address was replete with historical facts, presented in a most entertaining way, and Dr. Martin's hearers were convulsed with laughter at times as the speaker related the humorous experiences of himself and others.

The ladies of the Eastern Star served an excellent lunch at the close of the address.

### Masons Visit Lamar.

Several Jasper Masons visited Lamar Lodge last Thursday night. The Lamar Lodge recently bought the old Congregational Church building at that place. They have remodeled the building inside and made of it one of most beautiful lodge halls in this section. The following were the Jasper visitors:

N. H. Patterson	C. F. Rex
C. L. Hayzlett	A. F. Drake
D. H. Triplett	H. J. Deardorff
S. B. Shoopman	W. S. Tabler

### Missionary Tea.

The Woman's Home Missionary of the M. E. Church gave the first of a series of teas on Wednesday afternoon, April 26, at the home of Dr. Martin. A pleasing program of music and readings was rendered, after which a one-course luncheon was served.

Correspondents will please mail their letters Monday in time to reach this office Monday evening.

### Notice.

Complaint has been made to the mayor and city marshal that the city ordinance prohibiting live stock and chickens from running at large is not being observed by some persons. I wish to give notice that this ordinance will be enforced and all stock owners will please take notice.

C. L. Hayzlett, Mayor.

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