

Neighborhood News

As Told By Our Assistant Editors.

Danville.

Judge Ellis of near Big Spring, was in town Tuesday.

Charley Richards had a good milch cow to die last week from the excessive heat.

Dr. Daniels of near Big Spring was in town Monday.

A small child of J. W. Jefferson and wife, died last Sunday evening and was buried Tuesday evening at the graveyard on Mrs. Hubbard's farm.

L. K. Ford lost a fat hog last week from the heat.

Little Miss Mary Ford of Montgomery City is visiting here this week.

Mark Penn while prospecting for water last week, found a fine spring on his farm, which furnishes an abundance of water.

Miss Lizzie White of near Middletown, is visiting relatives at this place.

Sam Baker took a load of fat hogs to market Monday.

We understand that W. R. Keith and family contemplate moving to Colorado. Mr. Keith will sell off his personal property and rent his dwelling.

Several farmers are hauling stock water from living wells at this place.

Martin Johnson and wife who lived south of town, sold their possessions and have moved to St. Louis.

Prof. Rigg of Bethel, was in town Monday looking for a dwelling house.

Monday the thermometer stood at 112 in the shade, with a hot wind from the north.

Marshall Hall of near New Florence passed through town Tuesday with a drove of cows and calves, taking them to a pasture west of town, where there is plenty of water.

Earl Keith, Geo. Morgan, Lee Baker and Tom Powell, left for Illinois last Friday, where they go to work on a railroad.

Lon Williams had some repair work done on his dwelling last week.

D. D. Baker, who has been running his cattle on a pasture south of town found them in bad condition Tuesday from lack of water.

There was a social gathering of the young people at the residence of Dan'l Hart Monday night, and also one at the residence of Isham Gardner Tuesday night. UNCLE SI

Cross Roads.

Dry, hot and dusty and stock water giving out everywhere and a good many are having to drink creek water.

Dr. Bellamy of Middletown was called to attend Mrs. J. A. C. Kraft Sunday, who was very sick with a touch of malaria.

Miss Annie Stewart, who has been visiting Miss Emma Kraft the past week returned to her home Monday in St. Louis.

H. A. Kraft, Miss Anna Steinauf were in Middletown Sunday.

Miss Maggie Galvin is visiting her uncle, Job Moore.

Wm. Reed went to Oklahoma last week.

T. B. Uptogrove, wife and son Frank were in Wellsville Tuesday the former taking the train for Oklahoma to look after some business there.

Miss Daisy Collins and Claude Dunkle visited Miss Emma Kraft Sunday.

H. A. Kraft went to Truxton Monday.

W. E. Holt and family were in Middletown Sunday.

Herman Knoeller visited home folks Sunday.

Mrs. Theo Updyke of Wellsville is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Martin.

The party at Jacob Faulhabers Friday night was well attended and enjoyed by a large crowd.

H. A. Kraft lost a fat hog Sunday which weigh nearly 500 lbs.

J. H. Martin also lost a hog Sunday.

Wm. Jerramae and wife of St. Charles visited the latter's mother last week.

July 21st was observed in prayer for rain in all churches, and we all hope it was given in the right spirit, as we are in need of rain.

RUNABOUT

Big Spring.

Several of the ridge farmers have been stacking wheat the past week.

Born, to Rob't Shreer and wife, last Saturday, a fine 10 pound boy. Rob't is jubilant.

Messrs Oscar and Ollie Davidson visited their brother near High Hill last Friday.

Oscar Litcher and mother, and Joseph Niedegerke and wife were visiting near High Hill Sunday.

Dr. W. W. Daniels made a business trip to Danville last Monday.

The mercury reached 112 in the shade here last Monday and Tuesday.

Julius Snak made a business trip to Montgomery last Monday.

High Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Skinner were agreeable surprised this week through the unexpected arrival of Mrs. Mattie Nowlin of Missouri City, Mrs. Wm. Owings of Montgomery, Mrs. Susie Moriarity of Danville, and Mrs. Jennie Dyke of Price's Branch, who spent Wednesday with Mr. Skinner, who is their only living uncle. Mrs. Nowlin will remain several days.

Carl and Earl Bosworth of Vincennes, Ind., nephews of Mrs. M. J. Craig, spent Tuesday as her guests, and left next morning to visit relatives near Gamma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Godfrey were the happy recipients of a baby girl Tuesday.

W. W. Lewelling, Frank Loug and Wm. Constance were in St. Charles county, a few days last week in search of pasture for their cattle, but at this writing have not learned if any was secured by them.

Wm. Downs was summoned to Moberly Friday to pass an examination as an operator, which we are informed he did creditably, and was immediately assigned to a station at Orick, Mo., to fill a temporary vacancy.

The continued dry weather has had its effect upon the large railroad pond west of this place, the water becoming so low that the steam pump was unable to draw the water from it, and had to suspend operations as a result.

The "High Hill Pick-ups" played a match game of base ball with the New Florence team Saturday, which resulted in a score of 7 to 11 for New Florence.

J. H. Miller was in St. Louis the first of this week to buy grain.

Jno. R. Knight of near Price's Branch, boarded the train here Tuesday, for Oklahoma, where he will endeavor to secure some land that will be opened for settlement in the near future.

Mrs. John Best, who has been ill for several days is reported much better.

J. M. Buch and little daughter were in Jonesburg last Monday.

Mrs. M. Skinner and Mrs. Nowlin spent Monday in Jonesburg the guests of relatives and friends.

The much talked of "Shirt Waist for men" was introduced in our midst last Monday evening by two of our most popular young men, whose cool and comfortable appearance made mercury descend several degrees from his high perch when they were in close proximity to it.

Two-Mile Branch.

Corn is looking well in this vicinity notwithstanding the warm dry weather.

Grandma Owens of New Florence

is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Singleton, at present.

Minott Davidson and Maud Uptogrove visited friends in this neighborhood Sunday.

C. C. Sallor delivered a nice bunch of hogs in Montgomery the first of the week.

Miss Vernice Hempstead of Elsberry Lincoln Co., was the guest of Miss Nellie Clare last week.

Mrs. Judge White visited relatives and friends in this vicinity last week.

Miss Susan Ira of Salina Kan. is visiting her sister Mrs. C. C. Sailor.

Mrs. W. H. Clare who went to Idaho last spring for her health, has gone to New Mexico. Her son Henry has gone there also to be with her, she improves very slowly.

I. C. Uptogrove of your city was here last week looking after business interests.

Mrs. Funk of St. Louis is the guest of her sister Mrs. McQuoid.

Wm. Germae and family of St. Charles are visiting relatives in this locality.

Assessor Worland passed through here on professional business last week.

The young people meet at Two-Mile every Friday night to engage in literary work; which does credit to the community.

Belleflower.

Mrs. Dr. Perkins is on the sick list.

Quite a number from this place attended the picnic at Truxton last Saturday.

Mr. Bonnell moved into the property vacated by Dr. Perkins.

Carson Profit of near Jonesburg visited Mr. Gas Engel last Sunday.

Dr. Perkins house is completed and they moved in last week.

John Keagle visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. Cary Brooks and brother visited their home last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Belle Rodgers and Gertrude Fisher of Montgomery City were calling on friends Saturday and attended the convention at Brush Creek Sunday.

Several from this place attended the Convention at Brush Creek Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Cora Moorhead of Montgomery City is visiting Miss Effie Moorhead of this place.

Miss Alice Bishop seemed to Profit by going to the picnic Saturday.

New Florence.

Miss Penny of Fulton is being entertained by her sister Mrs. E. A. Wilson.

Miss Grace Devault is confined to her home with an attack of the measles.

Miss Rachel Steward is making an extended visit in Louisiana the guest of Mrs. A. C. Steward.

George Cardwell left last Saturday for Oklahoma where he goes to secure an allotment of the Public Lands, he expects to remain until after Aug. 6.

Mrs. Justice Pfaff of St. Louis and her sister Miss Annie Devault of Jonesburg are the guests of their uncle Mr. Alfred Devault. They will remain several days visiting relatives and friends.

The following delegates from the Endeavor Societies at this place attended the county convention at Brush Creek church. From the C. P. Society Misses Jessie Locke Althe Kallmeyer, Grace Devault, Leora Locke, Lottie Schroeder, Elsie Chandler and Herbert Chandler, from the Christian Church Society Mrs. Annie Moore Misses Gertrude See, Hulda Corvey and Susie Pemberton also Harry Dorman and Willie See. They were delighted with the hospitality of the Gamma people and the interest manifested in the great C. E. movement.

Palmer and Covington of Montgomery City bought of John Jeffers Tuesday 72 head of hogs that average 250 lbs.

Homer Gardner paid one of his regular visits to this place Sunday evening.

Morrie Haas, Guy Brooks and Emmett Loomis of Montgomery City were here and drove some of our young people to Mineola Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Ed Colman one of the railroad men at this place is at the Wash hospital in Moberly undergoing medical treatment.

Prayer Service appointed by Gov. Dockery attracted a large number of the farmers to the C. P. church where the services were held, the house was crowded to its utmost capacity.

Frank Murry of Peoria, Ill. is spending his summer vacation with his aunt Mrs. J. Janssen at this place.

Prof. Hughes Maupin and wife from Montgomery City were here Sunday afternoon.

Little Miss Annie McClure has been quite sick the past week.

Miss Minnie Lewis went down to Warrenton Saturday to remain some time visiting relatives.

Algermissen is handling considerable wheat this week buying it from the lower country and selling it out to feed hogs poultry as the available surplus of corn has become exhausted. Several parties from Prices Branch vicinity were here and took out large loads to feed their hogs paying therefor about 65c per bu.

Gamma.

And Gamma has not yet been blessed with even a shower.

Misses Belle and Leota Rodgers are here from Montgomery City visiting.

Though as hot and dusty as you usually find it the young people were there in full force at Truxton.

Tho. Moore is in a very critical condition, fever reached 108 Monday night.

Messrs Earl and Carl Bosworth of Vincennes, Ind. are here spending a few weeks with relatives.

Price's Branch.

J. R. Knight left Tuesday night for Oklahoma to be gone several weeks.

Morgan Summers and wife were visitors at Montgomery City Tuesday.

Several from this place attended the picnic at Truxton Saturday.

H. Rittenhouse and wife of Montgomery City visited the latter's parents at this place Saturday and Sunday.

T. J. Updyke is wearing a broad smile now, it is a girl.

Quite a number from here attended the children's exercises at New Providence Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. Josie French (nee) Earley will be glad to learn that she is improving; possibly return to her home at Dayton, Ohio, the last of this week.

Miss Edith Stoltenburg of Dayton Ohio arrived here Saturday to visit her parents several weeks. VADA.

Peytonia.

The dry weather continues; the corn and vegetables on the up land is nearly a failure.

John W. Winter and family were at Peytonia last week.

There was services at Loutre Baptist church last Sunday.

Your correspondent sold several wagon loads of corn last week at \$2.00 and \$2.50 per bbl.

Rev. Rufus Hunley stopped here Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Bently visited her sister Mrs. J. W. Mitchel on the 22d.

A good many people from Callaway were at the Club house last week.

John E. Bryants little baby boy died on the 21st and his remains were interred in the Holt cemetery on the 22d. J. A. D.

Middletown.

Norman Gooch left Sunday for Eolia, at which place he has a position as clerk in his brothers store.

Miss Lillian Spurlock, who has been visiting here the last two weeks, left Monday for a visit in

Wellsville before her return to St. Louis.

Miss Bessie Montgomery of St. Louis is visiting here at present.

Miss Leota Rodgers of Montgomery City, visited here Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

An ice cream supper was given by the Modern Woodman at this place Tuesday evening and was enjoyed by all.

Quite a number from here attended the C. E. convention at Brush Creek Sunday. Among them were the following Mrs. Emily Gartman Misses Gorgie Gooch Helen and Mollie Kent, and Sallie Davidson.

Instead of Services at the church as usual on the third Lords day in August, the members of the Christian church and others who wish will carry their filled baskets to Cratcher grove, where they will partake of basket dinner.

Mineola.

Mrs. Alice McCaune spent last week with her Brothers W. C. and B. R. Crane.

Misses Nell and Grace Scanland spent a few days of last week in Belleflower visiting friends returning home Monday eve.

Miss Maud Kelsick is at home for a few weeks visit.

Charlie Arnold of Williamsburg spent Sunday in town.

Leslie Blades and sister Bose Graham and sister Lottie Vaughn, Susie Huddleston, Vergie See joined the Williamsburg crowd at the club house Saturday.

Miss Benton McCaune having spent the past month with her Uncle Rush Crane left Saturday for a weeks visit at her grand-fathers J. G. Crane.

J. H. Blades and family past through town Friday to visit his fathers they returned Sunday accompanied by little Miss Pauline Blades she has been visiting at her grand parents for the past six weeks.

We are glad to learn that Miss Anna Blades was able to be out at church Sunday evening.

Jonesburg.

S. W. Carr came up from St. Louis Wednesday to visit relatives.

H. W. Johnston was in Montgomery Wednesday on business.

Leslie White was in Wellsville Thursday visiting his mother.

Chas Williams was down from New Florence last Thursday on business.

Geo. Cregar of Kansas is here visiting his parents.

Bert Cregar came up from St. Charles Sunday to visit homefolks.

Mrs. Guss Kaiser of St. Louis came up Saturday to visit her parents Mr and Mrs. J. W. Wright.

Wm Milligan of New Florence visited Dalton Godfrey Sunday.

The fire caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove in W. A. Muse's grocery store did considerable damage to his stock and H. C. Begeman's stock of general merchandise last Monday morning.

Several from this place attended the picnic at Truxton Saturday. They report a dry and hot time for picnics now.

Joe Bush was down from High Hill Monday on business.

W. R. Lavender of Warrenton visited relatives at this place Sunday.

Miss Nellie Leonard of St. Louis is visiting Mollie Stanton at this place this week.

Miss Lela Patton of St. Louis is visiting E. R. Fuller and wife this week.

Miss Anna Meyers is visiting Truxton friends this week.

You can never cure dyspepsia by dieting. What your body needs is plenty of good food properly digested. Then if your stomach will not digest it, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will. It contains all of the natural digestants hence must digest every class of food and so prepare it that nature can use it in nourishing the body and replacing the wasted tissues, thus giving life, health, strength, ambition, pure blood and good hearty appetite. City Drug Store.

W. T. McDannold's loss was settled Wednesday. \$500 for the dwelling and \$204 1-2 for household goods.

SHOT TWO CARIBOU.

Entire Herd of Six Were Dropped by The Hunter.

Two caribou at one shot is the kind of a story to which the uninitiated would give the smile audible, and which would be pretty hard for the expert hunter and story-teller to beat. But it is true, nevertheless, and the man who fired the shot and bagged the two caribou is Walter J. Swett, a Maine guide, now in New Bradford on a visit to Michael Shea. "It was a number of years ago," said Mr. Swett, "one morning when I was out still-hunting I found the tracks of some caribou, leading up over a ridge, and after cruising around awhile I caught sight of them. There were six of them standing together under a little clump of trees. I stopped to see which way the wind was, so they wouldn't get scent of me, and then began to creep up on them. I got a good place behind some bushes and sat there waiting for a shot. Just then one of them stretched his neck out a little, giving me a fine chance at him. I let go, and the bullet went straight through his head and into the heart of another right behind him, killing them both. The other four didn't get away, either, for I dropped every one of them before they had got twenty rods from the place where I first saw them. That's a pretty unusual thing, killing two caribou at one shot, although you often hear of a man's getting two deer that way; but I must say that one of the guides I knew told me a story that beat this one. He said he was out one day when he struck a herd of nine caribou standing on the ice. He only intended to shoot one of them—that was all he wanted—so he picked out the best shot and fired. He was pretty sure he had struck it, but the caribou didn't seem to be wounded and walked away until he was hid from view behind a bunch of trees. My friend had a magazine rifle, holding nine cartridges, so he didn't lose any time in firing at the next one. Strange to say, he apparently missed this time, and the caribou walked away just like the first one. Then he tried for the third, and so on up to the ninth and last one. Each time he seemed to miss and each time the caribou disappeared behind the trees. Thinking there was something funny about it he went out to look, and—well, he found the whole nine of them stretched out on the ice dead. He had hit everyone and they had been able to walk far enough to get out of sight behind those trees before they dropped."—New Bedford Standard.

FAMOUS ARCHAEOLOGIST

is Professor Alfred Emerson of Berkeley Museum.

Professor Alfred Emerson, the most celebrated archaeologist of American birth, who was summoned from Paris by Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst in frequent consultation with her regarding the excavations which are to be undertaken in Greece to enrich the museum of classical art and archaeology which Mrs. Hearst proposes to establish in Berkeley. During the few weeks which Prof. Emerson will spend in California the classical scholars of the two universities are making the most of the privilege of discussing things Greek with him. Dr. Emerson is an archaeologist by deliberate choice. He began his preparation for work at an early age, spending two years in Athens while still in his teens that he might learn modern Greek. As a result he speaks the language with a fluency equaled by few, if any, other American scholars. Professor Emerson might be called a precursor of the American school of classical studies in Athens, which dates only from 1881. He studied classical philology in Munich under the famous Latin critic Karl Halm, and Von Christ, the leading contemporary authority on ancient meter. He also studied archaeology under the late Professor Brunn, at that time the foremost German archaeologist. He took his Ph. D. at the university of Munich in 1881. The professor has taught in several of the leading universities of America, including the Johns Hopkins university and Cornell university. While at Cornell he organized a museum of classical archaeology which ranks as the largest and richest university museum of this kind in the United States. He has excavated a Greek temple at Croton, Italy, lodging and boarding for months in a lonely lighthouse; explored the North African country known to the ancients as the Cyrenaica, braving the disfavor of an old-style Turkish pasha, and climbed Mount Olympus with an escort of Ottoman soldiers.

Proposed Highway for Bicycles.

A perfect highway from New York to San Francisco, in as near a straight line as it is possible to make it, with a width of 120 feet, for the use of automobiles and bicycles, as well as for the use of the farmer, is a thing that the Automobile club of America will try to bring about. The subject was seriously discussed at a banquet, in honor of members of the National Highway Commission, at the Waldorf-Astoria, in New York, when plans were made and the route announced. Besides a direct path from New York to San Francisco, passing through Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Ogden, the club wants a highway along each coast. Congress will be asked to appropriate one-third of the expense, and the states, counties, townships and cities en route will be asked to pay the rest; the owners of property benefited to donate the right-of-way. The club and highway commission have on their list of membership the names of some of the foremost men of America.