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LOCAL BRIEFS.

New Florence wants electric lights.

The county camp M. W. A. will meet in New Florence this year.

Gerd Theissen of Rhineland last week sold his livery stable in that place to Wm. Bahr.

Mrs. J. K. Rodgers of this city visited her brother John R. Hall and family of Bellflower last week.

The McKittrick Milling Co. will dispose of their possessions at McKittrick at auction in Danville to-morrow.

A county school commissioner is to be elected in April. John W. Davis of Middletown is the present incumbent.

Tibbetts, Mo., is to have a \$12,000 bank. Dr. Crockett and Billy Nelson of Montgomery, are the projectors.

D. C. Lehnen has bought the J. D. Horn farm of 195 acres, 4 miles northeast of Wellsville, paying \$7,500 for the same.

The Bellflower Telegram says the people of that place do not want the star mail route reestablished between Montgomery and that city.

Rev. James Reid of St. Charles, a Baptist minister well known in this county, died at the home of his son, Dr. James Reid, at Foristell on Sunday, Feb. 12, aged 67 years.

E. D. Moore, the horse dealer in this city, will have a big auction sale of horses and mules at his stables here on Saturday, February 25, beginning at 12:30 p. m. See the posters.

A. L. Long, farmer and stock-raiser northeast of Wellsville, surprised his numerous friends there last week by hieing himself off to Russell, Ia., where he committed matrimony on the 8th inst.

The New Florence school district board of directors on January 1, 1905, called in the bonds due Aug. 1, 1905, and is now negotiating for the one due Aug. 1905, as the money is in the Treasury and more too.

Mrs. Jane Crutcher, widow of the late Samuel Crutcher, died at her home 2 1/2 miles east of Middletown last week, aged about 65 years. The funeral services were held Wednesday and the remains were buried in the city cemetery at Middletown.

Samuel Brooks (col.) age 65 years, froze to death last week Monday night at his home on Hancock's Prairie, west of Americus. He lived alone. Monday the neighbors went in and fixed wood for him, and left him for the night. The next morning he was found dead and frozen.

Mrs. Cordelia Fullilove, aged 86 years, very feeble and partly blind, living with Mrs. Ike Baker at Danville, fell over the stove last week, Tuesday, and was seriously burned. Her clothing caught fire and her grandchildren in extinguishing the same were badly burned about the arms.

In a recent issue of the Record we stated that Adolph Heying had sold out his interest in the Heying Bros. mercantile firm, also his residence property to Albert Buscher and Otto and Gerd Heying. From some cause the above trade failed to be consummated. Last Friday Mr. Heying sold out to Albert Buscher and Gerd Theissen, who took possession at once. The name of the new firm will be Heying & Co. We wish them success. Mr. Heying contemplates going to the northwest to locate.—Rhineland Record.

Col. L. A. Thompson has been on the sick list for ten days past.

Ex-county treasurer Rodgers has rented the Mrs. Dewey residence on north railroad street.

W. W. Worley left Friday night for New York to purchase his spring and summer goods.

Ex-supt. Bass of the county farm will next week return to his 120 acre farm 3 miles south of New Florence.

Misses May and Gertrude Smith and Bessie Elrod left Sunday for St. Louis to study the spring styles in millinery.

Mrs. Z. T. Loe of New Florence was in the city Friday on business and attended the union revival meeting at the court house.

Ben Kilensorg died of consumption at his home in Martinsburg, Tuesday morning, February 14, aged about 35 years.

Ab. Bacon, 5 miles southeast of Middletown, died last week Monday, age 65 years. He was a veteran of the late civil war.

Mrs. Skinner of St. Louis who has been here for the past four weeks nursing her brother, Thos. Cain, returned home Sunday.

Lost, a red Irish Setter dog, all feet little white and little white on breast. Reward to finder.

EVERETT BARTON.

Dr. Kallmeyer and daughter, Miss Lydia, and J. U. Knox and wife of New Florence attended the show at the opera house Saturday night.

Jas. Ferguson left Tuesday for South Bend, Ind., to join his wife who has been there visiting relatives the past two weeks. They will return home Saturday.

R. S. Paul, whose term on the Montgomery county road commission had expired, has been re-elected. The other two members of the commission are R. H. Bailey and Jno. W. Jacks.

The date of the W. C. T. U. World's Fair will be March 6, 1905, and will be held in their hall. This promises to be an interesting and enjoyable occasion. Admission, adults 25c, children 15c.

Miss Stella Duffy returned home from St. Louis Thursday where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Greasley. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Snieder, who came to attend the masquerade ball.

There's to the man who shovels snow—
Who estimates the Cascares
And labors long while others sleep;
He cares not how the wind may blow
Nor rocks how cold it gets;
His only business is to keep
The shovel moving and to sweep.
Here's to his carmine-colored nose,
His aching hands and frozen toes—
May pancakes hot dispel his woes
And happiness be his.

The Montgomery and Buell telephone line will be put up as soon as the weather moderates, headquarters at City drug store. Messages will be delivered from there. This will be quite a convenience to the farmers.—Cor. of Middletown Chips.

Charles Muns, who was born and raised near here, and who has been chief of the Evans-Smith Drug Co's patent medicine department for three years, is now one of the managers of that company. He has jurisdiction over the state of Kansas. Evans-Smith is the largest wholesale drug house in the west and is located in Kansas City.—Bellflower News.

Some of the best plays of the season were those produced by the Metropolitan Stock Company at Ferguson's opera house Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. Manager Ferguson is to be congratulated in securing this eminent company. The plays were all clean and new and were rendered by a strong acting company, and the specialties were excellent.

To Penitentiary for Four Years.

Dr. C. O. Davidson of Franklin Junction, a former well known and popular practicing physician of this city and county, has been appointed hospital steward of the state penitentiary at Jefferson City, and writes us that himself and family will make their home in the capital city after March 1st. Dr. Davidson was one of the first and most enthusiastic Folk men of this county, and talked and cheered for him on every proper occasion. He is also a splendid physician, and the TRIBUNE is awfully glad to hear of his appointment, even if he is a democrat.

Railroad Smashup Monday.

Early last Monday morning two Wabash freight trains tried to pass on the same track. The melee took place at the east end of the switch track at High Hill, and the result was a head-end collision—two badly bruised locomotives and a brakeman named Pearl S. Brown with a fractured skull. The brakeman is about 30 years of age, married and resides at Moberly. He was standing on the caboose platform of the east bound train and of course knocked off by the collision. He was taken to his home. The east bound train was standing nearly still when the engines came together, but seeing the impending danger the engineer pulled his backing lever and then jumped. As he did so the west bound engine climbed into the face of its contemporary, and in this manner was carried west some distance.

E. H. Algermissen has been in St. Louis this week on business.

Geo. Earnest of Gamma now resides at 208 N. Second street, St. Charles.

R. H. Bailey and family again occupy the W. G. Clark residence on west part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman of New Florence have returned from their winter's visit in Ohio.

The infant twin child of Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby that died a few days ago, was buried yesterday.

Yesterday's sunshine took the chill out of the snow banks and sent it chasing the grip microbes down the gutters and hillsides. It is in order now to lay away the Missouri sleigh and bells.

Hon. J. B. Garber of Warrenton, republican nominee for congress from this district at last election, has been appointed a special agent of the general land office for the interior department, and will soon leave for Washington, D. C., to prepare for his duties.

The revival meetings continue to draw full houses. Mr. Stover of New York city, a singer and splendid cornetist, has been added to the choir, and the music is highly appreciated. The meetings will continue over Sunday. About eighty converts have been added to the churches of this city during these meetings.

The Montgomery Dancing Club gave its annual masquerade ball last Friday evening. About thirty couples were present all of whom seemed to enjoy themselves to the utmost. The colored orchestra from Mexico furnished the music. Supper was served at the Hotel Ferguson. Those from a distance were: Misses Eulah Simpson and Carolina Arnold of Williamsburg, Emily and Martha Graham of Mineola; Nora and Tillie Motz, Lizzie O'Donnell, Ruby Spitzhorn and Edith Lehnen of Wellsville; Mrs. Snieder of St. Louis. Wesley Pasley of Williamsburg; Tom Shelby, Billy O'Donnell, Barrett of Wellsville; Mance and Bob Weeks of Williamsburg; Ed. Baker of Mineola.



A Splendid Play Coming.

"A Romance of Coon Hollow" is one of the largest dramatic organizations on the road. It has been before the public ten successful seasons and has made a strong success in New York and all the larger cities. The production here will be a duplicate of the original presentation at the Fourteenth Street Theatre, New York. Magnificent equipment of scenery, calcium and electric effects and a especially selected company. At Ferguson's opera house, Monday, eve., Feb. 27.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the post-office at Montgomery City, Mo., Feb. 18, 1905:

Mr. Arthur Mackey. Mr. Dennis Swetten, Miss Mollie Williams.

G. E. MUNS, P. M.

Geo. W. Roberts, the paper-hanger, has purchased the R. S. McCall residence in this city.

J. M. Davidson and J. W. Schoengerdt, two of the leading lights of Bellflower, were in town yesterday.

GENERAL NEWS

Russia for Peace.

London, February 22.—The intimations of approaching peace in the far east announced some time ago in the dispatches and, despite denials, confirmed elsewhere, receive this morning further support from a St. Petersburg dispatch, to which the papers here give great prominence. The information which is ascribed to "a source enjoying high patronage," is as follows:

Not only has the question of peace been formally discussed by the czar, but the conditions on which Russia is prepared to make peace have been practically agreed upon. These are:

1. That Korea be placed under Japanese suzerainty.
2. That Port Arthur and the Liao Tung peninsula be ceded to Japan.
3. That Vladivostok be declared a neutral port on the open-door system.
4. That the Chinese Eastern railway be placed under a neutral international administration.
5. That Manchuria as far north as Harbin be restored as an integral part of the Chinese empire.

Difficulty lies in settling the question of indemnity upon which it is known Japan will insist, but it is thought that that obstacle is not insurmountable.

Although it is quite possible that Russia will risk another battle before coming to a definite decision, the most trustworthy opinion here is that, in view of the Russian internal situation, peace on the terms outlined will be concluded, if the question of indemnity be arranged.

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