

THE CHAUTAUQUA.

"Sunshine" Hawks being ill was unable to fill his appointment at the Chautauqua Monday afternoon. Everett Kemp presented the delightful romantic drama by McCarthy "If I Were King." Mr. Kemp is a very pleasing speaker and his interpretation of the story was very good. At night a large audience assembled to listen to his presentation of Mr. Holland's "Seven Oaks." Mr. Kemp held the audience in close attention throughout this selection although a storm was gathering. The pathos, beauty and humor of this story of rural life was faultlessly portrayed by Mr. Kemp and the audience was well pleased.

Tuesday was Farmer's Day at the Chautauqua. In the morning S. M. Jordan, the Missouri Corn Man, lectured to a fair audience at the tent.

Mrs. Bingham failing to meet her appointment here in the afternoon, Mr. Jordan addressed the people. Mr. Jordan is an entertaining speaker. In beginning his lecture he told his audience that if they did not enjoy hearing him speak on the subject of corn they might leave the tent at any time. But though there was a large audience of ladies and town people, all remained to hear the lecture and expressed themselves highly entertained though not specially interested in the subject. The farmers present were well pleased with the instruction received.

In the evening Phidelah Rice, who made so good an impression in presenting "Peaceful Valley" last Sunday afternoon, gave "David Garrick." Mr. Rice was greeted by a large and enthusiastic audience. He makes a fine appearance on the stage and his entertainment came up to the fullest expectations of his hearers.

At the close of the session the vignette pictures "Saul and David" were enjoyed.

DeWitt Miller, who lectured on "Reveries of a Bachelor" July 7 gave another address at the Chautauqua Wednesday on "The Self-sufficiency of the Republic." Mr. Miller is an eloquent speaker. His lecture was a splendid one dealing in historic facts and abounding in patriotic sentiment. It was one of the best lectures yet delivered before this assembly.

At night Prof. J. Ernest Woodland gave a spectacular scientific lecture. His experiments were much enjoyed by young and old and his lecture was well received.

Council Proceedings.

The council met in regular session Tuesday night.

An ordinance authorizing the issuing of bonds to build a Municipal Electric plant was passed.

The bond of L. G. Knapp & Co. of Kansas City, for the engineering and installing of the Municipal Electric light plant was presented and accepted.

The committee on fire and lighting was instructed to contract with W.K. Martin oversee the purchase of all machinery and materials for the lighting plant.

A committee of the W. C. T. U. presented a petition requesting the council to pay for installing the bronze fountain on Fourth and Broadway. As other localities have agreed to install without expense to the city the matter was laid over.

Reports of water works superintendent and collector were read and referred.

Misses Marie Hayden and Gladys Edwards, of Peirce City, visited in Monett Tuesday.

A Mrs. Gault died at Shell Knob Tuesday. The body was taken to Reeds for interment Wednesday.

We have purchased stock of harnesses, etc. from estate of M. Glasser, and are selling at big discount. Call and see.

WM. BUCHNER & SON.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Annual Convention of The Barry County Sunday School Association Will Be Held At Exeter, July 26 and 27.

PROGRAM

10:00 Song and prayer service
Address of welcome, S. P. Rosenberry.
Response, W. A. Farley.
Song by Choir.

11:00 Enrollment and Assignment of Delegates.
Why we are here, C. N. Jane.
Song and Benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1:30 Devotional Exercises, Rev. E. Love.

2:00 Reports of Township and County Officers.

2:30 Address by Elmer Lacey, of St. Louis.

3:15 Open Parliament—Questions from the floor on Sunday School work.

4:00 Round Table—What can the Sunday school do for Temperance, Conducted by E. C. Fawver.

Closing song,
NIGHT SERVICE.

7:30 Praise and Prayer Service, J. M. Carl.

Solo.
Does Organization Accomplish Anything? How? T. J. Foster and E. W. Stephens.

Song and Benediction.
TUESDAY MORNING.

9:30 Song by Choir and Devotionals led by E. L. Henbest.

Solo.
10:15 Our Work—Does it Pay? Elmer Lacey.

11:00 The Fruits of Temperance—How to Teach it in the Sunday School. Rev. J. T. Bratton.

11:30 Primary Department—How to Conduct it? Miss Ethie Leighty and Mrs. Lizzie Price.

Song and Benediction.
1:30 Half Hour with the Bible, E. N. Meador.

2:00 Parents Responsibility in the Early Training of Children Mrs. Dr. Foster, and Mrs. W. A. Farley.

2:30 Mistakes—of Superintendents and of teachers.
3:00 Our Present Needs in Sunday School Work and How to Supply them. Elmer E. Lacey.

3:45 Benefits of Home Department, D. H. Kemp and Mrs. M. Lucky.

4:30 Benefits Derived from Convention, J. C. Wilhelm and D. S. Breese.

Reports, Election of Officers, Selecting place of Meeting, Closing Hymn and Benediction.

All Pastors and Superintendents are Ex-officio members and each school is entitled to send two delegates.

All Ministers Sunday school officers and Teachers are urged to attend the Convention.

The good people of Exeter will welcome and entertain you.

W. S. FRANCIS, Acting President

MISS MAYE HOWARD, Secretary.

Cut your weeds. High weeds make good breeding places for mosquitoes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Roslyn, of Gibson City, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Collier. Mrs. Roslyn and Mrs. Collier are sisters.

The case of Miss Anna Morris against Silver Stella, for wages, was decided in Justice Draper's court Tuesday in favor of the plaintiff.

Hazel Bingham, 5-years-old, cut her limb badly Tuesday night.

Attorney F. P. Sizer went to Enid, Okla., on legal business Wednesday.

South West News.

I hope the Editor will give me elbow room in his paper.

We had a nice rain but it caught several people with part of their wheat stacks not topped.

Jake Brendlinger is quite sick at this writing we are sorry to say. And it keeps his son, Tom busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Haddock were in Monett Saturday on business.

Several from this vicinity spent the 4th at Pioneer and all report having a very nice time.

Mrs. Martha Higgins is still quite sick.

Stacking and thrashing wheat is the order of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alba Banks attended band concert at Peirce City Saturday night.

Mr. Sanders Higgins is sporting a "brand" new buggy. Look out girls!

The ice cream supper at Denver Banks was well attended. The evening was spent in playing games. All report having a fine time. There was about thirty present.

Daw Wormington and Elva Mallan, Sanders Higgins and Cassie Ethridge attended the ice cream supper Friday night.

Sanford Wormington had a very bad accident Sunday. When his horse became frightened while tied at Mr. Wimsatt's gate and broke a shaft out of his buggy.

Miss Hattie Montgomery, of near Jolly, has been visiting Miss Stella Banks a few days.

Dave Lautaret attended the band concert at Peirce City Saturday night.

Sanford Wormington and Miss Nora Wimsatt were out driving Sunday afternoon.

The people on telephone line number 4 have been having a great deal of trouble the past week trying to talk over central. The wires should be looked after.

Master Henry Holmes was hurt very bad one day last week. As he and his father were returning from his uncle's Zola Holmes in a wagon the board on which he was sitting broke and he fell under the wagon the wheels running over him. They are unable to tell yet whether any bones are broken or not. We hope he will soon recover.

Ella Wimsatt looks very lonesome. We wonder why?

Tom Brendlinger attended the band concert at Peirce City Saturday night.

Miss Lottie Fleetwood and Mrs. Wimsatt are on the sick list.

Hoping these items will miss the waste basket I will ring off.

BLUE BELL.

Miss Bessie Horine, of Cassville, visited in Monett this week.

Miss Anna Buckner, of Peirce City, attended the Chautauqua Tuesday evening.

Miss Eda Golphnee, who has been visiting W. F. Lenhart and family returned to her home in Aurora Tuesday.

Mrs. J. R. Wallace returned Monday night from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. C. Smith at Peirce City.

Mrs. Rakestraw, of near Newtonia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fate Fly.

Charlie Smith, of Peirce City, is spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. J. R. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Youngblood, of Springfield, passed through Monett Tuesday on their way to Cassville.

Mrs. Katie Sooter, of Kansas, visited in Monett Tuesday on her way to Parry.

Miss Orpha Bayless returned to her home at Cassville Wednesday after a visit with Mrs. Sam Clutter.

L. D. McKee, with his family and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marshall, of Dallas, Tex., made an auto trip to McDowell and Camp Bliss, Tuesday. They had a very pleasant trip.

The 7-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rozelle, proprietors of the Webb City Register, died Tuesday of cholera infantum after a three days illness. The services were held Thursday.

CONTRACT LET FOR MARTIN'S BRICK BLOCK

Otterman & Son Awarded Contract for Fine Brick Structure on Fourth Street

Wednesday John Otterman & Son was awarded the contract of erecting for P. Martin a fine two-story brick business and hotel structure on Fourth street, between Front and Broadway, for \$13,828.00.

The north 64 feet will be 100 feet in depth and the ground floor will consist of one business room 41x100 feet and one of 11½x100.

The south part of the building, including the two story building now occupied as a restaurant will be fitted up for a hotel, and also the entire second story of the new building.

The entire front will be of pressed brick and stone of pleasing design and will be an ornament to the city.

The building is to be completed July 15.

Bowel Complaint in Children

When six months old the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, a well known merchant of Agnewville, Va. had an attack of cholera infantum. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was given and effected a complete cure. This remedy has proven very successful in cases of bowel complaint in children and when given according to the plain printed directions can be relied upon with perfect confidence. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by all druggists

Postoffice Inspector Here.

Geo. Daniel, of New York City, postoffice inspector, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday looking over the city with a view of making a report regarding tree mail delivery.

In a conversation with a reporter Mr. Daniel said that the city was above the average of those he inspected, there being no slums or negro sections and the condition of the soil making deep mud practically impossible. Yet, he said there sidewalks and crossings necessary in certain parts of the city. He also said that the department demanded that street corners should be signs and houses expecting service must be numbered.

Mr. Daniel has made a complete statement of the things required and we are sure that all requests of the department will be complied with by our people as rapidly as possible.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts.

Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "It had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure Sore Lungs, Colds, obstinate Coughs, and prevent Pneumonia, its the best medicine on earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by A. H. Cox & Co. Trial bottle free.

Awarded Contract.

The contract for the erection of a building on the Lawrence County farm has been let to Brammer & Sons. Their bid was \$9713. The building will be one story except the part occupied by the superintendent which will be two stories.

Whips. We have all kinds. Also dusters, Glasser's old stand.

WM. BUCHNER & SON.

"Gwimple, how have you invested your profits in that little wheat deal?" "Profits! Huh, Ruggles, the profits in that transaction are invested in a neat but not gaudy promissory note, secured by mortgage, on which I am paying interest at 6 per cent."—Chicago Tribune.

Warranty Deeds.

David P. Courdin to A. Great-house parcel of land in nw¼ sw¼ 31-26-27, except 30 feet off south side. \$1500.

L. Koons to Rebecca E. Guinney, lot 19 block 2. Downing, Atchison & Badger's ad Monett.

Mary M. Hall to W. A. Bridges lot 21, block 1, Marshall ad Monett.

J. P. Allcock to T. J. Roark, lot 2, block 1, Marshall ad Monett. \$250.

Helen Moorman to T. J. Roark, lots 15, 15, block 2. Scammons ad Monett. \$160.

John J. Callan to James A. Tarbet, lots 6 and 7. block 11, Callan's ad Monett. \$165.

James A. King to Lester Watson, lot 16 block 6, Oakland ad Monett. \$500.

FAIRVIEW.

More rain! weeds and crops are growing fast and furious especially the weeds.

D. M. Hunnell is assisting his father with his hay and wheat stacking.

Mrs. Myrtle Means and children and Mrs. Carrie Riddle visited Mrs. J. L. Means Tuesday afternoon.

Aunt Emily Spilman of near Talpa is spending the week with Mrs. Robt. Means.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis and children of Pittsburg, Kan., and Mr. Susan Skaggs and daughter, Mrs. Baker and daughter at Bronaugh who had been visiting D. R. Hope and family, the past week went home Monday.

Quite a number of relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hope gave them a surprise last Sunday. A delicious dinner was served and everyone had an enjoyable time. The dinner was in honor of their birthday.

Harry and Claude McQuahy visited J. L. Means Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Hunnell and children visited her mother, Mrs. Hunnell Tuesday.

Mrs. [Robt. Means, Mrs. Emily Spilman and Mrs. Isabella Hope visited Mrs. Cora Means Tuesday.

Mrs. Maggie Wolford and Miss Gatha drove to Peirce City Monday.

PASSY.

MENDON

The farmers who are stacking wheat this week are discouraged with so much rain.

Miss Nell Howard returned home Sunday night after a week's visit in Springfield.

R. L. Mathews is again very feeble.

Church was well attended Sunday. Bro. Qualls preached excellent sermons both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Winton and baby and Mrs. B. Cox all spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Thomas visited Sunday with Mrs. Laura Cox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Howard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shaw drove to Monett Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunnell visited Sunday with Bud Hunnell and wife.

Quite a few of the young people of this vicinity drove to the head of the river Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cagle and family passed through here Sunday going to Monett to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson and family.

Mrs. Dr. Wright is attending the Chautauqua at Monett.

Albert Gripka is reported to be on the sick list. Dr. Wright is attending him.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Lampe and baby Earl were shopping in Monett Tuesday.

VIOLET.

Cassville News.

From The Republican.

Mrs. W. J. Dow and little daughter, Lavada, of Washington arrived Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives in Cassville.

Undertaker Horine was called to Shell Knob Tuesday by the death of Mrs. W. C. Gault. He was accompanied by James King of Monett.

Work was begun Tuesday on the C. & W. power plant. County Engineer Robbins drove the stakes for the erection of a stone building to be 40 feet square which will house the plant. A Eureka man will be foreman of the construction work. Stone for the building will be taken from the quarry near town and home labor will be used.

Coram Lauderdale and Miss Nettie Black were married Sunday evening, June 11, at the home of Rev. J. W. Ennis. Mrs. Lauderdale is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Black and Coram Lauderdale is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lauderdale northwest of town. The young couple have the best wishes of their many friends, in Cassville and vicinity for a long life full of happiness and usefulness.

Mrs. W. C. Gault died at her home near Shell Knob Monday night, aged 28 years, after an illness of about two weeks. Mrs. Gault is a daughter of T. A. Dodson of Shell Knob and was loved and respected by all who knew her. P. E. Horine assisted by an undertaker from Monett went to Shell Knob Tuesday and prepared the body for interment. The remains were brought to Cassville Tuesday night and shipped to Sarcoxie for burial. The Dodson and Gault families have lived at Shell Knob about two years having moved there from Sarcoxie.

An Oklahoma Man Is Mysteriously Missing.

Seligman, Mo., July 14.—Charles Helf of Sayre, Ok., has suddenly disappeared as if the earth had opened up and swallowed him. He was last seen here in a barber shop. Helf came here from Eureka Springs, Ark. He and Eugene P. Gum, a local man, had been in Arkansas negotiating a real estate deal. Helf, while in Eureka Springs discovered he had lost a purse containing \$50, and he returned here to search for it, borrowing \$15 from Gum with which to defray expenses.

Rev. R. W. Blunt, of Marionville, visited in Monett Thursday.

R. C. Ham, of Verona, was in Monett on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Jere Murphy has gone to Denver to visit her daughters.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dee Campbell Tuesday, July 13.

C. M. Todd has purchased Mrs. J. W. Crawford's residence on Sixth street. A. M. Peel made the deal.

Mrs. Ben Williams drew the dinner set at the 'Tatem & Wright Dry Good Store Wednesday.

It pays to buy good harness. Try us and be convinced. Glasser's old stand.

43 ml WM BUCHNER & SON.

Just what you have been waiting for! Reduced prices on harness, etc Call and see.

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Work has been begun on the main building of the canning factory in West Monett. The structure will be a substantial one of brick and will be a credit to the city.

R. M. Callaway returned Wednesday night from Sapulpa, Ok., where he went to assist in arranging the new furniture store. The formal opening of the establishment will take July 22.

The invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Lena Meyer to Gustav H. Lampe at the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Freistatt on Sunday, July 25. After the ceremony a reception will be held at the residence of Herman Meyer.