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### HAPPY VALLEY

Well Easter has come and gone here everyone had all the eggs they could eat.

Church was well attended at Macedonia, Sunday.

Nora Henderson visited Opa: Henderson, Sunday.

Effe Smith visited Lura Marshall, Saturday night.

Ada Roller is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Miller.

There will be Sunday school every Sunday at Macedonia. Every one come and make the school a success. We need your help.

Misses Erle and Ellonora Fly, Mable Baker, Marzelle and Ruth Marbut; Messrs Olaf Clement and Jesse Marshall enjoyed an egg roast in Clinton Marbut's pasture, Sunday evening.

Misses Lydia Terry, Ruth Jordan, Effe Smith, Mayme Edwards; Messrs Monroe Sooter, Spencer Smith, Clarence Shepherd and Brit Marbut spent Sunday evening at the Macedonia Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith and children visited Will Dyer and family, Sunday.

Floyd Inman and family visited James Marshall and family Sunday.

Opal Davis visited Ethel Lee Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Frazier of Washington visited at W. A. Smith's from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith and son, Carl William visited W. A. Smith and family a while Monday night.

### MUSIC CLUB MEETING

The Music club meeting at the Methodist church parlors, Monday afternoon, was well attended and several guests enjoyed one of the most interesting programs presented this season.

The subject for study was Italian Composers. The following program was given.

Biography of Verdi and Mascagni, Mrs. Wesley Bradford.

Grand March from Aida, Verdi, arranged by Albert W. Berg—Miss Marie Randall.

Ave Maria, from Cavalleria Rusticana, Mascagni—Miss Fern Heyburn with Violin Obligato by Miss Mary Heyburn and Piano Accompaniment by Mrs. J. W. Patterson.

Quartet from Rigoletto, Verdi, arranged by F. Spindler—Miss Pauline Gabriel.

Habanera, from Carmen, Bizet, arranged by G. Lang—Miss Margaret Walsh.

Laddie in Khaki by Ivo Novello—Mrs. Harry Osborn.

Biography of Puccini—Mrs. Bradford.

One Fine Day, from Madam Butterfly, Puccini—Mrs. Percy Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Patterson.

Goodbye, Tosti—Mrs. W. B. Flynn, accompanied by Mrs. Harris, violin and Mrs. Patterson, piano.

Duet, Hear Me, Norma, from Norma, Bellini, arranged by S. Nelson—Miss Pauline Mansfield and Mrs. W. F. Landrum.

Current Events.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Monroe delightfully entertained at a six o'clock dinner, Saturday evening, complimentary to Frank Boehm, who recently returned home from overseas. Immediate relatives were the guests.

### ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Matthews entertained the following out-of-town guests at their home on West Dnuu street, Easter Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Longley, of Washburn, father and mother of Mrs. Matthews; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. James, of Cassville; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Palmer and children, of Peirce City.

Mrs. Cowherd and daughter of near Purdy were shopping in Monett, Wednesday.

Arthur Hill, of Van Buren, Ark., transacted business in the city, Wednesday.

John Coleman, baker at the Ozark Crispett Company, will go to Aurora tonight to visit home folks.

Peyton Gulick came home Tuesday evening from Oronogo where he has been visiting for several days.

### MISSOURI COUNTIES MAKE THEIR QUOTAS

Eighth District Gets Away to a Fine Start, Indicated by Reports.

With a number of counties in the Eighth Federal Reserve District reported over the top on the first day of the Victory Liberty Loan campaign, the workers in this district are confident of maintaining their record of leadership in the nation's drive to finish the job.

Missouri got away to a record-breaking start with subscriptions, three counties reporting their full quota on the first day. They are: Ralls county, whose quota was \$206,600; Cape Girardeau county, \$684,750; and Marion county, \$79,300. J. G. Hughes, state chairman, says the prospects in Missouri for a quick and successful campaign are bright.

### FOR CLARENCE DOYLE

A supper and barn dance was given in honor of the return of Clarence Doyle, Monday night, at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle at his country home west of Monett. Guests were there from Peirce City and Monett.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boehm, 501 Fourth street, entertained at twelve o'clock dinner, Sunday, complimentary to their son, Frank Boehm, who returned home a short time ago from France where he was foreign food supply officer.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pfeiff and son and Mr. and Mrs. T. Welch and daughter, of Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. George Boehm of Chanute, Kas.; Miss Alice Rendling, of Ft. Smith, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Monroe, Mrs. S. C. Horn, Frances Horn Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boehm and son Frank.

Rev. J. F. King visited in Springfield, Wednesday.

Dr. R. E. Whitlock made a business trip to Billings, Tuesday.

Mrs. John B. Peck and son, Bill, of Ward, Colo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mayhew.

Mrs. Ed. O'Connell, of Franks, Mo., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hundley visited relatives and friends in Peirce City, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Beech, of Greenville, Tex., arrived Tuesday evening for an extended visit with old friends in Monett and vicinity.

Mrs. C. F. Whitlock and granddaughter, Jessie, of Neosho, are here visiting Rev. Whitlock. They will move to Monett in the near future.

Mrs. G. C. Albee and Mrs. Willis Lyon returned to their home at Fort Scott, Kan., Wednesday, after a week's visit with Mrs. Albee's sister, Mrs. D. A. Peters, and family.

On account of failure of supplies to arrive, Barry county is slow in beginning the Victory Loan campaign, but will go over the top in short order when it starts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter went to Joplin, Wednesday morning, to visit their daughter, Miss Mary Hunter. From there they will go to Corder, Mo., to visit indefinitely with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and children came in Monday evening from Eldorado, Kan., to visit Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. Ed Hundley, and family. They made the trip overland.

Judge W. H. Baker, of Hudson, Wis., who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. Walter Draper, went to Peirce City Wednesday morning to visit other relatives. He was accompanied by Mrs. Draper.

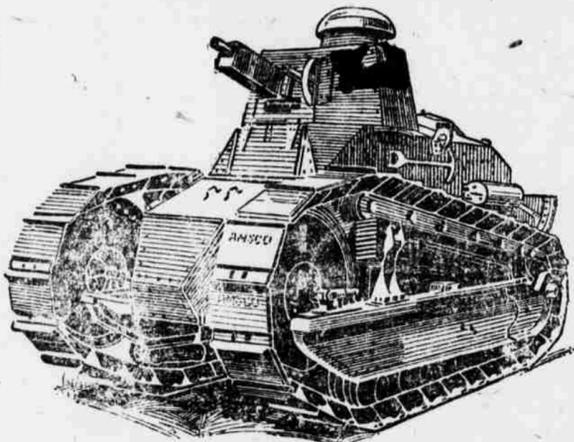
Green county is putting over the Victory Loan with a vim. The sales at three Frisco shops amounted to \$60,000 in two days.

H. Hoberg, father of Mrs. W. H. Floreth, who has been visiting relatives at Marshall, Tex., returned to Monett Wednesday morning and will visit his daughter before returning to his home at Hoberg, Mo.

Miss Dorothy Morgan returned to her home at Rogers, Ark., Tuesday morning, after spending the Easter holidays with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Cook.

## BABY WAR TANK WILL BOMBARD

### MONETT, FRIDAY, APRIL 25.



Friday will be a big day in Monett in connection with the Victory Loan Drive. On that day a "baby tank" will be in the city and will demonstrate the working of these wonderful war machines on the streets of Monett.

The demonstration will be given from 7 a. m. until 2 p. m. It will be manned by men who have served as tank men across seas. Blank shells will be used and citizens will be shown how the tank behaves in action. Business men who have not put the publicity matter in their windows will have their business houses bombarded by the tank.

It is expected that thousands of people will be in town on Friday to see the tank in action. These tanks can overcome almost any obstacle that is placed before them. They will tear down trees four inches thick and demolish brush of any density. They will cross streams of water and climb banks that are not too wet and soft.

### DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST HARRY THAW POSTPONED

The civil suit against Harry K. Thaw for damages for injuries alleged to have been inflicted upon 18-year-old Frederick Gump of Kansas City, was postponed today by Judge Finletter in common plea court.

A tentative date of May 19 was set for the trial. The delay is due to the absence from the United States of Frank P. Walsh, one of the delegates of the Irish race congress to the peace conference. Mr. Walsh and William A. Gray of Philadelphia, are counsel for the Gump family.

Thaw is now in the Pennsylvania hospital for the insane.

### PERSHING'S SISTER WILL SPONSOR SHIP CHRISTENING

Lincoln, Neb., April 22.—Miss May Pershing, sister of General John J. Pershing, will leave her home here within a short time for Mobile, Ala., to act as sponsor in christening a vessel of the Merchant Marine, which will be named after the city of Lincoln, as a reward for the city's active response to the governments appeal for support of the Fourth Liberty loan. The exact date of the vessel's launching has not yet been determined.

Miss Ethel Martin visited friends in Springfield, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ambrose, of Purdy, visited friends in the city, Tuesday.

Millard Walker spent Wednesday visiting friends at Sarcoxie.

J. F. Campbell, of Picher, Okla., was in Monett, Tuesday, on business.

Attorney F. P. Sizer made a professional trip to Springfield, Wednesday.

Mrs. P. D. Wood went to Sarcoxie Tuesday and spent the day with her mother.

Sig Solomon went to Kansas City Monday evening to attend a Masonic meeting.

Mrs. T. D. Pitts is visiting her brother, Edwin K. McClure who is ill at his home at Cassville.

Miss Vernon Allebach, of Springfield, was the guest of Miss Margaret Chapell, Monday evening.

Dr. A. Jones removed a cataract from the right eye of Dr. V. E. Martin Tuesday morning. The operation was successful.

Lieut. H. B. Crowell, son of Mrs. M. R. Trumbower, was married to Miss Cleo Chapin, of Huntington, Va., March 29. Lieut. Crowell is in the U. S. army and is stationed at Nitro, W. Va.

### MT. VERNON SCHOOL WINS MINERAL BELT CONTEST

That Mount Vernon will be in the fight for the championship at the annual Southwest Missouri track and field meet to be held here next Saturday is shown in the results of the Mineral Belt meet held at Joplin Saturday afternoon.

The teams placed as follows:

Mount Vernon	32
Joplin	27
Pittsburg High	25
Carthage	15
Cartersville	10
Pittsburg "preps"	8

Joplin High school led in the track contest, making 22 points, Mount Vernon winning second place, obtaining 10 points. In the field events, Mount Vernon made 22 points and Joplin 5. Joplin would easily have been the winner had it possessed as strong a field team as its track squad.

Mount Vernon's star athlete was Samuels. Joplin men who showed exceptionally well as track men were Snoeberger, Humes, Kluseman and Boyd. Joplin entered 15 men; Mount Vernon, 12; Pittsburg "prep," 12; Cartersville, 8; Miami, 8; Pittsburg High school, 12; Carthage, 12.

### FAIL TO FIND BODY OF DROWNED OFFICER

No trace of the body of Lieut. William Tudor has been found in Lake Taneycomo, although nearly 300 searchers have dragged the waters. Lieut. Tudor was drowned by the upsetting of a canoe last Thursday.

It is believed that the body is caught in debris that covers the bed of Lake Taneycomo. Barbed wire, sunken trees and other obstacles are thickly strewn along the bottom of the lake.

### 110 HAS ARRIVED

The 110th Engineer Train, complete landed on the Von Steben, at New York Saturday. Three units of the 35th has arrived on the Van Steuben. These units numbered 2,892 men. Other units, including Co. K, will arrive Wednesday on the Manchuria.

### C. F. LINTHICUM'S FATHER-DIES

C. F. Linthicum received a message, Wednesday morning, stating that his father, Frank Linthicum, of Los Angeles, Calif., had died that morning of heart trouble.

Mr. Linthicum was well known here and his wife having spent the greater part of last year visiting their son at Monett.

CHEERING the heroes doesn't pay for the Victory.

### "COTTON BLOSSOM TIME" PLEASES LARGE CROWD

A very large and appreciative audience attended the home talent play "Cotton Blossom Time," given by Circle No. 3 of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening at the Elks auditorium.

The play was directed by Mrs. Emil Kluber who deserves much credit for the efficient manner in which each character of the cast performed his part.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra deserves special praise for the music which added greatly to the pleasure of the evening.

Those taking part in the play were Mrs. A. S. Hawkins, Mrs. W. P. Isbell, Miss Ethel Campbell, Miss Ruth Cole, Miss Margaret Chapell, Philip Short, Hardy Kemp, Si Davis and Herschel Medlin. The character parts were well chosen by the director, Mrs. Kluber. Each one did his part to perfection and the large crowd were delightfully pleased with the evenings entertainment.

Monett has many talented young people and is well prepared to give home talent plays which are so highly appreciated.

### PITCHER KIRBY SOLD

St. Joseph, Mo., April 22.—The St. Joseph Western league club has sold La Rue Kirby, an outfielder, to Omaha. It was announced tonight by Cozy Dolan, manager of the local club. Myers, a catcher, has been obtained from the St. Louis Nationals and will report at once.

### MOUNTAIN-VIEW

Most of the farmers in this community are through planting corn.

Mrs. Sooter of Monett, and son, Billie, of Oklahoma visited at Hiram Rollers, Friday and Saturday.

Spencer Smith, Jesse Marshall and Raymond Medlin attended the play at Lee Saturday night.

There was an egg roast at Marshall Spring Saturday night.

Jesse Marshall and Olaf Clement were engaged in a play game at Clint Marbut's, Sunday.

Raymond Medlin purchased a new buggy Saturday. Look out girls.

Spencer Smith visited his brother Emory, Porter and Elburn at Cassville Wednesday night of last week.

Vernie Smith and family visited at W. A. Smith's a while Monday night.

W. A. Smith and son and daughter, Spencer and Effe were shopping in Monett Friday afternoon.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the payment of a certain coupon interest note, executed September 24, 1915, by Charlie Mills and Laura Mills, husband and wife, recorded in office of Recorder of deeds for Barry county, Missouri, in book Forty-Nine, (49), at page Six hundred three, (603), and whereas it is provided in said deed of trust that should the trustee named in said deed of trust be dead, or refuse to serve, that the legal holder of said note and deed of trust might elect a trustee to execute said trust, and whereas F. B. Williams the said trustee named in said deed of trust has refused to act and has resigned as trustee in writing, duly acknowledged, and whereas under the provisions of said deed of trust I the undersigned have been appointed as trustee, and will at the request of the legal holder of said note, on Monday May, 19th, 1919, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of that day, at the East front door of the Court house, in the City of Cassville, Barry County, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand the real estate in said deed of trust described, to wit:—All of the South half, (½) of the South-east Quarter, (¼) of the South-east Quarter, (¼), Section Twenty-Five, (25), and the North-east Quarter, (¼) of the North-east Quarter, (¼) Section, Thirty Six, (36), all in Township, Twenty-five, (25), Range, Twenty eight, (28), containing Sixty acres more or less, located in Barry County, Missouri, for the purpose of satisfying the terms of said deed of trust on account of the default therein as provided in said deed of trust.

### S. A. CHAPELL, Trustee.

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## MAY DESIGNATED AS "NO ACCIDENT MONTH"

Efforts Will Be Made by the Railroads to Prevent Accidents—List of "Don't's"

In an effort to lower the number of railroad accidents, B. E. Bush, regional director of the southwestern region of the railroads, has set aside the month of May as "no accident month." Through the efforts of the safety section of the railroad administration, no accident campaigns have been conducted with good results in a number of regions throughout the United States.

There were 1,777 persons killed and 4,356 injured in highway crossing accidents during the year 1917. Seventy-one children under 14 years of age were killed and seventy were injured playing around railroad tracks in 1917. Sixty-two children between 14 and 21 years of age were killed and fifty were injured. During the same year 771 adults were killed and 619 were injured during the same period.

A list of "Don't's" is issued by the railroad authorities for the general public to observe at follows:

- Don't walk on railroad tracks or bridges.
- Don't play around railroad stations or cars.
- Don't hop on or off cars or engines.
- Don't crawl under or between cars.
- Don't cross track without looking to see if a train is approaching.
- Don't throw at glass insulators on telegraph poles.

### SOUTH MONETT

Rev. Erickson filled his regular appointment at Mt. Pisgah, Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Dorothy Burke of Monett, spent Sunday with Miss Alice Planchon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Niskern visited their son, C. D. Niskern and family, Sunday.

Misses Florence and Della Courdin spent Friday night, with their aunt Mrs. John Mowbrige.

Miss Opal Davis visited Saturday night with Miss Ethel Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burrows and sons visited Sunday afternoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Lee.

Misses Blanche Walton and Myrtle Niskern spent Sunday with Miss Jane Bounous.

Miss Edna Lautaret spent Saturday night with Miss Frona Carlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ash spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weber.

Joel Bounous came down from Springfield, Sunday morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bounous.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lautaret and children, spent Sunday afternoon with Ami Cuendet and family.

Arthur Bounous took dinner Sunday with his cousin, Johnnie Lautaret.

Miss Dorothy Cuendet visited Friday and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Alice Lautaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bounous and sons, Eli and Guy spent Sunday afternoon with Pete Planchon and family.

### SOUTH OF TOWN NEWS

Quite a few from here attended services at Union church, last Sunday.

The entertainment at Lee's school Saturday night, was splendid.

The revival conducted by Rev. Erickson on Marshall Hill closed on Tuesday night with twenty-five conversions and nine additions to the church.

The president of the Missouri annual conference and other prominent speakers will speak at the church on the hill Thursday night, April 24.

There will be all day decoration service at Mt. Pisgah church, the fourth Sunday in May. All are invited. Dinner on the ground.

Mrs. Lewis Pratt remains very ill.

Attorney H. A. Gardner is at his law office in Kansas City.

I. L. Mace made a business trip to Cassville Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Johnson spent Wednesday with friends in Springfield.

Mrs. Opal Fowler and Mrs. Olive Gulick spent Tuesday in Seligman.

W. H. Martin, of Cassville, visited J. E. Tyhurst and family, Thursday.