[illegible] Mrs. A. M. [illegible] of Peoria is a [illegible] of Mrs. Hensel.

Mrs. J. W. [illegible] has returned home from St. Louis [illegible].

Mrs. John Walker of Leadwood is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Conley, here.

Mr. E. W. Fletcher of Quaker was a visitor at this office Saturday to renew his paper.

Miss Hilda Seimeyer of Knobel, Ark., is visiting Misses Leah and Jessie White.

Mrs. G. W. King of St. Louis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Blount, here.

Mr. Willard Smith of Louisiana visited his brother, Mr. Virgil Smith, here last week.

John F. Evans, Jr., is home from the University of Missouri for the summer vacation.

Miss Onia Buxton of Irondale is visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Terrell.

Henry Bone of Hopewell was a visitor at this office Wednesday last to settle with the printer.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Livingston and children visited friends at Anthonies Mill last week.

Mrs. S. E. Short and children of St. Louis are visiting here at the home of Rev. J. E. Short.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guyton, of East St. Louis, on June 14th, a son, named Willard Arthur, Jr.

This is good news, the Southeast Missouri watermelon crop this season promises to be the largest ever known

Masters Bessie, Donnie and Myles Thurston of St. Louis were the guests of Master Joe Towl several days last week.

A shower, the first rain in three weeks, fell here Monday evening and temporarily alleviated the dust nuisance.

Young Browne of St. Louis spent a week's vacation here last week, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Browne.

Everywhere but in Potosi people are marrying in flocks this month of June, but no wedding-bells here. 'Smatter, anyway?

It is said that fish are so busy gobbling up the locusts that are falling into the streams they won't even look at a worm or minnow.

Prof. and Mrs. W. P. Sachs left Monday evening for Leslie, Mo., where the Professor will be engaged for the next two weeks.

More and more new homes are needed here. The housing situation has become one of, take what you can get, and don't be slow about it.

The Cradle Roll services at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday morning drew a large attendance and the program was much enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Henry Evens of Lexington, Ky., was Potosi visitor Monday and called at this office to renew old acquaintanceship with us. He is a son of the late John Evens of Mineral Point.

Noah W. Brown and Miss Edna D. Bouse, both of Crawford County, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Potosi last Sunday morning, June 20th, at 9:30 by Pastor W. E. Judy.

Miss Dora Livingston of St. Louis visited relatives here Sunday. Miss Livington will leave St. Louis next Monday to spend a two-weeks' vacation with her sister, Mrs. Norman Sanders, of Akron, Ohio.

Perryville had a $15,000 fire last week when the oil tanks there of the Illinois Oil Co. caught fire. About 8,000 gallons of coal oil, 4,000 gallons of gasoline, a grain elevator and other property went up in smoke.

Congressman and Mrs. M. E. Rhodes are expected home from Washington this week. Their son, Marion, arrived here last week. Marion had attended the Republican National Convention at Chicago.

Mr. H. C. Guyton was called to East St. Louis Saturday because of the illness of his wife, who has been visiting relatives there for several weeks. She had not improved any when he returned home Monday.

The Potosi Mill and Elevator Co. will have old miller's dwelling on the mill site torn down and replaced with a new concrete residence this summer. Meanwhile Miller Wolte and wife have taken temporary quarters in rooms in the Washington County Bank building.

Katherine Brenton thought she had found a savage on the lonely island, but discovered that the castaway possessed a remarkable, though undeveloped mind. See the "Island of Regeneration" at the Delco Theatre, Wednesday, July 14. Matinee at 2 o'clock; two shows at night, 7:30 and 9.

Thomas Harvey Halle, St. Francois County's oldest citizen, died on June 16 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edward Byington, of Farmington. Mr. Halle was a centenarian, having rounded out his 100th year about three months ago.

Mr. W. F. Mitchell of Caledonia was a caller at this office Saturday to pay the printer. He said the wheat harvest would be under way this week in the south end and that a fair crop would be cut. The continued dry weather had not hurt corn so far, he said.

Mr. A. F. Carr, the Ford dealer, made a trip to St. Louis Saturday last and drove home the same day on a new Ford truck chassis. He left the city about 9 o'clock and got home a few minutes after 4 in the afternoon. Mr. Carr has had a large sale of Fords this spring and has also sold several Fordson tractors.

City Marshal Livingston brought us a leaden bullet one day last week which he had picked up in a washout gulley near the county jail that is evidently a minie ball of the Civil War days. The slug, which is but little corroded, is an inch long, half an inch in diameter and weighes an ounce or more. It is said there was some kind of a soldiers' camp in that part of town during the war.

In the years of primitive existance alone on an island far from ship lanes, young Charnock had forgotten all the language learned in childhood, except the lines of a simple, childhood prayer, learned at his mother's knee. See the "Island of Regeneration" at the Delco Theatre Wednesday, July 14. Special attention shown to ladies and children at our matinee at 2 o'clock. Two shows at night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock.

The following ladies of Blackwell and vicinity were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Judy at the Methodist parsonage in Potosi between trains last Thurday: Mrs. Mack, Mesdames M. Higginbotham, Chas. Spurgeon, J. P. Welch, J. S. Donald, Howard Brown, E. G. Brooks, Ode Englodow, Clara Blackwell, R. W. Hornsey and S. KcKinstry and little daughter, Marian. Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Thurman of Potosi were also present.

Because of the evidence of remarkable malnutrition among the young school children in the St. Francois County lead belt towns, as revealed by medical clinic investigations made throughout the territory recently, the Bonne Terre Farming and Cattle Co. will establish a dairy business at Bonne Terre and supply pure, pasteurized milk at cost of production to the affected communities. And yet it is and old saying that a corporation has neither heart nor soul.

Representative Marion E. Rhodes of Missouri and Mrs. Rhodes entertained at dinner Sunday evening at Ulster Inn in 19th street northwest, where they have been stopping for a year. Among their guests were Maj. and Mrs. Beems, Misses Hattie and Maude Flynn, Catherine Connolly, Miss Stoffet, Messrs. Richard Berryman, Lloyd Horton, John Connolly, Edward A. Taylor and Leo Young. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes will leave shortly for their home in Missouri.—Washington (D. C.) Evening Star, June 16th.

Woman Found Dead in Room.

Mrs. Josephine Poump, who had two or three days before entered the service of Townsend's Hospital here as cook, was found dead in her room at the hospital last Friday afternoon. An inquest was held over the body, which determined that the woman had died suddenly of valvular disease of the heart. Her remains were taken to Old Mines for burial Sunday afternoon, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. W. E. Judy. Mrs. Poump was 50 years of age, a widow, and daughter of Lewis Reando of Tiff neighborhood.

Patients Are Kindly Treated at Hospital No. 4

In the address of welcome to the Southeast Missouri Medical Association in the assembly hall at State Hospital No. 4, Farmington, recently, Dr. J. L. Eaton, superintendent of the institution, stated that kindness to patients was one of the hobbies of the management of the hospital, and was not only expected, but required under all conditions. Another assurance to the physicians assembled was that their patients were well fed on good, wholesome diet, thoroughly cooked and properly seasoned. Another statement that contained the proper ring and disclosed the humane feeling towards the 820 unfortunates there, was that the vegetables—lettuce, radish, etc., produced during winter months in the new greenhouse, were served from trays to the sick and bedridden only; that not a vegetable, not a sprig of lettuce nor a radish found its way to the offers' or employes' table, the patients receiving the entire benefit of the products of this greenhouse.

We commend this kindness to the patients and the interest in their welfare which have brought to State Hospital No. 4 the reputation of being one of the best managed institutions in the state.—De Soto Press.

A. B. PRICE

The Produce Man

Will Buy Your

Poultry Rags Brass

Eggs Roots Lead

Hides Rubber Copper

He Pays Cash

Misses Hazel and Marie Hayes, accompanied by their friend, Miss Marie Gallewaert, of St. Louis, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sparks, here.

In the circuit court at Farmington Attorney B. H. Marbury of that city was awarded a fee of $500 for defending J. H. Long in the Iron County circuit court on a murder charge some time ago.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, June 27th.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The sermon subject will be "The Message of the Dust." In the evening at 8 o'clock there will be union services. The Presbyterian minister will preach the sermon, and will play a tenor saxophone solo. Good music at all services, to which a cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

J. E. Deggendorf, Minister.

NOTICE!

I have established a general exchange bureau. If you have anything to sell or exchange and have no market, list it with me, I will find the market.

If you desire to purchase anything and do not know where to find it, file your wants with me, I will find the desired article.

LIST OF WANTS

Give complete description and price in first letter; all articles must be in good condition.

Books—"The American Senator," by James DeMill; "Mr. Crews' Career" by Winston Churchill.

Sewing Machine—One, standard make.

Typewriters—Two, standard make.

FOR SALE

Oil Stove, "Perfection" blue flame, 1 burner, good condition; price $2.00.

Will list anything, write for particulars.

JAMES A. SHIELDS, Potosi, Mo.

Peoria.

No rain yet in this vicinity.

Miss Lena Wortham, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Farley, has returned home to Irondale, after an extened visit in Peoria.

Bro. Cole filled his regular appointment at Council Bluffs Sunday.

Miss Laura Dickey spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ines Dickey of our burg.

Misses Lena Wortham and Pauline Dickey visited at the home of the Misses Goforth here last week.

Mrs. J. T. Garrett and daughter, Florence, spent Tuesday last with Mrs. Addie Maxwell.

It is reported that Oman Turner of this place has joined the Army. Oman is a fine young man and has many friends who will wish him well in the soldier's life.

A revival meeting was held at Mount Zion last week, conducted by Rev. Howard.

Cannon Mines.

The harvest season is here.

The picnic given at the big spring in this locality last Saturday was well attended and a success.

Mrs. William Boyer has returned home from De Soto after an absence of several days.

Eugene Osia and Frank Douglas of Old Mines were pleasant vistors in our burg the past week.

Joseph Coleman of Bliss was in our midst Saturday. Joe said the tiff business was booming at Bliss.

Frank Lore of De Soto was in this locality Thursday. Frank said he is now engaged in the mercantile business at De Soto.

Our mail contractor, Daily Coleman, is on the job again, after an absence of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lytle Jackson of Troutt neighborhood visited relatives here the past week.

Mrs. John Agnew has returned home to Little Rock, Ark., after an exended visit with friends here.

Some of our Democratic friends say they are going to vote the Socialist ticket at the general election this fall. We don't see any need of that, as there is going to be a few Republican tickets extra.

While at Cadet Thursday we called at the home of our old friend, Wm. M. Goff, who has been a justice of the peace for a number of years. The 'Squire recently celebrated his 75th birthday, but is still quite active for his age. Unlike the Kaiser, he doesn't saw much wood, but, oh my, how he can plow! While at his home we witnessed a marriage ceremony performed by him. The contracting parties were Wm. Crippen and Agnes Lachance.

Political Announcements

All announcements under this heading are made subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the August, 1920, primary election.

For Representative,
JAMES F. WARD,
of Irondale.
CHARLES A. YOUNG
of Cadet.

For County Judge—Second District,
WILLIAM I. BAYS
of Belleview Township.

For County Treasurer,
N. F. ROBINSON
of Potosi.

For Prosecuting Attorney,
PARKE M. BANTA
of Potosi.
WILLIAM A. COOPER,
of Potosi.

For Sheriff,
FIRMIN L. SPARKS,
of Potosi,
JAMES M. COOPER
of Potosi.
C. J. RICHESON,
of Liberty Township.

For County Surveyor,
R. E. HUTCHINGS
of Harmony Township.
J. M. AGNEW,
of Potosi.

For County Assessor,
GILLIA PORTELL,
of Union Township.
JOHN E. ELLIS,
of Caledonia.
CHARLES V. ALLEN,
of Breton Township.
JOHN COMPTON
of Liberty Township.

Artistic Beauty in Film of South Seas

The "Island of Regeneration" which will be shown at the Delco Theatre on Wednesday, July 14; matinee at 2 o'clock, two shows at night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock, is different from the average photo play and will long be remembered because of its artistic beauty and thrilling story. A burning ship, earthquake, volcano in eruption and a subterranean cave furnish some of the thrills of this film masterpiece. The story deals with a youth who was cast away on an island in the South Sea when a small boy and lived alone for 21 years. He had forgotten how to talk. A girl became a castaway on the same island and educated the youth. The story is written by the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady. The scenes of the island are unusual. Remember the day and date—Wednesday, July 14th.

Special Sale

We offer for sale during the month of June our entire stock of Children's, Women's, Boys' and Men's Shoes at a reduced price.

We will take Country Produce, Rags, Scrap Iron, Roots, Wool in exchange at highest market price.

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK

J. D. Declue & Co.

The Merry-go-Round

Are you riding the merry-go-round? A good many people are just now. They crank up the barrel organ, turn on the power, pour the dimes in the hopper, mount the wooden horse and around and around they go.

If you are riding, you will note one peculiar thing, and that is, at the end of the ride you get off just where you started. You have gotten newh er

Present conditions will not last forever. Those who dance and ride must pay the and in the end will get off at the starting point, minus the coin.

Only Those Who Save Will Win. Open a Savings Account now at the

WASHINGTON COUNTY BANK
Potosi, Missouri.

FOR SALE—6-room house and 1¾-acre lot in Old Mines. Apply to Frank Folhemus, Old Mines, Mo.

HELP WANTED—Man and wife, on my farm about ten miles west of Potosi, near Lewis Bean's; wife to do cooking, man general farm work; steady work. Can also use a single man for cutting brush and clearing, and a carpenter for about a month. Address by mail or phone, J. W. Estes, Potosi, Mo. 2

FOR SALE—One J. I. Case steel separator, with automatic weigher, clover attachment, full equipment of belts; also a 10-roll J. I. Case corn shredder; both in first-class running order; apply to Lewis Bean, Latty, Mo.

WANTED—Man and team or auto who can give bond to sell 137 Watkins home and farm products. Biggest concern of the kind in the world. $1500 to $5000 yearly income. Territory in this county open; write today to J. R. Watkins Co., Dept 114, Winona, Minn.

SALESMEN WANTED—Fifty men and women, former experience not essential. Light, profitable work. Opportunity for those who make good to become sales managers. Qualify for salary of $50 a week. Suitable work for school teachers during vacation. Call in person. James A. Shields, Potosi, Mo.

Irondale.

Somewhere to go now—show in town.

The festival given by the Eworth League Saturday eve was well attended.

Mrs. Guy Thompson and children of St. Louis are guests of Mr. Jonathan Wishon Wishon.

Mr. John Adams, Mr. Alfred Merrill and Misses Nellie Merrill and Daisy Adams made a motor tour through the Lead Belt Sunday.

The shower Monday was appreciated

Dewberries are on the market here.

Mrs. Winstead and two daughters of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. R. Mottas.

Miss Irene Antoine of Farmington spent a few days with Miss Edith Edith Clark the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wintha Dickey and children of St. Louis visited relatives here the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams of Farmington are visiting kindred at this place.

Mr. Jas. P. Ward made a business trip to Chicago the past week.

F. W. Wortham of this place died in the hospital at Bonne Terre on June 15th, following an operation for gallstones. His remains were laid to rest in the Big River cemetery Thursday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William A. Crippen	Cadet,	Mo.
Agnes Lachance	"	"
James I. Clark	"	"
Dora L. Lefere	"	"
John Roderick	"	"
Karl Rohland	"	"
W. Riley Nash	Mineral Point,	"
Pearl Jolly	"	"

Tiff and Lead Miners Wanted.

We want tiff and lead ore miners on the tract of land known as the Evans & Thurman tract, lying northeast of Potosi, adjoining the Martin Higgins land. Will pay $7.00 per ton for tiff at the mines and $8.50 per ton delivered at the shipping platforms in Potosi, and $40 per ton for lead ore. This land is considered one of the best pieces of mining land in this section, tiff leads ranging 6 and 8 feet thick. Miners will make no mistake in working on this land.

T. F. BLOUNT MINING CO.,
per T. F. Blount, Potosi, Mo.

NOTICE

T. F. Blount has a sawmill at Palmer, Mo., 15 miles west of Potosi, in virgin, short-leaf yellow pine, and can fill any order for lumber at mill, f. o. b. Potosi, or delivered at Potosi. Write and tell me your wants in lumber and I will name you prices.

T. F. BLOUNT LUMBER CO.
by T. F. Blount, Potosi, Mo.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of W. B. Compton, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Washington County, Missouri, bearing date the 28th day of May, 1920. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the granting of letters on said estate, they shall be forever barred.

M. O. Compton,
Administrator.

State of Missouri, County of Washington—ss. I hereby certify that M. O. Compton was granted letters of administration upon the estate of W. B. Compton, deceased, on the date above written. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court this 28th day of May, 1920.

[Seal] Jas. A. Henson,
Judge of the Probate Court.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

New Advertising Rates.

Display advertising to local customers, 20 cents per column inch; foreign and transient rates the same.

Locals and reading notices, 7½ cents per line, each insertion.

Professional cards, $12 per year.

Administrator's or executor's first notices, $6.50.

Final settlement notices, $4.50.

Bank statements, $5.50.

Obituaries, 1 cent a word.

Memorials, $1.00 for 100 words or less.

Cards of thanks, 50 cents.

(All of the last three strictly cash in advance.)

Legal advertising at legal rates.

"BOBBED HAIR" CRAZE ENDS

Many English Women Now Seek to Restore Locks Sacrificed to Fad.

London.—The fashion of cutting women's hair short is waning and scores of short-haired women are searching west end hairdressing shops for locks with which to replace those of which they were shorn a few months ago when the "bobbing" craze was at its height.

Possessors of rich auburn or pure white locks of suitable length can obtain $12 or $13 by submitting to the "bobbing" operation. Many London women who paid 5 or 6 shillings a few months ago to have their hair "bobbed" and left the tresses with the hairdresser, are now spending anxious hours in an often futile "matching up" endeavor.

Fiume Monks, Out on Strike, Claim Freedom From Vows.

The latest thing in strikes is that of the monks of the Capuchin monastery, near Fiume, on the Adriatic. A group of young monks broke into open revolt against the superior and persisted in their mutiny, despite all threats to apply the penances prescribed by the monastic rules.

The insurgents claim freedom from their religious vows, secularization and the right to wear ordinary civilian clothing.

Saw Stonewall Jackson Die.

Huntington, W. Va.—J. H. Cammack, aged 70, Civil war veteran, is dead here. For fifty years he had been a deacon in the Baptist church. He was a member of a Sunday school class taught by Stonewall Jackson in Lexington, Va., and later was in Jackson's command and was with him when he was killed.

The Boy Scouts in Camp.

Those public-spirited citizens of St. Louis who made possible the extension of the Boy Scout work in St. Louis will be interested to learn how their money is being used in providing the Boy Scouts of that city an ideal summer camp and training school for the continuation of a more thorough educational scout training.

Camp Roosevelt, the scout camp, is located at Irondale, Mo., 74 miles south of St. Louis in the foothills of the Ozarks, in one of the most attractive localities, known as Greene Springs, near Big River, which affords safe and splendid bathing facilities. The absence of mosquitos, insects and poison ivy, together with the good sanitary condition of the camp and its surroundings and many natural advantages, contribute materially to the excellence of the location.

The scouts are quartered in large, waterproof tents, with board floors and double cots. The camp is a boy-governed camp. The rules and regulations are brief and to the point. Boy leaders are responsible for the conduct of the boys of their tents. The camp staff consists of eight experienced adult leaders. Major H. H. Simmons, scout executive, of St. Louis, is camp superintendent, and will be assisted by William T. Lattman and Charles E. Minton, the local field executives. Ten hundred and eleven boys took advantage of all the camp offered last season, and it is expected that the attendance this year will be doubled.

Camp Roosevelt has a reputation for its good "eats." James Arnold, the camp chef, and his able assistants, manage to keep every boy satisfied. No boy is allowed to leave the dining-hall until he cries "enough." The daily menu is carefully planned; variety, plenty and wholesome food is one of the camp's big attractions.

A daily program is arranged and the boys are kept busy every minute of the day in nature study, wood-craft, athletics, swimming, field sports, hiding, trailing and eating. Sunday is set aside as the day of rest when attention is given to the boys spiritual training. No boy is permitted to be absent from Sunday School other than in case of sickness, each boy attending the church of his own denomination. This is considered an important duty by the camp officials to both the boy and the parent.

Educational entertainments are conducted each evening around the big council fire. Discipline is maintained at all times. The 12th of June marks the seventh season of this great summer camp and training school, and at no time in the past has it been necessary to send a boy home for violating any of the camp rules. Every boy is a committee of one to enforce them. Notwithstanding that there were 1011 boys at camp last year, there was not a case of sickness or an accident.

Parents are cordially invited to visit Camp Roosevelt during the period of their boy's stay at camp.

Troop N2 under the leadership of Ernest N. Birge, Scoutmaster, featured in the official opening of the Camp when Old Glory was raised to full staff at Camp Roosevelt at 12 noon June 12th, 1920.

The Citizens Committee of Irondale assisted at the official opening. The committee is composed of Judge J. P. Ward, Walter Schmals, Dr. Yeargain, Walter Fisher and William Martin.

Big Snake Killing in Moonshine Land

Hardinsburg, Ky.—Bill Newby, living near Mayo, saw a big snake crawl into a hole in a limb of a tree which hung over a rail fence. He grabbed the snake by the tail and was so intent on pulling him out without coming to harm that he did not notice the snake's mate coming from behind until it touched his shoulder. He dropped his hold on the tail of the first snake and gave battle to the second, eventually killing it. Later he killed the one which had crawled into the hole. Both were over six feet long.