

Forest City and Vicinity

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST, AS RECORDED BY DELPHEUS

Our Street Fair and Carnival A Success.

The street fair is a thing of the past, except in memory, and judging from the crowds and interest shown, it was a great success. There were the ferris wheel, merry-go-round, airplane, and other attractions, among which we should mention the Oregon Concert Band, which rendered such excellent music—reception was so well appreciated that doubtless Forest City will organize a home band, and why not? We have the talent just going to waste. By all means, "let's go," and have a band second to none. Then, there were the exhibits, which while small, were a good indication of what might have been accomplished along that line if it had been taken up in time and properly worked out. We hope this has laid the foundation of future township fairs in Forest City, and we trust for Holt county townships generally, for through such fairs, working together, Holt county could easily become the banner county at our State Fairs. All exhibitions were extra good, a list of which with prizes follow.

Friday and Saturday were big days, for in addition to other attractions, there was speaking on Friday by L. C. Gabbert, Democratic candidate for Congress, and on Saturday by Chas. L. Faust, Republican candidate for Congress, but the greatest attraction for the time was the airplane performance, beginning Friday evening. It was estimated that a crowd of at least 5,000 persons assembled at that time, many gathering on the railroad, but many were down to the L. E. vacancy field, where the planes landed. After many performances over the field, just west of town, such as leaping from the plane at a high altitude, which was done safely, looping the loop, and other pleasing stunts, the planes returned to the landing, after which they carried passengers at \$10.00 per for a trip from the landing over the town and return.

The horse race, which was held on Friday afternoon, was won by Ralph Miller's horse, first prize, \$3.00; Lloyd Hopper's horse, second, \$2.00. There were five horses in the race—the other horses were owned by Sam Reynolds, Mr. Headley and Ed McFarland. Lloyd Hopper and Jesse Kuman ran the second race, the former winning the prize, \$3.00.

Saturday afternoon, Ralph Miller won first prize, \$3.00, in the horse race; Sam Randall, second. In another race that day was Lloyd Hopper's horse and Jesse Kilian's horse, of Fillmore. The first race was called a tie, and it was run over again, and Lloyd Hopper won the prize, \$3.00. In another race that evening, a purse of \$4.00 was made up, between the Cecil Elder horse and Lloyd Hopper's horse, the former winning.

Prizes awarded for the field and garden products:

Canned sweet potatoes—Mrs. Lida Speer. Sweet pickles—Mrs. Lida Speer. Best preserves—Mrs. Lida Speer. Best dozen longest filled ears of corn—D. H. Elder and sons. Best dozen ears of corn—D. H. Elder, first; Lee Cotton, second. Largest pumpkin—J. C. Hendrix, first; Wm. Neiderhouse, second. Largest squash—Fannie Whitmer, first; Lee Cotton, second. Largest watermelon—Tom B. Milne, first; Ivan Miller, second; Best tomatoes—Mrs. Jake Raiser, first; Mrs. Edna Schaeffer, second. Best apples—S. W. Anno, first; Peter Sipes, second. Best onions—S. W. Anno, first; Fannie Whitmer, second. Best peck of oats, J. M. Blachly. Best sweet potatoes—J. M. Blachly, first; Harlan Greiner, second. Best potatoes—S. W. Anno, first; B. M. Hoover, second. Best chickens—Mrs. H. B. Terhuus, first; Henry Lavell, second. Best cucumbers—S. W. Anno, first; J. W. Dinwiddie, second. Best pop corn—S. W. Anno, first; J. W. Dinwiddie, second. Kohl rabi—Mrs. Ida Miller. Best plate of grapes—Mrs. Hugh Burrier; A. H. Jeffrey, second. Peppers—J. W. Dinwiddie, first. Mangoes—Mrs. Edna Schaeffer. Best loaf of bread made from P. P. Flour—Mrs. M. R. Cummings, first; Mrs. Jacob Raiser, second. Best head of cabbage—Frank Comer, first; B. M. Hoover, second. Longest stalk of corn—Oral Noland, 16 feet 3 inches long—9 feet to first ear, 9 1/2 feet to second ear. Flowers—Mrs. Hugh Burrier. Largest musk-melon—Mrs. Frank Golden, first; Ivan Miller, second. Best cake made from P. P. Flour—Mrs. Lee Beaver, first. Best draft team—James Emery, first; Lee Hubbard, second. Kaffir corn—Manning Hubbard. Beets—Mrs. Ida Miller, first; Fannie Whitmer, second.

Prizes awarded in the ladies' work:

Silk Quilts—First, Grace Efner; second, Mrs. Hugh Burrier; third, Grace Efner.
Cotton Quilts—first, Mrs. Kate Greiner, second, Mrs. G. K. Norris; third, Mrs. Lida Speer.
Knit bed spread—Mrs. G. K. Norris.
Crochet bed spread—Mrs. Jesse Mills.
Crochet yoke—first, Mae Comer; second, Esther Blachly.
Crochet center piece—first, Mae Comer; second, Mrs. Henry Combs.
Crochet pillow top—first, Calla Glass; second, Mrs. Jesse Mills.
Embroidered center piece—first, Mrs. Lida Speer; second, Mrs. Lida Speer.
Embroidered pillow cases—Mrs. D. N. Miller.
Point lace collar—Mrs. G. K. Norris.
Mr. Erritt Williams was the pilot of the airplane, which went up here Friday afternoon, with Frank Armstrong, of Ponca City, Okla., making the 5,000-foot parachute leap from the plane, which was certainly fine. As soon as Mr. Armstrong and his parachute dropped, Mr. Williams gave a big dip down to where the parachute was and sailed around it until it landed on the ground safely with Mr. Armstrong south of the H. L. Everson house, west of town. Then Mr. Williams went back up in the plane again and did a few stunts. From here they go to Bethany, Mo., where Mr. Armstrong is to make three leaps at the county fair.
W. H. Beach, the pilot, took three passengers, besides himself up at one time. This is the only plane around here that carries more than two passengers. The pilot was a guest at the C. L. Richardson home during his stay in Forest City. We understand that Mr. Beach took in around \$400 Sunday, taking the people ride.

Forest City Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. The new pastor will not get here in time to preach Sunday, but will preach the third Sunday, morning and evening.
Rev. C. J. Chappell was granted a supernumerary relation at the conference, which met at Liberty. He will move to Salina, Kansas, where he will be engaged in the music business, being connected with the Chappell Music Co., at Salina, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Chappell's many friends will miss them from our midst, but we wish them prosperity and happiness in their new business and home.
Rev. Henry Neighbors has been appointed to succeed Mr. Chappell as pastor of the Forest City church.
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Class Meeting.

The C. B. class met at the home of Joseph Hopper, Monday night, and another pleasant evening was spent. Watermelons were served. The class was invited to take full charge of the Sunday school next Sunday morning, and they accepted. Robert Anno will act as superintendent; Irene Acton, secretary, and Donald Shumate, secretary. The class will also furnish a teacher for each class. Special music, consisting of double quartet and duet. We hope for every member of the Sunday school to be present, and any one not attending Sunday school elsewhere to come and be one of us. Those present were: Misses Violet Brock, Agnes Baker, Lucy Reynolds, Elizabeth Reynolds, Lulu Baker, Dora Baker, Jessie Boyd, Ruth Watkins, Irene Acton, Effie Stone, Julia and Jean McKee, Mabel McGuire, Marjorie Brodbeck, Miss Nute, Miss McFarland, Miss Houston, Miss Marguerite Martin; Messrs. Robert Anno, Donald Shumate, George Anno, Jesse Anno, Russell Elder, Orville Coffman, Fred Plummer, Clark Meyer, Joseph Hopper, Fred Hopper, Harold Moore, Charles Cass, Elijah Alkire, Mrs. Chas. France and Mr. and Mrs. Vince Hopper.
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St. Patrick's Church, Forest City.

On the first and third Sunday of the month, mass will be at 10:30 a. m. On the second and fourth Sunday, mass will be at 7 a. m. Tarkio is attended on the second Sunday of the month at 10:30, and Watson has the fourth Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Amazonia has services on the Saturday before the first Sunday, and Nodaway is attended on the Saturday before the third Sunday of the month. During the month. During the month of October, Rosary devotions will be held every Thursday evening at 7:30.
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—Dr. H. D. Thompson was returned to the St. Joseph district as presiding elder.

Obituary—Mrs. James Dozier.

Mary Anna King was born July 21, 1851, at Graham, Mo. Died, at her home in the Union district, Sept. 2, 1920.
November 28, 1869, she was married to Philip Ketting, who died in 1879. Five children were born to this union, two dying in 1879. Ara J., Mary E. and John D. are living and were present.
April 13, 1882, she was married to James M. Dozier. She had always made her home in Holt county.
When 18 years of age, she united with the Christian church, and had ever been a consecrated member. She was a good mother, an affectionate wife, a good neighbor and was loved by all.
She leaves a husband, three children, two sisters, Mrs. George Reeves, of Forest City; Mrs. Marina Sloan, of Wisconsin, and many other relatives, and a host of friends to mourn her departure.
Funeral service, at the home, Sept. 3, 1920, conducted by Albert Martin, of Forest City. Interment in Maple Grove cemetery, Oregon, Mo.
A. M.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our kind friends and neighbors for their assistance, during the sickness of our dear wife and mother, also for the beautiful flowers.
JAMES M. DOZIER AND CHILDREN.

Obituary—Mary Hayworth-Coats.

Mary Hayworth-Coats was born in Illinois, September 26, 1832, moving with her parents to Iowa, where she was united in marriage to John Coats. Mrs. Coats was reared in the Quaker church, but soon after her marriage united with the Christian church. She was the mother of thirteen children, eight boys and five girls—seven of these, with her husband, are now deceased, and six are left. Those living are: George and Martin Coats, of South Dakota; Harmon Coats, of Forest City, Mo.; Mrs. Minnie Keene, of Stockton, Kansas; Mrs. J. H. Randall, of Forest City, and John Coats, of Oregon. She also leaves 25 grandchildren and 47 great-grandchildren.
Mrs. Coats passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Randall, in Forest City, August 30.
The funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. J. Chappell, pastor of the Forest City Methodist church, at the Benton church, Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 31, at 2:30 o'clock, and interment was in the cemetery there.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved mother.—Mrs. J. H. Randall and Brothers.

Forest City School Notes.

Miss Bertha McFarling has been secured as teacher of English and Book-keeping. Miss McFarling is an experienced teacher, a graduate of the Maryville State Teachers' College. Besides, she has taken commercial work in the Ransomerian Business College, of Kansas City, Mo.
Miss Elsie Houston, principal of Forest City high school, graduated from Burlington Junction high school in 1917. She has completed three years of college work at the State Teachers' College at Maryville, selecting as her specialty, Mathematics and Science. Last year she taught in the high school at Elmo.
Miss Cleamatis Nute, who is teaching the primary, is a graduate of the Maitland high school and attended the Maryville State Teachers' College at Maryville this summer.
The teachers and students have started out to make this year a successful year.
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—Albert Martin and family spent the day, Sunday, with Albert McKown and family near Bigelow.

—Marguerite Martin spent Sunday with Elizabeth and Lucy Reynolds.

—The Republican county central committee met at Forest City, Saturday, Sept. 4th, and made the assessments on the candidates to carry on the campaign this fall.

—Glenn Hill, of Fortescue, spent a few days the latter part of last week at the J. M. Shumate home.

—Mrs. Susie Bledsoe went to Mound City, Saturday evening, and made a few days' visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Elder, returning home Monday.

—Miss Mary Hinkle, of Bigelow, spent Friday here at the C. S. McKee home.

—Judge D. C. Stallard and S. M. Coffman went to Liberty, Mo., last week, where they attended the conference meeting of the Methodist church, returning Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bridgman and family, of Maitland, spent Sunday with C. S. McKee and family.

—Floyd Coffman and family, of near Oregon, spent Sunday with his folks, S. M. Coffman and family.

—Miss Hazel Murry, of Forbes, came up the first of last week and made a week's visit at the James Quick home in Benton district.

—Wm. Crawford went to St. Joseph, Sunday, to attend the Fall Festival.

—Miss Edna Bridgman, of Maitland, came down Thursday and spent the week-end at the C. S. McKee home.

—Mrs. E. C. Clopton and daughter, Mrs. Perkins, returned to their home in Jefferson, Iowa, Monday, after a two weeks' visit here with their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. Brock.

—J. H. Aloy and daughter, Miss Gladys Owens, of Maryville, were in our city a short time last Thursday.

—Perry Turney went to St. Joseph Monday afternoon on a business trip.

—L. A. Banks and family spent Sunday at the Angelo Wake home in Fortescue.

—H. S. Teare, of Oregon, and L. L. Teare, of Craig, spent Sunday afternoon with their mother, Mrs. Matilda Teare.

—Mrs. Lewis Kimmel and son, Paul, were spending a few days, the latter part of last week with her father, "Uncle" William Baker.

—Norman Klopp came in Monday morning from Cincinnati, Ohio, and spent a few days here with his father, Dr. J. A. Klopp, and both went to Falls City, Mo., where they made a visit with Norman's mother, Mrs. Eva Klopp.

—Mrs. W. C. Dick and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carson went to Mound City, Monday morning, for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Carson returned in the evening, but Mrs. Dick remained for a longer visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook and children, of Bigelow, spent a few days last week at the Ezra Martin home, returning to their home Monday of this week.

—Wm. McDermott and family, Mrs. Joe Sweet and son, of Tarkio, and Joe Hopper took dinner and spent Sunday here at the Richard Sipes home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Teare and sons, Howard and Spencer, and Miss Alice Beckman, of St. Joseph, came up Friday and visited until Sunday evening with relatives.

—Mrs. O. D. Chadwick, of Los Angeles, Calif., who has been visiting here with relatives, left Tuesday for Agency, Mo., where she will make a visit with her son, H. W. Chadwick and family, and other relatives, before returning home.

—Dr. F. E. Bullock returned home Thursday of last week, after a six weeks' visit with George Fenny at Livingston, Mont., and with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birch, at Port Townsend, Wash.

—Miss Helen Baker, of Forbes, was here several days, last week, at the "Uncle" William Baker home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lease are the proud parents of a fine ten-pound baby girl, born Sunday, Sept. 5. Dr. E. L. Gardner was in attendance.

—Henry Bergman and wife, of St. Joseph, spent Thursday of last week with his nephew, L. A. Banks and family.

—Fred Beaver left Sunday for Breckenridge, Mo., where he will work.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Markt and children, of Oregon, spent Sunday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. John France.

—Thomas Landers came over from Savannah, last Thursday, and took in our street fair and carnival.

—Mr. and Mrs. Truman Crouser, of Oregon, spent Saturday at the John France home.

—Mrs. Chas. VanHoozier and two children, Margaret and Eugene, went to St. Joseph, Friday morning, and spent the day at the Leo Cooper home, returning in the evening.

—Mrs. H. E. Bowers and Agnes and Serene Andrews came down last Wednesday from Langdon, Mo., and spent a few days here with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jeffrey, and also attended our street fair and carnival.

—Mrs. George Drake, of Mound City, spent the day, last Wednesday, at the Charley VanHoozier home.

—Mrs. Chris Gifford and two sons were St. Joseph visitors, last Wednesday.

—Mrs. John Gaemlich went to Mound City, Tuesday of last week, where she spent a few days with relatives and friends.

—Wm. Crawford made a business trip to St. Joseph last Wednesday.

—Misses Mollie Cotton and Elizabeth McAfee, of Forbes, came up last Thursday and spent a few days here with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Cotton.

—Frank Benjamin and family, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday and made a few days' visit here with her father, Adam Schaeffer and family.

—Mrs. Alice Raiser, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday evening and spent Sunday with her brother, Cad Baker and family.

—Charley Cass returned home Saturday from Arnold, Kansas, where he has been working this summer, and has also been at Pueblo, Colo. He returned to attend school.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monks, of St. Louis, came last Thursday and spent a few days here at the Oscar Moore home, returning Saturday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Elton, of Tarkio, came down Saturday and visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kunkel.

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—Mrs. Fred Yandell and children, of Craig, came down Thursday and visited a few days here at the Mrs. J. H. Randall and Manning Hubbard homes, and also in Oregon, returning to their home Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Veneen and children, of Denver, Colo., came in last Wednesday night and are making a visit around here and at New Point with relatives and friends.

—Lawrence Walker, of near Oregon, had a car of sheep shipped in from South Omaha, last Thursday.

—Miss Ethel Cass took dinner and spent the day, last Thursday, at the P. V. Scott home.

—Mrs. Nate Martin and children, of Clarinda, Iowa, came down last Thursday and made a visit here with her mother, Mrs. G. M. Waddle, returning home Friday night.

—Rev. Jewell Howard, of Mound City, began holding a meeting last Sunday, Aug. 29, at the Benton church. The meeting will continue this week. Go and find a welcome.

—Office of Dr. J. A. Klopp over Alkire's Store, Farmers' Phone, No. 85. Call me day or night. 5ts

—Ace Addington and son, of Mound City, were in our city, last Wednesday on business.

—Mrs. Wm. Sprecklemeyer and Mrs. J. G. Byous, of Corning, who were here attending the county Sunday school convention, last Wednesday, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wallace.

—Mrs. John Schaeffer, Sr., was visiting last Wednesday at the Sam Schaeffer home.

—Mrs. Wm. Kyle and children, of Fillmore, came over last Tuesday and made a visit at the M. R. Cummings and George Cummings homes, while attending our street fair and carnival.

—Miss Valera Dankers, of Oregon, spent several days last week at the B. R. Mitchell home.

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