

## SPRING GOODS!

Summer weather will be upon us with a rush soon and right now is the time to prepare for it.

We have an excellent line of goods for waists and dainty dresses.

We have lately added a dressmaking department where you can get prompt and efficient service in having these goods made up.

Splendid new goods in all other lines also.

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BAZAAR.

PHONE NO. 116.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

Subscribe for THE TRIBUNE. Send us the news & wire. Our telephone is No. 32.

Geo. Copeland has gone to Arkansas to prospect for coal.

Mrs. W. B. Dawson came down from Butler Tuesday, to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. Sam Lane was in the city Monday, seeing his wife off on the train for a visit in Kansas.

Guido Jaeger, the waterworks contractor, is spending several days visiting his family this week.

Master Harry Barber came down from Butler last Saturday and spent Sunday with his cousin Ross Jones.

Last Saturday, Georgie Carr, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carr, Jr., was quite severely hurt by being thrown off of a mule. Georgie and his playmate Joe Reese were taking a ride when the mule became frightened and threw them both off. Georgie sustained severe cuts on his face and arm, so that several stitches were required to close them up. He is reported as getting along nicely. Joe escaped with several scratches.

## Millinery

In all the latest creations and up-to-date styles fresh from the market. We are doing our best to please our patrons and cordially invite you to come and see us before you buy. We will treat you right.

## China

Glassware, Taware and Notions. Childrens fine rib black hose, Ladies hose, Mens hose, Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Ladies vests, corset covers, towel and towels, white India linen, white linen for ladies shirt waists.

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## BENEDICTS.

Park Ave. Rich Hill, Mo. Bet. 6th and 7th

## Money to Loan.

I have a few thousand dollars to loan on easy terms on good farm property.

H. P. Robinson.

Mrs. Dr. Smalley will go to Wichita, Kas., Saturday for a visit to relatives.

We will give you the TRIBUNE and the New Idea magazine one year for \$1.00.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. White are enjoying a visit to their sons in Kansas and the Indian Ty.

Rev. J. A. Barker made a pleasant call at the TRIBUNE office Monday while in the city.

E. R. Williamson, the lumber merchant, spent Sunday in Nevada, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ozee.

Arthur, the little five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooper is very sick at their home on the east side.

Frank Gross, a former Rich Hill boy, was married in Kansas City, Kan., last Saturday, to a Miss Nellie Kelly.

It snowed Monday, April 29, 1907, nearly everywhere but Rich Hill, but that is no sign it was not cold enough to snow here.

Prof. H. O. Maxey and wife have both been re-elected by the school board at Sprague to teach in their school next year, at an increased salary.

Mr. Jas. C. Lane, who was in so dangerously hurt a short time ago while hauling hay, is reported much better at this writing, and is on the road to early recovery.

Rain began Monday morning, about 9 o'clock and gave us a continuous downpour all the day long, until late in the afternoon. This was the heaviest rain thus far this season. The wind blew hard and cold during the entire day.

Wm. Kober, of Kansas, was in the city last Saturday, consulting our city officers about sidewalks and interviewing contractors and others as to costs and conditions. Kansas seems to agree with him, for while he is not as fleshy as Secretary Taft, he looks healthy and in good condition.

Our good friend Jake Adams of Pleasant Gap township, was in the city last Saturday, and favored the TRIBUNE with a pleasant call. He reports everything moving along as well as could be expected over in his section, considering the unfavorable spring weather. Mr. Adams came to Bates county in 1860, and has lived in the county continuously ever since. Of course he believes in Roosevelt's way of carrying out the policies of the Republican party.

Friday morning of last week we suggested to Mayor Martin the propriety of a sidewalk across Ninth street on Maple. He said upon certain conditions the crossing would be put in. We told him to go ahead, the conditions were complied with right now. Saturday morning half a dozen men were on the ground at work. At night we walked over the crossing on our way home. No better crossing in the city. Now we will have to have sidewalks to correspond.

The Odd Fellows gave a quiet entertainment at their hall last Friday night, in celebration of the 88th anniversary of the founding of their order in the United States. Addresses were made by Mayor Martin and Rev. Warren, of Garden City, Kans., piano solos by Mrs. Turner, recitations by Miss May Martin and Claude Brown, and singing by male quartette. The program wound up with the usual luncheon that often makes one see visions and dream dreams. An elegant cake made by Miss Lizzie McCombs sold for six dollars, the proceeds to go to the I. O. O. F. Orphans' Home.

## Notice to Rich Hill Burial Association.

The 1st of May we will collect Assessment No. 44 furnished Alva Welch, and No. 45 for Edna Poulter. These Assessments must be paid in before the 15th.

R. J. BOOTH, Secy.

## Missouri War Claims.

I have recently had frequent inquiries about the Missouri War Claims. There seems to be some confusion in the minds of the people about the matter. Many who imagine they have or who really do have meritorious claims, do not understand the application of the recent action of the Senate touching these old War Claims. Generally speaking, the words Missouri War Claims refer to the scrip and certificates issued by the State, either for services rendered or for supplies furnished to or taken by the army. These are the claims that have been referred to the Court of Claims at Washington for investigation and adjustment, and all such genuine claims are likely to be paid soon. It is a matter with each holder of the scrip or these certificates to get his claim presented to the Court of Claims, and he will have to employ an attorney or present it himself to the Court. That is the situation as I understand it; and if you are in possession of any such claim, I can help you collect it, and shall be glad to assist you upon reasonable terms. Many of these claims are now in the hands of heirs and should be looked up. Write me what you have. Address me at Butler Mo.

W. O. ATKESON,  
Att'y at Law.

An alarm of fire about two o'clock Wednesday morning brought out the entire fire department to the store room of Chas. Marquardt on 1st street between Olive and Chestnut where a raging fire was in progress. The store room and contents, a barn and ice house were all consumed as the fire was well under way when the firemen arrived. The loss is quite heavy but the property was insured in companies represented by Stonebreaker & Son. The origin of the fire is unknown but it is believed to have been set on fire by thieves. A shutter to one of the windows near where the iron safe set was found to have been opened and not far from this location the fire seems to have had its origin.

Dr. Slater's dental office will be closed hereafter on Monday and Tuesday.

## DANGER IN DELAY.

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for Rich Hill People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. Ray Tyler, Harrison St., Butler, Mo., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have proved to be a good medicine in my case, I have suffered much pain in my back and at times noticed a dizziness and spots before my eyes. The aching seemed worse at night, until my husband brought home a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. I used them and found immediate relief from my aches and pains and was generally invigorated. I have no trouble with my back and kidneys now."

Plenty more proof like this from Rich Hill people. Call at Opera Drug Store and ask what customers report.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-McBarn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Mrs. John Chapman spent Sunday with relatives in Harrisonville.

The Green Bug seems to be at work in the wheat in this section. Some farmers think they won't have half a crop.

## Roy Cheverton.

Miss Ada Cheverton of this city and Dr. Philemon Roy, of St. Paul, Minn., were married at the home of the bride's parents, Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. King Stark, of Harrisonville officiating. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present to witness the ceremony.

Miss Ada is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cheverton, and one of Rich Hill's most beautiful and amiable young ladies, a sweet singer and an artist of rare ability. She has been in St. Paul the past several years devoting her time to the study of art.

Dr. Roy is a prominent physician and surgeon of St. Paul, and stands high in his profession in that city.

They will visit in Rich Hill a short time, after which they will take an extensive trip through the west, visiting the bride's brother, Edward Cheverton, at Los Angeles, Cal., and many places of note in that country.

They will make their home in St. Paul. THE TRIBUNE joins their many friends in wishing them all joy and happiness on the journey of life together.

## WILLOW GROVE.

Mrs. Ed Whitehead is slowly improving.

Mrs. Wm. Lowder is visiting relatives in our city this week.

Mrs. Maggie Ganaway and daughters are visiting in Mineral Kansas.

Mrs. Edward Houghton was among the Saturday shoppers in our city.

Bud Smith and wife Sundayed with friends across the river, near Nyhart.

Misses Dorothy Koontz and May Cobb were welcome visitors at Willow Grove, Sunday.

Owing to the continued cold weather quite an amount of corn will have to be replanted.

Wilburn Rowden and family drove to Butler Saturday to spend Sunday with relatives.

Today, Monday, is the rainy day of the season. It has rained fourteen inches, (more or less.)

There was a larger crowd in Rich Hill Saturday than has been seen there for a long time. By-the-way, Rich Hill is looming up mightily. New concrete walks and brick crossings, freshly painted residences and beautifully kept lawns all combine to make our little city greatly improved in appearance.

One week from next Friday, school closes for the summer. It has been a very profitable year and our little folks have, at least the majority of them, worked faithfully. At the West school each room is preparing a very interesting program. Teachers and scholars alike are working energetically to make the "last day" exercises a success. Parents, we have a duty to perform too. Let us go and fill the school-rooms with visitors. We are sure to enjoy these entertainments. It is the only way we can show our appreciation of the industry of our children, and return thanks to the teachers for their pains-taking care of our little folks the past eight months.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John T. Eagles to Maggie King 30 a sec 18 Osage, \$1500.  
Jennie E. Fulkerson et al to W. B. Ogg pt blk 3 Couchs ad Butler, \$1350.  
Milo E. Hill to J. W. Albine tract sec 1 New Home, \$2000.  
John Palters to Chas. Wilson 102 a sec 1 Osage, \$4000.  
Elizabeth Barrows to Geo. W. Bair 44 a sec 14 Lone Oak, \$1050.  
Mae Mock to W. W. Hill pt lot 1 blk 4 Williams ad Butler, \$1000.

# DON'T FORGET!

That the Big Store is going to discontinue the sale of Clothing and offer all Mens, Boys, and Childrens' Ready-to-Wear Garments at cost and below.

It will pay you to investigate before buying your Spring Clothes.

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## LODGE DIRECTORY.

Rich Hill Lodge No. 479, A F & A M., meets 2d and 4th Monday nights.

Rich Hill Lodge No. 412, I O O F meets every Friday night at Odd Fellows Hall.—T. Keelo, N G; L. F. Caldwell, Sec'y.

Rich Hill Lodge No. 289, K. of P., meets every Tuesday night.—Ed McCarty, Jr., C. C.; John Connelly, K. of R and S.

Osage Lodge No. 69, K of P meets each Monday night.—Truman Kelso, C. C.; J. Bellman, K of R and S.

Rich Hill Camp No. 1941, M W A, meets every Thursday night.—W. W. Ferguson, J. K. Martin, Clerk.

Victoria Camp No 488, Royal Neighbors of America; meets 2d and 4th Monday nights in K P (289) Hall.—Mrs. Millie Hickey, Oracle; Miss Nancy Huckely, Recorder.

Pine Camp No 34, W O W meets every Wednesday night.—W. G. Cook, M; H. M. Klumpp, Clerk.

Rich Hill B. P. O. Elks, No. 1028—Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month.—G. A. Delamater, E. R.; H. B. Marsh, Secy.

Rich Hill Lodge No. 1, Select Knights and Ladies, meets 2d and 4th Friday evenings.—F. H. Cheverton, Pres; W. G. Myerley, Sec.

Rich Hill Council No. 2184, American Guild meets every Tuesday evening.—E. W. McManus, Pres; Don Basore, Sec.

Rich Hill Camp No. 217, A O U W, meets 1st and 3d Friday nights of each month.—R. M. Woodson, M W; G. G. Cook, Recorder.

Royal Arch Chapter A F & A M, No 103, meets 1-4 Wednesday night in each month.—W. F. Tygard, H P; D. B. Hickey, Secy.

Order of Eastern Star meets 2d and 4th Tuesday nights in each month.—Mrs. Mary E. Williams, W M; Mrs. Maude Turner, Secy.

Rich Hill Council No 848, Knights and Ladies of Security, meets 1st and 3d Saturday of each month.—J. Bellman, Pres; Nancy E. Bellman, Secy.

Rich Hill Aeris No 571, Fraternal Order of Eagles meets every Wednesday night in K P Hall 69.—Wm. H. Linn, Pres; Thos. Willis, Secy.

Rebekah Lodge No 216, meets the 1st and 3d Wednesday nights of each month in Odd Fellows Hall.—Mrs. J. H. Williams, N G; Mrs. Alice C. Martin, Secy.

Gen Canby Post No 10, G. A. R. meets 1st Saturday in each month at 8 p. m.—R. L. McMurry, P. C.; Geo. F. Huckely, Adjutant.

## Meeting Dates of Courts.

Circuit court meets in Butler 1st Monday in February, May and October.

County court meets 1st Monday in February, May, August and November.

Probate court meets 2nd Monday in February, May, August and November.

## Meetings of Township Board.

First Wednesday after first Tuesday in April.

First Tuesday after first Monday in July.

Third Monday of November of each year at office of the township clerk.

## County Officials.

Representative—L. M. Griffith.

Circuit Judge—C. A. Denton.

Probate Judge—J. A. Silvers.

Sheriff—C. F. Beard.

Circuit Clerk—D. T. Embree.

County Clerk—C. G. Weeks.

Recorder—L. M. Smith.

Treasurer—W. R. Bell.

Proc. Atty.—W. B. Dawson.

School Com.—A. L. Ives.

Surveyor—E. B. Borron.

Administrator—Jno. Hayes.

Coroner—O. F. Renick.

Presiding Judge—J. F. Harper.

Associate " —A. D. Hyde.

" —Estes Smith.

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