

MIAMI.

Harold Wells, wife and baby are the guests of J. R. Miller and wife. Their home is in Kansas City. Miss Julia Royer and mother are anticipating a visit soon from Mr. and Mrs. George Binks, who live near Forest Green, Mo. Capt. Tom Mattingly, a former Miamian, but now of 816 West 85th St., Los Angeles, Calif., had a birthday on the 6th of this month and greatly enjoyed a Miami post card shower. Mrs. Bettie Lemmon nee Miss Bettie Surbaugh, writes from Sandoval, Ill., that her health has been quite delicate for some time and that she expects soon to return to Saline to reside. She will bring with her for a visit, Mrs. Mary Coleman, who is a sister of the late B. F. Lemmon. Mrs. John Jennings spent the 4th at Carrollton and later made a trip to Wakenda. Her son, Freddie, is there for the present. He was not satisfied with his position which he went to Kansas to consider and came on his way home as far as Wakenda, where he perhaps may permanently locate. The steamer Chester, on its way down the river stopped here for a short time only Saturday. The Advance arrived at Miami Sunday p. m. and stayed over night leaving Monday a. m. for her travel down stream. There was quite a spread made on the dining table at Adolph Royers on July 1st in honor of Mr. Royers little nephew Master George Paros Royer's 11th birthday. Several families partook of the feast and remembered Master George with some nice presents. Dr. George Hawkins and bride have returned to their home at Salisbury after making a visit in the home of the Dr's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawkins, who live about 6 miles from Miami. David Vanmeter, wife, daughter and Miss Lucy Hisele were dinner guests at the home of Jas Allen on the 4th. John R. Miller was much worried over the illness of his fine family horse last Saturday, but by using some simple remedies the animal recovered. Mrs. Will Merry, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kite, returned last week to her home in Oklahoma. Mrs. Roy Fletcher, who has visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Allen, returned to her home in Moberly, Mo., a few days ago. Mrs. Robert Coleman, one of our efficient and obliging telephone operators made a pleasant trip to Salisbury last week and enjoyed the city's big 4th of July festivities. She returned to Miami on Sunday. Blind Boone gave two entertainments in Miami on July the 2nd and 3rd at the G. T. Taylor building. His music was beautifully rendered, perhaps he was inspired with even more enthusiasm, as this was his native home and his place of birth. Amos Mayfield of Roanoke, Virginia and Jim Mayfield of Slater visited the home of P. G. Sullivan, their cousin and took supper with him Friday evening. Frank Monroe of Kansas City is here to assist his father-in-law, C. C. Gray in his cement work. The two families reside in the Hisele property. John Hines of Marshall was in our town Saturday. Wm. Foote and family of Happyville, Colo., will spend the summer with Fritz Cain and Andrew Stoner. Ellington Griffith will buy wheat at Miami, providing he can secure the ware house. Sterling Price, sheriff of Saline county and his deputy, John P. Risings, were in Miami Saturday. Bennett Bishop, while delivering groceries for his father, one day last week, was greeted at the door by a large black snake instead of the lady went in and was looking around when Bennett stepped in. The boy took to his heels, "cause he was barefooted," he said. Messers Creasap and Haynie are making some out buildings on A. P. Bishop's premises this week. E. G. Kitchen and wife came in to attend the Wonderland show boat and at a late hour were returning home. Around near the home of Mrs. Victoria Andley is quite a turn in the road; in front of the kitchen rig was an auto, and in front of the auto was another horse and buggy. This horse became frightened and ran into the auto and this scramble frightened the kitchen horse, which turned the rig over. A mix-up ensued, which greatly upset the nerves of the occupants and which also broke up the harness considerably. No bones were broken, only a little shaking up and delay was all. Mrs. Claire Cabell has lately purchased a beautiful side-saddle for the purpose of enjoying herself horse-back riding. She is a noted equestrienne and highly capable of giving lessons in this great accomplishment. A. J. McGrady of Shoals, Indiana, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. O. Kelley returned last week

to his home. H. A. McCarty, who sells Arbucks coffee, called on his Miami customers last week. J. F. Coleman, treasurer of Saline county was in Miami Saturday. G. T. Taylor at a public sale last Saturday bought the Sam Small property for \$150. Rev. Fred Kerr, wife and infant son, who have visited the family of Dr. H. D. Grady for a few weeks departed the latter part of last week for their far away home, Prince Rupert, B. C. Mrs. Kerr, it will be remembered was Miss Mamie Grady. Dave Dobbins of Gilliam came to Miami one day last week, after his little daughter, Florence, who made a month's stay in Miami with relatives. Henry D. Staley thought a bachelor decided to try the joys of housekeeping and sent his nephew, Willie Lawson to Marshall one day last week to make numerous purchases towards fitting up the house recently occupied by J. F. Burruss. Uncle and nephew are now happily domiciled at said homestead. Marvin Ayres, Newton and Preston Cheswell, Love, Urley, Rob. Soleman Quince Siebert and wife and several others attended the 4th at Carrollton. Miss Genevieve Bishop was unusually hilarious on the 4th, not only because it was a patriotic period, but because it was also her birthday. Mrs. Jas. Ulrey and little son went down to Dewitt to spend the 4th and make a little visit. It was Mrs. Ulrey's intention to take her mother, who resides there on surprise, but Mrs. Ulrey was the one who was surprised at her mother had gone to Richmond to spend the 4th. Mrs. Ulrey returned home the same day some what disappointed. GRAND PASS Miss Pearl Riley went to Malt Bend Wednesday for a short visit with her cousin, Mrs. George Humphreys. Willis Easter, Will Wallace, Wesley Robn, Aubry Edwards and G. F. McClure were among those who went to Marshall Tuesday. Mrs. E. McR. Callaway was the guest of Mrs. Bettie Fletcher nee Blosser Tuesday. On Tuesday afternoon from four to six o'clock, quite a number of little girls and boys were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones in honor of the sixth birthday of their little son, Ernest. The children enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent and decided that Ernest, with the assistance of his mother, was a model little one is better now. V. H. Drumm, representing the late board of horticulture, is engaged in taking a census of the orchards in Saline county. He was in our midst Saturday. MT. LEONARD. Orville Spencer and wife of Moberly are visiting relatives here this week. Mrs. Joe Hamill and children of backford were guests of James Welsh and family Thursday. John Spencer has returned home after a two year's stay in Fresno, Cal here he has been engaged as travel agent salesman. Will Elgin and children of Nelson visited Matt Barnes and family Thursday. They were accompanied here by Eugenia Sayers, who has been visiting with them for several weeks. A family re-union was held at the beautiful country home of J. W. Spenser and wife, July 4th. About fifty relatives including the immediate family composed the happy company. A plentiful dinner was served in picnic style and a jolly good time was enjoyed by all. Miss Stella Dingley after a two year's stay in St. Louis returned home Friday. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Brooks who will visit with relatives here. Mrs. Danuzer and daughters, Miss Cora of Marshall and Mrs. Logan of Sedalia visited relatives here the latter part of the week. While returning from the Spencers' reunion the horse that Miss Cora Wright was driving became frightened by a runaway horse that was driven by Hildred Briggs and the occupants were thrown out and Miss Cora was badly shaken up and her breast bone broken. Chas Sayers and family and Jim Briggs spent the fourth of July in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Downs of Houston, Texas, are guests of Chas. Shepherd and family. Mr. Geo Hadenburg sold his farm south of town to a Mr. Miller consideration \$137.50 per acre. Rev. G. O. Baxter of Liberty filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Mrs. J. W. Spencer of near Slater visited with her niece, Mrs. Loyd Cori of this place Saturday. Amos Mayfield of Virginia was a guest of G. L. Mayfield and family Sunday.

Miss Annie Townsend came up from Blackwater Sunday morning and attended services at the Baptist church. Mrs. Wade Higginbotham and cousin, Miss Lula Thorp went to Chouteau Springs, Sunday morning and spent the day. Mr. Will Burroughs of Marshall spent one day of last week with his sister, Mrs. A. K. Canada. Mr. Luther Barnett of Marshall is visiting his friend, Mr. George Alexander. L. M. Haynie is having a concrete sidewalk put in front of his residence this week. H. L. Sneed left last week for Monnegaw Springs, where he will oversee the work in his drug store for awhile. Miss Lizzie Vardiman has returned from a visit with Marshall relatives. Mrs. James DeMoss returned Tuesday from Marshall where she had been visiting for several days. Frank Bradley, the night operator, spent the fourth in Boonville. The Christian Sunday school gave their annual picnic on Friday, July 4th at the German's grove. It was an old fashioned basket picnic with lots of good things to eat and every one thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones and children and Dr. E. N. Walker and family spent the fourth at the fish pond. Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds of Odessa are visiting the former brother, L. S. Reynolds and family. Protzman Read of Blackburn spent Sunday here. Mrs. Carrie McCullough returned to Kansas City Sunday after several weeks visit with relatives. Little Alred Chrisman of Slater is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Chrisman. James DeMoss went to Kansas City Sunday to see his brother, John DeMoss, who is in a hospital there. Eld. A. S. Morrison filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday. In the evening he preached a sermonette on "Snakes" and burned some Pharaoh snake eggs to illustrate his subject. Little Miss Rose McFarlane of Jefferson City who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Levi Kramer, was the guest of Miss Addie Edwards Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. H. M. McCord was called, Saturday, to the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Humphreys near Blackburn on account of the serious illness of the latter's infant daughter. The little one is better now. V. H. Drumm, representing the late board of horticulture, is engaged in taking a census of the orchards in Saline county. He was in our midst Saturday. ELWOOD. Elmwood dismissed their church service Sunday and attended the children's day service and basket dinner at New Home. Mr. Frank Carothers who has a position as agent for the Wells Fargo & Co., Express at Sedalia and was spent from Wednesday until Sunday with A. P. Reagers and other relatives and friends. Miss Sylvia Smith of Sweet Spring visited Mrs. Raymond Davis last week. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guymon of Sedalia are spending this week here with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Terrell spent Friday with her parents near Malt Bend. Mrs. Terrell remained until Sunday. F. M. Carothers and wife and Mrs. A. P. Reager were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lemmon Friday. Several from here attended the 4th of July celebration at Concordia. Grant Terrell and sister, Miss Maymie called at G. F. Muellers Sunday afternoon. Miss Katie King of Kansas City spent from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Anna Larue. Miss Nancy Wheeland spent Friday with her sister Mrs. Hugh Smith. Will Lemmon, wife and son, Chas. Lemmon and wife, J. H. Guymon wife and daughter and Mrs. A. F. Lemmon spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Reager. Misses Boulware and Reager were in Mt. Leonard Friday morning. H. C. Terrell and family were in Marshall Saturday in their Keo. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Terrell spent Friday with her parents near Malt Bend. Mrs. Terrell remained until Sunday. L. V. Wyrick and wife and Dr. and Mrs. L. S. James were at the court seat Thursday. Clyde Fulkerson and Sydney Bow were at the court Sunday to attend the ball game. COUNTY COURT. The docket of the July term of the Saline county court, not being very large, the business was discharged in two days and court adjourned Tuesday afternoon. The case of the drainage of the Cole Lake district was taken up Tuesday and there were a number here from that neighborhood interested in the case. The removal was looked into and examined and the court reduced a few of the assessments and confirmed the balance. Another matter of importance attended to was the change in the county seat highway commissioners. It will be remembered that some time ago the court appointed three commissioners and it has been ascertained since that, it should have been two instead of three. The court recalled the former appointment and named Sherman Huston and June K. Kin to fill the position of county seat highway commissioners. Mrs. John B. Gantt of Jefferson City widow of the late Chief Justice Gantt of the Missouri Supreme Court will probably be selected as hostess of the Missouri Building at the Panama-Pacific Exhibition in San Francisco in 1915.

Miss Frances Welsh who spent the winter out West has returned home for the summer. Mrs. T. S. Smith was a Marshall visitor Tuesday. HARDEMAN Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Odell and family were trading in Marshall Saturday. Quite a number of Indiana cars passed through here Saturday. Miss Sallie Piper is visiting her brother in Slater at present. Mr. J. C. Hazel spent a few hours Saturday with Dick Thomas near Napton. Mrs. Ike Neff spent Sunday at Charley Thorntons. Miss Rosa Webb was guest Saturday at Vincel Embreys. Hardeaman was well represented at Boonville, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Embrey and little daughter, Mary, spent a few hours with friends in Arrow Rock Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bert Smith spent a few hours at the home of J. E. Pipers of Slater Saturday. Messrs. C. E. Brown and J. C. Hazel were trading here Saturday. Remember the ice cream social at Concordia, July 19th. Every body is invited. Messrs. T. J. Davis and G. B. Simmons spent Wednesday afternoon at W. J. Gumbrells. While in the woods Monday morning, Frank Piper killed a very large black snake, measuring over six feet in length and over seven inches around his body and 2 1/2 inches in diameter. Miss Mary Piper visited at J. E. Browns last week. Mrs. J. E. Townsend and daughter were trading in Napton Saturday. ELMWOOD Elmwood dismissed their church service Sunday and attended the children's day service and basket dinner at New Home. Mr. Frank Carothers who has a position as agent for the Wells Fargo & Co., Express at Sedalia and was spent from Wednesday until Sunday with A. P. Reagers and other relatives and friends. Miss Sylvia Smith of Sweet Spring visited Mrs. Raymond Davis last week. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guymon of Sedalia are spending this week here with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Terrell spent Friday with her parents near Malt Bend. Mrs. Terrell remained until Sunday. F. M. Carothers and wife and Mrs. A. P. Reager were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lemmon Friday. Several from here attended the 4th of July celebration at Concordia. Grant Terrell and sister, Miss Maymie called at G. F. Muellers Sunday afternoon. Miss Katie King of Kansas City spent from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Anna Larue. Miss Nancy Wheeland spent Friday with her sister Mrs. Hugh Smith. Will Lemmon, wife and son, Chas. Lemmon and wife, J. H. Guymon wife and daughter and Mrs. A. F. Lemmon spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Reager. Misses Boulware and Reager were in Mt. Leonard Friday morning. H. C. Terrell and family were in Marshall Saturday in their Keo. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Terrell spent Friday with her parents near Malt Bend. Mrs. Terrell remained until Sunday. L. V. Wyrick and wife and Dr. and Mrs. L. S. James were at the court seat Thursday. Clyde Fulkerson and Sydney Bow were at the court Sunday to attend the ball game. COUNTY COURT. The docket of the July term of the Saline county court, not being very large, the business was discharged in two days and court adjourned Tuesday afternoon. The case of the drainage of the Cole Lake district was taken up Tuesday and there were a number here from that neighborhood interested in the case. The removal was looked into and examined and the court reduced a few of the assessments and confirmed the balance. Another matter of importance attended to was the change in the county seat highway commissioners. It will be remembered that some time ago the court appointed three commissioners and it has been ascertained since that, it should have been two instead of three. The court recalled the former appointment and named Sherman Huston and June K. Kin to fill the position of county seat highway commissioners. Mrs. John B. Gantt of Jefferson City widow of the late Chief Justice Gantt of the Missouri Supreme Court will probably be selected as hostess of the Missouri Building at the Panama-Pacific Exhibition in San Francisco in 1915.

COTTON DECEIT WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7. - A campaign campaign of misrepresentation, with a view of influencing the Senate's action upon the cotton schedule in the Underwood tariff bill is expected to be brought to light as the result of a subpoena issued today by the Senate's lobby committee, for H. S. Mobby of Prairie Grove, Ark., and for I. A. Smith of Georgia. Moberly and Smith are the presidents of the Arkansas and Georgia divisions of the National Farmers' Union. Southern Senators have informed the members of the lobby committee that in the name of the Farmers' Union, a systematic effort has been made to cause Democratic members of the Senate's finance committee to vote for high duties on jute and cotton manufactures. It was represented that a prohibitory rate on jute would compel the substitution of cotton baggins for jute baggins in lading cotton. R. H. Bowen, as chairman of the National Farmers' Union committee, urged that this be done. Moberly and Smith are expected to testify that Bowen acted without the authority of the Farmers' Union. Both witnesses accepted service by telegraph. Senate Democrats caused again on the resolution to bid them to support the tariff bill. Opposition which developed Saturday was reasserted, but Chairman Simmons and other champions of the bill argued that such action was necessary to expedite debate and assure its passage. Senator Simmons will report the bill to the Senate late this week. It is a little more than three months since the Ways and Means Committee introduced the measure in the House. "It has been a bigger job than the public has any 'ha. of,'" said Mr. Simmons. When the bill goes into the Senate, Chairman Simmons intends to follow the Underwood plan of parceling out schedules to members of sub-committees. The Finance Committee decided to recommend to the caucus that the raw wool become effective, October 1, 1913, and that the new rate on manufactures of wool should be effective December 1, 1913. APPLE GROWERS. The apple growers of the Missouri River Valley district will meet in St. Joseph on Wednesday, July 10th, to frame a protest to present the railroads for fair treatment in the matter of discriminatory freight rates as are now in effect in favor of the eastern apple growers. If growers of this territory will attend this meeting in sufficient numbers so that their protest will carry weight, it will be possible to get a fair and early hearing from the railroads. Carefully compiled data show that the growers of this apple province one-hundred per cent more freight on their apples than do eastern growers to same markets. Growers who understand what a small margin of profit exist between cost of production and the price of product, realize the vital importance of the reduction of freight rates, where such is possible. It is thought, by men who have studied this situation, that the railroads will adjust this matter satisfactorily, and soon. If, however, the growers show a little interest in this meeting as do the growers of the Texas meeting or Jun 15th, of this year, where we were told in the press dispatch, "as is usual at such gatherings the railroad men outnumbered the fruit growers two to one and a few extra ones thrown in," that there will be little or no resultant benefit to the growers and the effort will have been wasted. However, growers now a-days are realizing the utter necessity of cooperation, and the Missouri River growers will no doubt not be behind in sticking together in this matter of getting justice from the railroads. This is the time to show your cooperative spirit by coming to St. Joseph. The Missouri River Valley district is a live apple producing section and can support a big fruit growers exchange—let this be the opening gun. If we can not get quick relief from the railroads, we can go to the interstate commerce commission. JOHN BLAND, Secretary Missouri State Board of Horticulture. Dick Seabee and Miss Beale of field of Monroe county have returned to their home after a visit to their relatives, T. W. White and family at their home 560 South Lafayette. The visitors spent a day or two at Nelson while in Saline.

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