

EBENEZER.

Mr. Dan Wood, of Beech, spent Monday night with friends here. Rev. Burgess Cunningham will preach here next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Messrs. M. and D. Reeves and Newt Tune went to the lake Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Belton Zell visited their son, John, in Hickman Sunday and Monday. Mr. Alton Nipp and wife and Mrs. Charlie Brown, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezell. Mr. M. O. Garrison and family, of Mineral Springs, visited Mr. Marion Reeves and wife Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves, of Hornbeak, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Reeves Sunday. Rev. Burgess Cunningham and sister, Miss Kate, were guests of relatives at Polk Monday night. Mrs. Henry Callis, of Pleasant Hill, is sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGowan. Mrs. Nannie Cunningham and daughter, Mrs. Wincie Dickey, were shopping in Union City one day last week. Mrs. Esther Reeves spent several days of this week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Adron Nipp, near Protomous. Mrs. Ira McDaniel, of Mineral Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mr. Sarah Jane Tooms. Mr. Kirk Brown has returned from Clearwater, Fla., where he spent the winter and will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Nannie Cunningham. Mr. Paul Isbell and daughter, Miss Marion and Mr. John Cunningham and sister, Miss Lullie, attended the Singing Convention at Cloverdale Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday. While there they were guests of Mr. Doak Cunningham and family.

GAYLE.

Nailling-Kaiser Hardware Co. handle the standard lines of buggies. LOST—Party who got my wrap at store Monday in exchange will please return same to the store and get their own wrap. Mrs. Pearl Walker.

FREEMONT.

Mrs. Anna Hudson visited in Martin last week. Miss Eula Bell and brother, Hoyt, visited relatives at Troy last week. Will Caldwell and wife visited relatives near Hornbeak Saturday night. Archy Darrell and family moved to Hickman last week where they will reside. Charlie Caldwell and wife was in Union City Tuesday on a trading expedition. Milton Downing and wife, of Hornbeak, visited at the home of J. E. Clear Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cole, of Union City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Tooms here Sunday. A. C. Scruggs, of Troy, was here the first of the week representing the Raleigh Medicines and Extracts. Miss Johnie Stanfield, of near Union City, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jim Stanfield, last week. J. E. Caldwell and J. H. Grooms attended the I. O. O. F. celebration at Reeves last Saturday and reported a fine time. The drug inspector was here last week and caused a good deal of trouble and expense with some of our merchants. Raymond White and family, of Bethlehem vicinity, visited at the home of T. B. Underwood Saturday night and attended church at Antioch Sunday. Miss Inez Clear, who has been sick with pneumonia at Martin for some time, arrived here Monday not very much improved. She was accompanied by her brother, J. P. Clear and her sister, Miss Murlie.

VIOLET.

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TOO LATE FOR JOHNSON.

The friends of Gov. Johnson have opened headquarters in Chicago and have begun a campaign to make the Minnesota the Democratic nominee for President. Their chief claim for Mr. Johnson is racial. They assert that because he is the son of a Scandinavian he can capture the Swedish, Norwegian, and Danish vote of Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the Dakotas. This vote is normally Republican. This is a narrow platform. The national question should not be a reason for or against any man. If Gov. Johnson's friends have nothing else to recommend him to the voters than that he could capture a big foreign vote because he is of Swedish blood, then Gov. Johnson is not of Presidential caliber. Neither race nor religion should be elements of a Presidential campaign. Outside of this Gov. Johnson's friends are too late. If they had felt that their candidate had in him the material for a Democratic Presidential nomination, they should have begun their fight months ago. It now looks like a movement to stringhalt Bryan. Bryan has the nomination in his grasp. If he lives Bryan will be the choice of the Denver convention unless there is a revolution of public sentiment, and we do not believe there will be a revolution. If Johnson was ever an available candidate his sponsors slept in their tents while the Bryan men were gathering in the delegates. In New York State there are forces behind the Johnson movement that are not Democratic. They believe in the divine right of the Privileged Rich to exploit this country for their own aggrandizement. They want the government to exist as a money-making machine for themselves. They have fought

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