

Local and Personal

River rising. Gauge reads 34.0.

Lawson, R. thought left for St. Louis on a business trip this morning.

Walter Smith of Altonville was in the Cape on business Monday.

H. E. Collins of Benton, Tex., is stopping at the St. Charles.

Mrs. P. H. Hest is continuing her bed with a plaster collar.

James Walker of Bloomfield had business in the Cape Monday.

John French of Benton and Joe Walker of Delatoadle, both of Cape, on business, arrived Monday.

Geo. A. Mull of Marshall, Okla., is a guest at the Riverview.

Several Officers Wilson of the Coast Artillery are in the Cape on business today.

The Retail Merchants' Association will meet in the Commercial Club room Thursday evening.

Orto Jones of Topeka, Kansas, is in the Cape on a business trip and is stopping at the Terminal.

Byron Meadows of Paxico has business in the Cape today, and is registered at the Terminal.

Joseph F. Ellis of Commerce had business in the Cape Thursday. He was a guest of the Riverview.

P. W. Whalen and wife of Poplar Bluff are in the Cape on business. They are stopping at the Riverview.

W. J. Miesch, the sponsor Main street road left for a business trip to Sikeston this afternoon.

C. Lyons of Benton Harbor, Mich., is in the Cape on business. He is a guest of the St. Charles.

William A. Young of Whitewater was in the Cape on business Monday and was a guest of the Aqueduct.

B. W. Chapman of McClure, Ill., had business in the Cape Monday. He was registered at the Aqueduct.

Earl Randal of McClure, Ill., is paying the Cape a business visit. He is stopping at Scott's.

J. J. McNeely and wife, of Jackson passed through the Cape Monday night on their way to St. Louis.

R. E. Gordon and wife of Chaffee are in the Cape on a business trip and are stopping at the Riverview.

Robert Wilson, head waiter at the Terminal, left this afternoon for Memphis for a few days' visit with his parents.

C. E. McDowell and V. S. McDowell, of Searcy, are in the Cape on business. They are stopping at the St. Charles.

Earl Jones, payroll man of Jackson, was in the Cape Monday and purchased a horse from Charles Meyer at the Blue Diamond Cud Co.

From indications about 20 businessmen of the Cape will go to the annual meeting of Commercial Clubs at Jefferson City, March 10 and 11.

The Woodmen of the World met last night in regular session. A splendid meeting is reported, and several candidates were initiated.

Artie Hickman of Cairo, Ill., is in the Cape on business. He is stopping at the Riverview.

Silas Orange of Jackson spent Tuesday night at the Riverview.

T. M. Lark of the city, and left the city on Tuesday where he is conducting a party on a large farm.

The V. O. S. class Poplar Bluff members met at the Park country club at 8 o'clock Saturday.

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Recent advice has been received from Magnus Dempsey advising that he is taking the baths at Hot Springs and his health condition is improving rapidly. He states that he is having an enjoyable time and feels sure that he will soon be fully recovered.

J. H. Lawrence of Farmington had business in the Cape Tuesday.

Charles Taylor and Lee Holland of Paxico were Cape visitors Monday.

S. L. Bowman and J. E. Whitsett of Advance are in the Cape on business, guests of the St. Charles.

James E. Johnson of St. Louis is in the Cape on a business trip and is stopping at the Prescott.

Harry Robinson of Jackson is in the Cape on business, and is a guest of the Riverview.

E. S. Wald a prominent business man of Centralville, is in the Cape on a business trip, a guest of the Terminal.

Edna Grable, a well known farmer from Oak Ridge has retired from rural life and is now located in the Cape, operating the Central Electrician in the Wood building.

The following were some Cape visitors Monday, guests of the Aqueduct: Jay Thomas, Getman, J. C. Meyers, Roy Bluff, Carl Turley, Truman, Geo. Frazier and Geo. Hawkins, Grayson.

A gentleman by the name of Seaman is preparing to open a grocery store in the South room of the Wood building at the corner of Independence and Frederick streets.

W. M. Karnes, a Frisco news agent, leaves for St. Louis this afternoon where he will enter the hospital for the purpose of having an operation performed on his tonsils.

The following were some Cape visitors Monday, guests of the Terminal: Arthur Perkins, Marble Hill; Byron Meadows, Paxico; Ed Wilson, Crystal City; Otto Jones, Topeka, Kans.

Engineer Vernon of the Frisco, advises that considerable blasting is being done on the river front and that steel coverings are being used successfully to prevent danger from flying missiles.

Joe Watkins of Dichtstadt and John French of Benton, left town this morning with a nice herd of fine milch and horses which they recently purchased from stockmen of this vicinity.

There will be several men here this week looking over the city with a view of locating in different lines of business. Their attention having been directed to Cape Girardeau by the Southern Missouri section of the St. Louis Republic of February 22.

F. M. Grable an old and well known citizen of Cape County, who has for years been in the employ, as traveling salesman, for one of the large St. Louis furniture houses, suffered an attack of paralysis some time ago and is now confined in the Baptist Sanitarium of St. Louis.

Rudie Hahn suffered a misfortune yesterday in the loss of seven fine baby Bull Orpington chicks, which were killed and eaten by a stray dog. They were just three weeks old and Mrs. Hahn had gone to great pains to nurse them through the recent cold snap.

The display of pictures taken from the series of strife now existing in our neighboring republic of Old Mexico are quite interesting, and are now on display in the South window of the Tribune office. These pictures are being displayed through the courtesy of Dr. Otto W. Miller who has recently returned from Mexico.

Toad & Treese, proprietors of the Palace Saloon in this city, were granted a renewal of license yesterday in the County Court at Jackson. Judge Haupt recommended these gentlemen for the manner in which their petition was prepared, stating that it was the best of its kind ever presented to him.

The display of the International Correspondence schools now on exhibit in the window of the Jones Drug Store at the corner of Broadway and Spanish, is quite attractive. Most of the exhibit is made up of work prepared by students in the way of drafting, designing, lettering, etc., and the character of the work displayed certainly speaks well for the institution teaching it.

At the meeting of the school board Monday night at the Broadway School for the purpose of receiving bids on the bonds to be issued for the purpose of constructing new school buildings, bids were received from twelve different firms among which was the Sturdivant Bank, one of our local institutions, offering \$127,500. This bid was rejected however, and the award was given to the firm of Little & Hays Investment Co. who bought them at par and accrued interest at date of delivery, paying a premium of \$5,037.

The town of Morley organized a commercial club last week.

E. G. Rowling, capitalist from St. Louis, is in the Cape on business.

Frederick, the little son of Martin Lorberg is recovering from a severe attack of measles.

Andy Robert of Benton, and Joe Mantry of Hannburg, were in the Cape on business Saturday.

Several bond buyers are in town today, preparatory to meeting with the school board tonight.

There will be a meeting of the city council tonight where several important matters will be brought up.

Attorney W. H. Miller who has been quite sick is reported to be considerably improved this morning.

E. Baker a locomotive engineer, recently from old Mexico, is stopping at the Aqueduct.

Mrs. S. L. Rogers of Clinton, Ill., arrived yesterday for a two week visit with her father, Mrs. J. T. Nunn.

Charles Thompson of Campbell, was in the Cape on a business trip Saturday, a guest of the Aqueduct.

W. S. Morgan and wife of Advance were in the Cape Sunday, guests at Scott's.

John Wichterich and son, prominent farmers of Scott County were in the Cape yesterday on business.

J. W. Hurst of Oak Ridge is stopping at the Terminal during a short business trip to the Cape.

Harry E. Leach of this city, has made application for enlistment in the Coast Artillery service of the U. S. Army.

Will Brooks and Ed Bollinger of Fossil were in the Cape Sunday visiting the sister of Mr. Brooks, Mrs. O. H. Crump.

Wm. Schaefer and family, and Herman Niemann and family of Jackson, spent Sunday in the Cape visiting relatives and friends.

The south wall of the Methodist church which was recently destroyed by fire, is reported to have fallen yesterday.

Mrs. H. Humphrey returned Sunday to her home in Bertrand after visiting a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ramsey, at the Prescott.

Mrs. Broome of Hlythesville, Ark., is in the Cape looking for a business location. She is stopping at the Aqueduct.

Mesdames Martha and Ezella Boyd, and Misses Maud and Leona Prosser, of Chaffee, are in the Cape today on a shopping trip.

Emil Cook, a famous guide for duck hunters in the Old Field, came in from Arion on a business trip this morning.

Whit Dodge of Chaffee, in charge of a Frisco construction gang came to the Cape yesterday and is stopping at the Riverview.

W. H. Stubbelfeld returned Saturday night from Poplar Bluff where he had been attending to his duties as Trustee for the bankrupt estate of the Kerschner Hardware Co.

The infant child of Emil Teichman at 22-24 Good Hope street, died last night at 8 o'clock. The funeral will be held from the residence Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

The high wind Saturday night blew down the big cedar box in front of Buckner Ragsdale's store, and also a big sign at the Grison building was blown down.

Bartenders Local 625 held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon when in addition to the regular routine of business they installed officers for the ensuing year.

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Mrs. Joseph Spradling is reported on the sick list.

Several from here attended a dance at Appleton Friday night.

Chas. Evans of Hot Springs, Ark., was an Oak Ridge visitor Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Willer of Cape Girardeau visited relatives here last week.

John Putz of Jackson was in town Wednesday.

Miss Artie Clippard of Blodgett arrived here Wednesday for a brief visit with relatives.

Wm. Lewis and sister Miss Annie of Jackson visited in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. W. J. Ward and son Russell are visiting Mrs. Ward's mother in Charleston this week.

It is rumored that W. A. Triebler of Jackson is planning to open up a drug store here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cotner of Fruitland were the guests of D. M. Murgrave and family Saturday night and Sunday.

The Frissell sisters moved into their new home in this city last week, which they recently bought from L. C. Goodson.

Mrs. Bert Knox resigned as teacher in the public school here Friday and Mrs. G. W. Signor was employed by the Board to teach the rest of the term.

D. B. Bowers who is employed by a newspaper at Ste Genevieve spent Saturday and Sunday here with home folks.

Rev. Atherton of Idaho, Mo., stopped over in Oak Ridge Monday on his way home from Pleasant Grove where he had been holding a meeting.

H. E. Bonbrake of Charleston, representing the International Harvester Co., is in the Cape on business. He is stopping at the St. Charles.

The ferry boat has been tied up for several days on account of the ice, but has resumed operations again this morning and is making its regular trips.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin, of North Broadway was taken to the hospital Wednesday night where a slight operation was performed. She is recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

George A. Mattingly of Sikeston, representing the International Harvester Company is in the Cape looking after the interests of his patrons. He is stopping at the St. Charles.

Gad Day who was injured sometime ago in the wreck at Hayti, is still compelled to rest to the use of crutches. His improvement is very slow. He sustained a dislocated hip and a severe wrench in the back.

A young bricklayer entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reiter yesterday morning and seems intent on taking management of the premises, and the proud daddy states that the young man carries a card and his credentials are entirely satisfactory.

George Holmes who has been working in the furniture store of Joseph Lacroix has resigned his position to accept employment with the Hope-Cotner Auto Co. Mr. David Looney will fill the vacancy made by Mr. Holmes' resignation.

John Oliver and Neal Lawrence of Rutherford, Tenn., are stopping at the Prescott. One of these gentlemen is seeking a location for a wholesale grocery store and the other is contemplating buying a farm near the Cape.

Secretary A. H. Hinchey of the Commercial Club has gone to Farmington to attend a meeting of the Commercial Club of that city, Friday night, at which time the organization of the commercial and agricultural interests of St. Francois County will be affected.

J. E. Terry of Rector, Ark., E. A. Govey and Tom Dunscomb of Clarkton are in the Cape demonstrating the merits of an oil plow for which they have the agency. They are trying to interest Mr. Louis Houck who owns vast areas of farming lands in this vicinity.

E. H. Kraft left this evening for his home in Oklahoma City, after spending several days visiting friends and relatives in this city. Mr. Kraft is an old Cape boy and his many friends here are pleased to know that he is meeting with success in his new location.

Miss Fern Penny of Fruitland visited friends here Saturday.

By Wilkening, son of the late Wm. Wilkening of Route 1, and Miss Zola English, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry English of Pochontas, were married in St. Louis Saturday the 21st.

They will make their home at Fruitland where Mr. Wilkening recently bought a farm from James Devenport.

Jose Green a railroad employe and business man from Paxico is in the Cape on a business trip. Mr. Green advises that a Commercial Club was organized at Paxico last Wednesday night with a membership of twenty-five, and that at their meeting to be held tonight they hope to swell the number to 100.

A. H. Hinchey, secretary of the local commercial club, returned yesterday. He reports that he met with the Commercial Club at Farmington Friday night and took them into the celebration. The president of the club, E. A. Rozier, appointed a committee of three to assist the County Farm Advisor, A. W. Terrill, in organizing a farm bureau for St. Francois County.

Mrs. Bob White, her daughter Mrs. Ira Morris and two children, who have been visiting with the family of P. H. Hook in this city, encountered considerable difficulty on their return to their home in Malden. The high waters made it necessary for them to go from Murchouse to Sikeston, from there to Brooks Junction, and then into Malden, causing a delay of several hours.

There was a business meeting at the Commercial club rooms last night when citizens and property owners met with Clem Hoeller and Jack Fowler, a committee appointed by the city council to discuss the matter of extending Main street from Independence to William. After the various interested parties had expressed their views it was decided that the proper method of procedure would be to institute condemnation proceedings.

Fred Steck who has announced his candidacy for the position of county clerk in the second ward, is a gentleman of unquestioned stability. Upright in his dealings, sincere in his contentions and progressive in his views, there is no question but that he possesses the qualities essential to the making of a good officer. He is an old citizen of the Cape and enjoys the friendship of nearly all his wide acquaintance in the town. He is well qualified to fill the position he seeks and it is to be hoped that his many friends do not grow forgetful of his interests and fail to exert their energies in his behalf.

The Y. M. and Y. W. joint program this morning during chapel hour was one of the best they have rendered this term. The program was as follows:

Song Association  
Prayer Mr. Abbott  
Sacred Solo Miss Ruth Kelso  
Immigration Problem  
Mrs. W. W. Martin  
Y. M. C. A. Quartet

Last evening in the Normal Auditorium, Maud Powell, the world-famous pianist played to an audience worthy of the occasion, both in size and in the appreciation and enthusiasm manifested.

The Wrenniski concerto with which the program opened, makes great demands upon the musicianship of the performer. Madame Powell played it superbly with a breadth of style almost masculine. This number demonstrated more than any other of her versatility and her mastery of her instrument.

The Back Sonata was played with dignity and purity of tone. In this the piano and violin are of equal importance and in the sprightly second movement, Mr. Moore initiated with delightful effect the light "poked" tone of the spinet, which was the piano of Bach, day.

Of the group of dances which followed two widely differing in style special mention. Nothing more delicately charming can be imagined than the way Madame Powell played her own arrangement of a Minuet by Beethoven. At the other extreme, the Colibri's Dance by Sarasati was played with bit tone and the brilliant execution demanded by this Spanish Dance, poked full of all the technical feats known to the violist.

Mr. Moore was no less pleasing as a soloist than as an accompanist. The Grandfather Romance was perhaps his most artistic offering, though the caprice of his own composition, played with a delightful delicacy of tone, and the latest "La Campanella," in which he displayed his very adequate technical equipment, were very enthusiastically received. He was obliged to respond to the vigorous applause by adding an encore. The beauty of the touch is worth special mention.

Madame Powell substituted an old Salzburg Nocturne "Deep River" for the Grand Nocturne of the program. It showed her interest in American music and demonstrated the beauty of the old folk songs for this and for all.

The Websters will have a special program Saturday afternoon at 3:30. The program will bear on the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. Visitors cordially welcome.

The Soposis will have a "Dream Program Saturday afternoon at 3:30. This will be an especially good program and it will amuse as well as instruct.

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Prof. E. M. Carter is spending two weeks in Franklin Co., this is part of his regular extension work. Professor Carter says the Field Meet will be bigger and better than ever this year. Look out for the Local High School, they are bound to make a good showing this year, with the material they have.

Prof. Paine, of the Missouri State Board of Simplified Spelling who was supposed to be at the Normal Wednesday morning will be there Thursday instead.

The girls of Miss Hallingby's gymnasium classes will give an open program Wednesday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, in the men's gymnasium. Visitors welcome.

The curtain-raiser for the Dramatic Club, class will be the "Monstrous Traps," a very amusing and interesting farce. You will miss something if you do not hear these plays.

Two car loads of people from Jackson came over for the Maud Powell revival. They were Mr. E. L. Blom, the Muller family and Mrs. Franklin a teacher in the Public schools in Jackson.

Examinations will be on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. You ought to see the student's exam, a fine sight for the eye. The county examinations will also be held at the same time. Students are preparing for both.

The play that will be used for a curtain raiser for the Dramatic Club's play will be the "Blue Moose." It will make you laugh, and who among this wide, wide world does not like to laugh? Answer—Better come.

Prof. Paine of the Missouri State Board of Simplified Spelling will be at the Normal Wednesday morning during chapel hour to make a talk on simplified spelling before the faculty. The faculty is greatly divided on the question of spelling.

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Normal Notes

The Club and Hesperians will have their regular program Saturday at 3:30.

The Cape County exams will be held at the Normal March 6th and 7th.

Prof. A. W. Vaughan left for Bertrand, Mo., today to judge a declamatory contest there tonight. He will return tomorrow.

The Bentons will have their regular program Saturday afternoon at 3:30 instead of having it at the regular time, 8:00 in the evening.

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