

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

The News Gathered From Various Parts of the County.

See what Hargrove & Co. say this week.

Dr. Cook of Spurgeon, was in the city yesterday on business.

W. L. Fish of Washington, was in the city Wednesday on business.

W. H. Bottoms, living near Ayrshire, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. Louie A. Gladish is visiting friends and relatives at Loogootee.

L. E. Trayler and wife of Jefferson township, were in town Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. Louisa Hayes, east of town, is visiting friends at Newton, Illinois, this week.

J. W. Wilson, the attorney, is looking after business interests at Guthrie, Oklahoma.

Wednesday was one of the hottest days of the season, and yesterday was not far behind.

Base ball game Friday afternoon at the park between Oakland City and Petersburg teams.

Miss Ollie Lavery left yesterday for Plainville, Daviess county, where she will visit friends.

Hyatt Craig and Emma Brown, near Ottwell were married in this city last Thursday by Squire Tucker.

Misses Biddy and Mary Moony of Indianapolis, are the guests of S. W. Chappell and family at Algiers.

Charles Veeck returned Monday from Boonville, where he was called to see his mother, who is seriously sick.

Mrs. Mary Cranstall and daughter Ella of Ireland, Dubois county, spent Monday with J. R. Bowman and family.

Mrs. Gus Kepley and Mrs. Joseph Strother of Louisville, Kentucky, were the guests of J. R. Bowman the first of the week.

George Doty and sons left for their home at Sloan, Iowa, yesterday after a weeks visit with his brother William Doty and other relatives.

Frank Lory and Max Beaver, who returned from Alaska this week, have our thanks for a fine Klondyke gold nugget. It is a fine specimen.

Rev. W. S. Rader has returned from his vacation and will conduct regular services at the M. E. church next Sunday. All are invited to attend.

Hamilton Cox, Ottwell, is rejoicing over the arrival of twin girl babies at his home Tuesday night. Ham is the proudest man in Jefferson township.

L. P. Bilderback left Wednesday for several weeks trip during which time he will give gramophone entertainments in Pike and adjoining counties.

The brick work on the Dustin building opposite the court house was commenced Wednesday morning. Work has also been commenced on the Hisgen block.

Rev. F. M. Kerr will preach a funeral sermon in memory of Mrs. Louisa Ashby, deceased at Augusta, August 13th. All of the relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend.

E. E. Watts, engineer, James A. Shepard and Albert Johnson, viewers, of the proposed stone roads in Washington township, were in the city yesterday conferring as to the plans and specifications.

Gladish & Jones shipped ten car-loads of sheep to Chicago Wednesday. This is the largest single shipment of stock ever made from the city. About 20 car-loads of stock have been shipped from this point this week.

The county clerk has issued marriage licenses to the following persons this week:

Hyatt W. Craig and Nancy M. Brown. John W. Black and Bertha Jones. Herman Luker and Sophia Nuhring. Vinson France and Maggie L. Whitney.

Bargain in house and lot located at 1208 McCormick avenue, Washington, Indiana, house 5 rooms, barn 20x16, lot 105x208, two wells, one 60 feet deep and one 38, with clear, cold water; 26 fruit trees, grapes, strawberries, blackberries, dewberries, wineberries and raspberries. Call at this office, or address as above. 13-4

Our readers are respectfully invited to inspect the full page ad of Sol Frank's on the eight page of this issue. He has made a harvest bargain sale and is offering some extraordinary bargains for cash. But a glance at the ad will show you that it will pay to visit his big store during this sale, as the immense line of goods will be sold regardless of price or cost.

Invitations are out announcing the forthcoming marriage of Stanley M. Kreig of Greenville, Missouri, and Miss Jessie Reiley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. S. Reiley of Sardinia, this state, which occurs Wednesday, August 9th. Stanley was formerly a resident of Logan township, this county, but is now editing the Journal at Greenville, Missouri. The DEMOCRAT extends congratulations in advance.

Mrs. Truelove is visiting relatives at Cumback, Daviess county.

R. E. McClure of near Augusta, was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Flora Brumfield is visiting friends at Oakland City this week.

Byron Brenton transacted business at Oakland City yesterday morning.

John Wilson, youngest son of J. W. Wilson, is quite ill from appendicitis. T. C. Nelson, trustee of Marion township, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Miss Gussie Hanchell of Bellview, Kentucky, is the guest of C. A. Burger and family.

Miss Dee McGowan returned home Wednesday from a visit with friends at Newburgh.

Prof. George Detar of Marengo, and Everett Ashby of Winslow, were in town Tuesday on business.

Robert Hyndman and Mel Gowens of Clay township, were in town Tuesday last transacting business.

It is as plain as the nose on your face, stores that buy and sell for cash can save you lots of money. Hargrove's two cash stores.

Rev. J. W. Richardson of Madison township, returned Monday from Pimento, Vigo county, where he conducted services on Sunday.

Mrs. May Nafe and children left Wednesday for their home at Danville, Illinois, after a several weeks' visit with her parents in this city.

Read the advertisements in this issue of the DEMOCRAT. Some extraordinary bargains are now being offered by Petersburg merchants.

SEED RYE—I have for sale a car-load of firstclass Northern seed rye. Leave your orders early.

13-2 GEORGE T. FRANK.

There will be work in the second rank at the K. of P. hall this (Thursday) night. All visiting brothers are invited to be present. J. H. RISLEY, C.C.

Mrs. Charles Hisgen and daughter of Hopkinsville, Kentucky, and Mrs. Budd Beedleman of Evansville, are visiting Mrs. Mary Hisgen of this city.

In this issue will be found the financial statement of the Citizens' state bank. It is one of the solid financial institutions of Southern Indiana and is well managed.

Wednesday afternoon the Junior ball clubs of Oakland City and this place played a game at the park, which resulted in the boys from Oakland City being defeated by a score of 17 to 4.

Rev. C. D. Darling of Petersburg, joined his wife here Monday. He will remain during the week visiting his brother Rev. E. S. Darling, and while here drink of Lithia's life giving stream.—Paoli News.

William W. Survant of Marion township, has instituted two damage suits of \$10,000 each in the circuit court against John Miller, a farmer of that township. The suits come up at the November term of court.

Rev. C. D. Darling will come over from Paoli the coming Sabbath to conduct services in the Presbyterian church. Morning sermon, "Regeneration, or the Birth of the Soul." Evening sermon, "The Religions of the World." Come out and hear these sermons.

Last Saturday afternoon the barn owned by J. P. Gladish, Madison township, was struck by lightning. Two horses and a mule were killed and the barn badly damaged. The same day a team of horses belonging to Casper Willis living in Washington township, were killed by lightning.

Prof. John Hinkle has a position in the Petersburg school next year. He and wife will soon move to that place. We are glad to hear of his getting the position, but sorry to have him leave our county, for he is one of our best teachers. Petersburg may feel proud that they have such a man.—Pond Creek item in Vincennes Capital.

Mrs. Ellis, wife of Charles Ellis of Winslow, died at Evansville Tuesday last of cancer. She was taken to a hospital in that city and underwent a surgical operation. Mrs. Ellis was well known in the county and for a number of years has lived at Winslow. She was about 50 years of age. The funeral services were held Wednesday evening and interment at the Oak Hill cemetery.

We are in receipt of the catalogue of DePauw University for the year just closed. It seems that DePauw has had a prosperous year. About \$30,000 was collected, pledged, or bequeathed to the university this last year, for endowments and sustaining funds, in addition to the regular income. The student enrollment was large, coming from many states of the Union, and some from foreign countries. The faculty will be increased. The DePauw estate will be settled soon, adding \$200,000 more to endowments. The university has really entered a brighter day. Catalogues will be sent on application to the Registrar, Greencastle, Indiana.

HOME FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Struck It Rich and Will Take Life Easy in the Future.

In March 1897, Frank Lory of this city was struck with the Alaska gold fever as thousands of others were, and proceeded to start immediately for Dawson City. It was a trip that not many young men would care to take. So he in company with Chester Barrett also of this place started on their long journey. The trip through the Alaskan mountains was a perilous one, being at times compelled to walk over snow drifts and sometimes fall from the cliffs and at other times walk along the creek and river beds knee deep in the cold water to get around the mountains and through the passes and to the navigable streams along the trail. Three months after they left here they arrived at Dawson City. That place was a city of tents at the time and had a population of 2,000. There was but one building there and that an Indian cabin. The boys went to work and staked their claims. That fall Frank formed a partnership with Max Beaver, who went from Seattle to Dawson City at the same time. They engaged in mercantile and mining and soon were quite successful by push and energy. They then opened up a brokerage office and loaned money and bought and sold mining claims, which they are now engaged in.

Sunday Frank and his partner Max Beaver, arrived in this city and gave the former's parents quite a surprise, though they were expected to arrive at almost any time. Friends soon learned of Frank's arrival at home and in a short time he was kept busy shaking hands with his host of friends who congratulated him on his success and return home. They will remain here the greater part of the time until next March when they will return to Dawson City, unless business interests demand their return sooner. They will go to Chicago next week where they will have some machinery built to order for mining purposes which will be sent to the Klondike territory. They hold a large number of placer claims on the several creeks that have developed into big gold producers, and washed up gold this spring that run into the six figures. They left the states and arrived in Dawson City with a few hundred dollars each, but have returned with snug little fortunes. They brought home with them several hundred dollars worth of nuggets as specimens, one of which contains \$117 in gold and which they have been offered \$500. They are very modest in talking about what they have cleaned up during their stay of a little over two years in the Klondike, but say they will be able to live comfortable during the coming years. In some future issue the DEMOCRAT will give a complete write-up of the growth of Dawson City.

To the Public.

On and after September 1st, 1899, our two stores will do a strictly cash business. Every one, rich or poor, will be treated exactly alike—no credit to anybody. It is not right for you that pay cash to pay for the debts those that never pay, make. We intend to sell goods from twenty to thirty per cent cheaper than ever before, which we can easily do, as no credit house dare compete with those that buy and sell for cash. So strict will be our policy that we offer \$5.00 reward to any one that will buy goods at either of our stores on credit. You can afford to borrow money at 20 per cent and pay cash and be independent. We thank you kindly for your past trade and hope to double our business with you in the future by selling you goods away below long time credit stores. Those indebted please settle by cash or note at once.

W. V. HARGROVE & CO.,
Star Clothing House and People's Dry Goods Store, Petersburg's only cash Stores.

Ed R. King has placed a gasoline engine in operation at the livery stable on Fifth street, for the purpose of pumping water, and which also furnishes water to his residence property. He has a complete system of water works on his property.

The old settlers of Pike county should organize into an association and hold meetings once each year. These meetings would soon become quite a feature of the county when the old timers could renew acquaintanceship made years ago.

William Hasenzahl of Belleview, Kentucky, is in the city visiting his brother-in-law C. A. Burger and family. He has just completed the work at Hosmer for the Wooley coal company with a core drill prospecting for coal.

General Alger, ex-secretary of war, was given a grand home welcome Tuesday at Detroit, Michigan. There was a big parade and speeches by the mayor of Detroit and Governor Pinneo. Some of the speeches were redhot.

The gas well on the Jones farm is down something over 700 feet and work is progressing slowly owing to the caving in of shale. Only one shift of hands are now at work for lack of water.

NON-UNION MEN ASSAULTED.

Two Men Working at Blackburn Coal Mines Are Assaulted.

Monday morning as Harvey Hayes and Albert Goodpasture were going to work at the Little coal mines at Blackburn they were approached by a number of men who asked them to refrain from working in the mines until the strike was settled. They refused and proceeded to go to work when they were assaulted with clubs and stones and knocked down. Hayes was pretty badly injured and Dr. Link of this city, was sent for. Tuesday, however, Hayes was better, but that evening he was taken suddenly worse and the doctor again sent for.

Albert Goodpasture filed an affidavit against William Stinson, William Noe and James Fair for assault and battery. They were arrested and taken before Squire Tucker who continued the cases until Tuesday. When the cases were brought up, the case was dismissed and they were arrested on a more serious charge and their cases continued until August 12th. They were held under a bond of \$100 each, failing to give which they went to jail to await trial.

The men under arrest are all miners, and it is said that others will be arrested, for taking part in the affair.

William Stinson gave bail Wednesday evening for his appearance at the trial.

CONFERENCE WITH GOVERNOR.

Both Sides in the Evansville Strike Were Represented.

Governor Mount was in conference for two hours this forenoon with representatives of both sides of the mining strike at Evansville. Those who talked with the governor were S. W. Little, manager of the S. W. Little coal company of Evansville, for the operators: Fred Dilcher and John Mitchell, traveling representative and president of the United miners of America who represented the striking miners, and Lycurgus P. McCormack, State labor commissioner. The situation was reviewed from the beginning, and the governor made many inquiries. He asked Mr. Dilcher many questions, among which was an inquiry as to why the strike was prolonged after it was known that the matter of wages could be agreed on, and why the mine-workers' organization insisted on a continuance of the strike simply to secure a recognition of the union.

After the conference the governor said that the "bone of contention" was wholly a recognition of the union. He said the question of wages, which started the strike, had been left in the background and the union had been pushed to the front. He found, he said, that the mine workers' organization was willing to submit the settlement of the strike to a board of arbitration, providing however, that the board would agree first to insist on a recognition of the union.

This, the governor told Mr. Dilcher and Mr. Mitchell, would be impossible for the board to do, one that now prevents a settlement.

Nothing but a clearer view of the situation was accomplished by the conference. Governor Mount, after the representatives had left, said he did not see that anything could be done toward an immediate settlement. He deplored this fact and expressed the wish that inasmuch as the question of wages could now be settled the men would go back to work.—Indianapolis News.

The City Markets.

Eggs—9 cents. Butter—12 cents. Onions—75 per lb. Potatoes—60 per lb. Chickens—Chicks 9c, hens 7c. Turkeys—Hen turks 7c. Navy Beans—\$1.50 per bu. Shoulders—9c. Sides—7c. Lard—7½ cents per lb. Pork—Hams, smoked, 11 cents. Wheat—65 cents per bushel. Corn—30 cents per bushel. Oats—28 cents per bushel. Rye—65 cents per bushel. Clover Seed—\$3.00 per bushel. Salt—9c per bbl. Hogs—\$4.00 to \$4.10 per 100. Cattle—\$3.00 to \$4.00 per 100. Sheep—\$2.00 to \$4.00 per 100.

Indianapolis Markets.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 2, 1899. Wheat, 65c to 67c; corn, 30 to 33c; oats, 23 to 24c; rye, 53 to 55c; cattle, heavy, \$2.25 to \$5.60; hogs, good, shippers, \$3.65 to \$4.60; sheep, \$2.65 to \$4.25.

To Consumptives.

As an honest remedy, Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. J. R. Adams & Son.

There is no material change in the coal miners' strike in Pike county. But few miners are at work in the mines except those that have adopted the scale. At Evansville and other points in the district the conditions are about the same as last week. Some agreement should soon be reached by the operators and miners and the strike declared off.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Pike circuit court, in a cause between The Southern Indiana Loan and Saving Institution of Indiana, Plaintiff, and J. S. Stewart et al., Defendants, requiring me to make the sum of four thousand and one dollars and thirty-eight cents, with interest on said decree and costs, to be exposed at public sale, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, the 19th day of August, A. D. 1899.

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house in Petersburg, Pike county, Indiana, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding seven years, of the following real estate to wit:

One-half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the west half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, all in section No. 10, township No. 11, south range 8 west, containing 40 acres.

A sufficient sum to satisfy said decree, interest and costs. I will at the time of sale, expose to public sale the fee simple of said real estate, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to discharge said decree, interest and costs. Said sale will be made without any relief whatever from valuation or appraisal.

W. M. RIDGWAY,
July 26, 1899. Sheriff Pike County.
Richardson & Taylor, attys. for plaintiff.

Bank Statement.

Report of the condition of the Citizens' State bank at Petersburg, in the State of Indiana, at the close of its business on the 27th day of July, 1899:

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