

C. W. Randall, western weighing bureau inspector, has just returned from a two weeks' vacation spent in Southern California. Mr. Randall expresses his opinion of California as being a "Land of sunshine, of flowers and a good time."

Maynard Woodcock, file clerk, has just returned from his vacation which he spent in Denver, Colorado; visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Max A. Wilkerson. We know he had a good time for where Maynard goes a good time is sure to be had.

I. Fischer, special officer, was seriously wounded the last of September when a negro, whom he had called a halt to opened fire, the bullet going through his side; just missing the heart. We are all rejoicing over his rapid recovery.

W. H. Holmes, D. R. clerk, accompanied by his wife, took a week's trip to Anarillo, Texas, to visit his son, G. C. Holmes, and family.

Christene Vandeford, steno-clerk, has bumped in on expense-bill job, on account of position as steno-clerk, West Tulsa, having been abolished.

Buford Gross, check clerk, has gone to Kansas City for a few days' vacation. George Kerns and Ralph Morris brought back wives on their vacations, wonder if Buford will follow suit.

**MECHANICAL DEPARTMENT  
WEST TULSA**

L. A. MACK and J. N. PAISLEY,  
Reporters

Miss Madge Bomar, car department steno, is a welcome addition to our office force.

We all got quite a thrill when the U. S. Navy Dirigible RS-1 passed directly over our office while on its way to New Jersey from San Antonio, October 8.

Henry Hudson, colored laborer at West Tulsa, died after a lingering illness October 2. Henry Hudson has been an employe of the Frisco for the past ten years and he will be sorely missed by his many friends.

Miss Myrtle McConnell, distribution clerk in the master mechanic's office, is spending her vacation at her home in Drumright.

C. M. Campbell is away from duty account illness.

O. G. Farley, fireman on the Cherokee Sub. has moved his home from Monett to Tulsa and we welcome him.

I. R. Swift, fireman on the Cherokee sub, has also moved from Monett to Tulsa.

Guy Dennis and J. F. Jones, firemen, have been cut off the firemen's extra board at this point and have accepted temporary service on the Chaffee extra board.

C. C. Bohanan, who has been away from duty account illness, is reported improved and is expected to return to work in a short time.

H. D. Eddins, engineer, who has been away from duty account illness has returned to work on the West Local between Tulsa and Dewey.

Warren Bohon, machinist, has returned from St. Louis Hospital where he underwent a tonsil operation.

Menard Brown, machinist, has also returned from St. Louis hospital where he had his tonsils removed. It seems that the two boys, Warren and Menard believe in the old adage "Misery loves Company."

Mrs. C. P. Higginbotham, wife of engineer, has been away on a short vacation visiting relatives in St. Louis, Missouri.

H. W. Campbell, fireman, has returned to work after a short visit to his home account illness of his father who is reported improved.

J. T. Watson, fireman, is the proud owner of a special built 1929 model Essex.

A. H. Davis, locomotive carpenter at Oklahoma City has been temporarily transferred to West Tulsa.

W. W. Rowell, car oller, West Tulsa, has been transferred to Henryetta temporarily.

Winter activities of the Frisco Tulsa Traffic Club are starting off with a bang! A dance being held in the Elks Club, Tulsa, heading the long list of social activities during the coming winter months.

Victor L. Ginn, machinist apprentice at West Tulsa, is looking forward eagerly to November 5. November 5 not being of any particular interest to anyone we presume but Victor, on which date he will have completed his apprenticeship and, it is rumored, begin his apprenticeship in the realm of matrimony. Good luck, old man!

**NORTHERN DIVISION**

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT  
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KANSAS CITY, MO.

D. H. SWINDELL, Reporter

There has gotten to be an enthusiastic crowd of fight fans around here. Mr. R. K. Stoneberger, roadmaster, seems to be the ringleader. Stonie says he was a first-class ham-and-egger until he got his nose broke.

Mr. J. E. Harris was in charge of the Allied Charities drive in the Rosedale yards and H. J. Hoke in the Kansas City yards.

The writer is going to have a free pass to the next wrestling match in Kansas City or Henry Spencer is going to have to take back all he said about what a good stand-in he has with some of the big boys in the wrestling game.

Understand Yardmaster F. W. Rockhold is in the market for a new Chevrolet.

The following Frisco officials were down to the yards the afternoon of October 10: Mr. J. M. Kurn, Mr. J. E. Hutchison, Mr. J. R. Koontz, Mr. B. T. Wood, Mr. H. L. Worman, Mr. E. T. Miller.

When W. W. Little, dispatcher at Springfield, calls up he invariably leads off with: "This is the dispatcher's office at Springfield." He certainly does

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A letter from Miss Dama Wright, Vancouver, Wash., has a real idea for chicken raisers who are not getting plenty of eggs. She says: "Late in October, our fifteen hens were not laying at all. I started giving them Don Sung, and for ten days they still didn't lay. But on the eleventh day they laid thirteen eggs, and it is wonderful what Don Sung has done for our egg basket."

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bring that Springfield out. The first time I heard him, I thought I was tuned in on the W. K. Henderson Iron Works at Shreveport, La.

H. J. Hoke is still in the market for a radio. He has looked at so many, he can't make up his mind what kind he wants.

Nick Fracul and Bill Walsh went to Sedalia, October 16, to see and hear their idol, Al Smith.

Champ Clark Phillips and wife spent the latter part of October vacationing in Chicago, Milwaukee and other lake shore points.

**MECHANICAL DEPARTMENT  
FT. SCOTT, KANS.**

ERNEST BONINI, Reporter

Engineer E. E. Hale laid off on October 11 to entertain some friends from California.

Engineer E. J. Lloyd, who operates motor car 2121 between Ft. Scott and Charryvale, making 202 miles per day, is meeting with very good success in the operation of the car. Motor car 2121 has not been off of the run for any reason since July 30.

Engineer John C. Staib has been absent from work for about two and one-half months, suffering from asthma and sinus trouble. We all hope John has a speedy recovery and hope to see him back with us soon.

H. L. Moore, machine foreman, and wife have returned from a two week vacation spent in Kansas City, St. Louis and Lake Taneycomo and points of interest in Arkansas. They reported a very enjoyable vacation spent.

Leslie Christel, staybolt inspector, and wife have returned from their vacation spent at St. Louis and Hermann, Mo. where they visited relatives and friends.

Herbert A. Brown, car repairer, is contemplating a trip to Yale, Tenn., in the near future. Mr. Alford A. Lager, brake man, will also accompany Herbert on this trip.

Mr. W. B. Berry, master mechanic northern division, and wife, departed October 2 for Havana, Cuba, and other points of interest in Cuba. Mr. Berry is a Spanish-American War Veteran and will attend the convention being held in Havana.

Mr. G. A. Ermatinger, road foreman, and wife, attended the Traveling Engineer's Convention, held at Chicago, September 25 to 29, inclusive. Ermatinger gave the employes around Ft. Scott the benefit of a great deal of knowledge he obtained on special equipment

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omotives, which the employes were very glad to get.

Doc Holden, hostler, C. H. Norton, fireman, and Cecil Padgett, machinist, are planning a big "duck hunt" at Lakin, Kans., as soon as the season opens.

John McPeters, night roundhouse foreman, who boasts of some of his sharp shooting and squirrel hunting ability, went out early the morning of October 1, and returned home with a sad look on his face, and his expressions spoke louder than words as to how many squirrels he caught.

Too bad the fishing season is over for J. Moore, general foreman, has no time to go now on Sunday afternoons. During the fishing season it was an easy matter to locate Pat on a Sunday afternoon for a canvass of local ponds and Kansas was sure to find him.

Bill Funderberger, machinist, and Ben Bremer, machinist apprentice, are taking their ten days' vacation in the wilds of Montana, hunting deer. We are suspicious that Bill will bring a deer back with him and announce where they will be at time to their friends.

Tom Curry, car repairer, reports that a youngster weighing ten and one-quarter pounds has taken up his abode at his home. The young man has been named Robert Ivan. Thanks for the cigars, Tom. J. F. Longworth, car foreman, has just completed making improvements to his property. He has just completed a new cement driveway to his garage.

William Harriman, laborer, has been on the sick list for the last couple of months. We all wish "Uncle Billy" a speedy recovery and hope to see him back at work soon.

Clinton Bringle, car repairer, is at present receiving treatment at the St. Louis hospital. We all wish Clinton a very speedy recovery.

Some time ago Carl Easley, car repairer, decided to convert his Jewett touring car into a sedan, so with this determination in mind, he set to work building a sedan body for the car. He recently completed the job and we will all have to say it looks mighty good.

**ITEMS FROM WICHITA, KANS.**

HELEN SHEEHAN, Reporter

Mr. C. E. Armstrong, recently appointed roadmaster of the 32nd Track Division, with headquarters at Wichita, has moved his family from Baxter Springs to Wichita.

Miss Lenna V. Wilson, stenographer in the freight office, is enjoying a three weeks' vacation in the Ozarks. She is being relieved by Miss Mercedes Neal.

Mr. J. B. Gillam, general car foreman at Kansas City, spent the tenth of the month in Wichita.

Mr. Mike Watson, crossing flagman, who has been off duty for several weeks on account of illness, has returned to work.

Mr. E. J. Immele and Mr. Cliff Underwood, of the division office, have returned from St. Louis where they attended the World's Series.

Mr. Merl Calvert, switchman, spent the first part of October visiting in Oklahoma.

Mr. Harley Bowman, yard clerk, and wife have recently returned from a vacation spent in Indiana.

Mr. Ward Walker, switchman, is the possessor of a new Dodge Senior coupe.

**DIVISION STORES DEPARTMENT  
KANSAS CITY, MO.**

DAISY STANNARD, Reporter

Mr. F. J. Westerman, general foreman, reports having had a pleasant vacation, a part of which was spent in St. Louis. While there, he saw the exhibit of the public's gifts to Col. Charles Lindbergh, which Mr. Westerman stated filled two large display rooms of the Jefferson Memorial Building at Forest Park. Railway passes from nearly every road in the United States, complimentary to Col. Lindbergh, filled one display case. Mr. Westerman stated the exhibit consisted of various and numerous gifts and was so large that it would take one a half day to inspect it thoroughly.

Mrs. Lee Taylor, wife of our chief clerk, and little son vacationed in St. Louis and Illinois points.

One of our Cardinal boosters has a tendency to droop somewhat, for instance, like a bird with a broken wing, since the Cardinals lost the world's series. Cheer up, Mr. Lawyer, red birds always "come back" in the spring.

Mr. Alvin Moline, price clerk, is now driving a good-looking Oldsmobile coach.

The store department is totally submerged in its annual inventory, but we are all working cheerfully and utilizing every minute; therefore, we know that we will have accomplished our task perfectly and in due time—as is our usual custom.

Miss Mirlam Shaw, our comptometer operator, spent her vacation in Yellowstone National Park and visited friends in Denver on her return trip. Miss Shaw reports a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Myers and little son spent their vacation in Salina, Kans. Mr. Myers is our sectional stock clerk.

Mr. A. C. DeFries, division storekeeper, and his chief clerk, Lee Taylor, attended a meeting of storekeepers at Springfield, October 12.

Mrs. Terrel, wife of Leadman M. L. Terrel, has been visiting in Ft. Scott.

Mr. Estep, distribution clerk in this office, spent a quiet vacation at home this summer.

**TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT  
NORTHERN DIVISION  
FT. SCOTT, KANS.**

MISS GLADYS ROTH, Reporter

Virgil Briggs, timekeeper, has returned from an enjoyable vacation, spent fishing.

L. B. Clary, assistant superintendent, is spending his vacation visiting relatives and friends at Sherman, Shreveport and other southern points.

Dispatcher L. B. Barr and wife have been entertaining Mrs. Barr's brother, Weston Roodhouse and wife of Okmulgee for the past few days.

Gernie Stroud, switchman, who has been in Mercy Hospital for some time, has been removed to his home and is reported as some better.

Brakeman A. J. Bahney recently purchased a farm one-fourth mile west of Rock Creek Dam, and expects to move out there some time in the near future.

Brakeman Bert Sheppy has been off for a few days account an infected hand, but is reported better now.

Mrs. M. A. Patterson of Chicago has been visiting relatives and friends here the past week. Mrs. Patterson is a sister of Switchman Will Dever and formerly lived here and is well known among the older residents.

Trainmaster R. H. Hubbard, wife and sons visited relatives in Parsons, Sunday, October 14.

Mrs. E. L. Buddy, wife of operator, accompanied her parents home to Humansville, Mo., they having spent some time here, visiting.

Tom Hall, roadmaster, has returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Switchman G. L. Swearingen and wife have returned from a trip to points in Ohio. Ohio is Mr. Swearingen's old home and, of course, he enjoyed very much his visit with old friends.

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have returned from a trip to St. Louis. While there they took in the World's Series and also visited their daughter, Mercedes.

Switchman J. R. Harris also attended the ball games in St. Louis.

Oh, yes, something of interest to those at Ft. Scott and also friends up and down the Frisco Lines was the marriage of L. O. Gardner, better known as "Buck", and Miss Helen Childress on October 6th. After the ceremony the happy couple left for St. Louis to attend the ball games, after which they visited friends and relatives in Detroit and took a sight-seeing trip to New York. Buck is tracer clerk at this point and we all extend our hearty congratulations.

E. L. Buddy is relieving Mr. Gardner as tracing clerk during the honeymoon.

Among those attending the "Desert Song" at Kansas City was Assistant Superintendent C. L. Payne and wife, Timekeeper H. E. Clark and wife, Blanche Bicknell, stenographer, and Mrs. A. D. West, wife of switchman.

Glad to advise that Miss Wilman Kipp, daughter of Dispatcher W. I. Kipp, who has been ill for some time is reported as some better.

A seven and one-half pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl List, October 13. He has been named Donald Rodell. Mr. List is section foreman at this point.

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Thelma Linn in the loss of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Sloan at Amory. Miss Letha Linn relieved Thelma while she was away from her duties as deniurrage clerk.

Mrs. W. H. Bevans, who has been ill for some time, is reported as improved.

John Turner, son of night roundhouse foreman, is now attending Kansas University, taking up hydro-engineering.

Machinist John Renz, who has been off for over nine months with an injury, is expecting to be back soon.

Claude Coffey, machinist helper, has been doing extensive repairing on his home which he purchased recently.

Archie Skelly, engine watchman, is on the sick list with the flu.

Roy Salsman spent a number of days in St. Louis attending the world's series.

William Swan is back on the job filling lubricators, after being off sixty days on a vacation which was spent at home.

James Click, the traveling "parson", is back with us again after attending a religious conference held in Chicago.

William Teelpor, hostler, was off for a number of days account of falling from a ladder while putting in windows at his home.

Oscar Riggs, outside hostler helper, and family are spending a number of days in San Antonio, Tex., attending the American Legion Convention held in that city.

We wish to express our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John Steifer in the loss of their beloved baby, which passed away recently.

George Stroble and Curtis Kuhn went duck hunting the other morning; they got 10 ducks.

Hostler John Boes and wife have left for a two weeks' vacation in the East, visiting relatives.

Machinist Henry Cox is now in the St. Louis Hospital undergoing treatment.

Machinist William Bullard spent a number of days recently in Amory, Miss.

Arthur Thompson, formerly machinist apprentice here, who finished his time at Springfield, is now working as extra man.

**MASTER MECHANIC'S OFFICE  
KANSAS CITY, MO.**

H. F. SHIVERS, Reporter

Miss Mary Dalley, formerly stenographer in the transportation department at Chaffee, Missouri, has bid in the job of pass clerk in this office. We wish to extend a hearty welcome to Miss Dalley, and hope she will soon get used to the coal smoke, etc., incident to her position.

Miss Dorothy Shlppy is being assigned to the position of stenographer in the office of the master mechanic, which position was formerly held by Miss Catherine Welch, who is now working for the John Deere Plow Company. We wish each of them success in their new undertakings.

Mr. J. A. Moffett and family returned from a very pleasant trip recently to Chicago and other points in Illinois. Mr. Moffett is timekeeper in this office.

Mr. William Edwards, assistant timekeeper, reports the birth of a baby girl, September 19. She has been christened Barbara Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards now have three children, the other two being boys.

Mr. W. B. Berry, master mechanic, returned October 17 from Havana, Cuba, where he attended the convention of Spanish-American War Veterans, held at that point the first part of October. He also visited other points in the South and reports a very enjoyable vacation. Mrs. Berry accompanied him on the trip.

Mr. W. J. Fuller, car inspector, Sheffield, Mo., a past commander of the Spanish-American War Veterans' Organization, also has returned from Havana, Cuba, where he attended the convention held at that point. He reports a very pleasant trip.

Miss Marjorie Craig, stenographer in this office, spent two days at home recently, entertaining out-of-town relatives.

Mrs. W. W. Lewallen, wife of car clerk, north yard, has returned from a very

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pleasant trip, visiting relatives and friends in Hugo and other points in Oklahoma.  
 Miss Cleis Hunt, pass clerk for a short time in this office, surprised us all recently. Miss Hunt was united in marriage to Mr. Hugh H. Coon of Chicago, Ill., Sunday, September 23, at 4:00 p.m. the marriage taking place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hunt, of Ft. Scott. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. Bolle, pastor of the Methodist Church. After the ceremony a two-course luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Coon left soon after in their car for Minneapolis and Chicago, the latter place where they will make their home in about two weeks. We wish them much happiness.

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**OFFICE DIVISION ACCOUNTANT  
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**DOROTHY WORKING, Reporter**

Inventory time is just about here, so everyone will be quite busy seeing the surrounding country on motor cars, and so forth.

Mr. I. W. Pipkin, division accountant, spent the usual time on road trips this month.

Miss Mary Daley, stenographer, from the superintendent's office, Chaffee, Mo., dropped in for a few minutes to visit us on September 21, when she was returning from her vacation.

Miss Gladys Roth, Miss Margaret Hendrick and "ye scribe" spent the week-end in Springfield.

Mr. Oscar Nelson, completion report clerk, and Mr. Harold Mitchell, clerk, attended the Legion Convention in Springfield. Both reported a fine time.

Mr. Joe Jarboe, one of our former engineers, who is now attending the Rolla School of Mines, was awarded the honor of president of the junior class at Rolla. Quite an honor for Joe, we think.

Thanksgiving time will be here and gone by the next issue of the Magazine, so we wish everyone a fine Thanksgiving Day.

**MECHANICAL DEPARTMENT  
KANSAS CITY, MO.**

**DORAL L. DENISON, Reporter**

Mrs. C. J. Turner, wife of roundhouse foreman, has returned from New York, where she has been spending the summer with her daughter.

Mr. Frank Bertina, cab man, and family, spent the week-end visiting relatives near Ottawa, Kans., recently.

Walter Medlock, roundhouse foreman, is the proud owner of a new home which he purchased recently at 3719 Madison Avenue.

Joe Swartz, dead work foreman, is the proud owner of a new Buick coupe.

Elmer Carlson, assistant night roundhouse foreman, is looking for another home after selling his last week.

Ben Greer, stationary engineer, is back on the job again after having been confined in the hospital at St. Louis for over three weeks.

Virgil Dellinger, helper, is in the St. Louis hospital to have his tonsils removed and his nose operated on. He reports he is getting along nicely at this writing.

George Willis, machinist, is back on the job again after having been off for a month with a crushed foot.

Boilermaker Frank Haungs and wife spent a ten-day vacation in Nebraska, visiting relatives.

**EASTERN DIVISION**

**SEVENTH STREET STATION  
ST. LOUIS, MO.**

**AGNES M. LARKIN, Reporter**

Our sympathy is extended to John Flick, Trucker, in the sudden death of his sister Catherine who was killed in an automobile accident Sunday, Oct. 14th.

William Klein, Trucker, is the proud daddy of a bright young Miss who arrived at the Klein household in the wee hours of the morning.

We still continue to hear the fish stories. James Brown, clerk, just back from a trip to Frankfort, Kansas, tells about the big ones he caught, but failed to photograph.

Miss Leona Jones, clerk, and her dancing partner, Miss Irene Nufer, entertained with a solo dance at a social meeting of the E. A. R. E., Monday, Oct. 15.

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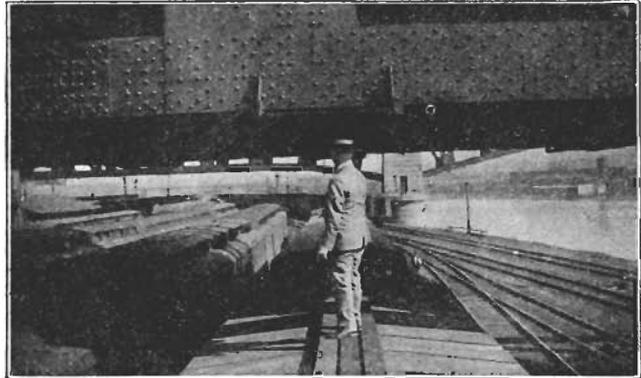
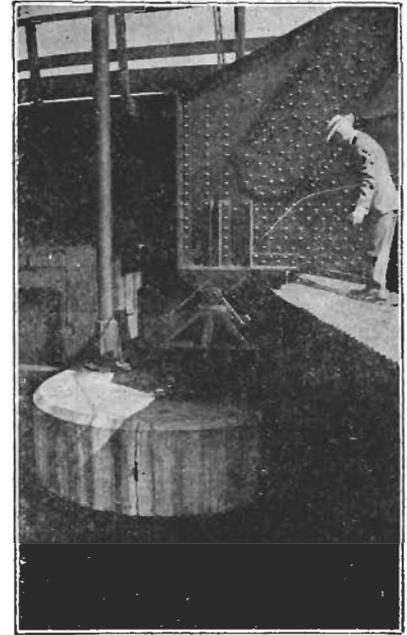
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Fred Lehr, statistician, has returned from a vacation spent in Winnipeg, Duluth and Chicago.

**OFFICE DIVISION AND STORES  
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SPRINGFIELD, MO.**

**R. G. LANGSTON, Reporter**

Mr. E. L. Welch, formerly shop accountant, has resigned and accepted a position with the American National Insurance Co., as City manager for Springfield. We all wish Errant the best of luck and success in his new undertaking.

Mr. W. A. Warden has transferred to this department account force reduction in the claim department. He displaced

Harold Boren who in turn displaced Mr. Morris.

J. R. Lodge was absent account illness September 22nd.

L. W. Pipkin of Ft. Scott spent a few minutes in the office September 26th.

Leonard Wright of Sapulpa, Okla., attended the reunion of the 35th Div., Sept. 29 and 30.

J. L. Hamilton formerly of this department, left for Memphis October 1st to fill in temporarily.

E. G. Sperry of Ft. Smith spent a few minutes with us October 3rd.

Harold E. Boren spent a day recently on White River but reported the fishing very poor.

P. C. Freeman and Marguerite O'Brien motored to Sedalia October 16th in order to hear Al Smith speak. In all probability we will receive all the high points of the speech upon their return.

## OFFICE OF CAR ACCOUNTANT SPRINGFIELD, MO.

MARIE ARNOLD, Reporter

Belle Stewart gave the office a big surprise on the morning of the eleventh when she appeared to write her resignation instead of to work, having been married on the evening of the tenth to Mr. T. E. Fuzzell, employed at the West Shops. The office presented Belle with a twenty-three piece set of "Argosy" pattern silver, and a shower was given in her honor by Lulu Jernigan, Irene Schaller, Elizabeth Owen, Anna Mason, Beatrice Arnold and Nillne Heflin, at the home of the latter, on the sixteenth. Belle received many useful gifts, such as linens, pictures, lamps, miscellaneous silver pieces, etc. The couple has the good wishes of the office for their future happiness.

Anna Helbig, Amy and Mamie Bradley, Nellie Clifton, Beatrice Arnold, Bertha Sutherland and Marie Arnold from this office attended the Girls' Club party at the home of Don Fellows this month. Some hiked about two miles of the distance, refusing all offers for rides. Bridge and dancing were enjoyed after the wienner roast and a trip through the Fellows' beautiful new home and the flower gardens.

R. J. Lewis, Chief Clerk of the Demurrage Bureau, saw the two St. Louis games of the World Series, but firmly denies that he enjoyed the scores.

Mabel Hunt, formerly of the Demurrage Department, now employed by the Frick Security Company of Kansas City, visited the office this month, having come home for Pershing Day.

B. O. Chandler, Chief Clerk of the Reclaim Department, was our only representative in the 35th Division Reunion in the Pershing parade.

Helen Murray gave a Dutch dance in costume at the Accident Prevention meeting at the North Side Community House, at which Mr. O. W. Bruton was presented his watch by the Ball Watch Co. on October ninth, and at the Kentwood Arms Hotel for the General Chairman of the B. of R. C. on the 13th. Dorothy Thoms of this office sang at the meeting on the 13th.

## PASSENGER TRAFFIC DEPT. ST. LOUIS, MO.

MOLLIE S. EDWARDS, Reporter

Ernie Kubitz spent his vacation touring in and around St. Louis. Ernie said he had a very restful vacation, the only thing wrong that it wasn't long enough.

Edward Bernard was on the sick list for a few days but is back at work now feeling fine and as full of pep as ever.

Louis Coffin was home a few days nursing a boll on the back of his neck, which wasn't a welcome visitor at all. Louis is back at work now feeling fine.

E. G. Lamb, Traveling Passenger Agent, spent his vacation in New York, Boston and several other points of interest and got to see the Yanks and Red Birds play one of their best games.

Melvin Iten is the champion graceful "faller." On his way to work, he was crossing in front of the street car and slipped and fell so gracefully the result was only a dirty spot on his trousers and a very much embarrassed feeling.

Harrison Will, Division Passenger Agent and family are spending their vacation in California and other points of interest and incidentally Mr. Will is also attending the convention of the City Passenger Agents.

Ray Rinkle is spending his vacation sightseeing in New York City. No doubt when Ray gets back to work he will have a lot of things to tell us all about his trip.

## TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT

O. L. OUSLEY, Reporter

Selma Hoffman, telephone supervisor, is spending a short vacation in El Reno, Okla.

Miss Alice Larkin, chief telephone operator, visited in Sedalla last month and heard Governor Smith make a speech there October 16.

Charles Wright, groundman, was recently transferred from Donahue's gang to Russell's gang.

C. E. Robertson, division lineman, has been assigned to Springfield territory which was vacated by C. C. Fawcener, who transferred to Oklahoma City.

R. P. Benedict, division lineman, has been assigned to vacancy at Wichita, Kansas, account Lineman J. Workman being retired on pension. B. W. Elliott has bid in position vacated by Mr. Benedict at Hayti.

B. E. Loftis, division lineman, has bid in Clinton, Mo., position and R. C. Wise, of Madill has been assigned to vacancy at Newburg, Mo. S. M. Worthy has been assigned to position of division lineman at Madill.

E. C. Holt, division lineman, has been assigned to Quanah, Texas.

O. E. Hudson, reporter in Russell's gang at Kullituko, Okla., reports that C. E. Wright of Prairie Grove, Okla., and Miss Minnie Gill of Idabel, were married September 29; Wm. Thompson has returned from a vacation in Kansas City; A. R. Speegle is acting as assistant foreman while H. E. Millen is in the floating gang; W. O. Copeland has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Edward Brown, reporter in Oliver's gang at Yale, reports that they have recently started reconstruction work on estimate Memphis to Holly Springs. The boys arrived in Memphis in time to attend the Tenn. State Fair.

J. E. Nussbaum, reporter in Donahue's gang at Kellyville, Okla., writes that M.

Basil Compton and Tom Wilson were promoted to positions as linemen last month; P. W. Mead, lineman, is relieving C. C. Fawcener, division lineman, Oklahoma City, while Mr. Fawcener and wife are attending a reunion of Spanish War Veterans in Cuba; Arthur Lurvey and Thurman Jordan transferred to Donahue's gang from Oliver's gang last month; the gang was sorry to receive the sad news of the death of Arthur Reel, former lineman, who died at his home in Mammoth Spring, September 15.

From Ft. Scott, Miss Alice Hogan, telephone operator, reports that Mrs. W. N. Edson and baby daughter Gloria, recently arrived in Ft. Scott to join Mr. Edson, who is a telegrapher in "FD" office; A. G. Phillips, agent at Lenexa, is the proud father of a little daughter who arrived the latter part of September; J. L. Pender has been assigned the agency at Merriam; E. L. Buddy has been working as train clerk at Ft. Scott, due to the absence of Lloyd Gardner, who was married October 6, and on a honeymoon trip visiting in St. Louis, Detroit and New York; Mrs. Kate Waldelich of "OX" office, Kansas City, recently visited her sister in Ft. Scott; Miss Letha Linn worked as clerk in the agent's office for a week this month. Miss Diss relieved Miss Linn at the telephone office during this time.

## OFFICE SUPT. TRANSPORTATION SPRINGFIELD, MO.

EULA STRATTON, Reporter

"California, Here I Come"—seems to be calling, for Gertrude Sprohs has journeyed there and writes back that she is having such a good time that she has decided to stay there. Now Grace Wall is leaving for a month's vacation in sunny San Diego, Calif.

John Breckenridge, Passenger Car Distributor and Mrs. Breckenridge spent a joyous vacation in New York City and St. Louis seeing the Yanks win another world series.

Pearle Townes vacationed again in Clearmont, New Hampshire, spending the two weeks with her mother.

Freda Fielden went to Memphis for a week-end party, recently.

F. L. DeGroat, car service agent in company with Mrs. DeGroat and the youngster, is spending a pleasant vacation just loafing and visiting around.

It is said that a vacation is a change of occupation—Ellis Dulin proved that it is true, for he used some of his vacation to grub his sweet potatoes, and came back to the office looking very red. Ellis is quite an amateur gardener.

Savina Felin joined the caravan of good Democrats that left Springfield early October 16th for Sedalla, Mo., to participate in the Democratic Rally in which Governor Alfred E. Smith was the central figure. It was a great trip and everybody had a good time.

Our big boss, Mr. Doggrell, Supt. Transportation, is back with us after a short, much needed vacation. We're glad to see him back and looking so well.

## OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF TERMINALS—SPRINGFIELD, MO.

NORMAN HINDS, Reporter

O. M. Simon visited Sedalla, Mo., recently to hear the speech of Al Smith, democratic presidential nominee.

R. A. Mangan has returned to his duties after being off duty a fortnight enjoying a vacation.

J. W. McQuinn is confined to his bed on account of serious illness. We hope for a quick and complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Newbold have returned from an enjoyable visit to Chicago and other northern cities.

C. L. Rimbey spent several days in Kansas City visiting relatives and friends.

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