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### H. B. Roesser Passes Away —Other Dutrow News Items

The many relatives and friends of Herman B. Roesser were deeply saddened when the news of his death came Sunday evening, October 9, 1932. Mr. Roesser had been a patient at the De Paul Hospital in St. Louis for two weeks, having undergone a serious operation. During the first days after the operation his condition was critical, but a few days later he appeared to be improving nicely and there was much hope for his recovery. Last Thursday a change took place for the worst and after much suffering he passed away Sunday evening a few minutes before five o'clock. His wife, children, sisters and brothers were at his bedside when the end came. He reached the age of 57 years.

Mr. Roesser was a kind and loving husband and father, ever pleasant and courteous to whomsoever he met. His passing is felt not only by his bereaved wife and children but also by a great number of friends who respected and loved him because of his pleasing disposition. By his death this community loses a true and loving friend.

On Tuesday evening the members of the St. Joseph Married Men's Sodality and Knights of Columbus gathered at the Roesser home to pay respect to their deceased member.

He leaves to mourn, his beloved wife, one daughter Marie, three sons: Raymond, Gregory and Ambrose, one sister Martha, two brothers, John and Theodore, and many other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at 9:30 at the St. Vincent church and interment took place in the church cemetery. Rev. Wm. J. Dames performed the funeral rites. The heartfelt sympathy of the community is with the bereaved.

Lester H. Mittler and Leander Bocklage of Washington were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Roesser and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kuenzel and family had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Spitz and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Bimschlager of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taschner and daughter Evelyn, Mrs. Wm. Taschner and baby and Miss Viola Schopp and Othmar Willenbrink spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schopp and family.

Mrs. Wilhelmine Rieckamp of Washington spent the week-end here with her daughter Mrs. Laura Diermann.

Rev. Wm. J. Dames spent Monday in Rhineland where he attended the celebration of the dedication of the church which was recently completed.

The ball game Sunday was the fourth defeat for our boys this season. They played at Marthasville, losing by a score of 14 to 4. Our team was apparently out of form for the day and were outplayed by their opponents. It was the final game of the season and drew a large crowd.

**Snow in Missouri Monday.**  
For fifteen minutes snow fell Monday in portions of northern Missouri, it being recorded as the earliest snowfall in the history of the St. Joseph weather bureau.

### St. Charles County Extension Service Offers Local Aid

A series of meetings with leading farmers of the different communities in St. Charles county has been arranged by County Agent, R. A. Langenbacher in order to discover the principle source of income and the problems in each particular community.

On Tuesday night, Mr. Langenbacher met with a group of farmers in the St. Charles area. This committee, after discussing the many sources of income that this area has, decided that the two big needs in the St. Charles area was a more definite system of crop rotation in which legume such as clover or soybeans is grown once every three to five years, and a greater number of livestock through which to feed these crops.

**Augusta And Femme Osage**  
On Wednesday night a committee of farmers of the Augusta and Femme Osage communities met at the home of Fred Webbink of near Femme Osage. Those of the committee present were: Edw. Behmder, Cornelius Mallinckrodt, August Becker, Otto Bergsleker, Alfred Nahm, and Fred Webbink. After considering the problems of their community carefully, and discussing dairy, poultry, hogs, wheat and fruit, the committee suggested that their greatest need was a more definite system of soil management including a crop rotation in which a legume is grown at least once every four years; a greater number of livestock to consume the feed raised on the farm as soon as that increased feed supply develops; and in addition to this the need of a small orchard to supply the home needs of each family.

A meeting has been scheduled at Wentville for Thursday evening and at O'Fallon on Friday.

For more than fifteen years St. Charles county farmers have received an Extension Program built upon the needs of the farmers. Each year the method that seemed best was used to learn how the Extension Service could reach into the different communities and give the individual farmer assistance. As a result many thousands of tons of lime have been used resulting in the growing of many acres of alfalfa, thus saving our St. Charles county farmers many dollars that they formerly spent for alfalfa shipped in.

By the introduction of improved methods of breeding and feeding many of the dairymen have found it possible to reduce the cost of producing milk in any given period of price conditions nearly fifty per cent as compared to those who followed the old practice.

**Three Banks Reopened Monday**  
These banks in St. Charles county reopened Monday after closing under a twenty-day moratorium agreement. The banks and the amounts of their deposits as of Sept. 19 are: Bank of St. Peters, \$191,854; Bank of O'Fallon, \$192,122; Bank of St. Paul, \$61,538. In return for waiving a portion of their money, the depositors will receive non-interest bearing certificates on which they will be paid dividends from the sale of paper to be removed from the bank's assets.

### Proposed Amendments Published In The Record

For the information of voters who will vote at the general election on November 8, the proposed amendments to the state constitution are published on another page of the Record. Three proposed amendments will be submitted. Each proposal will require a "yes" or "no" vote. Briefly they are:

No. 1. Authorization of the general assembly to enact laws establishing pensions for persons more than 70 years old, who are without support and incapable of providing for themselves.

No. 2. The hiring of only 75 clerks by each house of the general assembly; abolition of the present method of engrossing and enrolling bills in the legislature.

No. 3. Seeks to change the state budget system.

### Mission Festival Oct. 16

The annual Mission Festival of the St. Pauls Evangelical church of Marthasville will be held Sunday, October 16. Rev. F. Egger of Holstein will speak to us in the German language in the morning service at 10 a. m. Rev. A. Blome of Warrenton and Rev. O. Press of St. Louis, editor of the Friedensbote, will speak to us in the English language in the afternoon service at two o'clock. Rev. J. W. Varig, City Missionary of St. Louis, will deliver the message to us in the English language in the evening service at 7:30.

Meals will be served at noon and also in the evening. Everybody is welcome and cordially invited to these services. Come! —C. H. Rohlfing, Pastor.

### Attended Funeral Sunday

Mrs. Addie Koelling went with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koelling and son and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly of Matson to Big Springs Sunday to attend the funeral of the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Clark.

### Congressman Carroll Beedy Of Maine To Speak Oct. 20th

Congressman Carroll L. Beedy of Maine will deliver an address at Marthasville on Thursday, October 20th, beginning at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Beedy is one of the outstanding leaders in Congress and is noted for his ability to present national issues in a clear and intelligent manner. The speaker's bureau of the Missouri Republican State Committee, in announcing Congressman Beedy's itinerary, considers itself fortunate in securing so able a speaker for Missouri. Everyone within reach of Marthasville is invited to come out on Thursday evening of next week and hear the Congressman from Maine who will discuss national issues with first-hand knowledge of his subject.

In addition to the address at Marthasville on the 20th, there will be an address at Warrenton on October 21st.

### Wentville Bank Re-opens

The Bank of Wentville reopened its doors for business last week Wednesday after a temporary moratorium caused by the depreciation in value of some of the bank's holdings in bonds. The St. Peters Bank, which was also closed temporarily, was re-opened this week.

### Married At Troy

Elmer Guehmann and Miss Beatie Robertson, of Augusta, were married at the Presbyterian manse at Troy Saturday afternoon, October 1st. Mr. Guehmann is employed by the Tavern Rock and Sand Company at Augusta.

### Attend Dedication Exercises

Rev. Wm. J. Dames, of Dut-zow, Rev. A. H. Puetter, of Concord Hill and Rev. A. J. Range, of Augusta, took part in the dedication ceremony for the new addition to the St. Joseph's Catholic church at Rhineland Monday. The dedication was made by Archbishop John J. Glennon of St. Louis.

### Judges Selected For General Election, Nov. 8

The following have been selected judges for the General Election in Warren County on November 8, 1932:

Warrenton, Ward I. Clarence Knipmeyer, Ira N. Chiles, Mrs. Edw. F. Atholz, H. H. Wilson, W. G. Davis, Mrs. Fred Morsey.

Warrenton, Ward 2. Frank Krauschner, J. B. Grinnell, Mrs. F. J. Lohmann, Chas. Brown, I. E. Havelin, Mrs. John Morse.

Trussdale, Aug. Hummel, Geo. Waltemath, Miss Anna Huelsmann, Geo. Kamper, Os. Bockhorst, Nell Kelly.

Pendleton, Carl Engel, C. W. McIntyre, Mrs. Warren Meyer, W. VanStuddiford, Sam Painter, Mrs. W. VanStuddiford.

New Truxton, H. H. Hoeh. M. F. Winter, Miss Sarah Winter, M. F. Carrico, Lester L. Jones, Mrs. Harry Howell.

Harper's Schoolhouse, John Meine, Wm. Reese, Jr., Mrs. Ed Welling, Lee Carrico, B. Crouch, Miss Areella Bain.

Painter's Store, Tom Mills, Irvin Roloff, Mrs. John Bennis, Milton Seaton, EdONEY, Mrs. Maggie Logan.

Dut-zow, Herman Hotmer, Robert Roehrig, Mrs. John Schaefer, John Roesser, John Schopp, Mrs. Tony Ruether.

Marthasville, H. J. Muench, W. F. Ottermann, Mrs. Grover Koch, Oscar Johannaber, Alvin Dickhaus, Mrs. Wm. Opfer.

Hopewell, Wm. Schow, Noah Hase, Mrs. Wm. H. Schoppenhorst, Simon Witthaus, Chas. Engemann, Mrs. Geo. Terver.

Peers, Robert Borges, Henry Hagedorn, Mrs. John Eichholz, Joe Gloesmeier, Geo. Hel-

### St. Charles Bank Robbed Of \$18,000 By Three Men Monday

Three bandits held up the First National Bank of St. Charles, which is diagonally across the street from the police station, at 12:30 p. m. Monday and escaped with approximately \$21,184. The robbers worked quickly and made their escape from the bank without being seen. It is presumed that a fourth man waited for the three in a car parked near the bank building.

It was the fourth bank robbery in St. Charles in the last three years.

Entering the bank at an hour when few people would be on the street, the robbers bound Ollie Moerschel, assistant cashier, Don Schriber, president, and Miss Grace Pohlmann, secretary, and two customers. The assistant cashier was ordered to the vault and forced to place the money in a sack. He was also forced to empty the tills of the loose currency.

The bandits are described as follows: The masked bandit was about 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighed 175 pounds. The second one weighed about 150 pounds and was about 5 feet 10 inches tall and wore a blue shabby suit. The third man, about six feet tall, wore a yellow lumber jacket and dark trousers.

It was reported shortly after the robbery that the robbers had apparently escaped on Highway 40 going west. Officers in various sections west of St. Charles were notified Monday to be on the lookout for the robbers' car. The loss from the robbery was fully covered by insurance.

### Bank Robbed At Bay

The bank at Bay, a few miles southwest of New Haven, was robbed last week Thursday night for the second time in the last year. About \$1900 was secured by the robbers. The robbers backed their automobile up to the rear door of the bank building. The door was forced open and entrance made into the safe by means of an electrolytic torch.

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Hostein, Gus Mueller, Florence Ackmann, Miss Emelia Oberhellmann, Walter Hienkamp, Aug. Stegen, Mrs. Al Howard, East Treloar, H. J. Buescher, H. W. Gruebel, Mrs. Otto Meyer, Ferd. Hellbusch, Hugo Hasenjaeger, Mrs. Arlie Wessel, Lichte Schoolhouse, Mrs. Frank Dohage, Albert Thee, Aug. F. Winter, John McCann, Wm. Dohage, Mrs. John McCann, Martin Schoolhouse, Harry Blake, Fritz Baurichter, Mrs. Arthur Dohage, James Smith, Lavetta Smith, Mrs. Wynn.

Rekate's Store, Aug. Brake-meyer, Walter Boemker, Mrs. Aug. Tempel, Mrs. Herbert Rekate, Arthur Clyde, Clay, Halt.

West Treloar, Carl Bierbaum, Aug. Niemeier, Louis Kersten, Fred Niemeier, Theo. Clyde, Miss Thelma Bierbaum.

Big 4, Sam Kirkhoffer, Roy Horton, Mrs. Bertha Wright, Clay Millam, Harry Coleman, Mrs. Harry Coleman.

Case, Louis Hafner, Alvin Schammoth, Miss Bertha Kidderslin, Oliver Weiser, Henry Coleman, Mrs. Carrie Luppold.

Core, Wm. Rueff, John Wilms-meyer, Mrs. Adolph Krause, Ace Callum, Tim Cullum, Paul Repp-hardt.

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