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## BANQUET

### Of the Commercial Club

#### A Brilliant Success From Start to Finish

And an Event That Will Live Long in the Memory of Those Who Participated.

The first annual banquet of the Crittenden County Commercial Club has come and gone, but its memories will live long time in the minds of those who participated. Its effects will be manifold in the interest of this city and district in the way of promoting harmony and intelligent co-operation in the causes for which the Club is working.

A general resume of the toasts and responses by the different speakers will not be attempted in this issue of THE RECORD, but many of the ideas advanced are too good to be lost sight of immediately.

One of the most valuable points discussed, and which was brought out distinctly above all others by the combined expressions of several of the speakers, was the mutual interests of Crittenden and several adjoining counties.

Taking, for instance, Union, Webster and Hopkins counties with their vast deposits of coal, and Crittenden and Livingston counties with their partially developed mineral resources, lead, zinc and fluor-spar; also including Caldwell, Lyon, Trigg and Christian counties on the one side, and Hardin and Pope counties, in Illinois, on the other, with their known but scarcely developed minerals; again, taking a fifty mile radius around, with Crittenden county as the central figure, we have some of the choicest corn, wheat and tobacco lands to be found anywhere, therefore, we ought to be able to foster industries of every kind and description that are dependent upon these various commodities and necessities.

This is only a brief synopsis of the many ideas advanced upon this subject, all tending to formulate a harmonious fabric of facts which are very apparent, but apt to be overlooked by the average resident of this district, which is so variously favored by nature, both in soil well suited and adapted to cultivation, and the vast mineral deposits beneath it.

Speaking upon this subject, Mr. C. S. Nunn compared the district in a most favorable light with the Birmingham, Ala., district, which latter in its mineral resources has three important factors closely associated, viz: coal, iron and species of limestone, called dolomite, which is specially suited for fluxing iron ores. These three minerals, by their close proximity in the Birmingham district, makes possible the cheapest iron product in the world.

We have in this district vast, but unknown quantities of iron ore deposits, with coal in close proximity the same as in Alabama, and also limestone fluxes, but a much better flux is fluor-spar, which we have in abundance. In addition to these we have lead and zinc deposits which constitute our greatest commodity at this time, and the advantage of fertile fields all around us and in our very midst. We also have the best fire clay in the world, and sand suitable for making glass.

Then why have we not one of the best counties in the United States, and why should it not be one of the most prosperous? By recognizing our mutual interests and

interdependency, and adopting a harmonious plan for promoting the interests and setting forth the advantages of the entire district we can best serve our individual interests, and secure many needed improvements as well. Let us combine our efforts to make our entire district a great center of activity for this section of the State, if not the greatest in the State. The keynote has been sounded and the entire chorus should join in the singing.

The Club is in receipt of letters from quite a number of prominent gentlemen throughout the State which is evidence of the interest manifested in the banquet and the organization. Among those from whom letters were received were J. C. Van Pelt, secretary of the Louisville Commercial Club; A. H. Egan, superintendent of the Louisville division of the L. C. railroad; R. A. McDowell, president of the Louisville Commercial Club; W. D. Greer, of the firm of Greer & Marble, lawyers, of Paducah, and Gov. J. C. W. Beckham.

C. H. WHITEHOUSE,  
Chairman, Press Committee.

#### BANQUET ECHOES.

BY T. A. F.

This is the realization of my dreams.—C. S. Nunn.

We had a gentleman from New York.

Whitehouse "germs" were numerous.

Judge Flounoy said Morgantown would take due notice and govern herself accordingly.

A. D. Noe can find prospects most anywhere.

Ross Givens is now a candidate for matrimony. He runs slow.

God bless John Wilson. We could not do without him.

Harry Williams jes' laughed.

Lucien Drury said he never saw anything like it.

The Club is a "big stick" for Marion.

The ladies will be our guests next time.

We were glad to see good old Union county so ably represented.

Nobe Boston says: "Boys, Marion never does things except in the right way."

Geo. Nunn saw that Blackford was properly represented.

E. L. Nunn said he would like to have one down at Rodney.

Jim Hicklin said he would "jine" us.

Marion knows a good thing when she sees it.

Come on with the water works. There will be another drought.

W. D. Baird was there by a small majority.

Mr. Sullenger surveyed the banquet.

Judge Kevil is as much at home at a banquet as he is in police court.

Rob Haynes said: "We just spread ourselves."

The supper was cooked on majestic ranges.

You can always count on Copier. It wouldn't be Marion without him.

Gov. Beckham sent his regrets.

L. B. Henry said he would tell the boys at Dixon about it.

H. A. Haynes wishes he had joined sooner.

Prof. Evans—well, we promised not to say anything about him.

Senator Deboe made the hit of the evening.

Julius Fols had something to say.

Geo. M. Crider will attend to the cash for the club.

The good Lord blessed us with ideal weather.

Bill Clifton did not say a word. Col. Roberts looked his best.

Billie Terry said he wanted to attend the next one.

There is nothing the matter with Sayre and his committee.

You ought to have seen Jim Freeman.

We can never forget Nunn and Tucker.

Salem was ably represented.

Mr. Temme did not ask for an option on the banquet.

Judson Bennett brought his rocks with him.

Tolu and not chewing gum sent her representatives.

Katterjohn whistled.

Bro. Price said it was one of the most enjoyable affairs he ever attended, moral and elevating.

Well, now, our Mayor is all right when it comes to a welcome address.

Tom Cochran says: "Boys, we must have another one."

"Captain" Haase said he thought he was in Philadelphia.

Bro. McAfee said it was a feast of reason and flow of soul.

It was strictly prohibition but the spirits were good.

A. J. Duvall said: "This beats running for sheriff."

Orme said: "Fine, boys, fine."

We had a "gentleman" from Indiana."

J. M. Persons will be able to resume his "business" trips to Chapel Hill in a short time.

Henry Rice brought down greetings from Fredonia.

Johnson Crider, also.

D. C. Porter got his D. C. mixed up with Col. D. C. Robert's D. C.

Carl Henderson said he would never prosecute any man who attended that banquet.

Julian Ainsworth said ten cents a bushel.

R. I. Nunn still wears his Saturday night's smile.

Dave Kevil will give "up weight" hereafter.

Watch the papers for the remainder of Senator Deboe's speech.

Port Arthur has fallen some more but Marion still stands for all that is good and true.

The recollections of the Commercial Club's first annual banquet will ever be sweet to both host and guest. Not one accident to disturb nor one unkind word to mar nor one empty gastronomic organ to regret its being there.

May the Club's future be as bright as its past has been successful. May its members be as energetic as they have been enthusiastic and may each member work with that end in view, to better the condition of Marion and Crittenden and if we go hand in hand with "progress" as our watch word, before grim winter begins to linger in the lap of spring, before the daisies of March give place to the roses of May, we will see something doing in our good town.

At Old Stand.

Messrs. Hearin & Son have purchased of J. M. McChesney his stock of groceries including his lease on the Perry building which Messrs. Hearin & Son were occupying.

The McChesney stock will be removed to the Perry building and by virtue of this deal Messrs. Hearin & Son will not have to remove from their present stand.

## MARRIAGE

### Becomes a Holiday Fad.

#### This Method of Celebrating Christmas is Quite Popular

#### And in Order to Be Up-to-Date the Editor of The Record Takes Unto Himself a Better Half.

#### Farris-Hayden.

On Christmas day Jesse Farris and Miss Duke Hayden, both leading young people of Salem, were united in marriage by Rev. J. J. Franks at his home a few miles south of that city.

The groom is the son of J. A. Farris who owns valuable farming lands and who is a leading merchant of Salem. He is a young man of many valuable qualities and is well known.

He is interested in the livery business at Salem and is a successful dealer in live stock and farm products.

The bride is the daughter of O. Hayden a representative citizen of Salem, and is the niece of Dr. J. V. Hayden, the President of the Salem bank and who owns valuable real estate here and in Florida and who owns a large interest in the New Century Hotel at Dawson.

She is well known here, having been a student in the graded school here and has numerous friends in this city.

The wedding was a very quiet affair, the happy couple driving to the home of the officiating clergyman accompanied by only two or three near relatives.

#### Powell-Elder.

Mrs. Lena B. Elder, of Salem, and Mr. H. E. Powell, of Hall's, Tenn., were united in marriage at the Palmer House in Paducah.

Thursday, December 29th at 7:30, p. m., Rev. G. W. Perryman of the First Baptist church officiating.

The next day the happy couple left for Hall's, Tenn., where they will reside.

The groom is a prominent young business man of Hall's, and one of its most public spirited citizens.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. J. J. Franks, of near Salem, and is the niece of Hon. E. T. Franks, of Owensboro.

She was formerly a resident of this city and has a host of friends here besides a number of relatives.

She entered the millinery business a few years ago and went rapidly to the front ranks in the profession and became a first class trimmer in the duties of which calling she was taken to Hall's where she met her betrothed.

#### Hughes-Fritts.

Lacy Hughes and Miss Cora Fritts were married at the residence of Rev. E. B. Blackburn, Sunday evening, Dec. 25, he officiating.

The attendants were Albert Fritts and Miss Zillah Hughes.

The groom is the son of Ira C. Hughes and is the proprietor of the Marion woolen mills.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Frank Fritts, of the Gong Spring vicinity.

Quite a number of relatives and friends were present to witness the happy occasion. They will make their future home in Marion and may it be a home of happiness and prosperity.

#### White-Brown.

Wednesday at the home of Emmanuel Beard in this city, Grover White and Miss Daisy Brown were united in marriage, Rev. J. S.

Henry officiating.

The bride and groom are young people of good standing and have many friends. They will probably reside on a farm near Hurricane, belonging to the groom. Immediately after the ceremony was performed the happy couple left for Sturgis where the honey moon will be spent with Mrs. Mary Whitecott, the groom's mother.

#### Pogue-Matthews.

Henry T. Pogue and Miss Fanerie Matthews, both of Frances, were united in marriage at the Gill House Wednesday, Rev. J. R. McAfee, of the M. E. church, officiating.

The groom is a young man of sterling worth and is the brother of Hon. M. F. Pogue, a former member of the State Legislature.

The bride is attractive and belongs to one of the most prominent families of the county.

#### Married at Smithland.

On Christmas eve at Smithland, Mrs. Ida Northern Flanary, of that city, and Chas. Leffler, of Sanford, Fla., were united in marriage. Mr. Leffler, who was formerly a resident of Smithland, is now conducting a prosperous mercantile business at his present home. Mrs. Leffler was the widow of the late E. C. Flanary, formerly of this city, and was the mother of Walker Flanary, who was accidentally killed near Smithland while hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffler will make their home in Florida.

#### Chittenden-Williams.

On Saturday, Dec. 24th, at the home of the bride, Miss Jessie Williams was united in marriage to Mr. J. E. Chittenden, the Rev. Jas. F. Price officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple went to the home of J. J. Chittenden, the father of the groom, near Hampton, Ky., where they spent the honey-moon. They returned here last Saturday and will be with the bride's parents until they can get a house to go to housekeeping. Mr. Chittenden is the editor of the Crittenden Record, the new Republican paper.

Miss Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, of East Marion, and is an attractive young woman who has friends by the score. She was formerly assistant in the post office here and while there everyone learned to appreciate her for uniform kindness and refined manner.—Crittenden Press.

#### Fire at Fredonia.

Saturday night about 12:30 o'clock, Fredonia was visited by a severe fire which destroyed about \$6000 worth of property. The origin of the fire is unknown but is supposed to have been caused by fire works as several young men are said to have been celebrating the advent of the new year in that manner.

There were three brick store buildings destroyed which belonged to Geo. Bennett, Mrs. Sam Cassidy and J. W. Hughes, respectively, each worth about \$800. The three buildings were all occupied by a large stock of hardware, furniture and undertaking supplies belonging to Geo. Bennett, owner of one of the buildings destroyed.

According to our best information, the loss is as follows:

Geo. Bennett, building \$800, stock \$3700, insurance \$2200.

Mrs. Sam Cassidy, building \$800.

J. W. Hughes, building \$800, insurance \$400.

Sam Howerton, damage to store building, \$100.

#### Against Saloons.

The local option fight of Salem is becoming a serious question in the minds of its citizens and they are already lining up for and against saloon license on which they are to vote February 25th. The anti-saloon people are pleased that it so

happens that Rev. Boyce Taylor, of Murray, and Rev. T. C. Carter, of this city, will be engaged in a revival at Salem which is to begin on Monday preceding the election.

# Moved Into New Building!

## Our Bargains!

Did not cease with our removal to new quarters. We still have bargains for all in every line.

We are now located on Main Street, just south of the Masonic Building and we were never so well pleased with our situation, and we guarantee that we can offer you first-class goods at prices that will please you.

## A Cordial Invitation

Is extended to everyone to call and examine our goods and get prices before buying.

## Dry Goods

Clothing, Shoes  
Dress Goods  
Waistings  
Furnishings  
Notions  
Hats and Caps  
Etc. Etc. Etc.

# PICKENS & CAVENDER

Marion, Kentucky.

## SECRETLY MARRIED

Were Leonard Grady and Miss Ruby Lever on November 5th.

Leonard Grady, a prominent young man of Blackford, seems destined to lead a life full of romance.

Some time ago Miss Bertha Carnahan, of Blackford, was married to Dr. Crumpton, of Paragould, Ark., and it was reported that young Grady tried to prevent the union, asking the young boy to drop the Arkansas man and marry him instead. But, so the story goes, his pleadings were in vain, and the happy couple went to Evansville and were married, after which the unfortunate Blackford boy was "roasted" by newspapers and teased by his acquaintances until it was thought that in sheer desperation he would flee to some lonely spot on the banks of Tradewater, and there, with the assistance of a plow line, would end his misery by committing the Judas Iscariot act. On the contrary, however, he has lived through the trying ordeal and is hale and hearty.

And now the story comes that he has turned tables on his tormentors and has surprised them by producing evidence that on November 5th—just two weeks previous to the "Crumpton-Carnahan" marriage—he and Miss Ruby Lever were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the courthouse in Evansville by Henry F. Shrader, justice of the peace.

The matter was kept a secret until last Saturday night, when at a social entertainment given at the home of the bride's father in Sullivan, the young people produced their marriage certificate, and joined hearts and hands for the battles of life.

THE RECORD extends congratulations.

## Weary Willie Walker.

Next Wednesday, January 11, at the Opera House, the new sensational comedy drama, "Weary Willie Walker," will have its first presentation in this city, by a cast of actors and actresses of exceptional merit and marked ability. The piece will undoubtedly be well received here, and prove one of the choice events of the season. The company presenting it is headed by Miss Maude Phelps, who, although a young woman, has won most enviable laurels as an actress in the last few years and for whom noted critics predict a brilliant histrionic career. "Weary Willie Walker" was written by the eminent playwright, Owen Davis, author of "Through the Breakers," "Lost in

## SHERIDAN PRECINCT

Petitions C. E. Welden to Run For Re-election.

We, the undersigned voters of Sheridan precinct, desire C. E. Welden to be a candidate for re-election to the office of county clerk and pledge him our support. R H Bealnear Hewlet Belt G T Watson Henry Watson J R Croft James Millikan W E Belt W F Bealnear Enoch Belt C N Watson Jno M. Belt R R Wedanel J. N Sherer J H Curnel Joe Curnel E N Croft William Little G T Belt John Carn N Carn J T Watson N F Carn J A Dickens J S Garnett B R Garnett W M Garnett T P Barnes A A Guill J J Croft S A Wheeler Alvin Beabout T L Wright W F Watson M P Malcolm R A Hearell W B Vaughn J J Porter Miles Watson Linard Lyons R W Belt Marshall Croft Bud Sulzenger E A Riley

## Southern Illinois Mining District.

The southern Illinois mining district in which some of our local companies are interested, may in the near future be intersected by a branch railroad.

The Elizabethtown Star says:

The people of lower Gallatin and Hardin have long wanted a railroad and have for years been trying to interest some road to extend their lines through this country. They have at last got down to business and organized a company themselves with a capital stock of one million dollars. The officers and first board of directors are:

Col. W. H. Swift, of St. Louis, President; S. G. McWade, of Elizabethtown, Vice-President; Wm. A. Peoples, of Shawneetown, Treasurer; George Hanlon, of Shawneetown, Secretary; S. C. Martin, of St. Louis, Chief Engineer; E. Eberwine, M. E. Lambert, Wm. H. Glover, of Shawneetown, and J. Nel.

Q. A. Ledbetter, of Elizabethtown. The new road will start at Shawneetown and terminate at the river at or near Rosi Clare and will be about thirty-two miles in length.

As now surveyed the road misses this town about three miles but the surveyor has promised to look over the route by here and with the proper effort by our people it will come here.

The Gallatin Democrat in speaking of the road says:

Before final arrangements with the Underwriting Company for the finances to build the road can be made, the right of way must be secured and a certain amount of donations in aid of the enterprise must be made by the people in this county and Hardin county within the next few days. Hence, all who feel an interest in the enterprise must put some immediate energy into the matter and help bring it to a successful conclusion. A few parties have worked hard and expended a considerable amount of money to accomplish this third of a century dream of road into this section and have brought it to a point where it will take the combined efforts of all interested to make it a reality, and otherwise it will only be another dream or a wild equipped on paper.

When it came to raising the incorporation fee, \$1043, it was given cheerfully by the citizens of Shawneetown. No panoply certain contributions will be asked to be paid until the road is built and in operation. Nor will deeds to the right of way be asked until the road is constructed.

## R. H. Yates in Colorado.

R. H. Yates arrived in the city Sunday at noon from Kentucky and will spend the winter months in the valley seeking better health. Mr. Yates is a well-to-do and prominent farmer of Crittenden county, Kentucky, and is an old friend of R. C. Walker, of this city. He became ill in the summer and his lungs were affected as a result of the illness. Having heard of the marvelous climate of the Grand Valley through friends, he decided to come here. Striking Grand Junction Sunday, when the mantle of snow covered everything and the winds were blowing cold his dreams of a land of almost eternal sunshine were somewhat shattered, but of course they will soon revive and materialize.

Grand Junction has a standing order for snow at Christmas time in order to have an ideal Christmas which completes a year of ideal weather. Mr. Yates stopped over in Denver enroute to visit old time friends. He is very favorably impressed with Grand Junction.

These market figures represent the situation up to December 20. Will be sold for cash only. Give us a call. At Givens' old stand.

## KENTUCKY LEADS

North Carolina is Second in Production of Tobacco.

**SICK BED REFLECTIONS**  
BY GOOSEQUILL

Sickness is but the blank verse epics of life.

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The mild, hacking and the spasmodic coughs are the punctuation marks.

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While the high fever and the quick breathing constitute the cadence and scansion.

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Take it in whatever way, we are never ready for these epics.

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But sickness is the reflection periods in the hurry-skurry of life.

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Then one's vocabulary consists of medical terms and other words.

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Both ways does the field glass of existence then point.

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Backward, to misspent time and lost opportunities;

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Forward, to the value of doing good and to the brevity of life.

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Reflection without remorse is a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

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The most beautiful gem in the diadem of reflection is introspection.

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Introspection's most valuable lesson is from the things we intended to do and never did.

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Few, very few indeed, can look into themselves and find nothing wanting.

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All things human are short, including life, except suicides.

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Sickness to some people is what the husks were to the Prodigal Son.

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Two things will sickness bring vividly before us—our debts and the future.

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Then of all glad words of tongue or pen, the gladdest are these: "Sick I have been."

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A few days rest in that miniature grave, the bed, with coated tongue and burning fever—that's being sick.

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It's a halt, however unpleasant, in the grand rush of life in order to enjoy the luxury of doing a thing.

## KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's New Discovery

FOR CONSUMPTION COUGHS AND SOLES Price 50c & \$1.00 Free Trial.

Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

## APPEAL FOR CALEB POWERS

The undersigned, regardless of political affiliations, have been constituted a committee to solicit and disburse a fund for the defense of Caleb Powers.

The Court of Appeals of Kentucky, having reversed the judgment sentencing him to death, remands the case to the Scott Circuit Court for another trial. Mr. Powers has been subjected to three trials and three appeals from the judgments of the Circuit Court, all of which have been reversed. His case goes back now to be tried out from the beginning. The three trials and three appeals to which he has been subjected have exhausted all his means. His parents and other relatives have sacrificed everything they possessed for him, and he is now wholly dependent on the fund that this committee may raise for his defense. The prosecution has at its disposal, in addition to its ordinary machinery of the courts, \$100,000, which the Legislature appropriated for the conviction of those charged with the murder of Senator Goebel. Caleb Powers, while steadfastly maintaining his innocence, has been confined in jail nearly five years. We feel called upon to say that our sole purpose is to obtain a fair trial for Mr. Powers, and a fair trial by an impartial jury is all that he demands. We believe the people of Kentucky will be satisfied with nothing less.

To meet the necessary expenses of his fourth trial, a large sum is absolutely necessary. At the former trials, which lasted from five to seven weeks, Mr. Powers was compelled to submit to trial in the absence of many of his witnesses by reason of the fact that he had not the means to pay their expenses to attend. Many of these witnesses are very poor, and while anxious to testify in the case, have not the means to do so at their own expense, living as they do at a distance, yet their testimony is of vital importance. Funds must be provided to secure their attendance. This alone will require a large sum of money. In addition to this expense, the stenographer's charges, costs of transcripts of testimony, expenses of interviewing distant witnesses, counsel fees, and other expenses incident to the trial will require, in the opinion of the committee, all that can be raised. The State can procure everything needed by it, and justice to Mr. Powers requires no less for him.

Judge Barker, who wrote the opinion reversing the judgment of the lower court, says:

"Nothing more surely tends to enhance the respect men owe the law than a firmly rooted conviction that its judgments are the offspring of even-handed justice, and of its temple an impartial jury is the chief cornerstone."

It is now the hope and expectation of the people that Caleb Powers will at last be tried by an impartial jury. The committee makes this appeal for a fund to pay the necessary expenses of this fourth trial, and will undertake to receive and disburse all contributions with the utmost care and fidelity. We hope for a fund sufficiently large to enable Mr. Powers to obtain a trial that all fair men will say was fair.

Contributions should be sent to Mr. John Marshall, treasurer of the committee, Louisville Trust Company building, and we would request that responses to this appeal be as prompt as possible, for the trial will probably take place within the next sixty days, and we must be prepared.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 9, 1904.  
MORRIS B. BELKNAP, Chm.  
S. B. BUCKNER  
ANDREW COWAN  
BASIL W. DUKE  
JOHN MARSHALL, Treasurer.

### A Visit To My Old Home.

The subject of this sketch was born on the top of the hill near old Fredonia church in the year 1850, was a boy of but few habits bad or good. He grew up slow. He went to school the first time with seven boys but they were not all of the same family. In less than three terms of three months each he mastered the old blue back speller. After this he bought a grammar and gave it to his oldest sister which completed his grammatical education. He also studied Davis' old Arithmetic and very nearly went through it. But in the meantime his father employed him to haul rock for a peach kiln. At this job he had a big toe mashed off and the dog ate it. So this much has gone to the dogs many years ago. About this time in his life he learned to use crutches. He had scarcely recovered from this till he used the ax very inhumanly on the other foot which caused him to continue the use of the crutch. All these years he was growing in the knowledge of the truth. He also had an interest in two dogs, Jeff and Tyler, which had a wide reputation as ewan dogs. He also wore a white gown till he almost grew out of it. He would often flee when he came in close contact with the opposite sex. He didn't have it on when he climbed the sugar haw tree. Later on he went into the sage speculation and boasted a few years later he emigrated west near Bennett's landing on the Ohio river. There he prospered for a few years at most. He also helped lay the foundation of the city of Tolu, in fact, hewed the very sillies of the first building of the great city. He was banished, or in other words lived on the island of Hur-

cane for five years. He afterwards lived an up and down life, as far up as old Ford's Ferry and as far down as Tolu. He also took a walk over in Crittenden and Livingston counties for the legislature on the prohibition ticket and sent E. B. Blackburn in his place. Last but not least came out second best for Circuit Court Clerk.

MORE ANON.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,

Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free.

Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"Weary Willie Walker" is a play full of genuine heart interest, and is full of exciting scenes and surprising climaxes. It has an interesting plot and holds the audience spellbound through the four acts. It is acted by a company of performers, specially engaged for each and every part of such a production which, together with the vast amount of new and beautiful scenery, keeps the audience in a suppressed state of excitement. It is a play that appeals to the innermost recesses of the heart; hence its wonderful success.

### Mother Shipton's Prophecy.

By request we give below the prophecy of Mother Shipton, which was first published in England in 1645. It was as follows:

"Carriages without horses shall go,  
And accidents fill the world with woe.  
Around the world thoughts shall fly  
Like the twinkling of an eye.  
Waters shall yet more wonders do,  
Now strange, yet shall be true.  
The world upside down shall be,  
And gold be found at root of tree.  
Through hills man shall ride  
And no horse or ass be at his side.  
Under water man shall walk,  
Shall ride, shall sleep, shall talk.  
In the air men shall be seen  
In white, in black, in green.  
Iron in the water shall float  
As easy as a wooden boat.  
Gold shall be found 'mid stone,  
In a land that's now unknown.  
Fire and water shall wonders do.  
England shall at last admit a Jew.  
And this world to an end shall come  
In eighteen hundred and eighty-one."

Mother Shipton was a true prophet in regard to railroads, iron ships, balloons, diving bells and submarine boats, the discovery of strange countries and, in fact, in all of her prophecies but the last. As to the last the date seems to have got mixed.

### Saved from Terrible Death.

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt, of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physicians and every remedy used failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at R. F. HAYNES' drug store.

### No More Quail.

The game law expired Saturday and no quail can be legally killed in the state from now until the 15th of November, 1905, when the next six week's season will be open to the nimrods. Birds were quite plentiful during the past season and thousands of them have been killed in this county.

### A Very Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. F. HAYNES. Price 50c.

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**Deeds Recorded**

J. P. Pierce and others to David C. Porter, lot in Marion for \$1200.

James R. Glass to Mrs. Lizzie Dalton, 63½ acres near Byensburg for \$600.

C. R. Newcom to G. W. Hilliard 40 acres of land for \$400.

T. M. Toomson to John Alexander, 68 acres of land for \$600.

Domestic Troubles.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you but cure. 25c at R. F. HAYNES' drug store.

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## For Pain

### Take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill, and the Pain will disappear Like Magic.

Not by paralyzing the nerves and glands, like opium, morphine, cocaine, and other dangerous drugs, but by increasing the natural secretions.

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Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are guaranteed that first package will benefit, or your money back. Never sold in bulk. "I am thankful for the good Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills have had and are doing me. Ever since the war I have had spells of severe throbbing headache, caused by rheumatism. Five years ago, I began taking Anti-Pain Pills, the only remedy that ever gave me relief. Since then I have not had one spell, and have but to take a Pill and it overcomes the difficulty."—GEO. BAUNDERS, Greensburg, Ind.

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### Large Lake to be Formed.

The Hopkinsville Water Company has purchased a tract of 80 acres of low land north of Hopkinsville a few miles and will construct a dam across the valley enclosed and thereby form an artificial lake capable of holding 200,000,000 gallons of water. Connection would be had with this body of water should the present supply of water become inadequate. The land was bought from several parties at an aggregate cost of about \$2,500. The lake will be about ten feet deep and will be stocked with fish and have a boating station. The situation is very suitable for pleasure parties and picnics.

### Wonderful Nerve.

Is displayed by many a man during pains of accidental cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c at R. F. HAYNES, druggist.

### Wanted.

MEN AND WOMEN in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established house of solid financial standing. Salary to men \$21 weekly, to women \$12 to \$18 weekly with Expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address, Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. B, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

### Marriage License.

Burton J. Bradley to Miss Myrtle L. Crider.

Jesse O. Cain to Miss Lizzie Hazel.

Frank L. Williams to Miss Lela Wilborn.

L. C. Gass to Miss Myrtle A. Wheeler.

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**FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1905.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**

**DEBOE** We are authorized to announce A. A. Deboe a candidate for the office of judge of the Crittenden county court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

**TOWERY**—We are authorized to announce Aaron Towery a candidate for the office of judge of the Crittenden county court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

**FOR SHERIFF**

**DUVALL**—We are authorized to announce Alonzo J. Duvall a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

**FLANARY**—We are authorized to announce J. F. Flanary a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

**HICKLIN**—We are authorized to announce William Sherman Hicklin a candidate for the office of sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

**FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT**

**LARUE**—We are authorized to announce R. A. LaRue a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

**FOR ASSESSOR**

**DAVIDSON**—We are authorized to announce Joseph Anthony Davidson a candidate for the office of assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

**CHANDLER**—We are authorized to announce Joseph Logan Chandler a candidate for the office of assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

**FOR JAILER**

**TRAVIS**—We are authorized to announce Albert H. Travis a candidate for the office of jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

It is not Marion's possibilities now, but Marion's probabilities.

We extend to you the usual greetings for the New Year.

The old year, 1904, has gone, but the lessons we learned in that short space of time will abide with us and help to make the new year, 1905, the best of all.

C. A. Brasher, who has for several years published the Hopkinsville Messenger, has sold his paper to W. A. McDonald, of Princeton, who until recently published the Princeton Chronicle. Mr. McDonald assumed charge at once and will continue the paper as a Republican organ.

The usual New Year's reception was held by the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House Monday, January 2, and was attended by 7718 callers. The portals of the White House swing open to all the world. What particularly characterizes the occasion, was the true spirit of democracy exercised by the host and hostess.

The total valuation placed by the State Railroad Commission upon the tangible property of the railroad corporations operating in Kentucky for the year 1904, is \$53,484,500. This is an increase in the assessment over that of last year of \$1,231,324. The total increase in mileage in Kentucky for the year is about 130. The highest valuation placed upon property in the year's assessment is upon the main stem of the L. & N. railroad company, which is assessed at \$40,000 per mile and upon the Cairo bridge which is valued at \$2,500,000.

**FOR RE-ELECTION**

**Judge Aaron Towery Asks Indorsement For a Second Term.**

**WALTER BLACKBURN**

**Is Requested to Make a Race For County Judge.**

**OFFICERS ELECTED**

**For the Ensuing Year by the Masonic Lodges of the County.**

Marion, Ky., Dec. 29, 1904  
To Mr. Walter A. Blackburn,  
Marion, Ky.

We the undersigned respectfully solicit you to make the race for the claims of Judge Towery. He court,

is well known to all our readers. B. L. Wilborn  
He has served the county both in the capacity of surveyor and judge, H. C. Paris  
and has proved himself to be honest, C. E. Metz  
and upright in every instance. His J. R. Clark  
judicious and executive abilities are qualities that befit him for the office he holds and to which he again aspires. He presents below G. U. Dollar  
a modest letter expressing his readiness to stand by the records of his office and render a faithful account of his stewardship. If J. A. Dollar  
Judge Towery is made the nominee of the party, THE RECORD will support him.

To Republicans of Crittenden County:

I take this method for announcing myself a candidate for re-election to the office of judge of the Crittenden county court. In that capacity I have been serving you for three years. Whether I have made you a good officer or not is not for me to say. Doubtless I have made some mistakes. If so, I will assure you that it was an error of the head and not of the heart.

It is not necessary for me to set forth in this article the condition in which I found the county affairs, but will say that I am ready and willing to render an account of my stewardship while serving my county and if proven to be good I ask you for an indorsement for a second term, and if in your judgment you see fit to honor me with a nomination, I will promise you in the future, as I have in the past, not to permit your banners to go down in defeat.

Thanking you for the past favors conferred upon me, I remain yours as ever, AARON TOWERY,  
J. C. C.

**R. A. LARUE**

**Announces For County School Superintendent.**

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**LOCAL BREVIETIES.**

R. J. Morris, Dentist, Marion.  
W. P. Crider, of Tolu, was here Monday.  
Harlin Growell was here Saturday on business.  
Call on the new firm, Wooldridge & Metz, barbers.  
Owen Boaz, of Dycusburg, was in town Saturday.  
T. D. Thompson, of Sturgis, was in the city Saturday.  
Prof. N. C. Curry, of Blackford, was in the city Sunday.  
Miss America Wooldridge is visiting relatives at Sturgis.  
L. B. Henry, of Dixon, attended the banquet Saturday night.  
J. B. Champion, Sr., of Livingston county, was here Sunday.  
Dr. R. J. Morris spent Christmas with his mother at Uniontown.  
W. W. Lamb, of Rodney, raised a tall stalk of corn—11 1/2 feet.  
H. C. Rice, of Fredonia, attended the Commercial Club banquet.  
Miss Della Barnes spent last week visiting friends at Hartford, Ky.  
Herbert Chittenden, of Livingston county, was in the city Sunday.  
Mrs. J. P. Pierce and Mrs. J. W. Flynn visited relatives at Nebo last week.  
Mrs. Eva Moore visited her father's family at Providence last week.  
Mrs. Byrdie Elder passed through town last week enroute to Halls, Tenn.  
Luther Farmer spent last week in the city visiting his father and mother.  
Miss Rebecca Williams is spending her vacation at her home in Providence.  
Miss Nellie Hoover, of near Sheridan, visited Miss Bertie Chittenden last week.  
G. W. Blackburn is very ill of rheumatism at his home on East Bellville street.  
Miss Pearl Hines, of Charleston, Mo., visited at Mrs. C. A. P. Taylor's last week.  
Miss Wakefield, of Texas, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. C. A. P. Taylor.  
After next week Dr. Shively will occupy his neat little cottage on East Depot Street.  
R. M. Wilborn is able to be out after two week's confinement on account of sickness.  
Sunday Silas Guess and family were guests of Mrs. Jim Loyd and family, of near Crayneville.  
Albert Shelly, of Louisville, visited his sisters, Mrs. Geo. Roberts and Mrs. John Wilson last week.  
Miss Ida Bebout, of Sheridan, who is teaching in the Paducah schools, spent the holidays at home.  
Deputy Marshal W. A. Blackburn and family, of Louisville, spent the holidays in the city, returning home Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swisher, of Tunica, Miss., spent the holidays here with relatives, returning home Wednesday.  
Mrs. J. D. Hardwick, of Charleston, Mo., and Mrs. C. M. Davis, of Mayfield, visited relatives here this week.  
Rev. Jas. F. Price left Monday for Kuttawa, where he will assist Rev. A. J. Thomson in a two weeks' meeting.  
Prof. Robert R. Champion, of Salem, was the guest of his brothers, J. B. and Thos. W. Champion Saturday and Sunday.  
Dr. T. B. Hunter, of near Carrsville, was in town Monday enroute to Louisville where he is attending the Hospital College of medicine.  
Messrs. Jno. M. Crowe, J. K. Waller, Darius Dyer, E. C. Ellis, L. C. Flourney, Lucien Drury and Chas. F. Hart, of Morganfield, were guests at the Commercial banquet Saturday night.

"The Shadows of Sin" at Opera House tonight.

Albert Likens, of Carrsville, was in town Monday.

Sam Cruce an old and respected negro died Wednesday.

Mrs. R. L. Moore went to Repton Wednesday to see relatives.

Frank Summersville, of Mattoon, moved to the city Tuesday.

W. C. O'Bryan, of Paducah, spent Christmas day in the city.

Mrs. A. M. Henry was the guest of relatives at Fredonia this week.

Miss Blanche K. Haase accompanied her father to Salem Tuesday.

Rev. B. Frank Jacobs returned Monday to his school work at Lebanon, Tenn.

Misses Minnie Pirtle and Iva French, of Fulton, are guests of Mrs. A. J. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nunn, of Blackford, were guests of relatives in town Saturday.

Hayes Jacobs, of Zillah, Washington, is spending the holidays here with relatives.

Geo. H. Nunn and family, of Blackford, spent Saturday and Sunday at Dr. Frazer's.

See John Sutherland at Jefferson "Die of Death" at the Opera House Saturday night.

Messrs. T. H. B. Hasse, and N. R. Farris, of Salem, attended the banquet Saturday night.

Messrs. Wm. Barnett and Dr. L. H. Clement, of Tolu, attended the banquet Saturday night.

Jerry Daughtrey, of Ford Ferry, has moved into the Mrs. Porter residence on Belleville street.

Col. I. H. Wheatcroft, of Wheatcroft, attended the Commercial Club banquet Saturday night.

Roy Gilbert has gone to housekeeping in a neat little cottage in the Weldon-Blackburn addition.

Col. D. C. Roberts, of Golconda, spent the holidays here and attended the Commercial Club banquet.

J. E. Crider, Jr., of Fredonia, was the guest of his brother, Johnson Crider, at the New Marion this week.

Cashier Roy L. Threlkeld, of the Salem bank, attended a banker association at Indianapolis last week.

Rev. J. F. Brown returned home Tuesday from Christian county where he has been engaged in a series of meetings.

Messrs. Thad and Will Frazer, of Dalton, were guests of their brother, Dr. T. Atchison Frazer, the first of the week.

Mrs. W. H. Stewart, of Oak City, Ind., and Miss Blanche Hall, of Owensville, Ind., visited E. P. Stewart last week.

Miss Martha Davis, of Russellville, returned home yesterday after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. R. McAfee.

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D. C. Porter and wife spent Christmas at Calhoun.

Few barbers anywhere can excell Wooldridge & Metz. Let them do your work.

Richie Pickens, of Norris City, Ill., spent Christmas with his parents here.

H. J. Scheuing and wife of the Illinois Central railroad were in the city Saturday.

The editor and wife spent Christmas holidays with relatives in Livingston county.

Mrs. Morte Williams left Wednesday for Princeton, Ind. to be the guest of relatives.

Will G. Hammond, of Chicago, visited his father, G. G. Hammond during the holidays.

Miss Elsie White, of Sturgis, returned home Wednesday after visiting Miss Subie Murphy.

When in the city do not fail to call on Wooldridge & Metz to have your barber work done.

Get a nice hair cut and shave at Wooldridge & Metz's barber shop, first door west of post office.

Mrs. Grant Bugg arrived yesterday to be the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Henry.

Miss Nelle Williams, of Providence, was the guest of her sister Mrs. E. C. Moore this week.

The young people of the town were delightfully entertained at the home of Judge Henry Cook.

The Clever Set were entertained at the home of A. M. Melton on Depot street Monday evening.

County Clerk C. E. Weldon has moved into his new residence in the Blackburn-Weldon addition.

W. D. Baird, proprietor of New Marion Hotel, was the guest of his sister Mrs. Price at Louisville this week.

Wm. Miller and L. A. Campbell, of Louisville, and members of the Commodore Mining Co., were here last week.

Frank Katterjohn and Edward Smith, of Owensboro, and members of the Ohio Valley Mining Co., were here last week.

Messrs. Taylor & Cannan received an invitation to attend the inaugural ceremonies of Gov. Douglas at Boston, Mass., Jan. 5th.

J. J. Stodghill, of Morganfield, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ada, were the guests of Mrs. A. M. Hearin the first of the week.

Mrs. Berna Langley Flynn, of Greenview, Ill., returned home Tuesday after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Pierce.

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James Pierce and wife, of Moundsville, registered at the New Marion last week.

Miss Cora Dollins, of Livington county, visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Campbell, last week.

G. M. Swisher and wife and D. J. Hubbard and wife were pleasant callers at this office Tuesday.

K. O. Grassham and J. H. Walker of Salem, started the new year right by spending the day in the city.

Claude Kidd and Wm. Kieber, of Evansville, left here Monday for Louisville where they are attending medical college.

Mrs. L. H. Mayes, of Caldwell county, returned home Sunday after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. G. M. Russell, of this city.

E. H. Sheeks and wife, of Memphis, and Hugh Deboe and wife, of Bee Bee, Ark., who spent the holidays here, left Wednesday for Bee Bee, Ark.

A. D. Noe came Monday from Morganfield summoned by the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. George Wall, of Governor street.

—Evansville Courier.

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180 laughs in 180 minutes. Mr. Ed R. Whelan and Miss Maude Phelps in the sensational comedy drama "Weary Willie Walker. You'll laugh—you'll cry—you'll scream." Wednesday evening, Jan. 11. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c. Seats on sale at Gilbert & Hicklin's grocery.

Mr. P. E. Cook, who has been with the Jake Bierderman Grocery company for the past eighteen months, has resigned effective today, and will on the fifteenth accept a new post in the city. Mr. Cook's many friends will wish him success in his new place.—Paducah Sun.

Mr. Cook is a former resident of this city and is well known throughout the county.

**Notice.**

Notice is hereby given to the public that one Abraham J. Perry is not our agent nor is he authorized to sell timber nor to collect money therefor, nor to act for us in any capacity whatever as agent or otherwise either in Livingston or Crittenden counties or elsewhere.

Louks & O'Brien, By Thos. O'Brien and J. H. Louks Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Notice.**

All that are owing me on old accounts and notes will please come round and settle with me as I am needing the money. Please help me as I helped you.

26-27 L. L. Price, Levias, Ky.

**CROOKED CREEK.**

Prayer meeting was attended here Sunday night.

Hamp Wolf and family, of St. Charles, spent Christmas with friends here.

Walter Thurman and family visited Lee Burklow's family of Pinckneyville Sunday.

Sam Hughes, of Mattoon, passed through here Saturday enroute to St. Charles.

R. L. Thurman spent Sunday with G. W. Arfax.

Will Stout, of St. Louis, Mo., spent Christmas with his father, William Stout, of this place.

The musicale Friday night at M. V. Ford's was enjoyed by all.

Chess Murry, of Missouri, visited his father last week.

Miss Eva Howland visited near Chapel Hill last week.

**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF****City of Marion, Ky.**

**Receipts and Disbursements from Jan. 1, 1904 to January 1, 1905.**

**RECEIPTS:**

Balance in Treasury from 1903	\$ 38.89
Tax collected	3,278.29
Fines collected	185.45
Saloon license	2,250.00
Other license	190.00
Miscellaneous receipts	160.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,103.13</b>

**DISBURSEMENTS:**

Rock for street repair	\$1,279.05
Electric lights	1,416.11
Labor on streets	956.55
Material for street repair	106.68
Printing	60.85
Keeping prisoners	276.00
Tax collector	199.67
Fire extinguishers	146.00
Sewer pipe	282.42
City Marshal	520.00
Registration Expenses	42.00
Salary of councilmen	144.00
Salary of mayor	75.00
Salary of clerk	35.00
Salary of assessor	25.00
Salary of treasurer	25.00
Rent of council chamber	84.00
Miscellaneous expense	142.66
Balance cash on hand	287.12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,103.13</b>

All of which is respectfully reported.

This Jan

## There Is an Ever Increasing Need for Vacations

By MRS. MARY K. O'SULLIVAN,  
Well-Known Massachusetts Labor Leader.

HERE is every reason why we need vacations more than our fathers did. On general principles, every generation has a right to demand more than the last. Our great-grandfathers were hitched to coal carts and driven like beasts in the mines; does it follow that we should be content with that? Our grandfathers worked 16 and 18 hours a day and were satisfied to eat out of the tin pail and sleep on the ground.

In our fathers' time men had already begun to demand a hot dinner and to think nothing too good for the man who labors.

Moreover, the crowding of workers into city tenements and huge centers of industry has created a special need for rest and recreation. Humanity is to-day huddled into crowded districts in ill-ventilated homes and workshops. The constant, relentless hum of wheels is broken only by the half-hour at noon. Every nerve is strained to meet the demands of a keen competition never before known in the history of man.

It cannot be denied that this generation is ill-content with the comforts and privileges of our forefathers. The Chinese are an exception to this rule, in cleaving to the customs and ideas of the past; surely we do not wish to emulate the death-in-life of this effete race. Ill progressive peoples aim ever for more life, more liberty, more happiness.

Primitive man was not content to be frozen or starved to death or eaten by wild animals. His dream was realized by the building of his hut and the shaping of his weapons of defense and aggression. His progeny began where he left off, and dreamed of canoes, of flocks and herds, of farm lands and the arts of peace. And from this noble discontent has come our civilization. In the face of discouragement and seeming failure the race has ever consoled itself with knowledge that sacrifice and struggle have not been in vain, that posterity would reap what had been sown.

Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness are now acknowledged as the inalienable rights of man. These rights are still threatened on every side. The life of the little child is ruthlessly fed to the hungry factory. The liberty of the great mass of mankind is still only a dream—and happiness! Who has found it? Even yet these main objects of life are denied to us; but to-day, as never before, we have the clear vision of what shall be man's inheritance.

Who is it rises up from the lap of luxury to inquire why the workers should be asking for more vacation than their fathers had before them? Let the worker answer him.

*Mary Kenney O'Connell*

## The Short Work Day

By HON. JOSEPH A. PARKS,  
Representative from the Fall River District in the  
Massachusetts Legislature.

The long work-day, which labor has been fighting and which has finally been shortened to a degree, wore out the body of the workman and made his mind sluggish. What ambition has the workman got to better his condition when he is compelled to work from sunrise till after sunset? He is thoroughly exhausted, and he goes to bed with no brighter prospect than another day's grind. There are hundreds and thousands of men working in mills and factories, earnest fellows, who are daily improving themselves through study and application after hours, because of the shortened day.

I have heard it said that the shortened day has increased intemperance among workmen. My experience and observation will not permit me to agree with this. I don't know anything about the statistics in the case, and I do not care. Figures can be made to prove almost anything and especially where labor is concerned. I think, on the contrary, that it was the long work-day that caused so much intemperance. Take the man who has worked to and 11 hours in the foundry or machine shop. When the day's work is done, he is about "all in," if I may use the expression. His system demands a stimulant and he takes it. It is not hard to follow the effect of that stimulant or to trace intemperance thereto. But to say that the workmen only gain more time for the barroom through the shortened day is entirely unfair, unjust and untrue.

The shortened work-day gives the men, especially the young men, that chance to see the better side of life, which I think means everything for them. For the view they get leads them to books and self-improvement. They broaden out, and refuse to be imprisoned through life in the narrow confines of the establishment.

Labor has set its face toward the goal of an eight-hour day. This would ameliorate still further the condition of the toilers.

I believe in good, sound citizenship and especially in the influence of the home. Without the shortened work-day the "influence of the home" would be an unknown factor in the lives of the masses who must work on and on to live.

*Joseph A. Parks*

No doubt there is in this country a rather close relationship or interaction between politics and business. Business—that is, to say,

the Japanese apply one of their many pretty ways to the launching of ships. They use no wine, but instead hang over the ship's prow a large pasteboard cage full of birds. The moment the ship is floated a string is pulled, when the cage opens and the birds fly away, making the air alive with music and the whirr of wings. The idea is that the birds thus welcome the ship as she begins her career as a thing of life.

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### Music on a Chimney.

A dozen members of Cooper's brass band, Barnsley, have given

a singular performance. A chimney connected with the local Co

operative society's electricity

plant has been completed, and the

and were assembled on the para

at the top of the chimney, about

140 feet high, and from their lofty

stand gave a short performance.



### STARTED IN PHILADELPHIA.

Some Things Which Go to Show That the City Is Not So Slow as Said to Be.

"It is considered smart in some other cities to sneer at the slowness of Philadelphia," said the antiquary, according to the Philadelphia Record, "but it is a superficial smartness born of ignorance of real conditions. Philadelphia has often taken the lead in great movements."

"Our centennial exposition in 1876 inaugurated the custom of holding such displays in this country, but that instance is comparatively modern. The first public library in the United States was founded in this city by Benjamin Franklin in 1731. The first medical college in America was opened here in 1751, and the first law school was established in 1790. The first American flag was made here and the first American volunteer fire company was organized here in 1736."

"The first coins made in the United States were struck here in the mint established in 1792. The first paper mill built in America was erected upon the Wissahickon creek in 1690. The first piano forte manufactured in the United States was made by John Behrent in 1775. The mariner's quadrant was invented by Thomas Godfrey in Germantown in 1730. The Philadelphia water works, the first of the kind in the country, were begun May 2, 1799."

"The first American expedition for arctic exploration left here on March 4, 1753. The first vessel moved by steam was navigated at Philadelphia by John Fitch, July 20, 1786. The first experimental railroad laid down in the United States was put down in a yard adjoining the Bull's Head tavern in September, 1809. It seems to me that these few statements of facts should be sufficient to disprove the charge that Philadelphia is or ever has been slow."

### STRAWBERRIES CURE GOUT

According to Medical Authority Much Benefit May Be Derived from the Fruit.

The common condemnation of strawberries as bad for rheumatism is opposed by good medical authority. It is said gouty patients may derive benefit from their use, "seeing that the berries' richness in certain salts tends to render the blood alkaline and to lower the acidity of the excretions." According to analysis recently made, the average composition of the 1904 strawberry is as follows:

	Per Cent.
Water	80.50
Lime and citric acids (including free acid)	1.13%
Protein	1.17
Sugar	8.80
Oily matter	0.154
Cellulose and seeds	2.42

A strawberry contains a greater proportion of water than does milk, which, on the face of it may seem odd, since the strawberry appears to be solid as compared with milk. As to nutritive value the strawberry can count for little unless the sugar is regarded, which amounts to one-half the total solid matter, as valuable in this respect. The mineral salts of the strawberry contain quite a large proportion of potassium, phosphoric acid and iron, so that the view that an abundant diet of strawberries may have the effect of a tonic is not without some reasonable basis. Tannic acid has little or no action upon the fruit, so that the "strawberry tea" is justifiable dietically.

### The Gentle Voice.

We all have our trials at the

telephone, but we do not usually

hear "central's" opinion of us.

A San Francisco lawyer, who had

been trying for ten minutes or

more without success to get the

number he asked for, at last gave

vent to his annoyance in very

strong language. His wife, who

was standing near, said, persua-

sively: "Let me try, dear." Then

in a gentle voice she called

"Hello, Central!" Her husband

distinctly heard "central" an-

swer promptly: "Just a moment,

madam. There is a crazy man on

the line. Let me settle him first."

—San Francisco Argonaut.

### Miles of Volumes.

The British museum contains

over 2,000,000 volumes of printed

books and manuscripts, which are

stored upon 40 miles of shelving.

### INDIANS' STOMP DANCE.

Favorite Summer Sport of the Creeks Indulged In by Fullbloods Only.

The Kansas City Journal of recent date says within a few weeks will begin another favorite summer sport of the Creeks which is now on the wane—the stomp dance. Stomp dances were formerly held in all the Indian towns, but now only in the strictly full-blood settlements. These come on about the time green corn is old enough to eat. A stomp is called and all the town, sometimes two, combine and assemble.

The bucks go out and hunt until they have killed enough game for a feast. The roasting ears are pulled and prepared and the eating and dancing begin. The dance resembles the gait of a ram just as he starts on a charge, and it is accompanied by such noises as only Indian voices can produce. The dancing and feasting are kept up from one to three days and end with a big ball game and feast. Then the medicine man, without occult ceremony, extinguishes the fires, builds a new one, and from this new one each family takes home fire and starts a fire on its own hearth.

### THE PASSION FOR GIVING.

Has at Times Led People to Steal in Order That They Might Gratify It.

Giving becomes a disease in time," remarked a West Philadelphian woman who has had some experience in very practical forms of charitable work, says the Philadelphia Record. "It is delightful to most of us to be assured that some deed of ours has given great pleasure or done much good. Indeed, it gives us more satisfaction than many deeds acted out from the most purely selfish motives, and will appeal to us after these more selfish pleasures cease to please. It takes a terrible hold on many people. Women who have been able to give liberally have continued after they had nothing of value, sending silly, worn-out finery that could not possibly be of use to anybody.

But they have tasted the joy of conferring benefits, or receiving gratitude, and they simply can't deny themselves. Why, people have stolen that they might not have to give up the pleasure of bestowing gifts! Nothing can exceed the lengths to which this passion for giving will carry its victims."

### SMOKER POLISHES PIPE.

Tobacco Dealer Tells How the Veteran

Puts on the Rich Gloss.

"One of the fads of the dyed in the wool pipe smoker is to have a dazzling polish on his pipe, and it's curious how he puts the gloss on," said a tobacco dealer, according to the Philadelphia Record.

"Watch a veteran pipe smoker closely, and you see him occasionally rub the bowl of his pipe against his face, usually on each side of his nose. That's how he puts the polish on. The heat of the briar and the oil of the skin against which it is rubbed work up a rich gloss. A smoker's favorite pipe, you will find, has the sheen of rosewood. It takes months of rubbing to work up a looking-glass polish, and the longer the practice is indulged in the more shiny the pipe becomes.

I don't know who originated the idea, but all old smokers are to it, and the pride they take in their polished pipes is amazing

### The Day We Celebrate.

Explosive Patriotism.

If some foreign bold should ask us just why

we make such a rumpus on Fourth of July,

which one of our agile and promising boys

could tell us the reason of all the great noise?

It is simply because the fine little man

who sets off his firecrackers under a can,

and torpedoes explodes with a vibrant whack.

Must have some time for hubbub, and

something to crack!

Or is it because our American girls

with their pretty duck suits and their ribbons and curtsies

No matter if found in East, West, South

or North.

Require for their picnics an annual Fourth?

Is there no deeper reason, no meaning

than's higher in all this commotion, this frenzied fire?

Through the old "Declaration" is a bit out

Has the Fourth not a bearing on matters of state?

Yes, we think, that it has, that the use of

the day more than's implied in just "cracking away."

It's time for rejoicing in history past,

As "Old Glory" is everywhere raised to its mast.

And so on as the rocket and firecracker fly

let our people remember the days now gone by;

And amid all the rumpus and hullabaloo

Hear a call on their souls to be loyal and true!

—C. A. S. Dwight, in N. Y. Observer

### Freedom's Day.

O land, adored from sea to sea

Beneath the emblem of the red

There comes again thy matal day;

## WOMEN IN TROUSERS.

In Champy, Switzerland, the sight causes no comment.

It will probably be news to many advocates of feminine dress reform to hear that the women of Champy, a primitive mountain district of the Canton Valais, Switzerland, have worn trousers from time immemorial. The Champy region is in the southwestern part of the Canton Valais, the village of Champy itself being at the foot of the Dent du Midi, well known to Lake Geneva tourists.

The men of Champy are noted for their hairy habits, and beyond acting as guides to mountain climbers in the summer months they lead an absolutely idle life.

The women perform all the hard labor required of a mountain-eering people.

It is they who pasture the cattle on the steep and often dangerous Alpine slopes, cut the timber,

and now the grass. It is a usual sight to see a Champy woman, her daily toll ended, returning to the village dragging her husband on one of the wooden sledges in general use throughout Switzerland, her lord and master all the while lazily smoking his pipe.

Under such circumstances it is not surprising that the women of Champy should have adopted the masculine attire.

Their costume is of the simplest kind—a jerkin of rough, dark blue material, with trousers to match,

and a red foulard to protect the head.

While desirous practical, nothing more unprepossessing in the way of feminine dress could be imagined than this costume of the Champy damsels and damsels. Moreover, these wives and mothers of Champy, who are accustomed to all the work generally supposed to be the lot of the sterner sex, not unnaturally seek what civilization they can in masculine comforts.

Chief among these is the short briar pipe, which they all smoke and evidently enjoy as much if not more than their husbands and fathers.—New York Tribune.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

**Business.** like your salary, might always be better.

The croquette is the old-fashioned hash ball after it gets into society.

Some people are too insistent on the right to be fools in their own way.

When a young man refuses to work, that is the beginning of all his other troubles.

When you abuse a boy for being worthless, remember how worthless you were at his age.

Some people say farming is so much easier than it used to be. Still, if a farmer does his duty even in these days he knows he has a job.

There is a good deal in print about the contagious bengh—but how often do you hear it? The writer of this knows but two people of all his acquaintances who have a laugh that is contagious.—Atchison Globe.

## They Cut Both Ways.

Some intelligence offices encourage even the greediest girls to shun general housework and try for the place of cook, parlor maid, etc., for it increases the fee, many offices basing this upon the amount of wages paid. This is one explanation of the decreasing number of general housework girls.

They are also responsible for some of the restlessness of employees. Girls are placed in positions and removed when they are needed for others. Some employees tax, ramming, scolding. Green foreigners are sent, and when they have learned enough English and housework they are sent to others for higher wages, the office not neglecting to collect the extra fees.

Then they interest the long suffering employer, who they understand their girl has left and that they can supply her need.—Athletic Monthly.

## His Portrait.

A tramp of some little respectability appeared at a goldsmith's door, taking alms. "Not today," said the interrogated one. "When may I call?" responded the tramp. "Why don't call at all. I know what you are; I saw your picture on a tin sign up the greasy side at the corner." The applicant for a loan sauntered leisurely down to the place and stood viewing the grotto in the widow. Soon his eye came upon a can of crustaceans from the Maine coast. This *big* *big* looked at him. As he meandered away he mumbled to himself, "Well, that's the neatest way of calling a fellow a lobster that I've struck yet."

## Harcourt and Tennyson.

One of the stories told of the late Sir William Vernon Harcourt relates to a gibe at Tennyson. The poet was one day reading him the lyrics for "The Princess," and when in "Tears, Idle Tears," he came to the line, "The earliest pipe of half awakened birds," Harcourt looked up and said, "Ah, I suppose that would be a pipe before breakfast!" Tennyson is said to have received the jest a little grimly.

## Molecules.

"What are you studying now?" asked Mrs. Cumroo.

"We have taken up the subject of molecules," answered her son.

"I hope you will be very attentive and practice constantly. I tried to get your father to wear one, but he couldn't make it stay in his eye."

—Washington Star.

## Her Generosity.

Mrs. Pall: Have you given anything to charity this year? Mrs. Mall: Yes, I have just sold all of my old clothes to my washerwoman for almost nothing.—Detroit Free Press.

The Cheyo pagoda in Burma is built on a huge rocking stone poised on another at a height of 2,000 feet.

## MORAL DILEMMAS.

### When Man Is Forced to Make a Choice Between Two Evils.

The rules of logic are unknown to the mass of mankind, but no one possessed of intelligence is unfamiliar with the process of balancing alternatives. Even the animals use it when they choose between two paths or two actions, as between flight and fight. Men use it in every dilemma, great or small, from the choice between the simplest actions to the issue of life or death. Is the thing under consideration good or bad? Shall I vote for A or B? Shall I act now or postpone? Shall I take a risk? Shall I stop or go on? Shall I change my course? Shall I do this or that? In these and other dilemmas we balance the consequences of one alternative against the other and choose what appears to be the better. Facing death in two forms, we choose the better way. Balancing alternatives, one will jump from a high window to the pavement to escape fire.

The moral dilemmas presented to us are not always limited to a clear choice between right and wrong. It is wrong to steal, but should one starve to death rather than steal? It is right to tell the truth, but should one tell the truth when it involves the betrayal of his comrade, his country, his family? It is wrong to deceive, but would not one be justified in deceiving the enemy who would destroy him? It is wrong to kill, but may not one kill in self defense?

The problem of morals presses constantly upon the human race, presenting to each individual in turn new trials, difficulties and repugnant choices. Each must to a large degree choose his own way to fight his own battle. These are the facts which confuse our ethical counselors. It is not possible to act always in exact harmony with our moral code. If one is so placed that he can save his mother from starvation only by stealing, he will violate the fifth commandment if he permits her to starve, and he will violate the eighth commandment if he chooses to steal. The choice between two evils often comes to the individual suddenly and imperatively. He must act at once, rendering a decision for which there is often no precedent known to him. The Decalogue, which he can recite, the philosophical analysis of the evolution of ethics, do not aid him.

He who is thus tried and who desires to do right will choose the course which is least evil. He will balance the alternatives, exactly as does the one who jumps to the pavement rather than remain in the burning building.

From "Balance: The Fundamental Virtue," by Orlando J. Smith.

### A Tricky Skipper.

Talking about rats, said a stevedore on a Sixth street pier, "reminds me of a pretty slick trick I witnessed the other day on the part of a down east skipper who wished to rid the ship of a number of troublesome rodents. His vessel was moored near to an English freighter, and he noticed that she was taking in a quantity of cheese. One evening he found an excuse for hauling out to her and taking his own packet alongside. The next step was to procure a plank, smear it well with all odoriferous preparation of red berries and place it through an open port on board the Englishman. The result was that during the night there was a wholesale immigration of rats from the American ship to hold the cheese laden vessel alongside."—New York Press.

### Fitted for the Business.

"Have you ever had any experience in canvassing for subscription books?" asked the man at the desk.

"No, sir," said the applicant for a job, "but I can put up a good talk."

"Well, take a copy of this work and go and see if you can get an order. I'll give you half a day to make the sale."

The applicant went away.

In an hour or two he returned.

"What luck?" inquired the man at the desk.

"I've got an order for this book in full measure from Yoshiwara, sir."

"The d—d! You'll do, young man."

—Chicago Tribune.

### Japanese Toys.

"Our children," says a Japanese lady, "are not children long, and we can do most with them when they are little. Then we show them only beautiful things, you know—only beautiful things—little silk balls and little carved ivory things. Oh, your children's things—*toys*, don't you call them?—are so ugly. We would be afraid of what our children would be if we gave them your children's toys."—Melbourne Leader.

### Laughter.

One of the principal elements of safety to life and property in our society is the indecision and the consequent stupidity of many of the evil disposed. There are malicious persons who are harmless only because they are afflicted with the germ of laziness.—Philadelphia Record.

### Remodeled.

Kwoter—"He laughs best who laughs last." There's a great deal of truth in that old saw. Wise Yes, but there's more truth in the new saw that he laughs best who laughs first and whose laugh lasts.—Exchange.

### For Their Health.

Teacher—Now, who can tell me why the Puritans came to this country? Small Member of History Class—I mean, teacher. They came to purify their school.

There are still Davids herding sheep, Lincolns splitting rails, Garfields working towpaths.—Bishop Warren.

## Church Directory.

### METHODIST CHURCH.

PASTOR, J. R. McAfee.  
PREACHING, every Sunday at 11 a. m.  
SUNDAY SCHOOL, every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.  
PRAYER MEETING, every Wednesday night.

### BAPTIST CHURCH.

PASTOR, Rev. T. A. Conway.  
PREACHING, 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and at night.  
SERMON AND BUSINESS MEETING 2nd Saturday night.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.  
PRAYER MEETING, every Thursday night.

### CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

PASTOR, Rev. J. F. Price.  
PREACHING, 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, opens at 9:30 a. m. every Sunday.

TEACHERS' MEETING is held at church every Tuesday at 8 p. m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

PASTOR, Rev. S. J. Martin.  
PREACHING, 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays and nights.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.  
PRAYER MEETING every Wednesday night.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

PASTOR, Elder H. A. McDonald, Cadiz, Ky.  
PREACHING, 2nd and 3rd Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and at night.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.

### Outside Appointments

#### of Our Local Preachers.

Rev. S. J. Martin, 2nd Sunday and night, Tolosa.

Rev. T. A. Conway, 3rd Sunday, Rock Springs.

Rev. W. T. Oakley, 1st Sunday, Mt. Carmel; 2nd Sunday, Bell's Mines; 3rd Sunday, Sugar Grove; 4th Sunday, Crayeville.

Rev. T. C. Carter, 1st Sunday, Pond Fork; 2nd Sunday, Kuttawa; 3rd, Pinkneyville; 4th, Bell's Mines; 5th, Old Salem.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn, 1st Sunday, Dolason; 2nd Sunday, Walnut Grove; 4th, Crooked Creek.

Rev. Jas. F. Price, 2nd Sunday, Lismore; 4th Sullivan.

Rev. U. G. Hughes, 1st Sunday, Emmaus Church; 2nd, Sugar Creek; 3rd, Baker Church; 4th, Old Salem.

Rev. J. S. Henry, 1st Sunday, Union; 2nd, Danville; 3rd, Shady Grove. Services held both Saturday and Sunday.

### Lodge Directory.

BIGHAM LODGE NO. 256 F. & A. M.

REGULAR meeting in Masonic Hall Saturday before full moon in each month.

Visiting members are invited to attend.

C. E. Dunn, W. M.  
J. B. Kevil, Sec'y.

CRITTENDEN CHAPTER NO. 36.

Meets Saturday night after full moon in each month.

J. G. Gilbert, H. P.  
J. B. Kevil, Sec'y.

WINGATE COUNCIL NO. 35.

Meets 2nd Monday night in each month.

J. G. Gilbert, T. L. M.  
J. B. Kevil, Sec'y.

BLACKWELL LODGE NO. 57, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Meets in K. of P. Hall every Friday night from October to April inclusive, and 2nd and 4th Friday nights from May to September inclusive.

All visiting members of sister lodges are invited to attend.

Wm. A. Ringo, Conductor Commander,  
Sandy Adams, K. and R. S.

MARION LODGE NO. 60, A. O. U. W.

Meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights in Masonic Hall.

J. S. Braswell, M. W.  
B. L. Wilborn, Recorder.

ROSEWOOD CAMP, NO. 22, W. O. W.

Meeting in Masonic Hall the 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights in each month. All visiting members are invited to attend.

W. H. Clark, Con. Com.  
S. H. Ramage, Sec'y.

### City Government.

J. W. Blue, Jr., MAYOR.

J. B. Kevil, JUDGE.

J. C. Bourland, CLERK.

H. K. Woods, TREASURER.

Joe A. Moore, ATTORNEY.

A. S. Cannon, CHIEF OF POLICE.

COUNCILMAN—R. F. Hayes, G. C. Gray,  
H. Copher, Louis Clifton, T. J. Appling, and  
H. Levi Cook.

REGULAR meeting of City Council second Tuesday night in each month.

CITY COURT first Monday in each month.

### Court Officials and County Officers.

CIRCUIT CLERK—John G. Asher.

COUNTY CLERK—C. E. Weldon.

ASSESSOR—G. T. Belt.

JAILER—A. H. Travis.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—Jno. B. Paris.

CORONER—W. A. Halemba.

SURVEYOR—J. E. Sullinger.

# New Years Greeting!

OUR END OF  
THE SEASON  
SALES  
ARE NOW ON!  
AVAIL  
YOURSELF OF  
SOME OF THE  
MANY  
BARGAINS!

We are thankful to our many friends and customers for the liberal patronage we enjoyed during the year just closed, and we believe that on every sale we made a customer for 1905, and we are now prepared to handle your business during the present year in our customary satisfactory manner. It has always been our aim to give our customers the best goods at the lowest possible price, and this is one of the many reasons for our large business. We are now selling all of winter goods at sacrifice prices in order to close them out.

PLACE  
YOUR  
BUSINESS  
WITH US  
DURING THE  
YEAR OF  
1905  
AND YOU WILL  
PROSPER.

## YANDELL-GUGENHEIM CO.

### LOCAL NEWS.

As Gathered by Our Efficient Correspondents.

#### CARRSVILLE.

Miss Mamie Yates, the intermediate teacher of Grand Rivers, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Brewer, of this place.

Prof. Forest Brewer and wife are visiting the family of Charles Daniel.

C. W. Steel, of St. Louis, is a guest of his brother-in-law, Will Houston.

Coy Travis, of Arkansas, is here visiting his father and friends. He may make this his home.

Messrs. Smith and Katterjohn, of the Ohio Valley Mining Company, accompanied by Prof. Reed, of Marion, were here Saturday looking after their mine on the M. C. Wright property. The shaft was cleared of pipes, pump, etc., preparatory to putting in a steam outfit in the near future.

A. C. Babb was here Saturday.

Drs. Masoncup, of Lola, and Gardner, of Sheridan, and wives visited Mike Gardner last week.

Messrs. Claude Kidd and William Keibler went to Louisville last week to attend the medical lectures.

William Bishop went to St. Louis last week with sheep and hogs.

Irl Threlkeld who has been in the west for some time is spending a few days with his father, Harvey Threlkeld.

John J. Chittenden, of Hampton, was here Saturday.

M. C. Wright went to Golconda last Friday.

James Bryan entered school here Monday.

E. E. Burke began Monday to open up a coal mine near the mill.

#### VIEW.

Davenport Bros. are delivering a great many stave bolts on the rail road at Crayneville.

Mrs. Mollie Mullinax met with quite an accident, that of getting her leg broken. At present she is doing very well.

While timbers were being lowered at the Hodge mines one of the timbers fell and struck Rowland Hard, son of Esq. T. P. Hard who was badly hurt.

Quite a lot of spar is being mined on the L. F. White place and a full crew of hands are at work.

A. H. Cardin has made quite a large purchase of tobacco this season and will begin operations at his large stemmery in the near future.

Rumor has it there will be a wedding soon.

C. W. Fox killed a 2 1/2 year old sheep that weighed 530 pounds net weight.

Operations have begun at the Ebby Hodge mines after a shut down of several months.

#### BLACKFORD.

John Lence, who was badly burned a few weeks ago, is not any better.

Rev Nunn and Miss Grace Brooks went to Evansville last Wednesday and were married at the Vendom Hotel.

Harlan Morgan and wife spent Sunday in Morganfield.

Claude Guess, of Marion, was here Monday.

Miss Linnie Nunn spent Christmas at Repton.

The people of this place have organized a C. P. church here with fourteen members.

The boys of Sullivan were in town Saturday night.

Dennie Hubbard and Will Carnahan spent Christmas in Marion.

R. N. Grady is in very poor health at present and will leave for the south to spend the winter.

Frank Pickens returned from Missouri last week.

Will Rice returned from Missouri last week.

Jim Holt and Miss Stella Burton were married at the Travis hotel on the 22nd.

#### RUTH.

Christmas was pretty quiet in part of the country.

There was a pound party and musicale at J. S. Dunings, also one at I. M. Stevensons.

Hugh Pilant and wife, of Dycusburg, visited Mrs. Sallie Stevenson during the holidays.

Finis Blackburn, of Grayville, Illinois, visited relatives here several days last week.

Star route No. 30239 from Ruth via Enon to Fredonia is supplied by rural carrier, L. O. Lowery.

Masters Tommie and Volney Morgan went to the depot at Kelsey Saturday after goods for J. T. Morgan.

J. T. Morgan wants to buy a female canary bird and will pay cash. Write him at Ruth, Ky., naming price.

There was an interesting Sunday school and singing at the church Sunday evening.

#### ROSE BUD.

Prayer meeting every Sunday night.

Wesley Clift, of Rodney, visited here recently.

Ivan Thurman, of Blackford, attended church here Sun-day night.

Mrs. Lizzie Arfleck, who has been quite ill, is no better.

Several of our young folks at

tended the pie supper at J. W. Pritchett's Saturday night.

Thomas O'Neal will return to Missouri in a few days.

Miss Etta Pritchett, of Gladstone, spent Sunday with Miss Elva Hatlev, at this place.

Elijah Phillips contemplates returning soon to the West.

#### HAMPTON.

Dr. J. F. Crawford left here last Monday to visit his parents a few days.

The big turkey dinner at S. T. Rector's Christmas day was enjoyed by several.

D. D. Docterman and Miss Bettie Ramage and Jesse Steel and Miss Maude Davis were married here last Wednesday evening.

Our teacher, Prof. Crow, gave a week's vacation which both teachers and pupils enjoyed.

#### PINEY.

Willie Kemp left Sunday for Louisville.

Clyde Casner, who is attending Lockyear's Business College at Evansville, spent the holidays with home folks.

Born, to the wife of Gip Brantley, December 27th, a girl.

About one o'clock last Wednesday, Rev. Rufus Little was called from his ferry-boat and asked to perform the rights of matrimony which made Dennis Brantley and Miss Clara Brantley man and wife.

The groom is the son of Gus Brantley who recently moved from this county to Missouri and the bride is the daughter of Henry Brantley, of the Repton community. They will go to Missouri where they will make their future home.

Thos. L. Martin and Miss Delta Bird were married last Wednesday, Bro. Little officiating.

Sam Pendleton, who for several years, has lived in this county, moved this week to Webster county and Bud Gardner, who has been living in Webster, moved to this county.

Misses Elva, Mary and Vernie Babb attended the musicale at George Kemp's Saturday night.

Miss Maggie Towery is visiting this week in the Iron Hill vicinity.

#### IRON HILL.

Uncle Andy Hill, of this county, died last Wednesday night and was buried in the Chapel Hill cemetery Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheeks, of Memphis, Tenn., and Hugh Delsoe and family, of Bee Bee, Ark., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Maggie Towery, of Piney, is visiting her sister, Miss Mary, who is teaching at Lamb's school house.

Miss Annie Kemp entertained young people.

## EDUCATION!

Marion Graded School Bigins its Spring Term

Monday, Jan. 23, 1905.

To those interested in education in Crittenden and adjoining counties, Marion Graded School can serve your best interests.

Something New Inaugurated

Marion Normal proposes to prepare teachers and prospective teachers for best of county certificates; to give better methods of teaching, and to prepare for State certificates.

Classes in Normal Training

Organized February 27th.

\$5,000 worth of improvements to greet you. Rates cheap. Write or call on

CHAS. EVANS,

Marion, Ky.

Miss Lily Graves returned to St. Vincent New Years day.

Oscar Scott, who has for some time been in business at Cairo, Ill., is spending the holidays with his family.

Johnson Easley, of Fredonia, was in our midst Sunday.

Miss Minnie Wheeler was the guest of relatives here Christmas week.

Henry Wells and family spent Sunday with friends in Livingston.

The many friends of Mrs. J. M. Graves, who has been quite sick, will be pleased to learn that she is convalescing.

Mrs. John Walters died at Crider recently, and her remains were brought to this place for interment. Mrs. Walters lived here several years and her death is much regretted by her many friends.

The remains of Miss Gladys McClure, who died at Paducah of typhoid fever, were brought to the Dycusburg cemetery for interment.

Mrs. Jane Cochran and little daughter, Pearl, have returned from Paducah.

Lucian Vosier and wife are visiting friends and relatives here.

Charlie Mitchell and William Tolbert, of Missouri, are visiting friends and relatives here and in Livingston.

Dalton Vosier is at home this week.

Ed Ramage and family have

returned from Metropolis, where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Lucy Brasher, of Caldwell Springs, was the guest of Miss Mayme Steel last week.

Rev. John Fralich, former pastor of the Methodist church at this place, was a welcome guest among his friends last week.

We regret that Rev. Mr. Sills' time has expired as pastor of the Dycusburg Baptist church.

Clarence Woodall and family enjoyed New Years day in the country.

#### TRADE WATER.

Bro. King filled his regular appointment at Cave Spring Sunday.

Uncle John Gilbert and wife, of Gladstone, visited their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Cook, Saturday and Sunday.

Gip Brantley is all smiles—it's a girl.

Mrs. Laura Orr, who has been sick for some time, is getting better.

M. K. Givens and T. M. Dean and families, of Iron Hill, attended church here Sunday.

J. L. Chandler went to Marion Monday.

G. N. Little and family visited Charlie Walker Sunday.

Frank Pickens, who visited relatives and friends here last week has returned to his home at Anniston, Mo.

J. E. Crowell, of Blackford, is spending a few days with his son, J. E. Crowell.