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## HER FIRST TRIP HOME

The Remains of Mrs. Ruby Bigham Threlkeld, Bride of a Year Brought to Chapel Hill.

A letter was received last week by relatives telling of the serious illness of Mrs. Reed Threlkeld at Manilla, Ark., where she and her young husband full of hope, had located only a few months ago. The letter was scarcely read before a telegram came, in which it was stated that an operation might save her. Relatives and friends taken by surprise were shocked as the news of her illness had not been generally circulated, and they anxiously awaited news of her improvement. Their hopes were rudely dashed to the earth Saturday when the sad message came telling her loved ones here that she was no more and that in order to carry out her wish that she be buried at Chapel Hill cemetery, near the little church which she loved so well, the start homeward would be made at 3 o'clock that day.

The remains accompanied by the stricken husband and his brother Elmer reached Crayne at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and were taken to the home of her sister Mrs. Wm. W. Ward at Crayne, from whence the funeral took place Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at Chapel Hill church Rev. A. J. Thompson officiating, the interment taking place immediately afterward in the Chapel Hill cemetery.

A large congregation assembled to pay the last tribute of love and respect to the departed, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Redford Yates, of Marion, who sang a beautiful duet. There were some beautiful floral offerings. There were many sad hearts who shed bitter tears as the memory of the bonny bride of twelve short months ago came into their minds.

Ruby William Bigham was born July 20, 1887, professed faith in Christ and joined Chapel Hill church Oct. 20, 1905. Married to Reed Threlkeld Wednesday evening Jan. 7th, 1914. Died Friday night at ten o'clock Jan. 8th, 1915, a year and a day after her marriage. Age 27 years, 5 months and 19 days. She was the youngest child of Wm. Harrison Bigham and his wife Frances Asbridge, the former of whom survives. Her mother died about 12 years ago. 2 brothers, Eura H. and J. Tilford and two sisters, Ada, wife of Wm. W. Ward and Addie, wife of James N. Hill, all of this county, survive her.

## DEATHS

Lula Jane Tabor, daughter of J. Henry and Arminta Jane (Cox) Tabor, of Mulliken died at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Farley four miles east of Marion on the Morganfield road, Thursday night Jan. 7th 1915, at six o'clock.

Nov. 11th, 1895 was the date of her birth. She was born in Caldwell county and is survived by one brother J. W. Tabor, of Wheatcroft, Ky. The interment took place Friday afternoon two o'clock at the new Marion Cemetery.

## CHERRY FOR GOVERNORSHIP

Bowling Green Educator Declares Candidacy For Democratic Nomination.

Prof. H. H. Cherry, president of the Western State Normal School, has decided to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor, and his formal announcement is now being prepared and will be issued in the Record-Press soon.

Prof. Cherry was in Louisville Saturday and, after a conference with his close friends and managers of his boom, stated to them that he was in the race to the finish. He will resign his place as president of the Normal School at once.

## Art Studio In The "Busy Bee Block."

Miss Jeanette Waggoner of Martin, Tennessee has opened an art studio in the "Busy Bee Block" next to Dr. F. W. Nunn's office and next door to the Cumberland telephone office.

She has been teaching four years in her home town, Martin, studied with Anna Wheeler Jones two years in Nashville and with Minnie Sattinger Nashville, also spent last year with L. Pearl Saunders director of school of applied design in Chicago.

Miss Waggoner comes well recommended and is a young woman of refined and pleasing address who will make friends here among our people. She has quite a number of pupils enlisted already.

## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CITY OF MARION, KY.

Receipts and Disbursements, From Jan. 13th, 1914 to Jan. 4th, 1915.

[RECEIPTS]	
Balance from 1914,	\$1213.08
Taxes collected,	5581.53
License,	165.20
Fines,	105.87
Miscellaneous,	117.54
Total	\$7183.23

DISBURSEMENTS.	
Material and labor on streets,	\$1075.13
Electric lights	2400.00
Tax collector,	332.82
Keeping Prisoners,	118.65
Salary of Marshal,	480.00
Salary of Mayor,	75.00
Salary of Clerk,	50.00
Salary of Treasurer,	25.00
Salary of Councilmen,	144.00
Salary of City Atty.,	150.00
Salary of Clock Winder	30.00
Rent Council Chamber,	60.00
Tax Supervisors and Clerk	24.00
1913, vouchers,	30.75
Printing	95.45
Cost on public well,	350.00
Cost in water works case,	61.05
Miscellaneous expenses,	63.39
Balance cash, on hand,	1617.99
Total	\$7183.23

All of which is respectfully reported.

E. L. HARPENDING, Clk.

O. H. Paris has bought the Givens butcher shop, and he and his son Gilford will operate same. Mr. Paris is preparing to paint and brighten up the room and will endeavor to keep it neat and clean at all times and in all departments. Mr. Givens has not decided what they will engage in as yet.

## THE PROPOSITION IN A NUT SHELL

Road Working Explained by John S. Lawrence, So He Who Runs May Read and Understand

John S. Lawrence, editor of the Cadiz Record, has been doing a little figuring as to Kentucky's road laws and their possible application to the county of Trigg. Under the caption, "What says Our Fiscal Court?" he submits the result in the following editorial:

"Trigg county will pay something like \$2,000 into the general road fund of the State, and is our Fiscal Court going to sit quietly by and let this money get away from us and get nothing in return? Quite a number of the counties have already made applications for 'State aid' from this fund, and unless we get busy we are going to be left out in the cold and be short this \$2,000 besides."

"Why not appropriate \$2,500 for this purpose upon the condition that it will be spent upon the first road in the county whose citizens will agree to supplement this with \$2,500 more, which will make \$5,000; then the State will give you \$5,000 more to go with this? This can be done easily, and is there a business man in Trigg county who wouldn't gladly put \$2,500 for a deal, even he had to borrow every cent of it? Certainly there is not a one. Then are the members of our Fiscal Court going to admit that they are the poorest business in the county, and allow this \$8,500 to slip away from them? We think not, but it is time they were getting busy along this line."

This is the whole proposition in a nutshell, so far as the financial end of it is concerned. Trigg county, if its Fiscal Court fails to act, will contribute \$2,000 to the building of roads in other counties. If its Fiscal Court sees fit to make an appropriation of \$2,500, Trigg county will have \$10,000 to spend on its own roads. More than that, the people of the county can rest assured that there'll be \$10,000 worth of roads from the \$10,000 expended on them, an assurance that has not always been realized in the past history of Kentucky road building. The money available from the State is contingent—first, on the action of the county or the county and its citizens in putting a dollar to meet the dollar contributed by the State; second, that contracts shall be honestly drawn and satisfactory bond given; third, that the roads, when built, shall conform to the standard and specifications laid down by the State.

If the Fiscal Court of Trigg county takes the action necessary to give that county \$10,000 for the building of roads and any fault is to be found with those roads, when built, responsibility will not be divided out among a set of officeholders or attributable to local pull in the letting of contracts and the employment of incompetents. The head of the State Bureau of Roads, who is appointed by the Governor and removable by him, will have to shoulder the whole burden of failure.

The new road laws offer an incentive to counties to build roads by putting a penalty on them if they do not. At the same time it guarantees them dollar for dollar to meet

## NICHOLS ANSWERS JUDGE J. F. GORDON

By Giving Mr. J. P. Lane's Letter Which Explains All And We Publish His Reply Below.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 11, 1915. Judge J. F. Gordon, Madisonville, Ky.

Dear Sir:

In your letter of Dec. 30, 1914, which was directed to me and which published in a number of the papers in this Appellate Court District, you said: "What I want to know now is whether this money was paid to Judge C. S. Nunn, while assisting his father. You say it was paid to hired stenographers: but your statement is, of course, only 'Hear-say,' as you do not claim to have disbursed it yourself, nor to have seen the disbursement."

You are correct in your statement that I did not disburse nor see the disbursement of the money represented by the salary checks which I endorsed and returned to Frankfort, as explained in my former letter to you, but since the receipt of your letter of Dec., 30, 1914, I have received a letter from J. P. Lane, who has personal knowledge as to how the money was disbursed, and I take pleasure in enclosing to you herewith, Mr. Lane's letter which is as follows:

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 5, 1915. Andrew M. Nichols, Esq., Attorney at Law, Paducah, Kentucky.

Dear Mr. Nichols:

I have read your reply to Judge Gordon's inquiry about your salary while serving as Secretary to Judge T. J. Nunn. I have read Judge Gordon's response of date Dec., 30, 1914, and from this response it seems that Judge Gordon is unwilling to accept your statement that Judge Nunn employed a stenographer in Frankfort to do the work at the same salary you were receiving, and that you endorsed and returned to Judge Nunn all of the salary checks, because you were not doing the actual work, and in order that Judge Nunn might pay the parties who were doing it.

As I am the stenographer who was employed by Judge Nunn to do the work, I wish to say that all your statements are true in every particular. Judge Nunn paid me \$100 per month. In fact my payments came at the rate of \$25 per week from his own pocket, and your return salary checks at the end of each month reimbursed him.

You are at liberty to make such use of this letter as you may see proper.

Your friend,  
J. P. Lane."

I am of the opinion that Mr. Lane's letter answers your inquiry in every detail, and I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,  
Andrew M. Nichols.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron returned from an extended visit to her son T. J. Cameron at Alworth, Ills., Friday.

The cost of building, honest expenditure and workmanship.

The Fiscal Court of a county that fails to take advantage of this opportunity will owe the people of that county an explanation which it will be somewhat difficult to make convincing.—Louisville Times.

## GREER GUILTY OF TROUTMAN MURDER

Jury Reaches Verdict and the Penalty Is Fixed At Term In Prison.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 11.—The jury in the case of J. K. Greer, accused of willfully killing Charles Troutman, a well-known young drug clerk, to-day returned a verdict of guilty, and the penalty was fixed at from 17 to 21 years in prison.

Greer testified that he killed Troutman in self-defense and witnesses swore that Troutman had threatened Greer's life on account of Miss Pernie Shemwell clerk in Greer's office, and sweet heart of Troutman. Miss Shemwell, the only eye witness to the tragedy, when reintroduced, again charged the shooting was unprovoked.

## Crittenden County School Children Number 4537.

Crittenden county has 4537 children between the ages of 6 and 20 years and 3090 or 68.1 per cent of them attend school, according to a recent census bulletin. The data contained in the report relates to the year 1910 and has only recently been made public. The distribution, by age groups, and the number attending school is as follows:

Age	Total	Number attending School
6 to 9	1330	986
10 to 14	1496	1303
15 to 17	997	580
18 to 20	804	221

## An Old Veteran Still In The Field.

W. R. Gibbs has been called to Caldwell Springs church for 1915 and will preach there next Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. At which time he desires all members to be present, services also next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Gibbs was first called to Caldwell Springs 25 years ago and preached there 10 years and it is now gratifying to him to be called after an intermission of about 15 years.

Altho a quarter of a century older and afflicted with blindness Rev. Gibbs has not lost any of his zeal in the Lord's work but labor in His vineyard each day.

The Caldwell Springs congregation are to be congratulated on securing the services of this "old war horse." Rev. Gibbs is a noble and good man. Long may he survive and prosper.

## Marriage License.

Maxie L. Hamilton to Miss Ruby Johnson.  
Lester Holoman to Miss Pearl Thurman.  
Walter Brightman to Miss Myrtle Walker.  
Ernest Payne to Miss Montye Stanley.  
Harlan Bryson to Miss Eliza Doom.  
G. H. Clark to Miss Stella Flanary.  
A. H. Roberts to Miss Lizzie Armstrong.  
Minor Stegar to Miss Bessie Wagener.  
Thomas J. McKinney, Jr., to Miss Della Campbell.  
Harvey Lowry to Miss Maude McConnell.

H. A. McDonald of Chicago arrived last week and is the guests of his wife at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnett on south main street.

## BIRD, FARM DEMONSTRATOR, IS BACK

Called Meeting of Farmers Saturday, January 16th.—Come One, Come All.

The Crittenden Co. Crop Improvement Ass'n. will have a meeting in court house Sat. Jan. 16, at 1:30 p. m. All farmers are invited and requested to be present.

We are working for the betterment of our county, Without cooperation we can do nothing, with the helping hand of all we can accomplish a big work. We will put Crittenden Co. down on the map as she has never been down before. We should be proud of Crittenden Co. We will be proud to claim her as our home for we will have her reach a high mark in this Improvement League. Fayette, boasts of her fine horses, Woodford, of her blue grass, Jefferson of her potatoes, Shelby of her Jerseys. What have we for a boasting foundation? What can we say our county leads in. Friends are we going to be satisfied, just to say Crittenden county, has flour spar. Not much, we are not willing to let our neighbors go down in history while we dig spar. Now is the time to make our mark. We will make our motto mean what it says, Crittenden County Crop Improvement Association. Read it. Think it over, does this mean you, or just a few business men of Marion. Better crops, mean more fat stock, better cattle and hogs, more money, better schools, more comfort at home.

Boost one and all, as every drop swells the raging tide, so does every little help us make our county what she should be. Every farmer no matter how small, can help. Meet with us here or in your neighborhood at the school house, do what you can, it will help.—Crop Improvement Ass'n.



COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!

Coal did not advance at the first of the year as most everyone thought it would. I am still selling it at 8c at car and 9c delivered. When you want Coal call the COAL MAN MAURIE NUNN. The man who believes in LIVE and let LIVE prices.

MAURIE NUNN  
COAL CO.  
Marion Milling Co, Yards,  
Phone 36.

## FOR SALE.

I have one mule 10 years old for sale on time to Jan. 1st, 1916, must have a good note with personal security, with interest from date.—J. F. Canada, Fredonia, Ky., R. F. D. no. 1.



# Women Everywhere

## Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Women from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from all sections of this great country, no city so large, no village so small but that some woman has written words of thanks for health restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. No woman who is suffering from the ills peculiar to her sex should rest until she has given this famous remedy a trial. Is it not reasonable to believe that what it did for these women it will do for any sick woman?

### Wonderful Case of Mrs. Crusen, of Bushnell, Ill.

BUSHNELL, ILL.—"I think all the trouble I have had since my marriage was caused by exposure when a young girl. My work has been housework of all kinds, and I have done milking in the cold and snow when I was too young to realize that it would hurt me. I have suffered very much with bearing down pains in my back and such miserable pains across me, and was very nervous and generally run down in health, but since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my back never hurts me, my nerves are stronger, and I am gaining in health every day. I thank you for the great help I have received from your medicine, and if my letter will benefit suffering women I will be glad for you to print it."—MRS. JAMES CRUSEN, Bushnell, Illinois.

### A Grateful Atlantic Coast Woman.

HOPKINS, ME.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and was fat and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your medicine."—MRS. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Maine.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health. Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



### MIDWAY

(Delayed from last week.)

There was a musical at Mrs. Martha Sigler's Dec. 30th, and must have had a good time.

Hugh Carter has been confined to his bed with his back.

Loren Paris and wife, of Missouri, are in here on a visit to his parents and her father, as they will leave for California as he is going for his health.

Health is very good in this section to begin a New Year.

Miss Iva Hill visited in Crayne last week.

Several from this section went to see the train wreck Thursday and Friday.

There was service at Piney Fork Christmas day and service at Pleasant Hill New Year's day, with good attendance.

Miss Etta Jennings, of Crayne, is visiting at the home of her father this week.

There was a good crowd at prayer meeting Thursday night. Don't forget that we have prayer meeting every Thursday night at this place.

Bring your broom corn to the Paris Bros. They make brooms cold or hot. They work more in cold weather, in the summer it is too hot.

Miss Cordie Sigler visited Joe Hunt Saturday night and Sunday.

### Colds Are Often Most Serious.

Stop Possible Complications. The disregard of a cold has often brought many a regret. The fact of sneezing, coughing, or a fever should be warning enough that your system needs immediate attention. Certainly loss of sleep is most serious. It is a warning given by Nature. It is a man's duty to himself to assist by doing his part. Dr. King's New Discovery is based on a scientific analysis of Colds. See at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today.

### BELLMONT

(Delayed from last week.)

Hello! Here we are with a few bright and beautiful days of this New Year, hope this will be a happy and prosperous year for one and all.

Several of our people went to see the big wreck, on the railroad, last week which was near Marion.

There was a well walling at Jack

Fralicks Monday, fixing to have water next summer when the dry weather comes.

Some horses have died up in this part of the country. Dock McCormick lost a horse, Jack Fralick lost a mare, John Blackburn and Dock Woodall one apiece.

There was a quilting at Mrs. Ike Stembidges last week.

Clarence Spence is hustling around with a smile, that he says is to keep his big tolb. boy quiet, whom he named Luther Raymond.

V. C. Crayne and wife were the guests of their daughter Mrs. Herman Brown, Monday night.

Monroe Andrews and family visited Cam Crayne and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Sherman Crayne is still selling goods at a bargain. Be sure and give him a call, he also grinds corn every Friday.—Advertisement.

Huley Guess and wife, James Bugg and wife, were the guest of Vernan Crayne and family Sunday.

Fred Crayne and wife were the guests of Allen Crider and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Ed Deboe and family visited his wife's father and family of Repton Saturday and Sunday.

Vernan Crayne and wife spent part of the holidays at Cam Craynes and John Thomasson.

The Xmas tree at Piney Fork was real nice, had lots of presents and Old Santa Claus had a good time handing them out.

Mrs. Grace Johnson, of Marion, spent the holidays with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Wigginton.

Elvis Andrews and Dock McCormick went to Crayne Monday.

Willie Guess, of Flat Rock passed through here enroute to Marion Friday to have his teeth worked on.

John Lewis Curry and daughter

Ethel, came to see his daughter Mrs. Clarence Spence, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wigginton visited their daughter Mrs. Vernan Hodges, near Sugar Grove, Monday night.

Herman Brown and family visited Jim Brown and family the week end.

Annie Gilliland visited Florence Fralick one day last week.

Myrtle Blackburn, visited Ed Crayne and family during the holidays.

L. A. Guess went to Marion Thursday.

John McConnell went to Hodge McConnells last week, returning by Jim McConnells and purchasing him a big fine new feather bed Hurrah! for Johnie.—LITTLE ROSE.

### DYCUSBURG

(delayed from last week.)

Rev. W. J. Wells filled his last appointment at the Baptist church at this place Sunday.

George Robinson, of Fredonia, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Etta Baird, who spent Xmas with her sister, Mrs. Freeman Ramage, returned to Crayne Monday.

F. D. Ramage is on the sick list.

J. A. Graves was in Paducah last week.

Ed Baird, who has been in Arkansas for several months, is visiting his father, A. G. Baird.

Mrs. Margaret Aken, of Nashville, Tenn., is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Graves.

Miss Margaret Clement, who has been attending school at Bowling Green, spent Christmas with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Groves.

Misses Ola and Tylene Charles spent Xmas with their cousin, Miss Mina Hill, of Livingston county.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Cooksey spent several days last week in Kuttawa the guests of their daughter, Mr. T. L. Phillips.

Miss Frederica Clement is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Molloy, of Kuttawa.

Mrs. Charles Cassidy spent Xmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Padon, of Salem.

Rhea Baird spent several days last week in Crayne the guest of his sister, Mrs. Wyatt Brooksher.

Miss Lillian Graves, of Paducah, spent Xmas week with her aunt, Miss Cora A Graves.

Miss Imogene Bennett gave a surprise party at the home of Mrs. W. E. Charles Monday night, Dec. 28th.

Mrs. Z. C. Graham, of Kevil, is the guest of her father, F. D. Ramage.

C. R. Padon, of Salem, visited his daughter, Mrs. Charles Cassidy, Sunday.

There has been several cases of chickenpox in town the past week.

Prof. Charles Host is the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Host.

P. K. Cooksey was in Marion Monday.

### IN MEXICO

Statements of Mexico Citizens Are Always of Interest to Our Readers.

To many of our readers the streets of Mexico are almost as familiar as those of our own town, and we are naturally interested to read of happenings there. The following report from a well-known and respected resident will be helpful to numbers of men and women here in Marion.

J. O. Tabor, Mexico, Ky., says: "I had kidney trouble for about six years. The pains in my back were severe at times and when I was stooping or lifting, sharp twinges went through my loins. My back always ached more intensely at night and in the morning, I felt very lame. I tired easily, was languid and nervous and had headaches. The kidney secretions passed too frequently and caused me annoyance. I took one and a half boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and they rid me of the trouble. I am now in good health."

Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Tabor had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. 1714

### For Sale

Well bred poultry from laying strains. Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, \$1.00. S. C. R. I. Reds Cockerels, \$1.00 each, S. C. White Leghorns, \$1.00 each. All good, healthy and vigorous stock. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write or phone Mrs. J. B. Carter, 174tp. Marion, Ky.

### SHERIDAN

(delayed from last week.)

We hope everybody has enjoyed a good Christmas and a happy New Year. The singing at Bob Williams' on last Tuesday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all who were present.

Miss Mildred Hoover was the guest of Miss Hattie Enoch last week, returning home Sunday.

John Wright and family visited A. J. Bebout's New Years day.

Mrs. Rodney Stephenson visited her mother, Mrs. Ellee Woolsey, on Tuesday of last week.

Cleveland George has moved to the C. E. Stallions' property, now owned by E. F. Sullenger.

Hugh Norris has rented B. B. Terry's farm, near Glendale.

Uncle Billie Love attended the masonic meeting here Monday, Dec. 28th. Uncle Billie has a good word and a pleasant smile for everybody he meets, even when he is not a candidate.

Uncle Jimmie Wooten has been an octogenarian for quite a while, but he walked a distance of three miles Saturday eve, stayed all night at J. B. Wilson's and walked back home on Sunday. Uncle Jimmie attends church regular, goes to see the sick and bids fair to see many more New Years.

Quite a few horses and cattle have died in this vicinity, cause unknown, but thought to be the stalk fields.

Our school is progressing nicely with Miss Fleta Larue as teacher.

Clarence Wilson has moved to the river bottoms, as he will work for C. E. Donakey this year.

## LIV-VER-LAX

Acts Surely, Safely

Just because you are feeling the ill effects of a torpid liver is no excuse for buying a harmful medicine that has brought physical decay to thousands. Calomel is dangerous and as everyone knows has very disagreeable and weakening after effects. Medical science has found a natural, vegetable remedy, GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX that thoroughly cleanses the liver and bowels without causing any bad feelings. Children can take it with perfect safety. Every bottle guaranteed. Sixts and \$1.00 a bottle. None genuine without the likeness and signature of L. K. Grigsby. For sale by Haynes & Taylor.

### SEVEN SPRINGS

(delayed from last week.)

Nineteen hundred and fifteen, a happy New Year to the editor of the Record-Press, its staff and the many readers, is the sincere wish of your Seven Springs correspondent.

M. L. Patton and brother, Tom, were in Fredonia Thursday.

Aunt Betsey Brasher, of the Caldwell Springs section, is visiting her son, Winton, and family at this place.

Fred Hillyard and wife visited their parents at Repton during Christmas. Mrs. Hillyard remained there for a few days visit, while Mr. Hillyard returned to this vicinity to resume his work at Boaz district.

Rev. J. C. Kinsolving and wife, of the Emmaus section, visited her parents at this place during the holidays.

Mrs. Dick Henry and children, of Frances, have been visiting Onie Duncan and family the past few days.

Jim Patton, of Caldwell Springs, was the guest of his parents at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah O'Brien, of this place, is the recipient of a handsome Christmas present sent her from her son, Ernest, who lives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Nannie Patton was the guest of her sister-in-law Mrs. Minnie Patton near Caldwell Springs Monday.

Miss Leecie LaRue visited her parents near Levia's Christmas.

Guy Patton made a flying trip to Mexico Sunday.

The backwater is covering the low land in this vicinity.

I will send a little arithmetical puzzle that might interest someone to figure out. A woman carrying a basket of apples, was met by three boys, the first of whom bought half of what she had, and then gave her back ten; the second boy bought a third of what remained, and gave her back two; and the third bought half of what she now had left, and returned her one, after which she found that she had twelve apples remaining. What number had she at first? Some one answer.

Willie Clark, of Marion, visited relatives here last week.

Robt. Guess is still in poor health. Jim Guess has his house nearly completed.

How we did miss the Record-Press last week.

Getting wood and making fires has been very good employment for the past month.

# REMOVAL

I have removed my Grocery Stock to the Opera House block to the store room formerly occupied by H. Koltinsky, and will have a complete and fresh stock of goods on hand at all times and will appreciate your patronage.

Being in a more central location I feel that I can better supply my customers, and will be glad to see all of them at my new location.

Thanking all for past favors and with the seasons greeting, I wish to remain your friend,

R. F. WHEELER.

They Still Subscribe For The Record-Press.

Piney, Ky., 12-31-14.

Mr. S. M. Jenkins,

Marion, Ky.

Dear Sir,

Find enclosed check for \$1.00 for subscription to Crittenden Record-Press for year 1915. Have been a subscriber for thirty two years and would not be without it.

Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year. I am,

Yours truly,

J. B. Ford.

**TO ENJOY WINTER**  
Prof. Frankland demonstrates that COD LIVER OIL generates more bodyheat than anything else.  
In SCOTT'S EMULSION the pure oil is so prepared that the blood profits from every drop, while it fortifies throat and lungs.  
If you are subject to cold hands or feet, if you shiver and catch cold easily, take SCOTT'S EMULSION for one month and watch its good effects. NO ALCOHOL. (14-40) REFUSE SUBSTITUTES. SCOTT'S BOTTLES ARE MARKED.

### No Friend Like an Old Friend

Mr. S. M. Jenkins,

Received your notice and herewith enclose \$1.00, one dollar, for the Record-Press, and I wish to thank you for your kindness in sending the Crittenden Record-Press regularly.

With good wishes for your prosperity, and a prosperous new year, I am a sincere friend and an old subscriber.

Mrs. C. C. Underwood, Caruthersville, Mo.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly. The G.M. Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children, 50c.

## KENTUCKY WOMAN, SUFFERED FROM STOMACH ILLS, QUICKLY RESTORED

Mrs. Belle Hawkins Uses Mayr Remedy—"Never Felt Better in My Life."

Mrs. Belle Hawkins, Eminence, Ky., was a victim of stomach disorders. She took a great deal of treatment and medical attention.

At last she tried Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and got real results. In a letter telling of her experience she said: "I have taken all the medicine I ordered of you and will say it has done more good than all the doctors and medicine I ever tried. I don't really think I need any medicine now, as I think I am well. I never felt better in my life. If I ever should need any medicine I know where to get it." That is a typical letter, taken in one among the thousands from the users of

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. The first dose proves—no long treatment.

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid accretions and removes poisonous matter. It brings swift relief to sufferers ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations and many are sure it has saved their lives.

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter of how long standing, to try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy—one dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system cleanser we ever sold. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here by Haynes & Taylor and druggists everywhere.

## Good Salesman Wanted To Sell Our Fruit Trees in This County.

Best terms known to the nursery world. Steady employment, cash weekly. Good money made selling our excellent stock. Satisfaction and profit from every tree. If you are the right man, we will make you our twenty manager.

Cedar Hill Nursery and Orchard Company, Box F., Winchester, Tennessee



## BANK REPORT

Report of the condition of the FARMERS BANK, doing business in the town of MARION, County of CRITTENDEN, State of KENTUCKY, at the close of business on the 31st, day of Dec., 1914.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$ 88,767.62  
Overdrafts secured and Unsecured 534.65  
Bond, County and State Warrants 33,708.76  
Due from Banks \$40,223.85  
Cash on Hand \$7,964.51  
Banking house and Fixtures 10,500.00  
Other Real Estate  
Other assets not included

TOTAL \$ 181,699.39

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash \$ 30,000.00  
Surplus Fund 3,000.00  
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid 3,795.45  
Deposits subject to check \$100,857.87  
Time deposits \$44,046.07  
Total Deposits \$144,903.94

TOTAL \$181,699.39

STATE OF KENTUCKY } SCT.  
COUNTY OF CRITTENDEN }

We, WM. FOWLER and O. S. DENNY, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
WM. FOWLER, President.  
O. S. DENNY, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th, day of January, 1915.  
My Commission expires February 5th, 1916.  
W. E. CARNAHAN,  
Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:

## New Year's 1915



There's always another step to take,  
So go and take it!  
There's always some good resolve to make,  
So go and make it!  
And when it's made, just ask God's help  
And do not break it.

A Happy New Year for 1915

JAS. CLARK JR., Electric Co.,  
520 West Main Street,  
Louisville, Kentucky.

## Roll Of Honor Since Our Last Report.

Andrews, Cias, route one, May 1915  
Anderson, J. L., Salem, Jan 1916  
Arflack, J. W., city, Sept 1915  
Andrews, Eley, route one, Dec 1915  
Allen, Sarah, route three, Apr 1915  
Allen, Mrs. T. J., Salem, Dec 1915  
Alves, Miss Electa, Salem, Aug 1915  
Black, W. T., city, Nov 1915  
Beshears, S. R., route two, Dec 1914  
Boston, W. C., Mass., June 1916  
Bennett, T. C., city, Apr 1915  
Baker, John M., route one, Dec 1915  
Brightman, W. A., Salem, Dec 1915  
Brantley, L. D., Gladstone, Sept 1914  
Belt, B. W., Salem, Nov 1915  
Black, Fay, Fredonia, Feb 1916  
Brantley, Dean, route one, Jan 1916  
Belt, W. Enoch, city, Jan 1916  
Baker, Effie M., Fredonia, Dec 1915  
Boston, M. N., city, Dec 1915  
Bennett, Hugh, Tolu, Sept 1915  
Brantley, W. D., Kansas, Dec 1915  
Bailey, W. E., Salsburg, Dec 1915  
Beard, Ed, route four, Jan 1915  
Bennett, G. B., Lola, Dec 1915  
Carnahan, Mrs. W. C., Tenn, Jan 1915  
Chandler, J. A., city, Nov 1915  
Cleghorn, J. U. G., route 4, Nov 1915  
Curry, W. E., Fords Ferry, Mar 1915  
Clement, Essie, route two, Jan 1916  
Croft, P. B., Tolu, Nov 1915  
Clark, Marion, Missouri, Oct 1915

## BANK REPORT

Report of the condition of The Marion Bank doing business in the town of Marion, County of Crittenden, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 31st, day of Dec, 1914.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$110,320.76  
Overdrafts—Secured and Unsecured \$908.62  
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities 3,000.00  
Due from Banks 29,134.87  
Cash on hand 8,231.38  
B'king House Fur. and Fix., 19,000.00  
Other Real Estate  
Total \$161,595.63

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash \$20,000.00  
Surplus Fund \$22,000.00  
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid 1,153.58  
Deposits subject to check \$7,958.79  
Time Deposits 30,483.26  
Total \$161,595.63

STATE OF KENTUCKY } SCT.  
COUNTY OF CRITTENDEN }

We, J. W. BLUE and T. J. YANDELL, Pres. and Cashier, of the above Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. W. BLUE, Pres.  
T. J. YANDELL, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th, day of Jan., 1915.  
My commission expires Jan. 11, 1916.  
Nelle Walker,  
Notary Public, C. C. K.  
Correct—Attest.

## FREE TO FARMERS SEEDS

By special arrangement the Ratekin Seed House of Shenandoah, Iowa, one of the oldest, best established seed firms in the country will mail a copy of their Big Illustrated Seed Catalogue. This book is complete on all farm and garden seeds. It tells how to grow big yields and all about the best varieties of Corn for your locality; also Seed Oats, Wheat, Barley, Speltz, Grasses, Clovers, Alfalfa, Pasture and Lawn Mixtures, Seed Potatoes and all other farm and garden seeds. This book is worth dollars to all in want of seeds of any kind. IT'S FREE to all our readers. Write for it today and mention this paper. The address is RATEKIN'S SEED HOUSE, Shenandoah, Iowa.

## THINGS ALL BOUGHT TO KNOW

As Christian Bible Students—The Sat-  
isfactory Proof of "Why God Permits Evil"

One of the questions which comes to nearly every thinking mind today is, "Why does God permit evil?" As we look about us in the world we observe that it is filled with sorrow and trouble, sickness and pain and every trial we could enumerate, and we cannot help wondering WHY GOD ALLOWS IT. We realize that He is almighty and that He could prevent it if He wished. We read in His Word that He is more willing to do for His children than are earthly parents for theirs, and we know how much that means; yet of tentimes it seems that those who try to do and live right have the most trouble. This question is made very clear in a book entitled, "The Divine Plan of the Ages." Every statement is backed by Scripture, and shows that while God does not sanction evil HE HAS HAD A PURPOSE IN ALLOWING SIN AND DEATH TO REIGN THESE SIX THOUSAND YEARS. This and many other subjects of deep interest to all of God's people are discussed fully and in language easy of comprehension.  
In English, German, Swedish, Dan, Norwegian, Italian, French, Greek, Hungarian, Spanish, Polish, Hollandish, Finnish, [Syria and Turko Armenian in preparation.]  
35 pages, cloth bound, 35 cents post paid. Address Bible and Tract Society, 17 Hicks Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

You certainly cannot afford to neglect catarrh, colds or bronchitis when Haynes & Taylor sells Hyomei on the "No-cure-no-pay" plan. It gives quick and lasting benefit, and is perfectly harmless—you breathe it.

## GLENDALE

(delayed from last week.)

## HOLIDAY VISITORS:

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hatcher and Miss Ruby Flannery spent Christmas day at the home of W. T. Terry, near Forest Grove.

R. C. Moore, wife and son, R. C. Jr., of near Crittenden Springs, Miss Mildred Moore, brother, Richard and sister, Anna, were guests of R. D. Moore Saturday, Dec. 26th.

Miss Sue Moore was accompanied home by Miss Etta Boisture and two brothers, Roy and Man, of Lillydale.

Miss Mary Moore was also at home a few days.

Lumie Clark and wife spent Xmas in Marion guests of relatives.

Mr. George, of Princeton, visited relatives(?) in this neighborhood during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephenson, of Tolu, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. F. M. Jacobs.

Elbert Minner, of Henning, Tenn., who left this neighborhood fourteen years ago with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Minner, was the guest of relatives and friends a few days recently.

Howard Hurley and sister, Miss Mary, spent Xmas with their sister, Mrs. Kelley LaRue, near Deer Creek.

We understand that all who have telephones on the Tolu exchange—in this neighborhood—have had them taken out on account of a raise in the price.

T. E. and G. P. Griffith, Miss Mary Moore and J. H. Moore, each had a horse to die since our last report.

Hugh Norris, of Sheridan, has moved to B. B. Terry's farm near here.

Miss Lora Johnson, who is house-keeping for her sister, Mrs. John Mac Phillips, while she and her daughter sojourn in Florida, attended the pound supper at J. H. Moore's Dec. 31st, and was the guest of Misses Cora and Rose Moore.

Our school will close Jan. 23rd, provided there is no more time missed. We hear that Mr. Davidson is pleasing the patrons.

Hey, there, what has become of the Oak Hall scribe?

It is reported that hogs are dying of cholera in a nearby neighborhood.

Nineteen hundred and fourteen is past and 1915 has arrived. What did we do the past year to help people to be better? How will our influence be? It's too late now if it is not for good, but with the New Year let us be more thoughtful of the pleasures of others and not quite so much about self.

Uncle Bob Moore has been very poorly with cold.

Our Sunday School retained the officers and teachers of last year, at the election Dec. 27th.

## THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

Warning, our lands are posted, no hunting allowed.

Juliett Fox. Effie W. Jenkins. S. M. Jenkins, B. I. Allen r. f. d. 3

REWARD—Of \$25 for the arrest and conviction of the parties who have been cutting my timber along Livingston creek. Kirby E. Greer, Fredonia, Ky.

Wanted—Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Condition Powder in Crittenden County. Salary \$70 per month. Address 9 Industrial Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. 1-7-2t.

## VAPOR TREATMENT FOR COLD TROUBLES

Are now used in all hospitals. The vapors are inhaled direct to the spot without injuring the stomach as do internal remedies. The vapors are concentrated.

VICKS' Group and PNEUMONIA SALVE so that they are released by the heat of the body when applied to the throat and chest. One good rub will relieve a cold; croup is cured in fifteen minutes. At all druggists, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sample on request. Vick Chemical Co., Greensboro, N. C.

## Letter From Nowata, Okla.

Mr. S. M. Jenkins, Marion, Ky.  
My Dear Sir:

You will find enclosed check to renew my subscription to your paper.

I am here in what is known as the mill continent oil field, in Nowata county, there is more than fifteen thousand pumping wells, and about three thousand producing gas wells, wells in this section produce as high as eight thousand barrels of oil in 24 hours. Gas wells as high as 50,000 ft of gas per day. Oil now worth about 55 cts. per bbl. gas 3 cts. per thousand.

Leases sell from \$2.00 to \$1000 per acre, according to how far from producing wells. Plenty of good ones yet open.

Yours respectfully,

H. O. Radcliff.

## BANK REPORT

Report of the condition of the Farmers' & Merchants' Bank doing business at the town of Tolu, county of Crittenden, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec. 1914.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$ 78,677.41  
Overdrafts (secured and Unsecured) \$ 1,592.00  
Due from Banks 8,757.17  
Cash on hand 2,456.33  
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 4,100.00  
Other Real Estate 534.00  
Other Assets not included under any of the above heads 1,923.11

TOTAL \$98,040.02

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash \$ 15,000.00  
Surplus Fund 5,000.00  
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid 2,527.53  
Deposit subject to check \$23,455.18  
Time Deposits 52,057.31  
Other liabilities not included under any of above heads.....

TOTAL \$98,040.02

STATE OF KENTUCKY, } SCT.  
COUNTY OF CRITTENDEN }

We P. B. CROFT and J. H. GRIMES, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

P. B. CROFT, President.  
J. H. GRIMES, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th, day of Jan., 1915.  
My Commission expires March 3rd, 1916.  
ZED. A. BENNETT,  
Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.  
Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
(Seal)  
A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## ELM GROVE.

Having seen nothing from our neighborhood for a long time, we thought we would send you a line or two.

Our school is progressing nicely with Mr. Frank Travis at the helm. Everyone seems to be well pleased with Mr. Travis and would be glad to have him with us again.

Several farmers of this section have been losing their stock. Among them are S. L. Shelby and R. R. Shelby, each lost a mare, also Hayden Grissom, a horse which was supposed to have had blind staggers.

Miss Ida and Nannie Holloman of near Seven Springs, were the guests of their sister Mrs. Addie Davis, one day last week.

Miss Evangeline Grissom is spending the winter with her aunt, Mrs. T. E. Keller, and is attending school at this place.

Rev. J. C. Lingsolving and wife of the Emmaus section passed through this neighborhood last Friday enroute to Seven Springs to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hodges, of Lyon county, is spending the winter months with her grand daughter, Miss Effie Davis.

Mr. Ordry Brasher has purchased a fine farm from Mr. H. H. Chambliss recently.

Mr. F. W. Davis visited Mr. Herschel Wring and family, of Francis Sunday.

Mr. Elbert Cook, of Cairo, Ill. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook this week. Elbert, we are glad to see you again.

Mr. John Clark of near Pinckneyville, who is enroute for Sarg-

ham molasses, was a pleasant caller in this section Saturday.

Mr. T. M. Doom and wife, and little son Rabren, of Seven Springs visited his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Doom Sunday.

Miss Nettie Riley visited Mrs. Ada Asbridge Friday.

Rev. R. A. LaRue filled his regular appointment at Pinckneyville church Sunday. Several from this place attended. Bro. LaRue has been called to serve the church as pastor for the year 1915.

Mr. Charlie McClure and family is moving from his brother Willie's farm to the Cox place near Carrsville.

Mr. Rhonie Asbridge of seven Springs was in this section last week trying to trade hogs.

Mr. Jim Simpkins passed through this section last Friday "Uncle Jim" we are glad to see you in our midst again.

Stop That Cough—Now. When you catch Cold, or begin to Cough, the first thing to do is to take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It penetrates the linings of the Throat and Lungs and fights the Germs of the Disease, giving quick relief and natural healing. "Our whole family depends on Pine-Tar-Honey for Coughs and Colds," writes Mr. E. Williams, Hamilton, Ohio. It always helps. 25c at your Druggist. 3

## Letter From Texas.

Mr. S. M. Jenkins, Dear Sir: Enclosed please find one dollar for which send the Crittenden Record-Press another year and that will be 38 years I have been reading the Press.

I will try to say a little along with Bro. S. T. Terry, I too was converted at Hurricane and Bro. J. T. Yates was conducting a meeting, and I can say I never shall forget the day when Jesus washed my sins away, and that was the first Monday in August, 1866, and the brother spoke of several places that some were at, that had been converted at Hurricane but failed to mention Texas. But at least there is one hear, and I can say I would to God we had some such brother and sister nowadays; but Alas! they have past and it seems that old time religion has gone with them; but I thank God I feel like saying glory to God when I think of those old times.—J. A. Harmon.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Fletchman

## Letter From Berry's Ferry, Ky.

Editor Crittenden Record-Press Marion, Ky. Dear Sir: Find enclosed \$1.00 for which please send me the Press for another year 1915. This makes my 30th. year I have taken the Press, I moved from Crittenden 10 years ago and I still love my old home county. I could not hardly get along without the Crittenden Press.

Hoping you a happy and a prosperous New Year.

Yours very truly,  
J. R. Threlkeld, Berry's Ferry, Ky.

## How To Give Quinine To Children.

FEBRILIN is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name FEBRILIN is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

## Card Of Thanks.

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us through the sickness and death of our beloved father, Asa Belt. May God's richest blessings be with them forever, is our prayer—The children.

## Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies: Won't Cure.

The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves pain and heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, 1.00.



## CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS

Marion, Ky., Jan. 14, 1915.

S. M. JENKINS,  
Editor and Publisher

Entered as second-class matter February 9th 1878 at the postoffice at Marion, Kentucky, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1877.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
\$1.00 per year cash in advance.

## ADVERTISING RATES

50c per inch S. C. Foreign Advertising  
25c per inch S. C. Home Advertising  
Repeated ads one-half rate.

**Metal bases for Plates and Electros**  
Locals or Readers  
5c per line in this size type.

10c per line in this size type.  
15c per line in this size type.

Obituaries 5c per line  
Cards of Thanks 5c per line  
Resolutions of respect 5c a line

Cash  
With  
Copy

We are authorized to announce  
**JOHN W. BLUE,**  
of Marion, Crittenden county, Ky., as a candidate for Judge of this the 4th judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, first Saturday in August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce  
**LEE GIBSON,**  
of Madisonville, Hopkins county, Ky., as a candidate for Judge of this the 4th judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, first Saturday in August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce  
**J. ELLIOTT BAKER,**  
of Princeton, Caldwell county, Ky., as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of this the 4th judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, first Saturday in August, 1915.

## MON. ED YOUNG

Of Madisonville Spent Wednesday  
In Princeton.

Hon. Ed Young, of Madisonville, spent Wednesday in the city, in the interest of his candidacy for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of this, the Fourth Judicial district. Mr. Young is one of the leading and popular members of the Madisonville bar, having been engaged in the practice of law for nine years, and is also one of the publishers of the Madisonville Hustler. He is a clever, high toned gentleman, and a splendid mixer. He is a grandson of Larkin Young who lived in this county for many years. He has many relatives in this county. The only office he ever held was that of Representative, being a member of the 1912 session of the Legislature, and was chairman of the caucus which nominated Claud Terrell for the speaker of the House. He says he is in the race to the finish, and that he will make an active canvass of the district. While here he met quite a number of voters of the county, with whom he discussed his candidacy. —Princeton Leader. Mr. Young was here Thursday mixing with our people and made many friends here.

## Story Of The '60s.

Uncle Doc Green, was a few days ago listening to some of his close friends talking of the present war and it caused the memories of the '60s to rush on his mind and he said, "Boys, as you all are my friends, I will tell you an actual occurrence which took place while I was in the war. It happened to our new cook. We had bought a bushel box of dried apples pressed very hard, and we ordered the cook to cook some of the apples for dinner, and he being inexperienced in cooking dried apples put the contents of the box in a large kettle and began to boil the apples. They began to swell and he saw they were going to boil over, so he got a tub, filled it, then the tub, and he soon had all the buckets, barrels and ect. available filled, and the apples were still boiling over. Then fear seized him, as it was a punishable offense to waste anything, so he spied a shovel, and taking it began to shovel the apples over a

solid plank fence and pretty soon he heard an explosion as if the enemy was upon them, but, his fear was turned to sadness as a set of mule ears fell at his feet, the poor mule had eaten the apples that he had thrown over the fence.

Anyone wanting to know the best exercise for hogs, ask Uncle Doc.

## Clarksville Don't Like

## New Light system.

What's the matter with our new light system? Since our power has been supplied from the village on the southern borders of Kentucky, the service has been deplorable. Nearly every night, without warning, we find ourselves where 'Moses was when the light went out.' A few days ago every elevator in the city, all of a sudden, started running in the opposite direction, breaking up several elevators and endangering the lives of a number of people. Is it possible this new current somehow gets mixed up with the 'busthead,' which our Kentucky suburb depends on for prosperity, and stumbles and staggers under its influence? —Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

## Seabee Failed To Sell

## Waterworks Bonds.

For the lack of a bidder, the \$15,000 worth of waterworks bonds advertised to be sold by the city council at their meeting Monday night failed to sell. It was decided to hold the bids open until their next regular meeting which will be on the night of February 1st. —Seabee Banner.

## Postponement.

The services at the Northern Presbyterian church have been postponed from the 2nd. Sunday until the fifth Sunday in this month, on account of the heating apparatus being out of commission. On Sunday morning Jan. 31st, at 11 o'clock, and at 7 o'clock in the evening there will be preaching by the pastor Rev. M. E. Morse.

## LAND SALE.

## In Livingston County

I will on Monday the first day of February 1915, at the court house, Smithland, Ky., at about the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., sell to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six and twelve months, two tracts or parcels of land, the first tract containing 100 acres is situated on the Pinckneyville and Salem road, 2 1/2 miles from a shipping point at Pinckneyville and about 150 yards from one of the best churches in the county and in about 200 yards of one of the very best public schools in the county, daily mail, five public roads leading to same, splendidly improved, limestone soil. The second tract contains 40 acres, about 1/2 to 3/4 being cleared and the rest of same being in woods, which 40 acres is situated on the Pinckneyville and Salem road, about halfway between Pinckneyville and the above described tract. Both of above tracts are sold by order of the Livingston Circuit Court, in the settlement of the J. J. Franks estate, in the action of G. B. Taylor, Adm'r., vs. Mrs. Leona Franks and others. Anyone desiring further information call or write Gid Taylor or G. H. Rappee, both of Salem, Ky.

The purchaser will be required to give bond on day of sale with approved security, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, with lien reserved upon said property until all the purchase money is paid.

This, January 14th, 1915.  
**JOHN C. PARSONS,**  
Master Commissioner.

CITY MEAT MARKET  
O. H. PARIS, Proprietor.

## The Sanitary Shop

Press Building Carlisle St.  
Marion, Ky.

## A Letter From New Mexico.

Jan. 12th., 1915.

Mr. S. M. Jenkins,

Marion, Ky.,

Our Dear Friend:

You will find enclosed \$1.00 for the Crittenden Record Press, for 1915. As the time has come to renew our paper I will try to write a few lines to my old Crittenden friends, and tell them how we are getting along a way out in New Mexico.

We are both well and doing well. We don't feel like we are living in Mexico this winter for we haven't had any sandstorms. It has rained all fall, till the 24th, of Dec. It snowed all day, we now have a 5 inch snow on the ground, but oh, how we will rub our eyes about March to get the sand out so we can see.

Every body that tried to do any thing made as fine a crop as I ever saw grow and they are getting a good price for feed stuff. All our neighbors left here a year ago to hunt a good place in Texas but they failed to find the fritter tree and honey tree, so they came back to try New Mexico again.

We will make proof on our claim the 29th, of January, we will be here seven years the 16 of February, is when Mr. Newcom come and bought our claim we didn't get moved till the 20th of March. Does it seem like you all have been rid of us that long? I know one thing I've lived out here long enough to rub a peck of sand out of my eyes. And swept five bushels out of the house, that does very well in seven years doesn't it.

Oh I haven't been mad in a year don't you all think I am about sanctified. Just come out and stay a month with me when the sand begin to fly in the air then you will see how good I am.

Well I promised to tell my Kentucky friends how many eggs I sold in 1914, so here we are: I sold 95.20cets, worth, can any one in Kentucky beat that. If they can please write to the Press so I can see who you are and what your name is. I hear some saying hard times are coming but if they are we won't know it.

Mr. Newcom said more rain more rest and while he was resting he would be killing Jack rabbits for the chickens for they made my chickens sing some beautiful songs. I would like to know what has become of Mrs. Albert McConnell? She wrote to me for some of our pictures, I sent them to her about a month ago but have not heard any thing from her, I am afraid she's dead or left Marion. I have been better satisfied this year than I have ever been since we came out here.

I would do very well now if I could get to see the children once a year but I don't see any chance to do that, for we are too far apart. Carley is still in St. Louis, Mo., Jeffie is still in Ft. Worth, Texas, we get a letter from them every 2 weeks, they are both well and doing well so I don't grieve over them as long as they stay well. But if they get sick I would be going.

From your true friends,  
E. H. and E. L. Newcom.

## OPTICS.

Have come to stay and am prepared to handle your eye troubles at reasonable prices. You can find me in my office on Thurs., Fri., Sat. and court days.  
Press bld. J. R. Gilchrist,  
tf Oph. D.

## \$4,000,000 Bridge.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Representative Barkley, of Kentucky, introduced bill permitting the Paducah and Illinois Railroad Company to construct a four-million-dollar bridge across the Ohio River, about six miles below Paducah.

## TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS.

I take this method to let you know I am still in business, at the same old place, and am ready to give you a most hearty welcome to my store any time you may chance to come.

I have a nice stock of goods which I will sell as cheap as you can find any where for first class goods.

I will buy your produce and will give you the highest local market price for same.

Thanking you for your past patronage and trusting that you will give me a chance to serve you in the future with first class goods at reasonable prices, I remain

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Our feed Department has Timothy and pea hay, Arab feed, crushed ear corn, pure corn chops wheat bran, shucked ear corn and shelled corn at all times Elk Patent flour is best.

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## SHERIDAN

Elbert Minner who spent Christmas with his uncle R. N. Stallion returned to his home in Tennessee Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah T. Moon is visiting uncle Ephrian Nation this week.

B. B. Terry our flour merchant is proclaiming the sudden rise in the price of flour from every house top.

Loyd the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson who has been under the care of a Dr. for several weeks is improving.

Our school will close Jan. 21st, Miss Fleta LaRue our teacher with the aid of her pupils is preparing to entertain with several interesting plays.

Ed Wiggins of Rosiclare was in our midst the first of the week visiting friends and relatives.

The pound supper given at Geo. Fritts Saturday night was well attended who will be next

Barnet Humphrey is preparing to enter school at Kingswood, Ky, he intends preparing for ministerial work.

Tom Smith and sister Mrs. John Beard visited Mrs. Charlie Turner of Siloam Friday.

If you would wish to hear some real first class music go to E. F. Sullengers he has a new self player.

## REPTON.

Health is good in this community excepting a few bad colds.

Mrs. Vergil Summers and little daughter, Alberta of Morganfield, who have been spending a few days with relatives returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hillyard returned to their school, at Boaz Sunday after spending a few

days with relatives in this community.

Rev. B. F. Hyde filled his regular appointment at Repton Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Roy Thurmond and Miss Fultie Nunn, both of this section attended church at Blackford fourth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Payne of Breckenridge county are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore at this writing.

Miss Elva Branson of Wheatcroft attended church at Repton Saturday.

T. F. Newcom will soon close an interesting school at Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Summers were the guests of their brother Henry Summers of this place Sunday night.

Roy Thurmond visited at the home of Arthur Nunn Sunday. What was the attraction, Roy?

W. K. Powell is repairing his barn roof at this writing.

Mrs. A. M. Small was the guest of Mrs. W. L. Samuels one evening last week.

Mrs. W. K. Powell, Mrs. Vergil Summers, and little daughter Alberta, were the guests of Mrs. Henry Spence one day last week.

Miss Mary Hardin of this place went to Marion Saturday shopping.

Miss May Hardin who has been on the sick list for some time, is still confined to her room.

W. K. Powell made a business trip to Marion Saturday.

Kenna and Dewey Powell spent a pleasant day with Zula and Ewell Threlkeld last Sunday.

## Letter From Illinois.

Cairo, Ill., Jan. 12th, 1915,  
Mr. S. M. Jenkins,  
Marion, Ky.  
Editor of Record-Press:

Dear Sir:—We get the Record-Press on time; I find it up-to-date, and full of news; always glad to receive same, and to look upon its pages of news. We sure find this very valuable news to us, it is like getting a letter from home. When I see items from so many places, and letters from people I have known, and are dear to me until this day, as my

father and mother are still residents of old Crittenden county, Ky., and have been over fifty-three years.

Cairo is a prosperous little city, and has about 15,000 inhabitants. In the extreme southern part of Egypt, Ill., being built between the beautiful rivers of Mississippi and Ohio, with their great concrete levees for protection.

I don't see any correspondence from here, and I'm sure items from this place would interest someone some where.

Awaiting your early reply,

I remain,

BARTLEY JACOBS,  
419 Ohio St., Cairo, Ill.

## BELLMONT

Several passed through here enroute to Marion Monday to attend County Court and see the mulman.

Dick Kemp, of Dollason came down Sunday evening and was the guest of L. A. Guess Sunday night on his way to Marion Monday.

Fred Crayne and wife were pleasant callers at Jim Paris Sunday.

Frank Conger, of Woodville, Miss., is in here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Cordie Smart was the guest of Herman Brown and family Sunday.

Halbert Traylor and wife of Repton were the guests of Ed Deboe and family the week end.

Mrs. Ethel Reynolds of Hopkins county is still with her sister Mrs. Clarence Spence.

John McConnell and family were the guests of her father, Mr. Frank Boyd, of Shady Grove Saturday and Sunday.

V. C. Crayne and wife visited James Bugg and wife the week end, Jack Fralix and wife visited Jim Gililand and family Monday.

Mr. John Tucker and wife of Shady Grove were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Effie Guess Saturday.

There was a real storm party and blind fold game at Ed Craynes house, that John Turley is going to move into, Saturday night.

Prayer meeting at some of the neighbors houses every few nights over near Hawridge.

Sunday School organized at Piney Fork, teachers and officers elected for the year. Come one and all and bring some one with you. —"LITTLE ROSE."

Just Old Soles, that of some. Won't Cure. The worst cases no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, and reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves pain and heals at the same time. 7c. 50c. \$1.00.



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Have a feature that is sure worthy of your consideration. \$16.50 suits for \$13.50. \$15.00 suits for \$12.50. \$12.50 suits for \$10.00. \$10.00 suits for \$7.50. Come see these suits whether you want to buy or not. It will help someone.

JUST A FEW CLOAKS LEFT AND THE PRICE IS HARDLY CONSIDERED IN TURNING THEM LOOSE. COME IN AND SEE THEM.

## SOME BOYS

Noticed our ad on boys' suits of last week and took advantage of it. The way is still open for others. So COME ON BOYS.

## HEAVY

Underwear, regular \$1.00 quality for 90cts; 50ct quality for 45cts. TWO SETS of fine \$15.00 FURS JUST \$7.50 each.

## NEW

Spring Gingham are now in stock. Buy them early and make them up at your leisure. These new patterns are certainly beauties.

## DON'T WAIT

Thinking that shoes will be cheaper, for they are advancing every day, and we have them at the old prices. We bank on the quality of our shoes, and hundreds of people will vouch for their quality. Come to us for good shoes.

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CORSETS**

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**TAYLOR & CANNAN.**



See McConnell & Wiggins and SPEES the hair cutter.

Mrs. A. J. Driskill has gone to Denver to visit her daughter Mrs. Guy Lamb.

Mrs. E. J. Hayward entertained the Friday bridge club last week.

Dr. L. F. Waters veterinarian of Fredonia was here Monday attending court.

Born to the wife of S. B. McNeely 11 pound girl Jan. 6, Dr. O. C. Cook in attendance.

Gus Summerville and family were guests of Dr. R. L. Moore and family on "Jackson Day."

Mrs. W. J. McChesney of England, Ark., spent the holidays here with friends and relatives.

Lucian Walker of Oklahoma City, Okla., was the guest of relatives here during the holidays.

Sylvan Stewart Price left Tuesday for Madisonville, Ky., to visit his sister Mrs. V. Y. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wigginton of Fredonia were here last week to visit her mother Mrs. Mary Long who is ill.

Mrs. Lawrence E. Crider attended the funeral of Mrs. Reed Threlkeld at Chapel Hill Monday at noon.

J. Frank Conger of Woodville, Miss., is visiting friends and relatives in the county this week.

Two hot towels with each shave, hair cut and shave 35cts., shave 15 cts., to keep the quality up. M. Connell & Wiggins.

Born Monday Jan. 11th., to the wife of J. W. McDonald of the Piney Fork section a fine boy.

FOR SALE—800 bushels of corn and 3 tons of clover and timothy hay at my Salem farm see Felix Cox

Mrs. M. E. Croft.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lewis of Wellisford, Kans., who have been the guests of relatives and friends here and in the county for several weeks are welcomed back. Both look young and well kept.

Everything neat and clean at McConnell & Wiggins.

Mrs. Emmett Keltinsky is critically ill at the Koltinsky home on West Salem Street.

Miss Mary Louise Wyatt of Princeton was in the city Monday enroute to Salem on some business for the J. F. Wyatt estate.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron has returned home from Allworth, Ills., where she spent the holidays with her son T. J. Cameron and his family.

Fred Lemon of Shady Grove and Providence has announced that he will close out his stock and move to Lexington, Ky., to educate his children.

Mrs. B. F. Walker, Sr., went to Chapel Hill Monday to attend the burial of a friend and former neighbor Mrs. Ruby Bigham Threlkeld of Manila, Ark.

Mrs. W. C. Carnahan and little daughter Virginia Lee of Jackson, Tenn., are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hubbard on Belleville street.

H. D. McChesney of Paducah who was here this week visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McChesney left Tuesday for his home in the purchase capital.

Mrs. Mary Long the much loved and venerable nonagenarian of this city has been quite ill at her home on court street for several weeks.

J. P. Reed the old war horse in the live stock business in Crittenden county in by gone days was here as a witness in court Wednesday.

The new street light installed on the corner of the court square near Tuckers furniture store, lights things up in good style at the crossing there and is much appreciated by the public.

Rev. R. Robinson left Friday on the 4 o'clock train to fill his appointment at Unity Church in Muhlenburg county where he has been called as pastor for this year.

Rev. James F. Price preached at Providence Sunday Jan. 3rd, he went to Crider to meet with their Missionary Society Saturday Jan. 9th, and preached at Crayne Sunday Jan. 10th.

Charles H. Walker and his estimable family will leave in a few days for south east, Mo., to make his home. Mr. Walker has been one of our most successful farmers and fruit growers.

Hot sterilized towels with each shave at McConnell & Wiggins.

W. L. Adams and his estimable family will leave next month for Washington state on the Pacific coast. Mrs. Adams mother Mrs. Stoval and also some of her brothers reside there now.

Col. R. C. Haynes has rented the D. A. Yandell plantation and moved to it from W. H. Bigham. The Col is some farmer and will make a large crop on the Yandell place.

Mrs. C. A. Taylor and Mrs. J. P. Guess entertained at bridge Tuesday Jan. 5th, six tables of guests were present. Brick Ice cream, cake and blanched almonds were served.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard, Mrs. W. C. Carnahan, and Miss Virginia Lee who were guests of Mrs. Nannie Durham at Sturgis during the holidays have returned home.

Jones Gill a Marion boy, found a \$300 raise and a box of fine cigars on his desk when he returned to Mt. Yernon, Ills., after a visit here during the holidays.

J. Robt. Bird the county farm improvement Demonstrator returned Monday from Shelbyville where he spent the holidays. He had an all days meeting of the farmers in his office Monday.

Fred H. Moore a Marion boy is now on the U. S. steam ship Washington at Portsmouth, N. H. and is serving as a marine guard for the U. S. Government to protect the in-coming and out going commerce.

Councilman James Paris the shoemaker, has been missing from his usual haunts, and his place of business as well, being detained at home by illness. He is suffering with a bad attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haynes and daughter Miss Mamie Haynes and grand daughters little Misses Mary Elizabeth and Mildred Wallace Bennett left Friday for Deland Florida to remain several months.

Robert James, the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John James of Twenty-fifth and Adams st. who ran away from home last Friday, has been located in Kuttawa, Ky., by the local police. The lad was probably on his way to Marion, Ky., where he has relatives.—Paducah News Democrat.

Rev. James F. Price preached at Crayne last Sunday. He will preach at Fredonia next Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Frisbie one of the city's wealthiest citizens who has been confined to her home on Belleville street with rheumatism is now much better and with the advent of spring hopes to be up and out as usual.

Stomach dosing will no more cure catarrh than heal a cut. You must get the medication right to the sore and diseased membrane. That's the Hyomei way, you breathe it. No catarrh remedy is so simple yet effective. Haynes & Taylor guarantees it. 4

Mrs. W. H. Copher left Saturday for Harrisburg, Ills., to attend the funeral of her aunt the widow of Capt. High Belt who died suddenly Friday with heart trouble. Mrs. Copher will visit her daughter Mrs. Atta Ferrell and Mr. Ferrell and the children while absent.

Maurie Nunn has received a flattering offer of \$1800.00 per annum from Boise City, Idaho and contemplates leaving Sunday for the far west. Idaho is near the Pacific coast and Mr. Nunn contemplates many pleasant visits to its San Francisco exposition in 1915.

The Hon. L. H. James of this city father of U. S. Senator O. M. James who has been at the hospital in Louisville for several weeks under treatment for rheumatism and optic troubles is now somewhat improved and is able to leave the sanitarium and go to the home of his son U. S. Marshall E. H. James and hopes if the weather keeps going to return home soon.

Governor Lee Crace of Oklahoma has returned to Ardmore his term having expired. Miss Adah Bennett, niece of Gov. Cruce and daughter of the late Judge Bennett, of the Kentucky court of appeals, who has been mistress of the governor's mansion during Gov. Cruce's term of office, has taken a cottage at Normal and will remain there until Miss Lorena Cruce, daughter of the governor, completes the course at the State University.—Oklahoma City.

## BARGAINS IN CLOAKS

## AND SUITS

\$15.00 cloaks at \$7.50 coat suits at half price, fifteen days only,

fifty pound felt mattress art ticking at \$3.99 best bargains ever offered in Marion before at Lottie Tinsley Terry, moved to the house where Wheeler & Grisom had groceries and produce. Come early all phone orders given prompt attention phone no. 42 Lottie Tinsley Terry's place to get real bargains laces, silks all kinds ready made suits, something new all the time.

Lottie Tinsley Terry new store north west corner court square, opposite Tuckers furniture store.

## WALNUT GROVE

One or two pupils of Walnut Grove will finish eight grade work this year.

A call is being made for Prof. E. E. Phillips to surprise the next term of school as Walnut Grove.

Some of the Green's Chapel pupils have joined the corn club, some joined the canning club and others joined the pig club. They have also joined the Liberty Bell Bird Club, and their motto is, Protect our feathered friends, How's that for a school of not more than a dozen pupils?

Green's Chapel pupils have planted four maple trees in their school yard. They gave trees the following names: George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Franklin.

Mrs. Kate Barnes of Belle's Mines, was doing the weeks washing a few days ago when a gentleman by the name of John Wallace, of Webster county, called at her home.

For several weeks Mr. Wallace had been trying to persuade Mrs. Barnes to become his partner for life, but didn't seem to be very successful, so he ceased writing letters and came to personally interview her concerning the proposition she finally consented to become his bride and, though it was raining they happily drove away while some of the neighbors finished washing.

Mrs. Barnes and Mr. Wallace were united in marriage in the

home of some of their friends in Dixon, Thursday Jan. 7th., 1915.

Saturday afternoon, they returned to her home near Belle's Mines, where her children and some of the neighbors had prepared a bountiful supper for them.

In the evening they served refreshments to quite a number of friends and delightfully entertained them with games and music.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace will reside at his home near Sullivan.

Mr. Ross Barnes and family of Caseyville will move to his mother's farm near Belle's Mines, this week.

Mr. Al Walker and family, of Weston spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sheeley, then visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shields, Sunday.

Master Willard, Eldred and Alvar Dempsey, of Green's Chapel were guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chess Truitt of Rodney Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. C. R. Wilson is having a telephone installed in his home near Green's Chapel.

Messrs J. H. Truitt and Dan Fox of Rodney visited Doc. Truitt and family of Caseyville, Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Hina was the guest of Mrs. John Culley of Belle's Mines, one day last week.

## Parsons & Scyville 9th,

## Annual Banquet.

Our genial towns man Charles B. Hina made the response for the sales men at the 9th, annual banquet given by the Parsons & Scyville Co., in their magnificent store room at Evansville on New Years evening at 7.30 p. m. Such a menu as follows was quite enough to inspire a fine speech which they say Mr. Hina made.

## MENU

Salted nuts, oyster cocktail, celery, radishes, olives, chicken soup, young roast turkey, dressing, cranberries, little Q. peas in cases, duchesse potatoes, combination Salad, pasco dressing, english plum pudding, hard sauce, white mountain cheese, wafers, pasco coffee and mints.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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## 50 lb. Pure Lard

I will begin on Jan. 10th., giving tickets with each cash purchase you make with me and continue this until March 10th., 1915. The person purchasing the highest valuation in tickets is entitled to a 50 lb. can of Pure Lard.

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400 Depot St., Tel. No. 173.

### DEANWOOD

(delayed from last week.)

Lonnie Brantly has moved on John Birchfield's farm. John R. Travis has moved into the house on John Guess's farm.

T. E. Walker and family visited relatives here recently.

Misses Margaret and Ethel Walker entertained a few friends Tuesday evening in honor of their guests, Misses Twinkle Hill and Effie Phillips.

Miss Edna Roberts lost a fine horse this week. J. M. Walker has two sick William Stone, of Gong Spring community, visited Maurice Horning this week.

James and Henry McConnell, of Blackburn vicinity, attended the musical at J. N. Deans the thirty-first.

Ben Drennan and family, of near Dixon, were guests of Bud Drennan and George Kemps, several days last week.

J. N. Dean's family, of Marion, spent the holidays with him.

Charley Allen, a highly esteemed citizen of Cave Springs community, died suddenly of heart failure, Jan. 1st, and was buried in Sugar Grove cemetery the third. Rev. J. R. King preached the funeral.

Stella Dean, who is teaching the Sugar Grove school, was at home ill for several days. Carrie Morse had charge of her school.

There was a singing at E. A. Hills Sunday night; one at E. F. Deans Sunday night.

The first evening of the New Year was spent pleasantly by a few of the young people at Mrs. Ida Moreses.

Bowie Eaton is still confined to her room.

Prayer meeting at Sugar Grove every Saturday night, every one is invited to come.

### Coughs

Kill If You Let Them.  
Instead kill your Cough with DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY. It heals Irritated Throat and Lungs. Thousands in last 40 years benefited by  
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### Brides From Japan.

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—Seven picture brides from Japan arrived here Monday to meet husbands they have never seen. Fifty more had arrived within the week. Until the husbands claim them the brides are being housed at the United States detention station.

In the eyes of the Japanese law the brides have been married. There has been an exchange of photographs, an approval by

the heads of the two contracting families and a formal declaration of intention.

The brides come tagged and numbered, are correctly awarded to the right husbands and then usually are taken in hand by the Japanese association, which escorts them to the marriage license bureau, after which a religious service is held.

## MANY TROUBLES DUE TO AN INACTIVE LIVER

Many of the troubles of life such as headache, indigestion, constipation and lack of energy and due to inactivity.

GRIGSBY'S LIV-VE-LAX is a natural, vegetable remedy that will get the liver right and making these troubles disappear. It has none of the dangers or disagreeable after effects of calomel. Got a 50c or \$1.00 bottle of this splendid remedy from your druggist today. Every bottle bears the likeness of L. K. Grigsby, who guarantees it through.

### VIEW

(Delayed from last week.)

We are having plenty of cold weather for the present. Will be glad to see some pretty weather going with the beautiful sunshine.

Collin Fox returned home last week where he spent Christmas.

Some one must be getting pretty careless in the way they shoot. We learned that two bullets entered the home of Fred Merideths, one penetrating the door and barely escaped hurting some of the family.

Allie Hodge took a pleasure trip to Paducah last week.

Collin Fox was called to Paducah last week to attend to some business for the L. C. R. R. Co., and returned to his regular depot office.

Mrs. Clara Fox and children, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Fox and family, for several days, have returned to Princeton where they will stay a few days and then return to their home in Arkansas.

We are sorry to hear of Dudley Brown's misfortune, by losing his two little children, leaving him only one little girl.

Bryan Fox killed a dog last week that was said to be mad. The dog was viciously running cattle when shot.

Nellie Brown is very low with consumption.

Mrs. J. T. Butler is quite ill at this writing. We hope she will recover at an early date.

Preaching at White Hall last Sunday but the attendance was small.

There hasn't been any tobacco sold in the community that we know of, but are expecting to see it soon. Hope we will get a good price for it as we farmer friends certainly do deserve a good price for our tobacco.

## School Auditorium

Tuesday Evening, February 2nd

TELLE FRANKLIN GRAY AND HER COMPANY.

Miss Gray's success has been instantaneous and universal. Although still but a girl, she has gained a recognized position as a legitimate artist of high rank.

Miss Gray gave her first violin recital when ten years old, at which time she played the Mendelssohn Concerto. Even at that early age the San Francisco critics recognized her individuality.

From early childhood she has won a series of scholarships that has given her an opportunity to study under the greatest masters of the west, New York and Europe.

Miss Gray plays with a warmth of tone and a freedom of bowing that are masculine in breadth and yet with feminine charm. She is distinguished for her unconscious graciousness of manner and simplicity as much as for her merit as an artist.

Miss Florence Crawford, pianiste of this company, has remarkable ability. She rapidly won favor in New York, where she studied and played in con-



ESTELLE FRANKLIN GRAY.

cert, appearing several times with the Philharmonic Orchestra. She has been before the public for many years and plays with brilliancy and buoyant musical feeling. She astonishes her audiences with her strength, endurance and her manipulation of difficult and rapid passages.

Mrs. Margaret Gray always travels with her daughter. Mrs. Gray is a reader of great ability and has won success from east to west.

She is a great favorite with audiences and gives readings with music spoken songs or character delineations at the option of the local management.



### Notice to the Farmers of Crittenden County.

I can get you pedigreed apple trees, sure bearers, 1 year old, best on earth or anywhere else at 16c, whole root.

I do this for the upbuilding of our good county. Don't buy fruit trees from unknown people. All I ask is cash with order in advance. You will be sure to like the trees and fruit if I get them for you.

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Marion, Ky.

P. S.—Such trees would cost you \$1.00 each from agents.

Yours, D. W. S.

### Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding or protruding Piles in 14 days. The first application gives ease and keeps. 50c.

## Sprains, Bruises Stiff Muscles

Sloan's Liniment will save hours of suffering. For bruise or sprain it gives instant relief. It arrests inflammation and thus prevents more serious troubles developing. No need to rub it in—it acts at once, instantly relieving the pain, however severe it may be.

### Here's Proof

Charles Johnson, P. O. Box 105, Lawrence, Mo., writes: "I sprained my ankle and dislocated my left hip by falling out of a third story window six months ago. I went on crutches for four months, then I started to use some of your Liniment, according to your directions, and I know that it is helping me wonderfully. I threw my crutches away. Only used two bottles of your Liniment and now I am walking quite well with one cane. I never will be without Sloan's Liniment."

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## BRAIN LEAKS.

(By F. S. LOYD)

George Crider stepped into a butcher and began to price the meat.

"Well, you know sir, meats are very dear, today," said the butcher.

"Oh, then give me a pound of yesterday's steak, please," said George.

Miss Mattie Smith said, "I'd just like to see the man that I would promise to love, honor and obey."

"I'm sure you would, Mattie," said Daddy.

Albert Elder was out on the road the other day came home and said, "I saw a lot of quails following a hen up the road today."

"Yes," replied his wife.

"How do you explain it?"

"Various ways," said his wife.

"Sometimes the phenomenon is due to the fact that lots of people don't know the difference between a quail and a young Brown Leghorn."

Tom Jones said to Miss Mattie, "Are you sure I am the only man you ever really and truly loved?"

"Perfectly sure, I went over the whole list, only yesterday."

Mrs. Nora Loyd said, "Dwight, did you take cough medicine regularly at school today?"

"No'm, Anthony Hughes liked it and he gave me an apple for it."

The teacher asked Annie May Elder the other day, "What is the shape of the earth?"

"Round," said she.

"How do you know it is round?"

"Alright, it's square, then, I don't want to start any argument."

S. M. Jenkins, editor of the Record-Press, wrote "brother, don't stop your paper just because you don't agree with me in politics. The cabbage you sent us didn't agree with us, either, but we didn't drop you from our subscription list on that account."

George Stone says a woman will often say what she thinks when she says it without thinking.

Press Maxwell says a girl will not choose a book by its cover, but she will judge a man by his looks.

Uncle Dock Green says if people could live without love and money the jail would be closed and our policemen would lose their jobs.

Calvin Elder says it is no sin to be thirty years old but you will have a hard time finding an unmarried girl who is that old.

Uncle Billy Loyd says it may sound queer, but it is a fact, that the girl with the most cheek never blushes.

Alec Garner says a bad man will tell you to go the devil, but a bad woman will lead you there.

Uncle Gus Bentley says it is hard for a man to mend his ways so the patches won't show.

Newt Dollar says there are only a few sure things left. One of them is that the girls will never get their skirts so tight that they can't catch a man.

Mrs. W. T. Oakley said to Carless, "You mustn't laugh so at the table." "I ain't laughing at the table, I'm laughing at Uncle Dock."

Albert Elder was asked the other

day, "You don't mean to say that this is the first you've heard of that fracas in town?"

"Absolutely," said Albert.

"Why, it's the talk of the whole town."

"Yes, but my wife is away on a visit."

A. C. Deboe and Daddy Lloyd, two old men who had been old friends and met the other day in town. After exchanging greetings, one of them said, "By the way old chap, when at school you used to be rather fond of music. Do you play any instrument?"

"Oh yes," was the reply. I can knock thunder out a Jew's harp."

Mrs. Albert Elder said to Albert.

"If I should die I want you to promise me you won't marry again within a year at least."

"Alright go ahead, I promise anything."

Joe Parr says the arrival of the first baby is an event; the arrival of the second baby is an incident; and after that, the arrivals are regarded as a habit.

Frank Clift says when a woman is so shy that she acts as if she had never spoken to a man in her life, you can almost bet that she's a widow.

Uncle Gus Bentley says the time was once, when women married for better or for worse; but now she marries him for more or less.

Oscar Hibbs, of Cairo, Ill., says when you see a couple come into a picture show, if he helps her off with her coat when they enter, and holds it for her during the show, they are single. If she hauls off her own coat and hangs it on the back of the chair, they are married.

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### LEVIAS

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Miss Mamie Love, of Clay, returned last week for a visit to her parents.

Mrs. R. H. Moore and little daughter visited J. B. Carter's family Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lena Franklin has returned from a visit to friends at Marion and Repton.

Elzie Gilles is here, from Clay, for a visit to his mother.

Loren Bateman is moving to Herbert Carter's farm for this year.

Miss Bessie McClure, of Marion, spent the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. L. L. Price visited J. H. Price and family Sunday.

The party at Fred Love's Saturday night was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Mrs. Roy Davidson and Mrs. C. C. Bebout entertained a few of their friends at dinner last week.

Henry Bealmer, of Sheridan, visited Mrs. J. B. Carter's poultry plant last week and bought some nice White Leg horn Stock.

Mrs. P. J. Gilles is at home after a six weeks stay with her daughter, Mrs. Jones, near Paducah, who has had a severe spell of typhoid fever.

J. H. Moore, our jolly stockman was through here buying stock last week.

Everybody likes to trade with "Knott."

We learn that the Farmer's Union tobacco pool has been sold at four and three-fifths cents a round.

Miss Davis, our school teacher, visited Miss Katherine Baker last week. Miss Davis is teaching us a fine school.

Mr. Vernon Pogue has gone back to Clay to work in the coal mines.

The young people of this place greatly enjoyed a musical at G. B. Taylor's Thursday night.

We understand that Glenn Carter out, between her home and New Salem school house, a small box containing some crocheting, also some crochet thread and cord. Finder will please notify Miss Glenn.

Miss Annie Boston, of Marion, visited relatives here during the holidays.

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# STORY OF YEAR MARKED BY SENSATIONAL EVENTS

## Most Momentous Twelve Months of Modern Times Reviewed—Great European War, Mexican Troubles and Other World Happenings.

The year of our Lord, 1914, is unique in the history of the world. It was a year of unparalleled events, a year which has transformed it into a horror without precedent in the annals of the world, a year which has laid the foundations of the old world and laid its sinister impulse on the new.

It came swiftly and with a terrific clash. On July 23, the Austro-Hungarian government sent an ultimatum to Serbia demanding the punishment of the persons concerned in the assassination of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand and instant suppression of all anti-Austrian propaganda in that country and giving 48 hours for consideration. The Belgrade government agreed to the Austrian demand with a single exception, that which would have empowered Austrian officials to take a leading part in the punishment of the murderers, and asked for further information on this point.

The reply was not satisfactory to Austria. She promptly declared war on Serbia and began to move troops toward the border. The Serbs began active mobilization and removed their capital from Belgrade to Nish. In the interior, instantly the arms of all the civilized world were turned toward Russia.

The day after Austria declared war on Serbia, the Russian minister of foreign affairs warned the German ambassador that if Serbia were invaded Russia would not be able to remain neutral. Great Britain proposed to Germany, France and Italy that a council should be arranged to mediate between the two disputants. Germany declined to become party to such an arrangement. The czar urged the Kaiser to use his influence with the Austrian emperor. According to the German account, the Kaiser complied with this request to the best of his ability. When he discovered, however, that mobilization was going on actively in Russia, he wired the czar that his course was making it impossible for Germany to remain neutral.

Two days later the Kaiser proclaimed martial law throughout the country and sent a twenty-four hour ultimatum to the Russian government demanding an instant abandonment of all war preparation. At the expiration of this ultimatum, August 1, the Kaiser gave the order for mobilization to begin and on the same day Count von Pourtales, the German ambassador at St. Petersburg, started homeward.

Meanwhile the mobilization of the entire French army was begun. Martial law was declared August 4, the German ambassador announced that the war between his country and France was on. England had asked both France and Germany if they would respect the neutrality of Belgium in case of war. The former had answered in the affirmative. The latter made no direct reply, and Belgian mobilization began at once.

On August 4 a German army marched into the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, whose neutrality had been guaranteed by the powers in 1867. A day later, the German government sent a note to the Belgian government demanding passage for German troops through the country and promising ample compensation for all damage at the close of the war. This was in the form of an ultimatum and specified twelve hours as a time limit. The reply was that Belgium would defend her neutrality by force of arms if it were necessary.

### Great Britain Declares War.

At this move of Germany, Great Britain began active mobilization of her forces and all the naval reserves were called out at the last of August. A vote of £200,000,000 was voted, and within a few days a British force of 120,000 men had been landed in France. On August 6 Austria-Hungary declared war on Russia and her troops crossed the Russian border. The Montenegro joined the Serbs against Austria and Russia was invaded. On August 10 the French government proclaimed war against Austria, and two days later England followed her example. Japan announced her intention to side with her British ally.

Scandinavia and Holland asserted their neutrality, but at once put all their military resources into requisition for defense. Portugal announced her intention to fulfill her treaty obligations with Great Britain, but she did not become a belligerent at once. Spain professed absolute neutrality, but began immediate mobilization of all her forces. Turkey declared for neutrality, but mobilized her army and began to advance toward Bulgaria. It was not until the last of October that she made her initial demonstration in the Black sea against Russia, Greece, as well as the minor Balkan states, was in a condition of armed expectancy. As for Italy, sworn ally of Germany and Austria in the so-called Triple Alliance, she took advantage of the fact that her partners were not engaged in a defensive war to remain neutral despite strong pressure from Berlin and Vienna.

At the outbreak of hostilities, a censorship which is the most effective ever known was established in all the warring countries. About all that was actually revealed was that the Kaiser's forces made their way through Belgium with a tremendous loss of men and property, the Belgian defenders of the little kingdom exhibiting a power of resistance and a stubbornness which amazed the world. The forts at Liege halted the German legions for a week. But the odds were too great. By the end of August the terrible German war machine had literally moved its way through Belgium, and by September 4 had reached a point within twenty miles of Paris, which was in active preparation for a siege. The seat of government was removed to Bordeaux. Suddenly, on September 5, the German army of the right turned eastward. Since that time, the Kaiser's forces have been retreating slowly, fighting with a persistence never before recorded in the history of modern war.

Russian mobilization by the middle of August was practically completed and the czar's armies were in rapid advance toward the German and Austrian frontiers. Great forces opposed the Slavic advance and many bloody contests followed in rapid succession, until late in the autumn, the greatly outnumbered Teutonic allies began to show signs of declining offensive ability.

The Japanese confined their military operations entirely to Asia. They immediately proceeded against the German forts at Kiauchow, China, which were taken by assault after ten weeks' attack. Russian and Turkish fleets have been engaged in the Black sea, there has been fighting on a small scale in Egypt, and the Portuguese in Africa have made several attacks upon German colonies. Indian troops have been engaged with Turkish forces in an effort to keep the Suez Canal open.

From the first, there has been a practical deadlock in the naval situation. The

British fleet sailed under sealed orders August 4, and a big naval battle in the North Sea was confidently expected by the warring world. It soon became apparent that Great Britain's purpose was to deal a fatal blow at German commerce, safeguard that of Belgium, France and its own and render the enemy's fleet inoperative by holding it in the Baltic. A week later, the port authorities of New York were notified that the Atlantic lines were unobstructed, and a few days afterward the Pacific lines were pronounced "open and safe." Sixty British war vessels guarded the entrance of the Kiel Canal and prevented the thirty German battleships anchored there from coming out. Within a few days, more than thirty of the great German ocean liners were interned in neutral waters and a number of German merchant ships were captured or destroyed.

By the middle of November more than four hundred war vessels and merchantmen on all sides had been captured or interned in neutral ports. The London in the Pacific and the Karlsruhe in the South Atlantic. Two German raiders, preyed successfully upon allied and neutral commerce until the former was put out of action. During the past three months the Germans have destroyed a number of British cruisers by means of torpedoes. In action off the coast of Chile, a squadron of five German warships sank the Monmouth and Good Hope with all on board. On October 27, although it was not known to the public for a fortnight afterward, the British super-dreadnaught Audacious was sunk by a mine off the coast of Ireland. Shortly afterward, the British admiral declared the North sea a closed military area.

On December 8 the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Niemann under Admiral von Spee were sunk by a British squadron under Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee, off the Falkland Islands. The German cruiser Dresden escaped, badly damaged. December 16 a German fleet bombarded the English coast town of Harwich. Whitty and Scarborough, killing 120 and wounding 30 citizens and causing much property damage. Three British merchant vessels were sunk by mines laid by the bombarding fleet.

At the close of the year operations in the west seem practically at a standstill. December 17 the Germans reported a victory in Poland.

As a result of the immediate paralysis in the financial world due to the sudden embolism of the European nations, Austrians, Germans, and Belgians adopted an amendment to the federal reserve act, by which the secretary of the treasury was given power to issue additional bank currency in such amount as would be necessary to protect the business of the country.

The American Red Cross sent the relief ship Red Cross to European waters, with a full equipment of physicians, nurses and supplies, on September 12.

### Chaotic Conditions in Mexico.

Early in the year foreign nations began to be critical of the administration's "hands-off" Mexican policy and to insist that the job of pacifying Mexico belonged logically to the United States. Victoriano Huerta had held the provisional presidency for a year and boasted in his cups that he would hold his office longer than President Wilson would remain in the White House. Meanwhile the bandit chief Pancho Villa was extending his ground in the north. The fiercest battle of the revolution, which was fought for almost two weeks, ended in victory for the rebel forces.

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Congress passed a resolution sustaining the president in the position which he had taken. On April 13 Admin. E. J. Carranza, who had been elected by the Mexicans, resisted the occupation of the custom house and the result was a fight, in which 16 Americans were killed and 21 wounded. General Max, in command of the garrison, withdrew and left the Americans in possession.

Nelson O'Shannessy, the American representative, was given his passport and requested to leave the country. Brig. Gen. Frederick Funston, commander of the American forces at Vera Cruz, was ready to enter on a vigorous campaign. Before hostilities were carried forth the diplomatic representatives at Washington of Argentina, Brazil and Chile sent in to the office of the department of state a formal order of their services as mediators. President Wilson accepted the offer and both Huerta and Carranza accepted the proffered mediation.

The mediatory conference was held at Niagara Falls, Canada, and opened on May 30. On June 12 the conference had agreed to a plan accepted both by President Wilson and Huerta. Then a deadlock arose over the choice for president—the American delegates declined to accept the name of any nonconstitutionalist.

Meanwhile, the constitutionalists were making remarkable advance toward the capital. Their success was so pronounced that it was evident they would soon be in control of the government.

On July 1 the conference came to an end without definite result, and four days later Huerta was re-elected president by his partisans. On July 15 the dictator resigned the presidency and took passage for Europe, leaving the executive authority in the hands of a prominent citizen, Francisco Carbajal.

The new president and Carranza could not agree upon the surrender of the government to the victorious constitutional army, and on August 19 Carbajal resigned and the chamber of deputies dissolved. Five days later, the constitutional army entered the City of Mexico without opposition. Venustiano Carranza immediately took upon himself the office

of president, although he soon announced that he intended to resign and to devote his function to a provisional substitute and himself becoming a candidate.

On September 23 Villa declared war upon the provisional president. The constitutionalists held a meeting at Mexico City on October 4 to accept the resignation of their chief's resignation. At a convention of the party held at Aguas Calientes on October 14, Carranza again presented his resignation and a few days later Villa promised to supply a provisional president named by the convention. At that, Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez was appointed by the convention, but Carranza refused to recognize him. The new president appointed Villa commander in chief of the government forces and ordered him to proceed at once against Carranza. As Villa and his men neared the capital, Carranza and his soldiers withdrew.

On November 23 the American forces were withdrawn from Vera Cruz and soon afterward Carranza and his followers took possession of the port. Villa and Zapata united in support of the Gutierrez interests, and the prospect of peace in the immediate future is far from encouraging.

On December 15, 3,000 United States troops were sent to Naco to stop continued firing by the Mexican factions into United States territory. The struggle between the combatants in northern Mexico continues unabated.

### Longest Congressional Session.

The first regular session of the Sixty-third congress was the longest since that great law-making body came into existence in 1789. It began on September 12, 1914, after the adjournment of the special session called by President Wilson upon the regulation of corporations. In his address the president reviewed the formation of a trade commission and the holding of a conference on the subject of a national bank and an anti-trust law. On January 24 the senate passed a bill authorizing the government to construct a railroad in Alaska. On February 15 the house passed the bill.

During this month, also, the administration was asking authority to use force in compelling a settlement. Both houses passed the necessary measures without delay. On June 5 the three measures prominent in the president's anti-trust legislation—the creation of a trade commission, the Clayton bill, and the railroad capitalization bill—were passed, but it was not until August that the senate adopted the measure creating a federal trade commission. The Clayton anti-trust bill did not become law until October.

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### American Government and Politics.

On January 2 Secretary McAdoo and Secretary Houston began a series of hearings to determine whether the federal reserve bank system was to be established. The federal reserve bank system went into effect November 18. On January 19 the Washington authorities and the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad reached an agreement by which the railroad relinquished its trolley lines, its control of the Boston and Maine, and most of its steamship lines, in order to avoid further conflict with the Sherman anti-trust law. President Wilson non-interfered with the railroad's action.

On January 27 the president signed an important order which established a permanent civil service in the Panama Canal Zone, to go into effect April 1. A few days later he nominated Col. George W. Goethals to be first governor. On February 11 the government brought suit in Salt Lake City to compel the Southern Pacific railroad to relinquish its control of the Central Pacific.

In March government proceedings were begun against two railroads: The Interstate commerce commission accused the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road with overhauling of income and other financial irregularities, and suit was brought against the Lehigh Valley road under the charge that it was monopolizing the anthracite coal industry through subsidiary companies. In this month, also, the custom house at Vera Cruz was taken over by the Mexicans, and a plan for breaking up the transportation monopoly practiced by the New York, New Haven and Hartford had been arranged satisfactory to all parties.

Early in April the government met with defeat in its attempt to prove that the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western road and the coal-mining company of the same name existed as an illegal and monopolistic combination. On April 2 the committee appointed for the purpose announced that it had selected twelve federal reserve districts, with their central banking cities, under the new currency law.

On June 8 the American Thread company, which was proved to be a combination of manufacturers which profited from the output of foreign textile action contemplated by the department of justice by dissolving. In June, also, the United States supreme court affirmed the power of the Interstate commerce commission to fix rates, and held that pipe lines are common carriers and must carry products at rates fixed by the commission.

On June 15 the president made public a charge that big business interests had been trying to force congress to adjourn.

He declared that he should do everything in his power to keep congress in session until the proper business legislation had been enacted.

In July the commission found that the former management of the New Haven road was criminally wasteful and negligent. President Wilson directed that attorney general, July 21, to begin civil and criminal proceedings against the New York, New Haven and Hartford road, and two days later the suit was begun in the United States district court at New York.

On the first day of August the Interstate commerce commission denied the petition of the eastern railroads for a general increase of 5 per cent in freight rates, but allowed certain increases in the middle West. On August 15 the dissolution of the International Harvester company, designated as a monopoly in restraint of trade, was ordered by the United States district court at St. Paul, Minn.

The Panama Canal was formally opened for world traffic on August 15. The steamship Ancon, belonging to the Panama railroad, passed from ocean to ocean in ten hours. In September the railroad rates shown increased activity. The roads east of the Mississippi and north of the Potomac again petitioned the Interstate commerce commission for permission to advance freight rates 5 per cent, and the commission consented to reopen the case. The commission granted the increase, with certain exceptions, on December 18.

A delegation of railroad presidents visited President Wilson at the White House and laid before him the unsatisfactory situation which confronted American roads. The president was sympathetic, but expressed no opinion in the Interstate commerce commission to regulate the matter satisfactorily.

On September 23 Secretary McAdoo aroused great interest in banking circles by announcing his intention to withdraw government patronage assistance from national banks known to be hoarding currency or demanding excessive interest.

In October the court dismissed all but one of the government's charges in its suit to dissolve the Atlantic steamship trust. Final argument in the suit to dissolve the Stiel trust was made at Philadelphia, and the discussion of increased railroad freight rates was resumed before the Interstate commerce commission.

At the elections held on November 3 the Democratic majority in the house of representatives was reduced from 117 to 75, although the Democratic majority in the senate was increased from 19 to 25. Constitutional amendments giving the suffrage to women were carried in Nevada, Arizona and prohibition triumphed in Washington, Oregon, Arizona, and Colorado. In Missouri the so-called "foul crew" law passed by the legislature was rejected.

### Politics in Other Lands.

On January 27 Michel Oreste, president of Haiti, warned of the approach of a large body of revolutionists, abdicated hastily and took refuge on a German cruiser. On February 8 Oreste Zamor was elected president of Haiti and on the same day Jose Vicente Concha was elected president of Colombia.

Early in the year the Chinese administrative council re-established Confucianism as the state religion of the republic. At the opening of parliament February 19 King George V. opened the session of the Irish home rule controversy. On March 5 the home rule bill was introduced for its third passage through the commons. On May 25 the bill passed the commons for the third time. On September 15 the Welsh disestablishment bill and the parliament was prorogued.

On March 11, as the finale to a bitter political and personal controversy, the wife of the French minister of finance, Mme. Caillaux, shot and killed the editor of "Le Figaro," Gaston Calmanzy. Calmanzy had resigned his office at once and a new cabinet was formed. The trial of Mme. Caillaux resulted in her acquittal on July 28. On March 14 a treaty of peace between Turkey and Serbia was signed at Constantinople. On May 1 the new Chinese constitution was published. It abolished the premeditation and gave increased power to the president. On May 6 Prince Alexander of Teck, Queen Mary's brother, was appointed governor-general of Canada.

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### Casualties on Land and Sea.

Early in January the second phenomenal storm of the season added largely to the destruction of property along the coast from New Jersey and Long Island. On January 11 a Japanese volcano on Sakurajima Island burst suddenly into activity and destroyed three towns and killed more than a thousand persons. During a performance at a moving picture show at Surabaya, Java, 25 women and children were burned to death. The steamer Monroe, from Norfolk to New York city, was rammed by the Nantuxet during a night fog off Cape Charles, January 26, and 4 persons were lost. On March 4 more than a thousand persons lost their lives during a storm which flooded several towns in Southern Russia, and about the same time many persons were killed by an earthquake at Akita, Japan.

On March 21 the sailing steamer Newfoundland stranded on an ice floe in the Strait of Belle Isle and 77 of her crew were frozen to death. The same day the steamer Southern Cross and her crew disappeared. On April 23 an explosion in a mine shaft at Eccles, W. Va., caused the death of 139 miners. Early in May Sicily was visited by a series of shocks which did great damage along the eastern coast. The steamship Empress of Ireland was wrecked by the Norwegian liner Storstad in the St. Lawrence river, May 29, and sank almost immediately, more than a thousand passengers losing their lives. May 30, Capt. Robert A. Bartlett of the Stefansson arctic expedition returned to St. Michael, Alaska, with the news that the Karluk sank, January 12, after having been crushed by ice, and that her crew was marooned on Wrangel Island. On September 7, eight members of this crew were found by a rescuing party. On June 19 more than two hundred miners were killed by an explosion in a coal mine near Alberta, Canada. A fire at Salem, Mass., June 25, destroyed half of the city, including several thousand homes and many large industrial establishments. In this month, also, American consuls in various Chinese cities reported that floods in southern China had destroyed the crops and made 2,000,000 persons homeless. On September 18 the Francis H. Leggett collided with an unknown vessel off the Oregon coast and 72 of her passengers and crew were lost. In October an earthquake in Turkey destroyed more than 2,000 persons in a few minutes.

### Industrial Trials and Triumphs.

The Ford Motor company at the beginning of the year adopted a profit-sharing plan by which \$10,000,000 is to be distributed annually among the 25,000 wage-earners of that concern. The great South African strike came to its end. On January 19 a strike of the Delaware and Hudson railroad men, as a protest against the discharge of two employees, was settled within sixteen hours by the federal board of mediation and conciliation.

Two great labor controversies had been left over from the preceding year—one to the Michigan copper mines, which began July 23, 1913, and another in the Colorado coal fields, where 14,000 men had been on strike since September 23 of the previous year.

Violence caused by the Federal aid was demanded. On April 29 the strikers miners clashed with the state militia near Trinidad, Colo., and twenty-five persons were killed or burned to death in a fire which followed. President Wilson ordered federal troops to the scene. It was not until September 15 that the strikers and their employers accepted President Wilson's offer for a settlement of their dispute, but his plan was rejected. On the last day of November the president named a commission of five leaders by Seth Low to deal with the strike. Shortly after the strike was declared off.

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An innovation known as "twilight sleep" has been introduced in the treatment of child-birth has been robbed almost entirely of its terrors. The new system developed at the Woman's hospital of Freiburg, Germany, is described as a slight slumber induced by an injection of a combination of two drugs, scopolamine and morphine.

On January 23 the first wireless message without relaying, transmitted between Hanover, Germany, and Tuckerton, on the lower New Jersey coast, came in less than a distance of 4,662 miles. On February 17 the expedition led by Capt. J. Campbell Bealey returned to New York after six months' exploration in a hitherto unknown Andean region. The party discovered a lost Inca city and brought back valuable ethnological records. Later in the same month the antarctic expedition led by Dr. Douglas Mawson arrived at Adelaide, Australia, after two years spent in scientific exploration. On April 19, Dr. Alexis Carrel, Nobel prize winner and eminent for his contributions to exact science, announced that he had operated successfully on the heart of an animal by suspending the circulation of blood several minutes. On May 19, ex-President Roosevelt returned home after an exploratory expedition through the Brazilian wilderness. He announced the discovery of a river, which was named Rio Roosevelt, and afterward rediscovered Rio Teodoro. On November 4 at the British embassy in Paris, Prof. Dugald Baird, an English priest of the Anglican church, made his claim to have devised a small portable wireless telegraph apparatus capable of reaching distances from high-power stations at a distance of 1,235 miles. On January 2, at Dayton, Ohio, Orville Wright gave a public demonstration of the automatic stabilizer, his new aeroplanical invention. On February 7, the German aviator Ingold made a record of more than a thousand miles, remaining aloft sixteen and a half hours, thus breaking a New Jersey record. In April a new aeroplane height record was made by Linnekegel, at Johannesburg. He reached an altitude of 29,544 feet. In May, a Zeppelin dirigible flew for thirty-six hours without stop over Germany, at an average speed of 100 miles an hour. On July 14, a German aviator at Berlin ascended in a monoplane to a height of 26,000 feet, and thus broke the record. The flight from Norway to Scotland was made by Gran, July 20, in four hours and ten minutes.

The use of aircraft in the war has not been greatly sensational, but it has been sufficient to modify warfare to an appreciable extent. Most of the aeroplanes of the belligerent nations are not fighting craft, but the dirigibles of the Zeppelin type, which are used for reconnaissance and are regarded as battleships of the air, and terrible results have been expected when this formidable sky squadron should get into action. Thus far, most of these military adjuncts have been used for scouting purposes, and as such they have proved to be especially effective. The rapid advance of the German forces into France at the beginning of hostilities was made possible by these air scouts, which served to point out the way with infallible accuracy. In the attack on Louvain and other Belgian cities German artillery fired by means of searchlights and burning material dropped among the Belgian troops. That the Zeppelin airships are capable of doing great damage was proved by the Zeppelin raid on Antwerp.

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Leaffa Wilborn, County Treasurer.



## FORD'S FERRY

H. E. Wathen drove in a nice bunch of hogs to the J. L. Lowery today for shipment to Evansville.

Miss Ruth James returned home Saturday from a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Bristow, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Edith Brewer returned home today from a week's visit in Cave-in-Rock, Ill., the guest of her uncle, J. H. Hardesty.

The hop at the Club House Saturday night was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Nolan Brewer went to see his best girl Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Wilborn is on the sick list this week.

When in need of fresh groceries, call at the Red Front, Ford's Ferry, Ky.

George Lanham, of Rosiclar, Ill., has moved to the farm of Hugh McConnell.

Miss Christine Hancock, of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., was the guest of Misses Edith and Anice Brewer Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John James were the guests of the former's parents Sunday.

Miss Beulah Rankin was a pleasant caller at the Brewer home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vaughn visited Mr. and Mrs. Aaron James Sunday.

—SUNSHINE.

## COTTAGE GROVE

Guy Lofton and Will Truitt were in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Bettie Franks is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Claude Hughes visited Mrs. Jim Hughes last week.

Lewis Butler has moved from Zion hill to Bitter-root Valley.

Mrs. Arbell Hughes was the guest of Mrs. Butler Crisp Tuesday.

Luther Clift and Roe Wofford went to Cave-in-Rock, Ill., Wednesday.

Mrs. J. D. Hughes was the guest of Mrs. Agnes Beard Wednesday.

Mrs. Anna Lofton and children were the guests of Mrs. Agnes Beard Tuesday.

Miss Maude Wofford spent Tuesday night with Misses Gretna and Ina Holeman.

Mrs. Rebecca Bristow, who received a fall during the last snow, is improving rapidly.

Miss Beulah Rankin spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Gretna and Ina Holeman.

Mrs. Buddie Daniels and little son, Henry Jewel, spent Xmas with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Woods.

The birthday pound supper given by Mrs. Agnes Beard in honor of her daughter, Miss Denzil, was enjoyed by a large host of friends.

Miss Gretna Holeman spent Wednesday with Mrs. Henry Truitt. Late in the afternoon Misses Martha Hughes and Gretna called on Miss Cora Clift.

## WESTON

We have got started with our items once more.

Mrs. Della Hughes was in Weston Tuesday trading.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and little daughter, Ruby Eloise, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eskew's little son, Gordon, is on the sick list.

Miss Florence Watson was in Weston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Crisp and little son, Royce Alvin, spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett.

Clarence Black, of Webster county, spent Sunday the guest of J. W. Ben-

the New Year of 1915 is with us and we hope it will be a very prosperous one.

Miss Margaret Clement has returned to Bowling Green, Ky., after visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Groves.

P. K. Cooksey has been in Marion the past few days on business.

Mrs. Ida Lou Graham and little daughter, Ruth, of Grahamsville, Ky., are visiting her father, F. D. Ramage.

Charley Hust, who is traveling, has been visiting his parents here.

Prof. Guill, of Salem, has been visiting Charley Hust.

F. D. Ramage has been seriously ill for several weeks, but am glad to report he is improving.

Charley Ray Simmons, who has blood poison, is reported better by his physician, Dr. J. M. Groves.

Mrs. Marvin Akin, of Nashville, Tenn., who has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Groves, for several weeks, will return to her home soon and will be accompanied by Mrs. Ida Lou Graham and little daughter who will spend several weeks with her.

It is with sadness we announce the death of John Decker, who was drowned Jan. 1st, 1915, off the gasoline boat Str. Rambler. The boat became unmanageable on account of high water, and Mr. Decker became tangled up in the lines and fell overboard. His body has never been recovered. The bereaved family have our sympathy.

Charles Watson has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Vosier, left for his home in Des Moines, Iowa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robertson, of Livingston county, are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hill.

Wm. Padon, of Salem, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles Cassidy.

Dr. F. L. Parson, of Pinckneyville, is here doing dental work.

The young people are being much entertained by card parties and social affairs.

Miss Glenn Graves entertained with a 500 party. Light refreshments were served.

## CROOKED CREEK

Mrs. Charley Reed has been very sick for several days.

A small child of Will Cullen died of pneumonia fever Saturday morning, and was buried Sunday at Mt. Zion Jan. 3rd.

P. B. Butler, of Missouri, visited his daughter, Mrs. Charley Reed, last week.

Eb Gilbert and family were guests of her father, Anthony Murphy, last week.

Mrs. W. H. Thurman and daughter, Velda, visited her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hughes, of Mt. Zion, last week.

George King has moved into his new house one mile north of Marion.

Maxie Hamilton and Miss Ruby Johnson were married Jan. 9th. They intend going to Florida to reside.

Oscar Arlback, of Rosebud, came up to visit his old home and friends.

Lester Holloman and Miss Pearl Thurman were married Dec. 13th.

Lummie Fritts and family visited Will Fritts Sunday.

Cos Gilbert's little girl is very sick.

Will Barger, of Hebron, was the guest of Johnnie Fritts and family Sunday.

The children at Brown's school house are getting up their speeches and dialogues, preparing for a big time when the school is out. —BARLOW.

## MIDWAY

There was a musical at Press Hunts Saturday the boys did sure make some good music for a good crowd.

W. S. Hughes and wife spent the day Sunday at Martha Siglers.

Bro. McDowell and family visited Jim Paris Saturday night.

Paul Paris and family took dinner Sunday with her father.

Some says that the ground is wetter than it has been in two years.

Aunt Paulina Paris of Marion visited her son John B. Saturday night.

## HEBRON

Rev. Hosea Paris preached at Dunn Springs Saturday and Sunday.

Hayes Easley and family, of Marion, spent Saturday and Sunday at W. B. Nations.

Edward Minner, of Morley, Mo. was in this section Thursday.

W. B. Paris and family visited in Crooked Creek neighborhood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis C. Franklin and daughter, Martha Elizabeth, spent Sunday with his par-

ents.

T. N. Bracey was in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. R. P. Underdown visited at W. J. Belts Saturday.

Roy Belt and family spent Sunday at A. A. Paris.

Edmond Nunn and Ivan Walker Cook, of Vanderbilt Training School, who have been spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cook, returned to Elkton Monday to take up their regular work.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Williams have been by the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. J. T. Vaughn, who has been very ill with gastritis.

Claud Springs was in Marion Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Daughtrey and son, James Williams, spent Saturday at his brother's J. R. Daughtrey.

Vernon O. Paris has been confined to his room for the past week suffering from a sprained ankle.

Jesse Highfill, of Irma visited Herschel Franklin Friday, who has been confined to his bed and under the care of Dr. J. R. Perry, of Marion for several days.

Ed Cook has had new lights installed in his residence.

A letter was received in this neighborhood last week from Mrs. Nora Pleasant, Murphysboro, Ill., saying that her mother Mrs. Elizabeth Foster Love (always known as "Aunt Betty") died Dec. 8.

Aunt Betty was the wife of Uncle Jim Love, deceased and had always lived around here until about eight years ago, she moved with her children to Illinois. She was a woman of lovable character and always had a word of cheer for every one. She had been a member of Hebron church for almost thirty years, may God's richest blessings comfort the bereaved children.

## DEMPSEY

Ed White is moving to Elmer Cridger's farm near Applegate.

Mrs. L. C. Truitt was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foster, near Post Oak.

Mildred Eldredge and Al Dempsey spent Sunday with C. E. Truitt.

E. E. Phillips and family passed through here Sunday enroute home near Walnut Grove.

The school at Dempsey is progressing nicely with Miss Nelle Nunn as teacher.

—ROUNDER.

## CLAYLICK BRIDGE

Mrs. Shewcraft has been very sick for the past few days, but is improving slowly.

Bill Shewcraft has become a citizen of Crittenden county.

J. N. McKinney has moved to his new home.

W. E. Lewis is building a new smoke house. We presume he thinks bacon will be scarce this season.

Joseph McKinney has moved near Frances.

Claude Campbell has moved near the Maple Sinks, lookout fish.

J. R. Moreland has moved back to his farm on Claylick creek, where he and Archie will farm this year.

Well as this is the beginning of a new year, let us all turn a new leaf and go through this year trusting in Him that is all power, and for His sake do something for the uplift of humanity and for the upbuilding of His cause and kingdom.

## ELM GROVE.

If you want cash for your produce, bring it to S. L. Shelby.

Spurlin Koon was in this section Tuesday trying to get a location for a plant near C. G. Bozeman's on F. W. David's farm.

Charles Padon was in this section one day last week collecting money for the pastor of Pinckneyville church.

Joe Clark, of Marion, and Gilbert Cash, of Lola, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McClure, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wring visited their daughter, Mrs. Ella McClure and family New Year's day.

Willie B. Casper has gone to Paducah this week.

Mrs. Dudley Brown is very low at this writing.

Mrs. W. C. McClure and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ella McClure, were in Pinckneyville Tuesday shopping.

Miss Effie Davis and her grandmother were guests of Mrs. C. G. Bozeman Sunday.

## DEEDS RECORDED

Henry Zentmeyer to George Aarons, 59 acres.	\$1350.00
Geo. M. Samuel to J. M. Samuel, int. 227 acres,	350.00
J. A. Martin to E. M. Fisher, 22 acres &c,	2150.00
Gus and C. C. Taylor to A. S. and Ollie Cannan, lot in Marion,	550.00
J. B. Ritch to Cole and Manse Brown, 424 acres,	400.00
Cole and Manse Brown to Mary E. Ritch,	400.00
Lydia M. Williams &c to trustees Mt. Olivet church,	10.00
J. T. Brown to J. H. Guess, 75 acres,	1.00 cash &c
Wm. A. Brightman to F. M. Brightman, int. 10 acres,	exchange,
F. M. Brightman to Wm. A. Brightman, int. 56 acres,	exchange,
C. E. Wright to R. S. Dial lot in Tolu,	625.00
Wm. Floyd Brasher to Julia A. Stephenson, int. 50 acres,	105.00
Della O'Neal to Julia A. Stephenson, int. 50 acres,	105.00
Roy P. Sisco to J. E. Binkley, lot in Marion,	650.00
E. F. Perkins to W. B. Smith, 20 acres,	1.00 &c.
J. L. Rogers to J. W. Ainsworth, 4 acres,	41.25
K. E. Cannan to W. D. and A. S. Cannan, lot in Marion,	100.00
P. C. Stephens to Mrs. Harvey Irons, lot in Weston,	100.00
T. C. Guess to R. S. Elkins, 11.93 acres,	1193.00
G. R. Cook, to Mary E. Ritch, 204 acres,	410.00
A. L. O'Neal to J. E. Sullivan, 40 acres,	600.00

If you want your horses shod, call on E. C. Butler. He will shoe your horses to please you.

Roy McClure passed through this neighborhood Sunday enroute to Dy-cusburg to visit friends.

Several of the farmers in this section have their tobacco stripped.

January is here and moving is the order of the day.

## The Liver Regulates the Body

A Sluggish Liver Needs Care. Someone has said that people with Chronic Liver Complaint should be shut up away from humanity for they are pests and see through a "glass darkly." Why? Because mental states depend upon physical states. Biliousness, Headaches, Dizziness and Constipation disappear after using Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c at your Druggist.

## BRAIN LEAKS.

By F. S. LOYD.

Simon Heath says it would help some if we had more soft spots in our hearts and fewer soft spots in our heads.

Dick Crowe says once in awhile when you get a whiff of a man's breath you wonder why it doesn't catch fire when he lights his pipe.

David Byrd says no man who ever tried to hook his wife's dress up the back can go around bragging that he never made a mistake.

Uncle Abe Deboe says we all know that when the other fellow is talking he makes a lot of noise without saying anything.

Newt Dollar says when a woman gets a new set of furs the fact that the temperature is 90 in the shade, wont prevent her from wearing them down town.

Sam Howerton says the sweetest death is to die by freezing to death. You just simply become numb and go to sleep and that is all there is to it.

G. W. Reid says to drown yourself is sweetest death of any.

Frank Clift says to bleed to death is the sweetest of them all. But there are quite a number of us who would like to have the information from any one who has experienced either of the above mentioned.

Miss Anna Lewis, who was writing a composition on "Tennis Playing" said: "Papa, what are Tennis Rackets made of?"

"Well, daughter," said her father, "to tell the truth, about the only information that I can give you, is that they are made out of a set of boosters and a few darn fools, mixed."

W. E. Cox said to Frank August, "I see that the Allies made a charge on a bunch of Dutch soldiers a few days ago, shot and killed the whole bunch of them dead and they didn't even fall over."

"Why how's that?" Said August. "Well," said Bill, "their feet is so darned big they couldn't fall over."

Gus Bentley says "all the Irish foot ball players, of America, are going over to Germany right away."

"Why, what are they going over there, for?" Asked Dr. Bunton.

"To kick the sour kraut out of the Dutch," said Mr. Bentley.

—M. A. LOUIS.

## Letter From Laredo, Texas.

Laredo, Tex., Jan. 5th, 1915.  
Mr. S. M. Jenkins,  
Marion, Ky.

Dear Sir:—  
Please find enclosed \$1.00, which will pay my subscription up until Oct. 13th, 1915, and please do not let me miss a copy, for I certainly enjoy reading the dear old paper.

I am stationed at Laredo, Tex., just across the Rio Grand river from Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, which town was burned by the Federal soldiers, April 24th,

1914, and was almost completely destroyed, at the same time the Federals tried to destroy the I. & G. N. railroad bridge which at that time was being guarded by the soldiers of the Ninth U. S. Infantry; several shots being exchanged between our soldiers and the Federals, several of them being killed, while none of our boys were hurt.

Since that time every thing has been quiet here, though Nevo Laredo is garrisoned by about 1,500 Carranza soldiers, and they are expecting an attack at any time from Villa sordelia, who are reported to be only a short distance from here, now.

Our duty here at present is very easy. We have practically nothing out of the ordinary to do. A guard of four men is kept at each of the two bridges crossing into Mexico for the purpose of not allowing any soldiers, either American or Mexican to cross from one side to the other and filibasting.

We have here, now, about 1,200 soldiers. The entire Ninth U. S. Infantry four troops of the Cavalry, and Battery "E," Sixth Field Artillery.

There is lots of good hunting down here. The boys of the Ninth Infantry alone, have killed over one hundred deer. And quail and rabbit! Why we are all sick of them.

I am sending you a menu of our Christmas dinner which you may publish if you wish, so the readers of the Press may see how the soldiers live, at least one day out of the year.

1914, and was almost completely destroyed, at the same time the Federals tried to destroy the I. & G. N. railroad bridge which at that time was being guarded by the soldiers of the Ninth U. S. Infantry; several shots being exchanged between our soldiers and the Federals, several of them being killed, while none of our boys were hurt.

Since that time every thing has been quiet here, though Nevo Laredo is garrisoned by about 1,500 Carranza soldiers, and they are expecting an attack at any time from Villa sordelia, who are reported to be only a short distance from here, now.

Our duty here at present is very easy. We have practically nothing out of the ordinary to do. A guard of four men is kept at each of the two bridges crossing into Mexico for the purpose of not allowing any soldiers, either American or Mexican to cross from one side to the other and filibasting.

We have here, now, about 1,200 soldiers. The entire Ninth U. S. Infantry four troops of the Cavalry, and Battery "E," Sixth Field Artillery.

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