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We Love Our Wives, Mothers And Daughters And We Must Defend The Sanctity of Home.

Am I for America or Germany? Am I for a Government by the people or by the Kaiser?

Am I for freedom or autocracy? Am I for the purity of the home, the protection of my wife and children, or am I for the rape of our women, and the maining and murder of innocent children and the helpless and infirm Marien Mills Begin old?

Am I for the Christ or the Devil?

of the young men who are going Government regulations design- Kentucky Alfalfa Growers' As to fight for the right, for the protection of our homes, our wives, and our children, or am I for the encouragement of the Germans provide for the use of 74 per and their allies?

that I am for America, for freedom, for the protection of our homes, our wives and our chil dren, for Christ and the encouragement of our young men who are going to fight for them?

Have I done all that I can? Am I willing to back my principle with my money?

These are questions that are pressing themselves upon every sober thinking person for answer. Our country is engaged in a war of self defense of all it holds dear, of the freedom of the people, of the protection of womanhood, the home, the lives of innocent children, the helpless and aged, of the principles of Christ, against Germany and her Allies, who are waging the most more", they should only be doing for row FURS cruel, merciless and savage war what the German sympathizers Midee and of all history, and have violated and alien enemies are doing, Goot Skine every international law, have They pay their taxes also, be murdered civilians, men women cause the Government requires

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it normal condition. School,

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A splendid premium list has

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Grinding War Floar.

Local mills have begun grindwheat in the present crop year. Under these regulations, which Am I a patriot or a slacker? of but 50 per cent., two grades bundles of alfalfa sown prior to news of the death of some friend. the snow with their arms ful Have I done anything to show of flour will be eliminated and August 1, 1917; and also a class I note in the last week's paper of books and their faces wreath-

The change will result in a re- the winners. duction in brand prices and a produc's also is expected.

proper equipment for grinding the new flour being prepaired to carry out the law promulgated by the government to the letter.

and children, have ravished the them to do so. The German inwomen of conquered territories, fluences in this country are tryhave poisoned the wells and ing to create such a feeling an I the forecastle of the quality of the drinking water, and have done such an action on the part of our ment supplied to them. "Shure, an every thing they could conceive people so far as they can, because to make war more horrible and they realize such action would dreadful, and for what purpose? crea'e the impression that our To put fear into the hearts of the people are not for America at people? to break down their heart. Are we for America and courage to prevent resistance to fir theright in this war, then let German progress in her aim to us, every one, do our bit to show rule the world and with the a- that we are. But if we cannot Towed intention of conquering go to fight, what can we do? the United States after the We can give aid and comfort to defeat of England and their our soldiers, who do go, by pro-Allies (Read Samuel G. Blythe's viding hospital nurses and com-"Der Tag-for us", in the Satur- forts for them while they are day Evening Post of December fighting, and by letting them know that we are with them If we have not and are not do- in the spirit, if not in person. ing everything we can to help The best way we can do this is America and her Allies win by subscribing to the Red Cross this war and to encourage and organization, which is furnishing aid our soldiers. we are thereby all these comforts for them. I giving aid and comfort to the am sure that every citizen of Germans and their Allies, Crittenden County will be glad Christ has said, "Those who are to put his name down as a mem- er in his last illness, and were so faithnot for me are against me. ber of this organization and to ful and kind to us in our serrow. This truth is eternal. There is help in the great work that it is no middle ground. We cannot doing for our soldiers. There is upon all of you. be for anything without doing not a family in this country that something for what we are for. cannot help in this work if their Those who are going to fight for heart is really for America. us need our expressed sympathy But some one says they would and encouragement. If we do give if they were sure there was nothing to show that our symp- no graft in it. They cannot athies are with them they will understand how men and women 469 yards. Address Robt. L never know, and if we do noth- will give their time and labor for Roberts, Waverly, Ky. ing to show that our sympathies such work without pay; but since are with our boys, the Germans Christ gave his life for the world will have the right to feel that we there have been men and women are for them. Doing nothing willing to give their time and for our soldiers is giving aid and efforts for the help of their comfort to our enemies. If all fellow men and for the prin-

Farmers' Week

During Farmers' Week at the Agricultural College at Lexinging "war flour" under the new t n, January 29-February 1, the Mr. S. M. Jenkins, ed to save 16,000,000 bushels of sociation will have a competitive Dear Friend:-

The entries will be three inch, keep the Record-Press coming. were temporarily closed, are (diameter,) bundles of alfalfa We are always glad to get it, open again and the happy chi'dthe output will be listed as war for the best bale of alfalfa. the report of the snow storm ed in smiles. Many were vacflour of first and second grades. Handsome prizes are offered to and cold weather you were cinated and some suffered pretty

drop in the prices of other by have a demonstration of alfalfa tree to can. The weather has exceptions did not suffer any inproducts prepared for human been very fine since the first of convenence except their isola-Our milling companies here food. This was one of the most September. Just bright sun tion, we hope the disease is were not compelled to suspend interesting features of the week shine day after day. About the stamped out of the community operations because of lack of last year. Everyone is welcome. 2nd of October it got cool and thatit will not appear again.

> Not a Thief. Man who broke into the house while the owner was away and took nothing but a shave could scarcely be called a thief, because he went out with less



than he came in with.

Never Satisfied. The captain of the ship Bardtack ed by the complaints of the men in as one of the malcontents brought a particularly offensive morsel for his in-spection. "But you boys are always grumbling and, bedad, if you got baked

G. D. Paris Notary Public et I. C. R. R. Station.

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the stuffin'."

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We extend our heartfeit thanks to the friends, relations and physicians, who so tenderly aided in nursing Luth-May God's richest blessings rest

Mrs. Ida Morse and Children

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1st., BAPTIST CHURCH.

The paster will speak on A New Your's Theme Sunday our people who stay at home ciples He taught. And let us Morning. Every one is invited to begin the year 1918 by should content themselves with all put ourselves in that class in worshiping with us the 1st., Sunday.

Letter From Arizona Not a Case Of Small

Tempe, Ariz. Dec. 22, 1917

Marion, Ky.

I enclose check to erings which, out of prudence,

having then. About that time sore arms and those who conenough to frost a little and has We don't like it. We want to been nearly the same tempera- see the children, God cless them, ture since, cold enough for ice p ssing en the streets. some mornings,

I had string beans and roasting ears the 10th of this month frem my garden, but I can't ag about beans in the summer time for it is too hot for them.

Farmers are very prosperous Show this year, and classes have ere as everything they grow is been so arranged that any corn so high. Cotton has got to be a grower has a chance to compete great money making crop. It has successfully in one or more classold for a little above 80 cents a ses. Many of the prizes are of about 75 cents I think. One the best efforts of anyone to win. man told me he sold a car load For instance, the Sweepstakes of cotton (53 bales) for over prize for 10 cars of corn is worth \$19,000,00. Hay is selling above about \$85. The special prize for \$30.00 a ton, and that is pretty 3 cars shelling the largest pergood when an acre will make 5 centage of grain is worth \$75. or 6 tons.

In the other classes proportion-The people here are alive to ately as good premiums are prohelping the Red Cross and other vided. organizations connected with The Show will be judged by Mr. the war. Tempe and vicinity L. B. Clore, of LaPorte Indiana. gave about \$3,000.00 to the Red Mr. Clore is known the country Cross the first drive that was over as a successful grower of made, then they gave liberally show corn. He has been a sucto the Y. M. C. A. I don't cessful competitor at a great remember the amount. The majority of the National Corn Normal students gave about Shows that have been held in \$1,000.00 to different objects. this country. Mr. Clore is now And last Saturday night there Treasurer of the Federal Land was a meeting to raise money Bank located at Louisville. for the Y. M. C. A. and \$700.00 In addition to judging the corn was made up in a few minutes Mr. Clore will give an address from a crowd about like your before the farmers on Corn Grow-School Auditorium would hold, ers Dav. His subject will be The women are sewing for the "Corn Improvement Work" He Red Cross, also knitting sweaters will also discuss the advantages and socks.

How does Marion compare with this? Wishing you and the "Record-Press" a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, I am your friend

A. F. Woolf

I am in receipt of all necessary : BUSINESS COLLEGE.

of the farm loan act.

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Full blooded cockerels, S. C.

R. I. Reds and White Leghorns.

Barred Plymoth Rocks. \$1.00

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Marion, Ky.

write Mrs. J. B. Carter,

126 1mp.

forms, licenses, etc., as prescribed by the Explosives Regulation Law, and am therefore prepared to issue licenses to users of ex- Drives Out Me plosives. L. E. Guess, County

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Will Pay You One Thousand lars A Year To Do Office We Take The Necessary Training

Every young man, as we every young woman, who sines to serve the Governs doing office work, at a salary ONE THOUSAND dollars a y should read the following let and act NOW;

(Copy.) Nashville, Tenn.,

Dec. 6, 1917. Editor of Record-Press. Dear sir:

You are hereby authorized appoint and send to us, with letter of introduction from you five worthy young men a young women each-of whom wi take training for an office posi tion with the Government, at a salary of not less than ONE cent, of the wheat berry instead sown last summer; five inch though it sometimes brings sad ren are seen scurrying around in THOUSAND DOLLARS a year

to tegin on. We will give the persons whom you appoint the necessary training here or by mail, and we will give each of them a written An effort is being made to I was picking peaches from the tracted the disease with a few guarantee that, if we do not secare for him or her a position as stenographer for the Government, at a salary of at least one thousand dollars a year to begin or, just as soon as he or she becomes qualified, we will refund every cent of money paid to us for the training. This offer apples to young men who are subject to draft, as well as to

> The President of the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., recently wrote to this institution, urging it to help the Government to secure more ffi e assistants, both men and women, the Government now being in need of TEN THOUpound but it is down a little now, exceptional value, and well worth SAND stenographers and many bookkeepers. The Government has a representative here every Tuesday to enterview any of our students who may desire a stenographic position with the Government.

In order to give you some idea of the Government's urgent need of office assist ints, we ask you to read the following recent telegram from the Government.

(The Telegram.) Washington, D. C -Miss Vera Gilley, Murfreesboro, Tenn. You have been appointed clerk (bookkeeper,) Internal Revenue Bureau-salary, one thousand dollars a year. Report immediately at Room 234 Treasury Building. Signed Roper, Commissio er.

Miss Gilley received the above telegram on the day that she received a diploma from this institution, she having or that day completed our Home-Study Bookkeeping Course, which enabled her to pass successfully the Civil Service Bookkeeping examination, which she took three weeks before she had fully completed our Bookkeeping Course by mail.

Not only is the Government in need of office assistants, but business concerns also are in great need of them.

lot to select from. Phone or To any one who will indicate an interest in this matter, we shall be pleased to mail literature giving more information.

> Yours very truly, DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL Jno F. Draughon,

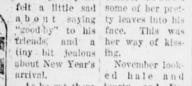
President.

It was New Year's eve and a thin "In memory of the old many six a wheeled face was sit- when you hade me liting by the fit place. At first sight | July was resplend you would have said that he was felt warm all through rather a discreenble old chap, but to her, "Ben lifet's on closer inspection you found out murmured, "is this that he had very bright eyes and feel you?" As he said this

quite a K cous smile round his one of her linie stremouth.

It was surprising that hid Year August wore a sawas feeling rather sad. It was his smelled of blue grass last night on the dear old Earth. October were a fiext morning, long before it was day make of colors. It light, he must fly away in a big snow wasn't very long storm, and New Year all fresh and show of the Year. storm, and New Year, all fresh and since Old Year rosy and splendid, would take his had visited them.

Old Year wasn't the least afraid of familiar with him. what the future might bring, only he October tossed



dropped on the Christmas tree over his shanidec. floor at his feet.

throwing its petals all over the floor, hite from head to foot.

Bless me! .- If you aren't Brother anuary!" said the old man. "What rings you to visit me? It's only the thirty-first of December."

"But I'm last January," said the course you are. You came in my round the hall. March executed a waistcoat pocket and popped out be- wild dance with October, and blew so

"Oh! glad you haven't quite forgotten me. Now listen, Old Year, we Minutes screamed out that supper was Months linve a great scheme for to served, and Old Year and his friends shall all be there, the whole lot of us, table and the dancing had made the and you must come, too."

"You're very kind," said Old Year. The Minutes and Seconds ate like but really I'm so tired I'd rather sit lightning, and then one after another, here and dream away my last hours." Now, don't talk like that, Old Year, the party can't take place if you don't come. How can we Months hold te-

Old Year shilled, "All right," he said, "Til come, but all my clothes are worn out."

gether without you?"

"Another excuse," cried January. "Come ciong; they're all waiting. Besides, there's a surprise outside." Old Year started at the word "sur-prise," and then he strode out of the

house with January on his shoulders. Now although he had lived every minute of the year there was one thing that Old Year had never donehe had never flown in an airplane. So Imagine his asfonishment when he saw a great white biplane covered with silver frost outside his door. A gay, breezy little fellow, whom he recognized as March, sat in the pilot's

every inch an aviator. Old Year and January got in behind the pilet, and soon the great silver; bird was soaring up into the cold, starry night.

He were sliver goggles and looked

They passed over cities and vil- New lages, takes and forests, and every. Year, where Old Year noticed preparations for the coming of his successor.

"They'd be surprised if they knew where I was, now," he thought. And then he gave up his spirit to the Joy of the flight.

Finally Time Mountain came in sight, and as they approached they saw a dezzling sight. The whole mountain was blazing with light, and the trees shone as their boughs radi-

When the airplane came into view a great cry of joy was heard, and a

chorus of happy voices cried: "Hurrah! for Old Year!" March executed a wonderful volplane and softly the Silver Bird settled to carth at the foot of the mountain. Thousands of little people rushed to greet the Old Year. These were the Minutes and the Seconds. They were dressed in sparkling



with electricity, and they talked very

Old Year patted them kindly with his big hands. They flew round him very quickly, and in some magic was Old Year was carried to the top the mountain. There he saw a wa derful ice palace and over the door w written in buge letters "In Honor of Old Year."

Accompanied by the Minutes an seconds Old Year entered the palacand in the great bright hall be say 12 of his dearest friends, the Month ry beautiful they looked in artist about the hall.

manny Vebruary and March g together in a ministra inke in the pride

in a rule vol in vellow stars in her hair, and she wore shoes and stockings of

a blood red color. May was lovely: she tooked like dat sales on a moss bank, and tiny streams trickled on her dress. June was a glorious mass of bank, and tiny streams trickled off roses and green as obtainer, and threw a re

-she was crying for it

so they were quite a b o n t saying ty leaves into his good-by" to his face. This was

As he sat there hearty, and Demusing a pretty rember, in snowy little snow flower robe, carried a

After exchanging kindly "You beautiful with the whole company, Old Year thing!" he cried. stepped up to June and asked her to "Where did you open the ball with him. For reply come from?" she strewed him with her petals, and As he spoke the , then such a dance began as never flower, expanded, was seen before. The Minutes flew in throwing its petals all over the floor, by the windows, and the Seconds and a little man stepped out. He was Jumped out of the cracks in the ice floor. Everyone was giddy with Joy and excitement, and Old Year, who a few hours before was meditating by the fire, now danced till even lively June began to weary. Then he took sweet April in his arms and the little little fellow. Old Year laughed. "Of red feet and legs positively twinkled the others-they were afraid of hard that bits of his partner's dress were strewn over the floor.

At half past eleven some of the night. We're going to feast you in the flew to take their last meal together. Palace on Time Mountain. We Every imaginable dainty was on the revelers hungry.



round the table. They would never wake again, but their short lives had been very happy. Then the Months began to get sleepy, and Old Year too. He sank into à big halr and tired June fell into his irms and slept coally in their em brace. At last De-

walte. Then the clock struck

et and wrapped Old Year ten dug to cover up his face a pale blu spirit floated over him and kissed his ceping brow. It was the Spirit of New Year kissing the Spirit of Old

More Time to Work. One good New Year's resolution is to complain less and work more,

A New Year's GREETING to All Our Friends

By Mr. and Mrs. Eugene T. Skinkle

If you were superstitious I'll tell you what we'd

We'd send a bunch of lucky harms to all of yours and you;

A swastika, a rabbit foot, a four leaf clover, too, A lucky stone, a dry wish bone, also an old horse

shoe. But then you know there is no show for these

old charms of yore. They've had their day, and passedawaywithmyths that's gone before:

So we will send to you, dear friend, our greeting full of cheer,

Our kindest love-hovering about you all through the

THIS IS THE YEAR

AISE your hat to the Glad New Year! Raise your voice with a hopeful cheer! Make a vow that while it stays You'll make the most of its glorious days,

What? That sort of resolve is old? Sounds like a tale too often told? You've made it every New Year's day, Then frittered the live-long year away? Well, s'posing you have? What's that to do With this particular year? It's new! w, you grough, not the same old kind Of muddled up year you've left behind! New each day and each minute too! New; each second is fresh-laid, new! New for the things you've left undone! New for the races you haven't run! ew for ambitions unachieved! New for mistakes unretrieved! New for unfinished efforts too! New for the things you mean to do!

Never one day in its bill of fare Is like another day anywhere. And if a year can be fresh and new Why in the dickens can't you be too?

You can! So wash from your care-stained face Of memory's dirt the last small trace. Put on Amhition's garments bright. Light your eigar with the Future's light And say to yourself: "The old year's dead. Bury it deep! Look right ahead! Here's a New Year laid out for me, As full of chances as it can be, So out of my way and let me go! It's up to me, and by jings! Fill show!"

Then start! And keep at it! Hang on! Stick! You'll notice the difference mighty quick, And you'll find, before t's half-way through, It's the Happiest kind of a year for you!

******************** New Year's Resolutions

By KIN HUBBARD



"So We Start Off th' New Year With Lofty Resolutions. We'll Quit Drinkin', or Chewin' or Smokin' or Swearin'. Maybe Our New Resolutions 'II Include All of 'Em."

n' solemnly resolve t' make a better | but one result. howin' both morally an' financially resolutions. We'll quit drinkin' or solve t' do besides cuttin' out eggs. all of 'em.

But we never seem t' think o' th' many other things we might eliminate from our program fer th' comin' year that would not only better our chances in th' hereafter but which would make th' path o' life o' circumstances are compelled t' tol-

aforementioned that we could cut lican party. out with profit t' ourselves an' those we mingle with.

th' worst habit is tryin' t' save do away with 'em fer good. We've ever'thing we make. I don't know all got 'em. If you can't find 'em which feller a community has th' ask somebuddy who knows you t' least regard fer-th' one who licks point 'em out. They're there. or th' feller who holds on U over elsew or smoke or swear er drink who cent that comes his way, but I have my suspicions,

at th' close o' th' comin' year. So makin' any New Year's resolutions. ve start off th' New Year with lofty Ther's many things they might rechewin' or smokin' or swearin'. Ther resolutions might have a Maybe our new resolution 'Il include | blightin' effect on clubs an' billiard rooms an' other refuges fer th' henpecked an' homeless, but they would help t' revive that feelin' o' love an' respect fer women that seems t' be goin' out o' style these days.

Good resolutions accompanied by a great flare o' trumpets last about far pleasanter fer those who by force as long as an ice cream cone in a Turkish bath. Th' feller who boasts that he's goin' t' quit smokin' never So let those o' us who are perfect, throws his pipe very fer, an' th' felaside from smokin', drinkin', chew- ler who proclaims from a store box in' an' swearin', dig around a little that he's thro' with th' demon rum an' see if we can't find a few things is about as reliable as th' statesman besides th' ole moss covered habits who says he's thro' with th' Repub-

Let's do somethin' original this year an' gather up a whole lot o' Next t' thinkin' only o' ourselves | nasty little characteristics an' try t'

mean trait

Many Historic Events Have Happened on New Year's Day

By RENE BACH

VENTS of utmost historic importance, many of them tragic in character, are associated with New Year's day. It was on the first day of January,

2513, that Juan Diaz de Solls, the ex-

invited to Cadiz, and there

portant at then as Thomas Ho carrier of Cambridge, England

made a business or hiring out horses.

Hobsen was inverted to his beauts, and enforced a rule that regulard for above-teenthoned data all of them become united as a laborate. each one of them a certain measure of rest. These which had not had their proper thate of rest he would not allow to go out. "This er none," he would say, indicating the horse that was available for hire. Whence came the familiar term, "Hobsen's choice,

On the first day of January, 1776 ing the place, but by its American in habitants. Lord Leanmore, the royal governor of the colony, having aban board of a ship (one of a number of tress for provisions.

threatened to turn her guns loose upon Norfolk, because the people refused to the inhabitants set fire to their house nd even wiped out the plantations er, in order that nothing in the way cost of reconstruction was \$246,490.

ary I, 1781, an incident very starming publics, to the cause of the American colon. Paul ists occurred at Morristown, N. J. H. ride, was born January 1, 1725, was nothing less than a revolt of Mason and Slidell, the Confed froops of the Pennsylvania line, he term having expired, they desanded their discharge. The incipient rebellion was promptly suppressed; ary 1, 1863.

New Year jest around th' corner we create a widespread distrust in so- ters of the earth have been "spotted" first day of the year. ive mood an' take a personal invoice pay Paul, th' auto dealer, kin have of them, Eros, is twins, two little Was it Confucius or Lac-Tse who globes revolving about each other. Up said, "Good resolutions, like fainting We never hear o' our women folk to date, 822 of these minor planets women, should be carried out?"have been discovered.

When New Yeah's Calls Were Made

Col. Terwilliger Bluegrass Loquitour.

Folks somehow aren't as sociable As in the good old days, When, sah, a certain grace an'

cha'm Distinguished social ways: Fo' instance, sah, on New Yeah's Day, When chivalry arrayed

In feathas fine would gathah, An' New Yeah's calls were

We greeted one anothah, sah, With smile an'cotty bow, An' round the brimming punch-

botel sah, We gracely mu'mu'ed "How!" And conve-sotion sparkled, sah, With wassair's kindly aid-But that was in the golden days When New Yeah's calls were

Pure nectah was that New Yeah'a

How generously it sowed! The season's compliments were

passed: One's healt, sah, fai'ly glosced. The recent generations, sah, old customs have betreen

-Part T. Gilbert in Carteons

The first day of January, 1810, was and was Conn., by a happening that was in its killed.

If seems rather of a that lastery way wholly coronadinary. There way wholly coronadinary unmarried were in the town nice, unmarried word that death, on January 1, 1750 and 1 bearing women, and it had been depoint at a point as Tabanas Robert a in. Ascordingly, in the spirit of an callghuned public enterprise, nine

> On New Year's day, 1914, London experienced a most remarkable fog. The city was immersed in a sea of susdistance of 70 miles beyond its outskirts. Dusiness was at a standstill and many people lost their lives by falling into the Thance river and into

Four years later, on the first of January, 1818, the White House (which oned the town and sought safety on had been burned by the British troops in August, 1814) was for the first time vessels that were under his command thrown open to the public after that in the harbor), found himself in dis-tress for provisions. trace-tion given by President Monroe. Even The frigate Liverpool, on arriving, then, however, the building was still undergoing repairs, which were not completed for more than a twelvemonth. It had newly received its first coat of white paint, to conceal the marks of fire that marred the brownor a long distance buck from the wa- lah stone of which it was built. The of subsistence might be obtainable by Great Britain recognized the inde-On the first day of January, 1825, he enemy.

Exactly five years later, on Janupendence of the South American renublics,

Paul Revere, hero of the famous Mason and Slidell, the Confederate

President Lincole issued his proclamation emancipating the slaves Janu-

These are only a few of the manys On the first day of January, 1801, notable even s that have marked New No sooner is th' spirit o' Christ-No sooner is th' spirit o' Christ-nas givin' exhausted till we're seized incomes is another habit that is incomes is another habit that is planets, or so-called "asterolds," rehere could not be attempted. Some of with th' spirit o' retrenchin' an', worse than either smokin' or swear- vealed by the telescope. It is less the most important happenings of anafter a season o' spendin', with th' in' an' a habit that is doin' much t' than 500 miles in diameter. Since cient times, in Rome, in Greece and then a great many of these baby sis- elsewhere, are also associated with the

Here He Is, Right on Time



wiear Dell by Alfred Terryson

RING out, wild bells, to the wild sky, The flying cloud, the frosty light; The year is dying in the night. Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old, ring in the new, Ring, happy bells, across the snow; The year is going, let him go; Ring out the false, ring in the true.

> RING out the grief that saps the mind For those that here we see no more; Ring out the feud of rich and poor, Ring in redress for all mankind.

Ring out a slowly dying cause, And ancient forms of party strife; Ring in the nobler modes of life, With sweeter manners, purer laws.

RING out the want, the care, the sin, The faithless coldness of the times; Ring out, ring out my mournful rhymes, But ring the fuller minstrel in.

Ring out false pride in place and blood, The civic slander and the spite;

Ring in the love of truth and right, Ring in the common love of good.

RING out old shapes of foul disease, Ring out the narrowing lust of gold, Ring out the thousand wars of old, Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free, The larger heart, the kindlier hand; Ring out the darkness of the land, Ring in the Christ that is to be.



A Double Anniversary

means?" said Ethan Crane He had just come back weekly paper-

and the inclosed card: 'Miss Angela anna. At Home. January 1st.'"

It's what the city people do, I'm told They make a big cake and draw : best clothes to see company. Ang Hanna is dreadful enterprising; sh teans to lead in the fashions."

"Am I to call there?" asked Ethan. "Why, of course," said his mother. "What else does it mean? Miss Anela Hanna-at home,"

she?" said Ethan musingly. "There was never anything of the gad-about n Angela Hanna that I ever heard of."

lal day for calling-don't you see?" "I'd calculated to take the oxen to Snidge Hill and grub stumps out of

"The next day will do just as well for the stumps," said Mrs. Crane, encouragingly. "You might as well be sit of the world as out of the fash-

fart. In fact, there wasn't a widower old bachelor or eligible swain in all 'airview who was omitted from her you'll have many of 'em."

liss Hanna to herself. "It's high love another whome I took steps to establish myself." Miss Angela Hanna had just passed descon; but, suddenly becoming elec-

rive, an old bald-headed man, with a complexion of leather and the keenest of twinkling black eyes, "I got a letter from you. Miss Han-na," said he. "I s'pose you want to

consult me on business.



Miss Hanna.

goin'," said the deacon. I hain't no

time for no sich foolery." Miss Hanna. "I do wish to consuit It's more sociable like."

looking dubiously at the purple shoul-

ders and arms of the lady. "Marriage," said Miss. Hann Would you advise me, dear deacon, to commit my future into the hands of

"Eh!" said the deacon. "Had an of-

"Then, if I was you," said the deacon, "I'd accept it, 'cause it ain't likely

"But, deacen," she stammered, "what I ain't as young as I was," said if I don't love the man? What if I me

"Then don't accept him," said the elder lady, the immovable bloom never

r five-and-fortleth birthday; she was trically aware of his danger as Miss out and ruddy, with the very best Hanna moved her chair a little closer set of teeth that the Fairview dentist to his, he added, "My horse is gettin" supply, and a perpetual smile dreadful oneasy outside. I guess I'll riveted on her lips. She was very be goin'. No, thankee"--as Miss Han-

Benjamin Franklin's New Year's Resolutions

To endeavor to speak the truth in every instance, to hid nobody expectations that are not likely to be inswered, but aim at sincerity in every word and action; the most am

20 apply myself industriously whatever business i take in and not divert my mind from my thess by any foolish project of auddenly rich; for industry

RESOLVE to speak II of no me whatever, not even in a matter of truth; but rather by some means occuse the fault I hear charged upon others, and upon proper occasions, speakall the good I know of everybody.

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sa took up the plate of cake--"I don't never eat nothin' except at reg-lar meals. Good mornin' first

And thus the deacon escaped. "Eh! What's that noise? 'If it's the cat jumping at my canary again-but it sounded more like someone laughing and cats don't laugh. Who's that comin' up the walk? Ethan Crane, I do declare! Well, he's a likely young fellow-not as rich as Squire Perkins, maybe, but- Oh, come in, Mr. Crane Come in. I am so glad to see y Levely day, isn't it?"

Ethan Crane sat down with his

"I received your card, Miss Heat "Oh, did you!" said Angela, wi

lity during the festive season.' "To tell the truth," said honest "Well, then, I guess I'd better be Ethan, "I wanted a little talk with

"Indeed!" said the lady. "Won't yo "Don't be in a hurry, deacon," urged come here and set by me on the sofal

> "Oh, yes, if you like," said Ethan, obeying her gesture of invitation.

"You see, my mother is getting feebler every day, and we feel the need of some younger person at the farm. And I'm twenty-eight now, and the place is in good order, and I've money at interest, so that I've pretty much made up my mind to marry.

Miss Angela let the puffed and fri zled head fall on his shoulder. "Dearest Ethan!" she exclaimed. "Yes-exactly," said Ethan Crane,

moving as far away as the arm of the sofa would allow. "So, if you thought" that your niece, Mirandy, would have "My niece, Mirandy!" gasped the

altering on her face, although her heart beat wildly and her lips blanched. "Yes," said Ethan.

her here today. "No!" said Miss Angela sharply.

"She's gone away; and if she hadn't, she wouldn't accept you." "Is she engaged to someone else? stammered peor Ethan.
"Yes," said Miss Hanna, "To Joshua

Simpkins. But, Ethan, do not grieve: I am ready to entertain your suit, although Mirandy despises you, and-'

"But she doesn't, aunty!" interrupted a clear, distinct voice, and Mirandy herself entered from an adjoining "On the contrary, she loves Ethan Crane dearly, and she refused Joshua Simpkins, as you know very

"How came you l ?" screamed Miss Hanna.

"I went to Mrs. Brown's house," said Mirandy, "and she had gone to spend the holldays with her niece at Stanford. So I came back home."

"You are a dreadful minx!" cried Miss Hanna, nearly suffocated within

"Gently!" sald Ethan Crane, Interposing in Mirandy's defense. "No calling of names, please."

"And you shan't stay in my house another day!" added the indignant

"Then she shall come to mine!" boldly asserted Ethan: "Come, Mirandy, darling-my sleigh is at the door and it holds exactly two. We'll go to Parson Squire's and get married this

So they were married, and old Mrs. Crane, who was waiting at the farmhouse door to receive her son, was delighted.

"If it hadn't been me," said Mi-randy, mischievously, "it would have been Aunt Angela, for she was deter-mined to marry Ethan."

"The Lord forbid!" said Mrs. Crane, alsing her eyes. "And after this," said Ethan, as he led his bride in, "the first day of the year will be a double anniversary—

the happiest of Happy New Years. Eh.



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FRANCES

A happy N w Year to all. Mrs. Joe Matthews was taken sud e nly ill Friday, and her sons. Robert we easily catch cold. Paducab, and L-wis of Livermore; It's time to take an alterative extract Ky, were called to her bedside.

Flord Simpkins and family, visited his father John Simpkins and family, Sunday night.

during Xmas which was well attended.

Tom Matthews visited friends and Medical Discovery. relatives, the week end.

Ray Sunderland, one of the soldier boys visited his Father, Bill Sunderland during Kmas

Report of Sunday School Work in Western Kentucky

It gives me pleasure to make the 15th annual report to my many Sunday School Friends in estern Kentucky, among whom have been working all these years. What good I have been permitted to do, has been made possible thru the grace and Strenght of God and the Cooperation and fellowship of Sunday School workers in all denom i ations. In religious and educational work we must have the suppor and good will of the pcople with and among whom w work. It is a real joy to me to have many thousand friends among both young and old thru out the state. It is for their welfare I have given my service dur ing the past years and am able to make the following partial report of service for 1917.

Attended 17 County Conven-

ticon Add ss on he Book of St home and family, honest and 14th, and 15th, 1918. John's Gos. el.

vices.

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tucky Homes.

the clerical work in the office. for he lived it every day. He matters discussed in detail,

Many thanks to all the friends was a consistent Christian, a de- It is highly probable the railed to my welfare and assisted in splended citizen, a true friend, the Convention. doing my "Bit" for my country and for more than fifty years a and the Kindgom of Cod. While Mason. I am no longer employed by the He passed away peacefully Committee of the Kentucky Sun- late Sabbath evening, Dec. 15, day School Association, yet I am 1917, and was laid to rest in Kutstill in the work of religious edu- tawa Cemetery Monday aftercation as a volun eer worker roon Dec. 16, 1917. For the Sunday School wo k in The Funeral at the home was western Kentucky is NOT fin- conducted by Revs. J D. Woodished, so long as we have so son and A. J. Thompson, There many religious negl ct d tural was a large crowd present, and and village communi ies and many beautiful floral offerings. more than 75000 children out si 'e A large body of Masons, followof Sunday School, With a num- ed in procession to the Cemetery, ber of leading workers as officers and closed the services with the and members of an advisory Masonic Burial service. He Board we hope during 1918, to leaves a wife and four children Readers.

To Enroll 2000 more members in the estimation of every one. Dec. 25th, 1917. Good returning up to in the Teen Age Purity League. May the blessing of the To Establish 500 more Family loving Father acide with them Altars.

To Organize 50 more District long time friend. Sunday School Associations.

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It is only as we all cultivate henyoufeer the spirit of Inter-denominatio vous, tired, worried or despond west and affords the nai Fellowship at d work on Comnost convenient sched- munity Programs, that we can do make life worth living. our part well, to hasten the Mott's Nerverine Pills !. coming of the Kindgom of God WELLAMS MCG. CO. Props., Carreles

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and blood-purifier, taken from Nature's forests. Such a one is made up of Golden Seal, Blood and Stone root, Oregon Grape and Queen's root-extracted with glycerine and made into There was a mus cal at Joe Clarks sugar-coated tablets or liquid, and this has been sold by druggists for the past fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden

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A Letter From A. J. Thompson Editor, Record Press

Dear Sir: A notice of the death of Bro. Robert Clifton, has already appeard in your paper. Permit me as a personal friend of his, and the family, to aid a few words to what has already been said.

I have known Brother Clifton for more than one third of a cen- money from their sale is. This money tury. I knew him well when a Citizen of Crittenden County, and for the last four years, he keep the poultry in good condition and has lived in Kuttawa, my near increase the yield in eggs. We guar neighdor.

not satisfied. Sold by Jas. H. Orme. He is one man concering whom I have never heard anything said but good. No man has stood higher in every way in the communities To All Editors:where he has lived than Bre. Clifton. He was a quite un- Convention will be held at New-

Held 83 R lies with Stereop assuming man, devoted to his port, K-ntuc y F. buary, 13th

honorable in all his relations A very attractive program is Conduct d 42 preaching ser- with his fellowmen, pleasant being prepared and arrangeand get tle in his ways, with al- ments are being made to have Addressed 25 Workers meet ways a pleasant word when he several men from other States meet a friend. He was as pure address the Convention.

Presented Go To Sunday minded a man as I ever knew. It is hoped that every County School Day to 35 Communities, living the Golden Rule. Herev-Road Engineer, County Judge er united with any Church. He and the members of all Fiscal was a Presbyterian in belief, Courts in the State will attend Was enter ained in 14) Ken- but he lived in every other re- the meeting, Quire a number of spect the life of an earnest the Courts will be entirely new Traveled 5540 miles and wl en Christian. No one who knew and we believe they will receive home on a visit attended to all him doubted his religious life, great benefits by hearing road

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is the wish and prayer of the Dear Sir:-

The attached check covers statement residered for the renewal of my subscription to the Record-Press for the year 1918. It is impossible for me to get adear old Record-Press that brings me the news from my old Kentucky home. All though I am connected with one of the leading newspapers of this State, I In America this is the golden have to lay them all asid and that have arise to puzzle those Blessed Happy New Year, I am age of farming, this being er- read the Press when it reaches Sincerely, their friend T. C becially true of Kentucky, Good me each week, wishing you a crops and good prices prevail prosporous New Year, I am,

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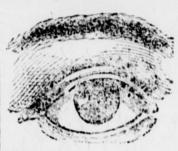
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Washi gon, Dec. 20.-The el during the coming year alle d'allon l'as presented one of the greatest problems PILES! PILES! PILES! who are directing for the United States the prosecution of the war. Government control, now assumed by President Wilson, although not offering an entire solution for transportation perplexities, will, many officials be- Mr. Editor: lieve, go far toward relieving

many transportation il's. railroad officials, and five days facts of things in Ft. Worth, Texas. heads of the principle systems a committee of five rail chiefs to Ft. Worth to Dallas, Texas. direct the roads as nearly as My mother was visiting us some the Southern railway, chairman; graded school. Howard Eiliott, of the New Ha- In my imagination I can see my old weak and the least cold I took settled 25 per cent, more traffic than they Texas. ever moved before. As war preparalocamotives.

> gested with freight. The War Board a time. has declared that the only way to I expect you would like to know

it is said, do the brotherhood legisla- city and like the work fine. tive agents, have an agreement to see I would be glad to see any of my President Wilson tomorrow. At this friends from Marion, and if you are conference it is understood the broth- in Ft. Worth any time, call at the oferhood leaders will ask that there be fice for me. no measures taken which will set aside | I expect I had better close for this the safeguards for workers obtained time, wishing you a merry Christmas by the brotherhoods in many States and a happy New Year, I remain, and from Congress.

One of the new director's guilding policies probably will be the climina- postoffice box 222 tion of duplication and resultant waste in operation. Mr. McAdoo is known to believe that hundreds of millions of dollars can be saved the railroads and the American public by pooling traffic

and facililes, and that ultimate's the Dr. Gilchrist greatest benefit will accrue to the railroads themselves.

For many months Secretary YcAdoo has worked incessantly with finance problems. Now he will re-arrange his Treasury duties to release him from all possible details and decisions there. but he is determined not to relax offorts to float future Liberty loans successfully and will give personal attention to all questions relating to Goverament securities issues.

It is considered improbable that a large department with many employes will be created for the railroad admin-Board already bas quarters here, and the secretary probably will function largely through it.

GREETINGS.

se good will, patronage and friendship have helped to make this a restful and happy holiday season for us, we extend our cordial appreciation and our heartiest good wishes for a very happy New Year.

We would share with you the blessed ess of the spirit of freed m now in the air of the univ red w.ich b ing to us an en-Linged series of grittinde for the loyalty of our frierds and of Washington, Dec. 26. - Gov- pride for "our boys" wherever ernment possession and o, e.a. they may be serving the Stars tion of the nation's ra roads for and Stripes. May this spirit the war was prec'a med by Pies- keep alive in all of us an unfaulident Wilson i ni hi, to become tering faith to the ultimate trieffective at noon rext Friday, amph of the light and with the December S.h. William G. Mc- pealing out of the New Year Adoo, retaining his place in the anthems, may they be fidings of Cabinet as Secretary of the a peace to return to the earth in Treasury, is placed in charge as the near future and good will to director general of railroads. all markind and with the dawn Every railr ad engaged in of the New Year, our best wish years past, con'inue uninterrupt-

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Letter From Texas.

Palytedmir, Tex., De. 16-h, 1917.

It has been a long time since I have heard from the Record-Press, direct, and if you will allow me a little space War's demands on railroad in your valuable paper, I will write facilities were foreseen early by and tell you of some of the interesting

after the war was declared the Paly-as we call it is a suberb of Ft. Worth located on the hill eart of Ft. Worth and overlooking the city and met in Washington and formed near the interurban line that runs from

possible as one continental sys- time ago and thay are readers of the tern. The five men named were dear old Record-Press, and I was a kcalled the Railroads War Board. boys and girls, men and women I und They were: Fairfax Harrison, of to know when I went to the Mar on

ven; Samuel Rea, of the Penn-their business of the day. I would like sylvania; Hale Holden, of the to come back to Marion some day and Burlington, and Julius Krutt- shake hands of Messrs Jenkins, 1cm schnitt, of the Southern Pacific, Yandell, J. H. Orme, J. D. Asher and The War Board has sat continu. others, but I can't get that far from uosly in Washington since its Texas, looks lke, for lam only allow-ed ten days a year vacation time and l organization, and has so co-or- don't feel that that would be time dinated railroad operation that enough to make the trip and have any the roads are said to be carrying time to spend there, so I will stay in

I saw a letter the other day from a tions increased traffic became constant. lady in New Mexico, and she was tellly heavier, and a month ago the War ing about an army camp, there, and Doan's Kidney Pills soon strengthened Board named a general operating com- they had about 350 head of horses. my back and regulated my kidneys." mittee for Eastern rail lines, and an- Now if you will only come to Ft. nounced that it would pool all track- Worth for an hour's stay, I can show age and facilities, including cars and you some army camps. Camp Bowle has 27,000 soldiers located here besides Meauwhile traffic had grown to such three aviation camps and several thousproportions that the roads could not and aviators at each camp; areoplanes handle it, and in the East in particular are no object here on bright surny many terminals were choked and con days for you can see them a cozen at

> meet the situation, either under Gov- what I have been doing since I came ernment or private operation, is to to Texas. I was in the employe of the deny transportation to nonessentia Adams Express Co., as money lerk, for over three years and am now in The War Board, it is said, does not the oil business; am shipping clerk for oppose Government operation. Nor, the Magnolia Petrolium Co., of this

Yours very truly. J. D. NRWCON.



. L. Harpending, Notary Public Miss Margie Burklow spent the holidays with friends at

Mrs. G. P. Roberts and her Hot Springs, Ack.

Mexico, Ky.

Miss Blanche Bryant, Evansyille, Ind., spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Henry Tirsley has returned from Kuttawa, Paducah, and St. Louis.

visit his sister Mrs W. T. Lynn, once and save publicity.

Mrs. Mary Wyatt en route from her Livingston Co., plantation to Princeton, was here Fri- McConnell and Rev. W. T.

Okla., who was here for the Luther Morse. holidays, has returned home in the west.

her father, E. L. Nunn, during Morse at Sugar Grove Friday.

Albert Paris and wife, of Rosiclare, Ill., were guests of during the holio, 's.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Hopper, of Memphis, Tenn., arrived Christand Mrs. T. J. Yandell.

Mrs. Velda Bibb and little furlough. daughter of Detroit, Mich., are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Travis.

relatives here for a couple of ary Taylor. weeks.

day following.

Some bargains in Coats at ley Terrys, also 12 Druggets. Lottie Tinsley Terrys. Plush

family at Lauisville last week Nunn place which he purchased. and spent Christmas there. He returned and occupied his pulpi

Sunday. last week to spend the holidays ian church next Sunday. with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Clement.

Mayes are among the soldiers her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. wer his call to colors. He loses who were home from Camp Conyer left Sunday for their for the time a fine position and Zachary Taylor last week on a home. furlough.

the holidays returned home last very low with paralysis and not Taylor to spend the holidays. Aeck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stinson and Miss Mary Stinson of Washington avenue are leaving Friday for Camp Shelby, Hatties- the city Monday en oute to Tolu day rain or shine to Baker staburg, Miss , to spend New Year's to visit her sister Mrs. Kit Snep- tion on the I. C. R. R. which is day with Sergeant Curtis Stin- ard and Mr. Shepard, while here two mi'es from their home and son. - Evansville Courier.

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Mrs. Clyde McConnell and children, of Nampa, Idaho, arrived last week to spend the holidays with relatives here and in the county. Mrs. McConnell from Nashville, Teun., last is a daughter of the late Dave week to spend the holiday with Allen and has many relatives in this section.

Rev. Wm. P. Lockwood will be at Crayne rext Sunday at his regular appointment and preach at the regular hour. He carnestly solicits every member of the church to be present. The publie are cordially invited.

D. H. King of the Sullivan vicinity was here Monday before Christmas doing some trading.

Mrs. H. R. Short and children left last week to visit her par- Better than Calomel and Quinine ents Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Boyer in Louisville, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Fost r and little daughter of Mulikan, were the guests of E. L. Nunn and family for the holidays.

Harlen Peek and wife of Dytwo daughters, left Tuesday for cusburg who were here to spend the holidays with relatives have returned home.

> Claude Croft of Granville, Iowa arrived last week to visit his parents at Blackford and his brother Weems Croft at Mexico.

John Wes Belt has returned from R. F. Wheeler's store last and has been in training at from Mo., where he went to week will please return it at Great Lakes, Ill., has been trans-

J. N. Dean and wife. Walter Oakley drove to Sugar Grove to Sylvan S. Price, of Tulsa, attend the funeral and burial of

Misses Anna Stembridge, Bertie Travis, Myrtle Walker, Dor-Mrs. W. O. Shouse and chil- thy and Stella Dean attended dren, of Sturgis, were guests of the funeral and burial of Luther

Hebert Moore of Norman, Okla., and Neville Moore of the Kentucky State College at Lexrelatives here and in the county ington, were among the visitors here Christmas week.

Roy Conyer, Hert Yates, and mas day to visit her parents, Mr. James and John Byford were among the soldier boys who came home Christmas on a Mrs. J. H. Stanley.

Lieutenant Edward Davenport of Hampton who had been stationed at Indianapolis has by presenting them with a beau. sists of town people but people and town property to J. W. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ramage been promoted to a captiancy tiful piano for a Christmas gift. from all over the county, and of Westen, and the report is that Mr. of Detroit, Mich., are guests of and transferred to Camp Za h-

A lot of nice house hold Fur-V. Y. Moore of Madisonville, niture on sale, Beds, Springs, who came over to spend Christ- Chairs, Tables, Carpets, Dresser mas day returned home Wednes- Wash Stand, and Cook Stoves. All at a bargain, at Lottie Tins-

E. L. Nunn and his daughter Broad Cloth at \$5 99 come early Miss Ina moved to this city last week and are now settled to Rev. H. R. Short joined his housekeeping in the Dr. F. W.

Savanah, Ga., arrived in the ciy his pulpit at the 1st Presbyter- Saturday.

Mrs. Rufus Clark and little Lee Morse and Lawrence who arrived last week to visit my, was here this week to ans-

expected to recover.

Rosiclare Sentinel

ley, California passed thr ugh school here. They come each she was the guest of her niece make the roun! trip to Marion Mrs. Louis Clifton and Mr. by rail. Returning they reach Clifton on Salem street

ille aloare were among the a substantial brick of abondant other mines near. and New Year holidays.

Miss Fannie Woods arrived her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Woods. After New Years she returns to work as a trained nurse, her sister Miss Bessie will a:company her and engage in the same occupation.

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The party who by mistake and Mrs. L. L. Hughes. who Mo., visited his parents here took the heavy woolen lap robe volunteered in the U. S. Navy last week. ferred from there to Hawaian price \$6 50 per acre, one half cash. F. M. Davidson Islands and left last week for For terms address. San Francisco, from whence he will sail to his new assignment n the middle of the Pacific ocean

> Parlet fever during December, could ever have lived in a smallhas partially recovered and is er world, -George Eliot. now recuperating rapidly as shown by letters received here by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dorr.

T. A. Harman, section foreman for the last quarter of a munity and all are solicited to century on the Repton division, attend, as it will be a National left here last week with his son, Service meeting. Otto, who is in bad health, for ing to benefit the young man's great success. The member- C. B. Anderson and family, of the health. They will join Mr. and ship was raised last week to over nearby country, have moved to town

Ollie and Mabel, his two inter. cessfully canvassed the town. of the cold weather and high prices. esting and attractive daughters, The new members not only con-Pearl usually does the right we welcome them most cordially Bennett intends to move to said propthing at the right time. The to our Marion chapter. The young ladies are quite proud of amount taken in during Xmas

Rev. J. A. Chandler who was

George of Sikeston, Mo., who

R. Allen Foster of Peekskill, daughter of Springfield, Mo., on the Hudson Military Acadea splendid salary.

Mrs. Chas. Burget and two Orville Lamb, Milton Walker.

Mrs. J. M. Cooper of Berka- Lyon Co., are attendants at Sold by druggists. - Advertisement. donia Valley hand which is the will invoice about \$2,000.00. best known.

Roy Davis. Salem, Kv.

When we let new friends into Herbert Wood Whitney, of our lives we become permanent-

> The weather permitting, Rev. January. This will be a meeting of interest to the entire com-

The Red Cross Drive was a 1,200. Adding 828 new members to be more convenient to school. to the 448 old. The work was Pearl Sigler surprised Misses done by young ladies, who succampaigne was about \$800.00

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stinson of called here to preach the funeral Washington Ave., will entertain of Charles Burget, arrived Sat- a family party at Christmas dinurday morning and returned that ner today at noon, the party to afternoon, as he had an appoint. include several of their out of ment which necesitated his be- town relatives, among whom will ing in Louisville Sunday morn- be Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinson and family of Carmi; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stinson jr. of Mt. Mrs. Marion Clark and son Vernon, with Mr. and Mrs. C. Rev. H. V. Escott and wife were called here to attend the this city. Among the absent who spent the holidays in Louis-ville with relatives are expected Ches. Burgett who died at Rosi-gant Curtis Stinson of Camp Esrl and Douglas Clement, of home this week and he will fill clare, Dec. 20th, returned home Shelby and Sergant Lawrence Stinson of Ft. Riley.

Evansville Courier

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wond cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidney. Sylvan Stewart Price of Tulsa, daughters of Marion, Ky., are and Robt. Elkins were among and bladder in both men and women. Oklahoma, who visited his par- here attending the bedside of those of our soldier boys who Regulates bladder troubles in children ents and relatives here during their husband and father who is came home from Camy Zachary If not sold by your druggist, will sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and Miss Louise and brother John seldom fails to perfect a care. Send Young of New Bethel section of for sworn testimonials, Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

Fine Business And Stock Ol Goods For Sale

Located at Mexico, Ky., neal home about dusk. Their home the I. C. Station P. O. in the Misses Myrtle Glass and Mil- was the home of rebel "Bill store. Pigmy mine 1-2 mile, Hafdred Summerville, and Mr. Nev-Rice" their grand father and is faw mine I mile and numerous

Marion students who returned proportions to enter ain the Stock consists of notions, shoes, from the State college at Lex- Young family and is sorrounded drygoods, groceries, tin ware, hard- and rumors of wars to obliterate the ington to spend the Christnas by many hundred acres of Fre- ware, glass and queensware and

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BLACKFORD

This the first of the year, 1918. Long live the approaching New Year. The y ar 1917 has brought joy and sorrow, triumph and failure to humanity. All preceeding years, all years that are approaching tell or will tell the same story of success and defeat. In childhood a year seems like an age, but as we advance in years twelve months sweeps by like a dream. While December is the last month of the year it is also the first month of winter. Were you ready for winter? How many thousand bushels of corn do you think are standing out in the fields unhusked at this late date! You would be surprised if you were told. esting question. His position is far "How about the girls on the farm?" As a rule, on the farm is the place the world instead of fritting away life in aimless social pursuits.

Since the last items from this hamlet quite a number of events have cattle from there down to the man transpired and among the most important are: During the recent cold acres of wheat. Beans are become snap a number of fowls and hogs froze quite a prominent crop in this short to death but amid all this and many grass country, in fact, most any cro Big Spring, Ark., who had the ly enlarged and marvel that we other things that have never vet been does well here except corn, which does told, Blackford still survives and comes not do will here, due to the absence of to the front with a few items for pub- warm nights which is unknown be-

> Dr. E. E. Newcom and family, of James F. Price will preach at Mattoon, have recently moved to this the sun is gone the warmth of the Frances the second Sunday in burg. We welcome them in our midst and trust that the doctor may meet with flattering success in his chosen profession of "pill-driving."

R. T. Reynolds has gone to Truman, Ark., intending, provided the climate, water and society agree with him, to remain until he decides to leave there and go to some other place.

Our urbane townsman, J. A Oakley, has had an addition put to his store house and is selling goods regardless these. I am now foreman on the T.

J. M. Dilbeck has sold his residence

If your item "jog-ger-up" does not freeze, ball-up or go crazy, we shall write again in the near future.

Headache Stopped

Headaches are Nature's danger signals. ind out what is the trouble. Cure that Most headaches come from indigestion. Bowels fail to act properly. Poisons accumulate in the body. The blood becomes impure, and headaches and more serious troubles naturally follow.

H. S. Cope, a glass molder at Alton Park, Tenn., says that he suffered con-stantly from headaches, but that Vin Hepatica restored him to health so that

Hepatica restored him to health so that he was able to go back to work. - All such headaches are stopped by Vin Hepatica, the great Nature medicine and universal system purifier. It contains eight herbal remedies which tone up the bowels and kidneys, purify the blood and thus make that kind of headaches impossible. possible.

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we surely recommend this wongerur remedy. Come in and get a bottle on our recommendation that it will help not only your headaches, but will regulate your bowels and kidneys so that you will health better than you have known it for years.

Sold By J. H. ORME MARION, KY.

Letter From Colorado.

Nunn, Colo., Dec. 27, 1917. Dear Editor:

In this great time of strife and anxiety of the nation. One can hardly find time to think of any thing except war, with all its ecesory terribleness which prompted Mr. Sherman's famous words which so tensely expresset the ideas of whole nations. But nat rally, it takes more than wars, the thoughts of home and home people. And old Crittenden is my home and her people is my people, no matter

where I may be.

We have rounded out the full cycle of seasons, and more, in this the well as Mayr's Wonderful R "Golden West," and find ourselves which I can thank for my fairly well pleased with the results. health. I suffered 5 years with Be it known: That we do not consid- serious stomach trouble and bla er this the "garden spot" of the Am recommending it to all suffer. world. However, it is a leautiful It is a simple, haumless prepare country and the climate, while severe that remove the catarrhal me at times, is condusive of robust health the intestinal tract and allays t and appetites. We live on the plains, flammation which causes practic where the view is obstructed only by stomach, liver and intestinal ails the horizen, and in the shadow of the including appendicitis. One de Great Rockies whose hoary heads convince or money refunded. tower above us in guardian like atti-

their great heights, each year from our door, they more than thirty minute but in fact it is several mil .

The overwhelming invasion of ists and automobiles seem to rob of a great deal of their wild and conquerable aspects. But their rugs

wholly effaced by man nor time. Lorg Peak seen to the southwest

from here, is 14,300 feet high. Tue Great Lincoln Highway which is truly a wonderful road, passes door wending its way to the coast. an average of one bundred autom and motor trucks pass on this highway There is more excuse than usual this each ewenty four hours and during year for farmers being delayed in Frontier Days' at Cheyenne, thirty their work through scarcity of labor. four miles north of here, there passed Th. boy on the farm is ever an inter- by actual count, fifty to sixty cars per hour for eighteen hours on three more distrable of late years than successive days, this being on a direct John V. Hughes, son of Mr. | Chester Nimmo of St. Louis, formerly. And now the question is: route from Chyenne to Denver, 78 miles south of us.

This is a great country for wheat where you are more likely to find girls and cattle. Some individuals raising FOR SALE-217 acres land who do something "worthwhile" in 40,000 to 50,000 bushels of wheat while where own ranches covered with thousands of cattle, of course there are ranchers who range in both wheat and who keeps ten cows and raises twenty cause of the mountain air drifting down over the plains, and as atmosphere is gone. The all important problem the rancher has to grapple, is labor, and more especially new that so many have been called to arms. There is a fixed scale of ten hours per day for all labor in this State, but no fixed scale of wages. Nor does the rancher say how much he will give for labor but asks how much will labor work for. Why! My boy and my brother's boys from thirteen to sixteen years old, received \$2.00 per day and for ordinary farm work and getting as much as \$4.00 per day in the barvest, and men's wages in proportion to A. Quarter circle cattle and wheat ranch, drawing almost double the pay such work brings in Kentucky besides having my saddle horses and automobiles furnished. I farmed last sea raising 21,000 pounds of bears, se corn, potatoes and millet. Of course bought all feed, paying as high \$4.30 per hundred pounds for the chops and \$37.50 per top for bay. T high price of feed and labor creates demand for tractor farming. Th were twenty-six tractor outfits unlo ed in our little burg the past sea besides a great many in the neighl hood already. This land is easily cultivated. One man can handle, even with a team much more crop than he can there. They plow 'cite hand for wheat during the summer, sow fall seed any time from August to January, ar they d without working ground at all, the drill and the next year they plow sgain. Thus plowing only each third year. They often prepare and sour spring wheat on land and as soon harvested drill fall seed in stubble the getting two crops of wheat from same ground in sixteen months,

ripening wheat will easily stand u for six weeks without damaging, e cept for hail. This is called the grass or dry land country. A miles south of us begins the irrigi country, the north rim of the fam Greely district, on the lands of whi great quantities of putatoes, bert cabbage and alfalfa are raised. As much as 400 bushels of potatoes per acre or three cuttings of alfaifa which totals seven or mo re tons per acreFrom the irrigated districts are
marketed many thousands of sheep
which are raised and fed principally
on beet tops and alfalfa. However,
the amount of cipital required for the amount of critical required for equippment and running experimake the dry land farming the approfitable to the average man, especially the renter, as one can rent the best improved land for one third of all crops the landlor d furnishing all seeds, or one fourth and the renter furnish seed. One can get all the raw or unimproved land he wants rent free.

If this finds space in your columns I may write again, next time of the towns and town industries, meaning wishing the Record-Press and all the readers a merry Christmas and the py New Year, I shall remain yours

Marion Father R-

"Two of my sons are is doing all I can to help my co

HAYNES & TAYLOR

by Douglas Malloch

"No," said the stranger, "they

"What did we do?"

HE coming of New Year's Day naturally suggests the couldn't nuther. Y'see," he explained, remarkable case of Hap "every train on this good runs so much Hazard. The mother of slower than every other train, that Happizzez Hazard had no train can ever overtake any other."

name out of the ordinary, and her alm asked Hap, "what's the trouble?"

was certainly good. It was hard to "Well, to begin with," replied the spell, and hard to pronounce; and, stranger, "the fireman is to blame. pronounced properly, it sounded very When we started out he didn't figure much like a soda fountain clerk mak- on how much coal he was likely to ing a fizz. But the boys shortened this need. Consequence was, we run out unusual cognomen to "Hap."

The Hap Hazards were married on night."

Who rears Day Hap very happily "Who suggesting that that would be a good

start the New Year right, farmer. He w Year's Day age in approach-dickens, too." Aunt Ada, at whose house in it would be a fine idea to ask dding naniversary. Hap and islafully accepted, and wrote y would leave Hometown for 20th. It was now the 28th, and May decided it would be begin to pack, or at least to what she would wear and what id take. It made her rather

sald, "you might go and get the tickets, and of lowers, and everything, so be av ready to start tomorwill be easy to do."

exclaimed Hap, his pipe his mouth, "easy to do? ou know I never thought se gol-darned fickets?" He ou suppose they will believe I have enough know we spent a lot for

had \$3.11. May had \$6 she had of her last week's money cas \$1.80 in the I tate drawer of en cabinet, and \$12 in bills chind the picture of April Jones in the sitting room That made \$22.91; and Hap knew he could draw a few dollars in advance down at the shop- *

ter. It was a wonder he didn't have in hour earlier-when it was on time he could get it." and this time it was. He managed

oy, but he had to sit up in the smoker the conductor all this time?"

"Yep, it doesn't look much like we

would git there."

rious."

and bought a book.

than this way.'

Hap opened the package.

enough for all your kindness."

sest when that jolt threw him out,

said the doctor. "But it is nothing se-

untangle his thoughts for him.

By this time Hap was wide awake.

"Everything's all right, old man,"

ear's night." "hat's the matter?" he inquired,

to sleep again. ddenly sitting up, "a wreck?" "Nope," said the passenger, a fat said May. an across the aisle Hap had observed ingle he fell off to slumber. "Nope, stranger. "He's coming out of it."

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sing to Run on Schedule After This,"

wreck. On this gosh-dinged y can't never have a wreck." Maybe I've got more sense that way mot? Is it so safe?"

t ain't so safe. But they have a collision because all you feeling bad agein?"

ins run east one day and west funny. What if you want to

urbus on Wednesday?" you have to go east to Pitts-Tuesday and come west to about enough coal and water to keep bus the next day."

stried hard to figure this out, y gave it up as a little deop. he seld, "they could have a New, here's an account book, and we're going to rea on schodule after this," ellision, apyway."

The New Year Dreamer

A woman fell asleep, one New Year's eve, and dreamed a strange dream. And when she woke, she told a neighber about it, in some such words as

"I complit I was in a strange country," she said, "which belonged to us all. There was no king. And I hought that in that country shoes were ready-made, net fashioned clumsily of leathers, as we fashion them now, and that the flax was all spun for us, and the flour all ground. I thought that the very cows were milked without our aid, and that we lived in cities with clean pavements between clean, bright houses, and that milk and ment and bread and eggs were brought to our doors, day after day. I thought that there was something called gas, that made our cooking clean and quick, and things called cars that carried us cafely from place to place.

"And in my dream we were all taught, taught to read and even to write, as only the scribes do now, and that we read books, books about strange things and wonderful places-

whenever we chose. And there were wise ductors to keep us well, and to of coal right in the middle of the live us magic sleep in our pain.

"But best of all," she said, in a low tone still tinged with the radiance of "We stopped and got some from a her dream, "best of all, was that the farmer. He was madder than the children were safe. There were no hobles to seize our girls for their own "But why didn't the engineer see to pleasure, and to send our boys like the He ands were married, it that the fireman had enough coal?" cuttle into the wars. No man could "The engineer hadn't ought to say kill another, and even women were of ng comple back home to spend anything. He didn't have enough was value, and children were beloved. It seemed to me a world of peace, and sunshine and safety !4

"You dreamed of heaven!" said the listener, her incredulous laughter changed to wistful awe. The other sighed and shook her head.

"No," she said sadly, "for in that country they were all mad!"

"Mad?" came the astonished echo. "Well, better our hardships than such a state. Better the village well that poisons our children and the tax that olds our men in bondage, and the pesflences that sweep us! Better the dark houses, and the smoking coal fires, the heats of summer and the reezing winters, better even the agony and terror of bearing, unhelped. But ell, how were they mad?"

"They do not see the sunshine, they do not hear the music, and they do not taste their freedom," said the beamer. "Their thoughts are chained to little things—the stitches in a skirt, the chopped auts that must go into a dish they cook, the shape of a chair. They long for ideness-who have nothing to do! They long for pleasure, who live in a world that might be "He's Looking at You, Aunt Ada," Said heaven! They look at this one envi-

because she can come and go to no her city at will and at that one He found it was too late to get low- a blowup. He was just running along, enviously because her picture is printers, and they missed that train any- and never watching the water-guage, ed in the books they read. They weep may, for the time had been changed, and geiting water whenever he could, because they must buy flax soun or and the train now went through half but not knowing very far ahead when the'r side of the ocean rather than that work for them to do. which comes to them in ships, and "'And what is it?' asked Princess "Well, this must be a fine crew on they weep because the papers they Twilight-Bell. find an upper on the slow train for this old milk train. But where was have pasted on the walls of their rooms are too green or too blue!"

"Why, the conductor didn't know "Mad-quite mad!" sgreed the dap did not sleep very well. The we was late until a few minutes ago neighbor, saruck. "Did they live long asked Fairy Ybab,

a stopped and started and jerked when I told him. You see, he wasn't ago?"

"Dear me, said they been near keeping any particular account of the ming after an unusually heavy jolt. time. He figured that we was on the the dreaming woman answered. They our time has not yet come."

"The Faller law." at Hap distinctly overheard a fellow- right road and that sooner or later we will not live for another thousand years. They will spring from us, who "Some railroad," thought Hap to live and work and de without the suld get into Columbus before New himself, and in a few moments fell off touch of fine linen on our booles, or the help of a single hand with the planting and reasting and spinning and "He's looking at you, Aunt Ada," brewing the kerring and rearing. We are their mothers, who will never read "He's going to be ail right," said the a book or write a letter, or enter a playhouse. Let us make them a New "Oh, I'm so glad," exclaimed May; Year's wish, that their eyes may be and, to the stranger, "I can't thank you opened and that they may see!"

They knelt down together .- Kath-"He must have hit the arm of the leen Morris in Pictorial Review.

Resolutions Each Day.

At each New Year tide it is common really awake. It took a little time to to make new resolutions, but in the true life of the individual each day is the beginning of a New Year if he will said the surlager. "You fell out of only make it so .- William George Jorthe seat-you've got a bump on your dan.





The Fairies' Messages

- Charles Mary Graham Bonner

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Daddy, "all thought they were going to have a wonderful

party until the Fairy Queen said, "Of course the Fairles love their work as they do their play so they smiled when the

Fairy Queen told

"'Yes, tell us what the work is to be,' said the Fairy Princess Joy "'Shall we play and make muste?"

Now can I ever abswer so many

"The Fairles laughed and then wait

ed for the Fairy Queen to tell thear what she wanted them to do. "'When the New Year comes,' said the Feiry Queen, 'We must plan new

work." 'Oh yes' served all the Polyles. "It needn' exactly be new,' said the Falry Queen, but we must start off aircah le our work and get others

to start off afresh too."

"'We shall do that,' said the Fairles "'Anc,' continued the Palry Queen 'we shall all go forth today and whisper secrets to the Children.'

"'What sorts of secrets?' asked the Fairies. "'We shall tell them,' said the Fairy Queen, 'that to be happy they must b We will tell cheerful and pleasant. them to see how wonderfully it works -just to give it a fair trial. Tell them

to get up every morning with a bright

smile for everyone they meet. And

then they will see how much happier it makes everyone.' "That's a splendid idea,' said the Fairles. "'And Ybab with her Fairy orches tra will sing little songs while they sleep-and somehow or other when they wake up the next day they will be so happy. They will not quite know why-but we will know that it is

Ybab's wondrous fairy music." "'Ah,' smiled Ybab, how happy that makes me! I always love to sing and play. I think I shall sing them a song like this, and Fairy Ybab waved her wand and sang:

"'Music, music makes us glad. "Crossness only makes us sad. 'So let's be happy, bright and gay, "'And then we'll love both work and

play. "'That will be a fine song,' said the Fairy Queen. 'I am sure the Children will love it. Of course they will hear it while they sleep and when they awake they will have forgotten the words-but they will remember the meening of the song.'

"'And when shall we start?' asked the Princess Twilight Bell. 'Let's get started very soon,' said the Fairy Princess Joy.

'Oh yes,' said Ybab in her silvery possessions said Ybab in her silvery possessions. voice, 'I want to be singing all the

"That is the way you must make the children feel, Ybab, said the Fairy Queen. They must feel so happy every minute. They must be joyous and have such good times and make everyone around them kappy. Den't for get, little Fairles,' she added, 'to tell the Children to wake up every morning with a smile. That will be such a good start for the day."

"'We won't forget,' said the Fairles.
"And off they went, All over the Earth they flew and they wore their a Fairy. To bomes and homes they went and over every child sleeping that night they whispered the Fairy a Fairy. To bomes and homes they that night they whispered the Falry Queen's messages.

"Yhab sang her song, and before she had finished, a smile came on the face "There is of each child who heard her.

work for us to tand where the Fairy Queen was walt-



"Whisper Secrets to the Children."

ing for them, though she had been off on a trip too, they told her of their

"'Ah,' she said, 'they will be happy now I feel quite sure, and though they may not know that the Fairles have been to see them, they will somehow feel better-and we know that it will be because of the Fairles!"

It's Worth While, A new year is surely worth a new

******************** Another Year

Another year is now starting. At midnight I heard the bells ring Their final farewell to the old

wear: Oh, what will the new year

bring? Shadow and then some sunshine-

Neither can always last: Sorrow and pain and pleasure-Just as the year that's past.

None can foretell the future, It's hidden beyond our gaze; But most of the year that's coming Will be made of commonplace

days. Morning and noon and evening

Filled up with little things, Days of rest and of labor-These are what each year brings.

Go on then into the future. With never a thought of fear; Trusting the hand that leads us To puide for another year. -Grace Bulkley.

IDEALS FOR THE NEW YEAR

By Dr. William DeWitt Hyde.

By Dr. William Dewitt Hyde.

No weigh the material in the scales of the personal, and measure life by the standard of later.

To prize health as contagious happiness, wealth as potential service, reputation as latent influence, learning for the light it can shed, power for the help it can sive, station for the good it can do:

To choose in cach case what is good on the whole, and accept cheerfully incidental evils involved;

To put my whole self into all that I do and ladning no single desire, at the expense of myself as a whole;

To crowd out fear by devotion to duty, and see present and fully not some to free there are

loss, and hay no picasure with mother's paint:

To harbor no thought of an-other which I would be unwilling that other should know;

To say nothing tablind to amuse myself, and nothing faise to picase others:

To take no pride in weaker mea's fallings, and hear no mal-ber toward those wire do

men's fallium, and hear no mailee toward those who do wrong;

To pity the selfish no less than
the poor, the proud as much as
the outcast, and the cruel even
more than the capressed;

To weekship food in all that is
good and true and benutiful;

To serve thrist wherever a sud
heart can be made happy or a
wrong will set right; and to recownize Ged's coming kingdom in
every fustitution and person that
helps men to love one another.

Beerement of the second WHAT NEW YEAR'S SIGNIFIES

Time to Resume Another Journey of Life, Starting Out With a Clean Slate.

The need of getting a convenient livision of time into days and years which correspond with the movements of the earth and sun is not sufficient explanation of the New Year's festival. That need is whelly mechanical, mathematical, and serviceable. The mood of New Year's is not mechanical, mathematical, or serviceable. It is wholly one of abandon and heedlessness.

It is such because the day represents an accounting and a sponging of the slate. Life needs renewed beginnings, It cannot lead away across unbroken and unmarked plains. It must have its definite stops, its prospects in the intimate future. The traveler must have in thought as he goes along the road a possibility of a comfortable ending of the day at an inn.

We seek constantly a realization of completeness, of a beginning, a middie, and an end. Life, which is formless, must have form given it. It must have its stopping places, where it relaxes by a fire and is genial. It cannot go on traveling without defined purpose, with no objective, with no inns inviting by the light through social windows. It must have objectives in the near prospect.

It seeks a definite and well laid out plan, a scheme, and, therefore, regardless of the need of dividing time into periods which can be seed for the ma-terial needs of people, it makes periods which satisfy the demand for an objective.

The New Year's festival is an inn which folk reach at the end of a long journey. They sit a while and sre merry. They take up their journey again.-Cifford Raymond.

Wholly Up to You. If 1918 is not the best year of your ife, you have only yourself to binme.

When the New Year Came by May C. Ringwalt

ie of love fratches—and in all the land that hast day of an Maggie MacKenzie, the bride of

for as liberal as are Uncle Sam's her abject specy could hardly be presented in divorce proceedings -Christmas plum-pudding, a sold in the head, and a small sheet of paper covered with a perfectly Hegible, snarly | zled,

The plum pudding-arrived a week dear," he said gently. "It's on the to en account of bad roads and a table in our room, isn't it?" holiday congestion of parcel post matter-stood on the living-room table just as she had taken it out of its box. A beautifully molded plum pudding of a city confectioner's consummate art. masy thome-y plum pudding that set off all sorts of Christiansy home y memeries and brought such an aching lump to the little bride's throat that she almost cried out impain.

Yet Christmas itself had not been a bit of a blue day. It was their first Christmas together to begin with, and the joy, the wonder, the triumph of Jamie actually filled her entire thoughts. Right after breakfast they



"I'll Get It Myself," She Said, Fiercely.

had gone on a jolly tramp. Then there chocolate, then put down her cup and had been dinner to get, the fun of ran and opened the front door. cooking the turkey and the hughter of "Maggie!" cried Jamie. "What are bumping heads as they both flew to you opening the door for?"
the oven door to "baste the 'baste.'" "To let in the New Year, dear," she And after they had eaten, and done up explained with a forced gaiety. "Don't ful blaze of the living-room's big open fire talking in low, inthate voices far

into the night. But now she was cooped up all day long in the house with this wretched cold in the head, the most forlorn and lonesome of beings, with Jamie away for hours at a time, working on the ranch or, when it rained or snowed too heavily to be outside, tinkering

verlastingly in the barn. And as the proverbial last straw in today's mail had come the little sheet of paper with the lilegible snarly scrawl-had come all the way from Scotland.

For that was what had made the love match so romantic. Jamie Mac-Kenzie, whom Maggie had not seen since she was a girl of 14, had come back from the States on a three menths' visit to his mother, found the child he had played with flowered into a woman, promptly fallen in love and married her the day before his return to Uncle Sam's land.

And she had gone willingly with him, had willingly left them all behind. Dad and mother; Dave and Wallace and Jean, and-yes, even Bobbie. Bobbie, her own bairn, the bonnie 4year-old little brother whom she always buttoned up in the morning and unbuttoned at night-and counted off "this little pig went to market and this little pig stayed at home" on ten wee upturned toes. '

To have given up Bobble for a mere husband! A husband who no longer loved her, who was so heartless he could stay out there in the barn mending an old plow when his wife needed

him so desperately! The cheery sound of a whistle approached-a man's brisk steps on the

It was Jamie. He was coming into the house. Why couldn't he let her

alone, to cry in peace? "Well, little girl," said a pleasant voice behind her, as she stealthily

dabbed away her tears, "any special news from the land of heather?" "It wasn't a regular letter," she replied coolly. "Just one of Bobble's love scrawls-Dad had only addressed

the envelope." "Say, I call that a mean trick," said Jamle, "to get up your expectations for nothing."

A little red spot flared on each of

Maggie's cheek ad her eyes blazed How dared ne Insinuate that one o Pobbie's precious letters was nothing But the anger her eyes shot fell short of their mark-Jamie had spled

the plum pudding.
"Hello," he laughed, "so that is what was in the box. I'd just about given it up. It's some pudding, all right, isn't it?" he went on admiringly. Since we couldn't have it Christmas et's celebrate tonight—speed the partng guest of the old year and welca new, you know. But I came in to it you I'm going over to Biyly's to take a look at the brooder be wants to sell. So if you'll give me that pic-ture book of Bobbie's, I'll stop at the poor farm as I pass and leave it for the little chap who got there too late tle kid, and maybe it will cheer him

The set line of Maggie's lips

At the time it had seemed such a all the land that last day of the old year, there was no ble's picture book, packed with her own books by mistake, to the new orhan arrived at the farm the beginsarr-break of it all were "ght start, nos day in a lonely shack up in the

"You can take the book another dine," she evaded, picking up her shur-- a the and tatting like mad. "I can't

> Jamie looked at her, surprised, puz-"Why, I can get it as well as you

She threw down the tatting and sprang up.

"I'll get it myselt," she said fiercely, and shot into the adjoining room. an adorable, spikey sprig of real her eyes were ringued in great red circles, but Jamle, impatient to be off. d not notice, or thought the redness

> As the front door banged after him, camphor bottle in hand, Maggie sank back in the nearest armchair and gave herself up to being miserable.

But Jamie was gone over an hourtime for conscience and camphor to work, and thoroughly ashamed of herself, her head much clearer, she greeted his return with rising spirits, which ell precipitously when he nonchalanty informed her he had invited over the Blylys and Joen Thornton and his wife ad the Hopkins girl to spend the ening and eat plum pudding with

"Oh, Jamie, why did you?" she said company tonight."

But the guests had been invited and there was nothing to do but make the best of it.

Yet, as gallantly as she tried, the poor, little bride could not shake off her homesick forformess. It was five minutes of 12 by the living-room clock when the hot choco-

ate and the plum pudding in its blaze of glory were brought in, and as the first stroke of midnight fell upon their talk and laughter, with lifted cups, all sprang to their feet and drank to the

Kenzie.

She took only a hurried sip at her



The Child Walked Straight Up to Maggle MacKenzie.

you remember we always did it at home?" she added tremulously.

"For the land's sake!"
"The love of Mike!"

Excited exclamations went around, shricks of half make-believe, half real terror, while the little bride stood staring, white-faced, into the night as though she had seen a ghost, a ghost of Bobbie, her own dear bairn for whom her heart had been crying out all day long.

Then out of the darkness into the bright living-room's light stepped a very flesh-and-blood little boy with tousled, just-out-of-bed hair and small garments put on awry that badly needed buttoning up.

"Why, it's the poor farm's new little orphan!" somebody cried in relief. "What in the world are you doing here, son?"

Ignoring the others, the child walked straight up to Maggie MacKenzie. "I'm looking for my moth-er," he

said, a catch in his breath. And with her sad face now radiant, a shining light in her eyes, the home sick little bride gathered him up in her

arms and hugged him close. "If you can't find her, won't I de instead, darling?" she whispered be tween kisses.

What Shall He Write on Your Page?



Peace and Good Will, Words of Comfort Good Will-For the New Year

Across the far Judean hills

At midnight, faintly, songs of praise, Dim, distant songs, in wordless lays, When all the stars together sang.

With beating hearts, in awe-filled Was this the song Orion sung.

In space-gemmed solitude! Or were these Aspha's anthems grand,

Out all their souls, unloved, unseen?

Swart forms stood forth, their girdles

loosed, With faces toward the midnight sky; And, trembling, waited, lips apart, Limbs tense, where fullest muscles

And quivering arms upraised high.

Clearer the sound waves swept the

ww year, deep and long.

All, that is, except Maggle Mac. Till softly worded fell the strain,

Down went the stalwart shepherd.

In humble pose, with hearts affame. To all the earth from Bethlehem's or dreams realized. We bid thee wel-

'n widening circles, sweet and clear, From olive grove or palm-crowned

Swept back that anthem, Heaven-born, On harps of gold, by angels borne. "Peace and good will, good will,"

In chorus grander still, And ocean's mighty voices sing. "Peace and good will, good will."

In humble cot on Scotia's brace. Or Egypt's slumb'rous vale, O'er sand-swept deserts, camel frod, On snow-crowned Alps upreared to God.

The mighty chords prevail.

Spice-scented valleys blest; When odorous lilies swing their bells And sensuous, dew-drunk amhodels Their honied lips have pres't;

O'er somber pines that sing of death, Or sun-kissed meadows still; O'er land of leal, o'er land of 100e, The world-encircling chorals go. "Peace and good will, good will,"

And children's faces beam with mirth, And children's glad how is thrill; For them the angel harpers sing. For them joy-bells of Heaven ring, "Peace and good will, good will."



WE hourglass has turned; the

That marked the Old Year now

last few sands

have slipped away,

New Year holds

And in his outstretched hand the

thee with a cheer as we undertake

our journey in thy care. "Life must

march forward in a column of days."

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Thoughts for

the New Year

SHE was the sweet Marjoram of the salad, or, rather, the

herb of grace.—Shakespeare.

To be weak is miserable,

-Milton, "Paradise Lost."

Blessed is he who has found

Honest toil is holy service;

faithful work is praise and

prayer.—Henry Van Dyke, "Toll-

Hapless woman ne'er can say.

"My work is done" till judg-

ing of Felix."

his work; let him ask no other

blessedness,-Carlyle, "Past and

Doing, or suffering.

Present."

To listening shepherds echoing rang,

And they, the shepherds, listening long,

The mystic, golden aisles among,

Some dusky temple aisles between. When heavy censors slowly swung. despairingly. "I feel like anything but Where sandaled maidens, bending,

start,

As all the wide world's pulse stood

From Zion's hills flung back again, "Peace and good will, good will."

there, height,

The dear God's new Evangel came.

All voices joined the solemn chant, From David's city to the sea? From deep Euphrates' silent tides, To Jericho's palm-shaded sides; From Gath to Galilee.

A thousand years on Time's strong tide Have washed the shores of Change: Uncounted men have loved, have died, And Life and Death, all undefied, Have swept earth's widest range.

But still the harpers touch the strings, While all the earth her chorals bring,

In vales of musk; o'er hills of burze;

When changing numbers swinging swift

The Christ-tide seasons bring-To lands where tropic aloes grow, To rolling prairies white with snow, The bells of gladness ring.

Good Resolutions

By Mary Graham Bonner

"The Animals were talking," com-

Mr. Pencock together, 'say that no ! is around the New Year they should "'You're wrong,' make " solutions - good resolutions.' said Mr. Rooster. talk like a sensible animal and not like one of the stilly Grown-Ups, perhaps I could get some sort of an idea what is negative. As it is I ben't know what is certainly not a good resolution for me."

"And I'd lay eggs," agreed Mrs. at all. What's a resolution, anyway? Hen.

"'Dear me,' clucked Mrs. Hen, 'how Pinky.

"But how can I make something I Piaky. od resolutions, too.' don't understand?" squealed Pinky.

"'You see,' he continued, 'we can resolve to be good or we can resolve to be bad. And when a New Year. beginning it is well to resolve to be good.'

"That's nonsense,' grunted Pinky, 'I don't care to resolve to I care to resolve

to be bad. I'll just be natural and a regular pig." "'We think it's silly for us,' said the Peacocks, 'as we're about as perfect as

"'You're conceited,' said the Pigeons. You should resolve not to think so

ed the Peacocks. 'We have something o be vain about.'

solving? asked Pinky. early every morning,' said Mr. Rooster.

do my best!" The future of a twelvemonth's span. "'And I am going to lay lots of

but not yet disclosed. With thee "'I shall protect the sheep,' said the may come joy or sorrow, pain or Sheep Dog. loss, failure or success, hope deferred

"I have decided to let the children come and will try to cherish and improve thy gift of time. We greet "'We shall pick up as many bread-

IM GOING TO APPLY FOR

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nenced Daddy. "They were getting quite excited when along came Pinky Pig, who asked what the trouble was

about.
"The Pigeon family," said Mr. and Pinky squealed in Beneach logation, "say that ma !! disgust.

"'Resolutions,' crowed Mr. Rooster, are resolves! There! That's some-

strutted about proudly.

Mr. Rooster be good. Nor do Strutted About.

well of yourselves.' " But how can we help it?' answer-

"You're hopeless,' said the Pigeons. "'What is every other animal re-

"'I am going to be up bright and "'You do that anyway,' said Pinky. I might as well resolve to wade in every bit of mud I see. Of course, in the winter that's hard, but then I can

Then hail New Year! We bid eggs,' said Mrs. Hen. thee welcome. Thy gifts are many, Mrs. Cow. "'I am going to give good milk,' said

"'And I shall look after the farmer's

runts as we can find,' chirped some Sparrows who had been listening.
"And I shall give some very fine

goat's milk,' said the Goat. "'Well, did I ever!" exclaimed Pinky.

"'What do you mean?' asked Mr. Rooster. 'Here are all you animals bragging about what you will do. You have all said you would do the things that you always do-you have not made any good resolutions, as you call

them. You sim-ply will do the things that it is natural for you to do. The Peacocks. are honest, be-But the rest of you-Bah!' And

"I'll Just Be a

Regular Pig." Well, granted Pinky, if you'd Cow. I would give milk no matter

"I'd have to take the children for

good, and bad memes bad, and what rides, said the Donkey, 'as they fasten good, and bad mems bad, and what right has that word resolution to be me to a cart! "Didn't I say I was right? said

"'I hate to admit it, though,' said irritable you are today Pinky. You should be pleasant and try to make Mr. Rooster, putting his head on one side and looking very mournful.

"'You might just as well,' said "'Besides,' said Mr. Rooster, 'we'll have to think up entirely new resolu-

thing for you!' And Mr. Rooster tions. Things that will be hard for us to do. It's a great nuisance.' "'That's true,' said Pinky, with a wicked grin. It is always easiest to do what comes natural to us and to say we're so good doing it. 'But we Pigs are natural and we don't put on any airs about resolutions. Such non-

> "'We'll have to think all over again,' crowed Mr. Rooster, slowly and sadly."

> > How to Be Happy.

The happiest New Year is for these vho seek the happiness of others.

New Year, Good Morning

New Year, good morning! Come and bring Us days that smile and days that

sing Out from the drifts of swirling snow That through the mur y mid-

And clutch with frosty hands and cling. Hark! How the joy bells chime and ring Thy birth and new hope set

a-wing, With hands outstretched you

night blow

come; and so New Year, good morning! New courage greets their clamoring-The thought of friends, the

thought of spring,

Of kindly solace for our woe, Of happiness we're still to know; We wait your accolade, O King! New Year, good morning!

-Alexander Maclean.

Signs of a New Year

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TIE MYSELF ON





I WISH THANKS GIVING AND NEW

AFTER DECEMBER

JUST BILLS'

THIS COMES DOWN, TOO MUCH DUST AND

BUSTED!

ment day. -St. John Honeywood. Love prays devoutly when it prays for love .- Hood, "Hero and Leander." Just to live is the most important thing in life. To appreciate, to admire, to enjoy, is to possess. The law of life is love. Love is the one essential thing without which we can only exist,-Benjamin Woodcox. g......

Smile, Smile, Smile. Keep that New Year smile on all the year.

Do Not Soil the Leaf. -Maude Meredith. Keep c'ean that new leaf you will



Strong-Terry

Mr. Calli . Strong and Miss Rath Terry were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mattoon section and Miss Ruby Terry, at high noon Thursday, Vaughn of Seminary section Dec. 20 1917. The wedding were united in marriage Friday march was played by Mrs. Lest- afteno n, Dec. 21st 1917 at 2 er Terry as the bridal party en- o'clock, Rev. R. F. Richardson tered the parlor. A cousin of officiating in a beautiful and imthe bride Mr. L. W. Terry walk- pressive ceremony. They were ed in with the groom and acted attended by Mr. Doy!e Vaughn, as best man while the bride's a cousin of the bride and Miss best friend, a neighbor girl Miss Allene Nunn, a Ros bud belle Minnie Corley was the maid of The bridal party was enter-honor. The Rev. W. T. Oakley tained at the home of Mr. and officiated in his usual happy Mrs. John Vaughn, the bride's heat of life's daily battle and loving son and brother, always style, uniting these fine young parents that evening and next people for better or for worse day they went to the home of for life. The bride is the only Mr. and Mrs. G, D. Summerville on he him. It is need to the nome of the him to free him to fre daughter of squire W. T. Terry where a wedding band let was and wife and is a fine christian served at shigh mion. Thy will character and endowed by nature go to house keeping as soon as happy in the though that he had ment of the Packard Motor Co., the shine of Old Glory and at the with those good and womanly they can get their home fitted traits necessary to make a lome up and furnished. This wedhappy. She was educated in ding unites two of the county's Marion High school and has most prominent familes, the marion High school and has most prominent rainles, the penditure of much wealth and laville, and come home to help in etery at Marion, Ky., where it was Miss Electa Alvis has sold her farm ed to many of the most promithe late Peter Shewmaker, the of health and life. The V. M. Annual of the most prominent families in this section, the merchant, farmer, capitalist; C. A. building will be a memor- the work and he was compelled lives in the hearts of hundreds of Earl Clark, Electrician of the Battle-Witnerspoons, Wilsons, Condit's and the groom a grandson of R. Terrys, Griffiths and others.

tion from Tennessee several is a graduate of the Marion years ago and has by his indus. Graded and High school and is try, thrift, honesty, and integ- quite pretty and well versed in rity, won a high place in the those traits needful in a housesteem of all who know him.

He had no rich relatives to complished has been by his own ville and will make a husband efforts unaided.

The bridal party and a few relatives and neighbors were entertained with a banquet im- COULD HARDLY mediately after the ceremony which consisted of all the good things the climate and market affords, prepared in her own superior and dainty way.

The happy couple left for Byansville on the 3 o'clock train and from there on to Chicago to visit her brother Rufus Terry.

On their return they will reside with the bride's parents on the home place where the groom has been employed for several years and where he is appreciated for his kindness, reliability By that time the pain would be so

The Record-Press extends best wishes and congratu'ations.

Newcom-Koon

A quietly solemnized marriage of yesterday was that of Miss Tres Koon and Mr C. C. Newem, which took place at 8 o'clock at the home of the officiant, the Rev. C. L. Skinner. The attend- me. ants were the bride's sister, Mrs. Nell K. Miller, and friend, and Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw. The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Koon of Kentucky has many friends here where she has made her home with her sister for the past two years. She wore a traveling costume of blue cloth with hat to match.

Mr. Newcom is from Marion, Ky., and they will leave shortly to make their home there.

Nashville Banner The groom is a son of Ves friends.

Morgan-Crider

is ordered to France.

Snmmerville-Vaugho

Mr. Percy Summerville of the

L. Moore, sr., the merchant, The groom came to this sec- banker of Mattoon. The bride wife in this day of progress.

The groom is the youngest son back him and what he has ac- of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Summerworthy of his bonny bride.

STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sideache, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex .- Mrs. Minnie Philpot, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my hit rib. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. severe I would have to take to bed and suffered usually about three days ... I suffered this way for three years and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go...I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an weak I could hardly stand alone. was a misery, my etomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so muc palu. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help

One day a Birthday Almarae wa thrown in my yard. After realits testimonials I decided to try dul, and amend thankful that I for I began to improve when on the second bottle...l am now a woman and feeling fine and the has been permanent for it has been we years since my awful bad healt and recommen ardui." Try Cardui today.



Newcom of the Weston's ction, ed that Uncle Charlie Burgett Emma Hill of Crayne Ky, and Ky., Dec. 29th, 1917. Measies and is a teacher of note, having who has been the head carpen- Mrs Marion Clark of Sikeston, followed by pneumonia and an opresided in Colorado for several ter in erecting the new Y. M. C. Mo years. The bride is also a teach. A building, has just passed The Record Press extends all He was one of Livingston Couner and it was here in this county away. Mr. Burgett resided in sympathy to his loved ones. that the attachment was formed Marion, Ky. but has been staying which has ripened into love the at the hotel where about a week consumation of which was the ago he was stricken with paralymarriage of last week. They sis. "Uncle Charlie," as we have the best wishes of many had learned to call him, had won August 18th, 1896. He professhearts of the people of Rosiclare. Cumberland Prebyterian church Exemplary and manly are but fee- den and the affair was a delightful one, Mr. Otho Morgan, son of Laws and important task of framing grew older he became worldly this young life. Moral, religious A course consisting of coffe minded and for a time seemed to and clean, high toned and a real wickes, salad, pickles and minded and seemed to and clean, high toned and a real wickes, salad, pickles and minded and seemed to and clean, high toned and a real wickes. daughter of Roe Crider, both of largest building in the county lose sight of God, but in his last patriot at heart. While in the served. the Gladstone section came to in masterly fashion. He took illness he came back to God and hospital he told his father and Among those whom we noted pres-

army at the rear, made up of time. His arms were the tools that he country and joined the army but had learn d to wield so skillfully. was rejected on account of or-But ov he has fallen in the ganic heart trouble. He was a A treasured sacrifice in a glorious some one else will have to ready to help in any way. On gun by him. It is vastly better had to give up farm work. He doms cause. A true soldier cheerto wear out than to rust cut and went to Detroit, Mich, and was ful and loyal to the sacred oath he

is due Uncle Charlie for his part erous; a friend to all. in use, but;

e death And with his sickle keen, He reaps the bearded grain at

a breath. And the flowers that grow be-

tween. ished his friendship, in express- California.

his passing. He does well who does his best; etry. Is he weary? Let him rest,

Brothers! I have done my I am weary-let me rest."

Rosiclare Sentinan

Charles Joseph Burget was born in Baden Germany, March Harbor, N. Y. where he volunteer-31st 1845. He came to Marion in 1869 from Terre Haute, Indiana. He was married to Miss. Susan E. Parmley of this county Oct, 18th, 1871. He united with received orders to ship the recity a few years ago, since then. every Sunday morning you would were brought here for burial. from the east. the funeral being conducted at the residence by the Rev. James Dies In The Service A. Chandler of Lou sville Ky.

He leaves a wife, one son, John N. Burget of Dillas Texas | Eugene Threikeld only son of

Luther Morse Dead

John Luther Morse was born a place of high esteem in the ed faith in Christ and joined the Though he was over 73 years at Sugar Grove in Oct. 1907 at ble words to use in expressing the and the most largely attended function o'i he performed the difficult the age of 11 years. As he traits of character that belonged to of the holiday season. Progressive

where he united them in marriage many a younger man to have him always; but if it was God's would be willing to go to France Moore. Virginia Guess, Virginia Flanin his best style, after which turned out the amount of wo k will for him to die, he was or serve in the United States or go ary. Zula Threlkeld, My t'e Gli , they proceeded to Louisville that ie accomplished with little ready to go. His suffering was home as the government thought Messrs; Gleaford Rankin, Oral Flanawhere the groom who is a sol help and many hindrances. So so great that in his last hours he best and if it was the Lords will ry, Newton Moore, Homer McConnell, dier is now stationed with his I ng as Uncle Charlie was on prayed for God to take him to that he should not get well he was Neville Moore, Neil Guess, Charley regiment and they will reside the job, we were sure that the Heaven, out of his suffering, ready to die.

there until he is transferred or Y. M. C. A. was being put up. He expressed regret that he Such heroism is rarely manifestright and would never collapse, had not improved his time since ed in one so young. He served however heavy the storm or he had been a christian and said his country well and gave his, all Travis and John Flanary that he saw where he could for the cause of human liberty. "Uncle Charlie" was a true have done so much good had he Visous of the deep blue ocean, the ing entertainer. Everyone enjoyed and faithful soldi. r in that vast lived a true christian life all the murderous submarine and the bat-

> workers in every trade and in- The night before he died, he ing France will never cross his dustry - an army that the Presi- called the family into his room pathway no more dent and all the country have and gave them his dying messcome to r cognize as of equal age. It was a beautifulone, and The pomp of power importance with the army at one they will never forget. He And all that wealth or beauty front for the winning of the also left a message for his brothpresent great war in behalf of er Issm, who is now in France. Await alike the inevitable hour human rights and freedom. He was ambitious to serve his

stayed in the harness to the end. but give up that position when alter of his God. sociated with the undertaking able to be up. He was always and in the world to come. will never forget the credit that cheerful, kind hearted, and gen-

that he could not have lived to age of 21 years 4 months and 4 losic Worley near the northern here, and Pinckneyville last week. "There is a reaper whose name presence of a large and sympa- but a few days with the disease Marion last week. The promoters of the Y. M. ters, they being: Ruth, Lee, ing for several years. He was a teachers Let parents send their chil-C. A. and the corps of workers Isam, Carrie, Reb cca, Fannie, charter member of Crooked Creek dren to school.

engaged in building it, join with and Dean. Eight children, Baptist church and lived up to the Mrs Elvin Marshall returned to her with "Uncle Charlie" and cher- died a number of years ago in week prior to his death. He was Miss Heulton Riley.

Harrison Dane McDowell, bor in this County in Feb. 13th., 1804. son of Jasper N. McDowell and Ellen Porter McDowell, died Sunday morning, Dec. 30th., 1917, of measles and pneumonia, at Sackets ed to serve about 2 months ago.

Capt. McGlorer of Ft. Madison wired his father for instructions as to the disposition of the body and the M. E. Church South of this mains back to his old home for burial.

The interment will take place at see him at his usual pew at the Pleasant Hill Church where his services in that church. He mother and two sister are buried; died in Rosiclare Ills. Dec. 20th but the exact date will depend on 1917 at 2.30 P. M. His remains the time the corps arrives here

Of The U. S. Government.

and five daughters, Mrs. J. M. H. L. and Noly Threlkeld of Fritts, Mrs. Emmit Fritts, and Carrsville, Ky., died in the hospi-The word has just been receive Miss Gussie of this place, Mrs tal at Camp Taylor Louisville, eration was the cause of his death. ty's bandsomest and most promising young men, And bid fair to make his mark in the world and in he was the only son and only child in the Threlkeld home, yet Bellville street, Friday evening. Dec he was not a spoiled boy.

20, 1917 and after procuring the necessary papers went to the residence of Rev. W. T. Oakley.

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The cause of suffering and bleed. 'Uncil Challe' passed away made manager of one depart- made to his country. A devotee at

Nothing great and worth while his older brother, Lee was called Peace to his ashes! And while is accomplished without the ex- to the training station at Louis- his body lies in the beautiful cem- days with home folks. of health and life. The Y. M. strength was not sufficient for New Years day 1918. His memory with her mother.

of the work. Every one regrets He died Dec. 27th 1917, at the citizen died at the home of Mrs. avna, Tenn, visited parents and friends ket being complet ly covered County Tennessee, and came to with the prettiest of flowers. this section over 50 years ago, and Luther leaves a faithful moth- was generally and favorably ing their profound sympathy for The funeral was held in Sugar two brothers, J. D. Worley of this the bereaved ones who mourn Grove church and the body laid city and M. T. Worley of the to rest in the Sugar Grove cem Forest Grove section. His remains were interved Monday afternoon at Crooked Creek. Rev. Rufus R. Robinson officiated.



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In honor of the visiting soldier boys Frank Newcom, Orville Lamb and from the State College, Miss Gladys practicable date. Hardy entertained at her home on 21st.. There were forty or more bid-

A course consisting of coffee, sand

Lilhe Belle Dunn, Miriam Pierce. Stewart, Orvitle Lamb, Orvitle Threlkeld, Creed Threlkeld, Raymond Moss. Frank Newcom, Lawson Paris, Clyde Ramage, Robert Hamilton, Hobert

Miss Hardy proved herself a pleasthe evening and seemed to partake of the manner of the fair hostess who seemed to delight in making each one enjoy the occasion, feel perfectly at home and be as pleasant as herself.

On New Years night Mr. and Mrs. Creed Taylor gave a dance which was one of the most enjoyable of the social functions during the holidays.

Miss Linda Jenkins was hostess to an informal dance on Monday Eve of last week.

SALEM

A happy New Year. May it bring Peace on earth and good will to man.

Misses, Joy Larue, Corinne Graves, Marjorie Pierce, and Lois Roberts, returned to School work in Bowling Green Jan 1st, baving spent the hold

ial to all who have taken part in to quit work. Not a hint of his kind friends who shall never forget ship, "New Jersey" spent a short its construction and those who failing strength was ever heard that he died in a glorious cause and furlough with home folks in have been the most closely as- by his mother as long as he was shall have his reward in this world Pinckneyville. Gay Clark, Dennis Gibbs and Max Johnson of Camp Shelby, also enjoyed the holidays with

Robert Calvin Worley an aged Frank Holland and family of Sav-

complete the building and see it days. The funeral was conduct-city limits, Sunday night Dec. 23, Prof. Phelps and wife visited ed by Rev. W. T. Oakley in the 1917 at 9 o'clock. He was not ill James Sullenger and family near

> thetic congregation. The floral incident to old age. He was born Miss Nell Underwood spent the holioffering was beautiful. the cas- in 1836, Sept. 19th, in Smith days with homefolks near Hamilton and Miss Lilian Love with folks near Carraville.

> The New Year finds our school mover, three brother, and four sis- known. He followed gun smith- standards in the hands of progressive

the many others in Rosiclare and Luther, the fifth being the tenets of the church at all times. home in Kuttawa Monday after a sevwho had become acquainted first to die. His father having His sickness dated back only a eral weeks visit here. The guest of

> never married and is survived by Mrs Alda Wolford and daughter, Miss Willie, attended the Eugene Threlkeld funeral services in Marion Monday

> > The Christmas Giving Spirit abounded most delightfully here, the Merchants report an unusually large holiday trade. The Sunday School and Public School distributed gifts alike to all. The Baptist pastor and family were most fenerously remembered His home was a veritable display of useful articles from pantry to Library Happy paster among a loyal people.

Mesdames J. D. Harris, Alma Matlock, Vena Waddel, and Alda Wolford gave the young people delightful entertainments in their homes during

Rural Carrier Examination

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Critterden, to be held at Marion, Kentucky, on Jan., 26, 1918 to fill the position of rural carrier at Tolu Ky., and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open only to male citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission the service of his country. While others and of the visiting students at Washington at the earliest

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured