

IT WAS A WATERHAUL.

Masked Bandits Hold Up a Train on the Cottonbelt Road.

UNCOPLED THE WRONG CAR

Expected to Secure the Money In the Express Car—The Engineer Had the Laugh on the Robbers—Posse of Citizens In Pursuit—The Railroad Company Offers \$200 For Each Person.

CAMDEN, Ark., Jan. 2.—Six masked men made an effort to rob the northbound Cottonbelt train at a tank 10 miles south of here. Their object was to secure the express money. The train stopped as usual to take water and the negro porter got off the train to go around to the tank to let the water in. He was stopped, however, by a Winchester in his face and ordered to uncouple the cars. This order was obeyed, and the engineer, who was under guard, was made to run the car up from the train, a distance of half a mile. The bandits discovered that they had made a waterhaul, taking the baggage car instead of the express car. They had to grin, take their medicine and go to the woods. The leader told the engineer that he had the laugh on them, but would see him again. The work was so quickly done that the passengers did not know what was going on until the would be robbers had found refuge in the dense forest.

The scene of the robbery is more than a mile from any residence. The small station, Buena Vista, being about a mile south. There is no better place than this for bandits to ply their calling. On the arrival of the train at Camden the sheriff was informed and a posse was soon on the ground but no clew to their whereabouts could be obtained. A special train was run up from Texarkana with men, guns and horses to continue the search. The men was masked with red bandanas and handkerchiefs. It is supposed that they went out from Camden and it is even intimated that they live in Camden. The Cottonbelt officers state that a reward of \$200 will be paid for the arrest and conviction of each of the parties.

Hunt Bandits With Bloodhounds. MERIDIAN, Miss., Jan. 2.—A posse of determined men with bloodhounds left yesterday morning to hunt down the Livingston, Ala., train robbers, and it is reported that two of the bandits have been run down in the Succanochie swamp. The express people claim that the robbers made a light haul.

MORE ABOUT THE DUEL.

One of the Participants Arrested For Murderous Assault.

EASTON, Pa., Jan. 2.—E. L. Riegel of Bloomsbury, N. J., who was wounded in an impromptu duel at that place last Sunday, has had his adversary, William B. Bebler of Germantown, arrested on a charge of murderous assault. The story told by Riegel's wife, whose alleged flirtation with Bebler was said to have led to the duel, throws a new light on the affair.

She says her husband is inordinately jealous and very headstrong and that Bebler's actions while he was a guest at their house could not possibly be construed in an evil light. Mrs. Riegel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Farron of Westport, claim that the doctor had treated his wife badly for a long time and this was the reason why she left him and went to live with them. No one charges Mrs. Riegel with wrongdoing. Bebler threatens to retaliate by bringing suit against Riegel.

Desperadoes Break Jail.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 2.—Five desperate prisoners sawed their way out of jail here last night. The fact was not discovered for some hours. By that time the men who, it was later learned, are all armed, had made good their escape. The prisoners escaped by sawing the iron bars of the corridor, window and lowering themselves to the ground with ropes. Thomas Hickman, a trusty, was found lying bound and gagged in the corridor, but the authorities assert he furnished the tools and that he released the prisoners from the cells into the corridor.

Was Drying Dynamite.

NASHVILLE, Jan. 2.—Yesterday at the new penitentiary, by an explosion of dynamite, one colored workman engaged in blasting for the foundations of the new building, and two other negroes were killed. The workman was sawing out 45 pounds of dynamite by a big log fire and the others were standing near by when the explosion occurred.

Uncle Sam Gives Newport a Park.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 2.—The Newport barracks were formally turned over by the government yesterday to the city of Newport for a park. The evacuation was attended with a parade, large military and civic demonstration and speeches by Colonel Cochran, commandant of Fort Thomas, and Mayor Brown.

Collided With a Flatear.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—An outgoing passenger train on the Chicago and Northwestern road ran on to a siding at midnight and collided with a flatear. The train, which was loaded with suburban passengers, was not badly damaged, and but three of the passengers were injured.

Two Children Burned.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Jan. 2.—Two little girls of Mrs. Latour aged 9 and 11 years were fatally burned. Their clothing caught fire from the fireplace.

THE OREGON HOLOCAUST.

First Reports Not Exaggerated—Every House In the Village a Hospital.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 2.—A letter from Silver Lake gives the number of people burned to death in the fatality of Christmas eve as 40. Fully as many more were injured, some fatally.

Many of those who perished were burned beyond identification. About 200 persons were in the hall altogether. All had met to hold Christmas tree exercises. While presents were being distributed a young man started to go to the door walking on top of the seats. His head struck a large lamp, which began to swing. He caught hold of it to steady it. The lamp began to flash up. Some one knocked it out of his hand and it fell to the floor. Oil was spilled on the floor and the flames started to run along the side and across the rear of the building where was the only outlet to the hall, cutting off all egress. Panic followed, and but little thought was given to the screaming women and children. It was a case of survival of the fittest. A number of persons got out at one of the two windows in the hall, but soon the entire building was enveloped in flames, shutting off all hope of escape for those still in the hall. The fearful calamity has prostrated the whole county. Every house in the village is a hospital and people have come for 100 miles to minister to the injured and inter the dead.

There was nothing left by which to identify the victims and the bones were gathered up and all buried in one grave.

CRAZED OVER POLITICS.

Kills His Wife and Child and Then Sets Fire to His House.

BAY CITY, Mich., Jan. 2.—Daniel T. Tromley, a lumber inspector, 28 years of age, crazed over politics, murdered his wife and child yesterday, set fire to the house and made his escape. The murderer was first discovered by the firemen, who found Mrs. Tromley with her throat cut lying on the bed and burned almost to a crisp. The child had evidently been smothered, as no marks were found upon it. Tromley ran on an independent ticket for county clerk at the last election, canvassing the entire county and making wild speeches. He has been arrested.

Have a Holiday Spree.

PITTSBURG, Kan., Jan. 2.—The six inmates of the city jail escaped Monday by digging through the outside wall of the corridor, went to Litchfield, about four miles away, and spent the night in drinking and celebrating the advent of the new year. Five of them hired a carriage and returned yesterday and demanded admittance to the jail to complete their sentences. They were all pretty drunk and apparently enjoyed the joke they had played upon the officers. Will Nickens, who was awaiting a preliminary examination upon a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, failed to return with the others and is still at large.

To Reduce Wages to 50 Cents a Day.

NITTA YUMA, Miss., Jan. 2.—A movement which seems destined to become popular among planters in Mississippi was inaugurated at a planters' meeting here. Prominent agriculturalists of the delta were present, and resolutions were passed fixing the pay of best male labor at 50 cents per day and the best class of female labor at 40 cents per day. Not more than \$7 per month, with rations, will be paid the best laborers. Clubs will at once be formed throughout the state, having for their motto the reduction of wages.

New Coal Mines.

VICEBROO, Miss., Jan. 2.—Holmes county is excited over the discovery near the Carroll county line of what is certainly a very large bed of lignite, or brown coal. The bed, which is of enormous extent, has been traced into Tippecanoe county and even as far as Duck Hill, while its width in one place is ten miles. So far, though, many borings have been made, the bed has not been pierced and its thickness is consequently unknown.

Not Pleased With Senator Mills.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 2.—A resolution which will be introduced in the next legislature has been framed here requesting Senator Roger Q. Mills to resign his seat in the senate on the grounds that he does not represent Texas, and setting forth that he has refused to endorse Texas men for positions and declined to interest himself in having a national bankrupt law passed.

Mine Pumped Out.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 2.—The Haledon colliery of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company at Duryea, was pumped out yesterday. It was flooded two month's ago by a running stream. The loss to the company was \$50,000 and 800 men are idle, near by when the explosion occurred.

Elected a Speaker.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 2.—Republican members of the legislature last night nominated Representative William D. Gordon of Midland speaker of the house; Senator J. R. McLaughlin of Detroit president pro tem of the senate.

Sick, But Will Look After His Fences.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 2.—United States Senator Carey is confined to his residence with a severe cold but his illness is not considered serious. He will not return to Washington until after the senatorial election by the legislature.

Thurston Is Seized.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 2.—The Republican caucus gave John M. Thurston a unanimous vote for senator. As the legislature is strongly Republican, this nomination is equivalent to an election.

VIOLENT DEATH RECORD

Murders, Accidents and Suicides During 1894 in Chicago.

THERE WERE 142 MURDERS.

List of Crimes and Casualties Occurring Yesterday—Another Hotel Fire, With Three Victims—Sewer Gas Explosion—A Mississippi Man Shot in Breast With Buckshot—Chopped With an Ax.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Three hundred and twelve people killed themselves in Chicago during the year 1894, and 303 were killed within the city limits by railroad accidents. One hundred and eighty-four of the suicides were committed by married persons, 81 were unmarried, four were widows and 16 widowers. One hundred and fifteen deaths were caused by poison; the shooting record follows with 113 cases. Hanging comes next with 40 victims, while drowning succeeds with a list of 18. Of poison used, carbolic acid and morphine appear to have the preference.

The total number of cases handled this year by Coroner McHale and his staff exceeds 1800.

Under the heading "Railroad accidents," 303 in all, 57 of the deaths are shown to be those of the various companies' employees, while 246 are those of passengers and others.

As to nationality, the attention of the coroner has been called to Americans 572 times, Germans are next in order with 307 cases, and the Irish follow with 165. Murders reached the appalling total of 142. The past year has been a very dull one for the coroner as compared with 1893, when the world's fair was in progress, and 2,740 cases were handled, about 50 per cent in excess of the total for 1894. Of these 365 were suicides, as against 312 this year, while the railroad cases for 1893 outstripped the record for the present year by about 40 per cent.

ANOTHER HOTEL FIRE.

Three People Burned—No Guests Were In the House.

LANCASTER, Ky., Jan. 2.—The Miller hotel burned yesterday morning. There were four persons in the house at the time. Edward A. Pascoe and wife, his baby, about two years old, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Masters. The wife only escaped. The fire started in the cellar. The husband assisted his wife to the window and returned to assist his mother-in-law and babe, but was not able to return. No other persons were in the hotel, which had been conducted by Pascoe, and he had made all arrangements to give it up, having moved his furniture out of the building.

Pascoe was 26 years old and came from Nichoalsville, Ky. Mrs. Masters was a widow. The building was a 3-story brick. The fire was of incendiary origin.

Sewer Gas Explosion.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—By the explosion of sewer gas in the basement of Edward Keeley's saloon, at 347 Fifth avenue, yesterday, eight men were injured, several of them seriously. The explosion was caused by the ignition of sewer gas from a candle carried by a porter who had gone into the basement for the purpose of drawing some wine. The explosion was so violent that the front of the saloon was badly shattered and the stone sidewalk thrown into the street. The saloon is under the Lincoln hotel, and for a few minutes a lively panic prevailed among the guests. None of the injured will die, although one is in a very serious condition.

Load of Buckshot In His Breast.

GRENADE, Miss., Jan. 2.—A terrible tragedy occurred at a social entertainment given at Cascilla, a little village in Tallahatchie county. While the fun was at its height a shot rang out and George Sanford fell to the floor mortally wounded with a load of buckshot in his breast. There is a clew, but the name of the suspect will not be divulged until after the coroner's jury investigates. Jealousy is supposed to have been the assassin's motive.

Waylaid and Shot.

MERIDIAN, Miss., Jan. 2.—Last Saturday evening near Kell's store, Kemper county, T. E. Balkman waylaid and shot William Sanford to death with a double barreled shotgun as he was riding along the public road. The assassination is said to be the result of too intimate relations on the part of Sanford with Balkman's daughter.

Perished In the Fire.

LANCASTER, O., Jan. 2.—Two unknown traveling men, and perhaps others, perished in the Miller hotel fire. As the register and all effects were burned when the landlord and family were lost, the names cannot be given. An investigation will be made by the coroner as to who are missing.

Chopped to Pieces With an Ax.

INDIANOLA, Miss., Jan. 2.—Joseph Roundtree murdered his wife by chopping her to pieces with an ax. He then set fire to the house and the woman's body was cremated. He was captured, and there is strong talk of lynching.

Caused by a Glass of Beer.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 2.—At Pratt City last night Paddy Wallace was shot and almost instantly killed by William Blunt. Both were miners and were drinking at the bar when a dispute arose over a small glass of beer.

PROVISIONS FOR NEBRASKA.

Great Interest Being Shown In the Relief Work Throughout the South.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 2.—H. H. Edmunds is in receipt of many telegrams from the south showing great interest in the work of securing a train load of provisions to be shipped to Nebraska. Ex-Governor Northern of Georgia, who has agreed to handle the movement in the central south, is making much progress, while arrangements are now being made by Mr. Edmunds for effective organization in the southwest. Telegrams were received from President Walters of the Atlantic Coast line; President Smith of the Louisville and Nashville, and Receiver Comer of the Central railroad of Georgia promising aid and free transportation over their lines. Manager Lemon soon word that the Postal Telegraph company would handle all messages relating to this subject free.

Out on a Strike.

BRADDOCK, Pa., Jan. 2.—Last night all the ore wheelers at the blast furnaces of the Edgar Thompson steel works, on both the day and night turns, went out on a strike against a reduction in wages. About 600 Slavs are now out. All the furnaces, nine of them, are closed, with the exception of furnace A, which is filled with ferro manganese and which the company will try and keep running, as it would be a very heavy loss to allow it to close with such a precious material in it.

Will Not Assume Role of Train Robber.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 2.—One of the Sanger Bros.' employees has just returned from St. Louis where he met his old friend Frank James. In speaking of the talk that he will appear in a sensational train robbery melodrama, Frank James said: "Tell the people that Frank James is not a wild man. Tell them that he has too much respect for himself and for them to insult their intelligence by going on the stage in the role of a train robber."

Another Old Soldier Gone.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., Jan. 2.—Capt. H. B. Secley died yesterday. He enlisted in the Sixth New York infantry at the opening of the war and was rapidly promoted. He was a member of General Hancock's staff, and in the memorable charge on Pickett's brigade was seriously wounded. He was a prisoner in Libby prison for 20 months.

Postmaster Gone Wrong.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Jan. 2.—J. C. Caldwell, postmaster at a small station in Lincoln county, was brought here yesterday under arrest charged with making false returns of stamp cancellations to the government. Warrants have been issued for several others on the same charge. Inspectors are investigating a number of offices in the territory.

WILL Search the Ruins.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Mayor Wilson has issued an official order for the searching of the ruins of the Delavan House fire. The search began today. Of the 17 people reported missing, there has been only one found so far. It is highly probable that the other 16 are in the ruins.

Ban Against Secret Societies.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—Archbishop Janssen has made official proclamation of the ban against secret orders to be read in all the churches of the archdiocese next Sunday. There are no conditions or reservations mentioned in the brief and direct letter.

Struck a Sleigh.

AUBURN, Jan. 2.—The Lehigh Valley east-bound passenger train from Geneva struck a sleigh a half mile east of Willard, containing Mrs. Hughes, her son and Miss Larkin of Ovid, and all the occupants were killed.

Was Short In His Accounts.

CARSON, Nev., Jan. 2.—J. A. Huntoon, the treasurer of Lyon county, committed suicide at his home in Dayton by shooting himself through the head. He was short over \$5,000 of county money.

One of the Delavan House Victims.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 2.—H. H. Fookes, who had such a narrow escape himself and lost his wife at the Delavan house fire in Albany, arrived here with his wife's remains yesterday.

CONDENSINGS.

The Cuban government has appointed a tariff commission.

A letter received at Boston places the number of slaughtered Armenians at fully 15,000.

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THE COUNTRY does not need a new kind of currency so much as it needs a new kind of brains in control of the business of the government.

THERE is to be a new form of treasury statement, but it will not differ from the old one in the respect of showing a regular monthly democratic deficit.

THE more the currency matter is discussed the plainer the fact becomes that the people do not want any form of paper money which lacks a government guarantee of redemption.

ANOTHER sale of bonds will have to be made within a few weeks, which is to say that there will soon be another addition to the interest-bearing debt because of democratic folly in the management of public affairs.

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His people have feasted on barley, His people have dined upon wheat, His people have fed upon yeast, And corn is piled thick at their feet. God stands a-tiptoe and sees us, Amidst all our plenty in sin. Forgiving, he orders to please us A glorious dessert brought in.

The angels pile plums on our table, Plums that are purple and red. No people in legend or fable With ever such splendor were fed. The arm of the angel outreaches Through fields that are perfumed and broad—

He is piling our lap full of peaches He plucks from the garden of God.

Again his arm is outstretching Lest the spirit of autumn escapes. The arm is gathering and fetching And loading our sideboards with grapes. The red-cheeked apples are rounding Their forms in the autumnal sun, With pears in their bountiful abounding Ere glorious falltide is done.

This is the feast of the splendid That eye to every one comes. Rosy-cheeked apples are blushed With grapes and peaches and plums. Sit down to the linden table, Long, loaded, heaped fully and broad. Come, feast ye as much as ye're able With gifts that are given of God.

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The Poultry Entries Number Nearly Six Hundred—Good Showing.

The entries of the poultry association are closed with a total of 589. This is a very large number and one that is a surprise to many. Considering the fact that there are an abundance of poultry shows in this part of the state, at Rockville, Roachdale, Ladoga, Crawfordsville and other towns, the total at this



A WYANDOTTE.

exhibit is all the more remarkable. The scoring is going on today, and the awards of premiums will be made as soon as possible. There will be a total of twenty ribbons to each breed. The following is a list of what came in last evening:

Forest Ellis, Bainbridge, 5 white Wyndotters, 12 Plymouth Rocks, 6 black Langshans, 10 white Leghorns. S. W. Williams, Danville, Ind., 7 black Langshans, 3 Partridge Cochins. J. S. Marshall,

There is great risk in taking such a heavy company on the road, and few managers care to assume it. Messrs. Burk and Peckham, however, have long held that it could be made to pay, and despite dismal prophecies and forebodings of managers of less nerve, they this season launched Barlow Bros. magnificent minstrels having spared no expense whatsoever in superb mountings, costumes, scenery, mechanical effects, electrical devices and salaries of first-class artists.

The results have surpassed their wildest expectations. The organization has everywhere been greeted by tremendous houses and great enthusiasm. The proprietors have made a fortune out of the venture already. It

Real Estate Transfers.

Isaac M. Day to George M. Ruark, land in Marion, \$2500.

Dan B. Eggers to Elizabeth F. Myers, land in Floyd, \$200.

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Martha A. Jackson to W. A. and L. B. McFadden, land in Bainbridge, \$200.

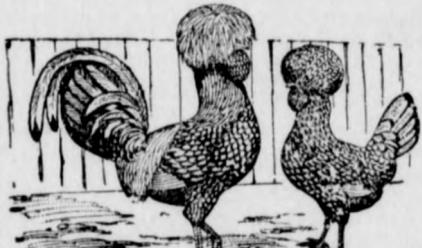
Daniel S. Hurst to Edmund P. Gallup, land in Greencastle, \$200.

Edward P. Gallup to Daniel S. Hurst, land in Madison, \$400.

The Winner.

Our correspondence prize went to our Lena correspondent last week. We will conclude our prize contest in this line this week, and will state that we have a number of the sets of views left. If our correspondents who have not received prizes will call they will each be supplied with the books, as a New Year's present. Please call at once, ladies and gentlemen.

The prizes are going on record and the ribbons are being hung up.



WHITE COCHINS.

Danville, 5 black Langshans. William West, Pecksbury, 10 S. C. brown Leghorns. 7 B. Plymouth Rocks. Collins & Bro., Bainbridge, 3 B. Plymouth Rocks, 5 Buff Cochins, 7 S. L. Wyndotte, 2 white Leghorns, 8 brown Leghorns, 3 Muscovy ducks, 3 Rouen ducks, 2 Pekin ducks. George Lloyd, Morton, 7 B. Plymouth Rocks, 4 Buff Cochins. R. T. Colliver, Roachdale, 16 B. R. games. Thomas E. Tal-

cott, 5 light Brahmans, 11 B. Plymouth Rocks. O. C. Halstead, Rensselaer, 4 light Brahmans. Robt. Glover, Roachdale, 6 black Langshans. A. R. Allison, Bainbridge, 5 black Langshans, 2 Indian games, 5 white Wyndotters. James Summers, Prairie City, 8 Bronze turkeys, 10 black Langshans, 7 light Brahmans, 5 Bantams, 2 Partridge Cochins.

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LIGHT BRAHMAS.

As far as made the BANNER TIMES presents the winners and their stock as follows:

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Cock—J. D. Torr, 1st; Thomas E. Talbot, 2nd; J. D. Torr, 3rd; Broadstreet & Allee, 4th.

Hen—Broadstreet & Allee, 1st; J. D. Torr, 2nd; Broadstreet & Allee, 3rd; James Summers, 4th.

Cockerel—O. C. Halstead, 1st; James Summers, 2nd; J. D. Torr, 3rd; O. C. Halstead, 4th.

Pullets—James Summers, 1st;

Broadstreet & Allee, 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Breeding pen—J. D. Torr, 1st; Broadstreet & Allee 1st on young breeding pen.

BLACK LANGSHANS.

Cock—Robert Glover, 1st.

Hen—Jas. Summers, 1st, 2nd and 3d; W. A. Craver, 4th.

Cockerel—Jas. Summers, 1st; Allee & Swahlen, 2nd; Chas. Arnold, 3rd; A. R. Allison, 4th.

Pullet—James Summers, all four prizes.

Breeding pen—James Summers, 1st; A. R. Allison, 2nd.

The show will be open each evening until ten o'clock. The hall is well lighted and additional lights are being put in.

COUNTY NEWS NOTES

OUR LOCAL MEN OF THE SURROUNDING TOWNS TALK.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS FROM MANY PLACES WITHIN PUTNAM'S BOUNDARIES—THE COUNTRY PEOPLE'S SPECIAL COLUMN OF SHORT ITEMS OF NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

MORTON.

The Christmas tree at Union Chapel was a success financially, about \$24 being left for the Sunday school. The committee who carried the program ought to be thanked instead of being criticised, as some fanatical person has been doing. We should say to that brother, study your Bible with the spirit of understanding to learn more about Christ and not so much for argument. Then the scale will fall from your eyes. May God in his pity and infinite love stop you and cause you to see your error is the prayer of your heathen friends, as you call them, regardless of consequences.

Ollie Allen moved near Fincastle Monday.

E. E. Grimes is confined to the house with a severe case of tonsillitis.

Rev. Raum preached at Union Chapel last Sunday morning.

Joe Clay and family, Charley Gibson and family, of North Salem, spent Christmas with relatives here.

Sam Ratcliff and wife visited friends here last week.

Coburn Butcher and wife have gone to housekeeping on the old homestead. May they have a long, happy life is the wish of their many friends.

E. E. Barnaby was hustling around here last week buying timber.

The young people had an oyster supper at Ollie Allen's on last Saturday night.

E. L. Day and wife, of Raccoon, visited friends near here this week.

PUTNAMVILLE.

Emmons Stokes has returned from a holiday visit at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Stokes and Mrs. Wills were at Belle Union last week.

Misses Bridges and Williams have been taking the holidays at North Salem.

Ezra Lewis is hauling Walnut logs to R. H. Bowen's saw mill.

The ice harvest is near at hand.

Mrs. John Woodall has been quite sick but is some better.

JOHN Q. DUNN.

CARPENTERSVILLE.

Rev. Williams continues to hold meetings at the M. E. church. The meetings have not yet become interesting up to this time, however. He has preached some excellent sermons.

Mr. M. A. Pickel has gone to Ellitsville to run Mr. Bayne's mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson went to Indianapolis last week, and have not returned yet.

G. W. Pickel and family, of Bainbridge, spent Christmas with relatives here.

A. H. Pickel and family ate turkey dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hillis on Christmas.

Mr. August Anderson and wife visited Hans Anderson and wife over Sunday.

A. H. Pickel, wife and daughter and son-in-law, F. A. Hillis, took dinner with J. A. Pickel and wife Sunday.

Mort McFerran has bought the Wild Gillen forty acres of land. He gave \$45 per acre, and will move there March 1st and go to farming.

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Ortustison and wife, of Illinois, are expected here this week to stay some time.

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But he gives a STAR BREAD BOX with every \$20 worth of bread bought of him at retail.

GET A CARD.

ELECTION NOTICE.

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GREENCASTLE, Indiana, Dec. 1894.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of
this bank for the election of nine directors
for the ensuing year will be held at their bank
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tween the hours of one and four o'clock of
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THE LOCAL FIELD

What is Going on in and About Fair Greencastle.

LATEST CITY HAPS AND MISHAPS.

Where Our People are Going and Where Their Guests are Stopping—News of Interest Over the City—The Best Column in the Paper for Quick Reading.

DON'T THINK

Of leaving the city, even for a short time, without ordering the Daily BANNER TIMES to follow you. It costs you but 10 cents a week as it does here at home, and the address will be changed as often as you desire.

Snow today from the northeast. Bishop Bowman, of St. Louis, is here.

F. N. Hunton is rebuilding his photograph gallery.

John M. Allen went to North Manchester at noon.

Miss Clara Zanes returned to Reelsville this morning.

The trustees of DePauw university are in session today.

Misses Allie and Kate Friend are at home from Bloomington.

Mr. H. S. Noe, of Chicago, is visiting William E. Smyser.

Dora Chadd and Nora V. Buis have been licensed to marry.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Daily, of Bluffton, are in the city today.

Miss Schmidt, of Indianapolis, is visiting Chas. Luetke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fisk returned to Richmond this morning.

C. A. Kurtz, representing the Indiana Farmer, is attending the poultry show.

Miss Reka Miller, who has been spending holidays in Cloverdale, returned home today.

Mrs. C. W. Daggy and daughter Florence are visiting the family of T. G. Bowman in St. Louis.

Mr. Moore, of Moore Bros., lumber dealers, Mattoon, Ill., is visiting Capt. Chaffee and family.

The revival meetings at Lenoir have closed after a very interesting series, with sixteen accessions.

Mrs. Jennie Shaw returned to Ladoga at noon after a few days' visit with Jud. Scott. and family.

Rev. U. G. Leazenby officiated today at the funeral of Mrs. Etter, who died at Manhattan yesterday.

Recorder D. S. Hurst has traded his Greencastle property to E. P. Gallup, of Madison township, for a

farm. Mr. Hurst will move there when he retires from office.

Marion Garrison, of Fort Branch, who has been visiting his sister, Miss Emma, returned home today.

John Cannon and Win Braskett, who have been visiting friends in the city, returned to Anderson today.

Miss Allie Friend, of this city, stenographer for C. R. Worrall, of Bloomington, has accepted a position at Elwood.

D. B. Coates is night man at the Big Four, having taken the place of Mr. Mathers, who went to Shelbyville, Ill., today.

Mrs. E. R. Tingley is at home after several weeks' absence in St. Louis and Chicago visiting relatives and friends.

Paper is going up today for Barlow's minstrels, which will visit the Hanemann opera house on Tuesday evening, January 6.

J. C. Albin has purchased from Granville and Campbell Peck a car load of hogs averaging 307 pounds at 4½ cents, all fine stock.

John P. Hillis went to Urbana, Ohio, to do revival work. He joins J. W. Chapman, who has been holding meetings at Indianapolis.

The Vandalia had the following passengers for Indianapolis this morning: T. T. Moore, H. H. Hillis, E. Shipley and son, and Mrs. H. M. Smith.

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Letter List.

The following letters remain in the Greencastle postoffice uncalled for Jan. 2, 1895:

James Umphries, James Redliff, Miss Gertrude C. C., C. N. Ware, Miss Harriet M. McCoy, Miss Ione McCoy, Miss Lutitia Talbot, Jo & C. H. Lane, Miss Bulah Swope, Mr. Chas. Cote.

In calling for same please say "advised."

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NEW YEARS IN SOCIETY.

Tuesday's Social Events Outdo Receptions of Former Years.

Yesterday was a gay one in society and if the old saying of "what you do the first day in the year you will keep up all year" proves true the ladies of the city have a big contract ahead of them in the year of our Lord 1895. The twelve-month was bowed in with social functions and good wishes galore and the gatherings were successes in their several ways.

At the residence of Mrs. Mary Ames 505 east Washington street, Misses Genevieve Ames, Rose and Hattie Joslin, Lillian Southard and Ella Beckwith kept open house.

The parlors and dining room were festooned with holly and decorated in red, antique candles being lighted, the combined effect being very beautiful. The well known reputation of this quintette of Greencastle ladies for delightful entertainment brought forth a general response to their invitation extended through the BANNER TIMES, and their function was marked by a crush during the hours from three to six. Elderly people as well as young attended and the success of the event was evident in the hearty good cheer and well wishes for a happy New Year. Light refreshments were served. The day was a success with the above named ladies.

At the residence of Col. C. C. Matson 523 east Anderson street, a beautiful "open house" was kept, its hospitality and entertainment being in the hands of a bevy of as beautiful and charming society buds as ever observed the pleasant social custom of January 1. Misses Matson, Morris, Frances and Ethel Arnold, Bridges, Swahien, Joslin, Daggy, Arta and Nona Smythe, Smyser, Barnaby and Williamson were the young hostesses. Their surroundings were handsome decorations, tuneful music, good cheer and hearty happy wishes that made their guests ooz and all enjoy the occasion to its fullest extent. Light refreshments were served and a large guest list flowed through the brilliant rooms during the three set hours.

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FRUIT AND FLOWERS

CINERARIAS AND CALCEOLARIAS.

In the Cold Greenhouse and Conservatory.

Hints Concerning Their Culture.

The cineraria is eminently well suited for the decoration of the cool greenhouse and conservatory, its bright and gorgeous colors arresting the attention at once. There are very few individual plants of any kind of equal size that compare with it for a blaze of showiness. But for a house plant it is a very indifferent subject. The gas and heat of the dwelling house will destroy it in a very short time. However, where there is a large bay window or a similar structure attached to a dwelling house in which plants are kept the cineraria will do well. For cutting purposes it is not well adapted on account of the flower spikes being stiff and formal, and also because it wilts quickly in warm rooms.

The best strains are naturally stocky and as a rule will form shapely plants without much training on the part of the cultivator. The proper night temperature in winter ranges from 40 to 45 degrees, and on bright sunny days from 55 to 60 degrees, with an abundance of air whenever the weather permits.

Cinerarias are gross feeders and will take an abundance of plant food after the pots are well filled with roots. If given once or twice a week, it will not by any means hurt them, provided it is not too strong and the weather is bright.

A paper read before the Massachusetts Horticultural society Mr. Finlayson said that he had experienced the most satisfactory results with guano or guano and soot mixed half and half. The soot tends to intensify the color. He takes as much guano as he can grasp conveniently in the hand, which is equivalent to two heaping tablespoonsfuls, dissolves it in six gallons of water and waters the plants with it at that strength. This rule holds good with the soot and guano. Cow manure liquid is very good as a stimulant and can be used freely. A teaspoonful is sufficient at one time to surface a ten or twelve inch pot. It is better to repeat oftener than to give too large a dose at once.

The cultural treatment of calceolarias is similar to that of cineraria. They are even more impatient of high temperatures than the cineraria. They require the coolest and shadiest position to germinate freely. They are also more sensitive to bright sunlight and must therefore be well shaded during sunny weather. They must always, whether in frames or greenhouses, be kept close to the glass to encourage a sturdy and stocky growth.

Mayflower Chrysanthemums.

The Mayflower is one of the many new chrysanthemums that have delighted growers during the season just passed. It is an immense flower, but of most graceful form. A New Jersey



ONE OF THE BEST NOVELTIES.

florist of repute describes it as "massive in general build, but not formal, and all things considered it is one of the best novelties of the season."

It is good for either bench growing or for pots. Its average height is 2 1/2 to 3 feet, and it has fine handsome foliage close up to the flower. The flowers are of a pure soft white color. The crown buds make the best flowers.

Viticulture In This Country.

Viticulture in this country represents only about one-twentieth of the product of France or Italy. France leads in quantity produced and Italy in area of vineyards. The vintage of 1875 was the greatest ever known in France, the product exceeding 1,800,000,000 gallons, although fiercely attacked by the phylloxera. The yield declined rapidly and has not risen to 700,000,000 in many years, yet rose last year to 1,125,000,000 gallons. A recent statistical statement credits Europe with about 23,000,000 acres in vineyards, and all other parts of the world with 1,000,000 acres—a very round and doubtless uncertain estimate. The total area of Italian vineyards is placed at 8,666,000 acres. The larger part of the product of the United States is on the Pacific coast, where alone the European vines will grow. On the Atlantic coast, according to Country Gentleman, by far the greatest portion of the product comes from the vineyards of western New York.

When to Transplant Conifers.

Robert Douglas tells in Garden and Forest that he is satisfied by long experience that the safest period for transplanting conifers is that from the time when the ground is settled in spring until the tree begins to make new growth.

Jackson Dawson in the same exchange says that when trees are to be transported a long distance it is safer and better to plant them as soon as the ground begins to get warm in spring. Where the plants are close at hand or need to be carried comparatively short distances and can be handled at once when they arrive, from the last week in August to the middle of September is an equally safe time, especially if a light mulch can be put around the roots at the approach of freezing weather.

PRESENTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

An Endless Variety Awaits Generous Buyers—What These Gifts Cost.

As the holidays approach the buyer of gifts has this one question in her mind: What presents shall I buy and how much money will they cost? So when shopping is to be done for the elderly man or woman what is better than a good martin silk umbrella, in which black silk, with natural stick tipped with silver, can be purchased for the sum of \$10.50 to \$12? If this is too expensive, then a lighter one can be procured with natural handle for the low price of \$3 to \$5 or a red silk one with cover and tassel for \$4.95.

For a lady's desk there is a new cut glass stamp moistener, long and narrow, with silver top, in which a fine sponge at the opening serves as a brush. This dainty affair can be bought for \$7.50.

Gold plated pen, with mother of pearl handle, at the small cost of \$1.65 to \$1.75, and any number of silver ones for \$1.50.

Of fancy note paper there are boxes ad libitum. English cream linen at 30 cents a quire, with envelopes. The "Post Boy" is much in vogue this season, an excellent papeterie, well boxed in cream white, tied with white ribbon, at 36 cents. A charming souvenir of the great day.

Then there are the new reading glasses, with silver handles and outer silver rim, in which a slight decoration is given. They range in price from \$3.75 to \$6.75.

For my lady's boudoir there are endless moussoir cases, in which pink and yellow chiffon does excellent duty as outside puffs, the center being of thin totting cloth, of which figures in gay attire are the scheme. They are of fair size and range in price from \$7 to \$11, according to decoration. Bonbon boxes of gilt, embossed with fine enamel, exquisite in design, at the low price of \$3.50. Then there is the new departure, the cornucopia bonbon box of Dresden china. At the top of these flowery novelties there is a silk bay, with tassels. At its back is a hole for hanging against the wall. This device is \$3.50, and well worth it.

Pin trays there are of Turkish brass which range in price from 50 cents to \$4.

For the ambitious homemaker there are endless designs in pottery, the Doulton ware taking the lead this season.

Small teapots at 80 cents, sugars at 75 cents and pitchers at 45 cents.

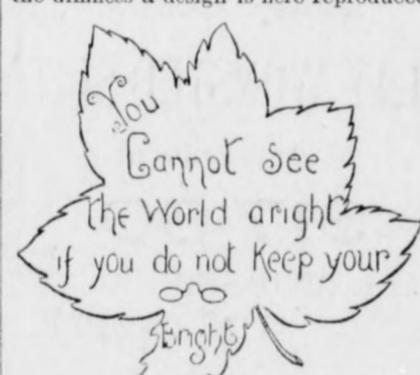
All rich in shades of browns, with cream decorations of figures and flowers. Some good size water jugs, with admirable mottoes: "Welcome, the Best Cheer," "Better Must Be the Cup That a Smile Will Sweeten." Any of these quaint pieces at the reasonable sum of \$1.60 to \$2. Oatmeal sets for the little ones in all kinds of flower decorations from 56 cents to \$1.

The town or country hall the new umbrella jugs are wonderful in beauty, particularly those of equal shape, in blue and white, the edges in rococo style and at a value of \$20. Of the newest, the Trenton ware takes the lead, made like a huge china pocket, which sets against the wall, in colors and design of the chrysanthemums, set off by an abundance of gilt. For window sills jardinières of Brethy ware, in grays, browns and yellows, can be bought from \$5 to \$6, and so the endless variety is at every hand for the generous buyer.

MRS. OLIVER BELL BUNCE.

Eyeglass Cleaner.
You cannot see the world aright
If you do not keep your glasses bright.

This legend can be proved by those who are obliged to use them. So to correct the dimness a design is here reproduced



CONVENIENT EYEGLASS CLEANER.

from the New York Tribune for a convenient little eyeglass cleaner that will be within the reach of all.

It is made of three leaves of soft chamois skin tied together with a bit of narrow yellow ribbon. The upper leaf has the lettering done in liquid gilt. The edge is also outlined with the gilt.

Household Brevities.

Clean hard finished walls with ammonia water.

Rub whitewash spots with strong vinegar.

Rub soft grease over tar and then wash in warm soda water.

Straw matting is best cleaned with a cloth wet with salt water. Wipe dry.

If the drain to an iron sink becomes clogged with grease, have recourse to potash.

Grape fruit is more popular year by year, and it is recommended by physicians as better as a breakfast fruit than the orange.

Two or three spoonfuls of kerosene in a pail of water greatly lessen the work of washing windows and mirrors.

When threading a needle in a dim light, hold in such a way as to outline a white thread against your dark gown. If using dark thread, the hand or anything white makes a helpful background.

Darn thin places in blankets as you would stockings.

Oilcloth may be improved in appearance by rubbing it with a mixture of a half ounce of beeswax in a saucerful of turpentine. Set this in a warm place until they can be thoroughly mixed. Apply with a flannel cloth and then rub with a dry flannel.

HATS AND BONNETS.

FLOWERS AND FEATHERS, LACE AND FUR TRIM THEM.

Everything In Hats Between the Majestic Picture Hat and the Toque Is Worn. Bonnets Are Equally Fashionable—for Evening Wear Small Bonnets Rule.

Only a very pretty woman can afford to wear an unbecoming hat, and as pretty women are in the minority the advice is given, "Look well after your head, and the rest will take care of itself." Frenchwomen depend on the dressing of the extremities for their success. Given a good hat, gloves and shoes, the dress becomes a secondary consideration. Never select a hat be-



ONE OF THE NEW HATS.

cause it pleases you when seen on the milliner's block or in your hand.

Await judgment until it has been placed upon the head that is to wear it. A large hat viewed from the showcase is an altogether beautiful object, with its brim full of undulations and wayward curves and its nodding feathers, but the type of women for which these hats were originally created back a couple of centuries ago had a profile and a presence. Short women, therefore, with noses that have deteriorated from the pure Grecian, if wise, will pass these majestic picture hats by to make their purchases from cases exhibiting toques, sailors, garland and other forms of headgear better adapted to their special requirements.

A great deal has been written and said concerning the extravagant freaks of fashion in respect to the bonnet à la mode for the season of 1894-5. As a matter of fact, however, the outré styles are created by the second rate American milliner, who gets her ideas from Paris and then proceeds to exaggerate them until Paris would blush at the soft impeachment if she could but hear it. The genuine French and best domestic hats are neither outré nor extravagant.

The crude coloring and hard materials of last season have given way to softer tones of velvet, of which many of the new hats are composed. A hat that shows one of the most recent developments of the picture hat is black, with an admixture of the new shades of pinky reds. There is an abundance of ostrich plumes, as indeed in all the new models they are introduced with a most liberal hand, but the shape is quite different from any that have been worn in previous seasons. The front curves upward from the face, and it is shallow at the sides. Those who understand the laws regarding the configuration of the head and what best suits those with large, small or uncommonly developed craniums will recognize the merits of this particular shape.

A pretty toque has its crown covered with jet stars and encircled with bands of black velvet. Green and pink satin ribbons are arranged in loops at the sides and bows at the back. There are jet ornaments between the loops and a black osprey at one side. A new bonnet seen has a full crown of cerise velvet, a jet coronet and ornaments. There are black satin bows and strings. An additional trimming is a black feather pompon, with a black osprey in the center.

Rhinestone crowns that glitter like diamonds and in wide open designs, showing the hair beneath, are on very elaborate bonnets and hats that have narrow brims made up of black satin and velvet baby ribbon plaited together. Pink roses without foliage, set about singly, giving the effect of roses, are the trimming, to which white aigrettes are added. Wired loops of black velvet stand high at the back. Braided strips of felt and satin are used on the small

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Fashion Echoes.

Fur boas and muffs decorated with cream lace and violets are an evident fancy of fashion.

Young women appear in very large hats with upstanding bows of velvet and feathers, which give them a flyaway sort of appearance, and their hair is wavy and fluffy down over their ears.

Many black dresses are seen, but most of them have either white or colored waists, elaborately trimmed.

Street dresses are mostly tailor made, of smooth cloths, mixed tweeds and rough wool fabrics of every description, and built in the coat and skirt style.

Plain wool dresses trimmed with bands of fur and velvet are worn.

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