

LOCAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

What Greencastle People and Their Friends Are Doing

Harvey Monett, of Bainbridge, was in the city today.

P. C. Hill made a business trip to Cloverdale this morning.

Miss Grace Oakley was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Gildewell last night.

Miss Eva Wright is visiting friends and relatives in the city this week.

James Branson, of Roachdale, transacted business in the city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gillen, of Roachdale, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gillen.

The Boston Club will meet with Miss Gilding, Friday evening promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

The Smeria Club will meet with Mrs. Robert Hamrick at her home on north Jackson street on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McWhirter, of Indianapolis, are here packing some household goods on south Indiana street for shipment to their home in Indianapolis.

J. T. Edwards, Robert Britton, Otis Browning, T. D. Brookshire, and Talbot Sutherland were among those from Roachdale who spent the day in the city.

The limited car was run on trial yesterday afternoon on the traction line. The car was in charge of Joe Wyatt, formerly of this city, with Guy Dearth, as motorman. It is of the newest type and modern improvement.

William Gildewell has returned home from Medaryville.

A. E. Crawley transacted business in Indianapolis yesterday.

J. L. Hamilton transacted business in Danville the first of the week.

R. K. Severns, of Indianapolis, visited Dr. Trueblood's family yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Carter, of Bainbridge, was in the city this morning.

Mrs. Mary Day has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Beckelheimer, of Roachdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Yant and daughter, Alice, of Brazil called on Dr. Bence this morning.

Mrs. A. H. Lockridge has as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. Dr. Passfield, of Springfield, Ill.

The "Oracles" will meet at their hall this evening at 7:15. Important business will be transacted.

The union "Week of Prayer" service tonight at 7:30 o'clock will be held in the College Avenue church.

Mrs. Amanda Webster, who has been in Carbon for the past three weeks, spent today in the city while en route to her home in Ladoga.

An Italian laborer on the Vandalla, by the name of Peter John, was struck by a Vandalla switch engine yesterday morning while working on the tracks near Brazil. His collar bone was fractured and also received several bruises on the body.

A. E. Harris of the Central Trust Co., is home from Covington where he went to attend the trial of an ex-treasurer of the county. Mr. Harris was a witness in the case. The ex-treasurer was charged with a shortage of several thousand dollars. The result of his trial was that he proved that instead of being short in his accounts the county owed him several hundred dollars. Mr. Harris was a witness for the defence.

H. C. Elliott, of Salem, was in the city today.

Fred Rice, of Roachdale, was in the city this afternoon.

Miss Emma Koehler, of Brazil, was in the city this morning to take her music lesson.

James Bymaster and Wilbur Miller were transacting business in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. J. G. Phillis, of Bedford, spent a few hours with Miss Julia Drury today. Mrs. Phipps graduated from the university with the class of '96.

Fourteen foreigners came into the city this morning from Brazil and left on No. 20 on the Vandalla for Philadelphia. They have been working on the Vandalla near Brazil.

Misses Bessie McDonald and Kate Crawford, both of Crawfordsville, have left the city after attending the Calumet dance. Miss Bessie returned home and Miss Kate will visit in Indianapolis before her return.

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***** DEPAUW UNIVERSITY NOTES *****

Charles Loyd is visiting college friends.

Claude Overman of Marion is pledged Beta.

Clyde Martin, '05, is the guest of Beta brothers.

"Doe" Anderson has registered for this term's work.

Miss Lillian Barret is again enrolled for college work.

Miss Bernice Church will not be back for the mid-term.

Curtis Matthews visited Sigma Nu brothers over Sunday.

Miss Osa Walker has re-entered school for the mid-term.

Miss Cleo Ferguson will not be in school during this term.

Guy Richard Kinsley has been in Lafayette for a day or two.

Miss Cora Gauger will remain out of school until the spring term.

Miss May Lambert of Anderson is here for the middle term's work.

Fred Pyke, '06, is in Greencastle visiting home folks and college friends.

Walter Eden has returned to school, having been out during the fall term.

Clyde Ryan of Winchester, has been the guest of his cousin, Miss Bernice Caldwell.

Allen Blackridge came in last evening, being detained at home on account of illness.

Bruce Collier of Cloverdale has entered school to be with his sister, Miss Grace Collier.

Miss Helen Lathrop will not be in school this term on account of the ill health of her mother.

Edwin Moore of New Albany and Frances Moore of Rushville, are wearing Phi Delta colors.

Arthur Shittick, '06, who is teaching in South Dakota, visited Phi Gamma brothers during the holidays.

Arthur Cornell of Pawpaw, Ill., is back in school. Mr. Cornell has been in the Government Forestry Service on a California reserve.

Miss Hazel McCoy and Mabel Allen were initiated into Alpha Omicron Pi Monday night. A six o'clock dinner was given in their honor.

Mrs. Barnes, the mother of Prof. Barnes, died at her home in Newburg, N. Y., on December 22. Mrs. Barnes had not been well for some time, but not seriously ill, until a short time before her death. Prof. Barnes was able to be with his mother during her sickness.

Rank Foolishness.

"When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the King of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at The Owl Drug Store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

HAS MADE BIG IMPROVEMENT

The winning oration in the State contest, "New Crusade for Democracy," to be delivered by DePauw's representative, Chester Jewett, is in the hands of the printer for final publication. Mr. Jewett returned shortly after Christmas to work on his oration with Prof. Gough. Many corrections, and additions were made to the speech as delivered in the local contest, and there is no doubt that it will receive three firsts from the judges on delivery.

Mr. Jewett made a reputation as an orator in High School. His first appearance on the Old Gold platform was last spring in the Peace contest, coming next to Paul Smith, the winner of the Interstate in the local contest. In his course in Forensics last year under Prof. Brumbaugh, he was conceded to be one of the best in an unusually able class of speakers.

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***** BLOWVILLE *****

We are having nice winter weather now.

Dave Scott is no better at this writing.

Mrs. Emilene McCamack is critically ill.

The protracted meeting has begun at the Union Valley church.

Miss Bonnie and Delpha Pritchard attended meeting at Mt. Meridian Sunday night.

Wm. Taber and wife visited the latter's parents Sunday.

Howard Shake and wife visited in Morgan county Saturday night and Sunday.

Joe Cochenour has started his buckster wagon again.

Is McCamack and Wm. Taber made a business trip to Cloverdale Monday.

S. McCamack has bought a lot in Cloverdale.

Robert Terry and wife visited at Joe Cochenours Saturday night.

S. McCamack had a colt to get founded last week.

***** PINCASTLE *****

Mrs. B. K. Walsh rented her farm last week to John Wright, of near Ladoga.

Born to George McMurtrey and wife on the third a daughter.

Flora Hennon, of Roachdale, is spending the week with Louis McGaughey and family, Clay Cooper and family and Clay Bridges and family.

T. L. Grider, who has been quite sick is improving.

Dr. Logan Stanley, of Roachdale, was called on Sunday to see Mrs. Jane Harris, who was quite sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Bridges.

Will Johnsons and Len Ratcliff, of

Kansas, visited relatives here last week. Mr. Ratcliff went to Monon to join his wife, who is caring for her brother, George Harvey.

Mrs. J. C. Williams assisted her daughter, Mrs. Burnside, to move from Russellville to Waveland last week.

Mabel Cooper left on Tuesday for DePauw, where she will continue her work in music.

Miss Okie Witt spent Tuesday night with Flora Hennon at Louis McGaugheys.

***** Consider the Birds of the Air. *****

An eminent ornithologist calls attention to the fact that a crane can travel through the air a thousand miles a day without dapping its wings, but by merely keeping them stretched and adjusted to the prevailing breezes. A hawk can stay in the air for days and weeks, moving with its wings motionless. It is the same with the gulls and numerous other winged creatures. In studying the science of aerostatics consider the birds of the air.—Boston Herald.

***** Bitter Revenge. *****

Tommy Flagg—Sister's beau kicked my dog yesterday, but I got even with him, you bet. Johnny Briggs—How? Tommy Flagg—I mixed quinine with her face powder.—Indianapolis Journal.

***** His Scheme. *****

Snoggs—My daughter is going to marry young Scroggs. Boggs—Why, I thought you hated him. Snoggs—I do. This is a scheme of mine to have my wife become his mother-in-law.—Cleveland Leader.

Hear one side and you will be in the dark. Hear both sides and all will be clear.—Halliburton.

***** OUR WANT COLUMN *****

Found—Childs white fur. Owner may have by calling at the home of Mrs. Sprinkle, 614 and paying for this advertisement. 2144

For Rent—Furnished and unfurnished rooms for rent. All modern conveniences. Terms reasonable. It will pay you to investigate. Also small house for rent \$7 per month. Near public square. Phone 457 or call at 9 west Poplar.

Boy Wanted—Boy wanted to learn the printers trade. Apply at this office.

***** The Buyers' Guide *****

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***** MAKING A COAT. *****

Thirty-nine Distinct Varieties of Work by as Many Men.

According to the United States bureau of labor, the old saw "It takes nine tailors to make a man" is filled with misinformation, for in reality, the bureau finds, it takes thirty-nine men of different trades just to make a coat under the present system of shop manufacture, for the day when one tailor measured the customer, cut out the cloth and, with his apprentices, shaped it into a finished and pressed garment has practically passed. Today all one tailor may do through his entire life is to mark the place where buttons are to be sewed on. Another man never marks places for buttons. His specialty is to mark buttonholes. A third man spends the long day in sewing on buttons, a fourth in making buttonholes. Men who sew sleeves do not make armholes. The armhole men give place to shoulder shapers, and these last do not touch collars, which are a distinct specialty. Even the men who manipulate the tailor's goose are divided into pressers of seams, edges, linings, sleeves and coat pressers. The basters stick to one distinct specialty of basting, and a separate functionary, the basting puller, undoes their work. Even the coat strap is a separate province. So that when the coat is finished it represents thirty-nine distinct varieties of work by as many men. And when a man finally puts on the coat he is wearing the product of 312 fingers and seventy-eight thumbs, not counting the digits of those who sheared the sheep, wove the cloth, dyed it, finished it, shipped it and cut it nor the ink stained clerical hands which kept a book record of all the processes. Probably from sheep to wearer the coat was handled by at least 3,000 fingers.—New York Tribune.

***** Elephant Police. *****

The sight of six pairs of elephants simultaneously at work capturing a half dozen struggling, trumpeting mates is an imposing one. Like a pair of animal policemen arresting a prisoner, the great beasts slide alongside a victim, take him between them and jostle and squeeze and worry him, tail first, toward a tree. Every inch is contested by the herculean fighters until bearing a stout tree or stump the little brown elephant catchers slide from their mounts to the ground, crawl under the ponderous bellies and shuffling. Kicking feet, slip cable slings about a hind foot and take a turn around a tree.—Strand Magazine.

***** Brilliant Idea. *****

"I can't understand," said the stranger, "since the monument is perfectly cylindrical in form, why they put in square railing around it."

"Perhaps," replied the native, "they didn't have enough railing to go round."—Philadelphia Press.

***** Facts are God's arguments. *****

We should be careful never to misunderstand or pervert them.—Edwards.

***** Nothing is so new as what has long been forgotten. *****

***** GOT HIS SHIRTS. *****

Comical Prank a Princeton Student Played Upon a Tutor.

In "Princeton—Old and New," by James W. Alexander, is the following story:

"The mode of life was simpler in those days than now, but the same humor which still makes collegians so comic effervesced in the old days. When, for example, William Pennington, son of a former governor of New Jersey and himself afterward speaker of the national house of representatives, roomed next door to Senior Tutor Topping it was the custom for each man to hang on the outside knob of his door the bag containing his soiled clothes for the laundry.

"Pennington stuffed his own skirts one day in Tutor Topping's bag and waited for the day when the clean linen was returned and laid out on Topping's bed. Then, knowing that two of the younger tutors were in Topping's room, Pennington knocked at his door. On entering he put on an embarrassed air, as if hesitating to speak in the presence of the other tutors.

"Topping in a lofty way said: 'These gentlemen are my friends. I have no secrets from them. Say what you wish.' Pennington still hemmed and hawed, but again urged to speak, blurted out: 'It is not my fault, Mr. Topping. I did not want to say anything about it now, but as you insist I must ask you to please return the skirts I lent you, as I am in need of them.'

"Topping's rage and horror at being thus addressed before the younger tutors, who looked up to him as a Magnus Apollo, may well be imagined. He began to upbraid Pennington, who interrupted him by saying: 'It's no use, Mr. Topping, trying to deny the fact. I see the skirts there on the bed with your own things.' The tutor stood agast, but Pennington stepped to the bed and picked out his own shirts, marked with his name."

***** ST. LOUIS' GOLD MINE. *****

Traces of the Metal Once Found Within the City Limits.

St. Louis has never been known as a gold mining center, but there was once a gold mine within the limits of the city, and, what is more, it yielded gold, which is more than a great many gold mines in the Rockies have done.

In the sixties of the last century there was a well dug on a hill just east of Carondelet park, and the well diggers, noticing some bright, sparkling yellow particles in the clay at the bottom, did a little washing on their own account and found several grains of gold in the pan. The news soon got abroad, and two ex-miners from the west who were living in the neighborhood quickly got the idea that there was money to be made in St. Louis gold mining, so they sank a shaft not far from the well, fully expecting rich returns from their work. They did actually find gold, but in quantities so small that they estimated a yield of about 15 cents per ton of clay, so they filled up the hole and gave up the undertaking at that place as a bad job.

But they had all the miner's enthusiasm, and the fact that they found gold at all merely stimulated their zeal to try in another place, so they went to the side of a hill where the Glaze creek had washed away the earth and made a clay precipice. They dug a hole there, where they also found traces of the precious metal, but in no greater quantities than before. Then they went up the creek about a quarter of a mile and sank another shaft, with no better result. They spent the whole spring and summer digging holes around in the neighborhood of the park, but the only benefit they realized from their work was the sobriquet "two lunatics," and people laughed at them so much that both left and went back west, where digging holes in the search for gold was taken more seriously than in St. Louis.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

***** Theater Seats. *****

The seats were in the orchestra on the theater's left. "The left side of the house always sells out first," said the box office man. "Everybody seems to prefer it to the right. I don't know why. Boxes especially—we can sell two left to one right box every time. Nobody takes the right side for choice. And there is no reason for this. As much goes on in the right extremity of the stage as in the left—we proprietors always look after that—and you see just as much from the right as from the left side. Why, then, is the left side always at a premium?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

***** The Name Bismarck. *****

Few people know how Bismarck and his ancestors got their name. Bismarck is the name of one of those ancient castles a short distance from Stendal, on the road from Cologne to Berlin, in the center of the old mark of Brandenburg. The castle had this name because it defended the "marca," or the line where the river Elbe formed a boundary in former times or mark of defense against intruders; hence the name of Bismarck.

***** When Greek Meets Greek. *****

"Gracious, my dear," said the first society belle, "I do hope you're not ill; you look so much older tonight."

"I'm quite well, thank you, dear," replied the other. "And you—how wonderfully improved you are! You look positively young."—Philadelphia Press.

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