

News From Surrounding Towns

MILTON, IND.

MILTON, Ind., Jan. 9.—Miss Edna Hubbell returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lowry, at Cadiz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries had as their guests, yesterday, the Rev. and Mrs. Frank P. Morris, of New Castle.

The following constitute the newly elected officers of the M. E. Sunday school. Supt., W. L. Parkins; Asst. Supt., G. A. Borders; Sec., and Asst. Sec., Miss Lillian DuGranut and Miss Violet Murley; Treas., Mrs. Vene Beeson; Missionary Treas., Miss Cora Brown; organist and assistant, Miss Florence Daniels and Mrs. Wesley Newton Libarians.

Mrs. Mercer of New Lisbon was the guest of Mrs. H. D. Huddleston, yesterday.

C. J. Morris was at his sister's-in-law Mrs. Frank Morris, of Cambridge City yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Wagner had as their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson of Doddridge.

The Rev. Scott Hyde, of Chicago, will lecture on Jean Valjean, at the M. E. church, Thursday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Hyde is known to the people here and his powers of oratory and his gifted mind are well known to all. This speaks for the lecture.

Mrs. Lucinda Ferguson was a Cambridge City visitor and shopper, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lowry writes from Carney, Alabama, that they arrived there safely and are enjoying their trip South.

George Wagner left yesterday for Purdue to attend this week's lectures and will remain two or three months to attend the agricultural school.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sills are both very feeble.

The young people are enjoying the ice on the river this weather.

O. H. Beeson states that his thermometer registered 21 degrees, Sunday morning below zero. It stood at 6 degrees below all day.

Charles Hale, living on West Connersville states that his thermometer registered 28 degrees below zero, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Emma Ferguson has a new coal stove. It is a Jewel and bought of Mr. Stanley.

Coal stoves are the craze these days. Gas does not pay.

Miss Mary Kellam is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Sam Williams, at Cambridge City.

The Rev. C. H. Pinnick, preached excellent sermons at the M. E. church Sunday. The morning sermon was a fine New Year's discourse.

Miss Sarah Williams will make her home with Mrs. O. H. Beeson for some time.

O. H. Beeson was at Columbus, O., yesterday to attend the stock yards meeting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fawcett while at Sunday school at the M. E. church, Sunday morning were notified that their horse had broken loose and before Mr. Fawcett could catch the animal it had run several squares. Luckily no damage was done.

W. L. Parkins and O. H. Beeson have been appointed as appraisers for the property of the late Mrs. Sarah Cornthalwaite.

The Good Citizens League of Milton and Washington township filed their renewal of a blanket remonstrance. The county commissioners acted upon the same and Milton and the township will be dry the coming two years.

There were 212 names. Of these twenty were new entirely. There was not the least trouble to secure names. All names of those who have deceased, or moved away since the filing of the remonstrance were taken off leaving a majority of 19 in favor of the drays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kirlin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, Sunday.

Everett Higginbotham of Amareilly, Texas, is visiting former friends here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Higginbotham, who moved from here to Kansas several years ago. Mr. Higginbotham, Sr., was for many years agent and telegraph operator at the Big Four station.

The Friends meeting is gaining in interest and attendance and much interest is manifested at the altar services.

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EAST GERMANTOWN.

EAST GERMANTOWN, Ind., Jan. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Corina Hyde and little son Herald of Richmond, were calling on friends one day last week.

Miss Matilda Ludwig, of Indianapolis, is visiting her sister Mrs. Sarah Barkley.

Miss Christian Sauer of Dublin, was calling on friends here recently.

Mrs. Mitchell has returned home after spending three weeks with friends in Kentucky.

Miss Mable Hartman after spending a week with friends in Dayton, Ohio, returned home Saturday.

Mr. Leonard Jobe who lived on the Murray farm south of town, moved his family to Connersville and Mr. Russell Henby has taken possession of the Murray farm.

Miss Tobias Murray and Mrs. Frank Murray of Richmond, were in town last week.

Mrs. W. H. Behr accompanied her son Russell to Indianapolis where he will have growths removed from his nose.

The following officers were installed Friday night by the Rebekahs: Mrs. Rudolph Slonaker, N. G.; Mrs. Wash Klotz, V. G.; Mrs. Dan Van Buskirk, Secretary; Dr. Elide, Financial Secretary; Mrs. Ben Souberer, Treasurer. After the installation a luncheon of pie and coffee was served.

Walnut Level Lodge No. 156 I. O. O. F. installed the following officers into their respective chairs for the ensuing term Saturday night: C. E. Rodemeyer, N. G.; Adolph Personette, V. G.; G. W. Klotz, Recording Secre-

tary; A. E. Ehle, Financial Secretary; Lee Hartman, Treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Personette are visiting with her people near Middletown, Indiana.

Hary Stewart, of Dublin, was the guest of Miss Nina Snapp Sunday.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, IND., Jan. 9.—David Harter spent Sunday with his family in East Cambridge. Mr. Harter is at present in the employ of the Light Inspection Car Company, of Hagerstown.

Miss Julia Gresh has returned after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. E. S. Webb, of Indianapolis.

Mrs. Frank Crossley spent Saturday in New Castle.

Mrs. E. F. Hahn has received a letter from her sister, Mrs. J. C. Murray telling of their safe arrival in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Mrs. Murray states that they are well pleased with the climate and their surroundings in general.

Rev. and Mrs. Murray have already entered upon their work in the George O. Robinson Orphanage. Their daughter, Miss Emma, who has a position in the same school has been tendered a position in the public schools of the same city.

The funeral of Miss Harriet Griffin, who died last Friday morning after an illness of six weeks was held Sunday afternoon at the residence of her brother, B. F. Griffin, with whom she made her home. Rev. J. E. Coffin conducting the service. Miss Griffin was the daughter of William and Mary Griffin. She was born in Cambridge City eighty one years ago, and was the oldest continuous resident, having passed her entire life in the one locality. Two brothers, B. F. Griffin and Oliver Griffin of this city, survive her.

Mrs. John Judkins entertained the members of her Sunday school class, last Saturday afternoon at her home in East Cambridge. The time was spent in a review of the work of the past quarter. The girls composing the class are: Helen Johnson, Ruth Feenster, Esther Bowden, Alma Shidler, Edna Gehring, Edna Wharton and Hazel Ohmit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gray of Dublin, well-known in this city, entertained in honor of the former's eighty-fifth birthday, the following guests, Dr. J. H. Gray, Wichita, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gray, of Muncie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker, of Noblesville, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson and daughter, Estella, of Dublin, Mrs. J. C. Barnes, Miss Lizzie Osborn, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Harbaugh and daughter, Virginia, of Dunkirk, the last named representing the fourth generation.

Don Wright has returned to Bloomington, after a few days spent at home.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon in the Methodist church, instead of at the home of Mrs. O. E. White, as shown on the program.

Notwithstanding the extremely cold weather, the services incident to the re-opening of the Presbyterian church Sunday, were well attended. Dr. Knox of Lafayette delivered the dedicatory sermon, which was both eloquent and convincing, taking as the subject matter of his discourse "The Dedication of the Body" as shown in Romans 12:1. In the afternoon, brief addresses were made by the ministers of the various churches. Rev. Thomas McGuire of New Castle, occupied the pulpit in the evening, preaching an able sermon and well received. The anthem of both morning and afternoon added much to the impressiveness of the services.

NEW PARIS, OHIO

NEW PARIS, O., Jan. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at West Sonora.

Those from ma distance who attended the funeral of Mr. Peter Hughes which occurred here Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Canny, Miss Julia Canny, Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes, Mr. Rhylix Hughes, Miss Margaret Lorraine, Mrs. Dan Harrigan and family of Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cronin, of Xenia; Dan Hughes and son of Indianapolis; Mrs. Kate Hughes and son Lawrence, Mrs. Mrs. Ed Quinlivan, and Mr. Frank Cronin of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McPherson returned to their home at Liberty, Ohio, after several days' visit here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daugherty took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Engle.

Miss Geeting was a guest of Miss Ashworth at West Alexandria Sunday.

Those from here who attended the "Goose Bloom" at Richmond were Mrs. Ella Bloom, Mrs. Bevington, Irene Mills and Harry Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, of Piqua, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones.

Mrs. Kemple returned Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Robinson of New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Pilcher, of Fountain City, were visitors here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Baumgardner was a Sunday visitor in Greenville. He is spending this week at Lima.

The officers for the Methodist Sunday school were elected as follows: Walter Waggoner, Supt.; Ida L. Bohn, Assistant Supt.; Mrs. Mary McWhinney, Treas.; Adah Walley, Sec.; Orpha Brandenburg, Assistant Secretary; Winnie White, organist; Gertrude Hawley, Assistant organist.

The following officers were elected at the Presbyterian Sunday School Sunday: Arch Rainey, Supt.; M. O. Penland, Assistant Supt.; Hazel Heath, Secretary; Wanda King, Statistical Secretary; Albert Hawley, Treasurer; A. B. Heath, Chorister.

Mrs. Earl Richards returned home Monday after a week's visit here with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reinheimer returned Saturday from a two week's visit with relatives at Earlanger, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, of New Castle, and Miss Glenna Taylor,

took six o'clock dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Horn Sunday.

Mr. Ed Roach, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Arch Rainey and Mr. Chas. Bloom attended the funeral of Mr. Vance Campbell of Eaton Saturday.

Farm and Garden

UDO, A NEW VEGETABLE.

Introduced Here From Japan and Called Better Than Asparagus.

Writing in the National Geographic Magazine on "New Plant Immigrants," David Fairchild says the following of udo, a Japanese vegetable similar to asparagus:

"On the streets of any Japanese city you will find for sale an attractive blanching vegetable called udo. It is a near relative of the well known wild plant in New England the spikenard, but a much larger plant. There are many ways in which it is prepared by Japanese and the foreigners who live in Japan, but either as a salad or cooked in the same way in which asparagus is cooked it deserves to rank as one of the important vegetables of the world.

It is easy to grow; it does not require replanting oftener than once in nine or ten years; it can be cropped in the autumn or in the spring, and it yields large crops of shoots, which are often two feet long and an inch or more in diameter at the base. These brilliant white shoots are edible to their very bases without the least objectionable fiber and not in this respect like asparagus, of which only the tips are fit to eat."

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SMITHERS GOT A BUMP.

The Minister's Comment When He Heard How It Happened.

Within one minute of stepping out of the taxicab in front of his home Mr. Smithers received two separate and distinct shocks. The first was the size of the bill, and the second was the result of his argument with the chauffeur. Mr. Smithers used such language to the chauffeur before he paid the bill that the taxi man could not resist the temptation to swear at Mr. Smithers just once before departing.

On either side of Mr. Smithers lived a gentleman of the cloth, and once during the fracas with the chauffeur Mr. Smithers thought he heard some one spring a shade in the house next door, but before he had time to turn and see who it was the chauffeur landed with that swat. When Mr. Smithers regained his feet the only thing present which had not been there before was a lump rapidly rising in the center of his classic brow.

Next evening at a banquet he met his good neighbor on the east, the Rev. Mr. Havens, who greeted him cordially, but ere he spoke.

"Why, my dear friend," began the clergyman solicitously, "how did you meet with your painful injury?"

"Oh—eh—er—I had to go down into the cellar last night to see about something that went wrong with the furnace. Beastly things, furnaces, you understand. Always getting out of kilter and making you go down into dark cellars—er—and poking round in the blackness." Then Mr. Smithers proceeded into many minute details of how he had hit his head against a projection, how it had felled him to the earth, how he had risen painfully and dragged himself upstairs, but how, in spite of all he could do, the lump had come out as he asserted itself.

The minister listened. "Queer, isn't it," he remarked reminiscently, "how people get hurt? There was a woman I knew who came to church one Sunday morning with a wound upon her forehead, and when I inquired of her how her injury was received she had hesitated to assure me that it was nothing at all serious. 'I—bit it,' said she."—New York Press.

Lowell's Pun.

Once after exposing the ridiculous blunders of the editor of certain old papers James Russell Lowell concluded with the remark, "In point of fact, we must apply to this gentleman the name of the first king of Sparta." No one remembered, of course, what this was, but when they looked it up they found it was Eudamidas.

The Young Member.

Grantley Berkeley in his "Recollections" notes one of the shortest parliamentary speeches on record. It was in the house of commons. Leonard

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PITCHER WADDELL'S PLAY.

It Was a Deliberate Case of Over the Fence and Out.

Connie Mack tells the following story of that great but eccentric left hander Rube Waddell. He says: "We used to put Rube in center field when we weren't pitching him. He never wanted to sit on the bench, and we had to humor him or he wouldn't have stayed on the lot, that's all. He was a bully fielder too. One day we were having quite a battle with some team, and Rube was covering center field for us. We were being hard pressed. With only one out, the other team filled the bases in the fifth inning and a brace of good batters were up. We had two strikes on the man at bat, and then something happened."

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