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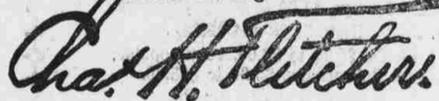
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### BEEBETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Poots started for Florida Dec. 15 to spend the winter.

Lillian Hughes is sick with scarlet fever; Ruby Irvine with chickenpox. The Beebetown school will give their Xmas program at the school house Wednesday evening, Dec. 23.

Mrs. Lunn is caring for her mother, Mrs. Copper, who is quite sick in Berea.

Mr. Lockwood and J. F. Pierce

spent Tuesday in Cleveland on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kline have moved into their new house.

The L. A. S. will meet with Mrs. Ed Clement this week.

Ernest Killian has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson of Cleveland the past week.

Loretta Green spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Cleveland.

### HINCKLEY

Miss Lucile Eelman of Oberlin spent Sunday at her parents, W. C. Eelman and wife.

The Bible study preachers spoke in the town hall last Sunday as usual. They will not be here next Sunday on account of a large convention at Cleveland, but will preach Dec. 27, at the usual time.

Mrs. Chas. Oakley visited in Cleveland a few days last week.

H. C. Averill has sold his engine and outfit to John Dunn. Mr. Averill expects to get a new outfit soon.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Disciple church Christmas eve.

Geo. Johnson expects to have a sawmill in his woods soon.

C. A. Van Deusen and family have returned home after a visit with relatives at St. Clairsville and Dennison, O.

Many of the farmers are butchering.

A petition is being circulated asking to have the center road paved from the River Road to Sherman's Corners. This road would make a pavement from Cleveland through to Valley City. It is hoped that this road will be built the coming summer.

C. A. Van Deusen was a guest of the home office of the Conservation Life Insurance Co., at Wheeling, W. Va., one day last week.

### WESTERN STAR

George Winter's sister, Mrs. Wolford and his uncle, Mr. Galeway of Lodi, spent Saturday and Sunday with him here.

Mrs. Hilo and Mrs. Stump attended a Lutheran church dedication in Akron Sunday.

Miss Ruth Snyder spent Friday in Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wallis visited at J. Wiser's, Norton Center, Sunday.

Mrs. Garmen's mother from Wadsworth spent Sunday with her at this place.

Mrs. A. Johnson entertained the Star Social club Friday evening. A good crowd was present.

Rev. and Mrs. Hewlow and children were dinner guests at E. Shook's on Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Benner, oldest daughter of Jerrey Harter of this place, died at her home in Akron, Wednesday, Dec. 9. Interment in High church cemetery, near Doylestown, Saturday.

Talk about your sharp shooters, Mr. Levi Nash has them all beaten. Last Thursday he met a bunny strolling about his farm. He up with his gun and aimed at poor bunny's head and down he came 50 rods away—the bunny, not Lesl. Good for a man 82 years old. Can you beat it?

New Dancing School beginning Friday night, at 8:15. A new dance every Friday night. 16-2p

### VALLEY CITY

Miss Doris Hoppe has returned to her home to make her trousseau for the coming event.

Mr. D. Alberts of Canal Fulton is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weber.

A bazaar will be held at St. Martin's church, Dec. 21, 22 and 23.

Mr. George Deuble of Cleveland is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richter.

Mr. G. Simon and family of Seville spent Sunday with Mr. Chas. Hoppe and family.

Mrs. Theodore Gunkleman has recently moved into her new home. Mr. Gunkleman, who is at the hospital at Marion, is expected home in the near future.

Miss Rose Huttinger is spending several days in Cleveland with her friends.

Mr. F. H. Davis of Elyria is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Stoskopf.

Xmas programs will be celebrated in the Emanuel Evangelical and St. Paul's Lutheran churches.

Why can not Valley City have a public Xmas tree in its "Market Place?"

Mrs. Albert Muntz was taken to a hospital in Cleveland for an operation for gall-stones.

A beautifully illustrated lecture of "Yellowstone National Park" will be given at the town hall tomorrow evening (Saturday) for the benefit of the high school. Admission 10 and 20 cents. Everyone come.

Mr. L. C. Prescher spent Saturday in Cleveland.

Mr. Albert Leinseder of E. Main street will hold his public sale next Tuesday, Dec. 22.

### BRUNSWICK

The lecture for Friday night is postponed indefinitely, as the speaker, Mr. Fitzpatrick, is suffering from a broken shoulder.

Miss Harriet Simmons visited in Hinckley over Sunday at Mr. Eelman's.

Charlie Miller of Lorain is visiting here at Dan Lunn's and A. Gardner's.

Worthy Greens of Royalton visited here over Sunday at Alex Gibbs and on Tuesday left with some relatives for Eustis, Fla., to spend the winter.

A nine-pound daughter was born last Saturday to Cliff and Anna Hadlock in Cleveland.

Helen Mifer, Helen Ritchie, Irma Harbert and Dortha Damon were in Medina Tuesday evening and attended the concert at the Princess.

Mrs. H. Osterhouse and two children returned home Monday from a weeks visit in Willoughby.

Bernard Ridiker came home from Washington, D. C., Sunday for a fifteen days visit.

The Grange met in the town hall Tuesday.

The union S. S. Christmas exercises this year will be a cantata in the town hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 24, to which everybody is invited.

The banquet given last Friday night was one of the grandest affairs ever held in Brunswick. One hundred and twelve were seated at one time and served by twelve young girls under the direction of Miss Simmons. After the five courses were served, Supt. Rohde called to order and introduced the two "Indians," Edmund and Jenks, who after jokes and stories gave a good talk apiece. Then Mr. Hostetler of Cleveland, after giving all of them "rubs," gave a fine talk. To end up with Ell Peck gave a rousing speech in behalf of all. Earl Gibbs and Howard Chapman gave accounts of their trip. We hope this may not be the least of such gatherings.

Miss Irene Riddles of Berea spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ruth Miner.

### SHARON

Misses Agnes Rood and Hazel Johnson are entertaining the Camp Fire girls this evening (Wednesday) at the home of Agnes Rood.

A Christmas tree will be a feature of the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening, Dec. 23.

The M. E. church will give a Xmas entertainment Christmas night.

F. G. Alderfer has been in Cleveland in the interests of the proposed street railway.

J. H. Derr, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lutheran hospital, Cleveland, Thursday, is recovering and if his condition permits he will return to his home Saturday.

A play entitled "The Village Lawyer," in which only local talent will appear, will be given in the near future. Further announcement later.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Fulmer have been exercised for some time over the feeble health of the aged couple. Their only son, Eugene Fulmer, and wife of Willoughby, O., arrived this evening and it is expected that arrangements will be made by them for some one to live with and care for the old people.

A. E. Halderman will move his family from his farm on the town line to the S. W. Jones house at the Center Thursday.

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The grangers are having meetings again after a long rest. Sixteen were present at the last meeting and they enjoyed a social meeting and had pop corn and taffy. The next meeting will be held Saturday, Dec. 19, in the afternoon.

Mrs. D. McCohn has been on the sick list.

The Sunday school will have their Christmas exercises on Thursday evening.

Ebner Starr hitched a horse to the snow plow and made paths around the Center after the big snow storm, for which every one was very grateful, especially the school children.

Mr. Andree of Doylestown was buried last Friday. He married Mrs. Bowers, who is well known here.

Mrs. Link-Pratt has returned from Kansas and will make Ohio her home.

The High school scholars moved to the new high school building Friday evening. After the holidays the first grade will be there also.

Isadore McAllister died Sunday morning after a two weeks illness from pneumonia and complications. He lived in Bath but was well known here. He leaves a son and daughter. He was about 70 years of age.

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