



Some parting words
Make people sore,
For instance there's
"Please Shut the Door."

"A CHRISTMAS CAROL"

Charles Dickens' Beautiful Story... To Be Given Tomorrow Night At First Baptist Church.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will give a Christmas entertainment at the church Tuesday night, December 22. It will consist of songs, recitations and the play, "A Christmas Carol," by Charles Dickens, will be given.

The following will take part in the play:

Ebenezer Scrooge—Harold Caplinger.
Jacob Marley, the ghost—Pearl Bowling.

Christmas Spirit of the Past—Thelma Groninger.

Christmas Spirit of the Present—Elizabeth Clift.

Christmas Spirit of the Future—Bertha Walker.

Bob Cratchit—Glen King.

Mrs. Cratchit—Margaret Smith.

Peter Cratchit—Alleen Berry.

Martha Cratchit—Bessie Bell.

Two Young Cratchits—Minnie Groninger and David Candy.

Tiny Tim—Elmer Stewart.

Fred Grooge and Wife—Lee Berry and Marion Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Fezziwig—Roy Davis and Anna Bell Hall.

There will also be a tree and all are requested to bring a pound of something good to eat, which will be given to the poor.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT TOMORROW NIGHT.

The Forest Avenue M. E. church Sunday school will have their Christmas entertainment tomorrow, Tuesday, evening at 7 o'clock at the church.

Preparations have been made to make the occasion very enjoyable for both children and the older people.

Last night's weather was the worst ever. Church goers and others found the icy streets and sidewalks difficult traveling.

Spalling Sweaters make useful Christmas presents. All sizes and prices at De Nuzie.

See Schatzmann's for nice china and glassware; fine lamps or Wear-Ever Aluminum.

BROWNING GETS LOVING CUP

Popular Maysville Sir Knight Guest of Knights Templar in Newport.

Sir Knight S. Pearce Browning of Maysville, grand sword bearer of the Grand commandery, Knights Templar of Kentucky, was the guest of honor, Friday night, at a banquet at Newport Masonic temple. Captain Charles Cove, United States army and former captain-general of the Newport Commandery, was master of ceremonies. Alfred Gowling presented a loving cup to the guest of honor. A cabaret entertainment, furnished by Masters Guy and Harry Lunsford and Miss Lillian Lunsford, proved an interesting feature.

During the exercises the order of the Red Cross was conferred on a number of candidates.—Saturday's Times-Star.

LOOT OF AUTO BANDIT

Found in Mattress in His Room in Cincinnati—\$4,500 Still Missing.

Cincinnati, December 19.—Eight thousand one hundred and sixty dollars of the \$12,000 obtained by Frank G. Hohl, the automobile bandit, who was killed, following his raid on two banks last Thursday, was recovered by detectives here late today. The remaining \$4,500 is believed to have been mailed by Hohl to P. C. Wright, of Louisville, Ky. All efforts to locate this package of money through the postoffice, however, have so far proven unavailing.

The money recovered today was found in a room on the second floor of the building at 1405 Vine street. Hohl rented this room last Wednesday, practically at the same time that he rented the room on East Ninth street, where he was located a few moments previous to his battle with the police that resulted fatally for one policeman and himself.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION.

The State National and the Standard banks are putting Red Cross seals on all calendars sent out. A good idea would be to place a Red Cross seal on every letter and package that goes through the postoffice.

Twenty-five carloads of horses passed east over the C. & O. yesterday for Newport News, from where they will be shipped to England. They came from St. Louis.

George C. Slaughter, Circuit Court Clerk of Marshall county, who was believed to have perished in the fire that destroyed the court house at Benton, has been found in Cairo, Ill.

THURSDAY EVENING

Maysville's First Municipal Christmas Tree Will Blaze Forth On the Esplanade.

Maysville's municipal Christmas tree under the auspices of the Woman's Club is an assured fact.

This tree symbolizes the true Christmas spirit as the home Christmas tree can not do. There are no gifts on the community tree; it symbolizes the great gift of God to man, Christ our Savior.

It means the dawn of an era of real brotherhood; it means in spite of want and war of greed and wrong, there are increasing numbers that hope that all that sacred beauty and hope that is the individual Holy of Holies.

Not strange that forever in our minds it should be inseparable from Him who gave supremely. It brings the Child in the manger to every heart. None so poor, so joy starved but he may share in this universal tree.

This tree has been made possible by the co-operation and liberality of the community.

Miss Hanselmann has taught the Christmas carols to the schools, the churches have co-operated, the Maysville Gas Company will wire and light the tree, McDowell & Case will furnish lumber and erect the platform, the Maysville Telephone Company will erect the tree, Elks give \$10, cash \$5, City Mission \$5, each of the Presbyterian, Christian and Baptist churches \$5 each, Misses Hanly cost price on decorations, and on boxes of ornaments. Any ornaments or decorations donated may be sent to the Woman's Club room.

MISS WARD BUYS RICHMOND THEATER.

Miss Anna Bell Ward, the popular manager of the Pastime Theater in this city, has purchased a moving picture theater in Richmond, Ky., and will leave Maysville about January 1 to give the new venture her personal attention. During her residence in Maysville Miss Ward has proven herself a popular and capable manager and The Ledger wishes her success in this undertaking. The Pastime will continue under the management of Miss Ward's brother.

CHARLES F. McNAMARA FELL AND BROKE HIS ARM.

Mr. Charles F. McNamara of East Fifth street had the misfortune to fall on the icy pavement near Heehinger's store about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and broke his right arm near the shoulder.

Dr. Quigley set the broken member and the genial gentleman is resting well except that his mind is a little upset over the fact that he will have to use his left tackle on his Christmas turkey.

MAYSVILLE TOBACCO PRICES HIGHER THAN LEXINGTON.

Sales for the past week ending December 19, 1914, on the Lexington tobacco market, were 2,505,260 pounds, at an average of \$8.77 a hundred. Total sales for the season now are 4,332,640 pounds, with a season average of \$8.79 a hundred.

PROF. HUMPHREY'S MOONLIGHT SCHOOL CLOSSES.

The "moonlight school" for colored people that has been conducted for several weeks in this city under the direction of Prof. W. H. Humphrey, closed last Friday night. The colored people are enthusiastic over the results attained.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Saturday's session of court continued until well after dark, considering the case of Nanz against the Model Laundry Company, and the jury finally reported, being unable to agree and were dismissed. Court will convene this morning, but the petit jury is excused until December 31.

BOTH FROM BROWN COUNTY, OHIO.

General Wilbur R. Smith, the outgoing Republican postmaster at Lexington, and his Democratic successor, Moses Kaufman, were both born in Brown county, Ohio.

TWO FRENCH MILITARY FLYERS BURNED TO DEATH.

Paris.—Lieutenant Grugers and Major Destouche, military aviators, met death today during a flight from Issy, a suburb of Paris.

The initiative, referendum and recall were attacked in a speech by former President Taft in Detroit.

Most varied and beautiful line of Bibles, Testaments, Hymnals ever seen in Maysville at De Nuzie.

Coal, West Virginia Lump Coal

It has been the General Opinion that GOOD COAL could not be had from the Railroads. You can get any grade of COAL you want by Rail. We have started with the BEST that can be had from the MINES and we will always sell the BEST GRADES. We guarantee your Satisfaction. Remember, you can get the BEST from us just as CHEAP as you can get a cheaper grade from others. A Trial ORDER will convince YOU.

And Remember, we are leaders in **LUMBER AND BUILDING MATERIAL** and we have the Largest and Best Equipped Planing MILL in North-eastern Kentucky. Your Satisfaction Guaranteed on every Purchase made from us.

The Mason Lumber Co. Inc.
Cor. Second and Limestone Sts. Phone 519. **MAYSVILLE, KY.**
A. A. McLAUGHLIN. L. N. BEBAN.

\$9.43 AVERAGE

Last Week On Maysville Market—457,085 Pounds Sold—Supervisor Clift Reports Prices Advancing.

We have sold the past week 457,085 pounds, making an average of \$9.43. Same week last year we sold 455,995 pounds with an average of \$9.18, showing an increase of 25 cents, and in our judgment the quality of tobacco is practically the same.

This week demonstrates that Maysville is the best tobacco market of northern Kentucky and Ohio.

We sold one basket the past week for \$25; one full crop at an average of \$17, and another for \$16.93. Any number of crops brought from \$12 to \$14, and baskets from \$17 to \$19 daily.

Bring your tobacco to Maysville and you will be satisfied.

Before selling see that your tobacco is in good condition, as the only unsatisfactory sales of the week were on wet tobacco.

The market closes on Wednesday, December 23.

Sales open on Tuesday, December 29. All houses will be open to receive tobacco, except on Christmas day.

Two sets of buyers go on December 29, so your tobacco will be handled promptly.

W. E. CLIFT, Supervisor.

Cakes for your Christmas dinner: Creole, Fruit, Raisin, Pound, Golden, Sunbeam, Mephisto and Spanish cakes, 10 cents each. J. C. Cahlish & Bro.

Something New in Cheese
PIMENTO CHEESE by the pound. A delicious cream cheese filled with Pimento Peppers. Also fine quality SWISS CHEESE.

DINGER BROS., Leading Retailers 107 W. Second St.

Toys! Toys! Toys!

NEVER BEFORE HAVE WE MARKED OUR GOODS AS LOW TO MEET THE MOST EXACTING DEMANDS. PLEASE LOOK US OVER AND WE WILL MEET YOUR NEEDS. AS LONG AS THEY LAST, WITH EVERY \$1 PURCHASE, OR OVER, OF CHRISTMAS GOODS, WE WILL GIVE A GAME OF BASEBALL. VALUE 25c.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

The Williams Toilet Novelties

Ladies, come to our store and see the Williams' Toilet Novelties, prices twenty-five cents to one dollar and fifty cents. Every article a household necessity.

We have the largest assortment of Christmas Post Cards in the city.

Come to our store and see the premiums given for Ryan Naptha Powder and Climax Soap Wrappers.

M. F. WILLIAMS THIRD STREET DRUG STORE

Three Ohio cities in Belmont county voted to re-establish the saloons after having been dry since 1908.

Mrs. Robert Golet, former wife of a New York multi-millionaire, married Henry Clews, Jr., Saturday.

Oysters, celery, lettuce, cranberries and fancy fruits. Phone 230. J. C. Cahlish & Bro.

D. HECHINGER & CO. Maysville's Biggest and Best Clothing and Shoe Store

A SIDE from a suit of clothes, an Overcoat or Balmacaan, for man, a young man or boy, we show lots of other goods that will make fine Christmas remembrances, viz: Splendid Mackinaws for Men, Boys and Girls, the most beautiful line of Men's House Coats and Bath Robes, Elegant Collar Bags, Dressing Sets, Manicure Sets, Tie, Hose and Handkerchief Sets, Dancing Pumps, Elegant Silk Shirts, Canes and Umbrellas, Fur Caps and Gloves and hundreds of other practical and useful presents. Call in and you will surely be pleased.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

Hunt's Christmas Budget

Look at every handkerchief stock in town. We know what your verdict will be as to the beauty, variety and values in ours. 5c to 50c.

White voile blouses in a dozen different styles, each in holly box \$1.

Inlaid wood trays with glass tops and pretty handles. \$1 to \$2.

Linen and lace doilies, scarfs, stand covers and center pieces 25c to \$2 1/2.

Splendid values in furs. Large and carefully selected stock. Sets \$7.50 to \$35. Muffs \$2 1/2 to \$15. Children's Sets \$1.25 to \$5.

Silk dresses and All-wool Suits \$5. Children's Coats \$1 1/2. Not many and not all sizes.

Flanelette kimonas in perfect condition but stock too big. Reduced from \$1.25 to 89c.

From \$1 1/2 to \$1. From \$2 to \$1.25. Boudoir knitted slippers, all colors, 50c.

Smart models in New York Coats, \$10, \$12 1/2, \$15. In quality and style unusual values.

Dainty little dancing frocks for holiday gayeries, \$12 1/2.

Do you want a long or short coat? You'll find both in our line of modish New York Suits. \$15 to \$25.

A limited but choice number of silk kimonas specially priced \$4.98 to \$10.

Open every evening until Christmas.

THIS STORE WILL BE OPEN IN THE EVENINGS OF TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

THE VERY BEST TIME TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IS EARLY IN THE MORNINGS. You will not be disappointed if you come here direct first, for you will find the very gift that mother, father, sister or brother will be delighted to receive.

HANDKERCHIEFS
A wonderful stock of the daintiest and prettiest handkerchiefs we have ever seen. 5c to 50c.

BOX HANDKERCHIEFS
1 in a box 10c.
3 in a box 25c.
6 in a box 50c and 75c.

Children's Handkerchiefs 10c and 15c box.

Boudoir Caps in boxes 50c.

THE DOLL STORE
We are indeed very busy selling dolls. All kinds of dolls from 25c to \$4.98. Of course, the biggest selling doll in America is "DOLLY DIMPLE" \$1.49.

Teddy Bears 60c to \$1.98.
Miniature Trains that run on a track \$1 to \$1.98.

Red Cross Christmas Seals, 1c.

BOOKS.
The very newest Copyrights \$1.19.
Boys' and Girls' Books, nice binding, 25c.
Alger Books 10c.

Here is a bargain—A pair of scissors, thimble, bodkins, all tied up in holiday attire with ribbon 25c.

Give an "Eagle" Shirt, 85c.

Parisian Ivory Comb and Brush sets \$1.25.

FURS
We sell only the kind we know are right. Not how cheap, but how good. \$2.98 to \$40.

Give a pair of "Queen Quality" Shoes \$3.50.

All kinds of Holiday Slippers 50c to \$1.50.
TOWELS—Guest Towels, beautifully embroidered, 50c.
Big reduction on Coats and Suits.
Seal All Packages with "Red Cross" Seals.

Just a Few Christmas Suggestions
Glance Down the Line

Leggings	Irish Mails
Robes	Ingersoll Watches
Auto Shawls	Casseroles
Flash Lights	Double Boilers
Safety Razors	Coffee Perculators
Shaving Sticks	Bicycles
Pocketbooks	Goat Wagons
Bill Books	Military Brushes
Manicure Sets	Roger's 1847 Silver Knives,
Scissors Sets	Forks and Spoons
English Jewel Cases	Oyster Forks
English Riding Birdles	Salad Forks
Pocket Knives	Berry Spoons
Ice Skates	Butter Knives
Velocipedes	Soup Ladles
Toy Autos	Carving Sets
Express Wagons	Aluminum Knives and Forks
Coasters	(Something new.)

Come and see the beautiful line of English goods we are selling for a mere song. Beautiful Pocketbooks, Driving Bridles, Halters, Jewel Cases, Bill Books, Dog-Leads, Dog Collars, etc., etc. It's a rare treat just to see them.

YOURS FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

MIKE BROWN,
THE SQUARE DEAL MAN.

Fresh 4X Powdered Sugar
Be sure to call and see our Candy Special. ORANGES cheaper here than anywhere. FERNDELL Mincemast is the very best. OYSTERS, CELERY, CRANBERRIES, NUTS.
We carry everything you want.
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