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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY GOSSIP.

BORN, to the wife of James E. Holman, a son. MR. B. K. WEAREN was in Lexington this week. DR. W. N. CRAIG has moved his office to his residence.

MISS MOLLIE DAUGHERTY went to Lexington Wednesday. MR. E. T. PENCE went to Whitley Wednesday to buy cattle.

REV. H. B. MAHONY was in Harrodsburg on business this week.

DR. JAMES M. BLACK, of Knoxville, is here with Dr. J. G. Carpenter.

MISS CATHERINE BAUGHMAN gave an entertainment Tuesday night.

MR. JOHN MOUNT, of LaGrange, is visiting his uncle, H. J. McRoberts.

MESSRS. CABELL OWENS and S. J. Embry, Jr., are back from a visit to Louisville.

MISS MARGARET TOMLINSON, of Lancaster, was the guest of Miss Ties Carpenter.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. BUTCHER have gone to Woodbine to visit Mr. Butcher's mother.

MRS. R. G. HAIL and Wearen, of Somerset, are with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Wearen.

PROF. AND MRS. C. M. BEST, of Millersburg, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Britt.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN FRANCIS, of Corbin, were registered at the St. Asaph Wednesday.

DR. AND MRS. B. F. MORRIS, of South Park, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Annie Lasey.

MRS. W. A. TRIBBLE gave a sumptuous dinner Wednesday to a number of her lady friends.

MRS. MAGGIE YANTIS and Mr. Elijah Yantis, of Mt. Sterling, are visiting Mrs. J. A. Dudderar.

MR. AND MRS. TOM METCALF and family, of Nicholasville, are visiting Mr. T. J. Foster and wife.

DR. R. GOLDSTEIN will be at the St. Asaph Jan. 3d, to fit spectacles for all who may desire them.

MISS MARY HUGHES, of McKinney, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hansford, Sr.—Somerset Paragon.

MRS. W. CARROLL SHANKS and son, Hartwell, are in Lexington with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Moreland.

MR. T. F. SPINK has rented Mrs. Annie Lasey's cottage on Lower Main Street and will take possession Monday.

MR. E. C. WALTON took his little daughter, Lucy Lee, on a trip to Louisville, as one of her many Christmas gifts.

MR. IVON W. FISH is enjoying a visit with Crab Orchard friends, while Mr. Corzatt holds his place down at Rowland.

DR. W. S. BEAZLEY and family, of Lancaster, passed through to Crab Orchard Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beazley.

JOSH JONES returned Wednesday from a month's travel through the West and Southwest, during which time he visited his brother, John, at St. Joseph, Mo.

R. L. COLLIER of Crab Orchard, has moved to Mr. F. Reid's, where he will have charge of his farm. W. W. Hays has moved back to his home place and James Messer to the William Hays farm.

HON. J. R. MOUNT, of La Grange, son-in-law of Mr. J. M. McRoberts, is making a rattling good race for assistant clerk of the Lower House of the General Assembly, and is pretty certain to get there.

MISS KATE AND PATTIE ALCOHN had 10 of their young lady friends to spend the night with them Tuesday, and about the same number of young men calling during the evening, all had a pleasant time.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. UNDERWOOD went to Lexington to attend the marriage of Miss Nellie Griffin to Mr. Young. Miss Griffin will be remembered here as having taken a notable part in an elocutionary contest.

THOSE of our young people who were fortunate to receive invitations are looking forward with much pleasure to the masquerade party to be given at Hustonville Monday evening next by Misses Wheeler and Worthington in Emporium Flats.

MR. O. R. MARSHALL, who was in business here a long time, and who is now superintendent of agencies for the United States Mutual Investment Co., of Lexington, was over Wednesday. Going from here the last time he was thrown out of his buggy and severely hurt, confining him for 31 days.

HON. W. G. DUNLAP, of Lexington, was here Tuesday en route to Lancaster and paid us a pleasant call. Though he has long since reformed and now practices law exclusively, when he is not engaged in political matters, he still has a fondness for a printing of office and the fraternity regard him almost as one of them.

MRS. ANNIE MCCLARY is quite sick. MITCHELL TAYLOR, the busiest man in Casey, was here yesterday.

MISS LILLIE PEYTON has returned from a visit to Miss Len Bobbitt at Danville.

MRS. O. T. WALLACE and son, Salem, of Garrard, are guests at Mr. W. H. Higgins'.

MISS BETTIE MAY GORDON, of Oakland, Miss., is with her aunt, Mrs. B. K. Wearen.

MRS. EMBRY BEAZLEY gave a delightful dining to a number of her friends yesterday.

MISS PEARL WRIGHT and brother, Bluford, of Riley, are visiting their cousins, the Misses Wren.

MRS. JAMES P. GRAY and family left this week for Flomaton, Ala., where her husband is agent for the L. & N.—Somerset Paragon.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

GO to Dalton for good watch work.*

WHITE star coffee at G. H. Farris & Co's.

FIRE crackers that will jar the town at F. D. Bailou's.

ANSWERS are fast coming in to our figure puzzle, but no one has yet struck the combination.

READ Geo. H. Farris & Co's. White Star Coffee "ad" and buy a pound of that splendid coffee.

BRADY & TERRY'S butcher shop will always be found well supplied with the choicest meats of all kinds.*

HEATING stove season is rapidly passing. Come and see us for bottom prices. Higgins & McKinney.

NEW combs, fancy pocketbooks, fancy work both in Hattensburg and embroidery at Mrs. Kate Dudderar's.*

FOR RENT.—One of the storerooms occupied by Severance & Sons. Apply at this office or to Mrs. M. J. Miller.*

BROOMS are booming now. They have advanced over 100 per cent. on account of the combine and scarcity of broom corn.

ALL persons indebted to my wife will please call at the First National Bank, Saturday, 30th, and settle. A. A. McKinney.

THE Severances are moving to the store-room that Dr. Owsley has fitted up for them in every particular as they desired, making it the most desirable room in town.

"I AM a Lincoln county man and I shall call Stanford my home even if I am going in business in Danville," said Jesse Lynn the other day. "You can expect me on hand about election times," he further added.

SALE—W. C. Greening has sold to Mrs. Bettie Carpenter, of Covington, the building at Hustonville occupied by Mr. C. W. Adams, the druggist, for \$1,250. He bought it less than a month ago for \$1,100. Mr. Adams will continue to occupy it.

LOST MONEY.—Mr. R. C. Engleman, Sr., is not enjoying Christmas because he lost his pocket book containing a \$20 gold piece, two \$10 bills, a \$5 bill and \$1.25 in silver. He says he is willing to divide with the finder or give him a more liberal trade than that, if it is necessary.

TRAVEL on this division of the L. & N. has been exceedingly heavy during the holidays. A train left Louisville the other day with eight crowded coaches which were dropped along the line as the crowd got off. Four well-filled coaches go into Louisville daily, while the night express carries almost as many.

WORTHY ACT.—J. S. Wells made many little hearts happy at the School for the Deaf Christmas morning. Many of the pupils get boxes from home Christmas, but many others do not. For those who did not Mr. Wells very generously sent down over 100 articles in gift and toy books, games, etc. Such thoughtfulness is rare indeed.—Danville Advocate.

The promptest paying man in town is Dr. A. S. Price. He is always in several days before the six months is out to settle and it seems to do him as much good to pay a bill as to collect one. We hope his patrons will emulate his good example and pay him as promptly for his excellent dental work as he pays those he owes.

As a matter of course when there is a break in the electric lights, it happens on the night that something is going on at the Opera House, and it is no small matter to get it lighted up especially when no notice is given to prepare for it. There were no lights Wednesday night and the managers of the Opera House were put to untold trouble and expense to light the building for the dance.

THE PINNACLE GONE.—The celebrated Pinnacle rock, which overhung Cumberland Gap and was a noted natural spectacle, fell from its lofty height Tuesday morning. The town was awakened as if by an earthquake as the immense mass, weighing hundreds of tons, came tumbling down. The course of the rock was from the town and no lives have been reported lost, though considerable property was destroyed.

65 OR 70 acres of land for sale. Apply to D. W. Vandever.

ROMAN candles, fire crackers and torpedoes at F. D. Bailou's

It is clear this morning with the mercury below 10 at 6 A. M.

FOR RENT.—Room over Craig & Hoeker's store. W. H. Higgins.

Be fixed for the blizzard by having your coal put in now. J. H. Baughman & Co.

FRESH stock of oranges, bananas, plant and fancy candies at Higgins & McKinney's

FOR SALE.—11 Lincoln county bonds of \$500 each. Apply at First National Bank, Stanford.

JANUARY 1ST is at hand and your account is ready for you. Please call and settle. H. C. Rupiev.

We are headquarters for all kinds of feed: hay, corn, oats, millet, straw, shipstuf, &c. J. H. Baughman & Co.*

In order to reduce our stock, will sell hay at a very close price for the next few weeks. J. H. Baughman & Co.

THE young people have had a gay time coasting the last few nights, notwithstanding the fact it has been very cold.

THE "wearing off" time is almost at hand and many a new leaf will be turned over before our next issue. May all good resolutions be kept.

ON account of the advance in feed we will charge 35c for single feeds and 25c for hays, beginning Jan. 1, 1900. Beazley Bros., liverymen.

THE stock of millinery bought of Mrs. McKinney will be disposed of at cost to clear out entirely for Spring stock. Miss Annie Phillips.

FIRE.—Dr. Coffey's home in Needmore burned about noon yesterday with most of its contents. It is thought that his children who were playing in a closet accidentally started the blaze.

THERE has scarcely been a drummer in town this week and the hotels have had a quiet time. It's an ill wind that blows nobody good, however; the merchants have not been annoyed with the traveling salesman.

SINCE Capt. B. D. McGraw resigned as master of trains on the C. S., there has hardly been a connection at Junction City, thus throwing mail matter 18 hours behind. There was a miss at noon yesterday as usual.

IT has been the quietest, coldest Christmas week for many years. No green Christmas with a fat grave yard can haunt the superstitious this time, as several snows have fallen and lay three inches deep, unmelting on the ground.

THE swellest wedding that has taken place in colored circles for some time was that Tuesday night of Frank Stepp, of Versailles, to Miss Florence Cook, daughter of William Cook, at the Baptist church. Rev. G. W. Bolling performed the ceremony.

REV. R. B. MAHONY is doing pretty well for Christmas times. Since Monday he has written policies in the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., of Newark, N. J., for \$11,000 and has several more thousand on the string. By the way, Mr. Mahony's acceptance of the pastorate of the Perryville church will not necessitate his removal from Stanford, where he will continue to keep his insurance office.

GOEBEL.—Mr. W. G. Holland, of Corbin, "a thoroughbred, dyed-in-the-wool, life-long democrat," wants to know our honest opinion as to the result of the contest. We do not mind telling Mr. Holland in strictest confidence that Goebel is as sure to win as God made little apples. He is the legally elected governor and would win out before any fair tribunal on any one of the many grounds given in the committee's address in our last issue.

THE livery men's association, composed of livery firms of Stanford, Danville, Lancaster and Harrodsburg, met at Lancaster yesterday and decided to let the rubber tire buggies go on account of the big expense in keeping them in repair. This association is formed for the purpose of taking care of horses and rigs and especially to prevent cruelty to horses, each liveryman watching after the others' property when he has the opportunity.

DANCE.—The following young gentlemen gave a most enjoyable dance at the Opera House Wednesday night: Messrs. George A. McRoberts, Jack Rout, Ashley C. Lillard, Robt. Bruce, Arthur Hill, L. L. Doty, T. H. and John H. Shanks and George B. Ellis. The night was a very bad one, preventing those from Danville, Lancaster and Hustonville, who had intended to come, from doing so, but the number present was sufficient for an extraordinarily good time and the pretty girls were nearly danced to death. Among those who were there were Misses Sue and Annie Belle Woods, Annie Bronaugh Engleman, Annie Evans Bright, Pearl Burdette, Mattie Hays Owsley, Mary Bruce, Kate Alcorn, Tevis Carpenter, Margaret Tomlinson, Permelia Smith and Ophelia Lackey.

FOR RENT.—House with seven rooms. Apply to Mrs. Kate P. Miller.

YOUR account is ready. Please come and settle. Beazley Bros.

THE young people of Hustonville enjoyed a delightful hop in Mr. W. C. Greening's new residence last night.

ON account of the advance in every thing, I will begin Jan. 1, 1900, charge 35 cents for single feeds and 25 cents for hays. No hitches on public days on account of lack of room. I. M. Bruce.

MATT S. COHEN, of Richmond, held the lucky number that drew the big doll at Craig & Hoeker's so Dr. J. W. Bryant tells us. No. 1 or the nearest to it was to get the prize and Mr. Cohen had No. 1. They sold 222 tickets for it.

In a feud fight in Clay county, Eli Bolling was shot and killed. Dave Bolling was wounded. It is reported that Pleas Fisher, who killed his brother Alex, is being hunted down by the Philpot faction and will be shot on sight.

Mose Mullins is under arrest at Richmond, charged with being implicated in the death of Robert Tevis, another Negro, by the cars.

Rev. Andrew Johnson has returned from Franklin, Tenn., where he tells us he held a glorious meeting.

PRINTING OFFICE FOR SALE

The Nicholasville Democrat, weekly, on easy terms. Paper is paying a nice dividend and has a good circulation among the best people. Three presses, a Washington Hand Press, a Universal on which THE DEMOCRAT is now printed, and a Gordon Jobber. Abundance of news and job type, 4 imposing stones, 150 news and job cases, 2 cabinets, racks, chases, galleys, furniture and everything needed in a first-class office. New gasoline engine. Paper is doing a good business. Only reason for selling is the fact that the owner is going into other business. Address: W. E. HARRIS, Nicholasville, Ky.

M. GREEN MURPHY. M. J. MURPHY.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

Second Class and Cull Lumber, suitable for Barns and Farm use. Address: MURPHY & MURPHY, LUMBERMEN, 78-2m Kingsville, Ky.

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Offers his services to the people of West Lincoln and Casey counties. Full stock of Coffins and Caskets always on hand. D. S. Carpenter, Manager.

OPTIONS ON FARMS! WANTED

I would like to take options on good farms in Lincoln County. For terms and particulars address WM. LANDGRAF, Kriger, Ky.

Great Clearing Sale

Now going on at the

RACKET STORE!

You can buy Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods for less than ever before. Now is your time to buy yourself and family with.

WINTER GARMENTS

For less money than ever before. Come one, come all and take the advantage while this great sale is going on at the Racket Store. You will never get such an opportunity to buy goods as cheap as you can buy now. Yours for great bargains.

RACKET STORE.

The Cheapest Store in the Country.

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CHANGE LIFE

The Time Comes

to every elderly woman when an important functional change takes place. This is called "The Change of Life."

The entire system undergoes a change. Dreadful diseases such as cancer and consumption are often contracted at this time.

McELREE'S Wine of Cardui

strengthens and purifies the entire system, and brings the sufferer safely over these pitfalls. Its effects have been wonderful. It is good for all menstrual troubles, but is especially recommended at this time. Ask your druggist for the famous Wine of Cardui. \$1.00 a bottle.

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address the "Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

THOMAS J. COOPER, Tupelo, Miss., says: "My sister suffered from irregular and painful menstruation and doctors could not relieve her. Wine of Cardui entirely cured her, and also helped my mother through the Change of Life."

PURE, DELICIOUS.

White Star Coffee.

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ECONOMICAL, HEALTHY.

PRESENTS.

We wish to state for the benefit of any and all persons desiring to purchase goods for the Holidays that we will furnish anything handled by Jewelers at reduced prices. Our plan is to receive orders accompanied by Cash for

Diamonds, Watches And Fine Clocks, Solid and Plated Ware of any make or pattern, Toilet Articles, Cut Glass Ware, &c., at such prices as will make it an object to patronize us. Catalogues can be seen and prices learned by applying to

ROBERT FENZEL, At the Store of THOMAS DALTON. This is Special and will Save You Money.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.

Boys, this is the time you want to be ready to wade right in and have a good time. You simply can't do it in the old Suit, the old Shoes, Shirts and Ties. You would imagine everybody was looking at you and it would spoil your fun. If you will wear one of our

Fred Kaufmann's Made to Order Suits,

It will be so supremely stylish and so comfortable and easy-to-wear that you will forget all about your personal appearance and go right in to win. You never found more correctly built Shoes than our

Patent Leather and Enamelled Shoes for Evening and Street Wear.

Our Ties and Shirts are all made to-order and selected with great care. Give us a share of your patronage and we guarantee to take care of you.

JOHN P. JONES, Stanford.

Come And See Us.

MONDAY, JAN. 1, 1900.

We take this opportunity of thanking those who have patronized us in the past, as this year, 1899, has been the most successful year of our career.

We Sold More Goods in 1899 than any year since we have been in business.

We will keep a first-class line of Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings and Shoes, having sold the Clothing to Cummins & McClary.

SEVERANCE & SONS.

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THE FOX ART GALLERY, DANVILLE, KY.

This is now the most up-to-date Gallery in Central Kentucky, having been recently equipped with the marvelous Anastigmat Lenses; the new discovery in optical science. I wish to say to the Ladies that

THESE LENSES FLATTER.

Latest Designs in Mouldings.

Patterns never sold in this locality before have to be seen to be appreciated. Suitable for framing from the simplest photograph to the most elaborate paintings. Among the lot is the New French "Fleur-De-Lis" mouldings specially for suitable delicate pictures, Embroidered Mats, French Water Colors, and all pictures that require a dainty frame. When in Danville, call and see us and get our prices. We will save you money.

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