

THE NEWS OF PROSPERITY.

U. D. C.'s Have Baby Show—Constable After the Blind Tigers.

Prosperity, December 19.—Miss Lula Moseley is visiting in Clinton.

Mr. J. D. Quattlebaum has gone west to buy stock.

The work on the new church is progressing nicely considering the bad weather. The roof is now being framed.

Miss Southerland, Moseley Bros. milliner, and Miss Leggett, Mrs. Calmes milliner, will return to their homes in the old north state.

Mr. Neel Paysinger, of Greenwood, is visiting his friend, Geo. Harmon this week.

The Christmas exercises of Grace Sunday school will be given in the city hall on Wednesday evening.

Married Dec. 15th, at the Lutheran parsonage at St. Lukes by Rev. S. P. Koon, Miss Bertha Bowers and Mr. Frank Morris. Congratulations to the happy young voyagers on life's sea.

The dime reading consisting of recitations, songs, tableaux, etc., will be given on Friday night, December 27th, in city hall. Don't forget that the proceeds will go to helping on with the new church furnishings.

On Thursday afternoon there will be a baby show and at 7.30 p. m., home talent will give the play Jumbo Jam. There will be music at the baby show. The Thursday exercises will be under the auspices of the U. D. C.'s.

Constable Williams has been busy in this neck of the woods and got onto a tiger lair about 5 miles below Prosperity. He found 2 gallons wine and other evidences of departed spirits. The wine was in the custody of Banks Dominick.

Chief Bedenbaugh got next eight quarts of liquor in the possession of Anderson Kinard. He paid ten dollars to help work the streets and light the town.

The Knights of Pythias at their meeting on Thursday night elected the following officers for the ensuing year: C. C., J. S. Wheeler; V. V., J. I. Bedenbaugh; Prelate, E. N. Kibler; M. W., J. H. Werts; M. E., J. F. Browne; K. of R. and S., R. C. Counts; M. at Arms, J. D. Quattlebaum; Inside Guard, Joe. B. Hartman; O. G., D. J. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elmore, of Whitmire, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Kibler.

Mr. Oscar B. Simpson is at home from the Charleston Medical college for the holidays.

Miss May Lee Barre has returned from a visit to Greenwood to her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Baker.

Misses Luey Fellers and Mary Lee Barre attended the state convention of the U. D. C.'s at Chester last week.

Hon. Kenneth Baker, mayor of Greenwood, spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

The Masonic Fraternity elected the following as officers for the next year: W. M., E. N. Kibler; Sen. W., W. T. Gibson; Jr. W., J. F. Browne; Treasurer, N. H. Young; Secretary, B. B. Schumpert; Sr. D., A. N. Crosson; Jr. D., Jno. L. Cook. Stewards, Jno. A. Sease, Jas. H. Sease; Tilley, J. C. Cannon.

When a man wants an excuse for meanness he usually begins by criticising the churches.

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Sparkling with the brightest and most original productions for
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Fountain Pens, Military Brushes, Traveling Sets, Shaving Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Silk Umbrellas, Watches, Ink Stands, and Books. A good Book is never amiss.

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Havilin China Sets, Hand Painted China, Cut Glass, Silver Spoons, Vases and Ornaments.

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Dolls, Tea Sets, Doll Furniture, Doll Carriages, Chairs, Beds, Sewing Machines, Pianos, Picture Books, Steam Engines, Auto's, Trains, Horses, Horns, Drums, Moving Picture Machines, Blocks, Guns, Teddy Bears, Jumping Jacks.

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I have an unusually large stock of China and rather than keep money locked up for twelve months, I have decided to put it on the market at a sacrifice. For the next 10 days I am going to give the people of this community prices on China never known in the town of Newberry. I wish I could give you some prices, but my stock is too varied to ever think of such. However, I will mention a few articles. 7 inch decorated or plain Plates only 5c, plain or decorated Cream Pitchers 5c, plain or decorated Bowls 5c, Cups and Saucers 5c, 10 in Cake Plates 5c only. This is no fake advertisement, it is a genuine straight forward sale and all I ask of you is to come and see, if you don't want it I would rather you would not buy. Come early before the best stock is taken.

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