

NEWS OF MILLERSBURG

Mrs. W. R. Barnes and Miss Mary Shanklin each entertained a rook party Friday night. Col. C. M. Best has returned after spending the Christmas holidays with his mother at Woodstock, Va. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cray have moved to rooms in the Best flat, lately vacated by Mr. J. T. Judy and family. There was a sunrise prayer meeting at the Presbyterian church New Year's morning, which was well attended. Mr. A. Smedley, Misses Louise Myall, and Martha Smith spent the New Year holidays with Miss Barbara Smedley, at Lexington. Miss Ida Lee Harris has returned to her home in Noland, Va., after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. J. Clarke Leer, Jr. Mrs. W. M. Miller entertained with a rook party Saturday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Buffington, of Moundsville, O. Mrs. Martha Baldwin left Saturday for her home in Maysville after a stay of several weeks with Mr. E. D. Baldwin and Mrs. E. H. Kerr. Miss Corinne Wilson, who fell some time ago at the M. F. C., sustaining a broken arm, and who has been in the St. Joseph Hospital, in Lexington for several weeks, returned to the M. F. C. Friday, and will resume her work today. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hurst have moved to the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Stirman from their farm near Ewing. Mrs. Hurst is a sister of Mrs. Elizabeth Stirman and Mrs. S. H. Endicott. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendrick Hudson will occupy the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Hurst. Dr. C. B. Smith entertained on New Year's Day with a six-o'clock dinner for eight of his gentleman friends. The place cards were prepared in rhyme by Mr. W. V. Shaw. After dinner cards were indulged in until after 1913 had passed away and 1914 had been ushered in. The following are among the number who spent the New Year's holidays out of town: Miss Ellen Clarke with Mrs. Clinton Hartley, in Paris; Miss Ethel Fisher with friends in Clarkesburg, Va.; Mrs. S. E. Bruce and little son, Alexander with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Darnall, at Flemingsburg. Quite a number of dinners were given during the New Year holidays, the most elaborate of which was the one given by Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ingels, which was a buffet luncheon. The following guests were present: Mr. J. G. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Allen, and daughters, Misses Margaret and Mary Bush Allen, J. G. Allen, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, Mr. W. V. Shaw, and Mrs. Louis Rogers and son. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Miller also entertained with an elaborate dining on the same day. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Johnson, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Miller, Miss Julia Howe, of Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Myall, Mr. and Mrs.

Woodford Dantel, Miss Elizabeth Jasper, of Paris. Mr. Lee Clarke left Saturday for Florida for the winter. Protracted meeting began at the Presbyterian church Sunday night. Mr. W. G. Leer left Monday for a few days' business trip to Shelbyville. Wagon tarpaulins carried in stock. MILLERSBURG COAL & LUMBER COMPANY. Mrs. O. E. Hurst has gone to Frankfort, Ind., for a visit to relatives. Mr. Charles Merrimae, of Cincinnati, visited relatives here Sunday and Monday. Mr. E. K. Spears and Mr. Wm. Cannon, of Paris, were here Sunday the guest of lady friends. The following changes in places of business in this place will take place in the next few days: Mr. J. P. Auxier will move his grocery stock to the room of Mrs. Sue V. Sandusky, occupied by Aaron McConnell, who will move his grocery to the building vacated by the drug firm of Huffman & Lynch, and Clark & Ammerman will move their hardware store to the room occupied by Earl Barton, who will move his pool room to the building adjoining. Miss Julia Miller has returned to Asheville, N. C., after spending several months at home. Miss Julia Howe has returned to her home in Covington, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnson returned Saturday after a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Chambers, at Sardis. Miss Mildred Bruce returned Saturday after spending the Christmas holidays with Miss Dorothy Pollock, at Vanceburg. Misses Kizzie May McDaniel, Hazel Kerr, and Irene Tackett reopened their schools Monday. Misses Bessie Purnell and Mary McDaniel returned to their schools at Paris and Cynthia Monday. The Public School opened here on the same day. The M. M. I. and M. F. C. opened today. The student body began arriving Monday. There are several new arrivals among the number at each school. The Cynthia Log Cabin of Friday says: "The members of the Cynthia Musical Club enjoyed a delightful piano recital yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. D. Best. The artist secured for the New Year's treat was Miss Alma Duke Jones, of Millersburg, who is pursuing her studies at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. She is only eighteen years of age and possesses phenomenal talent for one of her age." The year 1913 has closed and we have opened a new year. Millersburg, like every other place, has undergone numerous changes, some of them very marked. A number of prominent citizens, including J. H. Linville, John W. Mock, J. C. Layson, William Peterson, G. F. Jones, have given up their vocations in life and lie peacefully at rest in the cemetery. Other prominent ones have moved from our community, among whom are Joel W. Mock and family, U. S. G. Pepper and family, and others. There have also been many mercantile changes. Mr. Joel W. Mock having disposed of his furniture

and undertaking business to Mr. W. E. Pruitt, Mr. S. H. Endicott his grocery stock to Mr. S. E. Bruce, Carpenter Bros., their livery business and fixtures to D. E. Clarke & Co. The dissolution of the firm of McIntyre & Baldwin, Mr. U. S. G. Pepper retiring as postmaster, Mr. J. B. Cray succeeding him, E. S. Wadell transferring his pool room to Mr. Earl Barton, J. O. Hisko opening a new meat market, a number of farms in the immediate neighborhood have changed hands, families have moved away and homes have been broken up by death. Several new country homes have gone up, which are ornaments to the county and among the new homes in town are those of Mr. J. T. Judy, Judge T. P. Wadell, the one occupied by Elder C. O. Cossaboom, the new colored Methodist church, which would be a credit to any town, and the colored Baptist church. We have a healthy town and community, and all kinds of business has prospered here during the year just ended. Rev. A. S. Venable and R. C. Goldsmith succeeding Rev. R. S. Sanders and Rev. Stackhouse as pastors of the Presbyterian and Baptist churches. The churches have been especially prosperous. Numbers have been added to all the churches and lodges. An automobile garage is among the new enterprises of the year. We have had a prosperous year, and much for which to be thankful. The following were interred in the Millersburg cemetery during the year 1913: March 5—Alice Dailey, aged 46. March 7—James Berry, aged 45. April 5—Mrs. Aggie Agnew, aged 67. April 9—David Conway, aged 54. April 9—Daisy Garrison, aged 19. April 21—Annie M. Buchanan, aged 37. May 11—Horace Linville, aged 54. June 5—Clifton Mann, aged 71. June 16—Sarah Thorn Marshall, aged 15. June 22—John Clark Layson, aged 66. June 22—Chas. T. Darnell, aged 73. July 3—John W. Barnett, aged 75. July 5—Mrs. Nancy Myers, aged 77. July 11—Wm. Henry Bishop, still-born. July 13—Edward T. Wagoner, aged 10 months. July 18—Frankie L. Garland, aged 51. Aug. 3—Oma Ellen Parrish, aged 4 months. Aug. 7—Oma Alfred Puckett, aged 10 months. Aug. 18—Emma Fisher, aged 76. Sept. 4—Geo. F. Jones, aged 46. Sept. 18—John W. Mock, aged 80. Sept. 22—James Howard Insko, aged 1 month. Oct. 5—Martha A. McClelland, aged 85. Oct. 16—Wm. J. Peterson, aged 55. Oct. 24—James A. Smith, aged 87. Dec. 10—Ida Belle Puckett, aged 43. Dec. 20—Rena Clay Stoker, aged 44. Dec. 26—Wm. N. Honey, aged 38.

DEATHS

NICHOLS

Mrs. Nelson Nichols, aged seventy-two years, died at her home in Kansas City, of pneumonia. She was formerly Miss Bettie Quisenberry, of Clark county, and a sister of Mr. J. T. Quisenberry, of Paris. The remains were interred at Kansas City.

MOORE

Mr. James E. Moore, eighty-four years old, the venerable father of Mrs. John G. Redmon, died Friday after a week's illness of uraemia, at the home of Mr. Redmon, on the Jackstown pike. Mr. Moore's home was in Greenfield, O., and he was visiting his daughter. He was in his usual health until about a week ago, and attended services at the Paris Christian church last Sunday week. Another daughter, Mrs. Randolph, of Ohio, was with her father when the end came. The body was taken to Greenfield for burial, leaving here yesterday morning at 8:20 o'clock.

DANIELS

Mrs. Maria Louise Daniels, aged eighty-five years, died at the home of her son, Mr. J. H. Daniels, in Lexington, on December 30 following a protracted illness from the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Daniels was for many years a resident of Paris, making her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Quisenberry, who died some years ago. Before her marriage she was Miss Mary Louisa Gaitskill, and was the last of a family of nine children. She was the grandmother of Mr. Strauder Quisenberry, who died in Colorado, and whose body was interred at Winchester December 25. She is survived by two children, Mr. James H. Daniels and Miss Lillie Daniels, both of Lexington. Mrs. Daniels was the grandmother of Mrs. Lena Parker and Mrs. Irvine McPheeters, of Paris. The funeral was held at Winchester and the remains were interred in the Winchester cemetery.

SOME PROFIT

A handful of raw pig iron, weighing about five pounds, is worth five cents. From it 60 table-knife blades can be made, of a value of \$15. Converted into steel watch springs, there can be about 110,200 of those tiny coils made from it. They sell for \$1.75 a dozen, which would bring the neat sum of \$16,070.83 for the five cents' worth of raw metal.—Browning's Magazine.

MARSH PREDICTS TWO FLOODS.

W. W. Marsh, the Winton Place, O., prophet, predicts that 1914 will be a year of damaging storms, although much more peaceful than 1913—not so many strikes, and not such severe floods and other catastrophes. Two floods are forecasted—one in February and one in March. The months of January and February, Marsh says, will bring heavy sleet and snow storms. The coming summer will be ideal, he says, the heat waves being relieved by cooling waves.

MATRIMONIAL.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence McCoy, of Lexington, of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Nell McCoy, to Mr. William Logan Shearer, of Montecello, Ky. The bride is an accomplished and attractive young woman. Mr. Shearer holds a responsible position with the Northwestern Life Insurance Co., at Lexington. He is well-known in Bourbon county, where he has spent a great deal of his time during the past few years, in connection with his insurance business.

BIRTHS.

Near Ruckles Mills, to the wife of Mr. Lindsay Hough, an eleven pound son; second born.

At Atlanta, Ga., to the wife of Mr. Chas. M. Griffin, of Paris, General Secretary of the Paris Y. M. C. A., a son—Charles M. Griffin, Jr.

" IN THE MELTING POT."

Have you ever looked down into the face of the little Greek bootblack who polishes your shoes in the "shine parlors"? Have you ever studied the characteristics of the fruit vander of the same nationality? Perhaps not. Americans, as a rule, do not know very much about the Greeks who come among them. They see them engaged in various industries—selling fruit, operating shoe-shining "parlors," serving as waiters and bellboys, sometimes in higher positions—and their efficiency in their several occupations is indicated by the fact that their services are satisfactory enough not to be criticized. The average American accepts the services as a matter of course and thinks little about those who render them. If he takes heed of the men at all, he sees keen, clear, dark eyes and fine, dark faces, and if he opens conversation he is likely to be surprised at the intelligence of the foreigners whom he has carelessly classed as one of our "problems." If he stops to reflect, he will recall that he does not hear of them as involved in drinking scrapes, and will wonder what the "problem" is that concerns them. According to the Eastern and Western Review, a magazine published in Boston in the interest of the Greeks in America and printed in English, most of the transplanted citizens of the classic land are greatly disappointed with our country, not finding here the opportunities they expected, but, once here, they stay and make the best of things. Some of them are highly educated, and members of this class particularly find it hard to establish themselves, often being forced to take inferior positions. A porter or "bellboy" in a hotel may possess scholarship far beyond that possessed by pretentious persons whose baggage he carries. Many tales of heroism are told of the Greek soldiers who took part in the recent Balkan war, large numbers of them returning from the United States in order to participate. They had not heralded their loyalty to their native land as many other foreigners in America have done, but they showed their patriotic spirit by their conduct. Mention is made of one man, who had been a bananas peddler in New York, who is now commanding a regiment, and others who had been in humble occupations here died like heroes. A writer in the Review praises the soldiers highly. They are temperate; they endure hardships well; they are brave and intelligent. Another characteristic is their love of reading. They take an interest in international as well as home affairs, and are especially interested in their national poetry. According to this writer they are worthy descendants of the Homeric Greeks. So far as reading is concerned, the statement is sustained by the fact that two daily papers in the Greek language are published in New York, showing a demand for current news. It may be that in this comparatively new element in the "melting pot," a desirable addition is to be made to the American character.

RELIGIOUS.

Prayer services will be held at the Methodist church each night this week by the Epworth League, beginning at 7 o'clock, in observance of the first week of the new year. The services for the week were introduced Sunday night by the subject "Reasons for Daily Prayer." The general public is invited to attend these services.

STOCK AND FARM NOTES

Chas. Kuster, of near Jacksonville, sold to H. Margolen, of this city, 24 fat hogs, averaging about 200 pounds each, at \$7.50 per hundred pounds, for immediate delivery.

DEMAND LONG SHEETS AND CLEAN TOWELS.

Traveling men of Kentucky will make a fight before the session of the General Assembly, which convened today for a hotel inspection bill, regarding the comfort and health of their guests, as to change of bed clothing, length of sheets, condition of towels, etc. This law is most urgently demanded by the traveling men, who make the maller towns, where competition does not automatically bring about reforms for the benefit of guests. Representatives of the traveling men are there urging members of the Legislature to vote for their bill.

Saves Immense Distances. The Panama canal shortens the water route between Liverpool and Vancouver by 5,066 miles.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY FARM BRINGS FINE PRICE.

One of the largest real estate sales consummated in Montgomery county's history was made Thursday when Mr. R. Bruce Young, of that county, sold to his brother, Mr. N. B. Young, of the same county, his model farm situated about two miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Maysville pike and containing approximately 130 acres. The price realized is said to be \$222 per acre, or a total of \$39,960 for the whole.

The man who always takes a drink of whisky in the morning when he gets up never sleeps late.

MARKET HOUSE

8th and Main NO CREDIT, NO DELIVERY, NO PHONES.

Table listing market prices for various goods: Atmore's Mince Meat, lb. .15c; Dill Pickles, large, 2 for 5c; Celery, bunch, .5c; Cranberries, quart, .5c; Parsley, bunch, .5c; Oysters, quart, .35c; Fresh Fish, pound, 10c to 20c; Pork Roast, pound, .16c; Pork Chops, pound, .18c; Rib or Roll Roast Beef, lb., .16c; Round Steak, pound, .18c; Loaf Steak, pound, .20c; Chuck Steak, pound, .16c; Fresh Sausage, pound, .18c; Home-made Kraut, pound, .5c; Pure Lard, pound, .14c; Sliced Breakfast Bacon, pound, .25c; Sliced Ham, pound, .25c.

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Ladies, you never had such an opportunity to practice economy. New Shoes in all leathers and styles, absolutely perfect in every detail. They come in Patent Leather and Gun Metal, \$4.00 and \$4.50 values, at \$2.99

Ladies' Cloth Tops in Gun Metal and Patent, including the much-desired "Baby Doll Shoe," \$3.50 and \$4 quality \$2.49

Ladies' Gun Metal and Patent in Button and Lace, low and high heels, \$3.00 values, at \$1.99

A big assortment of Ladies' Shoes in button and lace of regular \$2.00 and \$2.50 values, at \$1.49

A very big selection of Boys' and Girls' School Shoes in all leathers and styles at prices which will save you fifty per cent. on the dollar.

Men's and Women's Slippers--Restful, Pleasing, Full of Comfort. A very desirable gift for all at THE LOWEST PRICES.

Rubbers and High Top Shoes of all kinds and description at wholesale prices. Satisfaction guaranteed

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Men, do you want the best in shoes? Our line o Shoes cannot be duplicated anywhere under \$5.00 and \$6.00. A large assortment of the famous Walk-Over in all styles and leather at \$4.00

Men's dress or work Shoes in Gun Metal and Tan, \$4.00 and \$5.00 quality, at \$3.49

Men's best Shoes, made in Lace and Button, regular \$4.00 values, at \$2.99

A very large assortment of Men's Shoes in Gun Metal, Button and Lace, \$3.00 values at \$1.99