

# BASKETBALL : BOWLING : OTHER SPORTS

## WHOLESALE TAKE TWO OF GLASSMEN

One Was all They Could Get From the Miner

Corbin's Wholesalers were able to take two out of three games from the Monongah Glass on the "Y" alleys yesterday evening but were unable to hold the Consolidation Coal company.

In the first match Paul Hamilton was the big pin getter for the Wholesalers, with Bentel rolling best for the Glassmakers. Bentel registered one score of 170.

The second match saw the Consol. Coal team taking the high score honors, Shafterman was high man. The scores for both matches follow:

Corbin's.	
Ashby	110 84 120
J. Hawkins	111 105 92
C. Corbin	100 72 78
O. Hawkins	84 132 114
Hamilton	134 89 148
<b>Totals</b>	<b>539 482 547</b>

Monongah Glass.	
Bentel	101 170 92
Brown	107 75 126
Dobson	84 71 68
Eshagen	95 106 95
Gardner	120 97 130
<b>Totals</b>	<b>507 519 511</b>

Consol. Coal Co.	
Dills	100 110 94
Head	73 61 129
Shafterman	109 168 146
Hustead	108 124 78
Bell	98 117 133
<b>Totals</b>	<b>488 525 585</b>

Corbin's.	
Ashby	101 91 71
J. Hawkins	135 91 107
C. Corbin	54 87 90
Hamilton	127 108 102
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<b>Totals</b>	<b>517 499 501</b>

## PARKERSBURG TO OPEN F.H.S. SEASON

Game Scheduled for Next Thursday is Regarded as Important.

Fairmont High will open her basketball season in this city next Thursday evening with Parkersburg High school as her opponent. While the opening game of the season, it is doubtless one of the most important games of the year, with reference to state honors.

Fairmont will play a return game with the Wood county boys at Parkersburg on January 12.

Fairmont High took a 31-0 defeat on local grounds at the hands of Parkersburg during the football season, a defeat which they have not forgotten, and which they will not forget when they meet the Parkersburg basketball team.

Fairmont will center every effort upon starting her season with a victory over the school's strongest rivals, Parkersburg High school.

Under the direction of Coaches Moore and Carpenter the team has been practicing daily at the Miller school gymnasium.

## Boy Scouts Will Deliver 'Phone Books

Boy Scouts of Troop No. 1, commonly known as the Y. M. C. A. troop, met at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday evening for a business meeting.

During the business session it was decided that the boys would deliver telephone directories for the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone company during their vacation.

Every boy that goes on the fall campaign trip must earn his own money. This will be one of the means of gathering coin for the trip next fall. They will begin the delivery of the directories on December 26.

At the meeting yesterday evening it was also decided that the troop should have a basketball team.

## CHIEF ORGANIZER TO HELP OWLS GROW

Will Arrive Here After the Holidays—Officers Are Elected.

For the purpose of boosting the membership of Fairmont Nest of Owls the chief organizer will visit Fairmont after the holidays to assist the local members to put across a successful campaign.

At last night's meeting these officers were elected for the ensuing term: Past President, Richard Davis; president, W. E. Curry; vice president, M. R. Phillips; secretary, Ross Michaels; treasurer, Dr. J. E. Offner; invocator, Charles Hatfield; warden, Carl Knapp; sentinel, Ross Michael; picket, Charles Fetty; trustee, A. L. Peters. The officers will be installed by Post President Davis on Thursday evening, January 3.

The local nest is in a good financial condition.

## Local People Active In Shinnston Event

Fairmont played an important part in the district convention of the Pythian Sisters at Shinnston on Wednesday and it was decided to hold the next district gathering at Worthington, this county, next March.

Ninety-eight people were present, there being twenty temples in the district. Mrs. J. Walter Barnes, of this city, spoke on "The Woman's Part in the War." Former Mayor Harner made the address of welcome and the response was made by Mrs. Marian Bowman, of Fairview, this county, the district chief. Mrs.

Ora Walls, the most excellent chief of the Shinnston temple, presided over the meeting. A vocal duet entitled, "Woman's Day" was sung by Mrs. Roby and Miss Janet. Later "America" was rendered. The degree work was put on by the Clarksburg team in a very proficient manner. The Shinnston women entertained at an elaborate dinner and a fine supper.



## Look Over this List of Gifts That Will Please Men

Here are many good suggestions in Christmas Givables that will make the men folks doubly thankful to receive them. Clothing, furnishings and many novelties are all included at mighty reasonable prices

Initial Handkerchiefs 15c to 50c  
Fancy Lisle Suspenders and Sets 50c to \$1.00  
Belts 50c to \$1.50  
Handkerchief Cases, \$1.00  
Silk Ties, 50c, 65c, \$1.00, \$2.50  
Gloves—Kid, Silk Lined, Fur Lined and others, 50c upward.  
Mufflers, knitted and silk \$1.00 to \$10.  
Handkerchiefs 10c to \$1.00.  
Lisle and Cotton Socks 15c to 35c.

Silk Socks, beautiful qualities, 6c to \$3.50.  
Porcelain and Madras Shirts, \$1.00 to \$2.50.  
Fine Silk Shirts, \$5, \$6.00, \$8.50 to 10.00.  
Smoking Jackets \$5 to \$10.  
Bath Robes \$5 to \$15.  
Sweaters, all kinds, 1.50 to \$10.  
For Boys—Shirts, Caps, Belts, Ties, Watches, Walists, Suspenders and Handkerchiefs.

Come to Hartley's for Shoes



Come to Hartley's for Clothes

## SPORT CHATTER

The Wholesalers discovered something yesterday evening—that they could bowl better with their "Gold Medal" caps off.

Seems queer that the Normal and the "Y" play so early in the season. Generally the state championship game is the last exhibition of the year.

Another local basketball team—Boy Scouts of Troop No. 1, making just 26 organized basketball teams for the city.

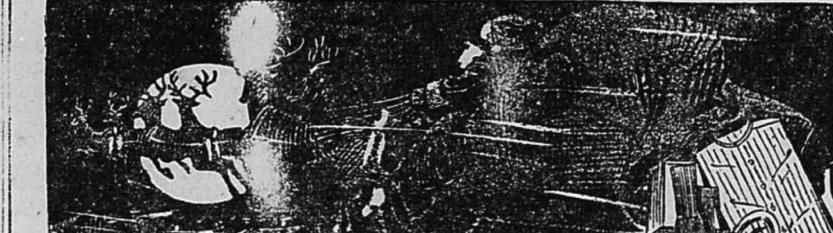
Sixteen of these teams have already opened their season by playing their first games. The ten remaining are at practice preparing for their opening game.

## WANTED!

Mares, Horses and Mules

From 4 to 9 years old weight from 1000 to 1350 pounds, from 15-1 to 16-1 high. Must be sound, good bone, (at) flesh. Will pay the highest market price. Will be there rain or shine, one day only. Will be at Reynolds & Manley's Stable, Fairmont, W. Va., on Monday, December 24, 1917.

**N. S. BUCK & SON**



## Santa Lost His Load at Coogles—Come See

Santa Claus knew this Men's Store was headquarters for men's things, that's why he unloaded such a wonderful assortment of the things that men need and appreciate most, right in this handy store. A short shopping tour with one of our courteous salesmen through the realms of gent's furnishings will prove your wisdom in coming here. Let us suggest, the earlier the day the greater the satisfaction.

## Bath Robes

An assortment so pleasing as to puzzle you. Long flowing robes of generously heavy materials in solid colors or flowered in attractive designs. Some are in the crash or Turkish finish in handsome color combinations. The only man who wouldn't want one of these is the man who already has one, and he would be tickled to have one of these. The prices start down from \$10, the lighter ones being priced at \$4.

## Trench Coats

Overcoats for the young men are provided amply here. Colors are popular and the models are down to the minute. These snappy trench coats khaki color, belted backs, a military style that's much admired and the price is only \$22.50. Others from \$16 up.

## Mufflers

We made preparations to distribute lots of mufflers for Santa this year, and we still have plenty of them. They are all pretty. Even the cheaper ones at 50c are surprisingly pretty in these times of high war prices. The \$2.50 silk ones combine with their beauty, a quality of rich silk material that will wear well and always look well. The knitted silks at \$5 are the top notch in looks and value. Solid white or black and pretty combinations of colors in stripes and flower designs that are distinctively dressy. Why not make him comfortable as well as happy?

## Gift Shirts

Our line of shirts that will make suitable Christmas gifts is a large one, and comprises everything from the soft wool work shirt for the man who is out doors much, to the ordinary dress shirt at \$1 or the finer all silk shirts at \$6. Some very nice ones at \$3. Every man has to have them, so why limit his pleasure to the Christmas day alone?

## This List Will Solve the Problem for Him

- House Slippers
- Smoking Sets with 2 to 6 pieces
- Folding Umbrellas
- Street Umbrellas
- Rain Coats
- Traveling Bags
- Belt and Supporter Sets
- Sleeve and Supporter Sets
- Suspender and Supporter Sets
- Walking Sticks
- Smoking Jackets
- Initial Handkerchiefs
- Traveling Sets
- Jewelry Sets
- Handkerchief, tie and sock sets
- Collar Boxes
- Fancy Gold Penknives
- Auto Gloves

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## FOR SALE

Brick plant, formerly of United States Sewer Pipe Company, located at Annabelle, in Lincoln district, Marion county, West Virginia, near Worthington, on 9.11 acres with 10 feet vein of clay under 26 pieces of land, comprising 471 acres, subject to certain rights of way, etc., suitable for manufacture of high grade building and paving brick. Machine house, grinding room, four kilns, capacity 200,000 brick each, brick platforms, siding, etc. For particulars apply to A. D. V. Watterson, Fidelity Building, Pittsburgh, Penna.



## Xmas Gifts

When the problem of something to give "Him" for Christmas confronts you, as it always does at this season of the year, turn to Iseman's for relief.

Every line of goods we carry offers a suggestion for a Man's Christmas. You can't go wrong here! Look over this list and see if you do not strike something that you know will be—

## "Just the Thing"

- SUITS
- OVERCOATS
- RAINCOATS
- AUTO COATS
- FANCY VESTS
- NECKWEAR
- GLOVES
- SUSPENDERS
- NIGHT ROBES
- PAJAMAS
- HOSIERY
- HOUSE COATS
- BATH ROBES
- SHIRTS
- SWEATERS
- UNDERWEAR
- SHOES
- UMBRELLAS
- CANES
- HATS or CAPS
- SMOKING JACKETS
- SMOKING SETS
- TOILET CASES
- BAGS and SUIT CASES
- HOUSE SLIPPERS
- TIE HOLDERS
- MILITARY BRUSHES

We would just "hint" that you make your selections early, while the picking is at its best. We'll assist you in every way we can, and will make any exchanges you desire after Christmas.

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Leading Hatter, Clothier and Furnisher.



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