

# MANSFIELD MIRROR

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## Tersely Told Town Tales

Some snow this week.  
Toys at Floyd's.—adv.  
New carpets at Floyd's store.—adv.

School will probably reopen Monday.

The influenza ban has been lifted here.

Jesse E. Brazeal's visited in Hartville this week.

Singer Sewing Machines at Floyd's store.—adv.

E. W. Hirst's have gone to Grand Island, Nebr.

Jesse Gaskill came in Tuesday from Kansas City for a visit here.

John W. Byng was here yesterday en route from Springfield to Ava.

M. J. Hight of Bristow, Okla., spent Christmas at Jason Hight's.

E. B. Rogers of St. Louis ate Christmas dinner with home folks here.

A good 1916 Ford car in first class repair for sale. See W. B. Hitchcock.—adv.

Ernest Hailey of Seymour visited W. B. Fullington and wife during the week.

Mrs. L. M. Reese and James Louis Robinson went to Mountain Grove Monday.

The Yellow Jacket on the K. C. O. & S. has been out of commission the past few days.

Christmas visitors at R. A. Alcorn's included Amos Bryant's, Morgan Yates' and R. D. Alcorn of Seymour.

J. H. Robinett of Mountain Grove visited his son, O. L. Robinett and family this week.

Col. Roy Dennis cried a \$3,000 sale Monday for Willie Cottengim, 7 miles north of Norwood.

A big bill of men's, women's and children's shoes received at near old prices.—J. D. Reynolds.—adv.

Joe H. and Col. Roy Dennis have sold to Mike Allen of Odlin, 83 yearling Aberdeen Angus cattle at \$45.

Miss Grace Craig, who is at attending Blackburn College at Carlinville, Ill., is visiting home folks here.

I have just received a nice line of men's coats, boys' coats and men's overcoats, in pawnbrokers goods, at right prices.—adv. J. P. Newton, Norwood, Mo.

There will be a pie supper at Flat Rock school house, Friday night, December 27. Proceeds go to the Red Cross fund.—adv.

Rev. G. W. Holmes desires to express his appreciation to the Mansfield people for the fine Christmas box received from them.

Two good young fresh milch cows for sale, each 3 years old. Want to purchase a few tons of good alfalfa hay.—Fred Oetting, Mansfield, Mo.—adv.

J. D. Reynolds has received some new ladies' cloaks and because of getting them in a little late he will make you special prices on them.—adv.

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At Mrs. James Coday's millinery parlors you will find the newest styles in Millinery—also corsets, children's dresses, silks, waists, caps, novelties, etc.—adv.

The Ithacans Vocal Quartette, violin solos, readings, sketches, vocal solos—Community Lyceum Bureau course. Watch for Mansfield date in the Mirror.—adv.

The Nugget Theatre reopened last night, after being closed because of the influenza ban, and showed to a crowded house. The regular show will be given Saturday night.

When you have Backache the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try Sanol, it does wonders for the liver, kidneys and bladder. A trial 50c bottle will convince you. Get it at the drug store.—adv.

A car belonging to the O H Garage and driven by Raymond Baker was badly damaged by a collision with another car at Hartville the other day.

Woman's friend is a Large Trial Bottle of Sanol Prescription. Fine for blackheads, Eczema and all rough skin and clear complexion. A real skin Tonic. Get a 50c trial bottle at the drug store.—adv.

In the Mirror's report of the Damon Cahow murder we mentioned the fact that no response had been received from Mrs. Lucille Frank, of Auburn, Ind., whom a memorandum found in the dead man's pocket said to notify in case of accident. A letter received from her by the Mirror states that she was Mr. Cahow's niece and was now living in Jackson, Mich., and that the message had not been forwarded to her.

Do you get up at night? Sanol is surely the best for all kidney or bladder troubles. Sanol gives relief in 24 hours from all backache and bladder trouble. Sanol is a guaranteed remedy. 50c and \$1.00 a bottle at the drug store. ad

District Emergency Demonstration Agent L. E. DeVinna of Mountain Grove has information from the Department of Agriculture that the Government will not purchase any wool shorn during 1918, unless it has been loaded on cars and billed through an approved dealer in an approved distributing center on or prior to Dec. 31, 1918, and then only in case such approved dealer file a statement and a copy of the invoice thereof within five days after receipt of invoice. Needless to say, it would be to the advantage of all wool growers who have not already delivered their wool, to make immediate arrangements to do so.

Sickly children need WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only destroys worms, if there be any, but it acts as a strengthening tonic in the stomach and bowels. Sold by all dealers in medicine.—adv.

## And They Were Wed

The home of J. J. Brasber was the scene of a pretty Christmas day wedding when Rev. J. A. Russell of Hartville performed the marriage ceremony uniting Jesse Gaskill, a prominent Kansas City attorney, and Miss Eva Barnfield, a charming young lady of Gull Lake, Saskatchewan, Canada. The newly weds will reside at 2738 Park Avenue, Kansas City. Their many friends join us in congratulations and best wishes.

## Pleasant Flat

Old Santa Claus can drive his reindeer all right but he had thought he could not.

We understand that Miss Alma Chadwell was married Sunday to a Mr. Cottengim.

Dewey Williams came in from Idaho Sunday where he has been for the past for the past 2 years.

The flu in the Moore district was worse last week than ever before. Few pupils are able to attend school.

Mr. Boyer will soon move to the Austin Moore farm which he purchased recently. Geo. Ridens will return to his farm in time to make a crop; he has been in Oklahoma the past two years.

Robert Imhoff's were very pleasantly entertained at Jesse Boyer's Sunday

## With Our Soldier Boys

Paul McAllister has returned home from camp.

John Smith came home Sunday, having been discharged from the army.

Herve Coday has returned from Springfield, the S. A. T. C. having been discharged.

Erben Steel has returned to his home at Hartville, having been discharged from the army.

E. J. Campbell of Hartville came in Monday from Camp Grant, Illinois, having been discharged from the army.

Col. Roy R. Dennis has received a letter from his brother, Marvin, in France, telling of the various places he has visited over there.

Mrs. F. H. Riley has received from the War Department a medal issued for valor to her nephew, who was killed in action overseas, mention of which has been previously made in the Mirror.

The casualty lists report Spursey A. Baker of Manes, Jake Bragg of Ava, Don Willis of Loring, Luther Hutsell of Graff and Willie E. Holt of Mountain Grove as wounded in action, and Wm. T. Ellison of Norwood as missing in action.

Corporal Lester Stone, son of Mrs. W. F. Stone, 1336 Texas avenue has returned from Camp McArthur, Texas, after having been discharged from army service. He was formerly employed by the E. M. Wilhoit Oil Company.—Springfield Leader.

Relatives here have just heard from Raymond Young, with the American Expeditionary Force, for the first time since in September. He had been in a hospital suffering from an attack of influenza and a doctor had written of this, but they had heard nothing since and were quite anxious concerning him. He says he is O. K. now but expects to be over there 6 months longer. His brother Ira was in the hospital for 6 months.

Harry Hight, who has been in a hospital at Richmond, Va., recovering from wounds received while serving with the American Expeditionary Force in France, is visiting his brother, Jason, and family. Harry saw service in the front line trenches, and went over the top, and bears the marks of the terrific struggle in which he was engaged. He was a member of Co. B. 341st Machine Gun Battalion, and he made an interesting talk last night at the Nugget theatre on his war experience.

## Red Cross News

Christmas honor roll for Red Cross, Cedar Gap, Mo. Earnie Goss, W. R. Lee, I. N. Goss, I. J. Hester, M. D. Richman, W. S. Crockett, E. E. Dinger, Will Hartley, L. R. Morris, Mrs. L. E. Morris, Phil Erb, A. Morris, Ira Goss, Mrs. R. C. Rumble, Thula Goss, Alex. Salisbury, Lunda Morris, Ed Koch, Mrs. W. A. Daugherty, Ruth Daugherty, Lucille Daugherty, Annie Lee, Charlie Cameron, Minnie Goss, Ed Lee, Fred Gates, Mrs. May Lee, Hulda Rippee.

## At the M. E. Church

Rev. G. W. Holmes preaches at the M. E. church Sunday.

His morning theme will be Nationalism, his subject being, "The Call of a Country." It will be a patriotic appeal along the line of post war needs and questions. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. In the evening 10 or 15 minutes will be devoted to a "Liberty Sing," in which the war songs will be sung. Be present and help sing them.

Gas in the stomach comes from food which has fermented. Get rid of this badly digested food as quickly as possible if you would avoid a bilious attack; HERBINE is the remedy you need. It cleanses and strengthens the stomach liver and bowels, and restores energy and cheerfulness. Sold by all dealers in medicine.—adv.

## Obituary

Fred Hensley, aged 23, died last week in Rawlins, Wyo.

The body arrived here Sunday and was taken to Hartville for interment. He was a son of B. W. Hensley and wife and was recently married to Miss Opal Hickman. He was an Odd Fellow and among those who came over from Hartville to take charge of the body were G. W. Summers, W. A. Newton, Thos. Jones, Dee Morton, John N. Pryor, Sr., John N. Pryor, Jr., Webb Claxton, R. F. Adams, Jack Bane, Ben Simmons, Perry McElhaney, Fred Johnson, W. H. Gorman, O. H. Young, Frank Hensley, Henry Claxton, A. T. Scott, Gus Hensley and W. C. Pryor.

Mrs. Minnie Bacon, aged 47 years, died at 7 a. m. Saturday of pneumonia at her home near Mansfield. Rev. J. E. Seal conducted the funeral at 2 p. m. Sunday; interment at No. 5. She is survived by her husband and five sons—John, Manley, Lamonte, Adin and Ward. John, who is a member of Battery E, 29th Field Artillery, Camp Funston, Kas., came home Friday on a 6 day furlough and was at his mother's bedside when she passed away. The family desires to extend their thanks for the kindnesses shown at this time of sad bereavement.

The body of Elton Newton, who died at Rawlins, Wyo., arrived here Sunday and was taken to Hartville for interment.

The year old son of Willis Shimel and wife died Tuesday of pneumonia, following influenza.

Mrs. G. S. Burney has been at Lee's Summit on account of her brother's death.

Mrs. J. D. Hull died of influenza yesterday at her home in Mountain Grove.

Midway

Death in the form of influenza has been among us and claimed many of our dear friends and neighbors. Those who have been called to that eternal home where death never comes are Miss Faye Howard and brother Clyde, Irvin Ippock, Mrs. M. L. Bacon. We regret to lose these dear ones from our midst, but God knows best and his will shall be done. Others have been very near death's door, and as the flu is still raging, we know not, who next may be called, but here's hoping that the rest may be guided safely over and soon be on the road to recovery.

Miss Pearl Wells and children are spending the week end at P. J. Wells'. Mr. Wells is very low with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushing were doing Christmas shopping in Seymour Saturday.

Jim Tod's have a letter from their son, Elbert, stating that he may arrive home from the army at any time.

F. W. Thompson the Midway merchant, has been ill two weeks with the flu and does not seem to be improving.

R. T. Nelson returned home last week after a few week's visit in Arkansas. He did not ap to like that country as he intended purchasing a farm and did not do so.

James Todd has been away doing carpenter work but was called home last week by the serious illness of his son, Thomas, who has the flu.

Dan Kelly, who has been very ill, is reported no better. His daughter, Miss Elsie, is very ill with influenza.

J. W. Glass is very ill as the result of a runaway while hauling wood, Saturday. The team broke loose from the wagon, breaking the harness. Mr. Glass was dragged from the load but was not seriously hurt.

Guess we are not going to have any winter as it looks more like spring now than December days.

A RUN-PORED HUSBAND

## Prairie Hollow and Olathe

Here's Merry Christmas come again!  
Cling heart to heart and hand to hand;

"Love one another" was the strain of him who never taught in vain; And let it sound o'er hill and plain And rule the feast in every land.

Wilce Gray of Macomb spent Thursday night with his sister Mrs. Payton Quessenberry.

Gus Johnson and wife are the proud parents of a nine pound girl who arrived at their home Dec. 19.

Orville Quessenberry spent Saturday night at Marion Lettinger's.

Miss Lucy Shinpaugh is staying at Gus Johnson's.

Mrs. Belle Scarbrough of Springfield is visiting Mrs. Addie Miller.

Mrs. B. B. Hylton is ill, threatened with pneumonia.

Misses Mary and Alma Towe, Claude and Medley Towe, Walter Thomas and Harmie Williams went hunting Saturday night and report catching two big possums.

Mrs. Belle Scarbrough and Mrs. Addie Miller spent Sunday at Mrs. Hale's.

Some real Christmas weather. Mrs. Sid Williams spent Saturday with Mrs. Gus Johnson; Miss Ethel Robertson called there also.

Miss Ethel Robertson had the misfortune to smash her left foot quite badly Monday by dropping a big stick of wood on it.

Hope all the readers and the Editor and family have a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

RUBY.

Mrs. Isley's Letter

In a recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good.—adv.

Clear Valley.

Frank Deaver and wife were called to Springfield Saturday on account of the latter sister.

Miss Gladys Hire has been real sick for the last three weeks but is slowly improving slowly.

Miss Leola Cole and John Marshall took supper with Miss Ruby Findley Sunday.

Mrs. Riley Deaver butchered hogs Saturday.

Elsie Wheat spent the week end with Miss Lillie and Bessie McOrte of Bryant.

Several of the Clear Valley young folks attended the party at the Hendrick home Thursday night; all present reported a very nice time.

Everett Brown has been sawing wood in this locality this week.

Albert Crippen's spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, C. Hire and wife.

Misses Claribel and Opal Frye and Tom Frye were Sunday guests at the Ella Stout home.

Trussie Deaver is helping to care for the sick folks at Bob Pea body's this week.

Mrs. Peters and Miss Alice Tomblason were visitors at the R. D. Findley home Saturday night and Sunday.

BLUE EYES.

For Croup

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is splendid for croup," writes Mrs. Edward Bassett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult.—adv.

## Norwood Route 1

Merry Christmas to all. Seems like winter has got here at last.

Jesse Franklyn left for Oklahoma last week; his wife and baby will go later.

John Shores are moving on the Vannoy farm.

Mrs. Geo. Shores, Sr., and son Howard spent Saturday night with her son, John Shores.

Myrtle Shores spent one night last week with Berta and Minnie Johnson.

Hosea Freeman received an honorable discharge from the army and is home again.

Mrs. Geo. Shores, Jr. spent several days last week at her father-in-law, Geo. Shores.

Opal Shores has been sick. John Frye's, who have been sick with the flu, are able to be up again.

James Fry is visiting relatives and friends here.

John Frye, wife and daughters, Ollie and Alva, were in Norwood Saturday.

DOLLY DIMPLE.

Cedar Gap

This snow makes us think that Christmas is really here.

Mrs. W. A. Daugherty of Tulsa, Okla., is spending the holidays with home folks here.

Mrs. H. Matney and sons, Elias and Charles, left Sunday for Iola, Kas., to reside.

Miss Hulda Rippee left Wednesday morning for Brookfield to visit friends during holidays.

There was no prayer meeting Sunday night on account of the bad weather.

Gus Rippee of Norwood visited his sister, Miss Hulda, Monday night and Tuesday.

Rev. M. V. Spain was called to Springfield Sunday by the illness of his son-in-law.

Harry Rippee and wife are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Saturday.

Dehulha hopes that all of the Mirror readers had a Merry Christmas and will have a Happy New Year.

DEHULHA.

Lead Hill

Isn't this a nice snow for Christmas? It sure looks like winter at last.

Fred Crider and wife are spending the holidays with his parents near Lead Hill and her mother at Norwood.

Mrs. Emma Haynes and husband are visiting at Joe Goss'; he is working at the mines.

Rapmond Pierson and wife are home; he is working at the mines.

Mrs. Joe Goss was called to Koshkonong on account of Ora Winburn's family all being sick with the flu. The only doctor there returned from camp about the time the flu broke out and he was sure busy.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to the Mirror readers! Sunday school every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. LIZA JANE.

Wolf Creek

More gloomy weather. Health is very good. The meeting is progressing nicely; it closes this week.

Miss Elsie Light visited Miss Zena Smith this week.

Thomas Strong and wife visited relatives in Cedar Gap the first of the week.

Some snow Monday. BLUE BELL.

## Notice

To avoid a penalty all taxes should be paid before Jan. 1st. Call and pay them when convenient. I have the authorized list for Pleasant Valley Township. adv. Ward B. Hitchcock.

Wayside Gleanings

Sunday school at the Macomb Methodist church every Sunday. Begins to seem like winter. Rain and snow fell Monday.

Happy New Year to the editors and all the Mirror readers, and may the year 1919 bring much joy and happiness.

Glad to see the soldiers' letters in the paper last week. About everyone around here received letters from those in service Friday, and we are glad to say they are alright.

Dave Bennett had a mule to get into the wire Saturday night and they did not find it until Sunday. It was badly cut by the wire.

Mrs. Connie B. Turner and two children are ill with the influenza.

Several of the neighbors butchered hogs Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder, and Miss Gladys and Chester were in Mansfield Saturday.

Albert Schafer was in Mansfield Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Christy and daughter, Lolela, were Mansfield visitors Wednesday, their first time out since recovering from the flu.

We hope all the schools open the first of the year. It is too bad for students to miss passing to another grade.

The Clark Sunday School Township Convention met Sunday and had a short program after dinner and elected officers for the year. Rev. H. J. Fenwick filled his regular appointment in the morning.

Ellis Harold Woody, born August 13, 1915, departed this life December 12, 1918, son of John and Birdie Woody. He was sick only a few days with the influenza. He was a dearly loved child by everyone and will be greatly missed. Funeral services were held at the home the afternoon of December 14. Interment in the Macomb cemetery. The family has all been very sick, but are getting better. Little Ellis leaves a father, mother, brother and many others to mourn his death. We extend sympathy to them.

Dolly Dimple asked the editors and readers to excuse items because of sickness. Somebody Else has been sick and had a substitute, but forgot to ask to be excused to or thank the substitute either.

SOMEBODY ELSE.

Route Number Three

Mrs. L. L. Land, E. F. Holliman and D. S. Dorrell called on Mrs. C. F. Harris Monday.

Ben Bartley sawed wood for W. T. Andrews, H. N. Matlock and Charles Land Thursday.

Mrs. Ella Buck is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mike Branstetter.

Henry Brazel and wife dined at John Dixon's Sunday.

Preaching at New Hope every first and third Saturday nights and Sundays, Rev. J. E. Seal, pastor. Prayer meeting every second and fourth Sunday at 4 p. m. Every one is cordially invited to attend. CASEY JONES.



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**Stephens' Cafe** J. H. Stephens Proprietor  
Headquarters for mining men  
Merchants' Lunch 35c  
Regular meals 50c Good Rooms  
Short Orders at All Hours  
Cigars and Tobacco  
Candies Lunch Goods  
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