

Adair County News

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Personals.

Mr. V. Sullivan, Campbellsville, was here last Thursday.

Mr. Paul Waggener returned to Louisville last Wednesday.

Mr. Nat Terry, of Cave City, was here the latter part of last week.

Miss Katie Murrell spent the holidays with friends at Earlington.

Miss Edna Lewis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leo Baldauf Louisville.

Mr. W. R. Littrell, of Russell Springs, was here one day last week.

Mr. Smith Gill, who is in College at Lexington, was here Christmas week.

Miss Elrie Willis, of Glensfork, spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Coy.

Guy Stevenson, who is in College at Georgetown, was at home for the holidays.

Miss Minnie Kemp, who teaches at Shelbyville, came home for the Christmas week.

Messrs. T. B. and F. B. Phelps have gone to Cumberland county on business this week.

Mrs. R. A. Myers and son, Robert Page, arrived last Wednesday night from Monticello.

Miss Virginia Colley, who teaches in Davis county, was at home for the Christmas festivities.

Misses Rachel and Jessie Faulkner, Campbellsville, visited Misses Lizzie and Mary Harris last week.

Mr. Jacob Myers, of Canton, Ohio, spent a few days of the holidays at the home of Mr. D. E. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Stults, of Louisville, are visiting at the home of Mr. Stults' father, Mr. T. R. Stults.

Ed Woodriddle, of this place, who is making a good soldier, was here, from Camp Zachary Taylor, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Bridgewater, of Louisville, spent the holidays with Mrs. Bridgewater's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Breeding.

Mr. J. A. Wilmore, of the Lexington bar, visited his parents, at Gradyville, last week. He was here Thursday, en route home.

Mr. W. L. Wilson, wife and children, of near Campbellsville, visited Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Feese, last week.

Eld. R. T. Hickerson, pastor of the Christian Church, Burkesville, was here last week, en route to Springfield, to visit relatives.

Miss Mary Williams, Montpelier, Miss Dexter English and Miss Mary Grissom, all teachers reached home last week for the holidays.

Mr. W. D. Jones, who is a Demurrage inspector for Railroads, came home and has with his family here during the holidays.

Margaret, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barksdale Hamlett, was quite sick several days of last week, but is better at this writing.

Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Conover and their little son, Elizabethtown, visited Mrs. Conover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith, last week.

Mrs. Nina Denver, who is a trained nurse in the Deaconess hospital, Louisville, came home and spent two days with her sister, Mrs. Lena Paul.

Mr. J. A. Caldwell and wife, of Mason county, and Mr. W. C. Yates and wife, of Campbellsville, visited at the home of Miss Mollie Caldwell last week.

I Dunbar, Garland Dunbar, B. H. Dunbar, R. L. Dunbar and M. I. Cravens, all soldiers of Russell county, passed through here, en route home, to spend Christmas.

Mr. Horace E. Humble, of Russell Springs, who is a soldier located at Camp Shelby, Miss., was here last Thursday, on his return to Camp after a visit to his home folks.

Richard and Bryan Royle, soldiers at Camp Zachary Taylor, were here a few days of last week. They are pictures of good health and apparently are enjoying the army.

Miss Ruth Hines, who is a student in Randolph Macon College, Va., and her brother, Strother, who is a civil engineer, were here to spend Christmas with their mother and sisters.

Misses Kate Gill, Mary Miller, Susan Miller, Dora Eubank, Golda English, Mary Lucy Lowe, all teachers, returned the latter part of last week to their respective schools, after the delightful holidays, spent at home.

Robert Summers, Rollin Cundiff, Lucien Hunn, were here a few days

from Camp Zachary Taylor, as was also Albia Eubank of Fort Leavenworth, Kan. The boys were looking in splendid health. Every body was glad to see them.

Mrs. Judge Williams, of Jamestown, passed through here a few days ago, en route to Lexington. She stated that she would take up French when she reached the Blue Grass city, and would also do some knitting for the boys in Khaki, and would later go to France.

Miss Ellen Burton returned from a visit to Troy, South Carolina, a short time before Christmas. She states that she left her brother, Capt. H. O. Burton, in fairly good health. For awhile he was almost blind, but his eyesight has greatly improved, and that he can now see to read the newspapers.

Rev. Watson will fill his appointment at Union next Sunday.

WANTED—A white girl to live in a very small family. Apply at this office.

Born, to the wife of Jas. Burton, near town, on the 24th of December, a son.

Edgar W. Reed's Hospital Unit is located at Fort McPherson, Ga., near Atlanta.

The names of subscribers that are omitted from the paid list this week, will appear next week.

From now until the third Monday, the day circuit court opens, the sheriff and his deputies will be kept busy.

We appreciate the handsome Christmas greeting received from Story & Story, attorneys at law, Nashville, Ga.

The number of white marriage licenses issued from the Adair county clerk's office during the year 1917, 109 white; colored, 7.

FOR SALE.—Registered duroc Jersey pigs ready to take away.
J. A. Williams, Columbia, Ky. 10-1f.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Taylor, was dangerously ill with double pneumonia last week, but is some better at this writing.

The week of prayer opens next Sunday night. The services will go from church to church. Everybody is invited to attend.

Next Monday will be the first county court for the year 1918. The January court invariably brings a large crowd. It is settling time.

Mr. Tilden Wilcoxin having removed from Gresham, Green county, to Adair, requests that his friends address him at Columbia, Ky.

Judge W. S. Sinclair has removed from the E. L. Sinclair property to Mr. John N. Conover's dwelling, close to the Graded School building.

Mr. Barksdale Hamlett and family are now housekeeping, having secured apartments from Mr. L. M. Young. They have four rooms and are nicely situated.

There will be an eclipse of the sun on June 8, at which time 85 per cent. of the sun's surface will be covered. The eclipse will start about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Losr.—Some where on the road between Russell Creek ford on Greensburg road and Glenville, a heavy winter lap robe.

W. H. Jones, Glenville, Ky.

During the extreme cold weather a great many quails were found in the woods frozen. It is also said that a great many starved, the snow preventing them from finding subsistence.

Mr. J. O. McClister, Krum, Texas, in writing to the News says: "Enclosed find check for \$2.00. Please apply same to my subscription account, and keep the Adair County News coming."

The County Road Engineer's Convention will be held at Newport, Ky., February 13, 14 and 15, 1918. All the road Engineers, the County Judges and the members of the Fiscal Courts are urged to attend.

FOR SALE.

Six Big Type Polan China Pigs, 4 male and two female, are entitled to register. Also one good brood mare in foal to good Jack.
T. B. Dohoney.
10-2f

For Rent.

My resident on Greensburg street in the town of Columbia. I will also sell my household goods at public auction next Monday—county court at 1 o'clock.
Elizabeth Collins.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze turkeys. Pure bred, large bone, beautiful plumage. Price reasonable.
Mrs. Josh Butler,
8-1f
Columbia, Ky.

The teachers of the Lindsey-Wilson and those of the Graded school who spent the holidays away from the school rooms, returned Saturday and Monday and are now at their posts of duty.

Henry Hardin, of color, this place, has been married five times and he has lost wives, two by divorce proceedings and three by death. His last wife died last week. Henry is yet game and there is no telling when he will again start on the matrimonial sea.

Miss Verna Bryant, who is a very competent young lady, daughter of Mr. Walker Bryant, has been appointed Chief Clerk of the local Registration Board, by the Government at a salary of one hundred dollars per month. Her numerous friends are glad that she has been thus favored. She is now at her desk.

It was very gratifying to the people of Adair county, generally, to see their soldier boys coming in on furloughs, and to greet them and to see them looking so well. Adair has a splendid lot of young men at Camps Zachary Taylor, Shelby and Oglethorpe and at other points, and it is truly hoped that they will pass through the war and be returned home safely.

The remains of Estelle Blair, who was a soldier, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blair, who died at Fort Menning, New Mexico, reached here last Thursday about noon. The funeral was held in the Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Piercy, assisted by others. Many sympathizing friends being present. The interment was in the city cemetery.

There were quite a number of soldier boys, who live out in the country, who came home for the holidays, and whose names we failed to get. They evidently brought happiness to parental homes. From the clothing of all the boys who have come home and from their appearance no soldiers now in the field are better fed and better clothed.

Rollin Cundiff, who was a bookkeeper in the Bank of Columbia before he was called to the colors, visited his home and his friends in Columbia last week. He has gained twenty pounds since he has been at Camp Zachary Taylor. He has no way of knowing whether or not his command will be called to France, but said he "as for myself, I am ready and anxious to go."

A dispatch from Campbellsville states that on the 26th ult., John Hash 50 years old, who lived two miles from said town, was shot and mortally wounded by his twelve year old son, John. Hash was flourishing a knife threatening to kill the boy's 23 year old sister, the boy shot to save her. The wounded man has a bad record and has done time in the penitentiary.

Evidently there will be a large number of people in Columbia next Monday, January county court day. There are several hundred persons in Adair county who are indebted to the News for the paper, and we need every dollar that is coming to us. Therefore, we want every person who comes to town next Monday, and who know that they are indebted to the office, to call and make payment. We have been very indulgent, but the time has come when it is necessary for us to demand our just dues.

Jo F. Patteson has purchased Rev. C. R. Dean's farm, lying on the Burkesville pike, one-half mile from the corporate limits of Columbia. It contains, so we are informed, about 90 acres, dwelling and other buildings. It is reported that Mr. Dean will remove to Indiana, where he lived before coming to this place. He is a first-class citizen, a man for whom the people of Adair county has the utmost respect, and his departure, with his family from this locality, will be generally regretted. When he and his family leave they will carry the best wishes of all their Adair county acquaintances.

Mr. H. C. Hudson, writing from Jackson, Ill., says: "Find enclosed check for two dollars for the News. It is a welcome visitor to our home. I wish the News and force a prosperous and happy New Year."

A stray, Red Heifer calf, one year old is at my home. The owner can have her by paying expenses.
June Spoon, Fairplay

Mrs. R. F. Rowe and Miss Jennie Garnett, who are the most enthusiastic Red Cross workers of the town secured quite a number of new names during the holidays. Since the Red Cross move was started here between eight hundred and one thousand names have been secured. There are a few who have signed and have not paid are urged to do so at once. No person could enlist in a better cause. The best of people take a delight in handing in the one dollar, which is to be expended for the benefit of our boys in the trenches.

FOR SALE.

One pair of coming 3 year old mare mules. Sound and well broke.
C. G. Jeffries,
Columbia, Ky.

From Van Lear, Ky.

The Adair County News,
Columbia, Ky.

Gentlemen:—

Have not received statement of my indebtedness to you, but note that wrapper on my paper bears date 4 2 '16. Therefore, presume that the attached check pays me to April, 1919.

Yours truly,
Herbert Smith.

From New Mexico.

Elida, Dec 27th '17

Editor News.

Please find enclosed \$2.00 to pay my indebtedness on the News and to extend my subscription. Hope you will excuse me for not sending money sooner. Did not mean to be so long, and would hate to not receive each a copy of your excellent paper.
Mrs. M. E. Dohoney.

Where the Blame Lies,

The report of the Board of Inquiry of the Louisville & Nashville railroad placed the blame for the Shepherdsville wreck upon three men, only one of whom is living. The other two lost their lives for the negligence attributed to them. They are William Wolfenberger, engineer of the Cincinnati-Nashville fast train, No. 7, and Conductor Campbell and Flagman Greenwell, of the ill fated Springfield-Bardstown accommodation, No. 41.

Eighty-two Years Old.

Mr. Abraham Brown, whose home was at Pellyton, this county, died on the 20th ult. He served in the Federal army during the war of the rebellion and was eighty-two years old when the summons came. He was the father of Mrs. J. C. Blair, who lives near Columbia. He had the respect of the community in which he lived, and died at peace with mankind. Many attended the funeral and burial.

Tobacco Seed for Sale.

There has been placed in this office some improved White Burley Tobacco Seed for sale. The seed will yield under proper cultivation from 1500 to 1700 pounds of tobacco per acre. Tobacco from these seed took first premium at Columbia Fair and also Glasgow Fair. It also brought \$1.00 per pound on Campbellsville Loose Leaf Market. The seed are sold at 50 cents per package and one package will sow a large bed. The seed will be here in a few days. If you want a package call or write early.

Died in Louisville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Toomey, who was the widow of John Toomey, for many years a hotel keeper in Greensburg, died in Louisville last Thursday. She had been a remarkable woman, enjoying fine health and maintaining her mental faculties during a long life of ninety-odd years. She was the grandmother of J. C. and Elmo Strange, and Mrs. H. W. Depp, this place, who who revered her and will ever hold her name in veneration. The remains were conveyed from Louisville to Greensburg, and there interred by the side of her husband. Many relatives and friends attended the religious and burial services. She was a devout Christian, having been a member of the Christian church for many years.

FOR SALE.

Six good mules, five coming three years old, one ten. 1 1/2 miles east Cane Valley.
S. L. Banks
8-1f

Paid List.

The following persons have sent in remittances and subscriptions since our issue of last week: Virginia Salmon, E. N. Salmon, Porter Brockman, Mrs. A. L. Mell, J. F. Gilpin, J. A. Dulworth, Lawrence Wilkerson, J. P. Conover, T. A. Judd, R. D. Judd, F. L. Montgomery, R. O. Bernard, Jesse L. Murrell, E. V. Hill, Dr. C. M. Murrell, M. V. Garr, Zella East, A. B. Cox, Mrs. Sophia Hurt, Jesse Bryant, C. M. Pollard, J. T. Rogers, F. H. Winfrey, Claud Callison, John A. Wheeler, Geo. A. Smith, Jr., L. Y. Gabbert, Therson C. Taylor, Hadis Harvey, A. C. Wilcoxin, M. M. Traylor, Col. E. Butler, W. N. Smith, D. H. Harrison, J. N. Petty, S. F. McKinley, Mrs. Pearl Blair, Sarah A. Miller, R. B. Reeves, Hudson Conover, Mrs. Sarah J. Bird, R. Y. Simpson, Albert Bright, G. A. Bault, Mrs. Robert J. Pentecost, Mary E. Jones, T. L. Walker, J. F. Chelf, Mathew Aaron, T. B. Lasley, Matthew Akin, Lee Flowers, O. D. Parsons, O. B. Collins, Mont Cravens, W. G. Holladay, H. B. Garnett, J. T. Brockman, Athen Fletcher, Mrs. Herbert Cundiff, W. E. McCandless, J. B. Cave, R. A. Stone, Oten Rosenbaum, Tilden Wilcoxin, J. F. Vigles, L. M. Goode, Charles Redford J. C. Reece, A. D. Morris, L. A. Humphress, J. A. Richards, W. T. Reynolds, Mrs. W. E. Keltner, Guy Nell, W. J. Biggs, Harmon White, F. R. Cox, S. H. Rexroat, F. T. Williams, R. W. Shirley, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, L. H. Chelf, S. G. Banks, Mrs. H. D. Cundiff, C. W. Cundiff, H. W. Cundiff, Bonnie Welford, J. W. McClister, Zach T. Bennett, Chris Burton, J. A. Breeding, J. F. Reynolds, Matthew Robertson, W. W. Spillman, Willis Loy, J. E. Bailey, J. W. Nelson, J. H. Reynolds, G. W. W. Redford, S. McFarland, James Suddarth, J. B. Hadley, O. L. McKinley, W. W. Dickerson, J. C. Dohoney, L. G. Dohoney, E. V. Thompson, J. H. Hearon, Jacob Wright, R. C. Hatfield, Herbert Smith, Mrs. O. B. Finn, R. L. Hawkins, Mrs. Belle Tucker, S. L. Sandusky, Mont Conover, Creed Hood, C. H. Sandusky, E. F. Mullinix, H. J. Shearer, W. F. Squires, R. H. Kinnaird, F. P. Dohoney, Roy Stotts, J. D. Weatherford, Ben F. Thomas, H. Q. Montgomery, H. C. Humphress, J. W. Blair, C. Powell, Ray Caldwell, C. H. Yates, J. C. Blair, H. W. Woodriddle, S. K. Burton, Geo. H. Burton, J. A. Webb, L. P. Murray, Geo. Cheatham, Jr., H. G. Chilson, Dr. P. H. Conover, Paul H. Waggener, Robt. Reynolds, Perry L. Wolf, T. L. Dunbar, Paul W. Moss, Mrs. John Butler, Geo. Hudson, W. T. England, Edgar W. Reed, Geo. Smith, T. W. Wheat, Hon. M. M. Logan, Chester Curry, Mrs. M. E. Dohoney, R. H. Grissom, J. O. McClister, C. E. Antle, J. S. Royle, E. T. McCaffrey, Mrs. Elizabeth Murrell, R. S. Todd, Laura Montgomery, Mrs. S. E. Hale, Lou F. Loy, Jacob C. Reece, W. W. Brockman, S. T. Hughes, J. R. Herriford, Jo Williams, Mrs. C. Collins, W. N. McCubbins, W. S. Chapman, V. O. Wheat, W. S. Sinclair, J. A. Wilmore, R. G. Willis, Mrs. Emma P. Vest, Ira Branham, Horace E. Humble, J. P. Dohoney, Guy East, O. M. Willis, A. W. Paxton, J. V. Willis, J. P. Todd, S. E. Bridgewater, G. F. Flowers, Finis Baker, R. B. Willis, J. A. McKinley, J. S. Naylor, W. Reynolds, Jo M. Reed, H. C. Hindman, W. T. Irvine, N. B. Breeding, W. A. Cook, W. R. Luttrell, John M. Fudge, C. R. Hutchison, O. C. Hamilton, I. T. Farris, Sam Bailey, Jas. O. Grissom, L. R. Bryant, W. I. Ingram, W. O. Rebinson, A. J. Potts, H. K. Pickett, John H. English, J. E. Garrard, G. R. Hindman, W. H. Wheat, R. C. Hatfield, Rev. W. A. Grant, Ada B. Snow, C. H. Campbell, B. W. Pierce, Alma E. Grider, Mrs. C. S. Mooney, J. A. Willis, L. B. Cain, H. B. Ingram, A. O. Taylor, Mrs. Ada Taylor, W. R. Dohoney, J. A. Whited, R. R. Conover, Mrs. E. R. Murrain, Mrs. Bettie Penick, Miss Susie Johnston, Stella Conover, Geo. Curry, L. P. Fletcher, A. R. Jeter, T. B. Cravens, S. J. Cabbell, Mrs. M. G. Sale, Tine Shepherd, T. S. Ellis, Dolphus Burbridge, B. E. Flowers, A. S. Chewning, Garlin Weatherford, Josephine Brockman, J. D. Lowe, Mary Lucy Lowe, Mrs. G. L. Blair, J. P. Beard, U. T. Murray, W. B. Rowe, Porter A. Strange, J. H. Young, P. V. Cundiff, R. G. Price.

Mr. J. C. Blair and family have returned from Iowa. It was a sad coming to them. Since they left less than a year ago, one son died in the army, and while en route here Mrs. Blair's father, Mr. Abs Brown died at Pellyton, and when they reached their farm there was no dwelling, it having been burned about two weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Blair have many friends in Adair county, and every thing possible will be done to cheer their sad hearts.

SAD DEATH.

Mr. Claud Montgomery, of this Place Dies in Wardsworth, Ohio. Interment Here.

Mr. Claud Montgomery, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Montgomery, left here some months ago for Wardsworth, Ohio, where he was employed in a match factory, and where he was a valuable assistant until ten days ago when he became a victim of typhoid fever. He and his friends were hopeful at start, but on Wednesday morning of last week he was much worse and his parents, wife and son, this place, were notified that he was in a serious condition.

His father, wife and little son left immediately for his bedside, but he lived only a few hours after their arrival, a dispatch reaching here Friday night that he was dead. The remains arrived Monday, and many friends went to the Montgomery home to view the body and to express sympathy for those who had been bereft of a husband, father, son and brother.

Claud Montgomery, had he lived until March would have been thirty-four years old. He was a man of correct habits and very attentive to business entrusted to him. He had been a salesman for various merchants in Columbia, all speak of him in the highest terms,—strictly honorable and at all times at his post of duty.

He leaves a wife and one son, father and mother and one sister.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. P. Bush, Tuesday morning at 10 a. m., the deceased being a member of that religious body, many relatives and friends being present, all in the profoundest sympathy for those who had been so sorely grieved. After religious exercises the remains were conveyed to the city cemetery there to remain until the resurrection morn.

May God comfort the widow and little son, father, mother and sister, is the wish of this entire community.

Church Loyalty.

When a person connects himself or herself to a religious body, it is because the organization adheres to the principles to which he or she subscribes. In all Churches the applicant for membership obligates himself not only to attend the regular services, morning and evening, but all other.

In order for a Church to prosper its members must be loyal, and if they fail in this the organization will go to pieces. It is noticeable in some organizations in Columbia, especially at the evening services, from twenty to thirty-five members, living in town, are not in their places. This is not encouraging to the pastor and causes cold chills creep over the backs of the faithful. It takes a live church to accomplish good. Everything is on the drag when an organization is largely composed of dead members. Every member knows his duty, and we admonish them to wake up and attend services at their respective Churches, morning, evening and the the mid week prayer meetings.

Will Remove to Cave City.

Adair county is soon to lose one of its most excellent families, Mr. Luther Williams, wife and children, who will remove from Montpelier to Cave City. Our people will regret this separation, as Mr. Williams has been a prosperous merchant, druggist and farmer of this county for more than twenty years, and Mrs. Williams is a most excellent lady with a number of bright and interesting children. They will all be missed from Adair county, and Cave City is to be congratulated. Mr. Williams will engage in the drug business at his new home, having formed a partnership with Mr. E. T. Willis, who many years ago resided in Columbia.

From Texas.

Dallas, Dec. 27th '17.

Editor News:—

Please find enclosed two dollars for News. I do not know what my bill is. I only know that I was paid to some time in 1916. I have not received paper for a few months. I cannot get along longer without it, as it is news from dear old home folks. Please settle up and put on label so I can know when my time is up, and please if I am ever careless again as to let it run so long, just call my attention to the fact. With best wishes for a prosperous New Year,
Truly,
Mrs. C. Collins.